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ALLIES CAPTURE 12 NEW TOWNS

German "Taxicab Army" Rushes to Orel's Defence

By LYNN HEINZERLING
Associated Press Staff Writer

LONDON, July 16 (AP)—Smashing through new German reserves hastily rushed into the threatened Orel area, Russian forces added six to 10 miles today in their advance on the vital city which the Germans have been fortifying for a year and a half.

The Soviet midnight communique tonight, and a special communique earlier, said the advancing Soviet troops met 11 counter-attacks with concentrated fire power and repulsed the Germans with heavy losses.

Previous announcements had told of gains of 12 to 28 miles on the Orel front, and one Russian broadcast said the Soviets had reached a point whithin 15 miles of the city as they pushed in from three sides.

The BBC said the plight of Orel was so desperate the Germans were forming a "taxicab army" using every type of truck and automobile to rush troops Northward and Eastward of Orel in an attempt to stem the Russian drive.

The Germans were reported frantically strengthening their lines on the Orel-Bryansk railway which also was menaced by the Soviet counter-offensive.

STALIN VISITS FRONT

Reuters' Moscow correspondent said Premier Stalin made a special visit to the Orel front recently where he personally directed the plans for the present Soviet drive.

The midnight communique said that in one sector of the Orel area the Red Army shattered 36 of 80 tanks flung at them by the Germans and routed two enemy regiments.

An "advance to some extent" in the Kursk area South of Orel was reported in the special announcement while the midnight *communique said the Germans* lost 2000 men in a Russian attack that resulted in the capture of an enemy defence sector.

Twenty-five German tanks were disabled or hit by the attackers while prisoners were taken and war *materiel captured in this thrust.*

American Sherman and British Churchill tanks were reported spearheading the Red Army drive.

It was presumed that the midnight communique's total of 2000 Germans killed, 61 tanks disabled and four planes destroyed were in addition to tabulations given in the earlier special communique. This would boost overall German losses in 12 days to about 62,000 men, 3242 tanks and 1766 planes.

In the Belgorod direction where the earlier German offensive had been smashed there were only "intensive reconnaissance activities," the communique said.

House Speeds Eight Bills to the Senate

OTTAWA, July 16 (CP)—With comparatively brief discussion and virtually no opposition, the House of Commons today put eight Government bills through all stages and sent them to the Senate, and made progress with other Government measures, almost clearing the order paper.

The speed with which business was dealt with today brought nearer to realization the aim of concluding the sessional program next week.

The following measures were given third reading and sent to the Senate for approval:

An act to confirm the transfer of certain lands to Ontario and Quebec, concerned in power developments on the Ottawa river;

An act to extend for 10 years the annual grant of $200,000 to the Federal District Commission for beautification of the capital;

An act to amend the Canada Evidence Act to authorize Canadian diplomatic officers abroad to take affidavits for use in Canadian courts

An act to effect the annual reappointment of Canadian National Railway auditors;

An act to confirm an agreement with British Columbia to encourage development of mining on Indian reserves in that Province;

An act to amend the Exchequer Court Act to establish that a member of the armed forces is a "servant of the Crown" for exchequer court purposes.

An act to amend the National Revenue Act to authorize the merging of the offices of Commissioner of Excise and Commissioner of Customs under a Deputy Minister of National Revenue and to give Deputy Minister's rank to the Commissioner of Taxation.

An act to ratify a convention and protocol on taxation signed at Washington in March, 1942.

Willkie a Joke in Illinois Says McCormick

NEW YORK, July 16 (AP)—Col. Robert R. McCormick, Chicago Tribune Publisher, *in commenting here* today on Wendell Willkie's challenge to him to enter Illinois' Presidential preference primary election next year, declared "anybody can beat Willkie in Illinois. He's a joke out there."

McCormick has not said or even indicated he would run in the primary.

Two Canadian Regiments Receive Colors

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND, July 16 (CP Cable).—Veterans of the Dieppe raid and soldiers fresh from Canada paraded today before the King and Queen as the Royal Regiment of Canada and the South Saskatchewan Regiment received colors.

The ceremony was the first for either regiment and rarely has a finer show been seen in Britain. Not even British Guardsmen, who trained the Canadians, could find flaws.

CANADIANS AID AMERICANS OVER FRANCE

R.A.F. Again Goes to Italy; Previous Raid Hit at Power AFFECTS RAILWAYS

LONDON, July 17 (Saturday). (CP)—R.C.A.F. fighters took part in a series of raids over Northern France Friday, escorting United States medium bombers in an attack on the railway yards at Abbeville, carrying out sweeps and attacking railways in Cherbourg Peninsula.

These attacks kept Nazi Europe under aerial bombardment after blows by the R.A.F. Thursday night had cut an arc of destruction through occupied territory from the low countries to Northern Italy.

Canadian Spitfires provided part of the escort in the Abbeville raid and took part in the sweeps. Mustangs earlier flew over Cherbourg Peninsula, hammering railway targets.

None of the Canadian planes was lost, said an R.C.A.F. communique early today.

DOWN 3 PLANES

Fires were left burning in the target area in the Abbeville raid. *Enemy fighter opposition was en*countered and three PW190's were destroyed. One attacking bombers was destroyed.

Reports of a Swiss air alarm early today indicated another R.A.F. night attack on Italy. The Swiss alarm was reported in a Reuters News agency dispatch from Zurich.

Later dispatches reported alerts sounded in Lugano in Southern Switzerland and Basel. The Italian shortwave radio also shut down twice — indicating that Italy might be getting a first hand demonstration of Allied air power.

Additional details on Thursday night's raid upon Italy were released by the Air Ministry which said the attacks were on electrical nerve centres and closely tied up with the battle of Sicily. They were calculated to have an immediate effect on the Italian railway system which is largely electrified.

Three of the four transformer stations hit were in the neighborhood of Bologna, one of the most important rail junctions in Italy. Through it runs the Brenner Pass line from Munich by which reinforcements from Germany must travel.

Another attack was 20 miles North of Genoa on the main line serving the Italian Westcoast and feeding one of the two principal routes of supplies to Sicily.

Canada to Man 75 Merchant Ships by August

OTTAWA, July 15 (CP)—Transport Minister Michaud said in the Commons today that Canada will be manning 75 merchant ships on the High Seas by August, the seamen being provided by Canada and the officers, masters and other specialists by the United Kingdom.

Speaking on an item of $998,670 for the Director of Merchant Seamen in his department's war appropriation of $3,824,973, Mr. Michaud said the great difficulty was to obtain merchant officers for Canadian ships, as few had been trained for such posts in the past.

Britain had assured that at least until September Canada would be provided with sufficient officers to command the ships. The crews would be Canadian.

61 Black Market Convictions

EDMONTON, July 16 (CP.) — Sixty-one convictions were registered in police court today on "black market" charges. The charges involved 25 individuals and two wholesale companies and fines imposed totalled $8255.

HINT SURPRISE DEVELOPMENT COMING IN ITALY

Rearrangement of Gov't to Boost Morale Hinted STOCKS SLIDE

By THOMAS F. HAWKINS
Associated Press Staff Writer

BERNE, July 16 (AP) — **Informed circles in Rome hinted tonight at unexpected political developments as the Fascist News Agency, at a late hour, announced the Churchill-Roosevelt appeal to the Italian people to abandon the struggle.**

What these developments would be was not suggested but a Swiss telegraphic agency dispatch said there was much discussion about "non-military surprises." Foreign observers believed it would involve at least some rearrangement of the regime in an effort to bolster national morale.

A political writer for the Italian Agency Stefani, in an answer to the Churchill-Roosevelt message, declared "feeble morale doesn't exist" but that the people regretted the lack of a greater quantity of arms with which to make the invader "pay a higher price in blood."

But wise money, which always seems to know, gave a more accurate index to Italian morale. In Milan Italian stocks took a sharply weaker turn on the market and some shares went down as much as 75 points, others from 10 to 50 points. Since July 9 the market has been irregular and weak.

Gironale d'Italia similarly avoided talk of victory and expressed only "a firm decision to resist to the end"—thus leaving the way open for the end to be brought about whenever the people or the Army decide the end has arrived.

This same newspaper, however, affirmed that despite heavy Allied pressure "not a single (German) soldier or plane" had been sent from the Russian front to Sicily.

The Italian propaganda agency Stefani reacted quickly, declaring in a broadcast to North America: "The spirit of the Churchill-Roosevelt message accords perfectly with the ferocious egoism of the Anglo-Saxon. The Italian people at this moment do not hear these enemy messages. There are no Darlans in Italy.".

Allied observers believe that what the Italian people could do at this stage, despite their wishes for peace still depended on Fascism reaction to the Sicilian battles. If convinced that the chances of holding the main land are slight, it was believed that Fascist leaders themselves might *open the way for the people to* bring about the war's end.

Italians Complain of Treatment at Hands of Nazis

ALLIED AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS, North Africa, July 16 (CP Cable) — Region Aeronautica, the Italian air force, is becoming only a poor relation of the Luftwaffe.

Italian airmen, captured in Sicily, complain bitterly that the Germans use the most comfortable quarters and requisition all the technical and food stores.

"Worse than that, they have taken our newest types of aircraft and given us old types in exchange," said the Italian pilot of a JU-87 manufactured in 1940.

The Italians and civilians were all short of food—but not the Germans. Captured German ration stores have contained large stocks of Danish butter, Italian farm products, Belgian canned milk and French sausage.

Private Secretary to the King Resigns; Ill Health

LONDON, July 17 (Saturday). (CP Cable)—Sir Alexander Hardinge, Private Secretary to the King, resigned today because of ill health. He is 49 and has held the position since 1936.

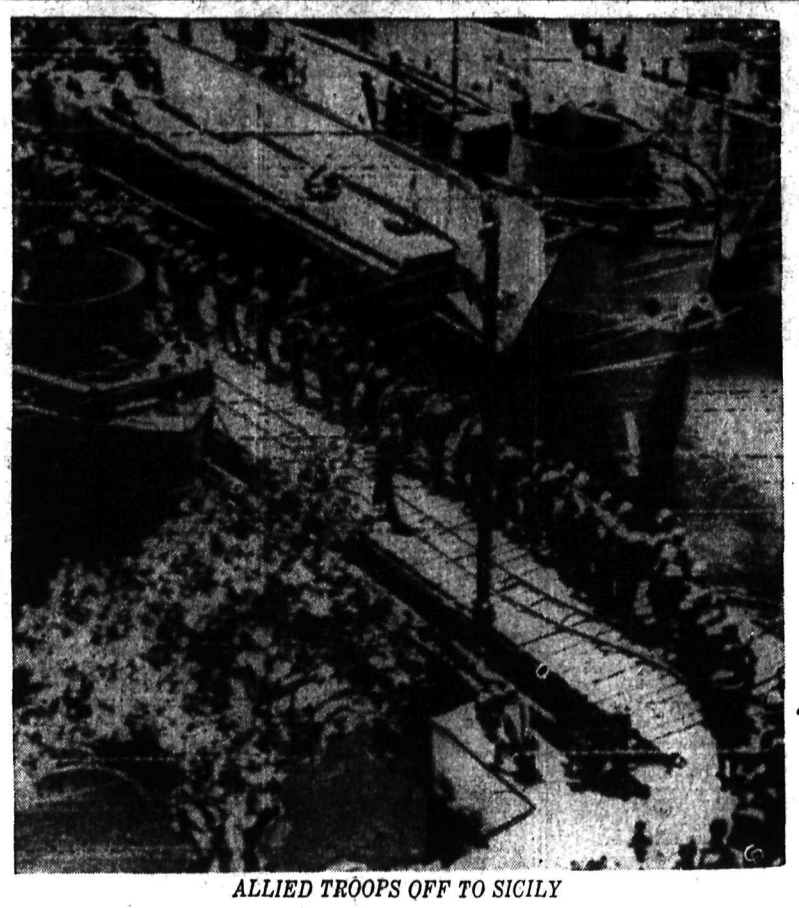
He will be succeeded by Sir Alan Lascelles, who has been Assistant Secretary for some years and was in Ottawa from 1930 to 1935 as Secretary to Governor-General Lord Bessborough.

Sir Alan accompanied the King and Queen on their *tour of Canada* and the United States in 1939 and was Knighted by the King during the trip.

Jamaica Shaken

KINGSTON, Jamaica, July 16 (CP) —Houses, stores and a church in Balaclava were reported badly damaged by an earthquake which shook all of Jamaica this morning. The shock was slight in Kingston but fairly heavy in North Western parishes.

Early reports said no lives were lost.



ALLIED TROOPS OFF TO SICILY

Allied shock troops are shown moving on to a fleet of landing barges at a North African port, for the invasion voyage to Sicily.

SICILIAN NEWS EXCELLENT REPORTS GIRAUD

Tells Montrealers Canadians' Work Remarkable NOISY WELCOME

MONTREAL, July 16 (CP) — Gen. Henri Giraud, joint Chairman of the French Committee for National Liberation, arrived at Dorval Airport tonight to begin a busy round of social engagements and a tour of war plants.

When he alighted smartly from his plane, Gen. Giraud glanced at his watch and shaking hands with Mayor Raynault, said: "I hope we are right on time. I don't like keeping people waiting."

In an informal Press interview, Gen. Giraud said: "Just before leaving Ottawa I had excellent news from Sicily."

He posed for news pictures and then was driven to the city to attend a dinner given in his honor by the Quebec Government.

The banquet was presided over by Premier Godbout and was attended by representatives of various sections of Quebec life.

Gen. Giraud, dressed in white drill, had left Ottawa 45 minutes earlier. Tomorrow he will visit war plants at Sorel, Que., and return *to Montreal as guest of honor at a* civic reception.

Acclaimed by several thousand persons, massed around his mid town hotel, Giraud was called to the balcony where he stood saluted while he heard shouts of "Long Live France."

He hurriedly told newsmen between ovations: "A few minutes before I boarded my plane in Ottawa I received excellent news from Sicily. Canadians there are doing a remarkable piece of work. That is the message I have for you. As you all know, I have a strict schedule to keep. However, I wanted to give you this message so you ladies and gentlemen of the Press could use it right away. It affords me double pleasure to convey encouraging news from here tonight. First for *obvious reasons. Secondly,* because in this French-Canadian city I feel all that so profoundly makes us believe in eternal France.

He had a special salute and a broad smile for a group of children who lined one part of his route, bearing small tri-colors and shouting "vive la France."

He received an enthusiastic greeting when he left his car at his hotel. He paused as a young man broke through a Royal Canadian Mounted Police cordon to shout: "You are at home here, General!"

After his balcony appearance he went to the private banquet given in his honor by the Quebec Government. The Press was not present.

L. C. Hawkins of Nelson Gordon Head Graduate

VICTORIA, July 16 (CP)—Cadets graduating from Gordon Head Officers' Training School tomorrow include L. C. Hawkins of Nelson.

Rome Says Large Sea Force Out *to "Attack Europe"*

LONDON, July 17 (Saturday). (CP)—The Rome radio in a broadcast heard by the London Daily Mail said that six British battleships and four aircraft carriers and two American battleships had *entered the Mediterranean for an* "attack on Europe".

There was no explanation of the phrase "attack on Europe," but the Italians frequently have speculated on Allied attacks other than those on Sicily.

U.S., Canadian Forces Move to Catania Plain

LONDON, July 17 (Saturday) — (CP Cable)—The London Daily Express said today it was learned in London that Canadian and American troops were moving out onto the Catania Plain after the capture of Vizzini, important road junction 25 miles West of Augusta, to attack the main Axis defences in the flank while the 8th Army, including Canadian formations, continued its frontal assault.

Dispatches in morning newspapers here said Canadian troops had captured Vizzini, thus cutting an important line of communication with the centre of Sicily. They said the town, astride the main Syracuse-Caltinessetta road changed hands five times before it fell.

Farther to the West the Canadians and Americans were reported to have reached Niscemi, 10 miles from Caltagirone.

Virtually all German forces thus far officially identified as being in Sicily now are conpentrated on the Catania Plain, seeking to stave off the strategic catastrophe that would be implied by the quick fall of the city itself.

Unsupported by their own air units, the Germans were reported fighting doggedly against growing odds.

Farm Machinery Quotas Are Increased

OTTAWA, July 17 (CP.) — The Prices Board issued tonight a new farm machinery order providing substantially-increased quotas for manufacturers and importers for the next 12 months.

The order provides for a supply of farm equipment equal in tonnage to approximately 77 per cent of the average of 1940-41 output, and represents an increase of about 130 per cent over supplies provided by the previous farm machinery control order. It also establishes repair provisions on the basis of 156 per cent of the 1940 and 1941 average output.

For Eastern Canada, British Columbia and the irrigated districts of the Prairie Provinces, additions to the production schedules include 11-run grain drills, two-row potato planters, 10-foot cut tractor grain binders, aerated or surface type milk coolers, power potato sprayers and dusters.

82-TON BOMB LOAD HITS MUNDA AIR BASE

Jap Positions Near Salamaua Also Plastered SHIPPING HIT

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN THE SOUTHWEST PACIFIC, July 17 (Saturday). (AP)—More than 100 American planes dropped 82 tons of bombs Friday on the Japanese air base of Munda, Allied headquarters announced today.

The aerial onslaught was intended to soften up the Japanese foxhole and log bunker defences now being approached cautiously by Allied jungle fighters.

On the other arm of the Pacific offensive, Northeastern New Guinea, Allied planes bombed Japanese positions at Bobdubi which is only five miles from the ground objective of Salamaua, enemy air base.

The ground situation around Munda, which is on New Georgia in the Central Solomons, was reported as unchanged.

HIT SEAPLANE BASE

North of Australia on the Aroe Islands, medium bombers started large fires at the enemy seaplane base of Taberfane, the night raiders on Taberfane were followed in daylight by long range fighters who strafed barges and villages in the area. One enemy floatplane which tried to intercept was damaged and driven off.

The air raid on Munda exceeded in extent that of July 10 when more than 100 American planes plastered *the air base defences with 70 tons.*

To the North of New Georgia, Allied planes for the third straight day struck at enemy shipping off Vella Lavella Island. Four patrolling fighters strafed and set an enemy barge afire in Tambala Bay.

After Allied attack planes over the New Guinea jungle front raided the enemy positions at Bobdubi, a four-engined bomber flew over the Isthmus on which Salamaua is located in the Huon Gulf and started three large fires with its bombs.

The menace to Salamaua has been increased by the capture of Japanese positions at Mubo, 12 miles South of it.

Giraud Reaffirms French Determination

MONTREAL, July 16 (AP) —Gen. Henri Giraud reaffirmed tonight in a broadcast message to Canadians that Frenchmen are "determined to bring all our material and strategic resources into the common effort of the United Nations."

"Tomorrow, I am firmly convinced, when France shall be free, she shall choose her own institutions, her own leaders and map the course of her destiny," the General said.

Speaking in French, he said, "I came to request from the United States additional help for the Armed Forces of France."

"I have only been in Canada for a few hours yet I have sensed fully your friendship and your enlightened understanding of the French cause," he added.

Advance Continues All Along Line Despite Counters

NEW YORK, July 16 (AP) — The Rome Radio said tonight that Allied forces in Sicily have reached Agrigento, an extension of about 10 miles along their Western flank.

By DANIEL DE LUCE
Associated Press War Correspondent

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, July 16 (AP)—Allied invasion forces, sweeping over 12 new towns and increasing their total of enemy prisoners to more than 20,000, advanced along all the Sicilian Front today with the British 8th Army, which includes Canadian formations, slugging its way against German armored forces to a point within 15 miles of Catania.

Encountering units of the Herman Goering Division North of Lentini, *where they had gathered to attempt a counter-at*tack, the British-Canadian forces under Sir Bernard Montgomery hurled them back and inflicted severe losses to continue their Northward surge up the Island's East Coast to the edge of the Catania Plain.

Observers, who believed the enemy had staking everything on the success of a counter-attack, were confident that the Allies, with an "appreciable number of tanks" already in Sicily, could deal successfully with the armored forces sent by Hitler to help the Italians resist invasion.

Thereafter, observers declared, the enemy will be forced to launch a defensive rearguard action *and begin a withdrawal from* the island.

Although British gunners had smashed the first-line tanks of the Goering Division, the 15th German Armored Division was believed being held in reserve for further attempts to oppose the onrushing 8th Army columns.

The 15th Division was said to be a collection of units originally destined for Tunisia. Organized after the fall of Tunisia, the units were given the name of the old 15th Division which was wiped out *in North Af*rica last May.

Earlier reports said the 15th German Armored Division had entered the fight against the British along with the Goering Division, but confirmation was lacking.

RESISTANCE STUBBORN

Other Allied troops—presumably Canadian—ran into stubborn resistance at Vizzini, about 25 miles inland from the East coast at a vital road junction on the second line of communications to which the enemy had fallen back.

The town changed hands several times before it was finally brought securely under Allied control, giving the invaders command of the central highway connecting the *Eastern and Western fronts of the* Axis. A further advance from Vizzini would immediately menace the towns of Militello and Scordia at the Western entrance to the Catania Plain.

Vizzini is on the line the Canadians have followed since landing in Sicily at Pachina Peninsula.

While Axis troops sought desperately to halt the ground advance, the enemy was powerless to cope with the overwhelming might of Allied air and naval *forces, whose ceaseless bombard*ment of Catania engulfed Sicily's ranking Eastern port in flames.

CITY LIKE VOLCANO

The harbor city near the base of Mt. Etna was smoking like a volcano itself, according to the German radio ,which reported the fuel dumps were ignited by repeated naval shelling and air attacks.

Allied warships bombarded the Catania airfield and other coastal positions of the enemy while fleets of Allied sky raiders pounded the Axis at every point of concentration on the island and smashed at vital shipping and industrial centres on the Italian mainland, almost at will.

Within 24 hours Allied coastal aircraft sank or severely damaged *at least 20,000 tons of enemy ship*ping.

Sixteen enemy aircraft were destroyed yesterday against the loss of seven Allied planes and an official announcement today said enemy aerial resistance was decreasing by the hour.

While the Allied war bulletin declared "the speed of the advance is very satisfactory," it called attention to the limiting factor of Allied transport and supporting weapons at the present stage of the campaign.

In a broadcast heard in London, the Rome radio declared that "the real and true decision for the island will be reached in a new battle which has already virtually started *in the Catania Plain."*

At an Allied Command post it was discolsed that in the British drive Northward an important communication point near the coast was taken by the cooperation of air-borne and ground troops.

Commenting on Italian claims that all Allied parachute troops had been rounded up, these sources said: "All air-borne operations that have been carried out accomplished their missions. It is true that the Italians *have announced several parachute* attacks in areas where no such attacks were ever made and they may have rounded up those non-existent parachutists."

With the announcement of the capture of 12 more towns, it was *disclosed for the first time that par*ish priests have negotiated with Allied military authorities in enlarging the occupied zone after the Fascist bosses fled.

Desperate Battle Rages 13 Miles From Catania

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, July 16 (AP) — A desperate battle raged late today within 13 miles of strategic Catania, fall of which would give the Allies control of much of Sicily without the immediate necessity of occupation, and threaten the Axis defenders with another Cap Bon disaster.

Catania was reported in flames.

A Vichy radio broadcast said Agrigento, an important Axis troop centre, had fallen; Rome radio, heard in New York by NBC, also said that the Americans had reached that city in a 10-mile gain in the extreme West; and Rome radio also said the battle of the *Catania Plain probably would de*cide the issue in Sicily.

Viereck Guilty on Six Foreign Agency Act Counts

WASHINGTON, July 16 (AP)— Federal court jury tonight convicted George Sylvester Viereck, alleged pro-German propagandist, of violating the Foreign Agents Registration Act.

The jury found him guilty on all six counts, charging him with failing to list all foreign principals for whom he worked prior to the United States' entry into the war and failing to give the State Department a comprehensive statement of his activities.

Viereck was convicted in March, 1942, and served a year of an eight-months-to-two-years' sentence before the original case was remanded by the United States Supreme Court.

Under the new conviction, Viereck faces a possible maximum sentence of 12 years and $6000 fine.

It was expected sentence would be imposed about July 23.

"We'll Drive Japs Out of Aleutians"

WASHINGTON, July 16 (AP) — Navy Secretary Frank Knox said today in commenting on naval bombardments of the Japanese base on Kiska that "we propose to drive the Japanese out of the Aleutians."

"Just when and how we are going to do it. I can't talk about."

The U. S. Navy announced today that a small American warship had shelled Japanese defences on Kiska Island again Thursday in the fifth attack within 10 days.

Declaration Day Celebration by Doukhobors Expected Be Quiet

Celebration of Declaration Day by the Doukhobors of West Kootenay—an annual function on August 1 since 1939—is expected to be a quiet day this year. It will consist mainly of a religious service at the Verigin family tomb on the heights overlooking Brilliant; and meetings at the headquarters near Brilliant station.

It is believed unlikely there will be a parade, as in past years, from the headquarters to the main highway, and then along the highway to the tomb. Nor is a parade of Castlegar Doukhobors to Brilliant considered likely.

Restriction of the commemoration in this manner is due to two factors—absence of many of the men at their work; and transportaiton difficulties.

COMMITTEE LAYING PLANS

A committee of Doukhobors headed by John Verigin, senior member of the leading family of the sect, is preparing plans.

It was in connection with the forthcoming commemoration that Attorney-General R. L. Maitland issued a warning that nothing must be done which would be prejudicial to recruiting of men and women for the active services.

The warning was occasioned by a protest from the Castlegar-Robson Branch of the Canadian Legion against any "peace celebration" or "burning of arms" celebration.

In former years the Doukhobors annually celebrated on St. Peter's Day, June 29, the "burning of arms" in Russia years ago when they refused to serve in the armies of the Czar. The celebration was one of the highlights of Doukhobor year, and was featured by a pageant depicting the burning of the arms with which they had been supplied.

NEW DAY CHOSEN

However, in 1936 Peter Verigin II, then spiritual leader of the Doukhobors, arranged for the June 29 celebration to be abandoned and for Declaration Day to be instituted in its place.

The first Declaration Day was celebrated in 1939—the year in which Peter Verigin II died—At that time it was announced that it would be a festival at which thanks would be expressed to the Canadian Government for "having recognized the rights of the Doukhobors, as conscientious objectors to military service". The date was chosen because in 1934, at a series of meetings held between June 29 and August 7, the Doukhobors went on record as not desiring to exercise the franchise as voters.

4 Appointments to Nelson Schools Complete Staffs for Fall Term

Nelson school staffs are complete for the opening of the Fall term—as things stand at the moment. Staff vacancies were filled Friday night when the Board made four appointments on recommendation of the Management Committee. The appointees were:

To Central School—Miss Carol Alma Frances Proudfoot, Nelson; Miss Wilma Campion, Nelson.

To Junior High School—Clarence R. Mattice, Penticton; Miss Ruth Hind, Langley Prairie.

These appointments fill the vacancies created by the departure of teachers who joined the Active Services during the 1942-43 term or at the completion of the term. Since those who left for active service were granted leave of absence, the new appointments were on a temporary basis.

Cadet instruction personnel will also be stronger with the opening of the Fall term, since three members of the staff—D. G. Chamberlain, B. B. Crawford and W. H. Elmes—have been taking instructors' courses.

Fall Supplies and Books for High School Authorized

Ordering of Fall supplies for the High School, including the seasonal order for books for the school library, was authorized by the School Board Friday night.

MOTHERS FEEL SAFER

One Mother writes: "With a family of children constantly getting scratches, cuts, or bruises, I have proved Mecca an invaluable healer. I cannot praise it too highly. I keep a tin of Mecca upstairs and another downstairs." 62

"MECCA" OINTMENT

Britain Turns Over Big Depot to U.S. Forces

LONDON, July 17 (Saturday)—(CP.)—The United States Army announced today that the British Government has turned over to it a great general military depot in England on reverse lend-lease. Acres of fireproof buildings constructed of British and American material will house quartermaster and ordnance stores and maintenance shops.

Lt.-Col. H. J. Brooks died unaware he had been awarded the O.B.E., in the Birthday Honors List. He had been ill some months in Britain.

Nelson Churches

COME TO CHURCH

First Church of Christ Scientist
209 BAKER STREET

A Branch of The Mother Church The First Church of Christ Scientist in Boston, Mass.

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Sunday Service 11 a.m.

Subject Lesson Sermon
LIFE

Wednesday Testimonial Meeting 8 p.m.

FREE READING ROOM IN CHURCH BUILDING—
Open Daily 3-5

All Cordially Welcome.

Baptist Church

Rev. H. R. Stovell, B.A., B.D.

11 a.m.—At First Presbyterian Church, "The Unchanging Christ"

7:30 p.m. At Baptist Church, "Tragedy of Life"

Mr. A. Stewart will preach at both services.

Evangelical Mission Covenant Church

Baker and Hendryx Streets

REV. D. N. ERICSON, Pastor

11 o'clock, Sunday School and morning worship combined.
7:30—Evening worship.

Salvation Army

Victoria St.

Regular Services.
11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Sunday School— 10 a.m.

St. Paul's and Trinity United Churches

Worshipping in St. Paul's Church, Stanley and Silica Streets.

The Preacher will be

REV. H. STEWART FORBES B.A., B.D.

SUBJECTS:
11 a.m.—The Divine Invasion

Children—A Chinese Story.

8 p.m.—St. Paul - In Malta

First Presbyterian Church

Victoria and Kootenay

Archibald Stewart, Minister.

11 a.m.—"The Unchanging Christ"

7:30 p.m.—Service in Baptist Church, "The Tragedy of Life"

Bethel Tabernacle

Rev. C. A. C. Story
708 Baker St.
SERVICES:
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
Regular Services.
11:00 a.m and 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday and Friday, 8 p.m.

In Great Britain, 90 per cent of the men employed before the war as bus conductors have now been replaced by women. In 1939 the proportion of women employees in the bus companies was 9 per cent; today women represent approximately 35 per cent of the entire staffs of the bus companies.

WHY NOT BOMB ROME? ASK ITALIANS

By RONALD MONSON
Representing the Combined British Press
(Distributed by The Canadian Press)

SYRACUSE, Sicily, July 14 (Delayed)—The Sicilians now are handing over to the British Security Police stilettos, knives and knuckle-dusters as well as revolvers, automatics and shotguns.

A remarkable request was made to me by a group of Italians who gave their home towns as Pelermo, Catania, Rome, Naples and Syracuse. Their spokesman said: "Why don't you ask the British to bomb Rome? It is ridiculous to regard it as an historic monument. Syracuse is just as historic, and look at it now."

500,000 Trout Eggs Arrive Nelson Hatchery

Five hundred thousand Kamloops trout eggs, to be hatched in the troughs of the Provincial Hatchery at Nelson, arrived Friday night from Penask Lake. The eggs were received on the train from the Coast and were immediately removed to the hatchery troughs. The shipment was the second to come to Nelson from Penask this season.

A shipment of 400,000 Kamloops eggs, also from Penask Lake, passed through Nelson Wednesday night, enroute to the Cranbrook hatchery. They were relced and conditioned at Nelson for the last stage of their journey.

Coast Organizing Part-Time Labor to Meet Shortage

VANCOUVER, July 16 (CP.)— A campaign to organize part-time workers as a means of meeting Vancouver's labor shortage will be launched Monday, the Local Employment Advisory Committee announced today with an attempt to enlist 5000 men willing to put in several hours weekly at the conclusion of their day's work or on their days off.

Application forms will be published in newspapers and the Selective Service office will remain open an additional two hours daily to handle those applying in person. Unskilled labor is the greatest need and each applicant must state he is "physically fit and capable of doing manual labor."

Horace Keetch, Manager of the Selective Service Office, said about 1200 employers were ready to take on part-time labor. Men so employed will be paid at the current rate for the particular job.

Swiss Guns Shot Down R.A.F. Planes

BERNE, July 16 (AP)—The Swiss Government announced today that the two R.A.F. bombers which fell on Swiss soil three days ago were knocked down by Swiss anti-aircraft fire. The 14 dead crew members were buried yesterday with full military honors.

Children Rally for Fun at Auxiliary Picnic

Staged primarily for the children of men on active service, the Nelson Women's Auxiliary to the Active Forces held a picnic at Lakeside Park Friday afternoon. Races, ice cream and picnic baskets made it a high day for the children.

Race results follow:

Eight and under—Gerald Musfelt, first; Alan Dawson, second.

11 and under—Graham Dawson, first; Gene McInnis, second.

Tots' race—Earl Nuyens, first.

Girls' race—Joan Dawson, first.

Ladies' race—Mrs. James Dawson, first; Mrs. George Sutherland, second.

Boys' sack race—Kenneth Musfelt, first; Graham Dawson, second.

Girls' sack race—Joan Dawson, first; Bernice Bonderud, second.

Three-legged race—Kenneth Musfelt and Graham Dawson, first; Don McInnis and Elmer Milburn, second.

Wheelbarrow race—Graham Dawson and Kenneth Musfelt, first.

Boys' race—Alan Dawson, first.

In charge as Auxiliary President was Mrs. H. H. Curriee. She was assisted by Mrs. E. M. Gillott, Mrs. James Dawson and Mrs. George Sutherland.

Reps to Play Leopards Sunday

Nelson Ladies' Rep fastball squad will take on the men's Leopard ball team in another of their practice games Sunday.

The ladies have been resting since their double defeat last Sunday at the hands of the Trail Comets. This week they will practice Sunday at 3:30 and on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings at 6. It is anticipated that the lassies will tackle another of Trail's snappy teams, a game with Carl Loblick's squad, who are almost equal to the Trail Comets, being slated for July 25. Ladies out for Sunday's game with the Leopards include Procter, Gillett, Coletti, Stangherlin, Wallace, Moran, Trozzo, St. Germain, Davis, Kubin and Arlt.

British Children Healthier Than Before War

LONDON, July 16 (CP Cable).—Ernest Brown, Britain's Minister of Health, announced today that birth rate problems and the whole question of the United Kingdom's population would be the subject of an official Government inquiry.

Brown said the birth rate, which follows closely changes in employment, now is rising and children are healthier than in peace time.

Patch Bad Spots in Balfour Road

Provincial Public Works Department crews are repairing and patching bad spots in the Nelson-Balfour road.

Emergency Knitting Included in Latest Red Cross Shipment

The cutting, sewing and shipping of emergency garments, material for which is received from Vancouver has kept the ladies busier than ever at the Red Cross Work Rooms during the past few weeks. A record job assembling 53 boys' blazers for Greek Relief was done by the sewing group. Thirty-nine yards of heavy robing material was sent to the rooms three weeks ago from Vancouver for boys' blazers, and 13 out of the 53 cut, were finished and shipped in the July shipment.

Men's hospital bedjackets were another emergency call. They were made on short notice and five were ready for the July shipment.

A new idea in the way of men's mitts was introduced with the most recent emergency call—it is the 'either-hand mitt', a heavy knitted mitt in khaki wool for army men, and when made up can be worn on either hand. The pattern is less confusing for the knitter since there is one set of directions for both mitts; a shipment of 18 pounds of wool is waiting now at the Red Cross Rooms for busy hands to knit it. Directions for the mitts are being sent from the Coast.

The shipment was a particularly good one this month and donations were numerous. The workers, however who continually strive for greater quantities of garments and supplies, still ask for more workers to sew and knit.

The shipment consisted of:

Service: 74 pairs socks; 17 pairs seamen's stockings; 32 sleeveless sweaters; 8 turtleneck sweaters; 14 ribbed helmets; 8 steel helmet caps; 4 aero helmets; one pair 2-way mitts; 4 pairs minesweeper mitts; 52 wash cloths; 15 amputation bandages; 9 body belts (service); 8 body belts, (hospital).

Women's Services: 11 sleeveless sweaters, 3 pairs knickers; 2 pairs stockings; 12 pairs ankle socks.

Civilian: 28 boys' sweaters; 6 boys' suits (two piece); 6 scarves; 8 hoods; one soaker; 3 pairs socks; 5 pairs mitts; 13 infants' soakers; 3 toddlers' vests; 2 infants' vests; 4 infants' sets (three-piece); 4 pairs C.D.W. socks; 36 boys' shirts; 24 boys' pyjamas; 6 children's sleepers; 12 girls' panties; 60 infants' nightgowns 6 women's knickers; 6 diapers; 18 women's nightgowns; 13 boys' blazers; 41 crib quilts, partly donated, one large quilt, partly donated.

Hospital: 12 bedgowns; 6 nurses' operating room gowns; 18 men's pyjamas; 4 extra pyjama pants; 5 men's bedjackets; 300 men's handkerchiefs; 66 triangular slings; 96 bath towels; 144 surgical towels; 48 pillow cases; 12 ice bag covers.

Donations: 12 infants' nightgowns; 3 pairs panties; 12 wash cloths; 8 diapers; 3 large quilts; 1 crib quilt; 5 sweaters; 1 girls' dress (two-piece) 1 boy's suit, (two-piece); 1 boy's suit (three-piece); 24 infants' vests; 6 pairs infants' bootees; 1 infant's jacket, 9 pairs soakers; 1 pair slippers; 2 pairs men's socks.

Rossland Social . .

By MRS. HARVEY FLEURY

ROSSLAND, B.C., July 16 — George Roberts, former Manager of the Rossland Co-operative Transportation Society, who now resides in Cranbrook, is a visitor in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Simpson, First Avenue, have returned from a vacation at Sylvan Lake, Alta.

Miss Jean Lees is holidaying at Sylvan Lake, Alta.

Mrs. Wilfred Woodhouse, 2167 Queen Street, was a visitor to Trail Wednesday.

Goss Stevenson, 2612 Railway Street, has returned from a trip to Vancouver via Spokane and Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Read, 2486 First Avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Butorac, will attend the Gyro Convention in Nelson Saturday.

Terrence Hughes of Fernie is visiting his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Knight, 2124 Columbia Avenue.

Mrs. Ivan H. R. Jeffery and son, 1427 Pine Avenue, Trail, visited their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Knight, Thursday.

Mrs. Alec Stevenson, a former Rossland resident, has left for Vancouver where she now resides, after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wally Griffith, Le Roi Avenue. Her husband, Major Alec Stevenson, who is also well known in Rossland, is overseas.

Three Cars of Coal Ordered for Schools Not Yet Here

Nelson School Board will endeavor immediately to obtain its Winter coal. Secretary Fred L. Irwin stated an order for three carloads had been passed in May but the coal had not yet come in. He was instructed to seek coal anywhere it could be obtained.

School Board to Urge Bible Instruction in B. C.

Bible reading and Christian instruction in public schools of British Columbia will again be urged by the Nelson School Board at the annual convention in September of the B.C. School Trustees' Association.

The Board Friday night approved the drafting by Trustee Leslie Craufurd of a resolution similar to one placed before the convention last year. That resolution, combined with one from the Shuswap District, was defeated on the convention chairman's casting vote after two tie votes.

Opinion of the trustees was divided, with Trustees Craufurd, F. T. Griffiths, W. E. Coles and Clarence Ward voting for, and Trustees Elias Fisher and Charles Sewell against it.

It was pointed out that provision recently made for Bible instruction for students provided that it should be given outside the schools, and outside of school hours, though credits were given for it. The plan had not worked out very well.

School Board to Buy Cabinet, Cupboard

Purchase of built-in china cabinet and linen cupboards in the janitor's quarters, Central School, from J. C. B. Wallach, janitor who has resigned his post, was authorized by the School Board Friday night.

H. Wood, who succeeds Mr. Wallach, took over his duties this week. His appointment was on a temporary basis.

BRILLIANT

BRILLIANT, B. C.—George Bachfisher left for Vancouver after receiving his army call.

Mr. Nixon has returned from his ranch at Perrys Siding.

George Chahley of Grand Forks has arrived at Brilliant. He is connected with the Grand Forks Co-Operative Growers.

John McKortoff and Nick Nazarcff, now working in Trail, came to Brilliant for the weekend.

Pete Cheveldave was a visitor to Slocan City.

Cliff Bunn was a Nelson visitor Monday.

Nora Zoolkoff was a Castlegar visitor Monday.

Mrs. William Enadokimo is spending a couple of weeks with her husband at Brilliant. Their home is at Perrys Siding.

D. A. Fofonoff, formerly of Verigin, Sask., has moved his family to Brilliant. He will make his home on Pass Creek.

Joe Stoopnikoff has returned to Brilliant after five days spent at the Calgary Stampede.

J. McDannold and T. C. Cooper have returned to their homes at Calgary.

Dora Pictin left for a visit to Penticton.

BRILLIANT, B. C.—W. E. Kanigan was a Nelson visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. C. J. Carroll and young son David spent Wednesday evening at the Goresky home in Castlegar.

Harry Isaksen has left for Vancouver.

Mrs. D. Alexander and son Ian of Kimberley, who have been guests of Mrs. R. Angus, have returned home. Mrs. Angus accompanied them to Nelson.

David Bell and family of Bonnington have moved to Brilliant. They will occupy one of the Camp houses.

Bill McKakayer made a trip to Nelson Tuesday to bring his mother home from Kootenay Lake General Hospital, where she has been for the past two weeks.

Annie Hrooshkin, a former resident of Brilliant was in town Tuesday evening on her way to Trail.

BRILLIANT, B.C.—Mrs. Fred Babakaieff of Perry's Siding is visiting her husband here.

Paul and Mary Hrooshkin have returned to Brilliant from Fruitvale, where they made thier home for the last four months.

Mike Hrooshkin has left Brilliant for Verigin Sask.

Mr. Shafansky of Castlegar is staying at Brilliant during his wife's absence in Alberta, where she was called by her sister's illness.

Mike Bonderoff was a Nelson visitor Wednesday.

Bill Kinakin has returned to Brilliant from Willow Point

Bill Baturin of Trail is spending part of his vacation with his grandfather, Mike Baturin of Brilliant.

John Zbitneff was a Nelson visitor on Thursday.

Mrs. R. M. Balmer, who now makes her home in Vancouver, is visiting Robson.

A. Etter, a former employee of the shipyards at Vancouver, has arrived at Brilliant to work for the Kootenay Engineering Co.

Vivily Patterson, formerly employed at Kootenay Engineering, has gone to Jordon River.

MAIDENHEAD, England (CP) — Major William Forshaw, "the cigaret V. C." of Gallipoli, is dead at 53. He won the V. C. in 1915 when he held a Turkish trench at Sulva Bay for 14 hours with a handful of men who with ammunition gone made bombs from tin cans with cigarets as fuses.

Giraud Would Lead French Into Germany

By GUY BEAUDRY
Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA, July 16 (CP) — Gen. Henri Giraud, Commander-in-Chief of the French Army in North and West Africa and joint chairman of the French Committee for National Liberation, said today at a Press Conference here that "Germany is defeated; all that is left is for her to admit defeat."

Speaking in French throughout his long meeting with correspondents, in the Parliament Building, he said:

"I want a strong French Army, as strong as possible, to march into France with our American, British and Canadian friends and liberate my country; and then go on into Germany to free all French prisoners of war and civilians drafted for work."

Paraphrasing the words of Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, Gen. Giraud said:

"Canadians: Remember that your frontier is not at the mouth of the St. Lawrence. Your frontier is on the Rhine."

"The situation at the present is good," the General said.

"I predict that Sicily is going to be a serious setback for the Germans. But Sicily, you must remember, is only the first part of the first act of the play in which Canadians will have a still greater part to play.

"I cannot predict when the war will be over. I know it will end with the total collapse of Germany and Japan.

"I am not mentioning Italy. Italy is already collapsing."

The General said he had seen orders given by the German High Command for the Russian campaign. The Germans were to have taken Russia in six weeks. Three weeks after the start of the campaign, they had expected, there would be a collapse of the political regime in Russia.

"I have been an eye-witness of the lowering of German morale, following the Russian campaign. From my prison at Koenigstein, in Germany, every day I saw three trains of 50 cars each passing by bringing back to Germany soldiers practically frozen to death.

He said the turning point of the war was the landing of Americans in Africa.

"I had been approached. I did not hesitate, for I knew that it was the crucial moment for the destiny of France. Nov. 9, 1942, was the hour of France."

Gen. Giraud said the French army had played its full part in the Tunisian campaign. It had lost 15,000 men of its 75,000.

When asked if, from a strategic point of view, invasion of France would not be better than invasion of Italy or Norway, Gen. Giraud said an invasion of France would "undoubtedly" be easier if Germany had not been building for three years every strong fortifications which would offer "very serious resistance."

N. DENVER HOSPITAL AID SHOW CASE SELLS $5 IN GOODS

NEW DENVER, B. C. — The monthly meeting of the Hospital Aid was held at the home of Mrs. W. F. Jeffery with Mrs. J. Greer, President, in the chair.

Visiting Committee's report was given by Mrs. Jeffery who consented to continue on this committee for July. Mrs. J. Taylor reported on the annual meeting of Community Club and members endorsed action taken.

Mrs. Trickett reported for Serving and Buying Committee and presented a statement of articles needed. Buying Committee was instructed to purchase the articles.

The report for the hospital show case showed goods to the value of $5 had been sold.

Refreshments were served by the hostess

Miss Gwen Suttie and Miss E. Lediard were visitors welcomed at the tea hour.

NAKUSP

NAKUSP, B. C.—Mrs. Larry Ward was a charming tea hostess Tuesday afternoon when she entertained for her daughter Brenda's fourth birthday. Tea was served on the lawn. Those present were Beverley and Brenda Ward, June and Gwen Brown, Douglas and Sonny Embree, Marion Embree, Margaret and Glen Olson, June and Wayne Gardner, Ivy Cann, Myrtle Motherwell, Audrey Hill, Marjory Hill and David and Marilyn Horrey.

Constable and Mrs. David McWhirter and son Bobby, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. McWhirter, left for their home in Chilliwack Wednesday.

Miss B. Jameson left for her home in Holmfield, Man., Wednesday.

Mrs. Ed Drewery of Moose Jaw, Sask., left Wednesday. She has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Henke.

G. P. Horsley left Tuesday for New Denver and Nelson.

Cpl. Ralph McPhee, who has visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Dunn, left for Suffield, Alta., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clough of Slocan City visited Nakusp.

Mrs. Harris of New Denver is a guest of her sister, Mrs. A. Dunn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Douglas of New Denver were Nakusp visitors.

Miss Jean Elder returned Tuesday from Glendevon, where she has been the guest of Miss Beatrice Hampton for the past week.

Mrs. Vandergrift and daughters Joyce, Ruth and Margaret left for Vancouver Wednesday.

C. Lowe left for Vancouver Wednesday.

In mediaeval warfare, armies by agreement never engaged in active campaigning during the Winter.

U.S. Newspaper Circulations Up Four Per Cent

NEW YORK, July 16 (AP.)—Editor & Publisher, trade publication of the newspaper business, reported today that English language daily newspaper circulations in the United States have increased approximately four per cent since the United States entered the war.

Circulation totals of 1753 dailies for the six-months period ending March 31, 1943, amounted to 43,759,561 as compared with a total of 42,080,391 for 1875 dailies for the period ending Sept. 30, 1941.

Trail Bank Head, Community Leader, Leaving

TRAIL, B. C., July 16 (CP)—W. H. Raikes, Manager of the Bank of Montreal in Trail for the past 3½ years and a leader in community affairs, will leave here Aug. 10 for Regina where he has been appointed Manager of the Branch there. Mr. Raikes was one of the organizers of the Trail District Patriotic and Welfare Society and has been the President of that organization since its inception. He is President of the Trail Board of Trade, Treasurer of the local Red Cross Society and a member of the Provincial Executive of the Red Cross.

Water Level

Pursuing a steady rate of decline almost mathematically even, the West Arm Friday at 8 p.m. stood at a level of 9.57 feet above the low water mark by the Launch Club gauge, a drop of .23 foot for the 24 hours. For the last four days the rate of decline has varied only .01 foot—Tuesday's drop being .22 foot, Wednesday's .22 foot, Thursday's .23 foot and Friday's .23 foot.

FERNIE

FERNIE, B.C.—Master W. Atchison of Cranbrook, is a guest of Barry Large.

Lac. Cirino Andrea of Brandon, Man. is home on furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Coombe of Kelowna, left on Sunday for Grand Forks where Mr. Coombe will relieve in the bank. For the past six weeks he has been relieving in the Canadian Bank of Commerce here.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Belanger and son Joe, of Cranbrook, were visitors on Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Mangan.

Pte. Mike Ross, of Chilliwack, is spending his furlough at the home of his parents.

Thomas Uphill, M.P., arrived home Sunday from a business trip to Victoria.

Cpl. E. Coughlan of Claresholm, Alta., left on Sunday after spending his furlough with his wife and family.

Mrs. William Klauer and infant daughter Patricia of Edmonton, Alta., arrived Wednesday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Klauer.

Mrs. William Murdoch (nee Florence Mangan) of Deep Cove, B.C. returned home on Wednesday after visiting her parents for six weeks. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss L. Mangan, who will remain at the Coast for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. William Whittaker and son, Donald, were Coleman, Alta. visitors on Sunday. They were accompanied home by Miss Margaret F. Fraser, Supt. of the Royal Alexandra Hospital in Edmonton, Alta., who visited here for a day.

Mrs. James Carnwath returned last week from a holiday in Vancouver and Seattle. While in Seattle she attended the graduation of her son James from the University of Washington.

Mrs. J. Letcher of the teaching staff of the Taber, Alt., school is spending the Summer vacation at the home of her brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Commons

Miss Isobel Loucks, Public Health Nurse from Cranbrook was a weekend guest of Mrs. D. Brewster.

Mrs. Margaret Marshall of Great Falls, Mont. and Mrs. and Mrs. J. Emerson and Mrs. W. Milley of Coleman, Alta., were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Graham on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E A. Larrabee of Waldo, spent Tuesday in town.

Mrs. Sarah Campbell and daughter Elizabeth left last week to spend a month in Vancouver.

James Reynolds, accompanied his sister Louis, on Wednesday for Duncan, B.C.

Miss R. Burton of Galloway, B.C. is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. K. Machin.

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Americans Beat Canucks to Gun

By HAROLD V. BOYLE
Associated Press War Correspondent
Representing the Combined American Press

WITH THE AMERICAN 7TH ARMY IN SOUTHERN SICILY, July 15 (Delayed) (AP)—A group of 17 American soldiers "poached" on Canadian territory to take the town of Ragusa. It was on the dividing line between the Canadians and the Americans.

The Americans met with less resistance, however, and reached the area first. They couldn't resist the temptation to take the town, polishing off a few snipers in the process. When they heard the sound of Canadian guns in the distance they thought the Germans were on the way back and faced for a counter-attack. Messages from Headquarters, however, set both groups straight. The Americans went through and the Canadians marched in as angry as bees because nowhere had the Italians stood in force enough to give them the good fight they had been spoiling for.

Sanding at Junior High Authorized

Sanding of floors of two halls and a room at the Junior High School, estimated by T. H. Waters Co. Ltd., to cost $95 to $100, was approved by the School Board Friday night and the Property Committee was authorized to arrange for the work upon receipt of a bid on the work.

The Company also estimated it would cost $55 to take out a partition at Central School and substitute a railing. Decision on this work was postponed for the time being, till the work at Junior High was finished.

Additional shelving and extension of a partition at Hume School were estimated by Harry Hulls to cost $20. Additional benches are being provided for Hume School.

Report Mass Purge in Italy

MOSCOW, July 16 (AP)—A Tass dispatch from Geneva today reported that the Italian Government had effected a "mass purge" of officials of state institutions, cooperative organizations and the Fascist Party in Northern Italy. The dispatch said that in the last few days hundreds of officials had been dismissed.

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Claim Coal Price Must Rise

EDMONTON, July 16 (CP) — Edmonton District coal mine operators told W. H. Ley of Ottawa, Executive Assistant to the National War Labor Board, higher retail prices for coal or a Federal subsidy must be made if the basic wage rate of $5 a day for mines is to be maintained.

An interim rate of $5 a day for miners in the Edmonton District was set last week by the Board pending investigation by Mr. Ley of demands by miners for an increase in their basic wage rate from $4.41 to $5.78 a day.

To Sue Ottawa for Selling Jap Property

VANCOUVER, July 16 (CP) — J. Arthur MacLennan, Vancouver Barrister, said today that he will soon petition the Secretary of State for the right to sue the Government in Exchequer Court for ordering sale of Japanese-owned property in Vancouver.

BARBADOS, B. W. I. (CP) — The Barbadoes House of Assembly voted $6750 for the experimental manufacture of synthetic charcoal. The material used will be megass, residue of sugar cane and vacuum pan molasses.

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Not Much Fighting Yet for Canadians But 'They'll Get Bellyful Later'—Monty

By ROSS MUNRO
Canadian Press War Correspondent

AN ADVANCED 8TH ARMY POST IN SICILY, July 15 (delayed) (CP Cable)—In an interview with Canadian war correspondents, Gen. Sir Bernard Montgomery said "the Canadians were terrific on the beaches and in the attack inland' and told us of the latest successes in the remarkable advance of his 8th Army.

He said Augusta had fallen and leading British formations on the Canadians' right flank were 60 miles into Sicily. Vizzini, 25 miles West of the Gulf of Augusta on the East Coast of the Island, also has been captured.

In the North, in the direction of Catania, the 8th Army is meeting German troops for the first time here.

We had spent the night in a camp of the 8th Army and Gen. Montgomery happened to be there. This morning (Thursday) he granted interviews to Peter Stursberg of the CBC and myself.

We were the first correspondents to talk with the 8th Army Commander in Sicily.

Grimy and dusty after three days of racing around in the heat, with scarcely any sleep, we hadn't had our clothes off since the landing.

We went into the General's desert caravan under an olive tree, probably the most bedraggled looking correspondents Gen. Montgomery had ever seen.

I had to borrow a wedge cap from an officer because I had lost my own and, was wearing an Italian solar topi which I had picked up from a captured enemy position. I didn't think the General would appreciate such headgear.

I also remembered Gen. Montgomery's teetotal rules and dropped into a handy bush my bottle full of Chianti wine. He shook hands with us, smiled and said

"I am delighted to see Canadians here. I am always glad to have Canadians around. I knew them well in England, you know."

I recalled a manoeuvre which he had directed, called the "Tiger exercise," more than a year ago, when he was the Commander of Britain's Southeast coast. The Canadian corps participated in the manoeuvre and marched nearly 300 miles in 10 days, one of the toughest the Canadians ever were on.

"Oh, yes, you were on that one," he exclaimed.

The General looked a little weary from the long drives over these terrible, dusty roads, but he was most affable and in great form. He sat down on the steps of his caravan, a big truck fitted out specially for him and in which he rode from El Alamein to Tunis. He was in shorts and a bush shirt.

In his hands he carried his famous black beret and a green Commando beret.

"They just gave me this Commando beret," he said, "Nice, isn't it?"

I asked him how he felt the operation was going generally and he said "I am satisfied."

He repeated this and went on

"I am very pleased indeed to have Canadians under my command. They have done well. In fact, they were terrific on the beaches and in the attack on the island.

"The trouble is they have been cooped up on ships so long. You have have to be careful how you treat troops like these. They aren't used to the sun—it's pretty hot here."

To emphasize it, he held out his bare arms with the dark suntan, and said: "That's from a year in the desert."

The General talked freely.

"I know the Canadians are sorry they haven't had much fighting here because the Italians have been running so fast," he said, "But they will get a bellyful before they're through."

Gen. Montgomey told then of the fall of Augusta and the push Northward toward Catania.

"We have really hit them for six," he said, using a cricket expression that means about the same thing as hitting a home run in baseball.

"We have hit them with terrific concentration of force in this operation," he added.

Asked how long he thought the campaign might last, he threw up his hands. Then, after a pause, he said:

"Oh, I can't say. It may take a month," but then, again it may take six months—or it may take two weeks."

He got up from the steps.

"I must go now. There are things to do."

He waved his beret—the new one—and the interview was over.

Canadian Airmen Under Doolittle in Sicily Battle

OTTAWA, July 16 (CP)—The R. C. A. F. disclosed officially today that the Wellington bomber squadrons recently moved to North Africa from Britain and now helping soften Axis resistance in Sicily constitute a bomber "wing" under Maj. Gen. James Doolittle, Chief of the North African Strategical Air Force.

One of the squadrons in the wing is the French Canadian Allouette squadron commanded by Wing Cmdr. Joseph W. St. Pierre of St. Eustache, Que., and another is commanded by Wing Cmdr. Georges Roy, D.F.C., of Westmount, Que.

By WILLIAM STEWART
Canadian Press War Correspondent

WITH THE R.A.F. North Africa, July 16 (CP Cable) — Canadians make up nearly 70 per cent of the aircrew personnel of an unusual R. A. F. squadron helping to back up Allied troops in Sicily, virtually the ultimate in air support.

This squadron of Wellington torpedo planes is making nightly excursions which are part of the plan to keep all waters around Sicily clear of enemy shipping.

It is unusual in more ways than one. Outside the tents of the crews, in the midst of lands that would be complimented by the term waste sand, stand white porcelain bathtubs and washbasins—an unusual sight anywhere in Africa.

The South African commander is unusual, not only because he races about the dispersal area in a sturdy American sedan, leaving behind a great cloud of white dust, but because he gets into the car even to drive from one tent to another, 100 feet away.

When he dismounts, you notice he is a Lieutenant-Colonel because South African airmen have army ranks. Also you realize he undoubtedly holds the R.A.F. record for length of moustache despite the fact he must compete with many long and fancy moustaches.

The squadron until a short time ago was based on Malta and concentrated on shipping in the Mediterranean.

Among the Canadians are Jerry Baker and Mickey Reid, Winnipeg; Bryan Quinnlan and Jack Hayes, Edmonton; Sid Winchester, Vancouver; and Lawrence Glenn, Carman, Man.

They say they would prefer operations from Malta although they have been busy enough since the start of the Sicilian invasion and highly successful lately.

The fliers patrol the area around Sardinia, Corsica and thereabouts, by moonlight. Anything they see afloat gets a torpedo—so Axis shipping is getting extremely wary.

Income Tax Favors for Overtime Workers

OTTAWA, July 16 (CP) — An inter-Department Committee is studying possible methods of making income tax concessions to coal miners in an effort to increase production and reduce absenteeism, it was learned today.

Three departments are represented on the Committee—finance, labor and national revenue. It is understood that no decision has yet been reached.

The subject of amending the income tax regulation to reduce absenteeism received wide discussion as the income tax bill was before the Commons. A number of members said there was an inclination on the part of many workers to refuse to work overtime, for fear of placing their incomes in a category where it would be subject to a higher tax.

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Planes Smash Up Pack of 10 German Subs

WASHINGTON, July 16 (AP)—In a series of anti-submarine battles in the North Atlantic, the planes of a single baby aircraft carrier recently successfully attacked 10 German submarines, definitely destroying two and probably destroy-eight others, and delivered two convoys safely across the Atlantic.

The story of the carrier, officially designated only as "carrier B," was told by the Navy Department today.

Altogether, the carrier's accomplishments included attacks on 11 submarines, with 10 sunk or possibly sunk, dispersing of two packs which struck at two different times at war-laden cargo ships, the capture of 41 German prisoners and the safe delivery of the vital war goods. One submarine got away.

"All ships in the convoys protected by escort carrier 'B' reached their destinations undamaged," the Navy announced. "It is believed that this second record of defence and attack over a similar period of time has not been equalled by any other vessel in the history of anti-submarine warefare."

Trail Man Wins Air Commission

CALGARY, July 16 (CP) — No. 4 Air Training Command, R.C.A.F., announces Western Canadian airmen who have been commissioned in Canada as Air Bombers.

The list includes W. T. Grierson, Vernon; D. M. MacDonald, Trail; W. R. Finlayson, Okanagan Landing; R. H. Forster, Penticton.

No More Tea or Coffee Yet

OTTAWA, July 16 (CP) — Finance Minister Ilsley said today in the House of Commons that an increase in the tea or coffee ration was not possible until such time as the stock position is improved and future deliveries are reasonably sure.

He was answering Gordon Graydon, Prog. Cons. House Leader, who said a dispatch from Washington indicated coffee rationing might be dropped in the United States.

Mr. Ilsley said the position of Canada was different from that of the United States since coffee and tea were consumed almost at equal quantities in the Dominion while the chief United States use was of coffee.

The Andes reach their greatest height, more than 19,000 feet, in Peru.

Goebbels Battles "Defeatists"

LONDON, July 16 (CP) — The Berlin radio quoted Nazi Propaganda Minister Paul Goebbels today as warning the German people against defeatists, who, he said are spreading propaganda "exaggerating real or alleged enemy successes."

Inhabitants at Bearly, near Stratford-on-Avon, did more than their share during a "Wings for Victory" week. The 200 villagers raised about $80,000 or $400 a head.

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A Great Economic Achievement

In the fourth year in the war of 1914-18 Canadians were paying for a 40 per cent increase in the cost of living. Thanks to the price ceilings policy we are, at this corresponding time, paying for a 17 per cent increase, of which only 2.2 per cent has occurred since price ceilings came into effect.

While Canada's cost of living index has risen 2.2 per cent that of the United States has risen 12 per cent, Australia's and South Africa's 10 per cent and Mexico's 30 per cent.

By April, 1918, while the index had risen 40 per cent, the index for food alone had risen 61 per cent. By April, 1943, it had risen 29.6 per cent. Food in both cases had risen much more than the average for the whole index. The reason for the average being lower than for some parts of it, such as food, is that rentals and many similar items which are included in the index have not risen appreciably.

Incidentally, the 61 per cent living cost increase in 1918 had by June, 1920, a year after the final signing of peace soared to 119.2 per cent. It is that sort of inflation, which falls especially heavily upon those of low or moderate incomes, that the Canadian price ceilings policy is attempting, and so far with marked success, to avoid.

In any policy of price and wage control there are bound to be inequities, and in some cases positive injustices, but the overall benefit is tremendous. Canada has faced this issue more boldly than any other of the Allied countries in relation to the difficulties which had to be met, and the results are this country's outstanding achievement in domestic economic policy

One of the difficulties is the index itself. It is largely confined to basic necessities, and consequently is under fire. To meet this criticism there are proposals to broaden it, to take in a longer list of products. From a practical viewpoint it does not seem to make much difference whether it is broadened or not as long as the same base is employed in any comparisons with past years.

Mr. Ilsley estimates that consumers saved $350 millions in 1942 as a consequence of price controls, and will save $850 millions this year. He bases these figures upon the increases in living costs which would have occurred without price controls providing that the increases had followed the same course as in the 1914-18 period. His figures are conservative. Everything is on a greater scale than in the last war, and we were commencing to be whirled in the inflationary spiral at a horrifying speed when the W.P.T.B. was given the job of clamping down in December 1941.

British Columbia Points Way to Post-War Expansion

If our post-war government at Ottawa will have the courage to embark upon a highway construction plan for Canada upon the scale proposed for British Columbia and announced by Hon. Herbert Anscomb, Minister of Public Works, the battle of rehabilitation will be more than half won.

A modern highway system is Canada's greatest need. Its construction will provide work directly for many thousands, indirectly for many thousands more. Completion will assist the people of the country to compete in the production and manufacture of goods for world markets. A good highway system will cut costs of mining, of timber production, of farming, of manufacturing and of the distribution of raw materials, semi-manufactured and manufactured goods.

If we can accomplish that end, greater production from industry through the extension of markets resulting from the lower production costs, there will be an automatic increase in the employment opportunities for the people of Canada.

And good highways will bring in millions in tourist revenue.

A few years ago, an expenditure of $210 millions for highways in British Columbia would have appeared to be in the realm of the fabulous. Today it is not. It is practical business. It can produce a profit for the people of British Columbia and the people of Canada as a whole.

For rehabilitation purpose, we could spend millions on farm development schemes, repeating errors of the past; millions on government financing of industries, repeating more errors of the past; millions on all sorts of glamorous experiments. If we spend the money on highways, farm and industrial development will naturally follow, there will be less over-centralization of population, more widespread employment and prosperity, development which is sound and permanent.

If we have the courage and faith in Canada and in ourselves to spend money on highway construction upon the scale proposed for this Province by Mr. Anscomb we will have little to fear in the postward period.

Part Railway Equipment Plays

The Americans took 70 locomotives and 700 freight cars to Africa as part of the equipment necessary to drive the enemy out of that continent. They were needed to transport munitions and supplies to the British, French and American troops in the fighting lines.

When that many engines and cars are required for a short campaign like the African show, some idea can be gained of the number of transport trains that will be needed for the big show, when our side goes into Europe.

It is not only men who will be required to drive the Boche back into Germany and then to Berlin. Motorized equipment will have to be shoved across the English Channel, the Mediterranean and other waters to the different fronts. The guns have to be fed as well as the men. Also, as the war moves forward toward the Reich, air bases will be established and these will have to be supplied with gasoline, oil and other necessities.

The job of quartermaster is not so spectacular in this or any war. But he has the important task of making sure that whatever is needed will be wherever it is needed whenever it is called for. That requires organizing ability and plenty of shipping to deliver the goods.

Looking Backward

10 YEARS AGO
(From Daily News, July 17, 1933)

Alderman Phillip Carosella of Fernie intends to leave shortly for his old home in Algoma where he owns a ranch.

Wardner residents are afflicted with the worst mosquito plague in years. Men working outdoors must wear nets for protection.

R. E. Horton, Manager of the W. W. Powell Company Ltd., reports the biggest July business in the Company's history. Shipments will total 38 carloads of white pine. An order has been received and is now being filled for 2000 cases of match blocks to be shipped to England. Sixty-two people are employed in the plant.

25 YEARS AGO
(From Daily News, July 17, 1918)

The Bishop of Kootenay consecrated the church of St. Andrew-by-the-Lake at Willow Point Sunday.

Postmaster Wadds of Rossland has purchased the Sterling house for a Summer cottage and with his family is spending the Summer at Deer Park.

Launches, canoes and rowboats floated to Killarney, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Hume, on the North-Shore last evening and 405 persons attended the jitney party given by the Girls Athletic Club of the Y.M.C.A.

40 YEARS AGO
(From The Evening Tribune, July 17, 1903)

The fittings are now being installed in the new postoffice and when the job is completed Nelson will have an up-to-date postoffice during daylight.

A direct importation of pipes manufactured in London, England, has been received by G. B. Matthews at the Cabinet Cigar Store.

R. J. Kirkwood came in on the afternoon train from Slocan City. He says the Labor party by bringing out a candidate has taken the snap out of the Liberals in Slocan Riding.

War—25 Years Ago

By The Canadian Press

July 17, 1918.—Germans made further gains toward Epernay in second battle of Marne, putting over 30 divisions into the area; Australians again advanced their lines East of Villers-Bretonneux. Cunard liner Carpathia sunk by German submarine.

July 18, 1918.—Allies launch big offensive on Marne front advancing eight miles between Soissons and Chateau-Thierry and taking 16,000 prisoners; Germans held in Reims sector; brilliant counter-stroke by Allies on 27 mile front from Fontenoy to Belleau.

?? 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.

J. M., Marysville—Will you please tell me how far it is from Sicily to Italy at the nearest point?

Approximately two miles.

G. K. L., Nelson—A married man with two dependents earns $156.60 a month. How much income tax should be deducted each month?

The amount is $12.15 of which $6.05 is the Savings Portion.

G. M., Nelson—Would you please tell me the correct procedure to follow when canning meat?

Free the meat from the bone and cut in pieces of such sizes that they will go into the jars easily. If additional flavoring is desired, sear and brown the meat quickly in hot fat in a frying pan, but do not cook it through. Pack the raw meat solidly in tested clean glass jars, filling the jar to within ¾ inch from the top. Sprinkle the top of the meat with one half teaspoon salt to each pint of meat. Add no water. Celery leaves, onion juice, or other seasonings may be added, if desired. Adjust on the jar a new rubber of good quality. Place the cover on top of the jar and adjust but do not fasten the upper wire clamp, or, if a Mason jar is used, *partly screw on the cover. Place the jars* in a sterilizer in which there is warm water which covers the tops of the jars about one inch. Sterilize the meat by cooking it from four to five hours, beginning to count the time when the water around the jars reaches the boiling point. Keep the water jumping. Before removing the jars from the sterilizer complete the sealing of each jar by adjusting the lower wire of the clamp, or, in the case of a Mason jar, by screwing the top tight. Do not invert the jar while it is cooling. If the jar was inverted, the fat, which is lighter, would rise to the bottom of the jar and cool and harden there. When the jar is left upright the fat comes to the top of the jar and hardens there, forming an extra seal.

Method 2. Sear the meat in a hot oven in hot fat or boiling water, and steam it or simmer it until it can be torn apart. Pack the meat into the jar; fill the space with stock which is made by boiling the broken bones and skin in water until the stock will form a jelly when cooled. Add one half teaspoon salt to each pint of meat. Sterilize the meat for three hours as in Method 1. Unless the meat is first browned it does not have so good a flavor as that of raw meat steamed in a jar.

Today's Horoscope

If this is your natal day, follow your own insight and judgment if you hope to attain success. Do not listen to others. You are studious, energetic and affectionate. You have pleasing manners and will have a congenial home life. Don't force yourself to think early this morning. You would most likely get the wrong answer to the questions that are bothering you. Be silent as sphinx at breakfast time, to avoid the sting of idle chatter. A thoughtless remark might distress someone whom you would not want to hurt for anything in the world. Late this afternoon encourage your friends by giving them your impressions of the happy and serene times ahead. Talking things over late this evening with a young friend at the end of a jolly evening may bring you an unusual amount of timely information.

HOROSCOPE FOR SUNDAY

A birthday today gives an alert mind, quietness of manner, a sunny disposition, refined and careful tastes and a liking for literature and study. Show more affection to your loved ones if you wish your home life to be truly amiable. If you awaken at 5 a.m. in a combative mood, turn around and go to sleep again. Your ideas should be exemplary for Sabbath worship so that you can wipe irritation out of your mind. Say all the kindly, generous things you can to inspire your family and friends.

Test Yourself

1. In case of a crime being committed, is intoxication a defence?
2. What are the two general classes of "contempt of court"?
3. If the Sparrow signed a confession that he killed Cock Robin, would he be guilty in terms of law?

TEST ANSWERS

1. No; but intoxication may be used to rebut a charge of malicious intent.
2. Direct contempt—interference with court proceedings. Indirect contempt—not in the immediate presence of the court, but impeding justice, such as intimidation of witnesses.
3. No, his guilt must still be proven.

Etiquette Hints

It is a very good idea to have a physical examination before you go in swimming. Many people die of unsuspected weak hearts while in swimming.

Press Comment

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY

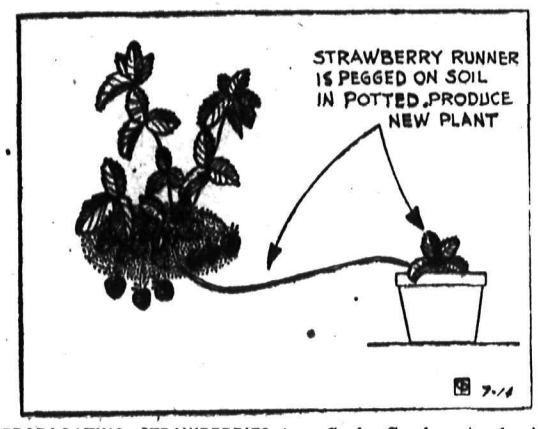
Sault Ste. Marie is not a bad town. But the increase in juvenile delinquency especially since the start of the war has been sufficient to create a good deal of anxiety among those charged with the administration of law and order and those charged with welfare work in general. There has come to be a distinct feeling that unless steps are taken to check the present tendency the results may in time be serious.—Sault Ste. Marie Star.

BIG STOCK OF HOSPITALS

We are assured by the Goebbels publicity that although the Allied flyers have dropped hundreds of thousands of big bombs over Germany's industrial areas, no damage has been done except to schools and hospitals. For a superrace, Germany seems to have required an awful stock of hospitals.—Kansas City Star.

Today's VICTORY GARDEN-GRAPH

By DEAN HALLIDAY



PROPAGATING STRAWBERRIES IN VICTORY GARDEN

Many Victory gardeners will want to increase their present strawberry bed and still others will want to start a berry patch when they realize the many advantages of growing strawberries on their home grounds.

Strawberries have the highest Vitamin C content of the more commonly grown small fruits. Strawberries also give a larger and the quickest fruit return for a smaller cost than any other fruit crop. They have the additional advantage of being adapted to either Spring or Fall planting. Certain varieties of strawberries are everbearing, producing fruit from June until frost comes.

As illustrated in the accompanying Garden-Graph, strawberries are propagated by layering. Runners are produced in great quantities. Only a few of the strongest should be used. Small pots two-and one-half or three inches in size can be filled with good soil and plunged into the earth. The joint of the runner is placed on the soil in the pot. It can be pegged down with a hairpin. The roots then will grow into the pot. Pinch out any secondary runners it may endeavor to produce.

In about two to four weeks, when the roots of the new plant have developed the runner is cut away from the parent plant. The new plant can then be set into the strawberry bed.

Speed Fight to Link B. C. With Alaska Highway Route

SEATTLE, July 16 (AP) — Proponents of a direct North-and-South British Columbia link with the Alaska Highway are proceeding with their campaign today with the informal backing of Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt.

The President's wife sat in as an observer yesterday at a meeting of the Northwest Trade Association, recently founded with promotion of the direct route North from the Pacific Northwest as its primary aim. After the meeting Mrs. Roosevelt commented:

"Without any doubt, the connecting road seems a most desirable development from a supply point of view and also looking toward the future economic development of Alaska, China and Russia."

A railway link Northwest through British Columbia also has been studied, and Mrs. Roosevelt told the group:

"Mr. Delano says that a railway to Alaska must inevitably come."

She referred to Fredrick Delano, Chairman of the National Resources Planning Board who surveyed the railroad prospects last year. The War Department decided, however, to hold the project in abeyance because of the difficulty in obtaining these points in a campaign for the connecting link:

To try to obtain from the U. S. engineers a report on the practicability of the proposed road and an estimate of its cost;

To try to interest the U. S. Army in the construction of the link because of the military advantage of having two accesses to such an important artery of supply:

To make an effort, if possible, to take the question directly to the White House;

To ask Rep. Warren G. Magnuson of Seattle to seek the active support of Senator McNary of Oregon, the Senate's Republican Leader;

To have British Columbia members of the Association continue in their plan to go to Ottawa late this month with an appeal for Dominion support.

Speaker after speaker emphasized that unless the connecting link is obtained the trade of Alaska and Northern British Columbia will drain Southward through the Interior, by-passing Vancouver and the Pacific Northwest.

Bad Munitions Result From Fasci Corruption

COMMAND POST OF THE 15TH ARMY GROUP, Sicily, July 16 — Italian aircraft is mostly out of date, Italian tanks are a joke and Italian artillery is ludicrous—this is the price the Italian people are paying for "their efficient" leadership.

Expert British and American observers advancing into Sicily continue to be amazed at what they called the pitiful inadequacy of Italian material and equipment. Even the food supplies for the troops are bad.

Ration boxes were found with a thin layer of provisions on top and a pile of gravel underneath. Tins of meat were opened and found to be rotted and cans of soup are dish water.

In former days many right wing folk in Britain and the United States were inclined to be sympathetic to Mussolini and Fascism because they thought the Italian regime was efficient, but now manifest corruption and inefficiency so ate their way into Il Duce's Italy that the Italian Army is not even capable of feeding and equipping its own soldiers.

The reasons for this are: First, Italy was governed not merely by one bureaucracy but by two, the Fascist party on top of regular civil service. Second, in the Fascist setup every man was complete boss to those below him and complete slave to those above.

Therefore, everybody played his own game and there was no cooperation or integration of the National effort.

KING PRESENTS COLORS TO CANADIAN UNITS

By DOUGLAS AMARON
Canadian Press Staff Writer

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND, July 16 (CP Cable)—Men of the Royal Regiment of Canada and the South Saskatchewan Regiment today received colors from the King at an impressive ceremony attended by the Queen, Vincent Massey, Canadian High Commissioner and most of the Senior Canadian Army officers still in Britain.

Paddle fish and sturgeon do not have a bony skeleton like true fish.

Churchill-Roosevelt Message . . .

"Surrender and Live for Italy or Die for the Nazis"

WASHINGTON, July 16 (AP) — President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill in a virtual ultimatum today told Italy that the time has come for her to "decide whether Italians shall die for Mussolini and Hitler—or live for Italy and civilization."

In a joint statement issued simultaneously in London and at the White House the two United Nations leaders told the Italian people that the sole hope of Italy's survival "lies in honorable capitulation to the overwhelming power of the military forces of the United Nations."

"If you continue to tolerate the Fascist regime which serves the evil power of the Nazis, you must suffer the consequences of your own choice," the statement said.

With Allied forces sweeping across Sicily toward the Italian mainland the British Prime Minister and the President in their message broadcast to Italy from Algiers and other adjacent Allied points, said they could take no satisfaction in invading Italian soil and bringing the tragic devastation of war home to the Italian people.

They added that they were determined, however, to "destroy the false leaders and their doctrines which have brought Italy to her present position."

The release of the joint statement which followed several informal invitations in recent months that Italy get out of the war, was the signal for a propaganda drive which included the dropping of thousands of leaflets on Italy by Allied bombers in addition to beaming the message to the people of Italy by radio.

Asserting that Germany's hopes for world conquest "have been blasted on all fronts," the joint statement declared the skies over Italy are dominated by vast Allied air armadas and Italy's coasts are now threatened "by the greatest accumulation of British and Allied seapower ever concentrated in the Mediterranean.

They added:

"Every moment that you resist the forces of the United Nations — every drop of blood that you sacrifice—can serve only one purpose: to give the Fascist and Nazi leaders a little more time to escape from the inevitable consequences of their own crimes."

The 600-word message concluded:

"The time has now come for you, the Italian people, to consult your own self respect and your own interests and your own desire for a restoration of national dignity, security and peace. The time has come for you to decide whether Italians shall die for Mussolini and Hitler—or live for Italy and for civilization."

The White House called newspaper offices less than a half hour before making public the joint statement. Many reporters were routed out of bed to rush to the executive offices and handle it. Asserting Mussolini had plunged the Italian people into a war which he thought "Hitler had already won," the Prime Minister and President said that at this moment the combined armed forces of Great Britain and the United States "are carrying the war deep into the territory of your country.

"This is the direct consequence," it continued, "of the shameful leadership to which you have been subjected by Mussolini and his Fascist regime."

It added that the Fascist leaders sent Italian sons, ships and air forces to distant battlefields to aid Germany in her attempt to conquer England, Russia and the world, in spite of Italy's great vulnerability to attack by air and sea.

"This association," the United Nations leaders told the Italian people, "with the designs of Nazi controlled Germany was unworthy of Italy's ancient traditions of freedom and culture—traditions to which the people of America and Great Britain owe so much."

They said Italian soldiers have fought courageously, but have been betrayed and abandoned by the Germans on the Russian front and on every African battlefield from El-Alamein to Cape Bon.

DEATHS

OTTAWA,—Fred Cook, veteran newspaperman and former Mayor of Ottawa, at age of 85.

Watercress can be grown in a tub of soil. It should be placed in a *shady location, however, and kept* well moistened.

Assigned to Invasion . .

Only volunteers go to war for The Canadian Press—and the waiting list is long.

Qualifications: Good health, sound experience and that intangible something—keenness, enthusiasm, dependability, even luck—that makes a newspaperman.

The war reporter's job is never soft. The envious reader may picture him living a grand life in the open among happy-go-lucky comrades with battle only a nebulous background. Swell idea, of course—but it's a fantasy.

The war reporter must be tough. He trains with the Canadians—hard, body-punishing drill that toughens him as well as the boys with the Sten guns. He must go anywhere, anytime: sizzling heat or freezing cold. As part of an invasion army, he faces illness, injury, death. He may be dive-bombed, torpedoed or machine-gunned.

The war reporter lugs his typewriter where the shells burst and the bullets zing. You won't find him in a tent far behind the battle-lines writing flowery copy second-hand.

You remember Ross Munro. The CP ace went with the Canadians to wreck the coal mines of bleak Spitsbergen. He landed with them under a hail of fire on the beaches at Dieppe. He went with the group that gained battle experience in North Africa.

Four CP War Reporters: Fos Barclay, Lou Hunter, Bill Stewart, Maurice Desjardins.

Eleven others in the CP London Bureau await action. They're home-grown Canadian boys. Put your finger anywhere on a map of Canada and you won't be far from a CP war reporter's home town.

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He Asked Her to Wait for Him

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Dear Miss Fairfax:

For the past three years I have been corresponding with a boy—the past year of which he has been in the Service. This correspondence started when he left our home town to go to High School in another city. We wrote regularly until he went into the Navy, and since then has written only once every two or three months, and his last letter said he still thought a great deal of me and wants me to wait for him until he comes home. We were never actually engaged.

Some of my friends here have now told me that he's married and I don't know whether or not to keep on writing, or whether I should ask him about this. He asked me for a large picture of myself which I sent, but he never acknowledged receipt. What shall I do?—W. R.

When this young man asked you to wait for him, after a silence of a couple of months, it looks to me as if he were just trying to say something agreeable, and in your place I'd certainly not order my trousseau on that sort of pleasantry.

Just write him a gay, amusing letter and say, "Report says your married. Is it true? I'd like to congratulate you and write a nice letter to the bride."

And may I say it's not just the wise thing to send a large picture of one's self, if there is no positive engagement. Snapshots are O.K., but large pictures, as I hear from soldiers, are difficult to pack, and sometimes the fate of these expensive photographs is not flattering to the girls who send them.

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NELSON SOCIAL

By MRS. M. J. VIGNEUX

Charge for Engagement Announcements in This Column is $1.50

• Mrs. Thomas McMillan, Carbonate Street, returned last night from Vancouver where she spent a few days. Mrs. McMillan was accompanied to the Coast by her daughter and grandson, Mrs. Bryan and Kenneth, who are remaining for a few weeks.

• Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ashby of Harrop visited Nelson yesterday.

• Henry Hayes, who spent a couple of days in the city, returned to Crescent Bay.

• Mrs. Alwyn of Procter spent yesterday in town.

• Shoppers in the city yesterday included Miss K. Riddel and her mother of Kaslo.

RETURN FROM COAST

• Captain and Mrs. A. McLeod, Mill Street, have returned from a couple of weeks vacation in Vancouver where they visited their daughter, Cpl. Cay McLeod, C.W.A.C.

• Miss Claire Holmes of the C.P.R. Press Department at Winnipeg was in Nelson yesterday on her way East after a holiday spent on the Coast, during which she took a steamer trip up the West Coast of Vancouver Island. Miss Holmes leaves for Winnipeg this morning.

• Mr. and Mrs. Halbauer of Sheep Creek visited town yesterday.

• Miss Dorothy Jackson spent yesterday in the city, accompanied by her niece, Mrs. F. C. Borbridge of Ombabika, Ont., who with her mother, Mrs. R. G. Boyd of Mill Valley, Calif. are visiting the Jackson home at Cedar Point.

• William McPherson of the R.C.A.F., Lethbridge, and his wife, who have been visiting the Coast, are guests of Mrs. W. R. Parker, Mill Street, enroute to Lethbridge.

• R. A. Aldersmith, Observatory Street, has returned from a few days spent in Vancouver.

• Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Moore of Willow Point visited town yesterday.

• Mrs. Charles DeFerro and children have returned from a week spent at Appledale with her mother, Mrs. F. Trozzo.

• Miss Annie Keily of Cranbrook is a guest at St. Joseph's Academy.

HERE ON LEAVE

• Pte. Cecil Muirhead of the Royal Canadian Engineers, Vancouver, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Muirhead, 131 Chatham Street.

• Rev. T. R. Harding, who is spending the Summer at Camp Lourdes, was in the city on business Thursday.

• Mrs. Oscar H. Appleton, who has spent a week with her sister, Mrs. H. H. Pitts, Nelson Avenue, has returned to her home at Sunshine Bay.

• Mrs. George A. Hunter, who has been a patient in Kootenay Lake General Hospital, has returned to her home on Edgewood Avenue.

• Mrs. A. W. Stubbs, Nelson Avenue, has returned from a few days spent in Salmo at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert G. Grutchfield. She was accompanied home by her two grandchildren, Erminnie and Allan Grutchfield.

• Frank Trozzo of Kimberley has returned after a week's visit to Nelson.

• Mrs. Pueschell was in the city from Balfour Thursday.

• Mr. and Mrs. Ted Anderson of Trail were city visitors yesterday.

LEAVE FOR COAST

• Harry Cickle and J. C. Haley, lumber dealers of Toledo, Ohio, leave today for the Coast after a business visit to Nelson.

• Aleck Ewing of Trail was a visitor to Nelson yesterday.

• Visitors in the city yesterday included Mrs. R. J. Armstrong of Grand Forks.

• Mr. and Mrs. Otto Larson of Salmo visited Nelson Thursday.

• Miss Mavis Quigley of the staff of the Royal Bank of Canada left to spend her vacation at the Coast.

• Mrs. Robert Mills, Third Street, has as guests her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Read, of Vancouver, and twin daughter and son.

• Mrs. Archie Bremner was in town from Salmo Thursday.

• Shoppers in the city yesterday included Mr. and Mrs. Ron Greyson of Bonnington.

RETURN FROM COAST

• Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leslie, Silica Street, returned Thursday night from a 10-day visit to the Coast.

• Mrs. Gaskill was in town from Willow Point yesterday.

• Mrs. Hodge and her children of Victoria arrived Thursday night to visit Mrs. Hodge's parents, Mr and Mrs. J. Sewell, at Sunshine Bay.

• Mrs. J. D. McDonald was in town from Willow Point yesterday.

• Sgt. Emily Leeming has returned from spending a holiday at the Coast.

• Mrs. A. Gray of Salmo visited Nelson yesterday.

• W. Whellams was in the city from Sheep Creek yesterday.

• Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Pelton of Grand Forks are visitors to Nelson.

• Mrs. Richardson and daughter, Mrs. Cummings, of Bowell, spent yesterday in town.

• Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Young, Nelson Avenue, have as guests their daughter, Miss Violet Young of Vancouver, and grandson, Garry Walton of Chilliwack, who will spend the Summer with them at their North Shore camp.

Herridge Explains Bills to Rossland Board

ROSSLAND, B.C., July 16—At the regular monthly supper-meeting of the Junior Board of Trade, H. W. Herridge, M.L.A., Rossland-Trail, gave an interesting insight into the deliberations and considerations of the second Session. He explained some of the numerous bills passed during the session.

Mr. Herridge has recently been appointed to the Arbitration Board, being one of three members of the Board who will conduct the hearings concerning the application of Coast Unions for closed shops in two Vancouver shipyards.

Andrew Wishart, Chairman of the Salvage Committee, announced that a check for $86 had been received from the scrap rubber shipped to the Smelter. This money is put into the Board Salvage Fund and used for the Board's War Charities work. Monday and Friday evenings were chosen to sort salvaged bottles collected in the last drive.

There was considerable discussion regarding the picture which the Board plans to send to H.M.C.S. Rossland and it was proposed that a panoramic view of the city be made up including smaller views of different scenes about the city. The Board also plans to give two magazine subscriptions to the officers and crew.

Rev. A. G. H. Gurney, Rector of Great Bromley, Essex, has given his automobile for use as a fire tender and now uses a tricycle.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL SPORTS HELD S. SLOCAN

SOUTH SLOCAN, B. C. — The St. Matthew's Church Sunday School held their picnic at the Campbell Park. The field was in excellent condition and teeters were provided for the children.

The teachers, Mrs. W. A. MacCabe, Mrs. W. P. Rogers, Mrs. R. Dempsey, Misses Gwen and Bernice Jones, assisted by Mrs. C. H. Blaud, Mrs. R. Mulloy and Mrs. D. J. Davis, formed the entertainment committee.

Sports were arranged and supervised by Miss Gwen Jones and Bob Dunsmore, assisted by a committee from the Senior Class, Gernice Jones, Cyril Rogers, Eddie Olson, Bob Blaud and Mattew Dunsmore.

A picnic lunch was served, followed by ice cream.

Race prizes were presented by Gwen Jones, as follows:

Under 6 years—Kathleen Mulloy, Bruce MacCabe.

Six to 8 years—Joyce Blaud, Patsy Martin.

Eight to 10 years—Norman Davis, Bob McDougall.

Ten to 12 years—Dixie Kennedy, Matthew Dunsmore.

Over 12 years—Bob Dunsmore, Dixie Kennedy.

Three-legged race—Dixie Kennedy and Joyce Blaud, Jean Gilker and Patsy Martin.

Wheelbarrow race—Eddie Olson and Norman Davis, Bob Dunsmore and George McDougall.

Thread the needle race—Dixie Kennedy and Joyce Blaud, Geoffrey Davis and Kenney Mulloy.

Catch the train race—Bob Blaud, Bob Dunsmore.

Slow bicycle race—Bob Blaud, Bob McDougall.

Present Sunday School Prizes, S. Slocan

SOUTH SLOCAN, B.C.—The St. Matthew's Sunday School closed for the Summer when prizes were awarded for the year's work and the winners of attendance pins and badges.

Mrs. W. A. MacCabe, Superintendent, who presented the prizes, expressed her pleasure in reporting a good year in spite of difficulties.

The record of attendance had been remarkably good. A special prize was awarded to Cyril Rogers, who attended for eight years without absence.

Bars for attendance were awarded to Bob Bland, six years perfect attendance; Bob Dunsmore, four years; Matthew Dunsmore, four years; Bernice Jones, four years; Joyce Bland, four years; Eddie Olson, three years; Marjorie Dunsmore, three years; Kenneth Mulloy, three years.

General proficiency in year's work Mrs. MacCabe's class—Eddie Olson, first; Cyril Rogers, second; Bernice Jones, first; Dixie Kennedy and Lorraine Gilker second.

Mrs. R. Dempsey's class: Florence Ridge, first, Geoffrey Davis, second.

Miss B. Jones class: Norman Davis, first; Marjorie Dunsmore, second.

Mrs. W. P. Rogers' class: Bruce Davis, first; Eugene Jacobson, second.

Miss Gwen Jones' class, beginners, all given wall motto—Diane Davis, Stanton Foster, Margot Wadeson, Bruce MacCabe, Kathleen Mulloy, Frankie Nixon, Barbara Joan McFadden, Edith Swanson, Beryl Nixon and Kennie Hooper.

Nephew of Nakusp Woman Finds Africa Interesting

CRAWFORD BAY, B. C.—Rowland Jordan, nephew of Mrs. George Jordan of Nakusp, finds life in North Africa interesting. In a letter to Mrs. Jordan he says:

"No one moves fast except the Armed Forces and the horses. The horses and mules are mostly very thin, underfed and worked to death. One jittle jackass was pulling a load so big, on a two-wheel cart, that it lifted it off its feet every once in a while. When he came to a hill he couldn't pull so he just dropped down, so a few of the Air Force boys gave him a push and he went over the hill. It is wonderful what they can pull and carry.

"As for children, I've never seen so many in my life. The Native children are all 'Give me'. They start to smoke as soon as they can walk and are always asking for money and cigarettes. If they see one eating anything, they want that also. I was eating a fig the other day and one youngster asked for some, as there were no others in sight I started to break off a bit and before I could hand it to him, I had at least 12 around me.

"The French children are quiet and shy and very polite. The little girls are really very pretty and well dressed. The boys are not as handsome, as a rule more attractive when they grow up.

I would like to go out and try some of the restaurant cooking, but blest if I'll pay the price they want for a meal in this town. Everything is so high.

Kaslo I.O.D.E. Has Best Shipment of War Relief Goods

KASLO, B. C.—The July meeting of the Kaslo 51th Chapter, I.O.D.E., was held at the City Hall. The Regent, Mrs. J. R. Tinkess was in the chair. In the absence of the Secretary, Mrs. H. South, Mrs. A. McCartney read the minutes and all correspondence.

The Treasurer, Mrs. E. H. Latham, reported having $68.32 in the general fund and $177.42 in the war fund. The travelling basket brought in $4.03 in June. Mrs. J. Paterson handed in $42.50 taken in at the rummage room during the month.

Mrs. Singel, for the Works Committee, reported the best shipment of goods yet received including quilts, knitted goods, etc., these having been shipped to Headquarters.

Twelve ditty bags will be filled in the near future for seamen

Mrs. Guy Browel was received as a new member and welcomed by the Regent.

A unique American fish, the black bass has been colonized in Cuba, Europe and South Africa.

S. Slocan Red Cross Aux. Receives $60 From Valley

SOUTH SLOCAN, B. C.—The regular meeting of the Red Cross Auxiliary was held in the Community Hall, Mrs. F. Scott presiding, when a number of letters acknowledging cigarettes were read from local boys overseas.

The sum of $60 was received from the Crescent Valley Sewing Circle. The money was designated for the Russian Relief, the Greek Relief and the Chinese Relief Funds. It was moved that the money be forwarded to Nelson Headquarters, requesting that $20 be sent to each of the funds. The Secretary was instructed to send a letter of thanks to the ladies of the Crescent Valley Sewing Circle for the splendid work they are doing, also a letter of thanks to the Bonnington Junior Red Cross for the afghan knitted by the young people.

Mrs. Ivor Jones reported that she had handled 46 blankets made from old woolens. The rug which had been made from old woolens was won by Mrs. W. Walkley.

Mrs. H. Dempsey reported that the Work Circle had turned in to the Nelson Red Cross two cotton quilts; to the V-Bundles, one woollen quilt, a box of stockings and felt hats and a fur coat.

KASLO

KASLO, B. C.—Miss Gail Gibson of Rossland is visiting her grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. George Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Green were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hendren in Nelson.

Mrs. H. South and Miss Sophie Bendis were shoppers in Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Taylor have as guest, Miss Lillian Cope of Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Weatherall of Spokane have been spending a holiday in Kaslo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Billings, Mrs. J. R. Tinkess and Billie left for Calgary.

Miss Beverley Lithgoe of Nelson is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Alice Perkins.

Mrs. Ivor Solly and little daughter, Katherine Ann, who have been visiting the former's mother, Mrs. A. Gillis, for the past two months, have returned to Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gare of Trochu, Alta., are holidaying in Kaslo. This is their 22nd annual visit to Kaslo. Mr. Gare is the Editor of the Trochu newspaper.

Dr. W. A. Bagnall of Vancouver, who has been holidaying in Kaslo, has left to spend a few days at Procter.

Mrs. H. D. Dawson of Nelson was a visitor to Kaslo.

Miss Margaret Hamilton has returned to Calgary after spending two weeks with her mother, Mrs. R. Hamilton.

R. H. Welton of Trail is relieving W. L. Billings at the Government Liquor Store, while the latter is away on vacation.

Miss Neta Sadler has returned to Kaslo after a year's furlough. She is in charge of the United Church social work among the Japanese and is replacing Miss Sadie Tait, who is now on vacation.

J. McCallum of Ainsworth visited his sister, Mrs. Margaret McQueen, here.

Mrs. R. D. Gardner entertained at a delightful birthday party in honor of her daughter Geraldine's 10th birthday. The guests included Miss Margaret Clark of Edmonton, Miss Agnes Webber, Miss May Wone, Miss Betty Gopp, Miss Dorothy Amas, Miss Ann Carney and Freddie Webber.

Mr. and Mrs. McClaine of Spokane have been spending their vacation in Kaslo.

Watch Diet . . .

Skip Starches to Evade Poundage

By IDA JEAN KAIN

If you have a Victory garden, it's easier to control your weight—not that the weeding keeps you slim, although the exercise is all to the good! But a garden right in your own back yard does assure you of something to eat besides the rationed foods and the unrestricted and fattening starches.

The market situation being what it is, there is some difficulty in getting all the fresh vegetables and fruits you need. You have to fill up on something. So if you are entirely dependent on what you can buy, you are quite apt to turn to bread and more bread and sweets. And soon you find yourself bursting at the seams!

Something's got to be done about it. If you haven't already started your garden, it's a little late for that in some sections for some of the vegetables you should have in it. But you can stick to the principles of nutrition and that will keep your menus balanced without boosting the calories.

Make sure the foods you buy in the place of the ones you can't get are nutritional substitutes. Bread and butter do not take the place of meat, nor sweets the place of fruits and vegetables.

For your protein sources, use more eggs, milk and cheese and have fish and chicken more often. If you can afford it, have two eggs every day, one for breakfast and another for lunch. And this Summer, have two or three glasses of milk a day.

All kinds of greens, both for salads and cooking are abundant now. Have a green leafy salad at least once a day and learn to like the cooked greens you haven't been in the habit of eating. They are rich in Vitamin A and iron. For a tasty and satisfying luncheon dish, have a tossed green salad with sliced hard-cooked egg. Or, stuff celery with a snappy cheese to serve with the mixed green salad.

There are tomatoes and any number of appetizing recipes for using them. Quarter the tomato, leaving it intact at the stem, and add a half cup of cottage cheese, or a mixture of chopped egg, cucumber, celery and lettuce. Or make a salad of hard-cooked egg, sliced tomato, watercress, and slices of sweet onion. Add two thin slices of bread and butter, a glass of milk and fruit to that salad and you have a balanced low calorie lunch. Another good dish is grilled tomato and Canadian cheese on a slice of bread. It is easy to fix. Just leave it under the flame until the cheese is melted and the tomato seared. Be sure to spend some of your ration points for processed cheese. You can well afford four points for half a pound every two weeks and it yields six servings. Cheese furnishes more of the essential nutrients than butter. It gives you protein, calcium, phosphorus and Vitamin A, whereas butter is all fat and Vitamin A.

It's the choice of food that determines your weight. Now that your choice is narrowed, you want to be very sure that you are following the golden rules of the nutrition yardstick. Somewhere in your three meals a day, have these foods: One or two eggs, one pint of milk, a serving of cheese, or meat, or fish or fowl; at least two cooked vegetables, one a green leafy or yellow, and a raw vegetable salad; two fresh fruits; whole grain cereal and bread.

The most abundant of living reptiles are lizards.

Bonnington

BONNINGTON, B. C. — Miss Gwen Suttie of New Denver was a guest of Mrs. R. Greyson.

Mrs. Martin and daughter Patsy have left to spend the Summer in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Motley are spending a two weeks vacation at their Summer home at Willow Point.

Mr. and Mrs. R. McFadden and daughter Margaret Ann and Barbara Joan were visitors to Nelson.

Mrs. W. G. Elsdon has left to spend a few weeks in Vancouver, where she will be joined later by her husband to spend a vacation.

Army Danger . . .

Typhus Carried by Body Lice

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M.D.

Many students of the history of disease were apprehensive when troops were sent to the African theatre of war with a possibility of the invasion of the Balkans because the situation raised the spectre of one of the most vicious diseases that has ever afflicted mankind.

Most of my readers, I presume, have never heard of it. I confess that I have never seen a case and I doubt whether one out of one hundred of my professional friends have. It is typhus fever—not to be confused with typhoid fever—sometimes called spotted fever, jail fever, ship fever and army fever.

Its characteristis are that it appears when large groups of people are herded together and sanitary facilities break down. Or as in the case of our African army, when large numbers of men in close contact with each other come in close contact with a population which has low ideals or no ideals about sanitary care of the body.

We have discovered that it is carried from person to person by the body louse. The louse infests the clothing of a person who either has typhus or is a carrier of the germ, sucks some of his blood, including the germ, and then moves on to an uninfected person and when it again begins to feed on the uninfected person, instills the germ into his blood.

While the disease has not appeared in this country, except in sporadic cases, for over a century, it is by no means a theoretical menace. After the last war the universal epidemic of typhus fever made them practically a dead country.

At that time the only method of dealing with the epidemic was to delouse the person and clothing of every individual. The "Serbian barrel" in which the clothing were sterilized became a familiar sight in cities and along the roadways of the countries.

The epidemic was finally conquered in this way, but not until it had exacted an enormous mortality toll.

But the use of a vaccine which was more or less problematical in its effectiveness was universally instituted and it is a great relief to be able to say by now that this vaccine appears to have been completely successful.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

W.R.: Would an X-ray show definite sign of cancer, even in its early stage?

Answer: The X-ray is never definite in the diagnosis of cancer, except bone cancer.

W.C.F.: What is the meaning of the diagnosis, in a man 47 years of age, of paroxysmal tachycardia and hyperacidity and just how serious is it?

Answer: Paroxysmal tachycardia is a peculiar condition, probably nervous in origin, where there are spells when the heart suddenly begins to beat very fast. The heart rate returns to normal just as suddenly. It is not a sign of organic disease of the heart. Hyperacidity is a form of acid dyspepsia, also probably due to nerves and also not serious.

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Delinquent Child Imperils Others

By GARRY C. MYERS, Ph.D.

There are ominous reports from all over concerning juvenile delinquency. It is rising rapidly. A forerunner of it appears in the marked increase of school tardiness, absence and truancy, especially at 'teen-age levels.

When the mother is absent on school mornings there is no one to check on the youngster to get him off to school on time or at all. With no mother at home after school to greet the child, afford him affectionate companionship and guidance, all sorts of physical and moral hazards may face the school child of any age. Yet this problem has only begun, since several million more mothers soon will be needed in the war industries.

Let us remember that the neglected child in our neighborhood is a menace to our own children, and to the whole community. Therefore, the community needs to take responsibility for the neglected children of the working mother.

RECREATION CENTRES NEEDED

When the community provides adequate centres for protecting the child, before and after school hours, it can properly require the earning mother, except in the few cases where she can not afford it, to help pay for this service. Until such community services are provided, the working mother who really cares, should expect to pay volunteer groups or individuals who are available.

The first problem in any community is to ascertain the extent of need for such service and what resources are available. Then they should set up a working program. Mere talk and protracted committee meetings won't suffice. There needs to be action soon.

I have prepared a special bulletin, "Suggestions to the Working Mother," to be had without cost by writing me in care of this paper enclosing a self-addressed envelope with a three-cent stamp on it.

SOLVING PARENT PROBLEMS

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SATURDAY, JULY 17

CKLN AND CBC PROGRAMMES

MORNING

7:50—Musical Clock (CKLN)
8:00—CBC News
8:15—Novelty Time
8:30—Songs From the Shows CKLN
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Melody Moments
9:30—Mirth and Madness
9:59—Time Signal
10:00—Pipe Dreams
10:15—Rollini Trio
10:30—Miniature Recital
10:45—On the March
11:00—Roy Shields and Company
11:45—Musical Programme

AFTERNOON

12:00—U.S. Army Air Force Band
12:30—CBC News
12:45—Visiting Nurse of the Air
1:00—Matinee in Rhythm
1:15—Dick Todd's Songs
1:30—Minstrel Melodies
2:00—Horace Heidt's Musical Crew
2:45—Musical Programme
3:00—Debray Sommers' Band
3:15—CBC News
3:30—Richard Crook's Records
3:45—BBC News
4:00—Sports Review
4:15—Chick Henderson Sings
4:30—Songs of Eventide.
4:45—Washington Commentary—James M. Minifie
5:00—Musical Memories
5:15—Boston Pops Orch.

EVENING

6:15—Nocturne in Swing
6:30—The Cavaliers
7:00—CBC News
7:15—King Edward Hotel Orch.
7:45—Dixieland Capers
8:00—BBC News Reel
8:30—Dance Orchestra
9:00—Melody in the Night
9:30—Adventures of the Falcons
10:00—CBC News
10:15—Dance Orch.
10:30—Stan Kenton's Orch.
11:00—Dance Orchestra
11:25—News Bulletin
11:30—God Save the King

SUNDAY, JULY 18

CKLN AND CBC PROGRAMMES

MORNING

9:00—BBC News
9:15—Neighborly News From the Weeklies
9:30—Concert Orchestra
9:59—Time Signal
10:00—Hello Children
10:15—Calling All Children
10:30—Chamber Music
11:00—News Bulletin
11:04—Old Country Mail
11:15—Anzac News Letter
11:30—Religious Period

AFTERNOON

12:00—New York Philharmonic Orc.
1:40—Church of the Air
2:00—CBC News Bulletin
2:03—Discussion Club
2:30—Quentin Maclean, organist
3:00—Can. Grenadier Guards' Band
3:30—Talk: "A Canadian in Britain"
3:45—BBC News and Analysis
4:00—Stanley Park Concerts
5:00—Feature "Somewhile Before the Dawn"
5:30—Weekend Review
5:45—Our Special Speaker

EVENING

6:00—The Army Show
6:30—Back to the Bible Broadcast (CKLN)
7:00—CBC News
7:15—Sunday Night Show
8:00—BBC Newsreel
8:30—Dances of the Nations
9:00—Organ Recital
9:30—Vesper Hour
10:00—CBC News
10:15—"The Canadian Pattern"—talk
10:30—Prelude to Midnight
11:25—News Bulletin
11:30—God Save the King

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Hints for Housewives

By BETSY NEWMAN

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TODAY'S MENU

Boiled Potatoes
Creamed Codfish or
Baked Codfish Balls
Green or Wax Beans
Sliced Tomatoes and Cucumber
Custard Pie Iced Tea

BAKED CODFISH BALLS

1 cup flaked codfish, 3 cups diced potatoes, 1 pint boiling water, 1 tablespoon butter, ¼ cup minced parsley, ¼ teaspoon salt, 1 egg, ½ cup bread crumbs, 1 tablespoon melted butter.

Coak codfish 15 minutes under running cold water, let stand 5 minutes in hot water; drain and boil with potatoes until potatoes are tender; drain and mash. Add butter, parsley and salt, if needed.

Whip until light and fluffy, chill. Shape into balls, roll in milk or egg and crumbs which have been blended with melted butter, place on greased baking pan and bake in hot oven (400 degrees F.) until crumbs are delicately browned (about 20 minutes). Serves six.

CUSTARD PIE

1 unbaked pastry shell, 3 cups milk, 4 eggs, ½ cup sugar, ¼ teaspoon salt, 1 tablespoon vanilla.

Make pastry and fit into inside of pan, flute edge, cover crust and put in refrigerator to chill. Scald milk over boiling water, beat eggs, add sugar and salt, beating them in. Stir hot milk into egg mixture slowly, add vanilla, and pour carefully into crust. You may grate a little nutmeg over top if you like. Bake in hot oven (450 degrees F.) for first 15 minutes, then reduce to 325 degrees for 25 minutes longer. To test, insert silver knife into centre of custard, and if knife comes out clean it is done. Cool and serve.

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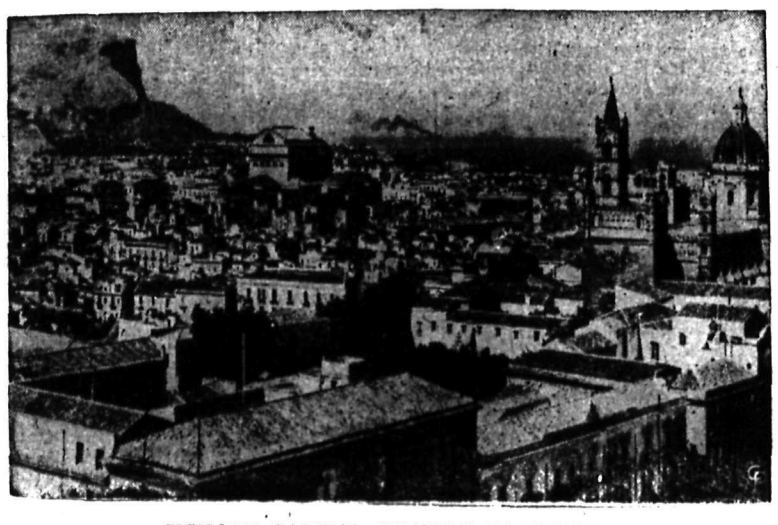
TODAY'S *News Pictures*

ALLIED BARGE PULLS OUT FOR SICILY

Loaded to the gunwales with especially-trained amphibious shock troops, one of the great fleet of Allied invasion barges that participated in the invasion of Sicily, is shown in this radio photo, pulling out from a North African port. The men are waving a "so long" to their comrades, who were due to follow in their turn.

AXIS HEADQUARTERS BOMBED

The Hotel San Domenico in Taormina, Sicily, headquarters of Axis staff, which was wrecked by U. S. bombers in pre-invasion raid.



SICILIAN CAPITAL HEAVILY BATTERED

A view of Palermo, key city of Sicily and located on the North coast, is the capital of the island. Once famous as a tourist resort, it has been blasted heavily from the air.

GETS U. S. AWARD

Wing Commander Billy Drake, famous as commander of the R.A.F. "Shark" Kittyhawk squadron, has been awarded the United States Distinguished Flying Cross for leadership and outstanding airmanship while operating with the Ninth Air Force. Here he is wearing the decoration. Wing Commander Drakes comes from Chatham, England.

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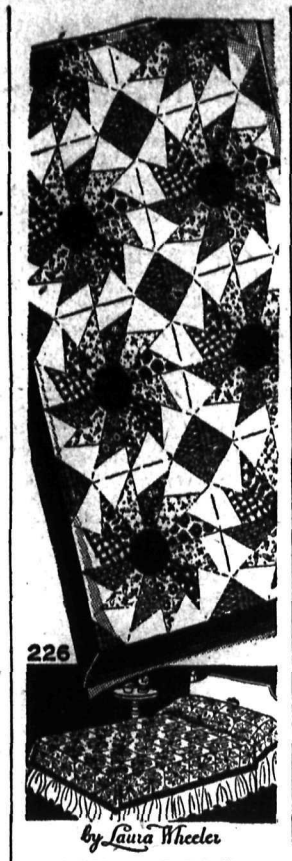

by Laura Wheeler

WHEEL OF FORTUNE

This Wheel of Fortune brings you luck! Round and round she goes—and before you know it you've finished a charming patchwork quilt! You've used small scraps (useless in any other capacity). Make each wheel alike if you wish. Pattern 226 contains pattern pieces; diagram of block; instructions for quilt; yardage; diagram of quilt.

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AUNT HET

By ROBERT QUILLEN

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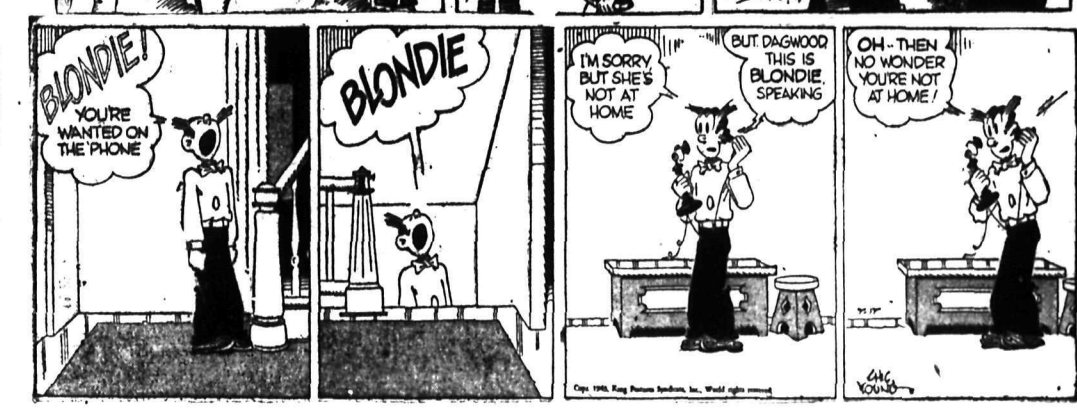

YOU CAN AFFORD IT

WHEN YOU have plenty of reentries to your hand, in the form of probable trick winning high cards, you can afford to present the declarer a trick in your long suit by leading away from its honors against his No Trump game. The trick lost thereby can be regained probably through your establishing one or more low cards. But if the contract against which you are leading is a suit, the waste of a high card cannot be regained, as the declarer probably will ruff your little ones after they are established.

North: ♠ Q 8 7 6 ♥ Q 3 ♦ K J 7 5 ♣ J 9 2

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

East: ♠ 10 9 5 ♥ 9 8 ♦ 9 6 3 2 ♣ Q 10 7 5

South: ♠ A 4 3 2 ♥ A 6 5 4 ♦ Q 8 ♣ A K 8

(Dealer: East. North-South vulnerable.)

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

That was bad bidding, as the hands belongs in 4-Spades, but at two tables South got into 3-No Trumps. One of them made it because West feared leading from his heart K, and so opened the club 6—bad bridge when his own hand was that strong. South was able, there, to build up three tricks in spades, three in clubs, two in diamonds and one in hearts for his game.

West at the other No Trumo table led his heart J, giving the Q a trick. A bit later, when he scored with his spade K, he knocked out the last heart stopper of South. Shortly after that, he was in with his diamond A, whereupon he took three hearts to set the contract.

Normal results came at several tables, where South made exactly 4-Spades because West led a club. Those declarers lost one trick each in diamonds, spades and hearts. Top for South was also at a 4-Spade contract, but an extra trick got made because West led his heart J. That prevented any heart losers at all, nothing being dropped except one trick in spades and one in diamonds. One losing heart was ruffed and one parked on a diamond.

It would be hard to find a better example of how that lead away from a tenace in a long suit would pay against a No Trump and prove costly against a suit.

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Tomorrow's Problem

North: ♠ A 8 ♥ Q J 8 7 4 3 2 ♦ A 9 ♣ 9 7

West: ♠ 4 2 ♥ A 10 6 5 ♦ 10 4 2 ♣ K J 6 5

East: ♠ Q J 9 7 6 5 ♥ 9 ♦ K 8 7 6 3 ♣ 8

South: ♠ K 10 3 ♥ K ♦ Q J 5 ♣ A Q 10 4 3 2

(Dealer: North. Neither side vulnerable.)

If West leads the 4 of the spades which his partner has bid, South scoring with the K and returning the heart K, how can West figure out the best defense against the 3-No Trump contract?

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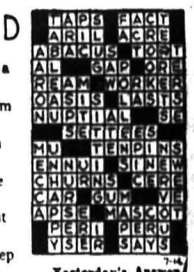


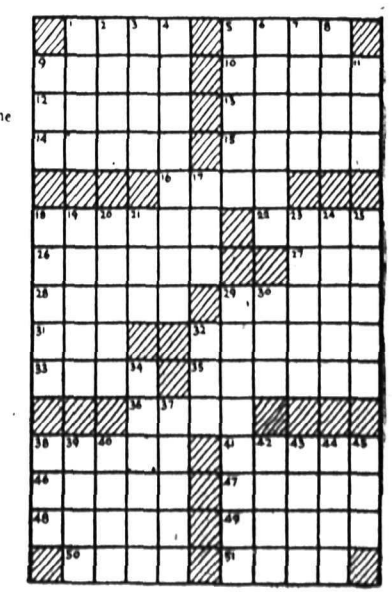
Yesterday's Answer

ACROSS

1. Jest
5. American Indians
9. Tapestry
10. Leaves out
12. Baking chambers
13. Variety of pepper
14. Raccoonlike mammal
15. Foe
16. Measure of length
18. Picturesque
22. Coarse hominy
26. Bird
27. By way of
28. Laughing
29. Cross-examine
31. Elevated trains
32. Dishevel
33. Obnoxious plant
35. Embellish
36. Native of Arabia
38. Mother-of-pearl
41. Kind of race
46. Declares openly
47. Papal scarf
48. Song bird
49. Beginning
50. Lairs
51. Snares

DOWN

1. Malayan island
2. Unroll
3. Benevolent
4. Writer
5. Serious
6. Corrects
7. Quote
8. Branch
9. Apex
11. Foxy
17. Indian mulberry
18. Scatter
19. S. American republic
20. Rub out
21. Type of pigeon
23. Dispatch boat
24. Moves in a circle
25. Grows dim
29. Kind of porcelain
30. Polish
32. Beverage
34. English naturalist
37. Pauses
38. Short sleep
39. Greedy
40. Contend with
42. Sea eagle
43. Final
44. Malt beverages
45. Nevertheless



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LISBON (CP) — The British cruiser Adventure picked up 157 German sailors from the sea when the German blockade runner Silvaplana was scuttled off Cape Finisterra, Spain.

Cryptoquotes

TNWLPNRK YNP KZWNJ KPVJPVAPK QNYGV MNWX FWVD YVQ GBKP PI. TPNBPVAP—APNLYVJPK.

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: NOTHING IS MORE WRETCHED THAN THE MIND OF A MAN CONSCIOUS OF GUILT—PLAUTUS.

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.

KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED

CONTINUE CANADIAN WHEAT TO GREECE

OTTAWA, July 16 (CP)—In discussion of trade and commerce estimates, Trade Minister MacKinnon said shipments of Canadian wheat to Axis occupied Greece will continue at the rate of 550,000 bushels a month as long as the grain and shipping space are available. Canada already has sent 5,000,000 bushels.

MONTREAL STOCKS

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Canadian Bronze	32½
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National Brew Ltd	33½
Quebec Power	15½
Shawnigan W & P	18½
St. Lawrence Corp Pfd	18
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Bank of Commerce	137
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Gen Electric	38⅞
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Union Pacific	102
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U S Steel	58

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Good to choice butcher steers 11.50 to 12.35; common to medium, 10.25 to 11.25. Good to choice butcher heifers, 10.75 to 11.50; common to medium, 9.50 to 10.50; good cows, 9 to 9.50; common to medium, 7.25 to 8.75. Canners and cutters, 5 to 7. Good to choice fed calves, 11.75 to 12.35, common to medium, 10.75 to 11.50. Good bulls, 8.75 to 9.75, common to medium, 7.50 to 8.50. Good to choice veal calves, 12.50 to 13; common to medium, 10 to 12.

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Cariboo Gold	1.15	1.18
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Island Mount	.72	.75
Kootenay Belle	.28	.30
Pend Oreille	1.80	1.55
Pioneer Gold	2.00	2.05
Premier Gold	.93	.98
Privateer	.37	.38
Reeves MacDon	.30	.35
Reno Gold	.03	.03¼
Sheep Creek	1.02	1.03
Whitewater	.03¼	.03¾
Ymir Yank G	.08	—
OILS		
Anaconda	.04¾	.05½
Anglo Canadian	.77	.80
A P Cons	.13	.15
Cal & Ed	1.65	1.68
Commonwealth	.23	.27
Dalhousie	.40	.45
Home	3.70	3.90
McDougall Segur	.08	.09
National Pete	.07	.08
Okalta Com	.65	.68
Pacific Pete	.41	.43
Royalite	25.50	—
Southwest Pete	.28	—
Vulcan	.22	—
INDUSTRIALS		
Capital Estates	2.30	2.75
Coast Breweries	1.38	1.40
United Distill	—	2.25

GIANTS PUT UP $7500 FOR JOE MEDWICK

NEW YORK, July 16 (AP)—Joe Medwick, only three years ago considered one of baseball's most valuable properties, tonight was just another $7500 ball player.

The New York Giants today claimed him from Brooklyn Dodgers for that waiver price.

Medwick, after a spectacular career with the St. Louis Cardinals, on June 12, 1940 was the chief figure in a six-player, $100,000 transaction between the Cardinals and Dodgers.

Five days after joining the Brooklyn Club he was beaned by a pitch thrown by Bob Bowman of the Cards, and since then has not lived up to what was expected of him, although he yet has to hit less than .300 in the big show.

Medwick, now 31, came up to the Cardinals from Houston in 1932 to launch a spectacular batting career that reached its peak in 1937, when he hit .374 to win the National League's most valuable player award. He dropped to .301 in 1940, rose to .318 in 1941, and then slumped to an even .300 last year, his lowest mark.

The Giants, in last place, figure to be able to use Medwick very nicely. A power hitter, he still is a dangerous man at the plate.

Browns to Dodgers Hurling Pair Ask for More Pay

ST. LOUIS, July 16 (AP)—The other half in the Louis (Bobo) Newsom transaction—pitchers Fred Ostermueller and Archie McKain—rebelled today, demanding more pay to meet increased living costs in the East before reporting to Brooklyn.

The veteran hurlers, traded by the St. Louis Browns to the Dodgers for Newsom, were supposed to leave for the East tonight, but Ostermueller said they would remain here until they conferred with Branch Rickey by telephone.

"And if he doesn't give us a salary increase, why, I guess we'll just go home," Ostermueller added.

"Newsom will play for the Browns or he'll not play for anybody," President Don Barnes of the Browns declared, when he was informed Newsom was flirting with the Washington Senators. Newsom has refused to report to the Browns.

Baseball Scores

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Seattle 0, Oakland 4.
San Francisco 8, Sacramento 4.
Portland 6, Hollywood 7.
Los Angeles 1, San Diego 2.

Sunshine Bay

SUNSHINE BAY, B. C.—Mr. and Mrs. J. Richards of Vancouver have been guests of the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neale.

Miss Edie Pippi and her brother, Tommy of Trail, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Maida for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Smart have as guests their grandson, Jack Smart of Trail and also T. Fletcher of Rossland.

Mrs. Blanshard G. Birtles of Calgary is guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Hong.

Speediest of swimmers, sailfish can travel at a speed of 68 miles an hour.

SPORTS

Reminds Bums Durocher Still Tops

BOSTON, July 16 (AP)—President Branch Rickey today told the Brooklyn Dodger players that Leo Durocher is firmly established as their Manager and he didn't want recent unpleasant developments to have an affect on the team's morale. Complete harmony appeared to have been established among the players.

Crosetti Leads Yankees to Win Over A's

NEW YORK, July 16 (AP) — The Yankees beat out Philadelphia Athletics 6-5 today but it was little Frankie Crosetti's bat that spoke the big piece.

The snappy shortstop veteran, who has put new life in the Yankee infield, had three singles, the last of which broke a deadlock and sent the winning run home in the eighth inning.

Philadelphia 5 9 0
New York 6 12 1
Flores, Arntzen (3), Besse (7), and Wagner; Wensloff, Russo (7) and Dickey.

WASHINGTON SLIPS

WASHINGTON, July 16 (AP) — Southpaw Oscar Judd limited Washington to five blows as Boston defeated the Senators 4-1 tonight. The defeat dropped Washington into third place in the American League a fraction of a gam ebehind Detroit Tigers.

Boston 4 6 1
Washington 1 5 0
Judd and Partee; Candini, Mertz (9) and Early, Padden.

BROWNS MOVE UP

ST. LOUIS, July 16 (AP)— St. Louis Browns moved into a fourth place American League tie with Chicago White Sox tonight on the strength of their 4-3 victory over Cleveland Indians. Two of Cleveland's scores were on homers by Jeff Heath and Mike Rocco.

Cleveland 3 11 0
St. Louis 4 4 1
Smith, Naymich (1), Kennedy (6) and Rosar; Muncrief and Ferrell.

Batting Leaders

By The Associated Press

Batting (three leaders in each league):

Player, club:	G	AB	R	H	Pct.
Musial, Cards	77	304	54	102	.336
Stephens, Brs.	69	244	36	82	.336
Curtright, W. S.	62	199	33	66	.332
Herman, Ddgs.	82	306	42	100	.327
Dahlgren, Phill	77	286	26	92	.322
Wakefield, Tig.	74	320	42	102	.319

Runs batted in:
National League: Herman, Dodgers 59; American League—Etten, Yankees 57.

Home runs:
National League: Ott, Giants 14; American League: Stephens, Browns 13.

Sewell Hurls, Bats Bucs to 9-5 Victory

PITTSBURGH, July 16 (AP.) — Rip Sewell won his 13th game of the National League season today as Pittsburgh defeated St. Louis 9-5 aiding in his own victory by rapping out three hits, including a double and stealing a base. Bob Elliott was the hitting hero, counting three doubles and a single.

Pittsburgh's victory, coupled with Brooklyn's defeat by Boston, moved the Pirates to within 3½ games of the second place Dodgers.

St. Louis 5 15 1
Pittsburgh 9 15 1
Krist, Munger (1) Lanier (5) Dickson (8) and W. Cooper; Sewell and Lopez.

BRAVES TAKE DODGERS

BOSTON, July 16 (AP.) — Branch Rickey made a speech to Brooklyn Dodgers today to restore peace to the troubled Bums but apparently all he succeeded in doing was to put their bats to sleep.

The Dodgers were thumped 3-2 by Boston Braves. Nate Andrews, husky righthander, handcuffed Brooklyn with five hits but the big damage was done by Johnny McCarthy, who was once a Dodger, himself.

With the score tied in the ninth inning, one on and one out and Freddy Fitzsimmons serving them up as the third Brooklyn elbower of the day, Johnny tripled to break up the game.

Brooklyn 2 5 0
Boston 3 10 3
Higbe, Allen (2) Fitzsimmons (7) and Bragan; Andrews and Kluttz.

Newsom to Play on Sunday Against Cleveland

ST. LOUIS, July 16 (AP) —Louis (Bobo) Newsom will appear with St. Louis Browns in Sunday afternoon's doubleheader with Cleveland Indians, Browns President Don Barnes said tonight.

Barnes said the big righthander said he would leave New York City by train tomorrow.

Since his addition to the Browns' roster Wednesday in a trade which sent Southpaw Pitcher Fred Ostermueller and Archie McKain to Brooklyn Dodgers, Newsom maintained he would not put on another Brownie uniform.

Barnes would not say whether he had offered Newsom an increase in salary.

SHARKEY CHALLENGES JOE LOUIS TO GOLF

BOSTON, July 16 (AP)—Jack Sharkey, former world heavyweight boxing champion, today challenged Joe Louis, the current titlist and one of his conquererors, for a best two-out-of-three exhibition golf matches for the sole entertainment of Army and Navy personnel hereabouts.

Market Trends . . .

LONDON, July 16 (CP)—Market today was fairly active and closed generally firm.

WINNIPEG, July 16 (CP)—Wheat futures eased ⅜-¼ cent a bushel, influenced by favorable crop reports from Western Canada and lower values at Chicago. July closed at $1.09⅝

MONTREAL, July 16 (CP) — Newsprints, which have been headed higher in transactions for the past 12 days stumbled in early deals but some leaders recovered.

NEW YORK, July 16 (AP)—Selective buying of steels, rails, air transports and specialties imparted a modest recovery tinge.

TORONTO, July 16 (CP)—Stronger prices were boarded by the base metal and the gold stocks.

CHICAGO, July 16 (AP)—Selling of rye unsettled grains today, the market having to contend with disappointed liquidation over the statement of Price Administrator Prentiss Brown that present ceilings on corn will be maintained.

Toronto Stock Quotations

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Anglo Huronian	4.00	San Antonio	3.05
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Chromium M & S	2.60	Sylvanite	1.85
Coniaurum Mines	1.10	Teck Hughes	3.00
Cons M & S	45.50	Toburn Gold Mines	.72
Dome Mines	25.25	Ventures	6.35
East Malartic	1.39	Waite Amulet	4.75
Eldorado Gold	1.10	Wright Hargreaves	3.35
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Little Long Lac	.74	Can Car & Fdy	11¼
MacLeod Cockshutt	1.84	Can Malting	39
Madsen Red Lake	1.21	Can Pac Rly	12¼
Malartic Gold	2.05	Can Ind Al	5¼
McIntyre Porc	53.00	Dom Bridge	29½
McKenzie Red Lake	1.13	Dist Seagrams	34¼
Mining Corp	2.08	Ford of Canada	23⅜
Nipissing Mining	1.40	Goodyear Tire	87
Noranda	46.00	Hamilton Bridge	6¾
Pamour Porc	.85	Imperial Tobacco	11½
Perron Gold	.88	Montreal Power	26¼
Pickle Crow Gold	1.82	Nat Steel Car	59
Preston East Dome	2.20	Power Corp	10¾
		Steel of Can	68

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Subsidy to Boost Eastern Buying of Western Grains

OTTAWA, July 16 (CP.)—As an incentive to farmers in Eastern Canada to buy Western feed grains and store them on their own farms so next Winter's livestock feeding requirements will be met, the Dominion Government will pay a per-bushel subsidy based on a sliding scale, the Agriculture Department announced tonight.

"Farmers in the Eastern Provinces who buy Western feed grains under this plan, will receive a three cent-per-bushel subsidy for grain bought in July; 2½ cents per bushel for August; two cents for September; 1½ cents for October; one cent for November and one-half cent for December," the Department said. be eligible for the subsidy."

F. W. Presant, Feeds Administrator under whom the plan is being administered, said it is anticipated it will increase the immediate demand for Western feed grains at a time when transportation facilities are more favorable than during the Winter months.

A small grain crop is in prospect in Eastern Canada, he said, and with substantial increases in livestock and poultry on Eastern Canadian farms it is necessary that steps be taken at once to assure that sufficient feed be available for next Winter.

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Postage stamp sales through Nelson Postoffice during the first six months of this year totalled $24,466.19, compared with a total of $22,637.19 sold during the same period of 1942.

The total transactions during the first six months amounted to $344,377.25. Unemployment insurance stamps sold during the first six months totalled $11,345.56; war savings stamps, $6641.75; money orders sold, $96,155.21; money orders paid, $84,327.45; postal notes sold, $5417.66; postal notes paid, $18,700.89.

Nelson Citizens Buy Depth Bombs

Four Nelson citizens yesterday gave Nelson a good start on its "Stamp out the U-Boat" War Savings Stamp campaign by purchasing $380 worth of certificates. Mayor Stibbs, R. D. Barnes and Alex Allan bought $100 each and S. A. Maddocks $80.

There is a special drive for the sale of War Saving Stamps from now until July 31. Today, providing that weather conditions are favorable, the War Savings Committee will have tables on corners on Baker Street at which Miss Canada girls will sell stamps. Purchase of four stamps entitles the buyer to a sticker upon which will be his name and which will be attached to a depth bomb thrown at a German U-boat.

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FUNERAL NOTICE

Murphy — Mrs. Nelson, passed away Friday, July 16. Remains rest at Somers Funeral Home until Monday, July 19; thence to St. Paul's United Church where service will be held at 2 p.m., Rev. H. Stewart Forbes officiating.

Bombers Paste Peugeot Works and North Italy

LONDON, July 16 (CP) — Halifax bombers of the R.A.F. attacked the Peugeot Motor Vehicle Works at Montbeliard in Northern France last night the Air Ministry announced today, and Lancasters swung over the Alps to pummel targets in Northern Italy.

The Peugeot Motor Works produce two ton trucks and the output was second only to that of the Renault plant before the latter was flattened by air attack.

The plant is reported to turn out between 6000 and 8000 trucks a year and employs 10,000 men.

Montbeliard is located about 10 miles South of Belfort in Eastern France, near the Swiss border, and the German radio said in a broadcast recorded by the Associated Press that the raiders had violated Swiss territory.

In Italy the Lancasters blasted an electric transformer and switching stations but the site of the attack was not given.

Auxiliary raids by R.A.F. and R.C.A.F. intruders on airfields and railways in Germany, France and the Low Countries also were reported. Seven bombers were listed as missing. One enemy plane was shot down.

The communique said weather over Montebeliard was clear and preliminary reports indicated the attack was "concentrated and effective."

Keeping up the air offensive two waves of Allied planes swung across Dover Strait this morning in the direction of Boulogne and Calais.

Last night's foray by the fighter bombers was their second assault in as many nights against landing fields and rail targets.

At least a dozen airfields were plastered with bombs and strafed by machine gun fire and 20 locomotives were shot up.

One of the airdromes attacked was in the Paris area. Another air field at St. Dizier was bombed three times by R.A.F. and R.C.A.F. formations, which then roared off to strafe railway lines and gun emplacements.

A Beaufighter was credited with destroying a German Me-110 over the Rheims area.

Minor enemy air activity was reported over Britain during the night, bombs being dropped at scattered points in Southeast England, East Anglia and the greater London area.

A communique said these raids had resulted in one fatality and no damage. One enemy raider was shot down.

Naples Is Ruined Blazing Inferno

By DANIEL DE LUCE
Associated Press Staff Writer

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA, July 16 (AP) — The great Italian headquarters port of Naples lay in smoking ruins today, crushed under the same staggering Allied aerial assault that virtually wiped Messina from the soil of Sicily the previous day.

Twenty-four solid hours of bombardment by the heaviest bomber formations from North Africa left Naples, fountainhead of enemy reinforcements and supplies for Sicily, a blazing inferno, its arsenal all but demolished, the smoke rising more than 20,000 feet over the stricken city.

The Allied aerial offensive was spreading deep into Italy itself. While Naples was bearing the brunt of yesteday's smashing attack, bombers from the Middle East tore into two important enemy airdromes in Southern Italy by daylight and heavy R.A.F. Lancasters swung down over the Alps from Britain to pulverize communications in Northern Italy.

Medium bombers and fighter-bombers scourged the enemy in Sicily by night and day, raking road and rail communications and giving tight overhead protection to Allied Forces fighting in the South and East of the island. Sixteen enemy aircraft were destroyed during the day, an Allied announcement said, against the loss of seven Allied craft.

The Allies' famous one-two punch delivered by the R.A.F.'s sturdy Wellingtons at night and by American Flying Fortresses in daylight was employed to give Naples a tremendous battering.

The 24-hour bombardment was described here as comparable to the previous day's R.A.F.-R.C.A.F.-U.S.A.A.F. "annihilation attack on Messina, gateway to the Italian mainland, which literally destroyed an area two miles long and one mile wide.

Aerial photopgrphs showed that an ammunition train had exploded in the Messina port area. Docks, warehouses and locomotive sheds still were seen burning furiously on the neck of land that sticks out within three miles of the Italian Peninsula.

"You get the impression that the whole of Sicily is slowly burning up," said a crewman of a bomber, one of hundreds that swept the island from dawn to dusk. "Targets are becoming scarcer by the hour."

It was officially announced that enemy aerial resistance was decreasing. "Very few enemy aircraft were seen during the day and few attempted to fight, although our fighters and bombers flew back and forth at will, strafing transport and communications," an announcement said.

Besides the Royal arsenal and torpedo factory at Naples, direct hits were reported on depots, storage buildings, a roundhouse and on a railroad overpass in an area mushrooming with fires and explosions. The last two waves of bombers were unable to observe results because of smoke. Four of 23 enemy interceptors were shot down.

Gyros From Dawson Creek to Spokane, Kellogg to Kamloops, Are at Nelson for District Conference

Gyros from District VIII — the area from Dawson Creek to Spokane, and from Wallace and Kellogg, Idaho, to Kamloops — are gathering in Nelson for their annual conference. Most of the delegates arrived Friday by train and bus, and the remainder are expected this morning.

Conference sessions will open at 11 a.m., with B. C. Poulsen, President of the Nelson Club, opening the proceedings and then turning the conference over to L. A. Read of Rossland, District Governor.

After the lunch adjournment the conference will continue at 2 p.m. Gyros are to attend the Governor's Banquet at 6 p.m., Mr. Poulsen presiding; and visiting ladies will be entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Maddocks.

In the evening Gyros and their ladies will join in a house party at the home of E. A. Mann, Silica Street.

PAST PRESIDENT HERE

This year's conference is being attended by Reginald Rutherford of Kelowna, Immediate Past President of Gyro International, who only recently returned from the International meeting at Toronto, where his successor was elected. Mr. Rutherford is accompanied by George Froom of Kamloops, Past Governor of District No. 4, who also attended the Toronto meeting.

Most-travelled delegate is J. L. Patterson of Dawson Creek, representing the "baby club" of District VIII. He arrived Friday and before he had settled down to get acquainted was bombarded with questions about Northern developments. Repeatedly he found himself explaining he had to be extremely careful what he said, since it might be censorable. It is the first conference at which Dawson Creek has been represented.

A welcome visitor Friday at the registration desk was Pilot Officer D. McNaughton, successively a Gyro at Rossland, Trail and Nelson, and now in the Royal Canadian Air Force. His address in the registration book was "Alaska."

DELEGATES AND VISITORS

Delegates and visitors who registered Friday, or are expected today, follow:

Dawson Creek—J. L. Patterson.

Edmonton—Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hamley.

Calgary—A. E. S. Warrington and A. H. Williams.

Lethbridge—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Evans, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Livingstone.

Wallace—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Esser.

Kellogg—Emmett A. Torney.

Spokane—J. G. Cain, Charles Connell, Merle F. Emry, R. B. Gibson, J. B. Maxwell.

Trail—Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Butorac, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bush, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hawkes, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Read, James Vipond, Mr. and Mrs. Parker Williams.

Grand Forks—Mr. and Mrs. L. Frankovitch, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Manson.

Kelowna—Reginald Rutherford.

Kamloops—George Froom.

Very Little Mail Lost in Atlantic

OTTAWA, July 16 (CP)—Postmaster-General Mulock reported that of 14,536 bags of letters sent overseas in 1942 only 65 were lost due to enemy action. As far as the forces' air mail was concerned, there was virtually a daily service by air across the ocean.

C.P.R. Party Due in Nelson This Afternoon

W. M. Neal of Montreal, C.P.R. Vice-President, and party are due in Nelson at 4:30 p.m. today in the course of an inspection of Company lines. The party arrived in the Kootenays with Friday night's train from the Coast, making Trail the first stop in the District.

Completing the visit to Trail this morning, the party will come on to Nelson, and will travel East from Nelson.

W. J. McLean of Nelson, Superintendent of the Kootenay Division, joined Mr. Neal's party at Midway.

With Mr. Neal are W. A. Mather, Vice-President, C.P.R., Winnipeg; F. Philippe Brais, Montreal, Government Leader in the Quebec Upper House and Vice-Chairman of the Wartime Information Board; H. E. Sellers, Winnipeg, President of the Federal Grain Company; and F. W. Ross, Winnipeg, Assistant General Manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia.

Former Willow Point Man Dies Overseas

Oscar Duval, 29, former resident of Willow Point, and a member of the 3rd Canadian Tank Corps overseas, died June 11 of a heart malady. He came to Willow Point in 1935 where he worked in the silver lead mines. At the outbreak of war, he joined the 1st B. C. Regiment, Duke of Connaught's Own Rifles, and later at Halifax transferred to the Tank Corps. He went overseas in November, 1942.

He is survived by his wife at Halifax, his mother, brothers and sisters at Morden, Man.

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Mrs. N. Murphy, Nelson Oldtimer, Dies

Active in Nelson community circles since her arrival here in 1914, Mrs. Louise Elizabeth Murphy, wife of Nelson Murphy, 514 Victoria Street, died at Kootenay Lake General Hospital Friday after an illness of about three weeks.

Mrs. Murphy was born at Londesborough, Ont., and went to Red Deer, Alta., with her parents in 1901, where she married Mr. Murphy in 1906. They lived there until 1914, then came to Nelson. In Red Deer Mrs. Murphy was President of the Alexandria Club, a young girl's club.

In Nelson she was a Past Regent of the I.O.D.E. and was always an active member. She was also active in St. Paul's Church activities, serving on the various ladies' circles and was also on the Board of Managers.

She is survived by her husband, and one daughter, Mrs. Alfred Noxon of Nelson, and one brother, Charles S. Ouimette of Vancouver, who arrived in Nelson about a week ago.

Pessimistic Rome Tells Berlin Much German Help Needed

By THOMAS F. HAWKINS
Associated Press Staff Writer

BERNE, Switzerland, July 16 (AP)—Rome has let it be known clearly that the battle o. Sicily is Germany's fight.

On top of the continued pessimistic tone of the Fascist Press, preparing the people for further setbacks, Minister of Culture Alessandro Pavolini added an appeal to Berlin which implied both criticism and a lack of Italian ability or will to support the struggle alone.

Germany is "defending her own soil in Sicly," said Pavilini in the Newspaper Il Messaggero.

Dispatches from Rome further alluded, for the first time since the invasion of Sicily, to the reaction of the Italian people against propaganda. Some newspapers, trying to lighten the gloom, have published frivolous articles like the one that parachute troops were sent on ahead to locate good tennis courts for the relaxation of advancing Allied troops.

"This does not react well on the people," said a Rome report to the Neue Zuercher Zeitung. This was the first published confirmation of private information in foreign diplomatic circles that when the theory of invasion became a reality the propagandist-inspired optimism turned into quick gloom and apathetic resignation.

Despite references to counter movements on the plains of Catania, the Fascists continued to talk gloomily about the military situation.

Guido Baroni in Il Popolo Di Roma told the people that they must realize that the situation on the Eastern (Russian) front is such that Italy could count only on her present fighting resources plus what might come from Germany proper — in other words Axis troops cannot be withdrawn from the Balkans, France or other points that Berlin is busily trying to guard.

Although Germany was reported to be sending reinforcements to Italy, editorial comment tended to support reliable private information from Rome and Berlin that the Nazis are basing their present plans of strategy on the supposition that Italy can be put out of the war.

Baroni said Italy's food prospects are not comparable to those of Britain after France fell because "we have not the prospect of American provisioning." Here again, Italy must count on continental resources which Baroni avoided praising.

Interpreting The War News

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON
Associated Press War Analyst

Allied fighting forces were demonstrating in Sicily and over the Italian mainland last night their ability to back up with deeds the virtual ultimatum laid down by Prime Minister Churchill and President Roosevelt. It is obvious that Italy risks disaster unless she surrenders—and surrenders soon.

EVACUATION COMING?

The pace of the Allied advance on a 100-mile front, sweeping in prisoners by the thousand, accelerated as the first week of the great sea-borne invasion ended. It stirred speculation at Allied Headquarters in North Africa as to whether an attempted Axis sea evacuation might be impending.

Yet the events which held out the greatest promise of ultimate and perhaps relatively early collapse of the Axis in Europe were taking place in Central Russia, not Sicily. The Red Army pincer attack on the Nazi Orel Salient, protecting the main German war communication line in Central Russia, filled in for high Allied strategists a segment of the Victory pattern.

London and Washington alike had been hoping for a Russian offensive synchronized with the Allied drive into Sicily and the again stepped-up air attack from the West. It came in perfect integration.

What to Allied strategists is more significant than any gains yet scored by Russia against the Orel Salient is the fact that they could be made at all. It means that powerful Russian shock-troop forces just North of the battle that raged for nearly three weeks to stem Nazi efforts to crack the Kursk bulge, were never needed in that defensive action.

The same miracle of Red Army defence of the Kursk bulge that marked the defence of Stalingrad is indicated. In both cases it was done without calling in all reserves or impeding preparations for going over to the offensive. That speaks volumes not only for available Russian manpower but also for the stores and equipment that have been piled up for both defensive and offensive action during the Spring and Summer lull.

It appears now that Stalin, whether advised in advance of the Allied attack date in Sicily, waited until it had gripped beach landings and made good its footing inshore before he signalled the attack on the Orel Salient, and if that attack is what it seems to be, it underscores General Marshall's recent statement that in Russia the "bulk" of Hitler's army is in constant and deadly danger.

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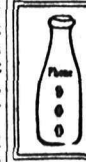
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