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U-BOAT MAKES PERMANENT DIVE: Caught flat-footed in the Bay of Biscay by an R.A.F. flying boat, a Nazi U-boat's prow rises steeply before making its death plunge. Arrows point to some of the survivors. Sighted in daylight, the U-boat was an easy victim for flying boat's depth charges.

Bulgaria May Be Next to Desert "Protector"

LONDON, Feb. 28 (AP)—Under pressure of Soviet air might, Finland appeared moving tonight toward an armistice with Russia, and this prospect that yet another ally would desert Hitler was reported to have caused disorders in satellite Bulgaria.

Bulgaria called more men to arms, the Cairo radio said, to stem spreading clashes between police and Partisan bands who were excited by the prospect of Finnish-Russian rapprochement.

Germany meantime took precautions to meet Finnish capitulation and a war correspondent of the German news agency DNB, said in a Berlin broadcast after a visit to the Arctic coast that Nazi troops in Finland and Norway were ready to meet any emergency—even an Allied landing.

Among the many reports of the Finnish-Russian peace negotiations still in the unofficial stage, was a Stockholm dispatch saying Juho Kosti Paasakivi, Finnish statesman who negotiated the 1940 peace with Russia, may return to Stockholm tomorrow or next day to continue negotiations.

Meanwhile the Turkish radio, quoting well-informed circles, said today Madame Alexandra Kollantay, Soviet Ambassador to Sweden, had obtained permission from Finland to travel through that country in order to report to Moscow on her recent talks with Paasakivi.

Another diplomatic development in London was the arrival of Jan Ciechanowski, Polish Ambassador to the U. S., who at once went into conference with the Polish Government in London to give the United States' latest views on the Polish-Russian controversy.

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 29 (Tuesday) (AP) — The Russian air raids on Helsinki may have jeopardized peace negotiations between the Soviet and Finland, the Helsinki newspaper Social Demokratti indicated today.

A dispatch quoting this newspaper, which represents Finance Minister Viano Tanner's strong Social Democratic party, said the air attacks were generally interpreted as a Russian effort to give impetus to the peace conversations.

"Military results are negligible," the newspaper claimed in attacking Russia for the bombings. "The war cannot be won by these methods."

"Force and threats as Russia must know of old, will only give rise to opposite reaction. The continuous bombing, as just now when serious deliberations are underway about the possibilities of quitting the war, is badly chosen if Russia honestly aspires to peace with Finland."

Lonergan Had Renounced Claim to Fortune

NEW YORK, Feb. 28 (AP) — Wayne Lonergan was disclosed at his murder trial today to have renounced any claim to his slain wife's $6,000,000 fortune if their young son were placed in custody of his relatives in Canada.

Lonergan wrote the letters, it was learned after today's session, upon reading newspaper stories he was gambling his life against a chance to acquire a one-third dower right in the fortune.

An attempt by Defence Counsel Edward V. Broderick to read the letter in open court was blocked by Assistant District Attorney Jacob Grumet, but Judge John J. Freschi allowed prospective jurors to examine it.

Lonergan calmly aided his defence counsel in their selection of the jurors who will decide his fate on a first degree murder charge.

Japs Routed in First Major Success in Burma

NEW DELHI, India, Feb. 28 (CP) — The Allies have scored their first major victory in Burma with the destruction of a force of 8,000 Japanese in two weeks of confused fighting in the dusty jungles of Arakan, North of Akyab, the Southeast Asia Command announced today.

The Japanese "gradually were driven back, hemmed in, split up, hunted and killed. Most, with their accustomed tenacity, fought to the death. Some battered and wounded escaped through the jungle to the South. A few surrendered."

A special summary thus pictured the end of an ambitious drive by the force of approximately 8,000 Japanese, who set out to isolate and destroy two Indian divisions, the 5th and 7th, and open the way for a "sweeping advance into India."

Allied casualties were declared to have been about one-third as high.

An even higher figure of Japanese casualties than that announced in the communique was given by a British spokesman, who said 1500 Japanese had been buried and estimated 3,000 were wounded.

Squadrons of R.A.F. and United States transport pilots kept the 7th Indian Division supplied for three weeks until rescue forces broke through, it was disclosed.

Defuses Mines With Hands in Cassino Attack

WITH THE 5TH ARMY IN ITALY, Feb. 28 (AP)—Crawling through a muddy minefield on hands and knees and defusing mines with his bare hands after his mine detection equipment failed, Sgt. Calvin K. Shinogaki, a Honolulu American of Japanese descent, blazed a trail of safety for his company during a night attack on the Cassino front.

Shinogaki's action prevented what might have been one of the tragic mishaps of the campaign.

He has been recommended for the Legion of Merit and the Distinguished Service Cross.

A comrade of Sgt. Shinogaki, Lieut. Sakae Takahashi of Kawai in the Hawaiian Group, who fought his way into an ancient church in Cassino Square, witnessed one of the strangest sights of the war.

"We were in the church four days and nights," the Lieutenant related. "It had been literally shelled to pieces. Suddenly another shell blasted through the roof and ripped open the floor of the attic. Dozens of skeletons tumbled out. You could see arms and legs dangling from the opening, and skulls bounced around on the flor."

Fined for Violation Ceiling Price

VANCOUVER, Feb. 28 (CP) — Pleading guilty to a charge of selling various meat and grocery items above Prices Board ceilings, John H. Drummond, of Howe Sound Trading Company, Gibson's Landing, was fined $100 in Police Court here.

VALUE OF WAR BONDS OPENS MONEY DEBATE

Ask Assurance Bonds Will Return 100 Cents on Dollar

OTTAWA, Feb. 28 (CP)—A suggestion by P. E. Wright (C.C.F.—Melfort) that the Government should guarantee that war bonds will not be allowed to drop below par today sparked off a money-reform debate in the Commons.

C.C.F. speakers said a guarantee should be given to bond purchasers that values will be maintained after the war.

M. J. Coldwell, the Party's Leader, said the men and women who invested in bonds deserved the assurance that their bonds would return 100 cents on the dollar. Whenever he had appealed to Canadians to put their money into bonds he had said they should receive this full return, Mr. Coldwell added.

Several Liberal and Progressive Conservative Members replied the best guarantee of that would be that a C.C.F. Government should not be elected in Canada. New Democracy Members said proper economic management of the country would be essential.

Agriculture Minister Gardiner said there was no doubt about the bonds being redeemed at face value since the people would see to it that no Government that believed in "national socializing everything" would be in power.

At the evening sitting the House returned to study of the $3,650,000,000 War Appropriation Resolution with Army Service estimates of $1,535,000,000 for the coming fiscal year under review.

The House made rapid progress, and Members anticipated that tomorrow they might begin their review of air service estimates totalling $1,090,000.

G. G. McGeer (L.—Vancouver Burrard) said a fair price on war bonds should be fixed. The days ahead would require economic understanding, good judgment and statesmanship. He cited a report by Graham Towers, Governor of the Bank of Canada, that during 1943 Canadian deposit liabilities of the Chartered Banks had increased $748,000,000.

"That was new money created by the Chartered Banks by merely writing up bank deposit entries in their boks and exchanging them for interest-bearing bonds," Mr. McGeer said.

The total active note circulation, including Bank of Canada notes, had risen $161,000,000 in the year, making the total expansion of the volume $909,000,000. Cash reserves of the Chartered Banks rose $82,000,000 in the year and most of the expansion was necessary to maintain the cash-ratio position of the banks in view of the $748,000,000 increase in their deposit liabilities.

"I believe it means that the Bank of Canada has issued into circulation, which circulation eventually came into the possession of the Chartered Banks, $82,000,000 of Bank of Canada legal tender bills," said Mr. McGeer. "With that $82,000,000, the banks were able to increase their deposits up to $82,000,000 and did increase them up to $748,000,000 . . .

"Here we have a national bank institution owned by the people of Canada, issuing Canadian legal tender money as a cold subsidy to our Chartered Banks, and with that subsidy of cash, which is the biggest subsidy any monopoly ever received, they are manufacturing in their books the means of buying Canadian Government interest bearing bonds.

"Was there ever such a device and system devised and sustained by sane men for the wreck of Government and the benefit of private enterprise?"

Mr. Towers' report should be considered by the House Banking and Commerce Committee. No Government could survive under the present system.

Arthur Slaght (L.—Parry Sound) said statements by Mr. Coldwell that his party planned to nationalize banks and other institutions were responsible for unrest in both the United States and Canada over the possibility of the C.C.F. gaining power. Nationalization would mean 'politicalizing" of the banks, and the C.C.F. would lend only to its friends.

"You cannot get a job on the roads in British Columbia without a membership card in the Liberal Party," interjected Angus MacInnis (C.C.F.-Vancouver East).

"If it were not unparliamentary to say so, I would tell my friend that he has made a statement which is untrue," replied Mr. Slaght.

Mr. Wright said the general public had contributed more than $2,500,000,000 through individual subscriptions to loans since the war started. The small investors should have the assurance the bonds would not fall below par as had happened after the last war.

Allied and Nazi Airmen Clash in Eire Camp

LONDON, Feb. 29 (Tuesday)—(CP-Reuters)—Allied and German airmen interned at the Curragh Race Track in neutral Eire have clashed while on parole outside the camp, a Daily Telegraph correspondent reported today.

The correspondent said that to avoid further clashes the Eire Government has moved Allied internees to Gormanston, a former R.A.F. airdrome located in County Meath North of Dublin.

Climax of the clashes was reached, the Telegraph said, when two German airmen ambushed a Polish pilot and kicked him until he was unconscious.

LIGHT AIRCRAFT WILL SPEED MAIL TO TROOPS

New System Will Cut Time by Several Days

OTTAWA, Feb. 28 (CP) — To speed mail deliveries to Canadian troops in Italy, a lighter type of aircraft will be based at a Mediterranean airport to supplement the service now provided by Flying Fortresses of the R.C.A.F. Transport Command, Postmaster General Mullock announced today in the Commons.

This would permit a round-trip service to the Mediterarnean every five days or oftener, reducing delivery time by several days.

"The first of these planes has already arrived at the airport and the improved service will go into operation in the very near future," said Col. Mulock.

"With the advent of improved weather the delays will be further reduced by possibly two or three days and, as the lighter aircraft will be able to land closer to the point where the postal base is located, time now taken up by extended road transport will be eliminated."

Col. Mulock made a lengthy statement on overseas mail deliveries on the introduction of his estimates. He said he had received letters and noticed criticism in the Press of delivery delays. While there had been delays, none had been avoidable.

Col. Mulock gave the day-by-day progress of an air letter from Canada to the front or to Great Britain. The average time to the United Kingdom was 10 days for letters to soldiers and 13 days to airmen, he said. The extra three days was due to the necessity of using civilian postal facilities to reach the more widely scattered Air Force personnel.

Airmail letters to the Mediterranean take an average of 24 days for delivery from Canada, said Col. Mulock. In both cases airgraphs take approximately four to six days longer than normal air mail on account of processing at both ends.

At the night sitting, Gordon Graydon, Progressive Conservative House Leader, suggested the trops overseas be alowed free air mail service as free postage service on surface mail. He suggested, too, that an arrangement should be made for provision of free cigarettes and tobacco to all service personnel overseas.

Col. Mulock said representations had been made to the British authorities to have all air mail from the troops reduced to the threepenny rate. He expressed hope it could be done although it would mean a considerable loss to the British Treasury.

"Just to give you an example," said Capt. Allan Chambers (L.—Nanaimo) "I got an air mail letter mailed in Victoria and delivered to to the battlefield in six days. I got a cable in England and it took 11 weeks."

REPORTS ALBERTA DEBT REDUCED BY $8 MILLION

EDMONTON, Feb. 28 (CP)—Alberta's Provincial debt from March 31, 1936, until the present has been reduced by approximately $8,000,000, Hon. Lucien Maynard, Attorney-General, said in the budget debate in the Alberta Legislature today.

Germans Using New Gun on Cassino Front

ON THE CASSINO FRONT, Italy, Feb. 28 (AP) — The Germans have a new 17-centimetre (6.69 inch) gun mounted on a railway car that outranges any Allied artillery pieces in action here, an Allied officer said today.

This gun has a high muzzle velocity but its shell is not so heavy as those thrown by larger Allied guns he said, adding that the Allies have superiority over the Germans in artillery on the Cassino front.

RED ARMY PUSH 25 MILES TOWARD PSKOV

Hitler Orders City Be Held "to the Last Man"

LONDON, Feb. 28 (CP)— The Red Army hammered up to 25 miles forward today to within six miles of Pskov, great railway bastion of the Baltic region which the Germans, at gigantic cost, are struggling to retain against the Soviet advance.

The Russian midnight communique, announced capture of 450 communities around Pskov, most notable being Toroshino, railway station six miles Northeast of the city on the Luga Line, and Karamyshevo, 10 miles East on the Staraya Russa line.

Last previously announced positions on those railroads had been 10 and 25 miles farther distant, respectively. Although Red Army units had been closer at some inland points, the railways were the keys to Pskov.

Some 100 miles Southeast of Pskov, Russian forces driving West and Northwest of Novosokolniki reported capture of 200 populated places in a continuing battle.

Elsewhere the communique said the long Russian front was comparatively quiet.

A BBC broadcast telling of the hard Russian push on Pskov said Adolf Hitler had ordered the city held "to the last man," denoting the importance the Germans attach to the city and its railroads.

In their crafty drive through the snow and mud towards Pskov, the Russians apparently were shifting the main pressure first to one and then another of the three spearheads approaching the city from North, Northeast and East. Sunday night's communique listed gains primarily in the North with some lesser ones in the Northeast. Tonight's indicated greatest force in the Northeastern and Eastern prongs.

The Soviet advance, aided by propeller-driven sleighs, apparently was proceeding without a serious hitch while the Germans fell back for an expected last-ditch stand at the city gates.

It was announced three enemy divisons had been routed by a Russian column advancing on Novorzhev, 70 miles to the Southeast of Pskov.

In the German ranks, the Soviet communique declared, desertion and defeatism are becoming widespread and the prisons of Pskov are filled to overflowing with these men.

Boeing Lay-Off to Involve 300 Employees

VANCOUVER, Feb. 28 (CP) — Three hundred employees are involved in a sharp reduction of staff pending at the local plant of Boeing Aircraft of Canada Ltd., it was learned today.

Investigators of the Industrial Mobilization Survey started this morning to check employee lists to designate certain deferred men to be included in the lay-off.

Bulk of the lay-offs would comprise men whose military call-ups have been deferred. A schedule of "priority" for such staff reductions announced in Ottawa in January provides that men on deferment are to be laid off first.

Reason given for the reduction was that re-tooling and re-jigging have been completed and a regular production level had been struck, leaving a certain oversupply of labor in the plant. More employees might have to go as a matter of efficiency now that production was stable, company officials said.

Miso Paste Made at Coast for Japs

HOPE, B. C., Feb. 28 (CP) — Miso Paste, a mixture of soya beans and rice, now is being manufactured in Canada for the first time. Prior to the war, miso came from Japan. In their efforts to make the nearby Tashme evacuation camp self-supporting the British Columbia Security Commission has established a miso plant here. The product now is shipped to all Japanese evacuation centres throughout interior B. C., and to Japanese communities in other parts of Canada.

Sees Little Excuse for Beer Shortage

VICTORIA, Feb. 28 (CP) — Lt. Louis Lebourdais (LC-Cariboo) asserted in the B. C. Legislature today that there seems little excuse for the present beer shortage.

Lt. Lebourdais contended that before a prohibition act is introduced in the House of Commons, members of the armed forces overseas should be allowed to express their opinions by ballot.

He advocated Sunday shows for members of the armed forces and the merchant marine.

All Halls Hired But Woman Cand. Gets the Last Word

LONDON, Feb. 28 (CP) —Supporters of Maj. E. M. Keatinge, Conservative candidate in tomorrows Bury St. Edmunds by-election, hired all avilable halls tonight and Mrs. Corbett Ashby, independent Liberal was left out in the cold.

But she exercised a woman's prerogative of getting the last word and her open air meeting in the blackout was said to be the first in the history of British politics.

HEAVY BOMBERS RANGE OVER NORTH FRANCE

German Radios Off the Air; Six U.S. Bombers Lost

LONDON, Feb. 28 (CP)—Heavy bombers of the United States 8th Air Force today spearheaded a series of daylight assaults on enemy installations in Northern France in which R.A.F. and American mediums also joined.

They struck at different places against Nazi military objectives which Prime Minister Churchill has said include long-range rocket-guns and radio-controlled planes.

Tonight Berlin, Frankfurt, Cologne, Bremen, Hamburg and other German radio stations went off the air, indicating the R.A.F. might be visiting Germany.

Six heavy bombers were lost, the largest for operations against the Pas de Calais since Jan. 21 when a similar number failed to return.

The medium force struck the rocket-gun sector and a Nazi air base near Amiens, 40 miles inland. All the mediums returned despite reports of some heavy flak.

Another Smash Hits Rabaul; 14 Barges Sunk

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN THE SOUTHWEST PACIFIC, Feb. 29 (Tuesday) (AP)—Allied planes made their 12th straight raid on the Japanese base at Rabaul, New Britain, Headquarters announced today. More than 200 planes smashed ammunition dumps, many buildings, hit four jetties, and damaged or sunk 14 barges.

Continuing their aerial blows at enemy strongpoints in the Bismarck Archipelago, other planes dumped 36 tons of bombs on Lorengau and Momote airdromes in the Admiralty Islands, Northwest of Rabaul.

Other air raids on the Wewak and Madang areas on the Northeast Coast of New Guinea resulted in the destruction or damage of 25 parked enemy planes.

United States troops advanced 15 miles Northwest of Saidor in their push up the Coast toward Madang. The Americans are now about 37 miles from Bogadjim, Japanese subsidiary base 10 miles below Madang.

Australian soldiers participating in the advance are reported to be coming up from the Interior South of Bogadjim.

Cariboo Doesn't Want Doukhobors

VICTORIA, Feb. 22 (CP) —The Kootenay Boundary country can keep its Doukhobors—the Cariboo doesn't want them, said Lt. Louis Le Bourdais (LC—Cariboo) during the budget debate in the Legislature today. He was referring to an address by Thomas A. Love (CC-Grand Forks-Greenwood) in the House last week.

"I gathered from the honorable member's remarks that he would foist his unwanted Doukhobors on the people of the Cariboo and central British Columbia," said Lt. Lebourdais.

"The people along the 49th parallel wanted the Doukhobors in the first place and can keep them. We have neither Japs, Douks, nor Nip-Douks in our part of the country and can get along nicely without them."

Sentenced 4 Years for $10,000 Theft

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C., Feb. 28 (CP)—John Wilson Barr, 48, accountant of the Fraser Valley farmers Cooperative, at Cloverdale, was sentenced in County Court today to four years imprisonment when convicted on a charge of theft of $10,000 of Cooperative funds.

Fight Breaks Week of Quiet on Anzio Beachhead

NAPLES, Feb. 28 (AP)—British troops, going over to the offensive on the Anzio beachhead, have stormed and captured two Nazi strongpoints Southwest of the German-held village of Caroceto after two days of sharp fighting, the Allies announced today.

Scene of the attack, which broke a week of comparative quiet on the beachhead front, is near the headwaters of the Moletta River, a little stream that originates about 1½ miles Southwest of Carroceto.

(The German high command communique, giving its version of apparently the same engagement, had claimed about two battalions of Allied troops were wiped out after being encircled near Buon Riposo, a hamlet on the Moletta about 1½ miles Southwest of Carroceto and a mile West of the Carroceto-Anzio highway. The Germans claimed 650 Allied prisoners. Such an encirclement has never been confirmed by Allied sources.)

Artillery duelling rose to a new intensity on the beachhead, with both sides hurling thousands of shells. Allied guns frustrated several enemy attempts to infiltrate through Allied lines South of Carroceto.

Dive bombing attacks on the Littorio and Guidonia airdromes near Rome featured Sunday's Allied air operations. One hangar was destroyed. Continued adverse weather limited the number of allied sorties to about 400, while the Germans flew some 20 sorties over the beach head. One Nazi fighter was shot down and two Allied planes were missing.

Ground fighting on both the main 5th and 8th Army fronts again was limited to patrol action.

Urge Removal of Tule Lake Directors

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28 (AP) — The Dies Committee today recommended the removal of Dillon S. Myer, National Director of the War Relocation Authority, and Ray C. Best, Tule Lake Camp, Calif., Director, "because of their evident inability to cope with the problem of disloyal Japanese."

The Committee said its recommendation was based on a lengthy study of the riot which occurred at the camp in November.

Other recommendations made by the committee were:

That the centre and the disloyal Japanese segregated there be placed under the jurisdiction and administrative control of the Department of Justice.

That the duty of policing all Japanese relocation and segregation centres be carried out by Caucasians and in sufficient strength to guarantee protection of all centres residents.

"The Committee is of the opinion," said the majority, "that considerable responsibility for the riot of Nov. 1 can be attributed to the lack of discipline and to the appeasement policy by which the camp was run."

Recruiting Costs Half Loan Campaign—Ralston

OTTAWA, Feb. 28 (CP)—Defence Minister Ralston said in the Commons tonight that the cost of army recruiting in a year is about half as much as that of a Victory Loan campaign and he considered it a good investment.

Col. Ralston said from $2,000,000 to $3,000,000 had to be spent in each Victory Loan campaign to persuade people to buy bonds and it seemed little enough to spend $1,290,000, the recruiting outlay in the fiscal year 1942-43, to get some 48,000 men to volunteer to give their lives.

Transport Plane Sets New Record

MONTREAL, Feb. 28 (CP) — A new record, clipping 14 minutes off the previous one, was made for a transatlantic non-stop flight from Britain here by a transport plane operated by Trans-Canada Air Lines in the Canadian Transatlantic Service, it was announced today.

From take-off in Britain to landing here, it was added, the elapsed time was 13 hours 16 minutes.

The record-flight plane was carrying seven passengers and 3291 pounds of army and diplomatic mail besides 388 pounds of military aircraft parts.

Claim Operators Seek Monopoly in Coal Business

VICTORIA, Feb. 28 (CP) — Vancouver Island coal operators are trying to monopolize the coal business, Dr. J. J. Gillis (LC-Yale) claimed in the Legislature today during the budget debate.

Unless the Federal Government continued its subsidy to small operations in the Nicola Field, they would have to close down, he said while speaking in the budget debate.

The coal controller had told the mine operators in his home town of Merritt that a subsidy was no longer justified because the emergency had passed, said Dr. Gillis. One of these small mines which supplied coking coal to the B. C. Electric was losing that business because the B.C.E.R. had been instructed to purchase its coal only from Michel or Island mines.

The Yale member defended chlorination of water and pasteurization of milk as safeguards against epidemics. He also said the "TB" rate was the same as 10 years ago because chronic cases were taking up hospital beds that acute cases should have. Chronic cases should not be in hospitals, Dr. Gillis asserted. He also pleaded for travelling medical units in the Interior.

Arthur W. Turner (CCF-Van East) urged the Government to do everything possible for establishment of cooperatives, declared housing program was the quickest and most direct means of providing a market for a number of basic as well as secondary industries and charged that releasing oil lands on a royalty basis without using adjoining lands for drawing off the oil in the same basin was a method of feeding private wells with oil from Government property.

Glen Braden (LC—Peace River) urged continued development of the Alaska highway and Canol projects.

Lt. Louis Lebourdais (LC-Cariboo) suggested the Game Act be administered by the Agriculture Department instead of the Attorney-General. The farmers, he thought, would obtain more consideration with the control switched.

If Prime Minister King accedes to the demand of temperance people for prohibition, members of the armed forces overseas and the merchant marine should be given the privilege of voting on the question, he said.

Works Minister Anscomb adjourned debate. Tonight's sitting will be taken up with advancement of bills.

Will Alter Wage Order Mitchell Tells Esling

OTTAWA, Ont., Feb. 28—Nelson branch of Brotherhood of Express Employees has protested against wartime wages control order P.C. 9384, and the Minister of Labor, Hon. Humphrey Mitchell, has told W. K. Esling, Member for Kootenay West, that he may assure the Brotherhood and other organizations.

F.D.R. APPROVES FUR SEAL PACT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28 (AP) — Legislation giving effect to a provisional fur seal agreement of 1942 between the U. S., and Canada has been approved by President Roosevelt, the White House announced today.

The measure is designed to protect the fur seals of the Pribilof Islands which have been unprotected on the high seas since Japan's abrogation, in October, 1941, of the convention of 1911 to which Great Britain, the U. S., Russia and Japan were parties.

Under the agreement, Canada's share of skins taken annually on the Pribilof Islands was increased from 15 to 20 per cent, Canada to receive one-third and the U. S. two-thirds of the 15 per cent formerly allotted to Japan. The United States gets 80 per cent.

B. C. Industrial Act Will Give Way to Federal Order for Collective Bargaining

VICTORIA, Feb. 28 (CP) — The Provincial Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act will give way to the Federal order in council providing for collective bargaining in Canada, Labor Minister Pearson revealed in the Legislature tonight.

"The Dominion Government has been considering a collective bargaining order to be applied to the whole of Canada for the duration of the war," he said. "It will become effective at a date to be set by the governor-general-in-council. The order is similar to the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, and will repeal the Industrial Dispute Investigation Act.

"Frankly I prefer to work under our own act with slight amendments The Federal Order would cover 65 per cent of workers in the main industries in this Province and 35 per cent of workers would be covered by our own act. We would have two acts in British Columbia.

"The I.C.A. Act will be non-effective at least to the end of the war. The order can be used to very great benefit to workers in this Province and help for all time to establish the principle of collective bargaining throughout Canada."

Opposition leader Winch said the question was one that should be thoroughly understood and discussed in all its many implications and that cannot be done unless both sides agree to such discussion.

Mr. Pearson replied that it was likely a bill would be brought down and discussion then could take place.

Loose Talk Let Japs Get Safely Off Kiska

SEATTLE, Feb. 28 (AP)— United States Army inteligence officer said tonight loose talk, mostly radiating from Seattle, enabled the Japanese to withdraw thousands of men and vast quantities of material out of Kiska last August to leave invading United States and Canadian forces "with a hollow victory tantamount to defeat."

The officer was Maj. Albert J. Stowe, Personal Representative of Gen. Clayton Bissell, Assistant Chief of Staff, Army Intelligence. His remarks were made in an interview.

"Common was the knowledge in Seattle that we planned to attack Kiska and, prior to the invasion, unauthorized persons, both military and civilian, openly disclosed the date, Aug. 15," he said.

"As a result the Japs got out, voluntarily . . .

"They knew we were coming—and when. So accurately and so far in advance were the Japs tipped off that had they chosen to implement their forces they might have annihilated us."

Commons gave first reading to bill providing for establishment of industrial development bank.

Douglas Abbott, Parliamentary Assistant to Finance Minister Ilsley, said next Victory Loan will be in late April.

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ADVISE POYNTER CASE BE SENT TO HIGHER COURT

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C., Feb. 28 (CP)—Skull fractures and hemorrhage caused by blows from a blunt instrument alegedly wielded by Albert Murray Poynter, 48, caused the death of Mrs. Anna Elizabeth Poynter, 35, who was found dead in her bed at nearby Burnaby last Thursday, a coroner's jury decided today.

Poynter, who sat by his lawyer while the verdict was brought in, has been charged with murder. The jury advised the case be investigated further in a higher court. Coroner Dr. E. H. McEwen advised jurymen to leave their verdict open with no specific mention of murder or manslaughter.

Sgt. Charles Anderson of the Burnaby police testified Poynter had told him on his arrival at the scene of the tragedy:

"After I had struck her with the axe the first time I realized I had done wrong when she turned and looked at me, but thought I should finish her off and struck her again."

"I have killed my wife; there is no use denying it," Poynter repeated three times, Sgt. Anderson testified.

He admitted having quarrelled with her earlier because he claimed she had been unfaithful to him and had been going out with a man named Norum, instead of going to her work, Anderson said.

4 Per Cent Rate of Interest Is Granted City

The Bank of Montreal will concede the City of Nelson a 4 per cent rate of interest on advances, a reduction of one half of one per cent on the former rate, the Nelson branch manager, H. A. Doak, stated in a letter to the City Council Monday night.

The bank has placed $30,000 at the disposal of the City for the purpose of purchasing additional fire equipment, repayment to be spread over a period of three to four years if necessary.

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Youngster Charged With Murder Found Unfit for Trial

MONTREAL, Feb. 28 (CP) — A court of King's Bench jury today, after hearing evidence from official alienists, declared that 14-year-old George Webster "unfit to stand trial on a charge of murdering his mother last November in a neighboring Westmount home.

The jury returned its verdict after official alienists concluded in their testimonies that young Webster was "mentally unsound."

Large Company at Funeral of H. Mackenzie

Many citizens gathered in St. Paul's United Church Monday afternoon to pay a final tribute to the memory of Hector Alexander Mackenzie, Nelson pioneer, at funeral services conducted by Rev. H. Stewart Forbes. Members of the Central School teaching staff and of the City Council attended in a body.

Senior Choir of St. Paul's led the singing of hymns, "Unto the Hills Around" and "The Day Thou Gavest, Lord". Mrs. T. J. S. Ferguson, Organist, accompanied.

Pallbearers were R. D. Barnes, C. H. Bean, E. Shaw, R. Jardine, R. A. Grimes and W. Smedley.

Mr. Mackenzie died Friday after a lengthy illness.

Says Communists Dominate C.I.O.

NEW YORK, Feb. 29 (Tuesday) (AP)—The New York Times quotes John L. Lewis, President of the United Mine Workers of America and founder of the C.I.O., as having said in an interview here that "Communists dominate the Congress of Industrial Organizations."

Lewis added, the paper said, that "if I had my way, not a single Communist would belong to any labor union in the United States."

The Labor Leader also was said to have declared yesterday that Philip Murray, Lewis' former lieutenant in the Mine Workers' Union and his successor as Chairman of the C.I.O., and Sidney Hillman, President of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers and head of the C.I.O. Political Action Committee, were "prisoners" of the Communists.

The Times said Murray commented in Washington that if Lewis had a son on a fighting front—Murray's son is in the Army—that he would not "act to arouse the hatreds and passions of the people whose prime interest is in the winning of the war."

Recover Part of Radium Lost During Air Raid

LONDON, Feb. 28 (CP)—Demolition workers directed by scientists recovered from bomb - damaged Marie Currie Radium Therapy Hospital today a steel container holding 365 miligrams of radium valued at more than $9,400.

The search continued for 100 milligrams which still are missing. The radium was buried when a German bomb destroyed part of the Hospital recently.

Prisoner Acquitted of Mail Theft

NORTH BAY, Ont., Feb. 28 (CP) —Eckhert Brosig, 23-year-old German Air Force sergeant who escaped three times within 19 months from a Northern Ontario prison camp, today was acquitted of mail theft.

The charge against Brosig was laid by postal authorities following his escape from Monteith Camp Dec. 21, 1943. Evidence showed that after this break, his third bid for liberty, Brosig, hid in a mail bag later placed aboard a Southbound train. J. P. Allen, District Director of Postal Services, testified at the hearing today that Brosig told him Dec. 21 he had stolen perfume, two packages of cigarettes and a package of gum from the mail parcel.

Young Bandits Recaptured

GREENWOOD, Miss., Feb. 28 (AP) — The last of three young San Quentin convicts who abducted a 16-year-old girl in a jail break and police chase through Mississippi has been captured.

Hinds County Criminal Investigator J. T. Naugher said Ralph Ward, 23, was the last of the trio who broke jail in Jackson Saturday and held the girl for 12 hours. Ward was returned to Greenwood Jail.

Capt. L. Thames said Lawrence Motari, 21, was captured behind a filling station in the vicinity of a warehouse while Roy Drake, 20, was taken from the warehouse roof.

B.C. Children Leave School Early

VICTORIA, Feb. 28 (CP) — Only 62 British Columbia children remained in school last year and took advantage of the increase to 18 years for children of women on mother's allowances, C. W. Lundy, Superintendent of Welfare, today told the Legislature's Social Welfare Committee.

Prior to a year ago children came off allowances when they reached the age of 16 years. Few children over 16 were wiling to remain in school, and on the allowance, when there were so many employment offers, Mr. Lundy said.

A game similar to checkers was played by the Egyptians as early as 1600 B.C..

Empire Destiny Linked With Sea Gyros Told

Guest speaker at the Gyro Club supper meeting Monday evening was Gerald Rees who spoke on the influence of Sea Power on the destiny of British peoples—"Our welfare as a race", he said, "is inseparably linked up with salt water and with the British Navy under existing planetary conditions, and any tribute to this beneficent power would be incomplete without a first reference to the watery element in which it is exercised.

"The stars and the sea are two things in common with mankind that have kept him company on his onward and upward march from darkness into the light. The Polish-born and master mariner Joseph Conrad had a masterly understanding of the sea, and once remarked he had sometimes seen it looking young as the earth looks young in the green o' the year, but that he had sometimes seen it looking very old when whipped by fierce storms, as if the immemorial ages had been stirred to their deepest depths."

Referring to early beginnings of British seapower, the speaker claimed the conquest of the sea, insofar as the Anglo-Saxon was concerned, was the collective story of "all the lusty seafarers of our blood and race who in fair weather and foul had roamed its restless waters since far-off days when the Phoenicians bartered their purple stuffs for Celtic tin and the Dutchmen shipped in pepper to season the food of the Western world."

"The sea," Mr. Rees said, "seems to be as a bright blue blade against which men can everlastingly test their courage, and it forever stirs our ancestral dreads and prides." He thought that this sea-going sense was the outcome of generations of salty island blood, and "is well exampled in the little island under the North Star—a small piece of land entirely surrounded by the Royal Navy. No one part of the Homeland is more than 100 miles from salt water and seagulls can be seen in its every county and shire; the Islanders depend upon the sea for their sustenance; it is an ancient ally,—Napoleon once said—Give me four hours and a calm channel and we will be masters of England. Herr Hitler has been surveying the same shallow stretch for nearly four years from the coast of France within 30 miles of the Sussex Downs but the King and Queen are still in London town and will be there till the lights shine again. The Reichfuhrer would doubtless be willing to exchange a million of his burnished bayonets even now for a first class battle fleet in being, but we believe that come what may—not all the legions of the land, Shall ever wrest from England's hand, Her sceptre of the sea!" It is not for nothing that we have heeded the warning of a Bishop of Chichester in the 15th Century—'Keep then the sea which is the wall of England and then is England kept by God's hand."

Mr. Rees referred to the profound influence that Lord Nelson exercised over the Royal fleets, not only in his day and generation but down through the years until now. The Nelson touch has been exemplified many times, thus achieving in this war the glorious record of victories under the White Ensign. "Nelson has come alive and walks once more the clean deck of his good ship Victory; she has cast off her harbor moorings and stands well out to sea on the flooding tide. Above her masthead rides the fostering star of our Destiny!"

When closing, the speaker said that at the war's end, "the great good-natured amphibious monster, the Empire Navies, will answer the roll call in the historic hour of victory with the classic challenge — "the Navy's here!"

He invoked the blessing of the well-known hymn—"Eternal Father, Strong to Save", on all those who go down to the sea in ships and do their business in great waters in ceaseless vigil and in grim jeopardy by day and night with an unselfed devotion to duty.

Coast Confectionary Store Robbed

VANCOUVER, Feb. 28 (CP) — Thieves broke into the National Confectionery over the weekend and escaped with two milkshake mixers valued at $200, two sacks of sugar, and $400 worth of cigarets, police reported today.

Cigarets and tobacco valued at $500, and 2500 assorted food ration coupons were stolen when burglars broke into another Vancouver store sometime during the weekend.

Wants Good Apples for Soldiers

OTTAWA, Feb. 28 (CP)—Canadian soldiers should have the best apples, Hon. Grote Stirling (PC-Yale) said tonight in the Commons during discussion of the War Appropriation Bill.

His information was that inferior grades of apples were frequently placed before the troops There was no reason for this in view of the surplus of apples in Canada.

Gestapo Officer Gives Himself Up—Work Done

NEW YORK, Feb. 28 (AP) — A man, in the uniform of a British seaman, informed police here tonight he was a captain in the German Gestapo and asked to be turned over to the Federal Bureau of Investigation. "My mission in America is completed," he said.

He told police his name was Alfred Lilley, born in Germany but educated in Britain. He came to the United States three months ago, he said, and landed on Long Island from a submarine.

Report Germans Killed 195,000 Kiev Citizens

LONDON, Feb. 28 (CP) — More than 195,000 Soviet citizens were "tortured to death, shot, or poisoned in murder vans" by the Germans during the occupation of Kiev, a commission investigating destruction of the ancient city said tonight in a report broadcast from Moscow.

The account held Erich Koch, German Commissioner for the Ukraine, Field Marshal Gen. Fritz von Mannstein, and other Nazi officers "responsible for bestial crimes perpetrated against the Soviet people."

The broadcast report, recorded by the Soviet Monitor, said hundreds of citizens were transported to Germany, along with factory equipment.

Graydon Favors Publication of Army Decorations

OTTAWA, Feb. 28 (CP) — Gordon Graydon, Progressive Conservative House Leader, said today in the Commons the Government should have printed in Hansard a list of Canadians in the army and navy who have been decorated in the war. He said a list of air force men decorated already had been printed.

Defence Minister Ralston said some army awards soon would be gazetted and he would like to delay publication of the list until they are available.

Says Prejudice Against Loyal Japs Threat to Democracy

KENT, Wash., Feb. 28 (AP) — Destruction of the democratic form of Government is threatened by West Coast prejudice against loyal Japanese Americans and proposals to deny them rights as citizens, Dr. Frank Williston, acting Associate Professor of the University of Washington Far Eastern Department, said last night during an open forum on Japanese-American relocation in the Kent area.

"Attacks on the right of any minority tends to undermine rights of the majority," he declared.

One Japanese-American tipped off American naval intelligence officials the day after Pearl Harbor attack on the whereabouts of a leading Japanese spy, Dr. Williston said he had been told by a U. S. Naval Intelligence Officer.

Union Workers Want No Affiliation With Any Political Party

VANCOUVER, Feb. 28 (CP) — A vote against affiliation with any political party was recorded at the first annual convention of the International mine, mill and smelter workers here Saturday.

The meeting agreed that "candidates of those parties be supported which come close to supporting the program and policies of organized labor."

The vote was taken after Harvey Murphy, international organizer, pointing to the importance of the matter, said that unions are "interested in political action, but it wants all members to participate and for this we must have unity."

Would Cut Session by Two Weeks

VICTORIA, Feb .28 (CP) — The usual six weeks legislative session could be curtailed to two weeks if members confined themselves to discussion of Provincial affairs instead of lecturing on economics of other countries, declared Lt. Louis LeBourdais (LC-Cariboo) during the budget debate in the legislature today.

"Little, if anything, is accomplished so far as I can see in these lengthy addresses on the two debates," said the Cariboo member.

Verigin Fined $10 Traffic Charge

J. J. Verigin of Brilliant pleaded guilty in City Police Court Monday to failing to stop his car at the Hall-Baker Streets intersection stop sign and was fined $10. Magistrate William Brown heard the case.

Verigin is Secretary of the Union of Spiritual Communities of Christ.

The Danger of Coughs Among the Children

In young children a cold or cough is not a thing to be disregarded, as it is often of a grave matter, and unless attended to immediately may, eventually, cause serious trouble.

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Ban Production of Canadian Light Newsprint

OTTAWA, Feb. 28 (CP)—Newsprint lighter than the standard 32-pound newsprint which Canadian factories have been making in recent years may not be manufactured or sold for delivery to North American consumers between now and April 30 next, the Prices Board announced tonight.

The temporary prohibition was ordered by Guy E. Hoult, newsprint administrator, who said there "were numerous technical problems involved in any shift in production from 32 pound to 30 pound paper." He feared any sudden changes in Canadian production would make serious administrative and production difficulties.

"The purpose of this order is to afford consumers, manufacturers and Government agencies an opportunity to seek solutions of the problems and confusion which would otherwise immediately arise," he said.

The order has been approved by United States authorities, Mr. Hoult added.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28 (AP)—Passage of the new tax bill over President Roosevelt's veto throws into sharp relief the differences between the United States and Canada over lightweight newsprint paper.

The law carries a section permitting duty-free entry from Canada of 30-pound basis weight newsprint along with the standard 32-pound paper.

It thus erases the barrier that has prevented receipt of much paper from Canada, source of 75 per cent of the United States' newsprint.

Many American newspapers, restricted by weight in their use of paper, have been buying the lighter type from U. S. mills to offer their readers and advertisers more space and still remain within the tonnage limitations. They even pay $5 a ton (eight per cent) more for the lighter paper in order to obtain about six to seven per cent additional yardage.

American mills are turning out increasing amounts of 30-pound newsprint; one reports about 50 per cent of its machine capacity is making such paper and saving scarce pulpwood in the process.

Canadian newsprint makers predict "bad" results from making such paper. They contend that instead of the mathematical saving of 6 2-3 per cent in weight, more wood will be required, and lack of wood is the key to the paper shortage and restrictions on newsprint.

Drew Says Large Reserve of Liquor in Canada

TORONTO, Feb. 28 (CP)—Premier Drew, urging that a Dominion-Provincial Conference study the liquor situation in Canada, told the Ontario Legislature today the Liquor Control Board holds large reserves of spirits and could obtain more wine and beer "without limiting any phase of the Canadian war effort."

Quoting a letter he wrote Prime Minister Mackenzie King, Premier Drew said: "We are therefore unable to assure the people of Ontario that the limitations imposed by the Dominion Government are called for by any circumstance connected with the prosecution of the war."

House Applauds Member Returned From Italy Front

OTTAWA, Feb. 28 (CP) — Capt. Alan Chambers (L-Nanaimo) today received a round of applause when he took his seat in the Commons after front line service in Italy.

Capt. Chambers is the second member of the House to return from the fighting zones. At the start of the session Flt. Lt. James Sinclair (L-Van. North) was back in his place after service with a Canadian Fighter Squadron in Italy.

Says Returned Men May Want Jeeps

OTTAWA, Feb. 28 (CP)—Gordon Graydon, Progressive Conservative House Leader, said tonight in the Commons that some arrangement should be made to see that all jeeps are not sold before those in the services overseas have returned and have a chance to buy.

Mr. Graydon said he had two requests from men who were interested in buying jeeps.

French Told They Will Receive Clear Instructions

LONDON, Feb. 28 (CP) — A spokesman for the Supreme Allied High Command told the people of France tonight "it is very important in the present stage of the war that you should have a perfect understanding of the meaning and purpose" of Allied pre-invasion warnings."

The spokesman said:

"We have always promised that at the given moment you will receive clear and precise instructions about the part you will be called upon to play in the large-scale operations which will affect French territory.

Jemson Gains Finals of U.D.L. Play

T. S. Jemson moved into the finals of the U.D.L. competition of the Nelson Curling Club Monday night when he defeated L. S. Bradley 9-7 while Dr. Laishley landed in the semi-final bracket with Dr. T. H. Bourque by defeating A. B. Gilker 12-9. Scores were as follows.

F. H. Smith 7, T. S. Jemson 8.
L. S. Bradley 10, G. S. Godfrey 8.
J. Teague 9, A. B. Gilker 11.
A. B. Gilker 9, Dr. W. Laishley 12
T. S. Jemson 9, L. S. Bradley 7.

Nazis Congratulate Turks on Getting Allied Aid

ISTANBUL, Feb. 28 (AP) —The German periodical Wehrmacht in its latest issue congratulates the Turks upon getting supplies from the Allies without considering such aid as an obligation to enter the war.

"From the Turkish point of view," the Army publication said, "it is significant and natural that Ankara will take every opportunity to build up its national defences. Turkey rejects, however, the idea of taking up any pledges of a political kind as a result of Allied military supplies."

Vice-Presidents Retain Lead in Trail Curling

TRAIL, B. C., Feb. 28 — With only three games left to play, Vice-Presidents retained a lead of 15 points over the Presidents in the annual Trail Curling Club beanfeed competition, the totals being 198 to 183. In a Crown Point Primary game, R. C. McGerrigle moves into the semi-final bracket by defeating A. M. Chesser 8-6. Scores for the Presidents Primary were:

W. H. Woodburn 4, R. Stone 15
A. B. Clark 7, J. DeVito 12.
R. P. Dockerill 11, M. M. Butorac 10.
J. Atwell 11, S. Gray 4.
F. J. Plester 13, F. J. Glover 2.
A. C. Allison 5, J. H. Leckie 8.
H. T. Beckett 7, T. A. Rice 6.

HOUSE C WINS CURLING CUP

House C won the High School Curling Cup in the final game of the High School inter-house curling competition by defeating House A with a score of 10-5 Saturday.

Teams were:

House C—B. Arneson, J. Sleed, L. Horlich and R. Brown.

House A—S. Cordon, R. Thompson, B. Waldie and D. Buchanan.

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Italians Protest to Churchill

NAPLES, Feb. 28 (AP) — The Italian Committee of National Liberation protested tonight against Prime Minister Churchill's endorsement of the Government of Premier Marshal Pietro Badoglio last week.

In a letter addressed to Mr. Churchill, the Committee said it assumed he had no intention of "interfering in the solution of our country's internal problems at the harm of the Italian people's right to be and remain, particularly after 20 years of dictatorship, the exclusive and sovereign judge of its own destinies."

The letter was delivered to the Allied Control Commission for transmission of the six parties in the Committee called a brief protest strike of Naples workers of various kinds from factory hands to bank clerks for next Saturday.

Copies of the letter, which expressed "surprise and sadness" at Mr. Churchill's speech in the House of Commons, also were addressed to the United States Secretary of State, Cordell Hull, and Soviet Foreign Commissar Vyacheslav Molotov.

It apparently is intended only as a token action, since the leaders said the workers would be asked to make up the time during their lunch hour so as not to hinder the war effort.

Finland Signs Pact With Germany

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 28 (AP)—A trade agreement has been signed between Finland and Germany for the coming year under which Germany will continue to provide foodstuffs to her Northern Ally, a Helsinki dispatch said today.

Specific terms were not disclosed, except that Germany also is to send some fuel to Finland for agricultural use.

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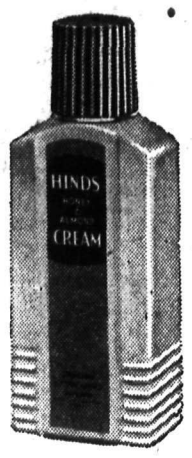

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Shipyard Workers Federation Established at Coast

VANCOUVER, Feb. 28 (CP)—Establishment of the Shipyard Workers Federation of British Columbia was approved Sunday at a meeting of delegates from shipyard unions throughout the Province affiliated with the Canadian Congress of Labor.

Under the new setup, all C.C.L. shipyard groups will surrender their charters and be granted new charters by the Federation which will be affiliated with the C.C.L.

Headquarters of the Federation will be in Vancouver.

Coast Officer Promoted to Brigadier

OTTAWA, Feb. 28 (CP).—Three officers of the Canadian Army Overseas have been promoted to the acting rank of Brigadier, it was announced at Defence Headquarters today.

They are:

Col. T. Eric Snow, 38, of Kimberley, South Africa, and Rothesay, N.B., Commandant for some months, last year of the Officers Training Centre at Brockville, Ont.

Lt.-Col. William Murphy, 38, of Vancouver, B.C., and General Staff officer with a Canadian division in Italy.

Lt.-Col. William Jemmet Megill, 36, of Ottawa, recently Commander of an Ontario infantry battalion.

MacNamara Plan to Transfer Miners "Not Workable"

CALGARY, Feb. 28 (CP). — The plan suggested Friday by Arthur MacNamara, Director of National Selective Service, in an Ottawa news dispatch that domestic miners laid off from the Drumheller area can be transferred to bituminous mines is not workable, according to Clement Stubbs, Secretary-Commissioner of the Western Bituminous Coal Operators Association, in a statement today

According to Mr. Stubbs the Alberta bituminous mines instead of being able to increase production and employment have been decreasing during the past two months.

"The policy of the Dominion Government in connection with the bituminous mines has been against expansion. Their markets have been disorganized by compelling the railways to bring in American coal to the lake head and this has been brought West to Broadview, Sask., on the Canadian Pacific Railway and as far as the Alberta Eastern boundary on the Canadian National lines.

"The result is that all bituminous mines in Alberta have been losing time during the last two months, ostensibly on account of car shortage and, as a result of Canadian National policy, at least one Northern bituminous mine, Mountain Park, is closed down and another mine in that area has had its production cut so it cannot hope to work more than half time."

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To Lay Off 1000 Men at Edmonton Airport

EDMONTON, Feb. 28 (CP)—One thousand men employed at the nearby Nemao Airport will be laid off this week, it was reported here today.

Owing to expiration of contracts held by construction companies, the U. S. Army Engineers will take over the airport work, it was announced last week. The firms will be given the opportunity to bid on new contracts.

The lay-offs at the airport should not disturb the employment situation in Edmonton as it is expected many men will return to Vancouver or Eastern centres, if they do not obtain other employment.

Says Period of Manpower Shortage in U.S. Passed

DETROIT, Feb. 28 (AP) —William Green, President of the American Federation of Labor, said in an interview here today that the period of manpower shortage in U. S. industry has been passed.

"Now we have moved to the point where we are cutting back and to where men are thrown out of work," he said. "There is some unemployment. Our big problem now is the proper utilization of manpower."

Vancouver Airman Among Four Killed in Crash

WINNIPEG, Feb. 28 (CP) — A Vancouver airman and three other Canadians were killed in the mid-air crash of two training planes at Paulson, Man., Saturday.

No. 2 Training Command, RCAF, today announced the names of the Canadians. Two other men were killed, both from overseas, but their names were not announced until next-of-kin have been notified.

The Canadians were Po. W. T. Wiggins, Toronto; Wo2 S. D. Gance, High River, Alta.; Sgt. R. E. Pickard, Vancouver; Lac. R. H. Pickering, St. Thomas, Ont.

The men were attached to No. 7 bombing and gunnery school at Paulson, near Dauphin, 165 miles Northwest of Winnipeg.

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Help for the Small Mineowner

One of the consequences of the war has been that the British Columbia Mines Department has been short of engineers. It has not been able to maintain the work of the District Engineers to a normal degree. Some posts, from which District Engineers carried on their work since the inauguration of the plan more than 25 years ago, are temporarily vacant.

It is to be hoped that it will be possible for the Department to fill the vacancies before long, as the work of the District Engineer is essential to laying the foundations for the maximum possible development of mining in the rehabilitation period.

Grants are available for trails to aid prospectors in the development of their properties, but before such grants can be made an investigation by a District Mining Engineer is called for. Prospectors and small mineowners want reports on their properties. They want to know whether reasonable possibilities of commercial success exist; if good possibilities offer, they want to get the benefits of mention in government mining publications, which have been used for years by prospective investors as leads for further investigation of mining opportunities.

There is much work of this nature to be done. It cannot be done in a hurry. The sooner it is commenced the better.

Moving in on Japan

Although it is still the strategy of the United Nations to beat Germany first, already a substantial amount of Britain's war effort has been switched to the East and still more important switches are under way.

The fact that airmen of the British Fleet Air Arm are training with the Americans in the United States, for the action in the Pacific, is only one of the weather vanes showing how the wind is blowing Eastward.

Major steps were taken by Britain months ago with the creation of the Southeast Asia Command under Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten and the training of British Army officers at the Australian and New Guinea jungle warfare school before returning to Burma.

One most important recent development is the tour of 26 Allied officers, under Major General J. S. Lethbridge, who recently arrived in India from the Southwest Pacific. The purpose of their mission is to recommend readjustments of British war production to weapons best suited to jungle fighting against the Japanese.

Another important step is the creation of a new post at the War Office in London to study the use of these weapons. The title of this post is Director of Tactical Investigation and the officer who has been appointed to it is the Australian Major General S. F. Rowell, who has had active experience in the New Guinea fighting.

Still another is the appointment of Lieutenant-General Sir Wilfred Lindsell to organize supplies in India in preparation of a major British offensive against Japan. It was Lieutenant-General Lindsell who contributed so heavily to the victories of General Montgomery's 8th Army as the officer in charge of supplies. The supply problems of the 8th Army were the most formidable in the history of warfare and Lieutenant-General Lindsell's direction of them was one of the most brilliant feats of military organization of the war. Then came the announcement that C-in-C British Army Group Southeast Asia, and Commander of the British 14th Army in Burma had been filled, by General Sir George James Giffard and Lieutenant-General W. J. Slim, respectively.

The newly-created 14th Army (the sixth British Army named so far in this war), with its 25-pounder guns, had already captured Mungdaw and its artillery fire was so accurate that the Japanese were deprived of all artillery support. This Army used new infiltration tactics and had the support of the latest type of British Spitfires.

The German news agencies quoted a Tokyo statement on January 11 which said: "For the first time, British bombers raided Rabaul—Japanese military circles take this as an indication that Britain means to drive forward into the campaign in the shortest possible time."

This view has been supported by the still later news that a British submarine of the new Eastern Fleet has sunk a 5100-ton Japanese cruiser of the Kuma class, and three large supply ships in the Straits of Malacca. This is the first mention there has been of a new British Eastern fleet. There is reason to suppose that the sinking of the Scharnhorst, the victory over the U-boats during last year, and the increasing use of aircraft for convoy protection (due both to the increase in the number of very long-range aircraft available and the acquisition of the Azores as a base), may enable the Admiralty to send more British naval craft to the Far East.

Letters to the Editor

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

Assure Market Before Putting Men on Land

To the Editor:

Sir—A lot is being said today about establishing returned men on the land.

Yet agriculture, in all its branches, is not getting the consideration it must have.

We, if we think at all, must realize that the foundation of life is food. Primitive man roamed from place to place, why? To find food.

Now he has learned how to produce food where it didn't grow wild, but, owing to climatic conditions, can only produce certain kinds of food, and being compelled to live within certain bounds, finds it more convenient to exchange commodities grown in his location for things grown in other parts which may be at a great distance off. Hence the beginning of what is today termed trading or business. But is this the primary business of all?

We seem to have lost sight of this indisputable fact: Food production is the foundation on which every other kind of business is dependent. Till we start at and build all values from this food foundation we cannot have the prosperity or peace we all say we desire. As the electric spark is the life of our modern automobile and airplane, so is food to the world. No matter how comfortable is your car or your house, without food we very soon don't need either.

If—and it needs a big "if"—the urban workers and consumers could only grasp the fact that the best consumers of manufactured articles they earn their living by producing, are the food producers, if they get fair prices for what they produce! We seem quite satisfied that the king of a country or the president of a country, a big business executive, should have a fine home, cars and luxuries But do we stop to think that all these people depend really on one thing, food? Why should not the producer of food be able to have a comfortable home, cars and luxuries? To workers I would say: What would it mean to you if every farm had a good bathroom, a refrigerator, washing machines, and all the other electric gadgets the town dweller has; if every farm home was painted once in a while, say nothing of the interior furnishing these farm folks long for, and clothes?

And yet you won't let them have these things, simply because you won't try to find out where the money goes you pay for the food you eat.

You will come back and say: "Food costs us plenty." That may be so, but you cannot leave it at that. It's your business, as well as the food producer's business, to stop the leak, because the middle men are not as good customers, and there are not so many of them to buy the things you want to work at making. You may find the leak in the pipe just about where the middle man lives. He might drain off a little and store it till your end of the pipe gets empty, so that you will offer a little more for it. Just think this over and see if you couldn't have a pipe that didn't run under that middle man's place.

Now, till this food producer is assured a living wage, don't let's ask the men who have been and risked their lives in battle, to start another battle of producing food, without first being assured of a market at a price to allow them to live at least as comfortably as the town man. If we really want to save them from the experiences the men went through who went on the land after the last war, let's get busy.

C. H. B.

Trail, B. C., Feb. 24, 1944.

Press Comment

FOR CHINA'S WOMAN POWER

China, which has yet to adopt a constitution, and which has not had universal suffrage, according to Chinese News Service, has a People's Political Council that includes fourteen women members, four of them representing provinces. It cannot be described as in consequence of a lac of man power.—New York Sun.

WAR TIME SCHOOL HOURS

Though it irks her now, the 13-year-old will have a tale to stun the grandchildren, about trudging off to school by moonlight.—Detroit News.

?? 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. T. E., Castlegar—Will you pelase tell me how much income tax a single man has to pay on $1073 in 1943. I paid National Defence Tax $183.

Your ta xamounts to $200, of which $86 is savings portion.

E. B. N., Nelson—I would like to know how many Germans and Italians there are in the United States?

There are 1,237,772 Germans and 1,623,580 Italians in the U. S.

H. W., Nelson—I would like to know how to clean gas burners on the gas stove?

When gas burners on the stove become greasy remove them and scrub in hot soapy water, with a stiff brush. After replacing the burners the gas should be turned on full for a few seconds to dry out the inside and prevent rusting. Clogged burners can be cleaned with a darning needle or fine metal skewer.

Alsd will you kindly tell me how I can keep gloves from going stiff while they are drying?

Roll them in a damp towel for a few minutes and then manipulate the leather. You also might put a few days of glycerine in the soapy water when washing them.

L. L., Nelson—To settle an argument will you please tell me the nationality of Edward Grieg?

Edvard Hagerup Grieg was a Norwegian. He was born on June 15, 1843, in Bergen, Norway, where his father was English consul. The Grief (formerly Greig) family were of Scottish origin, the composer's grandfather having emigrated after Culloden. His mother, Gesine Hagerup, belong however to a pure Norwegian peasant family.

Looking Backward

10 YEARS AGO
(From Daily News, Feb. 28, 1934)

At a bridge and whist of the Kimberley branch of the Eastern Star Monday, Mrs. D. McKinnon won first in bridge and H. Bidder low score, while Mrs. Barton and Mrs. Andrews took first for whist.

Trail Smoke Eaters downed Kimberley Dynamiters 5-4 in one of the most thrilling overtime games ever witnessed on Trail ice, to keep in the West Kootenay League race.

At First Presbyterian Church last night the annual mother-daughter, father-son banquet was held, the two senior classes being hosts to some 35 persons.

25 YEARS AGO
(From Daily News, Feb. 28, 1919)

Eighteen new members joined the Nelson and District Women's Institute yesterday.

Nelson War Savings organization became permanent yesterday when Chairman C. F. McHardy appointed a permanent committee.

Ladies Aid of the Baptist Church of Trail gave a pelasant surprise party for the President, Mrs. George Hindle at the home of Mrs. H. Ferguson. Mrs. Hindle was presented with a lovely cut-glass bon-bon dish.

Mayor J. A. McDonald will leave on Monday morning for a business visit to Vancouver, Winnipeg and Chicago.

Today's Horoscope

If this is your birthday you are gentle, sympathetic and considerate of others. You are easily influenced and like a change of environment. Your love of literature colors your conversation so that you are in great social demand. You can readily adapt yourself to circumstances. You like attention, and your love is true. Provided excessive generosity and heavy expenditures are checked, and caution is exercised over correspondence and business generally, much good fortune is indicated for you this year .The child born today should early be taught the value of money, and not allow the heart to rule the head. Documents should always be carefully perused by this person.

War — 4 Years Ago

By The Canadian Press

Feb. 29, 1940—Finland protested Russian violations of international rules of warfare to the League of Nations. Russia announced her troops within one mile of Finnish port of Viipuri. Italian-British trade negotiations suspended over German coal shipments to Italy.

Words of Wisdom

There must be no tampering with the delicate machinery by which religious liberty and equality are secured, and no fostering of any spirit which would tend to destroy that machinery.—James Cardinal Gibbons.

Test Yourself

1 What is Monday's child, according to the old rhyme?

2. Where did Peter, Peter, Pumpkin Eater keep his wife?

3. Who stole a pig and ran away?

TEST ANSWERS

1. "Monday's child is fair of face."

2. "He put her in a pumpkin shell, and there he kept her very well".

3 Tom, Tom, the piper's son .

Safe Driving Quiz

Q.—What is meant by the driver's reaction time?

A.—Time it takes a driver to apply brakes after he sees danger.

There are people who still turn around to see who came in late to church or to a concert. To control your curiosity in these matters is one of the first etiquette lessons we are taught.

Kamloops Man Killed in Accident

KAMLOOPS, B.C., Feb. 28 (CP)—William Hugh (Sharkey) Shaw was killed Saturday when his car left the Trans-Canada Highway West of Spences Bridge. The machine more than 100 feet.

Shaw was a Canadian National Railways conductor and operated the Shaw Auto Camp near Spences Bridge. His widow, four sons and three daughters survive.

Mackenzie King Commends Red Cross Appeal

TORONTO, Feb. 28 (CP).—On the opening day of a campaign to raise $10,000,000 for relief purposes, the its Toronto office issued a statement Canadian Red Cross Society through from Prime Minister King in which he said the present year will witness the heaviest fighting in which Canada's armed forces have yet been engaged.

Asking Canadians to respond generously to the appeal, Mr. King said:

"The activities of the Society are so varied and so beneficient that it is difficult to single out one phase of its work more than another for commendation.

"I would, however, direct special attention to the need of providing food parcels for Canadian prisoners of war, of maintaining volunteer blood donor service and of furnishing hospital supplies and comforts both for the armed forces and for civilian victims of the war.

"Having in mind the nature of the Society's work and the needs of those to whom it ministers, I warmly commend the appeal of the Red Cross to the people of Canada."

AIR CASUALTIES

OTTAWA, Feb. 26 — The R.C.A.F. issued its 817th casualty list of the war tonight as follows:

OVERSEAS

Killed on Active Service:

Fairhead, Ernest, Flt.-Sgt., Edmonton, Alta.

Fox, John Bruce, Flt.-Sgt., Oakville, Ont.

Matthews, Ronald Hepburn, Flt.-Sgt., Preston, Ont.

Vagg, Robert Arthur James, Fo., Prince George, B.C.

Missing on Active Service After Air Operations:

McAvity, Hugh Kaye, Flt.-Lt., Saint John, N.B.

Previously Missing on Active Service, Now Reported Prisoner of War Germany:

March, Jocelyn, Jennings, Po., Manitou, Man.

Pike, Gordon Chesley, Flt.-Sgt., Vancouver, B.C.

Wales, Crawford Vincent, Flt.-Lt., Portage la Prairie, Man.

Previously Reported Missing on Active Service, Now Reported Prisoners of War, Germany:

Hare, Harry Edmonstone, Po., St. Catharines, Ont.

Inverarity, William, Fo., Toronto, Ont.

McConnell, John David, Po., Windsor, Ont.

Thomas, Donald Frank, Po., Merriton, Ont.

Previously Reported Missing on Active Service, Now for Official Purposes Presumed Dead:

Cossette, Roland Adelore, Po., Alpha, Mich., U.S.A.

Harrison, Frank Percival, Fo., Hamiota, Man.

Dangerously Ill as a Result of Injuries Sustained on Active Service

Iggulden, Robert Edward, Sgt., New Westminster, B. C.

Seriously Ill as a Result of Injuries Sustained on Active Service:

Gillis, John Joseph Patrick, Sgt., Gillisdale, Inverness Co., N.S.

REVISED HEALTH PLAN MAY BE SUBMITTED SOON

OTTAWA, Feb. 28 (CP)—Canada's proposed National Health Insurance Plan has been revised and may be submitted to the Commons Social Security Committee this week, Health Department officials sai dtoday. The Committee is scheduled to meet Thursday.

While some details have yet to be finally decided upon, the main features of the Plan are ready for presentation to the Committee.

Officials said they consider the plan as far reaching as that in effect in any country, coverage for children up to 16 years will, it is understood, include dental care and hospital care provided under the Plan.

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WILLIAMS TRANSFER

Family Men Must Make Up Manpower

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28 (AP). — Manpower shortage for the United States armed services which President Roosevelt called "grave" must be made up from family men and others—not by lowering physical standards—a special, medical commission reported to the White House today.

The commission was created at the suggestion of Congress because of belief that a relaxation of induction requirements, especially for limited service, might delay drafting of fathers and others with dependents.

It reported existing standards could not be reduced "without impairing the efficiency" of the armed services and no more limited service inductions are needed.

The report will be sent to Congress tomorrow. It follows publication Saturday of a memorandum President Roosevelt sent to manpower officials saying the nation's manpower pool has been "dangerously depleted" by liberal deferments.

He said the deficit should be made up from those with occupation deferments, especially in the younger classes. A review of this group was ordered last night.

OTTAWA, Feb. 28 (CP).—Decision of United States authorities to review occupational deferments for compulsory military service, announced last night, follows recent similar action by National Selective Service in Canada.

Mobilization Boards have been instructed by Arthur MacNamara, National Director, to review deferments now in effect with a view to making some of those now on deferment available for the army. With some reduction in war plant industrial activity the urgency for war workers in some occupations now is not considered as acute as previously.

CASUALTIES

OTTAWA, Feb. 29 (CP)—Following is the Canadian Active Army's 436th overseas casualty list of the war:

OVERSEAS

WARRANT OFFICERS, N.C.O.'s AND MEN

Wounded:

Canadian Armored Corps—Howes, Fred Leonard, Cpl., Rocky Mountain House, Alta.

Cartwright, Robert George, Cpl., Vancouver.

Kruger, Herbert Hugh, Pte., High-River, Alta.

Alberta Regiment — MacLellan, Eric John, Pte., Vancouver.

Morrow, Robert, Pte., Bridgeview, Alta.

Wounded, Remaining on Duty:

British Columbia Regiment—Gaudette, Lloyd Joseph Clement, Acting L. Cpl., New Westminster, B.C.

Claim 114 American Airmen Rounded Up in Italian Alps

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 28 (AP)—The German-controlled Scandinavian Telegraph Bureau said today in a dispatch from Milan that German Alpine troops and Italian mountain guides have rounded up 114 American airmen who parachuted into the Italian Alps after Thursday's attack on Fiume.

Workers' Dispute Accepts Compromise Terms

VANCOUVER, Feb. 28 (CP)—Terms of a compromise settlement of the closed shop dispute between West Coast Shipbuilders Ltd., and Hamilton Bridge have been accepted by the Dock and Shipyard Workers Local No. 2.

Mr. Justice S. E. Richards, of Winnipeg, mediator appointed by the Federal Department of Labor, presented the terms Friday to the eight unions affected.

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JELL-O CHEESE-APPLE SALAD

1 package Lemon JELL-O
2 cups hot water
2 tablespoons lemon juice
1 teaspoon salt
1 red apple, cut in 1/4-inch dice
1 teaspoon sugar
3 ounces white cream cheese
Nutmeats, if available

Dissolve Jell-O in water. Add 1 tablespoon lemon juice, and salt. Combine apple, sugar, an additional dash of salt, and remaining 1 tablespoon lemon juice. Chill. When Jell-O mixture is slightly thickened, fold apples into half of it. Turn into wet mould. Chill until firm. Beat remaining Jell-O to consistency of whipped cream; fold in cheese and nuts. Pour over first layer. Chill until firm. Unmould on lettuce. Serve with dressing. Eight servings.

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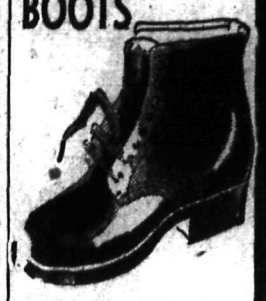

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Rossland Scouts Bird House Prize Winners

ROSSLAND, B.C., Feb. 27 — Roy Barlee, Rossland Boy Scout, was awarded the first prize in the bird house competition at the grand jamboree of the Trail-Rossland Boy Scout Association held in Trail Memorial Hall Saturday night. His prize was two volumes of Birds of North America, a National Geographic publication. His bird house was a miniature log cabin. Harry Mann, also a Rossland Boy Scout, won second prize, a neat pocket surveyor, and his birdhouse was also a miniature log cabin.

Richie Mann and Harry Mason, who work together, won the first cash prize awarded to the Cubs. Their bird house was constructed of birch bark. There were four prizes altogether, Rossland winning three of them. Under the leadership of A. F. G. Drake, the Rossland Scouts gave a demonstration of scaling ladder construction using ropes and staves. Twenty-three Scouts and 10 Cubs attended the jamboree from Rossland. In addition to Scout Leader Drake, R. P. Mann, Cub Leader, Edgar Jamieson, Chairman of the Rossland Group, and F. E. Batt, Secretary of the Group, attended. Three reels of film on Scout work sent from Dominion Headquarters were shown. These films will be shown at a Parents Night in the Armory next Wednesday evening by R. E. Plewman.

LONDON — More than 12,000,000 men and women in Britain contribute each week to the Red Cross Penny-a-Week Fund. Altogether they have raised over £5,250,000 ($23,310,000).

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By MRS. M. J. VIGNEUX

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● Sgt. Pilot Martin McLennan who spent two weeks furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McLennan, Hoover Street, left at the weekend for Macleod, Alta., where he will be instructing in navigation.

● E. Chenette of Salmo visiting Nelson yesterday.

● Rev. Frank of Creston is a city visitor.

● Carol Mohr was in town from Ainsworth yesterday.

● Mr. and Mrs. R. Heddle of Blewett spent yesterday shopping in Nelson.

● Miss Jennie Anselmo of Spokane is a guest of Mr and Mrs. J. J. Maglio, Cedar Street.

● Mrs W. Grutchfield of Salmo is a guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Liness, Mill Street.

● Mrs. G. Flagel of Ymir visited Nelson yesterday.

● Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Charles F. McHardy, entertained Mrs. Fred H. Graham's circle of St. Saviour's Church Helpers at the home of Mrs. A. L. Creech, when those present were Mrs. A. J. Cornish, Mrs. F. R. Pritchard, Miss Margaret Taylor, Mrs. Harry B. Gore, Mrs. Mabel Rockliff, Mrs. Stanley Bostock, Mrs. C. R. Hamilton, Mrs. Graham, Mrs. A. T. Horswill of Lemmon Creek, Mrs. A. J. Dunnett, Mrs. Creech, Mrs. G. R. Bone and Mrs. H. J. Haylock.

● Miss Mary Fenney, Fairview, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Fenney in Salmo over the weekend.

● J. R. Hunter, Kerr Apartments, is spending a fortnight at the Coast.

● Mrs. A. Major of Procter visited town yesterday.

● Mrs. Douglas Cavill and her young daughter Patricia arrived last night from Victoria to visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Jarbeau, Latimer Street.

● Mrs. W. F. Williams had as a guest, her brother, First Officer Eric Jenkins of Staines, Eng.

● G. P. Simpson, Victoria Street, leaves today for Penticton here he has been transferred.

● Sgt. Edward Plante of the U. S. M. C., Walla Walla, is spending a couple of weeks furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Plante, Ymir Road.

● Fred Lindstrom of Salmo visited town yesterday.

● Mrs. Balding who has spent a week in the city left yesterday for Victoria.

● Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Tindale of South Slocan were shoppers in town yesterday.

● F. Tarron was in the city from Ymir yesterday.

● Sgt. G. B. Ferguson who spent a couple of days at the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Burnham, 1204 Josephine Street, has left for Vernon.

● Law. Elizabeth Elford who is spending a holiday at Ainsworth spent the weekend in Trail at the home of Mrs. James Fitzsimmons.

● Mrs. H. James of South Slocan visited Nelson yesterday.

● Mrs. E. J. McGregor of South Slocan accompanied by her daughter, Pte. Dawn McGregor of Chilliwack, visited the city yesterday.

● Archie Gray was in town from Salmo yesterday.

● R. DeFoe of Castlegar visited Nelson yesterday.

● Miss Jean Hill of Taghum visited in Salmo over the weekend.

● Mr. and Mrs. Leo Madden of Ymir were among shoppers in town yesterday.

N.S.S. Handles 78 Unemployment Insurance Claims

Seventy-eight unemployment insurance claims have been dealt with by the National Selective Service at Nelson since the office was opened in November 1941. Eighteen claims are active at present.

Red Cross Dance Held at Yahk

YAHK, B.C. — A successful dance was held recently in the Community Hall under the auspices of the Yahk Red Cross. A large pie and other goodies, baked by the cook at the Leibscher Camp, were auctioned and realized a sum of $5.50. The sum of $48 was turned over to the Red Cross Treasurer. Those in charge of the dance were Mrs. Bourne, Mrs. Brensrud, Mrs. Barnhardt, Mrs. Carston and Mrs. McCartney.

On The Air

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 29

CKLN AND CBC PROGRAMMES

MORNING

7:45—O Canada
8:00—CBC News
8:15—Front Line Family
8:30—Something Refreshing
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Stars of the Week (CKLN)
9:22—Musical Magic (CKLN)
9:30—On Parade (CKLN)
9:45—Music While You Work
9:59—Time Signal
10:00—Morning Visit
10:15—Chapel in the Sky (CKLN)
10:45—They Tell Me
11:00—Music in Waltz Time
11:15—Smillin' Jack (CKLN)
11:22—Voice of Memory (CKLN)
11:30—Soldier's Wife
11:45—Dancing Till Noon

AFTERNOON

12:00—B.C. Farm Broadcast
12:25—The Notice Board
12:30—CBC News
12:45—Music We All Remember
1:00—Stanley Hoban, Songs
1:15—Interlude
1:18—Talk
1:30—To Be Announced (CKLN)
1:45—Young Artists of Tomorrow
2:00—School Broadcast
2:30—Listen to London
2:45—Between the Bookends
3:00—Western Five
3:15—Headline History
3:30—Sweethearts (CKLN)
3:37—Hit Parade (CKLN)
3:45—BBC News
4:00—Voice of Memory (CKLN)
4:07—Wendell Hall (CKLN)
4:15—Songs By Simone
4:30—CBR Presents
4:45—CBC News Round-Up
5:00—Varieties in Modern Rhythm
5:30—Men of Music

EVENING

6:00—Spirit of the Vikings (CKLN)
6:30—Peerless Presents (CKLN)
6:45—People Enjoy Facts
7:00—CBC News
7:15—War Prisoners in Germany
7:30—Organ Recital
8:00—Of Things to Come
8:30—Drama Hour
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Off the Record
9:30—Nine-Thirty Nocturne
10:00—CBC News
10:15—CBC News Roundup
10:30—Dance Orchestra
11:00—God Save the King

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Masons Guard of Honor for A. Carlisle

Many friends from Bonnington and South Slocan attended the funeral services held for Arthur Carlisle who died at Haycyon Hot Springs Feb. 22, at the Somers Funeral Parlors Monday at 2 p.m.

Ven. Archdeacon F. H. Graham conducted the service at the parlors. The hymn chosen was "Abide With Me," Mrs. J. C. Hooker was soloist. The Nelson Masonic Lodge attended in a body and conducted the services at the grave. The casket was carried to its final resting place through a guard of honor formed by the Masons. It was placed in the Masonic section of the Nelson Memorial Park.

The pallbearers, all Masons, were G. F. Chapman, D. D. Townsend, G. L. Thompson, J. H. Jerome, W. C. Motley and C. D. Pearson.

Back Letter on Doukhobors

The Board of Trade letter to Ottawa concerning the Doukhobor situation in the district was endorsed by the Rotarians at their luncheon at the Hume on Monday, J. A. Hoover, President of the Board of Trade spoke on the necessity of all organizations in the district using their influence in order to impress on the Government the seriousness of the matter.

President R. A. Peebles spoke on the matter of raising more money for the Crippled Children's Fund.

There being no guest speaker, the members turned from the serious side of life and enjoyed themselves by singing lustily. P. G. Morey at the piano had the members guessing when it came to popular tunes of the day and the money which was to go for prizes for this event was turned over to the Crippled Children's Fund. Mr. Morey and Dr. N. R. Jennejohn had charge of the entertainment.

SLOCAN CITY

SLOCAN CITY, B.C. — The most Reverend W. R. Adams, Archbishop of Kootenays, was a visitor here and presided at a confirmation service in St. Paul's Church. He was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Parker.

rs. D. B. O'Neail, who spent 6 weeks in Trail, a guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown, has returned home.

Mrs. J. Marchi and daughters, Marilyn and Joan were weekend visitors to Nelson, guests of Mrs. Marchi's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ceockine.

Mrs. B. Caniff was a visitor to New Denver.

Ray Reynolds of Trail visited his home here.

Mrs. J. Graham who has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. MacMillan for two weeks, has returned to her home in Nelson.

Miss G. L. Reynolds, New Denver, visited her mother, Mrs. R. I. Reynolds.

The name U-boat is a shortened form of the German "unterseeboot."

DEATHS

EDMONTON—Dr. G. H. Malcolmson, 75, director of the Cancer Diagnostic Clincs for the Alberta Government.

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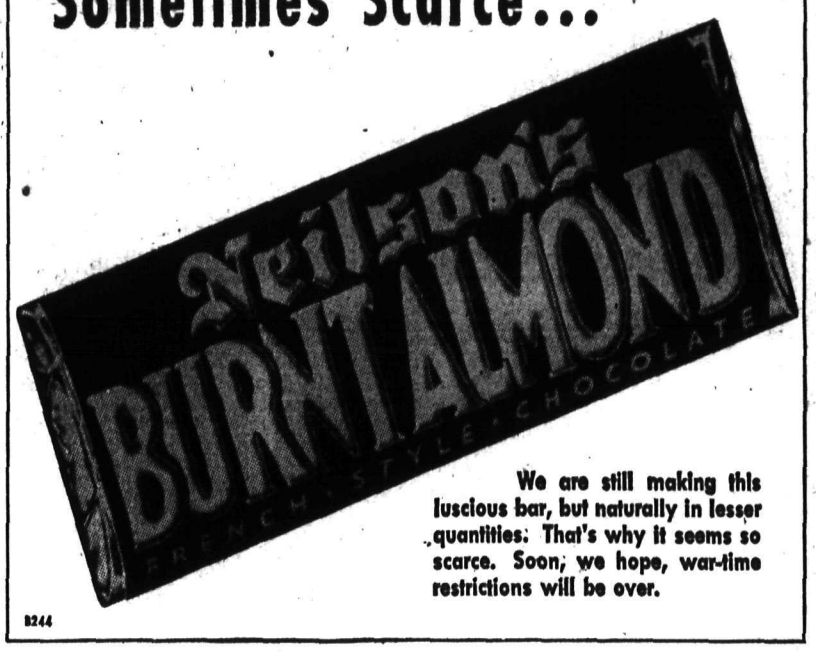

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● PEAS: Lynn Valley, Sieve 4, 20 oz. ..... 2 tin 29c
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TODAY'S News Pictures

RUSSIAN SNOW TROOPS ADVANCE ON ESTONIAN BORDER: Advance patrols of the Soviet Army pushing through Narwark on the Estonian border are being halted by their leader in the foreground.

TIGER SAFARI IN ITALY: These British Tommies of the Fifth Army are heading up towards the front lines, hoping to encounter a couple of the vaunted Nazi Tiger tanks. They are armed with the new infantry anti-tank weapon, called the Piat (projector, infantry anti-tank), which fires a 2¾-pound projectile that can pierce four inches of armor. The guns, operated by one man, can also be used to demolish pillboxes.

AUSSIES GO OVERSEAS: Two Australian airmen who visited Nelson last Summer, and who are now stationed in England, are Sgt. Vincent (Mac) Montgomery, left, guest of Mrs. Harold Lakes at the time, and Sgt. Ormond Dennehy, right, guest of Mrs. W. F. Williams. In letters to Nelson friends, Sgt. Montgomery told how after meeting Cpl. M. A. (Peggy) Horswill, R.C.A.F., W.D., of Nelson, at Patricia Bay, V. I., then at Halifax, and on the same boat on travelling overseas, he had found that he was stationed only a few miles from Cpl. Horswill's station in England.

REAL RAILROADERS: Posed near the two Farron pusher engines that help keep Canada's products rolling through the Kettle Valley are Marjorie, 5½ years old, Linda, 3½, and Clifford, one. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Strand of Farron, B. C.

WITH AIR FORCE: Leading Aircraftman W. A. Thompson, formerly of Rossland, whose wife resides in Nelson, is a member of the R.C.A.F., stationed at No. 3 B. and G. School, MacDonald, Man.

CRESCENT VALLEY SOLDIER: Lance Corporal Karl Wolfe, who is with the Canadian Army Ordnance Corps, is stationed at Barriefield Camp, Ont. His mother, Mrs. Doris Wolfe, resides at Crescent Valley.

WYNNDEL SOLDIER OVERSEAS: Tpr. E. C. Haines of Wynndel plays with Mary Ellen, infant daughter of Tpr. and Mrs. Haines while home on leave. He is now overseas with the Canadian Army.

SALLY'S SALLIES

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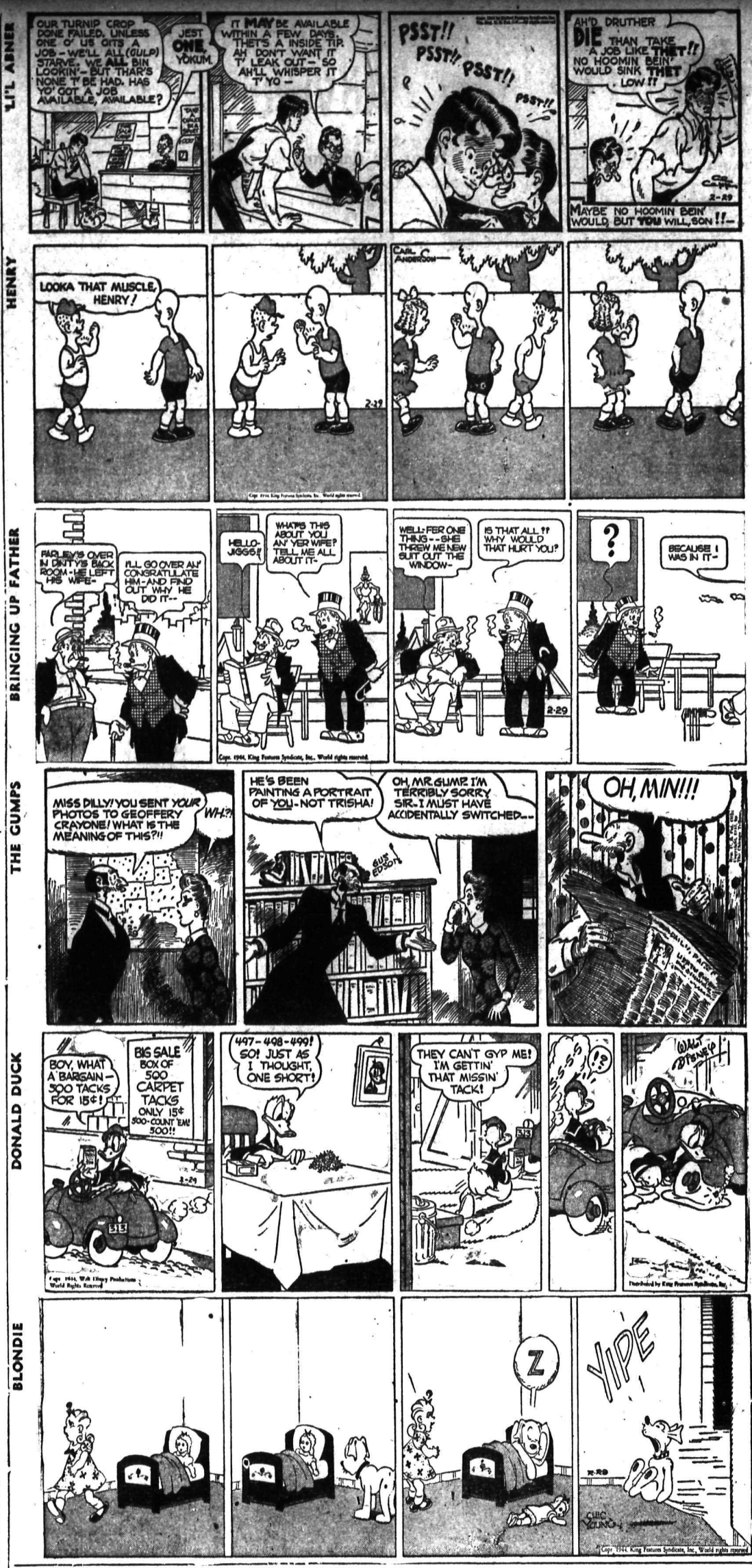
AUNT HET

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"Jim is all business. He promised a thousand for the new church, then said it was paid because he sold us the lot for a thousand less than it was worth."

Toronto Sailor Killed in Raid

LONDON, Feb. 28 (CP Cable) — It was disclosed today that a Canadian sailor, Ab. Edward Billinger of Toronto, RCNVR, was killed last Tuesday night in a German air raid on London by a 3.7 anai-aircraft shell which pierced the roof of a hostel.



SIDE SUIT STARTS IT

CERTAINTY or near certainty of having to lose a trick in the trump suit should always make a declarer stop, look and listen. He should consider whether or not it is advisable to do something else before playing trumps. Or, in other words, before letting the defenders gain the lead. Frequently in such a situation he will find it well to use a side suit to start his plan of play.

North: ♠ A 9 6 4 2 ♥ 7 5 ♦ A Q J 6 ♣ 8 3

West: ♠ K 5 ♥ J 9 8 2 ♦ K 9 5 ♣ K Q 9 7

East: ♠ J 7 ♥ A K 3 ♦ 8 7 4 2 ♣ J 10 4 2

South: ♠ Q 10 8 3 ♥ Q 10 6 4 ♦ 10 3 ♣ A 6 5

(Dealer: South. East-West vulnerable.)

South	West	North	East
Pass	Pass	1 ♦	Pass
1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠	Pass
3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠	

North fooled a kibitzer when he opened this deal with a bid of diamonds instead of spades, thereby making it gosh-awful difficult for him ever to show that his spades were five cards long. But that turned out not to be necessary. His diamond bid was because he feared his partner might respond with hearts, which would enable him to show his spades at the one level if he started with diamonds, but would compel him to bid three in order to show his diamonds if he started with spades.

That is how South happened to be the spade declarer instead of North, which was just as well, since he did a good job of playing. West led his club K. South saw ahead a sure loser in trumps, two in hearts, one in clubs and possibly even another in diamonds. But he figured out his one best chance, finding the diamond K right.

Taking the club A, he immediately finessed the diamond 10, next the J and then lay down the A, discarding a club. The diamond Q then was led for discard of his last club, West ruffing and returning the club Q. South ruffed this and led the spade 8. As he hoped, the K had to play, so the A killed it. After that it was easy to avoid any losers except two in hearts, so he made his contract.

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Tomorrow's Problem

North: ♠ 7 6 4 2 ♥ A K J 9 3 ♦ None ♣ K 7 5 2

West: ♠ 9 ♥ 7 2 ♦ K Q 9 8 6 4 ♣ Q 9 6 4

East: ♠ K 5 3 ♥ 10 8 6 4 ♦ 10 3 ♣ A J 10 3

South: ♠ A Q J 10 8 ♥ Q 5 ♦ A J 7 5 2 ♣ 8

(Dealer: South. North-South vulnerable.)

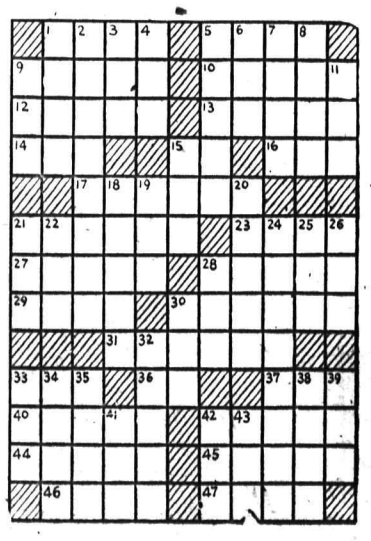
If West had made a 1-Diamond overcall during the bidding, led the club 4 to the K and A, and East returned the club J, how should South seek 6-Spades on this deal?

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS
1. Crust on a wound
5. Foundation
9. Weird
10. Fruit of the oak
12. Full of reeds
13. Layer
14. Half ems
15. Affirmative (Sp.)
16. Spigot
17. Select
21. Scissors
23. Cries, as a cat
27. One's father's sister
28. Misrepresent
29. Apportion
30. Search for provisions
31. Wanders off
33. Size of type
36. Affirmative vote
37. Little child
40. Benefit
42. New England state
44. Chop finely
45. Become liable to
46. Dregs
47. Girl

DOWN
1. Observed
2. Moon-shaped
3. Help
4. Governor (Turk.)
5. Groundwork
6. Perform
7. Classify
8. Silkworm
9. Before
11. Short sleep
15. Distress signal
18. Detests
19. Full of ore
20. Polishing stone
21. Boy's nickname
22. Shade of a color
24. Rubber bands
25. Covering of false hair
26. Look
28. Snake
30. Small fish
32. Stories
33. Herd of whales
34. Wicked
35. Hair on horse's neck
38. Burden
39. Three (mus.)
41. Frozen water
42. 1/1000 of an inch
43. Prescription term

Yesterday's Answer



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East Malartic	1.84
Falconbridge Nickel	3.40
Golden Gate	.12½
Hard Rock Gold	1.07
Hollinger	11.35
Hudson Bay M & S	28.00
Internat Nickel	29.50
Kerr Addison	9.35
Kirkland Lake	1.05
Lake Shore Mines	15.25
Lamaque Contac	6.30
Little Long Lac	1.00
MacLeod Cockshutt	2.20
Malartic Gold	3.35
McIntyre Porcupine	58.50
McKenzie Red Lake	1.42
Mining Corporation	1.92
Noranda	51.75
Normetal	.77½
Pamour Porcupine	1.25
Perron Gold	.95
Pickle Crow Gold	2.05
Powell Rouyn Gold	1.65
Preston East Dome	2.65
San Antonio Gold	2.10
Siscoe Gold	.45½
Sladen Malartic	.67
Steep Rock	2.20
Sudbury Basin	2.10
Sullivan Cons	1.68
Teck Hughes Gold	3.40
Trans Conti Res	.48
Toburn Gold Mines	1.05
Waite Amulet	4.55
Wright Hargreaves	3.05
OILS	
Chemical Research	.29
Imperial	14.00
Inter Petroleum	21.50
Royalite	20.25
Texas Canadian	1.20
Vermilata	.14
INDUSTRIALS	
Abitibi Power 'A'	82½
Brewers & Distillers	8
Can Malting	44½
Can Pacific Rly	11⅝
Ford of Canada 'A'	23⅞
Montreal Power	20
Steel of Can	64

Calgary Livestock

CALGARY, Feb. 28 (CP) — Weekend receipts, Cattle 573; Calves 2; Hogs 1781; Sheep 3,001. No receipts up to noon today.

Good to choice butcher steers 10.75-11.50. Common to medium 8.50-10.50. Medium to good butcher heifers 10-10.75. Good cows 7.75-8.25. Good to choice veal calves 11.50-12. Medium to good stocker and feeder steers 8.50-9.50.

Hogs Saturday 15.85 for B1 yards and plants: sows 8.85 liveweight yards and plants

To Send Electrical Supt. to Conference

City Council on Monday night decided to send Ernest Simpson, Electrical Superintendent, to the Western conference of the Canadian Electrical Superintendent, to the Western conference of the Canadian Electrical Association meeting which is to be held at Calgary March 3 and 14.

City Endorses Trade Board on Doukhobors

Nelson City Council Monday night endorsed the Nelson Board of Trade letter to Justice Minister St. Laurent appealing for action on violations of the laws by the fanatic Sons of Freedom, and decided to send a wire to the Minister informing him of the Council's action.

A motion suggesting the Council action was made by Alderman T. H. Waters, a member of the Board of Trade Committee which forwarded the appeal to Ottawa accompanied by a long list of depredations in the way of incendiarisms and bombings committed in Doukhobor settlements in the last 20 years.

Popcorn Prices Hearing Continues Today

Invoices said to have been obtained from the McDonald Jam Company Ltd. records were presented in City Police Court Monday by Investigator R. H. Coldridge of the Prices Board as alleging to show that on Oct. 4, 1941, during the basic period the Company sold popping corn at 10 cents a pound and that during June and July of 1943 it sold popping corn at 20 cents a pound. The invoices were entered as exhibits during the Investigator's testimony as a prosecution witness in the case before Magistrate William Brown of the McDonald Jam Company Ltd. charged with selling popping corn between May 1 and Aug. 31, 1943, at a price higher than the maximum price for such goods, contrary to Wartime Prices and Trade Board regulations.

The hearing will continue Tuesday morning, having been adjourned at noon Monday after two prosecution witnesses, Mr. Coldridge and Acting Sergeant R. R. House, were called by W. W. Ferguson, counsel for the prosecution. Cross-examination of Mr. Coldridge by C. B. Garland, defence counsel, under way at the time of adjournment, will likely continue.

That there existed a wide variety in kinds and qualities of corn was admitted by Mr. Coldridge, formerly in the import and brokerage wholesale grocery business, in reply to Mr. Garland. Information, laid by him for the charge, was that the McDonald Jam had sold popping corn during June and July last at a price higher than the maximum price, "the highest lawful price at which the McDonald Jam Company Ltd. sold popping corn of the same kind or quality or of substantially the same kind and quality during the basic period, Sept. 15, to Oct. 11, 1941—." Particulars in the information were that the defendant company had sold 4500 pounds of popping corn in two transactions at 20 cents a pound, to Blair's Potato Chips of Summerland during June and July of last year, while on Oct. 4, 1941 during the basic period it had sold five pounds of popping corn to A. E. Anderson of Trail at 10 cents a pound.

The only native mammals on the atolls of the Pacific are two species of bats.

B. C.-Alberta Junior Playdown Series at Trail

Residents of Trail will be on-lookers at the clash between the Junior champion teams of B. C. and Alberta, and the dates set for this best-of-three series at Trail in the Memorial Cup playdowns, the route leading to the Dominion Junior hockey title, are March 11, 13 and 15, Louis Demore revealed in Nelson Saturday night, when here to see Trail Juniors have their practice game with the Nelson Commercial Reps. Trail is putting up the guarantee required from the centre getting the series.

"How do you like them? Do you give them a chance?" Demore asked, in the course of the game, while the Trail boys made spectators dizzy with their passing.

"Jerry Thompson is the best coach in Western Canada," Demore confided, as he talked of Thompson's handling of the team.

While the Trail Juniors, who have been declared B. C. champions, have met no Junior team, they have been playing as a team in the Trail Commerical League, whose Gulch and East Trail team are packed with former Smoke Eaters, including such players as Joe Benolt, Bunny Dame, Ab Cronie, Mike Buckna, and others, and so far have had eight games in such company.

The winner of the B. C.-Alberta series will play the Saskatchewan Junior winner.

Police Probe Cause Castlegar House Fire

B. C. Police are investigating an attempt to burn down the home of Martin Peterson of Castlegar during the weekend. The fire occurred either Saturday night or early Sunday morning and damage of $150 was caused.

Sunday, 500 members of the radical Sons of Freedom Doukhobor sect, who last week ended a two-week demonstration trek through the Doukhobor communities, held a meeting at Krestova

Aim to Have Girls of B.C. to Help Save Forests

The Canadian Forestry Association will use girls as well as boys in its fight to protect the woods against fire next Summer. The red-shirted Junior Forest Wardens who have given volunteer service in the past will be augmented by the Green Guards, a separate but parallel organization of high school and junior high girls.

Recruiting will be limited to a nucleus group this year, but E. Charles Wilkinson of Vancouver, Association manager, hopes to establish the girls' corps of conservationists on a province-wide basis in the subsequent years.

Although this organization is at the present confined to the Coast the ultimate aim is to make it province-wide

Sells Truck Above Ceilina Price, Fined $300

PENTICTON, Feb. 28 (CP) — Frank Brodie was fined $300 and costs in police court after pleading guilty to a charge of selling a second hand truck above the legal ceiling price set by the Board.

SPORTS

Cranbrook Curling

CRANBROOK, B. C., Feb. 28—Jim Milne's rink beat Charley Tippe's four 15-6 to advance to the eights in the belated bonspiel frame competition. Milne meets Eric MacKinnon late tonight, and the winner meets Shorthouse to go into the final against G. B. Willis for the prize. The final of the Grand Challenge is still scheduled.

Slocan Bowlers Win Again

It's getting so that it isn't news any more when South Slocan's fair trundlers whip Nelson bowlers. They did it again Sunday for the fourth consecutive time, besting the visiting quintette 2505-2449.

The Lakesiders put up a good show however, winning two of three games, though losing out in the aggregate count; and Frances McMullin's pin spilling was not matched by any of the winners. Bowling sensationally, she rolled a single of 284 and an aggregate of 708, a full 100 pins above the next best by Gwen Macrone of South Slocan.

Teams and scores were:

NELSON JUNIORS —				
Georgie Procter	200	177	169—	546
Fran McMullin	288	284	166—	708
Louise Coletti	187	130	133—	450
Loye Daymon	140	109	151—	400
Vera Lord	118	111	116—	345
Totals	883	811	755—	2449
SOUTH SLOCAN —				
Ann Barrell	196	90	174—	460
Gwen Macrone	214	170	224—	608
Ivy Stone	133	221	186—	540
Mary Bowkett	160	191	153—	504
V. McDougall	155	133	105—	393
Totes	858	805	842—	2505

5 Rossland Rinks to Play Here

ROSSLAND, B. C., Feb. 28—Five rinks at least will represent Rossland in the Little Bonspiel at Nelson this weekend. In order of skip, third, second and lead, they are:

Kenny Martin, George Bishop, Bruce Verniere, Roy Stephens and James A. Wright will skip the Rossland entries.

Clive Secconde won first prize in the Colts competition, $10 in war savings. His rink included Pete Lazarenko, third, Ed Palmer, second, Tulio Leonarduzzi, lead. Three rinks, skipped by Ewing, Nixon and Albo, tied for second money.

Tuesday Ewing will play off against Nixon, while in the Plugs Section Hamson vs. Darby, Boyle vs. Yolland games are slated.

C.P.R. Flats Asks Gas Service

Nelson City Council Monday night dealt with two applications for gas services, both being referred to the Committee of the Whole Council.

Estimates were submitted by F. G. Stringer, City Gas Works Superintendent, on the applications. Estimate on extending on a gas main in the 100 block on Silica Street, 268 feet East to Falls Street, continuing some 232 feet South in the 700 block on Falls Street, to provide gas services for six services applied for, was $442.55.

Application was made by C. Smith for service to 715 Robson Street, the cost being estimated at $129.90.

Coal Production Down 1,078,562 Tons

OTTAWA, Feb. 26 (CP)—Canada's coal production during 1944 totalled 17,786,562 tons, compared with 18,865,030 in 1942—a decrease of 1,078,468.

Rossland Skiers Stage Jump, Slalom Events

ROSSLAND, B.C., Feb. 27 — Slalom and jumping events featured the Rossland Ski Club junior tournament held here Sunday. It was divided into two classes of boys 14 and under and boys 15 to 18 inclusive and was open only to members of the club.

In the boys 14 and under jumping class Arthur Ridgers with 72.5 points came first, John Cooper 70.4 was second and Keith Jamieson with 70.3 was third.

In the Slalom, Donnie Davis was first with a time of 52 seconds, John Buick was second with 52 4-5 seconds and Roy Hancock third with 53 1-5 seconds..

Boys 15 to 18 jumping event was won by Fred Hancock, first, 70.2 points; Hugh Urquhart, second, 68.8; Ron Smith, third, 63.8.

In the slalom Fred Hancock was again first with a time of one minute 51 3-5 seconds; Jack Bryan, second, two minutes 37 4-5 seconds; Hugh Urquhart, third, two minutes 38 1-5 seconds. This was the total time for two runs on the top of the big hill.

Jimmy Douglas as senior member of the Rossland Ski Club opened the course with an exhibition run made in 29 4-5 seconds. Ski Club officials stated that considering the icy condition of the hill the time made by the competitors was very good. There were about 200 on skis at the tournament, made up of Trail and Rossland skiers.

Jack Mitchell, President of the Club, presented the prizes to the winners for the tournament and E. M. Stiles of Trail senior prizes to the winners of the recent Grey Mountain Grind, while Henry Singer presented the junior prizes for the Grind.

Bob Van was the starter of the slalom; Henry Singer and R. Hendrickson time keepers; Sig Bye judge of the jumping; Bert Bothum marker and Les Treverton announcer.

A highlight of the tournament was the exhibition jumping by Trygve Nora, who thrilled the onlookers with a marvelous jump on one ski.

NEW DENVER TEAM BEATS NAKUSP 8-0

NEW DENVER, B.C. — On Tuesday evening New Denver Hockey team beat Nakusp 8-0 at Nakusp.

Gold Output Down 828,930 Ounces

OTTAWA, Feb. 28 (CP) — Gold production in Canada during 1943 was 3,652,376 ounces compared with 4,841,306 in 1942, a decrease of 828,930.

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Market Trends . . .

LONDON, Feb. 28 (AP) — Stock prices closed generally lower and trading was restricted. Industrials, Oils, Kaffirs and Diamond shares sold lower, while Brewery and Cinema issues received selective support.

British funds moved irregularly and Argentine and Brazilian bonds were depressed.

NEW YORK, — There was a smattering of new highs for the year in today's market, with scattered rails, sugars and specialties continuing to attract firm bids, but the list as a whole failed to do much in the way of recovery.

Canadian issues were barely steady with Dome Mines and Hiram Walker up fractions and Lake Shore off a fraction.

CHICAGO, — Rye provided the leadership in a stronger grain market, advancing more than a cent at times on buying by local traders.

At the close wheat was 1-9¾ higher, May $1.71, Oats were up ⅜-⅝, May 80¼, Rye was ahead 1-1⅝, May $1.28 ⅛-¼, and Barley was up ⅝-⅞, May $1.22½.

MONTREAL, — Securities shifted over a narrow price range in transactions.

Montreal Power and Brazilian eased in utilities and in metals, Hudson Bay and Smelters sported plus signs and Nickel lagged.

TORONTO, — Industrial stocks were moderately strong while the western oil and mining groups showed slight weakness.

Moderate weakness was shown in the base metal list for Hudson Bay, Nickel, Steep Rock and Ventures and Pend Oreille gained 4 cents to 1.40 Smelters firmed ⅝.

WINNIPEG, — Portugal purchased a small lot of high grade Canadian wheat.

Final quotations were 1⅛-¾, higher with May at $1.27⅛, July $1.25⅝ and October at $1.23⅞.

VANCOUVER, — Mines and oils were higher.

WINNIPEG GRAIN

WINNIPEG, Feb. 28 (CP) — Grain quotations:

RYE:	Open	High	Low	Close
May	126⅛	127¼	126	127⅛
July	124¾	125½	124½	125⅜
Oct.	123⅜	124	123⅛	123⅞

OATS:
All futures at ceiling prices of 51½
BARLEY:
All futures at ceiling prices of 64¾
CASH PRICES:
Rye: No. 2 C. W. 1.25⅛.
Oats: No. 2 feed 50; No. 3 feed 49; other grades at ceiling prices 51½.
Barley: No. 3 feed 63¾; other grades at ceiling prices 64¾.

MONTREAL STOCKS

INDUSTRIALS	
Assoc Brew of Can	22
Can Car & Fdy Pfd	27½
Can Celanese Pfd	145
Can Steamship	12½
Con Min & Smelting	40½
Dom Steel & Coal	7¾
McColl Frontenac	8
National Brew Ltd	34⅛
Quebec Power	12½
Shawnigan W & P	15½
St. Lawrence Corp Pfd	14¼

DOW JONES AVERAGES

	High	Low	Close	Change
30 Ind.	137.01	136.36	136.79	up .21
20 Rails.	39.02	38.75	38.88	up .05
15 Utils	23.53	23.36	23.40	off .06

Cryptoquotes . . .

JH GWB W BJLD YP ARWCHA HAWH AR GWB GJCCJDL HY SR OXMRT-BRDROW.

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: WE ARE ALL OF THE SAME RELIGION WITHOUT KNOWING IT—VOLTAIRE.

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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Post War Tourist Industry Should Reach $50 Million

VICTORIA, Feb. 28 (CP) — Five years after the war British Columbia will be talking of a 50 million dollar a year tourist industry, where today it uses the figure 20 million, E. G. Rowebottom, Deputy Minister of Trade and Industry, told a Forest Inquiry here today.

"Provisions should be made to reserve substantial strips of timber along our highways," he said. "American tourists want to visit British Columbia because there is nothing comparable with our scenery all over the world."

The Forestry Service have done a magnificent job in opening up a number of small parks on the island and have always given consideration to any recommendations of the Department of Trade and Industry, Mr. Rowebottom said.

Dr. Frank C. Bell, member of the Garibaldi Park Board, appeared at the inquiry and stated that the Board could not make development on the park without funds. Several development schemes he said, had been submitted by the Board but to date he said the Province had a park of great potential value but with no funds for its protection or development.

At the opening of today's sitting Mr. Davey commented on the comparatively few representations that had come from the Interior and said that he could not believe that the few representations indicated the interest of the Interior in the Inquiry.

U.S. GOV'T TO FAVOR SERVICEMEN EMPLOYEES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28 (AP)—President Roosevelt laid down today as a flat policy of the United States Government the principle that ex-servicemen shall get preference in Federal employment. Mr. Roosevelt asked Congress for legislation which would empower the President for the rest of the war and five years afterward, to designate Federal jobs which would be available exclusively to veterans.

Active Forces May Partake in Elections

OTTAWA, Feb. 28 (CP) — Defence Headquarters announced today that members of the permanent naval, military or air forces are barred from participating in civic or municipal elections during wartime, but personnel of the active forces of each service may participate, as condidates or otherwise, under certain conditions.

The regulations do not apply to reserve forces not on active service.

The statement said active forces personnel service may take part, as candidates or otherwise, subject to the exigencies of the service and provided always that such participation does not interfere in any way with their service duties.

No special leave will be granted for campaigning or any other reason. If they take part in any such elections and are elected to office, no special consideration insofar as leave is concerned, will be given to attend meetings or otherwise carry out the duties entailed in holding office.

It was stressed that service regulations concerning "expressions of opinion or disclosure of information on service matters still apply to service personnel while campaigning and while holding civic or municipal office."

"No assurance can be given that if elected to a civic or municipal office, personnel so elected will be posted or retained in positions in or adjacent to the districts from which they have been elected. All movements of such personnel are entirely subject to the exigencies and requirements of the service concerned."

Russell Verigin Jailed Failing to Answer Callup

Russell Verigin of Vancouver, age 21, son of Michael Verigin, self-styled leader of the Sons of Freedom, pleaded guilty to a charge of evading National Selective Service mobilization regulations in Provincial Police Court Monday and was sentenced by Stipendiary Magistrate William Irvine to serve four months in Oakalla Jail.

Verigin will be handed over to military authorities on expiration of his sentence. He had been ordered to report to Selective Service at Vancouver Feb. 25, but had failed to answer the call. City Poilce on Saturday night arrested Verigin at the Hume Hotel, where he had been staying for about three weeks, then handed him over to Provincial Police.

Interpreting The War News

By KIRKE L. SIMPSON
Associated Press War Analyst

Collapse of Finland and the opening of a dangerous Northern breach in the walls of Hitler's shrinking fortress of Europe appear close at hand.

Whether Finland surrenders on Russian terms, or fights on hopelessly to extinction, the end must be the same. It is evidenced in the thunder of Russian heavy field gun shells cascading into the Pskov gateway between Estonia and Russia as well as in the roar of Russian bombs exploding on Helsinki.

The fate of Estonia obviously is wrapped up in the battle of Pskov. Three powerful Rusian armies are converging upon the critical rail and road hub, their longer range guns already at work softening up its Nazi defences.

Its seemingly certain fall must expose Valk junction, 80 miles to the West and midway along the Latvian-Estonian border, to a two-pronged Russian attack that could unhinge the whole Nazi defence position in Estonia. The offensive can send the German Baltic flank reeling back to the shores of the Gulf of Riga for a Northern anchorage, free the whole Gulf of Finland of the foe and leave Finland utterly isolated.

The Finns have been fully advised that their Nazi "friends" stand ready to desert them as they deserted Italian allies in Egypt and Africa. They receive no German air help to turn back the significant Russian bomb lashing of Helsinki. There is strong evidence that Nazi defence of Pskov is primarily a rearguard action covering a planned full retreat from not only North western Russia but from Estonia.

Bracken Tells Quebec Canada Cannot Hold Herself Aloof and Provinces Must Stand Together

QUEBEC, Feb. 28 (CP)—John Bracken, Progressive Conservative National Leader, said tonight in his first political address in Quebec that this Province, "with its strong religious and family traditions, its attachment to the soil and its sense of justice, constitutes one of the most substantial obstacles to the prevalent danger of a socialistic ideology"

Mr. Bracken, in a speech prepared for delivery at a party rally, said Canadians of French descent would find no advantage in constituting themselves into a separate block in the Dominion.

"In my opinion we must stand or fall together—all the provinces, East and West and centre.

"The Progressive Conservative party aims to promote unity in this country. We are emphatically opposed to all forms of separatism because any dislocation of our strength is an evidence of weakness. Everything which tends to disrupt our unity and divide us is contrary to the best interests of Canada".

Following are points from Mr. Bracken's speech:

1. "In speaking to the people of Quebec in their . . . capital, I shall express exactly the same views as I would in any other part of Canada. —I come to you with no special favors. I shall not insult you with bribes, nor deceive you with promises."

2. "You were guaranteed certain rights and privileges under the constitution of Canada. We propose to see that these rights are protected."

3. "I am as much against Government by a single class as I am opposed to domination by one ethnic group."

4. "The arguments against separatism apply with equal force to isolationism. Canada cannot hold itself aloof from the family of nations."

5. "The matter of commonwealth relations is one which, if wisely developed, could favorably affect the future peace and security of the world.—It would be folly to shatter so inspiring an example of international collaboration (of sister nations). By the same token, its virtue would disappear were it to depend for its cohesion on any form of coercion."

6. "There will be no reversion to colonialism: We shall preserve our autonomy: We shall take a positive stand for increased trade and peace in the world: and we shall cooperate fully with the commonwealth to meet these ends."

7. "We Canadians now are a strong, well-equipped people and our voice will be listened to with respect whenever we shall speak through a government capable of making wise decisions and acting on them in good faith.—When the time comes to settle the international problems which will arise after the war, there will be a different government in Canada.—It will be a Progressive Conservative Government."

8. "When I say there should be decentralization, not centralization, I means that we should aim to secure a uniform national policy in all those fields where the national prosperity must be cultivated, but leave to the local authorities and to capital, labor and management a large share in the work of administration."

"You have, I am afraid, become accustomed to being shown the vague outlines of policies supposed to be especially designed for you, which are shadowy enough not to cause alarm in other parts of Canada and which dissolve into nothing when you reach out to get them.

"I am told that the present government in Ottawa has a separate face, a separate voice and a different advocate for each section of the country.

"If we are to live at peace and unmolested, we must depend for our defence on the common action of our friends on this continent and across the sea," Mr Bracken continued.

Everyone hated war, as civilized men must hate it; but Canada had taken its place with the other United Nations to destroy the pirate nations before it was too late.

The conduct of a great war required not only soldiers, but also farmers, skilled labor, technicians, lumberman, fishermen and others whose contribution was essential.

"But I am still asked on every side why is this home army being maintained," he said.

"Why is this army not being made available for the tasks of the farm, for the lumber industry or the factory or the mine if it is not to be used where the fighting must be done? The cost of maintaining these soldiers in Canada runs to at least $150,000,000 a year".

Leap-Year Frolic Hilarious Event at Rossland

ROSSLAND, B. C., Feb. 27— A hilarious Leap year frolic was held here Friday night when the wives of the Junior Board of Trade members staged a dance with their husbands to which Golden City Club members and their wives were also invited. The men, as requested, came attired as the fair sex, fashions ranging from formal evening gowns and sheer hose to lounging pyjamas, and included styles already passe as well as advanced models.

Although competition was keen, Wilfred Hahn and Edward M. Daly, were finally awarded the prizes as the best dressed "ladies." Rudy Morin supplied the music. Mrs. J. R. Corner was the general convener, assisted by Mrs. E. M. Daly, Mrs. Verne Davidson, Mrs. Wilfred Woodhouse, Mrs. William Darby, Mrs. L. J. Nicholson and Mrs. William Selby. The affair was held in the Odd Fellows Hall. Refreshments were served.

WELLS MINERS UNIONIZE

WELLS, B.C., Feb. 28 (CP) — Wells Miners Union No. 685, International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers, has been organized here.

Allied Aid Is Revitalizing Kai-Shek Armies

By REILLY O'SULLIVAN
Assoc. Press War Correspondent

WITH A CHINESE EXPEDITION FORCE, Feb. 28 (CP) — The revitalization of Chiang Kai-shek's armies has begun with the arrival of concrete Allied aid.

This is the first public disclosure of one of the most ambitious and far-reaching programs in military history to modernize and retrain and re-equip a vast army in wartime.

American army officers and men under the command of Lt.-Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell have started the job in Southwest China in cooperation with commanders of Chinese expeditionary forces. The program envisages the re-training of a score of divisions in critical areas where they will do the Japanese the most harm.

Secretly at work since last April, Stilwell's "Y" force operations staffs is making a real impression on its mission of increasing the fighting efficiency of this expeditionary force.

After seven debilitating years of defensive struggle against the relentless and modernly-armed invader, some large units of the Chinese Army at last are able to begin thinking in terms of the day when all will be able to turn to the offensive and drive the Japs from the continent of Asia.

Viewing the Chinese picture as a whole, there still is a staggering job ahead. To a large extent it hinges on opening a land supply route from India for which an Allied force is fighting in Burma. It also depends upon the eventual seizure of a seaport on the China coast.

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CARD OF THANKS
Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wolverton wish to thank all friends for kindness and expressions of sympathy extended to them during their bereavement in the loss of a loving father.

CARD OF THANKS
The family of the late Hector Mackenzie wish to express their sincere thanks and appreciation to their many friends for their kind words and expressions of sympathy extended to them in their bereavement.

FUNERAL NOTICE
Funeral services for the late Daniel Barrett, who passed away in Cranbrook Saturday, will be held Wednesday at 10:30 a.m., at the Cathedral of Mary Immaculate. Rosary will be recited in the Thompson Funeral Home this evening at 8 o'clock.

FUNERAL NOTICE
MIDDLETON, Mrs. EMILY—Passed away Sunday Feb. 27. Funeral services will be held from St. Saviour's Pro-Cathedral on Wednesday, March 1, at 2:30 p.m., Rev. J. G. Holmes officiating. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to Somers Funeral Home.

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Japs Massacre Wounded in Field Hospital

By Special Correspondent of the London Daily Mail
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ON THE ARAKAN FRONT, Feb. 28 (CP-Reuters)—The Japanese will have to answer after the war for the massacre of Ngakyedauk. For 36 hours they used the hospital of the newly relieved 7th Indian division as battle headquarters, killed British and Indian doctors, nurses and orderlies and murdered patients in their beds.

Wounded men whose moans may have given away their positions were bayoneted. They refused water to dying troops and bandages to doctors who could have tended to them.

Doctors who survived the raid on their hospital which began on the night of Feb. 7, told me of murders when I went through the "hedgehog."

When the Japanese hemmed them in, three field ambulance units combined to form a hospital near the end of Ngakyedauk Pass. At 8 p.m. on the night of Feb. 7, 60 Japanese crept up a nullah (ditch) and attacked it.

They dug themselves in quickly and stayed there until English soldiers threw them out 36 hours later.

Four doctors and at least 25 wounded had been massacred by then. How many more nurses, orderlies and patients were killed is not yet known.

Some of their malaria cases are believed to have fled into the jungle on their own, and their fate is uncertain.

Just before an ambulance carried him back over the pass, Lieut. A. Basu, Indian doctor whom the Japanese left for dead with two bullet wounds in his head, told me of Japanese addressed their commander as "General."

Former Cruise Ship Invasion Vessel

OTTAWA, Feb. 28 (CP) — The former Canadian National Cruise ship, Prince David, earlier in the war an auxiliary cruiser, has been refitted again, this time as "the nerve centre of an amphibious expedition, the headquarters for an army of invasion," naval service headquarters announced today.

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