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Five Die in Train Mishaps

SEATTLE, Jan. 10 (AP)—Four track workers were killed and four others injured when a Milwaukee Road freight train and a large "extra gang" motor car collided today near Cedar Falls, 30 miles Southeast of here.

The three killed outright were Frank Silvers, H. Kamentz and E. Mancheski, Coroner John P. Brill, Jr., said. Railroad officials were seeking to establish their addresses. John Cooper McEachern, 42, Seattle, died at a hospital here.

The freight was an extra running from Cedar Falls to Enumclaw and Coroner Brill reported he was informed no flagman had been stationed to warn approaching trains. Ten or 11 men were on the motorcar and a few managed to leap to safety, he said.

CHAMPAIGN, Ill., Jan. 10 (AP)—The train he thought was going to stop killed an army sergeant today as he sat confidently in his stalled automobile on the railroad tracks and watched his woman companion leap to safety.

Coroner W. F. Lankin said Martha Snyder, 28, told him the soldier, Master Sgt. Gernon T. Ivory, 34, assured her "the train will stop" and not to worry.

Ivory, she said, had sent another motorist to a nearby railroad station some 45 minutes earlier to advise them that his automobile blocked the tracks.

Railroad officials said the unidentified motorist, who had tried unsuccessfully to push Ivory's car off the tracks, had not warned them about the stalled car.

Giant New Ice Span May Rival Jam Which Swept Away Honeymoon Bridge

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Jan. 10 (CP) — Rivermen today watched formation of a giant ice-bridge in the Niagara River gorge which they said might reach proportions of the 1938 ice formation that resulted in the collapse of the Honeymoon Bridge.

There was no anxiety, however, about the Rainbow Bridge which replaced that storied span.

The swift flow of water from the base ofthe Horseshoe Falls to a point 300 yards downstream has been stilled and should icy winds and snow prevail, observers predicted the "bridge" could easily stretch as far as the Rainbow Bridge before the weekend.

Should that happen, it would mark the first time in nine years that an ice formation of this length has been seen in Niagara.

In some spots the formation is estimated to be 25 feet thick.

Nine years ago this month — Jan. 27, 1938 — the Honeymoon Bridge, for four decades the footpath of the world's brides and bridegrooms, crashed with spectacular effect into the massed ice of the Niagara River.

The Honeymoon Bridge was the third of a series of bridges over the same spot, two of which were brought down by the hand of man and one by the elements.

Wed at 15

Isobel Mary Butwell, 15, who became the youngest G.I. bride-to-be on record when she arrived aboard a Pan-American clipper from London at LaGuardia Field, New York. With her wedding approved by her mother in Reading, Eng., the stocky brunette, who looks older than her years, continued on to Youngstown, Ohio, where she will marry Ex-Sergt. (now steel-worker) Paul Sinclair, 22, whom she met when she was 13 at a dance in her home-town. She said they will live with Paul's parents in Youngstown "until I become accustomed to U.S. ways."

MEAT SHORTAGE REPORT FALSE, SAYS GARDINER

30 Per Cent More In Country Than Ever Before

ASSURE EXPORT

VICTORIA, B.C., Jan. 10 (CP)—Reports concerning a current shortage of meat in Canada were termed "completely false" by Dominion Agriculture Minister James G. Gardiner nhere today.

"There is 30 per cent more meat now in Canada than there ever was, even before the war, and certainly not a shortage," he said.

Asked why, in the face of such supplies, that meat rationing must be continued, Mr. Gardiner replied that the problem was "one of distribution, no supply."

"If we are to fufill our commitments to Britain and keep up present exports of meat, rationing must be continued to ensure adequate distribution all across the Dominion," he explained.

"The people of Canada," he added, "are eating more meat than at any other time in history, even under the present system of rationing. In fact, many of them are placing their surplus meat bought into cold storage."

Hope to Settle Viet Nam Dispute

PARIS, Jan. 10 (AP) — The French Cabinet planned a special session tomorrow on the Viet Nam rebellion in Indo-China as advices from the Orient indicated tonight moderate Viet Namese were hopeful a settlement might soon be reached.

Fighting in France's Far Eastern colony shifted to the rugged highlands in the interior of Tonkin, where French forces seized the city of Sonla, 130 miles West of Hanoi, and moved to extend their control al ithe way to the Chinese frontier, 100 miles to the North.

RENT CONTROLS TO STAY

OTTAWA, Jan. 10 (CP)—Finance Minister Abbott said tonight in a brief verbal statement the Government had "no intention of abandoning" rental controls.

At the same time, other sources close to the Government said the Cabinet had considered the advisability of increasing rental ceilings and had decided against this step.

EVEN KIDS ESCAPE N. YORK CITY JAILS

Only Two of 14 Escapees of Week Are Recaptured

"CARELESSNESS"

NEW YORK, Jan. 10 (AP)—New York City's jails have proved so porous recently that even the kids are walking out.

Two teen-age boys early today pushed open a wire screen in a third-floor window of Youth House, a dentetion home, and clambered to the ground—bringing to 14 the number of prisoners escaping from municipal institutions in the last eight days.

One of the pajama-clad boys was recaptured only a block from the home. Two other escaped prisoners have been taken into custody, but 11 of the 14 still are at large.

The whole thing has been a severe headache to the Chief Correction Commissioner, Albert Williams, who was drafted for his new job Dec. 27.

CHARGES CARELESSNESS

"This department is in deplorable shape," he said bluntly yesterday. "We are not undermanned and it is silly to say we are. We have more than 1200 employees. The escapes are due to carelessness."

Williams has asked for one department official's resignation and discussed a drastic reorganization program. The former cop was handed his new job by O'Dwyer after the Mayor had criticised the former regime for permitting a prisoner convicted in a basketball "fix" case to serve as a trusty at Bellevue Hospital. O'Dwyer was told this man was using hospital phones for bookmaking activities.

The biggest prison de-population step came Jan. 2 when nine men, several with long criminal records, sawed a cell window bar and streamed out of Brooklyn's old, dilapidated Raymond Street Jail.

The warden blamed it on the condition of the 100-year-old structure, declaring "its bars are rotten, its windows are rotten."

Complains Albania Mined Corfu Straits

Britain Through U. N. Demands Apology, Compensation for Damage To Warships and Loss of 44 Lives

LAKE SUCCESS, N.Y., Jan. 10 (AP)—The British Government filed a formal complaint with the United Nations Security Council tonight charging Albania with mining the Corfu Straits where two British warships were damaged with a loss of 44 lives last October.

The 60-page document detailing the charges were handed to Assistant Secretary-General Arjady Sobolev of Russia by Sir Alexander Cadogan, British delegate on the Council.

The United Nations did not immediately make available the text of the complaint, but British sources said the London Government was demanding an apology and compensation for damage to two destroyers and for loss of life.

Fruitless direct negotiations had been carried on with the Albanian Government, British sources said.

Britain previously had complained that Albanian shore batteries fired on warships last Spring in the same area. but this was the first time a complaint was brought directly to the Security Council for action.

The complaint was the first filed by Great Britain since the inception of the United Nations.

LAKE SUCCESS, N.Y., Jan. 10 (AP)—The United Nations Security Council late today agreed to take over the administration of the free territory of Trieste. The vote was 10 to 0, with Australia abstaining.

Norman J. O. Makin, Australian delegate and Council chairman, said his country still objected to legal aspects of the agreement but would abstain in the final ballot.

Mayor Reduces Salary To Increase Pay For City Employees

MARION, Ill., Jan. 10 (AP) — Mayor Harry L. Crisp at his own request had his salary cut from $1200 a year to $1—to insure pay raises for Marion City employees.

Crisp's proposal to become a $1-a-year Mayor to eliminate his $50 monthly salary as Liquor Control Commissioner was approved by the City Council. Then the Mayor obtained passage of a measure providing for $10 monthly wage increase for each City employee.

The Mayor's term expires in four months.

CHARGE BRITISH ENVOY DEALT WITH SPY BODY

WARSAW, Jan. 10 (AP) — The British Ambassador to Poland was named today before a military tribunal as having received State and military secrets from an outlawed underground organization, accused of attempting a coup d'etat against the Polish Government.

The charge was disclosed nine days before the scheduled Parliamentary elections. Both Britain and the United States have protested that arrangements for the elections do not ensure free voting.

The British Ambassador is Sir Victor Cavendish-Bentinck.

The key figure in a sensational high treason trial, Count Grocholski, told the military tribunal he had delivered to the Ambassador information obtained by the underground and through a former employee of the Polish Foreign Minstry who also is a co-defendant.

The indictment charged Grocholski and three others specifically of conspiracy to overthrow the Government in supplying State secrets to a "foreign Ambassador" in Warsaw.

One of the co-defendants, Waldmir Baczak, 24, formerly attached to the Polish Foreign Ministry, identified in his testimony the "English Ambassador."

(Sir Victor is a veteran diplomat who has been attached to the British Foreign Office since 1918. He at one time was Assistant Under-Secretary of State. The Warsaw post is his first Ambassadorship.)

A British Embassy spokesman said it would be "inappropriate" to comment on the trial while it was still in progress. The Ambassador is flying to London tomorrow. The Embassy said he was called there for Foreign Office consultations regarding Poland's elections.

An armored car patrolled streets outside the military tribunal, while more than a score of tommy-gunners guarded the courtroom.

Propose Sending Delegation to Victoria to Take Up Question of Improvement of Nelson-Nelway Road

Initiatory steps towards forming a delegation to personally discuss the question of the Salmo-Nelway road at Victoria were taken by the Nelson Board of Trade Council at the Hume. This action followed reading of correspondence from Hon. E. C. Carson, Minister of Public Works, and Hon. Frank Putnam, Minister of Agriculture. Letters on the subject from the two Ministers were deemed unsatisfactory and it was upon the strength of this conclusion that the delegation proposal was formulated.

In a letter to the Salmo Board of Trade Mr. Carson pointed out that a ferry was now in service at Northport. The proposal to hard surface the road in one year advanced by the Salmo Board of Trade was not feasible, the Minister felt. A two-year program to improve and surface the road would follow pending legislation, he concluded.

The proposed delegation would be the second to go to Victoria recently from this District. It was suggested that the members be made up of two delegates from Nelson and one from Salmo. Keeping in mind the results of the previous delegation which promoted the building of the new Kootenay Lake ferry, the members of the Board Council maintained that much more could be done by competent representatives than by correspondence.

FOUR NAMED AS CONSPIRATORS IN BLACK MARKET

OTTAWA, Jan. 10 (CP)—Five men were named in police court today as alleged conspirators of G. Howard Lamb, night supervisor of a paper mill at nearby Hull, Que., in black market dealings in stolen ration coupons.

Lamb, taken into custody here early today as Royal Canadian Mounted Police struck after an investigation into the disappearance of thousands of butter, sugar and meat coupons from the company's premises, obtained a week's adjournment when he appeared in Magistrate's Court for arraignment on four charges.

Named with him in a warrant charging conspiracy to "obtain and transfer ration documents" were Edward Chartrand, Emile Ladouceur, James Larose, Robert James Hartley and Augustin Thibault, along with "others unknown."

None of these had been taken into custody today, but Magistrate Glen Strike was informed by the Crown that further charges were to be laid.

The arrests, it was expected, would be made shortly.

The alleged offences, according to the warrants, took place between Feb. 1 and Oct. 31 of last year.

These were the charges:

1. Unlawfully obtaining rationed foods.
2. Illegally obtaining ration coupons.
3. Conspiracy to obtain ration coupons illegally.
4. Making false statements to police.

Rival Gangs in London Clash

LONDON, Jan. 10 (AP) — The Press Association said today that street clashes between rival gangs supplying black market distributors with stolen goods have occurred during recent weeks in the dimly-lit Soho district of London, and sometimes not even the police have known the fights took place.

"The big gangs concerned in stealing food, spirits and clothing in London supply black market distributors, each of whom is the 'Big Boss' in a certain area," the agency said. "Rivalry between some of the lesser gangsters has caused bad feeling among their followers—who do not need much encouragement to resort to the use of razors."

Scotland Yard did not deny that clashes were taking place but said that gang warfare or a "crime wave, in the sense that North American newspapers might understand the expression," did not exist.

A Yard spokeseman estimated the size of gangs at 10 to 15 men, many of whom, he added, are deserters from British and other Allied forces whom the police are gradually rounding up.

QUICKIES . . . . By Ken Reynolds

"Well, what are you so downhearted about—don't tell me you found a job in the News Want Ads!"

Says Patterson Resignation Forced

MOOSE JAW, Jan. 10 (CP)—Attorney-General J. W. Corman of Saskatchewan said tonight that methods of old political days including "ill considered statements without ascertaining the facts" are being re-introduced in Saskatchewan since the Liberals swapped leaders.

Mr. Corman said that former Saskatchewan Liberal leader W. J. Patterson was forced by Agriculture Minister J. G. Gardiner to resign the position in favor of Walter Tucker, member of Parliament for Rosthern.

Order Railways To Provide Bid Particulars

OTTAWA, Jan. 10 (CP)—The Canadian Railways were ordered by the Board of Transport Commissioners today to furnish for seven provinces a long list of particulars relating to their application for a general 30 per cent increase in freight rates.

Provision of the information had been fought by the railways before the Board last week on several grounds, one of which was the claim that the work of compiling it would delay the hearings scheduled to open here Feb. 11.

The application for more data in advance of the reception of direct evidence on the railways' requested increase was made on behalf of the Maritimes, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia.

In separate decisions which agreed in the main with the majority verdict, two ofthe Commissioners — Hugh Wardrope and J. A. Stoneman—took occasion to observe that the present inquiry should not be broadened to take in territorial irregularities or discrimination in freight rates.

Some of the provincial spokesmen at last week's hearing on the application for particulars had urged that the whole question of territorial freight rates should be opened at this time.

Both separate reports agreed that, after the disposal of the current case, regional applications touching on any claims of discrimination would be welcomed.

Other particulars ordered furnished included:

Explanations of all debits and credits of the C.N.R. and the C.P.R. reserve accounts between 1936 and 1945, indicating sources of deposits and where withdrawals were distributed.

Estimates for 1947 broken down into standard classifications, with the method of computing the estimates shown.

Revenue and expenses divided between freight, passenger, mail, express and sleeping-parlor-diner divisions between 1919 and 1945.

An explanation of an estimates $13,000,000 in taxes which the C.O.R. would pay annually if the 30 per cent increase were granted, indicating where the money would go as between the Dominion and the provinces.

GOV'T. MAY ANNOUNCE PRICE POLICY TODAY

OTTAWA, Jan. 10 (CP)—It was indicated here today that the Government plans to issue this weekend—possibly tomorrow—a statement outlining its 1947 price stabilization policy and announcing the elimination of some controls.

The new policy, recently forecast in Government circles, is expected to disclose the removal of price ceilings on some durable consumer goods and at the same time express the Government's determination to keep rentals, foods, textiles — all essentia lto the cost of living — under control.

Abbott to Seek Meeting With Premiers

OTTAWA, Jan. 10 (CP)—Finance Minister Abbott announced today he would endeavor early next week to meet Premier Garson of Manitoba and Douglas of Saskatchewan to discuss further with them the complex question of new agreements on Dominion-provincial taxation relationships.

Mr. Abbott said he hoped that Premier McNair of New Brunswick, who has suspended negotiations with the Dominion for an agreement, would "be able to come too."

Bombay Riots Cause 13 Deaths

BOMBAY, Jan. 10 (AP)— Communal rioting in Bombay brought death to 13 persons and injury to 110 more in the 24 hours ending at 6 a. m., today, a communique said.

Ten of those slain and 30 of the injured, the communique said, were victims of stabbing. Police fired on mobs 17 times yesterday and reported 15 cases of arson in addition.

An earlier communique said the new outburst of communal violence was climaxed when two trucks crashed into a funeral procession, killing three persons and injuring 50.

$5 PER HOG BOOST TO SPUR PRODUCTION

OTTAWA, Jan. 10 (CP) — An increase of $2 per 100 pounds in the export bacon price for grade A1 sizeable Wiltshire sides and similar increases for other export bacon were announced by the Meat Board tonight in a move designed as an incentive to declining hog production.

The announcement said the increase, effectives next Monday, Jan. 13, will affect hogs slaughtered in inspected packing plants and will be boosted by an additional $2 increase next Sept. 1 which will continue through 1948. There was no mention of an increase in domestic prices of bacon and other pork products but Agriculture Minister Gariner predicted last week that such an increase would accompany the rise in export rates.

The increased export price followed agreement by the British Food Ministry to advance its bacon contract price from $25 to $29 per 100 pounds. Mr. Gardiner said the $4 increase, becoming fully effective Sept. 1, will represent an increase of approximately $5 per hog over floor prices based on the present agreement.

MONTY FINDS STALIN WELL

By EDDY GILMORE

MOSCOW, Jan. 10 (AP)—Field Marshal Viscount Montgomery said tonight after an interview with Generalissimo Stalin that the Russian leader appeared in excellent health.

It was Lord Montgomery's first visit to the Generalissimo since he arrived here five days ago, and the two men had a lengthy conversation.

(The Moscow radio reported Friday night that Stalin was host at a dinner for Lord Montgomery.)

The Chief of the British Imperial General Staff was quoted by Russian officials as saying he was "highly satisfied" with his talk with Stalin.

He repeated to Stalin his statement that he came to Russia as a soldier to establish contact with the Soviet army, looking toward peacetime cooperation and friendship.

Favor Increase Barley Prices Than Bonus

WINNIPEG, Jan. 10 (CP)—A brief favoring increased barley prices rather than acreage bonuses has been forwarded to Prime Minister Mackenzie King by Cecil Lamont, President of a Western grain company (North-West Line Elevators Association), it was revealed today.

Agriculture Minister Gardiner recently announced he would recommend to the Federal Government that it pay a bonus of $5 an acre to induce farmers to increase barley acreage from the 6,730,000 acres sown in 1946 to 8,000,000 this year.

He further indicated the acreage bonus would replace the equalization fee of 15 cents paid to farmers on barley marketed.

The brief to Mr. King said that "the program appears to us as being designed to meet commitments for bulk sales of bacon and pork products to the British market without giving due consideration to the best interests of the Prairie farmer."

It added that based on the 10-year average Prairie production of 24 bushels per acre the acreage bonus would bring the farmer an additional price for barley of 20 4-5 cents a bushel. Removal of the equalization fee would mean the net price increase to the farmer would be only 5 4-5 cents a bushel.

This was described as "wholly inadequate in view of the fact that Canadian barley growers are receiving from 45 cents to $1 a bushel less than export values."

If the Government persists in adopting the acreage bonus plan, the brief said, payment of the 15-cent equalization fee should be continued, and, additionally, adequate premiums should be provided for malting barley.

TO START TALKS FOR RETURN OF DAIREN TO CHINA

PEIPING, Jan. 10 (AP)—Gen. Hsuing Shih-Hui, director of Chiang kai-Shek's Manchurian headquarters, told Chinese newspapermen today that formal negotiations with Soviet authorities for return of Dairen to China would begin soon.

He said Chinese National troops that pushed into Kwantung Peninsula North of Dairen weeks ago have not advanced from positions some 15 miles from Dairen, where the troops halted to prevent any possibility of incidents with Russians in Dairen.

The Soviets have occupied and administered Dairen since Japan surrendered. An August, 1945, Sino-Soviet treaty provides the city shall be an open port, administered by China.

The United States a few days ago asked that the Chinese and Russian governments open the Port of Dairen.

Canada To Be Short 7504 Elementary Teachers by 1949

TORONTO, Jan. 10 (CP)—Canada will be short 7504 elementary school teachers by 1949 unless there is a new influx into the teaching profession, it was revealed today in a memorandum issued by Charles E. Phillips, executive secretary of the Canadian Education Association.

Argue Mrs. Dick Was Not Warned Before Statement

By ALAN RANDAL

TORONTO, Jan. 10 (CP) —Counsel for Mrs. Evelyn Dick, appealing her conviction as a torso-murderer of her husband last March, hammered away today in the Ontario Court of Appeal at his contention that Mrs. Dick received insufficient warning, or no warning at all before making statements to police.

This was particularly so, said John Robinette, K.C., the counsel for the woman convicted to be hanged in Hamilton, Feb. 7, in connection with her final statement which she said was a true version of the manner in which John Dick, Hamilton street car driver, was killed by William Bohoruk, also charged with the crime.

That last statement was given police April 12 last, on a drive in which Mrs. Dick drove them over the murder route but, said her counsel, she received no warning before talking to policemen, in fact non until the drive was over and she was provided with writing materials, at which time she said she did not wish to make a statement.

The statement, as given to the trial jury before Mr. Justice F. H. Barlow in Hamilton last October, was in question and answer form and based on policemen's notes.

At the outset of today's sitting Mr. Robinette said police made seizures of exhibits on five separate occasions in this case on dates extending from March 19 to April 18.

Yesterday the judges expressed interest in who might have had access to the exhibits after Mrs. Dick's arrest March 19, three days after her husband's torso was found on Hamilton Mountain.

Mrs. Dick's counsel delivered a nine-point attack on the conduct of her October trial and declared her conviction would be "a scandal in the administration of justice" were it allowed to stand and her father was subsequently convicted of the killing.

Mr. Robinette drew from the appeal court bench agreement that if the statements had not been given voluntarily, the jury had no right to consider that information.

HANGAR, PLANES BURN

HALIFAX, Jan. 10 (CP) — Lt.-Lt. Philip Michel, R.C.A.F. pilot of 426 Squadron, based at nearby Eastern Passage, said tonight on his return from Goose Bay, Labrador, that one large maintenance hangar, a B-17 Fortress and two C-54 Skymasters had been destroyed in a fire early today at the mammoth R.C.A.F. airdrome.

New 4 Cent Stamp To Picture Bell

OTTAWA, Jan. 10 (CP)—Canada will lay at least a partial claim to being the homeland of Alexander Graham Bell, inventor of the telephone, when she issues a new four-cent postage stamp this Spring.

The new issue, already engraved and in the hands of the Government printer, will commemorate the 100th anniversary of Bell's birth, and will be issued on the centenary of his birthday March 3.

Replacing the wartime stamp which pictured the King in military uniform, the new issue will probably be red in color, bearing a picture of the famous inventor and physicist, and carrying the dates 1847-1947. It will be the first commemorative stamp since 1939, when an issue commemorating the Royal visit was printed.

Bell was actually born in Glasgow, Scotland, and went to Brantford, Ont., with his parents in 1870. Shortly afterward, however, he went to Boston to carry on research on his father's system of visible speech.

His diary indicates that it was while on a visit to Brantford that he conceived the idea for the telephone, and it was in that city he made the first demonstration of his famous invention in 1876.

He died at Baddeck, N. S., in 1922, and was buried nearby at Beinn Breach.

SEE RUSSIAN BID FOR OLYMPIC PARTICIPATION

LONDON, Jan. 10 (CP) — Announcement that Russia has joined the International Football Federation has caused a flurry in amateur sports circles in Britain. Some feel the Russians will bid for memebrship in the All-Amateur Athletics Federation (I.A.A.F.) with the 1948 Olympic Games in London as their goal.

CONSIDER WIDER IMMIGRATION PLAN

WINNIPEG, Jan. 10 (CP)—Resources Minister Glen said in an interview here today that a wider immigration policy for Canada is under consideration.

BOARD OF TRADE ASKED TO JOIN AVIATION COUNCIL

A letter from the Westinghouse Airways of Vancouver read by Board of Trade Council at the Hume Friday made known the intention of that company to operate all types of aircraft in a 500-mile radius of Vancouver. An invitation for suggestions was extended to the Nelson Board of Trade. The officials of the airways contended that air service in this district would be advantageous to the lumbering and mining industry.

An invitation to the Board to join the B.C. Aviation Council was received from C. E. Scanlan, President of that organization. Air transport in the Kootenays would be promoted by entry into the Council, the letter maintained.

Both letters were referred to the Airport Committee.

113 Blood Donors Needed

A record number of Nelsonites came forward Friday to offer themselves as blood donors. The day's 66 registrants brought the total to 187, with 113 still needed to reach the quota.

It was the older folk who were signing the forms, officials reported. Those in the younger age groups, with a few exceptions, were not as ready to volunteer.

"We don't like to think that the young people are less generous than the older ones," Committee Chairman H. D. Dawson said Friday night.

Mrs. James McGregor, Mrs. E. E. L. Dewdney, Mrs. P. G. Morey and Mrs. Dawson will take registrations today at Fink's Furniture store between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Reverses Court Judgment on Jehovah Witness

QUEBEC, Jan. 10 (CP) — Mr. Justice Oscar Boulanger in Superior Court today reversed a recorder's court judgment under which Amedee Dufour, member of the Jehovah's Witnesses sect, was convicted and fined on charges of disturbing the peace and distributing subversive literature.

Second Volcano Explosion Pours Ash On Aleutian Town

SEATTLE, Jan. 10 (AP) — A second volcano disturbance in Alaska's Aleutian Islands was reported today by the Navy, which said 9387-foot Mount Shishaldin on Unimak Island was erupting with such violence that it showered ashes two inches deep on the village of False Pass 20 miles away.

False Pass was covered with a two-inch coating of volcanic ash, and cinders an inch and a half in diameter, lay on the wharf.

Truman Proposes U. S. Spend $37,528,000,000

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10 (AP) — President Truman proposed today that the United States Government spend $37,528,000,000 during the fiscal year which begins next July 1.

His budget message to the Republican Congress thus went more than $8,000,000,000 over the limit some key Republican leaders have set for Federal outlays in their determined drive to cut taxes while whittling away at the mammoth national debt.

Chairman Styles Bridges (Rep.-N. H.) chairman of the Senate Appropriations Committee, issued an immediate statement calling the message "a cold shock to the American tax-paying public" which had expected "tax reduction, debt reduction and cost-of-living reduction."

Mr. Truman earmarked $11,857,000,000—or nearly a third of the total—for national defence and again ignored Republican demands that this item should be held to $10,000,000,000 or less.

His recommended budget total is $4,995,000,000 below his revised estimate on what it is costing the United States Government to operate this year and $1,668,000,000 higher than the budget he submitted just a year ago.

Even so, the President said the Treasury will close its books on June 30, 1948, with its first balanced budget in 18 years—and with a $202,000,000 surplus to boot — provided there are no tax cuts in the next 18 months.

JOBLESS FEWER

OTTAWA, Jan. 10 (CP)—Claims for unemployment insurance benefits in November were fewer than in the same month of 1945, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported today.

While a seasonal increase was under way from August, the November total of 37,111 was a drop of more than 16,000 from the 53,325 of 1945 and an increase from October of 34,891.

Ordinary claimants on the live unemployment register on the last day of November totalled 63,760 compared with 57,036 at Oct. 31 and 85,174 at Nov. 30, 1945.

During November, 61,675 persons received one or more benefit payments totalling $2,236,541 as compensation for 1,140,539 unemployed days. This compares with 65,441 persons paid $2,463,677 for 1,250,308 unemployed days in October and 61,193 persons paid $2,509,610 for 1,244,023 unempolyed days in November, 1945.

EARNINGS DECREASE

MONTREAL, Jan 10 (CP)—Gross earnings of $4,033,000 were reported today by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company for the week ended Jan. 7, a decrease of $436,000 or 9.8 per cent from the $4,469,000 total for the same week last year.

SPORTS

Four W. I. H. L. Games Over Weekend

While Trail Smoke Eaters play Dynamiters on Kimberley ice for the first time this season, Nelson Maple Leafs hie themselves off to Los Angeles this weekend. Spokane Spartans will be the only inactive club in the Western International circuit.

Smokies play at Kimberley Saturday and Monday, while Leafs, who have been resting since last Sunday, play Ramblers Saturday and Sunday. Both Leaf goalies travelled, but H. M. Whimster, J. A. Ferguson and Jack Kilpatrick, who has the flu, and Roy Allen remained at home. Nick Lukevich accompanied the team. They left Nelson at 7 a.m. Friday after receiving word that an early flight had to be made from Spokane in order to reach Los Angeles ahead of approaching "weather."

Ramblers make a Northern trip next week, playing at Trail Tuesday and Spokane Wednesday.

On Friday Dynamiters go to Trail and on Saturday to Nelson.

Legion Postmen To Hold Bowling Rally

A grand challenge game between Nelson postmen who are Canadian Legion members will be bowled on the Legion 10-pin alleys Saturday night, with No. 1 Mail Delivery men competing against No. 2 Mail Delivery men.

Teams follow:

No. 1—G. C. Massey; F. T. Thompson, Jr.; T. H. Franstzen; J. Chambers.

No. 2—A. S. Homersham; F. T. Thompson, Sr.; L. Bernard; William Croy.

A meeting and banquet will be held prior to the games.

TOAST—TEA

BY LYN SEARLE

In Youth, says Dr. Johnson, we are apt to be too rigorous in our expectations, and to suppose that the duties of life are to be performed with unfailing exactness and regularity; but in our progress through life we are forced to abate much of our demands, and to take friends such as we can find them, not as we would make them. These concessions every wise man is more ready to make others, as he knows that he shall often want them for himself; and when he remembers how often he fails in the observation or cultivation of his best friends, is willing to suppose that his friends may in turn neglect him, without any intention to offend him.

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Hockey Schedule

Ice hockey schedule of the Nelson Amateur Hockey Association for the following week will be as follows:

Monday: 3:30 to 5:00—Dodger Bantam practice.

5:00 to 6:00 — Lions vs Panther Bantams.

6:00 to 7:30—F.A.C. vs Panther Midgets.

Tuesday: 8:00 to 9:00—Midget Rep practice.

9:00 to 10:00—Dodgers vs F.A.C. Bantams.

10:00 to 11:00—Legion Intermediates.

Wednesday: 5:00 to 6:00—Dodgers vs M.R.K. Midgets.

Thursday: 10:00 to 11:00—Juvenile Reps.

Friday: 3:30 to 4:45—Pee Wee Rep practice.

Saturday—7:00 to 8:30—Dodgers vs F.A.C. Midgets.

8:30 to 10:00—F.A.C. vs Ranger Bantams.

10:30 to 12:00—Bantam Pool.

Legion Goalie, Defenceman Sought by Trail

Gerry Thompson, mentor of Trail's Junior Smokeaters, in a move to bolster his club for their coming engagement with the champion Winnipeg Monarchs has asked goalkeeper Bob McNabb and defenceman Rich Wassick of the Nelson Legion Intermediates to try out with his Smelter City club.

McNabb and Wassick have both played exceptional hockey in their jump into intermediate ranks.

In their only local showing the Trail team was trounced 6-4 by the Legionaires.

Observers of Junior hockey on the Coast have gone on record as saying the Trail Juniors in their present state will have considerable trouble with the coast boys come playoff time.

Childs, Snyder Reach Sixteens

NIPAWIN, Sask., Jan. 10 (CP)—Bill Childs of Regina and Norm Snyder of Flin Flon, Man., today advanced to the 16s in the number two event on the $12,000 Nipawin Bonspiel program with victories on the noon draw.

Snyder nosed out Mel Irvine of Pleasant Valley 11-10, in one of the closest of the early afternoon games while Childs gained an 11-8 victory over L. H. Campbell of Avonlea. Thursday's surprise winner over Leo Johnson of Winnipeg.

Nine rinks including the Earl Kelly of Swift Current entry, were eliminated from the spiel on this draw through losses in the number three event. Kelly bowed to A. B. Merlatt of Swan River, 16-8. Most *interesting game in this competition* was the one between the R. Down of Runciman rink, skipped by Shorty Jackson of Tisdale, and E. W. Gerrand of Regina, which saw the Runciman curlers take an 8-7 decision.

On the 10-Pin Alleys

Jack Drummond's squad rolled a total of 1178 points to defeat R. Olsen's team by 138 pins on the alleys Wednesday night. Mrs. S. Newell made off with honors with a high single of 154 and a high aggregate of 260 pins.

Scores follow:

R. OLSEN			
Mrs. D. McGinn	110	99	209
Mrs. W. Simpson	113	76	189
J. Chambers	133	98	231
W. Jackson	101	110	211
R. Olsen	114	86	200
Total	571	469	1040
J. DRUMMOND			
Mrs. R. Olsen	94	91	185
Mrs. S. Newell	154	106	260
C. Cummins	137	95	232
A. Ritchie	113	136	249
J. Drummond	133	119	252
Total	631	547	1178

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Midgets, Bants Off to Trail Today

Nelson Amateur Hockey Association's bantam and midget hockey teams leave for Trail Saturday afternoon to meet the Smelter City teams in another doubleheader kid hockey bill at the Trail Arena tonight. The bantam reps with just a couple of practices under their belt will be playing their first intercity exhibition game. So far the club will be carrying a large lineup with a view to cutting down towards the West Kootenay playoff time. Club President Slim Porter will be sending in his diminutive veteran goalie Gerry Koehle to guard the Nelson nets while Silvio Benedetti will be the utility goalie. Bobby Burns and Trevor White will be the front line defense with Lorne Dyke and Fred Anderson second line. The forwards will be picked from Ken Coskey, Renwick, Carmichael, Ludlow, Poulin, Mayer, Ackert, DelPuppo, Langridge, Postnikoff, and Woodall.

The midgets will ice much the same lineup as that which hammered the Trail midgets into 11-1 submission last Saturday on Nelson ice. Dozzi will be in goal, with Maglio, Smith, Johnson and Pickering on the defense. The front line will be out of hockey for an indefinite period. Rod's place will be taken by Bob Pitts, with the youthful Jimmy Todd at centre and veteran Al Hood on left wing. The other front line will have Johnny Bachynski on right wing, Norm Hyssop at centre and Lorne Irwin on left wing. Utility players will be Johnny O'Genski, Charlie Christenson and George Welbourn. The teams will be accompanied by Manager Van Linden, Trainer Leschuck and Club President Slam Porter.

GULLIC WITH BEAVERS

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 10 (AP)—Ted Gullic, who managed the Portland Beavers' farm club last season, was signed today as coach with the Pacific Coast Baseball League Beavers. Jack Wilson was named yesterday to succeed Gullic as Manager of the Salem Senators of the Western International League.

Additional Stock Markets

VANCOUVER STOCKS

MINES		
Bayonne	.12	.13
Bralorne	12.50	13.00
B R Cons	.08½	.09
B R X	.12	.14
Cariboo Gold	2.80	2.90
Congress	.09½	.10
Dentonia	.29	.30
George Copper	.12½	.15
Grandview	.23	.30
Grull Wihksne	.10	.11
Hedley Mascot	1.14	1.78
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Island Mountain	1.65	1.80
Jason	.46	.48
Kootenay Belle	.01½	.09
McGillivray	.18	.20
Minto	.05½	.06
Pacific Nickel	.14	.18
Pend Oreille	3.10	3.25
Pioneer Gold	3.55	3.65
Premier Bord	.07	.07¼
Premier Gold	1.26	1.30
Privateer	.57½	.58
Quatsino	.13½	.14½
Red Hawk	.05½	.06
Reeves MacD	1.30	—
Reno Gold	.12	.13
Salmon	.25½	.26½
Sheep Creek	1.30	1.33
Silbak Premier	.85	—
Taylor Bridge	.73	.80
Wellington	.03½	.03¾
OILS		
Anaconda	—	.05½
Anglo Can	.97	—
A P Cons	.11	.14
Calgary & Ed	1.80	1.85
Calmont	.26	.29
Commoil	.37	.40
Commonwealth	.33	—
Foothills	2.05	2.20
Home	2.90	3.00
McLeod	.05	—
Mercury	.05	—
Model	.17½	—
National Pete	.15	.16
Okalta Com	.43	.45
Pacific Pete	.85	—
Royal Can	.04½	.05
Royalite	14.75	—
Southwest Pete	.20	—
Sunset	.06½	.07
Vanalta	.12½	.14
Vulcan	.18	—
INDUSTRIALS		
B C Tele pfd	119.50	—
Capital Estates	—	8.25
Coast Brew	3.30	3.40
Pacific Coyle	.38	.40
Powell River	34.50	—
UNLISTED MINES		
Big Missouri	.03	.04
Bluebird	.04	.06
Brooklyn St	.07	.09
Central Zeballos	.07	—
Canty	—	.05
Clubine Com	.05½	—
Cuyuni	1.12	1.15
Federal	.02	—
Hedley Amal	.10	.11
Home Gold	.01½	.01½
Marble Bay	—	.14
Noble Five	—	.02
Olympic	.08½	.13
Pac East Gold	.07	—
Pilot	.02½	.03
Spud Valley	.21	.25
Taylor Windfall	.02½	.05
Vananda	.24	.27
Wesko	.01½	.01¾
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South End Pete	.02½	.03½
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Nelson Ladies' Curling

The week's results of the Nelson Ladies' Curling Club Esling Basket competition follow:

Monday—Mrs. A. Lee won over Mrs. C. Norris; Mrs. B. B. Stallwood won over Mrs. W. Kline; Mrs. E. C. Mannings won over Mrs. T. Bishop; Mrs. J. H. Argyle won over Mrs. T. S. Jemson.

Tuesday—Mrs. T. A. Wallace won over Mrs. W. Simpson; Mrs. A. H. Whitehead won over Mrs. C. F. Grant; Mrs. A. Lee won over Mrs. T. S. Jemson; Mrs. E. C. Mannings won over Mrs. W. Kline.

Thursday—Mrs. T. A. Wallace won over Mrs. T. Bishop; Mrs. B. B. Stallwood won over Mrs. A. H. Whitehead; Mrs. C. F. Grant won over Mrs. W. Simpson; Mrs. C. Norris won over Mrs. J. H. Argyle.

Friday—Mrs. C. Norris won over Mrs. W. Kline; Mrs. T. A. Wallace won over Mrs. B. B. Stallwood; Mrs. T. Bishop won over Mrs. W. Simpson; Mrs. E. C. Mannings won over Mrs. T. S. Jemson.

Draws for the coming week will be:

Monday—Mrs. C. F. Grant vs Mrs. A. Lee; Mrs. W. Simpson vs Mrs. W. Kline; Mrs. J. H. Argyle vs Mrs. T. A. Wallace; Mrs. A. H. Whitehead vs Mrs. T. S. Jemson.

Tuesday—Mrs. T. Bishop vs Mrs. B. B. Stallwood; Mrs. E. C. Mannings vs Mrs. W. Simpson; Mrs. C. Norris vs Mrs. A. H. Whitehead; Mrs. W. Kline vs Mrs. T. A. Wallace.

Thursday—Mrs. C. F. Grant vs Mrs. J. H. Argyle; Mrs. C. Norris vs Mrs. W. Simpson; Mrs. B. B. Stallwood vs Mrs. A. Lee; Mrs. T. S. Jemson vs Mrs. T. Bishop.

Friday—Mrs. E. C. Mannings vs Mrs. J. H. Argyle; Mrs. C. F. Grant vs Mrs. C. Nrris; Mrs. A. Lee vs Mrs. A. H. Whitehead; Mrs. W. Kline vs Mrs. T. S. Jemson.

Ski Slants

The snow on Maglio's field was almost melting from friction Wednesday afternoon as the skiers practised everything from snowplows to Christies. There really was a good turnout for Wednesday *afternoon and skiing was tops.*

This coming Sunday promises to be good for skiing too—the snow on the Golf Links is in top condition. We hope everyone in Nelson who has a pair of skis comes out to enjoy the fun. We hear stories that there are a lot of skiers who ski in Fairview and other scattered fields around the City. It certainly would be better if we could all get together and ski together. Nelson has a smaller turnout of skiers than any of the other Kootenay ski towns. In pre-war years our skiers were right up among the top performers in the Pacific North West, and there's no reason why they can't be again—but we have to all ski together—so get out those old skies or barrel staves and join us Sunday afternoon at the cabin.

As usual there will be free instruction Sunday afternoon for anyone wishing to learn—don't forget there's coffee served at the cabin too—bring your own sugar and sandwiches and we'll have a snack and a bit of a chin-wag around 4 p.m.

The Kootenay Zone tourney to be held by the Trail Ski Club is going to be a large affair—the slalom and downhill courses are much improved over previous seasons and a new jump is almost completed—good they say for close to 200 foot leaps. We will have some skiers in there pitching and hope to bring home a bit of silverware.

The following was taken from a Ski Year Book but don't follow too closely—

It is an extraordinary thing, but all the books by experts have completely missed the point about choosing skis. They fill pages with irrelevant details about light skis and heavy skis, *thin skis for crusty* snow, wide skis for soft snow, toe-clips and alpina bindings, until the despairing reader decides that the only thing to do is to hire a bagful as though they were golf clubs. Then the first thing he sees is a fat little boy tearing ahead of everyone, executing every turn known to skiers. And all that he has on his feet is a pair of curved barrel-staves tied on with a good stout string. Well, that makes you *think a bit.*

The fact is it doesn't matter how short or long or wide or thick or light or heavy your skies are. And as to the sort of bindings, you simply want some that you can undo with your teeth in any position with your mouth full of snow. For the rest, notice that the great majority of skis are a pale yellow —platinum blondes almost. Avoid these and buy a pair of brunettes instead. For whatever a gentleman's taste in other matters, experienced skiers definitely prefer brunettes. I don't know why, but there it is.

Skiers wishing to practise slalom or jumping are asked to be at the rifle range jump early Sunday morning.

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Rails	49.58	down .90
Utilities	36.60	down .46

Military to Distribute Food

Attlee Calls Army, Navy, R.A.F. To Do Everything Possible to Save Food Supply; Fail to Get Rations

LONDON, Jan. 10 (CP) — Food Minister Strachey told a Press Conference today that "very strong military emergency measures" will start Monday to ensure that Londoner's food supplies are not decimated by a strike of 11,000 truck drivers.

Strachey added that if necessary, similar steps will be taken in the provinces. His statement followed a similar announcement from 10 Downing Street, residence of the Prime Minister.

Earlier today Prime Minister Attlee ordered the Army, Navy and R.A.F. to do everything necessary to *maintain food supplies.*

Strachey said the first task would be to save meat which would go bad unless moved early next week. A considerable quantity of the meat was imported from the United States and Argentina.

The strikers are asking a 44-hour week, improved subsistence allowances, and 14 days' holidays with pay annually.

Attlee issued the order as housewives formed lines in front of stores, but failed to receive their rations of meat and groceries.

The announcement from No. 10 Downing Street said:

Clan McCleary Installs Officers

At a meeting of Clan McLeary Thursday night, Senior Past Chief R. D. Wallace, assisted by Past Chief William Byres, installed Bernard Sutherland as Chief.

Other installations made were A. Y. Arnot, Tanist; I. A. Spiers, Past Chief; J. W. Kay, Chaplain; A. E. Barton, Secretary; Albert Wallach, Financial Secretary; A. G. Ritchie, Treasurer; Dr. N. E. Morrison, Physician; A. M. McKay, Senior Henchman; J. P. Sutherland, Junior Henchman; A. McQuiag, Seneschal; W. Easton, Warder; G. L. Pickard, Sentinel; James Stout, Piper.

The meeting was held in the Canadian Legion.

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Russ Ask Special Privileges on Northern Island

OSLO, Jan. 10 (CP)—The Norwegian Foreign Ministry today announced Soviet Russia has asked Norway to grant her special privileges in Spitsbergen, Northern archipelago between Norway and Greenland.

Reuters News Agency said the Norwegian Prime Minister refused to either deny or confirm the reported Russian demands, but added that an alteration to the Spitsbergen *Treaty of 1920 was under discussion* at Russian request.

(In London, a Foreign Office spokesman said Britain was aware of a request for "some power" to establish a base in the Arctic island group.)

The Weather

Kootenay—Overcast with snowflurries. Winds light. Little change in temperature. Maximum Saturday, Crescent Valely 35, Cranbrook 38. Sunday outlook overcast.

Nelson	29	35	.43
Cranbrook	22	39	.08
Crescent Valley	27	34	.61
Kaslo	29	35	.67
Grand Forks	17	35	.02

SYDNEY, Australia, (CP) — A hundred Chinese, whose ages total 7200 years, left Sydney in one ship to go home to die. Most had spent 50 to 60 years in Australia.

News of the Day

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Today is the final day of the Blood Donor Campaign.

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Hospital Auxiliary bridge at the Legion, Jan. 15. For reservations phone 431-X.

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Teen Town Skating Party Jan. 11th. Skating 8-10. Members 25c, non-members 40c.

Martha and Mary Bridge, Jan. 20th 8:15, Legion Hall. High score and draw prizes. Refreshments.

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PUBLIC MEETING
The public is invited to attend a meeting on Thursday, Jan. 16, at 8 p.m. in the Canadian Legion to be addressed by Col. C. C. I. Merritt, V.C., M.P. for Burrard, under the auspices of the West Kootenay Progressive Conservative Association.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our sincere thanks for the lovely flowers and kindnesses shown us, especially to Mr. and Mrs. J. McDonaugh, and all who so kindly loaned their cars for the funeral of our mother.
Gladys and J. A. Butcher;
Wilfred and Kathleen Jones.
Winlaw, B. C.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for the many kind words and acts of sympathy extended to us in our recent sad bereavement, also for the many beautiful floral tributes and spiritual offerings received at the funeral.
The Ferenò family and the Fierro family.

FUNERAL NOTICE
Funeral services for the late Walter Clough will be held at Slocan City Monday at 2 p.m. Interment *will be in the I.O.O.F. Plot, Slocan* Cemetery. Funeral arrangements are under the direction of the Thompson Funeral Home.

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Bow figured flat crepe, blue only; Per yard	$1.40

HERRIDGE TO ADDRESS NELSON BOARD OF TRADE

H. W. Herridge, M.P. for Kootenay West, will speak at the annual dinner of the Nelson Board of Trade at the Hume Jan. 17. In a letter of acceptance to an invitation to address the luncheon on a subject of his own choosing, Mr. Herridge informed the Board that he would speak on Federal and Kootenay affairs.

Leafs Sign Teen-Agers

TORONTO, Jan. 10 (CP)—Signing of three young Western Canada hockey players was announced last night by Toronto Maple Leafs of the National Hockey League, to be held on option by the N. H. L. Club.

The players are Lawrence Mitchell of Winnipeg, now in midget ranks at the age of 16; Ken Watson, 17, of Edmonton Maple Leaf Juveniles, and Orville Lavelle, 19, of Lethbridge Native Sons Juniors.

The players were signed by George (Squib) Walker, chief of the Leafs' scouting staff, during a Western trip from which he returned today. He visited Winnipeg, Regina, Lethbridge, Calgary and Edmonton and saw hundreds of prospects in action on Western rinks.

Walker said it was a close race with Montreal Canadiens and Chicago Black Hawks for Mitchell, the Leafs submitting his name to N.H.L. headquarters a matter of hours before the other clubs did so.

The Leaf Scout predicted that either the champion Winnipeg Monarchs or Lethbridge Native Sons would take the Western Junior title this season, and that the *Senior Western Crown would fail* to either Calgary Stampeders, or Lethbridge Maple Leafs.

Reach Agreement Swaney Transfer

EDMONTON, Jan. 10 (CP) — A threatened crisis over unofficial transfer of hockey players from Canada to the United States appeared tonight to be on the way to solution with settlements made in two of five cases.

Dr. W. G. Hardy of Edmonton, President of the International Ice Hockey Association, announced agreement had been reached on the transfers of Steve Black and Bill Swaney. Still undecided were the *transfers of James Fitzpatrick,* Hubert Anslow and Jack Gordon.

Dr. Hardy said Frank Sargent of Port Arthur, Past President of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association, had given approval for the Thunder Bay branch for the move by Black from that area to San Francisco.

Al Leader of Seattle, Secretary of the Pacific Coast League, had agreed to allow Swaney to remain with Kimberley Dynamiters operating in the Western International League. Swaney went to Kimberley from Vancouver.

Fined $50 on Charge Dangerous Driving

A fine of $50 was imposed upon G. R. Taylor of Nelson in Nelson Police Court before Magistrate William Brown on a charge of dangerous *driving. The defendant pleaded* guilty. Information was laid by Constable R. R. House.

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Retired C.P.R. Lineman Dies; Mined in Slocan

A pioneer resident of Slocan City *and a C.P.R. employee for 37 years,* Walter Clough died in Kootenay Lake General Hospital Friday morning. He was 76 years old.

Mr. Clough, born at Perth Road near Kingston, Ont., went to Manitoba in 1892 and in 1894 moved farther West to British Columbia.

He worked in several B.C. points and mined in the Slocan before becoming a lineman for the C.P.R. He retired in 1936 and was a member of Slocan Lodge No. 40, I.O.O.F., Nelson Encampment.

Surviving are his wife; one daughter, Mrs. W. Cooper; a brother, Stewart at Perth Road; three sisters, Mrs. Janey McKay, at Buffalo, Mrs. W. Campbell at Perth Road and a sister in Delburney, Alta. *A son predeceased him five years* ago.

Requiem Mass for Mrs. Fereno

Requiem High Mass was sung Friday morning for Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Fereno, Nelson resident for 49 years. The Mass was sung by Rev. J. B. Barnes, assisted by Rev. Armando Maglio and Rev. Leslie Trainor.

Thursday night in the Thompson Funeral Home Father Maglio led the recital of the Rosary.

Pallbearers were E. Hunter, C. Robinson, E. Stangherlin, C. Arcuri, F. Pratt and J. Bialkowski.

Interment was in Nelson Memorial Park.

FINED $25 AFTER COLLISION

Benedict Surina was found guilty *and fined $25 for driving in a manner* dangerous to the public after he pleaded not guilty in Provincial Police Court Friday. Surina claimed he had not seen the train Dec. 19 when his car and a train collided.

Surina said he had stopped before crossing the tracks and that there was no train in sight. On reaching the tracks, he said, he found the train coming at a high speed and the car was hit before he could get clear of the tracks.

He was defended by L. S. Gransner before Stipendiary Magistrate William Irving.

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Burma Moves Toward Dominion Status?

The Burma Office in London has officially announced that the Executive Council of the Government of Burma, all of whose members are Burmans, has accepted the British Government's invitation to send a representative group to London for discussions on the political processes leading to the full self-government of Burma.

Burma was separated from India in 1937 and was governed under the Government of Burma Act of 1935 by a Governor with a Cabinet composed of a Premier and Ministers—all Burman, and a Senate and a House of Representatives elected on a fairly wide franchise. The Government was on the United Kingdom model, the Cabinet being dependent on the Legislature. The Ministers had complete control of all matters affecting internal administration in Burma proper, subject to certain safeguards which the Governor could exercise in emergency. Defence, external affairs and monetary policy were in the personal control of the Governor and not subject to the Legislature, though they could be discussed there.

During the five years from 1937 to the Japanese invasion in 1942, the Burman Ministers discharged their responsibilities with considerable success.

The Constitution, under the 1935 Act, admittedly did not satisfy Burman political aspirations, all political parties being united in desiring further constitutional advance. But the demand for self-government was in the main put forward in a legitimate constitutional manner.

On Jan. 1, 1944, the Supreme Allied Commander for Southeast Asia assumed responsibility for all areas of Burma. Military Government ended and Civil Government was restored in October 1945.

But such was the havoc wrought by the Japanese occupation that it was impracticable immediately to resume parliamentary government as under the 1935 Act. It was first necessary to restore the elementary conditions of civil life.

Plans for the civil administration of Burma during the transitional period in accordance with the emergency provisions of the 1935 Act had already been laid and were set out in the White Paper of May 1945.

The procedure envisaged in the White Paper was for the Governor to carry on the Government with the aid of Advisory Executive and Legislative Councils until elections could be held and the Government restored under the provisions of the 1935 Act. Elections are planned for the Spring of 1947.

Then in the words of the White Paper, "The second phase in constitutional development will begin, during which the ground will be prepared for the attainment of full self-government," the ultimate objective being, "that representatives of the Burmese people after reaching a full measure of agreement between the various parties and sections should draw up a constitution of the type which they themselves consider most suitable for Burma."

Soon after the return of civil government to Burma in October 1945, the Govenor, Sir Reginald Dorman Smith, set up an Executive Council and at the end of 1945 a Legislative Council in accordance with the White Paper plan.

At that time the Anti-Fascist People's Freedom League (AFPFL), whose leader is U. Aung San, was virtually the only Burmese political party, representing as it did the disarmed Burmese forces which turned on the Japanese after the fall of Mandalay. Dr. Ba Maw, head of the state under the Japanese, had fled to Japan and U. Saw, pre-invasion Premier, was in internment.

The AFPFL refused to enter the Executive or Legislative Councils except on conditions which were unacceptable at the time, and began an agitation which gradually increased the demands for the scrapping of the White Paper procedure and the substitution for it of a greatly accelerated advance to self-government.

As an aftermath of the Japanese occupation, quantities of arms and ammunition had got into the hands of irresponsible elements all over Burma. Lawlessness in the form of robbery with violence and murder continued, and in the Summer and Autumn of 1946 a series of strikes culminated in strikes of the police and the subordinate Government services in Rangoon in September.

At the end of August a new Govenor, Sir Hubert Rance, arrived. He formed a new Executive Council in which AFPFL had six out of eleven members. The new Executive Councillors were given virtually, though not legally, the powers of Ministers under the 1935 Act. The Legislative Council was dissolved in November and has not yet been reconstituted.

Meanwhile the demands of AFPFL have widened. They now are, firstly, the establishment of an interim government with full powers and with the Governor as constitutional head. Secondly, the coming general election should be held not for the restoration of the 1935 Act but to elect a Constituent Assembly for all Burma. Thirdly, an immediate declaration by the United Kingdom Government that Burma would secure complete independence by January 1948.

The events in India, the Dutch East Indies and Indo China have not been lost on the Burmese. It is probably true to say that all Burmese parties support at least the first of the AFPFL demands. The Communists go even farther than AFPFL, which no doubt feels compelled in formulating its program to have an eye to the coming elections.

Prime Minister Attlee puts the British position in these terms: "It is the desire and intention of His Majesty's Government to hasten forward the time when Burma shall realise her independence either within or without the Commonwealth, but for the sake of the Burmese people it is of the utmost importance that this should be an orderly though rapid process. It is to help the people of Burma in that progress that His Majesty's Government has invited the Burmese leaders to come here for discussions."

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.

North Shore Residents Bewail Lighting

To the Editor.

Sir—Your correspondent, George Porteous of Queen's Bay, is surprised that the North Shore residents have not complained of their poor lighting service.

Had it occurred to Mr. Porteous that the majority of these residents rely on the Nelson power supply not only for their lighting but also for pumping their domestic water supply from the lake, he would readily have understood that these unfortunate people have been so busily engaged in carrying buckets to their bathtubs, trimming kerosene lamps and chasing elusive candles that they could not spare the time to register a complaint!

In spite of your recent "trolley coach" editorial drawing attention to the reliability of the Nelson power supply, it is probable that the people of Procter and Balfour take a "dim" view of the situation.

Fervent hope has been expressed that the new City Fathers will give some attention to the improvement of the service along the West Arm.

Oft are we North Shore residents
Engulf'd in awful gloom,
Sans light, sans water and sans pump.
Perforce we must assume,
Despite our frequent use of pails,
We are Beyond the Pale.
O newly-chosen City Dads,
List to our mournful wail!
No Bridge of Sighs can ease our plight,
No ferry aid our fix,
For did not Charon's battered bark
Sing deep beneath the Styx?
'Tis true our flickering candle light
Disturbs not your debates;
But will you please, dear City Dads,
At least reduce our rates?

EDWARD W. HALL.
Balfour, B. C.

Test Yourself

1. What nations have coastlines on the Aegean Sea?
2. How was Puerto Rico acquired by the United States from Spain?
3. Where is Tierre del Fuego?

TEST ANSWERS

1. Greece and Turkey.
2. As a result of the Spanish-American war in 1898.
3. It is a political division of Argentina, situated on the Southern tip of South America.

? 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.

L. T., Kimberley—Could you answer the following questions in your column? 1. Does Kimberley have artificial or natural ice? 2. Which is the longer, the Arrow Lake or the Okanagan Lake? What is the length of both Arrow Lakes and the river?

Kimberley has natural ice. The approximate lengths of the three lakes follow: Okanagan Lake, 69 miles; Upper Arrow Lake, 39 miles; Lower Arrow Lake, 55 miles. Adding the length of the river, 14 miles, to both Arrow Lakes gives a total distance of 108 miles.

R. S., Trail—Would you please answer the following questions? 1. Where could I obtain a passport, and what is the price? 2. Would it be possible for a Canadian to obtain work in Mexico or South America? If so, where could I obtain the necessary information?

Passports are issued by and application forms may be obtained from the Passport Office, Department of External Affairs, Ottawa. The cost is $3, and passport is renewable for four two-year periods at $1 per renewal.

For information on your second question, we suggest you write to the Department of External Affairs, Ottawa, or to the Consular staffs of the various foreign countries in question.

E. H., Nelson—Will you please tell me if there is a Spirella Corsetiere in Nelson.

The Spirella manufacturers have no agent in Nelson, but there is a representative of this company in Trail. We have been unable to learn the name of the representative.

W. E., Salmo—Was Zane Grey, the famous author of Westerns, a man or a woman?

Zane Grey was a man.

A. B. C., Chapman Camp—Would you please publish the address of the American Consul in Vancouver?

The address of the American Consul in Vancouver is Edwin F. Stanton, Consul General, 355 Burrard Street.

Looking Backward

10 YEARS AGO
From The Daily News of Jan. 11, 1937

Dominion of Canada Mint will coin a new silver dollar to commemorate the year of coronation, according to word from Ottawa today. It is hoped that at least 1,000,000 of these coins will be minted, as they will be kept as souvenirs by many people.

Attendance records were smashed when approximately 100 enthusiasts of the Nelson Ski Club flocked to the Nelson Golf and Country Club for a grand outing of skiing and breath-taking jumps.

25 YEARS AGO
From The Daily News of Jan. 11, 1922

Miss Vera Gertrude Mather, 15-year-old daughter of Principal J. A. Mather of the Nelson High School, has the distinction of heading more than 1000-odd candidates who wrote the recent examinations of the University of British Columbia.

The three candidates for Mayor of Nelson in elections tomorrow are A. Austin, Mrs. W. Garland Foster, and C. F. McHardy. There are 10 candidates for Aldermen, of whom six will be elected; two candidates for Police Commissioner, one to be elected; and four candidates for School Trustees, two to be elected.

40 YEARS AGO
From The Daily News of Jan. 11, 1907

The Court House building has been successfully transferred to its new site at the foot of Ward Street. A few days will be consumed in turning it around to face up the street and in repairing slight damages to the plastering done in transit.

Owing to the shortage of fuel and weather conditions, the LeRoi Mine at Rossland has been forced to shut down. Operations will be resumed when the temporary blockade of the railways is effected.

Today's Horoscope

You are a kind person and winsome, but secretive. Once you become a friend it is for all time, but in your fidelity you are apt to overlook serious faults in these friendships. You will find success in business, politics or teaching. You will make a happy and congenial marriage. This day is good for advancing important interests and for selling.

HOROSCOPE FOR SUNDAY

Your originality in everything you do will, if cultivated, bring you happiness and remuneration. Your children will be mechanically inclined and artistic. You are naturally robust and strong, and if you take care of yourself, you will never have any serious illness. This date is good in connection with past, distant and old matters. It is also favorable where romance, marriage and plans are concerned. Worthwhile progress should be made.

Words of Wisdom

A man must first govern himself, ere he be fit to govern a family; and his family, ere he be fit to bear the government in the commonwealth.—Sir Walter Raleigh.

Etiquette Hints

A hostess rises to receive all introductions and to greet all her guests as they come. She offers her hand to both men and women.

Press Comment

LONG ROAD TO FAME

Forty-five minor baseball leagues will operate next season. According to our computation, that means approximately 9000 budding Ted Williamses, all of them confident, are on the way.—Windsor Star.

Asks Strict Supervision . . .

Gov't Control of Health, Accident Groups Suggested

Benefit Societies at Nelson in Sound Condition and Honestly Managed; Blue Cross Also Sound Says Grimmet

VICTORIA, Jan. 10 (CP) — Strict supervision and Government control of health and accident insurance societies offering and soliciting membership through salesmen was recommended by J. A. Grimmett, Royal Commissioner, today in a report to the British Columbia Government.

Mr. Grimmett reported to Attorney-General G. S. Wismer afte a two-year investigation of mutual benefit groups in the Province.

"I am very strongly convinced that these organizations should be under strict supervision . . . to ensure their operation is in the interests of their members and not for the main advantage of their officers and directors," he said.

There was no suggestion from any source that the plans of the societies were unsound and he said that provided they were on a non-profit basis and under good management they should be advantageous to the public.

The membership of these associations indicated a considerable demand on the part of the public for protection for accident and illness at reasonable rates.

"I am of the opinion that it is advantageous to the public for societies of the type subject to this enquiry to be carried on provided they are on a non-profit basis and under good management."

He said that in the hearings conducted throughout the province it would seem apparent that the public generally were desirous of having some form of health insurance inaugurated, either by the provincial or Dominion Government on a contributory basis.

"I personally cannot see any reason why this should not be accomplished."

He said he was unable to state definitely whether or not any of the societies offering and soliciting membership through salesmen to the public generally were operating on a sound basis.

"I find, however," he said, that reduced rates and increased benefits are for obtaining increased membership . . . as a result of the competitive effort . . . membership is being sought . . . at continuing low rates for greater and enlarged benefit.

"Apparently there is no person carrying on the actuarial provision in respect to casualty insurance," he added.

He made the following recommendations:

1. The societies be required to file financial statements with the Superintendent of Insurance at least semi-annually, particularly setting out all receipts from and payments to members for benefits and details of all remuneration received by directors or officers of the societies.

2. That the societies should be compelled forthwith to become licensed under the Insurance Act and be prohibited from continuing to operate until this has been accomplished.

3. That each society and its salesmen be required to be licensed under the Insurance Act.

4. That societies before being licensed under the Insurance Act be required to satisfy the Superintendent of Insurance or some other qualified person that the plan is on a sound financial basis.

5. That societies before being licensed be compelled to cancel all onerous contracts with managing directors and sales organizations.

He also suggested that before any change or alteration of benefits, conditions or terms of membership or any other matter affecting the members' rights and privileges may be made they should be first submitted to the superintendent for approval.

"I would finally recommend," he said, "that should at any time the superintendent of insurance ascertain that any society operates contrary to the true intent and provisions of the Societies Act its license be immediately cancelled."

Mr. Grimmett said there had been complaints about medical treatment given by the Columbia Coast Mission which operates hospital at Alert, Garden and Rock Bays but these were matters over which the operators of the plan had no control.

"The members in those districts are indeed fortunate in being provided with hospitalization and medical treatment at a very reasonable cost," he said.

BLUE CROSS SOUND

Mr. Grimmett said the Associated Hospital Services of British Columbia had created in a comparatively short time of operation a very substantial reserve and "it would appear that the affairs of the society are in a sound financial condition."

The Association, more popularly known as the Blue Cross, confines its membership to particular groups.

He also said that the Medical Services Association was in a sound financial condition.

Summarized, Mr. Grimmett found:

The Employees Mutual Benefit Association, according to John Edward Black, of H. Norman Lunn and Co., who replaced C.J. Ferber as auditor in October, 1945 was not in a sound financial position at March 1946, but that by exercising care in reducing expenses, it would be possible for the Association to continue to operate successfully.

North Pacific Health and Accident Association appeared in a sound financial condition as at June 30, 1945.

Union Health and Accident Association—on Oct. 31, 1945, there was an excess of expenditure over revenue of $10,354.11 and that unless the rates were sharply revised the Association would not likely the future be in any more sound financial conditions than as at October 31, 1945.

National Health Association affairs on Jan. 31, 1945 were in a sound financial condition and Mr. Grimmett found the organization carried on its business in a most business-like and efficient manner.

Industrial Health Association, according to its auditor, J. S. Oswald, disclosed a satisfactory change in finances at the end of November, 1945, and if the Association continued to obtain new members at the same rate, there probably would be a surplus rather than a deficit at the end of the fiscal year.

Fidelity Health Association affairs were in a sound financial position at the end of 1945.

Premier Health and Accident Association—Harold D. Campbell, Vancouver, Auditor, reported on Dec. 31, 1945, there was no provision for reserves and that the financial position of the society was not sound but was improving and within six months he expected the Association would be able to wipe out the deficit and create a reserve.

RELIANCE HEALTH SOUND

Reliance Health Association (Nelson)—On Dec. 31, 1945, finances were in a sound condition, and in Mr. Grimmett's opinion, its affairs were being capably and honestly managed, as at March, 1946.

Citizens' Health and Accident Association, according to Charles Shallcross, Vancouver Chartered Accountant as at Feb. 11, 1946, showed a deficit of $4104.87 and an excess of expenditure over revenue from January 2, to Feb. 11 last of $51.77. Shallcross, however, gave it as his opinion that notwithstanding this deficit the Association was operating on a sound financial basis, but owing to the comparatively short time the society was in operation (organized Dec. 29, 1944) it would appear to be impossible to say whether this were so or not.

United Home Security Association commenced operations Nov. 1945 and at Feb. 28, 1946, showed an excess of expenditure over revenue for the period from Jan. 1, 1946 (correct according to report) of $2356.20.

West Coast Health and Accident Association commenced operations Jan. 21, 1946 and at Feb. 28, last showed a deficit of $300 odd with no reserves whatever for payment of claims.

Western Mutual Medical Aid Society of B. C. (membership between 275 and 300) showed a reserve of some $3000 odd at Nov. 30, 1945.

Western Mutual Travellers' Aid Society showed "quite a substantial reserve" at Nov. 30, 1945.

Publish Bill for Nationalization Of British Electricity System

LONDON, Jan. 10 ((AP) — The British Government published today a bill calling for state acquisition of Britain's entire electricity production and supply system, initiating the sixth phase of an 18-month-old nationalization program providing for public ownership of at least seven of the nation's basic industries.

The bill provides for appointment of a central authority to standardize the industry and furnish increased supplies at cheaper rates.

Four businesses and industries — the Bank of England, Civil Aviation, Cable and Wireless Ltd., and coal mining—already have passed into public ownership under the government's socialist program. A bill for nationalization of inland transport is before Parliament.

Nationalization of the steel industry has been deferred, probably until next year.

Parliamentary observers predicted strong opposition to the measure in debate in the House of Commons, but Government leaders, backed by an overwhelming majority, were confident of passage.

Informed sources estimated the government would pay aproximately £3,600,000,000 to stockholders of 190 private power companies.

The government stock will be guaranteed by the Treasury.

AND HE CURED HIS ULCERS TO BOOT

EAST GARY, Ind., Jan. 10 (AP)—Chesty Joie Ray, once the hardest working distance runner in United States track history, is laboring harder than ever now at the age of 52.

This amazing little man, who competed in more than 900 amateur races at distances from one to 26 miles, and proudly wore colors in three Olympic games, today is toiling at three jobs to pay off a mortgage on his little farm home and develop a small nursery business.

He works eight-hour shifts in a Gary Steel mill, takes care of a small herd of milk-producing goats and bustles about his nursery with the idea that it will provide his income in his declining year.

"I'm in love with the job of tending to the flowers, shrubs and young trees," Ray says. "I hope to give it all my time as soon as I acquire ownership of the property. That won't be long. Then I'll say good-by to the mill."

In his track days, Ray ran the mile 65 times in 4:20 or better during 19 busy amateur years from 1910 through 1928. He was the first American clocked at 4:12 indoors. From 1917 to 1925 he held virtually all records from 1000 yards to 10 miles. He was the greatest drawing card of his time.

Stomach ulcers, which failed to respond to prescribed treatment six years ago, prompted Ray to raise goats for their milk. He lived on a daily diet of three quarts of goat milk and crackers for a year. The ulcers disappeared.

St. Saviour's Pro-Cathedral
VERY REVEREND FRED P. CLARK, M.A.
EPIPHANY 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
All Services Will Be Conducted by Rev. J. Rogers, Rector of Trail

Trinity United Church
Josephine and Silica
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Mrs. C. W. Tyler, Choir Leader and Organist
Soloist, C. M. Young
Soloist, Mrs. M. J. Stallwood
9:45 a.m.—SUNDAY SCHOOL, Beginners Dept. at 11:00 a.m.
11:00 a.m.—THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER
7:30 p.m.—INTER-CHURCH GOODWILL SERVICE, CONDUCTED BY REV. A. STEWART OF FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
Monday, 8 p.m.—Sunday School Annual Meeting
Friday, 6 p.m.—Official Board Supper Meeting

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. 11:00 a.m.—Bible Classes.
11:00 a.m.—THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD' SUPPER.
7:30 p.m.—GUEST PREACHER — REV. L. D. ERICSON.
Music at both Services by the St. Paul's Choir.

First Presbyterian Church
Victoria and Kootenay
Rev. A. Stewart, Minister
11:00 a.m.—"A Vital Need"
12:15 p.m.—Sunday School
7:30 P.M. — The Rev. G. G. Boothroyd of Trinity United Church will conduct this Service.

Evangelical Mission Covenant
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Rev. L. D. Ericson, Pastor
Sunday, Jan. 12:
10:00—Sunday School
11:00—Morning Worship
7:30—Evening Service
The Rev. Stewart Forbes of St. Paul's United Church will conduct the evening service.
Tuesday, Jan. 14:
8:00—Young People's Meeting
Wednesday, Jan. 15:
7:30—Prayer Meeting
Thursday, Jan. 16:
3:00—Ladies Aid
Friday, Jan. 17:
7:30—Hi League

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
Rev. J. Ruthven, guest speaker.
Thursday:
8:00 p.m.—Prayer and Praise Meeting
Friday:
2:30 p.m.—Women's Home Meeting

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Sunday Service—11 a.m.
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(Interim Minister)
Sunday School at Morning Service, 11:00 a.m.
Subject: "A Forsaken Master."
Communion following regular service.
J. A. Bracken, speaker.
(No Evening Service)

St. John's Lutheran
Stanley and Silica Streets
Reverend J. Hennig, Pastor.
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Divine Service
7:30 p.m.—Divine Service at Castlegar

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

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SALMO, B.C. — Mr. and Mrs. Archie McEwen jr., who were visiting relatives here over the holidays, have left to visit in Kimberley.

Mike Poznikoff is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Poznikoff.

Mrs. Floyd Sage honored her young daughter, Patricia, on Thursday, when several young friends and their mothers were invited to share her birthday cake. Those present were Mrs. A. Harris and Carol, Mrs. Bern Dodd and Gail, Bobbie and Elza, Mrs. Bob Rotter and Barbara and Donna and Mrs. O. Johnson and Chris. Miss Helen Kluf assisted the hostess.

Misses R. Poulin and K. Gould and Mr. Middleton have resumed their teaching duties here.

About 25 Salmo Cubs and their leaders enjoyed a social evening on Tuesday, in honor of two members, Gary Anderson and Howard Esche whose birthdays occurred recently. Games and refreshments were enjoyed and the two honored members received small gifts.

Miss Laura Zarchukoff, who spent the holidays here has returned to her work in Nelson.

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● Mr. and Mrs. Charles Norris, Fifth Street, had as guests their sons John and Mac, who attend U. B. C., and have returned.

● Mrs. Moran and children of Revelstoke have joined Mr. Moran and are at present in residence at the Royal Hotel.

● Mrs. Gordon Hallett, Medical Arts Apartments, is expected home at the weekend from Trail where she has been guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. St. John Madaley.

● Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sharp, Hoover Street, have as guests their daughter Mrs. Penikett and young daughter of Trail.

● Miss Eva Ronald, who attends Nelson Business College, spent the Yuletide holidays at the home of her parents in Grand Forks.

● Rev. Father D. O'Carroll of Trail was among visitors in Nelson Wednesday.

● Thursday afternoon, Mrs. A. G. Gelinas, 202 Victoria Street, entertained members of the Circle of the Cathedral of Mary Immaculate at her home when those present included Mrs. J. P. Herron, Mrs. J. Morrison, Mrs. M. DeGirolamo, Mrs. C. F. McDougall, Mrs. Norbert O. Choquette, Mrs. Ann Aduddell, Mrs. Phil Rahal, Mrs. M. J. Varseveld, Mrs. D. A. McPherson, Mrs. D. McInnes, Mrs. L. H. Choquette, Mrs. Edith Edgar, Mrs. J. Muraro, Mrs. Louis Alexander, Mrs. M. Scally, Mrs. Vito Romano, Mrs. P. Defoe, Mrs. Harry Korolak, Mrs. V. Doyle, Miss Albertine Choquette, Mrs. Morari, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. A. Ling, Mrs. D. Aurelio, Mrs. F. Boyd, Miss W. Kinahan, Mrs. W. G. Fullerton, Mrs. G. F. Stevens, Mrs. W. E. Kopecki, Mrs. Louis Coletti, Mrs. John McPhail, Mrs. M. J. Vigneux and Mrs. George A. Tapp.

● Miss Jean Hedley has returned from Cranbrook where she spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hedley, formerly of Nelson to resume her studies at the Nelson Business College.

● Visitors in town Wednesday included Rt. Rev. A. K. MacIntyre of Rossland and Very Rev. A. L. McIntyre of Cranbrook who were guests at the Rectory of the Cathedral of Mary Immaculate.

● Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones, Silica Street, have taken up residence at 824 Silica Street.

● Miss Shirley Coburn returned from Cranbrook where she spent the holidays at the home of her parents, to resume her studies at the Nelson Business College.

● Alex Shkuratoff, who spent the holidays with his parents at Winlaw, has returned to town to resume his studies at the Nelson Business College.

● Jimmy Madden, Madden Hotel, is a patient in the Kootenay Lake General Hospital.

● Ian Currie, who teaches at Rhone, B. C., has returned after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Currie, 824 Baker Street.

Hunt Goes on For War Missing; Expect to Find Only Half

By DOUGLAS HOW
Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA, Jan. 10 (CP)—"We," said the British officer, "don't expect to find anyone alive."

"We don't expect to find more than half of the total number of missing."

"We don't wish any parents or wives to be misled into thinking that their sons or husbands are wandering through Europe with lost memories."

With emphasis on these three principles, the man who heads the search for the 40,000 British Empire airmen reported missing in the Second World War today outlined his duties to a Press Conference.

Of that 40,000, Group Capt. Roger Burges, Chief of the R.A.F.'s Missing, Research and Inquiry Service, said the bodies of about 9000 had been found at the end of July, 1946.

6000-7000 STILL MISSING

Roughly 25 per cent of both totals were Canadians, meaning that 6000-7000 of the 19,000 Canadians lost in the air were still missing at that time.

He told of the four units of 110 men each who work in Northwest Europe, checking reports on air crashes through peasants and police through letters that get back to relatives, official reports and German records.

He told of the bodies that had been dug out of unknown graves and identified through signet rings and laundry marks, through scarves and complicated detective work that went through many channels so that another name could be checked off as dead and not missing.

He told of Denmark where the people have been exhuming the men from their scattered graves and burying them again, together. Of the Ruhr where the numbers were "appalling." Of Germany where all British bodies are being gathered into British cemeteries. Of the Balkans where Russian control was "helpful but very much restricted by customs and regulations from Moscow."

Of Greece, where it was unwise to go without an escort. Of North Africa where the search has ended. And he told of Burma where the vegetation grows so quickly that every sign can vanish within two weeks.

Group Capt. Burges stuck to his estimate that 20,000 of the 40,000 bodies would be recovered. Of the other 20,000 many would have crashed into the seas. Others would have perished in an exploded plane or in a violent crash or in a city set aflame by their own bombs.

As the bodies are found, their disposal falls within a policy which directs that they should remain where they are—in a civilian cemetery, for instance—if they can be given perpetual care by the Imperial War Graves Commission. If not, they are moved to a Commission Cemetery. In Germany, however, all bodies are concentrated.

Kaslo Students Humble Old Crock Pucksters

KASLO, B.C., Jan. 10 — Local hockey fans gathered at the Skating Rink Wednesday night to see the first game of the season, when the Old Crocks failed before the High School team 6-8.

The Crocks in spite of numerous spares failed to win from the snappy High Schoolers. D. McLellan, Crocks' goalie, had some busy sessions, while Frank Carney, who defended the High School goal had to do some fast work at times.

While the "Crocks" held the edge on stick handling, the H.S. team showed excellent team work and speed. There were no penalties.

In the first period, C. Sutherland scored Hubbo Matsuzaki counted twice. The Crocks evened the score when Dunn, Haywood and Allen Speirs each scored.

In the second period, Haywood scored twice for the Crocks, while Shinmoto, Jones, Matsuzaki and Joe Atgi each scored for the H.S.

The third period saw goals marked up for the Crocks by Haywood and for the H.S. by Sutherland.

The teams are to play again on Sunday.

The game was refereed by Brian Thompson, and sponsored by the K.R.A.

Many Departments Take Hand In Mercy Flight

OTTAWA, Jan. 10 (CP)—Arthur Russell McAloon, 24-year-old Stanley, N.B., radio operator for the Transport Department stricken with a heart ailment, has been flown to hospital at Winnipeg in a spectacular mercy flight from the lonely Nottingham Island navigation direction finding station in Hudson Strait where he was stationed.

IPSWICH, England (CP)—Workmen discovered a skeleton believed to be over 400 years old at nearby Foxhall.

PARK SIDING SCHOOL CLOSES

ROSS SPUR, B.C., Jan. 10—The Park Siding school has been closed following the resignation of the teacher, R. Edwards, and the grade pupils are now being transported to the Fruitvale school. High school pupils are attending Trail school. The school would have opened at the close of the holidays if the services of another teacher could have been acquired.

Handle With Care

VANCOUVER, Jan. 10 (CP)—An exhibit in a burglary trial here today was turned over to Inspector J. F. C. B. Vance, City Analyst, after it had been duly identified and marked as an exhibit.

After Inspector Vance had taken charge of the exhibit, Chief Justice Wendell B. Farris remarked that "you need not remain in court any longer, inspector."

The exhibit—an eye-dropper half full of nitroglycerine.

SUGGESTS SUBSIDIZED HOME FOR UNMARRIED MOTHERS

VICTORIA, Jan. 10 (CP)—Establishment of a subsidized foster home for the care of unmarried mothers, using the grant formerly paid by the city to the W.C.T.U. home has been proposed to Mayor Percy George by the Children's Aid Society.

The W.C.T.U. home is no longer available.

NEW WATER PURIFICATION

VANCOUVER, Jan. 10 (CP) — Mayor G. G. (Gerry) McGeer said today that Vancouver soon may have a new system of water purification to eliminate the need of chlorination and the objections to that particular chemical.

HIGHWAYS CHOKED

REGINA, Jan. 10 (CP) — Road conditions in Southern Saskatchewan are the worst in 40 years due to heavy snowfalls and crews are working day and night to keep main arteries open, Highways Minister J. T. Douglas said.

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$220 JACKPOT FOR STATE PENSIONERS

DENVER, Jan. 10 (AP)—Colorado gave each of its old age pensioners a $220.80 "jackpot" payment today in addition to their $45 monthly pensions.

The pension payment and jackpot went to 42,385 persons and represented an outlay of $11,106,749. Deductions are made from the $45 pension in about half the cases because the pensioner has some outside income. These deductions brought the average pension payment down to $41.42.

The huge "jackpot" payment resulted from a provision in Colorado's law that all money in the pension fund must be divided each January among the persons on the pension rolls. Increased sales and liquor tax receipts are largely responsible for the record-breaking payment.

Plan Helicopter Mail Run

SEATTLE, Jan. 10 (AP)—Herm Poulin of the Central Aircraft Co., Yakima, announced here today the company has applied to the Civil Aeronautics Board for approval of helicopter mail runs from Seattle to Bremerton and Olympic Peninsula points; Seattle to Everett via Bothell and Edmonds, and Seattle to Tacoma via White River Valley points. He said the company hoped to have two helicopters in operation at Yakima by Feb. 1. Service would be on a "point to point" basis with no airports necessary as the machines can land in a square plot.

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Movie Gossip

Sinclair Lewis Lured to Hollywood To Make First Crack at Screen Writing

By HELEN BANNERMAN
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Sinclair Lewis, the pillar of American literature who has half a dozen best-selling novels behind him, is being lured to Hollywood to write the screen play for Leo McCarey's production, "Adam and Eve." This is the author's first crack at screen writing.

The play, a comedy-drama, will involve only two human characters. Originally announced a year ago, Ingrid Bergman and James Stewart were selected tentatively as the stars. Both withdrew from the venture and Lewis will rewrite the photoplay completely.

BERGMAN HONORED

Miss Bergman presently on Broadway in "Joan of Lorraine," got official recognition from her native land when King Gustaf of Sweden awarded her "Literis et Artibus," highest Swedish award for prowess in the arts and sciences. It is given to both Swedes and foreigners.

Its presentation to Miss Bergman was for her "outstanding acting and her dignified way of representing Swedish art in the United States."

MASON SIGNS

James Mason has signed a two-picture contract with Sir Alexander Korda, under the terms of which the films are to be made in the country most convenient to the star and the producer. The first one may be made this year in Hollywood, London or perhaps France. No story has been selected yet.

Mason, in New York with his wife, Pamela Kellino, has arranged to act with her in "Bathsheba" on Broadway before making the pictures.

The Mason deal was the second deal of the week for Korda, who has also signed Rex Harrison for a film to be made in England next Summer.

"Love Laughs at Andy Hardy"

Andy Hardy of the perennial Mero-Goldwyn-Mayer series is back from the wars, like his creator Mickey Rooney, back at college and back on the screen. He is the same irrepressible little fellow, stealing every scene. Those who loved the solid Utopia security of the middle-class Hardy's will find that in the latest of the saga the pleasant small-town atmosphere is burlesqued for the first time.

TO ASK GOVERNMENTS TO FINANCE NETWORK OF COMMUNITY CENTRES

VANCOUVER, Jan. 10 (CP) — Mayor G. G. McGeer announced Thursday that the City will ask Provincial and Dominion Governmental aid in financing the building and upkeep of a network of "expansive and efficient" community centres.

Mr. McGeer said he has discussed the matter "in a general way" with Hon. G. M. Weir, B.C. Minister of Education.

"I think his ideas are much in line with my own,' he said.

He pointed out that under present legislation, the Province is willing to pay half the cost of community centre buildings which are incorporated in the educational system.

DUBLIN, (CP)—John A. Belton, Irish Charge d'Affaires at Stockholm has been appointed Minister for Eire in Madrid. He is a 43-year-old barrister.

Big Beth's Skipper Retires; Cuts Crossing Time on Last Voyage

LONDON, Jan. 10 (AP) — Sir James Bisset, who in 20 years as captain of some of the finest passenger ships has skippered notables all over the world, retired to land last night after docking the liner Queen Elizabeth at Southampton at the end of her fastest Atlantic crossing.

The 63-year-old veteran relinquished command of the 83,673-ton giant of luxury and his post of commodore of Cunard-White Star's Fleet after 40 years' service with the line

Five of those years he spent during the war captaining the Queen Elizabeth and her sister ship, the Queen Mary, and travelling 600,000 miles with a total of 600,000 Allied troops.

Today he shaved nearly two hours from the Elizabeth's best trans-Atlantic time. He did not break the trans-Atlantic record held by the Queen Mary.

The Queen Elizabeth averaged 29.45 knots in making it from New York to Southampton in four days, 11 hours and 24 minutes. The Queen Mary's record was an average of 31.69 knots for three days, 20 hours and 42 minutes.

The company announced that Capt. C. M. Ford, who had acted as relief for Sir James, and who also has captained the Queen Mary, would command the Elizabeth on the next crossing beginning Saturday.

ROSS SPUR

ROSS SPUR, B.C. — Little Billy Beetstra, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Beetstra is a patient in the Trail-Tadanac Hospital.

Research Council Turns From War To Aid Everyday Johnny Canuck

OTTAWA, Jan. 10 (CP)—All the way from the atom to agriculture, and from Polymyxa to pork chops, Canada's National Research Council is applying the hard-won lessons of war to the solution of the problems of peace.

The job of reconversion now has been completed, and the council said today it was fully embarked on the task of providing new or improved auxiliaries to post-war Canadian life.

The Council declared its wartime research organization has been modified to suit peacetime needs and its facilities have been greatly expanded to provide the "best possible" services for Canadian industry.

High on the list of projects reported by the organization was its atomic energy research division, formed to harness the power of the atom to the aid of industry and medicine.

A separate division of medical research has been created and the council is delving too, into the headaches of the Canadian householder through a building research division.

Other new ventures include the building of a prairie regional laboratory at Saskatoon, Sask., for the study of farm surpluses—especially wheat—and waste products such as straw.

For prospectors the Council has joined with the United States in developing a magnetic airborne detector, used originally to smell out submarines. It is used for the location of iron and oil deposits.

From farm crops and farm waste new products for industrial usage may evolve as the result of the council's researches. One of these, from wheat, is a new resin useful in paint-making.

On the Air

SATURDAY, JAN. 11, 1947

Saturday

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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—Pick of the Hits
8:30—Morning Concert
8:44—C.P.R. Train Time
8:45—Hebrew Christian Hour
9:00—BBC News
9:14—Weather Forecast
9:15—Pops on Parade
9:30—Stories in Music
9:59—Time Signal
10:00—Medley Time
10:15—World Church News
10:45—Press News
10:30—Musical Program
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—America on Parade
5:30—Cavalcade of Melody
6:00—CBC News
6:05—NHL Hockey
7:30—Organ Music
8.00—Red River Barn Dance
8:30—Club Donahue's Orchestra
10:30—Prelude to Midnight
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
10:45—Dance Orchestra
11:00—God Save The King

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7:00—Hebrew Christian Hour
7:15—Press News
7:30—Musical Programme
7:45—Musical Programme
8:00—CBC News
8:15—Five Minutes of Fine Music
8:20—Musical Fill
8:30—Newsstand Novelties
8:45—Musical Fill
8:55—Merchandise News
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Pops on Parade
9:30—Saturday Review
10:00—Teen Towners
10:45—Press News.
11:00—Metropolitan Opera
2:00—Tea and Crumpets
3:00—El Ritme Tropical
3:15—CBC News
3:30—Fountain of Faith
3:45—Jazz Jamboree
4:00—Musical Programme
4:30—Songs in Sweet Style
4:45—Musical Programme
5:00—Time Out for Music
5:30—The People Ask
5:45—Sports College.
6:00—CBC News
6:05—N H L 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—The Gay White Way
10:00—CBC News
10:15—Hollywood Barn Dance
11:00—Biltmore Hotel Orchestra
11:30—Peerless News
11:40—Sign Off . . . The King . . .

SUNDAY, JAN. 12, 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—Alan and Me
10:00—B. C. Gardener
10:15—Musical Program
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—Current and Choice
9:30—Gideon Program
10:00—CBC News
10:15—Canadian Yarns
11:00—God Save the King

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610 ON THE DIAL
STANDARD TIME

8:00—Press News
8:15—Melodic Moods
8:30—Lutheran Hour
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Report from Parliament Hill
9:30—Alan and Me
10:00—Gospel Half-Hour
10:30—Musical Programme
10:45—Press News
11:00—Knox Church Service
12:00—New York Philharmonic Or.
1:30—Church of the Air
2:00—CBC News
2:03—John Fisher Reports
2:15—Elmore Philpott
2:30—Singing Stars of Tomorrow
3:00—Ozzie and Harriet
3:30—Lightning Jim
4:00—Musical Programme
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—Serenade for Strings
8:00—St. Andrew's Church Broadcast
8:30—Sunday Serenade
9:00—Presbyterian Church
8:30—Fireside Silhouettes.
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.

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TODAY'S News Pictures

Massey Goes Skiing

Far from the bright lights of New York, and the movie sets of Hollywood, is the film and stage star, Raymond Massey, who "skiied the old year out and the New Year in" at the Alpine Inn of St. Margaret's Country Club in Quebec

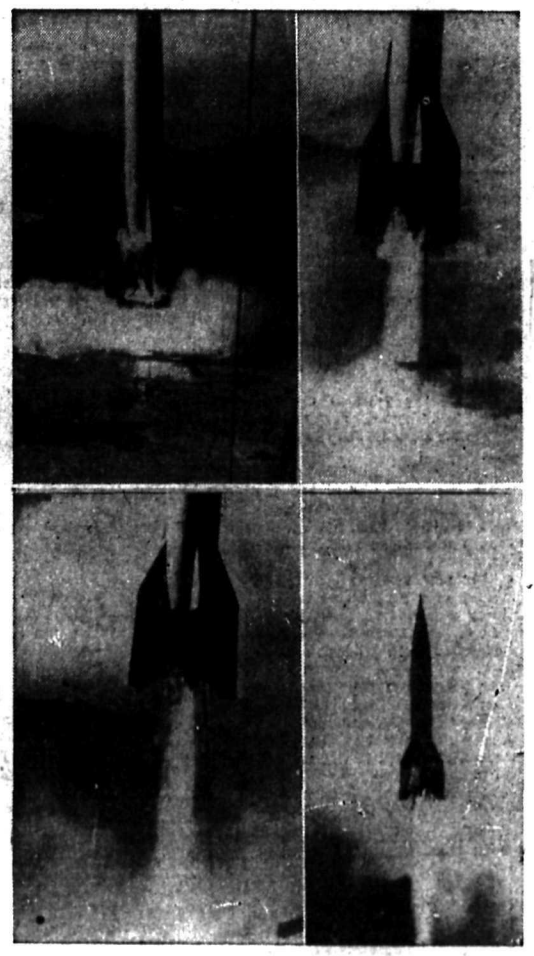
He's King—and He Knows it!

Bushman, the 550-pound gorilla of the Lincoln Park Zoo, in Chicago, who was recently named the king of all animals in captivity by unanimous vote of the nations zoo directors, holds a pose befitting his royal majesty. A natural showoff and a born mugger, Bushman gives one of the exhibitions which made him popular with visitors to the zoo. He was captured in Africa 18 years ago.

'Axis Sally' Freed

Shown in a Frankfurt, Germany, prison just before her release, Mildred "Axis Sally" Gillars took verbal cracks at Secretary of State Byrnes and at Jewry in general in an interview with newspapermen. "Axis Sally," formerly of Portland, Ore., broadcast Nazi propaganda to the U. S. troops during the war. Recently her release was ordered, but she was directed to report regularly to the U. S. intelligence officers in the American zone.

V-2 Heads for the Bright Blue Yonder



These pictures give you a closeup view of the launching of a German V-2 rocket projectile during a U. S. Army test at the White Sands, New Mexico, proving grounds. At top left the launching charge is touched off and flaming gas belches from tail of the giant rocket; top right, it starts upward. Lower left, now well on its way, it begins to leave the characteristic fiery wake as it roars aloft; lower right, gaining speed every split second, it heads for the ionsphere.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT

R.S.C. 1927, CHAPTER 140

Proposed Ferry Landing at Kootenay Bay, B. C.

The Minister of Public Works, Government of the Province of British Columbia, hereby gives notice that he has, under Section 7 of the said Act, deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and in the office of the District Registrar of the Land Registry District of Nelson, a description of the site and the plan of a ferry landing proposed to be built on the foreshore of Kootenay Bay in front of Lot Number 2155, Kootenay District.

And take notice that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Minister of Public Works, Government of the Province of British Columbia, will, under Section 7 of the said Act, apply to the Minister of Public Works at his office in the city of Ottawa, for approval of the said site and plan, and for leave to construct the said ferry landing.

Dated this 12th day of August, 1946.

A. L. CARRUTHERS,
Chief Engineer.
Department of Public Works
Parliament Buildings,
Victoria, B. C.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Take notice that the voters' list for the village of Salmo is posted in the Post Office at Salmo. A court of revision to hold to or amend this list will be held in the Community Hall, Salmo, on Wednesday, January 15th, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

Nominations for three (3) Commissioners for the village will be held at the Community Hall on Monday, January 27th from 12 noon to 2 p.m. and if necessary, election will be held on Thursday, Jan. 30.

Signed: R. J. ADAMS,
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ACROSS
1. Part
5. Wild pig
9. Street urchin
10. Frequently
12. Proficient
13. City (N. Y.)
14. Title of respect
15. Old measure
17. Young dog
18. Exclamation
19. Pokes
21. Music note
22. Resentful begrudging
24. Narrate
26. Quiet
28. A lariat
31. Heavenly body
33. Air
34. From
36. Loop with running knot
38. Like
39. Carting vehicle
41. Attempt
42. Friar's title
43. Proverb
45. Lit again
47. Pry
48. Goddess of peace
49. Places
50. King of the Amalekites

DOWN
1. Vividly shining
2. Hebrew measure
3. Part of the mouth
4. Come in
5. A worn mass of rock
6. Often (poet.)
7. Atilt
8. Happen again
9. Cuts
11. Back of the neck
16. Fate
19. A marker stake (aero.)
20. Viscous mud
23. Vigor
25. Member of a Mongoloid tribe
27. Plunderers
29. Ripping
30. Having a handle
32. Conjunction
34. Elliptical
35. Grows dim
37. French mandate
40. Part of a church
42. Insect
44. Obtain
46. Unit of work

Yesterday's Answer

CRYPTOQUOTE—A cryptogram quotation

X W W R U E K P M B P E X R T K, M R I B X B P B P U E X R I I L B P T L—I A M N B L R.

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: 'TIS HARD TO SMILE WHEN ONE WOULD WEEP, TO SPEAK WHEN ONE WOULD REPENT BE—HUNTER.

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MINES	
Amal Larder	1.60
Anglo-Huronian	9.25
Ansley	.10½
Arjon	.26
Armistice	.89
Astoria	.19
Atlas	.01
Aubelle	.30
Aumaque	.67
Aunor	4.35
Bagamac	.23
Base Metals Mining	.06½
Bear Exploration	.70
Beattie Gold Mines	.72
Beauleiu Yellowknife	.37
Bevcourt	.06
Bidgood Kirkland	.21
Bobjo Mines	.15
Bonetal	.35
Boycon	.14
Bralorne	12.25
Broulan	.41
Buffalo Ankerite	4.50
Buffalo Canadian	.22
Buffalo Red Lake	.30
Calin Flin Flon	.11¼
Campbell R L	2.50
Can Malartic	.78
Cariboo Gold Quartz	2.90
Castle-Trethewey	1.31
Central Patricia	2.05
Centremaque	.17¼
C Porcupine	.21
Chesterville	4.10
Citralam	.12
Cochenour	3.00
Coin Lake	.47
Colomac Yellowknife	.29
Coniaurum Mines	1.41
Consolidated M & S	86.50
Conwest	.97
Crestaurum	.50
Croinor	1.40
Delnite	1.85
Dickenson Red Lake	1.60
Discovery	.74
Diversified	1.16
Dome Mines	18.85
Donalda	150.00
Duquesne	1.41
Duvay	.20
East Amphi	.53
East Malartic	2.05
East Sullivan	3.50
Elder	1.09
Eldona	.74
Fed Kirkland	.09
Francoeur	.31
Frobisher	3.05
Giant Yellowknife	6.30
Gillies Lake	.18
God's Lake Gold	.59
Gold Crest	.23
Gold Dale	.19
Gold Eagle	.15½
Golden Arrow	.45
Golden Gate	.40
Golden Manitou	3.10
Gold Vue	.38
Grandoro	.18
Gunnar Gold	.41
Hallnor Mines	4.60
Hard Rock Gold	.16
Harker Gold	.16
Harricana	.17½
Hasaga	1.25
Heath	.31
Heva Cadillac	.75
Hollinger	.19½
Homer	.11
Hosco	.50
Howey	.37
Hudson Bay M & S	42.00
Indian Lake	.23
Inspiration	.80
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Jacknife	.10
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Jason	.45
Jellicoe	.06½
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Kayrand	.16
Kenville Gold	.40
Kerr-Addison	13.85
Kirk Townsite	.15
Kirkland Lake	1.48
Labrador	5.65
Lake Dufault	.72
Lake Shore Mines	.14¼
Lamaque Gold	6.40
Lapaska	.36
Leitch Gold	1.52
Lexindon	.29
Lingman Lake	1.15
Little Long Lac	2.05
Louvicourt	2.75
Lynx	.26
Massasa	8.45
MacDonald	4.60
MacLeod Cockshutt	1.95
Madsen Red Lake	3.60
Malartic Gold F	2.05
Marcus	.85
McIntyre-Porcupine	.56
McKenzie Red Lake	.52
McMarmac	.52
McWatters	.18
Mining Corporation	9.85
Moneta	.56
Mosher	.21
Negus	2.10
New Bidlamaque	.11¼
Nib	.15
Nicholson Mines	.09½
Nipissing Mining	2.01
Noranda	51.50
Normetal	1.60
Norseman	.12½
O'Brien Gold Mines	2.05
O'Leary	.20
Omega Gold	.18
Omnitrans Exploration	.09
Orenada	.16
Osisko Lake	2.06
Pamour Porcupine	1.60
Paramaque	1.18
Paymaster	.53
Pend Oreille	2.20
Perron Gold	1.18
Picadilly	.12
Pickle Crow Gold	3.05
Pioneer	3.55
Powell Rouyn Gold	.93
Premier Gold	1.25
Reeves MacDonald	1.80
Preston East Dome	1.66
Quebec Gold	.90
Queenston	.95
Quemont	.20
Regcourt	.62
Richmac Gold Mines	.40
Roche L L	.10
Rouyn Merger	.39
San Antonio Gold	4.25
Sannorm	.22
Sen Rouyn	.62
Shawkey	.38
Sheep Creek	1.33
Sherritt Gordon	2.10
Siscoe Gold	.52
Sladen Malartic	.42
Springer	.95
Stadacona	.73
Starratt Olsen	.90
Steep Rock	2.10
Sturgeon R	.23
Sullivan Cons	2.35
Surf Inlet	.27
Sylvanite	2.45
T Lundmark	.47
Taku River Gold Mines	.86
Teck-Hughes Gold	2.00
Thurbois Mines Ltd	.50
Toburn Gold Mines	1.23
Towgamac	.19
Upper Canada	2.50
Ventures	9.25
Vicour	.20
Waite Amulet	4.50
Wasa Lake	.56
W Malartic	.17
Wiltsey	.16
Wright Hargreaves	3.15
Yellorex	.24
Ymir Yankee Girl	.11
OILS	
Anglo-Can	.90
British American	27.00
British Dom	.18
C & E Corp	1.80
Calmont	.35
Chemical Research	.55
Dalhousie	.33
Foothills	2.10
Home Oil	2.95
Imperial	12.85
Inter Petroleum	14.65
Mid Continent	.07
National Pete	.15
Okalta	.42
Pacalta	.06¾
Pacific Pete	.85
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Market Trends

NEW YORK—Stock market was moderately steady at a fairly active opening. Dealings then slowed but picked up briskly in the second hour for an interval when weakness of a few liquors spread to virtually all departments.

TORONTO—Trading sent prices down progressively all along the line and losses predominated. Volume was better than yesterday with a total turnover of 1,150,000 shares.

MONTREAL—Securities followed the downward trends of the New York and Toronto markets on the stock exchange and curb market and in dealings up to the final hour all key groups displayed losses although for the most part they were not severe. Volume was comparatively light.

VANCOUVER—Activity centred on the mines section. Oils and industrials were quiet.

LONDON—The stock exchange displayed typical weekend markets with the initial stages revealing a tendency toward lower levels and later developments showing firmer conditions.

Calgary Livestock

CALGARY, Jan. 10 (CP)—Cattle market closing steady.

Thursday's receipts: 706 cattle, 18 calves, 798 hogs, 115 sheep. This morning's receipts: 136 cattle, 81 calves, 189 sheep.

Hogs sold Thursday at $19.00 for A's. Sows $13.85.

Good to choice butcher steers 12.25-13.00; common to medium 10.00-12.00. Good to choice butcher heifers 11.25-12.00; common to medium 9.00-11.00.

Good cows 9.25-9.65; common to medium 7.25-9.00. Canners and cutters 5.00-7.00.

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Good handyweight lambs 13.00-13.25. Good ewes 6.50-7.25.

W.I.B.L. Adopts '47 Schedule

SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 10 (AP)—Western International Baseball League directors adopted a 1947 schedule, subject to final revision, which would give each of the eight teams in the league from 153 to 156 games, with many Sunday double-headers.

The league season will open April 18. Opening week games include Tacoma at Spokane, Victoria at Wenatchee, Bremerton at Yakima and Vancouver at Salem.

150 TOP GOLF MONEY-MAKERS IN CROSBY'S TOURNEY

DEL MONTE, Calif., Jan. 10 (AP)—The tricky Cypress Point Golf Course, described by the unfortunate as an 18-hole sand trap surrounded by Sea Lions, engaged 150 of the sports' top money-players and simon pures today in the opening of the $10,000 Bing Crosby pro-amateur golf tournament.

Competition moves to the Monterey Peninsula Club tomorrow and winds up with 18 holes on Seagirt Pebble Beach Sunday.

Ben Hogan and Amateur Frank Stranahan make up the favored team, largely on Hogan's ranking as top money maker last year and his victory last weekend in the $10,000 Los Angeles open.

Portland pro Al Zimmerman is paired with ex-U. S. amateur champ Bud Ward of Spokane.

The $10,000 will be split among the winning pros, $3000 based on pro-amateur combined results and $7000 on individual scores. The amateurs get six radios as prizes.

Accident Protection Plan for School Athletes Grows

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Jan. 10—(AP) — The practice of accident insurance for high school athletes through benefit plans sponsored by States athletic associations is growing rapidly.

C. E. Forsythe of Lansing, Mich., director of high school athletics for the State of Michigan, in an interview expanded on a report he presented to the annual meeting of the National Federation of High School Athletics Associations here.

More than 20 states now have some form of the accident protection plan for school athletes.

Michigan has 600 of its 700 high schools enrolled in the plan, with 25,000 students covered and last year paid out approximately $100,000 in 6200 claims.

Forsythe said that 70 per cent of claims are for football, 15 per cent for basketball, and about 7 or 8 per cent each for baseball and physical training.

Babe Ruth Unchanged

NEW YORK, Jan. 10 (AP) — The condition of Babe Ruth was described as unchanged today at French hospital where the former home run king underwent a serious neck operation Monday.

With the exception of his wife, Ruth has been allowed no callers since the operation.

Basketball Scores

Seattle 59, Salem 55.
Spokane 48, Yakima 36.

CANADIAN DOLLAR UP

NEW YORK, Jan. 10 (CP)—The Canadian dollar was up 1-16 at a discount of 5 per cent in terms of United States funds. The pound sterling was up ⅛ at $4.03¼.

BRISTOL, England (CP)—A two-seater car ran away in the centre of Bristol, dashed downhill and stopped outside the main car park.

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Gifts to P. A. Hockey Star Puzzle Police

PRINCE ALBERT, Sask., Jan. 10 (CP)—Gifts showered on him in recent weeks by some anonymous fan are puzzling Eddie Wallington, star of the Prince Albert Black Hawks of the Saskatchewan Junior Hockey League.

The source of the gifts is also puzzling city police. A camera valued at $90, one of the gifts to Wallington, has been identified as one stolen from a store here several days ago.

Other gifts include an electric razor and a wrist watch.

EALING, Eng., (CP) — A man claimed relief from jury service because, he said, "I don't do things, go anywhere, drink, smoke, go to the pictures (movies), fit in with the world, judge my fellow men."

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ICE PACK REVERSES U. S. EXPEDITION

By ALTON L. BLAKESLEE

ABOARD U. S. S. MOUNT OLYMPUS, Jan. 10 (AP)—The flagship flotilla of the United States Navy's Antarctic expedition, which set out for Little America, is moving in reverse.

Temporarily locked in the Ross ice pack, the ships are drifting North —toward home—at the rate of three miles a day.

The flotilla moved into its present location—a small lagoon—four days ago. Now the lagoon is beginning to fill up with chunks of ice and a big iceberg is advancing from the Southwest. Some light damage has been caused by the ice.

In the hope of getting under way soon, Admiral Richard E. Cruzen dispatched a scout plane today from the icebreaker Northwind to look for possible openings in the barrier. Little America is still some 600 miles away and the ice pack is estimated to cover 200 to 300 miles of the route.

Meantime, snow has blocked further search for 10 expedition flyers missing since Dec. 30 on a seaplane flight over the Ross Sea and Ellsworth Land. Several search flights were made early in the week by two other seaplanes operating from the expedition's Eastern group, still outside the Ross Ice Pack.

Hope is still held that the men will be located in the ice pack or on Ellsworth Land. They carried rations for 30 days—and this could be stretched a much longer period.

CROYDON, England, (CP) — Beniamino Gigli, Italian tenor, allegedly reported dead in 1944, finally cleared of the collaboration charge in 1945, arrived in England recently to appear in an opera. They wil lconsist of a metallurgic 600.

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Recommends Strict Rules to Control Death Benefit Societies in B. C.

VICTORIA, Jan. 10 (CP)—Stringent regulations by order-in-council to control the activities of certain clubs and associations in British Columbia offering death benefits derived from assessments were recommended today in a report of A. J. Cowan, Royal Commissioner, made public by Attorney-General Gordon S. Wismer.

"The only conclusion that I can come to is that the assessment plan of life insurance is unsound and cannot be carried on indefinitely."

TWO ASSOCIATIONS CONDEMNED

Of 13 societies investigated, he had found most to be honestly and efficiently managed, but condemned in "the strongest possible terms" irregularities found in the affairs of the Pacific Mutual Benefit Association and the Western Mutual Benefit Association.

Mr. Cowan recommended that authority be taken either in the Insurance Act or the Societies Act to make regulations by order-in-council, and that penalty for contravention of the regulations be the cancellation of the charter of the offending society.

He also recommended that the application for membership, certificate of membership and all advertisements and pamphlets issued by the society have stamped on them: "Assessment plan, amount of benefit not guaranteed."

Societies paying a death benefit by assessment are prohibited in all Provinces except British Columbia and Saskatchewan. In Saskatchewan recent legislation forbade incorporation of more than the four now existing, and these had been placed under strict control.

As an example of unsound financial position, the Commissioner noted that the Family Assurance Society had a definite liability of over $5,000,000 to its members. To meet this it had a reserve in cash and bonds of $54,415 and $39,521 in advance assessments.

"I can see no reason why it should not be forced to establish the same reserve than any life insurance company is forced to maintain."

Referring to Pacific Mutual Benefit Association, he said:

"I have no hesitation in condemning in the strongest possible terms the way in which this society carries on its business. Its records are improperly kept; the cash receipts are improperly handled; the disability fees, after being improperly collected, are wrongfully paid to the directors."

Certain practices in manipulation of the balance sheet of Western Mutual Benefit Association also are condemned in the "strongest possible terms." Of this group the Commission says also:

"In condemn the practice of allowing the secretary to enter into verbal 'gentlemen's agreements' with the various Amalgamated Civil Servants' Associations. A totally different method of assessment is adopted for the members of these groups and at the same time they are relieved from assessments for the deaths of ordinary members."

RECOMMENDATIONS

Mr. Cowan recommended:

That the accumulation of surpluses or reserves beyond an amount sufficient to finance the payment of 10 claims prior to assessment, be forbidden, and that the present surpluses or reserves be reduced to that amount by utilizing the excess for payment of claims.

That assessments be made only for specific deaths and the amount received be paid either to the beneficiary or, if the claim has been paid in advance of assessment, to the fund out of which the payment has been made.

That all the expenses of running and operating the societies be paid out of the annual dues.

That the beneficiaries of the members must be in accordance with the provisions of the Societies Act.

That the insuring or taking in of groups, the members of which are not subject to the same assessment as the ordinary members, be forbidden.

That the transfer or sale of charters of societies be forbidden.

That the employment of permanent secretaries and the sale or transfer of their position be forbidden.

That the employees of a society, including the secretary, be ineligible for election as directors.

That the Superintendent of Insurance or his representatives be authorized to make periodic audits of the books and inspection of the records of societies.

That all agents or members selling more than five memberships per year be licensed under the provisions of the Insurance Act.

Mr. Cowan also suggested that if his report were implemented the position of all societies be reviewed by the Superintendent of Insurance four years after such regulations are put in force.

SUMMARIZES ORGANIZATIONS

The following are the summarized opinions on organizations he investigated:

British Columbia Mutual Benefit Association: Honestly run, but needs increased membership.

Empire Home Benefit Association: Honestly and efficiently operated.

Canadian Mutual Benefit Association: No criticism of the way in which the records are kept, but needs new members if it is to exist.

The Family Assurance Society (formerly the Family Beneficiary Society): Satisfied it was being run honestly. While not agreeing with their method or scheme, believed the management was sincere and honest. With a membership of 1900 members and a definite liability of $5,000,000 ($2500 per member), they had a reserve in cash and bonds of $54,415.19 and $39,521.90 of advance assessments, which was totally inadequate.

The Interior Mutual Benefit Association: Mr. Cowan was extremely critical of the conduct of affairs of this society in over-expenditures for operations. Either poor or extravagant management.

Provident Mutual Benefit Association: Efficiently operated.

The Trail and Rossland 1500 Club: Excellent management, but definitely on the downgrade, with no attempt made to obtain new members.

The Fifteen Hundred Club of Victoria District: Run and operated within the spirit of the provisions of the Securities Act. Economically operated, but in progressive decline of membership.

Western Canada Mutual Benefit Association: Future depends solely on good agents to bring in a constant stream of new members.

United Home Security Association Regrets management of this society has passed into the hands of a group of salesmen who are more interested in selling than seeing that the society is carried on cheaply and efficiently.

Two Thousand Benefit Association: Operates within the spirit of Societies Act and not a commercial undertaking.

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