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Socialist Target For 1947 "Work or Perish"

Says People of Britain Will Have To Increase Production 25 p.c. to Improve Living Conditions

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LONDON, Feb. 21 (CP)—Planned economy—which the Socialist Government promised Britain — was carried another stage today in a white paper combining production targets for 1947 with a "work or perish" ultimatum to the people.

Without more coal and power, a bigger and better placed working force, higher individual output and sharply increased exports, the white paper said "we may never restore the foundations of our national life."

Forecasting little if any general improvement in living conditions during 1947 for 45,000,000 Britons who already have had seven years of austerity, this prelude to the forthcoming "economic budget" warned that required export aims cannot be reached in some lines "without a reduction in the amount of production available for the home market."

"To get all we want, production would have to be increased by at least 25 per cent," Prime Minister Attlee told Parliament in the white paper, issued at what it termed "a critical moment in our affairs."

"The figure mentioned is clearly impossible in 1947," Attlee said.

Emphasizing financial and material problems of 1947, the Government warned that any further general increases in wages and profits on shorter hours must be accompanied by a corresponding increase in production.

To get some industrial workers the armed forces will be cut from 1,427,000 to 1,087,000 by the end of March, 1948.

But for "long term" reasons the Government will go ahead with its plan to raise the school-leaving age from 14 to 15.

Electricity must continue to be rationed in homes. Food and other shortages will continue, perhaps grow worse.

Organized labor was urged to abandon "industrial arrangements which restrict production, prices or employment. The paper said "such regulations and traditions grow up as a means of protecting workers from shortage of work, but now there is no such shortage."

15 DEATHS IN ACID BLAST; FEAR SEVERAL OTHERS WILL DIE

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 21 (AP)—After a night spent probing beneath glaring searchlights, police today fixed the death toll from the city's worst explosion in 37 years at 15. Of the 158 injured, several were feared dying.

Doctors tentatively identified one of the bodies, blown almost to bits, as that of Dr. Robert McGee, the plant's chemist and metallurgist, described by police as in charge of plating formulas. He and a five-year-old girl were earlier listed as missing, but the girl was reported found.

The one-storey brick plant of the J. J. O'Connor Corporation a mile from the centre of downtown Los Angeles, blew apart in a blinding flash of chemicals early Thursday. It was hours before a clear picture of the disaster could be pieced together.

Police and fire officials said it was caused by the detonation of perchloric acid, an extremely unstable substance kept under pressure in refrigeration because at room temperature it is a seething, heavy liquid. But how the acid was set off remained a mystery.

A towering cloud of smoke, likened by witnesses to newsreel pictures of the Bikini Atomic Blast, hung over the area for minutes.

Municipalities Ask Backing for $50 Pension, B. C.-Wide Saving Time

VICTORIA, Feb. 21 (CP)—Provincial Government support in a campaign to have the Federal Government increase the amount of old age pensions to $50 a month was sought today in resolutions presented the Cabinet by the executive of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities.

The U.B.C.M. would have the means test abolished and grant old age pensions to all citizens with residence qualifications at the age of 65.

Fifteen resolutions covering a wide range of topics were presented the Cabinet, in addition to recommendations regarding implementation of the Goldenberg report.

The resolutions were approved at the annual meeting of the U.B.C.M. in Harrison Hot Springs last Fall.

The question of licensing and regulating electricians was approved in principle, if the provisions apply to contractors only and the regulations be under provincial purisdiction and province-wide.

The Government is being asked to pay 80 per cent of the cost of medical attention for social assistance, mothers' allowance and old age pension cases and also to assume full responsibility for the maintenance of illegitimate children.

Provincial daylight saving time was asked during the Summer months, to prevent the confusion now resulting when all municipalities are not operating on the same time.

GASOLINE TAX EXEMPTION

Exemption from the payment of gasoline tax for gasoline used by municipally-owned machinery and equipment in the construction and maintenance of roads was another request.

Another of the resolutions presented asked the Provincial Government to institute a program of assistance to municipalities in the establishment and development of airport facilities throughout the province.

Joint action on the part of provincial and Federal Governments to make provision for the financing of urgent public works in municipalities at low interest rates was requested.

The remainder of the resolutions dealt with the placing of the entire Kootenay district in the mountain time zone, allowing municipally-owned trucks to travel in other than their home municipalities without breaking the Highway Act, the prevention of floods in the Fraser River, the refunding of North Vancouver's debt, and the taxing of Crown lands after they have been sold. Amendment to the Municipal Act to allow the installation of *parking meters also is asked.*

JOEY GOES TO FIND PAL, "BLACKIE"

CHICAGO, Feb. 21 (AP)—Joey Craig's best present last Christmas was a black mongrel puppy, the first dog the 15-year-old boy ever owned.

Joey and "Blackie" were inseparable companions. The boy never went to play in the crowded stockyards district without taking "Blackie." The dog always waited for his young master outside school. Many nights Joey let "Blackie" sleep with him.

Yesterday the dog was missing when Joey came home from school. The boy and his two young sister and some of his pals searched the neighborhood but they couldn't find "Blackie."

Back home Joey went into his bedroom and told his sisters, Mary 10, and Norma Jean, seven, "When I knock you come in." After several minutes when there was no knock the girls opened the door and found their brother's body hanging from a closet door.

Joey had looped "Blackie's" leash around his neck and attached it to the top of the door.

A fire department inhalator squad worked unsuccessfully to revive the boy.

BLACKIE RETURNS

CHICAGO, Feb. 21 (AP) — "Black", a black mongrel puppy returned home today to a household grief-stricken over the suicide of 13-year-old Joey Craig who hanged himself because he feared his pet had run away for good.

A few hours later a coroner's jury decided Joey had taken his life while despondent over the loss of the first dog he ever owned.

Something "Fishy" Friends Thought: He Was Serving in German Army

BOURNE END, Bucks., Eng., Feb. 21 (Reuters)—Lt.-Col. Alexander Patterson Scotland might have served as the original for a Baroness Orczy type thriller. The 58-year-old British intelligence officer served in the German Army during the war and at one time knew almost the entire disposition of the Nazi armed forces.

But some inkling of his story came from his grey-haired, blue-eyed wife who told what she now today at her small cottage here.

Mrs. Scotland said that few people at Bourne End ever suspected her husband's double life. They knew there was something "fishy" about the way he was called for and returned home in a military car and the way he disappeared without notice for months at a time. But that was all.

His wife, who saw almost nothing of her husband for four years, said she knew he often left the country, but was surprised when she learned he had become attached to the German Army.

DOLLAR UP

NEW YORK, Feb. 21 (CP)—The Canadian dollar was up 1-16 at a discount of 4¾ per cent in terms of United States funds in mid-day foreign exchange dealings today. The pound sterling was down 1-16 at $4.02 13-16.

HARD... ARGES FREE CANCER TREATMENT

Scores B. C. Apathy; Advocates Arthritis Research

HEALTH PLAN

VICTORIA, B. C., Feb. 21 (CP) — Public and government apathy towards the growing menace of cancer, second largest death dealing disease i nthe Province, was criticized in the Legislature Thursday by Randolph Harding (CCF-Kaslo-Slocan).

"It is a scourge that must be recognized," declared the Legislature's youngest member. "It is time we made substantial increases in facilities for treatment of this disease. Last year we voted $25,000 to combat cancer, while in Saskatchewan $380,000 has ben alloted for a similar purpose."

He recommended that the Government should provide complete frree cancer treatment for everyone, possibly on the lines of the successful tuberculosis travelling clinics.

Mr. Harding made a plea, too, for greater attention to the problem of arthritis, which, he said, was ten times more prevalent than tuberculosis, and the most crippling of all ailments.

The Government was making no attempt to strike at the root of the problems of disease. The only solution lay in the institution of full health insurance coverage, with emphasis on preventive measures.

He urged abolition of the "despicable" means test for old age pensioners and changes in the proof of age reqiurements to make an affividavit acceptable.

Uphill Praises Hart Achievement In Tax Agreement

VICTORIA, B.C., Feb. 21 (CP)—Every British Columbian should be proud of the achievement of Premier John Hart in obtaining such a satisfactory agreement with Ottawa on taxation matters, Tom Uphill (Labor-Fernie) said in the Legislature today.

"I hear he is going to the Red Chamber at Ottawa," he said. "Well that will be a great loss for this Provincial House but a wonderful gain for the Senate. I am sure everyone agrees he is the best Provincial Premier in Canada and other provinces should be grateful to him for furnishing Finance Minister Abbott with the formula that gave them a better deal.

"But after Hart what? Chaos? He is the only man who can hold the two old parties together," added Mr. Uphill.

There was far too much red tape connected with old age pensions now as regards the means test. It meant much expense to employers of children of pensioners, and was an all round nuisance. He said he hoped the proposed Dominion Provincial conference on social securities would result in larger pensions at lower ages to the senior citizens of Canada.

Mr. Uphill lauded E. E. Winch, (CCF-Burnaby) for his many years of campaigning for better deals for inmates of Provincial institutions. At least $2,000,000 should be set aside by the Government this year for a new infirmary with at least 500 beds and the most modern appliances.

The Labor member said he thought the permit system should be done away with and more whisky poured into the water now sold at high prices by the Liquor Control Board. The Liquor Control Act should be amended on common sense lines. There was no need for a Royal Commission.

"We are ruled by a minority in this liquor question. The more *restrictions placed on purchase of* liquor, the more determined people are that they shall obtain it."

To have cocktail bars only in Victoria and Vancouver would be rank discrimination against other parts of the Province and the class discrimination, with the poor man getting the worst of the deal," he contended.

Mr. Uphill said he believed 75 per cent of Canadians were in favor of sweepstakes for hospitals and said that only Canada and Great Britain of all the Empire banned them.

There should be no discrimination against certain Canadian citizens because of race, color or creed.

Okay Tenth Province Project

FORT WILLIAM, Feb. 21 (CP) — Action aimed at formation of a 10th Canadian Province embracing Northwestern Ontario has been approved by the executive of the Fort William Liberal Riding Association here.

The executive, meeting last night, criticized past and present Ontario Governments for "their repeated failures to implement promises to provide Northwestern Ontario with its fair share of development based on revenue derived from the region."

CAMDEN, N. J., Feb. 21 (AP)—A $25 fine has been imposed on Thomas B. Staples on a charge of unlawfully stirring up migratory wildfowl by means of an aircraft.

Judge Thomas M. Madden, in sentencing the 23-year-old former Army fighter plane instructor yesterday, declared that "sometimes I think there are not enough people left who are close enough to Nature."

Guilty Consciences

TOKYO, Feb. 21 (AP)—Police halted a train 15 miles outside Tokyo today in a routine search for black market operators. To their astonishment, 90 per cent of the passengers fled through doors and windows, leaving 400 bundles of food behind.

Canada, U.S., Britain To Get More Sugar

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21 (AP) — United States residents will get about 17 pounds of sugar per capita more this year than in 1946 under international allocations announced tonight. The International Emergency Food Council, charged with dividing the world's supplies of scarce foods, allotted the United States enough sugar to provide 90 pounds of refined sugar per capita. Last year's supply was 73 pounds and pre-war consumption average 96 pounds.

The allocations were allotted to the 24 claimant countries to give them all at least 75 per cent of their average pre-war, per capita consumption. Canada, the United States and the United Kingdom, however, received *slightly more than 75 per* cent.

The supply allotted to Canada and the United Kingdom was about the same as that given to the United States on a per capita basis.

The Council estimated the total world supply available for allocation at 14,980,000 short tons, raw value.

OTTAWA, Feb. 22 (CP)—Informed Ottawa sources, commenting tonight on Washington reports that Canada's international allocation of sugar for 1947 would be "slightly more than 75 per cent" of the pre-war per capita consumption, said it was possible this might mean an increase in the sugar rations for Canadians this year.

New Epidemic Threatens Tribe

THE PAS, Man., Feb. 21 (CP)—Possibility of another epidemic among Chipewyan Indians at Lac Du Brochet, Man., was indicated here yesterday by Dr. Robert F. Yule, Medical Superintendent.

Dr. Yule, who several days ago returned from attending to a measles epidemic at the settlement on Reindeer Lake, 400 miles North of here, said he had received a radiogram that Indians in an isolated part of the hunting and fishing area now were suffering from illness "other than measles."

He said that although 11 deaths were recorded among the Indians during the measles epidemic, the disease was a factor in less than half the deaths. Harsh weather, primitive living conditions and the vagaries of the bi-annual migration of the Caribou were contributing factors.

Deaths ranged from a five-hour old baby to a 47-year-old man.

Dr. Yule attributed the spread of measles among the Nomadic tribe miles South toward the Brochet settlement to get Caribou herds this year.

Thus, the Chipewyans, already suffering from the rigors of the severe Winter, came in contact with carriers of the disease from the settlement.

Indians Prefer Poker to Trapping

FORT ST. JOHN, B. C., Feb. 21—(CP) — Indians in this far Northern outposts have taken to spending their time playing poker instead of working their trap lines.

This development here is accepted as a manifestation of the penetration of the white man's civilization.

The Indians said they preferred poker to traping because the snow was so deep this Winter, five to six feet, that fur-bearing animals had gone to more suitable climes.

But while they were absorbed in the intricacies of filling an inside straight, a graver problem was confronting them. The beaver tribe was said to be in danger of starvation and sickness was more prevalent than in normal times.

Business Tax Proposal Unlikely To Be Instrument This Session

VICTORIA, Feb. 21 (AP) — The proposal of the Goldenberg Commission that municipalities be required to levy taxes on 75 per cent of improvements was opposed before the Provincial Cabinet today by the Union of B.C. Municipalities.

At the same time the Union told the Cabinet it would make no representations on the Goldenberg Commission proposal that a business tax be established in B.C. municipalities. The Government, the Union delegation was given to understand, would take no action on this recommendation unless it was sought by the Union of B.C. Municipalities.

It therefore appears unlikely that business taxes proposed by H. Carl Goldenberg in his report to the Government recently would be instrumented during the current year.

While the levy of taxes on 75 per cent of improvements was opposed as a mandatory requirement, the Okanagan Valley municipalities were reported to be willing for the Government to require that municipalities levy taxes on 50 per cent of improvements.

The delegation also asked the Cabinet to make an immediate revision upwards of school grants, exceeding even the suggested increases in the Goldenberg report.

WANT DEFINITION

Definition by the Government of "indigent" to determine the extent of Government social service aid was asked by the delegation, which also urged that Government to give an undertaking of what it intended to do with the suggestion of Mr. Goldenberg that certain arterial highways within the municipalities be maintained by the Government. The delegation was assured the question was already under consideration.

COAST CHINESE DIES AFTER ASSAULTED

Urges Gov't to Put End to Racial Discrimination

BLAME YOUTHS

VICTORIA, Feb. 21 (CP)—Yuen Gin Ying, 36-year-old Chinese vegetable peddler, died in hospital tonight, creating what may become an international incident. Yuen suffered a fractured skull when he was assaulted Wednesday night. He never regained consciousness.

Earlier today, a telegram, urging the Federal Government put an end to racial discrimination, was sent to Prime Minister Mackenzie King by Bruce Mickleburgh, Vancouver director of the Labor-Progressive Party.

In addition, Chinese leaders in Victoria said today they are discussing the idea of sending a protest to the Chinese Consul-General at Ottawa, condemning the lack of protection afforded Chinese in Victoria.

NEVER A CASE SOLVED

"We are being beaten and pushed around and no one pays any attention to us because we are Chinese," one Canadian - born spokesman said. "In 12 years, I cannot recall one Chinese murder being solved."

Police Commissioner Burgess Gadsden said every effort will be made to solve the crime.

"I will do everything in my power to see that the Chinese get protection," Gadsden said. "I am taking a personal interest in this case."

The Chinese allege that teen-aged gangs of youth are preying on lone Orientals.

Find Document Factory In French Prison

PARIS, Feb. 21 (Reuters)—French police today announced discovery of a huge "document factory" for the forging of identity papers and other official documents in Fresnes Prison—used to house political prisoners.

The statement said prisoners had forged many state documents intended to cast suspicion of "collaboration" on leading members of the new Fourth Republic, as well as identity papers which would facilitate escapes.

The prisoners apparently received assistance from outside, police said. The police feared that the elaborate plot indicated existence of an extensive secret organization among the prisoners and friends outside.

Until now, Fresnes Prison, just outside Paris, has housed most of those suspected of being members of various pro-German organizations during the occupation or of other forms of "collaboration."

A communique issued by the French Ministry of the Interior stated that for several months past attention of French Security Authorities had centered on the "organization of a secret network to which some German agents interned at Fresnes belonged.

"The German agents were attempting to establish contact with their chiefs still at liberty abroad," the statement said.

"To discredit the Fourth Republic and Resistance Movement they asked foreign powers to supply them with documents which would supposedly have been found in German Archives and were destined to discredit a certain number of French politicians.

"The brains behind this organization was Cavaille, a former agent of Darnand—head of the Vichy Militia. The material for the documents was collected by Kelin, a former Gestapo chief, and typed out on German machines."

TO REOPEN EAST AIR BASES

HALIFAX, Feb. 21 (CP)—With a peacetime reorganization to possible lower status looming, R.C.A.F. Eastern Command announced today that air stations at Greenwood, N.S., and Summerwise, P.E.I., would soon be re-opened. Goose Bay, Labrador, and Eastern Passage, across the harbor from Halifax, would be retained as permanent bases.

Chinese Plane Crashes Killing 21 People

Most Disastrous of Chinese Air Force During Year; Ice on Wings

SHANGHAI, Feb. 22 (Saturday) (AP)—Central News Agency reported today that 21 persons were killed Friday in the crash of a Chinese Air Force transport plane which was bound for Chungking.

The plane was flying from Sichang to Chungking in a region here.

The Central News Agency said the crash was blamed on ice forming on the wings.

The plane, a C-47 transport plane, left Kunming, Southwest of Chungking, for the war-time capital by way of Sichang on Wednesday. Sichang is 285 miles Southwest of Chaungking.

Central News said the plane was forced to stay two days at Sichang because of bad weather, then left *yesterday. The exact scene of the* crash was not reported.

The accident was the most disastrous involving the Chinese Air Force this year.

The route, between Kunming and Chungking is one of the worst in China, as a large part of the territory is rugged and rocky and studded with fog-shrouded mountains.

COLUMBIAN GETS JAIL FOR TAKING POWERS

Sentenced for Having Members Bar Negroes From White Sections

NEW TRIAL

ATLANTA, Feb. 21 (AP)—Emory Burke, 31-year-old President of Columbians, Incorporated, was sentenced today to three years imprisonment for usurping powers in direction of his Negro-hating, Jew-baiting organization.

Judge Carl Crow imposed the sentence after a jury returned guilty verdicts Thursday night on three counts of an indictment. The court ordered Burke to serve 12 months on each of the three counts, the sentences to run consecutively.

Counsel immediately entered a motion for a new trial.

The indictment alleged Burke had usurped police powers in having his organization patrol white residential areas to keep Negros out.

Before receiving the sentence, Burke told newspaper men his conviction would not stop activities of the Columbians. Burke said that "these rascals," whom he identified as a group trying to "destroy the white race," are going "to be defeated."

WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass., Feb. 21 (AP) — A group of Williams College undergraduates organized today to picket a barber shop which they said discriminated against a Negro student. The Williams Record, a student publication, said that the Negro student was told he would have to pay $3 for a haircut, instead of the regular price of $1.

GREENVILLE, S. C., Feb. 21 (AP) —Twenty-seven men were held in jail today in connection with the lynching of a 24-year-old Negro man near here Monday. Sheriff B. H. Bearden said 26 of them all Greenville taxi drivers, had signed statements admitting they had been in the mob.

Northeys Free On Bail

VANCOUVER, Feb. 21 (CP) — J. L. Northey and his two sons, Paul M. and Archibald J., were released on bail Thursday pending hearing of their appeal from conviction and sentence by County Court Judge C. J. Lenox for conspiring to defraud the Dominion Government on war contracts.

Chief Justice Gordon M. Sloan head the application in the Court of Appeal sitting in Victoria and set bail at $5000 for the senior Northey and $10,000 each for the two sons.

Application for leave to appeal the conviction and sentence was filed in the court registry here today by Senator J. W. DeB Farris, defence counsel.

The elder Northey was sentenced to 18 months ain jail and a fine of $1000 or an additional three months. The two sons were sentenced to three years in jail and fined $2000 or an additional six motnhs.

The appeal from conviction was on three grounds: That the conviction was against the evidence and the weight of evidence; that there was no evidence to support the conviction and that the trial judge wrongfully admitted evidence.

The sentence was apeal as being "excessive."

65,497 Tons of Coal Produced In East Kootenay

Production of coal by the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co. Ltd. in East Kootenay totalled 65,497 long tons in January, compared with 78,557 tons in January 1946, the monthly report from the Inspector of Mines office at Victoria, shows. Coke produced at Michel was 5688 tons.

Elk River Colliery produced 22,041 tons, compared to 25,261 tons a year ago; and Michel Colliery 43,456 tons, compared to 53,296 tons.

Total tonnage for British Columbia was 117,317 tons, compared to 134,217 tons in January 1946.

Coast Man Acquitted Of Manslaughter

VANCOUVER, Feb. 21 (CP) — Robert E. Free of Vancouver, was today acquitted of manslaughter as a result of a traffic accident Jan. 1.

Mr. Justice A. D. MacFarlane told the 12-man jury that no evidence of criminal negligence could be found in the testimony of witnesses called by the prosecution.

Free was charged as the driver of the automobile which fatally injured R. T. Gallaher.

John Skaling, streetcar motorman, who saw the collision, testified he did not think the car driver could possibly avoid hitting Gallaher.

No Car Shortage For Lumbermen In Kootenays

VANCOUVER, Feb. 22 (CP)—A shutdown of sawmills in Interior British Columbia, employing 10,000 workers, was threatened today following imposition of an embargo on box cars to the Interior.

Mill men reported that they have been informed by the railways that there will be no box cars for shipping lumber for the next six weeks.

An immediate protest was sent to Ottawa by the Northern Lumbermen's Association and the Interior Lumber Manufacturing Association.

A large part of the lumber requirements of the Prairies and Eastern Canada are supplied by Interior mills.

Kootenay lumber operators were well taken care of, Harry Burns of Nelson, a Director of the Interior Lumber Manufacturing Association, said Friday after learning of the Association protest over embargo on box cars to the Interior.

Mr. Burns and other operators in the District said they had not been advised of the protest and said that they did not expect the car shortage to affect this area. Spring breakup will soon close up Interior camps, they said, some camps having already closed, so that no tieup because of car shortage was expected.

WANT GRANT FOR NURSES HIKED

VICTORIA, Feb. 21 (CP) — The British Columbia branches of the Victorian Order of Nurses today asked the Provincial Cabinet to increase by $50 annual grant for each nurse.

At present the Government grants $100 per year for each nurse provided by the service. The service requested that Government increase its grant to $150 to take care of the increased services provided by the V.O.N.

The delegation of eight women and two men was introduced to the Cabinet by Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.L.A. for Victoria.

The V.O.N. at present operates eight branches in the province with a total staff of 40 nurses. In 1946 a total of 16,627 patients received 97,590 visits, compared with 15,196 patients and 85,530 visits during 1945.

55 Canadian Decorations For Americans

OTTAWA, Feb. 21 (CP)—With the approval of the King, Canada today awarded service decorations to 55 United States officers and non-commissioned officers for wartime services of direct value to this country.

An announcement by Defence Minister Claxton disclosed the Dominion had paid tribute to Americans whose activities ranged from the Battle of the Atlantic to the building of the Alaska Highway, from liaison between Canadian and American air units in Britain to service on the Joint Permanent Defence Board.

The awards included Orders of the Bath, Orders of the British Empire, and the British Empire Medal.

The citations covered, for instance, Rear Admiral Martin Kellogg Metcalf of the United States Navy (retired), who was director of convoys and routings in the Washington office of the Chief of Naval Operations from two years from January, 1941, almost a full year before his country actually went to war. The citation said he made "an invaluable contribution to . . . the Battle of the Atlantic."

The feats of American engineers in building the Alaska Highway were commemorated in awards for Maj.-Gen. William Hoge, Brig. Gen. L. D. Worsham and Col. Carleton M. Clifford, all closely connected with the job.

Prime Minister Much Better

OTTAWA, Feb. 21 (CP) — High Government sources disclosed tonight that it had been feared two days ago that Prime Minister Mackenzie King, abed with a heavy cold, was developing pneumonia but they added that this danger now was passed and Mr. King's condition was "very much better."

One informant said that Mr. King, who has been confined to his home since last weekend, developed a high fever Wednesday and for a time there was "real concern" about his condition.

It also was disclosed that Mr. King's regular physician had called in a specialist for consultation.

The informant continued: "But he is really much better now. His temperature has dropped to normal and all the danger is passed. But for a time we were really worried."

This source added that the 73-year-old Prime Minister, although he still is abed, resumed work today and signed a number of letters sent to his Laurier Avenue home from his offices in the East block of the Parliament Buildings.

Plan Saving Time

SYDNEY, N. S., Feb. 21 (CP) — Sydney will operate on daylight saving time from April 27 to Sept. 28, it was decided at a council meeting last night.

Says Thousands Would Immigrate To Canada If Policy Started

OTTAWA, Feb. 21 (CP)—Revenue Minister McCann has predicted that "when we do embark on a definite long-term immigration policy and implement it, it will mean an influx into Canada of thousands, and that will probably be within the next five years."

The lone medical man in the Federal Cabinet told the first annual dinner of the Ottawa Academy of Medicine last night that the Government "has not yet formulated a policy in regard to immigration, but I can say that the matter is being studied and given the closest consideration."

The text of his address to a closed meeting, obtained today, showed that he added:

"In any policy to be formed on immigration, the complexion of our present population should not materially change. We are being pursued by individuals, groups and agencies, both in our country and in foreign lands, to grant entry into Canada, but there would not appear to be urgency on our part until we can take care of our own . . . our housing problem is not yet solved and surely it is not a kindness to bring people into Canada until they can get housing accommodation."

SHOULD INSIST ON PHYSICAL FITNESS

When a long-term program was implemented, "these people will have to be screened politically and examined medically . . . we should insist on high standards of physical fitness."

He said that since VJ-Day 75,000 newcomers had entered Canada, most of them veterans' dependents, displaced persons and farm laborers, such as the former Polish soldiers.

He had previously pointed out that "to meet the needs that health authorities have in mind to carry out their program, to give adequate service to all Canadians, irrespective of their place of residence, or the size of their income, they will require at least 2000 more doctors than we have today."

Dr. McCann said Canada had 11,901 physicians, an average of one for every 1017 of population. The greatest concentration was in Ontario with one for 843. British Columbia had one for 938 and a low of one for 1597 in New Brunswick.

Some 15 per cent of all physicians practised in cities of between 30,000 and 150,000 population "with Ontario and Saskatchewan cities very well provided."

Communities of less than 10,000, with about 55 per cent of the people, were served by less than 35 per cent of the country's physicians. Scarcity of doctors in the smaller communities was most acute in New Brunswick and Saskatchewan.

Nelson Juveniles Cop Kootenay Crown; Hand Fernie Second Loss

Nelson Juveniles continued their victorious playdowns march Friday night when they defeated Fernie Gyros 10-7 before another large Civic Arena crowd, to win the Kootenay juvenile championship and the right to go to Vernon to meet the Okanagan titlists.

The Fernie team put up a grim battle and at times gave the homesters plenty to worry about. Outcombination, the majority of goals ed Nelson goal for goal in the second to bring the score to 8-6. In the third they saw the Nelson lead cut to 8-7 at one stage, but the locals added two without a return. The two-game total-goal series wound up 21-11 for the locals.

The Gyros gave Alan Silverwood some anxious moments throughout the game, but the wily goalie came through with some grand saves for Nelson, staving off three or four shots at a time on two or three occasions as the Fernielites pressed dangerously.

Both teams presented some neat scored 4-2 in the opener, they matchcoming on two or three-way plays.

Mickey Maglio collected four goals and an assist for Nelson, while the Duffy brothers picked up six points each, St. Clair scoring two goals, four assists and Earl one goal, five assists. Other Nelson goal getters were G. Brett, L. Hyssop and A. Haullbauer.

For Fernie, S. Tombossio with two goals, one assist, and J. McVeigh with one goal, two assists, led the visitors, other marksmen being the smooth-working P. Caravetti, diminutive but speedy Joe Bossio, A. Fabro and J. Singleton.

Lineups:

Fernie—E. Mitchell, P. Caravetti, B. Millburn, J. Bossio, W. Bossio, J. Singleton, J. McVeigh, S. Tombossio, A. Fabro, B. Pointon, R. Hockley, V. Marasco.

Nelson—A. Silverwood, R. Koehle, R. Macintyre, S. Duffy, E. Duffy, M. Maglio, L. Hyssop, G. Brett, A. Haulbauer, P. Shrieves, D. Kraft, R. Powell.

Officials—Ty Culley and George Sparrow, referees; A. Ringrose, scorer; A. E. Blackwell and Scotty Mitchell, timekeepers; O. Christenson and Ludlow, goal judges; B. Sutherland, announcer.

Summary:

First period — 1, Nelson, Haulbauer (Brett 2:45; 2, Nelson, E. Duffy (S. Duffy) 4:25; 3, Fernie, Tombossio 6:34; 4, Nelson, Hyssop (Brett) 7:28; 5, Nelson, S. Duffy 15:46; 6, Fernie, McVeigh (Fabro) 18:24.

Penalty—Millburn.

Second period—7, Nelson, Maglio (E. Duffy, S. Duffy) 2:06; 8, Fernie, Caravetti (Millburn) 2:28; 9, Nelson, Brett (Kraft) 5:29; 10, Fernie, J. Bossio (Caravetti) 9:23; 11, Nelson, Maglio (E. Duffy, D. Kraft) 11:27; 12, Fernie, Fabro (McVeigh) 18:05; 13, Nelson, Maglio (E. Duffy, S. Duffy) 18:12; 14, Fernie, Tombossio (McVeigh, Fabro) 18:17.

Penalties—Koehle, Maglio, Millburn.

Third period—15, Fernie, Singleton (Tombossio) 2:04; 16, Nelson, S. Duffy (E. Duffy, Maglio) 2:34; 17 Nelson, Maglio (E. Duffy, S. Duffy) 14:13.

Penalties—Macintyre, Tombossio. Whirter.

Second period — 5, Trail, Pisapio (Ward) 12:00.

Penalties—Stanton.

Third period — 6, Kimberley, Beatty (Rochon) 2:00; 7, Kimberley, Livingstone (Lilley) 3:00; 8, Trail, Mailey (unassisted) 7:00; 9, Trail, Buchanan (Brownley) 13:00.

Kimberley Takes Kootenay Midget Championship

The Kimberley Midgets, compiling a nine goal lead over the Trail boys, became this season's Kootenay Midget Champions Friday night. Although they took a 5-4 trimming from the Trail crew Friday, their 11-1 lead of the previous night clinched their substantial winning total.

Pisapio of Trail and Livingstone of Kimberley scored two counters each of the game Friday night.

Lineups:

Trail — Ius, Weir, Desireau, Buchanan, Radcliffe, Brownley, Ford, Pisapio, Solito, MacIntyre, Flynn, Mailey, Walton, Exner.

Kimberley — Brown, Pierson, Blundell, Beatty, Stanton, Rochon, Rollheiser, Livingstone, Lilley, Koper, McWhirter.

Officials — Young and Kemp.

SUMMARY:

First period — 1. Trail, Pisapio (Brownley) 2:00; 2. Kimberley, Rochon (Beatty) 5:00; 3. Kimberley, Livingstone (Rollheiser) 8:00; 4. Trail, Mailey (Solito) 12:00.

Penalties — Blundell and Mc-

TOAST and TEA

It is the penalty of eminence as a wit to be credited with many flashes which in all probability he did not emit. But they say that once George Bernard Shaw was eating his usual meatless dinner with a learned confrere when the restaurant's orchestra struck up a particularly noisy piece. Shaw frowned but kept on eating. With the brifest interval the orchestra, when it had finished, burst into even a jazzier selection, Shaw summoned the head waiter and inquired: "Does this orchestra play anything on request?" "Oh, yes sir," replied the waiter, beaming. "What would you like?" "Kindly tell them to play dominoes." And it may have been after this meal that Shaw, when leaving the restaurant, was accosted by a visiting American, who said: "Say, are you Shaw?" "Positive," replied the playwright, continuing on his way as if nothing had happened.

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Can't Even Pick a Scrap With Graziano

By TED MEIER

NEW YORK, Feb. 21 (AP)—Rocky Graziano is free to fight outside of New York State, but who will fight him? Anyone who does may meet the same fate as the leading middleweight contender who had his New York licence revoked several weeks ago on a charge of failure to report a $100,000 offer to throw a fight.

Col. Eddie Eagan, Chairman of the New York Commission, has maintainded a discreet silence on this angle since the National Boxing Association announced Tuesday that its member States were free to disregard the New York ruling.

However, the rules of the New York Commission contain this clause:

"Nothing in these rules is deemed to define or restrict the powers of the Commission in disciplining, penalizing or controlling any corporation or person under its jurisdiction for violation of the letter or spirit in any situation that may arise."

Thus, it seems clear that any fighter now licensed to fight in New York, and this includes all the topnotchers, would run a grave risk in disregarding the Commission ban and meeting Graziano anywhere while Rocky is on the shelf. Anything that might keep them from appearing in Madison Square Garden, where the big purses are, usually makes a fighter and his manager think twice.

Meantime Cleveland promoter Larry Atkins said Graziano was "just about certain to make his next fight in Cleveland," and Sheldon Clark, Chairman of the Illinois Athletic Commission, declared his Commission "will give due consideration" if an application is made to hold the second Graziano-Tony Zale middleweight title bout in Chicago this Summer.

Atkins said that Graziano's Cleveland opponent probably would be the winner of next Monday's fight between Chuck Hunter of Cleveland and Jerry Fiorello of Brooklyn.

N.H.L. Leaders

By The Canadian Press

Standing—Montreal, won 28, tied 8, lost 12, points 64;

Points—Richard, Montreal, 35 goals, 22 assists, 57 points.

Goals—Richard, Montreal, 35

Assists—M. Bentley, Chicago, 29

Penalties—Mortson, Toronto, 121

Shutouts—Rayner, New York 5

One of the oldest iron industries in the world is in Shansi, China.

Mary E. Davidson Fund Gets Donation

A contribution of $5 to the Mary E. Davidson Fund, started several years ago by the late W.K. Esling to aid children with defective eyesight, was reported Friday at the Jubilee meeting of the Women's Institute.

The money was sent by Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Cairns of Freetown, P.E.I., formerly of Rossland, as a "token of appreciation of many kindnesses extended by W. K. Esling in whom we have lost a very dear friend."

Many Friends, Lodge Members at Frank Abey Rites

KASLO, B.C., Feb. 21 — Among the many friends from Kaslo and surrounding district who Friday paid last tribute to Frank Thomas Abey were officers and members of the Sunshine Lodge, No. 57, I.O.O.F. Mr. Abey, aged 74, lived in the district for over 30 years and died in a Vancouver hospital Monday.

Services, held at the family residence, were led by D. A. McKellar of the Anglican Church. There was a large display of flowers.

Hymns sung by the congregation, accompanied by Miss E. Giegerich at the organ, were "Abide With Me" and "O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go."

Open ranks, through which the casket was carried, were formed by the lodge members from the house to the hearse. At the cemetery graveside services were conducted by M. Murphy, Noble Grand and Roy Green, Acting Captain.

Honorary pallbearers were James Spiers, Fred Archer, James Anderson, Charles Bowke, R. Hewat and Dr. Shimo-Tatahara.

Pallbearers comprised three sons, Frank, George and Harry; a grandson, David Abey; H. Hartin and T. Williamson.

Interment was in the family plot, I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Kaslo.

Mr. Abey, active in many community affairs, was an Alderman in 1942 and 1943 and a member of the Kaslo Board of Trade. Taking an interest in lodge work, he was also a member of the I.O.O.F. and of the A.F.A.M. Lodge at Nakusp.

Says U. S. Increases Won't Aid Railways

OTTAWA, Feb. 21 (CP) — A forecast increase of 8.8 per cent in United States carloadings for the first quarter of 1947 will have no effect on Canadian railway revenue, C. E. Jefferson, Freight Traffic Manager of the CPR, declared today before the Board of Transport Commissioners.

Mr. Jefferson, testifying in the railways' application for a general 30 per cent increase in freight rates, said he placed "no value" on the U. S. estimate so far as Canada was concerned. Conditions affecting freight traffic in the two countries were different.

Mr. Jefferson was under cross-examination by C. H. Locke, British Columbia counsel, who was seeking to show that railway revenue showed prospects of increasing this year, without the rate boost.

Mr. Locke introduced a compilation made by the American Association of Railroads, estimating carloadings for the first three months of this year would be 7,091,000, compared with 6,515,000 for the same period in 1946.

The railway official said that this year the CPR was anticipating a reduction in its revenue per ton carried.

Janiro Wins in Fourth Round

By JOHN D. HAMILTON
Canadian Press Staff Writer

NEW YORK, Feb. 21 (CP)—Tony Janiro registered a technical knockout over Beau Jack, former lightweight boxing champion, in the fourth round of a scheduled 10-rounder at Madison Square Garden tonight when the Beau's injured knee gave out on him.

Janiro weighed 147¾; Jack 141.

Jack, fighting for the first time since he broke his knee cap in an accident, was forced to quit at 1:03 of the fourth round when the weakened leg buckled under him.

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SETTER TO RETIRE AFTER RAISING $10,000 FOR RED CROSS AT COAST

VANCOUVER, Feb. 21 (CP)— A familiar and lovable character will be missing from his stand at the corner of Granville and Dunsmuir Streets in downtown Vancouver next week.

Eli, the good-natured, English setter, who for three-and-a-half years climbed a platform near the corner to collect coins for the Red Cross, is retiring.

He is giving up his social work to accompany his master, Harry C. Beckett, to a new home in another city.

For two hours a day since April, 1943, he has held forth on his box beseeching passing citizens to drop coins in two cans fastened to his harness.

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Operational Wings Posthumously Awarded to Nelson Airman

"In recognition of his gallant service in action against the enemy," W.O. First Class W. C. (Jerry) Wallace of Nelson has been posthumously awarded the Operational Wings of the Royal Canadian Air Force.

The operational wings and a certificate have been received by the late airman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Wallace of Nelson. The certificate is signed by Air Marshal Robert Leckie, Chief of the Air Staff.

Warrant Officer Wilfred Clark Wallace, aged 23, was killed June 24, 1944, along with his entire crew, when returning after a night mission, crashing close to their home base.

He was buried along with other members of the crew with full Royal Air Force honors in Baily Kelly, Ireland. The service was conducted by three R.A.F. Chaplains, including the Senior Chaplain of Ireland.

Born in Cranbrook, Warrant Officer Wallace attended schools

W.O. JERRY WALLACE

there and later in Nelson. At the time of his enlistment he was employed by the Nelson Daily News.

Rae Ball Visits Nelson, His Boyhood Home

A resident of Nelson as a boy, Rae Ball and his friend, Bob Pineo, both of Port Alberni are visiting Nelson and District.

Rae Ball is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Ball, residents of Nelson for many years who later went to Creston, then to Rossland and finally to Port Alberni, where Mr. Ball operates a printing shop. He was once foreman of The Daily News Commercial Printing Department.

The two visitors are hitchhiking and travelled from Port Alberni to Seattle and came to Nelson via Spokane and Northport. They found little difficulty in finding transportation, they said. Their objective is "anywhere." They hope to find odd jobs to finance their journey.

Former well known Nelsonites Harry and Gordon Stirzaker still reside in Port Alberni, they said, Harry operating a large restaurant while Gordon runs a U-Drive and engages in contracting work as well.

Tourist Officials Busier in January

OTTAWA, Feb. 21 (CP)—Border officials checking traffic from the United States during January were 16.2 per cent busier than in January, 1945, the Bureau of Statistics reported today.

During the month 342,312 automobiles crossed into Canada compared with 294,593 the same month last year, including 227,400 cars of foreign registry and 114,900 returning Canadian vehicles. Of the foreign cars coming in, 189,790 were of the non-permit or local class, while 24,306 entered on tourist permits and 13,288 as commercial vehicles.

Compared with January last year, tourist car entries declined about nine per cent. Short-term American traffic to Canada gained 16.6 per cent. Canadian motorists returning after stays of more than 24 hours went up more than 25 per cent, and the number of cars remaining less than 24 hours reached 96,935 compared with 78,363.

On a provincial basis, American tourist car entries in January showed diverse tendencies. Entries into the Maritimes, Quebec, Manitoba, Alberta and Yukon increased, while declines were registered for Ontario, British Columbia and Saskatchewan.

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Reserve Wed. April 30 for St. Saviour's W.A. Spring Tea and Bake Sale.

Badminton Tournament finals Sunday 2:00 p.m. at Civic Centre. Public Welcome. No charge.

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All Eagles wishing to go to Rossland on Tuesday Feb. 28, please notify William Smiley or A. H. Smith as soon as possible.

To all amateurs, the Associated Canadian Travellers are holding an Amateur Contest, Capitol Theatre, March 21st. Keep this date open.

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Will be held in the Chamber of Mines Rooms, Nelson, B. C. Monday, February 24th at 8 p.m. sharp. Election of officers, financial statement and reports. Anyone interested in mining cordially invited to attend.
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Results of Friday night's U.D.L. Competition play at the Nelson Curling Club follow:

W. Brown 10, H. M. Whimster 4.
H. Farenholtz 12, S. Haydon 6.
A. H. Allan 12, A. B. Ronmark 6.
H. Wassick 14, R. A. Peebles 9.
H. Bush won by default over D. Laughton.
A. G. Harvey 10, A. R. Moore 8.
A. Waters 18, J. B. Gray 11.
H. B. Horton 9, S. P. Bostock 8.
J. H. Allen 8, J. P. McLaren 7.

Many Attend World Day of Prayer Service

Nelson women of all denominations flocked to St. Saviour's Pro-Cathedral Friday afternoon in observance of the World Day of Prayer—the first Friday in Lent.

Conforming with the service written for the occasion by Mrs. Isabel Caleb of Ewing Christian College, Allahabad, India, the program was conducted by Mrs. S. C. Latornell, assisted in sectional readings by representatives of various City Church congregations, including Mrs. J. G. Burgess, Mrs. J. A. Wilson, Mrs. D. N. Ericson, Mrs. T. M. Towriss, Mrs. H. D. Dawson and Mrs. D. W. McDerby.

A brief message on the subject "Looking Unto Jesus, the Author and Finisher of Our Faith," was given by Mrs. R. H. Coldridge. Basing her talk on the Scriptures, Mrs. Coldridge said: "Faith is a gift from God. We need the empowering work of the Holy Spirit to enable us to have faith. It is not an exalted, irrational affair of the emotions, but the calm, mathematical appraisal of the nature and resources of God.

"Faith is the highest function of reason. We are not left in doubt as toward whom our faith is to be exercised. Looking unto Jesus, who made one sacrifice for sin forever at the cross, is the place where the Holiness of God is satisfied and where a fountain is opened for sin and uncleanness. Here man may be washed and be cleaned.

"Looking from Calvary we see Him now seated on the right hand of the throne of God—the place of authority and power," Mrs. Coldridge concluded.

Soloist during the service was Mrs. D. N. Ericson.

JANUARY FISHING GOOD IN CANADA

OTTAWA, Feb. 21 (CP)—January was a good month for Canadian fishermen, the Bureau of Statistics reported today. During the month, they pulled a total of 89,097,000 pounds of salt-water fish out of the sea.

Landed value of the month's catch was $1,882,000 compared with $1,392,000 in January, 1946.

Catch of sea fish by fishermen operating out of British Columbia in January aggregated 79,323,000 pounds, an increase of 96 per cent over January last year.

FERNIE THESPIANS PREPARE BARRIE PRESENTATION

FERNIE, B. C., Feb. 21 — Work on the four-act play "The Admirable Crichton" by Sir James A. Barrie is progressing favorably under the able joint directorship of Miss Ema Chubra and Reg. McCracken.

Barrie is one of the best known contemporary dramatists. His play "What Every Woman Knows" is shortly to be presented by the Vancouver Little Theatre. This play has been a Broadway favorite for years.

The Weather

Synopsis — Mild weather is expected to continue throughout B.C. this weekend. Intermittent rain or drizzle which has been general over the coast for the past two days is expected to continue tomorrow.

Forecasts:

Vancouver — Intermittent rain or drizzle. Winds light. Little change in temperature. Maximum Saturday Vancouver airport 48, Abbotsford airport 48. Sunday outlook, overcast.

Okanagan—Overcast. Winds light. Little change in temperature. Maximum Saturday Penticton 48, Kamloops 45, Lytton 50. Sunday outlook, cloudy.

Kootenay — Cloudy. Winds light. Little change in temperature. Maximum Saturday Cranbrook 45, Crescent Valley 45. Sunday outlook, cloudy.

Nelson	34	40	—
Montreal	1	10	.15
Toronto	7	19	—
North Bay	-6	—	—
Port Arthur	-5	19	.02
Kenora	-9	14	—
Brandon	-23	9	—
Le Pas	-20	1	.01
Regina	-26	1	—
Saskatoon	-28	-3	—
Prince Albert	-30	2	—
North Battleford	-6	7	—
Swift Current	0	16	.12
Medicine Hat	13	25	—
Lethbridge	12	28	—
Calgary	9	32	—
Edmonton	2	13	—
Kamloops	29	45	.10
Penticton	28	28	—
Vancouver	39	47	.39
Victoria	43	48	.07
Cranbrook	22	46	—
Crescent Valley	29	49	.10
Kaslo	31	41	.20
Prince Rupert	39	—	.04
Prince George	23	40	.08
Grand Forks	30	43	—
Seattle	47	52	—
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Spokane	33	51	—
Chicago	18	36	—
San Francisco	45	60	—

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Tells of Early Institute, Life of First Workers at Jubilee Meet Here

Charter member Mrs. Hector McKenzie, at the Women's Institute Jubilee celebration of the founding of the organization, gave the members the highlights of the 38 years of the Nelson group.

About 30 ladies had gathered in the W.I. rooms at the Civic Centre Friday in honor of the 50 years that followed Adelaide Hoodless' first meeting. Speaking to these, some of whom were early members, Mrs. McKenzie said that in November 1909 over 100 women gathered at a public meeting in the Eagle Hall and formed the Nelson Women's Institute.

"The first monthly meeting was held in December, with 100 present. Most of them joined too," Mrs. McKenzie said.

One of the biggest undertakings was started in the beginning of World War I when $1200 was collected for a hospital ship. A baby clinic was opened at the hospital and a metabolism machine donated.

"These were only a few things that we did. We were a working bunch. Supplying linen for the hospital and shipping parcels of food overseas during the war took a lot of time, and money, but we did it," she concluded.

Mrs. V. Crawford, accompanying herself on the piano, sang two solos. Corsages, arranged in flowers of the Institute colors, were presented to the five members who had been longest with the Nelson group — Mrs. McKenzie, Mrs. H. H. Pitts, Mrs. F. Jasper, Mrs. A. Crowthers and Mrs. H. E. Thain.

Tea was served by Mrs. B. Penny, Convener, Mrs. F. W. Cartwright, Mrs. S. Edey and Mrs. C. H. Maurer.

DEATHS

WEST VANCOUVER, B.C. (CP)—Capt. Frank Kettle, 88, pioneer of sailing ship days.

LONDON (AP)—Sidney W. Stillwell, 75, internationally - known horseman credited with introducing polo in the United States.

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C. (CP)—William R. Cranston, 36, district sales manager for Ford Motor Co., Vancouver.

Claims Socreds Doing Well By Education

EDMONTON, Feb. 21 (CP)—N. E. Cook (SC-Olds) told the Alberta Legislature today that the Social Credit Government has increased appropriations for education by 120 per cent "during the past few years."

Moving the reply to the Throne Speech read at the session opening yesterday, Mr. Cook said grants to schools have increased by 155 per cent since the Social Credit Government was elected although provincial revenue was only 78 per cent higher.

He gave the following figures:

Provincial revenue—1935-36, $16,575,151; 1946-47, $28,818,700, an increase of 75 per cent;

Grants to schools—1935-36, $1,451,100; 1946-47, $3,700,000.

Referring to the Government's year-old debt refunding plan and the proposed Dominion-Provincial tax transfer agreement, he said these two place Alberta "in a position whereby it will be absolutely free of debt service charges at the end of 34 years without interfering with the advancement of the province in the meantime."

NOT SOLUTION

Mr. Cook contended the tax agreement does not "solve" Dominion-Provincial financial relations, adding:

"Something must be done to remove the man-made financial restrictions thwarting us in the development of our natural resources."

The member for Olds mentioned the recent judgment of the Alberta Supreme Court declaring the Social Credit Government's Bill of Rights unconstitutional where it encroaches upon the business of banking, a Dominion prerogative.

"All are agreed these things rightfully belong to us," Mr. Cook asserted. "The Dominion has the authority to give them to us, except for the banks. Mr. King (Prime Minister Mackenzie King) must either give Alberta the authority of implement this bill or do it himself . . . this will show whether Mackenzie King is ruled by the people or by the banks."

FOR BLIND INFANTS

AUCKLAND, N.Z. (CP) — Sunrise Home for blind babies under six has been opened in Auckland as an adjunct of the Blind Institute, to care for the early training of the infants.

Special equipment and expert assistants have been obtained for the home. Blind children on admission are found to be very backward in learning to walk, talk, feed themselves and in other ways, but through care in developing their other senses they are already making rapid progress.

EDMONTON (CP) — City commissioners have recommended that the number of taxi-cab licences in Edmonton should be increased to 150, that the "share the ride" practice which has been in effect in the city since the war years should be eliminated through an amendment to a city by-law, and that no licences should be granted to persons operating taxi-cabs outside the city.

Women Want Liquor Inquiry, $50 Pension

VICTORIA, Feb. 21 (CP)—A full Royal Commission inquiry into liquor questions before any increase in facilities is granted for the manufacture, distribution or sale of alcoholic beverages was urged on the Provincial Cabinet today by the British Columbia Provincial Council of Women.

A 15-woman delegation headed by Mrs. Alfred Carmichael, President, Victoria, was introduced to the Cabinet by Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.L.A. for Victoria.

The women asked that the Commission inquiry consider the manufacture, customs, advertising and promotion of the drink trade, "the effect of the trade upon the public, the Government, health, efficiency and welfare of the people." They suggested that the evidence be taken on oath and the facts be published and made available to "the citizens of this province."

"We would strongly urge that no plebiscite on the liquor question be taken and no license granted, and that there be no increased facilities for the manufacture, distribution or the sale of alcoholic beverages in B.C. by any action or consent of the Provincial Government until such commission has fully investigated and reported, and that adequate time be given before a plebiscite be taken," the delegation's brief said.

WOULD BAN ADVERTISING

The delegation also asked that all liquor advertising be halted because such advertising:

1. Increases the sale and consumption of liquor which from a welfare standpoint is most undesirable.
2. Is contrary to the professed purposes of the Government control system.
3. Is inconsistent with the scientific temperance instruction given in schools and will tend to undermine the confidence in the teachers and schools.
4. A British Royal Commission had reported much liquor advertising "amounted to palpable scientific untruths."
5. This action would be in harmony with that of the CBC in abolishing liquor advertising from the radio.
6. This action was recognized by the Government before the war.

"It is one thing under our law to meet a taste or demand for liquor, but quite another thing to create and cultivate a demand for it," the brief continued.

The Provincial Council of Women also asked that a system of compulsory third party liability insurance for all owners of motor vehicles be instrumented by the province.

An old-age pension of $50 starting for women of 60 and men at 65 was urged by the delegation which also asked that the "means" test be abolished.

VANCOUVER, Feb. 21 (CP) — Paced by Bob Devich and Jack Ford, Portland University solved a tight zone defence thrown up by University of British Columbia cagers tonight to register a 49-41 victory in a non-conference basketball tilt here tonight.

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Bill for Rural Mail Couriers Bonus Progresses

OTTAWA, Feb. 21 (CP)— The rural mail carrier had his innings in the Commons Thursday as members agreed he had more than earned his keep but they failed to come to a decision as to how he should be compensated.

One after another, members of rural constituencies rose to praise the work of the mail courier and tell of his difficulties in sparsely-settled farmlands.

However, members could not agree whether he should be paid a flat rate, be his route in Prince Edward Island, Ontario, or British Columbia, or whether he should be paid by contract, as now, and given a bonus besides.

The courier and his pay came before the House as it considered a bill to give Postmaster-General Bertrand power for the next year to continue wartime bonuses which had been instituted to help the carriers meet the rising costs resulting in their deliveries. The bill finally was given second reading.

Earlier, third and final reading was given a measure to amend the Canada Grain Act to give statutory form to certain wartime innovations in the handling of grain in Western Canada.

SHIP 72 MILLION BUSHELS

Earlier during a debate on the government's wheat price policies Trade Minister MacKinnon disclosed Canada had shipped the equivalent of 72,000,000 bushels of wheat —15,000,000 bushels of flour and 57,000,000 bushels of wheat itself—to Britain in the first six months of this crop year.

In the question period External Affairs Minister St. Laurent said Canada's submission to the Big Four on the Austrian peace settlement was under consideration and may be determined within a few days.

The debate on wheat policies arose on consideration of a resolution preliminary to a bill to continue until 1950 certain powers conferred on the Canadian Wheat Board during the war years.

Mr. MacKinnon said that during the six months ended Jan. 31 Canada shipped some 20,000,000 bushels of wheat to countries other than the United Kingdom. By the four-year Anglo-Canadian Wheat Contract, the price to Britain was fixed at $1.55 a bushel but the rate on sales to other customers ranged from $2.05 to $2.27½ a bushel.

He added he would recommend that the 1945-46 report of the Canadian Board, now in the process of auditing, be referred to the House Committee on Agriculture for study.

Re-Elect President Of B.C. Red Cross

VANCOUVER, Feb. 21 (CP) — Percy S. McKergow was today unanimously re-elected President of the British Columbia Division of the Canadian Red Cross Society for his third successive term, at the annual meeting of the division here.

Lieut.-Gov. C. A. Banks was elected Honorary President.

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Snow In Eastern U.S. Brings Death To 15

NEW YORK, Feb. 21 (AP) — The heaviest snowstorm in recent years brought death to at least 15 persons today as the East struggled to maintain business as usual through falling snow that reached a depth of 27 inches in Virginia—and kept falling.

Schools close, highways were snowbound and business and industry slowed down.

Over-exertion in shovelling snow and traffic accidents were the chief causes of death.

Deaths by States were New Jersey 6; Pennsylvania, 2; Connecticut, 2; New York, 2; District of Columbia, 1; Illinois, 2.

While the full weight of snow hit the Eastern seaboard States, extreme cold followed on its heels over the Great Lakes and Middle West. The temperature registered 21 degrees below zero at Bemidji, Minn., and below zero weather extended over Minnesota and North Dakota.

180 EXPOSURE DEATHS

LONDON, Feb. 21 (AP) — Winter tightened its weeks-long grip on Central and Northern Europe today, causing new deaths in Germany, surrounding Scandinavia with vast ice-fields and intensifying the critical fuel shortage in the British Isles.

Berlin police reported eight more persons died of exposure, bringing the toll since Dec. 1 to approximately 180. Temperature fell to 10 above zero in Berlin and 15 above in Southern Germany.

Sweden was almost entirely surrounded by ice masses. Freight cars loaded with export goods brought transport chaos to Gothenburg, the country's only open port.

Solid ice in the Baltic Sea linked Germany's North coast with Denmark's Southernmost islands and the Danes considered strengthening Coast Guard precautions to prevent Germans from walking across.

SHIPPING HAZARD

Vast ice floes, one four miles long by a half-mile wide, menaced North Sea shipping as a new blizzard, sweeping in from the East, lashed England's South coast. English Channel shipping conditions were the worst of the Winter.

Sub-freezing weather returned to Northern Italy and more snow was forecast. Temperatures reached 37 above in Paris early today, but the Government, in a fuel-saving measure, ordered night clubs and cabarets to close two days ach week.

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Fuel shortages also cut deep into the economic life of Belgium and Holland, where observance of this week's Holy Days by workers slowed production and transportation.

BELFAST, Feb. 21 (Reuters)— An order banning the use of electricity for domestic purposes in Northern Ireland was made today.

The order, which comes into effect immediately, prohibited domestic use of electricity between 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. and 4 p.m.— a four-hour cut similar to that imposed in Britain more than a week ago.

The order bans the use of power between noon and 4 p.m. for entertainments and sports.

Northern Ireland relies primarily on Britain for its imports of coal.

RISK ICE DAMAGE

LONDON, Feb. 21 (Reuters)— Eighteen coal ships from British Northeast coast ports braved gale warnings and drifting ice to bring some 36,000 tons of coal to shivering London last night. All over the country snow fell, and on the Sussex coast the weather reached what Britons thought "blizzard" standard.

Roads all over the country were dangerous and snow interfered with rail transport.

As workers throughout the country kept up the effort to move coal from the coalfields to industrial and other centres, one main line railroad announced it had set a record in coal haulage, with 237,960 tons moved yesterday—more than at any time since the fuel crisis broke Feb. 10.

MacClesfield, the British silk industry's centre in Cheshire, came out of the industrial blackout today — three days before the first large-scale bans on the use of industrial electric current were to come off in the Midlands. More than 40 firms had their current restored, as the local power station used crude oil as fuel.

HOLDS UP SECURITY COUNCIL

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y., Feb. 21— (AP)—Heavy snow which swept the Eastern seaboard today forced postponement of the United Nations Security Council session on the Albanian case.

The United Nations announced the Council would meet Monday afternoon to continue debate on the British charges against Albania.

The announcement came as Great Britain made it clear she would oppose a Colombian proposal to refer to the International Court of Justice her complaint that Albania is responsible for the deaths of 44 seamen in two Royal Navy destroyers blasted by mines in Corfu Channel last Oct. 22.

British delegate Sir Alexander Cadigan remarked tartly that the International Court of Justice is "not a police court."

Snipper Victim

Joan Cook, 11, told police a scissors wielder snipped off 10 inches of one of her 24-inch braids as she sat in a Detroit theatre. Police are hunting a heavy-set middle-aged man whose description coincided with a report of a previous snipping from a 13-year-old girl who lost part of a long braid.—(AP wirephoto.)

Kootenay Centres Drive Toward St. John Quotas

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 21—Satisfaction was expressed today by W. S. Kirkpatrick at the excellent response in this district to the Saint John Ambulance appeal for funds. Mr. Kirkpatrick is Chairman of the drive for the Kootenays.

The local centres of the Association feel that, if initial response is continued, this area should have no difficulty in reaching its quota of $7000.

Individual subscriptions have not been solicited in communities where welfare societies exist, but it is anticipated that appeals to these societies will be well received. No difficulty was expected in attaining the Trail quota of $2300, and Rossland workers were confident that the Golden City objective would be met.

Word from Fruitvale, Fernie, Nakusp, Kimberley, Sheep Creek, Slocan, Kaslo and New Denver indicates speedy subscription of quotas.

Castlegar response has been delayed because organization of the Welfare Society in that community was not yet complete. No definite word of results has been received from Creston, Cranbrook or Nelson.

The Sain John Ambulance Association, one of the world's oldest charitable organizations, in its current national appeal for funds has an objective of $1,000,000.

Says Completion of Road Would Promote Tourist Trade

VICTORIA, B.C., Feb. 21 (CP)— Importance of the industrial and tourist development that would result from completion of the West-coast road was stressed in the Legislature today by James Mowat (Cln—Alberni).

This connecting link of 30 miles from Long Beach to Sproat Lake would not only benefit West coast settlers but would also be the means of bringing thousands of tourist dollars to the province.

Equally as great a tourist attraction would be a road along the Pacific coast to connect Jordan River and Bamfield.

WAR OR PEACE? INDIA, TO BE CUT LOOSE FROM EMPIRE, FACES IMMEDIATE DECISION ON FUTURE

By ROBERT HEWETT

LONDON, Feb. 21 (AP)— The government left squarely up to feuding Hindu and Moslem leaders today the question of whether India intends to win independence in bloody civil war or through peaceful negotiations by the time Britain ends her reign over the rich sub-continent 16 months hence.

Prime Minister Attlee told the world that Britain intends to pull out of India by June, 1948, and at the same time appointed Admiral Lord Mountbatten as Viceroy to liquidate 200 years of British rule.

Some empire-minded Conservatives and sections of the British Press direly predicted that a bloody struggle for power in India would result from Britain's withdrawal.

THREAT TO PEACE

Lord Templewood — Sir Samuel Hoare before he became a peer— presented a motion Thursday night declaring that the end of British rule "is likely to imperil the peace and prosperity of India."

Debate was scheduled in the Lords next Tuesday on the motion and in the Commons the week after next. The delay was caused because the Commons is scheduled to debate three other pressing British problems first—Foreign Affairs on the eve of Foreign Secretary Bevin's departure for Moscow, turning the Palestine mandate over to the United Nations and government handling of the grave coal crisis.

The government's attitude on the Indian question was summed up by the comment of the Labor Daily Herald, which said:

"To the rest of the world it will be a final proof of the fact that the British Government is sincere in its desire to see India ruled by Indians and does not, as it sometimes suggested, derive secret satisfaction from the communal quarrels which are delaying the transfer."

The main House of Commons discussion, however, is expected to be concentrated on the government's abrupt replacement of Viceroy Lord Wavell by Viscount Mountbatten—an action which brought angry protests from Winston Churchill yesterday and from some British newspapers today.

Most London morning papers called on Attlee to amplify the reasons for Wavell's replacement. The first reaction in India, New Delhi dispatches said, was that British action has pushed the country and its 400,000,000 residents to the brink of decision—civil war or amicable settlement.

NEW DELHI, Feb. 21 (AP)—A highly-placed official predicted today that the whole Indian problem would be dumped into the laps of the United Nations the moment that Britain drops the reins of government in June, 1948.

Few observers believed it possible that the disputing Moslem League and Congress Party could smooth over their differences in the next 15 motnhs to a point where they could unite in forming a central government.

It was in search of a new route to India that Christopher Columbus discovered America

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Band Organizes At Castlegar

CASTLEGAR, B. C., Feb. 21—Nine former bandsmen and other interester musicians formed the nucleus of Castlegar's new band at a meeting held in the new Legion Hall. W. Rigby, Chairman of the Legion Band Committee, was elected President. H. H. Horne and Gus Leitner were elected as Secretary and Bandmaster respectively. J. Thatcher will assist Mr. Leitner in obtaining music.

Stanley Horswill, President of the Castlegar-Robson Legion Branch No. 170, stated that Castlegar needed a band now that it had become a municipality. The Legion would back it as far as it could in making it a success. The Legion also felt the need of a band for its social functions and parades

A lengthy discussion on general band problems took place. The first practice will be held Monday.

Says Federal Structure Failing

EDMONTON, Feb. 21 (CP)—J. M. Popil (SC-Redwater) said in the Alberta Legislature today that Canada's "Federal structure is on its last lap."

Seconding the replies to the Throne Speech, Mr. Popil commented on the proposed Dominion-Provincial tax transfer agreement and said Federal authorities "must invade the provincial field for the next five years to continue its survival under the present order.

Mr. Popil claimed Canada's "financial system has become more centralized and more powerful, both nationally and internationally, and there are signs of weakening democracy as gradually we see the implementation of anti-democratic principles in Canada."

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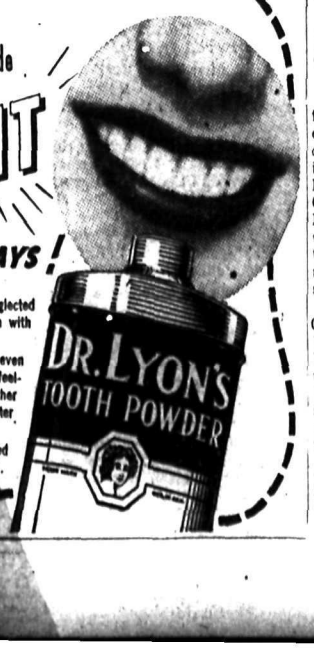

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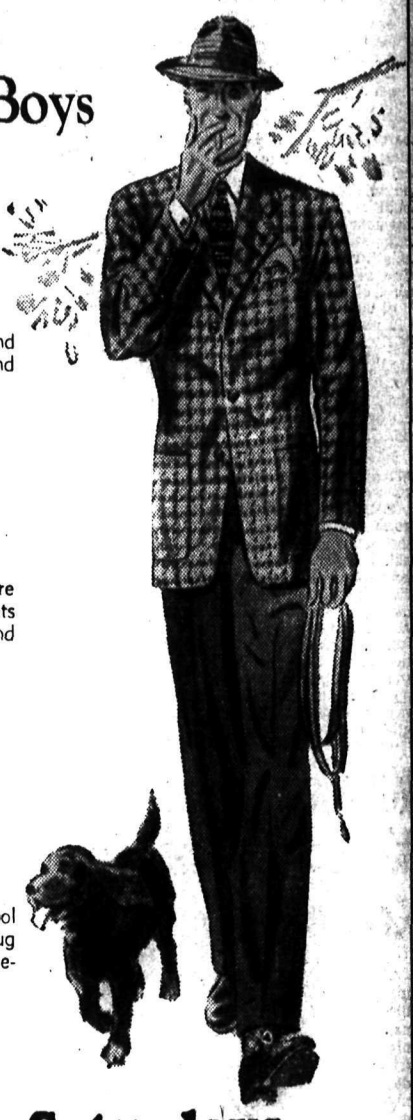

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New Soviet Budget Would Chop Armed Forces Expenditure

MOSCOW, Feb. 21 (AP) — Russia's Supreme Soviet (Parliament) scheduled debate today on a 1947 budget calling for the Soviet Union to devote only 18 per cent of her total budgetted expenditures to the armed forces, compared with 24 per cent last year.

Informed onlookers, judging by past performances, saw no reason why the budget should not pass both Houses—the Council of Nationalities and the Council of the Union—as submitted by Finance Minister Arseni G. Zverev to a joint session Thursday night.

Zverev recommended that the Soviet Union this year spend $74,280,000,000. Of this, he proposed that $13,400,000,000 be spent on defence. (The translation to Canadian currency is based on the official exchange rate of 5.3 rubles to the dollar.)

(President Truman has submitted a budget of $37,500,000,000 for the United States in the fiscal year to start July 1. Of this, about $11,200,000,000, or some 30 per cent, would be for defence. Congress now is in dent's budget.)

His recommendations for 1947 spending included:

Science—$1,300,000,000 against $1,000,000,000 last year.

Social insurance (pensions)—$4,120,000,000, against $3,402,000,000 last year.

Agriculture—$3,058,000,000, against $2,370,000,000 last year.

Cyclone Taylor, Lester Patrick, Eddie Shore Among Seven New Names in Hockey's Hall of Fame

KINGSTON, Ont., Feb. 21 (CP)— The names of seven more hockey greats were announced today as unanimously selected for membership in Kingston's International Hockey Hall of Fame. These brought the total to 17, including various hockey executives.

The new names:

Fred (Cyclone) Taylor, native of Listowel, Ont., former Ontario amateur star and Pacific Coast professional stand-out, now living in Vancouver.

Eddie Shore, native of Qu'Appelle Sask., perhaps the greatest defenceman in National Hockey League history with the Boston Bruins, now managing American minor league teams.

Frank Nighbor, native of Pembroke, Ont., one of the greatest centres of the game in his days with the old Ottawa Senators of the fledgling N. H. L.

Aurel Joliat, for 16 seasons leftwinger of the old Montreal Canadiens, worthy team-mate of the late great Howie Morenz.

Russell Bowie, famous amateur star with the Montreal Victorias ending in 1907, now living in Montreal.

Lester Patrick, native of Drummondville, Que., great player in his youth, astute manager in recent years, of New York Rangers of the N. H. L. (Nelson, B. C., early1 in the century was the home of the Patrick family.)

Capt. James Sutherland, Kingston, hockey player of generations gone who for many years has had a large voice in organized hockey; former President of the O. H. A., former President of the C. A. H. A.

DEFENCEMAN'S RECORD

Whole articles could be written about each of the new hockey immortals, and have been done on several of them.

But we'll just take one of the list now. That's Eddie Shore, the most applauded, and most booed player in the N. H. L.'s history. Eddie dominated hockey's big time in his playing days as much as ever Babe Ruth dominated baseball.

He still holds the N. H. L. record for defenceman with 263 scoring points in his first 10 years. He was voted to the N. H. L. all-star team for seven seasons.

Stray Bull Runs Slopes With Deers

SALMON ARM, B.C., Feb. 21 (CP)—A stray bull calf, cross between a Herford and a Holstein, which has gone wild since losing its mother, today is running with deer on the slopes of Mount Ida, near here.

Game Warden Dan Cameron said that the animal has become decidedly fleet of foot and uses its strength to good effect against fences and other obstructions.

The bull and its deer companions have been seen by many residents.

NO INDUSTRIAL SHUTDOWNS IS AIM IN BATTLING CAR SHORTAGE

By The Canadian Press

Allocation of rolling stock so no industry will be forced to close down will be the aim of the Dominion Transport Controller and the railways in meeting the transportation crisis brought about by the estimated shortage of 13,000 freight cars.

Transport Minister Chevrier made this clear in Ottawa Thursday when he said in the Commons that the boxcar situation was "very acute." Everything possible was being done to distribute available equipment among affected industries as equitably as possible, the Minister told Parliament.

Top priority has been awarded the movement of wheat from the Prairies to Vancouver and Atlantic ports, with feed grain for livestock in Central Canada a close second. With shipments to Britain far behind the schedule of the four-year Anglo-Canadian Agreement, Vancouver was without grain in her elevators while ships in harbor waited to load and others were nearing port to take on wheat cargoes. Elevators at Halifax and Saint John were low, but some grain was moving.

BLIZZARD HOLD-UP

Railway officials in Saskatchewan estimated it would be another week before the carriers would be fully recovered from blizzards which left hundreds of freight cars snowbound.

The newsprint industry, seeking to maintain production while without means to move its product from plants, mustered all available storage space.

The aluminum industry indicated it could get by if the railways could make open-top cars available. Canada cement officials reported shipments had been slowed down. Automobile factories in Ontario were shipping new vehicles on flat cars.

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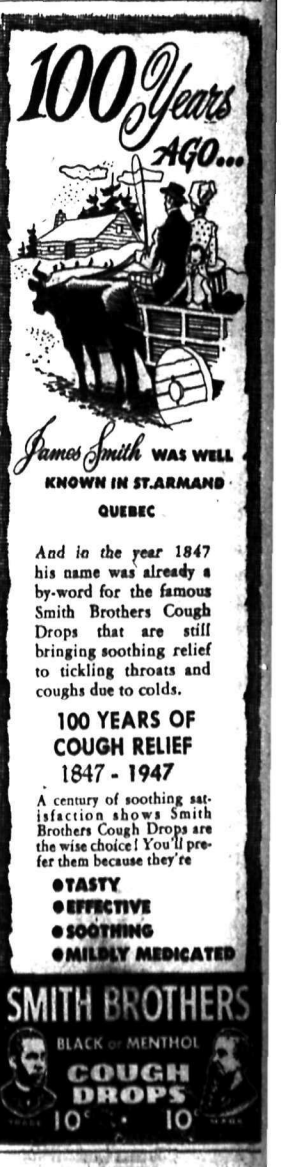
Protest Cops at L. P. P. Meeting

MONTREAL, Feb. 21 (CP)—Montreal Labor-Progressive Party officials scheduled a protest to Acting Police Commissioner Charles Barnes today in the wake of a disturbance prompted by the presence of plain-clothes anti-subversive detectives at a meeting of the L.P.P. last night.

Several patrol wagons of uninformed constables were dispatched to Rialto Hall, at the corner of Park and Bernard Avenues in the North End of the city, after the detectives, representing both the Municipal and Provincial Anti-Subversive Squads, withdrew temporarily when shouts of "Throw them out!" and "Down with the police!" came from the crowd of 600.

When uniformed officers took up posts at the hall entrance, the detectives went back into the hall, where, successive speakers declared, they were "uninvited" and unwelcome. The officers contended, however, that the meeting had been advertised, and that scores of persons were entering the hall without showing membership cards.

REGINA (CP)—A city resident saw his brother off by plane to Sasketoon, about 170 miles northwest of here, and then headed for his home in the city. The bus was delayed and when he arrived home his wife informed him that his brother had phoned from Saskatoon, saying he had arrived safely.



For Parents

By GARY CLEVELAND MYERS

Calm and Serene Environment Important In Helping the Stuttering Child

More children begin stuttering between two and six than at any other age-range. Many of them recover before they enter school, though a few of them continue stuttering all their lives. Moreover, most adult stutterers stuttered before the age of six. Therefore, stuttering is decidedly a parent problem.

Practically all young stutterers would recover very soon, and almost none of them ever would have begun stuttering, if their parents and other persons caring for young children were wise enough and skilful enough. It is not just a matter of wisdom at understanding the child and skill at dealing with him directly, but also of wisdom and skill of both parents at keeping themselves serene and providing the child with a calm and secure family atmosphere.

COOPERATION OF OTHERS

Accordingly, the parents need to be able to win the cooperation of other adults of the family, relatives and neighbors. Sometimes adults other than the parents are hard factors to resolve in providing a favorable atmosphere for the young child. Then one parent excelling in wisdom and skill in relation to the stuttering child may not succeed at winning the other parents to cooperate. Nevertheless, these wider relationships are very potent in relation to stuttering in the child of any age. Of course, the more excitable the stuttering child, the more difficult case he is. A certain mother writes:

"My little daughter (an only child) is two. In the last few months she has been stuttering quite a bit and seems to be getting worse. She started talking very early and has a wonderful vocabulary for her age, but when she tries to say something she may stop and indicate she can't say the word.

HAS TRIED PATIENCE

"I have tried to be very patient with her, cuddling her and sometimes finishing the word she is trying to say, after which she will usually continue talking normally for a few minutes. I have never thought of her as a nervous child yet this stammering becomes worse when she is excited or there is company.

"I have avoided calling any of this to her attention and have kept her away from other children somewhat since I have heard them mocking her, thinking this might make her worse. She takes one long nap a day, sometimes two. Her father reads her a story before bedtime, which helps to quiet her."

In answering this mother I commended her and her husband on their good ways of treating this child. Then I advised her to try to find more ways to calm down this tot who manifestly is very excitable—to speak in soft voices, keep the radio silent, and avoid stimulating her through mental appeals that are conventional. I suggested that they encourage the child to use her hands as with playthings, read to this child often, sing to her and cuddle her.

I also suggested that this child should spend some time at play with other children her age but not for long periods at a stretch, nor should she be allowed to romp too vigorously. I enclosed my bulletins, "Stuttering in Young Child," and "The Nervous Child," which anybody else may receive in a stamped addressed envelope. Stammering and stuttering are psychologically the same in respect to cause, prevention, or cure.

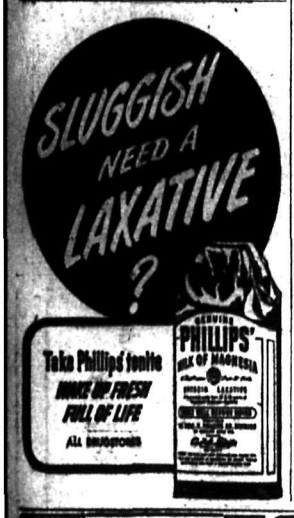
EDGEWOOD

EDGEWOOD, B. C.—Mr. A. Slater who has been in Vancouver on business returned Thursday.

Mrs. D. Angernon of Ashcroft spent the week renewing old acquaintances in Edgewood and Nakusp. She was the guest of Mrs. Alf. Williams. She left for New Denver on Thursday.

The second lecture of the St. John's Home Nursing Course was given Monday evening by Miss Marjorie Staniforth. Several new members were welcomed to the class. This course is sponsored by the Women's Institute and is held at the home of Mrs. E. Donselaar.

YOUBOU, B.C. (CP) — Jackie Adams, 14, captured a racoon barehanded and brought it home alive. He knocked the animal from a tree and subdued it, even though bitten when he picked it up.



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By Shepard Barclay

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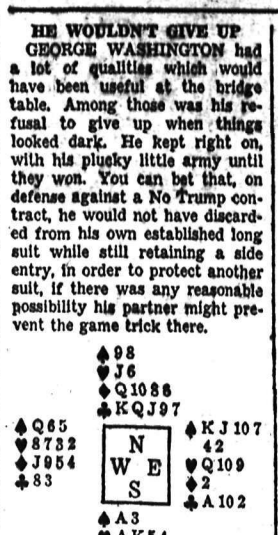
HE WOULDN'T GIVE UP

GEORGE WASHINGTON had a lot of qualities which would have been useful at the bridge table. Among those was his refusal to give up when things looked dark. He kept right on, with his plucky little army until they won. You can bet that, on defense against a No Trump contract, he would not have discarded from his own established long suit while still retaining a side entry, in order to protect another suit, if there was any reasonable possibility his partner might prevent the game trick there.



Dealer: South. Both sides vulnerable.)

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

West opened his spade 6 to the 10, and the J knocked out the A. The diamond A, K, 10 and Q followed, on which East had some discarding to do. He put the club 10 on the second of these tricks to let West know where his side entry was located, and on the third and fourth diamond threw his spade 2 and 4—very bad bridge, as that left him only two cards of the suit.

South next brought forth the club K from the dummy. East came right in with the A and cashed his remaining spades, the K and 7. This, however, brought his side's total to only four tricks—all it ever got, for South won the returned heart and walked him with set-up tricks.

East pleaded with West that he had to protect the hearts, which South had bid, and that doing this necessitated holding his three cards of the suit, which constituted a fourchette over the J in dummy. He was wrong, however. He should have clung to one more spade, and could have shed either his club 2 or hearts, counting on his partner to block off a fourth heart trick since West was marked with four of the suit.

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Your Week-End Question

If the opponents pass while North bids 1-Spade and South then 4-Spades, which defender should be counted on for the larger share of high-card strength during play for the contract?

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Beauty Hints

By IDA JEAN KAIN

Dancing, Swimming and Skating Found Best Exercises for Shaping Legs

It's an open secret that the loveliest legs in the movies belong to the dancers, skaters and the swimmers, and that some of the less athletic stars frequently call on a double for closeup shots on leg pulchritude. And the moral to this story is, exercise for lovelier legs. Structure can't be changed, but muscle makes the curve of the calf, and exercise makes the muscle.

So, to all girls in their teens and twenties who write in complaining that their legs are either too fat or too thin, my advice is to take up some exercise that is fun; you're only young once. Why not join a class in tap dancing, rhythmic dancing or ballet? Today all dancers have pretty legs because instructors vary the routines to give steps which both stretch and contract the leg muscles.

If your legs are too heavy, or if knotty calf muscles mar the contour, do as the professionals do, take your workouts in heavy wool stockings that cover the thigh too. The warmth of the wool, plus the stretching, pulls the muscles out long and smooth.

Or how about ice skating or roller skating regularly? Most cities have rinks, and it's wonderful exercise. Some of our famous skaters tell me they started out with legs that were dreadfully fat, or painfully thin. Many started skating for the express purpose of improving their legs. Here again, the girls with bunchy calf muscles should skate in thin, but warm wool, stockings.

Swimming is perfect leg work. To notice fast improvement, you'll have to swim regularly three times a week, and really go up and down the pool, kicking vigorously. But it will round out skinny calves, and slim down overdeveloped ones. Exercise normalizes.

Of course, calisthenics do the tricks too by exercising the muscles. But they are not as fast, and not nearly as much fun. The technique for slenderizing is to take stretching exercises to pull the muscles. Any exercise movement in which the heel is pushed down gives a good stretch. One way is to stand on a stair step, or the step of a kitchen ladder, heel just off the edge of the step, and push down forcibly until heel is well below the step. You can feel the pull on the calf muscle.

For developing, try rope skipping, skipping twice on the ball of one foot as ropes slides under. The deep knee bend is a sure cure. To pull the muscles, keep the heels flat on floor as you go down, without shoes. Anyway, try to.

Canadian Talent Finds Appreciative Audiences In Britain

By NORMAN CRIBBENS
Canadian Press Staff Writer

LONDON, Feb. 21 (CP)—Canadians who have made good in Britain's theatre and radio during the last 10 years are so numerous that it would take a pocket-size "guide to the stars" to describe them.

Among the top-liners is Vancouver's burly Carroll Levis, at one time an announcer with CKWX. Since he came to London in 1936, Levis has become increasingly popular with programs of amateur talent. He has a twice-weekly radio program, composes songs and is soon to appear in a film.

ORGANIST POPULAR

His brother, Cyril, also Vancouver-born, is currently appearing in the Levis musical "Stairway to Stardom" now touring the country en route to London.

Sandy McPherson, born at Paris, Ont., has a following of millions who listen faithfully to his broadcast organ recitals.

Often described as Britain's "Frank Sinatra" is Denny Vaughan of Toronto, now a featured singer with Geraldo's popular orchestra and a successful recording artist. In the same company is Bob Farnon of Ottawa—conductor, composer and arranger—who directed the Canadian forces orchestra before joining Geraldo's orchestra as Deputy-leader and arranger.

Another tried favorite who brought his talent from Canada is Gerry Wilmot, Vancouver, popular BBC announcer and commentator.

Canny Scotland SAYS MILK IS BEST

MOTHERS . . . before the war, Scottish health authorities conducted one of the most comprehensive experiments to determine the food value of milk. 20,000 school children in Lanarkshire were fed an extra ration of milk over a long period. Here is what the Chief, Medical Officer of the Department of Health in Scotland had to say about the results:

"These tests demonstrated that the addition of milk to the diet of children has a striking effect in improving physique and general health, and increasing mental alertness."

See that your child gets plenty of milk. From 3 to 10 years of age, children should have at least a pint of milk daily; from 11 to 18 years, at least one and a half pints daily, according to the Canadian Council of Nutrition.

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Tasty Recipes

By ALICE DENHOFF

Now that more provender is available, the buffet supper idea of paying off hospitality scores in one happy swoop is on the increase. It is a nice way to have a gracious, yet informal party with good food and good fellowship.

Color is the cue for a really successful buffet. One of our favorites is a big dish of lobster pieces, nice fresh cold lobsters with the scarlet claws arranged around the large platters. There are hot buttered rolls, plenty of potato chips, vegetable salad, salad dressings, pickles, and for dessert, frozen pudding, cake, and plenty of good hot coffee.

A VEGETABLE SALAD

We have found vegetable salad to be one of the most successful buffet salads. Use the crisp, chilled lettuce, thinly sliced tomatoes, sliced cucumbers, asparagus tips, cooked cauliflowerflowerets, cooked beets and cooked string beans. Arrange the lettuce to cover platters, and on it arrange the cooked vegetables in separate piles, decorating with cucumber and tomato slices. Serve mayonnaise and French dressing in separate containers.

Asparagus salad is another good buffet salad choice. Arrange crisp, chilled lettuce so that it will cover a large round chop plate. Lay cooked asparagus stalks on the lettuce in circles, so that the tips point toward the edge of the plate. Decorate the salad with hard-boiled egg slices, strips of pimiento, whole and sliced stuffed olives.

It is a good idea to provide something different as well as the usual dessert. A cheese tray with various types of cheese plus plenty of different cracker varieties, and a bowl of fine eating apples, is a sophisticated touch.

The Doctor

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

Fifteen Per Cent of People Found to Suffer From Attack of Gallbladder

It used to be thought that gallbladder disease was an ailment reserved almost exclusively for women, finding its victims among those who were "fair, fat any forty." Today we know that this is not true. Women between 40 and 50 are more frequently attacked than men, but recent figures show that 15 per cent of all people suffer from this trouble in one form or another. At least one-third of those over 45 contract it.

The symptoms in gallbladder disease vary to a great extent. Many patients find that eating fried or fatty foods, raw apples, cucumbers, or cabbage causes some disturbance.

Gallbladder disease causes attacks of pain which, as a rule, are in the right upper part of the abdomen. The pain, however, may be in the pit of the stomach or between the shoulder blades. It may occur at intervals or be continuous. There is also some tenderness in the right upper part of the abdomen.

A gallbladder disturbance may be acute, that is, come on suddenly. In such cases, there is an attack of pain in the abdomen, which increases in severity and is accompanied by sickness to the stomach and vomiting. At times the enlarged gallbladder can be felt by the physician through the abdominal wall. When this occurs, there is a chance that the gallbladder may rupture or break open. Fortunately this is a very rare occurrence.

According to Dr. A. Chalmers Hope of Charlotte, N. C., in most instances early operation in acute gallbladder disturbances will prevent serious complications, such as rupture of the gallbladder or acute inflammation of the liver.

In chronic or long-continued gallbladder disturbances, the symptoms are much less severe, but frequent attacks of pain, together with excess gas formation in the stomach and bowel, and sometimes sickness to the stomach and vomiting occur. Most patients with chronic gallbladder infection do not require operation. They may get along satisfactorily by following a prescribed diet, reducing in weight, and using, as directed by the physician, preparations which may help to stimulate the flow of bile from the gallbladder.

When gallbladder symptoms occur, an X-ray should be taken to help determine whether or not gallstones are present. The only way to get rid of these stones, in so far as is known at the present time, is by operation.

Love Problems

By JANE ATKINSON

Girl Weary of Being Called Upon to Patch Up Couples Disagreements

Dear Miss Atkinson:

I am a girl of 18 who can't seem to make friends and keep them. Now I'm in one heck of a mess.

There is one girl and boy who are playing me for a fool, and I'm too soft-hearted to do anything about it. They go together, and when they have a fight, they both call me and ask me to fix things up. I do just as they tell me, but sometimes it's pretty tough.

Now this girls' mother blames me for causing all the trouble between these two, and forbids us to be friends. How can I make her mother see that I had nothing to do with this girl's disagreements with her boy friend, and am I right when I say that the kind of girl who lets her mother believe such things isn't the kind I want for a friend?

A. G.

Those who let themselves become involved in other people's business are almost certain to end up in "one heck of a mess" sooner or later, A. G. Since you know these two are "playing you for a fool" why do you let them do it? And why on earth should you "do just as they tell you"? Don't you think you're showing pretty poor judgment, to say the least, in allowing anyone to dominate you this way?

Perhaps you're so eager to be liked that you'll do anything to make yourself appear agreeable and cooperative. But you'll have to learn to discriminate; to know when to do as you're asked, and when it's wiser to politely refuse. This is the secret of a strong personality; the sort of personality that people admire and respect.

So don't be so weak that you let yourself be pulled this way and that, trying to please everybody. Stand on your own feet and be independent—in a nice friendly way, of course—and I'm sure you'll find you make and keep friends much better than you do now.

As for this particular girl and her mother, I suggest you stop worrying about them and let things take their natural course. Trying to make explanations will probably only complicate the situation still more. It doesn't sound to me as though you'd lose anything very valuable if you lost this girl as a friend.

NEW DENVER

NEW DENVER, B. C.—Mrs. Hazel Chisholm and sons Robert and Leroy of North Battleford, Sask., are visiting their aunt, Mrs. E. Kirkwood.

Jack Sanderson of Trail is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sanderson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Landreville went to Trail last week. Mr. Landreville has returned to Zincton and Mrs. Landreville remained in Trail, where she is guest of her son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Landreville.

Mrs. E. J. Vandergrift who has been the guest of her son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Reuben MacCandlish, in Nelson, has returned to her home.

O. P. Roberts, District Engineer of Nelson, visited New Denver and Nakusp on business. He was accompanied by Mr. Hardy also of Nelson.

Mrs. Andy Anderson is a patient in the Slocan Community Hospital.

A group consisting of a Pythian Sister and Pythian Knights motored to Nakusp on Tueseday for the visit there of the Grand Chancellor, Mr. McKim of Kimberley. Members were Mr and Mrs. J. Draper, A. D. Trickett, H. V. Dewis, W. J. Balbirnie, Sr., and W. Balbirnie, Jr.

The New Denver Branch of the Canadian Legion No. 101 held a social evening on Tuesday, Feb. 18 There was community singing, games and quizz contests, enjoyed by the group of nearly 50. The Auxiliary served delicious refreshments and dancing followed. N. C. Tattrie, Jr., was Master of Ceremonies, Bill Rowe, convenor of entertainment and Mrs. Walter Thring refreshment convenor.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Murakami, with their small son Michael, left Tuesday for Hamilton, Ont., to make their home. En route they will visit Mrs. Murakami's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Koncio in Kamloops. They will also stop over in Regina, Winnipeg and Toronto.

NAKUSP

NAKUSP, B. C.—G. P. Horsley returned from Revelstoke Wednesday.

Mrs. R. S. LaRue made the round trip to Arrowhead to meet her husband Wednesday who was returning from Okanagan Landing.

J. P. McKim of Kimberley who has visited the Knights of Pythias Lodges in the district left Wednesday for the Coast.

Miss C. Mertin, Social Service worker from Nelson was a Nakusp visitor this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Burling left Wednesday for Nelson where Mrs. Burling will receive medical attention.

C. Wanstall returned from the Okanagan Landing Wednesday.

Mrs. Orr of Burton is the guest of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Glen McMullen.

C. P. R. men leaving for Rosebery Thursday were: R. S. LaRue, H. Day, E. C. Johnson and C. Wanstall.

Nels Alpsen left for a business trip to the Coast.

Mrs. F. Bennett of West Vancouver who has been the guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. Rushton left Wednesday for her home.

VANCOUVER (CP) — The home of Mr and Mrs. C. Riggs was damaged by a freak fire. A six-inch crystal bowl concentrated the sun's rays, setting draperies afire. Water from the bowl extinguished the fire.

Church SERVICES

St. Saviour's Pro-Cathedral

VERY REVEREND FRED P. CLARK, M.A.

LENT I

8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Prayer
3:00 p.m.—Willow Point
6:30 p.m.—Broadcast CKLN
7:30 p.m.—Evening Prayer
9:00 p.m.—Open Meeting, Churchmen's Club

All Services will be conducted by
THE REV. R. C. HENSTOCK,
Rector of Kimberley, formerly Chaplain R.C.A.F.
Wednesday; 10:30 a.m., and 7:30 p.m.

Evangelical Mission Covenant

L. DANIEL ERICSON, PASTOR

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class
11:00 a.m.—"The Blood Is the Life"
Holy Communion
7:30 p.m.—"Moses' Vision Renewed"
Tues., 8 p.m.—Young People's Bible Study.
Wed., 7:30 p.m.—Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.
Thurs., 3 p.m.—Ladies Aid.
Fri., 7:30 p.m.—Girls and Boys Hi-League.

Trinity United Church

Josephine and Silica

REV. GORDON G. McL. BOOTHROYD, B.A., B.D., Minister
Mrs. C. W. Tyler, Choir Leader and Organist

9:45 a.m.—SUNDAY SCHOOL, Beginners at 11:00

Owing to the illness of Mr. Boothroyd, Services will be conducted by Mr. Coldridge, H.R.

11:00 a.m.—"THE CRISIS"

Trio "Great Is Thy Love" by Bohn. Sung by Mesdames Stallwood, Couch and Allan.

7:30 P.M.—Subject "A POLL TAX PAID"

MUSIC BY SENIOR CHOIR

St. Paul's United Church

REV. H. STEWART FORBES, B.A., B.D.
Organist and Choir Leader: Mrs. T. J. S. Ferguson, B.A., A.T.C.M.

9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
10:00 a.m.—Bible Classes
11:00 a.m.—THE DRAMA OF THE TOWEL
Music by the Girls' Choir
7:30 p.m.—BUILDING FOR ETERNITY
Music by the St. Paul's Choir

First Church of Christ Scientist

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:

"MIND"

Wednesday Testimonial Meeting 8 p.m.

Reading Room open daily 3-5 Except Wednesday

All Cordially Welcome.

First Presbyterian Church

Victoria and Kootenay
Rev. A. Stewart, Minister

11:00 a.m.—Sermon: "Defiant Faith."
12:15 p.m.—Sunday School
7:30 p.m.—Sermon: "The True Test."

St. John's Lutheran

Stanley and Silica Streets
Reverend J. Hennig, Pastor.

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service

The Church of the Lutheran Hour

First Baptist Church

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
Subject: "The Worst Man in the Bible."
Speaker: J. A. Bracken.

Church of the Redeemer

(Anglican)
FAIRVIEW

Rev. W. J. Silverwood
A.K.C., B.Sc., Vicar

9:45—Sunday School
10:15—Bible Class
11:00—Holy Communion
7:30—Evening Prayer

The Salvation Army

Capt. and Mrs. F. H. Pierce

Sunday:
11:00 a.m.—Holiness Meeting
2:30 p.m.—Sunday School
7:30 p.m.—Salvation Meeting

Thursday:
8:00 p.m.—Prayer and Praise Meeting

Friday:
2:30 p.m.—Women's Home League Meeting

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BRANDON, Man. (CP) — The Association Travellers of Canada recently prasanted a cheque for $15,500 to the Manitoba Sanitorium to be used for anti-tuberculois work in the province. The donation money for which was raised by local amateur-night broadcasts bring to $33,000 the amount given by local branch for anti-tuberculosis work.

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NELSON SOCIAL

By MRS. M. J. VIGNEUX.

● At the weekly meeting Thursday afternoon of the Women's Association of the First Presbyterian Church, held at the home of the President, Mrs. A. Wallach, 908 Latimer Street, Mrs. W. T. Choate, on behalf of the membership, presented Mrs. D. T. Heddle, late President, with a glass flower bowl in appreciation of her many years in the chair. Mrs. M. Towriss presided at the daintily appointed tea table. Those present were Mrs. M. Towriss, Mrs. K. Carmichael, Mrs. M. Hamilton, Mrs. D. T. Heddle, Mrs. W. M. Calder, Mrs. R. L. Dempsey, Mrs. W. T. Choate, Mrs. D. F. Peters, Mrs. H. H. Currie and Mrs. A. Wallach, Mrs. R. L. Oliver, Mrs. M. Wallace, Mrs. A. T. Park.

● Very Rev. F. P. Clark, dean of Kootenay has left for the Coast to assist at Lenten services.

● Mrs. S. E. Briard, Joseph Street, has left for Vancouver where she was called by the illness of her mother.

● Mrs. A. W. Rosicky of Wardner is in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Holtom, Victoria Street.

● Mrs. Lilian Reiter is visiting in town from Washington, for the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Heckler.

● George McDonald of Victoria, State Deputy, Knights of Columbus Order, was in town Thursday to address the local members in the K of C Hall.

● Mrs. H. H. Pitts has just returned from a week's visit at the home of her brother, O. B. Appleton, at Sunshine Bay. Mr. Appleton has arrived from the Coast where he underwent a serious operation.

Movie Gossip

BRITONS CLAMP DOWN ON INVADING HOLLYWOOD IDEA PIRATES; SET QUOTA

By HELEN BANNERMAN
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Hollywood, widely accused of having run dry of ideas, has run into difficulties in trying to solve its problem by moving to one of the lands still full of fresh movie brains, Britain.

Action of the British Producers Association and the Associated Cinema Technicials Union of clamping down on foreign film production in England does not mean an end to them but does mean that they will have to be made with predominantly British executives, players and crews.

LURED EUROPEANS

In the early '20s, after the First World War, Hollywood found itself in a somewhat similar spot but then the shortage was mainly of stars and directors. Since there was no shortage of money, Hollywood lured talented European players and executives West and rode high. This time the Hollywood moguls took immediate steps to decentralize their productions — if the ideas wouldn't come to them, they would go to the ideas.

Troops of stars have gone to England to make "lend-lease" films with British players, and other productions have been under preparation by Paramount, R.K.O., Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, Twenties Century-Fox and others.

The new British film agreement will allow only five foreign directors and five producers to work in British studios in the rest of the year.

However, American firms can continue to make as many films in Britain as the quota allows as long as Britons occupy all the productions jobs after the first five.

Rossland Bridge

ROSSLAND, B. C., Feb. 21—Following are the results of the first week of play in the Rossland Parent-Teacher Association bridge tournament:

Mr. and Mrs. L. Nicholson defeated Miss Vataman and Miss Storgard.

J. Page and H. Christian defeated Mrs. F. W. Marsh and Mrs. Stevenson; Miss M. Kennedy and Miss F. A. Kennedy defeated Mr. and Mrs. T. Fourt; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bryan defeated Mrs. W. Cuningham and Ms. A. Hale; Mrs. W. A. Hutchings and Mrs. R. Clark defeated Mr. and Mrs. Martinoff; Mr. and Mrs. F. Spring defeated Mrs. Fetter and Mrs. Piper; Mrs. J. Mowatt and Mrs. Chambers defeated Mrs. G. McTeer and Mrs. K. Martin; Mr. and Mrs. J. Motowylo defeated Mr. and Mrs. I. Gurevitch; Mrs. C. H. Clegg and Mrs. R. Morin defeated Mrs. R. Rose and Mrs. F. Fletcher; Mr. and Mrs. A Littley defeated Mr and Mrs. A. Wood; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Mitchell defeated Mrs. E. Haley and Mrs. S. Bowcock; Mrs. D. F. MacIntyre and Mrs. A. Page defeated I. Hendrickson and E. Mellett; Mrs. R. Saundry and Mrs. K. McGuire defeated R. D. Mitchell and F. W. Marsh; Mrs. G. Nyman and Mrs. F. Clark defeated Mr. and Mrs. R. Haggen; Mr. and Mrs. D. Burnett defeated Mr. and Mrs. B. Littley; Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Mitchell defeated Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Wood; E. Haley and S. Bowcock defeated Mrs. L. Stinson and Mr. Nason; Mrs. I. Hendrickson and Mrs. W. Holm defeated Mrs. A. Fowler and Mrs. J. G. McLellan; Dr. and Mrs. G. Gilbert defeated Mr. and Mrs. M. Parson; Mr. and Mrs. O. Proud defeated Mr. and Mrs. G. Smart; R Rose and W. Bishop defeated Mr. and Mrs. Dynes.

Following is the draw for the second week: Mrs. A. Fowler and Mrs. J. G. McLellan vs. W. Bishop and R. Rose; Mrs. H. Clegg and Mrs. R. Morin vs. Mrs A Chambers and Mrs. J. Mowatt; Mrs. L. Stevenson and Mrs. F. W. Marsh vs. Mrs. R. Rose and Mrs. F. Fletcher; R. D. Mitchell and F. W. Marsh vs. Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Wood; Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Mitchell vs. Mrs. I. Hendrickson and Mrs. W. Holm; Mr. and Mrs. T. Fourt vs. Mr. and Mrs. I. Gurevitch; Mrs. Fetter and Mrs. Piper vs. Mr. and Mrs. A. Wood; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Mitchell vs. E. Haley and S. Bowcock; Mr. and Mrs. F. Spring vs. Dr. and Mrs. G. Gilbert; Mr. and Mrs. Dynes vs. Mr. and Mrs. B. Littley; Mrs. R. Saundry and Mrs. K. McGuire vs. Mrs. G. Nyman and Mrs. F. Clark; Mrs. G. McTeer and Mrs. K. Martin vs. Mrs. L. Stinson and W. S. Nason; J. Page and H. Christianson vs. Mr. and Mrs. Art Littley; Miss M. Kennedy and Mrs. F. A. Kennedy vs. Mr. and Mrs. J. Motowylo; E. Mellett and I. Hendrickson vs. Mrs. W. A. Hutchings and R. Clark; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Haggen vs. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bryan; Mrs. D. F. MacIntyre and Mrs. A. Page vs. Mr. and Mrs. V. Martinoff; Mr. and Mrs. L. Nicholson vs. Mr. and Mrs. O. Proud; Mrs. E. Haley and Mrs. S. Bowcock vs. Mr. and Mrs. G. Smart.

Boy Scout Flag Ceremony

During Boy Scout Week in Nelson, Scouts have raised the flag twice daily, at 8 A.M. and 5 P.M. Here Don Bone hoists the flag at the City Hall.—Daily News photo.

On the Air

SATURDAY, FEB. 22, 1947

CKLN
1240 ON THE DIAL

7:00—O Canada
7:02—Press News
7:07—Sunrise Serenade
7:30—Music for Saturday
8:00—CBC News
8:15—Curling Broadcast of the B.C. Bonspiel
9:58—Hebrew Christian
9:59—Time Signal
10:00—Medley Time
10:15—Musical Program
10:30—Hit of the Show
10:45—Press News
11:00—Metropolitan Opera
2:00—Tea and Crumpets
3:00—Old Favourites
3:30—Jimmy Dorsey
3:45—Swing Time
4:00—Hawaii Calls
4:29—CPR Train Time
4:30—Peerless News
4:45—Musical Program
5:00—Sacred Heart Program
5:15—Cavalcade of Melody
6:00—CBC News
6:05—NHL Hockey
7:30—Organ Music
8.00—Red River Barn Dance
8:30—All Request Program
9:00—Current and Choice
9:15—This Week
9:30—Three Suns Trio
9:45—Lee Sims
9:55—Solo Spotlight
10:00—CBC News
10:15—Hollywood Barn Dance
11:00—God Save the King

CJAT
610 ON THE DIAL

7:00—Hebrew Christian Hour
7:15—Press News
7:30—Newsstand Novelties
7:45—Wake-Up Programme
8:00—CBC News
8:15—Five Minutes of Fine Music
8:20—Musical Program
8:55—Merchandise News
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Musical Programme
9:30—Adventures of Monte Cristo
10:00—Saturday Review
10:45—Press News
11:00—Metropolitan Opera
2:00—Tea and Crumpets
3:00—El Ritmo Tropical
3:15—CBC News
3:30—Fountain of Faith
3:45—Jazz Jamboree
4:00—Musical Programme
4:30—Hot Air
4:45—Hot Air
5:00—Playhouse Party
5:30—The People Ask
5:45—Sports College
6:00—CBC News
6:05—NHL Hockey
7:30—Organ Music
8:00—Red River Barn Dance
8:30—Share the Wealth
9:00—Current and Choice
9:15—This Week.
9:30—Three Suns Trio
9:45—Violin Sonata
10:00—CBC News
10:15—Report from Legislature
10:30—Hollywood Barn Dance.
10:45—Happy-Go-Lucky Hayride
11:30—Peerless News
11:40—Sign Off—the King.

SUNDAY, FEB. 23, 1947

CKLN
1240 ON THE DIAL
(STANDARD TIME)

8:55—O Canada
8:59—C.P.R. Train Time
9:00—BBC News
9:14—Weather Forecast
9:15—Songs and Singers
9:30—Vanity Fair
10:00—B. C. Gardener
10:15—Just Mary
10:30—Way of the Spirit
11:00—CBC News
11:30—Chapel by the Side of the Road
11:45—Press News
12:00—New York Philharmonic
1:30—Church of the Air
2:00—CBC News
2:03—John Fisher Reports
2:15—Weekend Review
2:29—Weather Forecast
2:30—Hebrew Christian Hour
2:45—Getting Sentimental
3:00—Old Favorites
3:30—The Three Suns
3:45—South of the Border
4:00—Sunday Serenade
4:29—Train Time
4:30—Peerless News
4:45—Strange As It Seems
5:00—Charlie McCarthy
5:30—Stage 47
6:30—St. Saviour's Pro-Cathedral
7:00—CBC News
7:15—The Old Songs
7:30—Bernard Heinze
8:00—The Readers Take Over
8:30—Sunday Serenade
9:00—Classics for Today
9:30—Gideon Program
10:00—CBC News
10:15—Canadian Yarns
10:30—Prelude to Midnight
11:00—God Save the King

CJAT
610 ON THE DIAL

8:00—Press News
8:15—Melodic Moods
8:30—Lutheran Hour
9:00—BBC News and Commentary
9:15—Report from Parliament Hill
9:30—Vanity Fair
10:00—Gospel Half Hour
10:30—Songs from the Movies
10:45—Press News
11:00—Church Service
12:00—New York Philharmonic Orchestra
1:30—Church of the Air
2:00—CBC News
2:03—John Fisher Reports
2:15—H. L. Stewart
2:30—Singing Stars of Tomorrow
3:00—Ozzie and Harriet
3:30—Lightning Jim
4:00—Catholic Hour
4:30—Music for Canadians
5:00—Charlie McCarthy
5:30—Stage 47
6:30—Album of Familiar Music
7:00—CBC News
7:15—The Old Songs
7:30—Bernard Heinze
8:00—St. Andrew's Church Bdcst.
8:30—Sunday Serenade
9:00—Presbyterian Church Bdcst.
9:30—Musical Programme
9:45—Sunday Meditations
10:00—CBC News
10:15—Music for You
10:30—Prelude to Midnight
11:30—Peerless News
11:40—Sign Off—The King.

Experts warn against filling up with remedies chosen at random, without professional medical guidance.

Short Loadings Add to Freight Shipping Grief

OTTAWA, Feb. 21 (CP) — Reduced loadings of freight cars has "aggravated" the CPR's shortage of rolling stock, C. E. Jefferson, freight traffic manager of the company, said today before the Board of Transport Commissioners.

Mr. Jefferson was testifying for the second day at the Board's inquiry into the Railway Association of Canada's application for general 30 per cent increases in freight rates.

The average number of tons hauled in loaded freight cars per mile, Mr. Jefferson said, had fallen from 33.7 in 1945 to 30.8 in 1947.

If there were a similar drop in 1947, he said, the company's gross freight revenue would drop $6,000,000 from the $223,500,000 estimated by the railway for this year. These figures were on the basis of present rates.

Reduction in the average figure for tonnage per loaded car mile, Mr. Jefferson explained, made it necessary to use more equipment to carry a given tonnage.

For instance, with the average drop experienced in 1946, the CPR would have needed 7000 more cars to haul the 54,800,000 tons it handled in 1946. The 1947 figure was 51,400,000.

Submission by railway counsel of an exhibit showing comparative freight rates on coal in Canada and the United States since 1920 drew objection from counsel for the Provinces.

Col. J. L. Ralston, Maritime representative, argued the U. S. rates were not relevant, and the Commission ruled the U. S. figures would be disregarded.

As Mr. Jefferson concluded, cross-examination was taken over by C. M. Locke, counsel for British Columbia.

Asked if the CPR had made a profit on its rail freight operations in 1946, Mr. Jefferson said, "that all depends on what you mean by profit."

He added that operating revenues for freifht were in excess of expenses. However, he did not have the figure for expenses. He could not say what was the average cost of hauling a ton of freight.

When Mr. Locke began questioning the witnesses about the cost of hauling freight in British Columbia, C. F. H. Carson, railway counsel, protested aaginst discussing operations in a single Province.

The questioning was allowed to continue, and Mr. Jefferson said he was not able to say whether freight operations in British Columbia had shown a profit or loss last year.

Radar Subject At Nakusp Board Meet

NAKUSP, B. C. Feb., 21—H. O. Bolstad was the guest speaker on Monday evening at a largely attended meeting of the Board of Trade. The subject was "Radar" and was intensley interesting.

A. Bedard reported on the proposed new fire truck and stated that a net profit of $78.00 had been made at the Carnival held Friday evening.

A Board of Trade Committee was formed to act with the fire brigade and were named as follows: President of the Recreation Association, J. Parent, Jr., with J. C. Harper, J. Argyle, H. Wood and C. Wanstall.

A resolution from Brouse asking for 150 yards of road to be built from Teleznick's to connect with Crescent Bay was endorsed.

C. S. Leary occupied the chair.

Miracle Town Has Everything —But Cars

By FRASER MACDOUGALL
Canadian Press Staff Writer

MARATHON, Ont., Feb. 21 (CP) —The 150 families who settled in this new Lake Superior pulp mill town some 125 miles East of Port Arthur since last Summer took up life in a new community without a trace of the hardships and inconveniences they might have experienced in the Northland a quarter-century ago.

They moved into shining new houses, carefully laid out on a picturesque tree-clad townsite overlooking Lake Superior. They found electric lights, running water and a sewer system. Housewives shop at a well-stocked general store and can grab a quick snack at a modern drug store soda fountain. All can take in the latest movies at a new theatre which can accommodate more than 500 patrons.

RECREATION CENTRE

Soon a modern community hall—with an auditorium which will double as a badminton floor, club rooms for community organizations, a billiard room, pool tables and bowling alleys—will be completed to brighten up life still further.

The hall represents the final stage in a modern construction miracle in which the town and its sole industry the 300-ton sulphate pulp mill, of the Marathon Paper Mills of Canada Limited, were erected in three years.

However, the town lacks one of the familiar sights in most centres — automobiles. A few trucks travel its streets, from which the deep snow is well plowed. But generally autos are conspicuous by their absence. But they wouldn't be much use, except to drive to work, for so far there is no highway link with the outside. Everybody comes and goes by train.

The six-room school, which opened last September, has 110 pupils.

SPORTS PROGRAM

The company sponsors a busy sport program as recreation for its employees and it has plans for development of a picnic spot on Penn Lake, a pretty nearby spot.

The hotel has a beverage room but no liquor store. Liquor drinkers send outside for their supplies.

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Should Police Shoot at Suspects?

Mayor G. G. McGeer of Vancouver is dynamic in his determination to clean up the crime situation in the Coast city. With characteristic vigor, he has shaken up the police force, demanded action, made demotions and promotions, reorganized the law forces of the city. There was much evidence that action was needed. Vancouver had developed a crime record of which the citizens were both frightened and ashamed.

But there can be dangers of uncontrolled police energy. Chief Mulligan, for example, issued an order that conveyed the idea that if a policeman were suspicious of any place he should keep after it until he had secured a conviction. Of course, the Chief meant that the policeman should keep after it until his suspicions should be proved correct or incorrect, but the inference given was that if the police had suspicions against anyone then that person must be guilty.

Then, should police be too quick to shoot? Here is a report from the Vancouver Daily Province:

A 67-year-old city woman was wounded in the leg by a stray shot from a policeman's gun Saturday night as the officer and his partner were chasing a suspect in the downtown area.

Mrs. Annie Campbell, 2862 Pandora, was reported by General Hospital authorities to be only slightly hurt, however—X-rays showed that the bullet passed through the flesh of her upper left leg and grazed her right leg but touched no bone.

Seconds after two warning shots cracked from constables' revolvers a 22-year-old bricklayer, Walter Takaryk, no fixed address, was arrested and charged under a Criminal Code vagrancy section dealing with begging.

Takaryk pleaded guilty to the charge before Magistrate Mackenzie Matheson in Police Court today, and was sentenced to three months at hard labor.

No mention of the shooting was made in court.

Mrs. Campbell was standing on the sidewalk at the Southeast corner of Smythe and Richards with a friend, Stanley Trent, 505 Cardero, waiting for a Northbound No. 14 streetcar.

Suddenly Mr. Trent heard what he thought was a tire blowout, and Mrs. Campbell exclaimed:

"I've been hit!"

The woman momentarily swooned, and Mr. Trent helped her into the nearby Dufferin Hotel.

A desk clerk called police and a Kingsway ambulance in which Mrs. Campbell was rushed to General Hospital emergency ward.

Police said they believe the bullet which caused the injury came from the gun of Constable W. L. M. Smith, and must have ricocheted off a building or some object before striking the woman. The slug has not been found.

Both Constable Smith and Constable R. Gibson fired shots.

They reported that the chase of the suspect began at 10:30 P.P. in the heart of the theatre district at Chris' Grill, 872 Granville.

As the two officers were walking past the cafe on their beat, they saw a man inside leaning over the counter and suspected trouble.

They entered, and Mrs. Chris Stamatis, wife of the proprietor, told them the man—who appeared to be under the influence of alcohol—had asked her for seven cents as she stood near the cash register.

The man then darted out of the cafe, and the constables gave chase, around the corner and East on the South side of Smythe.

The officers thought the fugitive might have a gun—he reportedly had held his hand over his sweater as if concealing something—and when he approached a lane entrance between Seymour and Richards Constable Smith shouted to him to stop and fired a warning shot over his head.

It was this shot, police believe, which ricocheted off something and struck Mrs. Campbell.

The man turned into the lane, and Constable Gibson fired another warning shot, then continued in hot pursuit and caught Takaryk some distance down the lane.

When Constable Smith joined him—after heading around some houses to cut off the suspect—the two officers searched Takaryk, but found no gun.

Without knowing all the facts, it would be wrong to assert that the policemen fired unnecessarily, but the question may well be raised if police should be spraying bullets around because a person whom they merely suspect of a crime is running away. The man, finally charged, had at that time been found guilty of no offense, he had not even been charged with any offense, and when brought into court was convicted of trying to beg seven cents.

The public in the neighborhood where the shots were fired by the two policemen may have thought that a tommy-gun carrying Dillinger was being pursued.

Letters to the Editor

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

Palestine Letter

To the Editor:

Sir—In connection with the recent controversy regarding conditions in Palestine which has appeared in your columns, it might be in the public interest to give the widest publicity to the following letter which appeared in the London Times a few days ago:

LONDON—Five eminent British Jews, including Lord Reading, Neville Laski, Lord Bearsted and Anthony De Rothschild, this morning wrote to the Times' editor to say:

"It is reported the Jewish National Council for Palestine has refused the Government's request for cooperation in suppression of terrorism. We hope this report is not well founded, but in any event we urge the Jewish Agency and every individual Jew to show an appreciation of the requirements of the situation and render all assistance within their power to the Palestine Government.

"Jews all over the world have a deep appreciation of humanity and justice which Great Britain has so long manifested to Jews everywhere, and we earnestly hope that a just and lasting solution may soon be found for the present tragic situation in Palestine."

Does it seem reasonable that these eminent British Jews would write such a letter if the British Administration in Palestine was guilty of the atrocious conduct attributed to them by the Rev. Mr. Silverwood?

"NEUTRAL."

Nelson, B. C.

Looking Backward

10 YEARS AGO

From The Daily News of Feb. 22, 1937

Three more winners emerged in the American sectional tournament of the Nelson Badminton Association at the Civic Centre hall during the weekend. They were: C Section, Douglas Male and Miss Alla Johnstone; D. Section, Mr. and Mrs. Vic Owen; E Section, Dr. Jones and Miss W. Nisbet.

Final payment on the Highland Surprise Gold Mines Limited property at Retallack was made in Nelson over the weekend, it was announced Sunday night by Joe Gallo, manager of Kootenay Ore Hill and Sheep Creek, and of the Highland Surprise Mine.

25 YEARS AGO

From The Daily News of Feb. 22, 1922

Holding their 25th annual "at home" in Eagle and K. P. Halls last night, the Knights of Pythias entertained about 200 guests at a delightful dance, whist drive, and most sumptuous banquet. Winners in whist were: Ladies' first, Mrs. E. Gammon; consolation, Mrs. J. H. Tait; men's first, W. A. Jones; consolation, George Logan.

W. J. Bowser, leader of the Conservative Party in British Columbia, is expected to visit Cranbrook Saturday.

40 YEARS AGO

From The Daily News of Feb. 22, 1907

Captain and Mrs. Johnstone of the local Salvation Army Corps were given a great sendoff last night at the Army barracks, on the occasion of their departure for Toronto, where they will attend a conference with General Booth. Captain Moore of Cranbrook, who will take charge here temporarily until Captain Johnstone's return, was also officially welcomed.

Miss DesBrisay of the Home Hospital, who has been laid up with an attack of typhoid fever, was out yesterday for the first time since her recent illness.

Today's Horoscope

The person who has a birthday today should cultivate self-confidence, self-esteem, and a better outlook on life. You are too apt to be pessimistic. You are capable of great things, if you will accept the present happiness and not worry about the future. You are generous to a fault, and can love deeply. This morning may have proved depressing and troublesome, but later in the day optimism is in the air. Do not let yourself be deceived by specious promises during the year now starting. Avoid extravagance and law. Peruse all documents carefully, and do not let your heart rule your head. Generous and very kind-hearted will be the child who is born today, fond of travel but threatened with serious trouble through false friends, correspondence and improvidence.

HOROSCOPE FOR SUNDAY

You always will enjoy good health and prosperity. You are far-sighted, determined, and well-balanced, just, loving and generally well liked by all your friends and associates. Your home is very dear to you. This day inclines toward confusion, wishful thinking and incitations. The evening, however, favors public contacts and dealing with groups. Conflicting influences predispose to some gain in your next year, followed by loss through deception or over-generosity. Watch expenditure. Have nothing to do with get-rich-quick schemes. Keep to routine. A child who is born on this day should early be taught to realize the value of money and not to allow the emotions undue sway. Friends and business associates will need to be carefully chosen.

Words of Wisdom

Nothing is harder to direct than a man in prosperity; nothing more easily managed than one in adversity.—Plutarch.

?? 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.

Reader, Nelson—Have you received the Horoscope for Feb. 13, and if so, could you print it in your column?

Although a good and close reasoner, you are, at some critical time, apt to be impractical. Speculation would be dangerous for you. You are fond of music and art, and have some ability in both. You prefer the company of the opposite sex and are quite popular. Your year is indicative of both loss and gain. Ultra-modern concerns and methods promise most success, but you should avoid litigation and incurring the animosity of those in authority. Property matters are ill signified. This birthday is doubtful regarding business, new projects, health and changes. The child born today will also experience ups and downs, the health being indifferent when young. Financial disappointments are likely, but an ultra-modern career will prove fortunate.

Curious, Chapman Camp—Would you explain who were the "Old Contemptibles"?

The original British Expeditionary Force of about 160,000 men that went to France and Belgium under General Sir John French immediately after the outbreak of the First World War in 1914 is known in history as "The Old Contemptibles".

R. O., Nelson—Why do some china dishes develop hundreds of tiny cracks?

This is called crazing. It usually occurs in semi-porcelain, because the body of this ware is softer than the glaze. The glaze contracts and causes the surface to break into a network of fine cracks.

Sport Fan, Trail—Where did the title "Dodgers" originate as a designation for an athletic team?

While there may possibly have been teams of Artful Dodgers in the old days, from the comic strip character of that name, the Brooklyn Dodgers certainly gave rise to the modern vogue. Brooklyn, a city in its own right for probably 100 years before becoming a borough of Greater New York, and with a present population of 3,000,000, had its representative professional team in the National Baseball League for 30 or 40 years before being merged. But even in those days the metropolitan newspapermen considered it as essentially rural, and the ball club bore various designations in different eras. The last but one of these nicknames was the Robins, in the '20's, supposed to signify a suburban locale. That did not last more than a season or two, and then the sport writers invented the term, "Trolley Dodgers," to signify suburbanites. This was naturally shortened before long to "Dodgers," and the aggressiveness of the Brooklyn team soon gave this name a new and aggressive meaning, and it has been widely adopted in athletic sport.

Press Comment

JAPAN ACCEPTS NEW CONSTITUTION

By an overwhelming vote and after three months of discussion, the Japanese Diet has approved Japan's new constitution. That document, unparalleled in history, will become the supreme law of the land next month.

While approval was to be expected, in view of its origin by Government leaders and occupation authorities and its indorsement by Emperor Hirohito and Gen. Douglas MacArthur, the constitution is notable for numerous reasons:

It sweeps away at one fell swoop the whole theocratic, militaristic and imperialistic system under which that country has been ruled for centuries.

It strips the Emperor of all sovereign rights but keeps him only as the "symbol of the state, deriving his position from the sovereign will of the people."

It establishes a "bill of rights" and sets up for the first time in Japan's history certain "inalienable privileges" of the population, including freedom of religion, press, assembly, speech, and freedom to dismiss officials.

It abolished the old appointive house of peers and substitutes for it an upper house of "councilors" who will be elected but who may be overridden by the lower chamber by a two-thirds vote.

It does away with an antiquated judicial system and sets up a powerful supreme court whose members are appointed by the cabinet.

Most significantly, the new constitution renounces war as a sovereign right of the nation and states that the "maintenance of land, sea and air forces, as well as other war potential, will never be authorized."

Cynics may view this latter provision with a great deal of suspicion, yet if there is any people that have the opportunity to build up a peaceful, contented life for themselves, it is the Japanese. They will pay for their defeat for many years to come, but they will be relieved of supporting a vast military force for possible future use. Funds that other nations will use for that purpose can be diverted by the Japanese for reconstruction and for development of cultural, educational and economic interests of the people.

In any event, the defeat of Japan, its occupation under an enlightened genius in the form of Gen. MacArthur, and its acceptance of a history-making constitution augurs well for the future of that land.—Spokane Spokesman-Re-

Test Yourself

1. Can you answer these three Biblical questions? Where did the marriage feast occur when Jesus performed His first miracle by turning water into wine?
2. Where did the miracle of the raising of Lazarus take place?
3. On what sea did Jesus walk?

TEST ANSWERS

1. At Cana.
2. Bethany.
3. The Sea of Galilee.

Etiquette Hints

It is not necessary to thank a maid or a waitress when she passes food to you at dinner.

Nelson Kiddies Receive Tuberculin Test

Miss Jean McVicar, foreground, and Miss Nancy Lee, background, Public Health Nurses, are shown here conducting the tuberculin patch test on Central School pupils at Nelson. The test is being carried out in Nelson schools prior to the opening visit of the Tuberculosis Mobile Clinic.—Daily News photo.

UNSCRAMBLED GERMAN BROADCAST REVEALED SECRET WEAPON INFO

LONDON, Feb. 21 (Reuters)—Britain knew the German program for developing flying bombs by the second month of the war, Professor R. V. Jones, former Director of Research Intelligence at the Air Ministry said last night.

Information of "incredible value" about German secret weapons was unexpectedly received from an outside source in October 1939, he said in a Royal United Service Institution lecture.

"Our naval attache in Oslo, somewhere in October, 1939 received an anonymous letter saying that if we would like to know various German technical developments all we need do was to alter the wording of the preamble of our German news broadcast on a particular evening.

"We altered the preamble, information arrived and it was the most amazing statement I have ever seen. It included information that the Germans had under development two kinds of radar, one of which was already in use. It also told us of important experimental stations, that rocket and glider bombs were being developed, and other things too.

"It was so comprehensive that many people thought it was a plant because no one man could possibly have that amount of information . . . as time went on, and one time after another in the Oslo report came out, one obviously had to trust it."

LONDON, Feb. 20 (Reuters) — Hitherto secret details of a wartime "decoy" exploit for which three fliers, two of them members of the RCAF were decorated more than four years ago were disclosed last night.

Prof. R. V. Jones, former Air Ministry Director of Research Intelligence, recounted events of the Winter of 1942-43 which led to awards to PO. E. A. Paulton and Flt.-Sgt. W. Bigorat, both of the RCAF, and to PO. J. Jordan of the RAF.

In a speech to the Royal United Service Institution, Jones said:

"In December, 1943, it was obvious that the Germans were bringing into their aircraft radar equipment to down our bombers, and it was necessary for one of our bombers to 'trail his coat' in front of a German night fighter.

"On Dec. 2 an aircraft went out and did just that, succeeding almost too well, because it was attacked no less than 11 times by night fighters and every member of the crew was wounded. . . .

"They then came down in the sea near Marston, Kent, and fortunately were all picked up.

"Out of that we had a practically complete picture of the German night defences as they stood."

WORK OF BRITISH DESIGNER, FAMED FOR SUITS, COATS, FOR CANADIANS

By DENISE DALTROFF
Canadian Press Staff Writer

LONDON, Feb. 21 (CP)—Peter Russell, London designer who has signed a five-year contract with a Canadian firm allowing them to use his designs is known best for his suits and coats.

On these he is considered an expert, constructing his designs on simple basic lines, and paying infinite attention to small details and accessories.

The linings of his coats and costumes really match, or if they are in contrasting colors, the effect is repeated in the blouse or dress. Buttons and belts also incorporate the main color schemes.

LARGE POCKETS

Travel coats, another of his specialties, are made with an eye to comfort and usefulness. He never forgets large pockets for the odd things that can't be squashed into the luggage.

Other highlights of recent Spring exhibitions:

Norman Hartnell's shimmering evening dress in copper colored lame with a small tight-fitting ruched bodice. The skirt fell in heavy folds, some of them caught up into the waist again.

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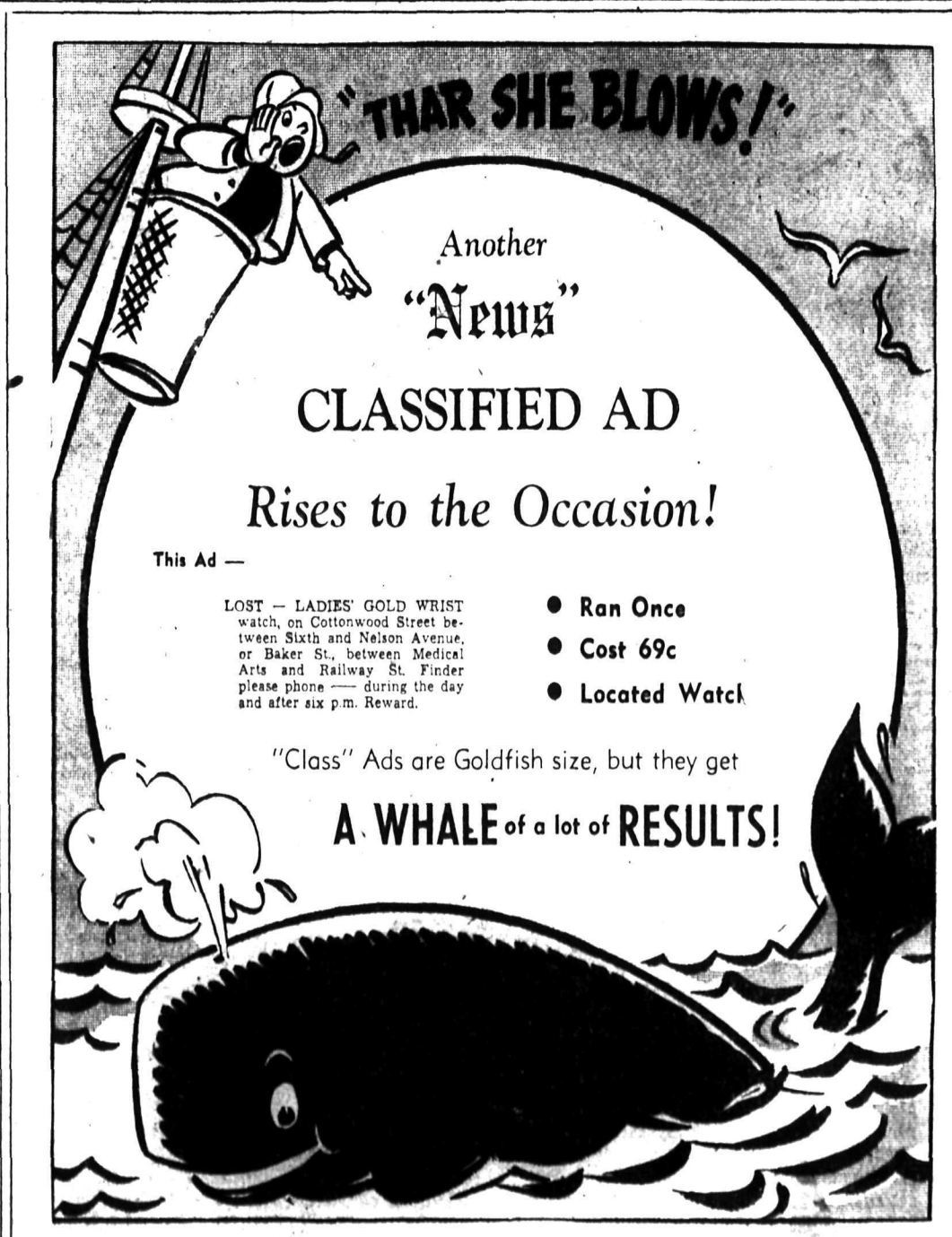

SPORTS

l Chance for Third-Place Tie / Leafs in Last League Games

on Maple Leafs' chance of g off sole third place honors a-glimmering, the green and s have only one hope left— Trail Smoke Eaters drop their hree games and that Nelson the pair remaining on its list. a situation would land the in a third place tie and give Western International League tive a headache.

kend games may solve the on. One win at Kimberley for es, either Saturday or Monould give them the third place and the privilege of having d game of the League semion their own ice.

if Smokies drop both games lso their last one next Friday Kimberley on their own ice, Leafs capture their Saturday games against Los Angeles Ramblers as well as their game with Dynamiters here a week from Saturday, then the League moguls will have a tough problem to solve.

Only other games remaining are two between Los Angeles and Spokane, one next Wednesday and one a week from Sunday.

Settlement of the Trail-Nelson situation this weekend would likely mean cancellation of 'Kimberley's last trip to West Kootenay. It was decided at the annual meeting that the trip would be dropped if the games made no difference to the final standing. Season ticket holders would be permitted to use their tickets for the first game of the playoffs.

League President Curley Wheatley indicated at Trail that the best of five semi-finals might open on March 3, with the second game on March 5.

Rinks, Record Entry, for High / hool Bonspiel at Nelson March 1

hird annual High School Bonl at Nelson March 1 will see heaviest entry yet. T. A. Walsaid Friday 24 rinks had ened, compared to 19 last year 16 the year before.

entry will necessitate starte games Friday night in order off the three competitions—rimary, Secondary and Conso-. Nelson Curling Club has givrmission for use of the rinks 4 to 7 o'clock and again at 11 k Friday night.

t games will be played at 4 :30 P.M., and a third draw will nder way at 11 P.M.

prizes, the Wood, Vallance and the North American Life y, are at stake in the Primary Secondary events, and a third xpected for the Consolation. accompanying prizes have donated also, and others are being purchased.

Next year, Mr. Wallace hopes to see a B. C. entry in the Western Canada championships for high school students. The matter was discussed at the recent annual meeting of the B. C. Curling Association at Nelson. It was decided that it was too late this season to declare a champion to go to the playdowns at Regina, but that next year the Association would give the required official recognition to the declaring of a B. C. representative. A sponsor which would take care of the students' expenses will also be sought.

Last year at Nelson, Cranbrook took the Primary event, Salmo the Secondary and Nelson the Consolation at the 'spiel here.

Rinks this year are coming from Fernie, Kimberley, Cranbrook, Salmo, Grand Forks, Trail and Rossland.

known Finnish Lumberjack / ns Canadian Cross-Country Ski

By ROBERT CLARKE
anadian Press Staff Writer

AUPRE, Que., Feb. 21 (CP)—A faced, 150-pound Finnish lumck, Lauri Huuki of Sudbury, seemed to bear out today that begins at 40, or to be exact, 42. e light of his victory in the -country competition in the adian Ski championships.

complete unknown so far as adian competition was concernthis was his first time in the inion meet—Huuki sped over a hat the rumors estimated 13½ miles long in one minutes and seven seconds. Sudbury skier, Bill John me second in the race while place went to Gault Gillespie ontreal. Johnson's time was 53 seconds slower than Huuki's while Gillespie was 55 seconds behind.

1952 OLYMPICS FOR CANADA?

Also of opening day interest was the disclosure by A. Sydney Dawes of Montreal, President of the Canadian Ski Association and head of this country's Olympic Games Committee, that efforts might be made to attract the 1952 Olympic games to Canada.

Today the men's and ladies' downhill races will be run off on the slopes of Mont Ste. Anne near here.

The Canadian Junior crosscountry event yesterday over a four-mile course ended with two 18-year-old Quebec skiers gaining a share of the title. Paul Dennie and Sarto Marcotte completed the run in identical times of 25 minutes, 27 seconds.

amilton Tie-Up / ith Charleston / nly Provisional

a story Feb. 21, The Daily News ed W. S. Hamilton, M.E., as Coning Engineer for the Slocan rleston property, near Retallack. r. Hamilton said Friday, how-, that he had agreed to visit the perty as soon as snow conditions mitted and make an examin-n. Subject to all conditions be- satisfactory between the Com- y and him, Mr. Hamilton said might then be retained in an isory capacity.

t present Mr. Hamilton is acting for the Oxide property at Ymir ernational Mining Corporation Canada Ltd., Mining Corporation Canada and Conwest Exploration joint venture), the Ottawa Sil- Mining Corporation, Slocan , and the Morning Star Mine of MacMillan Interests of Toronto.

ORMANS WRING / KINGS 24-18

egaining their foothold against eral losses earlier in the basket- season, the Norman Senior s handed the Vikings a 24-8 bbing Thursday afternoon.

ombatting Normans lead during h quarter, it was not until late he game that John Leschuk and ing supporters, Allan MacDon- and Ray Benedetti, caged the ority of their team's baskets.

tar hoopster of the Norman line- was Ken Coskey, who popped in e goals amounting to 18 points his team's total.

Lineups were:

Normans—L. Irwin, K. Coskey, B. cLean, R. Johnson, G. Sherbinin, Stringer, J. Brummitt.

Vikings—R. Benedetti, A. Mac- nald, G. Pickering, D. Bone, C. glio, R. Burgess, J. Leschuck, Renwick.

S.) Back in / ockey Tie

PRAGUE, Feb. 21 (AP) — The ited States Amateur Hockey m got back into a tie for second ce in the world championships ay by defeating Poland, 3-2.

he Americans, Austraia and echoslovakia all have eight points h with Sweden leading at nine nts.

ustria defeated Romania 12-1 ay.

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Nelson Ladies' Curling

Mrs. A. H. Whitehead 15, Mrs. A. Lee 5.

Mrs. B. B. Stallwood 9, Mrs. T. S. Jemson 4.

Mrs. D .S. Valentine 10, Mrs. C. Ward 7.

Mrs. A. H. Whitehead 11, Mrs. T. A. Wallace 6.

Mrs. C. Ward 12, Mrs. J. C. Muir 7.

Miss June Neville won by default from Mrs. E. McIntyre.

Miss June Neville 12, Mrs. J. C. Muir 4.

Mrs. C. Norris 8, Mrs. B. B. Stallwood 6.

Mrs. T. S. Jewson 11, Mrs. A. Lee 12.

Mrs. J. Thom 7, Mrs. E. McIntyre 13.

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Spokane Players To Attend Dodgers' Baseball School

SPOKANE, Feb. 21 (AP)—Manager Ben Geraghty and seven newly-signed members of the Spokane Indians baseball team will attend the Brooklyn Dodgers' new baseball school starting March 1 at Pensacola, Fla., Business Manager Denny Spellecy said today.

He said the Dodgers will give 300 minor league players from all sections of the nation a concentrated course in baseball at the six-weeks school, first of the kind in the country.

Spokane players scheduled to attend are Pitcher George Janauska, Outfielders Gus Stathos, Bob Duchaney, Bill Criz, Jr., and Wilfred Rheingans, Infielders Charles Sarver and Ray Miller.

"You Spell it Judge"

HAMILTON, Texas, Feb. 21 (AP) —A District Court Judy listened to a forgery case and returned this verdict:

"We, the jury, find the defendant guilty and assess his punishment at two years."

"Well, gentlemen," said Judge R. B. Cross, "you should amend the verdict by adding the words, 'In the State Penitentiary'."

"We knew that ought to be in there, Judge," one juror said, "but there wasn't any one of the jury who knew how to spell penitentiary."

Hockey Schedule

Hockey schedule of the Nelson Amateur Hockey Association Saturday morning will be as follows:

7:00 to 8:00—F.A.C. Midgets.
8:00 to 9:00—F.A.C. Bantams.
9:00 to 10:00—M.R.K. Bantams.
10:00 to 11:00—Ranger Bantams.
11:00 to 12:00—Bantam Pool.

Bird-Chasers Open Finals Here Sunday

Having ended a second night of tournament games, finals of the Nelson Badminton Club's present competition will be played all day Sunday starting at 9:00 a.m. Finals of the men's singles handicap event will be held at 12:00 noon, with open event playoffs commencing at 2:00 p.m. Seating arrangements will be made for spectators attending Sunday's games.

Draws for Sunday's games follow:

9:00 a.m. — E. Hearn and R. Rutherglen vs B. Cornwall and B. Cornwall; B. Collinson and G. Allen vs H. Mackenzie and J. Morey; R. Stewart and J. Fraser vs B. Jones and G. Male; P. Cornwall vs J. Coates; L. Shandler and M. Whimster vs J. Granberg and S. Paterson.

9:30 a.m. — W. Ridge and B. Collinson vs I. Ramsay and W. Ramsay; M. Whimster and H. Mackenzie vs J. Fraser and G. Coletti; G. Male and N. Ashley vs P. Thompson and B. McKay; J. Dunnett vs F. Thompson.

10:00 a.m. — P. Cornwall and I. Ramsay vs M. Whimster and L. Shandler; P. Wade and J. Morey vs W. Ridge and B. Moran; M. McLeod vs B. Jones; J. Fraser vs P. Thompson; J. Dunnett and G. Coletti vs F. Thompson and B. McKay.

10:30 a.m. — T. Fox and D. Abbey vs H. Mackenzie and J. Morey; G. Coletti vs I. McLeod; winner of McLeod-Jones vs winner of Fraser-Thompson.

11:00 a.m. — E. Hearn and M. McLeod vs R. Rutherglen and B. Moran; winners of Ridge-Collinson-Ramsay-Cornwall vs P. Cornwall and B. Cornwall; winners of Thompson-McKay-Colletti - Dunnett vs winners of Fox-Abbey-Mackenzie - Morey; winners of Shandler-Whimster-Granberg - Paterson vs winners of Jones-Male-Fraser-Stewart.

11:30 a.m. — E. Hearn vs J. Dunnett; W. Ramsay vs R. Rutherglen; winners of Whimster-Mackenzie-Fraser-Colletti vs winners of Male-Ashley-Thompson-McKay.

Thursday night's results follow:

Ladies' doubles handicap — B. Jones and G. Male beat M. McLeod and L. Hendricks 21-11; J. Fraser and R. Stewart beat M. Cattell and J. Morey 21-10; L. Shandler and M. Whimster beat B. Lawrence and K. Wilson 21-13; B. Lawrence and K. Wilson beat E. Langstaff and B. Curlette 21-9.

Ladies' singles open — W. Ridge beat P. Thompson 15-3, 15-3.

Mixed doubles handicap — L. Shandler and F. Thompson beat F. House and T. Rutherglen 21-12; M. Whimster and H. Mackenzie beat M. Arneson and R. Brown 23-20; J. Fraser and G. Coletti beat T. Fox and M. Fox 21-14; R. Emory and A. Freeman beat S. Dawson and J. Glover 21-11; E. Hammer and J. Dunnett beat B. Lawrence and R. Stewart 21-15; N. Ashley and G. Male beat L. Hendricks and C. Rutherglen 21-14; P. Thompson and B. McKay beat S. Paterson and K. LePage 21-19; M. Davis and R. Wassick beat K. Wilson and M. Harris 21-15; M. Whimster and H. Mackenzie beat L. Shandler and F. Thompson 21-14; J. Fraser and G. Coletti beat R. Emory and A. Freeman 21-14; G. Male and N. Ashley beat E. Hammer and J. Dunnett 21-16; P. Thompson and B. McKay beat M. Davis and R. Wassick 21-12.

Men's singles handicap — B. McKay beat R. Bone 21-18; G. Coletti beat J. Glover 21-9; I. McLeod beat L. Webster 21-10; J. Dunnett beat B. McKay 21-11; F. Thompson beat C. Rutherglen 21-10.

Men's doubles open — E. Hearn and R. Rutherglen beat G. Coletti and J. Dunnett 12-15; 15-12, 15-7; H. Mackenzie and J. Morey beat N. Ashley and J. R. Fleming 15-12, 15-12; B. Collinson and G. Allen beat F. Thompson and B. McKay 15-9, 15-10.

Men's doubles handicap — H. Mackenzie and J. Morey beat I. McLeod and R. Stewart 21-14; T. Fox and D. Abbey beat R. Brown and J. Glover 21-19; A. Freeman and K. LePage beat R. Bone and M. Harris 21-15; L. Webster and D. Smith beat R. Robinson and R. Wassick 21-10; F. Thompson and B. McKay beat C. Rutherglen and T. Rutherglen 21-13; H. Mackenzie and J. Morey beat L. Webster and D. Smith 21-15; J. Dunnett and G. Coletti beat A. Freeman and K. LePage 21-10.

Mixed doubles open — M. McLeod and E. Hearn beat E. Hammer and J. Dunnett 15-3, 15-1; L. Hendricks and C. Rutherglen beat B. Moran and R. Rutherglen 15-8, 15-9; P. Cornwall and B. Cornwall beat M. Whimster and H. Mackenzie 15-6, 15-5.

Men's singles open — E. Hearn beat N. Ashley 15-11, 15-1; G. Allen beat R. Rutherglen 15-9, 15-1; W. Ramsay beat T. Fox 15-10, 15-10.

Pete Smith Outbowls Aussie Batsmen

SYDNEY, Australia, Feb. 21 (CP) — Spin-bowler Pete Smith shone today as England dismissed nine New South Wales batsmen for 336 in the first day of a four-day match between the touring England eleven and the Australian state representatives.

Smith, who underwent an operation only a month ago, turned the ball better than at any time during England's Australian tour and claimed eight wickets at a cost of 119 runs

K. Carmody and A. Morris, the state's opening pair, put on 78 runs befor a smart piece of stumping gave Smith his first wicket and broke the stand.

Though Smith claimed the first three wickets, including those of test batsmen Morris and Syd Barnes, the score went over the 200 mark.

To Insert Extra Bases on Grand Challenge, Aggregate Curling Cups, List Winners Inscribed

Two major prizes in the annual B.C. Bonspiel, the Grand Challenge and Grand Aggregate trophies, are being enlarged to accommodate plaques bearing annual winning rinks for several years to come. Both cups are having an additional base inserted as no more space is available at present.

To facilitate easier reading of yearly champions since the trophies were donated, H. M. Whimster of Nelson has listed the names in chronological order on single sheet copies, to be kept inside the cups and added to as the trophies are handed down year by year.

The Grand Aggregate Cup was presented to the B.C. Curling Association by J. C. Drewry in 1911. Although winners of several years are missing, following are the top rinks represented on the Cup since 1911, in order of skips, thirds, seconds and leads:

1911—J. F. Pinkham, Colonel Walker, A. Howe, G. Miller (Calgary).

1912—J. H. Wallace, A. J. Dill, Frank Deacon, George Douglas (Nelson).

1913—C. D. Blackwood, George Douglas, A. Williamson, D. St.Denis (Nelson).

1914—J. H. Forin, D. Guthrie, J. A. Smith, T. D. Stark (Nelson).

1915—J. H. Wallace, A. J. Dill, T. D. Stark, R. J. Armstrong (Nelson).

1916—A. T. Walley, C. I. Archibald, G. Thurman, H. W. Robertson (Nelson).

1917—Dr. J. B. Thom, Hunter Woodburn, J. E. Carter, Walter Oddy (Trail).

1918—A. T. Walley, C. I. Archibald, G. Thurman, H. W. Robertson (Nelson).

1919—A. T. Walley, C. I. Archibald, D. Proudfoot, R. Bishop (Nelson).

1921—J. E. Carter, J. A. McLeod, R. D. Young, I. McLeod (Trail).

1922—C. D. Blackwood, George Douglas, W. J. E. Biker, T. Keith (Nelson).

1923—N. Michaely, J. Burden, J. K. Cram, W. C. Gelling (Rossland).

1925—T. W. Leddingham, F. R. G. Dredge, J. B. Gray, Edward Murphy (Nelson).

1927—W. M. Vance, H. M. Whimster, A. Browne, A. McCallum (Nelson).

1928—T. James, J. McGowan, W. Cleave, G. Dahlgren (Kimberley).

1929—W. M. Vance, J. A. Vance, E. L. Vance, W. E. Vance (Nelson).

1930—Roy Stephen, R. G. Boyle, R. B. Shelledy, J. W. Hunter (Rossland).

1931—A. Jeffs, W. Marr, L. McKinnon, J. Dingwall (Nelson).

1932—E. James, C. Gelling, T. Caldwell, P. Johnson (Kimberley)

1934—G. C. MacKay, A. B. Ritchie, J. Scott, W. G. Jewitt (Trail).

1936—A. M. Chesser, W. B. Hunter, C. M. Thomson, C. C. Forrest (Trail).

1939—D. MacDonald, W. I. Wood, J. A. McAllister, R. P. Dockerill (Trail).

1940—D. Campbell, D. Garnham, Cy Glover, C. Shultz (Vancouver).

1941—D. MacDonald, R. P. Dockerill, W. S. Ross, H. H. Miller (Trail).

1942—A. M. Chesser, D. D. Balfour, D. MacLennan, A. F. Balfour (Trail).

1943—T. D'Amour, Bob McGhie, Rege Stone, Roy Stone (Trail).

1944—D. MacDonald, J. M. Mark, G. G. Service, J. LaPage (Trail).

1945—Rege Stone, W. S. Ross, Roy Stone, A. A. Simonson (Trail).

1946—A. M. Chesser, J. H. Salter, Mat Gordon, J. J. Cameron (Trail).

1947—Frank Avery, W. Morrison, N. Wiginton, F. Wolfe (Vancouver).

Following are the inscribed Grand Challenge Cup winners since the trophy was donated to the Kootenay Curling Association in 1899 by J. G. Morgan:

GRAND CHALLENGE CUP:

1899—T. M. Beamish, D. B. Bogle, A. B. Barker, W. McQueen (Rossland).

1900—J. Rae, A. Carrie, T. Lillie, D. Porter (Nelson).

1902—A. E. Hall, W. Hood, A. McMillan, F. Ritchie (Sandon).

1903—R. B. Bougher, I. Crawford, T. J. Hardy, O. B. Smith (Phoenix).

1905—A. T. Walley, A. Carrie, H. B. McIntyre, W. Pearcy (Nelson).

1906—T. S. Gilmour, T. G. Chaloner, H. R. Grant, F. E. Armstrong (Rossland).

1907—A. T. Walley, A. Carrie, J. G. Bunyan, B. N. Ouimette (Nelson).

1909—J. E. C. Fraser, F. W. Pretty, G. C. Chube, A. Cameron (Rossland).

1910—A. T. Walley, G. Robertson, A. S. Hunden, W. A. Thurman (Nelson).

1911—H. Houston, W. H. Jones, Frank Seamon, George Revell (Nelson).

1913 — C. D. Blackwood, George Douglas, A. Williamson, D. StDenis (Nelson).

1914—J. H. Woodburn, J. H. Young, J. W. MacLeod, N. McIlroy (Trail).

1916—R. J. Gardiner, W. Bonthron, F. Larima, J. Donaldson (Grand Forks).

1917—O. M. Shore, F. W. Pretty, T. I. Dunn, J. M. Burden (Victoria).

1918—N. B. Wilkes, Roy Stevens, M. A. Henderson, R. T. Evans (Rossland).

1920—D. Guthrie, J. G. Bunyan, G. A. Potter, F. W. Stirling (Nelson).

1922—C. D. Blackwood, George Douglas, W. J. E. Biker, T. Keith (Nelson).

1923—J. H. Woodburn, J. B. Thom, J. Forrest, O. Rygh (Trail).

1924—R. Somerville, W. Morton, W. Brown, W. Ramsay (Trail).

1925—C. D. Blackwood, George Douglas, W. J. E. Biker, R. L. McBride (Nelson).

1930—Roy Stevens, R. B. Shelledy, R. J. Boyle, J. W. Hunter (Rossland).

1932—D. Martin, G. Scott, J. McLaren, J. McMaban (Kimberley).

1934—Roy Stevens, R. J. Boyle, J. W. Hunter, W. H. Blair (Rossland).

1935—D. MacDonald, J. Campbell, W. Wood, R. P. Dockerill (Trail).

1936—D. M. Martin, G. Scott, J. McLaren, A Scott (Kimberley).

1939—W. M. Vance, J. A. Vance, E. L. Vance, W. E. Vance (Nelson)

1940—A. M. Chesser, D. McLennan, E. A. Mitchell, M. M. O'Brien (Trail).

1941—W. Finlay, R. David, F. Tinling, W. Lesage (Vancouver).

1942—A. M. Chesser, D. D. Balfour, A. McLennan, A. F. Balfour (Trail).

1943—C. H. Marshall, E. C. Hunt, Elias Fisher, A. H. Whitehead (Nelson).

1944—J. McFarlane, C. P. Nesbitt, A. A. Dill, G. W. Russell (Kimberley).

1945—R. C. McGerrigle, E. Strachan, G. Donaldson, V. E. Ferguson (Trail).

1946—Rege Stone, W. S. Ross, P. F. McIntyre, Roy Stone (Trail).

1947—Frank Avery, W. Morrison, N. Wiginton, F. Wolfe (Vancouver).

Canadiens May Tour West

MONTREAL, Feb. 21 (CP)—Canadiens Hockey Club officials said today they are planning a Western tour with Boston Bruins after the National Hockey League season ends and the Stanley Cup playoffs are decided.

The tentative trip would send the teams to Winnipeg, Edmonton, Vancouver and then down into the United States to Seattle, Portland and possibly Los Angeles.

It is expected about 50 persons, including wives of players, will make the trip.

Coach Dick Irvin, in telling his Canadiens of the proposed tour, said he expected them first to win the N.H.L. title again and defend successfully the Stanley Cup, otherwise he "wouldn't want to go out West with a lot of explanations at every stop 'of how we didn't do it.'"

Want Two Referees For N.H.L. Play

MONTREAL, Feb. 21 (CP)—The two top men who engineer the playing end of Canadiens Hockey Club came out today with the flat suggestion that the National Hockey League adopt a two-man referee system because the present setup is falling apart "in trying to keep up with the speed of the game."

General Manager Frank Selke and Coach Dick Irvin said they have come to the conclusion that a single referee—aided by two linesmen for off-side calling only—can scarcely fulfill his responsibility as the official in complete charge of a game and with sole jurisdiction in awarding penalties.

Scores 31 Points

SEATTLE, Feb. 21 (AP) — Norm Baker, Vancouver's "one-man gang," fired 31 points through the hoop last night to lead the Canadian quintet to a hard fought 57-55 win over the Seattle Blue Devils in a pro cage league contest.

The Baker splurge sent the victors out in front for the first time five minutes before the end of the contest, but the score seesawed until the final seconds when Art Chapman, Hornet playing manager, could not find anyone to pass to and flipped in an uncanny one-hander to take a 56-55 lead. Baker dropped in a free throw with one second to go to close out the scoring, and set a new high scoring mark in Seattle play.

HOCKEY SCORES

By The Canadian Press

INTERCOLLEGIATE
Toronto 3, McGill 2.
Montreal 7, Queen's 4.

QUEBEC PROVINCIAL
Cornwall 7, Verdun 3.

O.H.A. SENIOR
Toronto 3, Hamilton Pats 9.
Owen Sound 4, Stratford 3.

PORCUPINE SENIOR
McIntyre 3, Hollinger 4. (Hollinger leads best-of-five finals 2-1).

Cubs Take Junior Semis

VERNON, B. C., Feb. 21 (CP)—New Westminster Cubs trampled Vernon Junior Rotary 16-1 here Thursday night to capture the best-of-three British Columbia Junior Hockey semi-finals series in two straight games. Cubs won by another lopsided score, 13-2, last night.

Paced by Gordie Langtgon, George Reid and Dick Ramsden, Cubs grabbed a commanding 6-0 lead in the opening gcanto, increased it to 11-0 in the middle period and added five more counters in the final session against a singleton by Vernon.

Langton scored five goals and assisted in an equal number to pace the New Westminster sextet, while Reid and Ramsden each converted the hat-trick. Roddy MacLeod and Mickey Maguire notched a brace each. Denny Barklay counted the other cub marker.

Stan Berry rammed home the only Vernon goal.

FORSYTHE RINK TAKES 3RD EVENT

WINNIPEG, Feb. 21 (CP) — C. (Roy) Forsythe and his Strathcona Club foursome today won their third trophy in the Manitoba Curling Bonspiel when together with Marno Frederickson's rink, also from Strathcona, they defeated two rinks from the Granite Club in the Ganongs Trophy event.

Forsythe had previously won the Winnipeg Electric and Black and Armstrong events.

Winnipeg Flyers Win First of Series

WINNIPEG, Feb. 21 (CP)—Winnipeg Flyers defeated their city rivals, Stylists, 7-3 here tonight in the first game of a best-of-seven series for the Manitoba senior hockey title. About 3000 fans saw the contest.

Market Trends

VANCOUVER (CP)—Rising mines were a feature while oils and industrials eased off. Total sales were 74,365 shares.

TORONTO (CP) — Brisk trading in a handful of industrials and mining issues resulted in losses for the former and gains for the latter within narrow range.

MONTREAL, (CP)—Prices were irregular.

NEW YORK (AP)—Recovery ruled with a few wide "blue chip" movers giving the averages a good lift.

CHICAGO (AP)—Selling increased in wheat after gains extending to nearly 4 cents had been established during the first two hours.

LONDON (Reuters)—Publication of the government's second white paper failed to influence stock markets and they finished the week in dull manner.

Calgary Livestock

CALGARY, Feb. 21 (AP) — The cattle market opened Monday 25 cents lower, but this loss has been regained on good butcher cattle.

Thursday's receipts: 295 cattle, 9 calves, 372 hogs. 472 sheep. This morning: 120 cattle, 54 hogs, 173 sheep.

Hogs sold Thursday at $20.35 for A's at yards and plants.

Good to choice butcher steers, $13.25 to $14; common to medium, $11 to $13. Good to choice butcher heifers, $12.25 to $12.75; common to medium, $10 to $12.

Good to choice fed calves, $13 to $13.40; common to medium, $11.50 to $12.50. Good cows, $9.75 to $10.25; common to medium, $8 to $9.50.

Canners and cutters, $6 to $7.75.

Good bulls, $10 to $10.50; common to medium, $9 to $9.75. Good to choice veal calves, $12 to $13; common to medium, $9.00 to $11.50.

Good stocker and feeder steers, $11.25 to $11.75; common to medium, $10 to $11.

Good lambs, $13 to $13.25.

VANCOUVER STOCKS

MINES		
Bayonne	.15	.15½
Bralorne	12.65	12.75
B R Cons	.08½	.08¾
B R X	.12	.12½
Cariboo Gold	2.90	3.00
Congress	.06½	.07¾
Dentonia	.25½	.26½
George Copper	.12	.15
Golconda	.17	—
Grull Wihksne	.11	.12
Hedley Mascot	1.26	1.27
Int C & C	.43	—
Island Mountain	1.70	1.75
Silver Ridge	—	.30
Kootenay Belle	.10½	.11½
McGillivray	.15	—
Minto	.05	.06
Pacific Nickel	.15	.15½
Pend Oreille	2.95	3.25
Pioneer Gold	4.00	4.10
Premier Bord	.06	.07
Premier Gold	1.20	1.25
Privateer	.57	.58
Quatsino	.13½	.16
Red Hawk	.06½	.08
Reeves MacD	1.40	—
Reno Gold	—	.10
Salmon	.25½	.26
Sheep Creek	1.47	1.53
Silbak Premier	—	1.00
Sunloch	.14	—
Whitewater	.02¼	.02½
Taylor Bridge	.67	.70
Wellington	.04½	.05
OILS		
Anaconda	.06¼	.07
Anglo Can	1.37	1.40
A P Cons	.16	.18
Calgary & Ed	2.32	2.33
Calmont	.34	—
Commoil	—	.42
Commonwealth	.38	.45
Dalhousie	.45	.46
Foothills	2.45	2.60
Home	3.25	3.40
McDougal Segur	.08½	.09¼
Okalta Com	.50	.55
Pacalta	1.10	1.15
Royal Can	.08⅛	.09
Southwest Pete	—	.30
Spooner	.09⅛	.10
Sunset	.09¼	.10
Vanalta	.13½	.14½
Vulcan	.22	.24
INDUSTRIALS		
Capital Estates	9.50	9.60
Coast Brew	3.30	3.40
Pacific Coyle	.45	—
Powell River	36.00	36.50
UNLISTED MINES		
Big Missouri	.03¼	—
Bluebird	.03½	.06
Brooklyn St	.05¾	.08
Central Zeballos	.02½	.03
Canty	.03½	.05
Cuyuni	1.27	1.29
Federal	.02	.02½
Hedley Amal	.08	.09
Home Gold	.01⅜	.04½
Marble Bay	—	.20
Noble Five	.01¾	.02¼
Olympic	.07	.08
Pac East Gold	—	.11
Pilot	.02	.03
Prosperine	.14	—
Spud Valley	.20	.21
Taylor Windfall	.03⅝	.03⅞
Vananda	.41	.42
Wesko	.02	.03
UNLISTED OILS		
Freehold	—	.03
South End Pete	.03	.04
United	.11½	.12

NEW YORK STOCKS

American Can	94.00
American Smelting & Ref	58.25
American Telephone	172.25
American Tobbacco	78.70
Anaconda	41.25
Beth Steel	96.00
Canadian Pacific	14.10
Dupont	191.00
General Electric	38.10
General Foods	42.50
General Motors	62.30
Howe Sound	35.00
International Nickel	34.50
Inter Tel & Tel	16.50
Kenn Copper	47.25
Stan Oil of N J	66.70
Union Oil of California	22.00
Union Pacific	131.00
U S Rubber	59.00
U S Steel	77.50

MONTREAL BANKS

BANKS	
Commerce	22.50
Dominion	28.65
Imperial	28.85
Montreal	27.00
Nova Scotia	38.35
Royal	24.75
Toronto	38.50

DOW JONES AVERAGES

30 industrials	182.26	up 1.52
20 rails	51.64	up .34
15 utilities	37.42	up .06

Toronto Stocks

MINES	
Amal Larder	1.55
Anglo-Huronian	8.90
Ansley	.10½
Arjon	.24
Armistice	.09
Astoria	.18
Aubelle	.29
Aumaque	.62
Aunor	4.62
Bagamac	.23
Base Metals Mining	.11
Bear Exploration	.79
Beattie Gold Mines	.82
Beaulieu Yellowknife	.46
Bevcourt	1.25
Bidgood Kirkland	.22
Bobjo Mines	.20
Bonetal	.43
Boycon	.14
Bralorne	13.50
Broulan	.46
Buffalo Ankerite	4.25
Buffalo Canadian	.32
Buffalo Red Lake	.40
Calin Flin Flon	.18¼
Campbell R L	3.05
Can Malartic	.75
Cariboo Gold Quartz	2.90
Castle-Trethewey	1.30
Central Patricia	2.00
Centremaque	.20
C Porcupine	.21½
Chesterville	3.90
Citralam	.10
Cochenour	3.15
Coin Lake	.48
Colomac Yellowknife	.27
Coniaurum Mines	1.45
Consolidated M & S	88.00
Conwest	1.27
Crestaurum	.35
Croinor	1.22
Delnite	2.23
Dickenson Red Lake	1.53
Discovery	.88
Diversified	1.30
Dome Mines	21.25
Donalda	1.48
Duquesne	1.33
Duvay	.18
East Amphi	.40
East Malartic	2.20
East Sullivan	3.95
Elder	1.16
Eldona	.73
Falconbridge Nickel	5.05
Fed Kirkland	.09
Francoeur	.31
Frobisher	2.95
Giant Yellowknife	6.10
Gillies Lake	.16
God's Lake Gold	1.66
Gold Crest	.22
Gold Dale	.21
Golden Arrow	.39
Golden Gate	.39
Golden Manitou	2.83
Gold Vue	.39
Grandoro	.12
Gunnar Gold	.52
Hallnor Mines	5.05
Hard Rock Gold	.55
Harker Gold	.16
Harricana	.17
Hasaga	1.33
Heath	.25
Heva Cadillac	.86
Hollinger	10.75
Homer	.12
Hosco	.57
Howey	.41
Hudson Bay M & S	41.50
Indian Lake	.21
Inspiration	.78
International Nickel	35.75
Int Uranium	.59
Jacknife	.11
Jack Waite	13.25
Jason	.49
Jellicoe	.08½
Joliet Quebec	.74½
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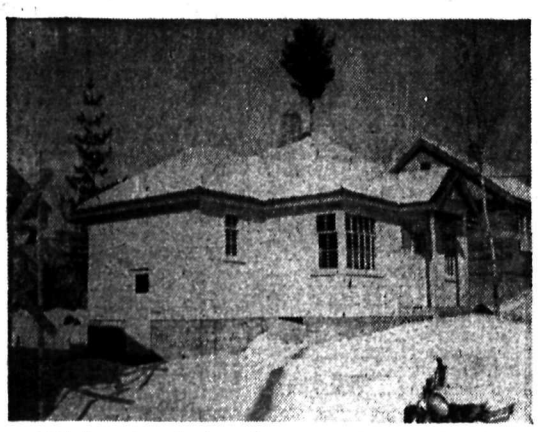
Wartime Houses Fill Out

Only awaiting flooring before completion is this brand new Wartime Housing residence in the Nelson uphill district.



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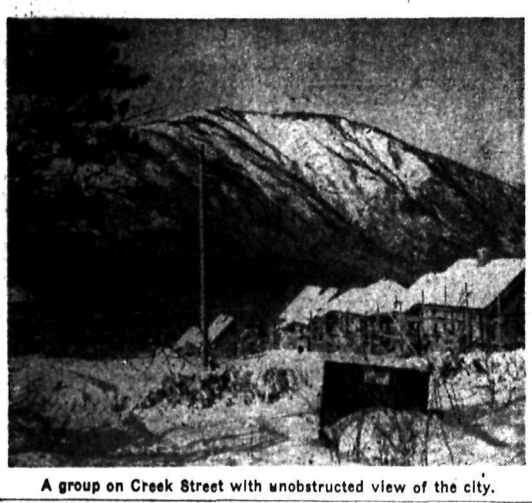

A group on Creek Street with unobstructed view of the city.

District Head

Don C. Ure of Nelson, who took his oath as District Commissioner of the Nelson and District Boy Scouts Association last Sunday. In Boy Scout work for 25 years, Mr. Ure was appointed Commissioner three months ago, succeeding R. R. Brown.—Daily News photo.

Red Sox Again

Lanky Ted Williams, slugging outfield star of the Boston Red Sox, is shown signing his 1947 contract at a reported salary of more than $70,000. Williams reportedly earned $42,500 from the Sox last year.

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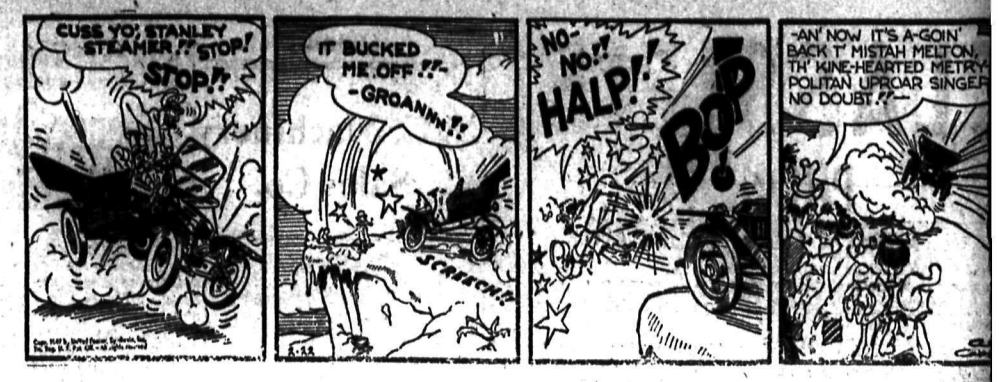

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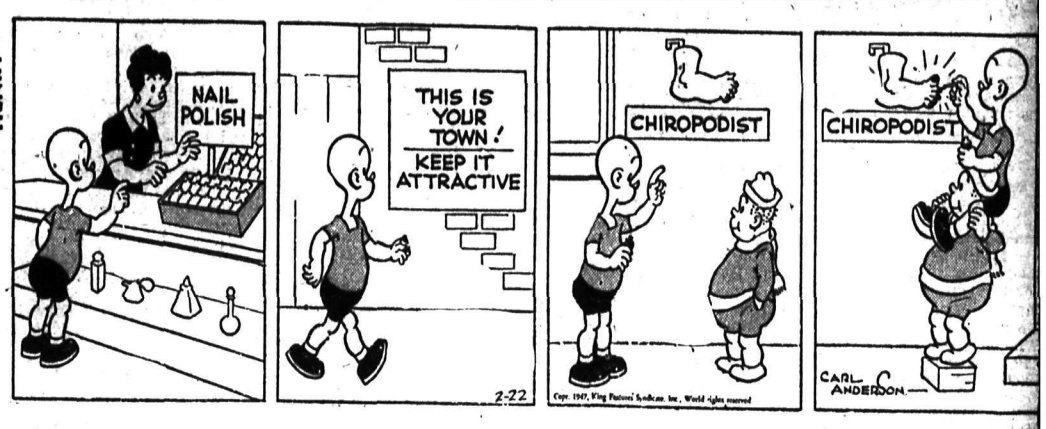

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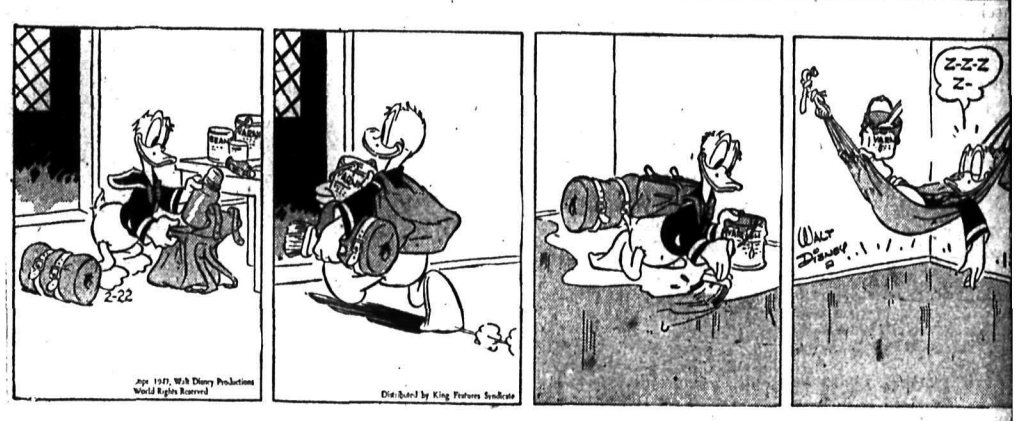

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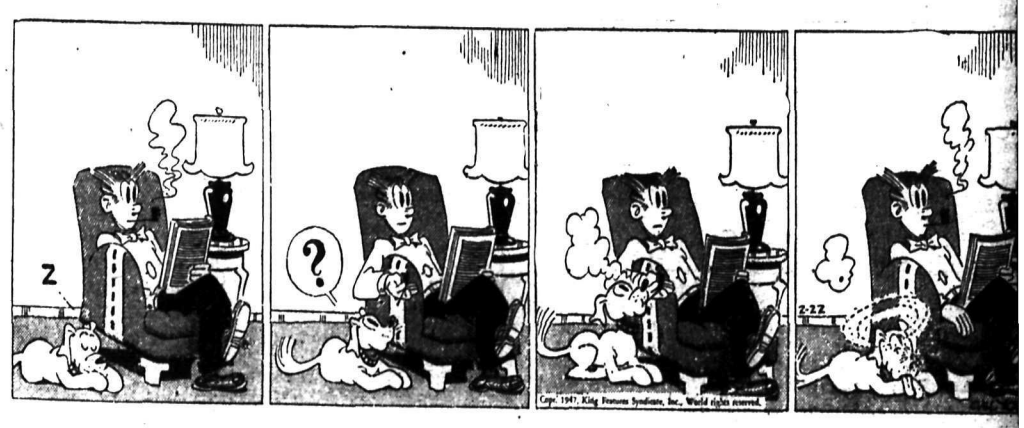

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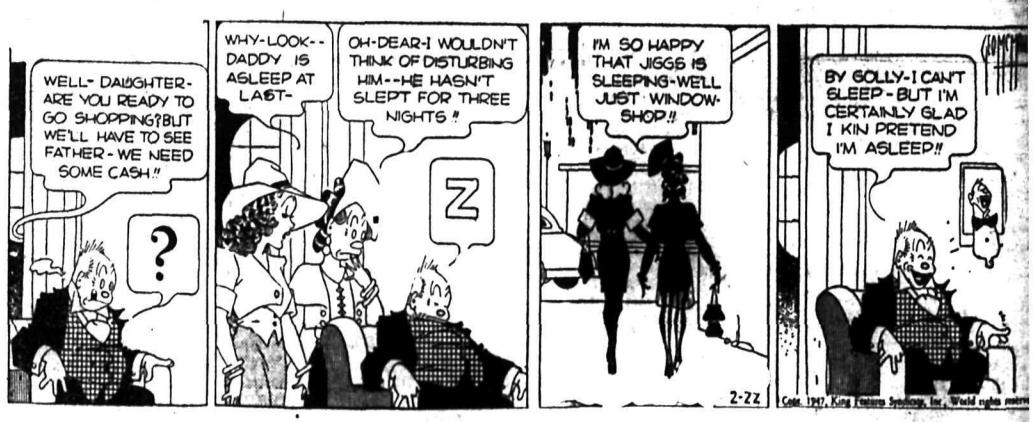

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Monday, March 10th, 9:00 a.m., Nelson.

Tuesday, March 11th, 9:00 a.m., Creston.

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Saturday, March 15th, 9:00 a.m., Cranbrook.

Monday, March 17th, 9:00 a.m., Invermere.

Wednesday, March 19th, 9:00 a.m., Fernie.

Wednesday, March 19th, 9:00 a.m., (PST) Golden.

Application forms and full particulars may be obtained from the District Forester at Nelson or the Forest Ranger at examination centres. Completed applications should be forwarded to reach the District Forester by March 4th, or failing this must be presented to the examiners at the time of the examination.

These examinations are being conducted to establish eligible lists for the fire season of 1947, from which appointments to positions now vacant will be made according to candidates' standings in the examinations.

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Province of British Columbia Department of Public Works

Regulating Loads and Speed on the Southern Trans-Provincial Highway and Other Highways

The undersigned being a person authorized by the Minister of Public Works in writing to exercise the powers vested in the said Minister under Part II of the "Highway Act", and being of the opinion that the Southern Trans-Provincial Highway from Laurier to Carson Corner, and the Christina Lake West Road from Cascade to Christina Lake are liable to damage through extraordinary traffic thereon, hereby make the following regulation pursuant to Section 33 of the said Act.

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Hockey's Big 7

By The Canadian Press

Thursday's lone National Hockey League game had no effect on the scoring race standings as the three scoring leaders in action were held pointless.

The Leaders:

	G	A	Pts
Richard, Montreal	35	22	57
M. Bentley, Chicago	20	29	49
Kennedy, Toronto	23	23	46
D. Bentley, Chicago	17	27	44
Schmidt, Boston	19	23	42
Taylor, Detroit	14	27	41
Bauer, Boston	20	19	39

Ironmen Keep Top Spot From Eagles

By The Canadian Press

Portland Eagles, who need just not victory to clinch top spot in the Pacific Coast Hockey League's Northern division, failed to make the grade in Portland Thursday night as the second place Seattle Ironmen blanked them 2-0.

The Ironmen's hopes of replacing the leading Portland sextet, while slender, are mathematically possible. To oust the Eagles, Seattle must win all six of their remaining games and the Portlanders drop their five contests.

In the Southern Division, Oakland Oaks supplanted Fresno Falcons in fourth place by whitewashing the Falcons 6-0 in Oakland.

The victory for the Oaks was their 20th of the season and their second shutout.

Smithers Pucksters League Champions

PRINCE GEORGE, B. C., Feb. 21 (CP) — Smithers captured the Northern British Columbia Hockey League championship Thursday night by holding an aggressive Quesnel sextet to a 3-3 tie to win the two-game, total goal series 8-5.

Smithers won the opening game 5-2 Wednesday night.

An all-star aggregation from the Northern League will meet Revelstoke Saturday in the opening game of the Coy Cup playdowns. Second game will be played Monday.

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22. Capital (Russ.)
25. Tear
27. Exclamation of disgust
28. Throws
31. Tardy
34. Hewing tool
35. Juice of plants
37. Born
38. Merry
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43. Flower
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49. Support

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3. A catkin
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5. Quick
6. Group of three
7. Husk
9. Capital (Egypt.)
12. Twilled fabric
13. Kind of cap
15. A system of rules
18. Steal
21. Sloths
23. Salt (chem.)
24. Altering
26. Footlike part
28. Label
29. Species of primrose
30. American Indian
32. Age of adolescence
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36. Part of the eye
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44. Place

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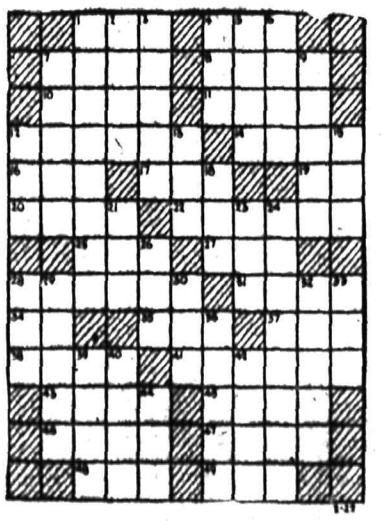

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Harrop W.I. Marks Jubilee

HARROP, B.C., Feb. 21 — Celebrating the Golden Jubilee of the founding of the Women's Institute, the Harrop and District W.I. held a social in the Church Hall.

A speech of welcome was given by Mrs. J. W. Hobson who spoke of the work of the Institute and in particular of the duties of the Harrop and District group.

Mrs. A. B. Smither, charter member introduced by Mrs. Hobson, gave an interesting address on the forming of the W.I. 33 years ago when all travel was done by water. "The difficulties and miseries of crossing the Lake in open boats in cold weather were endured cheerfully when it meant meeting friends and neighbors," she said.

Prizes for competitions were won by Mrs. Lipizski, Mrs. Boyce, Mrs. Hong and Mrs. Dubois.

Tea was served to the 40 members and guests who attended.

MONCTON, N. B. (CP) — A certain Moncton collie now convinced that man is his best friend. Limping from an injured paw, the dog hovered near a doctors home for several days before he would let anyone approach him. The doctor patched him up and now the pooch refuses to leave.

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At Nelson District Scout-Guide Banquet

Celebrating Boy Scout-Girl Guide Week, these leaders of Nelson and District joined in a banquet at the Golden Gate Wednesday night. About 40 attended.—Daily News photo.

Porkers Rate Record Price Tag at Chicago

By WILLIAM FERRIS

CHICAGO, Feb. 21 (AP)— The pigs coming to market nowadays are the most valueble combination of meat and lard ever to land in the Chicago stockyards.

With prices experiencing a persistent upturn, pigs today are "black gold" to the farmer who reared them, and a mighty wallop to the pocketbook of the consumer who will eat the meat that comes off them.

Average price of all hogs sold on the union stockyards was the highest in history at approximately $26.50 a hundredweight. Top price of $27.50 matched the all-time record high set last Oct. 15. A year ago price ceilings on live hogs was $14.85.

Responsible for the price advance livestock sources said, were small receipts and a continued good demand.

How high will hog prices go?

That depends, traders said, upon how much consumers are willing to pay for pork, but there are some estimates that $30 a hundredweight will be reached before the new crop starts coming to market in May. Everyone admits that's a fabulous price for a pig.

Hogs arriving at stockyards now are the product of last Spring's crop, which was comparatively small. Last autumn's pigs won't have enough weight on them for a trip to market until this Spring.

"Already 80 per cent of the 1946 Spring pig crop has been marketed," an agriculture department spokesman said. "The outlook is for a continuing small run over the next several months."

LONGBEACH

LONGBEACH, B. C.,—A very enjoyable evening was spent Saturday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. G. Ward. Cards were the feature of the evening. Refreshments were served by the ladies of the community.

The school children held their Valentine's party last week. After an exchange of valentines refreshments were enjoyed by all.

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Rossland Social ..

ROSSLAND, B. C., Feb. 20 — The regular meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of St. George's Anglican Church was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Morley Newman. Routine business was transacted with the President, Mrs. B. Fulton presiding. After the business period a social hour was spent and dainty refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. E. Jewell. Those present were: Mrs. Fulton, Mrs. R. H. Mann, Mrs. F. W. Marsh, Mrs. H. Evans, Mrs. E. Jewell, and the hostess, Mrs. M. Newman.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Kalek and daughter Colleen of China Creek were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Thomas, LeRoi Avenue.

Mrs. I. Atkinson entertained the members of the Pioneer Circle of St. Andrew's United Church Monday night. Mrs. G. Bishop President, presided and gave the Devotional. Routine business was transacted. Arrangements were made to attend a joint meeting of all the circles on April 8th. After the business session was completed, a social hour was held. Mrs. T. B. McMillan, a guest of the evening, gave an interesting talk on India, which was greatly enjoyed. Mrs. G. Bishop invited the members to meet at her home on March 17. It was decided to hold a St. Patrick's social and invite the members of the Government Square Circle to attend.

At the close Mrs. Atkinson assisted by her daughter Miss Betty Atkinson served dainty refreshments. Those present were Mrs. G. Bishop, Mrs. T. B. McMillan, Mrs. E. Jamieson, Mrs. L. Vollett, Mrs. J. E. Gordon, Mrs. J. Shearer, Mrs. McHaliam, Sr., Mrs. A. E. Thomas, Miss M. Willie, Miss Jennie Henderson and the hostess Mrs. Atkinson and daughter Miss Betty Atkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips entertained at the dinner hour Monday evening, when they honored their twi ndaughters, Mrs. J. D. (Hilda) Tait and Miss Olive Phillips, on their 21st birthday. The dinner guests were: the honorees, Olive and Hilda, Mr. and Mrs. George Best, Mr. J. D. Tait, Mr. and Mrs. J. Phillips and Rowland Phillips. Later in the evening a number of the girls' friends called and had a surprise party for them. Games, contests were played with prizes being awarded to Miss Jean McMartin, Gladys Jecks, J. D. Tait, Rowland Phillips, Mrs. J. D. Tait and Walter Closson. Music singing and dancing were enjoyed after which refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. George Best, Miss Muriel Garvin and Miss Madeline McIvor of Trail. The nicely appointed tea table was centered with twin birthday cakes prettily decorated with yellow and green and each was topped with 21 lighted blue tapers. Those present were the honorees, Miss Olive Phillips, Mrs. J. D. Tait, Mr. Tait, Mr. and Mrs. George Best, Mr. and Mrs. Denis Lalonde, Miss Bertha Paul, Miss Margaret Leduc, Miss Isobel McNab, Miss Jean McMartin, Miss Caroline Manning, Miss Agnes Manning, Miss Gladys Jecks, Mrs. Betty Churchill, Miss Lorna Reed and Miss Eleanor Closson and Miss Muriel Garvin and Miss Madeline McIvor of Trail, Cyril DeKuysscher, G. Gipman, Gerald Stevenson, George and Walter Closson.

ROSSLAND, B.C. — The regular meeting of the Government Square Circle of St. Andrew's United Church was held on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. E. E. Perkins, Second Avenue. The President, Mrs. H. Lefevre presided and gave the devotional reading. An interesting report of the W.A. Executive meeting was read. Members accepted an invitation to attend the Birthday Anniversary of the Women's Missionary Society to be held on Monday, February 24. After the business session a social hour was enjoyed and dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Lefevre. Those present were Mrs. T. B. McMillan, Mrs. A. H. Freeman, Mrs. H. Clegg, Mrs. J. C. Urquhart, Mrs. H. Lefevre and the hostess, Mrs. A. E. Lane invited the members to meet at her home on March 4.

Mrs. Thomas Wood left on Tuesday for Vancouver, where she will visit her son Alec, who is a patient in the Vancouver General Hospital. While at the Coast she will also represent the Rossland Branch of the Red Cross at the Red Cross Provincial Conference being held in Vancouver.

LAFACE-SHIELDS

The Manse of St. Andrew's United Church was the scene of a lovely Suring wedding Wednesday afternoon, when Rev. Thomas B. McMillan heard the marriage vows of Mrs. Mariam Shields, youngest daughter of Mrs. R. Arndt of Rossland and the late Mr. Arndt, and Irvin F. Laface, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Nidholas Laface, Rossland.

The petite bride, who was given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Mr. Leonard Nyman, was becomingly attired in a navy blue wool tricotine, dressmaker suit, which featured a flared peplum with which she wore a white celanese crepe blouse with square embroidered yoke. A chic white straw chapeau, which was trimmed with a spray of white lily of the valley and a bouffant bow of starched navy veiling. White pigskin gloves and black pumps completed her ensemble. Her corsage was of white carnations, while a strand of pearls, the gift of the groom was the only ornament worn by the bride. Mrs. Leonard Moll, sister of the bride, was the matron of honor, while Donald Laface, brother of the grom was bestman. After the ceremony a reception was held for 50 guests at the annex of the Empire Cafe. The bridal couple were assisted by their mothers in receiving guests. The bride's table was centred with a decorated three tiered wedding cake, which was topped by a miniature bride and groom beneath a floral arch. It was flanked on eitherside by tall yellow tapers in silver sconces and silver baskets of daffodils. Yellow tapers in crystal sconces and vases of daffodils were artistically arranged on all the tbales. Rev. T. B. McMillan proposed the toast to the bride and the groom gave a suitabel response. After the first cut was made jointly by the bride and groom, the cake was cut by Mrs. Joe Albo, sister of the groom. The serviteurs were Mrs. Leonard Nyman, sister of the bride and Mrs. B. Ferrey, sister of the groom. Later the couple left for a honeymoon, which will be spent motoring to Spokane, Seattle and other American points. For travelling the bride donned a grey herringbone tweed tailored suit, with which she wore a shell pink celanese blouse, a brown felt hat and brown shoes. She carried a brown muskrat coat, and a matching muff parse. On their return they will reside in Rossland.

MOOSE JAW, Sask (CP)—Roy Carlson stood at a street corner and asked a passerby to call a taxi, explaining that he had broken his leg. The pedestrian wanted to call an ambulance but carlson insisted on a taxi. President of the Saskatchewan Handicapped Civilians' Association, Carlson had broken his artificial limb.

End of "Civil Incapacity" Is Aim Of Quebec Women's Campaign

MONTREAL, Feb. 21 (CP)—Quebec women have placed a big baby in the arms of the Provincial Government and now are preparing to provide it with nourishment to help it grow.

They are campaigning for an end of "civil incapacity" of women in this province where the civil code, based on that of France, places them as far as civil rights are concerned, in a category with minors and morons.

This campaign began 40 years ago when a few stout-hearted women, the mother of one who wept at the "disgrace" her daughter brought upon the family by speaking at a public meeting, began agitating for women's rights in Quebec.

In the face of criticism, rebuffs and even jeers, they gained a few points, climaxed in 1940 when they received the right to vote in provincial elections—a right they held in Dominion voting since 1921.

Seeking equality with their men folk, the Joint Committee on the Legal Status of Married Women, whoes chairman is gray-haired 50-year-old Mrs. Pierre F. Casgrain of Montreal, approached Quebec's bachelor premier, Maurice Duplessis, who named lawyer Leon Methot as a special one-man commission to study their demands.

PRESENT MEMORANDUM

Mr. Methot was appointed last October and three weeks ago the Women's Committee, representing 50,000 Quebec women, presented a memorandum to him.

Quebec women want the right to administer or sell as they please property which was theirs before they were married. Now, unless an agreement between the husband and wife was signed before the marriage, the wife can't do that without her husband's consent.

That is the original French community law, under which everything a wife or husband owned before their marriage becomes community property at the time of marriage. The husband also is bound by it, but is not so seriously affected, although the women are seeking the chance for the men too.

Another reform sought is that women should not be left desolate when the husband dies. Under the present law the husband can leave his wife and children without a penny in his will if he so desires.

GET ASSISTANCE

They don't expect action at the present session of the Quebec legislature because they don't think Mr. Methot will have his report prepared in time.

In the meantime they are campaigning. Copies of their brief are being sent to various organizations. Members of the league for women's rights are touring the province making speeches. Prominent lawyers and jurists are assisting them with radio addresses.

EDGEWOOD W. I. CELEBRATES GOLDEN JUBILEE

EDGEWOOD, Feb. 21—The Edgewood and Monoaklin Women's Institute celebrated the Institute Golden Jubilee with a silver tea in the Edgewood Hotel.

The rooms were filled with a crowd that mingled in traditional Institute neighborliness.

Mrs. M. Daly read the historical essay on the Institute. The program committee sponsored contests with Mrs. E. Merton, Mrs. J. N. McLeod, Jr., and Mrs. Roy Bateman winners. Mrs. Slater snapped a picture of the assembled group.

The decorations carried out the Institute colors of green, gold and white, in crepe doilies of green, edged in daffodil yellow, on which sat white candles in silver candlesticks.

The large serving table was centered with a brass candalabra, holding candles in a cross.

At tea time the shades were drawn and the candles were lighted for the social hour which ended a very successful commemoration of the Golden Anniversary.

DEATHS

HIGH RIVER, Alta., (CP) — Countess de Foras, one of the last of French nobility, who migrated to Canada in the early 1900's. Count de Foras, who died in 1927 brought his wife and family of 10 children and two domestics to Canada in 1908 to the small ranch, where the family still lives.

BRANXVILLE, N. Y., (AP) — Charles B. Towns, 85, a pioneer in the treatment of drug addiction.

CALABASAS, Calif., (AP) — Clyde McAtee, 66, veteran character actor.

TORONTO, (CP) — Col. Frobes Michie, well-known Toronto importer, died.

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C. (CP)—The first direct shipment of mail from China since the war has been distributed. It addived on the SS Atland Park.

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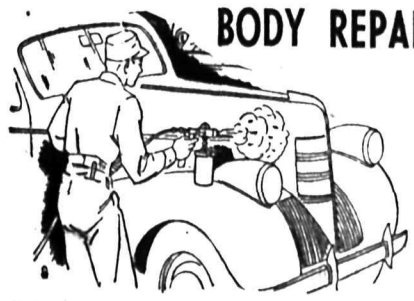
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