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Canada Signs Treaty With China

OTTAWA, April 14 (CP)—Canada concluded a treaty with China formally relinquishig extra-territorial rights and other privileges which, under treaty provisions, Canada together with other nations previously exercised in China.

Announcemet of the completion of the treaty was made tonight by Prime Minister Mackenzie King It provides that not later than six moths after the cessation of hostilities the two Governments will enter enter into "a comprehensive modern treaty of friendship, commerce, navigation and consular rights."

The treaty completed today was signed by Mr. King and by Dr. Liu Shih Shun, Chinese Ambassador to Canada. In its terms it is similar to the British extra-territorial treaty concluded on behalf of the United Kingdom, Northern Ireland and India Jan. 11, 1943, and the U. S. treaty with China concluded on the same date.

The first formal treaty ever signed by Canada with China, it provides that all international agreements which authorize any British or Canadian authority to exercise jurisdiction in China over Canadian nationals are abrogated.

The Canadian government has agreed to cooperate with the Chinese government in arrangements, so far as Canadian interests are concerned, for the abandonment by foreign governments of special privileges held by them in Peiping, Shanghai, Amoy, Tientsin and Canton.

The relinquishment of extra-territorial rights does not affect existing real property rights of Canadian nationals. It is agreed that Canadian property in China will be subject to Chinese laws concerning taxation and national defence.

Real property held by Canadians in China may not be alienated to the Government or nations of a third country without the consent of the Chinese Government. If the right to transfer is refused the Chinese government has agreed to take over the property and pay adequate compensation.

Canadians in China are to be accorded the right to travel, reside and carry on trade in China. Each country is to endeavor to accord to nationals of the other treatment not less favorable than that enjoyed by its own nationals in legal proceedings, the administration of justice and the levying of taxes.

Consular officers of each country are to have the right to interview and communicate with their own nationals and are to be informed whenever any of their nationals are arrested and may visit them and receive communications from them.

The treaty will come into effect when ratifications are exchanged at Chungking. It will be tabled in the Commons by the Prime Minister at an early date.

Dr. Liu, in a statement, issued after signing the treaty, said it marked "another step forward in our happy relations."

"As the first formal treaty ever signed by Canada with China it will be received by the Chinese people with acclaim," he said.

The abolition of extra-territorial rights ended a century of "unequal treaties" between China and the majority of the other powers.

"It is significant that the signing of the new treaty has followed very closely the conclusion of the mutual aid agreement between Canada and China on March 22," the Ambassador said. "The tremendous assistance extended to China by Canada, both before and after the enactment of the mutual aid law, has meant a great deal to the war effort being put forth by the Chinese."

Cooperation between Canada and China would be further accelerated with the completion of the past war treaty for which provision was made in the document completed today, he added.

Expect Turkey Will Seek Compromise

ANKARA, April 14 (AP) — In a press conference the tenor of which was taken to indicate that Turkey will seek to compromise with the Allies on the question of Turkish-German trades, Foreign Minister Numan Menemencioglu declared today: "We will, in the general direction of our foreign policy, aid the Allies to the limit of our material possibilities."

He held the conference shortly after receiving the British and American Ambassadors, who delivered notes based on United States Secretary of State Cordell Hull's request that neutral countries cease trading with Germany.

Asked whether Turkey intended to concert her action with that of other neutrals, he said: "When dealing with the Allies it it not necessary to concert our actions with any other nations.

"You know the sense of our relations with the United Nations. Our policy never has ceased to evolve in the spirit of entente and comprehension with our Allies and their Allies."

TEMPERATURE

Practically three-tenths of an inch of rain fell in Nelson in the last three days—.01 inch Wednesday, .08 Thursday, and .20 inch Friday, adding up to .29 inch. Friday's temperature extremes were 36 and 51 degrees.

Partisans Wiped Out 1100 Men in Actions

LONDON, April 14 (CP) — Partisans under Marshal Josip Broz (Tito) killed more than 1100 German and puppet troops in operations extending from Slovenia in the North to Montenegro in the South, a communique broadcast by the free Yugoslav radio reported tonight.

The war bulletin said a plane supported German drive from Jajce in Central Bosnia was repulsed by the Partisans who killed 252 of the enemy, wounded 117 and captured 12.

In Slovenia Tito's forces cut the important Ljubljana-Trieste rail line and demolished a train, the communique said.

AUSSIES TAKE BOGADJIM, NEAR MADANG

Contact Jap Patrols on Road to Big Supply Base

WEWAK RAIDED

By C. YATES McDANIEL
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ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN THE SOUTHWEST PACIFIC, April 15 (Saturday) (AP)—Australian troops captured Bogadjim Thursday and are in contact with enemy patrols on the road to the Japanese supply base at Madang, 18 miles to the North.

The Australians entered Bogadjim without resistance and captured some abandoned equipment, today's Allied communique said.

Advance units of the American 32nd Division, which had come up the New Guinea Coast while the Australians advanced from inland, were reported several days to have made a junction with the Aussies, but there was no report the Americans had entered Bogadjim with their Allies.

The American Division landed at Saidor to the Southeast last Jan. 2. Meanwhile the Australians were pushing up the Huon Peninsula Coast and advancing Northward inland in a two-prong movement from Lae, which the Allies captured last mid-September.

Australian coastal units joined with the Americans South of Saidon early last February, ending the Huon Peninsula campaign.

its progress up Ramu Valley to the its progress upRamu Valley to the junction South of Bogadjim with the American units which had come up from Saidor.

Madang was a potent enemy supply and air base during the early stages of the Huon campaign and Bogadjim was its principal Southern outpost. Allied bombers and fighters hit both places frequently, and the pilots later reported they believed the Japanese had abandoned Madang, after the enemy's defeat on Huon Peninsula.

Allied aircraft, which have been hammering other Japanese strongpoints along the New Guinea Coast Northwest of Madang, smashed at Wewak with 250 tons of bombs, destroying 60 buildings and two munition dumps at this supply base.

Solomons-based planes again attacked Rabaul, New Britain, hitting 13 gun positions and destroying other installations.

Stettinius Disscusses Mediterranean

LONDON, April 14 (AP) — The multiple problems of the Near Eastern and Mediterranean areas occupied the attention of the United States Undersecretary of State, Edward R. Stettinius, Jr., today in continued conferences with top-ranking British Foreign policy officials.

The discussions were understood to have dealt with Spanish and Portuguese wolfram exports to Germany, Turkish chrome shipments to Germany, the Italian political situation and Mediterranean oil developments.

B.C. NURSES OPEN MEETING

VICTORIA, April 14 (CP)—Thirty-second annual meeting of the Registered Nurses' Association of B. C. opened its two-day session here today with addresses by Dr. T. W. Walker, President of the B. C. Hospitals' Association, and Dr. P. A. Cousland, president of the B. C. Medical Association.

PLANES AGAIN STRIKE AT KURILE ISLANDS

Fourth Straight Day of Attack; Truk Given Heavy Blow

FIVE ISLES HIT

PEARL HARBOR, April 14 (AP)—The Spring aerial offensive on the Kurile approaches to Tokyo was carried through its fourth straight day with Thursday strikes at Paramushiro, Shasukotan and Matsuma, Admiral Chester W. Nimitz reported today in a Press release.

There were four attacks, making a total of 14 raids on Kurile objectives in four days. Paramushiro was hit twice and other raids were directed at Shasukotan and Matsuwa, the latter within 450 miles of Japan.

Aleutians-based Liberators first went over Paramushiro in a predawn attack, encountering no opposition. Later Navy search planes ran into intense anti-aircraft fire over the same base.

The Press release also reported that on Thursday Navy search planes bombed Ulul, Northwest of Truk in the Carolines and Pakin, West of Ponape.

In other Central Pacific air operations, Navy Venturas raided Kusaie, also in the Carolines, hitting warehouses, piers and gun positions.

Earlier in the day, announcement was made that Seventh Army Air Force Liberators gave Truk one of its heaviest raids of the war Wednesday night. They plastered five islands with explosives, encountering of no air interception and only meagre ground fire in the 20th attack of a softening up campaign.

While Truk was being pounded, Navy Headquarters announced today, medium bombers swung at Ponape, guarding the Eastern approach to Truk. Ujelang Atoll, Northeast of Ponape, and four enemy-held atolls in the Marshall Islands also were attacked.

In the Marshall Islands, where air attacks have been launched almost daily for more than two months, docks, warehouses, barracks and other buildings took a 45-ton bombing by Army, Navy and Marine planes. Gun positions were reported "severely strafed" at one objective and at another an ammunition dump exploded after a direct hit.

Only four major atolls in the Marshalls remain in enemy hands — Wotje, Maleiap, Jaluit and Mili.

Charge Coast Man With Wounding, Attempted Suicide

TORONTO, April 14 (CP)—Toronto police tonight said a charge of wounding and attempted suicide has been laid against Nick Buduck, 30, of Vancouver, who earlier was rushed to hospital with serious abdominal wounds suffered, police said, during a fight which followed a drinking party in a Yonge Street Hotel.

Also in hospital with serious abdominal wounds is Anna Kindre, 22, of Regina.

She was found lying in a washroom along a hall-way from the room where she had been living. Buduk was lying on a couch. On the floor of the room, police said, was a blood-stained penknife. Both were wounded in abdomen.

Puppet President Warns Czechs

NEW YORK, April 14 (AP) —Dr. Emil Hacha, puppet President of the Nazi protectorate of Bohemia-Moravia and six of his ministers, in a proclamation to Czechs today warned that "immeasurable disaster" would follow "inconsiderate deeds."

The proclamation evidently was an effort to counteract the appeals of Eduard Benes, President of the Czechoslovak Government in London, to rise up and fight in support o the Red Army and a Czech brigade at the frontier.

Report Big Fire in Danish Yards

LONDON, April 14 (CP-Reuters) —The Danish radio tonight reported a big fire at Helsinore shipbuilding yards. Twenty per cent of the workshop area and considerable quantity of machinery were reported destroyed.

WATER LEVEL

A gain of .02 foot was registered by the West Arm at Nelson by Dominion Public Works gauge, for the 24 hours ending at 1 p.m. Friday, bringing the level to 2.13 below the low water mark or zero. The total rise since the season's low of minus 2.22 feet just one week earlier is .09 foot.

PRINCESS COMES OF AGE: A charming, new portrait of Her Royal Highness, Princess Elizabeth. The princess, shown wearing a beautiful evening gown and a three-strand string of pearls, will reach her 18th birthday on April 21st at which time she will be created a royal duchess and will become a member of the council of regency.

Postpone Closing of Tulameen Mine

PRINCETON, B. C., April 14 (CP) —Operators of Princeton Tulameen coal mine announced tonight that closing of the workings has been postponed from April 15 to the end of April. The company has withdawn separation notices previously submitted to Selective Service.

Nelson Victory Loan Quota Set at $604,000

City of Nelson's quota for the Sixth Victory Loan drive was set Friday by the District War Finance Committee Executive, at $604,000, an increase of $4000 over the quota of the Fifth Loan drive.

The Nelson District quota at $775,000, is unchanged from the last drive.

New Denver's quota was increased by $4000 to $69,000. Nakusp at $45,000 and Kaslo at $40,000 remain unchanged. Salmo's quota was reduced from the last Victory Loan quota by $8000 to $17,000.

New Denver and Nelson have been asked to carry some of the load in order to lighten the burden in Salmo, where, due to present conditions, it has been necessary to make a revision.

No Active T.B. in Calgary High Schools

CALGARY, April 14 (CP). — No cases of active tuberculosis were found among high school students and teachers in the recent X-ray survey of Calgary high schools, Dr. Geraldine Oakley reported.

More than 3000 persons in public and separate high schools were examined. A few cases of inactive tuberculosis were discovered which will require supervision.

ALLIED AIRMEN DOWN 36 ENEMY PLANES

Patrol, Artillery Engagements on Italian Front

NAPLES, April 14 (AP)—Allied Mediterranean airmen shot down 36 German planes yesterday in extensive operations, which included attacks on air fields and plants in Hungary at a cost of 16 heavy bombers and three other aircraft, headquarers announced today.

On the land fronts there were only patrol and artillery engagements in one of the quietest days in months but on Wednesday the Anzio beachhead anti-aircraft gunners enjoyed one of their most successful days by shooting down five of 40 or 50 enemy raiders.

The prime targets in yesterday's heavy-bomber attacks were aircraft plants at Gyor and Duna and airfields at Vecses and Tokol, all within a 70-mile radius of the Hungarian capital at Budapest. Explosives were dumped on grounded aircraft, and the entire factory area at Gyor where German fighters are produced, was reported well covered with bombs.

Other air fleets hit the railway yards at Brod in Yugoslavia, dock installations at Corfu and objectives along the Dalmatian coast. Italian railroad bridges and lines feeding the German front also were attacked, but it was said the results were "generally poor" due to cloud conditions. In all 1800 sorties were flown, the communique said.

WEATHER FORECAST

Okanagan and Kootenay—Saturday—cloudy and cool, occasional showers in afternoon.

Canada Signs Mutual Aid Agreement With French Committee

OTTAWA, April 14 (CP) — Prime Minister Mackenzie King announced tonight that Canada had signed a mutual aid agreement with the French Committee of National Liberation.

The agreement was signed by Mr. King on behalf of Canada and by G. Bonneau, delegate in Canada of the French Committee of National Liberation, on behalf of the committee.

This is the fifth such agreement signed by Canada this year. Earlier this year agreements were made with the United Kingdom, Russia, Australia and China.

Terms of the agreement with the committee were not disclosed. Mr. King's announcement, however, said the agreement concerned the "principles applying to the provision of Canadian war supplies to the Committee by Canada under the mutual aid pact."

Simultaneously with the announcement, the Trade and Commerce Department said in a statement that for the first two months of the current year total Canadian exports to French possessions for civilian purposes were $6,156,000, compared with $240,000 for the corresponding period last year. The French possessions in the importing countries included Algeria, Corsica, Morocco and Tunisia.

The Department explained that the chief reason for the increase was the removal Dec. 4, 1943, of restrictions on Canadian trade with the French zone, formerly imposed under trading with the enemy regulations. It added, however, that although this step removed statutory restrictions on the resumption of private trading, trade was still closely controlled by Government agencies in the areas concerned.

JAP TROOPS REACH VITAL LAND LINK

Clash With Allies on Trail From Imphal Base

NO BIG ATTACK

By CHARLES A. GRUMICH
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NEW DELHI, April 14 (AP) — Front dispatches said tonight that Japanese troops had reached the Bishenpur-Silchar trail running Southwest and West of the Allied invasion base of Imphal and suffered a dozen casualties in an engagement with Allied troops there.

(This route previously had been described as the last land link between the Imphal defenders and the main Allied forces.)

At the big Allied base of Kohima North of Imphal, the Japanese withdrew after an initial penetration into the hills West and Northwest of the town, the dispatches added.

Earlier, Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten's Command announced the Japanese had reached the vicinity of the Bishenpur-Silchar trail. Bishenpur is on the Western edge of the Imphal Plain. Silchar is the railhead of a spur of the main line of the Bengal-Assam railway—the supply link of the Allied forces in Northern Burma. It is approximately 70 miles West of Bishenpur.

The Japanese put 30 fighter planes over the Imphal-Ukhrul area Wednesday in their biggest aerial observation show since their appearance over the Chabua-Ledo sector Feb. 27. Spitfires intercepted the Japanese planes and damaged two before the enemy scooted back into the clouds.

On the plain around Imphal itself, today's Allied communique said, there was only patrol activity, and it was said at Headquarters the enemy was being held off firmly.

Allied spokesmen previously had said Imphal's land supply routes were subject to attack by the Japanese in the difficult jungle country but the base itself was safe on the wide Imphal plain, with good communication by air.

At latest report the Japanese, whose strength is not accurately known, has not yet launched a major attack at any point around Imphal. At Kohima, the other big Allied advance base 60 miles to the North, British and Indian counter-attacks against the Japanese invasion forces are "progressing," today's communique said.

(A Berlin broadcast of Tokyo dispatches claimed the "flower of Mountbatten's Command is facing annihilation or capture," and that Japanese troops were within five miles of Imphal. Another German broadcast claimed Japanese forces were only 10 miles from Dimapur.)

Push Highway From B.C. to Yukon, Alaska

TACOMA, April 14 (AP)—Continuation of efforts towards building a flighway West of the Rockies from Northern British Columbia to the Yukon and Alaska, linking more directly this part of the United States with the Alaska Highway, was urged by the Pacific Northwest Trade Association, meeting here today.

The Association did not specify what route such a highway should take, but left this decision to the Alaska International Highway Commission, headed by Rep. Warren Magnusson (D-Wash) and urged continuation of the committee to this end.

In their discussion, however, delegates abandoned their former advocacy of the "B" route, which would have linked Prince George, B. C., with the Alaska Highway at Watson Lake. This had been originally a compromise route, which had been agreed on by the delegates who wanted a highway near the coast, which eventually became known as "A" route, between Prince George and Whitehorse, and the British Columbia Government which had commitments to bring a highway into the Dawson Creek area.

The recent decision of the British Columbia Government to build a highway from Prince George to Dawson Creek had obviated the need of the compromise route, delegates said, and they believed the route which would be favored by Magnusson's Commission would be the original "A" route to Whitehorse.

S. S. McKeen, of Vancouver, President of the Association, estimated that the new link, from Prince George to Dawson Creek, cut the present trip from Seattle to the Alaskan Highway by 800 miles.

Entire Battalions With Equipment Intact Surrender

By TOM YARBROUGH
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LONDON, April 14 (AP)—The Red Army cornered thousands of shattered Axis troops into the last tenth of the Crimea around shell-pitted Sevastopol today with the capture of Bakhchisari, only 18 miles Northeast of the former Soviet Fleet base, and ran their six-day haul of German and Romanian prisoners to 31,000, Moscow announced tonight.

In addition an entire German division of perhaps 15,000 men was destroyed, while the re-emerging Soviet Black Sea Fleet and its Naval Air Arm sank four boats jammed with Axis infantrymen trying to escape by sea, Moscow said.

Overrunning 500 towns and villages, two armies under Generals Feodor I. Tolbukhin and Andrei I. Yeremenko, effected a junction and closed in swiftly for the final annihilation of German Romanian remnants fleeing into Sevastopol, where the Axis suffered 300,000 casualties during the 1941-42 siege of that fortress. Entire Axis battalions were surrendering with their equipment intact, front dispatches said.

Gen. Tolbukhin's 4th Ukraine Armies captured 300 localities, struck 17 miles Southwest along the railway from Simferopol to make the seizure of Bakchisarai, and also cut 25 miles Southeast across the coastal mountains and captured Alushta, only 16 miles East of the port of Yalta on the Black Sea coast.

Aside from Sevastopol in the Southwestern corner, Yalta is the last major enemy position, and on the seventh day of their lightning offensive the Russians had reconquered about nine-tenths of the 10,000-square-mile peninsula that has many good airfields to accelerate the invasion of Romania.

Gen. Tolbukhin's troops also seized Saki, 35 miles North of Sevastopol in a 12-mile push down the coast from Yevpatoriya, captured Thursday, and another column entered Ak-Mechet, on the Western tip of the peninsula 40 miles Northwest of Yevpatoriya.

Altogether on Thursday, Tolbukhin's army captured 6000 prisoners for a six day total of 17,000, while Gen. Yeremenko's independent coastal army driving in from the Kerch Peninsula seized 5000 the same day to make its total 14,000.

Yeremenko's troops occupied Karasubazar, 25 miles East of Simferopol in an 11-mile inland gain, and also captured Sudak on the Black Sea coast in a 16-mile advance. The union with Tolbukhin's forces apparently occurred at Karasubazar.

Soviet planes hovered over Sevastopol, attacking enemy ships or planes attempting to evacuate enemy personnel. Roads leading into Sevastopol were littered with Axis dead and wrecked equipment, dispatches said.

CLEAR DNESTR BANK

Across the Black Sea to the Northwest the Russian 3rd Ukraine army under Gen. Rodion Y. Malinovsky finally cleared the entire Sast bank of the Dnestr estuary Southwest of Odessa in the Ovidiopol area, capturing eight localities, said the broadcast communique recorded by the Soviet Monitor.

The liberation of this sector of the mainland freed the entire Ukraine province of pre-war Russia, with the exception of a few miles on the lower fringes of the Pripyat marshes just South of White Russia.

No further progress on the Romanian front was mentioned in the bulletin, but in pre-war Poland Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's 1st Ukraine Army captured 40 localities Southwest of Czortkow in the area South of Tarnopol, which has been surrounded and under siege since March 26.

The German high command said Axis troops had "gained further ground" Northwest of Iasi, Romanian rail city, and said German and Hungarian troops also had advanced somewhat in the Delatyn area near the Tatar Pass on the Czech border, and had hurled back the Russians on both sides of Brody, 50 miles Northeast of the big Polish communications hub of Lwow.

Berlin also claimed Soviet troops attacking South of Pskov opposite Latvia and Estonia had been repulsed in "break-through attempts with fresh units."

To Suspend Air Services Between Dublin, Liverpool

DUBLIN, April 14 (CP-Reuters)—Air services between Dublin and Liverpool will be suspended from tomorrow owing to restrictions imposed by British authorities, it was announced here tonight.

BRILLIANT RED GENERAL, VATUTIN, DIES

Monument to Be Erected for Him in Kiev

LONDON, April 15 (Saturday)—(CP)—The Moscow radio announced today that Gen. Nikolai Vatutin, Commander of the 1st Ukrainian Army, died in Kiev after an operation.

Vatutin, leader of the 1st Ukrainian Army in many of its most notable exploits, including the liberation of Kiev had been ill for some time.

It was announced March 5 that he had retired from his command because of illness and was succeeded by Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov.

Vatutin died during last night, said the announcement, which was issued by the Council of People's Commissars for defence of the U. S. S. R.

A monument will be erected to him in Kiev, the announcement added, praising him as "one of the most talent young army commanders who had developed during this war."

Vatutin, in his early 40's, was a short, thick-set man, with his broad head set so close to his shoulders that his troops called him "The man without a neck."

His rise was one of the most rapid of all Russian commanders. He first got into the news last year in the campaign on the Upper Don and took command of the 1st Ukrainian Army last September.

Besides his reconquest of Kiev last November, Vatutin was co-captor of Kharkov last Aug. 8. His other victories included Belgorod, Zhitomir and Voroshilovgrad, and his troops were the first to enter Rovno Province in pre-war Poland.

Russians honored him most, however for the liberation of Kiev, which involved building 50 bridges across the Dnepr River under concentrated German fire, then scaling the heights on which the city stands.

Lewis Demands Retroactive Pay for Miners

WASHINGTON, April 14 (AP)—John L. Lewis, President of the United Mine Workers, tonight demanded prompt payment of $18,000,000 in retroactive portal-to-portal pay to the soft coal miners, asserted that a conspiracy exists to defraud them and warned that they are becoming "increasingly angry at the failure of their Government to redeem its promise."

Lewis calculated the sum on the basis of $40 per miner, the terms on which he agreed to write off the underground travel time claim for last April, May and June. These terms are part of the U.M.W. contract with 75 per cent of the operators. The contract now is awaiting War Labor Board action.

The U.M.W. chief addressed his complaint and demands to Interior Secretary Ickes, Government Custodian of the mines, implying that the Government has an obligation to require immediate payment of the money.

Except for his reference to the anger of the miners, Lewis' letter did not hint that strikes or a new crisis are approaching. However, a Union Press release accompanying the letter said the miners are "growing restive" and that the demand for prompt payment became so pronounced among Alabama miners last month that union officials resorted to circulars urging the men to remain at work.

Nelson Seeks Comn to Convention Route in Resolutiopletion Southern

Nelson Board of Trade delegates to the 44th annual convention of Associated Boards of Eastern British Columbia will support five resolutions, submitted by the Resolutions Committee and approved Friday by a full Board meeting. C. F. McHardy and W. G. Harold are delegates to the May 8 and 9 meet at Trail, with Harry Burns and R. A. Peebles as alternates.

Aiming to bring the important Southern Route of the Trans-Canada Highway before authorities for consideration in the B.C. Government's extensive post-war road program, the Board's first resolution urges the completion of the Southern Route as one of the main projects in the proposed plan.

The resolution further urges the standardization of the section between Yahk and Castlegar; the elimination of the bottleneck on Kootenay Lake by shortening the ferry route across the lake and by provision of a modern service; the standardization of feeder lines from the States of Washington and Idaho; the building of a bridge over Columbia River at Castlegar and over the West Arm at Nelson; a speedy decision as to what route is to be followed from Castlegar West so that all future work may be concentrated upon a permanent route; and that the route be officially designated the Southern Route of the Trans Canada Highway through British Columbia in keeping with its importance.

The Associated Board will be asked to support another resolution requesting Hon. T. E. Crerar, Minister of Mines and Resources, to open a regional branch office under the Soldier Settlement and Veterans Land Act in the Kootenays.

STUDIES FOR IMMIGRANTS

Assistance to immigrants in becoming assimilated into Canadian national life and the development of a spirit of national consciousness is the aim of another resolution to be offered. It requests the enactment of legislation to provide that all applicants for naturalization be required to pursue a course of studies with periodic examinations and the successful applicants appear in Court to receive his naturalization papers in an appropriate ceremony. The course of studies proposed would cover the elementary facts of Canadian geography, historical background and current events; the development of democracy in English speaking countries with emphasis upon the rights and responsibilities of Canadian citizenship, and the organization and principal functions of the Government of Canada as well as those of the provinces and local units.

The establishment of a tuberculosis sanitarium in the Kootenays "with the least possible delay" is sought in another resolution for the consideration of the convention.

Another resolution urged the Provincial Government to enact legislation whereby, under an Order-in-Council, any section of the highway network of B.C. can be designated as a pound area. Creation of a hazard by cattle straying on to highways prompted this resolution.

The Resolution Committee comprised C. F. McHardy, Chairman, Harry Burns, Leo S. Gansner, W. G. Harold and R. A. Peebles.

Jitters Sweep Continent

LONDON, April 14 (CP-Reuters) —Invasion jitters are sweeping the continent. As fast as reports of intensified activities of the underground movements come in, so do accounts of latest methods adopted by the German Gestapo to prevent patriots striking in tune with Allied invasion.

Patriots in France have received instructions for the role they are to play and Brazzaville Radio said the resistance movement has been tightened up so each group will know what to do.

Meanwhile sabotage in France increases by the hour. In one month alone more than 250 railway incidents and five attacks on industrial plants have been reported.

The Vichy Militia has been working overtime, searching houses in the French town of Thonon and even resorting to questioning children about their parents' activities and arresting fathers and mothers on the strength of statements by these boys and girls. Reports from the Netherlands said the Germans stormed a small town near Amsterdam and evacuated 5,000 persons but left a few behind as decoys as they believed it would discourage Allied bombing.

INDIAN CENSORSHIP TIGHTENED UP

NEW DELHI, April 14(CP)—The Government of India announced today the establishment of censorship over non-official internal postal and telegraphic communications because India has now become a major base for offensive operations against the Japanese." A communique emphasized the need of airtight military security "in view of the increasing operational importance" of India in the war picture.

NAZIS SAY TIME BOMB FOUND BEHIND PAINTING

LONDON, April 14 (AP) — The Rome Radio asserted today that a "very large" time bomb was found hidden in the Sistine Chapel in Vatican City behind Michelangelo's painting of the "Last Judgment." The German-controlled report said the bomb "looks of British origin and is very similar to other time bombs dropped to Balkan rebels by British planes."

No Allied comment was forthcoming immediately.

Swedish Paper Says Answer Will Be "No"

STOCKHOLM, April 14 (AP)—The newspaper Aftonbladet expressed the editorial opinion today that Sweden would say no to the British and American demarche asking her to stop exporting ball bearings to Germany. The editorial said the Allies, as a result, probably would cut off safe conduct traffic to Sweden.

The Government made no official statement to the Allied written request handed to the Foreign Minister by U. S. Minister Herschel V. Johnson and the British Minister, V. A. L. Mallett yesterday.

The sharply worded editorial asserted that any break in Sweden's safe conduct traffic would constitute a "flagrant breaking of Allied promises" under which Sweden had consent of the belligerents to make certain exports to Germany, as well as to ring shipping through the blockade.

Stopping exports to the South, Aftonbladet declared, would break trade with Germany and mean that markets in Spain, Switzerland and Portugal also would be cut off.

"There would be severe consequences to our national economy if we agreed to the Allied request," the newspaper said. "Sweden is and wants to stay neutral and we have the right to neutrality."

The Allied request did not question the legality of Sweden's current engagements with Germany but contended there was considerable Allied public opinion opposed to any act by neutrals which aids the enemy to kill Allied soldiers. It asserted that the Allied war was Sweden's war as well.

Kootenay Druggists to Hear Hessell at Nelson, Cranbrook

V. E. Hessell, Chairman of the Board of Commercial Interests of the Canadian Pharmaceutical Association, will arrive in British Columbia April 24 and will spend two weeks in the Province, addressing a series of six meetings arranged for key points.

Mr. Hessell is now making a survey of the Dominion of Canada in the interests of pharmacy and has held a series of meetings in the Maritimes. In British Columbia he will address a meeting of Vancouver druggists in the York Room of the Hotel Georgia on April 25t. He wil speak in the Dominion Hotel, Victoria, April 26, and in the Malaspina Hotel, Nanaimo, April 28. On May 1 Mr. Hessell will address a meeting of Okanagan and Similkameen Valley druggists in Kelowna. On Wednesday, May 3, he will address a meeting of West Kootenay druggists at Nelson, and will speak to East Kootenay druggists at Cranbrook May 4.

Arrangements for Mr. Hessell's tour of British Columbia are being made by the C.C.Ph.A. at the request of the C.Ph.A.

BALFOUR

BALFOUR, B.C.—Mrs. H. E. Cooper was a visitor to Nelson Saturday.

Mrs. O. Thomas and daughter Jeannette were visitors to Nelson Saturday.

John Peachey has been visiting his parents here.

Mrs. G. Gold has returned to Balfour from Nelson.

Mrs. MacLean and daughter Louise of Trail are visiting Mrs. MacLean's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McHardy.

Miss Vivean Wiberg spent the weekend with her parents at Balfour.

Miss Annie MacDonald spent the weekend here with her parents.

Mrs. W. McHardy is spending the Easter holiday at the Coast.

The Misses Learmonts were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hoskin.

Mrs. D. Philpot has returned here from the Coast.

Mrs. Collison, Shirley and Paddy of Nelson were Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cooper.

Mrs. G. Conrad and daughter Ruth are spending some time here.

NOT ALL DEER ARE BAMBIS

CRANBROOK, B.C.—Michael Falkins, age 9, of Cranbrook, can tell you a variation on Bambi theme about the soft-eyed woodland deer that discounts his heretofore firm belief that they are all timid.

The cabin at Radium Hot Springs where he spent Easter had a front yard full of young deer of the semi-tame park genus, waiting to be fed by any admiring visitors. Michael found most of them retreated satisfactorily when he stamped his feet and said "Shoo!" all but one lofty adolescent buck with little knobs on his head where the antlers will appear soon.

When the other deer trotted timidly up a steep mountain path near the cabin Michael followed to see where they were going. When he found out he returned along the narrow path.

At the narrowest point whom should he meet head-on but Junior Deer with a sneer in his soft brown eyes. But the stamping feet and the "Shoo!" didn't quite work this time. Junior lowered his head and rushed Michael catching him in the stomach with the knobs on his head and upsetting him right off the path. Junior sped on to join his crowd.

So did Michael, to join his parents in the cabin tearless but shaken by the encounter.

The hides of circus elephants are oiled regularly to keep them from cracking.

Tourist Trade Subject for Associated Boards

Forty-fourth annual convention of the Associated Boards of Trade of Eastern British Columbia will be devoted largely to discussions and of plans on tourist trade and publicity matters. It is expected almost the entire second day of the meeting at Trail May 8 and 9 will be taken up by these discussions.

A strong delegation from the Spokane Chamber of Commerce, host to an international tourist conference in November, will be in Trail to continue in the tourist trade planning. Boards of Trade from Cranbrook, Creston, Kimberley, Fernie, Natal, Kaslo, Nakusp, Slocan District, Salmo Valley and District, Nelson, Trail, Rossland and Grand Forks, and the Junior Board of Rossland will be represented.

Dr. F. Cyril James, Principal and Vice-Chancellor of McGill University, Montreal, will be guest speaker following the banquet that will close the conference.

Five resolutions from the Trail Board, five from Nelson, three from Creston and one each from Slocan District, Kimberley, and the Rossland Junior Board are to be considered.

ASK ARMY AID FOR TORONTO EVICTED FAMILIES

TORONTO, April 14 (CP)—Controller David Balfour said today he has written Defence Minister Ralston asking for Army aid in providing tents in which to shelter families evicted from their homes on May 1.

He has asked for a survey of all available building space in the city and on Toronto Island, the Controller said, adding "we may be able to make use of some of the cottages on the Island if the worst comes to the worst and we are left to solve this situation the best way we can."

Miss Dorothy Denison of the City Housing Registry said today more than 2000 families are "desperately" seeking shelter. Mayor Fred Conboy has said no one in Toronto will go homeless and that police stations, fire halls and other city buildings will be opened to those evicted.

Baby Contest Worries Vancouver

VICTORIA, April 14 (CP) — The City Health Committee today pondered problems arising from the bequest of John Newberry Hatch for the nine healthiest babies attending the City Well Baby Clinic.

The Victoria Philanthropist has allocated $45,000 for a trust fund, interest from which should be shared annually among the nine babies from families having at least four children and attending the clinic. Conditions also extend the jurisdiction to families within 20 mile radius of the City.

At present, the Health Committee was told, only five mothers with four or more children attend the clinic.

Question was raised over the ability of the city clinic, one of nine operating in the greater Vitcoria district, to handle the potential influx of children whose parents might be attracted by the bequest.

SILBAK, PIONEER MEN APPLY FOR CHARTERS

VANCOUVER, April 14 (CP) — Miners at Premier Silbak mine in the Portland Canal District and Pioneer Gold mine in the bridge river area have applied for charters to the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers (CIO), Union organizer Harvey Murphy said today.

Norman Cunningham has been elected provisional president and A. Paulson, Secretary, of the Premier Silbak group which seeks a charter as the Premier Mine, Mill and Tramway Workers Union.

INVERMERE

INVERMERE, B.C.—Miss Madeleine Turnor, of Half Diamond S Ranch, spent the Easter weekend with her mother, Mrs. W. P. Turnor, Invermere, and sister, Miss Effie Turnor.

Mr. and Mrs. John Applewhaite and son Robin returned this week from Nelson. Mrs. Applewhaite and son have been visiting relatives there for the past three weeks. Mr. Applewhaite attended a Forestry Convention held there.

Assistant Forest Ranger J. L. Johnson, Invermere, attended the Nelson Forestry Convention.

Mrs. F. Hawkins and daughter, Jean who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Brabazon, returned Friday to their home at Bonnington Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl van Harten and children Goldie and Peter have arrived from Vancouver to reside on the farm formerly owned by S. Ronacher, which they have purchased. Mrs. van Harten is a sister of Mrs. K. M. Marples.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kirsch and family who formerly resided on the Ronacher farm have moved to Wilmer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Dobbie were Cranbrook visitors Friday.

Mrs. D. Hamilton of Wilmer spent the Easter holidays in Calgary visiting her son-in-law and duaghter, Mr. and Mrs. Connor.

Miss Alice Curtis, principal of the Athalmere-Invermere School spent the Easter holidays at Camp Lister.

Miss Doris Lennie left Friday for Vancouver where she will spend the holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Lennie.

Miss Joyce Maidment and Miss Marilyn Patmore motored to Cranbrook Friday to spend the holidays at their respective homes.

Mrs. T. Frater has returned to her home from the Lady Elizabeth Bruce Memorial Hospital.

Malcolm Cameron at Spillimachine is a patient in the hospital at Invermere.

Mrs. E. Johnson and daughter Eileen left this week for Hope where they will spend the Easter holidays.

Constable G. A. Brabazon returned Wednesday from Vancouver where he spent a week.

Mrs. G. Plant of Wilmer was a hospital patient for a few days.

Sgt. Carl Brewer has returned to his home from the hospital.

GERMAN PRISONERS TO WORK ON ONTARIO FARMS

TORONTO, April 14 (CP)—Three hundred German prisoners of war will be moved into Western Ontario this Summer to engage in farm work, it was reported at the Ontario Legislative buildings. An agreement was said to have been drawn up between the Ontario Department of Agriculture and the Federal Labor Department arranging the prisoners' transfer. German prisoners were used for labor in Alberta and various parts of the United States last year, with satisfactory results.

Says Opponents of C.C.F. Stir Up Racial Hatred

VANCOUVER, April 14 (CP)—Opponents of the C.C.F. party have stirred up hatred of racial minorities in Canada for their political advantage, Angus MacInnis, C.C.F. member of Parliament for Vancouver East, said today in an address to the opening session of the 12th annual convention of the British Columbia branch of the party.

"The hatred they are trying to stir up against those of Japanese origin today will be used against those of Chinese and Indian origin tomorrow," he said. "And it will be used on the tomorrow after that against other races and groups. That was Hitler's tactic. It can happen here."

Under the guise of working for the defeat of Hitler, "big business" had been working to consolidate its control of the nation's economic life, Mr. MacInnis said.

"We find in our country as well as in others determination among the privileged classes to return to the unplanned economy which condemned so many in the years between the First and Second Great Wars to an existence of misery and poverty in a world of abundance. We alone stand opposed to the economic anarchy which leads directly to war."

F. G. McKenzie, Provincial Secretary, said the C. C. F. had based its plans "on the assumption that two or more provincial C.C.F. governments would come into being in the near future and that we would be called on to take part in a general Federal election at anytime."

Mr. MacInnis referred to a statement from Attorney-General R. L. Maitland which he said appeared recently in the Ottawa papers, in which Mr. Maitland "took comfort" from the organization of the Labor Progressive Party, as he felt it would impede the growth of the C.C.F.

"Surely there can be few in the ranks of the working class so obtuse as not to realize that when Mr. Maitland looks with favor on a working class organization it is time that the membership of that organization took stock of the role it is filling in the long struggle of the working people for freedom," Mr. MacInnis said.

GUNMEN GET $400 FROM COAST STORE

VANCOUVER, April 14 (CP) — Three gunmen got away last night after robbing a drugstore here of $400, checks and narcotics in full view of a store full of customers who were held back by one of the gunmen guarding the door. Two of the trio wore masks.

WYNNDEL

WYNNDEL, B.C.—Mrs. B. Mackie and daughter, of Creston, were visitors here last week.

Miss Linda Kounet of Cranbrook is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Moon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Martello and Kathleen, who were visiting frineds and relatives at Trail, returned to their home Monday.

E. Stevens of Vancouver is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Joy.

Miss Hilton of Creston was here last week.

Mrs. L. E. Davis of Lethbridge spent Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Davis here. She was enroute to Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Davis and family of Trail, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Davis last week.

Mr. Thompson of Kimberley was a business visitor here.

Mrs. G. Huscroft left Monday for a visit at Boise, Idaho, where she will visit her parents.

Miss Nesta Huscroft of the R.C.A.F., Lethbridge, spent the weekend at her home here.

Mrs. Roope and family of Creston are visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. Taylor.

Mrs. P. Mugatroyd of Cranbrook is visiting Miss B. Lachat here.

Mrs. J. Woods of Canyon was visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. Spencer here.

Mr. and Mrs. Sutcliffe and Mr. and Mrs. Miller of Alice Siding were visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. Mather last week.

Mrs. T. Mountford is a patient in Creston Hospital.

KINGSGATE

KINGSGATE, B.C.—Among visitors here over the Easter weekend were Jean Hogg, Phyllis Steeves, Bobbie Adams, Barbara Reuter, Marvin and Ruth Lotspeich, Bill Weatherly, Dick O'Connor and John O'Connor.

Pte. Preston of the U.S. Engineers is home for furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Preston.

Mrs. Willard Adams and son Billy is visiting her father and mother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence have moved to Meadow Creek.

Mrs. H. J. Hogg and son John left Monday night for Cranbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Bonner were in Kimberley and Cranbrook over the weekend.

Corp. Alwin Steeves was home from calgary for Good Friday.

The De Minter family spent a couple of days with Mrs. De Minter's people in Bonners Ferry last week.

The Ladies' Bridge Club held the regular meeting at the home of Mrs W. Baskerville Wednesday. Mrs. H. J. Hogg was high scorer.

Basil Flynn and W. Taylor of the Government House, Cranbrook, were in Kingsgate this week.

Mrs. Paul Fanning, Cranbrook, visited over the weekend with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Brogan.

Consumer Body in Rossland Files Complaints

ROSSLAND, B. C., April 14 — At a meeting of the Rossland subcommittee of the Consumers' Council of B. C., held Thursday afternoon it was decided to change its name to simply Consumers' Council; this is in accord with a suggestion from the Vancouver Headquarters.

Mrs. William Pollock reported seven new members, bringing membership to 17.

Two complaints are to be sent to the provincial headquarters, one dealing with the price diapers have sold for in a local store, and the other is regarding bakery supplies for a local bakery.

attempt to have a ceiling price set

It was proposed that the Council according to districts instead of a separate ceiling price for each merchant.

Plan Rossland Bottle Drive

ROSSLAND, B. C., April 14—Plan for a bottle drive were completed Thursday night by the Rossland Junior Board of Trade. Salvage Chairman Boisjoli announced that the Junior Board of Trade would stage a house to house canvass next Thursday and Friday, April 20 and 21.

On Thursday night at 6.30 that area North of Columbia Avenue will be canvassed for bottles and clean rags of any type.

The Junior Board has secured a market for bottles ranging from the 24-ounce size and up, and citizens of Rossland are asked to place any bottles of this type at their front gates for the pickup. At the present there is no market for bottles smaller than the 24-ounce size, except beer and soda pop containers.

As in the past, proceeds from the sale of salvage donated by the citizens will be used by the Junior Board in its War Services activities.

Services of trucks have been donated to assist in this drive.

Three Nazi Airmen Escape From Ontario Camp

OTTAWA, April 14 (CP) — Three former members of the Nazi Air Force have escaped from an internment camp at Hemlo, Ont., Royal Canadian Mounted Police said today.

The prisoners were listed as Robert Traut, 21, Heinz Cummert, 21, and Kurt Senmholz, 35. R.C.M.P. officials here said they did not know when the men made their escape.

Traut was described as being six feet tall with brown hair and hazel eyes. He speaks German, French and English. Gummert is five feet six inches tall, weighs 166, and has light brown hair and blue eyes. Henmholz is five feet 11 inches tall, weighs 164, has brown hair streaked with gray and brown eyes.

Vancouver Police Record Up in March

VANCOUVER, April 14 (CP) — Vancouver's crime and police record for March showed a marked increase in offences compared with last month and the burglary record alone was more than double that of March last year, police said last night. Chief Constable Donald McKay has ordered extra men shifted from the gambling and liquor squad to the criminal investigation bureau in an effort to check the growing crime wave. Total number of offences in March was 2037 compared with 1874 the previous month.

SLOCAN CITY

SLOCAN CITY, B.C.—Mr. M. Nixon is visiting members of her family in Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hicks and two laughters, Beverley and Brenda, who were visiting Trail, returned Sunday accompanied by Mrs. Hicks' sister, Mrs. A. Phare, who will be their guest of a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gumm and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Pinchbeck and two daughters and Miss Jean McDonald of Trail were Sunday visitors here.

Roy Caisley of Nelson is spending the Easter holidays here with relatives.

Miss E. Heaps, one of the members of the Anglican Mission here, left Monday to spend a few days in Nelson.

Mrs. T. Imming and daughter, Peggy, visited friends in New Denver.

Innis Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Cooper, is a patient in Slocan Community Hospital, New Denver.

Mrs. Thomas McNeish of Victoria, who is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Leveque of Rosebery, is spending a few days here, guest of Mr. and Mrs. K. Popoff.

SLOCAN CITY, B.C.—Mrs. H. Gustafson and daughter of Perrys were visitors to town.

Mrs. George Stewart and daughter, Ivy Stewart, of New Denver are guests of Mrs. Stewart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Law.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. O'Neail and two little sons, Terry and Danny, went to Nelson to visit Mrs. O'Neail's parents Mr. and Mrs. T. Hulls.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams of Sandon are guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. Popoff. Mr. Adams, who has been B.C. Security Commissioner at Sandon, is being transferred here, replacing F. G. Skinner who is being moved to the Vancouver office.

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REPORT JAPS BURNED 300 PERSONS ALIVE

CHUNGKING, April 14 (AP)—A Chinese dispatch said today that Japanese occupation authorities of Peiping burned alive some 300 starving persons and beggars last month on the excuse they were infected with the plague. Inhabitants of a township outside Peiping witnessed the burning, the dispatch said.

Coast Hoopsters Win Opener

VANCOUVER, April 14 (CP) — Patricia Bay R. C. A. F. Gremlins defeated Edmonton U. E. Engineers 57-34 here tonight in the first game of the senior men's Western Canada finals. Second game of the two-of-three series will be played here Saturday night and the third, if necessary, Monday night.

Lineups:

Pat Bay—Baker 19, Andrews 14, Edmondson 8, Pay 13, Phelan 3, Goldsmith, Stout, McKeachie. Total —57.

Edmonton—Miller 9, Kroma, Gulleckson 9, Chamness 7, Ayres 7, Smith 2, Philips, Murphy, Hiesserman. Total—34.

Say Publicity Side of Jap Drive Not Happily Handled

NEW DELHI, April 14 (AP)—The British-owned Bombay Times declared yesterday it appeared that the "publicity side of the Japanese offensive against Imphal has not been happily handled" and urged Allied military leaders to give the public a realistic picture of the enemy invasion of India.

"It is true that one Southeast Asia Command communique described it (the invasion) as a major offensive," the Times said, "but since then the tendency . . . has been to treat the attack as a rather irresponsible operation . . ."

The New Moslem organ, Dawn, published somewhat similar editorial comment.

Allied military leaders, Dawn said, "cannot ignore the recent reverses in Assam, which must offer a disquieting picture against assurances of Allied might in the East."

PAYS FINE FOR LOTTERY ON N.H.L. GAMES

OTTAWA, April 14 (CP)—Ernest Girouard, 46, Ottawa, today was fined $500 and costs or six months in jail when convicted on a charge of assisting and aiding in the sale of lottery tickets based on playoff games of the National Hockey League.

Girouard, described by police as the Ottawa agent for a lottery known as the "World's Hockey Series," paid the fine.

SOUTH SLOCAN COUPLE IN SISTERS HOSPITAL

ROSSLAND, B. C., April 14—Mr. and Mrs. Tom White of South Slocan are patients in Mater Misericordiae Hospital, having being brought to Rossland Friday morning by ambulance.

Trace Invasion Rumor to Nazi Program

TORONTO, April 14 (CP)—European invasion rumors started by three Ontario reports that a German Radio station had broadcast about an Allied landing on the French Coast apparently were run down today to a German propaganda program which described how invasion forces might land and mentioned the Dieppe attack of 1942.

The rumors were described authoritatively by British sources in London as "entirely untrue from beginning to end."

From three sources—In Toronto, London, Ont., and Malton, Ont.,—the story of the purported invasion reached newspaper offices here.

Early today, the British Broadcasting Corporation said in a broadcast recorded by U.S. Government Monitors that it had the answer. The BBC said:

The report apparently stemmed from a garbled version of a German propaganda broadcast which described ways an invasion force might strike and mentioned Dieppe in which Canadian troops formed the main attacking force.

LONDON, April 14 (CP)—A purported German broadcast, heard by some Ontario residents last night, saying that Canadian troops had landed on the French Coast South of Calais, was described, authoritatively in London today as "entirely untrue from beginning to end."

S.S. "Nasookin" Will Not Stop at Procter Owing to Low Water

While the low water continues the S.S. "Nasookin" will not call at Procter on the noon trip from Fraser's Landing or on the 4:30 trip from Gray Creek. This was stated by E. Smith, District Engineer in Nelson this week.

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9:45 a.m.—SUNDAY SCHOOL

11:00 a.m.—"THE CHRISTIAN BELIEF ABOUT HEAVEN".

7:30 p.m.—"CHURCH BOARDS, DYNAMITE OR DYNAMO?"

Members of the Official Board will attend.

8:00 p.m.—FIRE-SIDE HOUR in the Church Hall. Men of the Board will be hosts.

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9:45 a.m. Sunday Schools

11:00 a.m. COURAGEOUS CHRISTIANITY

A service of Dedication and Reception of New Members. Music by the Joint Choir.

7:30 p.m. THE HIGH PURPOSE OF GOD—IN THE GOSPEL

Music by the Senior Choir.

Tues., 3 p.m. — United W.M.S. Thankoffering Meeting in St. Paul's Church Hall.

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11 a.m. Subject: "Lovest Thou Me".

7:30 p.m. Subject: "Babylon"

Wed., 7:30 p.m.—Prayer meeting

Friday, 7:30 p.m.—Hi League.

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Victoria St.

Major W. A. Mercer. Divisional Young Peoples Secretary for Southern, B. C., will conduct services.

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

Sunday School at 3 p.m.

Adjt. and Mrs. G. Crewe Officers in charge.

First Presbyterian Church

Victoria and Kootenay Sts.

Archibald Stewart, Minister.

11 a.m.—"Victory Over Death"

7:30 p.m.—"The Renewal of Courage"

Baptist Church

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

9:45 a.m. — Church School.

11:00 a.m.—"Effective Witness"

3:00 p.m.—Service Shirley Hall.

7:30 p.m.—"Eternal Securities"

Wednesday, 8:00 p.m.—Prayer Meeting.

Sixteenth centry armor manufacturers discovered that fluting metal gave it strength and rigidity without adding weight, a principle used today with corrugated iron and steel girders.

Allied Government With "Teeth" to Control Germany

By WES GALLAGHER
Associated Press Staff Writer

LONDON, April 14 (AP). — Defeated Germany will be governed by a joint British-American-Russian "Allied military government with teeth in it," a reliable source in close touch with Allied armistice proposals said today.

And, he added, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower as Supreme Commander of the Allied Western Front forces will be given the greatest authority of any military leader in history. Besides commanding all Allied land, sea and air forces, he will exercise direct and indirect control over the civilian life of most of liberated Europe.

The plan for Germany was broadly outlined by this source after it was learned last night that no Allied government was intended for France. Instead Gen. Charles de Gaulle's Committee of National Liberation is to be given control of the civil administration of liberated France, receiving "military recognition" as the official authority but not being granted diplomatic recognition as the French "government."

Details of the tri-power administration of Germany are being worked out by the European Advisory Commission in conjunction with military chiefs, an informant said, giving this picture of Allied plans:

For some time after the armistice, as well as before, Gen. Eisenhower as chief of the military government forces will have direct control over all parts of Germany occupied by British, American or other Allied troops except the Russians. A Soviet military government will control German territory occupied by the Red Army.

The entire economic life of Europe will be under his control.

This does not mean the Allies plan any A.M.G.'s or military governments for liberated countries. All countries except Germany and her satellites who stay with her to the end will be allowed to choose their own governments.

There is no question of self-government for Germany immediately after the war, it was stressed.

Unlike Italy, where many local Fascists were left in office on grounds of military expediency, the Allies plan to remove all persons tainted with Nazism from public offices, schools and the judiciary.

British and American military government teams now are being trained in England to take over all the duties necessary in Germany, and to purge the Nazis. The European Advisory Commission is working on a broad policy to be followed by Britons, Americans and Russians.

Canadians Walk With Germans In Trick to Return to Own Lines

By DOUGLAS AMARON
Canadian Press War Correspondent

WITH THE CANADIAN CORPS IN ITALY, April 14 (CP).—Forty-eight hours leave was a welcome respite to four Canadian soldiers who spent 27 hours observing the Germans from a house a half-mile behind the enemy lines.

A patrol from the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment went out into the German lines at 7 o'clock one night, with Lieut. Jim Fraser of Toronto in charge. They probed far behind the enemy positions, without encountering opposition, then returned.

Sgt. Ross Lusk of Belleville, Ont., and Ptes. Bernie Crawford, Madoc, Ont., J. N. Billings, Winchester, Ont., and John Mayer, Timmins, Ont., remained behind, in the top floor of a house. They had gone prepared to stay for 24 hours, with a tin of bully beef, several tins of cheese and a bottle of water.

When daylight came two of the soldiers took up positions at the doors, to guard against any intruding Germans, and the other two observed from the windows. The Germans, literally, were all around them.

For security reasons, the results of the observation can't be recorded. No one entered the house itself and when night came, Lusk decided it was time to return. When German carts with supplies for forward outposts moved up a road he and the three privates walked out and followed in the rear.

"We stayed far enough back so they wouldn't challenge us, and hoped they would think we were Germans," said Lusk. The plan worked and the Canadians walked along unbothered until they came to a dip where they cut off from the road and crawled back to their own lines.

CATHOLIC YOUTH IN FRANCE UNDER STRICT RULE

BARCELONA, April 14 (AP).—Joseph Darnand, Secretary General for Maintenance of Order in the Vichy regime, has put all Roman Catholic Youth and other organizations in France under strict police supervision, advices reaching here said today.

Backed by his militia forces, Darnand was reported to have put in active practice the anti-religious philosophy of Marcel Deat, Minister of Labor and Secretary of State, who is now called by Frenchmen "the brains of Vichy."

Darnand was said to have advised the clergy that henceforth Government representatives would attend every religious service.

Elimination of Japs From Canada "Nazi Tactics"

VANCOUVER, April 14 (CP) — Liberal Party proposals for the elimination of Japanese from Canadian life after the war are "Nazi tactics", Angus MacInnis, C. C. F. member of parliament for Vancouver East, told a party meeting here last night.

"Our Liberal friends would try to degrade the Japanese just as the Nazis have degraded the Jews," he said. "Ever since I was a boy I took great pride in the fact that once a legal slave set foot on Canadian soil, he was a free man. Evidently those days are gone."

Seven Canadians Commissioned in Italian Field

NAPLES, Italy, April 14 (CP Reuters)—Seven Canadians have been given commission son the battlefield in Italy in the last few months without leaving their units, it was announced today.

They were Staff Sgts. R. Develin, and W. S. Story of Winnipeg; Staff Sgt. W. A. Airth of Montreal; Staff Sgt. D. G. Johnson and Company Sgt.-Maj. W. F. Morrison, of Hamilton, Ont.; Company Sgt.-Maj. H. H. Rayner and Company Sgt.-Maj. H. Savage, both of Toronto.

Says Servicemen Should Control U. S. War Plants

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14 (AP) —Ownership and control of government-owned war plants by the men and women who served in the U. S. armed forces was suggested today by Harold Ickes, Secretary of the Interior, as a means of providing maximum production and employment in the post war period.

"If these plants are merely turned over to be quietly throttled in the interest of an economy of scarcity—scarce production, scarce opportunity and few jobs—we can confidently look forward to post-war chaos," Mr. Ickes said in a speech for delivery to the San Francisco Commonwealth Club.

"On the other hand, continued government ownership and operation would be a negative answer.

"We must make sure that the ownership and control of these plants come to rest in the hands of those who are interested in their continued, full operation and have hopes of a rejuvenated and even more vigorous America.

"I know of no better way to accomplish this plan than to vest ownership and control of these government plants in the men and women who have served in our armed forces. These are the people, who, we can be sure, will be interested in maximum production and maximum employment. Giving to each of them a share in the ownership and control of a giant segment of American industry would amount to giving them a stake in the future of the democratic economy of America which they are fighting to preserve, this would be a revised edition of the homestead acts and of the land provisions of the declamation law. It would amount to giving these ten million young peopde shares of stock in the America for which they have risked their lives."

Giraud Now on Retired List

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ALGIERS, April 14 (CP) —The French National Committee of Liberation completed its ouster of Gen. Henri Giraud as French Commander-in-Chief by placing him on the retired list tonight.

Giraud's friends said his acceptance was virtually certain.

The committee acted, spokesmen said, when it became convinced that Giraud would not revoke his refusal to accept the inspector-generalship of French forces, as voiced in his bitter Easter Sunday letter to Gen. Charles de Gaulle.

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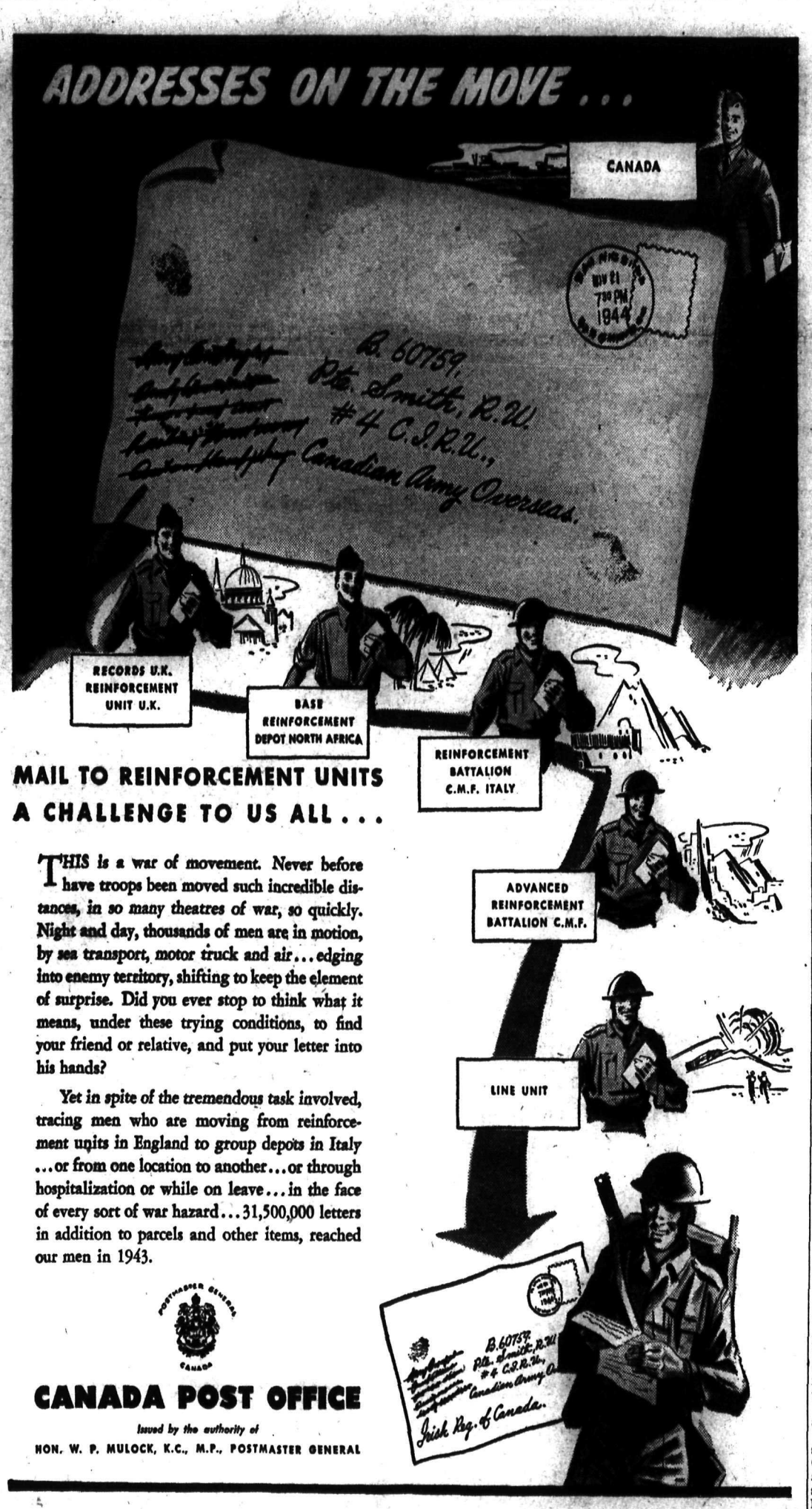

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Diagnosis . . .

Treatment for Diseases Varies

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M.D.

The average patient goes to the doctor and demands—"What will I take for this?"—expecting the answer to be (1) a small box of pills which he takes three times a day. Or (2) a list of foods he must not eat and when he has not eaten enough the disease is purged and he is a new man and he may go out and seek whatever he wishes to devour. Or (3) a course of baths and massage. Or (4) a temporary change of climate. Or (5) extra vitamins.

If you want to be comfortable, if you want to give the disease the least chance, you will have to rearrange your habits. Nature is very imperious sometimes. That is one of her requirements.

The conditions that demand a limitation of life as the necessary of treatment are: obesity, heart disease, angina pectoris, hardening of the arteries and high blood pressure, chronic tuberculosis, chronic bronchitis and old age.

Another group is that of "patients who are to be treated chiefly by nursing care." Here are listed most of the common disorders such as colds, influenza, acute fevers, measles, most of the diseases of the nervous system, such as nervous breakdowns and states of exhaustion.

Then there are the diseases in which the treatment is purely tentative and experimental. What is good for one patient may not work on another and vice versa. In this group are listed arthritis, asthma, allergic disorders, neuralgias and muscular rheumatism, some skin disease—such as psoriasis, eczema, dermatitis and ringworm—and those diseases in which the diagnosis is uncertain.

You see the diseases that can be cured by a specific, in which the doctor can answer definitely to the question—"What shall I do for this?" by giving a single simple remedy, are in the minority. They include the infections for which the sulfonamides, or penicillin or antitoxins or serums can ge given, those treated by a specific diet as in diabetes, and some disorders remedied by surgery.

PROCTER

PROCTER, B.C.—Mrs. H. Heuston of Calgary was a guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mrs. M. MacKay, here.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Shkwarok had as their guest, Lac. Milton Solecki prior to returning to his R.C.A.F. duties at Boundary Bay. He spent part of his leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Soleckl, at McConnel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Schwab and son of Zincton are spending a few days in Procter.

Mrs. Creech and daughter, Norma, of Nelson, are visiting the former's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. Donaldson.

The Misses Dorothy and Patricia Shkwarok are spending the Easter holidays with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Antoniuk, and their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. F. Bachynski, in Nelson.

Harry Solecki of Blake was a visitor to Procter.

Mrs. J. Renzie and children are visiting Fernie.

Miss Peggy MacLeod of Nelson spent the Easter weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. MacLeod.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Smith have left for Crescent Valley, where they were called by the sudden death of the lattr's father.

Graham McMullin, who attends High School in Nelson, is spending the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. McMullin.

LONGBEACH

LONGBEACH, B.C.—Mr. and Mrs. Kairns and family of Macleod Alta., have moved to their home here, purchased from J. D. Kerr.

H. Feller, Mrs. A. Feller, Mrs. J. Flagel and Mrs. P. Young were visitors to Nelson.

Russel Saunders spent a week at his home here, leaving for Calgary Saturday to enter the Navy.

F. Ward visited Nelson Saturday.

Mrs. E. Turner and Mr. C. Gilling were Nelson visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. G. McTavish of Trail spent the weekend here.

Miss A. Myers of Trail spent the weekend at the home of Mrs. G. Ward.

Miss M. Lipsack of Nelson visited Mrs. J. Flagell here.

CASTLEGAR

CASTLEGAR, B.C. — Mrs. Omar Lightle is a patient in Trail-Tadanac hospital.

Miss Gertrude Ham, Misses Esther and Anita Broman spent the holidays with Miss Rose Englund.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Hall Jr. and daughter of Trail have taken up residence in Castlegar.

Mrs. J. Seaton and children of Cranbrook have taken up residence in Castlegar.

Philip Toogood has returned from a business trip to Calgary.

Miss Evelyn Ball is spending the holidays with her parents in Nelson.

Mrs. Brandt of Trail visited friends enroute to the Coast.

Verner Nelson of Pondereille spent a weekend with his wife and family here.

The United Church W.A., held a successful Spring sale in the Community Hall. Those in charge of tea tables were Mrs. C. Fraser, Mrs. N. Defoe, Mrs. V. Riley, Mrs. V. Goresky; bake table, L. Grunerod, Mrs. G. Gemmel; apron table, Mrs. H. Sommers Mrs. H. Bebb, and kitchen Mrs. C. Appleton, Mrs. A. Leinso and Mrs. C. Thiede.

Visitors to Trail were Mrs. A. Gripich, Mrs. I. Pterson, John Vegraiff, Dr. V. Goresky, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hoodikoff.

George Jorgenson of Brilliant spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs I. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schiavon visited Fruitvale and Columbia Gardens Monday.

Mrs. Cecil Tench and children Gordon and Patsy visited Trail Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Theide and children have left for Alberta where they will make their home.

Miss Stephanie Gavick visited Mr. and Mrs. Mike Perpelikin of Thrums.

Mrs. A. Geinss, Miss Hazel Saunders, Bill Saunders, Louie Fitzsimmons, Fred Pomenoff, Mrs. M. Macpherson and Mrs. D. Reid visited Trail Saturday.

Mrs. A. Snell visited Trail Monday.

Mrs. W. Rudland has left to visit the Coast for the next six weeks.

CASTLEGAR, B.C.—Miss Lillian Baker has left for her home at Beausejour, Man., after spending the Winter with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rysen.

Mr. and Mrs. Verner Nelson and children Bobby and Nina were Trail visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. W. Easton and daughter Barbara are spending their Easter holidays with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Byers, Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Cabano and children were recent visitors to Trail.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Watson has returned home from Trail-Tadanac Hospital.

Miss Tena and Miss Molly Chernenkoff were recent visitors to Taghum.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Cleeton of Brilliant visited Castlegar Sunday.

Mrs. T. Crooks and Miss Elizabeth Snell were recent visitors to Nelson

Miss Eva Paterson and Mrs. B. Sieg visited Trail.

Mrs. T. Schiavon and daughters Ethel, Joyce and Geraldine are spending a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Picton of Beasley.

O. Lightle, L. Atkinson, John Saxon and Pete Savenikoff visited Trail Saturday.

Mrs. W. Howard and daughters, June and Shirley of West Robson visited Castlegar Monday.

Miss Marjorie Sinclair is spending holidays with her parents in Nelson.

Mrs. Alex Eremenko was a recent visitor to Nelson.

Slow Down . . .

Fast Eating Makes You Fatter

By IDA JEAN KAIN

A group of office girls wants to know if eating fast isn't a help in reducing.

The girl who craves to reduce is more likely to be satisfied with fewer calories when she eats slowly. At least, she can eat longer for the same number. And the thin girl has to take time to eat to give her undependable digestive system a break.

The digestion of sugars and starches begins in the mouth and they should be thoroughly chewed. The starch digestive enzyme which starts things going is contained in the saliva, so when a delicious hot biscuit is swallowed in a couple of bites and some nice soft mashed potatoes with little or no chewing they can stay in the stomach for a *couple of hours* without any further digestion taking place. That certainly is no help to the thin girl. Contrarily enough, the digestive system of the overweight seems to be equal to almost anything and eventually converts every little calorie extra right into more adipose tissue.

ATHLONES TO ARRIVE IN VICTORIA MAY 2

VANCOUVER, April 14 (CP) — Canada's Governor-General the Earl of Athlone and Princess Alice will arrive here May 2 on their way to Victoria, Mayor J. W. Cornett was informed today.

Routine . . .

Train Child to Stay In Bed

By GARRY C. MYERS, Ph.D.

As the days grow longer, hundreds of thousands of tots are waking earlier and earlier in the morning. This means they are getting less sleep than they need.

Any youngster from two to six can be trained to sleep up to any reasonable regular hour in the morning, and at very little immediate trouble to him and his mother.

Let his rising time be exactly the same each morning the year 'round. Don't be so foolish as to expect him to sleep later on Sunday or holidays. When old enough, he might be educated to get himself up on these mornings at the regular time and entertain himself quietly, in case you wish to sleep longer. Many parents have tried this same plan for every morning. While it might enable the mother to sleep as long as she likes, it does not guarantee adequate sleep to the youngster.

Many a tot, even a child as old as six, will keep calling his mother to his bedside, finding all sorts of excuses to gain attention and keep awake for one or more hours after going to bed. For correction, announce calmly to the child as he is preparing for bed that, since he is getting so big you are not going to come to him any more after he goes to bed. But don't tell him not to call you. Just command yourself.

Infatuation . . .

Affections Can't Be Forced

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

Dear Miss Fairfax:— My best friend has asked me to help her with a problem concerning her brother. He has become infatuated with a girl six years older than he is. She's a nice girl but doesn't care anything about the boy. Everyone, including his own family, is making fun of him, but in the eventual breakup he will take it hard.

This siren has a younger sister who is in love with the boy, and we come to you for advice. Can you tell us how to divert this young man's attention to the younger girl? Your advice always seems to help.

L.M.

Don't you know, my dear, it's very difficult to make people go the way you want them to, in matters of the affections. Don't try to force the younger sister on the boy. She might be there when he comes in a sweetly sympathetic role, but don't let her go after him with the frankness of a dog catcher with a net.

LONDON—There is a sign outside the Newark office of the Ministry of Information Emergency Information Service which says, "American Information." The result has been a constant stream of enquiries, including one from an American who wanted to know why the telephone operators say "you're through before he has started.

Hints for Housewives

By BETSY NEWMAN

Baked ham, fresh ham or roast lamb, chicken or other fowl is always good meat around which to build a dinner. Each of us has our favorite method of cooking these dishes. Let me give you my specials.

Baked ham, baked fresh ham
or Lamb Roast
Scalloped or roasted Potatoes
Buttered Asparagus
or Frozen Green Peas
Raw Carrots and Turnip Sticks
Olives Radishes Hot Rolls
Orange Sherbet Fudge Cake
Coffee

BAKED HAM

Wash ham, put in roasting pan with skin side up. When tender, peel off skin, insert cloves at intervals in fat and pour over it a sauce made of ½ cup brown sugar, ¼ cup cider vinegar, and ¼ cup water, boiled together, and continue roasting until brown. Roast at 300 or 325 degrees F.

ROAST FRESH HAM

Wipe ham with damp cloth and place in roasting pan, uncovered. Roast at about 300 degrees F., allowing 45 minutes for each pound of meat. About one hour before serving, chop 1 onion, add 1 teaspoon of dried sage to it and sprinkle on top of meat. Season with salt and pepper. Apple rings may be put around either smoked or fresh ham. Sprinkle with brown sugar and bake with meat for about ½ hour.

FUDGE CAKE

6 tablespoons shortening, 3 squares grated chocolate, melted, 1½ cups sugar, 1½ teaspoons vanilla, 1½ cups sifted flour, 3 teaspoons baking powder, ¼ teaspoon salt, ¾ cup milk, 3 eggs.

Melt shortening, add melted chocolate and blend well. Sift flour, measure and sift again with all-phosphate baking powder and salt and add alternately with milk to creamed mixture. Add eggs, one at a time, beat until thoroughly mixed, add vanilla and blend well. Pour into 2 greased layer cake tins and bake at 350 degrees F., for 25 to 30 minutes. Frost with your favorite frosting.

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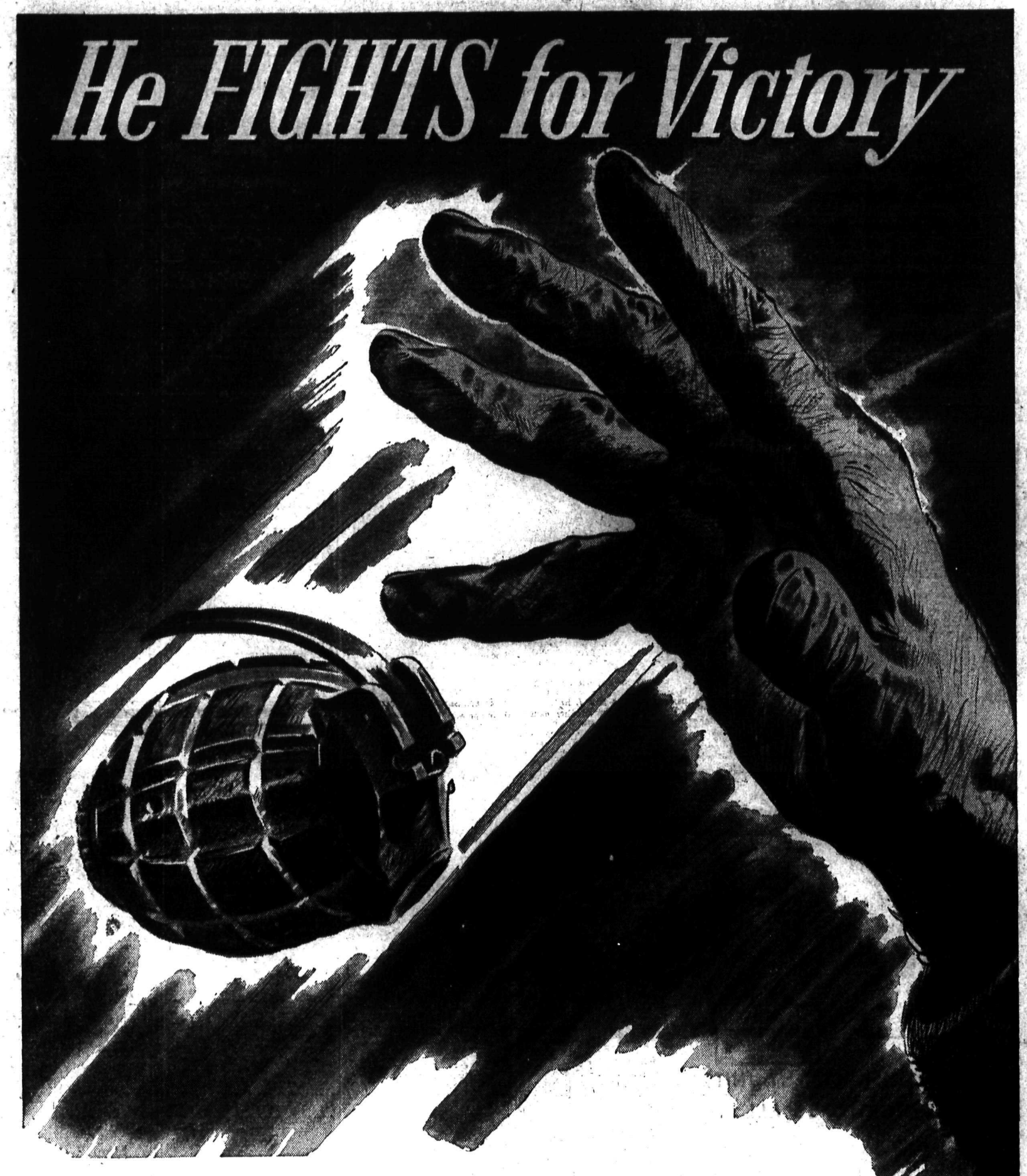

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By MRS. M. J. VIGNEUX

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○ Wednesday evening a miscellaneous shower was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Morgan, Third Street, honoring Mrs. H. Couston, nee June Morgan, whose marriage took place March 31. The guests included Miss Jeanie Anderson, Mrs. D. Lord, Mrs. R. L. Jarrett, Miss Charlotte Wood, Miss Phyllis Thompson, Miss Betty Aldersmith, Miss Dorothy Postlethwaite, Miss Evelyn Ball, Miss Peggy Triggs and Miss Ruby Hoover.

● Lord Aylmer of Willow Point visited town yesterday.

● Mrs. E. Kilberg and infant daughter have left Kootenay Lake General Hospital for their home on the Granite Road.

● Mrs. W. Bennett of South Slocan spent yesterday in Nelson.

● Mr. and Mrs. Percy Young, Mill Street, have as guest, Mr. Young's mother, Mrs. W. Young of Passmore, who came to town to attend the funeral of Mrs. S. Bentley Thursday.

● Shoppers in the city yesterday included Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Moore of Willow Point.

HOME ON FURLOUGH

● Cpl. Jack Bishop of the R.C.A.F. and Mrs. Bishop, of Boundary Bay, are visiting their parents, Mrs. H. J. Bishop and Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Reid, here.

● Captain M. McKinnon was in the city from Procter yesterday.

● Mrs. Bailey of Willow Point visited Nelson yesterday.

● William Cutler of Winlaw was in town Thursday to attend the funeral of Mrs. S. Bentley.

● Mrs. Harold Coates, who has spent a fortnight at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Arneson, Stanley Street, returned to her home in Edgewood yesterday.

● T. W. Smith of the Alpine mine shopped in Nelson yesterday.

● Mrs. P. O. Bird was a visitor from South Slocan yesterday.

● Mrs. Glen Price and Mrs. W. J. Hyndman of Vulcan, Alta., are guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kennedy, Robson Street.

● Mrs. W. G. C. Lanskail was hostess in Memorial Hall to members of St. Saviour's Mothers' Club Thursday afternoon when those present were Mrs. E. J. Boyce, Mrs. F. W. Cartwright, Mrs. F. Jasper, Mrs. Thomas German, Mrs. F. B. Pearce, Mrs. W. R. Perry, Mrs. H. C. Nye, Mrs. C. E. A. Simonds, Mrs. G. R. Thompson, Mrs. J. Dawney, Mrs. Lund, Mrs. G. A. Fletcher and Mrs. Frank Phillips.

RETURNS TO DUTY

● Sgmn. F. H. Sutcliffe ha sreturned East after spending his furlough at the home on Victoria Street of his mother, Mrs. E. Sutcliffe.

● Mrs. W. Wadeson of South Slocan spent yesterday in Nelson.

● Miss Pat Steele and Miss Doreen Steele, who have spent a few days with their grandfather, George W. Steele, Silica Street, returned to their home in Trail yesterday.

● Mr. and Mrs. A. Olson of Crescent Bay visited town yesterday.

● Shoppers in the city yesterday included Mrs. Arthur Lambert of South Slocan.

● Mr. and Mrs. P. Lind were in the city from Sandon yesterday.

● Mrs. J. Simmons and her infant son have left Kootenay Lake General Hospital for their home in Castlegar.

● Mrs. Roy Pollard, Silica Street is visiting her mother, Mrs. Thomas Wall at La France Creek.

● Miss Joan Keough, who has just returned from attending Normal, was in town at the weekend and will take up her duties as teacher at the Passmore School.

● Circle No. 2 of St. Paul's Church met at the home of Mrs. O. A. Tapanila, 404 Latimer Street, this week when members present were Mrs. D. G. Mosses, Mrs. J. Lundie, Mrs. Sutherland, Mrs. Marcus Martin, Mrs. Chambers, Mrs. J. C. Hielscher, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. J. Armstrong and Mrs. C. E. Jorgenson.

● Anthony Madden of Slocan City is a city visitor.

VISITOR TO COAST

● Mrs. W. E. Wasson, Terrace Apartments, has left to spend a few weeks in Vancouver at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Evan Wasson.

● Mrs. A. J. Robinson of Blewett visited town yesterday.

● Gunner Gilbert Mosses spent his Easter leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Mosses, 1024 Hall Street.

● H. A. D. Greenwood, Fairview, has returned from a trip to the Coast.

● Mr. and Mrs. Don Clark of Trail were city visitors yesterday.

● Shoppers in town yesterday included Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Chanter of Longbeach.

● Mrs. J. DeJong and infant son have left Kootenay Lake General Hospital for their home on the Silver King Road.

● Mrs. H. G. Gunn of New Denver was a city visitor yesterday. included Mrs. George Platt of Brill-

● Shoppers in town yesterday liant.

● Miss Jean Gilker, Victoria Street, returned last night from Vancouver and Chilliwack, attending a Soroptimist convention in the latter city.

● Mr. and Mrs. P. McLellan of Ainsworth visited town yesterday.

● Visitors in the city yesterday included Mrs. Mojeski of Taghum.

RETURN FROM OREGON

● J. A. McDonald, Mill Street, has returned from Salem, Ore., where he visited his two daughters, Lillian and Jessie.

● Mr. and Mrs. H. Morgan, Third Street, held a welcome home party Thursday evening honoring their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. Coutton, when cards were the order of the evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. Hillyard, Mr. and Mrs. A. Ioanin, Mr. and Mrs. G. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hammer, W. Wagstaffe, Mrs. R. L. Jarrett, Mr. and Mrs. G. Pasacreta, R. A. Aldersmith, and Miss Betty Aldersmith.

● Mr. and Mrs. L. Dwyer are visitors from Sandon.

● Mrs. James Jamieson and baby boy have left Kootenay Lake General Hospital for their home at 308 Third Street.

● Gordon Moir was in town from Salmo yesterday.

● Miss Joan Coltman has returned to Vancouver after visiting Mrs. E. Sutcliffe and Mrs. J. T. Brown, Victoria Street.

M. S. Arthur Borne to Rest

Six members of Nelson's pioneer fraternity carried the body of Matthew Simpson Arthur of Warner, Alta., early day Kootenay prospector and miner to rest here Friday. afternoon. The committal in Nelson Memorial Park followed funeral services, conducted by Rev. H. Stewart Forbes of St. Paul's United Church, at the Thompson Funeral Home.

"O God Our Help in Ages Past" was the hymn chosen, Miss Margaret Graham, Organist, accompanying.

Palbearers were Fred Irvine, A. Carrie, George W. Steele, James Robertson, R. G. Joy and R. A. Peebles.

Mr. Arthur, who had farmed at Warner for the past 35 years, died Sunday at Edmonton.

No Epidemics in Nelson

When the attention of Dr. R. B. Brummitt, City Health Officer, was called Friday to the fact that there were epidemics of scarlet fever and chicken-pox in Vancouver, he said that there had been two cases of mumps, two of scarlet fever and six of chicken-pox in Nelson recently, but there was nothing of an epidemic nature.

CRANBROOK

CRANBROOK, B.C.—E. Eberlein, who attends the Provincial Normal School at Victoria has arrived to spend the Easter holidays with his parents. Miss Vivien Eberlein of Vancouver also arrived Sunday morning to visit her parents for a week.

Lac. Bill Fipnn spent the holiday weekend at the home of his brother, Basil Flynn, returning to Macleod Sunday.

Miss Ethel Leggatt is visiting friends in Kimberley for a few days this week.

Victor Haddad arrived here from Calgary Friday to join his wife and daughter at the home of his parents for a few days holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sang, Bobby, Sharon and Bill Sang are spending this week at Lethbridge visiting Mr. Sang's mother.

Mrs. R. B. Mitchell left Monday morning for Calgary where she will visit her sister, and her son who attends school there.

Mrs. John Sowerby, who has been hospitalized here for several days was the weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Johnstone before returning to her home at Wasa Sunday afternoon.

Dr. G. E. L. MacKinnon, M.P., who spent the Easter recess with his family at the Coast, is expected here this week to remain for a few days before returning to Ottawa when the sission resumes.

Miss Marilyn Patmore of the Invermere school staff is visiting her parents here during the Easter holidays.

J. Stewart Pays $15 Fine For Speeding

Jack Stewart, Nelson, changed his plea from not guilty to guilty, on the charge of operating a motor vehicle at a rate of speed greater than 40 miles per hour, when he appeared before Stipendiary Magistrate William Irvine at the Provincial Police Court Friday after a week's remand. He paid a fine of 15 and costs. On his first appearance he had pleaded not guilty.

Constable F. Slater made the check April 9 when Mr. Stewart was driving near Taghum.

The charge was laid under the Department of Munitions and Supply Act's regulations respecting the speed of motor vehicles.

SLOCAN PARK

SLOCAN PARK, B.C.—Mrs. L. Longden and son George, accompanied by Mrs. Brockenholder were Easter guests of Mrs. A. D. Crebbin.

Miss Joyce Greavison of Shutty Bench is spending the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Greavison.

Miss Dorothy Dams of Castlegar spent part of the Easter holidays with her grandmother, Mrs. A. D. Crebbin.

Mr. and Mrs. Greavison and family were guests of Mrs. Coleman at Vallican Sunday.

Misses Florence and Polly Plotnikoff of Castlegar are guests of Mrs. Pete Osachoff.

Miss Susie Padowinkoff and the Misses Polly and Fanny Verigin of Vallican were visitors to Slocan Park Sunday.

Mr. Bloodoff, the Misses Elizabeth and Mildred Bloodoff, Miss Sylvia Wells, Miss Helen Sookeroff and Miss Volkens, all of Passmore, were Sunday visitors to Slocan Park.

Miss Lucy Osachoff has returned to Trail after spending a few days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Osachoff.

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ORANGES, 220's, Dozen	43¢
GRAPEFRUIT, 80's, California, 3 for	27¢
LETTUCE, Large size, head	18¢
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ONION CULTURE

After the shortage of onions this last season why not try your hand at growing them? This crop does well on old land, very fertile, and free from weeds. It should be Fall dug and thoroughly fertilized. Sow half ounce of seed to one hundred feet of row. Sow the seed about the middle of April about half inch deep and the row one to 1½ feet apart. Thin out the plants to two inches apart in the row when they are large enough to handle.

Cultivate and hand weed the crop often throughout the Summer. If the land is likely to be infested with weeds a good plan is to sow some radish seeds along with the onions to mark the rows. Onion sets may be used instead of seeds and will produce an earlier crop of green onions or large bulbs. Place the sets the depth of the bulb in rows one foot apart, three or four inches from one another.

It is well to make a furrow and place the sets in this and cover, using a garden rake. If the soil is dry, it should be well firmed against the sets. The finest onions are produced by sowing the seed in a hot bed early in March, and transplanting the seedlings to the open ground six inches apart. Do not plant too deep so as to avoid thin necks, and no bulb. These are not worth the space they take up. The roots are very tender so be careful in handling seedlings. Shallots are remarkably pest free. The grub of the onion fly so rarely attacks them that they can be dismissed from practical consideration. You will make the crop less attractive to thrips, the only pests that bother them, if on warm evenings you spray the bed with clear water, which incidentally helps to a better yield.

Spraying forcibly with quassia extract will kill any of these small, black, leaf-bleaching sap-sucking insects that find their way on to the shallots.

In a wet season on a badly drained bed there may be outbreak of mildew, covering the plant with a purplish white mould, which arrests the offsets from swelling. Spraying with a solution of liver of sulphur (1 oz. to 3 gals. water) in a calm, dry time is a certain mildew remedy. About every five days use quarter strength liquid manure (about 3 pints per clump per dose) and muriate of potash (1 level teaspoon per clump per dose) alternately, and your shallots will fill up to full weight.

Many shallot yields are reduced because the sets have not sufficient room. They form below the ground level. If left to struggle with the soil, they would be smaller than would be the case if a saucer-shaped depression is carefully scraped about each clump, deepening it as the need of the offsets demand.

If the plants push up any flower spikes, nip them off as soon as they show, and the output won't be materially affected. Soot water (two pint per clump per dose) and super-phosphate of lime (one teaspoon per clump per dose) alternately with the liquid manure is very good.

For onion maggot treat the seeds with calomel.

Wet the seed with sweetened water and shake them in a closed container with an equal amount of calomel dust and sow immediately. Or use a corrosive sublimate solution and wet the soil around the base of the plants when they are about 1½ inches high. Repeat twice at eight day intervals, keeping the solution off the leaves.

If any infested plants appear, destroy them immediately.

Soot is very valuable for onions and the best way is to choose a damp morning when the plants are about three inches high to apply it. Give a liberal springling of soo between the rows and hoe it into the soil.

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BOSWELL

BOSWELL, B.C.—Mrs. R. Shell has returned from a visit to Nelson.

P. L. Sullivan and son Terry were weekend visitors to Creston.

Mrs. J. Kirkpatrick was a recent visitor to Nelson.

Mrs. John McLaws has arrived from Lethbridge, Alta., to stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hall.

Mrs. R. C. Yager and her daughter, Maymae, spent Easter in Trail, the guests of Mrs. J. Johnstone and Mrs. P. Mackie.

Rolph Shell, who is employed by the East Kootenay Power and Light Company at Blairmore, Alta., is home to spend two weeks holiday with his mother, Mrs. R. Shell and his grandfather, C. Meier.

Miss Jacqueline Spence and Miss Betty Laurie of Warfield, are guests for the holiday week of Miss Joan Bainbridge.

Jack Smith, who attends high school at Creston, spent Easter weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith.

Arnold Cummings of Rossland, is spending the vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Cummings, Goat Creek.

Mervyn and Verne Van Stienberg of Kimberley are guests of their uncle, R. C. Yager.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 15

CKLN AND CBC PROGRAMMES

MORNING

7:30—O Canada
7:31—Rise and Shine (CKLN)
8:00—CBC News
8:15—Pick of the Hits
8:30—Popular Tunes (CKLN)
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Hot Wax
9:30—Children's Scrapbook
9:59—Time Signal
10:00—Organ Encores
10:15—Musical Programme
10:30—Musical Programme
11:00—To Be Announced

AFTERNOON

12:25—The Notice Board
12:30—CBC News
12:45—To Be Announced
2:00—Tea and Crumpets
2:45—Musical Programme
3:00—Saturday Serenade
3:15—CBC News
3:30—The Ink Spots
3:45—BBC News
4:00—Meet the Band
4:15—This Week
4:30—Songs at Eventide
4:45—Talk
5:00—Jolly Miller Time
5:30—Dorothy Desmond
5:45—Saturday Swing Serenade

EVENING

6:00—Dance Orchestra
6:30—Two Piano Teams
7:00—National News
7:10—Instrumental Trio
7:30—Don Turner's Orch.
8:00—Words and Music
8:30—Saturday Dance Parade (CKLN)
9:00—Leicester Square to Broadway
9:30—Three Suns Trio
9:45—Lee Simms, pianist
10:00—CBC News
10:15—Dance Orch.
10:30—Dance Orchestra
11:30—God Save the King

SUNDAY, APRIL 16

CKLN AND CBC PROGRAMMES

MORNING

10:55—O Canada
11:00—CBC News
11:04—Washington Commentary
11:15—Anzac News Letter
11:30—Religious Period
12:00—New York Philharmonic Symphony

AFTERNOON

1:30—Church of the Air
2:00—CBC News Bulletin
2:04—Musical Programme (CKLN)
2:30—Comrades in Arms
3:00—Great Dates in Music
3:30—Talk
3:45—B.B.C. News
4:00—The B. C. Gardener
4:15—Salon Favourites
4:30—L for Lanky
5:00—Edgar Bergen & Charlie McCarthy
5:30—Weekend Review
5:45—Paul Fredericks (CKLN)

EVENING

6:00—Drama
6:30—The Gideon Programme (CKLN)
7:00—CBC News
7:15—Songs of Empire
7:45—To Be Announced
8:00—Just a Song
8:30—To Be Announced
9:00—BBC News Reel
9:15—J. B McGeachy
9:30—Vesper Hour
10:00—CBC News
10:15—God Save the King (CKLN)

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Dangers of Epidemics in Europe

The problems which await the attention of the inter-Allied relief commissions cannot be assessed with entire accuracy, yet plans for action must be made in advance. Considerable headway has been made. Food, clothing and other relief supplies are being stored and policies formulated for their distribution. The chief difficulty is to prepare adequately for emergencies that may be expected to arise.

Epidemic disease has already made an appearance in occupied Europe. It is a threat not Europe alone; if it is not controlled in time, it may engulf the world as influenza did after the last war, the Toronto Star points out. The physical condition of the people in most parts of Europe has declined to an extremely low level, and it likely will become worse before adequate help can be brought to them.

France and Belgium have suffered heavily. The excess of deaths over births in France has averaged more than 125,000 a year in the past two or three years. Tuberculosis and pneumonia have taken a heavy toll of life and the low level of nutrition has caused an increase in deficiency diseases. In Paris alone, the death rate from tuberculosis increased 40 per cent in the past two years.

In Italy, disease and death rates have risen sharply, and the birth rate has dropped. Influenza has swept through the cities of Northern Italy and in the South typhus has broken out. So numerous have been the typhus cases, the Allied military authorities have had to take extraordinary precautions to guard the troops. Typhus has hit Romania and Poland, and cases have been reported in Finland too. Starvation and disease have reduced the population of Greece. In Poland, more than 3,000,000 have been lost from the combined effects of underfeeding, disease, ruthless slaughter and the forced migration policy of the Nazis.

Germany also is beginning to feel the effects of the air assaults and reduced food supplies. The food situation in the Reich had been maintained at a favorable level by the flow of confiscated supplies from occupied countries. Today, nevertheless, the German diet is reported to be considerably below the essential minimum. Death rates have risen due to influenza, tuberculosis, digestive disorders and communicable disease. Typhus cases have been reported to be increasing in the Reich, both among German civilians and slave laborers. It is significant that since March no official statistics have been released on typhus nor on the number of air raid casualties. The infant mortality rate has climbed above prewar level in the Reich, and the birth rate has fallen to a point below that of the worst depression years.

In contrast, Great Britain has reported the maintenance of favorable health records. In the first nine months of 1943, the general death rate and also the infant mortality rate were at the lowest level in English history. The severe influenza epidemic marred the record in the last quarter of the year, but civilian air raid deaths were down 25 per cent in 1943.

Canada's Tremendous Wartime Exports

Canada's domestc exports reached their highest value in history in 1943. Excluding gold, they amounted to more than $2,971,700,000; gold included, they totalled $3,111,500,000. Exports of goods imported from other countries added another $29,900,000. Thus commodities were exported exclusive of gold at the rate of $250,000,000 a month or about $10,000,000 each working day.

The domestic exports in 1943 were 221.3 per cent greater than in 1939. This was largely a result of the nation's greatly increased war production, which reached its peak in 1943. More than 70 per cent of the exports comprised materials used directly in the war.

While the great bulk of the exports went to the United Kingdom and the United States, there were also enormous shipments to the Middle East and Far East war zones, and munitions sent to the Soviet Union were of unprecedented value.

Commodities which are exported in quantity in peacetime as well as in wartime have been exported in increasing volume as follows:

	1943	Increase
Food (wheat, flour, canned fish, bacon, cheese, processed milk, eggs)	$482,000,000	163.4%
Forest products (lumber pulpwood, wood pulp, newsprint)	$341,000,000	64.7%
Non-metallic minerals and products (asbestos, metals (aluminum, copper, nickel, lead, zinc)	333,000,000	81.9%
Chemical products (including explosives)	86,000,000	255.5%
Non-metallic metals and products (asbestos, abrasives, petroleum products, coal)	62,000,000	112.3%

Increases in exports of those finished articles required for the special needs of war have been even greater. The favorable balance of commodity trade for 1943 exceeded $1,350,000,000, more than 12 times the favorable balance of commodity trade in 1940, when it was $111,000,000.

Press Comment

HOW MANY PLANES?

Mr. E. G. Carlise, of the Canadian Pacific Air Lines, writes in "The Quarterly Review" ers each, could move the entire population of ers each ,could move the entire population of Canada to Britain and back again in a year. It is not likely that the entire population will want to make this trip or will have the means to make it. But Mr. Carlisle's imaginary calculation provides a striking picture of the size of post-war aviation.

When relatively few airliners can move such huge numbers of people it is clear that normal air traffic will not require the gigantic fleets which the layman often pictures. A few hundred transport planes conducted the whole commercial flying business of the world before the war. Even if they were multiplied many times. The number of commercial planes in operation would still be a minor fraction of our wartime fleets. While it is essential to develop commercial aviation vigorously, especially in Canada, it would be folly to imagine that we can immediately utilize after the war more than a small part of the young pilots we have trained here during the last *four years.—Winipeg Free Press.*

SWASTIKA IN DUBLIN

The world is still tumbling around us, although so many people won't believe it. A Polish refugee who came recently to Canada via Dublin, relates that he thought he was in Danzig or some such German city. This refugee says that Swastika flags were hanging from buildings, that Nazi officers paraded the streets in uniform, and that German was to be heard spoken wherever you went. If this is true—it is a terrible indictment. — Allanson Brown in letter in Ottawa Citizen.

BITING ANIMAL

You can never tell when a man is going to bite. A horse, now, will lay back its ears and show ever positive sign of displeasure. A dog will growl and snarl, and work itself into a perfect crescendo of visible fury. But a man, no. He will edge into range with unction and adroitness, and then suddenly and out of a clear sky—bite.—Victoria Colonist.

Today's Horoscope

Today's birthday child is very courageous. You have keen perception and an analytical mind. You like society, travel, popularity, and you are led by your ambitions. You do not let unpleasant surroundings disturb you, and you are an ardent lover. Your vocational affairs progress satisfactorily in the next year, after some annoyance. An old friend or elderly stranger brings gladness and gain. Novel business methods will succeed. The child born today will be well able to seize good business opportunities, and not easily be imposed upon. Popularity with old people is indicated.

SUNDAY HOROSCOPE

If today is your birthday you are ambitious and plan many things which you usually carry out. You are energetic and enthusiastic; you graciously listen to others' advice or criticism and pursue your own course. You are loving and will have a happy home life. Scrutinize carefully all documents, being watchful against fraud and misrepresentation. Avoid law and clashes with government officials. Curb extravagance and over generosity. Born today a child will be refined, artistic, musical, fond of entertaining, idealistic, very clever, somewhat impulsive and subtle, and generally fortunate.

War — 4 Years Ago

By The Canadian Press

April 15, 1940—British and French troops landed at several points in Norway. R.A.F. bombed Stavanger airdrome for the sixth time. Britain moved to guard Allied interests in Iceland. Germany admitted reverses at Narvik.

April 16, 1940—Britain expected to have 2,750,000 men under arms by June. Premier Reynaud of France said the Allies had sunk a third of the German fleet. United States and Iceland entered into direct negotiations.

Words of Wisdom

Our instinctive emotions are those that we have inherited from a much much dangerous world, and contain, therefore, a larger proportion of fear than they should.—Bertrand Russell.

?? Questions ??
ANSWERS

Open to any reader. Names of persons asking questions will not be published. There is no charge for this service. Questions will not be answered by mail except when there is obvious necessity for privacy.

J. G. H., Cranbrook—Could you locate for me the book and chapter in the Old Testament wherein the words (or simile) are used as follows: "The multitudes shall be fed without money and without price."

The quotation is from the book of Isaiah, Chapter 55, verse 1 and reads: "Ho, everyone that thirsteth, come ye to the waters, and he that hath no money; come ye buy and eat; yea, come buy wine and milk without money and without price."

K. L., Kaslo—Can you give me the address of a company that collects commercial accounts?

The Nelson Credit Bureau, 373 Baker Street, Nelson, collects commercial accounts for firms having membership in the bureau. Otherwise the nearest address is at Vancouver, the Retail Credit Granter's Bureau Limited, 535 West Georgia Street, Vancouver.

Reader, Nelson—I would like to know the name of a Chinese herbalist in B. C. or Alberta, can you supply one?

G. H. Jong, 817 a, First Street East, Calgary.

Reader, Chapman Camp—Being a discharged man recently from the Canadian Active Army I would like to know if you can give me some advice as to where I can send any magazines I have so that they will be sent to some Canadian Army Training centre for some of the boys in khaki, navy or air force uniform to sit down and spend a quiet evening reading. I know for a fact that good books are always appreciated and welcome in any barracks. Next to mail for the boys at camp or overseas, books are a must item and if you can tell me of any organization in Kimberley that does distribute books to all Canadian Armed Forces personnel kindly advise me as to where I can deposit them.

The magazines should be bound with cord and left at the Kimberley post office. From here they are sent to the District Director of Postal Services at Vancouver and through his cooperation they are brought to a magazine depot there. From the depot the magazines are then distributed to the forces. All addresses should be marked off the magazines.

You might also contact the Kimberley Patriotic Society, or the Kimberley Branch of the Canadian Legion since these organizations both cooperate in supplying reading material to men from Kimberley serving overseas.

A. L., Rossland—Is it illegal to mail a letter without a stamp?

No.

Looking Backward

10 YEARS AGO
(From Daily News, April 15, 1934)

The Catholic Girls of the Fernie Holy Family parish last Wednesday evening sponsored the first of a series of card parties to be held in the school auditorium.

The I.O.O.F. Badminton Club played host to its members Friday night when about 30 persons sat down to an enjoyable banquet at the Plaza Cafe.

Miss Albertine Choquette, Latimer Street, returned Thursday from Spokane where she was a patient in the Sacred Heart Hospital.

25 YEARS AGO
(From Daily News, April 15, 1919)

Nelson Athletic Association was the name decided upon by the sport club formed at the meeting in the city hall last night. George Ferguson was elected president, Dr. E. G. Smyth vice-president and Griffith Morris for secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. Jimmie Robinson, president of the War Women's Association of Vancouver arrived in Nelson last night to join her husband Sergt.-Major Jimmie Robinson. She was formerly Nurse Bell of Nelson.

Miss Phillips of the nursing staff of Balfour Sanitarium, left Saturday on the Great Northern train for an extended visit to England, travelling by way of New York.

40 YEARS AGO
(From Daily News, April 15, 1904)

A bowling tournament is in progress with seven players participating. Each contestant plays one game a day for a week and the prize is a silver bowling button. Last night George Nunn broke the record with 238 points for a single game.

At an enthusiastic meeting by the members of Everybody's Club it was decided to organize a club and Thomas W. Lillie was appointed organizer.

William Gillett is erecting a two-storey frame carpenter shop on Vernon Street, East of Hall Street. The cost of the building and equipment will be $2500.

Test Yourself

1. Are there any trees in the United States that do not grow in Europe?
2. Does a pair of boxing gloves weigh more before a 15-round bout or afterwards?
3. In what part of the egg does the chick form, the yolk or the white?

TEST ANSWERS

1. Yes, hickory, magnolia, sequois and sassafras trees, abundant in America, are found only in fossil form in Europe.
2. Afterwards—about an ounce—because of absorption of perspiration.
3. Between the yolk and the white.

Etiquette Hints

Nod and smile at people you know when you see them in a public place. Do not shout at them over the heads of the crowd or make yourself or them conspicuous in a public place.

German occupation authorities in Denmark have set wage scales for informers at $57.90 a week for men and $28.95 for women, plus bonuses.—Aftonbladet (Swedish).

Law. Jill Wigg of Nelson Weds Flying Officer Blakeney Overseas

Following is an account of the wedding of Miss Jill Wigg, former Nelson girl, and Flying Officer W. T. Blakeney, of Toronto, which took place in England, written by Law. Catherine, also of Nelson, who was a guest:

"It was Saturday, March 18. The day of Jill's wedding at Holy Trinity Church, Knightsbridge. I took a taxi there with my gift of a small heart-shaped pierced silver dish in my clutched hands because as usual, I feared to be late, not knowing the way. The church was set in the background through a long avenue of trees. On the steps were clustered various aircrew boys, all a bit bashful and slow of entering, and all urging the others on. On entering, a rather self-conscious-of-his-duty tall pilot showed us to our seats. His friends, who arrived in a group, turned out all their pockets looking for a sixpence to give him.

"My first impressions was of light and cleanliness—not the usual mouldy run of churches. The roof over the altar was higher by far than ours, and of one simple arch of clear blue. The altar and entire wall behind it, to the base of the great side windows, had caught the sun, across the length and depth it was all gold; a gold that seemed to have seeped into the unobtrusive saints in their shallow carved niches. The shining cross and vasas were silver and gracefully simple. Despite the fact that the main window, where our "I Know My Sheep" is, had been removed, and a cream colored llama-board substituted, the clear-story windows caught every bit of light and seemingly flung it down. In London, because of the proximity of buildings, and low ceilings, it is often blotted out.

WHITE MARBLE PULPIT

The pulpit was a highly polished white marble—with something of the limpidity of quartz, while a rosy carpet of the central aisle led up to the pearl almost blue grey marble steps to the low choir stalls.

The organ on the left was hidden by a pillar.

AIRMEN IN ATTENDANCE

The bride's side of the church was crowded, and the groom's had a number of stalwart and husky aircrew. The back of the church was also well filled with friends from headquarters.

On the moment of the quarter hour (the wedding was at 4.15 due to the pressure of marriages) the groom came from the side door with the minister and the strapping best man, Chapple, who looked very rattled. The groom seemed very composed and stood calmly at ease while Chapple stood at a guard's attention. As usual the old first aid training came to the fore, and I was just puzzling as to what method one should take if he passed out due to his rigidness, when the wedding march was struck up.

Every head turned slightly hoping to see the bride's expression. Jill came up on her uncle's arm, looking so dark and picturesque in her white satin gown and so tiny (she is very slight now) beside her equally tiny gentle and frail old uncle with his white mustaches and halo of white hair and specs.

I couldn't see her face because her veil was down, but Bill turned and smiled down on her when she reached him. The officer bridesmaid took the bouquet of white carnations and lilies of the valley with satin ribbon from her, and Jill put back her veil, as the service commenced.

YOUNG VICAR TIES KNOT

The parson, Vicar Green, was a young man in plain black, with a white surplice (not R.C.A.F.) He had a most friendly smile. When he spoke there was a sudden hush and it was as if everyone forgot anything else but the service through the beauty of his speech. There came a time in the service when with the etherial light and the intimacy of holiness where (as several people later commented) it seemed too sacred for others to be there, and there was the embarrassed feeling of being an intruder.

Jill answered faintly and not at all like herself, and one could see from her hands she was nervous. The groom answered clearly and assuredly. Chappie passed the ring to the groom, and the parson pronounced them man and wife.

The parson then gave a short sermon to the congregation because, he said, he had spoken to Jill and Bill ("I can't seem to manage to call you William") several times before and had said all he wanted to say to them. But to us he explained why these two were married in a church and not in a registrar's office. Not that God gave his blessing, or refused it rather, in one place than in the other; but that by coming to church and asking for God's blessing they were that much more likely to get that for which they asked. "Jill and Bill have done just that thing," he said. "And looking at the two you thought that this was well considered marriage with love and honor." In a second Jill's impishness came out here and there, in one or two small actions—that made you sure it was still Jill. The parson said then that he hoped to see their people in Canada after August, and to tell them all about the wedding.

While Jill and Bill went up to the altar we all sang "Oh Perfect Love," which must have disappointed Jill because she wanted to sing it. She said previously she'd practised it enough in the home choir.

CAMERA MEN BUSY

Then that brief empty wait while the bride and groom, her uncle and his wife, and the mild, fair bridesmaid and Chappie signed the register. A short period of wondering—when someone came out too soon and then hovered uncertainly about. Then they all came out and took their places just as the bride came from the door above, beside the altar smilingly speaking to the minister. Then demurely to the loud and joyous strains with the proud looking groom progressed down the aisle—a very picture of loveliness in shining white. On the steps the camera men waited and caught her as they came out, just in the doorway.

Then the bridesmaid and the best man came on either side of them. Waving and calling by name to each friend, the irrepressible Jill and Bill answered jovial joshing friends, stepped into the car and drove away.

The reception was a short distance away, so we stepped off; on the way we lost ourselves, the whole party of 20 or so, by going into the wrong entrance, and got in another wedding reception at this fine hotel. Finally found Jill and Bill behind a glass door in the building some distance along. Jill was looking quite stately in her streamlined dress and minute train. She was immediately enveloped by the girls in kisses, and then the men—who really enjoyed this.

BRIDE TOASTED

The first toast was proposed by her uncle, who gave a short discourse on Nelson. Here was a startling interruption from a little inconspicuous dress-suited waiter—a regular disciplinarian—attending the refreshments—in a voice like a bassoon "the toast is—The Bride." Everyone jumped at least two feet. I don't know honestly what we should have done without him. He kept everything and everyone in order as to toasts. The bride—by now in a high pitch of excitement, and endeavouring to introduce and talk to everybody at once, listen to telegrams being read by the best man who had struggled valiantly and earnestly through a toast in great agony of words, looking such a handsome boy as he did it. Bill must have managed to hold the bride still long enough to place a gold locket with a tiny diamond on a fine chain around her neck.

After having sandwiches with grass (cress) on the top, gin and lime (which I did like) and dessert with whipped cream, the waiter insisted that the cake be cut and the pictures of the cutting were duly taken. The pictures had been developed by now (about three-quarters of an hour later) and were very good. The cake consisted of all her Christmas cakes in tires, and everyone appreciated it.

CATHERINE CATCHES BOUQUET

She threw her bouquet and a very embarrassed tall fair *D.F.C.*, quiet looking chap caught it full in the chest and clutched it to him. Jill—then threw it again, and I found it squarely in my arms.

Jill's going away costume was a pink light wool dress with scalloped front, fitting over the hips and with a full skirt. The coat was very simple—black with a small velvet collar, velvet buttons and a velvet belt across the back. Her hat was the riot of the branch here when she brought it in. It suited her perfectly, was worn over one eye, and was reminiscent of Carmen Miranda's—perky and absurd. It was black too.

They were to have gone to Ireland (where steaks and eggs still remain) but when the ban was placed they went to Tunbridge Wells, Kent, for their honeymoon

CASUALTIES

OTTAWA, April 13 —The Canadian Army issued its 449th casualty list of the war tonight as follows:

OVERSEAS
OFFICERS:

Quebec Regiment— Kenny, John Alexander, Capt., Masson, Qut.

New Brunswick Regiment—Corbett, William Maxwell Aitken, Lt., Newcastle, N. B.

WOUNDED

Royal Canadian Artillery— Lt.-Col., Brandon, Man.

Slightly Wounded:

Royal Canadian Artillery—Johnson, Kenneth Meredith, Lt., Vancouver, B. C.

Reconnaissance Units — Inkster, Robert Stratton, Lt., Ottawa.

Central Ontario Regiment—Moore Leslie Alan, Lt., Long Branch, Ont.

Missing:

Kostelec, Joseph, Lt., Calgary.

Warrant Officers, NCO's and Men:
Killed in Action:

Eastern Ontario Regiment—Groves, Harold Joseph, A-Sgt., Brockville, Ont.

Nova Scotia and P.E.I. Regiment —Tarr, Murray Edward, Pte., South Maitland, N. S.

Manitoba Regiment — Markham, Duncan, Pte., Kenora, Ont.

Previously reported missing, now for official purposes presumed killed in action:

Western Ontario Regiment—Rivait, Alphonse Cecil, Pte., Windsor, Ont.

Central Ontario Regiment—Naylor, George Midgley, Sgt., Hamilton, Ont.

Died of Wounds:

B. C. Regiment —Ludwig, Eric Gunnar, Pte., Cheam View, P.O., B.C.

Royal Canadian Medical Corps — Tommy, Francis, Pte., Nanaimo, B.C.

Died:

B. C. Regiment — McQuitty, Lewis Neil, Pte., Dubuc, Sask.

Royal Canadian Service Corps — Bernard, aMtthew, A-L-Cpl., Portland, Maine, USA.

Dangerously Wounded:

Quebec Regiment— Law, Frederick George, Pte., Town of Mount Royal, Que.

New Brunswick Regiment— Tibbits, Lewis Albin, Pte., Stickney, N. B.

Saskatchewan Regiment — Duchscherer, Jordon Michael, Pte., Prelate, Sask.

Seriously Wounded:

Royal Canadian Artillery:— St. Denis,Gwyriel, Bdr., Ottawa.

Smiley, Alexander Joseph, Pte., Shediac, N. B.

Saskatchewan Regiment—Anderson, Bryan Godin, Pte., Pre Ste. Marie, Sask.

Regiment de Quebec—Anderson, Horace, Pte., L'Anse au Beaufils, Que.

Severely Wounded:

Quebec Regiment—McCrea, Francis Kenneth, Cpl., Verdun, Que.

Royal Canadian Service Corps — Good, Alfred William, Pte., Calgary, Alta.

Canadian Provost Corps—White, Frank Leslie, Cpl., Vancouver, B.C.

Wounded:

Manitoba Regiment—D'Arcis, Walter, Pte., Riverton, Man.

Wellings, Reginald William, Pte., Winnipeg.

British Columbia Regiment —Ferguson, Irving, A-Sgt., Mrs. Dora Ferguson (mother), Creston, B. C.

Alberta Regiment—Layton, Douglas Badland, A-Sgt., Medicine Hat, Alta.

Slightly Wounded:

Royal Canadian Engineers— Desmarias, Gustave, Spr., East Kildonan, Man.

Royal Canadian Corps of Signals —McAndless, Frank Whitby, Sgt., Winnipeg.

Fustukian, Mamigon, Pte., Winnipeg.

Alberta Regiment—Beattie, Albert Brown, Pte., Rolling Hills, Alta.

Wounded, remaining on duty:

Saskatchewan Regiment — Hawley, Leland Albert, Pte., Vancouver. B. C.

Missing:

B. C. Regiment—McLachlan, Donald James, A-S-Sgt., Calgary.

Saskatchewan Regiment — Cote, James Dawson, Pte., Kamsack, Sask.

Alberta Regiment—Byers, Carl Alexander, A-Sgt., Calgary.

AIR CASUALTIES

OTTAWA, April 14 — The R.C.A.F. issued its 857th casualty list of the war tonight as follows:

OVERSEAS

Killed on active service:

Gillies, Alexander Scott, Sgt., St. Catharines, Ont.

Grover, Don H., Po., Kirkland Lake, Ont.

Hall, Joseph Georges Brian, Fs., Attleboro, Mass. USA.

Pattison, Allen Bruce, Fs., Billings Bridge, Ont.

Porter, Roy Stanley, Sgt., Woodroffe, Ont.

Died of injuries on active service:

Parant, Joseph Jean Eugene Guy, Lac., Montreal, Que.

Missing on active service after air operations:

Depew, Francis Neil, Wo., Copper Cliff, Ont.

Previously reported missing, now reported prisoners of war in Germany—

Christison, Robert Lawson, Fo., Victoria, B. C.

Hafrsine, John Edwin, Fs., Vernon, B. C.

Jackson, Basil George Delaval, DFC, Fo., Weston, aMss., USA.

Lucas, Leslie Treweek, Fo., Calgary.

Mullock, Douglas George, Fs., Vancouver, B. C.

Poure, Emile Lawrence, Sgt., Montreal.

Shaw, John Russell, Fo., Lethbridge.

Temple, Dalton Leonard, Fs., Vancouver.

Turton, Allan Glenholme, Fo., Ottawa.

Previously reported missing on active service, now presumed dead:

Walmsley, Frank, Po., Regina, Sask.

Seriously ill:

Sigurdson, Ingolfur, Lac., Vancouver, B. C.

CANADA:
Killed on active service:

Christie, James Oliver, DFC, Po., Regina, Sask.

Coffin, Stewart Alexander, Fo., Summerside, P.E.I.

Gardner, John Carey, Lac., Toronto.

Roy, Joseph Jacques Armand, Lac. Montreal.

Canadians in the R. A. F.
OVERSEAS
Previously reported missing on active service, now presumed dead:

Hastings, James Russell, Fl., Rapid View, Sask.

Hawkes, S. P., Sgt., Toronto.

Says Fascism Reviving in Parts of Italy

NAPLES, April 14 (AP)— Lt. Col. G. H. McCaffrey, Allied military government commissioner, told AMG regional directors today there was some revival of fascist tendencies in the Apulia area of Southern Italy, and reported a lack of popular enthusiasm for the government of Premier Pietro Badoglio.

He said the anti-Fascist purge had reached only the smaller figures and that the Fascist youth movement had been revived under a slightly changed name.

Lt.-Gen. Frank Mason MacFarlane, Deputy President of the Allied Control Commission, told the directors he believed the impending enlargement of the Badoglio cabinet would solve many of the problems.

Says Full Postwar Employment in Canada Possible

WINNIPEG, April 14 (CP) —Premier Stuart S. Garson of Manitoba told members of the Board of Trade of suburban St. James last night that full employment in Canada during post-war year scould be promoted by a policy of well grounded and practical internationalism.

There must be a willingness to accept the goods of others in order to find export markets for Canada's surplus commodities. He said Manitoba's post-war problem was part of Canada's problem.

"Manitoba's plan should be a part of a properly coordinated and all embracing national plan for the Dominion."

Destruction in France Greater Since Armistice

LONDON, April 14 (CP Reuters) —Losses and destruction suffered by France have been far greater since the Armistice than they were during the six months of her participation in the war, Robert de Beauplan, political commentator on the German-controlled Pari sradio said today.

Nothing remained of the army of 100,000 men left to Metropolitan France, of the 150,000 colonial forces, 1000 trains and 700,000 tons of naval shipping, he said.

Of 2,200,000 tons of merchant shipping which he said France had after the armistice Beauplan said "Today she owns 65,000 tons of which 15,000 tons are in Indo-China.

"The rest have either been sunk or seized, or are blocked in neutral ports," he added.

Referring to air raids he said "At least 15,000 persons have been killed, 20,000 injured, 200,000 have had their homes destroyed, 800,000 have been evacuated and some towns heavily hit, with 500,000 houses and public buildings destroyed.

Beauplan's "balance sheet" also included assassinations.

"Civil war has resulted in 905 persons assassinated, of whom 750 belonged to security services, thousands of wounded and innumerable armed assaults, plunderings and thefts," he said.

Black Sea Fleet Ordered to Stop Flight of Invaders

LONDON, April 14 (CP Reuters) —Moscow radio tonight broadcast this order to the Black Sea fleet: "In the Crimea arrogant invaders are in full flight. Sailors and airmen of the Black Sea do not let them get away. Destroy their ships. Shoot down their planes. Do not let a single one escape retribution."

RENEWAL OF UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE BOOKS

To All Employers:

All Unemployment Insurance Books for the year ending March 31st, 1944, must be exchanged for new books.

Kindly communicate *immediately* with the nearest Employment and Selective Service Office if you have not already exchanged your employees' books.

There are severe penalties for failing to make Unemployment Insurance Contributions for your insured employees and for failure to renew the Insurance Books as required.

To All Employees:

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Fighter-Bombers Swoop Down on German Airfields

LONDON, April 14 (CP)—Swooping out of a cloud bank, United States Ninth Air Force fighter-bombers destroyed a score of planes on a German airfield in Northeast France today and set fires in fuel dumps and hangars, carrying into its seventh straight day the pre-invasion offensive designed to knock out the German Air Force.

This attack came after Mosquito bombers struck Berlin and Western Germany by night in climax to yesterday's assaults by 3,000 warplanes which bagged 144 German aircraft.

Today's attack was so sudden, returning pilots said, that about 50 German planes were sighted on the field, which was raked almost at leisure. The fighter-bombers, with fighter escort, returned without loss, Air Headquarters announced.

(The heavy bombers based in Britain and Italy apparently did not fly today.)

The official announcement of the R.A.F.'s Berlin thrust said it was by a squadron of Mosquitoes, the same term used for the attack on Osnabruck the night before when 4,000-pound bombs were dropped by the plywood ships.

It was the first blow against the gauged Nazi capital since a Mosquito attack the night of March 25 and a 2800-ton R.A.F. - R.C.A.F. raid the night of March 24. All the swift ply-wood planes returned.

R.A.F. planes and aircraft of the R.C.A.F. Bomber Group laid mines in enemy waters last night without loss.

The German Radio declared Allied aircraft bombed the Rome area last night, culminating 24 hours of unusual activity over that city. There was no Allied confirmation.

Forty-four American planes, 36 of them bombers, were lost in raids from British bases Thursday, and the Allied Mediterranean forces lost 19, 16 of them heavy bombers, in flying 1800 sorties.

A record fleet of more than 1100 fighters of the United States 8th and 9th Air Forces accompanied the 500 to 750 British-based heavy bombers that hit the Messerschmitt plant at Augsburg, the ball-bearing factories at Schweinfurt, the Dornier factories and hangars of Oberpfaffenhofen and hangars at Lechfeld.

These fighters knocked 51 Nazi planes out of the air and at least 33 on the ground, while bomber gunners sent down 25 more.

The other 35 planes in the day's bag of 144 fell to U.S. 15th Air Force gunners and pilots winging from Italy to hammer a Messerschmitt plant at Gyor, 70 miles Northwest of Budapest, at nearby railway car shops and machine shops, the airfield and assembly plant at Tokol 11 miles Southwest of Budapest, and another airdrome 10 miles from the capital. Railway targets in Yugoslavia also were bombed. Probably 500 bombers and as many fighters flew from Italian bases on these raids.

May Have "Reunited Christendom"

TORONTO, April 14 (CP) —The heads of the United Church of Canada and the Church of England in Canada, today announced that "conversations on unity" have been held by the two organizations with the ultimate aim of making possible "a re-united Christendom."

The statement was issued by Archbishop Derwyn T. Owen of the Anglican Church, primate of all Canada, and Rt. Rev. Dr. J. R. P. Sclater, moderator of the General Council of the United Church.

The talks were held as a result of the general invitation extended last September to "the Christian Communions of Canada" by the General Synod of the Church of England, to see what steps might be taken in the direction of unity.

Archbishop Owen stated he believed such "conversations" would clear away difficulties and misunderstandings "and the proper atmosphere be created in which we can come to the discussion of our real difficulties and differences. We have made a beginning," he added. "No action is contemplated by either communion without every opportunity being given for free discussion."

Dr. Sclater said there had been no opportunity yet for official action on behalf of the United Church but added: "Our people may be assured of two things—first, the atmosphere is vital; second, neither communion proposes for a moment to disregard the principles nor the heritage of the other."

Says Russia Must Be Included in World Organization

TORONTO, April 14 (CP)—Marshall Field, publisher and editor of the Chicago Sun, said in an interview here today he was sure that Canada will agree with the United States "that a world organization is necessary to handle such problems as the German question—but it is clear that such an organization could not last if it did not include Russia."

Mr. Field, here to address the Advertising and Sales Club tonight, added: "In the United States I have found general admiration for the Russians." He said he was convinced that most Americans want to be friendly to Russia even though the two countries disagree on ideology.

The publisher belittled as "nonsense," rumors that Russia intended to spread the Communist doctrine internationally, by force or otherwise.

Rickenbacker to Keep His Bargain

NEW YORK, April 14 (AP) — Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker said today that during a visit to New Guinea he promised a case of Scotch to the first pilot in the area who broke his First Great War record, and that Gen. Douglas MacArthur added a case of champagne.

Major Richard L. Bong, credited with 27 enemy planes—Rickenbacker's record was 26—has qualified for the award, Southwest Pacific dispatches said today.

"Where I will obtain the Scotch or how I can get it to Major Bong is yet unknown," Capt. Rickenbacker said in a statement. "But I will not leave a stone unturned to fulfill my part of the bargain."

LONDON (CP) — Mrs. Harriett Deaking, who claims she has never been ill in her life, celebrated her 100th birthday recently by walking two miles to church.

PLAN FOR OUTLINE RATION U.S. TOURISTS

TORONTO, April 14 (CP)—F. C. Butt, Regional Superintendent of the Ration Division of the Prices Board, today outlined before the Ontario Government's conference on post-war tourist planning a plan by which United States tourists would receive food ration books as they crossed the border into Canada.

Ration officials would work with immigration officers at some points while tourists entering at other centres could apply to local Ration Boards for books.

Mr. Butt said, however, that tourists staying at private hotels for more than five days would not receive ration books.

Ammunition Explodes on Bombay Dock

BOMBAY, April 14 (CP). — A Government communique said today an accidental fire at docks here spread to ammunition, causing two explosions in which a number of casualties occurred. The fire reached adjoining warehouses but was brought under control.

Burma is the largest rice-exporting country in the world.

Invasion Rumours Swell Blood Donors

WINDSOR, Ont., April 14 (CP)—False rumors last night that the invasion of Western Europe had started had a rousing effect on persons who have been intending to donate blood to the Red Cross, clinic officials here said today.

This morning the clinic had the largest number of donors it has seen in many weeks, officials said.

Peace in British Coalfields Nears

By WILLIAM STEWART
Canadian Press Staff Writer

LONDON, April 16 (CP Cable) — The long-sought objective of peace in Britain's coalfields seemed nearer achievement today following miners' acceptance of a government proposal for a four-year-plan of wage increase and stabilization.

The Porter plan—handed down by Lord Porter's tribunal in January—with its £5 (about $22.50) weekly minimum wage was accepted by a majority of the country's 700,000 miners who voted through delegates meeting here yesterday.

Result of the vote was announced while the miners themselves were back at work at virtually full strength. Five hundred and twelve thousand favored acceptance throgh card votes and 97,000 opposed the proposal. The vote was finally made unanimous on a further ballot.

Altogether, the Porter plan and additional terms designed to eliminate dissatisfaction leading to recent coal-strikes will cost about $70,000,000 a year. Ultimately this will be paid by the consumer, although it is hoped that increased output will have the effect of reducing production cost and automatically reduce—or possibly wipe out—the price increase to the coal buyer.

Labor Minister Ernest Bevin addressing the meeting of miners' representatives here is reported to have told them that their failure to control the men of their districts in recent unauthorized strikes had placed the entire structure of the collective bargaining system in danger.

Jim Bowman, leader of the Northumberland miners, provided the dramatic highlight of the meeting in a quiet speech in which he told other representatives prolongation of mining discord by failure to accept the wage plan would place upon the miners "a stigma they would never be able to live down."

The impending signature of the agreement has been hailed as the opening of a new era for British miners, although a large number of miners who originally voted against its acceptance believe it may prove a possible source of further trouble.

As the settlement was achieved, there was no mention made of subversive influences believed to have had a hand in provoking some of the trouble. Scotland Yard is still pursuing investigation into the activities of such organizations as the "Trotskyists" described as being anti-Churchill, anti-Hitler and anti-Stalin" and as promoters of anarchy as opposed to Communism or socialism in the accepted sense.

Private Funeral for R.C.A.F. Chief

OTTAWA, April 14 (CP)— High ranking officers of the RCAF headed by Air Vice Marshal Robert Leckie, Chief of the Air Staff as well as many army officers, today attended a private funeral for Air Vice-Marshal Walter R. Kenney, former Air Attache to the Canadian legation at Washington. He died Tuesday in hospital.

Before the war most abaca fibre, used in Manila rope, came from the Philippines.

Gen. MacArthur Proposed Secretary of War

By JACK BELL
Associated Press Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, April 14 (AP) — The appointment of Gen. Douglas MacArthur as Secretary of War was proposed by a Republican and a Democratic Senator today as politicians calculated the effect of correspondence which most of them interpreted as indicating Gen. MacArthur is receptive to a Republican presidential nomination.

Miller revealed, meanwhile, that he had addressed a third letter to Gen. MacArthur urging him to state his availability for the Republican nomination. The letter, which Miller said he sent several days ago, could not draw a reply for more than three weeks.

Miller declined to make public a copy of the letter.

Practical politicians took his letter to mean that Gen. MacArthur would be willing to run. But some of those not classed among his enthusiasts thought this word came to light too late to overcome the lead Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York has acquired in an equally unauthorized scramble for Republican convention delegates. The raft movement thus far has given Gen. MacArthur only three, as against 148 pledged and claimed for Gov. Dewey.

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN SOUTHWEST PACIFIC, April 14 (AP) — No comment was available today from headquarters of Gen. Douglas MacArthur regarding publication of his letters to Representative A. L. Miller (Rep.-Neb.) or of his success in the Republican Presidential primary election in Illinois last Tuesday.

Death Claims Young Officer Before Bride Sees Him

VANCOUVER, April 14 (CP) — Death robbed a young Scottish bride Wednesday of the soldier husband whom she came all the way to Vancouver to welcome home.

Mrs. Earl Cushing arrived Thursday in order that she would be here to welcome her husband, Lieut. Earl Cushing who was on his way home aboard the hospital ship Lady Nelson. But Lieut. Cushing died before his ship docked in Halifax Wednesday.

Lieut. Cushing was born and educated in Edmonton. He went overseas in 1940.

Hull Says Spain Knows U.S. Views on Oil Stocks

WASHINGTON, April 14 (AP) — Secretary of State Hull said today that the United States Government has made its views known to Spain on the possibility that the Spanish Government will seize oil stocks owned by American companies at Tetuan, Spanish Morocco.

Hull said that so far the stocks have not been seized, contrary to London reports, but a general discussion on the subject with Spain is under way.

Asked at his press conference of the reported delivery of an Anglo-American note to Stockholm, Hull said that for some time this government has made representations to Sweden about various aspects of her trade with Germany. The protest was said to have asked urgently that Sweden cease exports of ball bearings and other vital war goods to the Nazis.

China's first blood bank has been established on the Yunnan front where it will be used as a model for other blood banks.

JAP WORKERS OBJECT TO WAGE SCALE

VANCOUVER, April 14 (CP). — Japanese workers on the Hope-Princeton highway have objected to working further at the existing wage scale of 25 cents an hour, delegates to the British Columbia Automobile Association meeting here last night were told. Possibility that Japanese workers on the road would be withdrawn or shifted elsewhere was discussed at the meeting.

Duty of Canadians to Develop Travel Industry

TORONTO, April 14 (CP)—The development of Canada's travel industry is the duty of everyone who desires to see progress and prosperity throughout the Dominion, D. Leo Doland, head of the Canadian Government's travel bureau, said in an address here today.

He appealed to organizations in all parts of Canada to prepare for the post war travel world with an intensity, aggressiveness and vigor never before approached by Canadians.

Recall Army Officer for Pacific Service

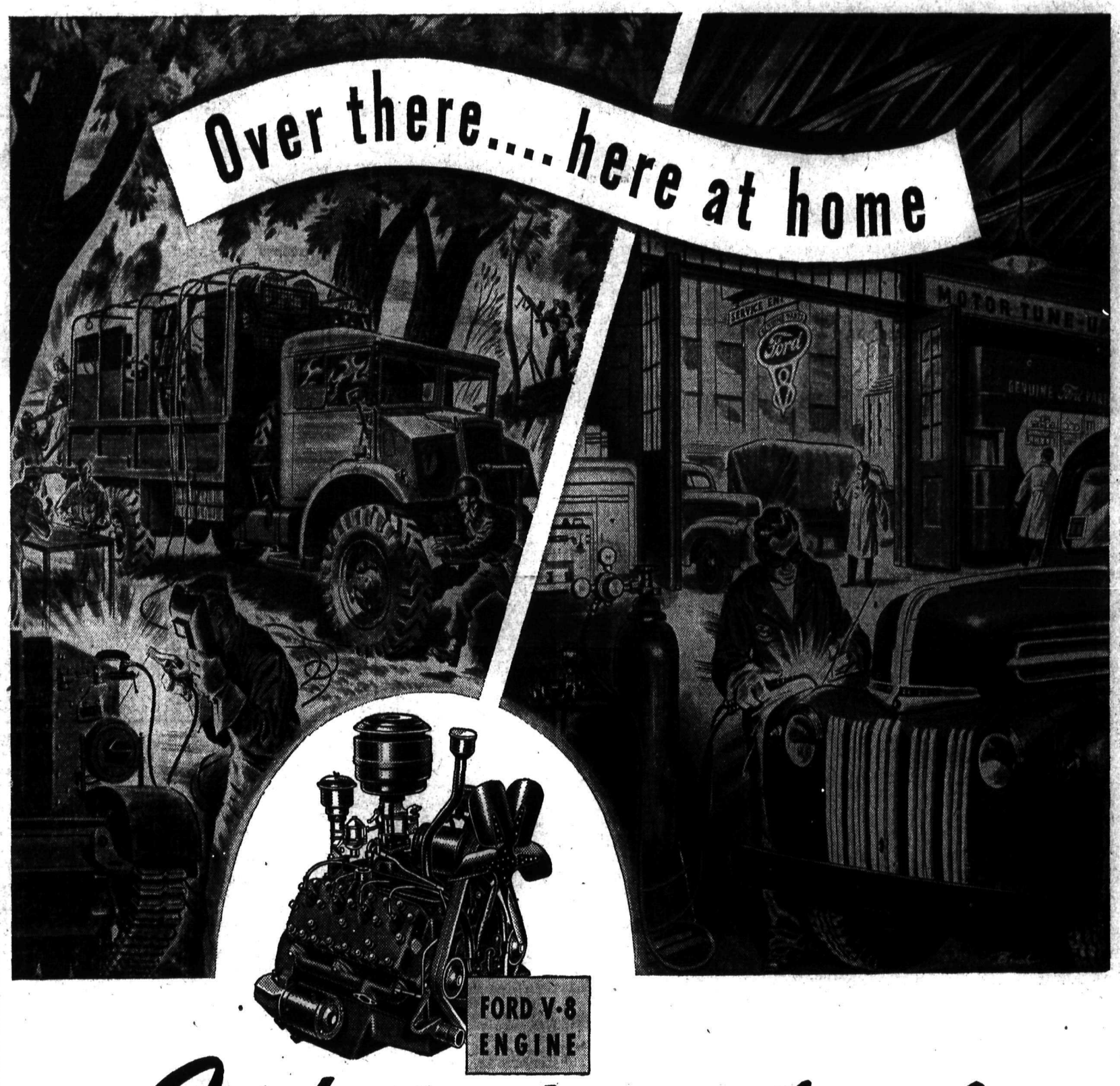
OTTAWA, April 14 (CP) —Brig. Walter C. Hyde, D.S.O., 52, of Beaconsfield, Que., commander of an artillery formation of Canadian Army division overseas, has been recalled to Canada to serve in the Pacific Command, Defence Headquarters announced today.

Brig. Hyde served through the First Great War with the Royal Canadian Artillery and afterwards he was associated with reserve units. In civil life he is a Montreal contractor and architect.

For some months in 1941 he was Camp Commandant at Petawawa and then was appointed Commander of the Royal Canadian Artillery of a Canadian division, with the rank of Brigadier. He went overseas in October, 1942.

DEATHS

LONDON (CP Cable)— James Spence, 46, for many years Press Officer at Canada House.



It's backed by expert service

IN SPITE OF SHELL AND BOMB DAMAGE, in spite of cruel overloading and the wracking punishment of mine-blasted roads, motorized columns have continued to roll forward carrying United Nations troops and supplies. Ford mobile workshops, equipped with welding equipment, lathe, drill press, and other tools, and manned by skilled mechanics are playing a real part in keeping motorized equipment moving in the war zones.

Here in Canada, Ford trucks are bearing a heavy share of the load in keeping materials and equipment moving to and from the production lines. 700 Ford dealers right across Canada are doing a thorough job in supplying expert service for car and truck owners.

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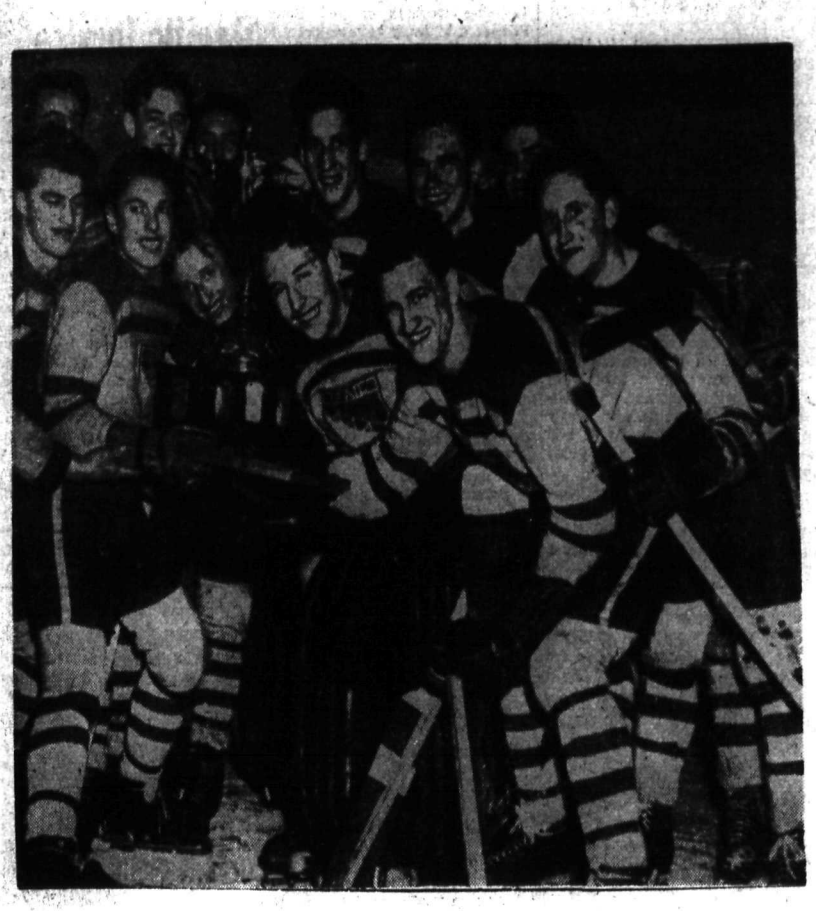
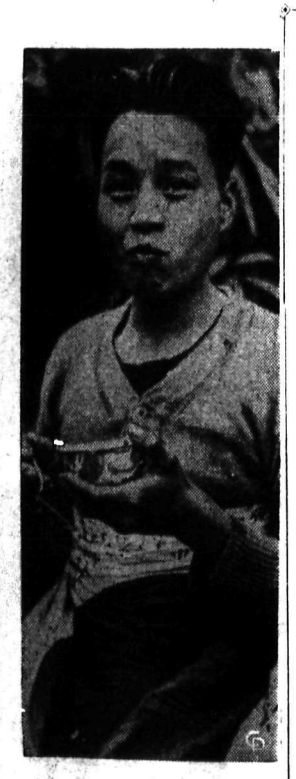


AS TRAIL JUNIORS WON WESTERN CUP: Trail Smoke Eaters gather round the Abbott Memorial Cup after having been presented with it, by E. Vic Johnson at the Amphitheatre Rink, Winnipeg, Man. Trail defeated Port Arthur Fliers winning the final game in the best-of-five Western finals, 3-2 and thus the series, to represent the West in the Memorial Cup Junior Hockey playoffs in Toronto, Ont. In the group above are: Front row—Harvey Ross, H. McLeod, Roy Kelly, Bev Bentley (goalie); Ivo Toffolo, D. Butler; back row— Eddie Miller, Jake McLeod, Howard Winson (spare goalie), Frank Turik (captain), Clarence Marquess and Lorne DePaolis.

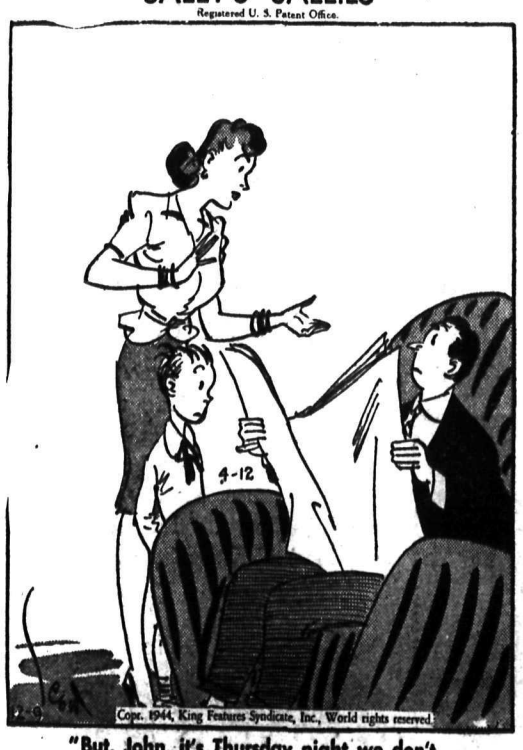
ROYAL FAMILY ENJOYS A ROUGH RIDE: Standing up in a military scout car, King George (right), Queen Elizabeth and Princess Elizabeth, who will be 18 on April 21, are shown as the royal family conducted a full-length inspection tour of armored infantry units poised for the invasion of Western Europe. During the inspection the royal family rode jeeps and half-tracks and seemed to enjoy the rough ride.



JAP FLAG JUST AN APRON: A Chinese boy, fighting in Burma, takes time out to have his meal of rice. He prefers a spoon to chopsticks and uses a captured Jap battle flag for an apron.

SALLY'S SALLIES

Registered U. S. Patent Office.



"But, John, it's Thursday night we don't have to take care of the c-o-o-k-s c-h-i-l-d; this is the night I have to drive her around to see h-e-r friends."

EASY CORDE HAT: A mere beginner can make this calot, trimmed with the popular corde, so easy to apply. Use an old felt hat—cut out the pieces—sew on the corde in this simple design.

Inexpensive corde-trimmed calot. Pattern 815 contains a transfer pattern for corde hat with design; complete directions.

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

TODAY'S PATTERN: The wide-shouldered, high waisted effect of this jumper frock, Pattern 9132, is a strictly solid junior miss feature. You'll like the little blouse with its round peasant neckline and puffy sleevelets — the jumper, worn without it, makes a super sunfrock. Easy to make, too.

Pattern 9132 is available in junior miss sizes 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18. Size 13, jumper, 2½ yards. 35-inch; blouse, 1⅜ yards contrast.

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AUNT HET

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"Folks have changed since I was a girl. I don't know anybody that likes beefsteak and fried potatoes for breakfast any more."

The official flag of Alaska was designed by a 13-year-old boy.

GET AFTER IT EARLY

WHEN YOU see the impending danger of a defensive ruff, and you can't afford it, you should figure out immediate measures, if you can, to protect yourself against that possibility. That means leading trumps at the earliest possible moment, to get the potential ruffer trumpless before he can cash the killer trick. Doing this one trick too late can be just late enough to beat yourself.

North: ♠ 9 5 ♥ K Q 10 7 6 ♦ K 7 ♣ K 8 7 5

West: ♠ Q 4 3 ♥ 9 3 ♦ A Q 8 3 ♣ J 6 3 2

East: ♠ K 8 ♥ A J 8 5 ♦ J 10 9 6 4 ♣ 9 4

South: ♠ A J 10 7 6 2 ♥ 4 2 ♦ 5 2 ♣ A Q 10

(Dealer: North. Neither side vulnerable.)

North	East	South	West
Pass	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
2 ♥	Pass	2 ♠	Pass
2 NT	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
3 NT	Pass	4 ♠	

South, a bit of a handhog, justified his last bid here on the basis that North's bidding showed two spades, as a No Trump call the first time would not have been sound with only a singleton. Actually South got into the best contract, as the cards lie, if he could have played the hand right, but he did not.

West opened the club 2. Seeing a chance to make sure of four club tricks, South played low from *dummy and won with the 10*—apparently a cheap trick, but actually a most expensive one. To get into dummy for a trump finesse, he led toward the heart honors. East scored with his A and returned the club 4, which the A won. A heart to the K now enabled South to lead the spade 9 and send it through to the Q. West led a third club, which East ruffed with the spade K. The diamond J to the A now set the contract.

South should have read the club 2 as probably a fourth-best, marking East with a doubleton and threatening a third-round ruff. There was only one way to prevent that fatal ruff—lead trumps promptly and get trumps out before the opponents could lead twice more. This necessitated finding East with a trump honor and only one guard, or West with both honors unguarded. He should have won the club lead with dummy's K and led the spade 9 at once, losing to the Q. Winning the returned club in his own hand, he now should have laid down the spade A, hoping to drop the K from one defender or the other. When that worked, he would have been safe, and would have lost all told only one trick each in spades, hearts and diamonds.

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Tomorrow's Problem

North: ♠ A Q J 8 4 3 2 ♥ 10 ♦ 8 ♣ 10 7 6 3

West: ♠ 7 ♥ A Q 9 7 3 2 ♦ Q 10 4 3 ♣ J 8

East: ♠ 10 ♥ K 8 6 5 4 ♦ A K J 7 2 ♣ K 2

South: ♠ K 9 6 5 ♥ J ♦ 9 6 5 ♣ A Q 9 5 4

(Dealer: North. East-West vulnerable.)

What is the soundest bidding on this deal after North opens with 3-Spades?

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1. District in London
5. Location oldest university in W. hemisphere
9. A bit
11. Confederate president
12. Place of worship
13. Leave off, as a syllable
14. Shape again
16. Guided
17. Sky-blue
19. Astonishment
22. At home
23. Flesh food
27. A shade of red
29. —— Guiana, So. Am.
30. Cape at tip of So. Am.
31. Compass point (abbr.)
32. Goddess of infatuation
33. Old-womanish
36. Coin (Peru)
39. Quito is the capital of ?
43. Narrowest country (So. Am.)
45. Flock
46. Pointed
47. Sprites
48. Highway
49. Dispatched

DOWN

1. Wound mark
2. Voided escutcheon
3. Hovels
4. City (Nebraska)
5. Chum
6. Wicked
7. To be carried
8. Employed
10. Largest country (So. Am.)
11. Antlered animal
15. Play on words
18. Ostrich-like bird
19. Indian mulberry
20. Court
21. Blunder
24. Greek letter
25. Division of a play
26. Definite article
28. Curious scraps of literature
29. Mislead
31. Thus (L.)
34. Require
35. Noblemen
36. Isolated rock
37. The Buckeye state
38. Capital (Peru)
40. Bird of peace
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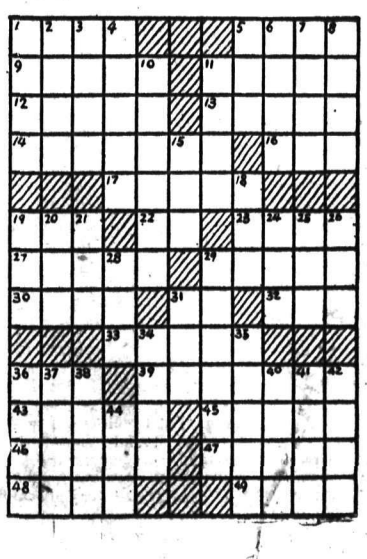

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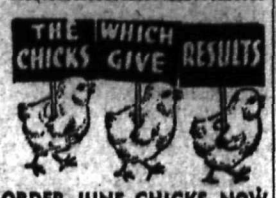

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Royalite	20.50	—
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Vanalta	.06¼	.07½
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WINNIPEG GRAIN

WINNIPEG, April 14 (CP).—Grain quotations:

	Open	High	Low	Close
RYE:				
May	132	132⅝	131⅝	132⅛
July	130¾	131¼	130⅝	131⅛
Oct.	128⅜	129	128	128⅜

OATS:
All futures at ceiling prices 51½B.
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All futures at ceiling prices 64¾B.
CASH PRICES:
Rye: 2 C.W. 1.32¼.
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Barley: 3 feed 63¾; other grades at ceiling prices 64¾.

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National Brew Ltd	34
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Shawnigan W & P	14¾
St. Lawrence Corp pfd	13¼

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Beth Steel	58
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Dupont	144¼
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SPORTS

Present Hockey Cups Tonight

Annual meeting of the Nelson Amateur Hockey Association, originally called for Friday, will be held tonight instead. The only proposed change in the bylaws to be considered deals with playoff games, and proposes that all semi-final series shall be two out of three, and the finals three out of five. This will give added possibilities of more games and should create more interest among players and spectators.

One of the highlights will be the presentation of the Bantam and Midget Cups to the respective Captains of the Dodger Bantam and of the M.R.K. Midget teams.

Interest in the meeting has been exceptionally high, and it is thought there will be a large turnout of Club representatives and supporters of kid hockey.

Trail, Oshawa Teams Look Each Other Over

TORONTO, April 14 (CP)—The history-making Trail Smoke Eaters, first British Columbia team to reach the Memorial Cup Junior Hockey finals, and the perennially-powerful Oshawa Generals, had their first glimpse of one another today as they tuned up on the Maple Leaf Gardens ice surface. They clash here Saturday night in the opener of a best-in-seven game series for the Junior championship of Canada.

Smoke Eaters, fresh from a seven-game winning streak that swept them through the Saskatchewan and Lakehead contestants, worked out first as Oshawa players watched. Then Smokies parked on the rails and watched intently as the classy Generals went through their paces.

Generals, conquerors of St. Michael's College, University of Ottawa, and Montreal Royals in their march to the finals, loomed bigger and heavier than the Westerners, most of whom are 17 or 18 years old. Railbirds mostly called Oshawa to take the series on their classy performance and past record, but the more cautious called to mind the frequent upsets young, little-favored Western squads have pulled in past series.

The power-packed Generals, Ontario champions the past seven years, have entered the finals every year except 1941 when they were nosed out by Montreal Royals. They won the cup twice, in 1939 and 1940, but the other times bowed to the Westerners.

Second game of the series will be played here Monday night, with the third and fourth Wednesday and Saturday.

Rollie Hemsley to Join Yankees

NEW YORK, April 14 (CP)—New York Yankee pennant hopes took another spurt today with the announcement from President Ed Barrow that catcher Rollie Hemsley will join the club in Boston Tuesday for the opening of the American League season.

Hemsley previously had insisted he was going to stay on his Vienna, Mo., farm and retire from baseball. Last year he appeared in 62 games and hit .239 as understudy to Bill Dickey.

Swedish Runners Ask Air Travel to Field Meet

STOCKHOLM, April 14 (AP) — Arne Andersson and Gunder Haegg, Sweden's middle distance stars, told reporters today that they would be glad to compete in the United States' National A.A.U. track and field championships June 17 and 18 but only on condition air transportation be provided for them each way.

Andersson said he could not remain away from his job for more than a month and suggested he could leave Stockholm by air on June 10 and arrive in time for the meet, returning home about July 10.

"If Andersson goes, I'll go too," said Haegg, "but I don't want to go alone." He also specified air travel was the deciding factor.

Dan Ferris, Secretary of the National A.A.U., said Friday in New York that his organization had communicated with the two Swedish stars during the Winter regarding the possibility of coming to the U.S. for the championship meet at New York in June.

Haegg appeared in a series of races in the U. S. last Summer.

Haegg lowered the world record for the mile run to 4:04.6 in Stockholm Sept. 4, 1942, and Andersson was clocked in 4:02.6 on the same track July 1, 1943.

Barney Ross Receives Discharge

NEW YORK, April 14 (AP)—Sgt. Barney Ross, former light-weight boxing champion, received his honorable medical discharge from the United States Marine Corps at the Brooklyn Navy Yard today.

Ross contracted malaria while in Guadalcanal. The former champion, who enlisted April 21, 1942, said his plans for the future were incomplete except that he first would take a long vacation.

Set Trail-Oshawa Finals Dates

TORONTO, April 14 (CP) — Complete dates for the best-of-seven Memorial Cup final between Oshawa Generals and Trail Smoke Eaters were announced last night as follows: April 15,, April 17, April 19, April 22, April 24, April 26 and April 29. All games will be played in Toronto.

Ports Wallop Lodestars to Extend Series

PORT ARTHUR, April 14 (CP) —Port Arthur Shipbuilders, with a tight defence and greater speed, trimmed New Westminster Lodestars 7-2 here tonight to force the Western Canada senior hockey finals into an eight and deciding game here Saturday night. Each won three games and the other was a 5-5 overtime tie.

Winner tomorrow will meet Quebec Aces in the Allan Cup finals.

Port Arthur began slowly, moved into a goal lead in the first period, outscored the Westerners 3-2 in the middle session and completely controlled the play in the final 20 minutes when they netted three more markers.

In one of the toughest Western finals in years, the Thunder Bay champions have only outscored their British Columbia opponents 30-28 in seven games.

In their earlier victories Shipbuilders depended largely on their key forward trio of Stan Robertson-Norm Larson-Waikko Koivisto, but tonight Don Eaton, veteran Port Arthur forward, led the attack.

Should the teams be deadlocked after regulation time tomorrow night they will "play-to-the-finish," officials said.

Lineups:

Port Arthur: Hill; Sinclair, Backor; Robertson; Larson, Koivisto. Subs: Wright, McKenzie, Wywrot, Dunn, Eaton, Sinclair.

New Westminster: Young; Warshawski, McIntyre; Dotten, Brayshaw, Leswick. Subs: Fraser, Wilson, Duffy, Ursaki, Bentley.

Officials: Dick Davis and Bernie Ost both of Winnipeg.

Summary: First period: 1, Port Arthur, Robertson (Eaton) 6:26.

Penalties: None.

Second period: 2, Port Arthur, Eaton, 4:54; 3, New Westminster, Duffy (Wilson, Fraser) 5:31; 4, Port Arthur, Eaton (Sinclair) 12:44; 5, New Westminster, Ursaki (Warshawski) 13:57; 6, Port Arthur, Backor, 18:15.

Penalties: Gollatt, Warshawski, Koivisto, McIntyre.

Third period: 7, Port Arthur, Larson (Wywrot) 11:54; 8, Port Arthur, Wright (Backor, McKenzie) 14:08; 9, Port Arthur, McKenzie (Wright) 15:32.

Penalties: McIntyre (2), McKenzie, Larson.

Board Gives $100 Aid Gyro Derby

A $100 donation from the publicity fund to Nelson Gyro Club to assist it in staging the 5th annual Kootenay Lake Trout Derby was voted by the Board of Trade Friday. R. B. Morris, Gyro Representative, expressed the Club's appreciation.

The recognized importance of the Derby as a publicity medium was revealed in the fact that similar events were being organized for the Arrow Lakes and in the Okanagan, Mr. Morris pointed out.

The Board also decided to insert a City of Nelson and Board of Trade goodwill advertisement in a special issue of the Creston Review in connection with the forthcoming Creston Lions' Club Blossom Carnival. The Carnival, proceeds from which go into a civic centre fund, will be held the second week in May.

Market Trends . . .

LONDON, April 14 (CP). — The stock market continued quiet today but some selective support was in evidence. Industrials were irregular with home rails inactive and leading oils rallying after some initial uncertainty. Kaffirs and diamonds were quiet and international issues irregular. British bonds were firm.

NEW YORK—Mild rising inclinations were displayed by selected stocks but the general run of leaders appeared to be asleep at th switch.

Canadian issues were quiet. Dome advanced ⅝ and Lake Shore ⅛ while Hiram Walker eased ½. There were no other changes.

CHICAGO—A good upturn in rye and barley futures in the closing minutes of trade imparted strength to other pits and all cereals closed with a strong undertone. The buying was based on unconfirmed rumors that Canada may halt exports of barley to this country.

At the close wheat was unchanged to ½ higher, oats were unchanged to ⅝ higher, rye was ahead ¼-1 cent, and deferred barley contracts were up ¾-⅞.

MONTREAL—The stock and curb markets moved within a narrow range with most issues showing changes of only minor fractions near the close.

Canada Cement and Mitchell moved up fractionally in industrials, with Gypsum and United Securities off a bit.

TORONTO—Moderate declines were recorded for all four index groups while trading slackened off to about the smallest volume in a month.

Scattered gains appeared in golds, but the balance of changes was on the down side.

Trade was light in base metal stocks.

WINNIPEG—Sales of Nos. 2 and 3 Northern wheat to the United States Commodity Credit Corporation were estimated at 1,000,000 bushels at the completion of trading

Rye futures moved in an irregular fashion during the day and closed ⅛-¼ higher.

The May option finished at $1.32⅛, July $1.31⅜ and October $1.28⅞-$1.29.

VANCOUVER—There was little activity with only four stocks being traded.

Toronto Stock Quotations

MINES	
Anglo-Huronian	6.20
Beattie Gold Mines	1.80
Bidgood Kirkland	.46
Buffalo Ankerite	3.55
Central Patricia	1.77
Chromium M & S	1.30
Coniaurum Mines	1.45
Consolidated M & S	40.85
Dome Mines	27.15
East Malartic	1.68
Falconbridge Nickel	3.45
Hard Rock Gold	.95
Hollinger	11.35
Hudson Bay M & S	29.00
Inter Nickel	28.50
Kerr-Addison	9.20
Kirkland Lake	.97
Lake Shore Mines	16.50
Lamaque Contac	5.75
Little Long Lac	.93
MacLeod Cockshutt	2.20
Malartic Gold	3.45
McIntyre-Porcupine	57.00
McKenzie Red Lake	1.35
Mining Corporation	1.85
Nipissing Mining	2.12
Noranda	53.50
Normetal	.71
Pamour Porcupine	1.20
Perron Gold	.90
Pickle Crow Gold	2.05
Preston East Dome	2.52
San Antonio Gold	3.65
Sherritt Gordon	.66
Sladen Malartic	.68
Sudbury Basin	2.35
Teck-Hughes Gold	3.30
Toburn Gold Mines	.90
Ventures	7.00
Wright Hargreaves	3.10
OILS	
Imperial	13.25
Inter Petroleum	20.85
Steep Rock	2.19
Trans Cont Res	.43
Golden Gate	.10
Vermilata	.10½
INDUSTRIALS	
Bell Telephone	152½
Brewers & Distillers	8
B C Power A	20½
Can Car & Foundry	8⅛
Can Malting	44
Can Pacific Railway	10½
Can Ind Alcohol A	5⅛
Dominion Bridge	27
Distillers Seagrams	38
Ford of Canada A	24
Goodyear Tire	37
Imperial Tobacco	11⅛
Montreal Power	9½
Nat Steel Car	14½
Steel of Can	63

Cryptoquotes . . .

OYT RY RIT GYHJMTFXHU. HYR RIT GYHJMTFTL IYCR—KQFYH.

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: FALSEHOODS WHICH WE SPURN TODAY WERE THE TRUTHS OF LONG AGO—J. G. WHITTIER.

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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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$300 FINE FOR SUPPLYING LIQUOR TO INDIAN

CRANBROOK, B.C.—For supplying an Indian with liquor Joseph Walkley appeared in police court Thursday before John Kennedy, justice of the peace, and was sentenced to a fine of $300 with the alternative of six months in prison. The evidence that the Indian in question was a minor and a woman made the penalty more severe than usual. She will appear in a further hearing charged with intoxication under the Indian Act. The arrest was made by Constable Joseph Scott who prosecuted the case in police court.

Lillian Brown, charged with public intoxication, appeared before A. J. Balment, justice of the peace, and on conviction was fined $25 and court costs of $3.75.

$15 and Costs Paid by F. J. Kryski

Frank Joe Kryski of Trail, B.C., was fined $15 and costs when he pleaded guilty to the charge of operating a motor vehicle at a rate of speed greater than 40 miles per hour, appearing before Stipendiary Magistrate William Irvine in Provincial Police Court Friday. The check was made by Constable F. Slater near Glade on April 9.

The charge was laid under the Department of Munitions and Supply Act'ss regulations respecting the speed of motor vehicles.

South Slocan W.I. Agrees to Sponsor P.-T. Assoc.

SOUTH SLOCAN, B.C.—A largely attended meeting of the Bonnington and South Slocan Women's Institute was held in the Community Hall Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. D. Yeatman, presiding, thanked all who had helped to make the military whist a success. The sum of $15 was realized.

The correspondence included a report on the eye condition of Jimmie Nyman of New Denver and a former schoolboy at South Slocan; a letter of thanks from Mrs. Downie for the contribution to the Red Cross drive; a report from Grace Hospital, Vancouver, and letters of thanks from a member in England for parcel.

The Institute Bulletin announced a four day conference in Vancouver from May 30 to June .

The Institute was asked and agreed to sponsor a Parent-Teacher Association.

Mrs. H. James, Girl Guide representative, gave an interesting and enlightening talg on Girl Guides work.

The social part of the program was a contest arranged by Mrs. John Murray and won by Mrs. R. Greyson.

Tea hostesses were Mrs. A. Jacobson and Mrs. J. O'Genski. Mrs. E. Olson and Mrs. W. T. Jones assisted in serving.

SALMO SCHOOL ENTERTAINS AT EASTER TEA

SALMO, B.C.—The Grade 1 class of the Salmo Elementary School entertained their mothers at an Easter tea in their classroom. Mrs. R. Clare presided at the tea table which was centred with a lovely bowl of daffodils and yellow tapers.

Ritchie Hearn and Albert McDonald welcomed the guests, assisted by their teacher, Miss D. Sharpe.

Pupils who acted as serviteurs were Marion Hanson, Nick Elasoff, Nellie Kalmekoff, David Thexton, Nick Konkin, Elizabeth Boettger, Bill Scribner, Beverley Waterstreet, Polly Grutchin, Ronnie Erickson, Bobby Connauton, Janice Black, Jackie Sheloff, Tommy Stranberg, Allan Grutchfield, Ludkig Lange, Ronnie Avery Gordon Pecton, Tommy Pelch, Tony Stard, William Lange and Tommie Pelch.

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Nelson Daily News,
Nelson, B.C.

TO THE EDITOR:

Many persons have repeatedly asked us for the reason of our drive for funds (on a 10% basis) amongst our settlements. We wish to take space in your paper for the following explanation. These funds are gathered for the purpose of establishing a Home to accommodate aged people, widows, orphans, etc. Since our religious beliefs do not permit naturalization, members of our Society receive no support from the government in the form of old age pensions, widow's pensions, etc. We are obliged to support these ourselves. One such Home is already prepared and temporarily located at Krestova settlement.

All funds gathered in the present drive shall be placed in a chartered bank under auspices of the Spiritual Community of Christ with three appointed elders as trustees.

PETE P. SWITLISHOFF,
ALEX PANKROFF.

Higher Prices for Bearing Orchards Now

VERNON, B.C., April 14—Prosperity that has been reported in the Okanagan this year is reflected in the upward surge in prices for bearing orchards, and by the heaviest purchase of fertilizer for many years.

One fertilizer firm representative just back from a tour of the valley declares that twice the amount of artificial manure has gone into the Okanagan last Fall and this Spring than was shipped in corresponding periods of previous year.

Farmers, he says, contend that it is more to their own interest and to the industry as a whole to improve the productivity of their orchards than to return money to the Government in the form of income tax.

Government officials in the Okanagan say that bearing orchards with homes and all necessary adjuncts are today selling in the Southern half of the Valley at from $1200 to $1500 an acre as compared with from $700 to $800 an acre a few years ago.

One Government official recently sold his apple orchard because of the high price offered.

Plans for Tag Day Made by Hospital Auxiliary

Arrangements were made for the annual Hospital Tag Day to be held May 6 at the monthly meeting of the Hospital Auxiliary on Friday. Miss G. Ewing and Mrs. M. Wright are to have charge of the Tag Day.

The Auxiliary is to pay for the painting of the Auxiliary Hospital Ward. Plans were made for the buying committee to get chairs for the Isolation Hospital.

Mrs. R. Todd, President, presided.

A muskrat provides one and a half pounds of edible meat.

NEWS OF THE DAY

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

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Reserve Wed., April 19, for St. Saviour's W. A. Spring Tea, Aprons and Home Baking. 3-6 p.m.

Scandinavian Ladies' Aid Bake Sale this morning at former Fashion First Shop.

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Dance Eagle Hall, Friday, April 21, under auspices of Clan McLeary, Adm. 50c. Dancing 9 p.m. Margaret Graham's Orchestra.

HEAR
Howard Green, M.P., of Vancouver, Canadian Legion Hall, Thursday, April 20, 8 p.m.

Nelson Amateur Hockey Association annual meeting Saturday, April 15 at 8 p.m. in Women's Institute Rooms, Civic Centre.

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KEEPING UP TO DATE
Marion Grummett of "Milady's Beauty Parlour" has left to take a special course in Cold Wave Permaments.

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FUNERAL NOTICE
Funeral services for the late William Edgar McCandlish will be held from the Thompson Funeral Home Today at 2 p.m. Services will be under the auspices Nelson Lodge No. 25, Knights of Pythias.

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Interpreting The War News

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON
Associated Press War Analyst

Both extremeties of the Japanese Pacific outpost line, New Guinea in the Southwest and the Kuriles in the Northeast, have come in for intensified air attack recently to stir expectation new Allied moves are impending.

These attacks, particularly in the North where the bombers come closer and closer to Tokio itself with every stroke, must also be sharpening Japanese apprehension.

Yet it is Southward, on New Guinea, that the greater threat to the whole Japanese conquest design may be developing.

The Northwestern tip of New Guinea, only 608 miles from the Southeastern tip of Mindanao in the Philippines, may not be the land bridge by which MacArthur expects to lead an army back into the Philippines; but it has possibilities.

There are no official figures on the strength of ground forces available now to MacArthur. Considerable numbers of troops could be quickly concentrated somewhere when the time is ripe for that return to the Philippines to which MacArthur pledged himself when he left Corregidor.

That time still may be relatively remote, but certainly not as remote as it seemed only months ago. The stepped-up campaign to clear all New Guinea of enemy footholds hints at stage setting for the campaign to retake the Philippines.

$925,000 Is Victory Loan Quota for East Kootenay District

CRANBROOK, B.C., April 14 — Victory Loan quotas for the six sub-units of East Kootenay in the Sixth Victory Loan campaign which opens April 24 have been announced. They total $925,000 which was also the Fall quota.

The six sub-units' quotas are as follows:

Cranbrook, $215,000; Creston, Creston, $145,000; Fernie, $200,000; Kimberley, $240,000; Michel-Natal, $70,000; and Windermere $45,000.

Kimberley sub-unit committee has been organized with William Lindsay, Chairman, J. R. Giegerich and H. R. Banks, Vice-Chairmen; L. V. Lane Secretary and Sales Manager, and Gordon Russell, Publicity Chairman. In the Fifth Loan Kimberley established a Dominion record in applications for communities of its size, with purchasers numbering 1923, or one of every 3 persons in the area. Its carefully selected sales staff will be back on the job again this loan.

Murray Brink, British Columbia Vice-Chairman of the War Finance Committee spends most of the first week of the loan in East Kootenay. He will address local committees and sales forces at Kimberley, April 24, and Invermere April 25, at Cranbrook April 26, and at Creston April 27.

MURRAY BRINK

200,000 Prairie Farmers to Receive Certificate Payments

OTTAWA, April 14 (CP) — Trade Minister MacKinnon announced early tonight payment of participation certificates for the 1940, 1941 and 1942 wheat crops in which approximately $59,000,000 will be distributed to about 200,000 prairie farmers.

The basic payments will be 6⅝ cents per bushel for 1940 crop wheat, 14⅞ cents for 1941 and 11¼ cents for 1942.

The actual per bushel payment for each grade will vary to allow for the differential between the initial spreads under No. 1 Northern "which have necessarily to be estimated at the beginning of each crop year," and the final spread obtained for the sale," Mr. MacKinnon said.

He added that payment figures for each grade will be brought to the closest third decimal point in each case, and said that this closes out the three crops years.

It was recalled that Mr. MacKinnon recently told the Commons that the 1940 participation certificates would be cashed in first.

"The Board are now completing the actual fractional calculations on all grades and these will be announced in three or four days," Mr. MacKinnon added.

Participation certificates were held by farmers who sold to the Canadian Wheat Board, getting 70 cents a bushel in 1940 and 1941 and 90 cents a bushel in 1942. These crop years closed out Sept. 27, 1943.

The Gals Are Little Holy Spirits to Tzar of Heaven on Visit Here

Tzar of Heaven has his wires crossed apparently. The orange-crowned Doukhobor rode a bus into Nelson Friday and told newsmen he visited he came as "God's witness" to see that two Doukhobors were accorded just treatment in a trial here today.

Inquiries, however, revealed, that no Doukhobors are slated to come before the Courts today.

The self-styled Tzar caused a mild stir as he proceeded up Baker Street, handing oranges from a bag to youngsters and speaking briefly to passers-by. His three-tiered crescent-shaped headgear with not-so-white flowing cloth train was a centre of attraction.

Elderly men he encountered he addressed as "God," younger men were addressed as "Christ", and young women as "Little Holy Spirit," in accordance with his belief that these classifications express the three forms of the Diety.

A half-dozen followers accompanied the mild-mannered zealot to town from Krestova. The Tzar is self-appointed, apparently having no real power in the Doukhobor communities. Nevertheless he is regarded with reverence by many of the sect.

His crown comprised 21-oranges arranged in rows of seven and banded by yarn to a white skull cap — a tricky ensemble. The yard-long train of hand-woven cloth flowed back.

FRUITVALE

FRUITVALE, B.C.—C.G.I.T. met in the Church Hall Tuesday afternoon when an Easter program was carried out. Plans were started for a Mother's Day part. There were seven members and two visitors present.

Trinity Lutheran Ladies Aid was held on Wednesday evening when Mrs. S. MasIssaac and Mrs. W. Williams were co-hostesses at the home of the former.

The regular monthly meeting of the Junior Women's Guild was held at the home of Mrs. W Veitch Tuesday evening. Members present were Mrs. R. Leckett, Miss T. Frey, Miss M. Robertson and Mrs. Veitch. There were also three visitors. Miss Robertson assisted the hostess.

L. Paisley of Brandon, Man., is a guest of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paisley.

The St. Paul's United Ladies Aid held their Spring sale in the Church Hall Thursday. Afternoon tea, home cooking and aprons were sold. Mrs. J. Wood received the guests. Home cooking table was looked after by Mrs. T. B. Charlton and Mrs. Bay Dove; aprons by Mrs. E. Frey and Mrs. J. D. Wick, Tea tables, Miss Tilly Frey: kitchen, Mrs. W. Veitch.

Mrs. M. B. Williams left Friday to visit the Coast.

Miss M. Robertson has left for the Coast where she will spend the holidays with her mother.

James Campbell is spending the holidays at his home in Fernie.

Miss D. Trainor is holidaying in Nelson.

Mis Shirley Bibb left for her home in Fernie where she will spend the holidays.

Miss Hazel Keown has returned from Vancouver.

Beverley and Georgina Cammons of Trail were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Findlay.

Mrs. Thomas Cole entertained members of the Friendly Cluub at her home Thursday evening. Mrs. L. Ayre won the weekly contest prize. Mrs. H. Anderson assisted the hostess. Thoc present were Mrs. Ayre, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. F. Cole, Mrs. V. Graves, Mrs. B. E. Johnson, Mrs. W. Williams and Mrs. W. Veitch.

Mrs. T. Dunn and son Lloyd will leave shortly to join Mr. Dunn at the Coast where they will take up residence.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Goddard will leave next week for Trail where they will reside.

Mrs. F. E. Haines has returned from Nelson where she has been vliting friends.

NAKUSP

NAKUSP, B.C.—Mrs. A Lemiux of Wrangle, Alaska, and Mrs. G. Genier, formerly of Barriere, who recently visited their brother-in-law and sister left for Kamloops. Mrs. Lemieux was one of the early settlers in the Kamloops district. Arriving from Ontario in 1889, she moved to Alaska 42 years ago.

Miss Irene Buerge arrived Monday from Nelson where she spent the Easter holidays.

Mrs. B. Lang arrived from Nelson Monday and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Aalton.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Ferguson of Edgewood are guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Chadwick.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Johnson were Nakusp visitors Tuesday from Burton.

Mrs. E. Anderson left Tuesday and will visit Trail for a few days.

Mrs. J. Farrar of Edgewood, who has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. H. G. Gardner, for the holidays, left for her home in Edgewood.

ASK ROADS BE Drained, Graded

ROSSLAND, B.C., April 14—A petition to the City Council from Alec Wilson, Cyril Evans, W. J. Evans, Charles Ward, H. M. Murdoch, H. C. Nicholls and W. F. McNeill, asking that the Davis Street and Union Avenue roads be provided with drainage, and that grading be done as a muddy condition exists, and also asked that the water pressure be improved before gardening time, was referred by the Council Tuesday night to the Board of Works Committee to investigate the road. Roy Hancock, City Foreman, stated that the water pressure in that section had been improved last year, when a two inch pipe was put in.

Merchants to Hear Prices Board Man Wartime Bookkeeping

"Book-keeping Records in Wartime" will be the subject of an address by Walter Mantle of the Wartime Prices Board Management Service Division before a meeting of merchants and other business men here May 1. Notice of the meeting was read Friday by President George A. Hoover Friday at the Board of Trade meeting.

Kaslo Red Cross Loses Hard Working President

KASLO, B.C.—The monthly meeting of the Kaslo Red Cross was held Tuesday afternoon in the City Hall with the President, Mrs. H. A. Rose, in the chair. The Treasurer, Mrs. C. R. Fahrni, reported a balance of $20.80 on hand. She gave a fine report stating that $1581.81 had been sent to headquarters from Kaslo and district since the beginning of the year.

The Secretary was instructed to write a letter of thanks to H. Exter for his work as Campaign Chairman. The paper and salvage drive was fully discussed.

Plans are going ahead to hold one more Red Cross Bridge when prizes will be awarded for high score for the season.

The Secretary read a letter from the President, Mrs. Rose, in which she tendered her resignation, owing to having to leave Kaslo. A hearty vote of thanks was given her for her fine work and for the keen interest she has taken in Red Cross work since taing office. Members present voiced their regret at the loss of so fine a leader. Mrs. G. Gibson, First Vice-President, will carry on in the place of Mrs. Rose until the end of the year.

Kaslo Whist, Dance Successful

KASLO, B.C.The "Hard Times" whist party and dance put on by the Kaslo Hospital W.A on Easter Monday night was an enjoyable affair. Prize winners for whist were Mrs. Frank Abey of Mirror Lake and George Billings. L. S. Douglas Strachan, R.C. N.V.R. won an angel cake. Mrs. B. F. Palmer and Guy Browell carried off the prizes for best costumes. The ladies put on an enjoyable supper.

INVERMERE HOSPITAL AID PLANS BAZAAR

INVERMERE, B.C.—At the April meeting of the Ladies Aid to the Lady Elizabeth Bruce Memorial Hospital, plans were made to hold the annual Summer Bazaar. This bazaar is the major enterprise of the organization each year.

A committee, consisting of the President, Mrs. G. F. Cartwright, the Secretary Miss E. M. Fisher and Mrs. J. J. Kimm, was appointed to inspect the hospital for necessary Spring cleaning.

GRAND FORKS

GRAND FORKS, B.C.—The ceremony of baptism was observed during the Easter morning service at St. John's United Church, when Rev. Thomas Keyworth christened Florence Dianne Bailey, 16-months old daughter of Private Harold Bailey, on active service in England for more than a year, and Mrs. Bailey. Accompanying Mrs. Bailey was Miss Louise McPherson of Trail and Mrs. Thomas Walker of Grand Forks as god-mothers of Dianne. Following the ceremony a number of friends were entertained at the home of the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Hope George have returned from a visit to Trail.

Miss Helen Campbell has returned to Vancouver, where she has been attending her father, Robert Campbell, as nurse at Shaughnessy Hospital. He recently underwent the amputation of one of his legs

John A. Love has arrived from Edmonton, where he spent the past two years.

Mrs. John Onions is on a visit to Trail, where her little son underwent an appendix operation in Trail-Tadanac Hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith have been visiting Coast cities.

Miss Roma Donaldson of the Bank of Commerce staff has been on a holiday visit to Vancouver.

Miss Jean Dinsmore is here from Winnipeg on a visit to her parents. Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Dinsmore. Miss Dinsmore has been studying theology at Winnipeg and spoke services in the Pentecostal Church.

Mr and Mrs. George Santano have returned to Trail after visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Santano.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude C. Heaven have been visiting their daughters in Coast cities.

RATION BOOK WORKERS THANKED
ROSSLAND, B.C., April 14—A letter from Donald Gordon, Chairman of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, Ottawa thanking the volunteer workers who assisted in distributing the new food ration books.

ROSSLAND LOT $10
ROSSLAND, B.C., April 14—The City Council Tuesday accepted L. S MacAuley's offer of $10.00 for a lot adjoining his property. The cost of registration to be added.

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TODAY ENTRY DEADLINE FOR LADIES' TOURNEY

Today is the deadline for entries for the Kootenay Ladies' Bowling Championships to be held at South Slocan May 3.

Nelson trundlers of the Ladies' Bowling Club and the Junior Ladies 5-Pin Bowling Club will enter four teams, it is hoped. Other entries will be reecived from Trail and South Slocan squads.

Forestry Commission Counsel in Nelson Thursday and Friday

H. W. Davey, counsel for the Royal Commission on Forestry, will be in Nelson next Thursday and Friday to meet and assist persons in making submissions to the Commission.

Nelson Board of Trade Industrial Committee plans to submit a brief on a proposed forest policy for Interior B.C.

TAGHUM

TAGHUM, B.C.—Roy Kellogg, who has been employed for some months in Idaho, spent the holiday with his parents, Mr and Mrs. Roy Kellogg.

Miss Elizabeth Karas, who attends Senior High school in Nelson, is spending the holidays at her home.

Mrs. J. F. Marsden was a recent visitor to Nelson.

Miss Joyce Whitehead, Miss Betty Swedberg and Miss Carol Swedberg who attend school in Nelson, are spending the holidays at their homes at Leaf Creek.

Anthony Wapple shopped in Nelson Saturday.

The opening dance of the season was held in the school-house Saturday night.

Mrs. John Kelly of Nelson, with sons Harry and Gerald, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wapple at Easter.

Miss Janet Hughes is spending a few weeks at her home here.

Herbert Lancaster shopped in Nelson at the weekend.

Mrs. Richard Bowyer of Nelson visited her home here at Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wapple had as Easter guest their daughter, Madelene, of Trail.

J. K. Aitken of Annable spent the Easter weekend in Taghum,

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