

# New Powerful Blows Launched by

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LONDON, Dec. 2 (AP). — Powerful Red Army forces smashing Northwest of Gomel and threatening Zhitomir swept up more than 80 villages today, Moscow announced tonight, while to the North the Germans reported a fresh Soviet offensive rolling down the Smolensk road to Orsha, apparently aimed at Minsk from the Northeast.

The Russians were silent concerning a Northern drive upon Minsk, White Russian capital, but a German radio dispatch said it had pierced the German line at two points, cutting into secondary defences.

Russian troops carved out new gains on two other sectors, said Moscow communiques and wiped out 1000 Germans thrown "without consideration for large losses" into vain counter-attacks. West of Cherny in the strategic Dnieper bulge.

To the South, Soviet forces plunged closer to the rail junction of Znamenska, key to lateral communications between the Dnieper bend and Kiev bulge. Moscow said they captured Dmitrovka and Fedorki, six and 15 miles North of Znamenska, and other Nazi strong-points in this push Southwest of Kremenchug. Four-hundred Germans perished in this general sector, and 27 tanks were wrecked, the midnight communiques supplement added.

A battalion of Nazis was reported wiped out along the lower Pripiet River, Southwest of Zhitomir, as the Germans were routed from prepared positions.

The communiques pictured desperate German efforts to roll back the Soviet bridgehead West of the Dnieper near Cherny, and said 24 Nazi tanks were wrecked in repeated enemy counter-attacks.

**GREAT TANK BATTLES**  
Again for the second day, the Russians made no mention of the bloody fighting in the Zhitomir-Korosten area West of Kiev, where some of the greatest tank battles of the war are said to be raging in deep mud.

The push closing in upon Zhitomir swept up prisoners and knocked out 20 enemy tanks, and Red Army artillery flanked into action in one sector to bleed German strength in man and equipment.

The renewed surge Northwest of Gomel by Gen. Constantine Rokossovsky rolled the Germans back despite rain, snow and mud, and the Russian Army newspaper Red Star said Zhitomir, Smolensk and Kovel were in the line and in danger of being outflanked, and could not hold out much longer.

Nine populated places were taken along the lower reaches of the Pripiet River, Moscow said.

Descending the wedge South of Kremenchug, the Russians broke into five powerful German strongholds, the communiques declared. The dispatches said this push had carried within artillery range of Znamenska, rail supply line crossroads for the German holdout stand in the Dnieper bend.

One German broadcast acknowledged a withdrawal of several miles under heavy Soviet pressure.

While the Russians were silent on the German counter-attack on the front West of Kiev, the Germans were equally cautious in reports on this salient. Some dispatches from Moscow declared the Germans had hurled a reserve force of 3000 tanks into this battle in renewed attempts to break Gen. Nikolai Vatutin's defences.

The Russians also were throwing in great numbers of tanks and huge mobile guns, often alongside the tanks. The Soviets employed their Dnieper fleet to speed the flow of armor into a showdown battle, augmenting the columns rumbling across bridges.

Short of the recapture of Kiev, German gains mean little tactically in this Kiev sector, since they are being flanked by Rokossovsky to the North, and menaced by the Cherny bridgehead to the Southeast, midway between Kiev and Kremenchug.

The Soviet communiques said 71 German tanks and 23 planes were destroyed in fighting today. Bad weather was said in Moscow dispatches to be hampering Soviet air support, especially in the Kiev sector.

**URGE ADOPTION OF ONE VERSION OF "O CANADA"**  
VANCOUVER, Dec. 2 (CP). — A resolution urging that a common version of "O Canada" be adopted for singing at functions of Boards of Trade and Chambers of Commerce in Alberta and British Columbia was endorsed today at a meeting of representatives from those groups in both Provinces.

The singing of the national anthem in our Victoria conference resembled nothing so much as a bunch of Chinese, H. R. Cottingham of Vancouver told the delegates.

**RUTHERFORD HEADS KELOWNA REHABILITATION**  
Kelowna, B.C., Dec. 2 (CP). — H. O. Rutherford was named head of Kelowna Rehabilitation Committee at a meeting here, O. Atkinson was appointed Vice-Chairman.

The committee has been formed to assist in handling of rehabilitation problems of men and women of this district now in the services.

## 8th ARMY SHATTERS NAZI LINES

### SEA ROUTE TO CHINA ONE GOAL OF ALLIES

Must Ship Million Tons of Army Supplies a Month  
**LONG CAMPAIGN**

By JOHN M. NIGHTOWER  
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WASHINGTON, Dec. 2 (AP). — The Cairo conference is believed here to have agreed on a high strategy against Japan which provides, in its present phase, for recapturing the Philippines and opening a sea route to China.

Over this route the United States and Britain, principally, must arrange to ship more than 1,000,000 tons of supplies a month if they are to maintain and operate a minimum offensive force of as much as 100,000 men, and that would allow an air force of only 300 bombers and 400 fighters. Every multiple of these forces would require roughly another 1,000,000 tons of shipping a month to cover the thousands of miles to China.

Yet until this route can be established and an aerial assault launched from China, American military and naval men say, there can be no final grand offensive against Japan proper.

Developing this theme at his Press conference today, War Secretary Henry Stimson, obviously having in mind the Cairo meeting, said he looked for an accelerated offensive against Japan but warned that the reconquest of enemy-held territory would be long and expensive.

It is characteristic of the interdependent nature of the war in the Pacific and the war in Europe—as demonstrated in the successful conferences of Prime Minister Churchill and President Roosevelt with President Chiang Kai-shek and Marshal Stalin—that there can be no plan for winning a victory over Japan until victory has been won in Europe.

This suggests that the purpose of holding the two conferences so close together was to integrate, at least in general terms, a global rather than a European or a Pacific strategy.

After two years Russia still is the great mystery of the Pacific-Asiatic war. The mere threat of her strength holds huge Japanese forces immobilized in Manchuria.

Should the same day become actively involved, the strategy for beating Japan probably would change overnight to provide an immediate aerial offensive from Russian bases.

Present plans for defeating Japan must be focused on China.

As military men here explain the situation, there are three main routes for approaching the enemy's main islands from the American side of the Pacific. One is the Westward route upon which Admiral Chester W. Nimitz set his Pacific fleet last month in the invasion of the Gilbert Islands. Another is the Northward march of General Douglas MacArthur's forces. The third is the Southward route from the tip of the Aleutians into the Kuriles.

None of these routes leads to islands sufficiently large and close to Japan to serve as bases for a strategic bombing offensive. The bases already captured in the Gilberts and Solomon, therefore, and those to be captured from there to the Philippines are first, supporting points for each new advance and, second, links in a chain of supply pointed toward the Philippines.

On the British-India side of Asia there are two routes toward Japan, both under command of Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten. One is the Burma Road way through China; the other is the Singapore approach to the South China Sea and—again—to the Philippines and the China coast.

There is little doubt in informed quarters that Cairo-approved strategy calls for operating on both fronts. Undoubtedly Admiral Mountbatten's main effort will be an amphibious campaign against Malaya-Singapore-Sumatra, a long and arduous job.

### U. S. Submarine Wahoo Lost

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2 (AP). — The Navy announced today the U. S. submarine Wahoo is overdue and presumed to be lost.

The Berlin radio earlier today had announced the loss of the Wahoo. The report was broadcast under a New York dispatch and said the Wahoo, commanded by Cmdr. Dudley Morton, was reported to have sunk 19 Japanese ships.

A submarine the size of the Wahoo normally carries a crew of about 80 men.

Loss of the Wahoo brought to 19 the number of United States submarines sunk, presumed lost or destroyed to prevent capture.



PACIFIC-FAR EAST OFFENSIVE LOOMS: United States and China to beat Japan into unconditional surrender. This map gives a picture of the scope of Pacific and Asiatic activities.

### BRITAIN "MUST STRENGTHEN HER POSITION"

Smuts Suggests She May Become An Unequal Partner  
**SEES SLOW PEACE**

By WILLIAM SMITH WHITE  
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LONDON, Dec. 2 (AP). — Jan Christian Smuts, Prime Minister of South Africa and War Cabinet member, has suggested that Britain strengthen her position in Western Europe lest she become a weak and unequal partner in the "great trinity of powers"—Britain, the United States and Russia.

In a speech delivered Nov. 25 to the United Kingdom branch of the Empire Parliamentary Association but made public only tonight, Field Marshal Smuts asserted that of the five great powers in Europe which have "disappeared"—meaning Italy, France, and Germany—Russia will be "mistress of the continent."

He declared, moreover, that Soviet Russia would be in a position of power unique in European history because "the Japanese empire also will have gone the way of all flesh and therefore any check or balance that might have arisen in the East will have disappeared."

He developed these themes:

That after the war, Britain, the United States and Russia would hold world power and must "retain leadership" in peace—a peace which he predicted would come very slowly, perhaps so slowly as never to make possible any general peace conference at all but only a comprehensive armistice which would permit "a long process of working out solutions."

That with Russia in the new trinity would be Britain, "with a glory and an honor and a prestige such as perhaps no nation ever enjoyed," but economically poor as against the vast resources of the Soviet Union and the United States.

He continued: "Should we not cease as Great Britain to be an island? Should we not work intimately together with these small democracies in Western Europe which by themselves may be lost... I think this trinity will be a stabilizing factor, a wall of power behind which freedoms and the democracies of the world can be built up again. It will be the protecting wall."

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### General and Madama Chiang Return

CHUNGKING, Dec. 2 (AP). — President and Mrs. Chiang Kai-shek have returned to Chungking from the North African conference, it was announced today.

Hollington Tong, Vice-Minister of Information, announced their return and expressed jubilant approval of the three-power declarations to reduce Japan to her home islands. He said Chiang and other members of the Chinese delegation returned in a happy state of mind.

### U. S. Heavies Raid Marshalls

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2 (AP). — The United States Army heavy bombers bombed the Tarao airbase in the Marshall Islands Tuesday, shot down seven Japanese fighter planes and damaged at least four others without loss to themselves, the Navy announced tonight.

The bombers fought off 35 Zeros, Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, Commander-in-Chief in the Pacific, announced in a communique.

The announcement also said that a Navy bomber, attacked by six Zeros while on a scouting mission Nov. 30 shot down one, probably destroyed another and damaged two more.

Further success against the Japanese Air Force was reported from two destroyers in the Gilbert Islands area which repelled enemy torpedo planes, destroying three.

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### BRITISH HOUSE DISCUSSES EMPIRE FUTURE

Beit Says Canada Should Take Big Responsibility  
**ASKS COUNCIL**

By SYDNEY BRIDSON

LONDON, Dec. 2 (CP Cable). — Abolition of some units of the Empire's colonial system and grouping of others "to tidy up the show," with the Dominions playing a larger role in the colonies' guardianship, has been suggested by Prime Minister Jan Christian Smuts of South Africa.

Meanwhile, the House of Commons also discussed the Empire—its future and means of closer collaboration among its members after the war.

The Commons debate was initiated on an amendment to the address in reply to the speech from the throne regarding that Imperial Conference had not yet been arranged. The amendment, moved by Sir Alfred Beit, Conservative, was withdrawn when the House adjourned after the debate.

Both Sir Alfred Beit and Sir Geoffrey Shakespear, a former Parliamentary Undersecretary to the Dominions Office, endorsed the idea of Empire Regional Councils.

"Britain no longer can shoulder the burden of global Empire defence," Sir Alfred said in moving the amendment. "Canada will finish the war with the (world's) fourth largest air force, if not the fourth armed power, and it is quite clear she must be prepared to take her share of responsibility in maintaining the peace of the Atlantic and Pacific."

Calling for an ambitious scheme of immigration, he said immigrants to the Dominions have come from European countries since Britain could not supply the vast populations needed.

Replying for the Government, P. V. Emrys-Evans, Dominions' Undersecretary, said it was clear that the Dominions required a different kind of settler than in the past—skilled laborers to develop secondary industries instead of agricultural emigrants.

Emrys-Evans detailed the part the Dominions are playing in the war and said Canada's financial contributions relieved the British taxpayer of nearly £1,000,000 (about \$1,800,000) a day.

On the general question of Empire consultation, he suggested one way to improve the system might be annual meetings of Ministers of External Affairs. He said they might "possibly meet once a year before meetings of the new international organization which it is contemplated will be set up after the war."

An Imperial Conference was impossible in wartime, he said, but the Government had attempted to call a meeting of the Prime Ministers. It had not yet been possible to arrange a gathering but "it is very much hoped it will be possible to do so in the not too far distant future."

### C. HAY DIES AT MARYSVILLE

KIDWELLY, B.C., Dec. 2 (CP). — Charles Hay, 50, who has lived at nearby Marysville for the past eight years, is dead. He was formerly employed by Phillips Mine at Kimberley, B.C. in 1922, he came to Canada about 1925.

## Troops Flee in Disorder Toward Rome

By NOLAND NORGARD  
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ALGIERS, Dec. 2 (AP). — Demoralized German troops streamed back toward Rome in full retreat today from their defences near the Adriatic which were shattered by Gen. Sir Bernard Montgomery's British 8th Army. They also began demolishing the key city of Cassino in the central sector as Lt. Gen. Mark Clark's Allied 5th Army joined in splintering the enemy's "Winter line."

The four-day-old battlefield of Sangro Ridge at the Eastern end of the line was littered with enemy dead and wounded and wrecked equipment. Gen. Montgomery's victorious troops hammered at the withdrawing Nazis in comparatively open country while hundreds of Allied warplanes worried the enemy from the sky.

"The Germans are in full retreat," declared a special Allied announcement that revealed the extent of the disaster to Field Marshal Albert Kesselring's forces. "Reinforcements are being brought up by the Germans from Northern Italy."

Gen. Montgomery's warriors were pushing forward on approximately a 25-mile front.

**ABANDON EQUIPMENT**  
An indication of the serious plight of German troops fleeing before 8th Army forces near the Adriatic was seen in reports that they were abandoning great quantities of equipment. Previously in their stubborn retreat up Italy the Nazis have left little that could be of value to the Allies. They already have lost more than 1000 prisoners.

"No line of defence is left to the retreating Germans North of the Sangro River," said Radio France in Algiers.

A German communique broadcast from Berlin declared that Gen. Montgomery launched four heavy tank attacks in one sector on Wednesday. This was a clear indication that the Nazis had been routed from their hill positions, where only infantry could get at them in the initial stages of the bitter fight.

The 8th Army smashed forward as much as three miles Wednesday, despite renewed rains, minefields, and thick wire entanglements in its path. Seized in the advance was the town of Rosco San Giovanni, more than four miles beyond the Sangro. Further inland, official dispatches said, 8th Army units were "very near" the important town of Cassoli, 14 miles later on the Adriatic on the main lateral road that supplied the enemy's Sangro River defences.

A broadcast by the Allied-controlled radio at Bari, Italy, said Cassoli had been captured by the 8th Army.

Approximately 30 German fighter-bombers attacked the 8th Army in three formations during the day. Three were shot down. Not an Allied plane was lost from the day's many missions.

Allied reconnaissance pilots reported the Nazis were setting off huge explosions at Cassino in apparent preparation for abandoning that important stronghold. Cassino, only eight miles from the last reported Allied line, is on the via Cassino, main inland highway to Rome 80 miles away.

The Cassino demolitions were observed after Allied Air Forces battered the 30-mile German front guarding the Cassino area for three hours in one of the most concentrated attacks of the Italian campaign. At 10-minute intervals waves of planes swept over German emplacements and other defence works and smashed them into heaps of rubble.

The Berlin radio said the 8th Army had launched large scale attacks supported at the coastal end by three destroyers. The broadcast added that strong American units had succeeded in penetrating the German defence system at Scapoli, a village about 3 1/2 miles Northwest of Colli al Volturno in the centre of the line. Colli al Volturno, about five miles east West of Isernia, is the last reported American position in that area.

Apparently anticipating an advance by the 8th Army, the Germans launched two sharp counter-attacks in the Filigrano area about four miles North of Venafro and another Southwest of Mignano, which is six miles Southwest of Venafro but the Allied Command reported both were "completely repulsed."

**SET TANKER AFIRE**  
The other flying boat located between 10 and 12 good sized ships in a formation 45 miles South of Kavieng and selected the large tanker for a target. Direct hits set the tanker afire.

On the ground front, American troops infiltrated behind enemy lines near the Allied beachhead at Empress Augusta Bay on Bougainville in the Northern Solomons and killed 200 Japanese in a night attack. Enemy arms, ammunition and supplies were destroyed in this raid.

On the Huon Peninsula, Australians attacked the Japanese island jungle position of Warao Northwest of Finstufafen from three sides after defeating the Song River bridge.

More than 300 miles to the Northwest, heavy bombers dropped 111 tons of bombs on supply dumps at Wevank. Ten enemy interceptors were downed. Two of the bombers were lost to anti-aircraft fire.

On the Western end of New Britain island, just East of Cape Gloucester, Allied planes hit Borgen Bay with 54 tons of explosives.

In support of the Bougainville land forces, other planes struck the Buin-Faisi region on the South coast with 44 tons, destroying gun positions, ammunition and 21 buildings.

LONDON (CP). — Eggs have good food value but they have psychological value "because you always feel better after having an egg," says Lord Woolton, minister of food.



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### Big Conference on Venereal Disease Planned

Ottawa, Dec. 2 (CP)—A national conference on venereal disease—the largest of its kind ever held in Canada—has been called for Dec. 6-8 to plan means of combating a situation which has become "the greatest single public health problem of the Dominion," Foreign Minister Mackenzie announced tonight.

More than 100 delegates will attend, including authorities from the United Kingdom and United States. "We are just now emerging from the results of the tremendous increase in venereal disease which occurred during the last war," said Mr. Mackenzie. "Some of the cases we are still treating date from then. This time we are resolved that the reconstruction period after the war will not be blighted by the backwardness of venereal disease." The conference is "charged with determining the best way of exerting control in the Dominion."

A nationwide education and publicity campaign will be discussed—a campaign which will have as its objective not only the education of the public but also the medical profession.

Civilian community conditions which tend to help spread gonorrhoea and syphilis will be considered, and "in this respect it is likely that some revisions of the criminal code and health laws will be suggested," said the Minister.

Improvements in machinery for tracing of infected sources of the disease and contacts of known cases will be sought.

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### Additional Rink of Curlers Likely at Trail

TRAIL, B.C., Dec. 2 (CP)—A. Connor Allison, who started the season with the Trail Curling Club and then had to withdraw when he was transferred to Corbin, has been transferred back again. With three or four additional membership applications on hand, and Mr. Allison back, the curling club proposed to form another rink for current competition.

Results of Thursday night's games, all in the Hodge Cup competition, follows:

Dave McLellan & Francis Glover 5.  
E. W. Haslewood & W. F. Robertson 7.  
W. L. Wood & A. M. Chesser 10.  
T. H. Weldon & James Atwell 9.  
A. D. Turnbull & Frank Strachan 8.  
H. A. McLaren & Wm. Weir 9.  
Donald McDonald & Walter Brown 1.  
D. S. Wetmore & Ross Stone 8.

### Changeh Battle Continues

CHUNGKING, Dec. 2 (AP)—Chinese troops, having swept the Japanese from most of Changteh, killed several hundred more of the enemy today in bitter hand-to-hand fighting at the city's East gate, the Chinese High Command announced tonight.

The admission that the enemy retained a foothold within that doorway to China's rich rice bowl region followed an earlier announcement that the invaders had been driven out.

The struggle at the East gate, where the Japanese were said to have lodged for their last stand in the city, still raged tonight, after other Chinese forces had occupied seven towns in their progress toward tightening a noose around an enemy force in Northern Hunan.

Tonight's communique told of the recapture of the city of Linli in Northern Hunan and the encirclement of an enemy unit at Suchiatu on the South bank of the Yuan River near Changteh.

In addition to dropping supplies to the Chinese, United States planes destroyed Japanese supply barges on Tungting Lake.

Other United States aircraft, operating in support of Chinese troops far to the Southwest along the Salween front in Yunnan, attacked Japanese gasoline and ammunition dumps and bridges along the Irrawaddy River.

### Permanent Alberta B. C. Trade Committee Urged

VANCOUVER, Dec. 2 (CP)—Formation of a permanent Alberta-British Columbia Trade Committee was recommended in a resolution passed at closing sessions today of the conferences of Boards of Trade representatives from Edmonton, Calgary, Grande Prairie, Dawson Creek, Burns Lake, Prince Rupert, Vancouver, Victoria and New Westminster.

The resolution will be presented by the delegates to their own Boards of Trade and Chambers of Commerce for approval of the committee which would have four members, would meet at least quarterly and would foster trade between the two Provinces and export trade from Alberta and British Columbia.

Another resolution adopted by delegates stressed that Pacific Coast ports should play an important part in disposition of resources of the two Provinces, that economic interests of the two Provinces are complementary and that Government, business and agricultural leaders of Alberta and British Columbia should cooperate in the joint interests of each other.

### Okanagan Groups To Organize Valley Council

KELOWNA, B.C., Dec. 2 (CP)—Kelowna Junior Board of Trade, Penticton Junior Board of Trade and Vernon Business Club, agreed at a meeting here to organize a valley council representing the three groups.

It is suggested the new organization may be able to get united action on matters of interest to all organizations, and of benefit to the entire Okanagan.

### CONTESTS ASSURED IN CIVIC ELECTIONS AT VICTORIA

VICTORIA, Dec. 2 (CP)—Contests were assured today in all divisions in Victoria's civic elections as Labor's joint elections committee swung in an 11th hour school board slate which covered the general field in that division as well as the one-year by-election term.

All told 20 candidates seek office. Three stand for the mayoralty, 13 for five two-year terms as Aldermen, three for the one-year aldermanic bye-election, eight for four two year seats on the school board and two for the trustee bye-election.

### Trailite's Father Dies at Kelowna

Kelowna, B.C., Dec. 2 (CP)—Garrett Leslie Burth of Kelowna, father of Bruce Burth of Trail, died Nov. 21 at Kelowna in his 80th year. Born in Grant County, Ontario, he arrived in Kelowna to make his home 27 years ago.

Other survivors are his wife, Mrs. Gertrude Burth, and his daughter, Mrs. Joyce Goodley of Penticton, and two daughters.

### Cecil Fenwick, South Slokan Artist, Dies

A resident of Nelson and South Slokan since 1897, Cecil Fenwick died Thursday at Kootenay Lake General Hospital. He was 82 years of age.

Mr. Fenwick was a native New Zealander and a man of high family and educational background. At the age of seven he was taken by his family to England to begin his education. He attended Dr. Jessop's Grammar School at Norwich and later Lancing College at Lancing, England. He studied at Jesus College at Cambridge, and after studying art in Rome, returned to Slade's Art School in England. From England he came to Canada and to Nelson in 1897, moving to South Slokan in 1911.

His special works were scenic paintings of this District, and many of his paintings were shown at the Kootenay Club art exhibits here. His fishing was his hobby and he was a well known figure at the South Slokan Pool before the present war. Mr. Fenwick was married in Nelson 26 years ago to Miss Lorna Stuart Bellamy.

He was a member of St. Matthew's Church, South Slokan, and of the Canadian Legion, having served in the Canadian Army in Canada in World War I.

His wife survives.

### Negotiating Bacon Contract

LONDON, Dec. 2 (CP Cable)—Negotiations between Britain and Canada concerning the amount of bacon the Dominion will export to Britain after the end of the year still are under way, it was learned today.

It was understood that efforts are being made to obtain more bacon from Canada than the 450,000,000 pounds which Canada intends to export to Britain in 1944 and 1945.

This is a reduction from the 575,000,000 pounds sent this year and an effort is being made to amend it because of the vital importance of Canadian bacon to Britain where three ounces of the four-ounce weekly ration come from Canada.

Any reduction of the bacon ration here naturally would be a matter of deep concern. When Lord Woolton, now Minister of Reconstruction, was Food Minister, he declared frequently that further cuts in the present food ration, which is at the minimum to keep the nation fighting fit, would be serious.

Food Ministry officials, meanwhile would not comment on statements by Hon. J. G. Gardiner, Canada's Agriculture Minister, who told Regina interviewers Monday that "we are not going to keep upping the Canadian farmer to produce enough hogs to supply the British market when the British advise us they may not require our bacon production after the war." His statement followed an interviewer's question whether the recent reduction in the bacon contract would jeopardize Canada's possibility of retaining the British hog market after the war.

### May Promise Germany Freedom From Slavery

LONDON, Dec. 2 (CP)—A forthright promise to grant Germany post-war freedom from slavery under any power, however heavily she must pay for the war, appears to be a possible result of the predicted conference of Prime Minister Churchill, President Roosevelt and Premier Stalin.

In the current propaganda war of nerves, a pronouncement of "freedom from slavery" to the German people from the "big three" designed to lay the Nazi bogey of Europe's Bolshevization, would not surprise the British public.

There were indications or insinuations that Stalin might stand on a mere token occupation of Germany by the Red Army.

As unofficially envisaged in London, any "big three" declaration might assure the German people, as Stalin already has done that the Allies are not fighting them but their Nazi masters. It might assert:

1. The United Nations have no intention of annihilating Germany, but only her power of aggression.
2. Germany may retain roughly her 1918 boundaries, but like Japan, will be stripped of all conquests.
3. Germany will not be enslaved.
4. The Nazi regime must be abolished, leaving Germany to choose her own form of democratic government.
5. Germany will be free to develop her economic life within the bounds of honest trade and controls against rearmament.
6. Under stringent safeguards against aggression, Germany will remain a sovereign member of the European community.

### Report Stalin in Russ-Held Zone of Iran

LONDON, Dec. 2 (CP)—A Reuters News Agency dispatch from Istanbul, Turkey, tonight said reports had reached Turkey that Premier Joseph Stalin of Russia is at Tabriz in the Russian-occupied zone of Iran, waiting for Prime Minister Churchill and President Roosevelt. These reports said Mr. Churchill and Mr. Roosevelt left Cairo by air Wednesday.

(The Istanbul newspaper Cumhuriyet commented: "It is certain that the Allies will make an unconditional-surrender appeal to the Germans. The three statesmen must, therefore, take a decision on the form of German government with which they will be prepared to negotiate.")

### U. S. HEAVIES BLAST TURIN

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Kelowna, B.C., Dec. 2 (CP)—Garrett Leslie Burth of Kelowna, father of Bruce Burth of Trail, died Nov. 21 at Kelowna in his 80th year. Born in Grant County, Ontario, he arrived in Kelowna to make his home 27 years ago.

Other survivors are his wife, Mrs. Gertrude Burth, and his daughter, Mrs. Joyce Goodley of Penticton, and two daughters.

### Germans Launch Counter Blows in Cherkasy Sector

MOBQOW, Dec. 2 (AP)—Strong new German counter-attacks sprung up today in the Cherkasy sector between Kiev and Dnepropetrovsk, where the Red Army's latest bridgehead was established West of the Dnieper River.

German tank and infantry forces launched the assault in that sector of the Ukraine, field detachments said tonight, after earlier counter-attacks farther North against Zhitomir and Korosten, but were finally repulsed.

### Report Friction Over New Radio Program

WINNIPEG, Dec. 2 (CP)—Directors of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture issued a statement here tonight that it "is disturbed" by reports that there has been interference with the radio program known as "Things to Come, A Citizen's Forum of Canada in the Post-War World."

The statement said that "freedom of speech must be safeguarded at all costs."

The first broadcast of the CBC series entitled "Of Things to Come" was carried Nov. 18 from Ottawa after Dr. Augustin Frigon, Acting General Manager of the CBC, said it was unnecessary to submit the series for the consideration of the Corporation's Board of Governors.

Previously, War Services Minister LaFleche said Dr. Frigon had laid aside plans for the program pending study of the plan by "competent CBC authorities."

Before the decision was made to permit the series to go on the air, newspaper reports quoted Edward Corbett of the Canadian Adult Education Association—which was to sponsor the broadcast—as saying the Government opposed the series on grounds it was "far too political" and other published reports said "friction" had occurred between the Federal Government and the CBC over the program.

### 3000 Tons of Shells and Bombs "Softened" Tarawa

PEARL HARBOR, T. H., Dec. 2 (AP)—A better picture of the intensity and tenacity with which the United States Marines assaulted and captured Tarawa in the Gilberts was painted today in a comparison of the Marines' casualty figures.

Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, in a communique said the dead at Tarawa from Nov. 20 through Nov. 30 totalled 1026. A Fleet spokesman said these virtually all were Marines.

The Washington casualty list from Dec. 7, 1941 through Nov. 17—the eve of Tarawa—listed 3121 Marines killed. This figure included every Marine's action for nearly two years of the war—Wake, Midway, Tulagi, Guadalcanal, Rendova, New Georgia, Bougainville and Attu. The Marines thus lost nearly half as many men, taking tiny Betio Island, largest of the Tarawa Atolls—only 1000 yards wide and 3000 long—as in more than 23 months of war.

The figures also show 2687 wounded, mostly Marines, at Tarawa compared with 2596 wounded in the same 23 months in all other actions.

Further light on how well the Japanese were entrenched on Betio was shed in the disclosure that 3000 tons of bombs and naval shells were used in the week-long bombardment preliminary to an accompanying Marine land assault.

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### Says U. S. Will Emerge Most Powerful

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2 (AP)—Larry Hopkins envisioned today a postwar America "realistic" about its own interests, maintaining its giant sea and air fleets and becoming a great merchant marine power. President Roosevelt's close adviser gave this blueprint in a signed article written for American Magazine.

"We will emerge from this war the richest and most powerful people in the world. We must go to the peace table in the full dignity of our strength, fair-minded but not soft-minded, kind but firm, insisting upon the welfare of our people."

Hopkins indicated a belief that the U. S. will demand and get a world-wide chain of air bases for mutual protection of allies.

He forecast also these possible peace table proposals:

1. Destruction of Germany's capacity to make war.
2. Outlawing of Nazism and Fascism, with insistence upon self-determination for liberated peoples.
3. The U. S. is in the role of a world banker, willing to lend money to war torn countries for purchase of American goods. Debtor countries would have to guarantee that U. S. holdings would not be subject to expropriation and the loans with interest must be repaid in full.
4. Tariffs and international trade barriers to be lowered to encourage trade and make raw materials available to all.

### Consumption of Liquor Climbs

OTTAWA, Dec. 2 (CP)—Canadian consumption of spirits, malt liquors and wines is estimated to have reached a new high point in the year ended March 31, 1943, and the Dominion Government's revenue from such beverages now is three times greater than at the outbreak of war, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported tonight.

Reports for the eight Provinces in which Liquor Control Boards operate showed revenues to have reached the highest point on record. Prince Edward Island has prohibition.

The Bureau estimated that in the year ended March 31, 1943, Canadians consumed 4,908,923 proof gallons of spirits compared with 4,548,440 in the previous year and 3,443,985 in the fiscal year of 1939.

Estimated consumption of malt liquors for the past year was 87,819,326 gallons against 89,509,475 the previous year and 63,302,735 in 1939. For wine the consumption for 1943-44 was estimated at 4,567,597 gallons compared with 4,167,243 gallons in 1941-42 and 3,461,697 gallons in 1939.

Total Dominion revenue from the manufacture and sale of liquor, exclusive of sales tax, during the fiscal year 1943 was \$80,952,000 against \$60,710,000 in 1942 and \$45,669,000 in 1939. The revenue is made up of excise duties, excise taxes, excise duties on malt and customs duties.

### STATE OF EMERGENCY REPORTED IN TRONDHEIM

LONDON, Dec. 2 (CP)—A Reuters News Agency dispatch from Moscow today quoted Soviet dispatches from Stockholm as saying the Germans had decreed a state of emergency in Trondheim, Norway, following the assassination of a Gestapo official there. The dispatch said many arrests had been made.

### Perkers Flood Packing Plants

CHICAGO, Dec. 2 (AP)—Rolling into livestock markets throughout the corn belt in unprecedented numbers thousands of hogs, jamming the stockyards' pens, confronted packers today with a gigantic slaughtering problem.

The United States' biggest packing plants at Chicago were unable to handle all the porkers which arrived by train and truck despite pleas to farmers to stop shipments. Men with long experience in the stockyards said the congestion here was the worst in history.

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### Chiang, His Wife and Mountbatten Have Narrow Escape

A U. S.-CHINESE BASE IN EASTERN INDIA, Nov. 30 (Delayed)—President and Mrs. Chiang Kai-shek and Rear Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten, Allied Commander in Southeast Asia escaped death or grave injury by seven hours today when half of a heavy tiled roof fell directly on the spot where they had lunched earlier.

At the time of the cave-in of the roof of the luxurious Officers' Club the President and Mrs. Chiang were safely on their way to Chungking and Lord Louis to New Delhi.

All three had attended the North African conference. Before this disaster was received it was announced in Chungking that the President and Mrs. Chiang had returned to the Chinese capital.

### Kamloops Stock Sale Total Reaches \$51,000

KAMLOOPS, B.C., Dec. 2 (CP)—Average price of the Fifth Annual Christmas Fat Stock Show and Sale here today was 14.44 cts a pound on the hoof with the top price being 16 cts a pound paid by Gateway Stores Limited for the grand champion, a Hereford steer shown by Spencer's Harbourside Farms, Lytton, B.C. Four hundred head were sold.

Average price for carlots of 18 was 14.20 cts a pound and for groups of five 13.55 cts. Open singles averaged 13.61 cts and boys and girls singles 14.07.

Total turnover was \$51,536 compared with \$50,123 last year.

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# Handling of News Under Fire in British House

By ERNEST AGNEW  
Associated Press Staff Writer

LONDON, Dec. 2 (AP).—Brendan Bracken, Information Minister, answering questions in House of Commons today aimed at placing responsibility for the world-wide news leakage on the North African conference, said that "in my opinion they ought to be absolute security conferences in the future."

Apparently he meant that absolutely nothing should be printed about conferences from any source until the official news is released.

A speech at Vancouver yesterday by Malcolm Macdonald, British High Commissioner to Canada, was also brought into the debate.

Ernest Shilwell, Labor, asked if Bracken had seen Macdonald's statement to the effect that a conference between Prime Minister Churchill, President Roosevelt and Premier Marshal Stalin was about to take place.

"I did see the report," Bracken said. "I shall get a lot of messages from America today blaming us for another leakage."

Macdonald in a Canadian Club address was quoted as saying: "We may be sure that when the promised meeting between those four titans, Churchill, Roosevelt, Stalin and Chiang Kai-shek occurs, they will take powerful decisions confirming our partnership." Chiang Kai-shek has returned to Chungking, however, and presumably has not met Stalin.

Grilled about Press arrangements and the fact the BBC broadcast news of the conference to Europe 24 hours before it was released to

tion in the early editions of the London morning newspapers.

The London Star's Cairo correspondent called the conference Press arrangements "an incredible farce," with "every obstacle placed in the way of the accredited correspondents doing their job."

"A petition requesting intervention and aid was sent to Harry Hopkins by six different methods to ensure its delivery," the correspondent added. "It was signed by 47 correspondents, but nothing was done to alleviate the situation and the statement left the conference without according one Press interview."

"A most disgraceful episode occurred when a group of English and American correspondents attending a Thanksgiving service were insultingly ejected from the church."

## Asks Why Soldier Must Pay Own Way From Calgary

EDMONTON, Dec. 2 (CP).—L. Cpl. E. Beveridge of Edmonton, who has been serving overseas for more than three years and badly wounded in the leg at Dunkerque, complained on arrival today of treatment of wounded soldiers from Calgary to their homes.

"I am not talking on behalf of myself or the others with me, but those who will follow us home from overseas," he said.

"The boys are wondering why they must pay their own fares from Calgary home after being invalided back from service overseas," he continued.

"They are wondering why, after being royally treated in England, aboard the hospital ship Lady Nelson, and on the Canadian hospital train from Halifax on, they should be compelled to continue from Calgary to their homes without sleeping car accommodation. They also wonder why wives and other close relatives of the returning men were not allowed through the barriers at the station to greet the returning men. They also wonder why walking patients were put on trucks and taken to barracks as soon as they arrived in Calgary," he said.

Officers of the Edmonton Branch of the Canadian Legion said Monday they will interview Hon. James A. Macdonald, Minister of Trade and Commerce now visiting this city, on the possibility of obtaining free transportation to any part of Canada by rail for men of the armed services.

Officers said they had received complaints that soldiers returning from overseas to their homes in Canada, have had to pay their own fare from Calgary, headquarters of Military District No. 13, to their homes here.

# Canadians Score Two 'Probables' in U-Boat Action

LONDON, Dec. 2 (CP).—Members of the R. C. A. F. Demon Squadron recently scored two "probables"—and one "scared under"—in hot actions against Nazi U-boats in the Bay of Biscay, the R. C. A. F. Headquarters announced.

Wellington bombers with all-Canadian crews made the attacks, miles apart and at different times. In each case the planes went down through heavy flak to straddle the subs with depth charges from low level. When they wheeled to finish the job, the U-boats had vanished.

Both bombers were captained by Alberta boys—F. H. S. (Doc) Thomson of Nemiskam, and P. W. W. (Pete) Heron of Edmonton.

Thomson's bomber saw the most action. It found a U-boat fully surfaced and the Nazi gunners were on deck manning three anti-aircraft guns. The sub opened fire as soon as the aircraft came within range, but P. W. George Ashie of Millie Boches, Ont., operating the front gun, shot back at them, getting a 10-second burst of about 300 rounds. German flak burst all around but

getting in one short burst before the gun jammed.

Six depth charges dropped from 75 feet and the Wellington came around in a steep, fast bank to find the submarine gone.

The crew also included P. R. C. (Bob) Hayes of Agassia, B.C.

Thomson's ship made a second attack on a U-boat the same night it scored its probable, but the crew isn't making any claims. Out of depth charges, they faked an attack and the U-boat went under.

Thomson and Ashie had finished their 50th trip with the R. C. A. F. Demon Squadron on that score. For Heron's crew it was the 18th trip and they had done 17 patrols without sighting an enemy.

## Canadians Won't Be Cold If They Are Careful Says Howe

OTTAWA, Dec. 2 (CP).—No Canadians will go cold this winter from a coal shortage if everyone is careful, Munitions Minister Howe said today.

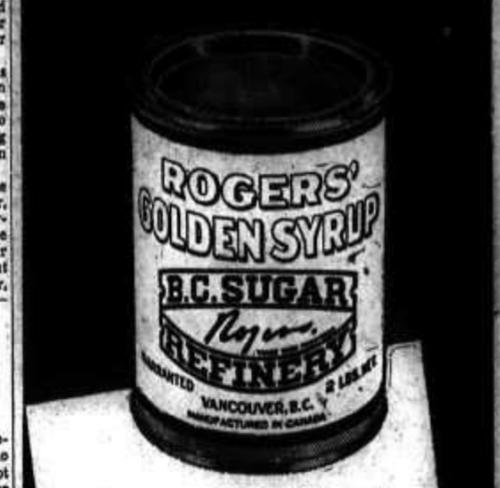
At a Press conference during which he reviewed a wide range of topics, Mr. Howe said the coal situation is "much better than we had any right to anticipate," and had been helped by a mild autumn that had resulted in a saving of 10 per cent of the normal coal consumption up to Dec. 1.

Dealing with war industry in general, Mr. Howe and H. J. Carmichael, his coordinator of production, said war employment in Canadian industry this month is at its peak but there is no unemployment in sight.

Mr. Carmichael said highest priority industries at present have places for 65,000 men and 16,000 women.

Mr. Howe described the gasoline supply situation as "very tight" but said the asphalt situation has eased and some relief is in sight for industrial users of heavy fuel oil.

## 21 TINS AGAIN AVAILABLE



Here's welcome news for every family in Western Canada, for everyone with a sweet tooth. The temporary war-time 3 1/2 lb. glass jar of Rogers' Golden Syrup has been replaced by the regular pro-war 2 1/2 lb. tin, which is obtainable for just TWO "D" RATION COUPONS.

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**New Firing Method Preserves Coal**

Nineteen years of research and tests at the University of Illinois has resulted in saving millions of dollars for warm air furnace users in the United States.

A new firing method for burning soft coal has recently been developed and proved at the University of Illinois which makes possible further savings. Coal dealers in the U. S. and Canada are urging this new "nut and slack" method as a means of saving fuel this winter.

"Any clean nut or egg size coal is satisfactory when this method is used," explains Prof. J. R. Fellows. "Nut coal 2 or 3 inches in diameter is most desirable. With lump coal the large pieces must be broken.

"Slack is coal that is much finer than nut. Screenings, yard forkings, or stoker coal all are satisfactory. Fine coal from the regular pile can be used."

He gives four rules.

"Do not fire fresh coal on top of hot coals. If hot coals remain over all the grate, probe the thinnest section and if practicable wait until

**NO TRACE OF MISSING ISLAND HUNTER**

VICTORIA, Dec. 2 (CP).—More than 50 rain-soaked searchers returned from combing the thickly wooded area between Shawnigan Lake and Koksilah Ridge last night without finding a trace of Kenneth Duncan, 21-year-old Victoria hunt-

**Conference Promises to China Hit at Jap Anti-Western Propaganda**

By FLORA LEWIS  
Associated Press Staff Writer

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2 (AP).—The three power proclamation assuring China repossession of all her lands stolen by Japan was believed here today to be a powerful counter blow against Japanese anti-Western propaganda and a bulwark for any sag in Chinese morale.

Travelers recently returned from China said that Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek's position has become difficult because of fantastic economic troubles which are throwing Chinese life completely out of gear.

The Japanese, they said, have seized upon the disillusionment of some Chinese for propaganda purposes. The joint statement of territories by Chiang, President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill, coupled with the assurance that further decisions have been made for an all-out offensive against Japan is bound to strengthen Chiang's hand, in their opinion.

They explained that the dispersion of consumer supplies has forced Chinese prices to rise to 120 times what they were in 1937, when the war with Japan exploded.

As a result, the Liberal Chinese intellectuals and professionals who live mainly on fixed salaries, and industrialists whose holdings were in occupied coastal areas have lost prestige in favor of old-fashioned landowners, less imbued with the spirit of Western Democracy.

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# Aggressive Child Should Be Able to Hold His Own

By Garry Cleveland Myers, Ph.D.  
If all the tots and ruffabouts in Canada who just won't fight, even in self defence, were assembled in one group, it would be a vast number. These non-resting children usually are pathetic, for they are so unhappy, make their parents unhappy and grow dependent physically and emotionally on their parents. They are practically always quarrelsome, often are bullies, and unless they learn to gain more courage, become timid, lonely children, youth and adults. In the meantime they also are haunted continually

with fears of all sorts. At school they may be the problems of their teachers, also constant tattlers at home and at school.

**UNASSERTIVE CHILD**  
Bringing up the child to defend himself is not easy, as illustrated by the typical letter which follows:  
"Would you please tell me how to help my son to become more assertive? Three years old he had a playmate, Arthur, the same age. Arthur is more aggressive and takes Dicky's candy, toys, shovel and hits and pushes him.  
When Arthur does something like this, Dicky cries and comes running to mother. My procedure, up to this point, has been to pay no attention unless he is really hurt or the crying continues for too long a time. When I do let him in the house after one of the battles he wants me to pet him and he tells me in self-pitying tone that 'Arthur pushed me', or 'Arthur took my candy'.  
They can't play together for five minutes without having Dicky start to cry. He never hits back or grabs his toys."  
**THE DOCTOR'S REPLY**  
As I wrote this mother, I am sure she is protecting, defending and pitying her child far too much. So long as he is not being endangered physically, give him practically no protection or pity.  
It is not easy to make yourself do this, of course, but you must if your lad is not to be a confirmed cry-baby and a sissy.  
It might help him to be in a nursery school or with another child his own age part of the time, who is not quite so aggressive as Arthur. Also, Arthur's mother would be wise to restrain her child as he down-looks over any other child. Arthur needs to play with some other children of his age who are more nearly his match.  
Mothers of babies and young children—Please do not tell your children not to fight. Let them fight in self defence, encourage them to do so; set the stage so they surely will do so. It may be well to show the timid, fearful child as soon as he is old enough, just how to use his bare hands well in self-defence.

**SOLVING PARENT PROBLEMS**  
Q. Do you have a bulletin on the child and his homework?  
A.—Yes, to be had for postage in the usual way.  
**New Denver C.W.L. Stages Annual Bazaar**  
NEW DENVER, B.C. — The Catholic Women's League of New Denver held the Annual Bazaar and Gnop Sney event in the Legion Hall. Committees were:  
Kitchen — J. Landreville, assisted by Mrs. H. Keisall, Mrs. Landreville and Mrs. Mathews.  
Tables — Miss Rose Zedra, Mrs. Sturins and Miss Mollie of Dufmont.  
Bake Table — Mrs. Christopherson and Mrs. Mathews.  
Sewing Table — Mrs. Schusabele and Mrs. Jeffrey.  
Prizes went to William Blanchard, Miss Takasaki of Seadon, Miss Frances Schusabele, Mrs. H. Clever and Miss K. Takahashi.

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# Posture Fatigue Sway Back May Be Reason Hips Stand Out

By IDA JEAN KAIN  
Hippiness is not always heft. It is sometimes sway back. An incurve at the small of the back makes the hips jut out. It throws your entire posture out of line, with head forward and shoulders back for balance. This is unnatural and makes you tire more quickly.  
Do you want to know whether you have at least a tendency to sway back? Lie on your back on the floor with legs straight down, and your back flat against the floor. If there is just enough space to slip the flat of your hand between your back and the floor, your line-up is all right. And if not, stay on your back on

the floor and flex your knees with feet on floor. Pull up and in with the lower abdominal muscles to press the small of the back against the floor, hold it, and relax. This is an extremely effective exercise.  
For one of the most restful positions you can get into, stay on the floor on your back. Now, flex your knees, clasp your arms about them, and hug to chest. In this way you round out the small of the back and also strengthen the back and stomach muscles.  
With an inclination to sway back, you must watch your sitting posture. If you watch it, you will find you have the habit of sitting forward in a chair, with shoulders reared back and a pronounced small of the back curve. To stop that, all you have to do is think. Your best working posture is with the hips well back in the chair, back of hips resting against the back of the chair, and spine in a straight line.  
Of course, you are supposed to have a normal curve at the small of the back. But with all too many women this curve is exaggerated. Get your back straightened out and you will look and feel better.

# Upward Climb Fight Against T.B. Keeps On

By LOGAN CLEWENING, M. D.  
Certain ways go on quietly year after year and so one sees any prospect of a time when post-war planning will be possible. These are the ways on disease. Some of them are ended quite dramatically. Such was the case with typhoid fever.  
**AN UNREMITTING FIGHT**  
What has brought this victory about? Nothing sudden, definite and dramatic like typhoid fever vaccination, but slow, hard unremitting toil by a number of workers all over the world using a number of methods.  
What are the elements in this hard individual toll that have brought us so far on the road to victory? First, unquestionably, is better and earlier diagnosis. We

can spot an active case earlier than we used to and so begin treatment earlier. And the earlier treatment is begun the more likely are we to have a good result.  
**REMOVING INFECTED PATIENT**  
More important than treatment of the infected individual, however, is that we remove him from contact with the rest of the family. For we know now beyond any doubt that tuberculosis is a contagious disease and is transmitted from one human being to another. The only other method of infection is by milk from an infected cow and we have largely liquidated all our tuberculous infected cattle.  
Lastly, instead of waiting for cases to come to the doctor, we employ case finding and the doctor takes the initiative in labelling a case. This is the reason for the preliminary examination in factories, schools, the Army, etc.

### Queen's Bay Miss Weds Fernie Man

QUEEN'S BAY, N.C. — A wedding of local interest took place at Blairmore, Alberta, Nov. 24th, when Elizabeth Isabel Fortson, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Fortson of Queen's Bay, was married to John Colgur, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Colgur of Fernie, B.C. Rev. E. Buchanan Arrol of Blairmore United Church officiated.  
The bride attended school at Queen's Bay and Nelson and is now employed in the office of the East Kootenay Power Co. at Fernie.  
The groom is employed in the Tri-Lake-Wood Co., Fernie, where the couple will reside.



This isn't an exercise. It's a rest, particularly for anyone with a tendency to sway back, for it rounds out the small of the back, and, to some extent, strengthens the lower abdominal muscles. Dixie Dunbar, 20th Century Fox player, is obliging enough to act as model. (There's nothing wrong with her posture.)

### Hints for Housewives

By BETSY NEWMAN

**TODAY'S MENU**  
Spaghetti with Tomato Sauce  
Green Beans  
Cabbage Salad  
Fudge Nut Cake

**SPAGHETTI WITH TOMATO SAUCE**  
1/2 cup salad oil or shortening, 1 clove garlic, peeled, 1/2 pound chopped beef or veal, 1/4 pound sliced mushrooms, 3 tablespoons minced green pepper, 3 tablespoons minced onion, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 1/2 cups canned tomatoes, 1 can tomato paste or puree, 2 teaspoons sugar, 1 cup boiling water, basil and other herbs to taste, 1 pkg spaghetti, grated cheese.  
Heat salad oil or shortening in heavy saucepan; add garlic and chopped meat and mushrooms, green pepper and onion, and saute 5 minutes, stirring frequently, until meat is browned. Remove garlic if desired. Force tomatoes through a sieve and add the tomato paste or puree, salt, sugar, and water, and let simmer, uncovered, over low heat about 1 1/2 hours, until mixture is thick. Stir occasionally to prevent sticking. Cook spaghetti as directed on package, rinse, drain and arrange on hot platter. Pour sauce around it and sprinkle with cheese. Serves 6.

**FUDGE NUT CAKE**  
1/2 cup shortening, 1/2 cup sugar, 1 egg, 1/4 teaspoon vanilla, 1 square unsweetened chocolate, 1 cup sifted cake flour, 1 teaspoon baking powder, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1-3 cup milk, pecan halves.  
Cream shortening until light, add sugar gradually and cream until fluffy; beat in egg and vanilla. Melt chocolate over hot water and blend with the cream mixture. Sift flour, measure and sift again with baking powder and salt, and add alternately with milk to creamed mixture. Pour into greased pan or glass baking dish and bake in moderate oven, 350 degrees F., for about 35 minutes. Test with cake tester or toothpick. Frost with Fudge Cream Icing and decorate with pecans.

**FUDGE CREAM ICING**  
2 tablespoons butter, 1 cup confectioner's sugar, 1 tablespoon cream, 1 square chocolate, melted, 1/2 teaspoon vanilla.  
Cream butter until soft and smooth; beat in half sugar, add melted chocolate, then mix in remaining sugar, vanilla and cream enough to give a smooth consistency. This is enough frosting for a small cake; double recipe for large one.

# Matriarchs Bossy Females Still With Us

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX  
In the Aegaeon, where plenty of fighting is going on at the moment—in the olden days some of the tribes were ruled by the women. These ladies were known as matriarchs, and they stood no nonsense from the men.  
It's a mistake to think that the matriarch died out with the prehistoric civilization of the Aegaeon. We have them today on every city block, in every hamlet and town. The dictionary defines them as: "A woman who rules her family; a mother who is head and ruler of her family and descendants."  
A letter came to this column the other day telling of one of these masterful ladies who had never forgiven two of her sons because their marriages displeased her. I hate to refer to these over-filial boys as "stamps," but they come to their mother's house with their unrecognized wives, leaving money and little gifts, which she never acknowledges while they are there.  
The daughter has never been allowed to marry. When a young man had the hardihood to call, the temperature of the parlor dropped to zero. The suitor never had the courage to come back, but if he did, he was told not to repeat his call.  
Father can't out and indulge in a game of pinocle with his cronies. Father is told to remain home of evenings, because he's old, his sight poor and he might be run over crossing the streets.  
She takes daughter's pay envelope, allowing her just enough for carfare and a cup of coffee which the girl drinks with the sandwiches she brings from home.  
The daughter, on the verge of suicide, writes me these things. And why should any self-supporting girl with a decent job put up with such conditions? Why doesn't she take up her residence elsewhere, and have a little life of her own? And why doesn't father take up his hat in the evening, go off and join his friends in a game of pinocle and let mother rave minus an audience?

### Test Recipes for Christmas Baking

BY LAURA C. PEPPER,  
Chief, Consumer Section,  
Domestic Department of  
Agriculture

Recent visitors to Ottawa's imposing grey stone Confederation Building which houses the Department of Agriculture, have been greeted by a tantalizing, spicy aroma that doesn't seem to belong to a government building.  
"Smells like Christmas around here" was the remark made by more than one visitor with a slightly surprised sniff. And they weren't far wrong for, in Canada's kitchen which is located in this building, the home economists of the Department's Consumer Section were busy at work setting cakes, puddings and cookies for Canada's fifth war Christmas.  
Plans for Christmas baking must be laid well in advance this year, for even the simple entertaining that is now in vogue puts a strain on rations.  
Before recipes are approved by the Consumer Section and passed along to Canada's homes they must pass stern tests, not only for practicability in view of available supplies but also for quality and flavour. These recipes have passed all tests with flying colours.

**White Fruit Cake**  
1/2 cup mild-flavoured fat  
1 cup fine granulated or fruit sugar  
3 eggs  
1 cup raisins  
1 cup mixed peel  
1 cup chopped, candied or maraschino cherries  
1 teaspoon baking powder  
1 teaspoon salt  
2 1/2 cups all-purpose flour or 2 1/2 cups pastry flour  
1/2 cup fruit juice or milk  
Cream fat. Add sugar and cream well together. Add eggs one at a time, beating after each addition. Dress fruit with part of the flour. Mix and sift remaining flour, salt and baking powder. Add alternately with the liquid. Mix in the floured fruit. Line a deep pan with greased paper and fill two-thirds full with the batter. Bake in a slow oven, 300 degrees F., for about 1 1/2 hours. Makes 2 1/2 lbs. a 7x7 inch cake.

**Shortbread**  
1/2 cup mild-flavoured fat  
1/2 cup butter  
1/2 cup brown sugar  
1/4 teaspoon salt  
1 egg yolk  
1 1/2 to 1 3/4 cups all-purpose flour or  
1 1/2 to 2 cups pastry flour  
Soften fat and butter slightly but do not allow to become oily. Stir in sugar, egg yolk and salt, using a wooden spoon. Mix in flour, adding it a little at a time until mixture is too stiff to work with a spoon. Turn onto a floured board and knead lightly, working in rest of flour as needed until the surface of the dough begins to crack. Roll out about 1/4 inch thick and cut with a small cookie cutter. Bake in a slow oven, 325 degrees F., about 30 minutes or

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### LANDING PUPILS SALE BRINGS \$18 FOR RED CROSS

JOHNSON'S LANDING, B.C. — A Junior Red Cross Sale was held in the School House, under the supervision of the School teacher, Mrs. M. Greenlaw. The goodly display of sewing and woodwork by the pupils, was completely sold out in a short time. A doll with many articles of clothing was won by Mrs. Martin of Argenta. A cushion top, with two matching tie backs, was auctioned by Dorren Lake and knocked down to Mrs. McNeill. Tea, donated by the Ladies of the Settlement, was served during the afternoon.  
It was announced the sum of \$18.25 had been made by the Johnson's Landing Junior Red Cross.

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### 2 WAYS TO MAKE JELL-O and JELL-O PUDDINGS Go Farther

UNFORTUNATELY, due to wartime conditions, no housewife is getting all the Jell-O and Jell-O Puddings she would like to get. But when you are able to get either, you are sure of satisfaction. Use them carefully and make them go as far as possible. Here are two ideas to help you.

**JELL-O CUBES WITH CUSTARD**  
2 cups hot water  
1 cup custard sauce  
1 package JELL-O (Strawberry, Raspberry or Cherry)

Dissolve Jell-O in hot water. Turn into shallow pan. Chill until firm. Cut in cubes. Pile cubes lightly in sherbert or parfait glasses. Pour custard sauce over the cubes of shimmering Jell-O. Serves 6 to 8.

Easy, isn't it? And here's an idea for Jell-O Puddings:

**JELL-O TRIFLE**  
1 package JELL-O PUDDING (any flavor, but vanilla is especially good)  
6 or 7 squares plain cake  
Home-made jam

Prepare Jell-O Pudding as directed on the package. Spread top of each square of cake with jam. Place squares of cake in individual dessert dishes. When pudding is cool, pour over cake and chill.

This recipe gives 6 or 7 servings of as delightful a dessert as you ever tasted. You can thank the unwavering quality of Jell-O Puddings for their full, rich flavor—that smooth, creamy consistency.

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# NELSON SOCIAL

By MRS. M. J. VIGNEUX

Charge for Engagement Announcements in This Column is \$1.00

• Ernest Smith, District Engineer, Provincial Public Works, left yesterday for Vancouver where he has gone to attend the annual meeting of the Association of Professional Engineers.

• Mrs. Arthur Lambert of South Sloon visited Nelson yesterday.

• Wednesday afternoon Mrs. M. DeGrolamo, Innes Street, entertained the Circle of the Cathedral of Mary Immaculate, when those attending were Mrs. Jean Kasper, Mrs. Norbert O. Choquette, Mrs. George Hennessy, Mrs. G. F. Stevens, Mrs. Edith Edgar, Mrs. Henry Lindhill, Mrs. Henri Gagnon, Mrs. Thomas Prime, Mrs. M. J. Versveld, Mrs. D. McInnes, Mrs. J. Murray, Mrs. L. Colett, Mrs. James Morrison, Mrs. Philip Bahal, Mrs. D. A. McPherson, Mrs. Joseph Sturgeon, Mrs. M. J. Vigneux, Mrs. T. L. Marquis, Mrs. L. G. McCallum, Mrs. Foley, Mrs. Tapp, Mrs. Lutzkitch, Mrs. W. G. Fullerton, Mrs. H. Korolek, Mrs. V. Doyle, Mrs. M. Scally, Mrs. Tony Bell, Miss Albertine Choquette, Mrs. J. McPhail, Mrs. F. Souci and Mrs. A. G. Gelinas.

• Mr. and Mrs. F. Erenenko of Castlegar visited town yesterday.

• Mrs. E. J. McGregor of Bonnington spent yesterday in town.

• Shoppers in Nelson yesterday included Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harty of Sloon City.

• Mrs. Margaret Morrow, Latimer Street, has as guests her son, Robert Morrow of the R.C.M.V.R. and her daughter, Miss Margaret Morrow, of Kaslo.

• Mr. Madaski of Salmo spent yesterday in Nelson.

• Visitors in town yesterday included Aylmer Costes of Bonnington.

• Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Fair of Salmo and their daughter were city shoppers yesterday.

**HOME ON LEAVE**

• Ronald Crawford, R.C.N., has arrived to spend a week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor E. Crawford, 309 Innes Street.

• Mrs. J. H. Armstrong and daughter Anna Dawn of San Francisco are visiting Mrs. Armstrong's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Kspak, New Grand Hotel.

• E. Chesette of Salmo spent yesterday in town.

• Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kennedy, Robson Street, have as guest their daughter, Mrs. Glen Price of Vulcan, Alta., who will remain in town for Christmas. Her husband is to join her at the holiday.

## Americans Lash Nazi Sub Base at Marselle

ALGIERES, Dec. 3 (CP)—American heavy bombers lashed out at the newly constructed Nazi submarine base at Marselle, Southern France for the first time today simultaneously with the disclosure they had nipped a German attempt to refuel French fleet units scuttled at Toulon.

Submarine pens and naval building facilities in the harbor, under construction for months, and recently nearing completion, were bombed, the special announcement said.

It was the second time in little over a week that planes from this theatre had hit German Mediterranean naval bases. In a raid on Toulon naval base Nov. 24 the big bombers caused heavy damage, sinking five German naval vessels probably sunk five smaller ones, severely damaging two armed merchantmen and doing extensive destruction to dry-docks.

Shipping experts disclosed this damage today after a study of reconnaissance photographs.

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## Olympia, Wash., Masons Honor W. K. Esling for 50-Yr. Membership; Rossland Ceremony Recalls Early Day

ROSSLAND, B. C., Dec. 3 — For 54 years a Mason, of which 53 years are as a continuous member in good standing of Olympia, Wash. Lodge No. 1, William K. Esling, M. P. for Kootenay West, was tonight presented with a 50-year membership pin and parchment.

Presentation was at Corinthian Lodge, A. F. & A. M., Rossland, and was made by W. A. Curran, British Columbia District Deputy Grand Master, acting for the Masonic Grand Lodge of the State of Washington.

The Masonic Grand Lodge of the State of Washington, as well as some of other States and some Canadian Provinces, present to a member who has been on the rolls in good standing for a period of 50 years what is known as a 50-year certificate.

The certificate for Mr. Esling was sent by the Washington Grand Lodge to the British Columbia Grand Lodge and thence to Deputy District Grand Master Curran.

Mr. Esling first joined the Masons in Pennsylvania 54 years ago, and then transferred to the lodge at Olympia, Wash., when he went there in 1890 as a reporter, serving among other newspapers the Tacoma Ledger, for many years an outstanding daily newspaper on the Pacific Coast.

John A. McLeod, Senior available past master of the Rossland Lodge, presided at tonight's ceremonial. B. A. Stimmler of Trail, British Columbia Past Grand Master, was also in attendance with Masons from outside points.

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## KIMBERLEY

KIMBERLEY, B.C. — AGI. JIM RAMSAY R.C.A.F. of Vancouver is spending part of his leave with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Alkman.

Miss June MacKenzie left last week for Calgary, to report for duty with the R.C.A.F.

Mrs. R. Dewar of Trail was a visitor to Kimberley.

Mrs. P. A. McArthur of Calgary is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. G. Wolfe. Dick Brenton of the R. C. E. spent a short leave with his parents.

Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Davis left last week for Montreal.

C. C. Cronin of Procter arrived in Kimberley on Sunday to spend several months as a guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. McKay.

Mrs. J. Downey has returned to her home from the McDougall Memorial Hospital.

Eric Turner, is spending a short leave with his family.

Mrs. F. Andrews of Moyie is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. Danielson and Mrs. George Whitehead.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Cord have as guests, the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miller of Creston.

## SLOCAN PARK

SLOCAN PARK, B.C. — Mrs. Wm. Woodoff is visiting her mother in Langham, B.C.

Mrs. Mck Cheschoff was a visitor to Trail.

George Polonikoff Sr. is spending a few weeks at Fruitvale with his daughter, Mrs. Larry Virgin.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reisoff of Winlaw are spending a few days here.

Miss Pauline Froehlich has as guest Miss Mable Gierhoff.

Recent visitors to Nelson included Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Orvascien and family, Miss Crebbin, Mr. and Mrs. Sam, Couchin and family, Sam Piondin, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Chernoff, Paul Cheschoff, Paul Markoff and Mrs. Mary Martin.

Walter Chernukoff of Tashum, visited Slocan Park Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Konkin were visitors to Winlaw.

Billie Polonikoff has returned from Turama, where he spent a week visiting relatives.

Lodge were diligent in attending meetings, for they had little in the way of diversion. On a dark Wintery night these faithful brothers might be seen by the light of the lanterns they carried, carefully picking their way around logs and stumps, to the lodge room. Over the same ground the pampered brothers of today travel to the Temple in automobiles and feel themselves deeply aggrieved if they do not find parking place at the front door.

## A TRAGIC FUNERAL

The historian recounts the fact that the cost of a funeral in 1880 to 1886, when the lumber was rickshawed and the coffin hand made, was \$86. The deceased was taken to the burial place in a wagon, rather than a gasoline hearse but no one of the deceased was ever heard to complain about his conveyance. One of the first funerals recorded in the minute book was for two members who had been ambushed by the Indians. There was a tragedy in one of the two wagons in the little settlement. In the other rode the bride of six months of one of the deceased. The day was dark and dreary and the road almost impassable. To do honor to the men who had given their lives to protect others, the citizens demanded a military funeral, and as such, music was indispensable. The band consisted of a fife and drum. As the procession wended its way to the graveyard, over and over again the band played the strains of "The Girl I Left Behind Me." This may have a judicious aspect now, but it was agony for a girl who was following a young husband to his last resting place. The people were simply doing their best to honor these Masons with the limited means at their command.

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- Celery, Utah, per lb. .... 13c
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SALMO, B.C. — Visitors to Nelson included Clarence Cawley, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Cawley, Smith Curwell, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fair and L. B. Oubine.

John Loddie is visiting Vancouver for a few days.

P. B. Rottler is a visitor to Spokane for a few days.

Mrs. Otto Lohm and daughters Elaine and Betty Ann are visiting relatives at Kamloops.

Miss May Larsen is a Nelson visitor for a few days.

Jack Hale and John Dehne of Whitewater visited their families over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McElroy and son and Mrs. Len Clark of Trail were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Strling.

Miss Fanny Ling of Rossland is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Butcher were Sunday visitors to the Nelson district.

Billy Stewart has left for Elnora, where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Smith and son, Dennis have returned from vacationing in Vancouver.

Mrs. Vis Stranburg and baby daughter have arrived home from Kootenay Lake General Hospital, Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Smith and daughter Joan and son David of Nakusp were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Mandan.

Mrs. E. Strang of Revelstoke was a visitor to Nelson at the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johns, Mrs. George McDougall, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lambert and baby daughter, L. G. Mory, M. G. Donaldson, Mrs. Vincent Spence and two daughters, Charlie Madaski and Alex Baruchukoff.

Mrs. Alex Baruchukoff, who spent a week with friends in Nelson, has arrived home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ringer and two sons of Trail were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Bradley.

Leo Hanson of Alsworth is visiting here for a few days.

Miss Marjorie Cawley, who attends school in Nelson, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cawley.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jetties and daughter May of Deep Creek have taken up residence in town.

## NAKUSP

NAKUSP, B.C. — Seven tables were to play at the party, sponsored by the Red Cross Association. The proceeds were for the Red Cross.

Miss Marjorie Cawley, who attends school in Nelson, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cawley.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jetties and daughter May of Deep Creek have taken up residence in town.

H. S. McLeod of Vancouver was a Nakusp visitor.

K. H. Donovan was a Nakusp visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Latta, Committee in charge was Mrs. F. Murray, Mrs. E. H. Strang of Revelstoke was a Nakusp visitor.

## On The Air

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9

### CKLN AND CBC PROGRAMMES

- MORNING**
- 7:45—O Canada
  - 8:00—CBC News
  - 8:15—Front Line Family
  - 8:30—Something Refreshing
  - 8:50—CBC News
  - 9:15—Stars of the Week (CKLN)
  - 9:20—Musical Magic (CKLN)
  - 9:30—Trade Winds Tavern
  - 9:45—Xavier O'Connell Entertains
  - 9:50—Time Signal
  - 10:00—Morning Visit
  - 10:15—The British American Way (CKLN)
  - 10:30—Just Relax (CKLN)
  - 10:45—Just Tell Me
  - 11:00—How You're Talking
  - 11:15—John Hancock
  - 11:20—Voice of Memory (CKLN)
  - 11:30—"Soldier's" Wife
  - 11:45—March Weber's Orch.
- AFTERNOON**
- 12:00—B.O. Path Broadcast
  - 12:15—The Notice Board (CKLN)
  - 12:30—CBC News
  - 12:45—To Be Announced
  - 1:15—Isabelle McEwan Sings
  - 1:30—Memory Lane
  - 1:45—Talk for Women

- 2:00—Schools Broadcast
  - 2:30—Eyes Front
  - 3:00—Don Messer and His Islanders
  - 3:15—Talk
  - 3:30—Man Merriman Sings
  - 3:45—CBC News
  - 4:00—Wendell Hall (CKLN)
  - 4:07—Voice of Memory
  - 4:15—Novelists
  - 4:30—Teatime in Melody Time
  - 4:45—News Roundup
  - 5:00—Memory Lane
  - 5:30—To Be Announced (CKLN)
- EVENING**
- 6:00—Once Upon a Time (CKLN)
  - 6:30—R.C.A.F. Quiz of Two Cities
  - 7:00—CBC News
  - 7:15—The Town Grows Up
  - 7:30—Evening
  - 7:50—Martin Whelan & Orch.
  - 8:15—Current Events
  - 8:30—Drama
  - 8:50—CBC News
  - 9:15—CBC Radio Newscast
  - 9:30—Current Events
  - 9:45—CBC News
  - 10:15—News Roundup
  - 10:30—Dance Orchestra
  - 10:45—Dance Orchestra
  - 11:00—od Save the King

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# Liquor Rationing Introduces the Queue in Canada

By SCOTT YOUNG  
Canadian Press Staff Writer  
Through widespread and enthusiastic

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but they have fundamental differences. A baby carriage here (to some homes the beer) and an angry muttering there (against the necessity of queuing at all) represent the main points of variance. The British don't beat, because they are used to queues, and they don't bring baby carriages because it would take about six months' ration of anything to fill one.

Some hardy Winnipeggers have shown a neat turn of individuality, too, by turning up for their queue duty with chairs and apple-boxes on which to sit.

Reports from Saint John, N.B., said that liquor queues in New Brunswick have been brief and infrequent for the last few months, but the liquor stores—open seven hours daily—are usually jammed and often the full ration of one quart of spirits, one bottle of wine and six quarts of beer is unavailable.

Halifax reports that Nova Scotia's longest queues form on Fridays, because the vendors are closed Saturdays and Sundays. They are open for 3 1/2 hours on other days and customers usually can get their full rations of two quarts of spirits or four quarts of wine or two dozen quarts of beer every month.

Quebec drinkers are luckiest of them all, despite the lengthy queues reported in the cities. Sometimes the queues stretch for two blocks in Montreal, but the liquor ration is 60 ounces every 15 days, with wine and beer rationed.

The Liquor Commission stores usually are open eight hours daily, with Montreal and Quebec City stores open for additional periods in the evenings.

Ottawa's longest queues come on Government paydays, and month-ends. Beer stores always have long queues, sometimes a block or more, and frequently sell out before the queue is satisfied. It is the same in most Ontario cities, with some of the longest queues in Toronto, but usually it isn't difficult to buy liquor rations—60 ounces a month. The Ontario beer ration is two dozen pints a month, and the wine ration two bottles a week.

Winnipeg queues have been among the most promising—in point of size, quality and fortitude (it's cold there)—in Canada. The liquor store hours are from 2 p.m. to 8 p.m. daily, but the stores frequently close much earlier when the daily ration is exhausted. Permit holders in Manitoba receive 26 ounces of spirits, 34 pints of beer and three quarts of wine monthly, with beer and wine hardest to get.

No queues are reported in Regina which, like the rest of Saskatchewan, has a ration of one 26-ounce bottle of spirits a month, three bottles of native wine or one of imported wine a month and three bottles of beer a day—if you can get it.

There have been small queues in Calgary, and moderate ones in Edmonton. Only beer was left for the thrifty in Calgary by the end of November, while in Edmonton the wine supply ran out before the end of the month. The monthly quota in Alberta is 26 ounces of liquor, 12 pints of beer and one bottle of wine. There weren't any queues in Vancouver yesterday, but liquor stores

# Drew in England to Open Ontario Offices

TORONTO, Dec. 2 (CP).—Hon. T. L. Kennedy, acting-premier of Ontario, today announced that Premier Drew arrived in England this morning where he will make plans to open offices for arranging agricultural and industrial outlets for Ontario goods.

He left Montreal late yesterday, Col. Kennedy stated.

Yesterday Col. Kennedy announced that Premier Drew was suffering from influenza for some days and was not expected back to his office for two weeks.

Col. Drew's departure was kept a close secret at Queen's Park and announcement of his arrival in England was a surprise to most Government officials.

Col. Kennedy said that through these office plans also will be made for extension of commercial trade outlets in various countries as soon as trade can be resumed. It is also intended to make special arrangements for assisting troops from Ontario in any problems which may arise during the period of demobilization.

# Queues Forming at the Bootleggers

WINNIPEG, Dec. 2 (CP).—The liquor situation gets tougher and tougher in Winnipeg and now it's queues at bootleggers.

There have been daily queues for weeks at Government liquor stores, but this is the first report of one at a bootlegger's establishment.

The man who told the story today said: "I was 13th in line last night."

# Kingston Course to Train Men for AMG

By FRANK FLAHERTY  
Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA, Dec. 2 (CP).—A Canadian Civil Administration staff course to train men to govern land freed from the enemy, will open Dec. 6 at Royal Military College, Kingston, Ont. It was announced today on behalf of the Defence and External Affairs Departments.

The training will be along the lines given to officers preparing for posts with Allied military government (AMG) by the United States Army at the University of Virginia, the United States Navy at Columbia University and the British Army at Wimbledon, Eng.

"The object of the course will be to train selected military officers to carry out various tasks of local administration, including aid, relief and restoration, in certain areas of continental Europe during and immediately after the period of hostilities in those areas and until local civil authorities assume responsibility," it was stated officially.

While the course will be under Army administration, it is intended to include a number of naval and air force officers in the first class of 24.

Some Canadian officers trained in the British school of administration at Wimbledon are already serving in administrative posts in Italy, it was stated. It is likely Canadians be trained at Wimbledon while those selected from the forces in Canada will go to R.M.C.

Officers for the course are being chosen from the active forces and will be men of 25 to 50 years of age, with "ability and experience in administration at the executive level."

Plans for the course are flexible and designed to meet changing circumstances. An advisory committee consisting of representatives of the Defence and External Affairs Departments has been set up and the instructional staff has been appointed.

LONDON (CP).—In the 18 months to Aug. 31, nearly 8,000 men and 1,500 women were prosecuted for being absent or being persistently late for work without reasonable excuse.

# Chinese Tighten Noose Around Japs in Hunan

CHUNGKING, Dec. 2 (AP).—Chinese troops were reported to be tightening a noose around a Japanese force in Northern Hunan today after occupying six towns and driving the enemy out of the important city of Changieh in fierce fighting.

The Chinese High Command said the towns of Tsui, Tsuyuan, Wang-maojan, Chiehshiao, Teshan and Shihmen were retaken along with Changieh South Station, across the Yuan River from Changieh proper, into which the Japanese had forced an entrance Monday.

It was disclosed that the Chinese defenders of Changieh were aided Tuesday by American fighter planes which dropped food and ammunition into the besieged city and also destroyed Japanese supply barges on Tungting Lake.

CANBERRA (CP).—A National housing scheme estimated to cost upwards of \$700,000,000 over five years will be started in Australia as soon as labor and materials are available, probably next year.

# Advance Release of Conference Draws No O.W.I. Comment

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2 (CP).—The office of War Information today has no immediate comment on publication by the Bayonne, N. J., Times of the official White House announcement of the Churchill-Roosevelt-Chiang conference in North Africa in advance of release.

The Times asserted the 7:00 p.m. E.D.T. Wednesday release time had been violated "not alone by foreign and domestic news agencies, but by the O.W.I. itself."



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# Mines Laid But No Major Aerial Action

LONDON, Dec. 2 (AP).—The Air Ministry announced today that R. A. F. bombers laid mines in German controlled waters last night, but there was no indication of any major activity. Two of the British planes were reported missing.

Two persons were killed and four injured last night by anti-aircraft fire when a few enemy planes flew over London and touched off a heavy barrage from the capital's defences.

Not a bomb fell in the London area.

There and all over British Columbia have been jammed for a week. One of the main reasons was the bonus of 12 pints of beer awarded the worthy B.C. residents by their Liquor Commission, an action Liquor Commissioner T. F. Kennedy admitted was a mistake because the crowds of bonus-seekers prevented some customers from getting their normal rations.

Some stores were sold out of beer before month-end because of the bonus, and the validity of November ration books was extended to tomorrow so regular buyers wouldn't be penalized. The B.C. monthly ration is 26 ounces of spirits, or 12 pints of beer, or a gallon of domestic wine or two quarts of imported wine.

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# Santa's Personal GIFT Recommendations

## and They All Come From the Nelson Store

At this time of the year there are so many things on one's mind that figuring out just what to give brother, sister, husband, wife, mother, father, uncle, aunt, friends and neighbor is most difficult. A visit to any one of the Nelson stores will prove to you that choosing Christmas Gifts is really no trick at all. Nelson merchants have on their shelves a wide and varied assortment of gift suggestions this year; tricky little ideas in almost every line of merchandise that will thrill both the giver and the receiver.

Really It's easy when you wander through the wonderland of Christmas windows and display counters.

TRY IT! DO YOUR CHRISTMAS GIFT SHOPPING IN NELSON AND SAVE.

### Santa's Advice: Shop Now—It Will Help Everyone if You Do

<p>THE MAYOR and ALDERMEN of the City of Nelson Invite you to spend your Vacation in Nelson.</p>	<p>BUY... "NELSON BRAND" JAMS AND JELLIES Products of the McDonald Jam Company, Limited</p>	<p>THE L.D. Nelson's Most Popular RESTAURANT GOOD FOODS GOOD SERVICE MODERATE PRICES</p>	<p>Call Us First for Coal, Wood, Work Coke, Moving or Transfer West Transfer Co. Phone 53</p>	<p>SPECIAL RULED FORMS Of every description at the NELSON DAILY NEWS Printing Dept.</p>	<p>Standard Cafe "Nelson's Popular Restaurant" The Best for Less</p>	<p>THE MAYOR and ALDERMEN of the City of Nelson Invite you to spend your Vacation in Nelson.</p>
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Kootenay Should Have T. B. Sanatorium

British Columbia today is short of 500 beds for the accommodation of cases of tuberculosis requiring sanatorium treatment.

Health authorities of the Province are fully aware of the need, but construction is not possible until after the war. Until then labor and materials for construction will not be available, nor operating staff.

Additional sanatorium accommodation is a No. 1 item on the postwar program of the British Columbia Department of Health.

Today we have sanatoria at Tranquille, Victoria and Vancouver. There is none in the Southeastern part of the Province.

Patients from Kootenay's 75,000 people have to go to Tranquille—and Kamloops is not easy of access. It involves a roundabout railway or railway and bus trip. Relatives of patients are put to exceptional expense in time and money if they visit Tranquille.

When British Columbia's Government proceeds to provide the additional 500 beds required, 100 should be provided at a sanatorium in Kootenay. The number of beds required is not picked at random. It is the number called for by records of cases, and by authoritative statistics, if the people of Kootenay and Boundary are to be adequately served.

Such accommodation will be required in addition to that provided for Japanese at New Denver, unless it should be decided that Japanese who are Canadian citizens—as are so many of the patients at New Denver—are to be cared for elsewhere.

Climatic conditions are as suitable for patients in Kootenay as at the Coast. Surroundings are better.

In sanatoria for treatment of tuberculosis, as in sanatoria for disabled and convalescent members of the armed forces, Kootenay has a right to insist upon equitable treatment in relation to the population to be served and upon such additional accommodation as is justified by the exceptionally attractive surroundings which the district has to offer.

Famous Commando Leader Solves Beer Problem in Burma

Lord Louis Mountbatten has solved the beer problem for his troops in Burma. He has instituted mobile breweries as part of the equipment of forward combat units. The apparatus is carried on a 1 1/2-ton truck. It consists of a boiler for water, a mashtub in which barley and water are mixed before the mash is sprayed with boiling water, a copper boiler in which the extract is boiled with hops, a cooler to reduce the temperature of the boiled extract, and fermentation vats in which the beer is brewed.

This Burma border beer takes three days to make, and must be drunk within 12 hours of brewing. It is cloudy because of suspended yeast cells, but that doesn't affect the taste. The yeast adds vitamin B to the draught, which is a help to troops in tropical climes. An expert brewer in India worked on the idea and finally got good results at a temperature of 95 in the shade.

Oil From Crow's Nest Coal and Alberta Shale

Germany is getting most of its gasoline from coal, and it looks from estimates of present North American oil resources quoted by Harold L. Ickes, U. S. Secretary of the Interior, as if Canada and the United States will before long call upon their resources in both coal and oil shales from which oil can be manufactured.

In an article in Collier's Mr. Ickes states that America's oil reserves are equivalent to 12 or 13 years' consumption at prewar rates, but that these reserves cannot produce at such a rate,

and consequently we must find new oil and find it fast.

From United States coal reserves oil at the rate of prewar consumption could be produced for one thousand years and still leave enough coal for other purposes. He does not mention the amount of Canada's coal reserves, but in relation to oil consumption they are even more enormous. Our Crow's Nest field in this Kootenay district of British Columbia could alone produce a colossal gallonage of oil.

United States reserves of oil shale would supply American needs for 65 years, states Mr. Ickes, and in Canada we have our huge oil shale resources in Northern Alberta.

Gasoline from coal or from oil shale will cost more than from oil wells, but as oil well reserves are depleted the higher prices will be paid for fuel for our internal combustion motors.

Kinsmen All

By GERALD B. REES

If one could step backward in time for half a century, it would find the writer a teen-age youth among the Old Country Downlands—where the coastwise lights of England watch the ships of England go. In those carefree days "When all the world was young, and all the grass was green", Canada was considered more than a vast unknown territory peopled with Indians and buffalo-hunters. Kipling in sardonic mood termed it "Our Lady of the Snows". Little could one have dreamed that 50 years later, Canada, "This Land of Ours", would be forwarding month by month substantial essential nourishment to the children of Britain as it battles in the bloodiest war of all time.

To pay honest tribute to the Kinsmen Milk Fund is simple justice, and to label the gay-hearted Kinsmen as generous sponsors is no more than right. Fitting also to offer need of homage to the parents of the children who are being so blessed with typical Canadian largesse. They do not look for any stony-eyed worship, but what they have endured bravely and without hate in their hearts will sing its way through history and forever tell of the eternal majesty and dignity of man in conflict with the powers of darkness. At such time as they figured that the odds against them were perhaps 50 to 1, they tore up the paper, threw away the pencil and carried on, knowing there was nought else to do, but sensing that somehow or other the final battle of the war would see them still in the ring with the victor's uplifted hand. The last battle in any war is the only one that really matters! Remember the London lad's reply to the query during the Blitz: "And what will you do, my boy, if your country loses the war?" Standing 'mid the rubble of his bomb-blasted slum, the little Cockney eyed his questioner up and down and slowly replied, "Mister, we ain't a goin' to lose this war!"

We need have no fear that having come thus far through the Valley, and with the uplands brightly lined with the world is waiting for the sunrise, the people of Britain will not remain steadfast to the end. They will not have their Sward of Justice sheathed until all the King's enemies cry—Enough! Enough! They have staked their all, with everything to lose and a new world to win. Dragon slayers at heart, they have Saint George as their patron saint. The children of the little island under the North Star are truly grateful to the Kinsmen and their willing cohorts of helpers. Naturally, they are more interested in fun than the future, and would have this war looked after by Superman and Joe Palooka, but we old fogies cannot leave the job to the fantastic figures of the Funnies! If I, as a Sassexed, may speak to the children of England, let me say that, among other affairs for which this war is being fought by their parents and their brothers and sisters and cousins in Britain beyond the seas, it is for the preservation of the high traditions of the Motherland with which we are all so closely united by ties that in some instances, are almost indefinable, yet none the less binding, no matter to what part of the Empire one presently belongs. We are fighting for the staunch England of red-haired Queen Elizabeth, and for the King James version of Holy Writ—and Magna Charta—for the voice of Chaucer and Keats and Shelley; for Milton and "Paradise Lost", and for Gray's "Elegy" penned in a village churchyard; for the storied dust within the ancient walls of Westminster Abbey, and last but not least, for William Shakespeare, and his "All's well that Ends Well!"

"All these sing the song of England whose words we cannot hear, We only know they sing for us a meaning that is dear. They sing perhaps her wise old soul that slowly tells to find, The way to freedom, faith and laughter that is kind."

Today's Horoscope

You are original, energetic, temperamental and restless if you have a birthday today. You are always doing things for others. You are level-headed and possess good common sense. Cultivate application. Plan less, but do more and you will find true happiness. If you are working on a night shift, at 2:45 a.m., your rate of production is probably up to the top score, two minutes after 3 a.m. is an harmonious aspect to plan a pleasant surprise for someone you love. At 6:18 a.m. worry about money may make you feel depressed and frustrated. At 10:37 p.m. keep away from the confusion that can follow a difference of opinion among your friends. Think for yourself.

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Test Yourself

- 1. In what opera is "The Anvil Chorus"? 2. In what opera is "The Bell Song"? 3. In what opera is "The Toreador's Song"?

Questions and 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.

A. D. Salmo—Will you please name the principal cities in Sweden?

Stockholm, the capital; Goteborg, the chief seaport; Malmo, a seaport opposite Copenhagen; Norrkoping, an important manufacturing town.

Reader, Nelson—Will you please describe the badges worn by members of the Women's Army?

"Athene", Greek Goddess of War and Wisdom, has been taken as the symbol of the Canadian Women's Army Corps. The badges worn on the uniform include the cap badge, consisting of three silver maple leaves on one stem, placed on a lossing of gilt, on which are inscribed the words "Canadian Women's Army Corps." Collar badges and buttons are also inscribed with the "Canadian Women's Army Corps." Collar badges and buttons are also inscribed with the helmeted head of "Athene" as well as the letter "C.W.A.C." In the beginning rank badges of officers were symbolic. Now that the C.W.A.C. has become an integral part of the army, all rank is designated in the same way as for male personnel. A Second Lieutenant wears on star or "pip", a Lieutenant, two; a Captain, three; and a Major, a crown, as do their brother officers.

B. V. H. Rossland—What actually is meant by a patent?

A patent is a deed issued by the government for a period 15 years in Canada and 17 years in the United States, in return for a full disclosure of an invention, and the best known method of way of practicing same, and grants to the inventor or those claiming through him as assignee, the exclusive right to make, use, and sell, the patented invention, throughout the Dominion of Canada or the United States of America and certain possessions thereof as the case may be.

T. L. Nelson—I would like a recipe for a spice cake in which you can use honey in place of sugar.

Spice Cake—One quarter cup butter, one quarter cup lard or shortening, one and a half cups honey, two eggs, three quarters cup sour milk, two and a half cups flour, two teaspoons baking powder, one quarter teaspoon cloves, one half teaspoon each of ground cinnamon, ginger and nutmeg, one quarter teaspoon salt, one half teaspoon vanilla and one half teaspoon baking soda. Cream butter and lard together well (all lard or other shortening may be used). Add honey gradually. Add well beaten eggs and beat thoroughly. Add mixed and sifted dry ingredients alternately with the milk. Bake in two 9 inch layer pans at 370 degrees Fahrenheit for 30 to 35 minutes, or in a 9 by 9 inch cake pan at 350 for 60 minutes.

Looking Backward

10 YEARS AGO (From Daily News, Dec. 8, 1933)

Division 3, Grade VI led the Central School in attendance during the month of November.

Mrs. C. E. Wragge entertained at bridge on Friday at her home on Observatory Street.

The Nelson senior hoopers took their first win of the season at the expense of the Trail Sheiks 26-21 Friday night at the Junior High School.

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

At a meeting of the City Council Acting Mayor Harold Selous was unanimously chosen to continue as acting mayor of Nelson until January, 1919.

P. T. D. Cells, in a letter to Miss Spencer, from England says that he is still with the colors.

Nelson Council last night decided that the ban on public gatherings should not be lifted. Mrs. J. C. Gore left Monday night for Vernon where she will join Mr. and Mrs. Corbett.

40 YEARS AGO (From Daily News, Dec. 3, 1903)

The local political situation still remains perfectly quiet, none of the candidates for Council for the coming year having declared themselves.

The Kootenay River Lumber Company's mill at Nelson is shut down for a few days to allow a new saw to be placed in position.

A pleasant informal dance was held last evening at the Success Club, and will be followed by another in the near future.

War—4 Years Ago

By The Canadian Press

Dec. 3, 1900—British bombers score direct hits on German warships in Heligoland naval base. British blockade of German exports goes into effect. Snowstorms interfere with operations of the Finnish-Russian front.

Words of Wisdom

Opposition and calumny are often the brightest tributes that vice and folly can pay to virtue and wisdom.—Rutherford B. Hayes. What is companionship where nothing that improves the intellect is communicated, and where the larger heart contracts itself to the model and diminution of the smaller?—Lander.

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Major General G. R. Peakes, V.C., C.B., D.S.O., M.C., General Officer Commanding-in-Chief, Pacific Command is shown here receiving the award of the Legion of Merit (Degree of Commander) from Lieut. Gen. Simon Bolivar Buckner, Jr., Commanding Officer, Alaska Defense Command. The award was made to General Peakes at the request of President Roosevelt.

Special Hours and Wage Regulations for the Christmas Season

VICTORIA, Dec. 2 (CP).—Special regulations issued by the Board of Industrial Relations regarding hours and wages for employees in the mercantile industry during the Christmas season have been announced by Adam Bell, Chairman of the Board.

In Greater Victoria and Greater Vancouver employees may work two hours overtime on Thursday, Dec. 23, as most merchants in these cities intend keeping the stores open somewhat later on that day and closing at the usual time on Christmas Eve. Provision is made for two hours overtime for Saturday, Dec. 24.

In the rest of the Province apart from Victoria and Vancouver merchants are given a choice of work-

ing their employees two hours extra on either the 23rd or 24th. Provision also is made for three hours overtime on the Saturday preceding Christmas with a special view of meeting the needs of rural communities.

In all cases the weekly limit of hours must not exceed 48. A rate of time and one-half the employee's regular rate of pay is prescribed for overtime, in excess of the regular daily hours.

The usual weekly minimum wage will apply to temporary employees engaged for the Christmas trade who work on a full time basis, but part-time workers of both sexes of any age receive not less than 25 cents per hour.

The regulations are effective from December 2-31 inclusive.

Well Laden Breakfast Tables Ready For Repatriates in Montreal

MONTREAL, Dec. 2 (CP).—More than 300 repatriates from Japan returned to their native Canada today aboard a special train to which they had transferred from the exchange liner Gripsholm at Jersey City yesterday.

A huge crowd of relatives and friends as well as about 100 newspapermen and photographers jammed into the wooden-paneled concourse of Old Bonaventure Station, as the long special slid to a stop and the repatriates—many of them getting their first glimpse of softly-falling snow in years—poured from the car doors.

In the background were long tables in readiness to give the repatriates their first meal on Canadian soil—a meal of coffee and tea, with orange juice for the children, doughnuts, sandwiches of ham, tongue and cheese, cakes, biscuits and apples. Red Cross workers helped the travellers through customs and to the breakfast tables.

The train came to a stop at 9:18 a.m., C.D.T. Included in the 217 repatriates were 19 invalid cases, some of whom were expected to be taken to hospital here to recover from a variety of ailments. Lt. Col. Elizabeth Smellie, Matron-in-Chief, Canadian Army, was among the welcoming group.

The women coming off the train included Mrs. Tom Fairburn of Vancouver, a nurse at Hong Kong before and after the fortress fell, who was met by her cousin, Mrs. C. Jarvis of Montreal. Mrs. Fairburn was able to continue her nursing duties in an internment camp at Hong Kong until her repatriation clearance was given.

The station was a bedlam as the travellers swarmed from the train to be greeted by friends, some laughing, some crying, but all of

Jap Sub Sinks U.S. Carrier

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2 (AP).—The United States escort aircraft carrier Liscome Bay, was torpedoed and sunk by a Japanese submarine during the Gilbert Island operations, and was the only American vessel lost during the engagement, the Navy announced today.

The Gilbert engagement itself has been described as one of the bloodiest in the Pacific area. Rear Admiral Henry M. Mullinnix, reported missing, was said by the Navy to have been aboard the carrier.

Captain Irving D. Wiffale, Commander of the Liscome Bay, also is reported missing in action. The total casualties have not yet been disclosed by the Navy.

The Liscome Bay was the first American escort carrier reported sunk since U.S. entry into the war and is the first carrier of any kind to be lost in more than 2 year. The last carrier sinking reported was

Gen. Chiang Assured Burma Road Will Be Reopened

By WILLIAM McDUFFIN Associated Press Staff Writer

CAIRO, Dec. 2 (AP).—Britain and the United States assured President Chiang Kai-shek that the Burma Road would be reopened in order to handle sufficient supplies to capture a Chinese coastal port for the main assault against Japan, it was learned today.

Indications were more definite than ever, however, that the main decision of Britain, the United States and China at the ABC conference was to mount a crushing all-out assault against Germany before throwing full power against the Japanese.

There was reason to believe that the Allied Command decided troops trained for the European assault could not be spared for a full scale Far Eastern campaign until Germany surrendered unconditionally.

This would not mean that the China-Burma-India theatre would remain inactive, because a heavy force of Allied troops already is there. But it is known that the conference took cognizance of the fact that internal differences between the poorly nurtured troops of Chiang Kai-shek and the sizable and active Chinese Communist Army must be overcome before

China could be opened as the primary base for direct attack against Japan itself. It is estimated that Burma Road can handle 40,000 tons of supply a month, whereas 1,000,000 are needed for decisive campaigning against Japan. Thus the commitment for reopening the winding supply route was predicted upon using the Burma Road to wrest a China coastal port.

Only then could food, munitions and troops be supplied for direct assault against the Japanese in North and East China where the bases nearest Japan are located.

One of the major points of discussion, it was learned, was the dovetailing of the projected drive into Northern China with the British view that it also was necessary to attack to the South and recapture Singapore.

Thus Chiang Kai-shek left the North African conference with high-powered, long-range promises. One person in the know remarked: "No one ever leaves an international conference completely satisfied."

Definite information on these points confirmed previously indications that the North African parley really was a "second front" conference.

General Was Only Moving His Bed

CAIRO, Dec. 2 (AP).—Soldiers assigned to guard the quarters of Gen. George C. Marshall, U.S. Army Chief-of-Staff, during the recent North African conference, were alarmed to hear violent screaming noises coming from the General's room one night after he had retired. Guns ready for action, they pushed inside to find the General calmly engaged in pushing his bed from one side of the room to the other. The bed, he explained, wasn't placed right, so he had decided to shift it to a more desirable position.

Tells of Loss Caused by Aluminium Strike

THREE INVERES, Que., Dec. 2 (CP).—James Walter Stafford, an official of the Aluminium Company of Canada at Shawinigan Falls, said in court here today that aside from the loss in production of 5,000,000 pounds of aluminum, the Company suffered a loss of "tens of thousands of dollars" in the recent strike at Shawinigan.

He was testifying at the trial of Phil Outier and Jean Jodoin, two American Federation of Labor organizers from Montreal, charged with inciting workers not to go back to work unless the Company met their demands at the outbreak of the strike, Oct. 23.

BATH, England (CP).—John E. Lewis, 64, one of the best-known surgeons in the west of England, died here.

This Lamp SPEEDS UP THE DRYING OF PAINT

SPEDDING the production of vital war equipment is this Edison Mazda Infra Red Drying Lamp. By drying paints and varnishes in a fraction of the normal time, it is cutting down delays in the finishing of military equipment—from tanks to steel helmets, from landing zones to ammunition boxes. On duty in the war plants today, Infra Red Drying Lamps will Red Army personnel—its paintshops and foundries, in the homes and on the farm.

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# SPORTS

## Leads Come From Behind to Take Wings; Canadlens Beat Hawks

TORONTO, Dec. 2 (CP)—Toronto Maple Leafs moved into a second place tie with Chicago Black Hawks in the National Hockey League tonight by coming from behind with a four-goal outburst in the third period to shade Detroit Red Wings 5-0 before 9,004 fans in Maple Leaf Gardens.

Lineups:  
Detroit: Franks, Simon, Egan; Gross; Brown, Carveth, Jackson, Lacombe, Howe, Bruneau, Jennings, Quackenbush, Smith.  
Toronto: Grant; Morris, Pratt; Hill; Boothman, Kennedy, R. Hamilton, Bodnar, Davidson, Carr, McLean, J. Hamilton, O'Neill.  
Referee: Norm Lampert; Linesmen: Jim Primeau, Eddie Mepham.

Summary:  
First period: 1, Detroit, Howe (Egan) 2:35; 2, Detroit, Brown 18:50.  
Penalties: Egan, Brown, Morris, Jackson.  
Second period: 3, Toronto, Morris (Kennedy, Boothman) 1:40; 4, Detroit, Brown 15:11; 5, Toronto, Kennedy (Morris, Pratt) 15:36; 6, Detroit, Carveth (Egan) 16:33.  
Penalties: None.  
Third period: 7, Detroit, Carveth (14); 8, Toronto, Boothman (R. Hamilton) 4:51; 9, Toronto, Carr (Davidson, Bodnar) 7:28; 10, Toronto, Carr (R. Hamilton) 13:13; 11, Toronto, Hill (Morris, Kennedy) 14:23.  
Penalty: McLean.

MONTREAL, Dec. 2 (CP)—Four fast goals in the dying moments broke up a closely-fought National Hockey League game tonight and gave Montreal Canadiens a 5-2 victory over the Chicago Black Hawks.

It was Canadiens' 13th game without defeat this season.  
Mike McMahon fired the goal that

## Brownies, Tecos, Gremlins, Mosquitos Win

Brownies 1430, Hurycanes 1541.  
Gremlins 1434, Blackjacks 1180.  
Tecos 1505, Magpies 1050.  
Mosquitos 1138, Grads 1185.

Brownies, Gremlins, Tecos and Mosquitos Tuesday night wrote up victories in the record books of the Ladies Bowling Club Fall tournament. Teams and scores were:

**BROWNIES**

H. Pearson	125	163	287
A. Brown	104	139	243
P. Gill	123	154	277
V. Phillips	147	211	358
D. Smith	82	103	185
Total	608	824	1430

**HURRYCANES**

G. Williamson	133	155	288
C. Farnell	139	197	336
F. Jones	133	151	284
L. Score	82	128	210
J. Gentles	123	180	303
Total	608	746	1241

**BLACKBURN**

I. Johnson	64	118	182
E. Woods	85	137	222
L. Score	44	104	148
H. Richardson	60	85	145
M. Ross	115	170	285
Total	468	732	1190

**GREMLINS**

M. McGovern	128	162	290
M. Dingwell	171	185	356
B. Ross	128	104	232
A. Shortbous	137	142	279
D. Waterer	146	164	310
Total	720	755	1475

**TECOS**

M. Spiers	88	107	195
N. Olson	123	158	281
A. Byrnes	101	152	253
F. Coles	172	194	366
H. Pilsby	104	110	214
Total	618	687	1300

**MAGPIES**

Peg. Brown	100	125	225
P. Nutter	80	125	205
I. Alexander	84	118	202
N. Bennett	128	126	254
Low Score	88	107	195
Total	480	596	1080

**GRADS**

M. Murray	104	116	220
W. Stern	82	103	185
O. Mills	88	122	210
H. Cotry	134	85	219
V. Hancy	69	134	203
Total	528	607	1135

**MOSQUITOS**

B. Mann	110	91	201
J. Ebnis	78	122	200
L. Score	82	85	167
J. Latham	108	214	322
M. Steiner	171	156	327
Total	638	613	1151

High individual—S. Coles, 172.  
High aggregate—Dot. Waterer, 310.

## Bombers Win Over Alumni Team

Blue Bombers of Nelson High School battled out a close but victorious game Thursday with an alumni team composed mainly of former students now in the armed forces, who are in Nelson on leave and were able to make up a team for the opposition.

The score for the Bombers was 25 and for the alumni team, 24. Despite the fact that they hadn't played basketball since they left Nelson High School to enlist the alumni boys showed plenty of pep, and they kept the Bombers pounding. Sgt. Pilot Roy Mann, formerly a bright spot on the High School Blue Bombers, dished himself 14 points and Alan DesChamps of the Bombers team scored 10 points.

The lineup was as follows:  
Blue Bombers: Bud Whitfield, 8; Ron Lyon, 1; Alan DesChamps 10; Bob Ahrens, 3; Dalton Boomer, 4; Bill Postlethwaite, Vernon Hall, Bill Benwell, D. Hall and D. Buchanan.

Alumni team: Pilot Officer Earl Jorgensen, 0; Sgt. Pilot Roy Mann, 14; Sgt. Pilot Martin MacLennan, 2; OS. Morrow, 4; Jim Riley, 4.  
Cpl. Jack Whitfield, R.C.A.F., was referee.

## Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, Jr.  
Associated Press Sport Writer

NEW YORK, Dec. 2 (AP)—Baseball's insurgents had about as much chance against Judge Bramham as Kingfish Levinsky had against Joe Louis—it was the same kind of a slaughter except that ring-side seats were free—and, like one of Joe's first-round kayos, it left observers wondering how they ever figured it would be a fight—before disappearing into a caucus at which the five out-voted league heads apparently were trying to figure out what they could save from the wreckage. Shag Shaughnessy came up with a big grin and remarked: "Well, I guess we gave 'em a show. I think it's good for baseball to bring these things out in the open."

**NOT SO UNUSUAL**  
Herb Pennock figures that his new post as boss of the Phillies gives his brand new grandson, Eddie Collins III, a unique position. "He's the only baby who has two general managers for grandparents," says Herb, totally ignoring the fact that almost all grandparents can qualify for that role.

**DREAM TEAM**  
Turn back the clock the right number of years and you could get up quite a ball team right in the hotel lobby—for a starter, how about Kiki Cuyler, Mel Ott, Leo Purocher, Charley Grimm, Joe Cronin, Jimmie Fox, Herb Pennock and Fred Fitzsimmons?—need a catcher, too? Skeets Dickey was around in his sailor suit shaking hands.



SITS UP 5200 TIMES: Latest U. S. Army craze, the marathon sit-up exercise, has now reached the total 5200 with Staff Sgt. Gene Jantzen, doing that number recently at Lincoln, Neb.

## Armed Services Back Navy League

VANCOUVER, Dec. 2—One of the most gratifying features of Navy Week, opening-gun in the big membership drive of the Navy League of Canada, has been the splendid cooperation of all three of the armed services. Clarence Wallace, Chairman of the League's Provincial Committee stated today.

Both here and in Victoria, personnel of the Navy, the Army and the Air Force have contributed programs of music and entertainment that have given a big boost to the current drive to obtain thousands of new members for the Navy League of Canada, the Dominion-wide organization recognized by the government as the group responsible for the welfare of merchant seamen of all the Allied nations whenever they come ashore at either coast of Canada.

## Bacon to Britain Now 1 1/2 Times Needed for Ration

EDMONTON, Dec. 2 (CP)—Hon. J. G. Taggart, Chairman of the Canadian Meat Board and Minister of Agriculture for Saskatchewan, said in an interview today that Canadian bacon exports to Britain now are running at 1 1/2 times the volume required to maintain the British bacon ration.

"I do not see any likelihood of the British bacon ration being reduced for the next six or eight months, judged by estimated hog marketings," he said.

## Hockey Standings

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

	W	L	D	P	A	Pt.
Canadiens	30	0	3	61	28	28
Chicago	8	4	0	49	48	14
Toronto	8	6	2	37	60	14
Detroit	5	4	3	44	37	13
Boston	4	8	3	52	59	10
Rangers	1	11	1	20	64	1

## Eight Tables at Saimo C.C.F. Whist

SALMO, B.C.—The C.C.F. Whist was held in the Community Hall, Nov. 26 with eight tables in play. High scores went to Mrs. J. W. Leamy, Mrs. Gerlie Waterstreet, Mrs. George Mathews and Mrs. Archie Bremner. Low scores went to Mrs. Archie Grey, Bill Purdy, George Mathews and Jack Bell.

**Here's how I feel about it!**

"Like all retailers, I get lots of calls from manufacturers' salesmen who want to know how business is . . . and what they can do to make it better. When they ask me what kind of support I need in times like these, I go to town . . ."

**1. "First of all, I tell them that they can help me most during these war days by advertising . . . and advertising consistently and regularly, not in fits and starts. And the advertising ought to reach all my customers and prospects. This, of course, means newspaper advertising."**

**2. "Next, I remind them that what I need is advertising that goes to work right here in this town, and in my own neighborhood . . . advertising that is keyed to local conditions, and tells people that they can buy the product at my store. You can't beat the home-town newspaper for that kind of advertising."**

**3. "I tell them, too, that I like to tie in my ads with the manufacturer's. This helps us both a lot . . . not only for special sales, but for normal, day-by-day selling. Of course there's only one place where we can work together this way . . . and that's the local paper."**

**4. "Finally, after giving my other reasons for wanting more newspaper advertising support from manufacturers, I clinch it all by pointing out that I use newspapers successfully for my own advertising . . . and what works so well for me is bound to work just as well for them."**

**Smart man, this retailer. He knows that he and the manufacturer are in business together to sell goods to people. And he knows that today especially, with the nation at war, manufacturers can produce more sales for their retailers . . . and themselves . . . by advertising in local newspapers.**



CANADIANS SKATE IN ICE FOLLIES: Michael Kirby, 18-year-old, six foot, two-inch Canadian amateur figure skater, and his partner, Norah McCarthy, also a Canadian and most recent winner of the North American championship, are shown in one of the routines that feature their act in the "Ice Follies of 1944".

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# TODAY'S News Pictures



**DECORATED:** Private Margaret H. Maloney, W.A.C., became the first American woman to be decorated for bravery in the Mediterranean theatre of war. Private Maloney was awarded the soldiers' medal for heroism for rescuing a soldier who had fallen into a pool of flaming gasoline. Private Maloney sustained severe burns herself, while preventing the soldier from being fatally burned.



**BRITISH BY-PASSED THIS ONE:** German engineers did a bang-up job of wiping this road off the map in the path of the British Eighth Army drive in Italy. The advancing Eighth by-passed the road and slogged ahead.



**FEMINE ATTACHE:** The manpower shortage has finally invaded the sacred circle of the British diplomatic set and here we have Mrs. Lionel Gibbs, 33, the first woman attache on the staff of the British Embassy in Washington, D. C.



**MUDDY ITALIAN BATTLEFRONT:** Jeeps and trucks of the 8th Army, plow through hub-deep mud while crossing a "dry" stream bed on a temporary road along the Italian front. In centre background, engineers work to replace a bridge blown up by the Germans.



**NEW POST:** Lieut. W. M. Landymore, R.C.N., of Brantford, Ont., survivor of two collisions during the present war, has been appointed gunnery officer of the flotilla with which the three Canadian Tribal destroyers, Inoquoia, Muron and Haida are now operating. He is a graduate of Royal Military College, Kingston, Ont.



**LIVES AFTER FALLING 700 FEET:** One of the war's most hair-raising experiences belongs to Pte. W. J. Robson, of Burlington, Ont., paratrooper who dropped 700 feet to the ground in Britain when his parachute became entangled and lived to tell the tale. Suffering severe injuries but on the mend, Robson is pictured in his bed aboard the Canadian Army hospital train carrying war casualties to their homes across Canada. Robson's chute opened only far enough to make him land on one foot, thus preventing instant death.—Canadian Army Photo.



**PORCELAIN EYES:** Rishi van Dusen, "the girl with the porcelain eyes," who appears in the movie, "The Bride of San Luis Rey," is conceded to possess the most gorgeous orbs in the cinema city.



512

by Louis Wheeler

**FOOT-WARMERS:** Meet the shoe cradle—crochet booties and slippers of inexpensive, warm Shetland yarn (2 strands)—rag for soles. Wear about home, with slacks, inside of heavy boots, after skiing, or save rationed shoes. Pattern 512 contains directions for all sizes in small, medium, large sizes; stitches; materials required. Send 20 cents for this pattern to The Nelson Daily News, Needlecraft Dept., Nelson. Write plainly pattern number, your name and address. Patterns will be mailed to your home in about 15 days. There may be some further delay in delivery because of the large increase in orders during the present season.



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**ON THE BEAM:** No kiddin', gal, you're cookin' on two burners when you stitch up this snazzy button-to-the-shoulder deak 'n' dater, Pattern 9485. It's solid stuff from the sewing angle—a glance at the diagram shows you how easy to stitch up. A real gal in wool mixtures, yummy in rayon! Pattern 9485 comes in junior miss sizes 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18. Size 13 takes 2 1/2 yards 54-inch, 3/4 yard 38-inch contrast. Send 20 cents for this pattern to The Nelson Daily News, Needlecraft Dept., Nelson. Write plainly pattern number, your name and address. Patterns will be mailed to your home in about 15 days. There may be some further delay in delivery because of the large increase in orders during the present season.

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**AUNT HET**  
By ROBERT QUILLEN

"I've got more pride than Jane. I don't even want Pa around the house if he'd rather loaf down town after supper than stay home with me."

LONDON (GP) — One of the best-kept secrets of the war, said Lord Strangford at a meeting in the congregation of Jewish communities throughout the world to the centre of the allies.

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REFLECTIONS ON what the declarer is trying to do will frequently tell you what you should do, especially if you can figure out what he wants you to do. Sometimes you will find him engaged in an effort to eliminate certain suits from his own hand and dummy, in the hope that he can make your side lead a certain suit to him. If you sense that, then select anything else you can in preference.

♠ Q 8 6 4 2  
♥ K 10 7  
♦ A 8  
♣ 7 6

♠ None  
♥ Q 8 5 3  
♦ K Q J 7  
♣ A J 9 6

♠ 7  
♥ A 9 2  
♦ 10 9 7 4  
♣ 2

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

(Dealer: South. Both sides vulnerable.)

South West North East  
1 ♠ Dbl Rdbl 2 ♠  
2 ♠ 4 ♠ 6 ♠ Dbl

When he heard his partner's business double of that contract, West fell terrifically about having lured him to it with his own earlier informative or takeout double, but not badly enough to make him try a 2-Diamond rescue. In fact, no rescue would have been necessary if he had played his own cards correctly, but he did not.

Winning the diamond K led with the A, South saw a prospect of two losers in clubs and two in hearts unless he could get the defenders to lead a heart at some stage. He made this desire so transparent that there was no excuse for what West did later. After two spade tricks, he eliminated diamonds by ruffing the 5, went to dummy with the trump suit, then brought back a club, the A killing the Q. West laid down the club 3—pretty risky when he did not know who had the K, whereas a small one would have been better if South had held four, including the K, and East two to the 10. The J won, however, and now West did just what South wished—returned a heart.

So the 7 forced the A, when backed up by South's J. That made the heart 10 finesse produce two tricks in the suit after the club return was ruffed and a spade furnished an entry for South.

When West returned the heart that time, he feared South was now blank in clubs. But, if so, East would have had five clubs. With those and five diamonds indicated by his bid of that suit, he almost surely would not have doubled 4-Spades. Hence he had only four clubs or three. So a club return was due from West.

**Tomorrow's Problem**

♠ K J 10 8 6 2  
♥ 7 4  
♦ K 9 5  
♣ 4

♠ A Q 7 5  
♥ A 8  
♦ 10 8 7 6  
♣ 3

♠ None  
♥ Q J 10  
♦ A Q J 8  
♣ K Q J 9 8 7

Dealer: West. Neither side vulnerable.

What bidding would you recommend on this mean deal?

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- Fetish (Ecol.)
- Doctrine
- Music note
- Degree of power (Physical)
- Thrice (mus.)
- Elevated train
- Hot
- Specks
- Skill
- Part of face
- Feather toy used by Polynesiars
- Mongrel
- Smallest estate (abbr.)
- Sphere
- Babies' toys
- River (Siberia)
- Young dog
- Frozen water
- Becomes dull
- Stream of water
- Noise
- Girl's name
- Ova
- Saucy

**DOWN**

- Kettledrum
- Repulse
- Chart
- Firmament (Ecol.)
- Shut
- Injury
- Constellation (Ecol.)
- Ball of medicine
- Push
- Scorches
- Frozen dessert
- Belge
- Indehiscent fruit
- Haul
- Short lance
- White linen vestment (Ecol.)
- Project
- Circular strips
- Polta (Ecol.)
- Burst
- New
- River (Eur.)
- Corrodes, as iron
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- Tear
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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY FOR SALE — FOUR-ROOM HOUSE, unoccupied but occupied. Water coal in. Two good lots. One block from street car. Perfect for owner to finish. Private sale. Box 2138 Daily News.

**Charges Doukhobors Allowed to Flout Canadian Laws**

REGINA, Dec. 2 (CP)—Charges that Doukhobors in Saskatchewan have been allowed to flout the laws and that "the situation in British Columbia is even worse than here" were made today by A. C. Stewart, K. C., M.L.A. of Yorkton, in a letter to Labor Minister Mitchell announcing his resignation from the Saskatchewan War Mobilization Board.

G. R. Bickerell, Saskatoon; Thomas Hill, Swift Current, and W. J. Lawless, Regina, also resigned from the Board, but Mr. Stewart, a member since 1940, was the only one to give specific reasons for his action.

Mr. Stewart directed criticism at Mr. Justice J. F. L. Embury as Board Chairman, and J. S. Palmer of Morden and C. W. McCool, K. C., Saskatoon, Board members. He objected to their ruling in the case of Robert G. Makenzie, 23, Saskatoon medical student formerly listed as a conscientious objector, who was reclassified and permitted to continue his medical studies.

The Canadian Legion, in a prepared statement issued Thursday, charged that the stand taken by Judge Anderson and the two members of the Board following Makenzie's personal appearance before the Board on Nov. 26, was a "direct reflection" on the late Mr. Justice Embury, who previously dealt with Makenzie's application.

Charging that the military representative of M.D. 12 had been treated in a most discourteous fashion since the appointment of the new Chairman Mr. Stewart said that "instead of harmony ruling there is nothing but a state of chaos existing in the offices of Division M."

Mr. Stewart said that from 1940 until the present he has constantly objected to the government's method of dealing with conscientious objectors and in various changes made in orders-in-council and departmental memoranda, as well as instructional memoranda received by the Board.

Doukhobors have been openly allowed to flout the laws of this country, even nonmilitary laws such as registration and complying with their notices for medical examination, he declared.

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