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RUSS SNAP SHUT GIANT TRAP

Berliners Dig New Trenches

Russians Call on German Fleet and the Volkssturm to Mutiny

By RICHARD KASISCHKE
Associated Press Staff Writer

LONDON, Jan. 24 (AP) — The Germans dug new trenches guard Berlin today and Gestapo Chief Himmler's whipmen ered every able-bodied German male thrown into the "Red erno of the East."

While the Moscow radio broadcast front-line reports that Germans were evacuating all civilians from Silesia, Pomerla and Warthegau (Poznan Province), the German Transean Service reported "new lines are under construction ine the Reich."

The Paris radio added that rliners were digging trenches und the capital.

Every German able to bear arms being thrown against the advanc- Russians," Transocean reported, ing all available forces are being bilized and the remaining civilis are being recruited for the lkssturm, or home guard.

Moscow broadcast tonight said mmler had set up a new Eastern nt defence council with "unlimit- powers" and with himself perally presiding.

Moscow reports did not indicate w this affects the position of Col.- n. Heinz Guderian, believed in litary command of the whole East- front.

A German prisoner captured toy in St. Vith said the Reichstag d been in session a week, premably to consider the urgency of Russian front situation. The est news the prisoner had heard s that the Red Army had reached akow—which happened Jan. 19. Himmler's Gestapo is tearing men m their women and children in esia, a Moscow report said. The n are thrown into the Volkssturm talions and the women and child- are sent Westward as refugees, aid.

Moscow broadcast reported shes between Volkssturmers and Gestapo as men resisted separan from their families. Russian adcasts called upon the German et and Volkssturm to mutiny and s show they were not members that "criminal Nazi gang."

n the homefront, Germans got assertion from their leaders that itary measures on the Eastern t are "still being improvised."

propaganda spokesman said: must sacrifice every comfort life and join the defence to the est extent to crush this greatest ll dangers to the Reich."

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 24 (AP) — vellers arriving from Germany ight told interviewers that parations were being made to e the German government ofs from Berlin "to some spot in tral Germany."

Foreign newspapermen also re advised to be ready to move where at a moments notice, the vellers said. Many German govment offices long ago were nsferred to other cities as the ult of intense bombing.

AY BE PLANNING ESPERATE STAND THE REICH

LONDON, Jan. 24 (AP)—While Red Army's swift advances have ulted in a great upswing of opism here, the possibility is not ng overlooked that the retreat- Germans may be extricating ge numbers of troops for a desrate stand inside the Reich in hope of prolonging the war.

Speculation along these lines is ightened by the absence of offil Russian reports of overwhelm- enemy casualties—a fact sugsting that the Germans may be thdrawing under Soviet pressure accordance with a well-conceiv- strategic plan.

It is conceivable that the Gerans left the front only thinly nned and pulled back their main rces to fixed defences inside the ich for a final stand.

ON PAPEN EEKING PEACE?

LONDON, Jan. 24 (CP)—The Anra radio reported from a "reliple source" today that Franz von pen, German Ambassador to rkey, had arrived at Madrid at head of a German peace mison.

The Ankara report said Von pen had the "confidence of the rman Army" and that he was ing to "sound the possibilities for best possible peace terms for rmany.

ETER CONFERS WITH SUBASIC

LONDON, Jan. 24 (CP)—Yugovia's political crisis took another d turn today King Peter hurried- summoned Premier Ivan Subasic vice for conferences which some plomatic quarters believed might sult in reinstatement by the oung monarch of the "dismissed overnment."

Subasic's Cabinet met again toght and it was believed this spel session was called to hear of the remier's interviews with the King.

Ghost Voice Breaks Berlin Broadcast

LONDON, Jan. 24 (CP)—A ghost oice interrupted Berlin broadcasts day to bring Germans fresh news German military disasters. The oice announced the fall of Oppeln d when the regular announcer id there were no enemy planes er Germany, the ghost voice reied: "They are on the way and ill reach you soon."

Dismisses Charges After Hearing War Record

LINDSAY, Ont., Jan. 24 (CP)—Magistrate E. A. Gee today dismissed a case against a laborer charged with disorderly conduct when he learned:

The man had served four years in the present war; had been torpedoed on four different occasions; had twice been reported as missing or dead; that his wife, having been informed of his death had married again.

LITTLE HOPE OF HUN GIVING UP PRISONERS

Camps Likely to Be Moved Farther Inland

OTTAWA, Jan. 24 (CP)—Fourteen German prison camps likely to contain Canadian and other United Nations military personnel lie in the path of the present Russian offensive through Poland, Silesia and East Prussia, but it appeared unlikely today that Marshal Stalin's troops will be able to liberate their occupants.

Indications pointed to the Germans removing their prisoners farther within the borders of Germany as the Red Army drew near.

In Washington yesterday Basil O'Connor, Chairman of the American Red Cross, cited three camps which were situated between Poznan and Torun in Poland, in territory already either overrun or possibly overrun by the Russians.

"Official word of the movement of one of these, Stalag 357, was sent to Geneva in December," he reported. "It is taken for granted that the two others, Stalag 20-Q and Oflag 64, also have been moved."

The three camps to which he referred are believed to contain British and United States prisoners. Canadians held in that part of Germany—an estimated 600 in number—are believed to have been located for the most part at Stalag 8-B at Teschen, Southeast of Krakow in Poland; at Stalag 2-D at Stangard in Pomerania; and at Stalag 344 at Lansdorf Southeast of Breslau in Silesia.

No news was available of the fate of the occupants of any of these camps, sites of some of which may already be in the hands of the onrushing Russians.

Nor was any report forthcoming regarding what was happening to Canadians held at the notorious Stalag Luft 111 near Dresden, where 50 airmen—including six members of the R.C.A.F.—were shot last Summer.

Officials advised relatives of men known to be held in these camps to continue to use present addresses in writing to them, pending later advice.

In Canberra, Australia, Army Minister Forde said yesterday the Australian Government had no official advice of Australian prisoners being abandoned by the Germans as they fell back on the Eastern front. He said experience suggested the enemy would remove them to rear areas.

Red Cross officials said provision had been made to send emergency supplies to the camps to which the men may be removed in Germany and also to supply those who may be liberated by the Russian armies.

Says C.C.F. Will Stand Firm on Seed Grain Debt

REGINA, Jan. 24 (CP)—Saskatchewan Municipal Affairs Minister Brockelbank said today in an address that the C.C.F. Government was to "stand firm" in its current dispute with the Dominion Government on payment of a $16,468.-852 seed grain advances debt.

PUNISH THE HUN SAYS EHRENBURG

MOSCOW, Jan. 24 (AP) — Ilya Ehrenburg today denounced American and British individuals for getting soft about German prisoners. He was especially critical of Lady Hibbs in London, who suggested that the best punishment for Hitler was to make him go back to painting houses.

"We are spilling our blood on the fields of Silesia and East Prussia," the Russian journalist said. "Mothers cry for slain sons but not for the opportunity of allowing cheerful painter Hitler to paint the walls of houses while the Germans prepare for another war.

"We feel differently. We won't even discuss the problems of restoring Lubeck or Cologne. First they have got to restore Smolensk, Warsaw and Le Havre."

"ATLANTIC IS ALIVE WITH SUBS"

"Wrong to Switch Call Up System in Mid-Stream"

SHALLOW LAKE, Ont. Jan. 24 (CP)—Defence Minister McNaughton said here tonight that "today the North Atlantic is, as it hasn't been for months past, alive with German submarines."

"We are having ships sunk day by day," said Gen. McNaughton in telling a political rally here why he had not been able to campaign last week as Government candidate in the Grey North election Feb. 5. He had remained at his desk in Ottawa last week because a large draft of reinforcements for the Army was on the high seas. He was unable to tell the electors of North Grey why he had remained until the troops had arrived safely overseas.

"The North Atlantic is a mighty cold place and we don't want the submarines to get at our troop ships," he said. It was essential to keep out of the press any information about troop movements. It was essential to keep this information out of the press "despite the wild and careless demands of certain newspapers."

Telling of events which led up to his entry into the Government, Gen. McNaughton said that when he returned from overseas "I had a little trouble with my health and I spent some time getting it back."

Then the reinforcement issue cropped up and the Prime Minister consulted him to find out what should be done to meet the situation.

The job to be tackled immediately was that of getting reinforcements. A source for the reinforcements was the Home Defence Army which at one time numered some "90,000" men.

"I had a feeling that a proportion of these men were alright, but that a high proportion were neither good to God or man" said Gen. McNaughton.

He had a feeling that the Home Defence troops had not been well treated and had been driven into themselves. Instead of counting it an honor to serve their King and country their outlook was switched around and they were boastful of the fact that they were "Zombies" and doing nothing for their country.

Shortly after accepting the Cabinet post he twice appealed to the Home Defence men to come forward and serve their country.

"I was met with a storm of abuse throughout the country," Gen. McNaughton said.

The appeal to the Home Defence troops should not have been a matter for division in Canada. It was of importance to all that the men come forward.

Prime Minister King also appealed to the men and his appeal was treated "in a way in which it should never have been treated."

"His appeal was made the subject of political controversy of the most virulent kind."

Although publicity had turned many Home Defence troops against the appeal, large numbers came forward and volunteered. However, when it became clear that because of confusion and dickering the necessary reinforcements would not be obtained Parliament was called into special session.

He reiterated that he believed in the voluntary system of enlistment for Canada. If Canada had decided upon a policy of conscription before the war he would have been for it.

However, he thought it was wrong to switch from the voluntary system to the compulsory system in "mid-stream" and "I still think it wrong." What Canada's system would be after this war would have to be decided upon.

The Government had not failed in its efforts to provide reinforcements. "It now was ahead of schedule."

"The way a good deal of the Press of this country wrote—and they should be ashamed of themselves for it—they would have been happy if we had failed in our attempts. But we haven't failed."

He hoped that the Home Defence troops now overseas had "come around to the right frame of mind by now."

"They are in for a pretty thin time of it at the hands of that army of ours overseas if they don't do their duty over there. They will be given every opportunity."

The hard core of offenders who had set themselves up in Home Defence establishments to oppose the will of the state now were absent without leave. The Government know now what it was up against in dealing with Home Defence troops.

The men who overstayed their pre-embarkation leave by more than 21 days would be dealt with.

"They are not the type of people we need be very proud of in this country and we don't need to worry about showing them any sympathy or mercy."

British Within 3 Miles of Roer

U.S. 7th Army Pulls Back Seven or Eight Miles in Northern Alsace

By AUSTIN BEALMEAR
Associated Press Staff Writer

PARIS, Jan. 24 (AP)—The British 2nd Army made advances of up to 2,000 yards today and pulled within three miles of the Roer River at three points inside Germany while the United States 1st and 3rd Armies methodically continued ironing out the enemy's flattened Ardennes salient against stiffening resistance.

The French 1st Army's attack at the Southern end of the long front also progressed steadily, securing several crossings of the Ill River, but in Northern Alsace the Germans sharply increased their pressure on the United States 7th Army and it was disclosed that the American withdrawal, announced Tuesday, had amounted to an average of seven to eight miles.

The veil of secrecy was lifted slowly from the French assault, disclosing that it involved "Allied" troops under Maj.-Gen. Jean de Lattre de Tassigny and that the drive was headed generally Eastward against the Rhinebank corridor North of Colmar rather than against the German pocket in the Colmar area itself.

The most important British success in the Maas-Roer triangle near the Northern end of the front was the capture of the highway centre of Hensberg, nine miles Northwest of Linnich, Northern anchor of the United States 9th Army.

R.A.F. fliers reported a great exodus of German rail and road transport streaming Northeastward from the Ardennes battle sector into Germany in a mystery move which, lacking official clarification, gave rise to speculation that the German Command was shifting large armored forces from the Western to the Eastern fronts.

In addition to taking the seven-way traffic centre of Heinsberg, Lt.-Gen. Dempsey's British troops also captured Haaren and Weerd just to the North in Holland and entered the Southern section of Linne, three miles Southwest of Roermond on the main highway from Sittard as the Germans fell back to their defence line along the River Roer.

In the continuing attack to flatten out the German bulge in the Maas-Roer triangle, British forces also fought into the village of Montfort, five miles South and slightly West of Roermond.

(Douglas Amaron, Canadian Press war correspondent, in a front dispatch reported a brisk skirmish in the 1st Canadian Army sector along the Maas River North of Boxmeer, which is 14 miles South of Nijmegen. The dispatch said a German force of 40 to 50 men who crossed to the River's East bank was wiped out by Canadian reconnaissance troops and tanks.)

Despite wretched weather, which in general slowed the Allied aerial assaults on the retreating Germans after two days of powerful attack, R.A.F. Spitfires, Tempests and Typhoons bombed and shot up many scores of trains streaming Northeastward from the bulge.

The obvious explanation was that the Germans were rushing reinforcements to meet the Russian offensive in the East.

The United States 1st and 3rd Armies were hammering less than five miles from the German frontier after beating off German rearguards who struck back weakly in the narrow remaining strip of the Ardennes bulge. Snow helped protect the retreating enemy from air attack and increased the German resistance.

On the 1st Army's front just to the North the Germans in a desperate, unsuccessful effort to recapture St. Vith, struck back early today in a series of counter-attacks against the 7th Armored Division. The attacks, in strength ranging up to 200 infantrymen and seven tanks, were beaten off with capture of 250 prisoners.

YANKS BURST TO THE EDGE OF CLARK FIELD

40th Roll Up in Strength Behind Motorized Patrols

MANILA—40 MILES

By C. YATES McDANIEL
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SOUTHWEST PACIFIC ADVANCE COMMAND, Jan. 25 (Wednesday) (AP) — American motorized patrols burst to the edge of Clark Field Wednesday, leading a swift-moving drive which over-ran one of the big airdrome's satellite fields.

Right behind them in strength the 40th Division cracked the Bamban River line, where the Japanese had been expected to make a stand, to roll within three miles of the field with its 13 airstrips, only a little more than 40 miles from Manila.

The Americans captured the town of Bamban on the North edge of the river and sent motorized units South to Mabalacat.

This represented a gain of nearly 10 miles from captured Capas and carried the Americans for the first time to Pampanga Province, the gateway to Manila.

The satellite airdrome in the Clark Field area was seized near Bamban.

The Air Force for the first time included among its targets Corregidor, on an island in Manila Bay where the last stand of American forces was made in 1942.

For the first time since the invasion of Luzon opened Jan. 9 at Lingayen Bay, Gen. Douglas MacArthur today released figures which estimated Japanese casualties at 6,449 dead, 423 taken prisoner and 7,200 wounded, a total of 14,072. American casualties were 657 killed, 187 missing and 2,301 wounded, a total of 3,145, the communique said.

DeMille Loses Fight Against Union

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 24 (AP) — Screen Producer-Director Cecil B. DeMille lost today his court fight against suspension by the American Federation of Radio Artists for failure to pay a $1 assessment.

Superior Court rejected DeMille's request for an order restraining the union from suspending him. Membership in the union is a requirement of his appearance as conductor of a coast-to-coast radio program.

BRITAIN TO CHANGE TUNE OF PUBLICITY

Hopes to Present Position on Its Own Merits

By JOHN DAUPHINEE
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LONDON, Jan. 24 (CP) — Official London has had a change of heart. Earlier in the war it frowned on any publicity for Britain which might be misconstrued among the Allies. Now it feels the time has come to get Britain's viewpoint across, even at the risk of some misunderstandings.

There is certainly no wish for a barrage of criticism aimed at any of the United Nations. The hope is, rather, that Britain's position will be presented on its own merits, avoiding as far as possible direct refutation of misunderstandings abroad.

The original policy of Ministry of Information Offices abroad was to serve primarily as foreign libraries where facts could be obtained on request, leaving most of the circulation of information to friends of Britain in those countries.

Now, although there is no official "sell-Britain's viewpoint" campaign and will be none, there is a great tendency by M.O.I. to enter into the actual distribution field.

That is a symbol of the changed Whitehall attitude but officials here look on press, radio and film to do the main "publicity" job.

Government sources who suggest guardedly to newspapermen that more might be done to explain Britain's stand in the Greek and Polish disputes, for instance, are quick to add that the job has to be handled carefully.

In recent weeks there has been a small-scale "press war" between British and United States publications. One of the biggest blasts was the "Economist" article of a fortnight ago which was sharply critical of anti-British outbursts in America, and it drew from one Whitehall source the comment that "in the long run it will be a good thing."

But a continuation of such articles on either side of the Atlantic would undo any good accomplished by the original editorial, he said. The aim should be to avoid ill-natured, flat contradictions of views expressed abroad and use instead a policy of representing Britain's position in explanatory fashion.

LIBERALS TO DISCUSS WORLD PEACE, LONDON

LONDON, Jan. 24 (CP Cable)—The Liberal party will meet in conference here Feb. 1-3 with the principal discussion centering on suggestions for the organization of peace, including a call for federation in Europe, full employment, construction of almost 4,000,000 houses in five years and social security for all.

It has been announced the Liberals plan to contest the next election independently with "several hundred" candidates in the field.

C.W.A.C. Overseas Chief Returning

OTTAWA, Jan. 24 (CP) — Lt.-Col. Alice Sorby of Winnipeg, Deputy Director of the Canadian Women's Army Corps overseas, will return to Canada for exchange duty with Lt.-Col. Isabel Cronyn of Toronto, Deputy Director of C.W.A.C., Ottawa, Defence Headquarters announced today.

First Canadian woman soldier to arrive in Britain, Lt.-Col. Sorby has been stationed at Canadian Military Headquarters, London, since August, 1942. Her husband, Maj. Walter O. Sorby, is serving with the Canadian Army overseas.

Oppeln Falls; Oder Is Crossed

Red Army Ripping Through Silesia at Blitzkrieg Pace; 4½ Miles From Breslau

By W. W. HERCHER
Associated Press Staff Writer

LONDON, Jan. 24 (AP)—Ripping through German Silesia and East Prussia at blitzkrieg pace, the Russians today captured Oppeln, Upper Silesian capital, and reached within 4½ miles of Breslau amid reports that they already had crossed the Oder River line and had snapped shut the war's greatest trap on East Prussia.

In Western Poland, against apparently stiffening opposition, the Soviet forces nevertheless plunged ahead a dozen miles in the neighborhood of Ponznan on the most direct path to Berlin 137 miles West of Poznan.

Four orders of the day by Premier Stalin and a long midnight communique broadcast from Moscow disclosed the sweeping scope of the Russian mid-winter offensive and announced that a sixth army group had joined the great drive.

The Germans themselves announced that the Russians had thrust tanks and patrols across the Oder River in Silesia but contended all had been wiped out. A Reuters News Agency dispatch from Moscow said the Russians had established "at least one bridgehead" across the river which guards the heart of Germany.

While Moscow did not confirm this breaching of the Germans' "last-ditch" line, the nightly communique said that Marshal Ivan S. Konev's 1st Ukraine Army Group had extended its frontage on the East bank of the Oder and among more than 200 German towns captured was Margareth, 4½ miles Southeast of Breslau, chief city of the industrially-important province.

Earlier Premier Stalin had announced Konev's capture of Oppeln, 48 miles Southeast of Breslau.

The German radio said all women, children had been removed from Breslau and that every man in the city from 16 to 60 had been called into the People's Army. The Gauleiter of Silesia said Breslau was a fortress to be defended to the utmost.

Marshal K. K. Rokossovsky's 2nd White Russian Army Group, in a day of steady progress, thrust to within 12 miles South of Elbing and within 42 Southeast of Danzig, the communique showed.

After reporting the Oder crossing, the German D.N.B. Agency a few minutes later broadcast that in the North the battle for East Prussia "has become somewhat acute," with tank columns of the 2nd White Russian Army "reaching the district of the Vistula estuary Southwest of the port of Elbing," last overland escape route from East Prussia.

This thrust was forestalled, the Germans said, but the announcer's veiled language intimated that the two-thirds of East Prussia remaining in German hands either had been or soon would be severed from the fatherland somewhere between Elbing and Danzig.

Vague reports that the 3rd White Russian Army, driving from the East, had entered Konigsberg were discounted.

The Russians said nothing of that sector, but Premier Stalin in an order of the day announced a new penetration of East Prussia with capture of Lyck, Bialla and Neuendorf, all in the Southeastern corner of the province, by the 2nd White Russian Army.

Moscow announced capture on the Oder's East bank of Oppeln, industrial city of 44,000 population some 48 miles Southeast of Breslau; of Trachenberg, 24 miles Northwest of Breslau, and Rawicz, just over the border in Poland 34 miles Northwest of Breslau.

These advances, announced by Marshal Stalin in another order of the day, placed the Russians at their nearest official point from Berlin, which lies 149 miles Northwest of Rawicz.

German and unofficial neutral accounts still placed the Russians in the region of Poznan, Poland, 137 miles from Berlin.

The Germans have not reported the loss of Poznan, but placed fighting immediately East of the city, and the Poznan radio left the air Tuesday night with the terse explanation:

"The Russians are coming."

As the pattern of the gigantic Soviet offensive continued to unfold Marshal Stalin in still another order announced that a sixth powerful army group had joined the assault.

This was Marshal Rodion Y. Malinovsky's 2nd Ukraine Army, conquerors of much of Hungary, who drove into Czecho-Slovakia and advanced 16 miles on a 25-mile front in the mountains and forests just North of the Hungarian border.

The Germans told of still another Soviet drive, a renewal of the cleanup efforts against the long-trapped forces in Latvia. In any event, it was a chore that was bound to be overshadowed by the thunder of events on the central front.

A hasty evacuation of civilians from the Poznan and Polish Corridor areas was reported in progress.

Britain Spends $14,250,000 a Day on War

LONDON, Jan. 24 (CP) — Sir John Anderson, Chancellor of the Exchequer, reported today in the House of Commons that Britain is spending about £14,250,000 (about $64,125,000) a day for the war, or about £5,250,000,000 (about $23,625,000,000) annually.

His statement was made in connection with a pending vote on a credit of £1,000,000,000 for war supplies and as part of a scattered business debate.

Another Government spokesman declined to give a flat assurance that Britain would not purchase "any of the 55,000,000 to 65,000,000 tons of shipping" which it is anticipated will be owned by the United States at the end of the war.

Foreign Secretary Eden answered questions on a variety of topics during the session.

He said Britain had been experiencing great difficulty in arranging exchanges of civilian internees and prisoners of war with Britain, adding the Japanese "have shown themselves completely uninterested in exchanges of sick or wounded prisoners."

He also told the House that the European Advisory Commission was working on armistice terms to be imposed upon Germany but that these would not be made public until hostilities ended in Europe.

PATROLS CLASH NEAR BOLOGNA

ROME, Jan. 24 (AP) — Allied 5th Army patrols engaged strong German defences within 8½ miles of Bologna today as snow ceased falling on the Italian front.

Farther East the Germans were reported carrying out wholesale demolitions of houses for possible cover of British 8th Army troops in the entire area of their Senio River stronghold of Alfonsine where the 1st Canadian Corps has been fighting.

The German Air Force, which appeared again yesterday, struck at supply arteries to the 5th Army front lines before Bologna. No damage or casualties were reported.

The Weather

Wednesday: Min. 21.4 Max. 28.9.

Nelson lake level, Wednesday, 1 p.m. 3.30 feet.

Forecast: Kootenays: Generally cloudy, partly cloudy in afternoon. Occasional light snow at night. Little change in temperature.

YANK REINFORCEMENTS LAND ON LUZON: Landing craft loaded with U. S. troops and supplies are shown hitting the beach at Binmaley in Luzon. The dredging machine in centre clears the way for the troops and machines so they can move inland more rapidly.

98,000 Apply For Service Graduities

By JACK BRAYLEY
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OTTAWA, Jan. 24 (CP) — The big job of paying war service gratuities to Canada's estimated 125,000 discharged service personnel is beginning to roll with a total of 98,000 applications received and 64,250 passed for payment, it was learned tonight.

Breakdown by services:

	Received	passed
Navy	4,000	2,500
Army	78,000	55,000
RCAF	16,000	6,750
Total	98,000	64,250

The mustering out pay is based on $7.50 for each 30 days service in the Western Hemisphere, excluding the Aleutians; $15 for each 30 days service overseas or in the Aleutians and seven days pay and allowances for each six months overseas or in the Aleutians.

The payments are spread over a period in such a way that a veteran receives each month an amount equivalent to his monthly service pay. For instance, if a man's gratuity worked out to $500 and his monthly service pay had been $100 he would get $100 each month for five months.

Based on the gratuity payments are reestablishment credits. These credits are amounts equal to the gratuities, but as they are based on the first payments a veteran must wait for his original application to pass before claiming for the second benefit.

The decision on the gratuity payments is taken by the armed forces and the information is passed on to the Veteran's Affairs Department so that payment of the credit can be arranged. So far only a smattering of benefit payments has reached this stage and Veterans Department officials said that a statement would be made later on the payment of credits.

The credits can be used to buy or repair a home; to buy furniture and tools; to provide working capital for a business; to pay insurance premiums and to obtain educational or vocational training equipment.

Robert England of Winnipeg special assistant to Veterans Minister Mackenzie, now is touring the country lining up Citizens Advisory Committees who will be prepared to discuss with veterans the best means of benefiting from their reestablishment credits.

In announcing the status of the Army's gratuity payment program, Brig. A. R. Mortimore, the Paymaster-General, said tonight that the balance of applications received "are being put through regular channels of investigation and checked to determine the entitlement of each claimant."

He said the only delays had been in the cases of discharged men who had debit balances at the time of their discharges. These applications have required special investigation, but it is expected that within two weeks these will be cleaned up. He did not elaborate on how the debits were created.

WITH STANE AND BESOM

Results of Wednesday night's games in the U.D.L. Competition of Nelson Curling Club follow:

J. A. Gilker 11, D. Cummins 10.
T. E. Homersham 10, A. H. Whitehead 8.
T. H. Bourque 8, J. H. Allen 7.
W. Marr 8, S. Haydon 6.
J. R. Bailey 4, C. H. Marshall 7.
H. J. Witchell 8, W. Laishley 10.
T. A. Wallace 12, H. H. Sutherland 10.
R. D. Wallace 11, A. S. Horswill 10.

Results of Tuesday's games:

A. G. Harvey 6, T. S. Jemson 9.
A. S. Desireau 7, G. Ronmark 8.
R. Foxall 7, R. A. Peebles 9.
J. Thom 10, G. A. Fleury 8.
T. E. Homersham 10, F. Ewing 9.

Trail Curling

TRAIL, B.C., Jan. 24— Two Trail Curling Club Competition finals will be played off tomorrow.

F. Hudocklin will play E. Montpellier, and R. Stone will play T. A. Rice in the Smelter Primary Competition semi-final; while Zino Plant semis will watch E. L. Vance vs G. Shaw, and A. H. Woolf vs W. S. Ross.

Finals in the Crown Point Competition, W. S. Ross will match W. S. Wood.

In the finals of the Smelter Primary, the winner of F. Hudocklin-E. Montpellier will play the winner of R. Stone-T. A. Rice.

The Refinery Competition will open with its first two games tomorrow, G. Ortner vs R. Dockerill, and L. Tyson vs A. W. McDonald.

Results of Wednesday games follow:

A. H. Woolf 11, P. F. McIntyre 9.
E. L. Vance 7, W. S. Ross 9.
D. S. Wetmore 8, L. W. Wood 10.
E. W. Campbell 8, I. Stone 10.
H. T. Beckett 8, T. A. Wright 1.
G. Shaw 9, T. H. Weldon 8.
H. H. Miller 9, W. S. Ross 9.
A. B. Ross 9, E. L. Vance 10.

Expect Russia to State Policy by April 13

NEW YORK, Jan. 24 (AP) — Whether Russia wil lenter the war against Japan probably will be decided on or before April 13, the fourth anniversary of the Soviet-Japanese Neutrality Treaty, the Foreign Policy Association says in a bulletin to be published tomorrow.

"According to the terms of that treaty—which was concluded for a five-year-period — if either party wishes to terminate the agreement, notice must be given one year before the expiration date," the buletin says, adding:

"Should notice not be given, the treaty would automatically be extended for another five years."

Rossland Oldtimer Bedridden for 20 Yrs.

VICTORIA, Jan. 24 (CP) — Oldtimer of Rossland, widely known to early-day miners, prospectors and sportsmen of the West Kootenay, Al. Keating now is in Victoria and is a patient at Mount St. Mary. He has been bedridden for 20 years.

W. K. Esling, M.P. for Kootenay West, writes that "almost every miner who was a resident of Rossland, knows Mr. Keating."

The sufferer is also well known to hockey fans of the early days in the Kootenay.

Parachutes Blown Back to Allied Lines

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND, Jan. 24 (AP)—Two bomber gunners were saved from landing in German territory recently when the prop wash from American fighter planes blew their parachutes back over Allies lines, the gunners, Sgt. John Caravello, and Sgt. Leo Labote, said today.

Bernard Webber and F. McKenzie Speaks to C. C. F.

Nelson C.C.F. Club enjoyed two interesting and able addresses Tuesday evening in the Legion Hall, when Bernard Webber, M.L.A., Similkameen, and Frank McKenzie, Provincial C.C.F. Secretary-Treasurer, spoke.

Bernard Webber took his listeners back to the early days of the Chartists, and outlined the struggle of other reformers of the earlier period. Defining the contribution these zealots made towards man's progressive attempt to overcome the oppression of their day and generation, he made an impassioned appeal to have every effort made to see the socialists were represented at the Peace Table Conference, when cooperative planning would finally eliminate all war.

Frank McKenzie dealt largely with the recent effort that was made by the British Columbia C.C.F. movement to place before the B.C. electorate the urgency of planning production and distribution in the postwar period. He also drew attention to the possibilities of an early Federal election, making an appeal for concerted effort of financial organized preparation.

H W Herridge was called upon by Chairman Spencer J. Newell. His remarks were warmly received, and his frank comments upon the recent Russian victories brought applause from his audience. He commended West Kootenay for its definitely planned action to unite all factions interested in the common struggle of humanity, by pressing for economic measures of action rather than political effort. The desire to smooth out differences of opinion was his great hope, and that any coming Federal compaign would see the great majority of the people solidly behind the C.C.F. policy.

Refreshments were served by the Nelson ladies later.

NEW U.S. SENATORS FOR POWER TO ENFORCE PEACE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24 (AP)—Sixteen new members of the United States Senate advised President Roosevelt today that they will back formation of a United Nations organization to preserve world peace.

The 10 new Democratic and six new Republican members got together on their own initiative and sent their assurance in a letter to the White House.

Wishing Mr. Roosevelt success in conferences with Marshal Stalin and Prime Minister Churchill, the freshmen Senators said:

"We believe this government should use all reasonable means to assure our Allies and the other nations of the world that we intend to share in the direction of and the responsibility for the settlement of this war and the maintenance of peace."

100 New U-Boats in Norway Ports

LONDON, Jan. 24 (CP)—Norwegian reports today said the Germans recently stationed 100 new U-boats at Norwegian ports as far North as Narvik with the purpose of resuming their submarine campaign.

NEWS OF THE DAY

Rates: 22c line, 27c line black face type, larger type rates on request. Minimum two lines. 10% discount for prompt payment.

Clan McLeary meet tonight at the Legion 8 p.m.

Briar pipe tobacco ½ lb. tins 96 cents at Valentines.

We can rewind that burned out motor. Beatty Service. Ph. 91.

A Personal Property Floater gives greatest protection, Blackwood Ag'y.

Annual Meeting of W.A. to Active Forces TONIGHT instead of Friday. Civic Centre.

Nelson Souvenir Handkerchiefs, and Pennants. Wright's Grocery, 104 Baker St. Ph. 46.

Replace your worn-out hot water bottle with an earthenware pig. Holds heat for hours. $1.25 each. Hipperson's.

Reserve Friday evening Feb. 23 for Order of Eastern Star Bridge, Legion Hall. Phone 280 for table reservations.

ATTENTION

Eagles whist drive and dance tonight. Refreshments. Adm. 25c. Bring your own sugar.

Support the Rotary Crippled Children's Fund. Attend the Third Annual Rotary Ice Carnival. Get your tickets at Hipperson's.

Ledger and Synoptic Sheets, all rulings, sizes, etc. D. W. McDerby, "The Stationer and Typewriter Man", 654 Baker Street, Nelson, B.C.

Ranches—We are getting inquiries from the Prairies for farms. List your property with us now. Robertson Realty Co., 532 Ward St.

BINGO! - BINGO!! - BINGO!!!

Kinsmen Bingo, on again. Cash door prizes. See you Saturday night in the Fink Block Basement, below Walt's.

FOR SALE
3-Pce. USED CHESTERFIELD
Brown Velour $79.50
and full size wood bed $16.95
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The family of the late Andrew Allan wish to express their sincere appreciation of the many kindnesses and words of sympathy extended to them in their recent bereavement.

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Get your tickets from players or Walt's News.

Saturday—Cranbrook Juveniles vs Nelson Midgets 7:00 p.m.; Trail Intermediates vs Nelson Interm 8:30 p.m.

Monday — Cranbrook Juveniles vs Nelson Juves 8:15 p.m.

I. W. A. Quits C. C. L. Group Backing C. C. F.

VANCOUVER, Jan. 24 (CP)—The Executive Board of District Council No. 1, International Woodworkers of America, announced Wednesday the organization's withdrawal from the National Political Action Committee of the Canadian Congress of Labor.

The Board's action is in protest against the C.C.L. Committee's exclusive endorsation of the C.C.F.

Harold Pritchett, District President, stated that the I. W. A. would withdraw "all moral and financial support of P.A.C.," but would continue in all other matters to co-operate fully with the Canadian Congress of Labor, with which I.W.A. is affiliated.

Himself a member of a sub-committee of the C.C.L. Council which drew up, on Jan. 12-13, a statement of political policy, Mr. Pritchett says that his committee definitely declared itself for non-partisan political activity. The Council, he says, accepted that recommendation. Later, on Jan. 16, exclusive endorsation of the C.C.F. was approved.

Quoting from the resolutions to which the I.W.A. is opposed, Mr. Pritchett protested against the C.C.L. pledge that, through its organization, the C.C.L. "will do all possible to elect a C.C.F. Government."

The sub-committee of the C.C.L. Council was unanimous, Mr. Pritchett said, in favoring a non-partisan policy, the Council concurred and several high-ranking officers of affiliated internationals held the same view.

"There are many creeds and faiths among the men and women within the ranks of organized labor and it is simply suicidal for any labor body to antagonize the whole public, including its own members, by flatly declaring its allegiance to any certain party," Mr. Pritchett said.

"Our concern is with issues, principles and policies, not the welfare of a political party."

OPPOSES FEDERAL CONTROL OF MOTOR CARRIERS

VANCOUVER, Jan. 24 (CP) — Taking over of motor carrier regulations by Federal authority, as suggested in some quarters, should be vigorously opposed by members of the motor carrier industry in British Columbia, Arthur E. Lord, Vancouver city solicitor, said today in an address to the 11th annual meeting of the Motor Carriers' Association of British Columbia.

Construction of new highways and rebuilding of present highways were "absolutely essential" to the motor carrier industry in its future, particularly in the immediate postwar period.

"Postwar planning,' he said, "should include a program of road-building which will not only open up new territories, but will improve the type of road already in existence.

"Agriculture, mining and timber industries," said Mr. Lord, "will all get a tremendous boost by the speedy service which can be made available by motor transport. . .

B.C. DRAFTEES, UNDER ESCORT, ON WAY TO JOIN UNITS

VANCOUVER, Jan. 24 (CP) — British Columbia draftees who have surrendered or been apprehended since launching of an intensified search last week by military and civil police now are enroute to Eastern Canada to join their units, Pacific Command announced today.

The men are under escort and will be transferred to unit officers for whatever disciplinary action is ordered by Defence Headquarters, an army spokesman said.

Meanwhile as the search continued for about 200 draftees described by Army authorities as deserters and for the same number of General Service men absent without leave, it was learned the soldiers are continuing to trickle by one's and two's into Little Mountain barracks at Vancouver.

Officials said today only 170 men whose next-of-kin have British Columbia addresses are still absent without leave from Home Defence units drafted for overseas duty.

If the soldier's unit already has sailed for overseas, he will be held at a transit camp for dispatch with another draft.

Survey B.C. Cities for Post War Projects

VICTORIA, Jan. 24 (CP) — To determine what plans have definitely been laid down for postwar projects, a survey is being made of all British Columbia cities, municipalities and villages by Hon. H. G. T. Perry, Minister of Education. This is in line with recent information from Ottawa that deferred municipal works would not be regarded as projects for Federal assistance if they were of a nature that the municipalities would normally undertake.

The Rehabilitation Bureau is therefore endeavoring to obtain information on postwar projects other than normal municipal undertakings.

Denies Connection With U.S. Unions

OWEN SOUND, Ont., Jan. 24 (CP) —Eamon Park, Director of Organization of the Political Action Committee of the Canadian Congress of Labor, said tonight the P.A.C.-C.C.L. had no connection with American unions. He was commenting on a statement by W. Garfield Case, Progressive Conservative candidate in the Grey North Federal by-election on Feb. 5, who suggested that the P.A.C.-C.C.L. was "controlled by Communists."

Bracken Misses London Reception

LONDON, Jan. 24 (CP Cable)—John Bracken, national leader of Canada's Progressive Conservative party, delayed on his flight from Italy back to the United Kingdom, today missed a reception given in his name in a London hotel. His plane landed at a Scottish airfield.

Found Guilty of Leaving Essential Job

Stipendiary Magistrate John Cartmel in Provincial Court Wednesday found Gordon S. McDougall, 23, guilty of unlawfully terminating his employment at the Whitewater Mine Dec. 8 without giving his employer proper notice of separation. He was sentenced to pay a fine of $100 or to two months in jail.

McDougall, A. S. Read, N.S.S. Enforcement Officer, told the court, had refused to return to mine work after his application to leave the job had been rejected. He had made the application on grounds of ill health, but a medical examination had not substantiated the claim. He had voluntarily sought employment at the mine in November after coming from mine work at Granby.

At the time he was refused permission to leave the essential establishment, he had been warned by Selective Service officers, Mr. Read said, that if he disregarded regulations serious consequences would follow. His work, it had been stressed, was essential.

McDougall, while he conducted no defence, told the Magistrate he did not like living conditions at his work, that he had been rejected by the Army because of stomach trouble, and that Selective Service had forced him to take employment in mines.

Vere McDowall of the Kootenay Belle Gold Mines Ltd. testified as to modern living accommodations at the camp.

W. W. Ferguson appeared for the National Selective Service as prosecutor.

Rossland Curling

ROSSLAND, B.C., Jan. 24—Results of Wednesday night's games of the Rossland Curling Club follow:

T. Yolland 8, W. Pollock 7.
R. D Tweed 8, J. Hamson 6.
B. Vermiere 8, J. Wright 6.
J. Finney 7, E. Perkins 8.
R. McNab 7, R. Donaldson 8.
J. Finney 7, R. G. Bishop 9.
J. Wright 6, E. Parken 7.
J. Burden 8, J. Pollock 7.

COAST ALDERMEN WRATHY AT LOSING FERRY PASSES

VANCOUVER, Jan. 24 (CP)—North Vancouver City Council's attitude toward issuance of its free ferry passes may cost it about $6000 a year.

Vancouver aldermen, whose "courtesy" passes were questioned at Monday's North Shore Council meeting, decided at Tuesday's Council session here to instruct City Clerk Fred Howlett to send them back to North Vancouver until "it is the unanimous wish of their (Aldermanic) Board that we have them."

Then the Vancouver solons moved to review the longstanding arrangement under which North Vancouver has enjoyed almost complete tax exemption on its ferry terminal facilities in Vancouver.

Land occupied by the terminal is assessed at $120,000 and the buildings at $20,000. This is a taxable assessment of $130,000—full value of the land plus 50 per cent of improvements—and if Vancouver Council withdrew its tax exemption courtesy would cost North Vancouver about $6500 in annual taxes. The North Shore now only pays $750 taxation on store property on the ferry wharf which it has rented to private interests.

The storm was roused by newspaper reports that the North Shore Council had passed a bylaw prohibiting issuance of further ferry passes without unanimous approval of the Council, and that Ald. Sydney Humphreys had objected to the 28 passes issued this year.

Asks McNaughton for Open Debate on Reinforcements

HEATHCOTE, Ont., Jan. 24 (CP) —Major James R. MacBrien of Toronto, a veteran of Field Marshal Wavell's staff who dealt with manpower for the 8th Army, tonight challenged Defence Minister McNaughton to an open debate on the Canadian Army's reinforcement requirements.

Maj. MacBrien said the Canadian Army would need 100,000 reinforcements in 1945 and asked whether Mr. McNaughton or Prime Minister Mackenzie King could say where this number of men would be gotten and how they would be trained and sent to Europe "in time to be of any use."

RANGERS BEAT HAWKS 4-3

CHICAGO, Jan. 24 (AP)—New York Rangers, battling for a spot in the Stanley Cup playoffs, defeated Chicago Black Hawks 4-3 in a National Hockey League game here tonight before 10,506 fans. A disputed goal by Ab DeMarco in the first period gave New York its victory margin.

SUMMARY

First Period—
1. New York, Watson (Dill) 8:15. 2 Chicago, Mosienko (Dahlstrom) 15:00; 3. New York, DeMarco (Thurier, Goldup) 19:01.
Penalties—K. MacDonald, Cooper, Mos.

Second Period—
4. Chicago Field 15:41; 5. New York, K. MacDonald 19:12.
Penalties—None.

Third Period—
6. Chicago, Mosienko (Cooper, Grosso) 12:45; 7. New York, K. MacDonald (Shack) 13:03.
Penalty—Cooper.

Intermeds. Work Out Tonight

Nelson Intermediates will have a final work out tonight at 9 o'clock in preparation for their game this Saturday against the Trail Intermediates at the Civic Arena. Ty Culley, the locals' captain, expects to pick out his final selection from Jess Seaby, Kilpatrick, Euerby, Leinweber, Haines, DeGirolamo, Prestley, MacDonald, Hooper, Jarbeau, Nash, Ludlow, Milne and Perrier.

Charges Libs and C. C. F. "Ganging Up"

HEATHCOTE, Ont., Jan. 24 — (CP)—Garfield Case, Progressive Conservative candidate in the Federal byelection Feb. 5 in Grey North constituency, charged in a campaign speech tonight that Prime Minister Mackenzie King and C.C.F. Leader M. J. Coldwell are "ganging up to split the anti-government vote in the byelection."

He added: "It will take a lot to convince me that there isn't collusion between the government and the C.C.F. party."

In an dddress prepared for delivery before a political rally in this Grey County community, Mr. Case asserted that when Defence Minister McNaughton was nominated as the government candidate local C.C.F. supporters said they didn't have a man to nominate. Then Air Vice-Marshal Earl Godfrey was brought in from Gananoque, Ont., to run as a C.C.F. candidate.

Mr. Case said that if he didn't have the backing of John Bracken, National Progressive Conservative Leader, "I wouldn't carry his standard and he knows it."

He made this statement in commenting on an article in the Winnipeg Free Press ,written by Grant Dexter, which said. "It is fairly well known at Ottawa that Mr. Bracken was opposed to putting up a candidate in Grey North. Further, he is said to have regarded the candidacy of Mr. Case as not up to the standard he would prefer."

"I challenge that statement with all the strength at my command," said Mr. Case.

The C.C.F. was ready to support the conscription of manpower "on the condition that Canada adopt Socialism, something the boys overseas are fighting against." Canada had progressed under the democratic system which the C.C.F. sought to destroy. While some changes were needed to keep up with a changing world, the troops overseas should have a say in them.

OPPOSE 2 OF 8 DEMANDS BY RAILMEN'S UNION

VANCOUVER, Jan. 24 (CP)—Hhe British Columbia Electric Railway Company today opposed two of eight demands by the Street Railwaymen's Union (A.F.L.) in an application to the Regional War Labor Board for approval of a new agreement which it had been expected would complete settlement of a dispute between the workers and the company.

The company's brief opposed the men's requests for a six-cent an hour basic wage increase and for signing of a two-year agreement beginning March 1, 1944.

Company officials indicated they may appeal to the National War Labor Board if the Regional Board approves the six-cent boost. The company brief suggested a possible compromise under which it would make new applications to the Board based on a plan operating in Toronto. The Toronto plan provides for an incentive bonus for employees based on the traffic increase over 1939.

Russ Capture Hindenburg Property

By ROBERT LLOYD
Reuters Staff Writer

LONDON, Jan. 24 (Reuters) — The Russian armies Tuesday night won the property of one famous German Junker indicted by them as a war criminal—Maj.-Gen. Oscar von Hindenburg, son and heir of the late Field Marshal and President.

Neudeck Estate, declared by Hitler himself an inalienable family fief of the Hindenburgs, lies just South of the road from Deutscheylau to Freystadt in East Prussia. Within two days of capturing the site of the memorial of the dead Marshal at Tannenburg, theRussians have overrun the estate of his living son.

Oscar von Hindenburg, who lived at Neudeck and celebrated his 62nd birthday only three weeks ago, was publicly indicted by the Extraordinary Soviet Commission for the Investigation of War Crimes last March. As chief of prisoners of war camps in his Province, he is charged to have been one of the immediate organizers and leaders of the mass murder of Russian prisoners. The Commission stated that documents proving the charge had been found in a safe at Gestapo headquarters in Kiev.

250,000 Germans Working 5 Years to Rebuild Warsaw

LONDON, Jan. 25 (Thursday) (CP)—It will take 250,000 Germans five years to rebuild wrecked Warsaw, a dispatch from the Polish capital to the News Chronicle said today.

"German labor will have to rebuild what German wickedness destroyed," said the dispatch which estimated that only five per cent of existing buildings could be made habitable. Monetary loss was placed at £250,000,000 ($1,125,000,000).

Druggist Fined $750

VANCOUVER, Jan. 24 (CP)—Charles McLaren, 26-year-old Vancouver druggist, was fined $750 or one month in jail when he pleaded guilty in County Court today to six charges of wilful damage to Christmas parcels addressed to five soldiers overseas and one civilian.

McLaren, employee of a Grandview District drug store admitted removing the stamps from about 11 parcels.

CALGARY, Jan 24 (CP) — The five-man Royal Commission on taxation of co-operatives, which will hold hearings across Canada, was en route to Edmonton tonight for sittings to hear submissions from 14 co-operative and independent companies. The three-day sittings ended today during which seven briefs were submitted.

FINAL CLEARANCE IN WINTER COATS

1 Red Tweed, size 16. Reg. $24.95. Sale ..... $ 14.95
1 Olive Green Plain Wool, size 14. Reg. $33.50. Sale ..... $ 19.95
1 Red Plain Wool, size 14. Reg. $31.50. Sale ..... $ 19.95
1 Paddy Green Plain Wool, size 14. Reg. $39.50. Sale ..... $ 24.95
1 Brown Boucle, Skunk Fur Collar, size 14. Reg. $39.50. Sale $ 24.95
1 Wine Boucle, Squirrel Fur Collar, size 16. Reg. $39.50. Sale $ 24.95
1 Dark Green Boucle, Squirrel Fur Collar, size 16, Reg. $45.00. Sale ..... $ 24.95
1 Paddy Green Wool Polo, Raccoon Fur Collar, size 16. Reg. $94.50. Sale ..... $ 49.50
1 Black English Wool, Silver Fox Fur Collar, size 16. Reg. $89.95. Sale ..... $ 59.50
1 Brown Tweed, Raccoon Fur Collar, size 16. Reg. $79.95. Sale ..... $ 49.50
1 Black Boucle, Silver Fox Fur Collar, size 18. Reg. $159.95. Sale ..... $ 89.50
1 Brown Boucle, Squirrel Fur Collar, size 38. Reg. $43.50. Sale ..... $ 24.95
1 Black Boucle, Squirrel Fur Collar, size 20½. Reg. $69.50. Sale ..... $ 39.50
1 Black Boucle, Squirrel Fur Collar, size 20½. Reg. $69.50. Sale ..... $ 49.50
1 Brown Wallaby Fur Coat, (Kangaroo), size 18. Reg. $195.00. Sale $125.00
1 Black Wallaby Fur Coat, (Kangaroo), size 20. Reg. $129.50. Sale ..... $ 89.50
Infants' Wool Rompers and Dress. Reg. $2.95. Sale 69c
5 Children's Winter Tweed Coats, 2 size 4, 1 size 6, 1 size 8, 1 size 10, Special ..... $ 4.95

FINK'S LADIES' WEAR

Says Farmer Last Bulwark of Free Enterprise

EDMONTON, Jan. 24 (CP) — James Jackson of Irma was reelected President of the Alberta Farmers' Union today for his third term.

Morton Tomkins of Portland, Ore., Master of Oregon State Grange, in an address to delegates to the third annual convention today said that the last bulwark of free enterprise was the farmer.

Mr. Tomkins said that people were "crying for free enterprise." "We believe," he said, that "free enterprise must be passed around so everybody has a fair share of it." The Grange, he said, which has 800,000 members in the United States, "wants free enterprise but not monopoly."

MANY PROG. CONS. CANDIDATES HAVE BEEN IN ACTION

VANCOUVER, Jan. 24 (CP) — Forty-three per cent of the Progressive Conservative candidates nominated in Canada to compete in the next Federal election are men who have seen active service in this war, Richard A. Bell, National Director of the Progressive Conservative party, said today on his arrival from Eastern Canada.

Mr. Bell said the Progressive Conservatives now have 108 candidates in the 245 Federal Ridings.

Asked if he could predict when the next Federal election would be held, Mr. Bell said "the time of the next general election is for Prime Minister King to decide."

"The Progressive Conservative party is ready to meet the people at any time."

Asked to comment on the possibility that a byelection may never be held in Grey North, where Defence Minister McNaughton is seeking a Parliamentary seat, Mr Bell said "this report has been circulated in Ottawa for some time."

"If it is true, then obviously it is Mr. King's opinion that McNaughton would come out on the bottom in a byelection in Grey North.

(Dr. Arthur Beauchesne, clerk of the House of Commons, said last night that if Parliament dissolved before the Feb. 5 Grey North byelection the byelection automatically would be eliminated because it was being held to elect a member to a Parliament which then would no longer exist. The adjourned session of Parliament is to be prorogued Jan. 31 Date of the opening of a new session has not been set).

Salvage $500,000 Cargo From Ship

HALIFAX, Jan 24 (CP) — A swarm of small coastal craft, mostly manned by fishermen, has salvaged about $500,000 worth of cargo from a Liberty ship that grounded near Lobster Claw Ledge outside Halifax Harbor last week, and officials were hopeful tonight the value of the salvage would rise to $2,000,000 before the wreck breaks up.

Seaman Acquitted of Manslaughter

VANCOUVER, Jan. 24 (CP)—Harris Lloyd Ferrel, 20-year-old United States Navy veteran, today was acquitted of a charge of manslaughter laid in connection with the death last Dec. 6 of William Watson, 67, of Premier, B.C., when struck by an automobile at a downtown intersection here.

Growers Adopt "Car Door" Plan

KELOWNA, B.C., Jan. 24 (CP)—British Columbia Fruit Growers here today took another step along the road to better markets when they adopted the "consumer-first" or "car-door" plan suggested by officials of B.C. Tree Fruits Limited, the Grower-controlled selling agency.

The plan provides that Dominion inspectors will examine the fruit at the railway car door and decide into which of the newly created maturity categories it belongs. If it should come into the class known as "local maturity", good fruit but not in condition to stand long rail hauls, will be turned over to B.C. Tree Fruits to be disposed of as conditions warrant.

This step was brought about by conditions last year in which Tree Fruits were compelled to ship off condition fruit to the markets with the result heavy claims and many consumer complaints were received.

The idea was first advanced by A. Loyd, President of B.C. Tree Fruits Limited, in his convention address early today. It is expected that it will force growers to examine their orchard operations more closely and compel packing houses to operate at peak efficiency.

CHURCHILL GIVES PRAISE TO MOUNTBATTEN

LONDON, Jan. 24 (CP)—Prime Minister Churchill telegraphed Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten tonight in behalf of the British Government "most warm congratulations on reopening the land route to China in fulfillment of the first part of the directive given you at Quebec."

The message continued:

"That this should already have been achieved in spite of the many disappointments you have sustained in the delay of reinforcements which you were promised, reflects the greatest credit on yourself, and your commanders in the field and, above all, upon the well-tried troops of the 14th Army, gallantly sustained as they have been by the R.A.F. and the 15th Corps.

"The ready assistance in all possible ways of United States forces and also, of Chinese forces— I repeat Chinese forces—is as warmly and gratefully recognized by His Majesty's Government as it has been throughout by you."

Resigns as Head of Twin "J" Mines

VANCOUVER, Jan. 24 (CP)—Lt.-Col. E. M. Thomson announced his resignation as President and Director of the Twin "J" Mines at the annual meeting here today.

Jason Mines Ltd., of which he is President, has 2,000,000 shares of Twin "J" Company stock. These shares are held under option by Oliver Besmer and James C. Rolston, Director of the latter mine.

Col. Thomson said that as a result of the formation of Twin "J" Mines and contracts entered into by the Government, capital expenditures have been made totalling $211,049.

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TOAST and TEA
BY J. V. M'ARTHUR

Mr. Churchill has returned thanks publicly for the fact that the military genius of Hitler has been frequently displayed in the present war, thus making the task of the German military experts the more difficult, and that of the Allied generals easier. In the last war the Kaiser thought of himself as a military genius, and at least it must be said of him that military problems were the study of his life-time. However, when crises arose he permitted his professionals to work out their own problems. But there seems to be little doubt that the Crown Prince thrust his advice in where it was not wanted and where, generally speaking, it was disregarded. This fact is probably the basis for the story that one day the Kaiser rushed into General Ludendorff's headquarters and demanded: "Have you any real dope on the Western front?" To which Ludendorf replied drily: "None, Your Majesty, except the Crown Prince."

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Minor Revolt Over Sending Women to Battle Front

LONDON, Jan. 24 (CP)—Warning of "dangers beside pure enemy action" facing women in military service, Labor members staged a minor revolt in the House of Commons today against the Government's decision to send overseas members of the Auxiliary Territorial Service.

Their cautions about wartime morality drew a quick retort from feminine members of Parliament—both Labor and Conservative—and set off a dispute about the ability of modern women to take care of themselves.

Frederick Pethick-Lawrence of Edinburgh drew frequent cheers as he presented the Labor argument against overseas duty for women.

He said he did not "want to take a prudish view, but this House is the place where realities can be faced openly and frankly."

"We all know that conditions and attitudes taken overseas are not precisely the same as in this country," he said. "There is a good deal of laxity. I am not making any charges against the splendid fellows in our army, but conditions of war are such that some of the strength which prevails at home under normal conditions is somewhat relaxed when we get into foreign countries . . .

"I am quite well aware that the girls of today are able to take care of themselves as they were not able to do in days gone by."

Dr. Edith Summerskill, Labor member for Fulham, replied that she could appreciate "what obscene innuendoes must have been bandied about in the 19th century when Florence Nightingale decided to take nurses abroad."

Male members of the House "know more about women than women apparently know about themselves," she said.

She argued that "when it comes to this curious hint of danger," the girl in the A.T.S. was less exposed than the girl directed to work in industry in a strange town and not only because of bombs dropped on British cities.

"Women's standards of morals are not determined by geographical boundaries," Dr. Summerskill said. "The weak and irresponsible girl will get into trouble in London, Bristol, Manchester or Wigan. If she is going to get into trouble she will not wait until she gets to the other side of the Channel."

At one time during the debate Aneurin Bevan, Labor, shouted at Lady Astor:

"Oh, shut up, you cheapjack. The woman gabbles and gabbles all the while. We really ought to have some protection against her. I see no reason why we should have a ragbag mind of that sort inflicted upon the House."

EGG PRICES DOWN; IMPORTS PLENTIFUL

Nelson markets seem to be well supported with California vegetables, such as head lettuce, Brussels sprouts, endive, green onions, radishes, parsley and bunch carrots, reported Nelson wholesalers Wednesday afternoon.

The market on celery has strengthened somewhat, with a slight decline in head lettuce prices. Mexican tomatoes are very much cheaper in price and the quality is good. Texas spinach is moving out quite freely.

Local apples, together with some from the Okanagan, are sufficient for the local demand.

Oranges are arriving in good condition, and while the California market weakened for a few days it has now tightened up again, with almost all sizes at ceiling prices.

Local root vegetables in some lines are getting scarce, especially cabbage, which is practically cleaned up.

British Columbia green onions are plentiful as yet, and are considerably below the ceiling price.

Eggs are still plentiful, and quite a reduction in price has been taken. They are still being shipped to the driers.

One carload of flour, mill feeds and cereals have been shipped out, and a carload of grain and grain products has been received; also three carloads of hay.

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Mrs. Clark Heads Rossland Branch of the Red Cross

ROSSLAND, B. C., Jan. 24—The annual meeting of the Rossland Red Cross Society was held Monday evening in the Court House, when the following officers were elected for 1945: Honorary President, Mrs. L. Gilmour; President, Mrs. R. W. Clark; Vice-President, Mrs. E. Morrison; 2nd Vice-President, J. F. Cooper; Treasurer, S. R. Davies; Secretary, Miss C. McLean; Executive, Mrs. Gresley-Jones, Mrs. T. G. Wood, Mrs. H. S. Christian, J. C. Urquhart, L. J. Nicholson, W. A. Hutchings, Mrs. J. Mitchell, Miss E. Ball and C. F. McKenzie.

Maitland Will Assist in Making Controlled Marketing Permanent

KELOWNA, B.C., Jan. 24 (CP) — Hon. R. L. Maitland, Attorney-General of British Columbia, told the B.C. Fruit Growers' Association here that he will do everything in his power to assist them in obtaining legislation which would make controlled marketing permanent, if the growers so desired it.

He stated that in his opinion a way could be found to give the producers regulated and controlled marketing but the initial move must be made by the growers themselves. Without a strong producers association willing to work for and support the plan, it could not function. The attitude of the producer was the essential factor, he said, and if the majority of the producers desire to control the product they produce, they should have that right.

He stated that agriculture was the second industry of this province today and would soon be the first. It was important that every dollar the farmer made added to the wealth of the province and was in a large measure the wealth upon which the cities and towns of the province depended.

The Attorney-General emphasized his resentment that people living 3000 miles away should dictate to the people of this province what stock should settle here.

"I am sick and tired of being told by others who shall live here; that is a matter which this province should decide. There are, many stocks who are well fitted to walk with us on the road to make this a great province; there are other stocks who have shown themselves not so fitted. I am sick and tired of being dictated to." His remarks were greeted with loud applause.

Big Battles Over For the Moment

By WES GALLAGHER
Associated Press War Correspondent

ST. VITH, Belgium, Jan. 24 (AP) —The Battle of Belgium is over and the Germans are trying to fend off the Allied forces on the Western Front with one hand while trying to cope with the new Russian offensive with their other hand.

At least two German divisions recently on this front have been rushed Eastward to try and stem the Russians.

The No. 1 subject of interest among American soldiers even in this communications heart of Field Marshal von Rundstedt's Western Front drive is "how far did the Russians make today?"

For the moment the big battles on the Western Front are over.

Even the capture of St. Vith was an anti-climax to the men who took it. The Germans were fighting only rear-guard actions with a second rate conglomeration of troops. The bulk of their forces have disappeared into the Eifel Hills, under air attack, to appear again only Von Rundstedt knows where.

The Germans are not being forced to defend their long Western wall with all they have. Von Rundstedt is fending off the Americans with his rear-guard only and aggressive action is on a small scale.

The British 2nd Army attack in Holland involves comparatively few troops and in Alsace the French and Americans have plenty of territory to trade for time, and are trading it.

The pressure has been taken off the Western Front by the Russian offensive. And no one knows it better than the men in the foxholes, knee deep in snow.

New Policy Will "Put a Light in Every Window"

KELOWNA, B.C., Jan. 24 (CP)—Agriculture Minister K. C. MacDonald told delegates attending the British Columbia Fruit Growers Association here yesterday that the Provincial Government rural electrification policy will be announced shortly and will "put a new light in every window."

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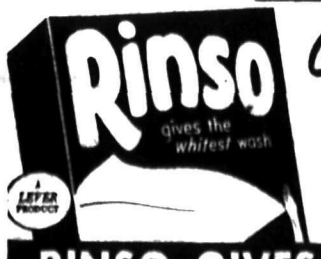

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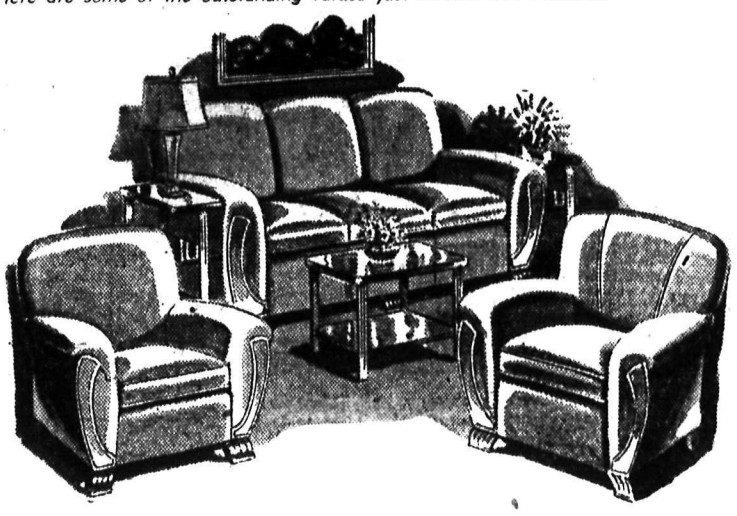

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MANY SHARE IN CADET TRIUMPH

Officers of Nelson High School Cadet Corps 1700, which captured the Earl Grey Trophy, Dominion award for cadet corps, follow:

Lieut.-Col. Richard Roberts, Officer Commanding; Maj. Frank Whitfield, Second in Command; Capt. Ian Greenwood, Major Ian Mitchell, Lieutenants James Butler, Alan Deschamps and Bruce Arneson; Regimental Sergeant Major George Hoover; Company Sergeant Major Ronald Lyon; Company Quarter Master Sergeant William Waldie; Sergeants Jack Waldie, Jack Steed, Donald Brown, Leslie Rogers, Robert Ahrens (band), and Corporals William Benwell, Jack Bone, George Clark, James Ball (band), James Creech, Jack Morris, William Postlethwaite; Lance Corporals Douglas Davis, Douglas Abey and Alan Temple.

Instructors Walter Elmes J. C. Loomer and K. F. Alexander, assistant, have expressed admiration at the keenness shown by every cadet from officers to the last private.

The Officers of the Nelson High School Girl Cadets who also participated in the inspection were Major Rose Ramsden; Lieutenants Hazel Nelson, Peggy Grimes, Dolores Ward; CSM. Ruth Burge; CQMS Mabel Watkins; Sergeants Norah Gormley, Lois Whimster, Nina Patterson; Corporals Barbara Cunningham, Patricia Hunter and Pearl Hickey; Lance Corporals Isabel Goggin, Kathleen Paddon, Shirley Hall, Colleen Fletcher, Bernice Burgess and Grace Stewart.

Miss E. Finch was Instructress.

DEATHS

GRAHAMSTOWN, Cape Province, South Africa—Venerable Cyril John Wyche, 76, Archdeacon of Grahamstown Cathedral, who took holy orders after working in a railway accounting office.

Alaska is a native Eskimo word meaning "great country."

Rossland Social . . .

By MRS. F. G. BRAY

ROSSLAND, B.C., Jan. 24—Mrs. C. H. Hanson was in Trail on Tuesday attending the funeral of the late Mrs M. Kirkendall.

Mrs. W. G. Mara entertained at the tea hour Sunday in honor of her daughter, Dorothy, who was leaving on Monday for Vancouver to attend Pitman College. Mrs. J. Ramsay presided at the tea urn, while Miss M. Leduc and Miss Ann Marie Mara were the serviteurs. Those attending were the Misses Dorothy Milligan, E. McKenna, M. Cullinane, R. Bryan, W. Berry, S. MacAuley, M. Leduc, D. Mara and A. Mara.

Mrs. F. G. Bray was in Trail Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. M. Kirkendall.

FO Austin Bathie, R.C.A.F., North Battleford, Sask., is spending his leave with his mother, Mrs. Gladys Bathie.

Mrs. A. Perkins of Kaslo is visiting her son and daugher-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Perkins.

Pte. L. C. Brown, who spent his leave visiting his wife and family, left for his unit on Friday.

Mrs. J. C. Urquhart entertained Government Square Circle of St. Andrew's United Church Tuesday evening. Mrs. E. Perkins, President, presiding. Routine business was conducted, and final arrangements for the church supper were made. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. H. W. Lefevre. Those present were Mrs. E. L. Hedley, Mrs. G. Batnie, Mrs. C. H. Clegg, Mrs. H. K. Johnston, Mrs. H. W. Lefevre, Mrs. T. Nora, Mrs. A. E. Lane, Mrs. T. Fraser and Mrs. E. Perkins.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion met Thursday evening in the Armouries with the President, Mrs. T. G. Wood, presiding, when letters were read from men in the forces, thanking the ladies for their Christmas gifts. Two new members were welcomed. Mrs. Gresley-Jones installed the new officers. After the business was finished the members went to the home of Mrs. Wood, where a social hour was enjoyed. Whist was played, the prize winners being Mrs. J. Bradley and Mrs. J. Phillips. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by her daughter, Miss Betty Wood. The exchange of gifts was also enjoyed. Twenty-three members were present.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

of the

TRAIL DISTRICT PATRIOTIC AND WELFARE SOCIETY

will be held at the

MASONIC TEMPLE

TUESDAY, JANUARY 30, 7:30 P.M.

The Annual General Meeting of the above Society will be held at the Masonic Temple, 815 Victoria Street, Trail, B. C., on Tuesday, January 30, 1945, at 7.30 p.m.

Four Directors are to be elected for a term of three years and one Director for a term of two years and the nominating committee has submitted the following names: C. H. Wright, S. C. Stewart, A. T. Smith, E. M. Stiles, I. H. R. Jeffery, W. L. Harris, E. J. Provost, Oliver D'Andrea, Rev. J. H. A. Warr, and G. B. Filipelli. Other nominations in writing, having the approval of the nominee, signed by any two members of the Society may be submitted to the Secretary not less than forty-eight hours prior to the time fixed for the Annual Meeting.

The following Amendment to the Constitution of the Society will be submitted for approval:

ARTICLE 5: MEMBERSHIP

Every person over the age of eighteen years and every corporation, organization or firm contributing to the Society the sum of not less than $3.00 shall hold membership for the fiscal year in which the contribution is made. Where the person contributing is married, his or her spouse shall be entitled to a vote equally with the contributor. Each contributing corporation, organization or firm shall appoint one person who shall represent and vote on its behalf at all General Meetings of the Society.

By Order of the Board,
R. M. HOYLAND,
Secretary.

Regularity . . .

Tiny Baby Needs Sleep

By Garry Cleveland Myers, Ph.D.

The new-born baby normally sleeps all the time while not being fed or bathed. If he does not do so for the next, several weeks or months he has been spoiled, or has physical discomfort from improper diet or maladjusted clothing.

After a few months, this child may remain awake, especially by day, gradually a little longer after being put into his crib, or awaken slightly earlier after a day nap. He may lie there happy, looking at anything within his narrow range of vision, especially his moving hands, or amuse himself at inventing sounds. The mother is tempted then to go to him, to talk to him, and to enjoy his responses to her. As a rule, however, it would be better for him to have her find such enjoyment only while he is up, being changed, bathed or relaxing before a meal.

Just before the bath is a good time for the infant to have several minutes of play and freedom, squirming, kicking, stretching on a blanket on a large table, entirely nude. Also that is a good time for other members of the family to enjoy him.

He is better off not to be held, except when necessary to his care. Yet dad needs to have some pleasure with the baby to keep alive his interest in the child, and may find the best time to hold him for a short period before the baby's evening meal—rarely after feeding. There is temptation to rock or teeter the baby then, interfering with digestion and so exciting him as to make him sleepless.

Nothing is so important as strict regularity in feeding and bathing of the baby, since it helps in regularity of sleep habits.

Let the infant sleep in a well-ventilated room, with air circulating but draughts prevented by cloth screens, temperature not over 60 degrees; and don't cover the child too warmly. The bed clothing should, however, be warm enough, but without much weight, placed loosely over the child, pinned on each side with large safety pins, but pinned low enough so as to be safe. A solid mattress should be chosen with a rubber sheet over it. No bolster, and only a low, thin pillow, or none at all.

Choose a crib with bars too close for the baby later to put his head through. After the age of two or three the child should have a low cot he can climb into and out of alone. If possible, he should have his own sleeping room; certainly his own bed.

No good reason why the family should tip-toe about or avoid the usual noises. To regular noises the baby soon becomes accustomed.

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$545.50 Collected in Fines in Five Months, Kimberley

KIMBERLEY, B.C. — Thirty-eight offenders have been convicted in City Police Court here and have paid fines totalling $545.50 during the five months since the city took over policing within city limits.

Liquor misdemeanors led with 15 prosecutions under the Government Liquor Act, while 12 prosecutions were under the Criminal Code, five were under Wartime Prices and Trade Board regulations, and there was one each under five other acts.

CAMP LISTER

CAMP LISTER, B.C.—Pte. Kenneth Wocknitz of C.A.S.C. arrived from Vancouver to visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wocknitz.

Miss Patsy Lapointe of Huscroft was a weekend visitor to West Creston guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. Kanester.

Mrs Charles Montgomery is visiting at Creston at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Montgomery.

After visiting for the past three weeks with his parents, Mr and Mrs. John Bird, Sgt. Cyril Bird of the R.C.A.F. left on Friday for Vancouver.

Charles Huscroft and J. C. Helme were Monday visitors to Creston.

Miss Irene McKee was a weekend visitor to Porthill guest of Mr and Mrs. Basil McLean.

Thomas Ross, R.C.A.F., was a visitor for the past three weeks with his mother, Mrs. Maud Ross. He returned to his station in New Brunswick.

Mrs. Stan Tayler and son were visitors to Creston at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Harold Edgar.

Mr. and Mrs. John Huscroft entertained at their home on Friday evening. There were six tables of bridge in play. High scores were made by Mrs. D. J. McKee and Annes Hagey. Lunch was served, proceeds will go towards the Cigarette Fund. Invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Gorril, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Skerlk, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. McKee, Mr. and Mrs. James Sikora, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Helme, Mr. and Mrs. C. Huscroft, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. M. Ross, Mrs. W. Demchuk, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Huscroft, Mr. and Mrs. B. Hobden, Mrs Harry Demchuk and Annes Hagey.

C. Gorril arrived from Bulyea, Sask., to visit at the home of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Gorril.

Spaghetti originated in China and was introduced in Europe through Italy by Marco Polo.

Exercise . . .

Cure for 'Heart Attacks'

By Logan Clendening, M.D.

"Heart attacks," "angina pectoris"—these terms bring a dread connotation to the average person. Of course "heart attack" is used quite indiscriminately nowadays: anyone who passes away suddenly has had a "heart attack." It may not be his heart at all, but the fear remains.

This picture so strongly implanted in the public mind takes no account of the thousands of men and women who have anginal attacks and have had them for years and who go about their business pretty generally enjoying themselves, with no fear of any impending calamity. It all depends upon the point of view.

For the man or woman who has just had the first anginal attack the outlook looks a good deal blacker than need be. I find in a recent treatise that there are 68 methods of treatment of angina that have been used at a certain hospital and nearly 30 per cent of all the patients responded strikingly to one or more of these forms of treatment. So much so that they have been going about their business for years without any discomfort or ability. Nearly 40 per cent did moderately well, making seventy per cent of all such patients who are living out a pretty full schedule of activity and in enjoyment of their faculties and happiness of life.

The fellow who after his first attack of angina just decides to lie down and wait for death is really dying unnecessarily before his time.

It is possible to judge whether a patient with angina is responding to treatment by giving him an exercise test. There are several types of these. The general principle is to measure the amount of work which will induce an attack of angina. The test must be conducted under standard conditions. For instance, the temperature of the room must be the same, and the test must be given at least an hour after meal time. The exercise itself is not strenuous, consisting in most forms, of walking up and down a few steps.

Those who show an increase in exercise tolerance under treatment of 100 per cent or more usually have complete or almost complete freedom from attacks in daily life. An increase of exercise tolerance of 30 to 75 per cent is usually associated with some improvement in number and intensity of the attacks.

So people do get over angina, serious disease though it is. I would be the last to say that a patient afflicted with angina should plan a hard and strenuous program of life, but an attack does not mean that he is doomed to a sick room for the rest of his days.

Sale of T.B. Seals at Kimberley Totalled $1,135.65

KIMBERLEY, B.C.—The local sales of the T.B. Christmas Seals totalled $1135.65. The announcement was made by President E. D. Taylor at the Kimberley Rotary Club luncheon this week. A letter thanking the Club for the excellent results achieved had been received from the B.C. Tuberculosis Society.

NATAL

NATAL, B.C.—Pte. Helen Barrass of the C.W.A.C. stationed at Red Deer was a recent Michel visitor at the home of her parents.

Cpl. George Oley returned to Little Mountain Barracks at Vancouver after spending a two week leave at home during which time he attended the funeral of his father, the late John Oley.

Pte. Steve Mukuk returned to his unit stationed at Halifax after spending his furlough with his mother and brothers at Michel.

Cpl. David Dyck of Red Deer was a recent Michel visitor, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Barrass.

LONDON (CP) — Cost of the Home Guard during 1944-45 is estimated at £16,600,000 (about $75,000,000) and the capital value of its stores, clothing and equipment at £60,854,000.

NEW DENVER

NEW DENVER, B.C.—Mr. and Mrs. John Teir were visitors in Nelson.

Mrs. Julia Jones who spent three weeks in Nelson as guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. H. Lemmon, returned to her home on Monday.

Dan McAskill of Three Forks was a shopper in town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McKay of Zincton were shoppers in town.

Mrs. George Baird and son of Nakusp were guests of Mrs. N. C. Tattrie on Friday while visiting her husband, George Baird, who is a patient in the Slocan Community Hospital.

Mrs. Harry Abey and daughter, Kathrine of Silverton were visitors in town.

James Nobuto of New Denver is a patient in the Slocan Community Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Thompson of Zincton were shoppers in town.

F. Leo Beggs was a Nelson visitor.

Mrs. Frank Mills of Silverton visited her mother and aunt, Mrs. Denver Shannon and Mrs. C. Sinclair.

Clare Holford of Burton is a patient in the Slocan Community Hospital.

Mrs. N. Tofelt of Silverton visited her husband, N. Tofelt, who is a patient in the Slocan Community Hospital.

B .C. Whitty of the B.C.S.C was a visitor in Slocan City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Christenson of Zincton were shoppers in town.

Pat Laundreville spent a couple of days in Nelson returning home on Saturday.

Dr. E. H. Kuwabara of Slocan City was a visitor in town.

Miss C. Kondo of New Denver is a patient in the Slocan Community Hospital.

Ed Johnson of Zincton was a shopper in town.

J. E. Kennett and son, W. P. Kennett of Mill Creek spent the weekend at their home.

Miss Hazel Flint of Slocan City spent the weekend a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Flint.

W. Wilson of Nelson was a visitor in town.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Leveque and daughter, Miss Audrey Leveque of Rosebery were visitors in town.

Charles Aylwin was a Nelson visitor.

Mrs. Bruce Bradbury, teacher at Hunter's Siding, visited her sister, Miss Alice L. Humphris on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Steele and family of Silverton were in town.

H. R. Harrod was a Nelson visitor.

Andy Schnaebele of Zincton spent the weekend with his family.

Miss C. M. Driver of Nelson was a visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Issackson and son, Eddie, of Rosebery were visitors in town.

Stanley Thomlinson of Zincton visited his family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. DuMont of Hunter's Siding were visitors in town.

Miss Johanna Anderson, matron of the Slocan Community Hospital, who spent a week in Vancouver a guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Johannson, returned on Saturday.

Harold Minton of Vancouver visited town.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beattie of Zincton were visitors on Saturday.

Doc. St.Germaine of Zincton was in town.

Mrs. J. D. Mathinson of Silverton was a visitor on Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Angrignon visited her mother and brother, Mrs. C. J. Christian and PO. John Christian in Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Soy and family of Rosebery were visitors in town

Carl and Paul DuMont of Hunter's Siding were Sunday visitors in town.

Rev. W. E. G. Dovey of Nakusp visited in town and in Silverton

Mrs. L. R. Campbell, who spent two weeks in Trail, a guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Nesmith and her daughter, Miss M. Campbell, has returned.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Jeffery entertained at a dinner at their home on Wednesday evening in honor of the former's 74th birthday.

BIRKENHEAD, England (CP)—Hundreds of incendiaries and 42 high explosive bombs fell in Cammell Laird's shipyards here in the Winter of 1940-41 but work went on just the same in berths which have turned out such ships as the Ark Royal, Prince of Wales and submarine Spearfish.

Plain Girl . . .

Improve With Makeup

BY IDA JEAN KAIN

It used to be a girl had to be born beautiful or she had to learn how to use her head. Now, if she uses her head, she can come close to being beautiful.

The main thing is "face spacing. Any woman can be far more attractive if she will learn the line of balance and proportion needed." This means the correct arch of the eyebrows, shape of the mouth, and the right hair style. It isn't complicated

The pompadour must have been revived expressly for the girls with the short and square, the round, and the pear-shaped faces. In each case the pompadour serves to widen the span across the temples and thus to reduce the fullness across the cheek. If you are averse to the pompadour per se, wear a forward bang, which starts mid-center of head and which, although it goes forward, first has height.

Eyebrows should be extended to the far corners. This brings color out to the side of the face and relieves the solid breadth of space which calls attention to the roundness. Most women make the mistake of beginning the eyebrows too close to the nose. This gives a hard effect and may emphasize a not-perfect nose. The darkening should begin about one-third of the eyebrow back.

Rouge should be applied from the cheek up toward the hairline so that, again, color makes for height and slenderizes the face. Rouge should never be circled on the round face. Nor should the eyebrows be in circles.

But the worst thing a round-faced girl can do is to make her mouth in a tiny cupid's bow! That leaves too much expanse of cheek and exaggerates the size of the entire lower face.

It's better to make the mouth up like a large watermelon, bring the color clear out to the sides of the mouth.

Necklines are terribly important. Round necklines, choker beads and glamor bobs should be avoided. The V-neck combines with the pompadour to give the illusion of length and to make the face seem oval.

None of this lets anyone out of exercise. There's nothing that helps a chubby girl look streamlined like a nice slim waistline!

NAKUSP

NAKUSP, B.C.—G. P. Horsley left Monday for Nelson.

Mrs. Bolton Pearson of Nelson and Mrs. J. W. Dougan of Trail who have visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gardner, returned to their homes on Monday.

Mrs. Stanley Williams and children who have visited Mrs. Williams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gardner, have left for their home at Graham's Landing.

Major S. Gardner and Mrs. Gardner and their young son, Jimmy, who have visited Mr. Gardner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Gardner of Glenbank left on Wednesday. Mrs. Walter Denholm, sister of Major Gardner, also left for her home in Vancouver.

Mrs. L. Hughes, who has visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gardner, has left for her home.

The Upper Arrow Slocan Local of the B.C. Teachers Federation met in the Nakusp School on Saturday. Members present were Miss E. DeCourcey Mead of Fauquiers; Miss Hill, Arrow Park; and the Nakusp elementary teachers, Misses B. White M. T. Clark, A. Stogard and M. Kirk. At the conclusion of the business the members adjourned to Pine Lodge for tea.

LIVERPOOL, England (CP) — Sir Robert Ernest Kelly, C.B., F.R.C.S., consulting surgeon at Liverpool Royal Infirmary and emeritus professor of surgery at Liverpool University, has died here, aged 65.

Stand Pat . . .

Nature Upsets Domestic Bliss

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Nature has a great deal to answer for. It's not that men in camps and at posts away from the little woman intend to drift into affairs which wreck their homes, leave their children unprovided for—it's just that "old Debbil Nature" working for her inexorable ends.

Hundreds of letters have come to this column from heartbroken wives who have adored their husbands and been happy with them in their homes until along came war—that great disrupter of things running smoothly. And then comes domestic blitz.

The husband is away from home, the loneliness he feels for his wife, the kids, an occasional evening with the boys at a smoker, his game of cards—homey things like that—and he ventures out to try and forget. There a pair of smiling eyes greet him, some girl—call her silly if you wish—feels it her mission in life to make things happy for the soldier without finding out whether he's married or not. And perhaps the soldier—even the best of them—doesn't tell her about the Mrs. and the kids at home.

Well, here's the time, the place, the opportunity, and the girl. And the first thing you know, the soldier is making love to the young lady who feels it her mission to make things pleasant for the man in uniform. The first thing you know, they imagine they are in love and likely as not there are complications as the result of this wartime sentimental pipe-dream.

And the wives write to me something like: "I can't imagine what's come over Bill. He was the best husband and the most devoted father in the world, until he got tied up with this girl who has just written to me she's going to have a baby and Bill is its father. What shall I do? I love him so much I hate to divorce him and yet I'm not going to stand a situation like that."

It's so hard to make these heart-broken wives realize that WAR is answerable for their tragedy and Bill's, and the girl who tried to make things pleasant and the the poor little unwanted baby who has complicated the heart-breaking situation. Still the wife had no part in this disruption of her family life. She has her children to consider. The girl walked into the problem. The sensible thing for the wife to do is to stand pat.

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Hints for Housewives

By BETSY NEWMAN

I wonder if many of you omit a regular salad when you serve dinner to guests? I do because with little or no help, salad means an extra dish to prepare and that takes time. In its place a fruit, vegetable or shell fish appetizer is good, with celery, olives, pickles, carrot and turnip slices or sticks for the crisp part of the main meal.

TODAY'S MENU

Appetizer
Crackers
Roast Veal
Roasted Potatoes
Frozen Succotash (Lima beans and Corn).
Celery, Olives, Carrot and Turnip Sticks
Raisin Pie Cheese
Coffee

AVOCADO AND GRAPEFRUIT APPETIZER

2 tablespoons sugar, ½ teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon paprika, ¼ cup vinegar, 1 tablespoon salad oil, 1 small onion, 1 stalk celery, 3 slices green pepper, 1 avocado, 1 grapefruit.

Mix sugar, seasonings, vinegar and oil. Grind or chop onion, celery and green pepper very fine and add to mixture. Pare and slice avocado; pare grapefruit and remove sections carefully. Arrange fruit alternately on lettuce or romaine leaves and sprinkle with dressing. Garnish with minced parsley or with thin strips of green pepper.

SHRIMP AND GRAPEFRUIT COCKTAIL

Remove viscera (the black thread) from shrimp — canned or cooked — and put in cocktail glasses alternating with sections of fresh grapefruit. One-fourth cup finely diced celery and 1 tablespoon chopped green pepper may be added if desired. Squeeze lemon juice over all and commercial cocktail sauce or highly spiced catsup. Chill well before serving.

RAISIN PIE

Recipe for 1½ crusts, 1 cup raisins, ½ cup sugar, 2 tablespoons flour, ¼ teaspoon salt, 1 cup cold water, 2 teaspoons grated lemon rind, 3 tablespoons lemon juice.

Prepare pastry. Wash raisins in warm water, drain well. Mix sugar, flour and salt, add water slowly, stirring it in carefully to prevent lumping. Add grated lemon rind and juice, add raisins. Put over low heat and cook, stirring constantly until mixture thickens. Remove from stove. Line pie pan with pastry, roll out top crust, cutting it in strips for a lattice crust. Fill bottom shell with raisin mixture, place lattice strips over top fastening them down neatly, and bake in hot oven (425 degrees F.) from 30 to 40 minutes.

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PROCLAMATION!

(Issued under the authority of the Emergency Shelter Regulations, Order-in-Council P.C. 9439, December 19, 1944).

DISTRICT OF OTTAWA
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AN EMERGENCY SHELTER AREA

As part of a plan to meet the state of congestion which exists in the district of Ottawa, Board order no. 474 requires that all persons who propose to rent or occupy family quarters in the area must first obtain a permit from the Administrator of Emergency Shelter in Ottawa.

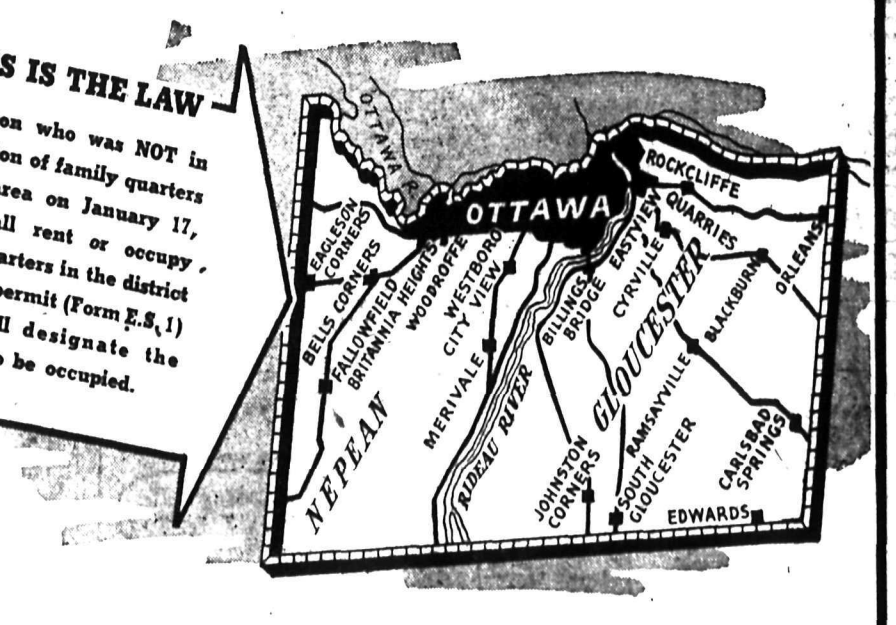
The purpose of the order is to help those who must be in Ottawa to obtain necessary accommodation.

WARNING

All persons who are making plans to move to Ottawa should write to the Administrator asking for full particulars of the Emergency Shelter Regulations.

THIS IS THE LAW

No person who was NOT in occupation of family quarters in this area on January 17, 1945, shall rent or occupy family quarters in the district without a permit (Form E.S. 1) which will designate the residence to be occupied.



Every person who, after January 17, 1945, occupies any family quarters in the district contrary to the order, commits an offence and, in addition to other penalties, will be required by the Administrator to vacate the shelter and the district at his own expense.

The Emergency Shelter Regulations provide serious penalties for hindering or obstructing these efforts and for any contravention of the regulations or of an order of the Board or of the Administrator.

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CKLN AND CBC PROGRAMMES

MORNING

7:30—O Canada
7:31—Toast & Coffee (CKLN)
8:00—CBC News
8:15—Front Line Family
8:30—Musical Programme (CKLN)
8:45—Morning Concert
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Melody Incorp (CKLN)
9:23—Voice of Memory (CKLN)
9:30—Marching to Victory (CKLN)
9:45—Music From Britain
9:59—Time Signal
10:00—Music for Moderns
10:15—Ogilvie Flour Mills Program (CKLN)
10:20—Tin Pan Alley Goes to Town (CKLN)
10:30—Wendell Hall (CKLN)
10:37—Waltztime (CKLN)
10:45—Stream Line Melodies
11:00—Musical Americana
11:15—Dan Barry (CKLN)
11:23—Song Shop (CKLN)
11:30—Soldier's Wife
11:45—Dancing Till Noon

AFTERNOON

12:00—B. C. Farm Broadcast
12:25—The Notice Board (CKLN)
12:30—CBC News
2:45—Matinee Memories
1:00—Old Favourites (CKLN)
1:15—Old Favourites
1:30—Modern Musicians
1:45—Song Recital
2:00—B.C. School Broadcast
2:15—B.C. School Broadcast
2:30—London Melody
2:45—Down Beat
3:00—Western Five
3:15—Headline History
3:30—The Curtain Echoes
3:45—BBC News
4:00—Musical Magic (CKLN)
4:08—Voice of Memory (CKLN)
4:15—Alouette Quartet.
4:30—Carl Kalash and Orch.
4:45—CBC News Roundup
5:00—Sacred Heart Programme (CKLN)
5:15—Famous Belgians (CKLN)
5:30—Freddy Martin Time (CKLN)
5:45—Freddy Martin Time (CKLN)

EVENING

6:00—MacMillan Quiz Programme
6:15—MacMillan Quiz Programme
6:30—Cavalcade of Melody (CKLN)
7:00—CBC News
7:15—Science in Everyday Life
7:30—A Man for A' That
8:00—Winnipeg Drama
8:15—Winnipeg Drama
8:30—Music of the New World
8:45—Music of the New World
9:00—BBC News.
9:15—Peerless Presents (CKLN)
9:30—Talk
9:45—Serenade in Rhythm
10:00—CBC News
10:15—CBC News Roundup
10:30—God Save the King

CASTLEGAR

CASTLEGAR, B.C.— R. A. D West has returned from a visit at the Coast.

Miss Irene Dyck is visiting Trail.

Andy Ostersund left for Lacombe, Alta., where he was called by the serious illness of his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fomenoff were visitors to Nelson.

Louie Voykin visited Nelson

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Waldie accompanied by Mrs. D. Magee, visited Nelson.

Mrs. Jim Jensen visited Nelson.

Among visitors to Nelson were Mrs G. Worobey, Miss Marjorie Houston, Mrs. I. Peterson, Pete Worobey, Andy Ostersund, Master Wesley Peterson, George Navakshonoff and Pete Obedcoff.

Pete Hloodoff of Nelson was a visitor to Castlegar.

Miss Laura Relkoff and Miss Annie Doobinin of Brilliant were Monday visitors in town.

Pete Fofonoff of Grand Forks is visiting his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fofonoff.

Mr. Horswill of Nelson is a visitor to Castlegar.

Bob Irving of Thrums is spending a few days in Castlegar.

Mr and Mrs. Dick Fowler of Trail were weekend visitors of the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dalziel.

Pte. Chuck Connor and Pte. Harry Crissell who are spending a ten day leave with their parents in Trail were guests of friends in Castlegar on Sunday.

Mrs. Steve Rysen and daughters, Janet, Elaine and Stephanie, left for a visit to the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baker of Beausejour, Man. They were accompanied by Mrs. Rysen's sister, Miss Baker of Victoria.

Mrs. A. Zuckerburg has returned home from Trail-Tadanac Hospital.

Billy Fraser, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Fraser, returned to Montreal where he will resume his duties at McGill University.

Mrs. T. B. Couch, Mrs. Ralph Harding and daughter, Darlene, were Trail visitors.

Mrs. Lou Watson and infant daughter have returned home from Trail-Tadanac Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wright were guests of the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. Monaghan of Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Martini and three children of Trail were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P Martini.

Charles Pleasance was a Trail visitor.

Mrs. Noah Defoe was a Trail visitor.

Freddy Morozzo returned home from a month's visit with relatives at the Coast

George Cheveldave, Jim Fofenoff, Pete Wanjoff and Freddy Pomenoff were Trail visitors.

Mrs. Ken Crosbie and daughter, Diane, were Trail visitors

Miss Tena Chernenkoff visited her parents at Taghum on Sunday

Mrs. Roy Wallace of Trail is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Don Wallace.

Nick Oswald and Oliver Duble were Trail visitors.

Mrs. A. Olsen returned to her home here Friday after a six weeks' holiday with relatives at Gary, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cheveldave were visitors to Nelson.

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KIMBERLEY

KIMBERLEY, B.C.—Harold George, Seaman Cook with the R.C.N.V.R., arrived last week to spend a leave with his wife and family.

Mrs. M. N. Gallpen of Chapman Camp was hostess to the Contract Bridge Club, with Miss E. Bush taking top honors and Mrs. R. Eccleston consolation, also the 500 Club, when Mrs. Shore took first prize and Mrs Lang second.

Frank and Robert McLaren of Canyon were Kimberley visitors.

Mrs. A. Sicotte and son Donald from Sunshine Bay are visiting Mr. Sicotte.

Mrs. Norman Trimmer and daughter Ethel, journeyed to Cranbrook last week to meet Mrs. Trimmer's brother, Pte. Lars Thompson, who arrived home from Overseas, after being wounded in France.

Mrs. Ernest Turner was hostess to members of the sewing circle of the All Saints W.A. During the evening a delicious lunch was served.

Mrs. A. Bond entertained a sewing circle of the C.W.L. last week. Bridge was played and the winners were; first, Mrs. G. Wanuk; second, Mrs. W. Jacob. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. O. Battistella has returned to her home in Chapman Camp from the McDougall Hospital.

Mrs. McKinnon, who has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. Thompson, has returned to her home in Ainsworth.

George Eccleston left for Calgary last week, where he intends to enlist in the R.C.N.V.R.

Mr. and Mrs. Lobban, Norma and Dick were Cranbrook visitors.

Mrs. L. Taylor is a patient in St. Eugene Hospital, Cranbrook.

Mrs. W. B. Miller was hostess to the W.A. Auxiliary of the United Church last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Scott returned home from Vancouver where they have been for the past four months. Mr. Scott being a patient in Shaughnessy Military Hospital during that time.

Henry Pommier, after spending a few days at his home at Sheep Creek, left to report at Little Mountain Barracks, Vancouver.

James Carnworth of Fernie was a visitor to the city.

Miss Wanda Conroy from New Westminster is spending a vacation here visiting her parents.

Art Andrews has returned home after being placed on the Reserve List of the R.C.A.F.

Mrs. J. Seiga is a patient in McDougall Hospital.

Mrs. W. Craig and son of Vancouver are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J Shannon.

Flt.-Lt. Kilburn, Mrs. Kilburn and daughter Elizabeth arrived in Chapman Camp from Dafoe, Sask., last week. Following a few days stay, Flt.-Lt. Kilburn left for Victoria where he has been posted. Mrs. Kilburn and young daughter will remain here for a short time visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pearson.

H. R. Banks was a visitor to Trail last week.

Mrs. F. Scott has returned to Chapman Camp after an extended visit at Coast Points.

Mrs. H. M. Moll and daughter Maureen have returned after a short visit to Nelson and Trail.

Mrs. Wallace Lloyd has been a patient in hospital for the past week.

Mrs. Mary Charles is spending a holiday with her daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. James Ross and Diane of Upper Blarchmont.

Petty Officer George Hay, R.C.N.V.R. is spending a leave with his parents and sister.

Miss Jessie Blackwell arrived home from Ottawa to visit her family.

Sgt. Stan Morris and Mrs Morris of Vernon were guests of the former's brother-in-law and sister, Mr and Mrs. G. Shaw.

Kuth Farhni and Bob Anderson of the C.M.&S. Co. engineering staff have returned from Vancouver.

D. W. Morrison, accompanied by his brother, Duncan Morrison, left Sunday for Vancouver where he will enter Shaughnessy Hospital.

A. Medican of Kimberley is a hospital patient at Cranbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Armstrong of McDougall Townsite left last week for Vancouver.

Mrs. Henry McKay is a patient in McDougall Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Leighton Warren and daughter have again taken up residence in Kimberley.

Miss Sarah Lochrie of Vancouver spent the holiday season in Kimberley, a guest of her mother.

Doug Lepart left for Canal Flats last week.

Mrs. J. Harris of Chapman Camp entertained the Mixed Bridge Club at a dinner party at her home prior to the card game.

Mrs. Emma Swan returned to Kimberley after an extended visit with friends and relatives in Virginia and other U.S. points.

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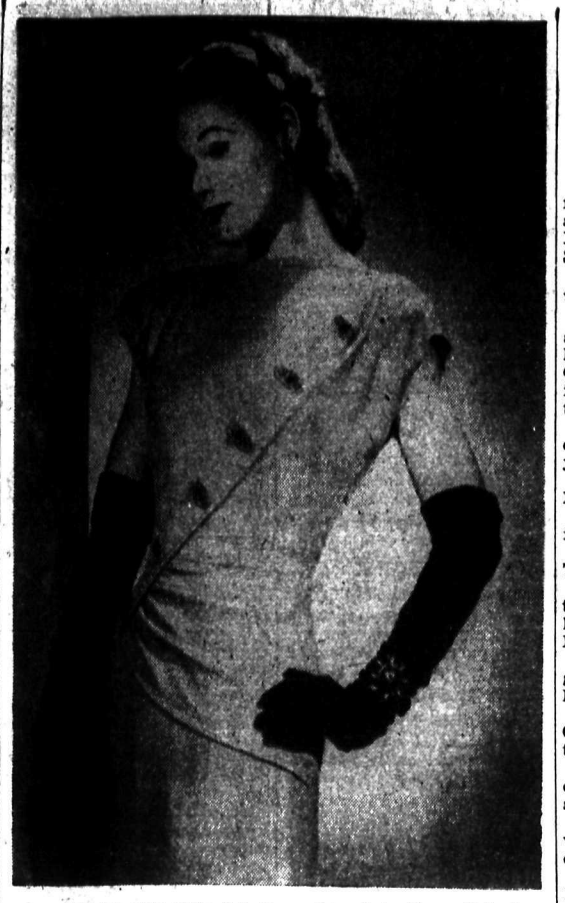

SET TO ONE SIDE: It isn't surprising that a line so flattering to almost every type of figure, should continue to play a starring role in the fashion picture. We refer of course to the side drape, here used for the bodice, rather than the skirt. The fabric of this lovely North-or-South dinner dress is aqua crepe, the side-draped tunic top stitched in surplice fashion on the hipline. Gold and aqua stone ornaments are set like buttons against the seaming.

F.D.R. Rejects Miss Perkins' Resignation

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24 (AP)—The resignation of Frances Perkins has been rejected by President Roosevelt and she will continue as Secretary of Labor, it was learned today.

Berlin Situation "Grows Critical"

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 24 (AP)—The Nazi brain trust has directed every able-bodied German male to remain at his post to fight the advancing Russians, Swedish correspondents reported today.

Berlin's situation was declared to be "growing more critical."

Columns of refugees from the East moved Westward through Berlin, according to these accounts.

All civilians who can be released from their occupations were called up hastily to form more Volkssturm battalions, Aftonbladet's Berlin correspondent reported.

DUNDEE, Scotland (CP) — Prof. Sir D'Arcy Thompson has just celebrated his 60th anniversary as a professor of natural history here. He continues to do his normal work.

Few Days Left for Filing Appeals

Nelson property-owners who are contemplating making appeals from the current assessment have only a few days left in which to act, as appeals must be filed at least 10 clear days before the date of the court of revision, which is fixed for Feb. 8. In the past the expression, "10 clear days," has been interpreted as 10 days not including either the day of filing the appeal or the day of meeting of the court of revision.

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NELSON SOCIAL

By MRS. M. J. VIGNEUX

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● Pte. J. D. Morris has arrived from Vancouver to spend his leave at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Jack Morris, Second Street.

● Mrs. Miller was a visitor yesterday from Ruby Creek.

● Mrs. Alma Truswell who spent the holidays at the home of her brother and sister-in-law in Olympia, Wash., and who also visited Seattle and Spokane, has returned.

● Mr. and Mrs. Ken Huscroft of Creston were visitors in town yesterday.

● Shoppers in the city included Mrs. J. G. Kraft of Brilliant.

● Oliver Smith was a visitor from Salmo yesterday.

● G. A. V. Sandercombe of Trail spent Tuesday in the city.

● Melio Feraro of Fife has returned after visiting at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Fornelli, Baker Street.

● Leslie Pickard of Trail is a guest at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. A. Bennett Jr., High Street.

● Mrs. Robert Cunningham of Crescent Valley spent yesterday in town.

● R. N. Murray of Yahk returned yesterday after a couple of days spent in Nelson.

● Mrs. Harold Coates of Edgewood was a visitor in town yesterday and plans on returning to her home today after a visit to Spokane.

● Jimmy Bremner of Ymir spent yesterday in Nelson.

● Robert Jerome of Upper Bonnington left the Kootenay Lake General Hospital yesterday for his home.

● Mrs Dave Wade left by bus yesterday via Spokane for her home in Vancouver. Mrs. Wade spent the Yuletide holidays in Kimberley with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Birrell.

Crawford Bay W.I. Receive Letters From Troops

CRAWFORD BAY, B.C.—First acknowledgment for a Christmas parcel sent overseas was read at the January meeting of the Women's Institute. Cpl. Bruce King wrote from Italy. Letters were also received from Cpl. Jack King at Montreal, L.-Cpl. Morris at Lethbridge and Stoker Kenneth Palmer from Gaspe, Que.

Flannelette garments for the Red Cross baby layette were handed out for sewing and various other articles were promised, material and work all being donated. The date of the next whist drive was left for the committee to decide.

Mrs. Richardson gave the year's report of the Emergency Fund stating $17.58 was on hand.

The sum of $14 was received as donations toward the memorial plaque.

After the meeting adjourned Mrs. Heywood and Mrs. Reilly were winners in a contest. Tea was served by Mrs. Nelson, Mrs. Bolton and Miss Lytle.

BOGNOR REGIS, England (CP) —The sea front in this Sussex town now is free of barbed wire but tank traps and concrete blocks still have to be removed.

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The Law Is Sound in the North Vancouver Teacher Case

The courts have found that a school teacher in North Vancouver who was elected to the City Council is not eligible for the Aldermanic position.

The law declares that a person who holds a public office of emolument, serving as a public servant, may not also occupy an elective office.

It is a good law, much as it has sometimes been criticized. If persons in the civil service or drawing salaries as officials of municipalities or school boards could also hold elective offices the ultimate evil could be serious, no matter how innocuous such a situation might be in individual cases.

The ultimate evil would be that persons would seek election to public office in order to win for themselves salaried positions as officials. From there we proceed to establishment of vast numbers of sinecures and ultimately to the most costly, destructive and oligarchical form of bureaucracy, a bureaucracy in which the bureaucrats would appoint themselves and set their own salaries.

France Will Need Much Imported Food

Some reports from France have given the impression that the people of that country are in a much better position as to food supplies than is actually the case. Some villages may be well-supplied but the general picture, in which Canadian farmers are directly interested because of probable future demands for their exportable food surpluses, is different.

France's agricultural production has declined as much as 46 per cent in some crops since 1938, it is disclosed in a report by the secretariat of the provisional government. Only in production of peas and beans and in oil-producing plants has there been any increase, and this was compulsory under German occupation.

"The agricultural situation in France is frankly bad, though not desperate," the report states, adding that, since the Germans are no longer here to take a share, the amount of agricultural production actually available for the French people is higher than in past years.

The amount of land under cultivation declined 17½ per cent in five years, partly because of the deportation of farm laborers and partly because farmers could see no point in producing goods that would be requisitioned by the Germans. Even more critical, however, has been the decrease in the amount of livestock. At the end of 1943 there were only half as many pigs in France as before the war, and only two-thirds as many sheep. The number of horses had declined 18 per cent and cattle 4 per cent.

Since then livestock has almost disappeared from parts of the country in which there was fighting. In Normandy 80 per cent of the beef cattle, hogs and sheep, half the oxen and 20 per cent of the draught horses were killed. In Vercors a local cattle breed known as Villard de Lans was wiped out.

"The reconstitution of our livestock industry will be long and difficult," the report stated.

Wheat acreage declined 18 per cent from the pre-war figure, and production in the last year alone dropped nearly 7,000,000 bushels. Production of oats declined 46 per cent, barley by more than 50 per cent. The acreage planted to potatoes, a staple food crop, declined 44 per cent, with the result that the supply was exhausted by midwinter. Production of sugar beets, France's only source of sugar, declined 24 per cent since the war, but the biggest drop, 13 per cent, was this year. Aggravating the sugar situation was the difficulty of transporting beets to refineries.

Acreage in pasture decreased 11 per cent and the report notes that quality has gravely deteriorated, particularly in Normandy. There is little fodder on hand to winter cattle, and it may be difficult to carry them till spring. The fruit crop last year was above average, but because of lack of transport, the greater part of it rotted on the trees. The grapes were of inferior quality and the amount of wine made was about 15 per cent less than the previous year.

Without the help of the Allies the food situation would have been critical this winter. The Mediterranean coast, which produces no food because of poor soil, and Paris were the principal beneficiaries. The total milk supply of Marseilles is imported, while in addition to milk the Allies have built up stocks of flour and meat in Paris. Before the war Paris consumed 1,000,000 quarts of milk daily, but now receives only 17,000 daily.

Scotland Yet

By GERALD S. REES

"Till all the seas gang dry."

My rough and ready reckoner informs me this is true time for the classic convention of Burns Nicht, but Kootenay Klansfolk have set celebration of this old Scottish custom for Friday night. Will this meet approbation of "Ettrick's" Muckleworth? He is apparently antagonistic to Burnsian fiestas attended by folk that—"couldnae say yin o' Burns' poems tae save them sels! . . ." Let us hope that Caledonian locals can qualify so that even Ettrick considers them guid brither Scots worthy of a Scottish Shangri-La here or hereafter!

TH' IMMORTAL MEMORY

Scotsmen do well to honor Robert Burns and he is entitled to the respect of posterity. All along the centuries since Romans built Hadrian's wall to keep them out of England, no one man has done so much to humanize the Scotch race in eyes and mind of mankind as this impoverished ploughman poet of Ayrshire. Hating fraud, pretense and arrogance, his sympathy was strong for the weaker brethren in the knowledge of his own failings. He honored the brave and courageous in whatever walk of life he found them. Prophetic promise that—

"Man to man the world o'er
Shall brothers be for a' that.

expressed his assurance in the fundamental goodness of his fellow-men. As someone has well said—his was a valiant versatility!

BROAD SCOTS AND GAELIC

Mac took "this chiel" to task and stood me down recently for bowing my head slightly toward the stalwart and sentimental Scot, also for acknowledging his sterling and ubiquitous characteristics, and for mentioning the distinctive heather, bracken and broom which make a purple and gold empire of his homeland hills worn smooth by time. Many of them, alas, for reasons best known to the Scot, are now silent and empty! He wishes no compliments, no eulogies for his native heath, or for kith and kin that have largely deserted its glens and clachans for fairer fields beyond the seas. He expresses himself richly and aptly in a sort of Esperanto-Erslan dialect! One may guess there'll always be an England, but stands Scotland where she did if words like advertisement and housetops are respectively spelled adverteerment and hoose-taps!

But no matter, Mac, we'll go along with you anywhere when you affirm—"Aye, Aye, here's tae us, whaes like us, Deil 'a yin!" Maybe you're right, though this commentator wouldn't know! We recognize that the imperturbable Scot is a self-restraining sort of individual and no gay slap-happy fellow with his heart on his sleeve; unemotional to an unaverage extent, he dislikes second-hand jokes, but has a keen sense of humor.

INVETERATE ROAMER

Late John Morley, visiting Canada, hazarded opinion it was "a sort of backyard of Scotland" possibly thought it the next best thing of Canada could not be Scotland! The preponderance Scottish names on store-windows prompted the statesman's utterance, but

"Whither he wanders, goes the tartan plaid
Auld Lang Syne and the White Cockade."

Also, one may add, the kind Scots tongue and the piper's tune! The Highlander, with the old spirit of Gaeldom, still marches into battle to pulse-quickening skirl of the pipes; it is the only music allowable on European battlefront! Some day, they will play "Blue Bonnets over the Border" for keeps! Ancient battlefields far apart as Waterloo and Crecy have heard their fierce wailings. And the Lament has torn at many heartstrings for Auld Scotia's dead on the field of battle. But Highland Laddie was the requiem for a gallant battalion that refused rescue from the Dunes of Dunkirk! A lone kilt-buckled piper marched up and along the beaches until all the guns were stilled . . . Scotland weeps and prays in the dark for all her fallen sons.

"So they passed over, and all the Trumpets sounded for them on the Other Side!"

"Trout come back to the call of the sea
Flower to the mountain, tide to the shore,
But they will return to Lochaber no more!"

COCK O' THE NORTH

Through two world wars, Celt and Saxon children of storm with a gray heritage with armistice of ancient rivalries but retaining their own sweet enmities—have stood shoulder to shoulder, disremembering Bannockburns and Fields of Flodden, without quibble or jostle. Empire at war; Scotland at war. Stewart and MacIntosh, Cameron, MacLachlan and the rest of the clans, in full flower of manhood, showing sign and seal of traditional courage. Red Lion Rampant, the Union Jack and bannerets of Empire, the Stars and Stripes ("God Bless America") will brave the breeze long after the Swastika has been shredded in the rising wind of Freedom, still gathering its strength from all quarters of the globe wherever free men abide.

ROAD TO THE ISLES

A farewell benediction: May the armies of Caledonian lads and lassies in Canada have a hearty happy gathering on their nicht wi' Burns, and this includes the kilted Kootenays, East and West. May they speak the tao spokes as they say in the Maritimes, when they sup and drink a wee Doch' an' Doris to Scotland yet, and give a hand to trusty friends! May they envision once again for their own heart-warming their misty glens and heather-moors, wimpling burns and braes and shimmering if shadowy-lochs of their 'im country! Scots wha hae!

?? 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.

T. D. R., Nelson and L. F., Deer Park—Will you kindly advise if the following have any "old coin" value? U. S. A. $1 gold coin dated 1849 and a U. S. A. $1 gold coin dated 1853? Is there a company or any individual who buys odd coins? If there is none in Canada could you give me the name of one in the United States?

We suggest you write to Col. R. A. Wilson, 385 La Tijera Station, Los Angeles, Calif., sending a self-addressed stamped envelope for the information you require. Make sure you use an American stamp.

D. K., Rossland and J. A., Kimberley—What procedure would one have to adopt to get into the Merchant Marine when one lives in the Trail district? Is it possible for a Canadian to join the United States Navy, Merchant Marine Service, or the Deep Sea Diving Unit? Please tell me where we can get full information on this?

For information on joining the Canadian Merchant Marine we would advise you to write to Captain G. L. C. Johnson, Manning Pool, Canadian Merchant Navy, Vancouver, B. C. With respect to joining the U. S. units write to the Recruiting Office, Post Office Building, Spokane, Wash.

F. L. P., Nelson—Would you tell me where in England I should write for a birth certificate for a person born in England and what the charge is for same?

Write to the Registrar General, New Cumberland Hotel, Blackpool, Lancashire, England. The cost is 5 shillings, 1 penny.

R. E., Nelson—Where can I get information in regards to Army Trade Schools?

Inquire at the Recruiting Office, 315 Victoria Street, Nelson.

Looking Backward

10 YEARS AGO
(From Daily News, Jan. 25, 1935)

Three men were killed last night in a snowslide west of Blake, which came hurtling down the mountainside at about dusk, owing to high temperatures and heavy rain. A doctor and two nurses—Miss Mary Madden and Miss Sybil Archibald—were rushed to the scene. The thermometer yesterday soared to 41 degrees.

Miss Helen Holmes, of Kootenay Lake General Hospital staff, left yesterday for California.

25 YEARS AGO
(From Daily News, Jan. 25, 1920)

A pantomime, "The Slave of the Lamp", was produced in the South Slocan Hall last week by Mrs. Ashby and Miss Ivy Brown, and was greatly enjoyed by a large audience. J. D. Yeatman and R. Greyson were responsible for the effective scenery, and most of the costumes were designed by Miss Brown.

R. Cruit, Inspector of Vocational Training, was in the city over the weekend.

40 YEARS AGO
(From Daily News, Jan. 25, 1905)

Professor E. R. Lake, of Oregon, writes in the Agriculturist and Rural Northwest: "Kootenay country in British Columbia is an ideal country—and it appears that delicious fruit grows there. As soon as canning facilities are afforded some of the choicest of canned goods will be sent out of this territory—I am satisfied we shall, in the near future, hear of Okanagan, Kootenay, and Arrow Lake fruits and vegetables."

Chief of Provincial Police W. H. Bullock-Webster, is at Silverton.

Today's Horoscope

You are fitted to be a leader among others, because you have remarkable initiative. Never be swayed by the opinions of those about you. Rather, trust your own judgment. You have a tendency to lose your temper, of which you should beware. A congenial home life should spur your ambition toward better things. While you may be right nine times out of ten, watch that tenth time today, as the confusing Neptune vibrations may trip you. This holds true in business, social matters and also travel.

Words of Wisdom

What I admire in Columbus is not his having discovered a world, but his having gone to search for it on the faith of an opinion.—Turgot.

Etiquette Hints

"Thank you for calling" is a telephone courtesy which should not be neglected when a friend or business acquaintance calls.

Test Yourself

1 What American college had the first fraternity?

2 What American people had developed a remarkable civilization before the time of Columbus?

3 What is the distinction between marriage and matrimony?

TEST ANSWERS

1 William and Mary in 1750, it was the Flat Hat Club.

2 The Mayans.

3 Marriage denotes primarily the act of unity; matrimony the state of those married.

NAZI SUB NEVER REACHES SEA: Amazing things happen in this unbelievable war, even to naval disasters miles from the sea. This German midget submarine was bombed by the Allies and abandoned while being towed by a Nazi tracked vehicle along the Arras road.

Record Fruit Crop Handled in B.C.

KELOWNA, B. C., Jan. 24 (CP)—Record crops of all varieties of fruit were handled during the current season, D. McNair, Sales Manager of B. C. Tree Fruits Limited, told the British Columbia Fruit Growers Association Convention here today.

The following production was handled: cherries 313,000 cases; apricots 373,000 cases; peaches 1,350,000 cases; plums 153,000 cases; prunes 691,000 cases; pears 562,000 boxes; crab apples 215,000 boxes; apples 8,000,000 boxes.

Of the apple crop 6,104,000 boxes have been marketed to date and 1,696,000 are in storage. 2,332,000 were sold in Western Canada; 844,000 in Eastern Canada; 47,000 in Newfoundland; 26,000 in Iceland; 500,000 to the United Kingdom; 24,000 to South America; 1,255,000 packed boxes to the United States and 698,000 boxes for processing in the United States. Some 378,000 have been processed locally.

The United States has been an important outlet this year but at the same time Canada has imported from the United States 356 cars of peaches, 149 cars of pears, 145 cars of prunes, 9,500 cars of oranges and quantities of grapefruit and vegetables.

A combination of circumstances including labor shortage, a large crop, icing conditions of railway cars resulted in some fruit reaching the markets in an inferior condition and the claims particularly on apples are heavier than at any time since B.C. Tree Fruits began operation in 1939. Mr. McNair warned that this is one of the most important items affecting the industry and steps must be take nto correct it.

Canadians Play Thankless Role

By DOUGLAS AMARON
Canadian Press War Correspondent

WITH THE 1ST CANADIAN ARMY IN HOLLAND, Jan. 24 (CP Cable) — Patience and endurance have been the qualities most required of 1st Canadian Army soldiers during their long static watch at the gateway to the shortest road to Berlin from the Western Front.

For more than 10 weeks, Canadian, British and Polish forces of Gen. Crerar's Army have held an unchanged line from the islands North of the Schelde estuary Eastward to the Nijmegen salient, where forward positions are inside Germany itself. They have played a holding role, one of the most thankless in war and one of the sternest tests of a good soldier.

British troops of the Canadian Army, with support from tanks of an Ontario Armored Regiment, killed, wounded or captured about 650 Germans around the village of Zetten, eight miles Northwest of Nijmegen.

This fighting began Jan. 18 when German paratroops tried to penetrate British positions in Zetten and continued until Jan. 22, when the remnants of the smashed German force were driven across a canal about one mile North of the village.

Apart from this German mistire and unsuccessful attempts Jan. 14 by Royal Marine Commandos to dislodge the Germans from a bridgehead on the South bank of the Maas River near Breda, activity on the Canadian front has been limited almost exclusively to important but rare spectacular patrolling.

The Canadians moved into the Nijmegen salient early in November after making available to the Allies the vitally important port of Antwerp by their brilliant but bloody month-long fight to clear the Germans from the Schelde estuary. Field Marshal Montgomery, 21st Army Group Commander, called the Schelde victory the finest operation of the Western front campaign.

B.C.'S ROLL OF HONOR

Army

Killed in Action:
Gates, John, Cpl., Milnes Landing, B.C.
Stephens, George William, L.-Cpl., New Westminster, B.C.
Connolly, John Edward, Pte., New Westminster, B.C.

Died:
Liddle, Harvey James, Cpl., Vancouver, B.C.

Seriously Wounded:
Hudson, John Lawson, Tpr., Vancouver, B.C.

Wounded:
Robinson, Clarence Edward, L.-Cpl., Hope, B.C.

Slightly Wounded:
Hocken, Keith, Tpr., Nanaimo, B.C.
Deneau, Albert, Pte., Savona, B.C.
Powell, William James Kershaw, Cpl., Maple Bay, Duncan, B.C.

Injured:
Judd, Albert Warner, Pte., Prince Rupert, B.C.

Slightly Injured:
Hagen, Lawrence Oliver, Pte., Steveston, B.C.

Wounded and Missing:
Snow, Clifton Alexander, Rfn., Williams Lake, B.C.

R.C.A.F.

Missing, Believed Killed on Active Service After Air Operations:
Earle, Robert Neville, Flt.-Lieut., Oliver, B.C.

Previously Missing on Active Service — Now Reported Prisoner of War — Germany:
McMann, Victor Ernest, Fg., Vancouver, B.C.

Previously Missing on Active Service — Now for Official Purposes Presumed Dead:
Hodson, Arthur Coles Kitchener, Po., Newton Station, B.C.
Howell, James, Po., J86401, Mr. C. P. Howell (father) Rossland, B.C.
Murray, Clifford Battison, Po., Vancouver, B.C.

ROYAL CANADIAN NAVY
Accidentally Killed on the 5th of January, 1945, at Shelburne, N.S.:
Doherty, Wilfred James, Electrical Artificer Fourth Class, New Westminster, B.C.

Bath, England (CP)—Miss Janet Kidston Law, sister of the late Prime Minister Bonar and aunt of Richard Law, Minister of State, has died here.

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SPORTS

Trail Refinery, Barnes Rinks Named

TRAIL, B.C., Jan. 24—Composition of rinks for the Refinery and Barnes competitions of the Trail Curling Clubs, which start shortly, follow:

A. C. Allison, R. H. Ross, W. G. Siddall and T. Mayne.

A. E. Allison, A. A. Simonson W. S. Douglas and lead.

J. Atwell, L. V. Londerzele, J. E. Owen and D. Holden.

W. H. Baldrey, D. Sutherland, W. Blair and L. W. Berg.

H. T. Beckett, G. H. Cadden, R. Heard and G. C. Arsenau.

M. M. Butorac, A. Benedet M. Baland and C. R. Glover.

E. W. Campbell, E. Jandrell, W. A. R. Angus and G. Henderson.

A. M. Chesser, H. Marshall, J Robinson and B. Segall.

A. B. Clark, W. M. Robertson, R. Bainbridge and R. A. Fowler

Andy Crichton, E. Player, L. M. Cross and W. J. Rutledge.

J. Devito, R. Stuart, J. Salter and S Murray.

R. P. Dockerill, T. Weir, E R Haymond and W. Lynes.

V. E. Ferguson, L. M. Delong, C. Loeblick and C. G. Mills.

L. L. Fortin, M. Gordon, C. N. Spencer and J. M. Douglas.

F. J. Glover, T. Nixon, A. L Basso and C. M. Bedford.

Stan Gray, G. Donaldson, O. Johnson and H. McIntyre.

E. W. Hazlewood, J. D. Hartley, J. Ink and E. C. Hutchinson.

R. E. Hill, A. C. Matthew, W. McKay and H. Vanderburg.

F. Hudocklin, J. H. Shields, F. Keith and A. E. Bush.

W. B. Hunter, W. D. Burgess, C. Bird and W. Cameron.

E. L. Jones, W. W. McKay, J. Bryan and E. Spigariol.

J. H. Leckie, W. E. Marshall, M. Spowart and A. W. Moore.

D. MacDonald, B. Merlo, D. J Duffus and G. E. Mason.

A. W. McDonald, A. B. Webster, H. Jordan and W. McLeod.

R. C. McGerrigle, S. G. Smillie, G Hollington and D. L. Walker.

R. McGhie, S. T. McCullough, G. Martinelle and J. E. White.

P. F. McIntyre, J. Lepage, G. Williscroft and W. H. Koehn.

R. J. MacKinnon, P. Bishop, K. Chaplin and C. W. McMahon.

Dave McLennan, A. Forrest, R. D. Perry and A. T. McQuarrie.

H. A McLaren, G. Balfour, H. Radcliffe and G. W. Wilson.

D. McLeod, J. W. Milburn, K. L. Parkhurst and R. Tavaroli.

H. H. Miller, H. Currie, J. Landucci and J. Cook.

J. A. E. Montpellier, P. T. Melville, R. S. Woodford and D. Campbell.

Malcolm Morison, R. Stone, R. H Bianco and J. B. Reed.

G. Ortner, O. H. Gill, G. K. Fry and M. Molina.

F. J. Plester, L. Murdoch, R. Matheson and F. H. Steele.

William Rae, E. L. Shannon, J. W. Fish and P. B. Pullinger.

G. F. Reiman, J. Marks, G. M. Thompson and J. Woogman.

T. A. Rice, A. E. Harrison, L. M. P. Davidson and A. Gordon.

W. P. Robertson, A. E. Cornfield, G. Richards and J. W. Gellatly.

A. B. Ross, P. M Elliott, J Campbell and S. Matovich.

W. S. Ross, J. N. Currie, R. R. Taylor and W. W. Biker.

J. Schofield, M. Desbrisay, R. Burke and N. D. Sanderson

G. G. Service, A. G. Cheyne, J. H. Hargrave and C. Melrose.

G. Shaw, J. J. Cameron, P. Fantin and M. Salsiccioli.

W. H. Sheppard, J. Wilkie, P. Holm and J. H. Armstrong.

R. Somerville, A. J. Burwash, J. Jakel and M. Menkes.

Reg. Stone, L. Demore, T. Krause and T. W. Cumming.

F. Strachan, T. W. Matheson, K Raht and A. Brothers.

C. D. Stuart, S. G. Biagioni, A. Merlo and W. McCulloch.

L. F. Tyson, J. D. Rae, D. J. McLeod and G. K. Morrison.

E. L. Vance, M. Anderson, W. G. Armstrong and W. Cant.

R. H. Varcoe, D. Minto, J. Woytella and G. W. Gryscuk.

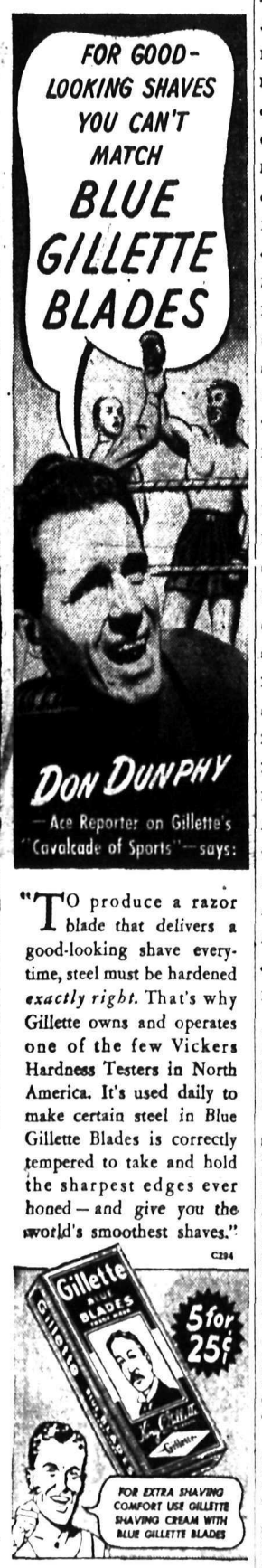
T. H. Weldon, C. W. McBey, B. Mohoruk and J. F. Melvin.

G. W. Weir, J. Derby, M. Flagel and A. Crichton.

D. S. Wetmore, H. Murdoch A. B Anderson and R. Toffolo.

W. L. Wood, J. A. Vance, L. Landucci and H. Murphy.

A. H. Woolf, G. K. Fairbank, T. J. Parry and A. Hott.



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Natal Senior Hockey Team Defeats Coal Creek

NATAL, B.C.—The Natal-Michel Sports Club senior hockey team journeyed to Fernie over the weekend and defeated the Coal Creek Miners 8-3 in a wide open hockey game played at the Fernie Arena which was witnessed by a large crowd. The win was the first achieved by a Natal-Michel hockey team in Fernie for the past number of years. Natal-Michel took a four goal lead in the first period and although outscored two goals to one in the second managed to lead 5-2 at the end of the second period. In the third period they outscored Coal Creek three goals to one to clinch the game. Thewlis did the hat-trick scoring three goals for Natal-Michel while DePaoli scored two and Laffancols, Weaver and R. Thompson scored single goals.

The lineups:

Natal-Michel Seniors: Chismar, Caruso, Bonin, Whaller, R. Thomson Romano, Thewlis, Lafrancols, DePaoli, Weaver, Turyk, Mitchell, Katrichak.

Coal Creek Miners: Corrigan, Ferguson, Anderson, Brown, Webster, Smith, Singleton, W. Springall, Melburn, Walls, Littler, Johnstone, J Springall.

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RAILWAYMEN PAY FINAL TRIBUTE TO ANDREW ALLAN

Members of the railroad fraternity and friends formed a large company Wednesday afternoon to pay a final tribute to Andrew Allan, C.P.R. Trainman of Nelson since 1935, at funeral services at the Thompson Funeral Home. Officiating clergyman was Rev. A. Stewart of the First Presbyterian Church.

Members of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen attended the service in a group, and at the conclusion of the service formed a guard of honor for the casket. Pallbearers, also all members of the trainmen's brotherhood, were G. L. Walmsley, O. G. Higgs, J. S. Edwards, R. B. Laughton, H. Stewart and W. H. Towhey.

Hymns sung were "Lead Kindly Light", "Jesus Calls Us", and "Abide With Me." Organist was Miss Margaret Graham.

Mr. Allan, who was born in Arbroath, Scotland, died in an accident at Castlegar Friday morning.

M.R.K. MIDGETS BEAT PANTHERS

M.R.K. Midgets swamped Panther Midgets 15-1 in a scheduled Midget Hockey League game Monday evening which, however, while going into the books, will probably be counted only as an exhibition game, as it was the sixth meeting between these two *teams, or one more* time than called for in a 30-game schedule. If the schedule should be extended to 36 games, as in the case of the Bantams, the game would of course count.

Pickering, with five tallies, did a third of the M.R.K. scoring, while Kraft rang the bell three times, Bob Pitts twice, and Christenson, Jones, Bone, Irwin, and DesChamps, once each. Jones was the leading playmaker with six assists. Kraft and Christenson each got two, and Pickering and Bone each got one. On the whole, with 17 assists on 15 goals, the M.R.K. did pretty well for themselves on points, adding up 32 of them. Leeming got the only Panther tally, in the first period

DesChamps and Bob Pitts served *time for M.R.K. and Milbourn for* Panthers. Teams were:

M.R.K.—Elmore, goal; N Hood Jones, R. Pickering, Kraft, Irwin, Apostoliuk, Deschamps, Bone, Christenson.

Panthers—McInnis, goal; Carlson, Hopwood, Haywood, Leeming, Carney, Milbourn, Zeznik, Valentine.

Referees, Tom Shrieves, Bob MacDonald; Scorekeeper and Timekeeper, Alvin Towriss.

Lumberjacks Defeat Indians in Cranbrook Hockey

CRANBROOK, B.C. Jan. 24—Lumberjacks took sole hockey league lead last night in their 5-1 win over Kootenay Indians who slid to second making Ranger Juveniles the winless caboose. Lumberjacks Reekie got three of the counters in the first and Indians failed to count until late in the third, though after the opener they dominated play and were prevented from scoring largely by Bell's smart goaling for Jacks. R. Smollick, former senior amateur, added appreciably to Indians teams with solid defence and brilliant stick handling. Jacks play Juveniles Thursday.

First period—1. Lumberjacks, 1:45 Reekie;. 2. Lumberjacks, 6:15, Reekie (Harrison); 3. Lumberjacks, 13:17, Reekie.

Penalties—Harison, Joseph.

Second period— 4. Lumberjacks 2:22, South.

Penalties—T. Whitehead, Baker.

Third period—5. Lumberjacks, 2:49, Malcolm; 6. Indians, 12:32, M. Abel.

Penalties—T. Whitehead.

Indians—G. S. Nicholas, C. Abel, G. Alpine, M Abel, T. and J. Whitehead, F. Toby, Smollick, N. Joseph, P. Whitehead, B. Andrews, J. Morigeau.

Lumberjacks—G. Bell, D. Ukrainethe, South, Patton, Reekie, Malcolm, *Leyden, Bakken, Harrison, Reekie,* Mitchell, Baker, D. Mitchell, Guthrie.

WOLVES BLANK JUVENILES 12-0

Wolves Tuesday night shut out Juveniles in a Commercial Hockey League game, in which Juveniles were shy their top scorer, Richey Wassick, while Seaby, in the Juvenile nets, let in 12 counters, for a 12-0 score.

Boyle and Murphy each found the net three times, and Haines twice, while single scores were made by *Bob Wassick, Culley, McLeod and* Hooper. The 12 goals carried only four assists, which went respectively to Culley, Boyle, Hooper and Haines. Culley was given a penalty for Wolves, and Prestley and Freno served time for Juveniles. Teams were:

Wolves—Malahoff, goal; Haines, Culley, Murphy, Hooper, Bob Wassick, Leinweber, McLeod, Boyle.

Juveniles — Seaby, goal; Freno, Boyar, McMullin, Bob MacDonald, Longden, Perrier, Prestley, Ludlow, St Dennis.

Referee, Lloyd Mair; Scorekeeper and Timekeeper, Joe Stedile.

C. SCHULLI HEADS KIMBERLEY HOCKEY

KIMBERLEY, B.C.—At the 13th annual *meeting of the Junior-Juvenile* Hockey Club the following officers were elected for the coming year; President, Charles Schulli; Vice-President, Father Monaghan; Secretary-Treasurer, J. Lukas; Executive, J. Livingstone, Puffy Kemp, Sandy Sanderson, Putt Holditch, D. Gold, P. W. Willis.

Puffy Kemp is in charge of the Juveniles, Sanderson and Holditch are coaching the Midgets. Dave Gold is coach for the Bantams.

The four team Pee-Wee League and the three team Bantam League have begun the schedules. Six of last year's B.C. champion Midgets are still of age and another strong team is in the making

200 Race Horses Go to Mexico

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 24 (AP) — A total of 200 race horses from the United States have arrived here since racing was banned in that country. Other horses from North of the Rio Grande are reported on the way

LONDON (CP) — The Coldstream Guards are fighting in the Guards Armored Division in Western Europe. Their division liberated Brussels last Sept. 4 and earlier the Guards were in bitter fighting South of Caen. They landed shortly after D-Day.

Interpreting THE WAR NEWS

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON
Associated Press War Analyst

A desperate German military hegira from West to East across Northern Germany, reported by Allied air scouts, eclipsed in interest last night even an unconfirmed report that the Russians had broken across the Oder River defence line at one point North of close-invested Breslau in the juggernaut advance on Berlin.

There could be no other explanation of any such enemy stripping of his West-front reserves to brace his shattered Eastern lines than that Berlin itself is in mortal danger of Russian capture in German High Command estimation.

The size and circumstances of the enemy Eastward trek over the Dusseldorf-Honover road and rail network as reported by Allied airmen leaves little doubt that a master crisis is at hand for the enemy. Nor does the scene of his desperate effort to rush tired and tattered West-front divisions into the East breach leave much question as to where the supreme danger lies there.

A tangle of main rail and road connections leads from Dusseldorf via Hamm and Herford to Hanover and thence to Berlin. Among them is the great German four-track military super highway.

That highway leaves Berlin well *to the North to reach the Oder at* Frankfurt, some 30 miles East and slightly South of the capital. The river at that point runs its nearest to Berlin and is the last natural barrier guarding the Eastern approaches to the city.

Long as is the route from Dusseldorf to the great Silesian Plains that lie between the Oder and the Sudeten Mountains, it is there that the great danger to Berlin is taking shape and there that arrival of West-front veterans in force in time could stem the Russian tidal wave.

MAGAZINES WILL BE SENT TO KIMBERLEY TROOPS

KIMBERLEY, B.C.—At the meeting of the Directors of the Kimberley and District Patriotic Society, discussion arose as to the suitable disposition of the proceeds of the Special Show sponsored for Comforts for the Kimberley and District Overseas personnel, of whom there are approximately 219 at the present time. It was decided to send them the Magazine Digest for one year with the compliments of the Theatre Management.

Letters of welcome to the boys who have returned from Overseas, discharged after service, were endorsed by the Board.

Arrangements for the Society's annual meeting will be discussed at the next Board meeting in February.

The Treasurer reported subscriptions for December were $1360. Disbursements authorized were Overseas Smokes $460.00, Red Cross $500, Trust Account $250. The General Fund held $2159.

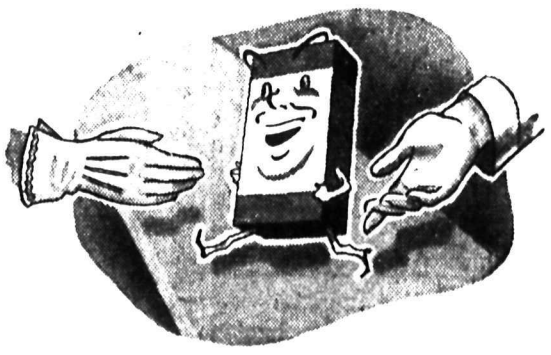
The first recorded abdication of a *sovereign was Sylla, the Roman dic*tator, in 79 B.C.

FAMILY PROTECTED IN BACKYARD BATTLE: British troops blast the enemy in the backyard of a modest home in Western *Europe while, a few inches from them, the family crouches in a hole* in the ground.

"**Most products** travel a long way from the maker to the buyer, but the most important part of the whole trip is the last two feet across this counter, where the sale is made. Want to know how a manufacturer can help me most in moving his goods these last two feet?"

1. "**Funny how some manufacturers** go to all the trouble of making and shipping good products...without bothering to tell people how good they are or where to buy them. There are goods on my shelves from all over the country, but they'd have wasted the trip, if people didn't come in here and ask for them."

2. "**Look at selling the way I do,** two feet away from the shoppers, and you soon learn what kind of advertising does the best job of telling the public about a manufacturer's product. I mean *newspaper* advertising, of course...the medium that reaches everybody in town...the medium *I* use most regularly myself."



3. "**Now that we're at war,** with big news breaking every day, people are reading newspapers more carefully than ever. The *ads*, too...mine and my manufacturers'. They read the ads in the local paper, they come in here asking for a product by name, and it scoots across these last two feet of space."

4. "**There's heavy, two-way traffic** across this counter these days, with dollars and dimes headed for my cash register and good products headed for the customers. The more I sell, the better off my manufacturers are; so the smart ones boost their goods across the counter by consistent newspaper advertising."

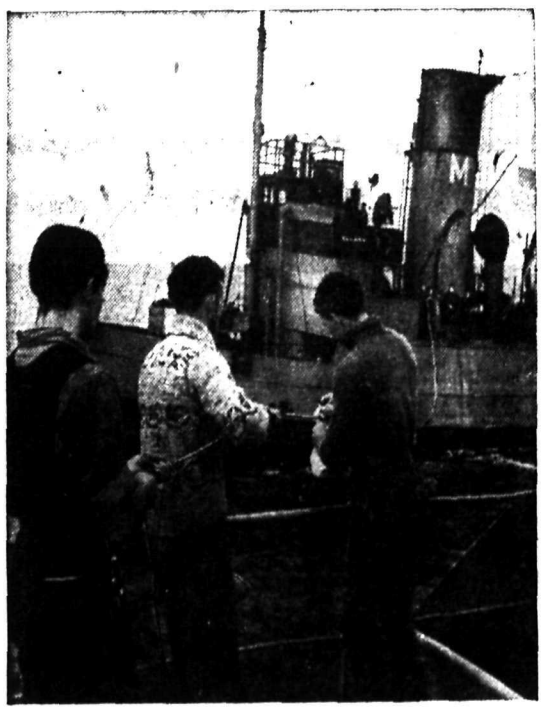
There, in the words of a successful retailer, is the story of how to help a product across the retail counter...the most important part of the trip from manufacturer to consumer. It's especially true under wartime conditions that manufacturers produce more sales for their retailers...and themselves...when they advertise in local newspapers.

THE BUREAU OF ADVERTISING • CANADIAN DAILY NEWSPAPERS ASSOCIATION • OF WHICH THIS NEWSPAPER IS A MEMBER

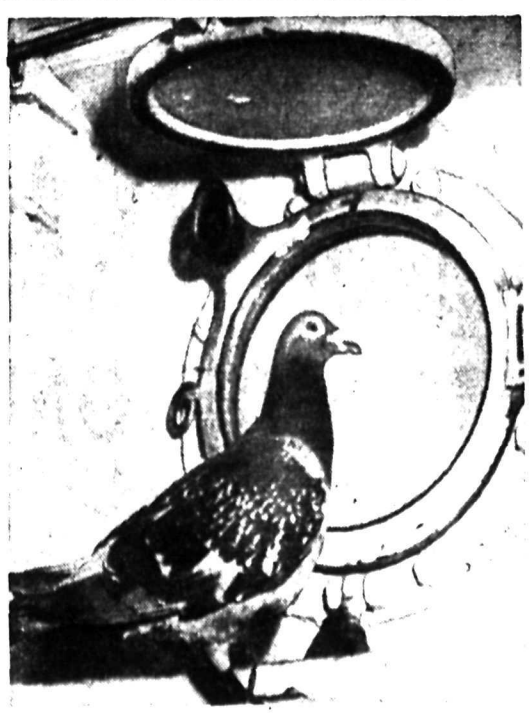
TODAY'S *News Pictures*

British Brides and Babies Come to Canada

Every emotion from glee to grief was registered by the eight British babies in the above picture as they got their first view of Canada. They arrived recently with a group of British brides of Royal Canadian Air Force personnel and are shown with Red Cross nurses in the nursery at their disembarkation point. Wide awake and pleased with the prospect of becoming a Canadian is little Elaine Cawker, shown below, with her mother, Mrs. Rosina Cawker, shortly before disembarking at an eastern port. Mrs. Cawker is the wife of Flight Lieutenant M. R. Cawker, 46 Dundurn Place, Winnipeg, Manitoba.

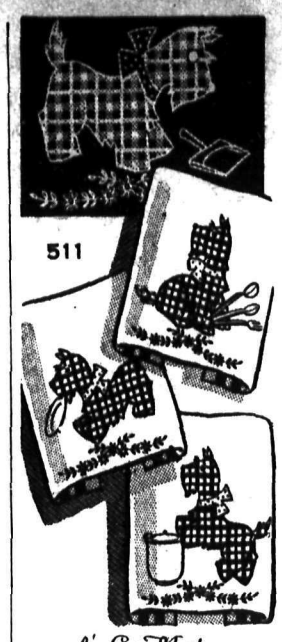


FENCE ME IN: Carrying a dirty white rag as a flag of surrender, a German soldier stands in front of one of the guns of an Allied tank near Humain, Belgium.



When a weary homing pigeon, heading across the Channel from France, came to rest on a British tug, an important chain of events was kept intact and a Canadian corvette, H.M.C.S. "Mayflower", was given an unexpected chance to help speed the victory. The tired pigeon carried important information from a French patriot regarding gun emplacements and flying bomb platforms. It was sent aboard the "Mayflower" which broke wireless silence to send the information in code to shore authorities. The top picture shows the pigeon being passed in a bag from the tug to the Canadian corvette and the lower one shows the well-bred and mannerly visitor taking its ease by a porthole of the wardroom on board the "Mayflower". R.C.N. photo by Lieut. H. J. Nott, RCNVR.

LUMSDEN KILLED: Lieut.-Gen. Sir Herbert Lumsden who was killed by a Japanese air attack aboard a U. S. warship in the Pacific. Lumsden was appointed by Prime Minister Churchill as his special representative at Gen. MacArthur's headquarters in November, 1943, and presumably was killed during the invasion of Luzon Island, in the Philippines.



by Laura Wheeler

CROSS-STITCH PUP: "Man's best friend" takes a turn at K.P. Embroider him in 8-to-the-inch cross-stitch on your tea towels and delight the family.

Beginners will love doing this Scottie in easy cross-stitch. Pattern 511 has transfer of 6 motifs averaging 7¼x7½ inches; stitches.

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

SIZE 40 TAKES 1½ YDS.

Marion Martin

Pattern 9399 gives you complete protection; wide bib; long length; non-slip straps; note fabric-saving yardages; wide size range.

Pattern 9399; small (14-16); med. (36-40); large (42-46); ex. large (48-52); large, 1 yard 35-in.; ⅞ yd. trim. Size 40, 1½ yds. 35-in., all one fabric.

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AUNT HET

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"If it's true that 5000 cars wear out and leave the road every blessed day, how come it don't leave any more gasoline for the rest of us?"

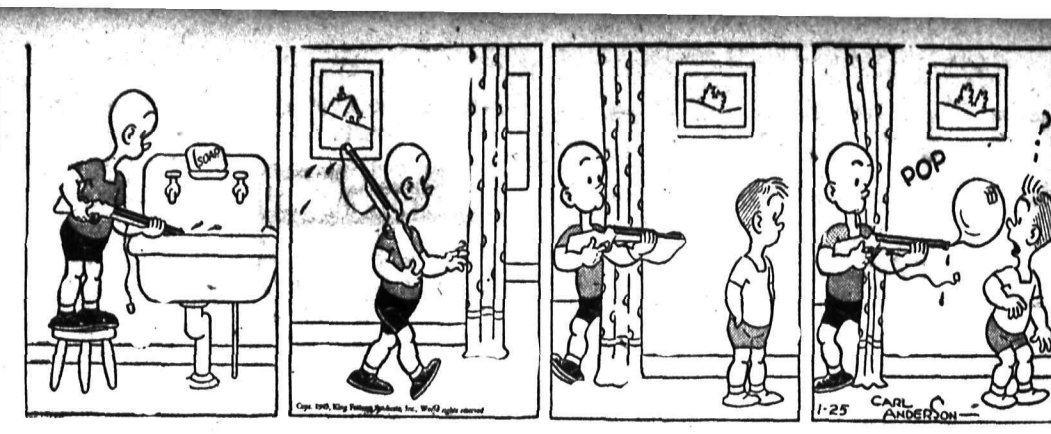
SALLY'S SALLIES

"Sorry, madam. The crystal gazer isn't here. He's gone to the palmist to have his hand read!"

One of the latest powerful Allied weapons to be launched against Germany is the six-ton "earthquake bomb". Its main advantages are its tremendous blast effect and the fact that it penetrates into the earth and does not explode until it is inside or under the target.

BURY, England (CP) — John McGurk, 70, one of the early chairmen of the Labor Party and for 15 years President of the Lancashire and Cheshire Miners' Federation, died. He began work as a child of 12 in the coal pits.

HENRY



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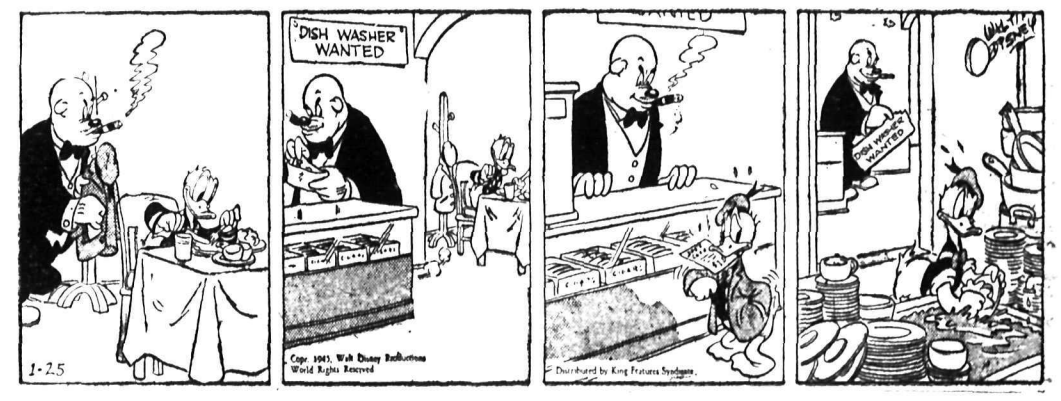
BRINGING UP FATHER

DONALD DUCK



BLONDIE

KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED

BUZ SAWYER

SECRET AGENT X9

CLASSIFIED

PHONE 144

BIRTHS

CAWLEY—To Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cawley at Vancouver General Hospital, Jan. 22, a son.

HELP WANTED

WANTED — WOMAN FOR HOUSEwork, 2 or 3 days a week, 2 to 2½ hours. Box 3440, Daily News

SITUATIONS WANTED

Special low rates for non-commercial advertisements under this classification to assist people seeking employment. Only 25c for one week (6 days) covers any number of required lines. Payable in advance Add 10c if box number is desired.

CAPABLE LADY WILL DO DRESSmaking alterations and childrens sewing. Excellent references. Mrs. William Waring, 120 High St.

BOY 15, WOULD LIKE STORE WORK or in a trade where advancement could be made. Box 3446, Daily News.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

IF YOU ARE A 1ST CLASS AUTO mechanic and specialize in truck work and have some money to invest here is your chance to buy an interest in a business with a definitely bright future in a very good Interior town. Write Box 3435, Daily News.

FOR SALE—STORE AND GAS STAtion. Price for property, fixtures, equipment, $4500.00. Terms to suit purchaser. Stock about $4000.00 cash, could be reduced if required Box 3419, Daily News.

PUBLIC NOTICES

"GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT"
(Section 28)

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CONSENT TO TRANSFER OF BEER LICENCE

NOTICE IS HEREBY given that on the 2nd day of February, 1945, the undersigned intend to apply to the Liquor Control Board for consent to transfer of Beer Licence No 6699, issued in respect to premises being part of a building known as "Queens Hotel", situate at 621 Baker Street, Nelson, British Columbia, upon lands described as Lot Eleven (11), Block Two (2), Nelson Land Registration District, from Hans Sigurd Matheson and Roy Albert Matheson to Joseph Beydak, formerly of Vancouver in the Province of British Columbia, and now of Nelson in the Province aforesaid and Mary Beydak, his wife of the same place.

DATED at Nelson, British Columbia, this 3rd day of January, A.D. 1945

J. BEYDAK,
MARY BEYDAK,
Applicants and Transferees

"GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT"
(Section 28)

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CONSENT TO TRANSFER OF BEER LICENCE.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 15th day of February, 1945 the undersigned intend to apply to the Liquor Control Board for consent to transfer of Beer Licence No. 6971, issued in respect to premises being part of a building known as "Ymir Hotel" situate at Ymir, British Columbia, upon lands described as Lot 7, Blk. 19 Map 640, Nelson Land Registration District, from James Buchanan Bremner to James Daniel Spiers and George Clerihew, both of Nelson, British Columbia, transferees.

DATED at Nelson, British Columbia, this 17th day of January, A.D. 1945.

JAMES DANIEL SPIERS,
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Applicants and Transferees

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STOP SUFFERING FROM FOLLOWing stomach Disorders: Acid Stomach, Indigestion, Heartburn, Coated Tongue, Bad Breath, Sick Headaches, etc. Use Elik's stomach powder No. 2, prepared by experienced Pharmacist. It must give immediate results or money back, $1.00, $2.00 Elik's Medicine Company, Dept. 42 Saskatoon, Sask.

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Leghorn Ckls $3 for 100; Heavy Ckls $8 for 100

SUPER CHICKS FROM FLOCKS HEADED BY R.O.P. MALES

Leghorns	16.00	32.00
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Order NOW—avoid disappointment and remember—

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Box N, Langley, Prairie, B. C.

ALL CHICKS SOLD FROM OUR FARM are R.O.P. sired. This is the highest grade of commercial chick obtainable in Canada. White Leghorns unsexed at $14.00 per 100; pullets (97%) $27.00 per 100. New Hampshire unsexed at $15.00 per 100. pullets (95%) $25.00 per 100. Heavy cockerels (any quantity) 8c each. Appleby Poultry Farm, Mission City, B.C.

BABY CHICKS, NEW HAMPSHIRE, approved and bloodtested stock, good utility stock $13.00 per 100. Sexed pullets $26.00 per 100. Sexed cockerels $6.00 per 100. Order well ahead. Gilley Ave. Hatchery, John Goodman, 1655 Gilley Ave., New Westminster, B.C.

CHICKS — CHICKS — CHICKS— Breeders of New Hampshire and White Plymouth Rock chicks. One grade only. The best we can produce Write for free copy of B.C University poultry cost survey. W W. Seymour, Duncan, B.C.

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Yesterday's Answer

ACROSS
1. Fuel
4. Sloths
7. Blackbird (Eur.)
9. Seize
12. Maxim
13. Anxious
14. Dinner
16. Tuber (So. Am.)
17. Compass point (abbr.)
18. Affected manners
21. Expression of distress
22. Makes sweet
24. Blemish
27. Poker stake
28. Like a crown (anat.)
32. Close to
33. Game on horseback
34. Perform
37. Rodent
39. Light wood
41. Musical composition
44. Cavalry sword
45. Per. to the sun
46. Woody perennials
47. Organ of sight
48. Firmament

DOWN
1. Fruit
2. Seaweed
3. Teeter
4. Grow old
5. Man's name
6. Edible starch (Malay)
7. Female horse
8. Paradise
10. A line that cuts another (geom.)
11. Laud
15. Bind
19. Music note
20. Remain
22. Cease
23. Type measure
24. Frightens
25. Tuber plant
26. Gold (Her.)
29. Negative reply
30. Linen vestment
31. Cooks, as over coals
34. Monastery ruled by an abbot
35. Pith
36. Digits
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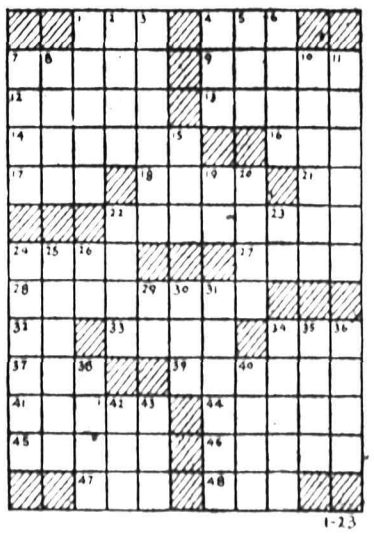
42. 24 hours
43. Before



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CRYPTOQUOTE—A cryptogram quotation

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Yesterday's Cryptoquote: GOD GIVES US LOVE SOMETHING TO LOVE HE LENDS US. TENNYSON

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HAVING SOLD MY HOME AT 905 Edgewood Ave. I am having a private sale of furniture. 1 Royal Oak Range, 1 Kootenay Range, 2 Congoleum rugs, 9 x 12, several tables, Winnipeg couch, 2 beds, several chairs, 1 couch, 1 chest of drawers, writing desk. Call after 12 noon. 905 Edgewood Ave.

FOR SALE — WARTIME CHESTERfield and 2 chairs, cook stove and sawdust burner, 7 tube De Forest Crossley battery radio, dresser and Cedar chest of drawers. Apply 1004 Kootenay Street.

ONE INSERTED TOOTH HENRY Disston saw, 52 inch, good condition. Snap $80.00. V. J. Koslancic, Crescent Valley.

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FOR SALE — LARGE INCUBATOR, complete, good shape, ready for use Coil oil heated. Box 56, Nelson B.C.

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FOR SALE—6 WELLMADE VENEER shipping boxes with handles. Size 16 x 22 x 40. Phine 1068-X.

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FOR SALE—PLAYER PIANO WITH rolls. Like new. $700. Office, Kerr Apts., Nelson.

UNPAINTED FURNITURE, CABINET sewing machine, The Ark Store.

NEW ELECTROLUX CLEANERS supplies. Fraser, McQuarrie Ave.

A BRUSH FOR EVERY PURPOSE. Fuller Brush Co. 336 Baker St.

RUBBER STAMPS FOR MARKING Fruit Boxes. Nelson Daily News.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST — FRIDAY, BULOVA WRIST watch on gold link bracelet. Reward Box 3402, Daily News.

FOUND SUNDAY A TAPE LINE Owner can have same by paying for ad.

WANTED, MISCELLANEOUS

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

RESPONSIBLE PARTY WILL STORE piano for use of same. Apply Box 3283, Daily News.

SHIP YOUR HIDES TO J. P. MORgan, Nelson, B.C

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TWO ROOMS FOR RENT. CLOSE TO town. Two blocks from Baker St. For one or two adults. Box 3299 Daily News.

WANTED TO RENT—3 OR 4 ROOMed house or suite. Apply Box 3431, Daily News.

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Beth Steel	67⅝
Canadian Pacific	11
Dupont	157½
Gen Electric	38
Gen Motors	63¼
International Nickel	29
Inter Tel & Tel	20
Kenn Copper	35¾
Stan Oil of N J	57⅛
US Rubber	52
US Steel	58¼

MONTREAL STOCKS

INDUSTRIALS	
Can Car & Fdy Pfd	28¾
Can Steamship	12⅛
Con Min & Smelting	50⅝
Dom Steel & Coal B	7⅞
H Smith Paper Pfd	110½
McColl Frontenac	9⅛
National Brew Ltd	40⅜
Quebec Power	15¾
Shawinigan W & P	17⅝
St Lawrence Corp	2⅞
BANKS	
Commerce	14½
Dominion	18¾
Imperial	19
Montreal	17⅛
Nova Scotia	29
Royal	15½
Toronto	30

VANCOUVER STOCKS

MINES	Bid	Ask
Bayonne	.11½	.12
Bralorne	15.80	16.00
Cariboo Gold	—	1.85
Golconda	.09	.10
BR Cons	.19¼	.20
Grull Wihksne	.15¼	.16
Hedley Mascot	.79	.80
Island Mountain	1.15	1.18
Koot Belle	.25	—
Pacific Nickel	.15	.18
Pend Oreille	1.25	1.40
Pioneer Gold	4.75	4.80
Premier Gold	1.41	1.44
Privateer	.42	.42½
Reeves MacD	.21	—
Reno Gold	.05	.05½
Sheep Creek	1.14	—
Silbak Premier	.80	.87
Whitewater	.03¼	.04
Minto	.08	.09
OILS		
Anaconda	.05¾	.07
Anglo Canadian	.75	.80
AP Consolidated	.13	.14
Cal & Edmonton	1.72	1.80
Commoil	.23	—
Commonwealth	.41	.44
Home	3.15	3.25
McD Segur Exp	.08	.09
Model	.16	.20
National Pete	—	.14
Okalta Com	.43	.50
Pacific Pete	.50	.55
Royal Canadian	.03½	.04
Royalite	19.50	—
Vanalta	.08½	—
Southwest Pete	.19	.25
INDUSTRIALS		
Capital Est	4.25	4.50
Coast Breweries	1.90	—
United Distill	4.00	—

Calgary Livestock

CALGARY, Jan. 24 (CP)—Tuesday's receipts: 1446 cattle, 53 calves, 1266 hogs, 337 sheep; today: 361 cattle, 128 hogs.

Hogs sold yesterday at $16.45 for A's at yards and plants. Sows $9.60 live weight at yards and plants.

Good to choice butcher steers 11.00-11.75; common to medium 9.00-10.75 Good to choice butcher heifers 10.00-11.00; common to medium 8.50-9.50.

Good cows 8.00-8.50; common to medium 6.50-7.50. Good bulls 6.75-7.50; common to medium 5.50-6.50 Good calves 10.00-10.50; common to medium 8.50-9.50.

Good stocker and feeder steers 9.00-10.00; common to medium 8.00-8.50. Good lambs 11.75-12.35.

Market Trends

LONDON, Jan. 24 (Reuters)—With a cessation of recent profit-taking movement, stock markets took on a steadier tone.

CHICAGO—Grain markets dropped sharply at the start but recovered quickly with the support of short covering and resting demand.

Wheat and corn lost as much as ⅝ cent in the first dealings, rye was off as much as ⅞ cent and oats were down a penny.

TORONTO—In a hesitating market prices drifted downward narrowly to net small index losses throughout. The Golds looked a little stronger in the afternoon and gains predominated in the medium-price and junior list. The Yellowknife issues finished around top prices for the day. Volume around 850,000 shares was under the recent average.

MONTREAL — Papers absorbed much of the trading up to the final hour and extended their current weakness.

WINNIPEG—United Kingdom buyers purchased a small lot of durum wheat, while United States buyers took a round lot of rye.

In domestic transactions shippers sold 150,000 bushels of low grade wheat to Eastern Canada.

WINNIPEG GRAIN

WINNIPEG, Jan. 24 (CP) — Grain quotations:

	Open	High	Low	Close
RYE:				
May	116⅝	118⅛	116⅛	117⅝
Oct.	105⅝	105¾	104⅞	105⅛
OATS:				
May	51⅛	—	—	—
July	51⅛	—	—	—
Oct.	50⅛	—	—	—

CASH PRICES:

Oats: 1 feed 50⅛; 2 feed 49; 3 feed 47; other grades 51⅛.

Barley: All grades at 64¾.

Screenings 11.50 per ton

DOW JONES AVERAGES

30 ind.	151.38	off .01
20 rails	47.18	up .09
15 utils.	26.33	up .18

LONDON (CP) — Sadn.-Ldr. Count Manfred Czernin, D.F.C., born in Berlin, has been awarded the Military Cross. He is 31 and a relative by marriage of Dr. Kurt Schuschnigg, former Austrian Chancellor. He is a naturalized Briton.

Hockey's Big Seven

BY THE CANADIAN PRESS

Bill Cowley, Boston, added two assists to his total as Detroit Red Wings defeated Bruins last night 5-4. Cowley moved into third place, one point behind Maurice Richard and Elmer Lach of the idle Montreal Canadiens and one ahead of Habitants' Toe Blake.

Leaders:	G	A	P
Richard, Canadiens	33	16	49
Lach, Canadiens	14	35	49
Cowley, Boston	18	30	48
Blake, Canadiens	20	27	47
Howe, Detroit	14	29	43
Bruneteau Detroit	20	18	38
DeMarco, Rangers	15	20	35

TORONTO STOCKS

MINES	
Anglo-Huronian	8.40
Base Metals Mining	.13½
Beattie Gold Mines	1.70
Bidgood Kirkland	.41
Buffalo Ankerite	5.60
Castle-Trethewey	1.15
Central Patricia	2.20
Chromium M & S	1.40
Coniarum Mines	1.60
Consolidated M & S	50.50
Dome Mines	1.25
East Malartic	2.72
Falconbridge Nickel	4.60
Hard Rock Gold	.75½
Hollinger	11.85
Hudson Bay M & S	30.50
Internat Nickel	31.65
Kerr-Addison	12.00
Kirkland Lake	1.07
Lake Shore Mines	20.00
Lamaque Contac	6.80
Leitch Gold	1.35
Little Long Lac	1.40
Madsen Red Lake	2.22
Malartic Gold	3.65
McIntyre-Porcupine	64.00
McKenzie Red Lake	1.52
Mining Corp	2.27
Nipissing Mining	2.50
Noranda	51.00
Normetal	.67
Omega Gold	.48
Pamour Porcupine	1.25
Perron Gold	1.19
Pickle Crow Gold	2.75
Powell Rouyn Gold	1.10
Preston East Dome	2.80
San Antonio Gold	4.50
Sherritt Gordon	.70
Siscoe Gold	.70
Sladen Malartic	.58
Sullivan Cons	1.55
Sylvanite	2.65
Teck-Hughes Gold	3.75
Toburn Gold Mines	.93
Ventures	14.75
Waite Amulet	4.75
Wright Hargreaves	4.10
Aunor	4.05
Aumaque	.80
Cochenour	3.40
Chesterville	2.28
Golden Gate	.13
Giant Y K	9.75
Steep Rock	2.87
Trans Cont Res	1.94
OILS	
Chemical Research	.25
Imperial	13.65
Inter Petroleum	22.00
Texas Canadian	1.30
Vermilata	.17
INDUSTRIALS	
Bell Telephone	163
Brewers & Distillers	8½
BC Power "A"	20
Building Products	18¼
Can Car & Foundry	11⅞
Can Malting	50
Can Pac Rly	12⅛
Can Ind Alcohol "A"	6¼
Dominion Bridge	29½
Distillers Seagrams	42¼
Ford of Canada "A"	25
Goodyear Tire	92
Hamilton Bridge	6½
Imperial Tobacco	12½
Montreal Power	21¾
Nat Steel Car	18⅜
Steel of Can	70

Blairmore Defeats Michel in Hockey Match

NATAL, B.C. — Natal-Michel witnessed the first outside hockey game at the Michel rink on Sunday, when the Blairmore Altar-Boys Juvenile hockey team, coached by Rev. Dean Harrington of Blairmore, defeated the Michel Maple Leafs, a juvenile team coached by Frank McVeigh of Michel by a 5-2 score. The visitors, who were both bigger and heavier than the Michel team, took a two goal lead in the first period while the second period ended 2-1 for the visitors. In the third and last period Blairmore outscored the locals three goals to one to win the game. T. Catonio was the star of the game as he scored four of the visitors goal with Lenchucka getting credit for the fifth goal. Mitchell on a pass from McVeigh and McVeigh on a pass from Mitchell scored the two Michel goals. The game was fast and clean throughout with only three penalties being handed out all in the last period, two going to Blairmore and the other to the Michel team.

The game was refereed by Semensin of Blairmore and Bonin of Michel.

The lineups:

Michel Maple Leafs: I Mitchell, Wasnock, Boulstridge, F. Mitchell, McVeigh, McFegan, Lowe, Harrison, Fontana.

Blairmore C.C.: F. Catonio, Lenchucka, Yanota, Biafore, Kubik, T. Catonio, Zubersky, Pabin, Fumagalli, Galvon, Otteson.

N.H.L. Leaders

BY THE CANADIAN PRESS

Standing—Montreal, won 24, lost 5, tied 2, points 50.

Points—Richard, Montreal, 33 goals 16 assists; Lach Montreal, 14 goals, 35 assists, 49 points.

Goals—Richard, Montreal 33.

Assists—Lach, Montreal, 35.

Penalties — Egan, Boston, 50 minutes.

Shutouts — McCool, Toronto, and Karakas, Chicago, 2.

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Famous Players Have Payroll of $6,000,000; $10,000,000 Taxes

Famous Players Canadian Corporation Ltd., are this week celebrating their 25th Anniversary. This organization of which the Civic and Capitol Theatres of Nelson are a part was formed in 1920 by N. L. Nathanson of Toronto and his associates including J. P. Bicknell of Toronto, when they obtained the Famous Players Lasky Franchise of Canada which later became known as Famous Players Canadian Corporation Limited.

At the time of its organization the company acquired 18 theatres throughout Ontario and British Columbia and in the last 25 years it has grown to a chain of 311 theatres extending from coast to coast.

Today Famous Players provides an annual payroll for Canadians of $6,000,000 and paid taxes last year in all forms of more than $10,000,000. Famous Players and associated theatres provide entertainment for more than 2,000,000 Canadians every week.

Famous Players first entered the theatre field in Nelson in 1928 when they bought out J. P. Pitner who was at that time operating the Gem Theatre on Baker Street at the site now occupied by the National Selective Service Office.

Plans were immediately made for a new theatre and the Capitol was built in the Green Block on Ward Street with Mr. Pitner as manager. Mr. Pitner remained in Nelson for a number of years before he was transferred to New Westminster to manage the theatre there. He remained in this position until his death three years ago.

Hugh Wallace succeeded Mr. Pitner and managed the Capitol until his death when Charles Doctor took over the position. After a time at the Capitol Mr. Doctor was promoted to the Dominion Theatre in Vancouver. Claude Smith was then Manager for a short period of six months when he was transferred to Chilliwack and was succeeded by Col. S. P. McMordie.

In 1938 Famous Players added the Civic Theatre to their chain and operated both the Civic and Capitol Theatre for a time. Cecil J. Hughes remained with the Civic as Manager and Col. McMordie remained at the Capitol until it was closed owing to war conditions.

It is a far cry from the old Gem Theatre of 1928 to the Civic Theatre of today. In 1944 the Civic Theatre played to an audience of over 200,000 people.

The moving picture industry is playing an important role in the Allied Nations war efort. As of December 1944, more than 24,356 entertainment programs have been shown to troops in every theatre of war.

Quentin Reynolds, war correspondent, had this to say about battlefront movies in a recent article:

"Two days after the Dieppe raid, a group of Commandos who returned (a lot of them didn't) were given a leave. Lieutenant Douglas Fairbanks and Major Lock Lawrence (both of Mountbatten's staff), arranged for them to see "Holiday Inn." I went with them. These men had taken a real physical and mental beating. They were still a little punch drunk from those nine horrible hours we spent at Dieppe. An hour and three quarters with Bing Crosby and Fred Astaire made new men out of them. They came out laughing, humming the Irving Berlin songs, relaxed, forgetting the blood and horror of the raid."

Contends Gov't Should Get Share of Forest Revenue

VANCOUVER, Jan. 24 (CP) — No matter what methods are employed the Government should get its share of the revenue produced by the forests, G. F. Drummond, Department of Economics, U.B.C., contended under examination before Chief Justice Sloan at the Forest Inquiry today.

"No matter how you take it you ought to take it," Professor Drummond told W. H. Davey, Commission counsel. Drummond defended the suggestion embodied in his brief on taxation of forest resources that a tax on net income was fair and practicable.

Mr. Davey, while admitting himself as impressed with the argument in Prof. Drummond's brief that the Government is the logical body to handle reforestation didn't see eye to eye with the Professor in the matter of using taxation to enforce the return of crown lands to the Government.

Curling in Full Swing, Invermere

INVERMERE, B.C.—Curling at the Windermere District Curling rink in Invermere is now in full swing with ten rinks made up. Interest is keen and everything points to a successful season with an increased membership.

C. E. Osterloh, Invermere, is President of the district club, J. Peters, Athalmer, Vice-President and E. E. Tunnacliffe, Invermere, Secretary-Treasurer.

Skips are J. Peters, W. Lockhart, W. H. Cleland, Dr. A. J. Tripp, J. Scott, F. Jones, H. Tyler, T. S. Foyston, J. Pietrosky and W. Nixon.

Three sheets of ice are now in use.

Union Slaps Pro-Strike Envoy

VANCOUVER, Jan. 24 (CP) — The Vancouver Labor Council (C.C.L.) last night passed a resolution requesting the United Steel Workers of America to replace their delegate to the Council because the delegate, Arthur Turner, advocated strike action.

Peru plans to build a plant to produce its own penicillin.

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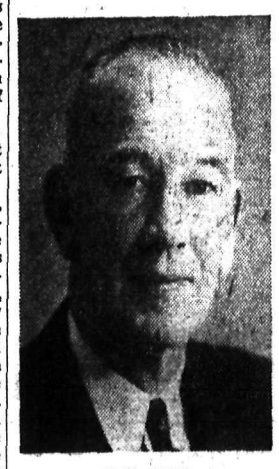

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