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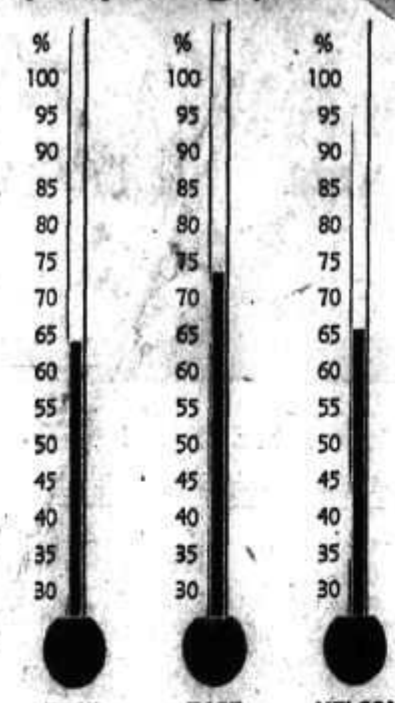

RUSS 40 MILES BEYOND PEREKOP

Dash for Dnieper Port of Kherson in Extending Trap

By JUDSON O'QUINN
Associated Press Staff Writer

LONDON, Nov. 2 (AP)—Red Army troops fighting to collapse the German Southern flank have raced 40 miles past recently captured Perekop, the Northwestern gateway to the sealed-off Crimea, and seized the important Dnieper River Crossing town of Kakhovka, Moscow announced tonight.

The advance across the marshy Nogaisk Steppe placed Russian troops within 30 miles of the Dnieper mouth port of Kherson, while the capture of Cornostiayevka, 18 miles Northeast of Kakhovka, brought death to several thousand Germans who were killed by gunfire or forced back and drowned in the Dnieper River, said the midnight communique.

Nazi groups isolated North of the Sivash Sea by the spectacular Russian victories that had trapped other thousands of Nazis in the Crimea were pressed back to sea and "completely liquidated,' the war bulletin said.

Bearing North toward Kherson and Nikolaev, the Red spearhead, which is aimed at cutting the Nazis off behind the Dnieper bend, took Kalanchak, 20 miles Northwest of Perekop, and Bolshaya Mayachki, 30 miles East of Kherson.

Capture of the Black Sea town of Skadovsk, 40 miles West of Perekop and the same distance Southeast of Kherson, gave the Russians control of a large section of the North coast of Karkinit Bay, which separates the Northwest coast of the Crimea from the mainland.

This advance reduced still further German chances of cutting an escape corridor through for their trapped troops in the Crimea.

CONTINUOUS RAIDS

Picturing the German defeat in the area as a rout, the communique said the battered German forces were being blasted night and day by the Soviet Air Force.

The comunique said "large numbers" of Germans were taken prisoner.

Renewal of fighting in Northern White Russia also was reported. An unspecified height Southwest of Vitebsk was captured in that area by the Russians, the war bulletin said.

By capturing Kakhovka, which lies in mud flats on the East bank of the Dnieper, the Red Army placed itself across the river from the town of Berislav. From Berislav, roads radiate in many directions through the Dnieper bend area.

The Germans' harrassed Dnieper bend armies thus were faced with assault from the East and South as well as from the Northwest, the North, and the Northeast.

The Soviet column closest to Kherson, captured the steppe town of Bolshaya Mayachki, 30 miles East of the big Dnieper port. This Russian force and also that in Kakhovka, were entrenched only 70 miles East of Nikolaev, Bug River port of 170,000 peacetime population which until only recently was reported used as the German Army's main Southern front headquarters.

The Moscow daily communique, which reported the fall of 70 other towns and villages East of the lower Dnieper, failed to mention the Crimea, which was sealed off at its two Northern entrances in a week of spectacular Soviet drives.

The German High Command, however, in its Tuesday communique, reported a Red Army landing on the Kerch neck of the Crimea jutting Eastward toward the Caucasus. Forces of "considerable" size attacked both North and South of the town of Kerch, Berlin said.

Moscow dispatches indicated the Red Army was expected to drive down into the Crimea, with the rail junction of Krhankoi as its immediate objective, although it was possible the Soviet Command might merely elect to pin down the German Crimean armies for the time being.

Russian dispatches continued to picture the Nazi retreat across the Nogaisk steppe as a rout. The Germans were said to be abandoning small arms as well as all heavy equipment in their flight.

In addition to Kakhovka and Bolshaya Mayachki, the Moscow communique announced the capture of the small Black Sea town of Shadovsk, 40 miles Southeast of Kherson and the same distance West of Perekop at the Northeastern entrance to the Crimea.

The Russians continued their sweep through the Dnieper bend Southwest of Dnepropetrovsk, capturing several towns and villages, and in the Krivoi Rog area beat back German counter-attacks.

Other sectors of the front were reported quiet, with only reconnaissance and artillery duels.

Kherson and Nikolaev were being approached from both the North and the East. The fall of Kherson, a rail junction linking the Crimea with Nikolaev and other Dnieper bend cities, would isolate a large peninsula of the Nogaisk steppe jutting out into the Black Sea, and would trap, except for possible sea or air escape, any German forces left there.

MINE DELEGATES AWAIT SECOND OTTAWA MEETING

First Conference "Reviewed Western Situation"

OUTLINE GIVEN

OTTAWA, Nov. 2 (CP)—Representatives of District 18 of the United Mine Workers of America tonight awaited a second conference with Labor Minister Mitchell, but there was no indication that they are on the road to settlement of the strike of 8500 Western coal miners.

The two-day-old strike, which has halved Canadian coal production, was understood to have been a topic at today's Cabinet meeting, with Labor Minister Mitchell outlining the discussions that took place earlier at a two-hour meeting between the Minister and Union representatives.

The Labor Department in a statement issued tonight reviewing the background of the strike said that at today's meeting "the situation in regard to Western miners was reviewed and a further conference will be held tomorrow morning."

While Robert Livette, U.M.W.A. district President, said before the conference that the delegation had come to Ottawa without any proposal to place before the Government, it was learned on good authority the Union representatives showed a desire to negotiate with the Government for increased rates.

The Government's attitude, it was understood, was that the National War Labor Board was the one body with legal authority to make wage adjustments in the mines and, in any event, the Government would not enter into negotiations while the workers stayed out of the mines.

The strikers ask for an increase of $2 a day, two weeks' vacation with pay and payment of time and one-half for overtime.

Reports that the Union delegation had come to Ottawa with the idea of conducting actual bargaining negotiations were accepted in some quarters as an indication the two parties at today's meeting were at definite cross-purposes.

Mr. Mitchell sponsored the meeting, through a telegram sent Saturday suggesting that the executive come to Ottawa in view of the "extreme urgency" of the coal supply situation and in the "national interest."

It was assumed from this that he was basing his discussions primarily on impressing the Union delegates with the importance of maintaining coal production.

The departmental statement, in a general outline of the conditions surrounding the strike, said:

"On the one hand the operators of the coal mines take the position that they have an existing contract which was entered into with the employees through the bargaining agency of the United Mine Workers of America for the duration of the war, and on the other hand the miners claim that for various reasons they should have a substantial increase in pay for the men paid by the day, that they should be paid time and half rates for all work on the sixth day and in addition two weeks holiday with pay per year.

"Despite the fact there was an existing contract entered into for the duration of the war, the National War Labor Board has, at various times, considered representations from the mine workers and has granted adjustments of rates of pay in a number of cases improved conditions in respect to overtime pay."

The Department said the most recent instance of increases was in September last when an endeavor was mad "to equalize the rates for all the Western mines."

"All mines in Alberta and British Columbia have had an increase granted to the men by the National War Labor Board except those in the Crow's Nest Pass field where workers already enjoyed the highest rates in the territory," the statement continued.

Rates paid men working on a daily basis, supplemented by a cost-of-living bonus of $4.25 for a full week's work, were detailed by the Department with the amount of recent increases.

The rates, with total increases shown in brackets, were:

Alberta—Edmonton fields $6.87 ($1.16); Drumheller and East Coulee Fields $5.57 (.06); Coal Branch Fields, $5.87 (.27); Lethbridge $6.57 (.06); Caribou Field, $6.57 ($1.37); Crow's Nest Pass $5.78 (nil); Saunders $5.78 (.48); Princeton Field $5.78 ($1.18).

One-third of the men are on a contract or piece work basis and their rates, supplemented by a cost-of-living bonus of 71 cents a day, was reported:

Edmonton $7.22 (including 12½ per cent award); Drumheller, $8.12; Lethbridge $7.42; Crow's Nest Pass and Mountain District $7.61.

SOUTHWEST PACIFIC ACTION: Bougainville is the latest Southwest Pacific island to flash into the invasion picture. Allied troops have carried out a series of island attacks preceded by terrific bombing assaults as they tighten a circle around the great Jap air base of Rabaul. The arrows show where air blows have been heavy. Allies are extending their control beyond the dotted line.

Coal Deliveries Restricted to One Ton to Customer

OTTAWA, Nov. 2 (P)—The munitions Department announced tonight that as an "emergency" measure created by the western coal strike deliveries of coal to householders now are restricted to not more than one ton to a customer, with no one permitted to buy coal for his home if he has enough to last 15 days or more.

The new order, issued by Coal Controller E. J. Brunning, rescinds a previous order under which householders were asked to purchase highly volatile bituminous coal for one quarter of their requirements.

Under the new order, a coal dealer may not deliver coal except to the following:

1. Another coal dealer for resale.
2. A rail carrier for his own use.
3. An industrial plant for its own use.
4. Ships' bunker.
5. To a private residence for consumption therein, but only if the quantity of coal on hand is less than 15 days' supply, in which case not more than one ton may be delivered.
6. Any building other than an industrial plant or private residence, but only if the coal on hand in the building is less than 15 days' supply, in which case not more than 15 days' supply may be delivered.
7. Any person holding a special permit from the coal controller. The order also said that every coal dealer may deliver, and every person must accept for consumption, any type of coal which the dealer has available, providing it is suitable for the customers' heating equipment.

A munitions Department official said that householders who have had coal on order for a long time and undelivered yet will not be able to get more than 15 days' supply, regardless of their standing order. He added that the order restricting deliveries to not more than one ton to a consumer might help out those who have been unable to get any coal from their dealer so far.

Emergency State Decreed in Berlin, Other Cities

LONDON, Nov. 2 (AP)—Reuters News Agency, quoting the Malmoe correspondent of the Stockholm Svenska Dagbladet, said tonight that a state of emergency had ben decreed in Berlin and 40 other German cities.

The report was confirmed by travellers, arriving from Germany by way of Denmark, it was said. Among the cities reported affected was Flensburg, on the German-Danish border.

Moscow Accord Foreshadows New Air Blows

By ROBERT N. STURDEVANT
Associated Press Staff Writer

LONDON, Nov. 2 (AP) — The operation of American heavy bombers from Russia—this laying Hitler's European fortress wide open to precision aerial assault from the West, South and East—might result from the Moscow tripartite declaration for closer coordination of American-Anglo-Russian war strategy.

Whether such a decision actually was taken, and it necessarily would have to be th result of a Russian invitation, will be known only when and if bombs start falling on Hitler's "Eastern Ruhr."

But already the Germans either are anticipating it or are seeking information.

Spanish correspondents in Berlin have sent word to Madrid that it is rumored Russian front air bases will be available for the American Air Force and that the Germans are worried about additional air attacks from a new direction.

It would be entirely possible for the Americans to operate from Russia providing the Russians were willing that planes, men and supplies be moved in.

But it is more likely that with the Russian armies racing Westward at an unprecedented pace the Germans soon will have to face heavy bombardment from an increasingly strong Red Air Force.

Moving Men Refuse to Evict Family

BURNABY, B. C., Nov. 2 (CP)—Plans of a sheriff to move a family from a home proved unsuccessful today when two of the four-man moving crew refused to touch the furniture after arriving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Russell. The sheriff said he could not go through with the eviction today but would return eventually and complete the job.

NEW U.S. AIR FORCE HITS GERMAN PLANT

New Force, R.A.F. in Mediterranean Plan Wide Assaults

SPAATZ LEADER

By NOLAND NORGAARD
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ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN ALGIERS, Nov. 2 (AP) — Creation of a new United States 15th Army Air Force, teamed with the veteran 12th, under Lt.-Gen. Carl A. Spaatz was announced tonight a few hours after its heavy bombers had battered the Messerschmitt assembly plant at Weiner Neustadt. The new force will work with the R.A.F. and French units.

Aimed to "increase greatly air power in this theatre," the 15th Air Force "will concentrate on long-range, strategic bombing against Germany and military targets in occupied and satellite countries," the announcement from Allied Headquarters said.

A large number of heavy bombers plastered the Wiener Neustadt aircraft factory, 27 miles South of Vienna, for the third time in an attack which returning pilots described as highly successful.

Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, Allied Commander-in-Chief, of the Mediterranean, in announcing the appointment of Spaatz, said the 53-year-old Pennsylvanian would head all American Air Forces in the Mediterranean war zone.

Both the 12th and the 15th Air Forces, Eisenhower's statement said, "will operate in teamwork with the R.A.F. and French units under an over-all Allied command."

Air Chief Marshal Sir Arthur Tedder of the R.A.F. continues as Allied Commander in Chief of air operations in the Mediterranean area.

Russians Express Satisfaction With Decisions

MOSCOW, Nov. 2 (AP)—Important decisions pointing toward opening of a so-called "second front" in Europe by Britain and the United States were made at the three-power conference just concluded, the Government newspaper Investia indicated today.

In the first official Soviet reaction to the military decisions reached at the talks, Investia made it clear that the Russians, who had been stressing the importance of a "second front" against Germany, were satisfied with these decisions.

"The unanimous recognition of the necessity to adopt measures now to bring Germany to her knees by blows from the East and West will accelerate the hour of her final defeat," said Investia.

JAP WARSHIPS FLEE AFTER PACIFIC SCRAP

Cruiser, Destroyer Force Intercepted Near Bougainville

FEW DETAILS

By C. YATES McDANIEL
Associated Press Staff Writer

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN SOUTHWEST PACIFIC, Nov. 3 (Wednesday) — (AP) — Allied headquarters said today that Japanese and United States warships had clashed in a battle which may have an imoprtant effect on the ability of United States Marines to control their new invasion positions on the West-Central coast of Bougainville in the Northern Solomons.

Headquarters awaited complete reports, saying preliminary advices from Admiral William F. Halsey were that Japanese cruisers and destroyers were intercepted in the Solomons Sea and were forced to withdraw after clashing Monday night and early Tuesday.

The time of the action was after the Marine landings at dawn Monday which resulted in the capture of Empress Augusta Bay, bypassing enemy garrisons on Southern Bougainville and establishing the Allies on the last enemy island barring the approaches to Rabaul.

SINK BIG TRANSPORTS

Official silence cloaked progress of the invaders but headquarters pieced together a picture of the coordinated naval and air blows which sank two big Japanese transports, tore up enemy airfields and burned on the ground planes which might have interfered with the operation.

Today's communique was brief concerning the naval action, saying only the Japanese ships were intercepted on a sortie "down the West coast of Bougainville" by Allied warships covering the invasion force.

Later Japanese planes attacked the American vessels, inflicting minor damage.

South of Bougainville, New Zealand and American units which landed on the two islands in the Treasury group have driven the Japanese into the jungles after cutting across the larger island of Mono from the South to the Northeast coast.

On Choiseul to the Southeast, American troops have advanced four miles from their original landing point near the village of Voza on the Southeast coast.

Sunday night another naval force bombarded and silenced Japanese shore batteries in the Shortland Islands South of Bougainville.

Naval bombardment of Empress Augusta Bay also preceded the invasion.

Beginning the previous Saturday, the Army 13th Air Force and United States Navy planes made at least six heavy attacks on enemy bases on Bougainville Island, off Kieta, medium bombers destroyed three small cargo vessels and damaged a fourth.

The Kahili and Kara airdromes near Buin were hit hard by heavy, medium and dive bombers while fighters twice strafed enemy shipping at Tonelei harbor, sinking a small cargo ship and destroying or damaging seven barges.

Ranging Northwest of Australia, heavy bombers during Monday night and early Tuesday made their sixth attack on Pomelaa, enemy-held nickel mining centre in Dutch Celebes.

Headquarters also announced today that off Kavieng, New Ireland, reconnaissance planes had sunk an 8000-ton Japanese transport and damaged a smaller ship.

Denounces Beating of Jewish Boys

BOSTON, Nov. 2 (AP)—Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam of the Boston area of the Methodist Church today denounced the alleged beating of Jewish boys as an apparent expression of incipient Fascism, and, in a prepared statement, demanded, "who is flooding the nation with anti-Semitic literature, and why?"

Declaring that "the beating of Jewish boys is not the work of hoodlums," Bishop Oxnam expressed hope that Jews, Catholics and Protestants could unite "in demanding that these beatings stop and that steps be taken to discover and destroy the dangerous forces that lie back of them."

U.S. LIGHT CRUISER DAMAGED AT SALERNO

WASHINGTON, Nov 2 (AP)—Hit by a German bomb off Salerno, the United States light cruiser Savannah was damaged and some members of her crew were killed and wounded, the Navy said today. The ship carried on in support of the landing troops and continued to operate effectively, the Navy reported.

BILLION MARK IN SIGHT IN LOAN DRIVE

Expect $980,000,000 Total Today; Sales Monday $72,500,000

SERVICES CLIMB

OTTAWA, Nov. 2 (CP)—National Headquarters for Canada's Fifth Victory Loan announced tonight that individual subscriptions to date total 1,467,561 against ...1,178,844 at the same stage of the last Loan.

Loan officals estimated the cumulative total would reach approximately $960,000,000 tomorrow when overnight wires are totalled. The total now stands at $917,982,400.

Subscriptions for Monday were announced as $72,521,400, placing the average for the first 13 canvassing days at $70,569,415 against the figure of $66,666,000 required daily to meet the minimum $1,200,000,000 objective within the 16-day campaign.

Officials announced that the Navy, Army and Air Force had reached a combined total of $27,316,000, $524,350 more than during the whole of the last Loan.

Municipalities from Coast to Coast have supported the Loan. Indicative of these investments were:

British Columbia: City of Victoria $51,100; Province of British Columbia $3,250,000; B.C. Teachers' Pension Fund, $375,000; P.G.E. Railway Employees' Superannuation Fund, $850,000; B.C. Municipal Employees $125,000; City of Prince Rupert, $30,000; Emonds Municipal Hall, $50,000.

Far from complete, the latest Navy total available is $3,680,300, against a quota of $3,500,000.

Army Loan officials announced today the 1st Canadian Division at the battlefront in Italy contributed an average of better than $100,000 during each of the first four days of the Loan. Their announced total to date is $410,000, bringing all overseas subscriptions to $1,633,500.

The Army's grand total is $12,269,200, 23 per cent over the $10,000,000 quota, and it is out to raise at least $16,000,000.

The R.C.A.F.'s $11,563,500 for 13 days is 144.5 per cent of the original objective of $8,000,000 and $2,098,750 greater than the amount it raised in the last Loan.

Command standings are indicated by bracketted percentages of quotas achieved:

Among cities approaching the 100 per cent mark, Vancouver now has 76 per cent, compared with 70 per cent in last night's Headquarters statement. Other city standings include Moose Jaw, Sask., 73.1; Edmonton 70.3; Saskatoon 63.3; Calgary, 60; Regina, 56.7; Victoria, 54.9; Medicine Hat, Alta., 73.3, with 93 per cent of total objective.

MAKE FABRIC SHOES FOR U.S. CHILDREN

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2 (AP)—To relieve a shortage of shoes for small children in the United States a new supply of non-leather types will be made available ration-free about the first of the year. The shoes will have canvas uppers. The soles will be principally of heavy woven fabric, reinforced with vulcanized rubber.

5th Army Captures Important Positions in Italy

By EDWARD KENNEDY
Associated Press War Correspondent

ALGIERS, Nov. 2 (AP) — Launching a heavy attack on the core of the German defence line across Italy, the Anglo-American 5th Army has captured "important positions" on Massico Ridge and Matese Mountain in the face of fierce enemy resistance, the Allied Command announced today, and a spokesman described the Nazi wall before Rome as "severely shaken."

British units of Lt.-Gen. Mark Clark's army advanced four miles in the Mediterranean coastal area to seize the town of Casanova, high on the steep slopes of Massico ridge. Some 40 miles inland, Americans fighting forward through rugged, rain soaked terrain, won a good part of Matese, the peak that dominates the upper Volturno Valley.

Terrain and bad weather made the going equally tough on the 8th Army's portion of the front. Gen. Sir Bernard Montgomery's troops were reported maintaining steady pressure on the enemy and carving out small gains here and there as they rooted enemy mortar and machine gun crews from one ridge after another.

So rough is the country in the Isernia area in which the Canadian troops form the left wing of the 8th Army's front, that both the Allies and Germans were reported using horses and mules extensively to haul up supplies. Even soldiers were pressed into service to lug ammunition up the rocky crags.

Reports from the front did not indicate exactly how much of Matese Mountain, which sprawls over an extensive area, had been occupied by the Allies, but they said a good part of the whole ridge and some of its highest points were cleared of Germans.

Although it was emphasized the Nazis were defending their mountain stronghold savagely and had not yet begun a general retreat to their next natural barrier, the Garigliano River, there were reports that they were laying extensive mine fields and booby traps in the intervening area.

The BBC, quoting a correspondent with the 8th Army, reported the Nazis had flooded the coastal areas between Massico Ridge and the Garigliano River.

In their push to Casanova, British troops also took the villages of Santa Croce and Carinola, wiping out many strong pockets of enemy resistance.

American troops who fought their way up the sides of Mount Matese gained positions dominating an additional section of the upper Volturno Valley and brought Venafro, inland hinge of the German line, within artillery range. Between Massico and Matese, British units of the 8th Army spread out North and Northwest from Teano to capture important heights.

Although two broad highways to Rome now stretch before Gen. Clark's forces, practically every mile of them is commanded by high hills on each side, and in the words of a military spokesman: "Any man would be a fool to try to go up roads like that before he cleared the enemy off the hills."

The Allied Air Force maintained its offensive against the enemy's communications. American heavy bombers attacked the naval base of La Spezia on Italy's West coast about 80 miles Southeast of Genoa, and a bridge at Veglio Ligure, near Spezia. Lighter bombers had raided rail and shipping targets at Rimini and Ancona on the Adriatic side, while fighters and fighter bombers attacked enemy motor transport, road junctions and bridges.

Canadian Fliers Take Toll of Hun Locomotives

LONDON, Nov. 2 (CP)—R.A.F. and R.C.A.F. Mustangs and Typhoons continued their round-the-clock offensive sweeps over France and Holland today, destroying three enemy aircraft and damaging a number of locomotives, a communique said.

Other Typhoons and fighters attacked two enemy merchant ships off the Brest Peninsula in France this afternoon to score hits on both vessels and set them afire.

R.C.A.F. Mustangs were credited with shooting down an FW-190. None of the Canadian planes is missing.

One group of Typhoons penetrated the Paris area, fired on German troops training in a field, shot up several trains, attacked a tug and four barges on a river, outraced German fighters after their ammunition ran out—and returned home in time for lunch.

An Air Ministry communique said one fighter was missing.

A few German planes penetrated the outer London District in a brief raid tonight and dropped a bomb on a golf course, causing no casualties. In the Thames Estuary, however, at least one person was killed and several were injured.

One enemy plane was destroyed.

Two Edmonton airmen, Fo.'s Robbert Browne and Gordon Wonnacott shared in the destruction of the enemy fighter over Cambrai, near Brussels, and also damaged four locomotives and freight trains.

Two other Mustang pilots damaged 10 locomotives in sweeps against German transport in France.

Order Union Chief to Appear Before Council

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 2 (AP) — Tom Ray, who has resisted an order of the A.F.L. International Boilermakers Union to get out as Chief of the powerful Portland Local, was ordered today to appear before the International's executive council at Kansas City next Tuesday.

Ray, business agent and Secretary of the 45,000-member local, said he would accede to the order by J. A. Franklin, International President, whose ouster order several weeks ago he refused to obey.

Franklin telegraphed that "a hearing will be held relative to removing you from all offices heretofore held by you in Lodge 72 and depriving you of your membership in this organization."

Republicans Predict New Deal's Doom as Party Leads in Elections

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2 (AP)—Republican leaders tonight predicted the doom of the New Deal in 1944 as party candidates captured the Lieutenant Governorship of New York and led in all other major contests of today's voting in scattered elections across the United States except the Kentucky race for the Governorship.

In Kentucky, where the Democrats had counted on a big margin, J. Lyter Donaldson, their nominee for Governor, held a small lead over Republican Simeon Willis.

Harrison Spangler, Republican National Chairman, asserted in a statement:

"State after state has now rebuffed the New Deal—next November, these same voters will turn to a Republican President and a Republican Congress."

Lt.-Gen. William N. Haskell, the Democratic candidate for Lieutenant Governor of New York, conceded the election of Republican Joe R. Hanley, a State Senator.

Former Ambassador William C. Bullitt, Democratic candidate for whom President Roosevelt spoke a good word in the campaign, apparently had lost the mayoralty of Philadelphia to Bernard Samuel, Republic incumbent.

Former Senator Walter Edge had piled up a big margin over Democrat Vincent J. Murphy, in the race for Governor of New Jersey.

Late returns from these contests showed:

New York: 8723 of 8087 districts, Hanley, 1,790,570; Haskell 1,471,742.

Kentucky: 1818 of 4293 precincts Donaldson 109,660; Willis 103,868.

New Jersey: 2054 of 3647 districts, Edge 354,766; Murphy 267,372.

Philadelphia: 835 of 1336 precincts, Samuel 223,994; Bullitt 184,197.

City Employees' Bonds Now Total Over $5000

City of Nelson employees on Tuesday had bought Victory Bonds to the value of over $5000 in their renewed campaign to reach an objective of $11,350.

The office group is leading with 90 per cent of its quota, followed by the Public Works Department with 80 per cent. All other departments are reported to have their campaign in full swing.

MORALE OF NAZIS ON RUSS FRONT SLIPPING

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2 (AP) — The morale of German soldiers on the Russian front is reported to be worsening steadily, and some authorities here see a possibility of an enemy crack-up in the not too distant future.

This weakening of the will to fight may be speeded by the military results of the Moscow three- power conference, which saw the establishment of an American military commission in Moscow, replacing the old system of military and lend-lease attaches, as well as the brushing away of misunderstanding and difficulties which had stood in the way of fully coordinated operations heretofore.

In consequence of these developments the German High Command apparently finds itself actually or potentially engaged on all sides, its home front relentlessly battered by ever more powerful bombing attacks and the will-to-fight of its troops in Russia sinking toward an attitude of defeatism.

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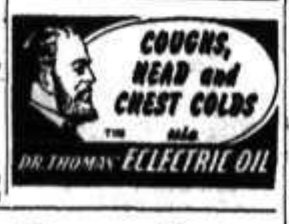

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Over $8000 Raised in Coast "Shell Out"

VANCOUVER, Nov. 2 (CP)—Hallowe'en spirits who collected Kinsmen tickets instead of apples in Vancouver this year raised between $8000 and $10,000 for the Milk for Britain Fund, H. C. Wardell, Chairman of the shell out campaign, announced today. Exact returns will not be known until Thursday.

Rossland Junior High Has Party

ROSSLAND, B.C. Nov. 2—Junior High School students brought in $11 Saturday night for the Milk for Britain Fund with the 10 cents admission charged to attend their Hallowe'en Party held at the High School.

A large committee, chosen from the various grades, decorated the Auditorium with Hallowe'en characters, against a background of orange and black.

Games, contests, and folk dancing were enjoyed. Prizes were awarded for best costumes to Kenneth Bowen and Bill Chevaldoff, dressed in "Zoot Suits"; Edith McNab and Nona Punk dressed as Yugo-Slavians, and Betty Zetner and Marian Manning for their "Cabaret Ticket Girls" costumes. Contests were won by Doreen Elmes and Marilyn Turner, and by George Elmes and Richard Benzies.

Miss G. Staverman, Miss Burnett and Principal A. B. Thompson were in charge. Refreshments were served.

Little Actual Work Done for Postwar Future Says Winch

VANCOUVER, Nov. 2 (CP)—Harold Winch, Provincial C.C.F. Leader, said today that in spite of all the "flag-waving, phrase-mongering and ballyhoo now being indulged in by business-men and politicians, very little actual work is being done to prepare for post-war life in British Columbia.

"There are two wars going on," said Mr. Winch, in an address before a Service Club.

"One is military—overseas. The other is economic—here at home. But far too many of us are contenting ourselves with generalities and platitudes, instead of practical action to assure our fighting men and women the standards of living they are battling for."

Charging that complacency about the progress of the war is tantamount to sabotage, he declared:

"We've got a devil of a long way to go yet before this war is won."

To Study Leniency in Assault Cases

VANCOUVER, Nov. 2 (CP)—An alleged leniency of authorities in granting bail before and after trial on criminal assault and moral delinquency charges will be studied by the Ministerial Association, members decided last night.

In corporated in an adopted resolution was the contention that alleged offenders allowed their freedom on bail had repeated the crime within 36 hours.

Maximum Prices Set for Christmas Goodies Ingredients

OTTAWA, Nov. 2 (CP)—An eye on the calendar, the Prices Board announced tonight maximum prices, effective immediately, for the sale of shopped suet, which is used in making Christmas cakes, plum puddings and mincemeat.

A maximum wholesale price is set out for each of the 16 zones of Canada. A retailer is permitted to add his usual markup of the basic price period not to exceed 25 per cent of his retail price.

Lieut. Johnson to Speak in Nelson Again

Lieutenant Eric Johnson, R.C.N.V.R., will speak in Nelson again Thursday. The naval officer, who came to this district to assist in the Kootenay-Boundary campaign to replace the destroyer St. Croix by achievement of a Victory Loan objective of $2,725,000, and who spoke at Nelson Saturday night, is now in East Kootenay. He has visited Rossland and Trail.

A reserve officer of the canadian Navy before the war, Lieutenant Johnson went on active service soon after the outbreak of war, and was loaned immediately to the Royal Navy. His service has included minesweeping around the British Isles, convoy duty from Britain to Gibraltar, and convoy duty for the invasion of Sicily.

Arrangements have been made for Lieutenant Johnson to speak at a public meeting Thursday night at the Capital Theatre. It is hoped that the program will include selections by the three members of the Air Force from No. 3 S.F.T.S., Medicine Hat, who assisted in the Kinauction Tuesday night in aid of Milk for Britain.

E. P. Dawson will be chairman.

Preceding the meeting the Nelson Cadet Bugle Band will parade.

Vancouver Goes All-Out in Lighting Display

VANCOUVER, Nov. 2 (CP)—Rain wet streets reflected Vancouver's multi-colored lights and Neon signs as the City went all-out to celebrate the lifting of dimout restrictions which have kept Vancouver night life under wraps for nearly a year.

Every downtown sign which could be turned on was showing—in fact some businessmen were so anxious to take part in the opening night that signs still incomplete were turned on to reveal only part of their wording.

Residential districts took part in the lighting premiere with an almost unrestricted showing of porch and apartment-entrance lights.

Work is now proceeding on the removal of blackout paint from the globes and its replacement with special metal shades. This is expected to increase the light on city streets 15 per cent. At the same time it will leave the lights within former dimout restrictions should the dimout again be applied.

Coal Deliveries Continue in Fernie Area

FERNIE, B. C., Nov. 2 (CP)—Deliveries of local commercial and domestic unfilled coal orders are continuing from this Crow's Nest Pass mining community despite the strike of almost 1,000 coal miners in this District, but officials say the stocks will be exhausted in a few days.

However, Crow's Nest coal users generally are reported to have adequate coal supplies on hand and no hardship is anticipated, except for those who burn wood. Wood fuel production was reported far behind schedule because of the shortage of labor.

Electric Company Heavily Fined

VICTORIA, Nov. 2 (CP) — The largest fine on a Wartime Prices Board charge in Victoria was imposed by Magistrate Hall today on Max Luxemberg and Nathan Snider, proprietors of the ABC Electric Co. They were fined $400 and $10 costs, after pleading guilty to two charges of selling used mechanical refrigerators above the ceiling price.

Fined $50 Liquor Permit Charges

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C., Nov. 2 (CP)—Thomas Keenan, 30, of Vancouver, was fined $50 in police court today on each of two charges of possession of more than one registration card and of being in possession of five liquor permits in what police described as the first attempt to "beat" the new coupon liquor ration system.

Kootenay-Boundary Has 68.3 Per Cent of Its Victory Bond Objective

KOOTENAY-BOUNDARY VICTORY LOAN STANDING

General canvass

	Tuesday	To date	Per.
East Kootenay	$ 23,850	$ 583,650	74.1
Nelson Unit	62,050	511,800	68.3
Trail Unit	25,750	657,400	64.1
Totals	$111,650	$1,852,850	68.3
Special names		$9,312,000	

Kootenay-Boundary on Tuesday had 68.3 per cent of the St. Croix objective of $2,725,000 in the Fifth Victory Loan campaign. Subscriptions reached $1,852,850.

Slocan sub-unit, first in the Nelson District to go over the top, reported unofficially that it had exceeded its goal of $65,000. This meant the Slocan had purchased sufficient Victory Bonds for a set of guns for a destroyer.

Greenwood, first Kootenay-Boundary sub-unit officially over the top, has reached 144 per cent of its $25,000 objective. Cranbrook, first of the larger centres to go over, now has 110 per cent of its $210,000 quota.

ONE IN FOUR BUYS BOND AT KIMBERLEY

CRANBROOK, B. C., Nov. 2—East Kootenay Victory Loan unit today stood at 74.1 per cent of its $853,000 quota. Energy in two sub-units was largely responsible for the standing since all four others, according to the official returns here, were behind schedule from the per centage mark for the final few days.

Cranbrook has over subscribed its quota by ten per cent.

Kimberley has passed the 90 per cent mark and maintained its standing as a community which has consistently and solidly supported loan campaigns.

Its total number of subscriptions already has reached 1706, compared with Cranbrook's 758. One in every four persons in Kimberley district has bought a bond.

Creston's headway today brought it to the 40.3 per cent mark.

Effects of the coal strike on the Fernie and Michel-Natal sub units are being watched anxiously. Fernie reported it was at 53 per cent of its quota, while returns over the past few days from Michel-Natal showed that sub-unit at 55 per cent of its $75,000 quota. Windermere again failed to report.

The day's statistics are:

	Tues.	To Date
Cranbrook	$ 8,600	$ 230,700
Creston	3,400	62,750
Fernie	1,750	104,850
Kimberley	7,050	217,750
Michel-Natal	2,050	41,550
Windermere	—	26,050
Total	$23,850	$ 683,650

NEW DENVER FIRST OVER, NELSON UNIT

Maintaining its record of achievement in past campaigns, the Slocan is the first sub-unit in Nelson District to go over the top in the Fifth Victory Loan campaign.

Loan headquarters at Nelson received a phone call Tuesday from New Denver stating the Slocan campaign committee, headed by Frank Broughton, had achieved its $65,000 goal. Official figures show New Denver at $37,700, but it is expected delayed reports will show the over-quota figure soon.

Official figures gave Nelson unit a total of $511,800 Tuesday, 68 per cent of the district objective of $775,000.

In Nelson itself the total to date announced by Loan Headquarters was $421,850, or 70.3 per cent of the $600,000 objective. Additional subscriptions received after the books closed, or definitely in sight, amounted to about $30,000. On this basis Nelson needed $150,000 in the next four days to achieve its goal.

The Nelson Unit report for Tuesday, $62,050, was among the largest for any one day in the campaign so far.

Applications Tuesday numbered 196, making the total so far 1640.

Figures follow:

	Tues.	To Date
Kaslo	$ 6,050	$ 24,400
Nakusp	950	19,350
Nelson	$4,700	421,850
New Denver	—	37,700
Salmo	350	8,500
Totals	$62,050	$511,800

TRAIL UNIT FACING TREMENDOUS TASK

TRAIL, B.C., Nov. 2—Trail District's Fifth Victory Loan quota was $367,600 short of its minimum objective Tuesday with five more days' returns yet to come in at Victory Loan Headquarters. From these figures it was shown that the returns for the next five days would have to be at least $33,000 higher each day than the daily average so far established in the campaign. The Trail Unit is thus faced with a tremendous task to reach its objective.

The Unit general canvass was given at approximately 84 per cent of its objective in Tuesday's figures while divisions in the Unit ranged all the way from Greenwood's high of 144 per cent to Grand Forks' low of close to 43 per cent.

Castlegar was in second place among the Trail towns with 86 per cent of its objective, Fruitvale third with 71 per cent, Trail fourth with 66 per cent and Rossland fifth with 53 per cent.

In the internal canvass C.M. & S. employees had reached 94 per cent of their quota, West Kootenay Power employees 62 per cent and Tadanac municipal employees 81 per cent.

Figures for the various divisions at noon Tuesday were:

TRAIL—	
City	$180,550
C. M. & S.	367,300
W. K. L. & P.	5,650
Tadanac	19,550
Total (quota $707,000)	$462,050
ROSSLAND—	
City	48,550
C. M. & S.	44,200
W. K. P. & L.	900
Tadanac	1,550
Total (quota $169,000)	95,000
CASTLEGAR—	
Town	9,550
C. M. & S.	9,500
Tadanac	450
Total (quota $22,000)	19,500
FRUITVALE—	
Town	5,700
C. M. & S.	9,000
Tadanac	1,200
Total (quota $22,000)	15,900
GRAND FORKS—	
Town	36,750
W. K. P. & L.	250
Total (quota $66,000)	37,000
GREENWOOD—	
(Quota $25,000)	36,050
TOTAL GENERAL CANVASS—	
(Quota $1,035,000)	$697,400
SPECIAL NAMES—	
Total	$9,050,000
INTERNAL CANVASS—	
C. M. & S.	$310,000
Six months' war savings	53,900
Total C. M. & S., (quota $433,500)	$363,900
W. K. P. & L. Co., Trail District	6,800
W. K. P. & L. Co., Outside District	7,450
Six months' war savings	2,450
Total W. K. P. & L. Co., (quota $36,300)	16,700
Tadanac Municipality	32,550
Six months' war savings	900
Total Tadanac, quota $36,950)	33,450
TOTAL INTERNAL CANVASS	$404,050

Rossland C.G.I.T. Has Carnival

ROSSLAND, B.C., Nov. 2—St. Andrew's United Church Annex, gayly decorated with Hallowe'en figures against a background of orange and black, was the setting Saturday afternoon and evening for a very successful carnival sponsored by the local Canadian Girls in Training.

Miss Olive Roy, of the Junior-Senior High School teaching staff, was in charge, working with Mrs. Gus Spilker who is the Rossland C.G.I.T. leader.

The decorated booths, the girls all being in costumes were presided over as follows: Hot Dog and Refreshment booth, Miss Roy, assisted by the Misses Olive and Hilda Phillips, Peggy Johnson, and Mary Nolan, Wheel of Fortune, Miss Noreen Manning, Tossing the Ring, Miss Annie Evans, Fish Pond, Miss Doreen Elmes, Popcorn, Miss Edith McNab, Trick Photography, Miss June Smith, Fortune Telling, Miss Isobel McNab, Weight Guessing, Miss Bernice Pitt, Miss Betty Zetner and Miss Marion Manning were ticket girls.

Little Miss Darlene Spilker, as Queen of the Carnival, dressed in black and orange and carrying a magic wand reigned over the event. Twenty-five dollars was raised from the 10 cent admission charge, this to be used to carry on C.G.I.T. work.

Empire Consultation "Satisfactory" House of Lords Told

LONDON, Nov. 2 (CP Cable)—The present system of consultation between members of the Commonwealth has "proved quite satisfactory." To the Dominions and most of the needs of wartime conditions," Viscount Cranborne, the Dominions Secretary, told the House of Lords today.

Lord Cranborne, winding up a debate initiated by Lord Elibank's support of a proposal by Premier John Curtin of Australia for a permanent Empire Council, said the system entails visits of Dominion and British Ministers to other Empire countries and daily conferences between the Dominions Secretary and Empire High Commissioners.

Davis Given Warm Welcome in Perth

SYDNEY, Australia, Nov. 2 (CP Cable)—Hon. T. C. Davis, first Canadian High Commissioner to visit Western Australia, has had a warm welcome at Perth.

Davis, interviewed by the Western Australian at Perth, the State's principal morning newspaper, said, "My part of Canada (Saskatchewan) is geographically situated in relation to Canada as you are in relation to Australia. We in the West are primarily agricultural and separated from the industrialized East by a vast stretch of land. I can understand and sympathize with your problems."

Mandalay Blasted

NEW DELHI, Nov. 2 (CP) — R.A.F. bombers blasted the important Japanese communications centre at Mandalay in Burma yesterday after fighter-bombers had carried out a series of daylight attacks on Irrawaddy River traffic and enemy positions in the Chin Hills, a communique announced today.

More than 200 river craft were shot up by the fighter-bombers the announcement said.

All planes returned safely.

MAIDENCOMBE, England (CP)—Percy Selvage, 64, former superintendent of Scotland Yard and one of Britain's most famous detectives, died in this Devonshire village. He was known as "Savage of the Yard."

Warns Lights Must Not Be Left Burning Unattended

VICTORIA, Nov. 2 (CP) —While the dimout is over, and lights may blaze again, it is illegal to leave unattended lights burning, Premier Hart, Chairman of the Provincial Civilian Protection Committee, announced today.

The Premier warned dimout regulations may be renewed at any time and from time to time as may be deemed necessary because of the military situation.

3 Departments of Civil Service Are Over the Top

Adding Victory Bonds to the purchasers of War Saving Stamps and Certificates they are already buying on a payroll deduction plan, Provincial Civil Service personnel at Nelson have over $6000 of their Victory Loan quota of $9150. Three departments are already over their quotas.

The finance office at the Court House is over, having $2300 against a quota of $1380. John Cartmel, Government Agent, carried out the canvass in this department.

One hundred per cent subscription by the Land Registry staff, which also was over the top with $350 against a quota of $500, was reported by the canvasser, Miss A. Rahal.

Third department to go over is the Water Rights Branch, canvassed by Roy Pollard.

Provincial Police have subscribed about $1000 to date in a canvass by Sgt. J. L. Smith.

K. C. McCannel and S. S. Simpson of the Forest Branch, Ross Workman of the Public Works, G. W. Smith of the Social Services, and Inspector Alex Sinclair of the Game Branch are all making complete coverage of their departments, but results have not yet been tallied.

"The splendid results obtained to date and the enthusiasm shown by the committee members making the canvass indicate that the Civil Service will go over the top within a day or two," commented J. B. Ross of the Victory Loan headquarters office.

"War Saving Certificate purchases by Civil Service personnel have been splendid, showing that not only in the Victory Loan but throughout the year these men and women are 'backing the attack'," he added.

B.C. Appeal Court Ratifies Disputed Executive Election

VANCOUVER, Nov. 2 (CP) — The British Columbia Court of Appeal today ratified the long-disputed election of William Stewart and his executive by the Boilermakers and Iron Shipbuilders Union Local No. 1 last February. The court reversed the judgment of Mr. Justice Sidney Smith last April that the voting was irregular.

The court dismissed a second appeal by Stewart asking that the accounting of Union funds ordered by Mr. Justice Smith be made to present officers. Mr. Justice Smith had ordered the accounting be made to the trustees he named—Robert J. R. Stephen, Thomas Bradley and David Thompson.

The accounting, however, was not taken nor was the $20,000 bond ordered by Mr. Justice Smith ever posted by the Stewart faction as a condition of delaying the accounting pending the appeal.

Some U.S. Coal Mine Unions to Ignore President

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2 (AP) — Without explanation, United Mine Workers Union leaders tonight put off their second chance to solve the United States' paralyzing coal strike as some union miners declared they would ignore President Roosevelt's order to return to the pits under Government operation tomorrow.

U.M.W.'s policy committee postponed a scheduled meeting tonight after President John L. Lewis emerged from his second meeting of the day with Interior Secretary Harold Ickes, boss of the mines under government operation for the second time this year.

Neither Lewis nor Ickes discussed their two meetings but Ickes promptly issued an order forbidding dealers to deliver fuel to any householder who has more than a 10-days' supply of coal in his basement.

Increases Mailed to Pensioners

VICTORIA, Nov. 2 (CP)—Increases of $6 a month have been mailed to more than 15,000 B. C. old age pensioners.

Teachers Buy $1000 in Bonds to Date

School Inspector F. A. Jewett is carrying out a Victory Loan canvass among school teachers.

On Tuesday reports showed a total of almost $4,000 subscribed by teachers, with additional coverage still to be made.

Taghum Mill Men Buy $650 in Bonds

Employees at the Taghum remanufacturing mill of the Burns Lumber & Coal Company have subscribed $650 in Victory Bonds. Employees of the Burns Company are campaigning for a Victory 'V' pennant.

Kaslo Ladies Stage Whist and Dance

KASLO, B.C.—The whist drive and dance put on last Friday evening at the Odd Fellows Hall by the Ladies of the Scared Heart Church, was splendidly attended.

Prizes for whist went to Mrs. T. Coody and Mrs. J. Paterson for the ladies, R. Hewat and Bert Clarke for the men. At midnight a delicious lunch was served by the Ladies of The Altar Society.

Replace the St. Croix

Fink Mercantile Ltd.

American Airmen Support Chinese

CHUNGKING, Nov. 2 (AP) —American airmen again have gone to the support of Chinese forces in Central China, where they bombed a Japanese motor park and barracks at Shayang, a town on the Han River, 100 miles West of Hankow, causing large fires in the target area. Two of a batch of attacking Zeros were shot down.

B. C. Gov't Debt Down $12,300,000

VICTORIA, Nov. 2 (CP) —British Columbia's public account, issued today by Premier John Hart, as Minister of Finance, shows a surplus of more than $6,000,000 for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1943.

A reduction of $12,389,857 in the gross debt of the Province is also shown, Mr. Hart pointed out that the gross debt amounted to $153,334,239 and the sinking funds totalled $17,634,486 which left a net debt as at March 31, 1943, of $135,619,753.

This shows a decrease, not only in the gross net, but a reduction of $10,065,337 in the net debt.

Compared with B. C.'s financial position in 1933, the gross debt of the province today is smaller by $12,744,355, Mr. Hart explained this has had a three-fold effect on the financial position of the Province.

"It has enabled a very substantial saving in annual expenditures; brought about a downward revision of the average rate of interest and at the same time has improved the credit position of the Province to a point where B. C. bonds are comparable to those of any province and very close to those of the Dominion of Canada," Premier Hart said.

A reduction in interest charges has been made possible by refunds at lower rates and by debt payments.

Whereas a gross debt of $166,998,595 on Nov. 1, 1933, required interest amounting to $7,904,000 annually at an average rate of 4.7332 per cent, the present debt bears interest at an average rate of 4.04 per cent and requires $6,197,000 or $1,707,000 less.

Acoustic Torpedo Believed Used by Germans

HALIFAX, Nov. 2 (CP)—German U-boats have come up with a new weapon, an "acoustic" torpedo that tracks down its victim by the sound of its propellors, according to men who believe they have seen the new projectile in action.

It is believed effective countermeasures have been put into effect.

The torpedoes, it was thought, carried a steering device actuated by sound. Once it picked up the sound of a thrashing propellor, it would be guided toward that noise, regardless of how its quarry manoeuvred. Eventually, getting close enough to the propellors, it would be touched off by their vibration.

TURKISH MINISTER ENROUTE TO MEET EDEN IN CAIRO

ANKARA, Nov. 2 (AP) — The Turkish Foreign Minister hastened toward Cairo today for conferences with British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden, less than 24 hours after this neutral nations president more clearly aligned the country with United Nations' ideals.

Numan Menemcioglu and Sir Hughe Knatchbull-Hugessen, British Ambassador to Turkey, were en route to Cairo.

HOSMER

HOSMER, B.C. — Mrs. M. Sowchuk spent the weekend at Creston.

Mrs. Hugust has returned from Blairmore where she visited relatives.

Mrs. Ernest Stephenson and children of Blairmore are visiting town.

Mrs. F. C. Wildman spent Thursday in Natal.

Mrs. Dandelson of Fort Steele is visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. Camilli.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dixon were Fernie shoppers.

Miss Astrid Arnet shopped in Fernie Saturday.

D. Fink of Fernie spent Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. F. C. Wildman is confined to her home by illness.

Kootenay C.P.R. Men Are Over the Top

Kootenay Division of the C.P.R. has gone over the top in the Fifth Victory Loan Campaign.

Announcement was made Tuesday at divisional headquarters, in Nelson, that the full quota of $112,000 had been achieved, and that "the ball is still rolling."

At the beginning of the campaign Kootenay Division was given a quota of just over $90,000 but that quota was revised to $112,000. A few days ago it was announced the original quota had been beaten, and on Tuesday the revised objective was attained.

Unions and Gov't Members Discuss Layoffs

OTTAWA, Nov. 2 (CP)—Recent layoffs in Pacific Coast and Toronto shipyards and "contemplated" layoffs in the Marine Industries, Sorel, Que., and United Shipyards, Montreal, were discussed today at a meeting between Prime Minister Mackenzie King, four Cabinet members and representatives of International Unions affiliated with the Trades and Labor Congress (A.F.L.)

President Percy R. Bengough of the Congress tonight told The Canadian Press the labor men were given "clear assurance by the Government that immediately the shipbuilding industry reaches balanced production there will be no further layoffs and shipbuilding will continue."

PRINCESS MINERS END THREE DAY STRIKE

SYDNEY MINES, N.S., Nov. 2 (CP)—Miners returned to work today in the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company's Colliery here, ending a three-day strike over a wage dispute. About 780 men were involved in the tieup.

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Swallow one Paradol tablet. Gargle with two tablets dissolved in water. Go to bed and rest and sleep.

Soon the pains and aches disappear and you may avoid a disagreeable cold.

Paradol is a fast relief for headaches, neuralgia, toothache, rheumatic and sciatic pains. It is pleasant to use and leaves no disagreeable after effects.

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DR. CHASE'S PARADOL

CANADIAN APPLES ARRIVE IN BRITAIN

LONDON, Nov. 2 (CP Cable). — Food Minister Lord Woolton today announced a cargo of Canadian apples, first instalment of 13,000 tons expected before Christmas, has arrived in Britain.

Stoppage of Coke Output Threatens Shutdown at C. M. & S.

CALGARY, Nov. 2 (CP).—Stoppage of coke production in the Crow's Nest Pass area because of the coal strike will have a serious effect on vital war plants in British Columbia and the Western States if the shut-down continues for any length of time.

The big plant of the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company at Trail, B.C., takes the entire coke output of the International Coal & Coke Company operating at Coleman.

This plant has about 100 beehive coke ovens and while these are operating for the time being on available coal supply it will only be a matter of days before the Company will have to shut-down or seal these ovens for lack of coal.

At Michel, B.C., the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company has shut down 340 beehive coke ovens but it is keeping the bi-product coke oven plant operating at 50 per cent capacity.

These ovens of the Curran-Knowles type have to be kept in partial operation and temperatures maintained for technical reasons so that full operation can be resumed later.

While these ovens are producing about 85 or 90 tons of coke per day it will not be available for outside as the Company cannot ship any of it under strike conditions.

All of the coke produced in the Crow's Nest area is normally used in Western Canada and the Western States. Some of it goes to smelters at Kellogg, Ida., to Vancouver for numerous war plants and other industries there.

In Calgary coke is used as fuel for heating street cars but no shortage is anticipated as railway officials here report sufficient to last through the Winter.

Incidentally coke is associated with the beet-sugar refining process which would be affected by a long tie-up.

CANADIAN TANK MEN KEEP VIGIL OVER CAPTURED ITALIAN TOWN: Riding along the rim of Potenza, a Canadian tank crew casts a watchful eye over this war-torn Italian town, shortly after the Canucks had spearheaded its capture with the British 8th Army. Tanks like this one took up positions on the outskirts of the town, and with support of machine gunners, blasted away at cleverly-concealed German positions while sappers cleared the mines and speedily built detour roads.—Canadian Army Overseas Photo.

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Clearance Group of Hosiery and Gloves Priced at	50c
Clearance of Women's Fine Leather Gloves. Broken size and color range	$1.00
Boys' Wind and Showerproof Jackets. Reg. $2.75 and $3.50	$1.95
Women's Style Shoes. Odd sizes and colors. Reg. $3.49	$1.98
Clearance of Glass, Pressed Bowls and Chippendale Glass Mustard Cups. Reg. to 49c	19c
Plaid Turkish Towels. Reg. 15c each, Each	10c
Unpainted Hardwood End Tables. Reg. $1.95. Each	$1.19
Bed Jackets—Brushed Rayon two-tone Bed Jackets. Make a good Christmas gift. Small, Medium and Large. Blue and Rose colors.	50c

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Overseas Army "Goes Over the Top"

LONDON, Nov. 2 (CP Cable).—The Canadian Army Overseas passed its $2,500,000 Victory Loan objective 12 days after the campaign opened and money is still pouring in, Canadian Military Headquarters announced today.

Meanwhile reports from the fighting front in Italy said the troops there have subscribed $410,000 of their $1,000,000 objective.

Hospital Chief Injured in Fight With Japs

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Nov. 2 (AP).—Ray Best, project director at the Tulelake Relocation Centre, the camp for disloyal Japanese-Americans, admitted today that Dr. Reece M. Pedicor, head of the hospital staff, was injured in a fight with a dozen Japanese. He gave no other details on the fight.

Big New British Transport Stopped in Ottawa

OTTAWA, Nov. 2 (CP).—One of the huge new British transport planes of the type known as the "York" visited here a week ago in the course of a tour of Canadian and United States centres.

The plane is a transport version of the Lancaster bomber and can carry 50 passengers. Seventy-eight feet long, it has a 102-foot wing span and is powered by four Rolls-Royce Merlin liquid-cooled engines.

The York, in small scale production, is designed for flights of around 1000 miles.

WATERVILLE, Eire (CP)—A hot mid-day meal costing pupils one penny a week is provided by authorities of the vocational school in this County Kerry town.

On The Air

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 3

CKLN AND CBC PROGRAMMES

MORNING

7:45—Musical Clock
8:00—CBC News
8:15—Front Line Family
8:30—Something Refreshing
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Stars of the Week (CKLN)
9:22—Musical Magic (CKLN)
9:30—Trade Winds Tavern (CKLN)
9:45—Dinah Shore Sings
9:59—Time Signal
10:00—Music While You Work
10:15—South American Way CKLN
10:30—Just Relax (CKLN)
10:45—They Tell Me
11:00—Hits of Yesterday
11:15—Sweethearts
11:23—Voice of Memory
11:30—Soldier's Wife
11:45—Piano Reflections

AFTERNOON

12:00—B. C. Farm Broadcast
12:26—The Notice Board
12:30—CBC News
12:45—Victory Loan Programme (CKLN) Gary Cooper
1:00—Ernesto Vinci, Baritone
1:15—Interlude
1:18—Talk
1:30—Music Styled for Strings
2:00—B. C. Schools Broadcast
2:30—The Scottish Clans
2:45—Listeners' Favorites
3:00—Messers Islanders
3:15—Homemaker's Programme
3:30—Your Ivory Tower
3:45—BBC News
4:00—Wendell Hall (CKLN)
4:07—Voice of Memory (CKLN)
4:15—Talk: "Books for the Times"
4:30—Caribbean Nights
4:45—CBC News Roundup
5:00—Songs by Nelson Eddy
5:15—Rhythm in Romance
5:30—Phil Stewart, Novachord

EVENING

6:00—To Be Announced (CKLN)
6:30—Concert Gems
6:45—Victory Loan—Dr. L. E. Borden
6:50—Rhythm of Romance (CKLN)
7:00—CBC News
7:15—"Peoples on the March"
7:30—Eventide
8:00—BBC News Reel
8:15—Talk by J. B. McGeachy
8:30—Modern and Melodic
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Coal Available for Drumheller Plants

CALGARY, Nov. 2 (CP).—After one night "black-out" lights will go on again and power facilities will be again made available for Drumheller and towns and mines in that area, Wednesday.

B. M. Hill, manager of Canadian Utilities, Ltd., stated that the Company had agreed to resume services on assurance of U.M.W.A. officials that sufficient coal will be supplied to operate the Company's power plants at Drumheller and Prince Albert, Sask.

Mr. Hill stated that but for the fact that one unit was out of operation service would be restored tonight.

Attention Drawn to Position of Baltic States

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2 (AP) — Omission from the Moscow declarations of any mention of the three Baltic States, Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania—focused attention here today on the enigmatic position of these countries.

They are the only European countries occupied by the Germans which do not appear on the list of countries outraged by atrocities committed on their people.

Russia and other occupied states are specifically named in the statement by Prime Minister Churchill, President Roosevelt and Premier Stalin promising that the German slaughterers will be turned over to their victims for punishments.

While an article appearing before the conference in the Moscow newspaper Pravda said the Soviets could no more discuss the future of the Baltics than the U. S. could confer on the status of California, the communique issued yesterday said all three powers were taken up.

The Soviet Union incorporated the Baltic States as Soviet republics before Germany attacked her and has made is clear she considers the question closed.

However, diplomatic representatives from the three tiny countries still are accredited to Washington and it is a rule of international law that only sovereign nations have a right to send ambassadors and ministers abroad.

Hungary Orders Troops Home From South Russia

LONDON, Nov. 2 (AP).—Reuters News Agency dispatch from Ankara today said that Hungary had ordered home all her troops supporting the German armies in South Russia.

Ankara reports estimated that Hungary had 90,000 troops doing garrison duty in the area South of Kiev.

Senator Buried

ST. FRANCOIS DU LAC, Que., Nov. 2 (CP).—Funeral service was held today for Lt.-Col. Pierre Blondin, Conservative Senator for the Gaurenoides, who died Friday in his 70th year.

Catholic Clergy Sabotage Nazi War Effort

ALGIERS, Nov. 2 (AP).—A young Catholic priest, who has just arrived here, says the Catholic clergy in France is taking an important role in sabotaging the Nazi war effort, even to the point of cooperating with Communists.

The priest is training with United States officers in parachute companies, as he intends to return to his followers in France by parachute after he has completed conferences with the French Committee of Liberation.

The young priest declared Catholic leaders no longer consider Vichy the legal French Government. Some priests, he related, with Jews, Communists and other sections of the French people against Germany.

Many Communists, he said, are renouncing their former antagonism toward the church and rapprochement is a definite possibility.

To Form European Advisory Committee Soon

LONDON, Nov. 2 (CP) — The European Advisory Commission, authorized by the Moscow Foreign Secretaries Conference to coordinate political strategy of Britain, Russia and the U. S., will be established almost immediately and begin its meetings in London possibly before the end of the month, it was learned today.

It was noted that the Commission's task is to deal with "questions arising as the war develops." Such questions undoubtedly include political warfare against Austria, Germany's satellites, and Germany itself. Any peace proposals presumably will be submitted to this Commission before action is taken by the three governments.

It was not known whether such international post-war issues as the future of Poland, the Baltic States and the Balkans will be handled by this commission or whether they will be left to special commissions created by the conference to deal with certain questions on which "decisions of principles were taken."

More Canadian Troops Overseas

LONDON, Nov. 2 (CP Cable).—A small draft of reinforcements for the Canadian Army Overseas arrived recently at an unidentified British port, Canadian Military Headquarters announced today. Among the arrivals, the brief announcement said, were reinforcements for the dental and armored corps, as well as for the infantry, artillery and engineers.

Among the dental officers arriving were Capts. C. G. Hewitt and G. K. Clarke, both of Toronto, and Mack Johnson of Lindsay, Ont.

Other arrivals included Pltes. W. A. Davidson of Ottawa and J. Soles of Prince Albert, Sask., and Sgts. B. H. Graham, Toronto, A. Reardon, Whitby, Ont., and G. M. Hunt, Orillia, Ont., and Cpl. C. E. Clarke, Toronto.

Creston Airman Wins Commission

LONDON, Nov. 2 (CP). — It is announced by R.C.A.F. overseas headquarters that the following have been commissioned Pilot Officers:

British Columbia: M. B. Summer, Victoria (missing Oct. 7); V. I. Gorrill, Creston; G. D. Allester, Chemainus; W. E. Bitz, Vancouver; N. A. S. Hastings, Vancouver, R. J. Burns, Duncan; H. A. Price.

DANISH PRINCE FLEES TO SAFETY IN SWEDEN

STOCKHOLM, Oct. 31 (delayed) (AP) — Prince Gorm of Denmark, 24-year-old nephew of King Christian, has reached Sweden after escaping the country with other Danish officers following their release from custody by the Germans. Prince Gorm was among officers who directed a revolt against the Germans Aug. 28 when Denmark was placed under a Nazi military dictatorship.

ROTHSCHILD A PRIVATE IN U. S. ARMY

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 2 (AP) — Baron Gilbert Rothschild, 22-year-old of the famed European banking family, has a new title—Private, in the United States Army. He reached the United States two years ago after fleeing the Nazis in Paris where he had been in an officers' training school. Rothschild arrived yesterday at the Fort MacArthur reception centre as a volunteer.

This month Nature provides the earth with a shower of rich humus, the fallen leaves from trees and shrubs. Do not waste this valuable garden material by burning it, instead add to the compost heap for use next Spring.

British and Allied troops in all the African campaigns captured or destroyed 2,550 tanks, 6,200 guns and 70,000 lorries.

Dieppe Soldiers Given French Medal

LONDON, Nov. 2 (CP Cable).—Fifteen Canadian soldiers who fought at Dieppe in August, 1942, were awarded the Croix de Guerre by the French National Committee, Canadian military headquarters announced today. It is the first time in this war Canadian officers and men have been so honored.

The recipients included:

Croix to Guerre avec Palme de Bronze: Capt. George Bruce Buchanan of Medicine Hat, Alta., Capt. Ross McKniven Campbell of Winnipeg.

Croix de Guerre avec Etoile d'Argent: Pte. Gordon Patrick Buchanan of Beechy, Sask.

Bitter Fighting on China Fronts

CHUNGKING, Nov. 2 (AP).—Bitter fighting on widely-separated fronts in China was announced today along with a claim by the high command that Chinese have inflicted "considerable casualties" on the Japanese in their struggle for control of the West bank of the Salween River 80 miles North of the Burma Road.

In East China the hotly-contested town of Siaofeng, 35 miles Northwest of Hangchow, has changed hands twice. The Japanese took it Saturday, two days after the Chinese had reoccupied it, but the Chinese again gained control yesterday.

In the central "rice bowl" area American bombers struck in support of the Chinese and fighting continued in the area between Lake Tungting and the Yangtse River.

The Americans bombed a Japanese motor park and barracks at Shayang, on the Han River 100 miles West of Hankow, a communique said.

Enemy Surprised at Bougainville

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2 (AP). — Navy Secretary Knox said today that landings on Bougainville Island carried out solely by marines caught the enemy by surprise.

The Japanese, he said, were not prepared to offer any air opposition. Prior to the landings, he said, bombing by American fliers and bombardment by big surface craft had neutralized the Japanese air defences.

Knox also told a news conference that he joined with Admiral William F. Halsey in "hoping that the Japanese surface forces will come out." He said such hopes had been held for a long time "but we have failed to find them in force anywhere."

REELECT CALGARY MAYOR

CALGARY, Nov. 2 (CP) — Mayor Andrew Davison was declared elected by acclamation for two more years when nominations closed at noon yesterday and no other candidate appeared to contest the mayoralty.

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Oakes Room Was Under Constant Guard

By E. V. W. JONES
Associated Press Staff Writer

NASSAU, Bahamas, Nov. 2 (AP).—The Crown sought today at the murder trial of Alfred de Marigny to show that De Marigny had no opportunity after the discovery of Sir Harry Oakes' body to make the fingerprint offered as evidence that the defendant killed his rich father-in-law.

Corporal Cleophas Knowles said the death room and the bedscreen, on which the Crown contends the fingerprint was found, were under constant guard during the investigation.

His testimony at De Marigny's trial in Bahamas Supreme Court differed somewhat, however, from the account he gave at a preliminary hearing, and Defence Counsel W. E. A. Callender shouted:

"Another error. The same as Captain Melchen and the other witnesses."

Capt. E. W. Melchen of the Miami police and other Crown witnesses testified that De Marigny was taken upstairs at Sir Harry's estate, Westbourne, for questioning about noon July 9, whereas at the preliminary hearing they had set the time as midafternoon.

Knowles said he was assigned July 9—the day the body was discovered—to guard Sir Harry's bedroom and the hallway. He escorted a photographer who pictured the death scene, he related. Knowles said the bedscreen was moved into the hallway during the day.

"I did not see the accused upstairs July 8," he declared.

The next day he was assigned to guard the stairway and to prevent anyone from going to the second floor.

U. S. Letter Rates to Remain 3 Cents

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2 (AP).—The United States House of Representatives Ways and Means Committee back-tracked today on the out-of-town letter rate, agreeing to leave the charge at three cents instead of raising it to four cents as previously approved.

The action left $2,955,000,000 in the new tax bill, against administration requests for $10,500,000,000 in additional revenue.

The Committee did not disturb other agreed-upon increases in postal and excise rates. The in-town first class letter rate increase, from two to three cents, was sustained.

YUGOSLAVS SMASH NAZI TANK DRIVE

LONDON, Nov. 2 (CP) — Yugoslav patriots have smashed a German tank onslaught in Eastern Bosnia aimed toward Tuzla and have held their own in Montenegro against Nazi forces attempting operations, a communique from the Gen. Josip Broz (Tito) liberation army reported today.

On the Serbian-Bosnian border the Partisans listed 106 Nazi prisoners, including 25 Mihailovic Cheniks.

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Farewell Party for Mrs. Ward in Procter Hall

PROCTER, B.C.—Residents of Procter, Sunshine Bay, Harrop and Balfour met at the Procter Community Hall on Friday. Surprise Party held in honor of Mrs. W. A. Ward, who is leaving Procter, having disposed of the Outlet Hotel, where she has lived for the past 25 years. Military Whist was played, the winning table being "New Zealand", the players were LAC. Mita Hikaito and LAC. Percy Jones of the Royal New Zealand Airforce, Miss Isa MacKinnon and Hallam MacKinnon.

After refreshments were served, Colin Major in a few will chosen words, expressed the district's regret of the necessity of Mrs Ward departure. He also tendered wishes for the future. Mrs. A. Major then presented the guest of Honor with a gift from the Community.

Mrs. Ward thanked all for their kindness. A circle was formed, all joining hands and singing "For She's a Jolly Good Fellow," followed by three rousing cheers and a tiger.

Dancing was then enjoyed for the remainder of the evening, the music being supplied by Mr. and Mrs. B. Fitchett of Harrop, W. Sales and Miss I. MacKinnon of Procter.

There were approximately 100 attending, including many old timers from the district.

For the occasion, the Hall was gaily decorated with vases of lovely Autumn flowers. The ladies responsible for the decorations were: Mrs. J. MacLoed, Mrs. G. Donaldson, Mrs. N. Shkworok and Mrs. F. Bonacci.

Mrs. Ward has sold the Outlet Hotel and store to Mr. W. Kline of Slocan City, who will take over in the near future.

Vancouver Girl Gets New Nose

VANCOUVER, Nov. 2 (CP) — Esther Davis, the young girl who had her nose bitten off by her pet dog, will return here Nov. 9, after recovering from several operations in Toronto where skilled specialists fashioned a new nose.

WYNNDEL

Wyndnel, B.C. — Mrs. R. Andestad and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Mackie at Boswell last week.

Mrs. G. Taylor is visiting Lethbridge.

Mrs. Baker of Cranbrook was a recent guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Burch.

F. Hagen has left for Kimberely.

Miss Irene Hunnoff of Vancouver visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Ogilvie.

Miss Hannah and Miss Illingworth of the Anglican Sunday School Van were visiting in this district.

Mrs. Parkin and daughter of Castlegar returned to their home last week after visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Joy.

Mr. and Mrs. Michaelson of Vancouver are visiting Mrs. Michaelson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Clem.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Turnerne and family of Kimberely were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dalhom.

Cpl. A. E. Towson is here on leave.

S. Spence and the boys were business visitors to Boswell Tuesday.

J. Benedetti and son were renewing acquaintances at Sirdar last week.

Mrs. Cornwell and Larry of Castlegar are visiting Mrs. Cornwell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Davis.

Mrs. A. Joy was visiting her daughter Mrs. E. Stevens at Vancouver last week. On her return she was accompanied by four of her grandchildren.

Pte. A. Cooper of Vancouver is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Cooper.

Cpl. and Mrs. A. E. Towson visited Nelson at the week-end.

Mrs. Shaw has taken up residence in the Ecker house.

Mrs. Broley has returned home from the Creston hospital.

KINGSGATE

KINGSGATE, B. C.—Jean Stevens was at Fernie over the weekend.

Mrs. E. W. Hall is visiting at Priest River with her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Martin were recent Creston visitors.

Mrs. J. J. Boomer entertained the Ladies Bridge Club Wednesday. Mrs. Shellman was a guest.

W. R. Baskerville is visiting Penticton.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cochrane have left for Hartford, Conn., where Mr. Cochrane will be stationed in future. Mr. and Mrs. Halverson have moved into the Cochrane house.

B. Fowler left for Spokane Tuesday.

Nakusp Red Cross Sends 42 Gift Parcels Overseas

NAKUSP, B. C.—Mrs. James Hakeman reported to the Red Cross that $127.90 had been collected for Christmas parcels for the boys of the Armed Forces; that 42 parcels were mailed Oct 15 for overseas, and some 44 more parcels would go to the boys in Canada by the end of November.

Mrs. E. C. Johnson reported $25.50 had been netted by the Thrift Shop in October.

A combination card party was planned for the future, when whist bridge and 45's would be played. Mrs. R. S. LaRue, Mrs. F. Mayoh and Mrs. M. Baird were appointed to take charge.

Mrs. D. Hummon, President, reported 460 cans of jams had been shipped from Nakusp. Mrs. Hummon also stated that there was much sewing to do at the work room and that workers were needed.

Mrs. F. Rushten and Mrs. R. Buerge were the hostesses, Mrs. Fowler and Mrs. J. Hakeman were named tea hostesses for the November meeting.

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Have you made your last painstaking search for every source of cash? You cannot balance a savings account against a life. Any surplus in your current account will be worth more to you and Canada in Victory Bonds. Perhaps your income for the next six months could yield sufficient surplus to buy that extra bond on the instalment plan.

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NEW DENVER

NEW DENVER, B.C.—Mrs. Archie Greenlaw of Kaslo is a guest of her mother, Mrs. E. F. Augrignon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Isaakson and Miss Edith of Roseberry, were visitors in town.

Miss Alice Teir and Mrs. George Teir visited Nelson.

Miss Edith Tattrie has returned to Kimberley where she is on the teachers' staff of the Public School.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Doney were week-end guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. Doney Jr., of Nelson.

Miss Nellie Aylwin left for Nelson to spend a few days with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. Doney, before returning to Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Munn and Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Barron of Nakusp were recent guests of Miss Nancy Howard, R.N.

E. Vanredgrift left Thursday for Nelson where he will visit his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. McCandlish, and his other daughter, Miss Evelyn Vandergrift.

Mr. and Mrs. L. McMath attended the Teachers' Convention at Nelson.

Miss Peggy Birtles of Salmo was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Clever for a few days.

Miss Rose Eadra of Sandon was a guest of her father, J. Cecheleto, Thursday.

Mrs. W. Fahrni left Friday for Nelson.

Miss Charlotte Johnson spent the week-end in Nelson.

Mrs. A. Levy spent the week-end with friends in Nelson.

Mrs. B. Jerrett of Sandon spent Thursday in town.

Miss F. A. Moss spent the week-end in Nelson with friends.

L. Dwyer of the Noble Five Mine, Sandon, visited town Thursday.

Mrs. F. L. Beggs returned after being in Nelson and Blewett for the past three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. M. DuMont of Hunters Siding were visitors here Thursday.

MANCHESTER, England (CP)—Manchester City Council has approved a scheme which envisages the setting up of 73 new health centres after the war.

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Walking . . .

Take Special Care When Buying Shoes

By IDA JEAN KAIN

One somewhat jaundiced expert is inclined to blame all the broken down feet among woman of 35 and over on haste in buying, coupled with the chairs in shoe stores. He has a point. You know how it is. You settle down comfortably in the first vacant chair and plant your right foot on the fitting stool. The salesman removes your old shoe, inspects the number, you go into a conference on style.

You try on the right shoes, stand up for a minute each time to find out how they feel, walk past a mirror for a couple of critical glances, and maybe pay for a pair of shoes that will give you corns, bunions and backache.

Never go by the old size. It may have been wrong. Or, with all this wartime walking, your feet may have graduated to a size larger — probably the one you should have been taking all along. Stand up and have your foot measured. Then, if you want some free advice from a high priced priced expert, put on both shoes and stand and walk in them for at least 30 minutes. By then you should have a fairly accurate idea of whether you are getting value received for your cash.

You should be on your toes while buying; but not pitched forward on your toes for any amount of standing or walking. If you stand or walk for long hours, you need a good, solid heel base. Spike heels throw you off balance and put too much strain on your foot, leg and back muscles.

And here is some special footwork for you: Sit on the floor with soles of feet together, heels and little toes on floor. Grasp the ankles and keep the back straight as you separate the balls of the feet as widely as possible, without letting heels and little toes come off the floor. Return to starting position and pull heels widely apart, keeping balls of feet together. Alternate the two movements.

Legwork steps up the circulation in your feet as well as your legs. Skipping rope is also a good general conditioner—just watch yourself and don't go at it too strenuously. You may find you can come closer to doing the knee-deep bend if you place one hand on a chair seat for support. Try to keep the back straight as you lower toward floor.

Courtesy . . .

Manners Begin at Home

By Garry Cleveland Myers, Ph.D.

In the long run, good manners indicate self-control and respect for the rights and feelings of others.

While discussion of good manners at school might not guarantee the exercise of them, it should do some good in this direction and emphasis on good manners should cause parents to try harder to cultivate good manners in their children at home.

The school might properly work harder at educating children to enter and leave the building so that strangers or parents entering the building are not trampled upon or pushed about. Fortunately there is an occasional school where the children really learn to be courteous to adults in and near the school building. It's in the home where the most can be done to build the foundation of courtesy and consideration of the rights of others. I have prepared a special list of books on good manners for parents and children. This list may be had by writing me in care of this paper, enclosing a three-cent stamp on a self-addressed envelope.

SOLVING PARENT PROBLEMS

Q.—Why is heavy soft crayon better for the tot than a lead pencil?

A.—It is safer and makes a wider mark.

Appreciation . . .

Wife Puts Up With Too Much

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Dear Miss Fairfax—I'm 24-years old. My husband is 41. Sometimes he is very mean to me, slaps and knocks me around because I make him "mad." My husband's mother doesn't like me; she doesn't know we're married and thinks her son is living with a no-account woman. I tell him to go and see her whenever he is near her home as he drives a cab. We pay $25 a week toward her support.

I'm a waitress and turn my pay over to my husband to help pay bills. I keep a dollar for myself.

Please help me, I'm all upset. What can I do about his mother; she doesn't like me to tell anyone she is my mother-in-law.

It strikes me you're putting up with too much. You say you're employed and turn your money over to your husband, keeping only a dollar for yourself. He has not told his mother you are his legal wife in addition to which insult he slaps and knocks you around. Aren't you being entirely too much of a Patient Griselda, otherwise, a doormat? All said and done, men do not appreciate this type of wife. Not only do they take them for granted but vent their ill tempers on them.

In your place, I should consult a lawyer and have the slapping about stopped. And why not tell your mother-in-law you're legally married, as long as your husband declines to do this?

Hearing of Liquor Charge Adjourned Until Today Here

Gee Sis, charged as keeper of a restaurant, with allowing a person to have liquor in the Chungking Coffee Shop, 634 Front Street, on Oct. 26, entered through an interpreter a plea of not guilty in City Police Court Monday morning. The adjourned hearing will continue on Wednesday.

H. C. Irving is appearing for the defendant, Acting Chief of Police Robert Harshaw is prosecuting. Shu Mar served as interpreter.

NELSON SOCIAL

By MRS. M. J. VIGNEUX

Charge for Engagement Announcements in This Column is $1.50

WILTON—FLYNN

• A quiet wedding took place at the home of Rev. George Kerby, Calgary, October 30, when Joanna Flynn, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Flynn of Coleman, was united in marriage to Lieut. Hedley William Wilton of Red Deer, Alta., only son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Wilton of Nelson. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an afternoon dress of turquois with corsage of Talisman roses and navy blue accessories. The bridesmaid, Miss Belle Flynn of Edmonton, sister of the bride, chose a gold dress corsage of pink roses and brown accessories. The groom was attended by Cpl. Gordon Baley of Red Deer. A reception was held at the Empress Hotel. The happy couple left for Calgary to visit Nelson, Trail and Coleman.

• G. Walton is a patient in Kootenay Lake General Hospital suffering from a broken leg.

• Mrs. Harry Day of Appledale is visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. Ball, Victoria Street.

RETURN FROM COAST

• Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Horswill have returned from Victoria, where Mrs. Horswill has been spending a few months at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Burroughs.

• Pilot Officer Munro Dodd of Brampton, Cumberland, England, now of Winnipeg, who is enroute to the Coast, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Hunter, Josephine Street, for a few days.

• Miss Bluebell Thompson of Spokane recently arrived at Sheep Creek to join her mother, Mrs. Alex Thompson, who has been visiting her son Roland and his family for several months. They also visited Mrs. Thompson's sister, Mrs. J. Sinse, at Blondel for a week and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cuthbert, Victoria Street, for a few days before returning to their home in Spokane.

• Miss Betty Moran, Silica Street, has returned after spending her vacation with her parents at Appledale.

• Mrs. Dorothy Wrotnowski, Hume Hotel, has returned from a few weeks spent in Toronto and Edmonton.

• George Dosenberger of Sunshine Bay visited Nelson yesterday.

• Most Rev. Martin M. Johnson, Bishop of Nelson, who spent a few days in Mater Misericordiae Hospital, Rossland, has returned.

RETURNS TO STATION

• Mrs. and Mrs. Archie Bremner of Salmo were in the city Monday accompanied by their daughter, Aw. 1 Joyce Bremner, who has returned to Claresholm after a furlough in Salmo.

• Mrs. J. Kosiancic of Crescent Valley was a visitor to town Monday.

• Lieut. Hedley Wilton and his bride are here from Red Deer, Alta., visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Wilton, Fourth Street.

• Mrs. F. R. Pritchard, Nelson Avenue, entertained Mrs. Fred H. Graham's Circle of St. Saviour's Church Helpers Monday afternoon, when those attending were Mrs. H. B. Gore, Mrs. Ernest Smith, Mrs. Hugh Robertson, Mrs. A. J. Cornish, Mrs. C. F. McHardy, Mrs. G. R. Bone, Mrs. Stanley Bostock, Mrs. H. J. Haylock, Miss Margaret Taylor, Mrs. J. H. Edmondson, Mrs. A. L. Creech and Mrs. R. A. Grimes.

• Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Paparian and daughter Satenig, Strathcona Hotel, have returned from a brief visit to Vancouver.

• Charles Holt, merchant at Balfour, spent yesterday in town.

• H. R. Board of Howser, who spent a week at the home of Mrs. and Mrs. A. W. Idiens, Carbonate Street, has returned.

• Pte. Peter Kuntz, who visited his parents in Nelson, has returned to Vernon.

• Mrs. StJohn Madeley of Willow Point visited Nelson yesterday.

• Mrs. J. Vivian, Johnstone Block, has as guest Mrs. Forsythe of Sandon.

• Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bengert and baby have returned from Salmo.

• Miss Irene Laughton, Edgewood Avenue, leaves today to spend a few days at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Laughton of Grand Forks.

Final Tribute Paid C. Loehnert

Last rites for Charles Loehnert, a Nelson resident for 32 years, were held Tuesday afternoon from the Thompson Funeral Home. Rev. H. J. Kritch of the St. John's Lutheran Church officiated.

Congregational hymns chosen were "Rock of Ages" and "Farewell I Say With Gladness" organ accompaniment being rendered by Mrs. H. A. Fanning.

L. Martschinke, G. Farenholtz, Robert Nolte, Mike Brader, E. Fridrich, and David Klein served as pallbearers. Interment was in Nelson Memorial Park.

Mr. Loehnert, who for many years was active as a farmer and dairyman in Nelson District, died Friday aged 85. He had been in retirement for the last 10 years.

PEWSEY, England (CP) — The District Council of this Wiltshire area has limited residents to not more than one dog and one cat because several dogs, cats and rabbits have strayed to neighboring houses looking for food.

Cranbrook Scouts Collect $166 at Apple Day Sale

KIMBERLEY, B.C.—Scout Apple Day here brought in $166 for sale of 16 boxes of apples, sold one on the streets and through the residential districts by Scouts and Cubs. The gross was higher by $35 than the sale of apples last year.

A recent census of scouts here shows a total of 91 boys in the two packs of Cubs and the two troops of scouts, including three King Scouts and a few Rover Scouts. All activities of these groups are headed by a single Scoutmaster and one assistant master. Appeals have been issued for volunteers to help in this local work.

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Hints for Housewives

By BETSY NEWMAN

TODAY'S MENU

Breakfast
Grapefruit or Grape Juice
Oatmeal with Milk
Toast Bacon Coffee

Luncheon:
Tapioca Omelette Apple Sauce
Whole Wheat or Enriched Bread
Butter or Margarine
Cookies Milk Tea

Dinner:
Chops Baked Potatoes Beets
Cabbage Apple Salad
Deep Dish Grape Pie Coffee

TAPIOCA OMELETTE

2 tablespoons quick-tapioca, ½ teaspoon salt, dash pepper, ¾ cup milk, scalded, 1 tablespoon shortening, 4 egg yolks, well beaten, 4 egg whites, stiffly beaten.

Combine tapioca, salt, pepper and scalded milk in top of double boiler and cook over boiling water 10 minutes, stirring frequently. Stir in the shortening, pour mixture over well-beaten egg yolks, stirring constantly. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites and pour into hot greased frying pan. Cook over low heat 15 minutes. Place in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) about 5 minutes, until dry on top. Cut part way through centre; fold and slip onto a hot platter. Serves 6.

DEEP DISH GRAPE PIE

6 cups stemmed Concord grapes, 1¼ cups sugar, 4½ tablespoons corn starch, 2 tablespoons lemon juice, few grains salt, 1 cup all purpose flour, ½ teaspoon baking powder, ½ teaspoon salt, 4 tablespoons fat, 1-3 cup milk.

Skin grapes, cook pulp until tender, force through a strainer. Add sugar, cornstarch and few grains salt to grape skins and pulp and cook, stirring constantly until thick and smooth. Add lemon juice and turn into a greased baking dish. For the crust, sift flour measure and sift into mixing bowl with baking powder and salt. Blend in fat with pastry blender or the tips of the fingers, and work until mixture resembles a bowl of small dried peas. Add milk, mixing it in gently with a fork. Turn dough onto lightly floured board and roll to fit top of casserole. Cut with pointed knife in several places to permit escape of steam. Fit over casserole and bake in hot oven (400 degrees F.) until crust is nicely browned and baked through—25 to 30 minutes. Serves 8.

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Fire Insurance Rates in Nelson

It is to be hoped that Mayor Stibbs' persistent battle for the establishment of lower basic fire insurance rates for Nelson by the B. C. Board of Underwriters will result in further adjustments from the visit this week of J. L. Noble, Secretary of the Board, and Chief Engineer Dowling.

Fire insurance rates, in the main, are based upon a schedule established by the B. C. Board of Underwriters. Board companies follow these rates strictly. So-called "non-board" companies make their own rates, and they vary with individual companies. Some companies which are non-board in British Columbia are board companies elsewhere. All operate under the aegis of Dominion and Provincial laws. There is a more or less constant battle between board and non-board companies for business, and both are able to offer good arguments in support of their canvass for business. In a broad sense, though, rates established by the Board of Underwriters are the base.

It is the commonly held opinion in Nelson that B. C. Board has been far too arbitrary and unwilling to do justice to either the insuring public or its agents in Nelson. For years, Nelson insurance agents put up battle after battle for improvement in their position in regard to commissions. They felt—and those competent to judge agreed with them—that they were discriminated against in comparison with Vancouver agencies. They asked for equality of treatment and, while they got some concessions, they failed to get it. They have not got it yet. The consequences have not been advantageous to the Board.

With equal reluctance, it has seemed, has the Board dealt with Nelson applications for lower rates. The story was always that if Nelson improved its fire protection services it would be promptly rewarded. Our water supply required augmentation, our fire fighting equipment was inadequate, our department needed more men, and so forth, before reductions could be granted. We made improvement after improvement, but the only significant reduction that was granted proved in detail to work out at considerably less than the percentage figure that had been mentioned. Some risks perhaps received a 20 per cent reduction, but how many?

Again we were told that we might do better if our fire protection system, already one of the best in the Province in both essential elements of prevention and actual fire-fighting, were improved. We have first class water supply, we have a fire department personnel of the highest competency which keeps to an almost incredibly low minimum damage from fire and water when fighting fire, and while we know that we require some new equipment we want to be sure if we expend the necessary money that we get an equitable reduction in rates. Our experience with the Board justifies the Mayor's insistence that we make the deal as to rates before they spend the money.

Our equipment today lacks a ladder truck which would permit efficient fighting of fires in upper stories of buildings. Obvously if we install that equipment risks of heavy losses by insurance companies will be reduced. Damage is more likely to be confined to the story in which a fire breaks out. We propose also to purchase a fast new truck with heavier pump equipment than we now possess. If the brigade can get to a fire more quickly, if when it gets there it can crush the fire with a heavier volume of water, that again obviously reduces prospects of loss.

Reductions in rates do not necessarily mean less revenue for insurance companies, nor would more equitable commissions to agents. Lower rates would tend toward the ideal of full legal coverage of risks—few of us are fully insured—and greater inducements would stimulate selling activities by agents.

Letters to the Editor

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

Those Who Lend Money Perform Real Service to Farmers, Says Citizen

To the Editor:

Sir—"Citizen" wishes to express his appreciation of the kindly notice given him in your issue of the 28th instant by Mr. J. C. Harris of New Denver. It seems a pity that such a refined, scholarly gentleman as Mr. Harris should spoil a really logical and convincing argument by jumping at the wrong conclusion and mistaking the facts.

"Citizen"—to give an example of jumping at conclusions—is neither a money lender nor a mortgagee, but in his capacity as a business man has become the owner of farm lands which he operates with partners on a crop-share basis. He has found it necessary in the past to borrow money—even to mortgage his lands. Had he been unable to get accommodation of this kind he would not now be the owner of unencumbered farm property. He numbers among his friends many prosperous farmers who would now be day-laborers had they been unable to borrow money. Just now he cannot recall a single instance of a successful farmer who did not become such by the judicious use of borrowed money.

I submit that the man who renders this indispensible service to the farmer is entitled to consideration and respect. He, like the farm laborer, is entitled to share in the agricultural returns he has made possible. Without his services our Prairie Provinces would still be "The Great Lone Land". But it seems that the worst reproach that can be hurled at "Citizen" is that he is one of this class.

Mr. Harris departs just a little from reality when he speaks of the volume of goods leaving the farm for the city and the trickle coming back to the farm. Just a year ago last August "Citizen" saw at Port Arthur train loads of agricultural machinery—more than a mere trickle—bound for the Prairies. Only two months ago he visited an old friend and school mate on the Prairies and saw a $10,000 house, large barns and granaries and machinery to the value of $40,000—all products of this mere trickle. None of these things were products of the farm but were brought in by monster trains drawn by powerful engines. If Mr. Harris could visit the main line of the C.P.R. and see the long trains of lumber and building material going out of B. C. en route for the Prairies and the long trains of agricultural machinery entering from the East he would be inclined to smile at anyone who called this mighty traffic a mere trickle. If Mr. Harris again would pause to consider what these trainloads had cost in labor, care, and skill of others than farmers he might perhaps, feel a little more kindly toward those he condemns as capitalists.

CITIZEN.

Nelson, B. C., Oct. 29.

Today's Horoscope

If this is your birthday, follow a psychic hunch about a social event or about romance. Be vivid, original and confident. The person born today is guided by impulse, swift changes in mood and a fondness for change. You are restless like to travel and lack concentration. You are generous and considerate of others. You are capable of great effort.

War—25 Years Ago

By The Canadian Press

Nov. 3, 1918.—Austria-Hungary surrendered to Gen. Armando Diaz, Italian troops landed at Trieste and Trent. On the Western front Franco-American forces cleared the Argonne region of the enemy. German sailors mutinied at Kiel. Mosul, Mesopotamia, occupied by the British.

Words of Wisdom

Much that we call evil is really good in disguise! and we should not quarrel rashly with adversities not yet understood, nor overlook the mercies often bound up in them.—Sir T. Browne.

Verse

"THIS WAS HER BROTHER"

This moving tribute is by a youthful author in memory of her older brother, Lt.-Col. Howard McTavish of London, Ont., killed on active service with the Royal Canadian Engineers, August, 1942, has been received by the Nelson Victory Loan Committee.

This was my brother
At Dieppe,
Quietly a hero
Who gave his life
Like a gift,
Withholding nothing.

His youth . . . his love . . .
His enjoyment of being alive . . .
His future, like a book
With half the pages still uncut—

This was my brother
At Dieppe—
The one who built me a doll house
When I was seven,
Complete to the last small picture frame,
Nothing forgotten.

He was awfully good at fixing things,
At manning the breach when he was needed.

That's what he did at Dieppe;
He was needed.
And even death must have been a little shamed
At his eagerness!

—MONA GOULD.

?? 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.

E. T., Sheep Creek—Could you please tell me where I could write to inquire about an army man?

Write Officer in charge of Records, Lieut.-Colonel W. E. L. Coleman, Branch of the Adjutant General Military Branch, Department of National Defence, Ottawa.

Y. S., Slocan City—Suggest you write Imperial Oil Limited, 56 Church Street, Toronto, for booklet containing information of N.H.L. hockey teams.

L. B., New Denver—I am going to the U. S. for medical treatment for two or three weeks. Will you kindly explain what to do in regards to our coupon ration books? Can we obtain temporary ration books or coupons to cover our stay, or can we use our own for rationed food?

The rationing of goods in the U. S. is under a different system than the food rationing in Canada. It would be necessary to apply to the Local Ration Board in the U. S. city where you will be visiting.

Curious, Nelson—Would you please tell me if it is legal to have a porch light on in Nelson?

Porchlights, no greater than 25 watt, are allowed in Nelson, if there is someone on the premises, or available to turn out the light in case a blackout is called. The light must be shielded from the top.

P. C., Salmo—Could you please tell me where I could get the history of the Mormons—that is a book concerning Brigham Young and his followers?

There is a book called "Brigham Young" which may be ordered at Nelson bookstores.

D. L. B., Trail—Please give the displacement tonnage of the following battleships: Bismarck, Hood, Renown and Repulse. Was the Bismarck faster than the other ships? Please give all information on guns, armor and speed to settle an argument?

Tonnage of the Bismarck was 35,000; H.M.S. Hood, 42,100; H.M.S. Repulse 32,000. There have been no official figures on the speed and armament of these ships.

Looking Backward

10 YEARS AGO
(From Daily News, Nov. 2, 1933)

International highway connections, present and prospective, of Nelson and Trail stand to benefit very materially by the Dominion camps to be installed to take care of single unemployed men from the Prairie, to be brought here for Winter work.

Overflowing and then ground sluicing a channel for itself, a pocket of water accumulated by the heavy rains, below the city's pipe-line from Five-Mile Creek, swept down the mountainside to the lake, taking out a 345 foot section of the Great Northern track, and then pouring a slide down upon the Canadian Pacific line down by the lake.

25 YEARS AGO
(From Daily News, Nov. 2, 1918)

"We must have more nurses", declared Dr. Isabel Arthur, as several nurses have been working 24 hours at a stretch and must be relieved.

George McLeod, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John McLeod of Nelson, died at Vancouver last Sunday from pneumonia following an attack of flu.

Nelson yesterday added $16,200 to the previous total of $204,000, and the "mercury" in the big thermometer in the Canadian Pacific Railway ticket office has gone up to $223,2000, which is the total of the five days Victory Loan campaign.

40 YEARS AGO
(From Daily News, Nov. 2, 1903)

Among the freight shipments sent out yesterday from Nelson were two large consignments of tramway machinery and cable for the Hunter V mine at Ymir and the Alsmo at Slocan.

Three tracts of land are being cleared for fruit farming on the Granite Road.

Frank S. Lewis of Spokane, one time holder of the international middleweight wrestling championship, lost a handicap match yesterday to G. C. McLaughlin, now of Nelson.

Gems of Thought

SINCERITY

"Sincerity and truth are the basis of every virtue."—Confucius.

"Loss of sincerity is loss of vital power."
—Bovee.

"A deep sincerity is sure of success, for God takes care of it."—Mary Baker Eddy.

"Nothing more completely baffles one who is full of trick and duplicity, then straightforward and simple integrity in another."—Colton.

"Sincerity is impossible unless it pervade the whole being, and the pretense of it saps the very foundation of character."—James Russell Lowell.

Test Yourself

1. Can you name the seaport in Japan nearest Tokyo?
2. Where is the Gobi Desert?
3. Is Afghanistan an independent country?

TEST ANSWERS

1. Yokohama.
2. Mongolia, China.
3. Yes, it is a monarchy.

HUMAN MUSHROOMS DROP ON JAP LANDING FIELD: Bailing out at an altitude lower than ever before attempted in battle, U. S. Army paratroopers are shown dropping behind a smoke screen in a raid upon a Jap landing strip in New Guinea. The capture of this strip was an important contribution to the ultimate victory of Lae.

About 200 Obtain Liquor Coupons on First Day

Coupon purchase of liquor came into effect here Monday, when Vendor W. J. Waters, of the Government Liquor Store, and his staff issued coupon sheets to approximately 200 applicants, most of whom bought their November ration forthwith.

The coupon sheet is about seven inches by four in size, with two perforations across the width of the sheet, the top section bearing the name, address, and permit number of the holder, the middle section being the December coupon, and the bottom section the November coupon. The identification portion is torn off by the Store staff with the first sale.

Some applicants who had bought heavily in October were entitled only to the December coupon, and received their sheets with the void November coupon removed.

THEORY AND PRACTICE DIFFER

Theoretically each coupon entitles the holder to purchase either a reputed quart of spirits, comprising 26 ounces by weight, or three dozen bottles of beer, or a gallon of native wine, or two reputed quarts of imported wine. For practical purposes here, this amounts to a choice between spirits and beer, as most of the time there is no wine on the shelves in the Nelson Store, the small allotments coming in from time to time lasting only three or four days, Mr. Waters states.

Out-of-town permit holders, if they wish, may send their permits to the Liquor Store, and the coupon sheets will be mailed to them. An applicant for a coupon sheet may suit himself as to whether he makes his purchase at the time of obtaining the sheet.

The Nelson Store has been supplied with 4000 coupon sheets, roughly corresponding with the average volume of sales here recently.

Warns Calgarians They Must Get Clearances for B. C.

CALGARY, Nov. 2 (CP). — A warning to residents of Calgary district who seek work in British Columbia was made today by J. J. Smith, acting manager of the National Selective Service office here.

Unless these people obtain clearance papers from the Selective Service, it will be almost impossible for them to find work in that Province, he said.

A large number of men from Alberta, many of whom had been employed on farms, have gone to British Columbia in the past few weeks, according to information received from the Vancouver office.

Owing to the need for manpower in essential industries here, this movement is being discouraged.

A close check is being kept on men who leave the Province without a permit to seek work in British Columbia, and in almost every case they will not be able to take a job there.

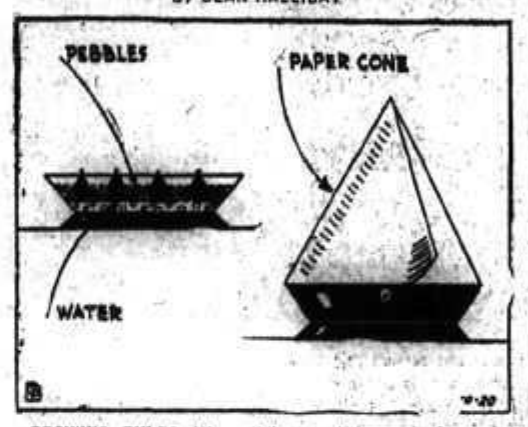
Nurse Grapples With Bank Gunman

WINDSOR, Ont., Nov. 2 (CP). — A member of the Victorian Order of Nurses today attempted unsuccessfully to frustrate the noon-hour robbery of the East Side branch of the Bank of Toronto by four armed and masked men who escaped with about $1000.

The nurse, Ida Bull, grasped the gun one man was holding and grappled with him until one of his companions struck her on the head. Then the men dashed into a waiting car and fled.

Today's VICTORY GARDEN-GRAPH

By DEAN HALLIDAY



GROWING BULBS IN WATER INDOORS

The easiest method of forcing bulbs indoors is by using pebbles and water. The only disadvantage is that afterwards the bulbs are useless and must be discarded.

As illustrated in the accompanying Garden-Graph, the bulbs to be forced are placed in the dark at a temperature of 50-55 degrees. Keep the bowls in the dark until the roots have become well established. As the water evaporates, add more.

Bring the bulb bowls into the warmth gradually but not on or near a radiator. Do not place them in the sunlight until they are almost ready to bloom.

The next easiest way to force bulbs is by growing them in fiber. When using fiber one can plant the bulbs in either flower pots, bulb pans or ornamental bowls. Use the especially prepared bulb fiber for this contains some plant food and charcoal. The fiber must be kept moist at all times. If the fiber is allowed to dry out the bulbs will not bloom.

Wet the fiber and place a layer in the bottom of the bowl. Then place the bulbs level with the rim of the bowl. Press the fiber firmly around the bulbs, leaving the tops exposed. Fill the bowl with water to within one-half inch of the top. The tips of the bulbs can show, just so the shoulders are covered.

Put the bowls away in a dark, cool cellar to promote root growth. About six to seven weeks later the bulbs can be brought into the light.

As illustrated in the Garden-Graph, when hyacinth bulbs are brought out into the light, placing a paper cone about them forces the buds to grow up before blooming.

Soldiers in Mines Not Under Army Discipline

VANCOUVER, Nov. 2 (CP). — Several hundred soldiers now employed in Alberta and British Columbia coal mines while on special leave may have liberty of action and are not under army discipline, a Pacific Command spokesman said today. He said the leave was given expressly for mining coal and it is within the Army's power to cancel such leave summarily and without explanation. He gave no hint that any such action is contemplated. Soldier-miners are on strike with the Union men and will receive a special subsistence allowance from Union funds.

58,723 LOOK FOR PLACE TO LIVE

OTTAWA, Nov. 2 (CP) — Homes are needed by 58,723 persons who have registered with Prices Board housing registries, and Ottawa, Halifax, Vancouver, Victoria, Edmonton, Toronto, and Montreal, are "dangerously overcrowded," the Board said today in a review.

Up to Aug. 31 the registers had found accommodation for 39,309 persons.

"In spite of the serious congestion existing in housing deficiency areas numbers of families of service men and civilian workers are continuing to move into these areas," said the Board.

"All unnecessary moving about of families should stop."

Nurses Chapter to Try Plan of Group Meetings

Meeting Monday evening at residence of Mrs. T. H. Glover, Baker Street, the Nelson Chap of the B.C. Graduate Nurses As ciation voted $100 for the purch of a Victory Bond of the curr issue, and voted $10 for tickets the I.O.D.E. drawing.

Mrs. T. Homersham was re painted the Chapter's represen tive on the Women's Advisory Co mittee in connection with the W time Prices and Trade Board he and Mrs. S. N. May was appoint to the Sick Committee and Flow Fund.

In order to make the Chapte work more effective, it was decl to divide the membership i groups each of which would m monthly for its own discussi while the Chapter would also m monthly.

Other items were the reading the news bulletin from the Re tered Nurses Association, Vanc ver, and an item read by Miss E Wilson about Army nurses.

At the social period Miss Ho Tregear poured.

STRIKING MINER REFUSED COAL

EDMONTON, Nov. 2 (CP).—Edmonton coal dealer reported day he received an order from coal miner who is on strike. T order was refused because "have no coal on hand to fill orders at present," the deale

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SPORTS

Canadiens Squeeze Two by McAuley to Hand Rangers Third Loss

MONTREAL, Nov. 2 (CP) — Montreal Canadiens chalked up their first win of the National Hockey League season tonight, edging out New York Rangers 2-1 before about 8000 fans.

The win moved Canadiens into second place, behind Toronto Maple Leafs, while their third straight loss kept Rangers in the League cellar.

Canadiens had to fight all the way for the win, chiefly because little Ken McAuley took delight in robbing them time after time in the first two periods when the Canucks had a wide margin in the play. Rangers made their best effort in a penalty-studded third period.

Murph Chamberlain and Phil Watson were the Canadiens' scorers, while Jack McDonald rapped home the lone Ranger tally. Chamberlain opened the scoring when he took Ray Getliffe's pass from a scramble early in the opening frame. Rangers tied it up at the 14-minute mark after a pile-up in front of the Canadien net.

Former Ranger Phil Watson made his first goal in a Canadien uniform the winner early in the second period with Butch Bouchard and Chamberlain drawing assists.

Lineups:

New York—McAuley; Heller, Dewar, Raleigh, G. Warwick, B. Warwick.

Montreal — Durnan; McMahon, Harmon, Lach, Richard, Blake.

New York subs—Davidson, Sands, Fraser, Strobel, McDonald, Hextall, Gooden, Labovitch.

Montreal subs—Bouchard, Lamoureux, O'Connor, Getliffe, Chamberlain, Watson, Majeau, Heffernan.

Referee—Clancy; Linesmen—Gravel and Lepine.

First period—1 Montreal, Chamberlain (Getliffe) 2:37; 2 New York, McDonald (Gooden) 14:53.

Penalties—Lach, Dewar.

Second period—3 Montreal, Watson (Bouchard, Chamberlain) 3:48.

Penalties—Raleigh, Heller, Chamberlain.

Third period—No score.

Penalties— Lamoureux (2), Harmon, McMahon, Dewar, Chamberlain, Labovitch.

U. S. Hunters Get Big Game In East Kootenay

CRANBROOK, B.C. — Good big game bags have been reported at Invermere by three American parties who emerged from the Simpson River and Assiniboine Mountain country after stays of varying length.

A party from Farragut Naval Station in Idaho reported three elk, three fine mountain goats, a black bear and a grizzly when they came back. They were Lieut.-Commander I. V. Christerson and Lieut.-Commander E. Hoedmaker and Dr. McLemore, and they were guided by Captain J. Ogilvy-Wills of Fairmont.

An Indianapolis couple, Mr. and Mrs. Ghert, were guided along the route taken by the Vice-Regal party and among their trophies was an elk with a 56-inch spread, shot by Mrs. Ghert. Walter Nixon guided them.

Howard L. Gentry of Jackson, Michigan, spent several weeks in that section of the Rockies, and came out with two goats, two mule deer, an elk, a mountain sheep, a mountain goat and a grizzly bear. His guide was Gordon Mackay.

All the game is not in the mountains, however. Farm operators along the Columbia and Windermere Valleys are reaching the desperate stage about deer who are making inroads into Winter feed stocks and demolishing haystacks.

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Notre Dame Still in Lead in Ranking Poll

NEW YORK, Nov. 2 (AP)—United States college football results so far this season have given the gridiron experts a pretty clear idea of where most of the power is to be found. And in this week's Associated Press ranking poll they summed it up in two words: "Notre Dame."

The Irish, triumphant 33-6 over Navy last Saturday, not only retained their place at the top of the ranking list but they received the first place votes of 97 of the 101 participants for a total of 1009 points.

Purdue, victorious in seven games, mostly by one-sided scores, shaded Army and Southern California in a close contest for second place. Pennsylvania, Michigan, Navy, Iowa, Pre-Flight, Duke and the College of the Pacific, in that order, completed the first 10.

Sting In Army Hockey Policy Is Hot

TORONTO, Nov. 2 (CP) — Wow! It appears the Army has the hockey tiger by the tail. If they let go now the wreckage will be scattered high, wide and handsome. The sting in the Army's hockey policy is making itself felt. Immediate withdrawal of the Regina Army team from the Saskatchewan Senior League with resultant collapse of the entire League is causing a commotion in that province.

Walt (Saskatoon Star-Phoenix) Riddell says the Army's new policy is that no soldier hockey player will be allowed to remain at a training centre after he has completed his course. He also reports the Army plans a check-up on hockey players early this month to ascertain how far each is advanced in his training.

"If this information is correct," writes Walt, "it will be almost impossible to keep a soldier in one camp for a five-month hockey schedule."

Dave Dryburgh of the Regina Leader-Post comments: "Left with out a senior hockey team for the first time in close to 30 years, Reginians are firing a steady stream of questions at military authorities. They've taken the loss of the army team in their stride but if hockey traffic in the services continues and Ottawa doesn't make a Dominion-wide cleanup, then indignant Regina citizens will want to know why."

Dryburgh speculates that certain hockey players recently enlisted will not be able to play hockey in cities where there is no basic training centre. He names Ottawa as one such city. Dave adds: "We would like a glimpse of Victoria's army excuse for retaining the entire team (except Art Rice-Jones) which went to the Allan Cup finals last Spring."

Incidentally:

Ken Chisholm of the Halifax Herald quotes Sam Manson, President of Hamilton Wildcats, as saying that if Wildcats win the Dominion football title they will play Halifax Navy "in Ottawa, Toronto or any place else and turn the entire proceeds over to some worthy war fund" . . . That would appease Halifax whose application for a C.R.U. playoff berth was refused . . . death of Charlie Murray in Fort William recalled he was a great soccer fullback in the years 1906-1913 when the Lakehead had high-class football.

Color Bar Takes Lambasting

LONDON, Nov. 3 (CP) — The color-bar of the British Boxing Board of Control received another lambasting from sports writers after Lefty Flynn of Jamaica took an easy 10-round decision over the British and Empire welterweight champion, Eraie Roderick, at London's Albert Hall.

Only British subjects born of white parents can box for British titles although anyone can fight for a British Empire title.

Said Frank Butler of the Daily Express:

"The stupidity of the color bar rule was shown up when Selvin Campbell, better known as Lefty Flynn, out-generalled, outboxed and outfought the British welterweight champion.

"We in this country have recognized Joe Louis, Henry Armstrong, John Henry Lewis, and other colored boxers as world champions. We even allowed Roderick to fight Armstrong here for the world title.

"Yet a black-skinned citizen of the British Empire cannot qualify by residence for a British title."

Morris F.A.C. Prexy, Porter Again Manager; Duffy Receives Trophy

Forty youngsters, the active membership of the Fairview Athletic Club, made merry at their annual feast in the Club Tuesday night, and then at their annual meeting laid the groundwork for the F.A.C.'s twenty-second consecutive year in Nelson sport.

Jack Morris was elected to the 1943-44 Presidency, while Slim Porter was returned to his perennial post as Manager with the unanimous endorsation of the nominations for a slate of officers from a previous meeting.

Highlight of the affair was the presentation of the Wilfred Marquis Sportsmanship Trophy to St. Clair Duffy as the Club's most outstanding and sportsmanlike player in the 1942-43 season. A miniature replica was presented on behalf of the Club by Mayor N. C. Stibbs, a guest, to be retained by Duffy.

Pictures of the bantam championship team of last season were presented to a team members, while a large picture containing individual photos of the champions was presented to Ed Keller, Civic Centre Secretary-Manager. This will go into the "art gallery" of champions and championship teams at the Civic Centre.

90 IN FORCES

A review of the Club's activities in the past year was given by Manager Porter. He recalled the championship series in which the F.A.C. bantams took the City title, and the midget and juvenile hockey series, both won by Panthers. During the Summer F.A.C. boxla squads had been active in the two-month season.

The year had seen three of the Executive, President Jim Houston, Vice-President Lloyd Ridenour and Secretary-Treasurer Mac Norris go to the armed forces. They joined 90 other former F.A.C. members enlisted in the services, Porter said.

Porter spoke with appreciation of the cooperation tendered by Mr. Keller in kid hockey.

ADVICE FROM PATRICK

Advice of Lester Patrick to youths who hoped to climb to the top in Athletics, not to smoke, not to drink and to keep good hours, was passed on to the young athletes by Mayor Stibbs. He lauded the work of Slim Porter among the youngsters, as a "real contribution in citizenship."

The value of practice, experience and training in games and in all endeavors was emphasized by Mr. Keller. Ice would be ready for a new season Nov. 15, he announced, and it was hoped to start league hockey about Dec. 1.

Ald. Ross Fleming, veteran Honorary Vice-President, spoke as a "representative of the parents" in urging the youths to "play the game in the best manner you can, and play it fair and square." Training in games was training in good citizenship, he said.

The Fairview playground project had not been forgotten, Ald. Fleming stated, and it was his hope to see it developed when conditions permitted. By such work Nelson continued its investment in its youth.

Appreciation and praise for the work of Slim Porter was voiced by a number of the Club members. Jack Morris, Jack Holmes, Jack Bone, Stanley Fisher, Bill Ludlow, Jack Waldie, St.Clair Duffy and Jim Todd. They ended by singing "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow."

NEW OFFICERS

The new executive includes Jack Morris, President, Stanley Fisher, Vice-President; Bill Ludlow, Second Vice-President; Jack Bone, Third Vice-President; John Holmes, Secretary-Treasurer; Jim Tod, bantam, St.Clair Duffy, midget and Jack Waldie, juvenile team representatives, and M. N. (Slim) Porter, Manager.

Honorary Vice-Presidents are Ald. Ross Fleming, Wilfred Marquis and Mayor N. C. Stibbs.

Savoys Trim U.I.C. by 372 Pins

Savoys 1947, U.I.C. 975.
Stars 1330, Queens 1301.
Cruisers 1176, Nurses 1013.
Bankers 1162, Royals 1066.

Five-pin lassies of the Savoy squad Monday night humbled the U.I.C. Pinbusters, beating them by 372 pins. Louis Coletti had a big share in the Savoys' triumph, adding 383 pins to the team total. Her high individual for the game was 194.

A Rothery of the Cruisers and Agnes Stewart of the Stars boasted top individual counts. Agnes' 236 single was the best of the night while Rothery rolled a 233 single and a 415 aggregate.

Teams and scores were:

U. I. C.			
C. Ward	54	82	136
P. Cornfield	73	61	134
H. Duclos	133	171	304
P. Thompson	97	68	165
J. Spratt	111	135	246
Total	468	517	975
SAVOY			
G. Monteleone	105	92	197
L. Dayman	175	192	367
I. Romano	64	55	119
L. Colletti	194	189	383
G. Procter	149	141	291
Total	681	666	1347
QUEENS			
N. Butler	135	97	232
J. Colman	109	163	272
V. Lord	158	174	332
M. Jones	124	143	267
J. Anderson	94	104	198
Total	620	681	1301
STARS			
R. Stewart	127	234	361
A. Stewart	99	235	334
A. Tato	127	94	221
I. Fraseo	77	93	170
F. Prestley	84	180	264
Total	534	796	1330
CRUISERS			
V. Hendricks	142	90	232
A. Rothery	233	182	415
J. Harvey	56	84	140
B. Robertson	118	143	261
A. Nuyens	62	68	130
Total	601	577	1178
NURSES			
G. Carr	103	103	206
L. Smart	103	100	203
V. Long	53	117	170
B. Annedale	128	136	264
W. Preston	100	66	166
Total	487	526	1013
BANKERS			
F. MacIntyre	99	129	228
D. Bergstrom	131	151	282
J. Hammer	101	104	205
O. Patterson	104	125	229
B. Aldersmith	94	87	181
Total	529	573	1102
ROYALS			
M. Keough	154	77	231
R. DeLucresio	144	91	235
M. Fisher	142	112	254
M. Burns	116	123	239
F. Aldersmith	49	78	127
Total	605	461	1066

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

NEW YORK, Nov. 2 (AP)Amos Alonzo Stagg, 81-year-old football coach at the College of the Pacific, receives $2,000 a year from the University of Chicago, which retired him because of his age 19 years ago . . . and maybe it isn't a bad investment for Chicago, which is getting nearly as much publicity from Stagg's successes at C.O.P. as it did from any of the teams turned out by his successors.

SHORT SHIRT STORY

Bowlers in the 21 leagues sponsored by the Boeing Airplane Company in Seattle, Wash., really gave the shirts off their backs for the Bowlers' Victory Legion the other night . . . Each year the Company awards each man $2.50 for a bowling shirt. The 1,500 pin spillers voted to turn over the money to the fund to buy cards and other recreational equipment for the Armed Forces overseas.

ONE-MINUTE SPORTS PAGE

Arthur Sampson, here beating the drums for Dartmouth football, claims another record was set when the Indians played Yale and the scribes overlooked it . . . "That was the first time we ever played in the Bowl, collected half the gate receipts and only had enough money to reach Milford—five miles or so from New Haven."

Warrant Officer Frank Hartley, ex-Louisville Times sports scribe, reports that American soldiers in England are showing plenty of interest in soccer, which they call "basketball with feet."

Coast Teams Play Saturday

VANCOUVER, Nov. 2 (CP) —New Westminster Spitfires and Vancouver St. Regis, two of the three civilian teams in the Pacific Coast Senior Hockey League, play their first games Saturday meeting each other.

Based on present player prospects the teams wouldn't seriously threaten any of the service squads even if they amalgamated.

At Spitfires practice last night, most impressive were Pete Leswick, Buster Brayshaw, Shorty Coombes and two goalers, Stub Mason and Andy Young. The 25 other aspirants for the New Westminster team were just chaps with skates on. And it isn't even certain Spitfires will have Leswick who is expecting his Army call.

St. Regis also practised last night. Players trying out for the Hotelmen include Percy Jackson, Frank Jerwa, Bill Hutton, Lude Palm, Ed Trites, Jack Riley and Larry Kwong.

Spitfires may be stronger when Manager Hugh McNeill returns from a prairie "ivory" trip. At Saskatoon he signed up Jimmy Wilson, formerly of Nanaimo.

LONDON (CP)—Long range fuel tanks constructed from paper, animal glue and gelatine now are carried by fighter planes. There is little loss of material when they are jettisoned.

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TODAY'S News Pictures

BARRAGE BALLOONS PROTECT LANDINGS: Small barrage balloons manned by the R.A.F. helped keep the German planes from swooping too low during landings in Italy. These balloons were carried on invasion barges and came ashore at a height of 200 feet. As a beachhead was established, they were raised to operational height by small portable hand winches.

PLEADS GUILTY: Grace Buchanan-Dinesh, a native of Canada and known as "Countess" has pleaded guilty in Detroit, Mich., to a charge of sending military information to Germany. She has been held by F.B.I. since her arrest last August.

VETERAN CANADIAN POET WEDS: Sir Charles G. D. Roberts, 83, well-known Canadian poet and his bride, following their marriage in Toronto. Lady Roberts, formerly Miss Joan Montgomery, 35-year-old radio operator at Malton, Ont., will return to her war job.

COMMANDER: Brigadier H. A. Sparling, 36, formerly of Ottawa, who has been promoted overseas from the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel and made Commander, Royal Canadian Artillery, of a Canadian division overseas.

CHICAGO'S MAYOR QUESTIONED: Mayor Edward J. Kelly of Chicago chats with reporters just prior to his appearance before the Grand Jury. The Mayor was called to answer questions in connection with the Grand Jury's investigation into gambling in the Windy City.

MR. CHIPS: A real sea dog "Mr. Chips", mascot of a U. S. Navy transport, was smuggled aboard by the crew. Ordered ashore by the executive officer, he was "rescued" by other crew members who managed to soften the heart of the "executive". Since then "Mr. Chips" has participated in the actions at Attu and Kiska.

SALLY'S SALLIES

MAKE YOUR GIFTS: Here's a collection of ten really exciting gift ideas—something to delight almost everyone on your list. Each dainty useful object will look dollars more than it cost you to make. For some of them you may find the material in your scrap bag. Instructions 713 contain detailed directions for 10 articles; necessary pattern pieces.

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By ROBERT QUILLEN

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During the 18 months ending July 1943, the British output of tanks was trebled.

Contract... By Shepard Barclay

A DENIAL OF POWER

WHILE, with all able users of standard bidding conventions, a bid at any time of just one more than necessary to be legal is a proclaimer of great general strength, the contrary is true of a bid which is two or three higher than necessary. It denotes great suit length, usually without any particularly impressive power in high cards and probably with almost none.

North: ♠ 2 ♥ A 10 4 ♦ K Q ♣ K Q J 10 6 5 4
West: ♠ A 3 ♥ K J 9 8 7 ♦ A 9 7 4 ♣ A 8
East: ♠ 9 7 5 ♥ 6 5 3 2 ♦ 10 8 6 3 ♣ 7 3
South: ♠ K Q J 10 8 6 4 ♥ Q ♦ J 8 2 ♣ 9 2

(Dealer: West. East-West vulnerable.)

West	North	East	South
1♥	2♣	Pass	4♠
Dbl	4♣	Pass	Pass
Dbl			

"You probably never will take a trick in my hand except in this particular suit" was the message South tried to convey to his partner with that bid of 4-Spades. A secondary message, of virtually equal importance, was, "I do not expect or need to find any spades at all in your hand, as I am satisfied with my suit, and even if I am doubled I want you to leave the double in."

North did not get the idea. His own hand looked so good to him that he forgot one essential of bidding principles. It is that, when one partner can lay down some high cards, he furnishes a pretty good dummy to the other. The corollary is that the hand with high cards may be terrifically up against it if his partner lays down a worthless dummy.

If North had passed the 4-Spades, South would have made his contract, losing one trick each in spades, diamonds and clubs. In the 5-Club contract North took a beating, losing one trick each in spades, diamonds and clubs following a heart lead. If a club had been led to the A and another returned, North would have lost five tricks, as he could not then have ruffed out any heart losers.

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Tomorrow's Problem

North: ♠ 7 4 3 ♥ Q ♦ A K Q 8 7 ♣ Q 9 7 2
West: ♠ 10 ♥ 6 ♦ J 9 6 4 3 ♣ A J 10 5 4
East: ♠ J 9 6 5 3 ♥ J 8 4 3 ♦ 10 ♣ 8 6 3
South: ♠ A K Q 8 ♥ A K 10 9 7 5 2 ♦ 5 ♣ K

(Dealer: South. North-South vulnerable.)

What would you consider the soundest bidding on this deal?

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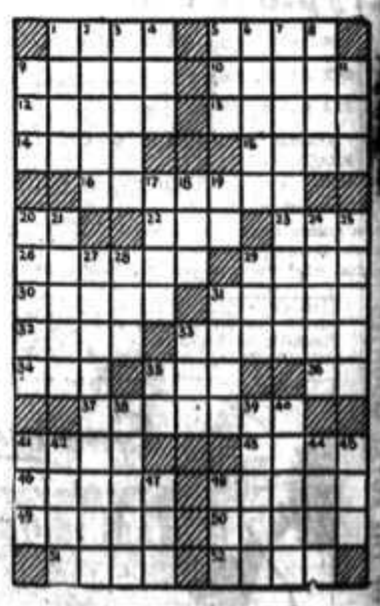
Yesterday's Answer

ACROSS
1. Begone!
5. Ova
9. Simpleton
10. Undershot waterwheel
12. Young eel
13. Discolored by aging, as trees
14. Sesame (var.)
15. Knife
16. Told
20. April (abbr.)
22. Poem
23. Measure (Jap.)
26. Woody grass
29. Wild pig
30. Member of Hitler's race
31. Sew loosely
32. Municipality
33. Flavoring syrup of almonds
34. Residue of burned material
35. Constellation
36. The (Fr.)
37. 8-sided figure
41. Girl's name
43. Infant
46. Forests
48. Cut
49. Tidal flood
50. Custom
51. One who dyes things
52. Elongated fishes

DOWN
1. Fish
2. Overspread
3. White poplar
4. Norse god
5. Finish
6. Web-footed bird
7. High-sounding
8. Place
9. Wager
11. Affirmative vote
17. Bird
18. Fuse
19. Tellurium (sym.)
20. Manila hemp
21. Capital of France
24. Province of So. Africa
25. Island off Greece
27. Collection of myths
28. Howl, as a dog
29. Sack
31. Boast
33. Openings (Anat.)
35. Close to
38. Framework (military unit)
39. Fat
40. Pertaining to the navy
41. Female sheep
42. Burden
44. Pleads
45. Before
47. Weight of India
48. Girl's nickname



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Calgary Livestock

CALGARY, Nov. 2 (CP) —Cattle 200; calves 22; hogs 182; sheep 967.

Good lambs 9.50-10. Good butcher heifers 10.25-10.75; common-medium 8.50-10. Good cows 7.50-8. Good bulls 7-7.50.

Hogs Monday 15.25 for B1 yards and plants; sows 8.50-9 live weight yards; 11.25 dressed weight yards and plants; extra heavies 11.25-13.25 dressed weight yards and plants.

A kingfisher makes its nest by burrowing a four-inch hole that may extend 20 feet into a river bank.

Elk River Colliery of Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company Most Modernly Equipped on Continent

ELK RIVER COLLIERY FACTS

A plant investment by Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company of close to $1,500,000.

Plant described as finest of kind on continent.

Potential scale of operation 4000 tons a day.

Estimated life of operation 50 years.

Permanent employment for hundreds of miners, who will live in Fernie.

FERNIE, B.C., Nov. 2—Nearing completion, four miles from Fernie, after 17 months of construction, is perhaps the most modern coal handling plant on the continent. It has been pronounced this by visiting experts, and represents, with service buildings and other equipment, an investment that will materially top the appropriation of $1,258,000 originally voted for it. It will serve the Elk River Colliery, the newest development by the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company, Ltd.

Elk River Colliery is the biggest new development in the East Kootenay in many years.

It will top, when in full operation, the palmiest days of Coal Creek, when the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company had five mines in production there, and will have an annual production of over 1,000,000 tons.

SPECIAL MARKET ACROSS LINE

All the output will be of high carbon content, and a proportion will be shipped to new metal industries across the line. No other coal suitable for this purpose is to be found West of West Virginia. A substantial portion of production will also meet Western Canada's industrial needs.

Already Fernie has been rejuvenated, and everything in the way of a habitation in Fernie is in use, even tourist cabins, to accommodate construction men and the operating crews required by the new colliery's present small scale production from one seam. The construction men will soon be away, but their place will be more than taken by expanded operating crews, and when full production is reached, only building expansion will enable Fernie to take care of the newcomers.

Mechanization in both colliery and plant is being carried to the last degree, with consequently economical operation, and the entire output of the colliery will be prepared for market in the most scientific and efficient manner.

On the basis of 1,000,000 tons a year, the life of the operation is estimated at not less than 50 years.

The Elk River Colliery represents the Company's desire to have if possible a new operation in proximity to Fernie, intensive exploration of the Coal Creek Valley, proof of volume and quality, choice of point of attack, and finally of the Directors of a new large scale operation with the most modern plant possible.

With the authority of the Directors, plans were drawn and estimates made, and finally the appropriation was passed, and contracts were let. Work was begun May 11, 1942, and now plans are in the last stages of execution. It gives the Company its second big modern operaton, long envisioned.

In situation, the Elk River Colliery is on the slope of the mountain forming the South side of Coal Creek Valley, nearer Fernie than the old Coal Creek workings, but in sight of the Coal Creek tipple, which at present is serving both operations.

Of the 10 seams outcropping, three will be mined—No. 4, which is 10 feet thick, No. 9, relatively high up, which varies from 10 to 14 feet in thickness, and No. 10, still higher, which is 20 feet thick. Numbers 4 and 9 will be mined full depth, but in the case of No. 10 only the upper half will be excavated in the first instance.

The entries on No. 4 and No. 9 go in on the respective outcrops, but No. 10 will be tapped underground by a working tunnel from No. 9, and all coal from No. 10 will come out through No. 9 portal.

Seams 4 and 9 are in production now—or were before the strike—their output, at the rate of 500 tons a day, being hauled by narrow gauge railway along the hillside, to the Coal Creek tipple, which also handles 500 tons daily from the Coal Creek South Mine.

To a visitor, the impressive sight at the Elk River Colliery is not the quarter of a mile or so of conveyer house up the mountainside connecting the portals, or, in the case of No. 9 seam, the portal site, with what is below, but the huge "preparation plant" that spans the South side of the Valley, and that combines washing plant and tipple.

PREPARATION PLANT HUGE STRUCTURE

There it stands, a huge structure of grey concrete base and red tile sides, the part housing the sizing, washing and drying operations being four stories in height, resting on the edge of the slope, while its lowest story extends out over seven spur tracks, as a loading gallery. The frame of course is of structural steel, and its roof is completely fire resistant, being constructed of two-by-fours laid on edge, covered with heavy tarred roofing, with a gravel finish.

In dimensions the "preparation plant" proper, that is, without the loading gallery, is 104 feet long and 96 feet wide, practically square in ground plan, with a height of 68 feet—which allows of some pretty tall stories.

14,000 FEET OF TRACKS

The loading gallery, like a long red or pink arm, extends out over the centre of the trackage, which extends both up and down the valley. This railway yard, 1900 feet in length, is now being levelled by grader, and laid with tracks. It is a development from a spur three-quarters of a mile in length, which takes off from the Coal Creek line. Spur and yard will have 14,000 feet of trackage. The yard will have a gradient of 1.2 per cent, with the valley, so the cars being loaded can be moved along under the chutes by gravity.

On the down-valley side of the preparation plant are the various auxiliary plants and buildings—all of concrete and red tile.

Most of the structural work is now completed, and also most of the installations, and the work is now in its final stages.

The Dominion Bridge Company is the contractor for supply and erection of the structural steel, and for the machinery of the preparation plant, while the Bennett & White Company erects all the buildings, with the exception of steel frames, and does the excavating and filling for the railway yard. Much of the installation and of the external development of the colliery, is done directly by the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company's men.

Market Trends . . .

TORONTO, Nov. 2 (CP) —The stock market posted a margin of gains over losses. Western Oils were narrow.

B.C. Power "A", Montreal Power and Winnipeg Electric were higher.

The Abitibi issues weakened small fractions.

Nickel slipped to 80½ for a loss of 2½. Coast Copper, Sherritt, Steep Rock, Waite-Amulet and Normetal also weakened moderately.

MONTREAL, —Metals were easier in trading today.

International Nickel slipped 2⅝ and Smelters, Noranda, Normetals and Aldermac were off lesser amounts.

Montreal Power and International Power Pfd. improved.

VANCOUVER,—Mines and oils dropped slightly on the Vancouver Exchange today.

WINNIPEG, —Wheat export business featured the trading session today with an estimated 2,500,000 bushels involved in the transactions.

United Kingdom Buyers were credited with purchasing in excess of 1,250,000 bushels, while the United States Commodity Credit Corporation took more than 1,000,000 bushels.

Rye followed a stronger trend at Chicago with both the December and May futures posting new seasonal highs.

CHICAGO, Nov. 2 (CP) —Wheat futures continued a strong advance today, all contracts reaching new seasonal highs at times on gains of more than two cents. Rye was firm with wheat, but there was little demand for the feed grains and they hung back.

Buying by cash and Distiller interests boomed wheat prices, and other domestic markets in that grain also were firm.

Toronto Stock Quotations

MINES	
Anglo-Huronian	9.95
Beattie Gold Mines	1.70
Bidgood Kirkland	.39
Buffalo Ankerite	3.40
Central Patricia	1.03
Chromium M. & S.	2.00
Coniaurum Mines	1.60
Consolidated M. & S.	41.00
Dome Mines	36.25
East Malartic	1.65
Eldorado Gold	1.31
Falconbridge Nickel	3.85
God's Lake Gold	.17½
Golden Gate	.11
Hard Rock Gold	1.11
Hollinger	11.75
Hudson Bay M. & S.	31.00
Internat. Nickel	30.25
Kerr-Addison	6.90
Lake Shore Mines	16.00
Lamaque Contac	5.50
Leitch Gold	1.30
Little Long Lac	1.00
MacLeod Cockshutt	2.25
Madsen Red Lake	1.55
Malartic Gold	3.35
McIntyre-Porcupine	86.00
McKenzie Red Lake	1.82
Mining Corporation	2.16
Nipissing Mining	1.70
Noranda	50.25
Normetal	1.06
Pamour Porcupine	1.33
Perron Gold	1.05
Pickle Crow Gold	1.88
Preston East Dome	2.24
San Antonio Gold	2.60
Sherritt Gordon	.87
Sladen Malartic	.56
Steep Rock	3.52
Sudbury Basin	3.35
Teck-Hughes Gold	3.10
Toburn Gold Mines	.86
T. Contl. Res.	.61½
Ventures	7.00
Waite Amulet	4.95
Wright Hargreaves	3.35
OILS	
Imperial	15.50
Inter Petroleum	22.50
INDUSTRIALS	
Abitibi Power "A"	3¼
Bell Telephone	137
Brazilian Tract	24¾
Breweries & Distillers	8½
B.C. Power "A"	25
Can. Car & Foundry	51½
Can. Malting	42¾
Can. Pacific Rly.	10¾
Can. Ind. Alcohol "A"	6
Dominion Bridge	34½
Distillers Seagrams	36½
Ford of Canada "A"	34
Goodyear Tire	36½
Hamilton Bridge	5½
Imperial Tobacco	11½
Montreal Power	18¾
Nat. Steel Car	14½
Steel of Can.	67

Vancouver Turns Down Shark Meat

VANCOUVER, Nov. 2 (CP).—Vancouverites are not yet short enough of meat to start eating the flesh of sharks, for several attempts to sell this type of food in the city have not been successful. Meat-hungry Seattle, however, will readily buy Canadian-caught shark meat, and 2000 pounds of it was shipped Monday from Vancouver to the Washington city.

GOV'T DECISION ON ALTA. DEBTS EXPECTED SOON

EDMONTON, Nov. 2 (CP).—Hon. Solon E. Low, Provincial Treasurer, said today on return from a business trip to Ottawa and Toronto that a decision by the Dominion Government as to disposition of Alberta's treasury bill debts is expected shortly.

"After preliminary discussions" on extension of treasury bills totalling nearly $2,000,000, "the matter was held in abeyance," Mr. Low said. "I expect word from the Dominion officials any day now."

He said a master agreement on the question of liquor administration and recompense was drawn up at meetings between Dominion and provincial officials. Provinces asked for compensation for loss of liquor profits, arising out of war-time restrictions imposed by Federal authorities.

Stop Deliveries of Coal at Nanaimo

NANAIMO, B.C., Nov. 2 (CP).—Coal deliveries in Nanaimo were stopped today but the move was not expected to prove any real hardship as the majority of householders have their Winter's supply. While coal miners were idle for the second day in their strike for higher wages, the only shortage was felt by 30 seiner boats which were scrambling for galley coal.

Ask Employers to Help End Strike

VANCOUVER, Nov. 2 (CP). — Employees of three wholesale jewelry firms who have been on strike for a week have asked their employers to join with them in an application to the region War Labor Board for an increase in wages of 10 cents an hour and holidays with pay.

The strikers are members of the International Jewelry Workers Union (A.F.L.).

Cranbrook Airman Wins Commission

CRANBROOK, B.C.—Recent graduate of flying schools, enlisting here, Jack Soden has been commissioned in the R.C.A.F.

Pilot Officer Soden was born and educated here and prior to his enlistment worked at the Sullivan mine at Kimberley. He is the younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Soden, and his brother, Sgt. Jim Soden is overseas with the R.C.A.F.

MONTREAL STOCKS

INDUSTRIALS	
Assoc Brew of Can.	20
Can. Car & Fdy Pfd	29
Can. Steamship	10½
Con. Min. & Smelting	41½
Dom. Steel & Coal	9
H. Smith Paper Pfd.	106½
McColl Frontenac	8¾
National Brew Ltd.	34¾
Shawinigan W. & P.	14½
BANKS	
Commerce	129
Dominion	160
Montreal	187
Royal	138½
Toronto	243

WINNIPEG GRAIN

WINNIPEG, Nov. 2 (CP) — Grain quotations:

	Open	High	Low	Close
RYE:				
Dec.	113⅞	114⅝	112½	114⅝
May	113¼	114⅝	112¾	114

OATS:
All futures at ceiling prices — 51½

BARLEY:
All futures at ceiling prices — 64¾

CASH PRICES:
Rye: 2. C. W. 1.14⅝.
Oats: (All grades at ceiling prices) 51½.
Barley: (All grades at ceiling prices) 64¾.

New York Markets Close for Elections

NEW YORK, Nov. 2 (AP) — The New York Stock and Curb Exchange the Foreign Exchange market and local commodity markets were closed today for U. S. off-year elections.

The holiday is only being observed in states where elections are being held.

VANCOUVER STOCKS

Bayonne	.04	.04½
Bralorne	11.00	—
Cariboo Gold	1.40	1.42
Gold Belt	.20	.22½
Grull Wihksne	.03	.03½
Hedley Mascot	.32	.34
Knob Hill	.30	.31½
Pend Oreille	—	1.50
Pioneer Gold	—	3.30
Prem Gold	1.04	1.10
Privateer	.29½	.31
Reeves MacDonald	.20	.30
Reno Gold	—	.05
Sheep Creek	.90	.92
Whitewater	.03¾	.04
Ymir Yankee G.	.09½	.10
OILS		
Anaconda	.05	.05½
Anglo Cdn	.70	.75
Calgary & Ed	2.35	2.45
Commonwealth	.30	.33
Dalhousie	.38	.45
Foothills	1.40	1.60
Home	3.65	—
McDougall Secur.	.07½	.09
Okalta Com	.75	.78
Pacific Pete	.48	.51
Royalite	34.00	—
Southwest Pete	.35	.35
Vensita	.07½	.08½
INDUSTRIALS		
Capital Estates	2.25	3.00
Coast Brew	1.33	1.55
United Distill	2.00	2.25

Webster, James Visit Florence

George Webster of Toronto, and Dr. James, eminent mining engineer, arrived from the East Monday, and drove up to the Kootenay Florence Mine, at Ainsworth. The party included Mrs. Webster, and Mr. Webster's secretary, and made use of J. H. M. Greenwood's car. They spent Monday night at Kaslo.

Mr. Webster, who is the reputed owner of the Kootenay Florence which is now being operated by the Dominion Government, is deputy oil controller, under Controller G. B. Cottrelle.

C.I.O. Want Little Steel Wage Plan Eliminated

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 2 (AP).—The Congress of Industrial Organization (C.I.O.) convention unanimously adopted a resolution today demanding elimination of the so-called little steel formula of wage stabilization and asserting "any continued failure to assure strong price control, overall rationing, and taxation truly based upon ability to pay will of course require future readjustment of wages."

"It is an unfortunate fact," the resolution stated, "that the people's demands for a sound and integrated economic stabilization program have not been made effective. . . .

"Congress has taken every opportunity to impede and prevent effective action to control prices, and even today is threatening to bar the use of funds essential for subsidies to assure some measure of price control."

Barr Old Style Holds Milk Record

OTTAWA, Nov. 2 (CP) — The Canadian Ayrshire breeders association announced today that Barr Old Style, in the Ontario Agricultural College herd at Guelph, Ont., now is the champion Ayrshire producer in Canada.

On two milkings a day her production was 20,694 pounds of milk and 894 pounds of butterfat in 365 days.

Under the Association's classification plan, Barr Old Style is given a score of 97 out of 100, the highest score ever made by an Ayrshire cow in either Canada or the U. S.

Change in Service

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Owing to low water, through service will be cancelled and the following service established:

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Lv. Needles ..... 8:00 a.m.
Tues., Fri. to Robson West, connecting with Train 12 for Nelson.

S. S. MINTO

Lv. Nakusp ..... 8:00 a.m.
Tues., Fri. to Carrolls.

Lv. Carrolls ..... 10:30 a.m.
Tues., Fri. to Nakusp

Lv. Nakusp ..... 8:00 a.m.
Wed., Sat. to Arrowhead.

Lv. Arrowhead ..... 12:35 p.m.
Wed., Sat. to Nakusp.

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NELSON DAILY NEWS

Cryptoquotes

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Yesterday's Cryptoquote: THE MUSIC THAT CAN DEEPEST REACH, AND CURE ALL ILL, IS CORDIAL SPEECH—EMERSON.

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

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Shortage of Children's Clothing Major Concern of Canadian Merchants

By JAMES McCOOK
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Shortages of children's clothing and shoes appeared as a major concern of Canadian purchasers and storekeepers in a Coast-to-Coast survey of the supply situation made by The Canadian Press.

Most of the shortages reflected the demands of war for wool, cotton, silk and other raw materials, along with the limitations in skilled help and manpower generally.

(In Ottawa it was understood the Prices Board is giving urgent consideration to seeing that children's clothing needs are met).

Vancouver and Prairie points all commented on the limitations of clothing available for children.

Merchants reported the position better in respect to adult clothing. Gloves, sweaters, blankets and pillowcases were hard to get in some cities, while several merchants commented on the comparative rarity of top-quality men's shirts.

A Vancouver clothing merchant said mothers had been "running crazy" trying to find trousers for sons returning to school. Overalls, dress shorts, woollen underwear, hats, sweaters and socks were scarce. Many merchants reported shortages in house furnishings, both wooden and metal.

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DEMOLISH BRIDGE ACROSS KOOTENAY

CRANBROOK, B. C.—Demolition of the Newgate bridge across the Kootenay river south of Elko was completed recently by the Public Works Department. The wood bridge, which is over thirty years old, has been condemned for vehicular traffic for the past several years, and was removed as a safety measure. It provided access for several rural families living on the west side of the river to the southern transprovincial highway about 15 miles north at Elko. Because of the small population, cost of replacement is not justified at present.

More direct access to that district has evolved recently by a private road cleared by Barr and Kennedy lumber company who haul lumber from there. The main road via the southern transprovincial road runs north of Baker mountain to Elko, while this new private road cuts the mileage by a large fraction continuing from Gold Creek on the south side of Baker mountain.

FIRST SNOW FALLS ON BAKER STREET

First snow of the season flew in Nelson Monday night. For over half an hour wet heavy snow fell on Baker Street, melting almost as it touched the ground. In Rosemont and Cottonwood City the fall was considerably heavier. It was reported that two to three inches covered the ground at Blewett near midnight.

SLOCAN CITY

SLOCAN CITY, B.C.—Mr. and Mrs. Kline and Mrs. D. Nichol were visitors to Nelson.

Miss A. Storgard of the Rossland teaching staff spent the weekend at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Parker, Mrs. M. Downey, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. O'Neil and H. Avis were visitors to Nelson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Cameron and two children of Pouce Coupe, B.C., arrived Saturday and will be guests of Mr. Cameron's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Cameron, for a time.

Rev. T. J. S. Ferguson of Nelson conducted service in Knox United Church on Sunday. While here Mr. Ferguson was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. MacMillan.

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8 Days Rain, Fog in October; Rain 2.52 Inches

Spells of chill nights and clear days, rain and fog, along with the changing and falling of leaves, brought Fall to Nelson in October.

On eight days during the month rain fell, during two nights the mercury fell to 32 degrees, only one degree from the frost point. During the rainy period, 2.52 inches was recorded, the heaviest, .53 inch, on Oct. 25.

For 12 days the mercury never climbed out of the 40's, and on nine days was never higher than the 50's. During the earlier part of the month in contrast, for five days it ranged as high as the 70's and on five days was in the 60's. Top temperature of the month was 75.1 degrees on Oct. 6.

On Oct. 24, the temperature ranged less than two degrees, from extremes of 42.8 to 40.9. The two days when the thermometer showed 33 degrees were Oct. 14 and 19.

Infant Daughter of Nelson Couple Is Laid at Rest

Funeral services for the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Thompson, Theresa Annette, was held Tuesday morning at Somers Funeral Chapel. Rev. H. Stewart Forbes officiated. The hymn sung was "Safe in the Arms of Jesus." Interment took place in Nelson Memorial Park.

KASLO

KASLO, B.C.—Cpl. Dorothy Hamilton, C.W.A.C., who spent her leave with her mother, Mrs. H. Hamilton, in Kaslo has returned to her duties at Vermilion.

P. W. Burgess has returned from New Denver, where he went to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. S. R. M. Burgess.

Miss Margaret Morrow spent the weekend at her home in Nelson.

Tony Hansen of Poplar returned Saturday after visiting Nelson and Kaslo.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Lougheed and Dr. Lougheed left Saturday to make their home at New Denver, where Mr. Lougheed, who is Supervisor for the B.C. Security Commission, has been transferred.

Mrs. J. Paterson returned Friday evening after several days spent in Nelson visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Vera McDowall of Sheep Creek were in Kaslo, en route to Whitewater where they will take up residence.

Visitors from Blondel at the weekend included Mrs. R. Paterson, Mrs. J. Russell and Mrs. George Davis.

Mrs. Jack Hendren of Nelson visited her father, A. L. Grayling and her sister, Mrs. W. Hendren, in Kaslo for several days.

J. McPherson had as weekend guests his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Middleton of Trail.

Mrs. Brochler visited Nelson for a few days.

Dr. and Mrs. George Gibson are home after visiting Drumheller, Calgary and Edmonton.

Harry Whellams of Salmo spent several days at his home in Kaslo.

Constable and Mrs. George Rasmussen, who spent the summer at their Shutty Bench home, have taken up residence in the Wheatley Cottage in Kaslo.

Mrs. A. Allen had as guests her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Allen of Trail.

Dr. K. Shimotakahara has left on a trip to Blue River and Alberta Centres, under the B.C. Security Commission.

Mrs. A. C. Brett was in Nelson to attend the Teacher's Convention.

H. Oda of New Denver visited his mother in Kaslo.

Mrs. Y. Condy visited Nelson at the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Algot Nordquist were here from Whitewater at the weekend.

After a three weeks visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Roberts, in Kaslo, Mrs. C. Paul left Monday morning for her home in Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Garrett and Mr. and Mrs. A. Nordquist were here from Whitewater friday night.

Mrs. H. Hamilton left Saturday for Vancouver, where she will spend the winter with her daughter Margaret.

Cpl. F. L. Farrell has arrived in Kaslo to join the local force of the R.C.M.P.

A. P. Allsebrook of Shutty Bench visited Nelson recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spiers are spending a week or two at Lardo.

H. P. Scott, who has been on the staff of the B.C. Security Commission, has left for Tashme. J. P. Knox has replaced him here.

Mrs. L. Sandilands was a visitor to Nelson Saturday.

H. D. Smith of the R.C.M.P., stationed in Kaslo for some months, has been transferred to the coast.

A. Williams of Banff was a visitor to the city.

H. R. Board was in Kaslo at the weekend en route to his home at Howser after visiting Nelson.

A. R. Barrow of Johnson's Landing was a visitor to Kaslo.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Gardiner entertained at an enjoyable dinner and bridge party, at their home. Guests were Mayor and Mrs. E. H. Latham, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Browell, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hayes and J. Paterson.

Mrs. W. F. McNicol of Johnson's Landing was in Kaslo at the weekend.

Bill Lanken was at Sheep Creek at the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hayes were in Nelson at the weekend; Mr. Hayes attending the Teacher's Convention. Other teachers attending from Kaslo were Mrs. Gillespie, Mrs. A. C. Brett, Miss K. Riddell and W. E. Harrison.

ROCHESTER, England (CP)—R. J. M. Stedman, 84, believed to be the oldest practising coroner in England, died at his home here. In his 50 years' service he conducted 2500 inquests.

Erickson Flier Died as Plane Attacked U-Boat

LONDON, Nov. 2 (CP Cable).—The Victoria Cross has been awarded to Sqdn. Ldr. Lloyd Trigg, New Zealand airman listed as missing, believed killed, for "determination and high courage" in the destruction of a U-boat in the Atlantic last August.

It was the 76th award of the V.C. in this war.

Trigg was captain of a Liberator bomber severely damaged and set afire by anti-aircraft shells from the submarine. But the pilot kept the plane in the air long enough to make one last bombing run, dropping bombs from a height of 50 feet with devastating effect. Seconds later the Liberator crashed and the crew was killed, but the U-boat went down 20 minutes later.

The bomber crew included a Canadian, Po. G. Goodwin of Erickson, B.C.

H. O. Jansrud Laid at Rest

The funeral of Hans Otto Jansrud was held Tuesday afternoon from Somers Funeral Home, Rev. H. J. Kritch officiating. Hymns were "Rock of Ages" and "There Is a Fountain Filled With Blood."

Pallbearers were Mike Brader, W. E. Bell, T. Crosbie, D. Tricket, John Rusnack and N. H. Noxon. There were many flowers and a large attendance. Interment took place at the Nelson Memorial Park.

Mr. Jansrud died at Victoria last Thursday, aged 87. He was a well-known mining man in Sandon and Kaslo, leaving that District about 10 years ago. Besides his wife, he leaves two daughters, Sonja of Nelson and Mrs. L. G. Irwin of New Denver.

South Slocan

SOUTH SLOCAN, B.C.—Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bowkett were week-end Trail visitors.

Mrs. K. Horner left for Bonpington Thursday to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Motley, prior to going to Nelson where she plans to spend the winter, residing in the Annable Block.

W. A. MacCabe was a Willow Point visitor on Thursday.

Mrs. H. H. Frizzell of Trail is spending a few days with her parents, Mr and Mrs. O. W. Humphrey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Tindale was hostess to the Sewing Circle of No. 5 Plant at their weekly meeting, when Mrs. H. H. James, Mrs. R. Mulloy, Mrs. H. McDougall, Mrs. J. Bailey, Mrs. W. A. MacCabe, Mrs. C. H. Bland, Mrs. Grant Hall, Mrs. W. P. Rogers and Mrs. W. C. Motley attended.

NEWS OF THE DAY

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GOSPEL MEETING TONIGHT
Club Hotel Hall, 407 Silica St., 7.45 p.m. Wilfred Orr, Speaker.

CORRECTION
I.O.D.E. Regular Monthly Meeting next Tuesday, 2.30 p.m. Can. Legion.

Order your Christmas Cards for overseas mailing now. Our selection is now ready. Call C. D. Pearson, 141, Nelson Daily News Printing Dept.

Parent Teachers' Association Meeting at Central School today at 3.45. Speaker, Mrs. R. W. Haggen, District organizer B.C. P.T.A.

My office will be closed each Wednesday afternoon until further notice. Dr. Brock, (Chiropractor) Phone 969, Residence Phone, 644 R.

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Don't forget the Gyro Hoedown on Wednesday night in Eagle Hall. Special prizes for Jitterbug, Waltz and Spot Dances. Old time numbers on request. Firemen's Reel, Red River, Jig and Heel and Toe Dancing. Proceeds in Aid of Gyro Fund War Work.

Thursday night in Capitol Theatre. Be sure to attend the special program featuring Lt. Eric Johnson, R.C.N.V.R. and entertainers from R.A.F. Training School, Medicine Hat. Admission free.

50c will take you and 50c will take your gal to Gyro Hoedown on Wednesday night, November 3rd, with Margaret Graham's Orchestra you'll want to Hoe'er down from 9.00 p.m. to 2.00 a.m. There'll be plenty of fun, say, don't let anything but old age keep you away. Proceeds for war work.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our sincere thanks to all friends for kindness and expressions of sympathy extended to us during our bereavement in the loss of a loving husband and father.
Mrs. H. Jansrud and family.

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WANTED—SMALL MARINE STEAM engine will pay cash if price reasonable. Write R. E. Cornwall, Silverton.

A FEW MORE ITEMS ON OUR
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Interpreting The War News

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON
Associated Press War Analyst

A bold, swiftly executed Russian attempt to entrap the whole right flank of the Nazi front East of the Kiev-Odessa line appeared developing last night.

It is obvious that Red strategy aims at smashing the Wehrmacht all the way from the Black Sea to the Baltic. The closed Crimean trap and even the still open Russian sack on the Dnieper Bend East of the Krivoi Rog-Nikopol escape corridor now appear incidental to Russian grand strategy in the South.

It seems aiming at turning the South end of the Nazi's indicated defence front, along the Russian Bug between Kiev and Odessa, before the Germans East of there can reach it for a new short-front stand. With the Crimea sealed off by Russian seizure of land routes to the peninsula, that operation seems to have been by-passed by a fast-moving Red column aiming at Kherson on the lower Dnieper, and 40 miles beyond that at Nikolaev on the lower Bug.

Nikolaev is a Nazi communications hub far in the rear of the battle lines in the Dnieper Bend. It was less than 100 miles from distant last night from the Russian 4th Army spearhead.

In Russian hands Nikolaev unhinges every possible Nazi resistance front East of a line between Kiev and Odessa. It would mock German efforts to picture the entrapment of Crimean garrisons as merely the beginning of a prolonged siege. The Nazis would be completely cut off except for precarious air supply or sea-borne aid from Odessa.

The Russian thrust toward Kherson and Nikolaev is blitzkrieg warfare patterned to the Nazi technique at its best. It represents instant exploitation of a break-through South of the Dnieper Bend.

The Germans are again getting a taste of their own military medicine. They have been out-guessed as well as outfought by Red generals. The most gigantic annihilation trap the history of war records apparently is being set for them.

Its converging jaws are plain, although the Northern prong West of the Dnieper South of Kiev has been inactive for days. It is poised to stab down the Kiev-Zmerynka railway as the Southern prong pushing up the Perekop-Kherson route is aimed at turning the lower end of the Bug line.

Driven home, these two indicated major Russian blows would lop the whole Southern third of the Nazi lines in Russia off from any direct land connection with Germany. It would expose Odessa to a land-and-sea Russian attack. It must enforce prompt attempted Nazi flight from the whole Southern Ukraine East of the Bug, abandoning the troops in the Crimea to their fate.

Boston Bruins Take Cornwall

CORNWALL, Ont., Nov. 2 (CP) The smooth-working Boston Bruins of the National Hockey League handed Cornwall Army of the Quebec Senior Hockey League a 6-4 defeat in an exhibition game here tonight. The free-wheeling Bruins, short of talent, had a tough time subduing the service club and earned the win on the superlative net-minding of Bert Gardiner.

Bill Cowley and Bep Guidolin paced the Boston attack with two goals each. Guidolin also helped in three of the markers. The other Bruin tallies went to Herbie Cain and Oscar Aubichon. Frankie Mario, Bobbie Laurent, Johnny Dennison and Bud Polle were the Cornwall snipers.

26 Births, Nelson, in October

There were 26 births in Nelson during October, seven deaths and nine marriages. In the district there were five births, seven deaths and no marriages.

For the same period in 1942 there were 29 births, seven deaths and 10 marriages in the city, and in the district nine births, five deaths and six marriages.

Bummy Davis, Jones Draw

NEW YORK, Nov. 2 (CP) — Al (Bummy) Davis, 148, New York, and Johnny Jones, 148, Pittsburgh, tonight fought a 10-round draw at the Broadway arena in Brooklyn.

25 PERMITS AUTHORIZE $2588 ALTERATIONS

City Engineer H. D. Dawson issued 25 building permits during October. Total cost of construction authorized was $2588.

The largest permit was issued to N. Morris to make additions and repairs at 140 Baker Street, at a total estimated cost of $900.

Gordon Not Quitting

EUGENE, Ore., Nov. 2 (AP) —Joe Gordon has no intention of quitting baseball next year, he said today.

Recently the Yankee second baseman said baseball might not survive another year and he would not be on hand for Spring training, but he explained today that didn't mean he was quitting. He would do his training here instead of at the Yankee camp in Asbury Park, N. J., because it would be warmer here, he said.

CALGARY LAWYER DIES

CALGARY, Nov. 2 (CP). — A prominent Calgary lawyer and head of the firm of Peacock, Skene and Gorman, Mark Bennett Peacock, K.C., 62, Calgary, died Monday night at Rochester, Minn., where he had been for medical treatment.

Born near Barrie, Ont., he graduated from Toronto University and from Osgoode Hall, getting his certificate from the latter in 1907 and one year later received the degree of Master of Arts.

SALISBURY, England (CP)—A woman in this Wiltshire town advertised for lemons required for a girl seriously ill. They came in ones and twos from townsfolk who had received them from relatives overseas.

$21,933 Customs Receipts October

Customs receipts totalled $21,933.01 during October for the port of Nelson and outlying districts reporting to this point.

Comparative figures for October 1942, and October 1943, are:

Nelson	$ 16,888.46	$ 19,980.23
Waneta	88.50	107.97
Cascade	8.90	31.86
Midway	1,141.82	1,812.76
Carson	—	.56
Nelway	3.30	—
Totals	$ 18,133.77	$ 21,933.01

EDDIE McGREGOR OF BONNINGTON ARRIVES OVERSEAS

Sgt. Eddie McGregor of Bonnington has arrived safely overseas. His mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McGregor of Bonnington, received a cable yesterday telling them of his safe arrival.

Spokane Victory Loan Subscriber Visits Nelson

Dr. David Cowen of Spokane, who is a large subscriber to the Fifth Victory Loan compaign in Nelson and Trail, was in both cities yesterday, making the round trip via Patterson and Nelway.

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MERTON, England (CP) — The thornless blackberry has arrived—result of many years plant breeding at the John Innes Horticultural Institute in this Devonshire town.

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The Chairman, Civilian Protection Committee (Nelson) is pleased to announce the following

MODIFICATION OF LOCAL LIGHTING RESTRICTIONS

(Effective Immediately)

BUSINESS HOUSES: Neon Signs and other Outside Lighting are now permissible providing that, whether a Blackout is in progress or not, no person shall between one-half hour after sunset and one half hour before sunrise, allow such signs or lights to be burning unless a responsible person be on the premises with authority and the means to immediately extinguish such signs or lights in the event of an air raid alarm being sounded.

RESIDENCES: Porch Lights, NOT IN EXCESS OF 25 WATTS are now permissible, subject to conditions set out above.

It is desired that the Public will fully cooperate by seeing that these modifications are not abused nor exceeded. All concerned are warned that the Official Lighting Blackout Regulations are still in force and failure to observe or be governed by such regulations render the offender liable to Prosecution under Article 35 Defence of Canada Regulations.

N. C. STIBBS, Mayor.