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WEATHER FORECAST

Kootenay: Variable cloudiness along mountains, otherwise clear. Winds light. Colder. Low and high at Penticton 14 and 32; Cranbrook 5 and 20; Crescent Valley 5 and 25.

To Seek Deal for Fourways Return

City Acts on Third Petition as Delegation of 10 Groups, Hall Mines Folk Carry Fight to Council Chamber

City of Nelson is to make "every endeavor" to retrieve Fourways Park and to reestablish it as a playground for children in the Hall Mines Road area.

This decision was taken by City Council Monday night after a delegation of over 35 residents and taxpayers from the Mines Road district demanded that the 1948 sale of the property to a private enterprise be retracted.

The matter was turned over to the Finance Committee, and a "satisfactory deal" will be sought with Frank Phillips, Nelsonite who bought the land to turn it into a tourist cabin site.

The delegation, also representing 10 Nelson organizations, reaffirmed "in most definite terms opposition to alienation of the Fourways Park."

(Last year delegations appeared before the Council twice, protesting the sale and conversion of the park.)

The group "most earnestly petitioned the Council to take every action necessary to retain the property which we understand has been *sold for business use, to public* ownership.

"Through the action of the 1948 City Council in the sale of this playground, children of the section have been deprived of a safe place to play," they protested in a prepared statement. "The fact that over 50 children are resident within less than two blocks of the Park and the fact that it has been used constantly by ball teams of a church academy emphasizes the need of its retention as a playground."

"SAFEST IN NELSON"

"Fourways is one of the safest playgrounds in Nelson. It is fenced completely along the highway front, and the most used entry is from the rear where there is no traffic. It is away from railway and street car tracks, and natural cliffs that are of some hazard at other playgrounds in the city. The safety feature of the park has been a boon to mothers of the Hall Mines area, who have been relieved of the worry of their children playing in the streets.

"We would like to point out that children are not allowed to use school grounds after school hours, and that all other playgrounds are too distant from the area for small children to make use of them.

"The business needs of the area are amply cared for by two neighborhood *stores*, while the main business section is but a few blocks distant," continued the petition.

"Because prolonged controversy in this matter is proving expensive in time and money to the property owners of the Hall Mines section and because we earnestly wish the soonest possible action by the City Council to return this ground to the children,

"We request the City Council to give our protest of this sale and our petition for return of the grounds to public ownership their earliest possible attention. We would further request that this body be given word at the earliest possible time of the Council's decision on this matter."

"This group represents 38 taxpayers in the Hall Mines Road area, and the following organizations:

"Parent-Teacher Association, Nelson School Teachers Federation, Order of Firemen and Engineers, Nelson Ministerial Association, Order of Odd Fellows, Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, Canadian Legion, Order of Eagles, Knights of Pythias and the Loyal Order of Telegraphers.

"If the Nelson City Council cannot make a decision in favor of the playground, then we urge you to put the issue to a vote to the taxpayers."

ELECTIONS ISSUE

The fight to retrieve Fourways Park has been waged unceasingly by residents of the Hall Mines Road section, where the playgrounds is located at the City's Southern entrance, since early 1948. The persistent effort, sparked in part by Percy Jeffrey, one of the original workers in the parks project, won growing support through the months. It became an issue in December elections campaigning.

A proposal early in 1948 that the City operate the site as a tourist trailer camp brought the original offer of purchase from Mr. Phillips. Immediately first opposition to the sale was aroused; property owners stated they were under misapprehension in signing a petition approving the sale, and retracted their support. A lawyer was engaged, and an injunction obtained against closing a road allowance in the park section to facilitate the tourist *camp project.*

Further opposition was aroused when the City moved to declare the area a business zone to permit operation of the proposed business.

SEES GROWING NEED

In an arear where traffic was heavy and was to be increased with the completion of the Nelson-Nelway highway, the grounds should be left to the children, Spencer C. Newell, President of the Nelson Branch, Canadian Legion, said. Backed, he was certain, by the Legion, Mr. Newell said that enforcement of playground speed limits would eliminate traffic dangers.

"If the children are told that they are not to be on the streets, the playground will be very much in use."

The other playground, six blocks uphill, "used to be a tennis court, but now it's only a rock pile," Mr. Newell said.

If the Knights of Pythias could possibly have kept up supervision of the grounds, Mr. Newell felt "this never would have come up."

Knights of Pythias turned the grounds back to the City last year, saying they could no longer handle the project. They had planted trees, erected fences and playground equipment, and for a few seasons had laid a skating rink.

"The Nelson Ministerial Association," Rev. T. L. Leadbeater submitted, "urges the City Council to retain and develop all public parks in Nelson, because they are instrumental in promoting the physical and moral development of youth and help to offset certain tendencies towards juvenile delinquency.

"Further, we think that such parks play an important part in City planning. Respecting the present issue over Fourways Park, we urge the City Council to reconsider the need for this park, and, if possible, to return it to public ownership."

Neglect was hardly an adequate reason to eliminate it, the Minister said. There were not sufficient grounds in the City, and "I would like to feel that adequate space was being set aside."

LARGE AREAS

Large areas in the City were set aside, Mayor T. H. Waters countered, mentioning the Civic Centre grounds, the Fairview playgrounds and the uphill area. Council was studying the possibility of an extension to Lakeside Park as a sports *field, he said.*

"There is a limit to the amount we can have."

The Mayor did not feel that Nelson was suffering from lack of grounds. "We have one of the lowest rates of juvenile delinquency on the continent. There must be a reason for it."

What was most important was to get an adult to supervise children's play, Mayor Waters said.

Mrs. C. E. Bradshaw pointed out what the loss of a playground had meant to the West Silica Street section. Youngsters were now playing in the streets, rather than on the corner lot where a machinery equipment building now stands.

"Perhaps there weren't always many children on the lot," Mrs. Bradshaw said, "but in the Spring and Fall 20 to 30 kids were playing ball there. Now, they're out on the streets." It was the same, she knew, up the hill, where a main highway was adjacent.

The City would never progress, she said, if it did not have lots for playgrounds and future *schools. Vancouver's use of $1,*-500,000 for purchase and improvement of parks in 1948 was cited by Mrs. Bradshaw as an example of the present day trend.

Alderman Alex Sutherland reaffirmed his stand of opposition, stating the sale would lead to serious consequences.

"NOT HALF ENOUGH"

It was during his term of office on the Council that a first request by a private owner to purchase the land had been refused, Alderman N. C. Stibbs said. He expressed himself as "sorry" the same judgment had not been used this time, and that the property had passed out of the Council's hands. "I still feel it was wrong judgment."

"Any progressive city of today is giving parks to children. We haven't *half enough here. Every block* should have a lot for small children to play on, for the more the population grows the more playgrounds we need."

Alderman Stibbs moved the Council make every endeavor to reobtain the lots in question, and reestablish them as a park.

A greater demand for playgrounds would come if the City of Nelson should extend her boundaries, a member of the delegation pointed out. "Why not retain the ones you have?"

If there was any possible way, Alderman N. R. Sardich said, Fourways Park should be returned to the children. "The people up there feel bad about it and the revenue we'll get will hardly be worth it. It's the future generation we've got to take care of."

During the latter part of 1948, the Council made an attempt to re-buy the land, but refused to pay a price of $2500. It was sold for slightly more than $2000.

Council, Mayor Waters pointed out, had always been "very sympathetic" in the matter of playgrounds. "This is my 13th year as a member of the Council, and every Council has been sympathetic."

DEPARTMENT SHAKEUP BEFORE JAN. 26

OTTAWA (CP) — A major shakeup in External Affairs—the Government department which shapes and administers foreign policy—likely will come before Parliament opens Jan. 26.

WEST KOOTENAY WORKER FOUND DEAD IN CAR

KELOWNA, B.C. (CP)—Sidney E. Elliott of Kelowna, B.C., an employee of the West Kootenay Power Co., was found dead in his car Monday. His death was attributed to carbon monoxide poisoning.

20 ABOARD LOST PLANE

HAMILTON, Bermuda (CP) — A British South American Airways plane carrying 20 persons disappeared Monday on a 1000-mile flight from Bermuda to Kingston, Jamaica.

EDMONTON (CP) — The British Columbia Government has rejected an offer of Federal Resources Minister MacKinnon to recommend that the Government make Mount Robson Park a Federal park.

JET CRASH SCATTERED OVER MOUNTAIN TOP

Believe Air Force Test Craft Struck at 600 M.P.H.

PILOT DEAD

VANCOUVER (CP) — The wreckage of a Vampire jet plane, missing since it crashed Sunday, was found Monday strewn over a 1000-foot area on the top of Dam *Mountain, about 15 miles North* of here.

Its pilot, Flying Officer John Allan Borrie, of the City of Vancouver Auxiliary Squadron, is believed dead. His identification card lay in the snow amid the wreckage.

A search party found the first part of the sleek silver craft about 55 minutes from its base at Grouse Mountain Chalet, half-way up the slope of Grouse Mountain in North Vancouver.

They found a wheel, then another part.

The discovery halted a full-scale air and ground search touched off when residents of the area told of *hearing a whine, a loud explosion,* then silence.

From the scattered wreckage R.C.A.F. officials estimated the plane, doing a "various speed" test, struck at 600 miles per hour.

It was Western Canada's first jet plane crash.

SAW SMOKE TOWER

Leslie A. Mitchell of North Vancouver, who saw the plane before it crashed, gave this account:

"I was standing beside my cabin when I heard it come screaming down. By the time I got around the *corner of the house it had crashed.*

"I saw smoke and what appeared to be dust rising four or five hundred feet into the air."

Borrie, a Reserve pilot who works with the B.C. Telephone Company in civilian life, has a wife and two-year-old daughter in Vancouver. A wartime ferry command pilot and bomber-pilot instructor, he has flown since 1943. He is rated an expert on jet planes.

Riot Refugees Won't Go Home

DURBAN, South Africa (CP) — Thousands of Indian refugees refused to return to their homes Monday night from the protected camps to which they fled during the bitter race rioting here.

For the first time since Thursday it was apparent that police and troops had halted the murderous native-Indian feuding. A constant patrol of police, soldiers and sailors is being maintained through the *streets.*

Casualties suffered by the Indians and the native Zulus in the fighting still have not been definitely determined. Police said 111 persons were killed in the rioting, touched off when a native boy was injured in a fight with an Indian peddler. P. R. Pather, Secretary of the South African Indian Congress, estimated the death toll at 300.

Treatment was given to 1184 natives and Indians at King Edward Hospital.

The problem of what to do with the Indian refugees worried city officials. An Indian source estimated there are 40,000 Indians in 46 camps in Durban and the surrounding area.

Add to Terms of Oakalla Escapees

VANCOUVER (CP) — Five girls who escaped from Oakalla Prison in two recent jailbreaks Monday were sentenced in suburban Burnaby Police Court to additional prison terms.

Thelma Nyman, 21, and Mavis McDonald, 20, who escaped Dec. 2, were sentenced to three months. Dorothy Chaney, 25, and Maureen McKenna, 21, who broke out Jan. 4, received the same sentence, while *Margaret McNeill, 20, who* participated in both escapes, received concurrent sentences of five and three months.

Things Overdone

QUESNEL, B. C. (CP) — J. B. Hutchcroft, Publisher of the Cariboo Observer, believes the jinx is overdoing things.

In an apologetic note to readers and advertisers he said several issues had been missed because: One staff member left; the other broke his wrist; and Publisher Hutchcroft fell ill.

The Prince George Citizen is *turning out the weekly until the* situation gets back to normal.

LADDER SAVES WORKERS FROM FATAL SHOCKING

VANCOUVER (CP) — John E. Jones is living testimony that 12,000 volts of electricity are not necessarily fatal—if the recipient is standing on a ladder.

Jones is in "fairly good" condition after he got the shock of his life while cleaning a high tension circuit at a British Columbia Electric sub-station.

B.C. Electric officials said Jones is alive only because he was standing on a ladder at the time. If he had been on the ground or a concrete floor, they said, the current would have grounded.

A co-worker said Jones' body apparently touched a 12,000-volt live contact.

Plight of China's Innocents

—Central Press Canadian

"The frozen bodies of 182 children and seven adults were picked up off the streets, as hundreds of more ill-clothed refugees crammed into the city." That is a verbatim news report from Shanghai. Fleeing the Nationalist-Communist war zone, steady streams of refugees are pouring into Shanghai every day. They have no funds, no food, no belongings, and cold has now added to the horror of starvation. This girl, carrying a baby almost as big as herself, has sunk down in sheer exhaustion to present a picture that might be one of China itself. *The photo was taken on a Shanghai street.*

Rita To Wed Aly When His Divorce Final

CANNES, France (AP)— Rita Hayworth and Aly Khan announced Monday they will be married as soon as he is divorced from his present wife.

The Aly Khan received newspaper men at his chateau near here and handed them typewritten statements from himself and Miss Hayworth.

He said "I am going to marry Miss Hayworth as soon as I am free to do so."

Miss Hayworth declared she is "in full agreement" with the statement made by the son of the fabulously wealthy Aga Khan.

Miss Hayworth has recovered from an attack of grippe in the seclusion of Aly's villa here, his secretary, *Mario Magliano, reported.*

Prince Aly, 38, explained that his second marriage, like his first, would be performed both by civil and religious ceremonies and that any children would be brought up as Moslems. Miss Hayworth, 30, is a Roman Catholic.

A source close to Miss Hayworth, who declined to be quoted by name, said that Miss Hayworth "attends *mass occasionally, seeks a priest* when troubled and considers herself a Catholic."

However, she was married in civil *ceremonies in both previous* marriages.

Annoyed by the world-wide comment resulting from his courtship of the Hollywood star, the Moslem prince said he hoped the public now will concern itself with something else and let them alone.

Much of the comment to which the prince objected was stirred when he and Miss Hayworth recently occupied a Swiss estate at which his British wife, whom he married in 1936, and their two sons also stayed. His wife left the next day, but the *two boys remained* with their father and the actress. Several London newspapers were critical of that chapter of the romance.

The prince said this meeting had been arranged in advance with his wife, the former Joan Yarde-Buller, because he wanted to see the children during the Christmas holidays.

Some day Prince Aly will inherit the wealth of his father, the Aga Khan, and the spiritual leadership of millions of Ismaili Moslems scattered throughout the world. The Ismaili sect honors the Aga Khan as direct descendent of the Prophet. In their eyes, he has the same stature as a deity on earth.

TORONTO (Tuesday) (CP) — Simpson's, Ltd., today declared a dividend of $1 a share on both Class *A and B shares payable March 15* to holders of record Feb. 15.

TOOK WIFE, BABY ALONG ON HOLDUP

CHICAGO (AP) — Michael Viti, 34, who police said took his wife and baby along on a holdup job, was remanded Monday on three robbery charges. Police said Mrs. Viti drove the getaway car and that the couple's 14-month old daughter was along in the $21 holdup of a delivery truck driver Dec. 23.

Drop Price of Furnace Oil

VANCOUVER (CP) — Standard Oil Co. of British Columbia Monday announced a half-cent drop in the price of furnace oil.

The decrease, placed in effect Jan. 11, cancels the increase made by the company last September. The saving will apply to all areas of the province.

Other oil companies have not yet announced whether they would follow Standard Oil's move.

Peiping End Near

NANKING (AP) — The Chinese Nationalists fled by sea from the Northern port of Tangku Monday amid indications that Peiping will quickly surrender or fall to the encircling Communists.

In Central China, the Government deployed troops estimated at 150,000 along a 300-mile Yangtze-river front for the defence of Nanking and Shanghai.

Foreign military observers said the effort seems hopeless and that 60,000 of the troops are in what look like suicidal positions some 30 miles North of Nanking.

NOT UNDER $2 FOR WHEAT

OTTAWA (CP) — Agriculture Minister Gardiner said in an interview Monday night that while British-Canadian negotiations have not been completed, it was *expected the 1949-50 wheat price* would be "not less than $2 a bushel."

His reference to the Anglo-Canadian wheat price concurred with indications from other sources that Canada likely will obtain $2 a bushel in the final year of the four-year wheat agreement, the same price as in the 1947-48 period. The price covers *the sale of 140,000,000 bushels in* the final year.

Search in S. Alta. For Kidnap Suspect

Suspect Sighted in Cranbrook, Believed Headed Through Crow; Wanted in Engraver's Kidnapping

CALGARY (CP)—An intensive manhunt is underway in Southern Alberta for a suspect in the Vancouver kidnapping of a 66-year-old engraver.

Police disclosed Monday that the suspect was sighted in Cranbrook, Sunday and he was believed headed for Alberta via the Crow's Nest Pass. A road block was established at Lundbreck, Alta., about 60 airline miles Southwest of Lethbridge, Alta., but the search has not been successful to date.

The suspect, reported to be travelling under the name of MacMillan, *is wanted in connection with* the kidnapping of Ernest Conduit in Vancouver last week. The elderly engraver was found chained in the basement of a Vancouver District home by police last week. He had been kept prisoner by a group of men who allegedly were trying to make him use his engraving skill to produce counterfeit $20 bills.

The wanted man, possibly travelling with a woman companion, is described as 21 or 22 years of age, six feet tall, weighing 150 pounds and sandy haired. He is reported wearing a light colored top coat and posing as a former army officer. He is believed driving a 1938 or 1939 model car bearing B. C. licence plates.

Check Russia With Supply Ban Drew Plan

Free Nations Embargo Might Avert War Without a Shot Says P-C Chief; Calls for U.N. Action in China Crisis

VANCOUVER (CP) — Progressive Conservative Leader George Drew Monday advocated a "free nations" ban on the supply of potential war material to Russia.

He suggested at a Canadian Club meeting that such a ban be enforced until Russia and Communist-dominated countries give "positive proof" of their intention to respect the United Nations Charter.

"Such a course might bring Russ*ia to her senses," he said. It might* avert another war "without a shot being fired."

He urged the United Nations take immediate action in the Chinese crisis where, he said, the conflict today is a threat to the peace of the whole world.

Mr. Drew did not advocate any form of armed intervention in China, but he compared the Communist-backed invasion of China to the Japanese war against Manchuria in 1933.

MOSCOW GUIDED

"It is a threat unequalled since the end of the Second Great War . . . Communist armies are operating with the advice and assistance of Moscow and whatever areas they occupy (in China) will be added to the territory directed by the Russ*ian imperialists."*

"It is time for us to remember that the League of Nations lost its authority and lost its meaning when it failed to take any practical steps at (that) time."

He said Canadians could not *know all the details of the civil* war, nor could they hold a brief on behalf of the present Government, but he added:

"Who can doubt that such part of China as comes under Communist control will be as effectively within the iron curtain as *are Poland, Rumania, Bulgaria,* Yugoslavia, Czechoslovakia and other countries in Eastern Europe today."

Mr. Drew said there had been a strange reluctance on the part of the United Nations to deal with the Chinese situation.

MUST MOVE

"If history means anything, and particularly the history before the years of the last war, then the United Nations will become as impotent as the League of Nations unless they are prepared to discuss the situation. It must be dealt with in some way which will command the confidence of the free world and the respect of the slave world under Russian domination."

Mr. Drew, who arrived here Sunday, spent a busy day at meetings and in conference with party heads, and Monday night addressed a public meeting, discussing national and international problems.

He, accompanied by Mrs. Drew, will return East Tuesday, flying direct to Toronto.

Swiss Claim U. S. Auto Has Fenders Of Solid Silver

MILAN, Italy (AP) — Finance guards on the Swiss frontier said they were detaining an American whose automobile has fenders of solid silver.

The guards at the village of Chiavenna identified him as Ettore Armando Russo, 38, native of Philadelphia and now a resident of Munich.

They said the fenders, lightly varnished, contained 308 pounds of silver.

BUNCHE WOULD YIELD JOB TO COMMISSION

Armistice Talks Expected To Last Only Few Days

OTHERS TO MEET

By NORMAN ALTSTEDTER
Canadian Press Staff Writer

LAKE SUCCESS, N.Y. (CP) — Dr. Ralph Bunche, United Nations acting mediator for Palestine, announced Monday he expects the Israeli-Egyptian armistice negotiations to be over within a few days.

(See also story on page 3.)

In a cable to the United Nations Security Council, Bunche expressed the hope that the armistice talks will be successful. The talks began last Thursday on the Mediterranean island of Rhodes.

Bunche requested in the cable addressed to Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton, President of the Security Council, that he be relieved of his duties as U.N. mediator.

He noted that the Council had made provision that the Palestine Conciliation Commission, which met for the first time in Geneva Monday, should take over the mediator's duties at the appropriate time.

Bunche revealed that he has taken steps to bring other Arab countries into similar armistice negotiations with Israel. He said, however, he could not predict whether such negotiations would take place *in the near future.*

He added: "I hope that this will be the case."

U.N. Security Council Reaches Third Year

LAKE SUCCESS, N.Y. (CP) — The United Nations Security Council Monday observed its third anniversary. At its 401st meeting it was still considering a problem introduced the third time it met.

The 11-member body charged with responsibility for keeping the world's peace continued discussion of the Indonesian question after Council President Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton of Canada drew its *attention to the anniversary.* The subject of Indonesia first came before the Council Jan. 21, 1946.

Sees Embarrassment From Sales Tax

VANCOUVER (CP) — Herbert Gargrave, C.C.F. member of the Provincial Legislature for Mackenzie, Monday night blasted British Columbia's three per cent sales tax as "infamous."

He said in a radio address "Liberal members of the Government will be considerably embarrassed by the excess raised by the Tory-imposed tax."

He predicted sales tax receipts would be "several million dollars" in excess of the $12,000,000 estimated by *Finance Minister Anscomb.*

MOTHER UNABLE TO SAVE SMALL SONS

NEWPORT, Wash. (AP) — Two small boys burned to death in a fire which destroyed their farm home near here Monday while their widowed mother battled in vain to save them.

The victims were the five and six year old sons of Mrs. Lillian Chenevert. One body was recovered.

EARNINGS HIGHER

OTTAWA (CP)—Average weekly wage of hourly-paid workers in Canadian manufacturing hit a record high of $41.16 at Nov. 1, the Bureau of Statistics announced today.

A new high figure for hourly earnings — 95.5 cents — also was shown for the same date. The previous high was 94.6 at Oct. 1.

VOTE FOR MANY

VANCOUVER (CP) — Extension of the civic franchise to include the spouse of all registered voters was approved Monday by the City Council.

Council also approved the franchise for Chinese, Japanese and East Indians.

1948 Fire Loss in Nelson Smallest In Modern Times; Only $577

Fire loss in Nelson in 1948 was only $577, a record low for recent years.

The loss is equal to a per capita loss of $.032 on the basis of a population of 7000.

Damage to buildings was $397 and to contents, $180. Fire Chief G. A. McDonald reported to City Council Monday night. However, value of the buildings involved was $323,200, and of their contents, $213,600.

There was no loss of life or *serious injury through fire in the* year. Of four inhalator calls, two were successful.

In actual fire fighting, members of the *Department spent over 33* hours. A total of 226.3 miles were travelled in response to fire calls which numbered 99. Over a mile of hose was laid out.

Chimney fires were most prevalent, and were due chiefly to the burning of wet and inferior fuel. Children playing with matches and people smoking in bed still contributed to fire, the Fire Chief stated.

There was an increase in false alarms, it was noted, set off principally by two juveniles who were finally apprehended by the Fire Department. A court case and a conviction followed.

Building inspections for fire prevention were 860, and three fire marshal orders were served.

Members of the Department engaged in drill in all phases of fire theory, hose and pump practice, first aid and study. Hours of drill amounted to 74, and 2535 feet of ladder were raised and 5400 feet of house laid in the drills.

The year's activities included renewal of the Fire Hall roof by members of the Department, painting and panelling of the sitting room and dormitory, and other re*decoration in the apartment.*

Lectures on fire prevention were delivered to various service clubs, all schools and Kootenay Lake General Hospital, and fire escape methods were carried out and alarm gongs tested. New escape apparatus was demonstrated to city hotels.

The Fire Hall is in a "fair state" of repair, and the fire alarm system is functioning similarly, the Fire Chief reported. Any recommendations to be made for the Department would be contained in the yearly budget, he stated.

INAUGURAL MEANS GENEROUS NEW WARDROBES FOR TRUMAN WOMENFOLK

By RUTH COWAN

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Truman, like many another family man, will be glad of a raise when he gets the bills for the new clothes his women folks have bought to celebrate his inaugural.

For Mrs. Truman and their daughter, Margaret, it has meant gorgeous new wardrobes.

Margaret, blonde and 24, will attend the inaugural ball Thursday night in a gown so lovely it would do credit to any royal court. In it she will introduce a new shade, "Margaret pink"—a delicate shade between that of shell pink and pink *champagne.*

Thirty-five yards of silk tulle in the new shade were used in Margaret's gown, which has a full circular skirt and tight bodice of shirred tulle and brocade of pale pink satin and gold. It is over a taffeta slip in slightly deeper hue.

Mrs. Truman's ball gown is of black panne velvet and has a slight train. It has a wide circular collar which is heavily encrusted with hand-drawn white alencon lace.

Mrs. Truman's gown for the inaugural reception is of French imported pearl grey satin and dull silver lame in a feather design. Her *small hat is of flat ostrich feathers* in shades of pink, smokey grey and mauve.

Margaret will wear to this a black crepe dress with black lace top and shoulders. It is trimmed with wide bands of bronze taffeta. Her accessories for this outfit are bronze and her pink hat has a bronze feather.

For the ceremonies at the capitol, where President Truman will take the oath of office, Mrs. Truman will wear an afternoon costume of iridescent black and grey pure silk *rajah with a moonstone straw cloth* hat draped with black tulle and trimmed with a single mauve-pink rose.

Margaret will wear a red gabardine dressmaker suit with black accessories.

Maintain Church With Beer-Making; Monks Resume 600-Year-Old Trade

By RUDOLF E. JOSTEN

ETTAL, Germany (AP)—Brown-hooded and bearded monks of the Benedictine Order in the Bavarian Mountains have resumed making a liqueur from precious herbs, a business that the war interrupted.

The ingredients and their mixture are a jealously-guarded secret. All the monks will say is that its taste *is derived from various Alpine* herbs.

The liqueur is made in two colors, green and yellow. The latter, made *to suit feminine taste, contains only* 42 per cent alcohol. The green is stronger. Both brands are known, however, as the "Ettaler Kloster-likoer" (Ettal Monastery Liquor).

"The Abbey again has become a trademark for quality for which it had an international reputation," Father Johannes Albrecht, administrator of the monastery since 1912, said proudly.

BEGAN IN 1330

The Benedictine "Kloster Ettal" is one of the largest monasteries in Bavaria. It was founded in 1330 by the Bavarian King Ludwig and the monks began liqueur distilling in its early years.

Only a few of the 80 monks at the Abbey know the 600-year-old recipe for the two brands. Composition of the herbs, most of which they gather themselves in the mountain forests, and extraction of the juices from them are known only to those entrusted with the distilling process. The aging of the *finished product is another guarded* secret.

Production of the Ettal liquor was one of the financial mainstays of the *self-supporting monastery* located in this mountain village halfway between the Passion Play village of Oberammergau and Garmisch-Partenkirchen, scene of the 1936 Olympic Winter Games. Beer brewing also contributed to its upkeep and the maintenance of its beautiful church.

LATEST WORLD NEWS CARTOON —
"Banquet Busters"
Shows 7:00—9:00
NOW at the
Civic

Truman Inaugural to Be One of Fanciest

WASHINGTON (AP) — Plain Harry S. Truman's inaugural as President next Thursday may turn out to be history's fanciest.

Those in charge of the side line festivities promise more of almost everything. And better, too.

When Franklin D. Roosevelt took the oath as President for the fourth time Jan. 20, 1945, there was no fanfare. The United States then was fighting its greatest war and Roosevelt was sworn in quietly at the White House.

Less than three months later—April 12—Truman became President. But there was no celebration then. The country was mourning the death of Roosevelt.

This time it will be different. Truman has been elected in his own right.

The inaugural itself will follow the usual pattern—a solemn ceremony on the Capitol Grounds. A Congressional Committee is in charge of arrangements for this, the official phase.

This part will cost the taxpayers about $100,000. The committee is spending that much to build a platform and about 14,000 wooden seats for invited guests.

The formal ceremony will begin at noon when Chief Justice Fred M. Vinson administers the oath of office to Truman. Senator Alben W. Barkley of Kentucky will be sworn in as Vice President. Truman will give the customary inaugural address.

IT'S THE TRIMMINGS

But the trimmings, before and after, probably are the most extensive ever planned.

An inaugural committee, financed by Washington business men, is running the rest of the show. Truman will ride in his own inaugural parade, the first time a President has done this in many years.

Ordinarily, the President, after taking the oath of office, returns to the White House for lunch and rest. Then he goes to a reviewing stand for the parade.

An "inaugural gala" will be held at the National Guard Armory Inaugural Eve. President and Mrs. Truman and their daughter Margaret will be on hand and the price of the tickets depends on the nearness to them. Tickets for the "Presidential circle" are priced at $10.

3 Points for Snider in 4-1 Flyers Win Over Leafs

	W	L	D	Gf	Ga	Pct.
Spokane	28	9	1	185	136	.750
Trail	10	15	2	117	127	.407
Kimberley	11	17	1	123	137	.397
Nelson	11	19	0	109	138	.366

SPOKANE (AP) — Bill Snider scored two goals and assisted on a third Monday night as Spokane Flyers defeated Nelson 4-1 to sweep their two-game Western International League hockey series with Maple Leafs. The Flyers won Sunday night 5-2.

Bill Haldane, who was injured in a scramble during Sunday night's game, scored the lone Nelson goal at 3:56 of the second period when Spokane was two men short.

Johnny Rypien, and Cy Rouse completed Spokane scoring.

Lineups:

Nelson—Seaby; Barefoot, Tatchell; Kilpatrick; Allen, Haldane. Subs — Hergert, Nelson, Vickers, R. Koehle, F. Koehle, Lubeck, Bicknell, McClenaghan.

Spokane—Pickell; Blackett, Bentley; McBride; Snider, Rouse. Subs —Nadeau, Barchyn, Currillo, Scott, Petrucci, Luke Rypien.

SUMMARY

First period—1. Spokane, Rypien (Petrucci) 8:31; 2. Spokane, Rouse (Snider) 8:18.

Penalty—Tatchell, Kilpatrick) 3:56.

Second period—3. Nelson, Haldane (Tatchell, Kilpatrick) 3:56.

Penalties — Blackett, Nadeau, Barefoot.

Third period—4. Spokane, Snider (Rouse) 1:12; 5. Spokane, Snider (McBride) 16:29.

Penalties — Nelson, McClenaghan, Bentley.

Police Called As Students Clash In Quebec Teachers' Walkout

MONTREAL (CP) — Roman Catholic lay teachers, who closed up 25 Montreal schools Monday in a wage strike in defiance of suspension threats by the Catholic School Commission, heard a warning from Premier Duplessis that their walkout was unlawful and an "act of sabotage."

MONTREAL (CP)—Disturbances among students broke out at half a dozen strike-bound Roman Catholic schools Monday as teachers embarked on their first strike in the city's history.

As the 1700-odd teachers attended a strike meeting instead of turning up for classes, police were called to one school where a group of students fought with others who tried to prevent them from entering.

Meanwhile, at a meeting in Public Assistance Hall, spokesmen for the French-speaking Alliance des Professors Catholic and the English-speaking Federation of Catholic Teachers, claimed the strike was 90 per cent effective.

More than 70,000 pupils were affected by the strike which teachers called to enforce demands for wage increases. With basic salaries for women at $1000, they are seeking minimums of $1300 for women and $1700 for men.

It was estimated that 25 Catholic schools were closed tight while all others were affected. Principals were not affected by the strike. Neither were 50,000 pupils under members of religious orders.

Police were called first to Breboeuf School at Rosemount in the Northeast section of the city where students parading with banners pledging support for the teachers got out of hand.

Calls were received from half a dozen other schools in rapid succession.

Probably the biggest demonstration occurred in front of the Montreal Catholic School Commission offices where high school students paraded with placards. Eugene Simard, Commission Chairman, locked the office doors but no attempt was made to enter the building and the students dispersed.

PICKETS?

There were conflicting reports about pickets. Alliance President Leo Guindon said none were posted—"It is not necessary." Mr. Simard, however, claimed there was picketing and declared it was "seditious and illegal."

The Commission Chairman warned demonstrating high school students to return to their class rooms wherever teachers were on duty or he would close the high schools.

NO DAMAGE

Police said no damage was done in any of the student demonstrations, which started after the teachers had convened their meeting.

Just before the meeting started a group of 75 students from Plateau High School demonstrated before the hall bearing placards calling for "justice and security" for the teachers.

Few children turned up for classes.

Art Glashan, a member of the Strike Executive of the English-speaking Federation of Catholic Teachers, said 333 of the 351 teachers in his organization joined the walkout of the Alliance des Professeurs Catholiques de Montreal.

Priests in some churches Sunday morning told parishioners to send their children to school regardless of the decision. The Montreal Catholic School Commission has stated it will try to fill in the teaching staffs with replacements.

At present male teachers are paid a minimum of $1000, and maximum of $2900. Female teachers may start at $1000 and reach a high of $2000. The Commission has offered the teachers $1700-$3200 minimum-maximum for men and $1300-$2100 for women.

The English teachers, supporting their colleagues, said they would strike "when the Alliance strikes." Only 18 of the 247 English teachers voted against the strike.

FORMER AIRMAN PLEADS GUILTY TO TREASON

NEW YORK (AP) — Martin Monti, a 27-year-old former United States Air Force Lieutenant, Monday pleaded guilty to treason charges and was sentenced to 25 years imprisonment.

Monti also was fined $10,000. He could have been sentenced to death on the charges.

The Florissant, Mo., resident was indicted last Oct. 14 on charges he gave himself and his plane up to the Germans in Italy between Oct. 13, 1944 and May 8, 1945 after going A.W.L. in Karachi, India.

The indictment alleged Monti volunteered his services to the Germans, was released as a prisoner of war and broadcast for the Nazis from Berlin as Martin Weithaupt. Subsequently, the indictment charges, Monti became an officer of the S.S. (Elite Guard.)

After the Nazi capitulation, it was charged, Monti made his way to Italy and joined the United States Fifth Army.

Belgian Gov't Seeks Ont. Man On Murder Charge

TORONTO (CP)—The Evening Telegram reported Monday in a copyright story that the Belgian Government is seeking the extradition of a tobacco farm worker from Straffordville, 25 miles East of St. Thomas, to face a charge of murder.

The paper said a secret hearing in the case was held in Toronto and proceedings were adjourned to Jan. 20.

The accused is Arthur Matthys, 28 said to have been arrested on orders from authorities at Ottawa. He is held in jail pending his hearing. He is wanted in Belgium to stand trial on a charge of murder in the slaying of Armand DeVos in September, 1944.

The Telegram says that Belgian authorities charge that Matthys was a member of a group who killed DeVos in the town of Halltert, near Brussells. It said Matthys maintains his innocence and says he never met DeVos whom he claims to have been a German spy.

V. H. Tillson, Matthys' Counsel, is opposing the deportation order on the grounds that the case is of a political nature and that a person cannot be extradited for a political offence.

Mrs. Matthys, wife of the accused man, said her husband was an underground hero during the war and that the Nazis had offered a reward of 50,000 marks for his capture. He was captured once but escaped.

Matthys was arrested last Tuesday by R.C.M.P. on the tobacco farm of Odiel Veryser and is being held on a provisional warrant.

Veryser said he and his neighbors intend to fight for Matthys' release.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthys and their daughter, Illona, now four, came to Canada in 1947.

20 U.S. Airmen Killed in Crash

LOCH GOILHEAD, Argyllshire, Scotland, (CP) — Twenty United States servicemen were killed, police said, when a United States Superfortress crashed in dense mist 3000 feet up a lonely mountainside near here.

Police said there were no survivors.

"The moment the alarm was given, a rescue party set out," police said. "They came across the tangled wreckage in Succoch Glen, between the mountains around the districts of Loch Goilhead and Strachur.

"There was just a pile of burned-out metal in the glen.

"Nothing remained to be done except to search for bodies."

The plane was en route from Britain to Iceland. It was carrying 11 crew members and nine ground crew on their way back to the United States.

In London, United States Third Air Division headquarters, which controls 90 superfortresses based in England, confirmed the identity of the crashed ship.

A spokesman said he had no detailed information on the number of casualties but said rescuers have reported finding six bodies.

Reports on casualties conflicted. Two members of a rescue party said no survivors were found, another said some injured were being carried down on stretchers.

The superfort was carrying 11 crew members and nine ground crew and their baggage. Two ships took off together for Iceland, on the first leg of the journey home, but one turned back because of bad weather.

Trial of High Red Leaders Opens in U. S.

NEW YORK (AP)—Trial of a dozen high Communist leaders opened Monday amid defence counsel charges that a large police detail assigned to the trial was "a deliberate, purposeful effort to poison the minds of the prospective jurors."

The accusation came after one of the largest Court guards in New York police history was stationed in and about the Federal Courtroom to maintain order.

The Communist defendants are charged with working for the forcible overthrow of the United States Government.

At the outset, Federal Judge Harold R. Medina overruled a defence motion that City police be removed from the Court House and its vicinity.

Absent was William Z. Foster, National Chairman of the Communist Party, whose lawyers previously had indicated he would not be present because of illness.

The defendants, in addition to Foster, are:

Eugene Dennis, General Secretary of the American Communist Party.

Benjamin J. Davis Jr. (Negro), a Communist member of the New York City Council.

John Gates, Editor of The Daily Worker, Communist newspaper.

Robert G. Thompson, New York State Communist Party Chairman.

John Williamson, the Party's Labor Secretary.

Jack Strachel, National Education Director.

Henry Winston, National Organizing Secretary.

Irving Potash, manager of the Furriers Joint Council (C.I.O.).

Gilbert Green, of Chicago, Illinois State Chairman of the Party.

Carl Winter, of Detroit, Chairman of the Michigan State Council of the Party.

Gus Hall, of Cleveland, Ohio State Chairman.

Mrs. Mary Woykin Dies at 41

Mrs. Mary Woykin, a Crescent Valley resident for the past 24 years, died at the Kootenay Lake General Hospital after a lengthy illness, early Monday morning. She was 41 years of age.

Mrs. Woykin was born in Saskatchewan, 1908, and came to Glade, B.C. in 1912, where she resided for a time before moving to Crescent Valley where she has lived since.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Woykin is survived by two sons Peter and William; four daughters, Julia, Mary, Helen and Elsie, all living at home; her mother, Mrs. M. Hadikin and one brother William who resides on Granite Road.

New Kimberley Board of Trade Officers Elected

KIMBERLEY, B. C.—In the election of officers of the Board of Trade which now also includes the former Kimberley Retail Merchants Association, Board President H. L. Abbott was reelected as President. Vice-President will be Alphonse Fabro, and Directors F. J. Nemrava, E. D. Taylor, R. B. Macleod, John Achtzener, Frank Shaw, Fred Burrin, A. Muraca, Ken Blain, H. B. Robertson, W. W. Parnell, Mrs. May Slade, John Handley, A. Bentley, C. D. M. Chisholm, A. Sgro and H. Nicholson. Secretary-Treasurer will be appointed.

J. A. Bracken of Nelson was among the speakers, as Secretary of the Eastern British Columbia Associated Boards of which Kimberley is a prominent member. He reported the Association now has 18 affiliated boards from Greenwood at the Western limit of West Kootenay through both Kootenays to Michel, and North to the Slocan, Kaslo and Golden.

He emphasized the necessity for close cooperation among the affiliated boards working toward accomplishment of a major objective.

Dr. F. W. Green, M.L.A., addressed the meeting on the subject of the workings of the new compulsory hospital insurance, the purpose of the three per cent sales tax, and the proposed revision of liquor legislation to be considered at the coming session of the Legislature.

In acknowledging Mr. Abbott's thanks to the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company for assistance to the Board in 1948, J. R. Giegerich as Superintendent of the Sullivan mine said the company was always willing to help in improving the position and conditions in Kimberley.

CZECH LEADERS TO STRENGTHEN ANTI-RED CHAIN

WASHINGTON (AP) — Refugee political leaders from Czechoslovakia are planning within the next three weeks to forge a new link in the chain of Anti-Communist organizations bound together in the cold war against Russia.

The work of Czech leaders already here has been dramatized now by the arrival of a top Prague Foreign Office official, Arnost Heidrich. He was given a lengthy report on Communism in his country to the State Department and is expected to play an important part in the proposed new organization.

Everything is kept on an unofficial and informal basis. Still, it is becoming apparent that the Anti-Communist organizations are being developed and gaining strength with the tacit if not the express approval of the State Department.

Peter Zinkl, former Deputy Prime Minister of Czechoslovakia who escaped to the United States late last Summer, is Chairman of a Preparatory Committee that expects to announce in a day or so plans for a meeting here by early February to form the "Council of Free Czechoslovakia."

More Restrictions On American, German Weddings

FRANKFURT (AP)—In an attempt to check the tide of some 15,000 German-American weddings since the war, the United States Army has forbidden marriage in Germany by soldiers under the rank of sergeant, and increased from three to six months the waiting period between application and altar.

PETERBOROUGH, Ont. (CP) — Dew worms in January are as unusual as a blizzard in July, but they were out in hundreds on the lawn of Lionel Monk here Sunday night. Monk's lawn is bare of snow. The temperature Sunday here was 46.

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PALESTINE TOPIC OF U. K. PARLIAMENT

BY FRASER WIGHTON

LONDON (Reuters) — Parliament reassembles today for its last year before the 1950 general election, mindful of the mounting criticism by many members over the Government's handling of the Palestine situation.

A Government statement is expected, and an early debate possible. Foreign Secretary Bevin may be the target of critical questions. He also may be pressed for explanations at a meeting of the Labor Party caucus Wednesday.

This week's scheduled business gives little indication of the heavy year ahead. The Government has introduced all its big nationalization projects for the present Parliament. It also is looking to prepare the ground for the Labor Party platform in 1950.

Haggis From Glasgow For Bobby Burns Night in Vancouver

VANCOUVER (CP)—A wee bit o' Scotland will be here Friday for the Saint Andrews and Caledonian Society to celebrate Bobby Burns night.

Haggis — the national dish of Scotland—will be served a la Glasgow. A shipment of the steaming and flavorsome dish is being flown to Vancouver from Glasgow.

The Society's best pipers will be on hand at the airport to pipe in the dish when the plane lands with the haggis.

This year's Bobby Burns night marks the 190th anniversary of the birth of the bard.

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Reelected Head Of Kimberley I. U. M. M. S. W.

KIMBERLEY, B. C.—J. A. Byrne has been reelected and installed as President for 1949 of the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers, certified bargaining agents for employees of the Sullivan mine and mill, following the annual ballot.

Other officers elected were H. D. Whelan, Vice-President; W. E. Brown, Warden; F. Malone, Conductor; J. R. MacFarlane, Financial Secretary and D. A. Gold, Recording Secretary. Trustees elected are W. Thomason, F. H. Powell, L. W. Eckford, J. J. Rollheiser and F. R. Westgate.

A full representation of delegates will be chosen to represent the local at the annual district convention of I. U. M. M. S. W. at the Coast later this month.

PAIR ARRESTED AFTER HOLDUP TO STAND TRIAL

GRAND FORKS, B.C.—Ian Landon and Clifford Christenson, both 20, of Battleford, Sask., have been committed to trial for robbery with violence in connection with the hold up of Joseph W. Davidoff, Grand Forks garageman, here Thursday.

They will elect trial either Wednesday or Thursday.

The Prairie pair was captured at Greenwood by the B.C. Provincial Police within an hour after Davidoff had been held up at the point of a revolver at Jack's Auto Clinic and some money stolen.

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With Stane And Besom

Results of Monday night's games in the Nelson Curling Club's Plugs and Colts Competition follow:

E. C. Hunt 12, F. D. Cummins 14.
R. D. Wallace 12, H. Harrison 10.
L. Desireau 10, H. Sutherland 8.
F. Dickens 14, L. L. Boomer 6.
V. Irwin 6, H. C. Carne 12.

Sons Carry Mother To Rest

Many friends and relatives gathered at the flower-filled chapel of the Thompson Funeral Home Monday morning, to pay their last respects to Mrs. Frances Nemrava, who died here Tuesday at 73 years. Rev. A. L. Anderson of St. Paul's United Church officiated.

Two hymns, "Unto the Hills Around," and "Abide With Me" were sung by the congregation. Mrs. W. A. Manson was organist.

Mrs. Nemrava's six sons, Frank, Alec, Joseph, Charles, Edward and William were pallbearers, and interment was in the Family Plot in the Nelson Memorial Park.

CLAIM CHARACTER ATTACKS IN APPEAL NOT FAIR

VICTORIA (CP)—Appeal of Jacob E. Wied, sentenced to hang Feb. 14 for the murder of his wife, Evelyn, July 17 last, commenced in Appeal Court Monday.

John G. Gould, Wied's counsel, charged that the Crown unfairly carried out "extended attacks on the character of Wied calculated to show he was a type that would commit murder."

Mr. Gould asserted that the prisoner's character was not an issue at the trial, and evidence of this nature introduced by the Crown was done for the purpose of prejudicing the jury.

Mr. Gould applied for permission to amend the notice of appeal. The amendment read that the trial judge erred in ruling that statements made by Wied as the result of questioning by police were inadmissible.

Mrs. Wied died in hospital six hours after she was found in her rooming house on Yates Street suffering from a knife wound that severed an artery.

The defence contended that Wied was in the bathroom when the wound was inflicted.

The Crown claimed he could not have gone to the bathroom without being seen by people in an adjoining room.

The appeal continues.

ASHTON, England (CP) — Mrs. Eliza Richards, 102, who died here, had never been out of Cornwall.

The Weather

Synopsis: Clear skies are the rule over most of B.C. with the North Coast and the Northern Interior the only exceptions. In these regions cloudy skies and snow flurries are expected to persist. Temperatures were expected to fall below the freezing mark in all sections of the province Monday night.

NELSON	13	26	2.25
Montreal	22	29	—
Toronto	28	34	—
Kenora	-18	5	—
Winnipeg	-30	1	.01
Brandon	-21	16	—
Regina	-11	32	—
Saskatoon	4	31	.18
Prince Albert	6	25	.31
North Battleford	-1	31	—
Swift Current	7	32	.04
Medicine Hat	15	31	—
Lethbridge	23	31	—
Calgary	20	28	—
Edmonton	3	34	—
Kamloops	17	35	—
Penticton	18	27	—
Vancouver	32	42	.09
Victoria	35	47	.04
Cranbrook	25	31	—
Crescent Valley	15	26	—
Kaslo	20	31	.03
Prince Rupert	33	36	.30
Prince George	20	29	—
Grand Forks	1	34	.12
Spokane	15	25	—

Two Pay $100 in Fines For Public Drinking

William and Gilbert Johnson, Nelson brothers, Monday paid individual fines of $50 for having liquor in a restaurant. Both pleaded guilty and were fined by Magistrate William Brown in City Police Court.

To Prevent Germany Arming

By WES GALLAGHER

BERLIN (AP) — Creation of a permanent Security Police force to see that Germany remains disarmed was announced Monday by Great Britain, the United States and France.

The tri-power force, called a Military Security Board, is designed to take over the demilitarization functions of the inoperative Allied Control Council, which the Russians wrecked by withdrawal.

It comprises inspectors and enforcement boards which will see to it that Germany does not rearm in the military, industrial or scientific fields.

FOUND HEROIN CACHE IN HOTEL ROOM

VANCOUVER (CP)—The inside story behind the largest heroin seizure in Canada was revealed in Police Court Monday as 37-year-old Joseph R. Denizet of Montreal was committed for trial in a higher court.

R.C.M.P. officers testified 13,000 grains of heroin, worth $200,000 on the underworld market, were found in Denizet's hotel room Dec. 16.

Officers said they watched Denizet enter the hotel, waited until he left, and then searched his room. They found a paper parcel in a suitcase in the room's closet. Denizet was arrested when he returned.

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Trail Curling

Results of Monday night's games in the Trail Curling Club's Warfield Competition follow:

V. E. Ferguson 9, R. E. Hill 6
Rod Stuart 6, W. H. Baldrey 7
R. E. Stone 13, R. Somerville jr. 8
A. E. Calvert 8, D. MacLennan 6
J. Leckie 5, G. G. Service 7
P. F. McIntyre 8, W. S. Ross 4
W. E. Vance 10, M. Morrison 6
H. Currie 8, J. A. E. Montpellier 6
W. L. Wood 4, G. Balfour 8
E. S. Shannon 5, A. A. Simonson 8
S. Gray 6, R. J. MacKinnon 4
J. Wilkie 8, A. G. Robertson 6

Tuesday's draws:

6 p.m.—D. Forrest vs A. H. Woolf.
7:30 p.m.—L. L. Forten vs G. W. Weir; L. F. Wendell vs T. J. Teahan; T. D'Amour vs R. P. Dockerill; A. Balfour vs W. McLeary.
9 p.m.—T. Mathieson vs H. H. Miller; A. Forrest vs J. DeVito.

Identify Girl's Body Found in Shallow Grave

TACOMA, Wash. (AP)—A girl's nude frozen body found in a shallow grave in an outlying park has been identified as that of a 17-year-old beauty school student who has been missing for two months.

The young student, Noreen McNicholas, disappeared after leaving home Nov. 5 to attend beauty school classes. She never arrived.

The body was covered with moss and dirt at a spot about 200 yards from the place where the girl's clothing was found last Tuesday. Her purse had been found earlier about 200 feet from the grave.

The girl was the victim of a brutal slaying by strangulation, Coroner Paul Mellinger said Monday.

A preliminary investigation showed that she had been raped, he said.

The body was identified at a mortuary last night by Robert McNicholas, father of the girl.

"It's Noreen," he said quietly.

Trouble Finding Rooms in Toronto

TORONTO (CP)—If you wonder whether Toronto hotel rooms are scarce, ask the man who owns one.

Some 50 hotel executives tramped Toronto streets Sunday night—and many ended up in rooming houses.

They were members of the Hotel Association of Ontario, here for the three-day Association convention which opened Monday. Fellow hotel keepers in Toronto misjudged the number of delegates, prepared for 800, and 1100 turned up.

HAMILTON, Ont. (CP) — What happens when a bull is turned loose in a china shop? Jack Rankin, who owns a china shop here, experimented. The bull didn't walk into a single counter, but spectators who crowded the shop broke $100 in china as they jammed into the store and tried to urge the bull into action.

CHURCH BURNS TO GROUND AFTER BLAST

NORTH BEND, Ore. (AP)— A Methodist church erupted in a blast and then burned to the ground Sunday, a few minutes after 30 Sabbath school pupils were led to safety.

One fireman was seriously hurt and two others and a spectator treated at a hospital for injuries caused by falling bricks and flying glass.

Failure of a furnace fan caused the plant to overheat and ignite debris in the basement. Firemen attributed the explosion to fumes in the chimney and air ducts.

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CHILD MINISTER HAS GREAT CEREMONY ON FIRST SERMON AS FIVE-YEAR-OLD

LONG BEACA, Calif. (AP) — Rev. Marjoe Gortner, five, appeared before some 1200 of his followers and the curious in the Masonic Temple here Monday. He beat drums, played the accordion, sang and delivered a sermon entitled: "To this end was I born."

In the audience were Sailor Raymond Miller and his bride whose wedding was performed Jan. 2 by the child minister.

Master Gortner, an ordained minister of the Old Time Faith Church, observed his fifth birthday Friday and this was his first sermon as a five-year-old. He made quite a show of it.

Marjoe first appeared on the stage in a snappy drum major's uniform twirling a baton. But he shifted to a blue suit, with short pants, for the sermon, retaining only the white boots of his original garb.

Stamping his foot and pounding a tiny fist on his kid-sized pulpit, he said:

"You know brothers and sisters—what America needs is better Christian mothers. I thank God for my Christian mother."

He admonished parents to read the Bible and pray more; stay home, take care of the children and "quit running around so much."

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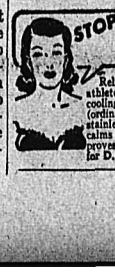
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LONDONERS COOL ON WORD ATOMIC WASTES BEING DUMPED IN THAMES

LONDON (Reuters) — Londoners turned on their water faucets during the weekend and watched the gushing water with an uneasy eye. Just what they expected to see was by no means as crystal clear as the water itself, but, in the minds of the more sensitive, horrible visions of Hiroshima and Nagasaki loomed.

On the whole the City, which stayed calm through wartime bombing, maintained its reputation for coolness in the face of a rather frightening announcement that radioactive waste was being discharged into the Thames from the Government atomic research station at Harwell.

There is no evidence that lifelong teetotallers locked their water supplies and rushed—gasping for beer—to the nearest taverns. Nor did the British Medical Association report a rise in hysteria.

Atom scientists had stressed that there was no danger to be feared from radioactivity in the river. Just *why it is safe is a bit too technical* for most laymen. But since the atom age man either trusts his scientists or accepts them fatalistically, there was no panic.

One atomic expert said:

"Nobody need worry. Unless a gross blunder is made, which is highly improbable, the Thames water is not dangerous, either for drinking or for swimming."

If there was a strong overdose of radioactive matter dumped into the Thames, he added, drinking a cupful of river water would have drastic effects.

But, he commented, "We can dismiss this possibility."

Flutes date back to ancient Greece, being used largely for religious ceremonies.

TO MANUFACTURE MARGARINE IN WINNIPEG

WINNIPEG (CP)—For one packing company at least, Winnipeg is to become the margarine manufacture centre for the Western Canadian trade.

Officials of Canada Packers here said Monday that because of heavy Eastern demand for their butter substitute—being made now in Toronto — arrangements have been made to produce it here. The Supreme Court of Canada recently held the sale of margarine in Canada to be legal.

Packing company officials said the first deliveries of margarine would be made to Winnipeg dealers early next month. The firm had expected to handle the butter substitute made by its Toronto plant, but heavy Eastern demand left none for Western dealers.

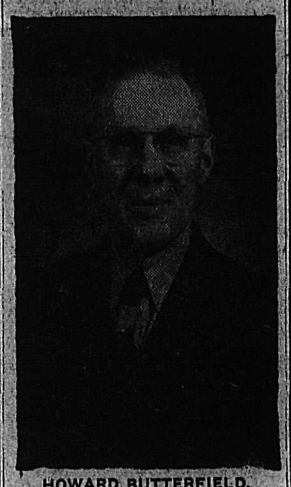
Delegates Gather For Asian Meet

NEW DELHI (Reuters) — Delegates and observers have begun arriving here for the Asian conference on Indonesia called by Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru of India to protest The Netherlands' "police action" in Java and Sumatra.

Twenty Asian and Pacific countries have indicated their intention of sending delegates or observers to the conference which opens Thursday in Allahabad. Nepal and Siam were the latest countries to accept invitations to send observers.

Meanwhile, Indonesian representatives are meeting here to draw up a memorandum to present to the delegates. Reliable sources said the document is expected to call for:

Economic sanctions against the Dutch; severance of diplomatic relations with The Netherlands and the provision of arms, ammunition, medicines and funds for the Indonesian Republic forces.



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See Israeli, Egypt Agreement on Issues

Full Meeting of Both Delegations Held; Important Troubles Believed Ironed Out; Peace Drive Started

By L. S. CHAKALES

RHODES (AP) — A United Nations spokesman indicated Israel and Egypt have reached agreement on the most important issues which blocked an armistice.

The spokesman for the mediator, Dr. Ralph J. Bunche, announced Monday a full meeting of the delegations is being held. The same spokesman had announced Sunday that a full meeting of both delegations would not be called until agreement was reached on the outstanding issues.

Bunche, meanwhile, is reported launching a peacetime offensive in all the Arab states at war with Israel.

The spokesman for the acting U.N. mediator added, however, that other Arab States will not be invited to take part in talks now progressing here between Israelis and Egyptians.

Dr. Walter Eytan, head of the Israeli delegation, said in an interview that Israel wants an armistice throughout the Middle East, but does not want any other Arab States to join in the Rhodes talks.

A reliable source in Tel Aviv said Israel, which has been discussing armistice talks with Lebanon, as well as Egypt, now has begun similar talks with Trans-Jordan.

The U.N. spokesman said the Israelis and Egyptians have reached agreement on one of the most controversial points in their current armistice negotiations.

The spokesman would not disclose the point on which the two sides had reached agreement. The chief subjects in which agreement is sought are the fate of some 3000 Egyptian troops trapped in the Faluja pocket, the withdrawal of Israeli forces from the Negev, and a reduction in the armed strength of both sides in Palestine.

(A Reuters dispatch said Israel and Egypt agreed on the release of the Egyptian Brigade trapped at Faluja.)

(A Tel Aviv dispatch said the Israeli army released four of 15 villages it had been holding, inside Lebanon.)

SPECIAL EMISSARY

Commenting on the peace offensive, the U.N. spokesman said Constantine Stavropolous, legal advisor to Bunche, had been sent as a special emissary to Beyrouth, Damascus and Amman to follow up the mediator's armistice overtures of last December.

Eytan told correspondents that the presence of other Arab States at the Rhodes conference would only complicate matters.

Delay Sentencing Of Huron Conspirator

QUEBEC (CP) — Mr. Justice George F. Gibsone Monday postponed sentence of Jules Sioui, 44-year-old Huron convicted Saturday of *conspiracy to incite a rebellion* of Canadian Indians to Monday, Jan. 24.

The little grey-haired resident of Loretteville Huron reserve and secretary of an organization called the "*Government of the North American Indian Nation*" was reported ill in his Quebec jail cell. He was to have been sentenced Monday morning.

Sioui had visited his home Saturday in the company of a constable after the court granted him special permission to do so.

Trans-Canada Hitch-Hiker Freed On Drunk Charge

TORONTO (CP)—Earl T. V. Mitchell, a 28-year-old trans-Canada hitchhiker, detoured into Magistrate's Court today and was acquitted of a drunkenness charge.

Mitchell, en route on foot from Victoria to Halifax, says he has walked 4500 miles since late October.

Police arrested him at East York Saturday for being "in a drunken condition and using bad language."

Mitchell countered that "There are two sides to every story. I had reason for my behavior. I lost some letters and papers. I was not drunk."

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BOX W.D.G. DAILY NEWS

To Push Efforts For U. S. to Alaska Railroad

WASHINGTON (AP) — Plans to push efforts for Congressional approval of construction of a railroad from the Pacific Northwest through British Columbia to Alaska were announced Monday by Senator Warren Magnuson (Dem., Wash.)

Magnuson said he and Senator Hugh Butler (Rep., Neb.) will reintroduce soon a Bill directing the President to negotiate with Canada, through the State Department, for an agreement for the joint construction of the railroad.

As soon as an agreement is reached with Canada, he said, he and Butler will introduce legislation to authorize construction of the line.

"Such a direct railroad connection with the territory is needed to meet demands of the fast-expanding area and from the standpoint of national defence," Magnuson told a reporter.

"I think we will find that Canada will be glad to cooperate with us in its construction," Magnuson said. "It will open up a new section of the Dominion as well as furnishing a connection between the United States and our last frontier."

No Sunday Milk For Edmonton

EDMONTON (CP)—The Alberta Board of Public Utility Commissioners announced in a press release Monday the elimination of Sunday milk deliveries in Edmonton for a trial period—from Feb. 1 to July 31, 1949.

Application to cease deliveries was made to the Board by Edmonton City Dairy Limited, Northern Alberta Dairy Pool Limited and the Jasper Dairy.

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U. N. Praised for Maneuvering Plebiscite for Kashmir Future

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press News Analyst

We owe the United Nations a debt of gratitude for securing an armistice in the Kashmir crisis which threatened to plunge the Indian Peninsula into conflict.

The warring Dominions of India and Pakistan—both eager to absorb this huge, rich state—have grounded arms. There is to be a plebiscite to determine which Dominion the people of Kashmir wish to join, for it is essential that they attach themselves to one or the other. Britain, in granting independence to the whole Indian Peninsula, strongly urged that the principalities affiliate with one of the Dominions.

So the U. N. Commission, having made its prideful report at Lake Success, is heading back to supervise the voting.

DELICATE ASPECT

A highly interesting but delicate aspect of this situation is that the Commission will have to work with the Maharajah of Kashmir, Sir Hari Singh. He is the autocratic and haughty ruler of some 4,000,000 people. His state, which is one of the world's beauty spots, is nearly as large as Britain and provides an annual income running up to $175,000,000.

The position has been complicated by the fact that the vast majority of the population is Moslem, while the Prince is a Hindu. That at once presents a clash in interests, since the Maharajah's leanings naturally are towards predominantly-Hindu India whereas his people might be expected to favor Pakistan which is predominantly Moslem.

While Earl Mountbatten still was Viceroy of British India before independence became effective, he urged the Maharajah to consult the people of Kashmir to see which Dominion they preferred. However, the Prince delayed until after the transfer of power had been made and then announced that he wished to join Hindu India. That precipitated the India-Pakistan fight.

British Columbia's honey crop for 1948 was estimated at 945,000 pounds. In 1947 it was 1,159,000. Canada's crop is estimated at 41,853,000 pounds, an increase of 13 per cent above 1947. Quebec, Saskatchewan and B.C. show decreases. Ontario leads with 15,781,000 pounds.

Great British, Britons or Plain British?

By WILLIAM BOSS
Canadian Press Staff Writer

LONDON (CP)—While experts argue whether the Commonwealth of Nations is "British," a similar discussion is arising over the designation of the mother country herself.

Since last September writers and historians have been writing newspapers asking if she should be referred to as Britain or Great Britain, whether her chaacteristics are British or great British, her citizens Britons or Great Britons.

The argument opened with the Royal Society of Saint George charging writers, journalists and broadcasters with "a concerted determination to avoid mentioning England and the English at all costs . . . although at the same time the junior partners in the United Kingdom—Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland—are allowed to retain their terminological identity."

ATTACK RENEWED

The attack was renewed in December when the St. Andrew Society joined St. George's in a letter saying that the Societies did not wish to claim for their countries more than was their due but felt it was essential "particularly at this time that our national identities as well as national unity should be preserved."

"Pathological nationalistic nonsense," snorted a Paris reader writing to the Times. "Britain has been the name of our island since the beginning of recorded history."

Another letter said King James I, "who had an unfortunate taste for pedantic and pompous language," changed Britain into Great Britain.

He said that while Great Britain might be acceptable in official, legal and diplomatic usages "nevertheless it cannot replace the ancient and historic name of this island which is part of our common heritage and was used long before the first Saxon pirates raided our coasts or the first Scots landed in Argyll."

INSUPERABLE OBJECTION

But "the insuperable objection" to Great Britain was listed by yet another who said "it possesses no coresponding objective; we cannot say Great British any more than we can talk about Great Britons."

The Society of Saint George counterattacked by asking what was wrong with using "British subject" if "a convenient inclusive term" was wanted.

The Society in any case rejects the term "Britons." "It is a word hitherto associated with the primitive race inhabiting Britain in Roman times," it says.

BIRMINGHAM CITY OUT OF FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION CUP PLAY

BIRMINGHAM, England (AP) — Birmingham City dropped out of the Football Association Cup play Monday when Leicester City defeated them 2-1. It was the second replay of their third-round tie.

Birmingham City's neighbor, Aston Villa, won its second replay against Bolton Wanderers 2-1 after a struggle going into extra time.

Deaths

By The Canadian Press

CAPETOWN—Abraham Sundell Hersov, 53, one of South Africa's big mining magnates and financiers.

TORONTO—John Nash Perkins, 63, for years auditor with W. J. McCoy and Company.

TORONTO—Albert Johnstone, 89, petroleum industry pioneer.

TORONTO—Rev. A. J. Vining, 86, one of Canada's best known Baptist ministers.

TORONTO—Georgina E. Blake, 82, member of one of Toronto's prominent families.

BRUSSELS—Lou Tsent Tsiang, 77, former Chinese Prime Minister and former minister who was ordained as a priest in 1935.

SANTA FE—John Curtis Underwood, 74, poet and literary figure.

CARDIFF—Sir Gwilyn Rowlands, 70, "most prominent working man" in Britain's Conservative party.

VANCOUVER (CP)— George Pedlar, well-known West coast tennis promoter.

ACTRESS AND BABY—Film Actress Mona Freeman, who is Mrs. Pat Nerney, checks curlers and hair net she has just put on her year-old daughter, Monie, at her Los Angeles home.

The weight of a big redwood tree has been estimated at 1700 tons.

The floors of three of the Great Lakes are below sea-level.

Supports Trade Of Bricklayers

By FORBES RHUDE
Canadian Press Business Editor

A word in defence of the bricklayer comes from Allan Ross, President of the Canadian Construction Association.

It seems that a lot of people who have never had a trowel in their hands go around muttering, "Why doesn't the bricklayer lay more bricks? Why does he lay only 300 to 800 today, against 2000 or more some years ago, when he now gets much more money?"

Wait now, Mr. Ross says in effect, things are different. In the old days a man might be laying a 17-inch brick wall. Aside from the face, he could throw in those bricks almost any way, and it was no stunt to put in 2000 or so.

But today, that kind of wall isn't being built. Nearly all brick work is facing, with a smoother brick which must be laid in perfect alignment. And that, explains Mr. Ross, takes a lot more time.

Also he adds, today's bricklayer is older. In the depression '30s he didn't encourage his son to take up a trade in which there was so much idleness, and it attracted few apprentices. There may be a sign of a break now because a number of returned men have learned the trade.

Even the pay, Mr. Ross says, is not always as high as it seems, because so much bricklaying is out-of-doors that it is subject to more than average loss of time from bad weather.

He gave his views in an informal chat with newspaper men preliminary to next week's annual convention of the Association, at which one of the topics will be the problem of a continuing supply of skilled men for the building industry.

150 KILLED BY POLICE

RANGOON (Reuters) — About 150 Karens, Burma's biggest minority group, have been killed by military police in a clash at Thanatchaung, 40 miles North of Rangoon, the independent newspaper the Nation reported Sunday. The report said there were 20 police casualties.

Trapeze Artist Hurt

SHREVEPORT, La. (AP) — Phillip Kreis, 31, a member of the world famous Flying Wallender trapeze troupe, was injured when he fell 35 feet to the floor of Municipal Auditorium. Kreis suffered a broken left wrist, a deep cut on the forehead and a possible skull fracture.

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Corn Taste Tells; Cream style, 20 oz. tin 20¢
Peas and Carrots Polka Dot; 20 oz. tin 20¢
Salmon Sockeye; ½s, tin 39¢
Orange Juice Full-o-Gold; 20 oz. tin 14¢
Prem Swift's; 12 oz. tin 44¢
Glace Cherries Woodland; 8 oz. pkt. 35¢
Raisins Australian seedless; 4 lb. pkt. 65¢
Shortening Jewel, Bakeasy; 1 lb. 38¢
Pure Lard Burns' Tenderflake; Lb. 35¢
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Racial Warfare Expected to Spread In South Africa

By CAMPBELL WATTS

DURBAN, South Africa (AP)—South Africa's bloody racial warfare Monday showed signs of spreading even as Government leaders set up machinery to control the wild Zulu-Indian rioting.

The air still rang with shots in Durban, where police fired on native looters, but police said later the murderous feud was under control here.

More than 100 persons were reported killed here in the street fighting that began last Thursday after a native boy was injured in a fight with an Indian peddler.

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Tasty Recipes

By IDA BAILEY ALLEN

TOMORROW'S DINNER
Green Pea and Noodle Soup
Cheese Croutons
Baked Fish Herb Stuffing
Curry Fish Gravy
Baked Yam-Sweet Potatoes
Canned String Beans
Stewed or Canned Pears
Oatmeal Chocolate Nut Cookies
Coffee or Tea Milk (Children)
All Measurements are Level
Recipes Serve Four

GREEN PEA AND NOODLE SOUP

Turn the contents of 1 (No. 2½) can inexpensive peas into a good-sized sauce pan. Add 2 c. cold water, ½ tsp. sugar and 1 slice of onion. Bring to boiling point and simmer 20 min. Rub through a sieve, then reheat. To thicken, cream together 1 tbsp. butter with 2 tbsp. flour, and add ½ c. of the hot soup liquid. Return to the kettle of soup and cook and stir about 2 min. or until thickened. Add 2 c. whole milk and 1 c. cooked thin noodles. Bring almost to boiling point and season to taste with 1 tsp. salt and ⅛ tsp. pepper.

BAKED FISH WITH HERB STUFFING

Purchase a 2½ to 3 lb. haddock, cod, catfish, white fish, carp or snapper. Clean, rinse, drain and rub lightly with salt. Fill with an old-fashioned herb stuffing. Fasten the opening together with poultry pins, and if necessary lace them up with clean white string. In an oiled baking pan, place a piece of dampened well oiled parchment paper, with the edge hanging over an inch at each end to form handles, or use a strip of aluminum foil. (This makes it easy to lift the fish from the pan after baking without breaking.) Place the fish in the pan. Over it brush 3 tbsp. melted fat with the juice of ½ lemon. Place in a hot oven 400 F. and bake about 15 min. or until it begins to brown. Then reduce the heat to 375 F. and bake 12 min. to the pound. Baste twice with ¾ c. hot water in which 1 tbsp. fat has been melted. When done, remove the fish by means of the paper or foil; slide it onto a heated platter and serve with a curry gravy made from the residue in the pan.

Herb Stuffing: Combine 1½ c. fine stale bread crumbs with 2 tbsp. fine chopped salt pork (put through the food chopper), ¼ tsp. marjoram, ¼ tsp. thyme, 1 tbsp. parsley, 1 tbsp. fine-minced onion, 1 well beaten egg (Grade B or C) and 1 tsp. anchovy paste (optional).

CURRY FISH GRAVY

Strain the pan juice from the fish into a double boiler top. Measure and add enough boiling water to make 1 c. Mix 1 egg yolk with ½ tbsp. flour, ¼ tsp. curry powder, ¼ tsp. salt and a few grains pepper. Stir into the fish liquid. Place over hot water and cook and stir about 3 min. or until creamy. Then add 1 tbsp. parsley.

OATMEAL CHOCOLATE NUT COOKIES

Sift together 1 c. all-purpose flour, ½ tsp. baking soda, and ½ tsp. salt. Add ½ c. softened shortening, ¾ c. light brown sugar, 1 egg, ½ tsp. vanilla and 2 tbsp. milk. Beat about 2 min. until smooth. Then fold in 2 c. raw rolled oats, ½ a (6 oz.) pkg. chocolate chips, and ¼ c. coarse-chopped nutmeats, any kind. Oil a cookie sheet or big inverted baking pan. Drop on the dough from a teaspoon, placing the cookies 1½ in. apart, as they spread in baking. Bake 12 to 15 min. in a moderate oven 375 F.

TRICK OF THE CHEF

To make cheese croutons, spread white or entire wheat bread on both sides with butter. Cut in half inch slices. Dust with fine grated sharp cheese; place in an oiled pan and bake golden brown in a hot oven.

Beauty Hints

By IDA JEAN KAIN

Cocktail Calories Pile on Pounds, Never Repair Daily Wear and Tear

Alcohol calories pack quite a punch from the standpoint of avoirdupios too...one Manhattan being equal in calorie value to two boiled eggs.

The exact number of calories per cocktail or beverage depends on the size of the jigger, whether it's one ounce or two or, if no measure is used, on "when". A jigger of this and a jigger of that in a Manhattan adds up to 135 calories. But when an ounce and a half is used and three-fourths ounce of Vermouth, the grand total is 160 calories. The calorie content of whiskies is 85 per ounce of bourbon, Irish and rye; and 75 calories per ounce of Scotch and gin...unless, of course the latter is mixed in with something sugary, which boosts the score.

SUPPLIES ENERGY

Alcohol supplies fast energy since it cannot be stored and has to be used on the spot and keeps on being used until it is burned. That's right, it cannot be stored. Then how do the pounds pile on? It spares the food calories, so while they are not needed to provide energy, they are stored for future use.

So cocktails, plus a normal amount of food, equals fat. And as everbody knows, cocktails whet the appetite which leads to peanuts and popcorn, caviar and cheese and on to dinner.

But wait, alcohol does not encourage fat merely because it stimulates the appetite but because it actually boosts the score on the calorie intake. All calories must be taken into account—food plus alcohol.

IMPORTANT TO KNOW

But the really important thing to know about alcohol calories is that they contain no repair material, nothing to make good the daily wear and tear. So it's easy to figure that it's bad business to let them replace any of the necessary food nutrients. Nobody envies the thin drinker who uses alcohol in place of food.

But back to weight: on a 1000 calorie diet, alcohol calories are out. Inclusion of them would mean the exclusion of some essential. On a 1200 or 1400 calorie diet a cocktail can replace 150 calories in a sweet dessert.

Shipping Opened For First Time In 100 Years

CANTON, China (AP) — Elliot Passage has been opened to shipping in low tide for the first time in 100 years. The Passage, part of the Pearl River bed near Canton, was blocked by the Chinese a century ago to keep the British Navy from the city.

$50,000 in Prizes At Poultry Show

BOSTON (AP) — More than 5000 specimens of poultry owned by fanciers in Britain, the United States and Canada will compete for $50,000 prize money at the annual Boston Poultry Show opening here Wednesday.

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MILK	Carnation;	$.93	$7.15
SOUP	Clark's Vegetable;	$.50	$3.95
Grapefruit Juice	20 oz.	$.79	$3.10

Household Needs Sale

Malted Milk	Norvall's (free balloon); Lb.	79¢
Coffee	Malkin's, Velvet; Lb.	45¢
Cocoa	Neilson's; Lb.	37¢
Javex Bleach	16 oz., 2 for	25¢
Pineapple Flavor	Love's; 2 oz.	33¢
Sandwich Spread	Nutsweet; 8 oz.	19¢

Fresh Produce Sale

Grapes	Luscious bunches; 2 lbs.	25¢
Spinach	Broadleaf, green; Lb.	22¢
Grapefruit	Pink flesh; 96s, 6 for	49¢
Apples	Household Macs or Rome Beauty; 5 lbs.	25¢
Corn on Cob	Fresh frozen; in cello; Lb.	31¢

AT CAT SHOW—Mrs. Helen Hildebrand of Brooklyn, N. Y., holds her white Persian, Buster, at Brooklyn-Long Island Cat Club show in Brooklyn. 175 pedigreed felines were displayed.

Nelson Social

By Mrs. M. J. Vigneux

● Mr. and Mrs. Emil LaBossiere, Cedar Street, returned Monday from a couple of weeks spent in Vancouver.

● Mr. and Mrs. Hallbauer have returned to Sheep Creek after visiting Mrs. Hallbauer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick, who celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary last week.

● E. E. L. Dewdney, Stanley Street, visited Trail at the weekend when he attended the Conservative meeting.

● Mrs. Barrie Hoskin, Fairview, is a patient in the Kootenay Lake General Hospital.

● Mrs. Fred Johnston of Sheep Creek, has returned after spending a few days in Nelson, where she attended the Golden Wedding Anniversary of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick, 924 Latimer Street.

Movie Gossip

More Hopeful Note in Sight for Hollywood's Economic Troubles

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—The movie industry is beginning to see some light in its economic storm.

Conditions in Hollywood are still far from lush. But some indications point to a let-up in Hollywood's worst Winter—in economics as well as weather.

Most hopeful note is the writing field. The screen writers guild reports a sharp upswing in jobs for its members and in sales of film stories.

Roy Brewer of the International Alliance of Theatrical Stage Employees foresees spurts of production this year. But he expects little change in working conditions for the behind-scenes workers, who have been about 30 per cent idle since the depression started.

TWO COMPANIES BUSY

On the local production front, M.G.M. and 20th Century-Fox are going great guns, now filming six films apiece. Columbia and Universal-International are proceeding with average slates, although U-I may slow down a bit.

Paramount has two pictures, but plans to start several in the next two months. R.K.O. continues its slow pace and Republic has shut down. Monogram lopes along with a single horse opera. Warners continues dark.

GOOD SIGNS

In the search for a sunnier outlook, Hollywood has come up with three new notes:

1. President Truman's budget message estimated a $5,000,000 rise in admission tax receipts for this fiscal year, $10,000,000 for next.

2. Variety reports 353 films are scheduled for 1949, against 345 last year. But four of the five major lots are cutting down their slates.

3. Bernard Giannini, who handles film loans for the Bank of America, takes an optimistic view of the current situation. He told the Hollywood reporters the bank would finance "qualified" producers up to 100 per cent.

On the debit side of the survey, I found that 40 per cent of movie press agents have been laid off.

Vote Boost in Pay For President

WASHINGTON (AP)— Congress have voted a raise in pay to President Truman.

Only Truman's signature is necessary to boost his salary from $75,000 to $100,000 a year and raise his tax-free annual expense allowance from $40,000 to $90,000.

The measure also raises the pay of the Vice-President and the Speaker of the House from $20,000 to $30,000 a year and gives each of them $10,000 tax-free expense allowances annually.

Swallows Tack, Dies

SEATTLE (AP)— Six-month-old Stephen Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray D. Brown of Montesano, died here Monday after swallowing a small tack.

The child was rushed here by a relay of four State Patrol cars after an X-ray disclosed the tack lodged in his throat. An emergency operation followed.

Student "Red" Party Brings Out Cops

COLUMBUS, O. (AP) — It was all in fun — but a "Communist" party at Alpha Sigma Phi Fraternity house Saturday night caused some excitement in the neighborhood.

The excitement came when Ohio State University studentts erected a large red sign, inscribed with the words "Communist Party" in front of the fraternity house. Two students—they were part of the gag — carried anti-Communist signs and picketed the place.

A neighbor who believed there was some trouble between the "Communists" and "anti-Communists" called police after a large crowd had gathered.

The affair turned out to be a Communist "ridicule" party. The fraternity house was decorated with large pictures of Stalin, Molotov and Lenin.

Most of the praksters were dressed in Russian peasant costumes and some wore large moustaches.

Japan to Ship First Freight Cars to Russ

TOKYO (AP) — Japan soon will ship the first batch of 30 railroad freight cars to Russia from Osaka. Japan is building freight cars and locomotives for export.

WIDOW—Mrs. Casey Jones, widow of the engineer of folklore and song, poses in her apartment in Jackson, Tenn. The song about Casey Jones, one of the most popular railroad men in the south, was written after his death in a crash in 1900.

The Doctor

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

Deficiency Vitamin B, May Cause Deafness, Eat Meat, Milk, Eggs

It is always bothersome if we suffer from some condition that affects any one of our five senses, and it behooves us to be on the alert for symptoms of any conditions affecting them. Take deafness for example. It is not caused by any one thing, but by a large group of conditions. Deafness may be produced by diseases of the nervous system; by infections, such as infections in the middle ear or inner ear, in the teeth, tonsils or sinuses; by injury, by poisoning, or at times, even by syphilis.

In certain cases, particularly in rill W. Michels think that a lack of rill W. Michels things that a lack of vitamin B may be a factor of importance. Hardening of the arteries of the inner ear is known to be a factor in some cases.

OTHER PATIENTS TREATED

Seventy-eight patients were treated for hearing difficulties by giving them combined vitamins and amino acids. The amino acids are the substances which make up proteins, found particularly in such foods as meat, milk and eggs. Of these patients, 57 showed improvement.

Another study was made by Dr. Michels, using 31 patients, 21 of whom followed completely the program outlined for them. Seventeen of these patients had deafness due to nervous disorders and four had a condition called otosclerosis in which there is a hardening of certain of the ear structures.

The patients were given six injections into a muscle, of the vitamin-amino acid preparation over a two-week period. In addition, they were given a similar preparation to be taken by mouth three times a day. Prior to the beginning of the treatment, the hearing was checked and a recheck made after a two-week period. Of the 21 patients who completed the treatment, seven showed definite improvement in the hearing of sufficient degree to be noted; five showed slight improvement, while nine showed no benefit. Ringing in the ears which was an outstanding symptom in 18 of the patients, was significantly improved or cured in 11.

It would appear from this limited study that this type of treatment may have a beneficial effect on the hearing power in certain persons. It is felt that such improvement as is produced by the treatment will remain permanent. Perhaps, if the treatment is carried out over a longer period of time, even greater benefits might appear in certain cases.

This treatment certainly would seem worth trying in those affected with hearing defects.

Love Problems

By JANE ATKINSON

Tendency to Condemn Majority Because of Failings of Few

There is a curious tendency among human beings to condemn everybody because some one person has failed them.

Because some girl has had an unhappy romance, or some wife has made an unfortunate marriage, they declare that they have lost all faith in men. Or because some one turned out to be a faithless friend, somebody else will wail that you can't trust anyone.

One of the most curious instances of this immature tendency to make sweeping generalizations from individual experiences comes to me from a woman who asks me to "please write an article against women marrying widowers with children." Because her sister, a childless widow, took a widower with children for a second husband and it worked out badly, my correspondent wishes to warn all women against marriage with men in similar circumstances. She considers such a marriage, in fact, as "a fatal mistake", and goes on to say "how much better off widowers with children would be if they raised their children alone. It is their responsibility, and they would at least remain respected citizens."

PLAYED SECOND FIDDLE

The letter says that this sister married the widower "after an association of three years." After her marriage she worked to help out financially, and apparently played second fiddle to the man's own children on whom the father lavished money while this second wife of his went without necessities. Eventually she was deserted by her husband, who is described in the letter as "irresponsible, a liar, mean and as cruel as a human being can be." What became of the children, the letter does not say.

Why the writer of the letter should feel that fact that the man was a widower had any bearing on his character or behavior, it is impossible to guess. As I see it, the sister who married him is a good deal to blame for her own misfortune for certainly an association of three years with him should have shown her quite plainly what sort of man he was.

VERY TRAGIC

It is a very tragic thing to have had an experdience of this kind but it happened solely because of the individual's bad character and not because he was a widower, which had nothing to do with the case whatever.

Only those who are less adult in their judgments and their emotional reactions would do anything so fantastic as to believe a whole group must be bade because one member of it proved to be so. My correspondent needs to grow up a little until she understands life and humans being better. Would she, as a wife herself, like it if some one told her that no wife is worthy of anyone's trust because some men have had the misfortune to marry women who ran out on them?

Jet-Type Bomber On Way to Cold Weather Testing

EDMONTON (CP)—A B-45-A, said to be the first four-engine, jet-type bomber aircraft built in the world, is in Edmonton on its way to Fairbanks, Alaska, where it will be "put through its paces" in cold weather testing.

The craft has passed cold weather tests in a "climatic hanger" in temperatures down to 50 below zero. It has been under actual testing for the last seven months. It has a cruising speed of about 550 miles an hour.

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Urge Adequate Living Standards For All in Sask.

REGINA (CP)—The Saskatchewan Government has been urged to conduct a survey which would help set adequate living standards and operational standards for both farmers and urban workers.

The suggestion was contained in a brief submitted to Premier Douglas and his Cabinet by a 19-member delegation from the Saskatchewan Occupational Group Council, representing teachers, farmers and labor organizations.

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Shanghai Letter

Here, in Canada, in Kootenay, the postman's visit is an event in the day to be anticipated. In Asia and Europe they frequently have cause to dread the postman's call.

Canadians in China received recently a carefully worded letter from the Canadian Vice Consul in Shanghai—a letter which read even in the snug security of a Canadian home cannot help but give the reader a thrill of apprehension and inspire the thought: "What if this letter were addressed to me?"

The letter sent to Canadians residing in the Shanghai-Nanking area was as follows:

"To all Canadian nationals residing in the Provinces of Kiangsu and Anhwei:

"Economic unrest, coupled with an increasingly acute shortage of food supplies and fuel, makes it appear that Canadians remaining in Shanghai and its environs during the forthcoming Winter may be subjected to undue hardship. The uncertain military situation in North China also makes it appear possible that hostilities may spread further South, with the result that normal transportation facilities from Shanghai may be disrupted.

"It is suggested, therefore, that, unless you have compelling reasons to remain, you consider the desirability of evacuation while normal transportation facilities remain available. Expectant mothers, women with small children, and elderly persons, are especially advised to leave the Shanghai area before Winter sets in."

War, even civil war, anywhere in the world, touches us as Canadians personally. The struggle in China, Democracy vs. Communism, is a problem growing still more personal when it touches our fellow-countrymen who are in North China at this time.

Prison Without Bars

At Brampton, the Ontario Government is conducting an interesting experiment in penology. Carefully selected young convicts are taught trades in an institution that has no bars and no armed guards. With almost two years of experience only seven of the 155 inmates who have passed through it have returned to crime.

Canada has been behind the times in curative treatment of young men or women who get into trouble with the law. Punishment administered has been almost totally negative in its effect. Instead of directing first offenders away from a life of crime, all too often our jails and prisons have been directing them into a life of crime.

There is little hope of reformation of some criminals. They lack the moral fibre to live decently in society. But a large percentage of first offenders merely have gone astray. The problem is to get them back on the proper path.

The Brampton institution is the right idea for youngsters who have been foolish rather than deliberately criminal. It is too much to expect it will have a perfect record. But every young life salvaged is important, and, in the long run, a saving to the Province.

Looking Backward

10 YEARS AGO

From The Daily News of Jan. 18, 1939

D. L. Kerr, Kerr Apartments, A. Vassar and William Irving returned last night from a short holiday spent in Spokane.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clough of Slocan City were in Nelson en route to Kaslo.

Rev. Clyde Harvey of Procter is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Paddon, and is attending the meeting of the Deanery today and tomorrow in Nelson.

H. D. Dawson, 1124 Stanley Street, has returned from a 10-day visit in Vancouver.

Vincent Fink will leave Thursday for a visit to Toronto, Montreal, New York and Chicago.

25 YEARS AGO

From The Daily News of Jan. 18, 1924

J. A. Slater of Vancouver, formerly of Nelson, is spending a few days in the city.

Miss Jean McVicar, 623 Mill Street, has left for Medicine Hat, where she will be the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Williams.

J. R. Sheill of Needles is a visitor in town for a few days.

Mrs. N. Manning of Salmo is visiting in Nelson.

Guests entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Craufurd, 612 Hoover Street, yesterday, were Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Mackersey, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cunliffe, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. D. Benson, Commander and Mrs. Gordon Hallett, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McLeod, Mrs. H. Rosling and W. P. Dickson.

40 YEARS AGO

From The Daily News of Jan. 18, 1909

?Questions? ANSWERS

Open to any reader. Names of persons asking questions will not be published. There is no charge for this service. Questions WILL NOT BE ANSWERED BY MAIL except when there is obvious necessity for privacy.

M. M., Nelson—Do you know the names and addresses of technical schools in the United States which specialize in courses on tool making?

Spokane Trade School, W714-4th, Spokane; Farragut College and Technical Institute, Farragut, Ida.; Georgia School of Technology, Atlanta, Ga.; Purdue University, Lafayette; Utah State Agricultural College, Logan, Utah.

Mrs. F., East Kootenay—Is a licence required for teacup or card-reading? If so, how would one go about getting it, and what would it cost? Also, would I be able to use it anywhere in Canada?

Consult the City Clerk in the town where you live. He will be able to answer all questions.

Trafilte, B. C.—Does the Department of Agriculture publish booklets on poultry farming and gardening? If so, where would I write?

Department of Agriculture, Victoria, B. C.

Does the Department of Agriculture analyze soil for fertilizer needed?

Send specimen of soil to the Experimental Farm, Summerland, B. C.

J. B. Gray

All those who came within his sphere will mourn
The passing of J. B. Gray, a Scotsman born;
A gentleman who in his life had been
A pattern of integrity rarely seen.

Keen was his interest in church affairs;
His energy and advice his record witness bears.
A man of honor many were proud to know,
And who will feel his going a heavy blow.

At functions he was always in demand,
His personality an inspiration grand.
His wit and humor brought forth many a cheer,
Long to be remembered, a memory dear.

In business and in sport he made his mark;
In many a contest set alight the spark
That spread good fellowship in many a game,
Associating friendship with his name.

He bore his sorrows with proud but aching heart,
For gallant sons who nobly did their part.
In Canada's Golden Book their names stand clear,
Sons of a father that we all revere.

In bidding you farewell, on earth we part,
But we will remember you, stout heart,
Who gave us of your best, and played the game.
God bless you, J.B.; we will bless your name.

—ROBERT MAIN.

Gems of Thought

PERSEVERANCE

Only those who have the patience to do simple things perfectly ever acquire the skill to do difficult things easily.—Schiller.

The lives of great men and women are miracles of patience and perseverance.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Never despair; but if you do, work on in despair.
—Burke.

If the action be of worth that I take in hand, neither shall an ill accident discourage me, nor a good one make me careless.—Owen Feltham.

Few things are impracticable in themselves, and it is for want of application, rather than of means, that men fail of success.—Rochefoucauld.

Press Comment

FEEL THE BRAKES

You will be more likely to do your driving safely if you get the feel of your brakes before you start on a trip on slippery roads. Try stopping cautiously at the beginning to make sure you'll get there and back.—Niagara Falls Review.

BEYOND CHALLENGE

Yes, 'tis a dangerous world.—Nobody gets out of it alive.—Quebec Chronicle-Telegraph.

ANOTHER CONQUEST

Penicillin and the sulfa drugs have not only proven mortal enemies of more than a few diseases, but in one instance at least they are causing a disease to disappear, in Brantford and elsewhere.

This is occurring in the case of the once dreaded ear infection, mastoditis, which is seldom heard of today, and in some operating rooms has become a rarity.—Brantford Expositor.

NO LONG FACES

We think funeral services tend to be too doleful. We'd like our own to be much brighter and happier—and brief. There are particularly sad cases, of course, as when a little child is killed in an accident, or when a mother of a little family dies. But when a person of middle age or over is being buried, it is carrying out one of the laws of Nature.

Personally, we have lived an interesting life, and, we trust, a useful one, and when it is finished we can have no complaints. And we don't want our friends to be going around with long and doleful countenances.—Fergus News-Record.

QUICK ANGER

And now if you stop to count 10 you will be mad at something else.—Brandon Sun.

DUE FOR A BONUS

In Shanghai the cost-of-living index has risen from 172 to 57,447,000. By now, we imagine, the inhabitants must feel themselves entitled to a cost-of-living bonus.—Edmonton Journal.

G. W. Robinson of Summit is a visitor in Nelson for a few days.

The following officers were elected for the Canadian order of Foresters: William Irving, C.R.; J. W Holmes Sr., V.C.R.; H. E. Dill, F.S.; W. T. Fotheringham, R.S.; G. H. Playle, Treasurer; T. Lawson, Chaplain; Arthur Nunn, J.W.; J. McLeod, U.B.; and T. S. Clark, R. J. Steele and J. W. Holmes, Sr. Trustees.

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Aunt Het

By ROBERT QUILLEN

If a woman marries partly to get a home, it shouldn't hurt her man's pride. He marries to have a home, too, no matter how much he's in love.

SALLY'S SALLIES

"Well, Mother, I was only trying to clean grandfather's picture."

News of the Day

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More Coal From Contract Miners

CALGARY (CP) — Abolition of the contract system in Western Canada coal mines in favor of a straight day wage of $14.05 would mean substantial production cost increases, the Western Canada Bituminous Coal Operators' said Monday.

Meeting with officials of District 18, United Mine Workers of America (C.C.L.) to discuss a new contract agreement, the Association said experienced miners now earn daily wages of from $14 to $17 under the contract system.

The Association said a straight day wage would mean substantial wage increases and decreased production of coal.

The Union earlier asked that the $14.05 basic day wage replace the contract system for underground miners. Under the contract system, miners are guaranteed $10.95 a day with bonus clauses based on the amount of coal mined by each miner.

No increase is being sought by the Union for surface workers.

Operators said experience had shown that miners employed on day wages produced approximately 40 per cent less coal than contract miners.

Operators counter - proposals included a suggestion that all surface classifications of employees now paid at the rate of $10.07 a day be reduced to $8.07 a day, a wage cut of $2 a day.

Underground employees now paid $10.07 a day would be cut in pay by $1 a day.

Name Officers

SOUTH SLOCAN, B.C.—At the annual meeting of the Bonnington and South Slocan Women's Institute, held at the home of Mrs. J. D. Yeatman, elected officers for the year were Vice-President, Mrs. J. D. Yeatman; Secretary, Mrs. E. Trozzo; Treasurer, Mrs. W. R. Walkley and Directors, Mrs. W. P. Rogers and Mrs. R. Mulloy. A president was not elected, but Mrs. H. McDougal is Acting President.

Reports for the year showed that donations had been made to the Canver Fund, the Crippled Children, Home for the Blind, Salvation Army, and for repairs and a new concrete foundation for the Hall.

Activities for the year included May 24 sports day, military whists education tea and fruit and canned fruits exhibition The long service badge was presented to Mrs. Yeatman.

Only 1 in 15 Makes Grade as Mountie Recruit

By DOUGLAS HOW
Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA (CP) — Fifteen thousand Canadians, Americans and Britons have tried to enlist in Canada's celebrated Mounties since the war.

Nearly 14,000 of them have been turned away by the new frontline guardian of the force's reputation and requirements — the personnel selection officer.

In the recruiting campaign that began the first day of 1946, the R.C.M.P. have added 1094 men to the force which now polices the North, the six Prairie and Maritime provinces and some 125 towns. They have also recruited 68 men for the Marine Division.

With the exception of a few Britons who paid their way to Canada and sought enlistment, all the newcomers are Canadian-born.

30 A MONTH

Strength of the entire force stands at 4003, including 2941 uniformed members. The rest are civilians.

A steady trickle of 30 recruits a month now is finding its way through the educational, physical and psychological barriers manned by the personel officer, an innovation which has won the approval of headquarters chiefs. This figure is considered satisfactory, officials say, and all divisions are "up to satisfactory strength."

The age limit was lowered from 21 to 18 some time ago when recruiting was going slowly, but immaturity is one of the stumbling blocks that brings rejection from the personnel officer.

The successful applicant must have at least a grade 10 education but he also has to pass an educational test for general knowledge.

Then, as a final barrier, there is what the force calls "motivation," the reason the man wants to become a Mountie. And the first to go is the romantic who has seen too many movies or "read too much trash" giving the wrong slant on Mountie life.

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Funeral services for the late Mrs. Mary Woykin of Crescent Valley will be held from the family residence at Crescent Valley Thursday afternoon. Burial will be in the Shoreacres Cemetery.

FUNERAL NOTICE

Funeral services for the late Percy Dauphinee of Salmo will be held from the Thompson Funeral Home Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. Interment will be in the Nelson Memorial Park.

MINTO RELEASED

Canadian Pacific Railway's SS. Minto was released the morning after it grounded on a sandbar at Burton, it was learned Monday. It carried no passengers at the time.

PLEAD GUILTY TO IRREGULARITIES

EDMONTON (CP)—Two former Alberta Government Treasury Branch officials, charged with irregularities involving thousands of dollars, Monday pleaded guilty before District Court Judge J. F. McIsaac, and received penitentiary terms.

Helmut A. Koch, former Manager at Wainwright, Alta., was sentenced to three years in penitentiary, after pleading guilty to two of 13 charges involving approximately $14,000 in which he was in default in various amounts from December, 1946, to April, 1484.

Charles S. Thurber, former accountant at Coronation, Alta., was convicted on 23 counts on charges involving about $12,000 from February, 1947, to November, 1948. He was sentenced to two years on each count, the sentences to run concurrently.

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SPORTS

Bags Nine-Foot, 225-Pound Cat Near Nakusp

GORDON HASKELL

Gordon Haskell of Nelson, predator hunter for B Game Division Nelson, has added to his kills a g cougar that took him on a renuous chase.

He spent 1½ days tracking down e elusive tom at Carroll's Landing ear Nakusp, and had four dogs on heels.

Finally he caught up with the eek cat and found it was nine feet ng and weighed about 225 pounds. 's not the largest he has tracked own, but is a lot of cougar all the me.

Game Warden Haskell has accounted for eight of the deer killers is season. A cougar hunter since s youth, he places his career's bag over 300. He is a superlatively od shot, especially when aiming r moving objects.

Hockey Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Western Division	W	L	T	F	A	Pt.
St. Louis	25	11	5	178	109	55
Pittsburgh	23	11	6	164	102	52
Cleveland	23	11	5	159	131	51
Indianapolis	21	11	8	170	124	50
Buffalo	21	13	5	139	104	47
Eastern Division						
Providence	27	12	3	204	133	57
Hershey	17	21	3	151	153	37
Springfield	14	22	7	157	176	35
New Haven	12	26	6	142	189	30
Philadelphia	8	29	4	117	245	20
Washington	7	31	4	105	220	18

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE,

New Westminster	26	16	2	54	175	146
Portland	23	20	3	49	162	151
Tacoma	21	22	1	43	154	170
Vancouver	20	21	3	43	160	157
Seattle	19	23	4	39	141	146
SOUTHERN DIVISION						
Oakland	22	20	3	47	148	134
San Diego	20	20	3	43	139	152
Fresno	18	20	4	40	146	129
Los Angeles	17	21	6	40	149	171
San Francisco	18	21	2	38	153	151

SKATING

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Tiny Tots—2:30-4:00
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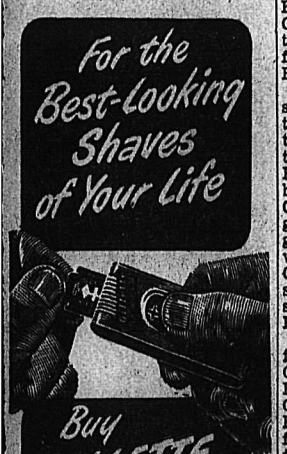

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Hockey Scores

By The Canadian Press

JUNIOR EXHIBITION
Port Arthur, Bruins 7, Regina Pats 6

MARITIME SENIOR
Dartmouth 1, Halifax 11
Moncton 0, Saint John 4

CAPE BRETON SENIOR
Glace Bay 6, North Sydney 2

O.H.A. JUNIOR
Guelph 4, Stratford 2

PORCUPINE MINES SENIOR
Hollinger 7, South Porcupine 7

MANITOBA JUNIOR
Winnipeg Canadiens 7, Winnipeg Black Hawks 3

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Windsor Ryancretes 4, Detroit Auto Club 5
Detroit Jerry Lynch 9, Detroit Brightts 7

WESTERN CANADA SENIOR
Regina 4, Lethbridge 1.

Slocan City Scores 3rd Puck Triumph

NEW DENVER, B.C.—Slocan City score about indicates the play of the from New Denver 9-3 here. The score about indicate the play of the respective teams, as after the first period the play was all in favor of the visitors, both in passing and on defensive.

Hood led the scoring for Slocan with three goals, Sakamoto got two and one each were scored by Ted Hicks, Graham, Pinchbeck and Hufty. D. Crellin got two of the New Denver tallies and the other was rung up by Anderson.

Lineups:

Slocan—A. Clough, goal; T. Graham, L. Hufty, True Hicks, defence; Ted Hicks, D. Hood, H. Pinchbeck, S. Heslip, G. McDonald, B. Lister, N. Sakamoto, A. Oikawa, forwards.

New Denver: O. Johnson, goal; W. Thring, H. Tayolr, J. Yakenchuk, N. Grimmett, defence; D. and E. Crellin, O. J. Anderson, T. Takenaka, M. Yamada, K. Hayashi, Q. Forsythe, A. Vison and H. Mori, forwards.

Timekeepers were J. A. Roberts and A. Avis, referee, J. Hardings, Linesman P. Verner, goal umpires Dick oGodenough and George Duncan.

LION MIDGETS WHIP PANTHERS

Lion Midgets continued their winning ways in the local Midget League as they hammered out a rough 4-1 win over the Panther Midgets at the Civic Arena Monday afternoon.

The Lions scored twice in the initial period. Benedetti scored first on a double relay from Coskey and Langstaff. Coskey added the second tally with Burns getting an assist. The Panthers drew three penalties to the Lions one. Choquette, Sturgeon and Kubin were the Panther offenders while Jarrett served the Lions minor.

The second period saw both teams fight on even terms, Coskey scored his second goal for the Lions with Jarrett earning an assist. Ray Poulin punched home the lone Panther marker unassisted. On the penalty side Anderson drew both penalties for the Lions.

In a wild third period Jarrett tallied the fourth Lion goal with Coskey earning an assist. Benedetti and Choquette served majors each for fighting.

LION JUVES EDGE DODGERS

The Lion juvenile hockey squad eked out a 6-5 win over Denny Kraft's second place Dodgers at the Civic Arena Monday evening. Both teams used sub goal tenders, Brady filling in for the Dodgers and Ray Benedetti for the winning Lions.

Johnny Bachynski practically single handed kept the Dodgers in the game as he tallied all five of their goals and even scored one as the bell went, but Referee Sam Brown ruled no goal. Both clubs battled even in the opening period. Christenson tallied both the Lions goals. Brett and O'Genski were given assists on Charlie's first goal while Brett gained another one on Christenson's second goal. Bachynski scored first unassisted and then shot home the second one with Brown and Maglio making the play.

The Lions outscored the Dodgers four to two in the middle session. O'Genski scored from Pickering, Peloso from Grundy, Loewen from Ostlin and Irwin from Christenson. For the Dodgers it was Bachynski from White and again Bachynski from Brown and Mores. Maglio and Mores served minors for the Dodgers, while Brett drew a major for high sticking. In the last frame Bachynski again put the Dodgers back in the game with Leschuck assisting. There were no penalties in this session. Sam Brown and Bud Mayer were the officiators.

DODGERS TIE F.A.C. BANTAMS

Dodger Bantams came from behind late in the third period to eke out a one-all tie with the Fairview Athletic Club's bantam hockey team at the Civic Arena Monday afternoon.

Neither team were able to score in the opening frame. In the sandwich session Al Dawson slapped in Don Marquis pass out to put the F.A.C. one goal up. Sherwood of the Dodgers served the only penalty of the game, one for boarding Don Marquis, who was forced to retire for the balance of the game. In the final period past the half way mark Arnold Sherwood drove in Larry Scott's pass to tie the count for the Dodgers. Only two penalties of the period went to Bill Culley and Bill Richardson of the Dodgers. Fred Tinling and Chuck Crosby were the referees. Bobby Jordan kept the time and score.

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Bentley Sister Has Great Praise For Sportswomen; More Interesting

By MARILYN LAMBORN
Canadian Press Staff Writer

TORONTO (CP) — Women who get tired of pink teas and bridges often turn to sports for "a new outlook and a flat tummy."

So says 49-year-old Mrs. Ruth Pratt of Winnipeg, skip of the first Western rink to compete in the Granite Club Bonspiel, and a member of the hockey-famous Bentley family of Delisle, Sask.

The advantages of tossing a 40-pound rock down a sheet of ice over-pondering bridge bids were explained by Mrs. Pratt and her teammates, Mrs. John Pope, Mrs. W. C. Johnson and Mrs. Wilfred Belden, all of Winnipeg.

When they arrive back in Winnipeg Tuesday, they won't have the William Robertson trophy with them, but they will be full of enthusiasm and glowing with health. Mrs. Pratt, who has a slim, attractive figure, will be eight pounds lighter than when she started out a week ago.

"You can't beat curling for taking off pounds and toning up your muscles," Mrs. Pratt said. "And you feel wonderful after being in the fresh air."

All four women, active in sports of all kinds for a number of years, thinks sportswomen are less formal and a lot more fun.

"In sports you have to forget about yourself and relax, and you've got a whole lot more to talk about to your husband and friends," commented Mrs. Johnson.

Mrs. Pope, active in church work and service clubs and mother of two grown children, finds it a real relief to get outside on a curling rink after working around her home during the mornings.

She has been curling for almost six years but Mrs. Pratt has been practicing the game for almost 15 years. Member of a family of six boys and seven girls, Mrs. Pratt has held her enthusiasm for sports since she was a child.

Portland Winning Streak Broken

By The Associated Press

The Portland Eagles' upsurge in the Pacific Coast Ice Hockey League got them nine straight wins, but the streak failed to lift them to the top of the Northern Division.

Tacoma's Rockets broke the charm Sunday night, with a 2-1 win at Portland. Idle New Westminster retains the division lead. The win boosted Tacoma into a third-place tie with Vancouver behind Portland.

Both Rocket goals came in the first period, when the Eagles were shorthanded with a man in the penalty box. Tacoma goalie Doug Stevenson made 23 saves.

At Seattle, the Ironmen hung a 6-1 defeat on the invading San Diego Skyhawks. Seattle is in the cellar berth in the Northern Division. San Diego is the second-place club in the Southern section.

The Skyhawks defence fell apart two men being sidelined by injuries. Sharp goal tending by Larry Frechette, who blocked 40 shots at the net, saved San Diego from a more humiliating loss.

A goal by wingman Andy Barbe with only six seconds left in the game gave the Los Angeles Monarchs a 3-2 win over the Fresno Falcons on the Monarch's home ice.

Puck-Pourri—

By CLIVE FLEMING

HOW THEY MEASURE: Thumbnail sketches of W.I.H.L. players—

Don Anderson, Trail centreman and left winger. Playing his first year with the Trail Smoke Eaters, the 24-year-old 170-pounder hasn't reached the scoring pace that he enjoyed last year with the Spokane Spartans, but has been going well lately. For most of the first half of the season he was laid up, and is now wearing glasses. Last year he was leading the scoring race until almost the end, but ended up with 73 points for third spot. He played his junior hockey with Calgary Royals, and was a member of Eddie Shore's Niagara Cataracts before the war. During the 1946-47 season, he played for Coleman Grads, Western Canada Intermediate champs.

Jimmy Anderson, Trail defenceman. The Scottish-born Smokie defenceman was voted to the all-star team in the 45-46 season, and has always been an asset to the Trail teams. After coming to Canada from Scotland at the age of one year old, he learned his hockey at Edmonton, and while in junior ranks, played for South Side Athletics, managed by Rene Morin. He then returned to the United Kingdom to play for Earl's Court Royals in the '36-37 season. He returned to Edmonton with the Edmonton Dominions, and tasted the Kootenay hockey in '38-39 on the Trail Blazers. The next season, he played for Saskatoon Quakers, and then served 4½ years in the Army. In 1945 he returned to Trail and was on the Smoke Eater Western Canada finalist club in '45-46, and the B.C. championship squad last year. He is 33 years old, stands 5' 8½" and weighs 160 pounds.

Mike Buckna, Trail right winger. The 5' 8", 165-pound idol of Trail fandom has enough hockey background to write a full length book. He was raised in Trail, and broke into junior ranks at Trail in '30-31. From 1932 to 1935, he played with the Smoke Eaters, and then left for Prague to play three seasons there. The playing coach taught kid hockey as well as senior, and became very popular. After returning to Trail in '39, he starred constantly, and was always around top spot in the scoring until he dropped out of hockey for three years, in 1942. After the '45-46 season with the Smokies, he returned to Prague to coach Czechoslovakia into the Olympics. Although he has hurt his back this season, he has amassed a great number of points for the number of points for the number of games played.

Terry Cavanagh, Trail left winger. At 21 years of age, standing 5' 9", and weighing 160 pounds, Terry Cavanagh is one of the more dangerous players of the W.I.H.L. This is his third season in the W.I.H.L., having played with the Los Angeles Ramblers, until they folded up. The portsider then moved his skates to Trail last season. The Edmonton born star played on the Edmonton Athletic Club in the 42-43 and '43-44 seasons. The next season, he divided his play between Dallas Texans and Valleyfield Braves. He played for the Trail Smoke Eater B.C. champs last season.

Stan Chmiel, Trail left winger. One of the better rookies this year, Stan Chmiel will turn 21 in January, stands 5' 9", and weighs 153 pounds. Last year he played for Brandon Wheat Kings, and in the year previous, was a member of the Brandon Elks, both junior clubs. He plays left wing on the Trail kid line with Tommy Love and Dick Sissons.

Les Christensen, Trail defenceman. The 33-year-old, 180-pound rearguard, packs one of the hardest shots in the W.I.H.L., and in the '45-46 season was tied for the top scoring defenceman of the West Kootenay Hockey League. He is the only defenceman in the W.I.H.L. this season to score the hat trick. After playing midget and juvenile hockey in his home town of Strathmore, Alberta, he played for the intermediates in the same town from 1932 to '36. In the next two seasons, he played for Olds Elks and Lethbridge Maple Leafs. The next season, he turned out with Coleman, Alberta, a team in the Kootenay to play against the Allan Cup Trail Smoke Eaters. Ever since the 1938-39 season, Les has been a Trailite.

N. H. L. Big Seven

By The Canadian Press

Chicago Black Hawks could only collect two goals in their two weekend games, but Doug Bentley and Roy Conacher had a hand in both. Each garnered a goal and assist to remain deadlocked for the scoring leadership in the National League with 43 points apiece. Billy Reay of Montreal helped himself to a pair of goals and one assist to vault into third spot with 33 points.

The leaders:	G	A	Pts
D. Bentley, Chicago	16	27	43
R. Conacher, Chicago	16	27	43
Reay, Montreal	16	17	33
J. Conacher, Chi.	16	16	32
Abel, Detroit	16	16	32
Warwick, Boston	18	13	31
Carveth, Montreal	9	21	30

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Like 'Smiling Stalin'

—Central Press Canadian

Bulgaria's No. 1 Red Prime Minister, Georgi Dimitrov, above, who affects a winter headgear often worn by Stalin, and who resembleee him somewhat with his big moustache, is shown reviewing the parade that marked the fifth Congress of the Communist Party in Sofia. Dimitrov is General Secretary of the Bulgarian Workers (Communist Party), as well as serving as Premier of Bulgaria.

Princess Elizabeth "Steps Out"

—Central Press Canadian

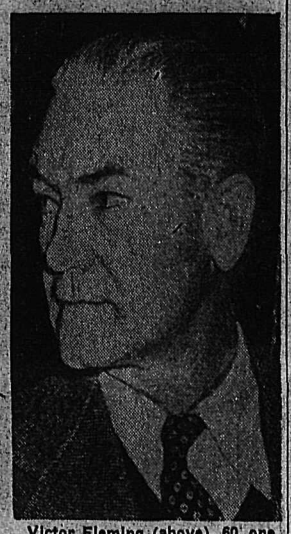
Princess Elizabeth leaves a London theatre where she attended a radio show with her husband, the Duke of Edinburgh, Queen Elizabeth, and Princess Margaret Rose. This was the first time that Princess Elizabeth had "stepped out" since the birth of her son, Prince Charles.

Till the Sands of the Desert Grow Cold . . .

—Central Press Canadian

Elizabeth Sauer, 19, of Kessel, Germany, met Ralph Gaber, when he was a soldier. She came over intending to marry him, but on arriving in the U. S. she passed up Ralph, 33, for his younger brother, Karl, 25. Troubles piled on troubles when Elizabeth's parents in Germany said it was Ralph or no one. In two years Elizabeth will be legally on her own and will need no parental permission. This romantic scene was photographed in the Gaber home in a Pittsburgh, Pa., suburb as Elizabeth and Karl pledged by vows eternal that they would wait for two years until Elizabeth's return, when they would wed. Since the picture was made Miss Sauer left for her native Kessel at her parents' behest.

Director Dies



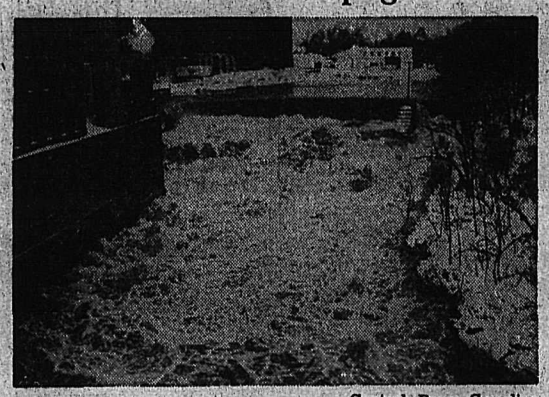
Victor Fleming (above), 60, one of the movies' top directors, died of a heart attack at a guest ranch near Cottonwood, Ariz. He directed "Gone With the Wind", and recently finished "Joan of Arc".

Quizzed

—Central Press Canadian

Max Dedacht, above, old line Communist, who admits knowing the alleged head of Communist espionage in America, after he had appeared for 90 minutes before Federal Grand Jurymen probing spy activities in New York. Bedacht talked briefly to reporters, telling them he was a charter member of the American Communist Party, that he had held high office with it, and that he had been expelled from the organization last October. He knew Whittaker Chambers only as a casual acquaintance.

River on Rampage



—Central Press Canadian

Swollen by the combination of three days of heavy rain and melting snow and ice, the Passaic River runs deep and wild through the falls at Little Falls, N. J. Rivers all through upstate New York, New Jersey and New England overflowed their banks, isolating hundreds of communities and causing millions of dollars of property damage.

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7:02—News Summary
7:07—Sunrise Serenade
8:00—CBC News
8:15—Breakfast Club
8:45—Morning Devotion
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Western Tunes
9:30—Morning Concert
9:59—Time Signal
10:00—Train Time
10:01—Woman's Program, Ellen Harris
10:15—Mid-Morning Varieties
10:45—Nat Brandwyn
11:00—Musical Varieties
11:15—Air Kindergarten
11:30—CBR Presents
11:45—Let's Waltz
12:00—The Notice Board
12:15—Press News
12:25—Showcase
12:30—Farm Broadcast
12:55—Five Roses Radio Kitchen
1:00—Old Favourites
1:30—Bernie Braden Tells a Story
1:45—Community Program, CBC
2:00—B. C. School Broadcast
2:30—The Little Show
2:45—Western Five
3:00—Ethel and Albert
3:15—Interlude
3:20—Sketches in Melody
3:30—Divertimento
3:45—BBC News
3:55—CBC-U.N. Community
4:00—Al Harvey
4:14—Train Time
4:15—Afternoon Serenade
4:30—Children's Program
4:45—Easy Listening
5:00—Sacred Heart Program
5:15—Echoes of the Gay Nineties
5:30—Peerless News
5:45—Mc & Mc's Platter Show
6:00—McKay and Stretton Disc Jockey Service
6:30—Cavalcade of Melody
7:00—CBC News
7:15—CBC News Roundup
7:30—Leicester Square
8:00—Music by Eric Wild
8:30—Old Timers
9:00—Points of View
9:15—Recital
9:30—Heritage of Music
10:00—CBC News
10:15—Neighborly News
10:30—Biltmore Hotel Orchestra
11:00—God Save the King

CJAT
610 ON THE DIAL

7:00—Peerless News
7:10—Breakfast for Two
7:35—Fun at Breakfast
7:40—Breakfast for Two
7:50—Hymn for the Day
8:00—CBC News
8:15—Breakfast Club
8:45—Laura Ltd.
9:00—Music Workshop
9:15—Aunt Lucy
9:30—Lake of the Woods Milling
9:35—Good Morning Neighbor
9:45—Good Morning Neighbor
10:15—Happy Gang
10:45—Singalong
11:00—Memorable Music
11:30—Jumping Jacks
11:45—Eddy Arnold Show
12:00—Luncheon Concert
12:30—Press News
12:45—Smoke Rings
1:00—Moods in Melody
1:30—Bernie Braden
1:45—Commentary: Consumer
2:00—B.C. School Broadcast
2:30—Air Kindergarten
2:45—Penthouse Serenade
3:00—CJAT Goes Calling
3:45—BBC News
4:00—The Inside Story
4:15—Jack Smith
4:30—Christian Fellowship Hour
5:00—Timely Tunes
5:15—Wrigstaff Sportscraft
5:20—Press News
5:30—Canadian Cavalcade
6:00—Bob Hope Show
6:30—Fibber McGee and Molly
7:00—CBC News
7:15—News Roundup
7:30—Leicester Square to Broadway
8:00—Music by Eric Wilde
8:30—Mystery Theatre
9:00—Guy Lombardo Show
9:30—Hour of St. Francis
9:45—Sports Cavalcade
10:00—Press News
10:15—Report from Parliament Hill
10:30—Biltmore Hotel Orchestra
11:00—Musical Fill
11:30—Peerless News

THE ANSWER, QUICK!

1. Which of these United States cities is the largest: Cleveland, Washington, D. C., Pittsburgh, San Francisco?
2. What is the oldest college in the United States?
3. Was Button Gwinnet the name of a real or a fictitious character?
4. What is correct ending of this quotation: "Water, water everywhere?" It is often misquoted.
5. What is "Adam's ale?"

HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT?

1. Cleveland.
2. Harvard, organized in 1636.
3. A real one. He was a signer of the Declaration of Independence.
4. "Nor any drop to drink."
5. Water.

MODERN MANNERS

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YOUR FUTURE

A good time for shopping, especially for things for the home. Life should proceed normally for you during the next 12 months, and a happier and more contented state of affairs may be expected. Today's child should be both moderately fortunate and happy.

IT'S BEEN SAID

A fool and a wise man are alike both in the starting place — their birth, and at the post—their death; only they differ in the race of their lives.—Thomas Fuller.

IT HAPPENED TODAY

On Jan. 18, 1943, during World War II, the Russians broke the 17-month siege of Leningrad by the German army. Rudyard Kipling, English novelist, died on this date in 1936, aged 70. Daniel Webster, American statesman and orator, was born on Jan. 18, 1782. On the same date in 1770 the battle of Golden Hill, Mass., was fought—in which the first blood was shed in defense of American colonial rights.

L'IL ABNER

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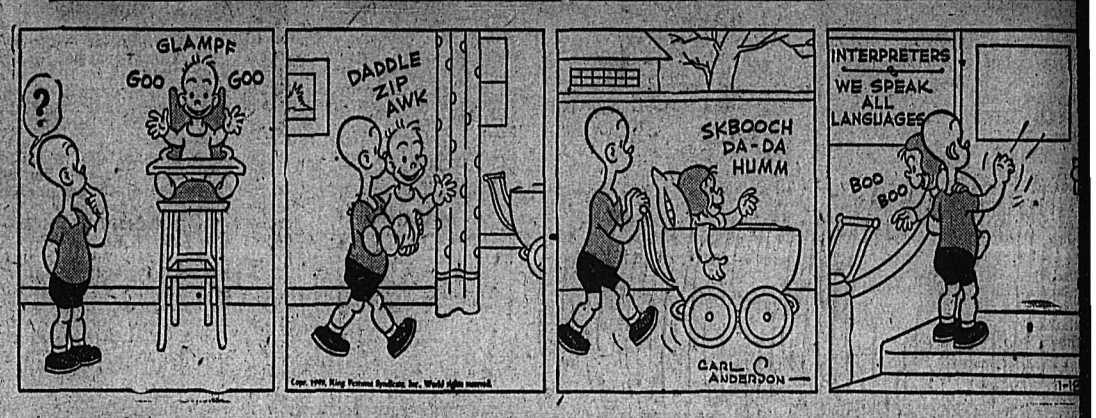

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Market Trends

TORONTO (CP) — Prices eased slowly downwards in the slowest trading in more than a week. Industrials moved in a narrow fractional range on an easier tone and a wide list of junior golds dipped. Base metals weakened quietly and Western oils moved slowly on an easier tone.

NEW YORK (AP) — American Telephone and Telegraph rallied after an early break of 4⅛ points.

MONTREAL (CP) — Stocks continued to move within narrow range as gains edged out losses during quiet trading.

MONTREAL (CP) — No definite trend was established during dull trading.

LONDON (Reuters) — Prices in most sections showed a tendency to lower levels.

VANCOUVER (CP) — Prices in most sections lost ground. In base metals Reeves McDonald fell .05 to 3.00 and Sheep Creek at 1.55 was down 3 points.

CALGARY LIVESTOCK

CALGARY (CP) — The cattle market is fairly active at Calgary today under light receipts with prices steady at last week's close.

Early receipts today: Cattle 136. Weekend receipts: cattle 151, calves 6, sheep 19.

Hogs sold last week at $28.65 for A's at yards and plants. Sows brought 18.50 live weight. Good to choice butcher steers 19.50-21.00; common to medium 16-19. Good butcher heifers 18-19; common to medium 15-17.50. Good cows 15-15.50; common to medium 12.50-14.50. Canners and cutters 10-12. Good bulls 18-19; common to medium 15-17.50.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

No Dow Jones averages — wire trouble.

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS
1. Outer coating of a tree
5. Book of Old Testament
9. S-shaped profile
10. A seasoning
11. Black
12. Last king of Troy (Gr. Myth.)
14. Siberian gulf
15. Spread grass to dry
17. Metallic rock
18. Clamp
20. Obligation
23. Norse god
24. Cozy
26. Supposed
28. Equip
30. Spring month
31. Removed, as skin
34. A portico (Gr. Arch.)
37. Farm animal
38. Those on one side in a match
40. One of barbarous Asiatic people
41. Pig pen
43. Place
45. River (Chin.)
46. Muse of lyric poetry
49. Lively, cheerful songs
51. Filled with solemn wonder
52. American Indian
53. Snow vehicle
54. Chief

DOWN
1. Spool to hold thread
2. Past
3. Return, made by the tenant
4. Furnished with keys
5. Viper
6. Disfigure
7. Hodgepodge
8. Suffer extreme hunger
11. Ages
13. Reward
16. Unexploded shell
19. Unadulterated
21. Evening sun god (Egypt.)
22. Affirmative votes
25. Covered with gold
27. An ancient story
29. Turn to the right
31. Attitudinize
32. Actors in mob scenes
33. Dip quickly into water, as a bird
35. Expelled
36. Keel-billed cuckoos
39. Protective covering for plants
42. Small boat
44. Weary
47. Golf mound
48. Strange
50. Marshy meadow

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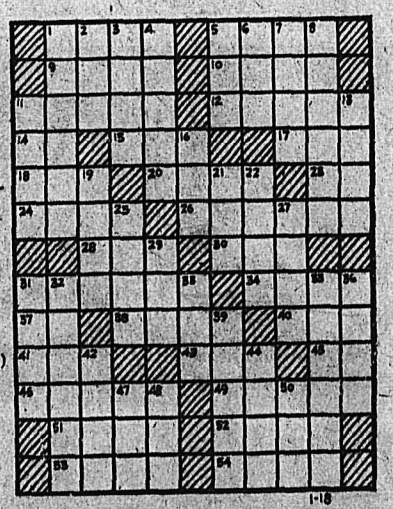

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A Cryptogram Quotation

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Yesterday's Cryptoquote: CHARACTER IS SIMPLY HABIT LONG CONTINUED—PLUTARCH.

OUTPUT BUILDING MATERIALS PUSHED HIGHER

OTTAWA (CP)—A word of encouragement for the material-hungry construction industry came Monday from the Bureau of Statistics.

The news was that production of several key building materials during most of 1948 was up heavily over the same periods of the previous year.

Nails—one of the tightest items for some years—showed a production jump of about 8000 tons in the first 11 months of 1948. Output was at 78,581 tons, compared with 70,784 in the same period of 1947.

November nail production was down slightly from October, but it was well over the total for November of 1947.

The Bureau also reported that varying increases were shown in 1948 nine-months production of concrete bricks and blocks and cement drain pipe, sewer pipe, water pipe and culvert tile.

The output of pipe products was 126,000 tons for the nine months, while 23,000,000 pieces of hollow concrete blocks topped the production of the other concrete products.

Output of asbestos for the first 11 months was up sharply over the same period of 1947, moving from 504,400 tons to 655,900 tons.

Steel wire output moved up slightly in the first 11 months of the year—from 290,213 to 295,557. This was made up of 226,343 tons of plain wire, 57,796 of galvanized wire, 2923 of other coated wire and 8495 of barbed wire.

However, steel wire fencing was down from 1947 in the same period, dropping from 24,141 to 22,028 tons.

RETIRED RAILWAY MAN SPEAKS BEFORE ROTARY

Carl B. Mutchler, retired railroader, addressed Nelson Rotary Club Monday in the Hume on details in the handling of speed freight trains as a phase of railway work.

Mr. Mutchler was 28 years at Melville, Sask., before coming to Nelson some time ago, and was for several years Divisional Superintendent for the Canadian National Railway at Melville.

A. C. VanSacker, Nelson electrical superintendent, was welcomed as a new member. He came to Nelson a few months ago from Fernie.

Mrs. J. L. Smith Heads Trinity United Church W.A.

Circle No. 4, Trinity United Church Women's Auxiliary, met in the church parlor Jan. 13, when officers elected for the year were:

President, Mrs. J. L. Smith; First Vice-President, Mrs. J. Robertson; Secretary, Mrs. R. S. Nelson; Treasurer, Mrs. W. R. McDonald; Flower Secretary, Mrs. J. Robertson. Other members present were Mrs. D. MacFarlane and Mrs. F. S. Dickinson.

Magistrate Brown Back in Court Room

Magistrate William Brown, who was ill for about two weeks, Monday returned to the bench of the Nelson City Police court room, Stipendiary Magistrate William Irvine of the Provincial Police Court presided over sessions during his absence.

Winnipeg Grain

WINNIPEG (CP)—Winnipeg grain quotations:

Oats:				
May	73⅞	74	73¼	73⅝
July	71⅝	71⅝	70¾	70¾
Oct.	—	—	—	68½
Barley:				
May	1.07⅞	1.07⅞	1.07	1.07
July	1.01½	1.01⅝	1.00⅝	1.00⅝
Oct.	—	—	—	95⅛
Rye:				
May	1.53¼	1.54¾	1.52¼	1.52¼
July	1.51⅝	1.53	1.50	1.50¼
Oct.	1.47¾	1.47¾	1.44⅛	1.45
Flax:				
May	—	—	—	4.02
July	—	—	—	4.05

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Flax: No 1 C.W. 4.00; No. 2 C.W. 3.95; No. 3 C.W. 3.84; No. 4 C.W. 3.75; track 4.00.

Veteran Nelson Conductor Makes Final Run

A crowd of fellow railroaders, friends and relatives was on hand to greet D. D. McLean of Nelson as he stepped off the Kettle Valley passenger to end a 48-year railroad career. From left to right are Ald. A. Sutherland, retired conductor; H. Mansfield; C. E. Lister, Superintendent of the Kootenay Division, Canadian Pacific Railway; A. Anderson; J. G. Watson, District Passenger Agent; Mrs. A. L. McLean and son Bruce; Mrs. D. D. McLean, A. L. McLean, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McLean, Mr. McLean, L. R. Smith, Assistant Superintendent, and Miss Sybil McLean, daughter. In front are young Dorothy McLean, granddaughter, and James Duffy jr.

Watching Mr. McLean "book in" after completion of his last run are D. J. Thomas, Chief Clerk; J. S. Edwards, President of the local of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen; L. R. Smith, Assistant Superintendent, and C. W. Powles, Divisional Master Mechanic.

No Damage in Chimney Fire

A chimney fire at 314 Cedar Street was extinguished without damage by Nelson Fire Department Sunday morning. The call was sent in at 11:48 by H. W. Wassick.

Hardened Criminals

PITTSBURGH (AP)—Veteran police officers looked askance as four youngsters told of breaking into two service stations at 3 a.m.

The four ranged in age from 9 to 11. There were twin boys, aged 9, another boy aged 11, and a girl, also 11. Their loot was $1.84.

What puzzled the policemen most was the fact that the youngsters talked like veteran criminals. The girl was caught rifling a cash register. She refused at first to identify her accomplices, but finally she announced:

"All right, I'll tell you who the rest of the mob is."

One of the twins talked readily, saying: "I'm just a burglar, but I don't carry a rod."

SENATOR DIES AT 79

MONTREAL (CP) — Sen. C. P. Beaubien died suddenly at his home in suburban Outremont Monday night. He was 79. Long active in the Conservative Party, he was joint chairman of the party's national convention in Winnipeg in 1927.

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Barwis Replacing Sgt. John White, Leaving To Take Charge in Revelstoke

Sergeant C. W. A. Barwis, well known in Nelson where he was twice stationed with the Provincial Police, is returning to replace Sergeant John White, who leaves Tuesday to take charge of the Revelstoke City Detachment.

Sergeant White came here in November, 1942, from Invermere as Corporal in charge. He was later placed in charge of the district and in November, 1946, was promoted to Sergeant.

Prior to being stationed at Invermere, he was in Fernie, Kimberley, Salmo and Kaslo, and in 1930 was at Procter. He served in the First World War in the Imperial Army.

Sergeant and Mrs. White have lived at 707 Hoover Street.

Sergeant Barwis, who has been in Revelstoke, was District Corporal here from the Summer of 1936 to the Fall of 1938, and from the Summer of 1939 to the Summer of 1942, was in charge of the West Kootenay District.

In 1944 he relieved Staff Sergeant H. N. Wood here for a short period.

Born in Richmond, Quebec, in 1892, he attended the Royal Military College at Kingston. He was commissioned as a Second Lieutenant and attached to the First West Yorks in 1914-15, and then was transferred to the 54th Sihks on the Northwest Frontier of India, to the

SGT. BARWIS

53rd Sihks in Mesopotamia in 1916, to the Northwest Frontier in 1917, back to Mesopotamia with the 85th Burma Rifles the same year, to the Suez Canal area in 1920, and in 1922 he took part in the quelling of the Moplah Rebellion in Southern India.

The following year he retired as a Captain in the 20th Burma Rifles.

Joining the Provincial Police in May, 1928, he served at Bowen Island, with the Vancouver Mounted Troop, at Penticton, Nelson, Cranbrook, Peace River and at Vancouver.

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Gov't Troops Mass in Attempt To Save Nanking

By SEYMOUR TOPPING

NANKING (AP) — The Chinese Government Monday massed about 150,000 troops on a 300-mile front in what neutral military observers describe as a hopeless effort to defend Nanking.

Communist armies with a total strength of more than 300,000 troops already are poised North of the Hwai River, 105 miles to the Northwest, for a descent to the Yangtze River Valley.

The Government's final abandonment of Pengpu and evacuation of towns on Pengpu's flanks have yielded to the Communists necessary river crossing areas. Pengpu, anchor of the erstwhile Hwai River defence line, has been outflanked by the Communists for a month.

Realization of the Government's weak military position is spurring active appeals by the general public and official bodies for Government action to make a peace settlement with the Communists.

In North China, a peace delegation prepared to leave Peiping for ceasefire talks with the Reds amid indications of a climax approaching at that besieged ancient capital.

The Government's North China Commander, Gen. Fu Tso-Yi, provided the delegation with transportation and an escort to the Nationalist perimeter. Fu's own newspaper in Peiping conceded Sunday that the Reds are victorious in North China.

Members of China's legislative Yuan and the National Assembly in Nanking have again appealed for swift Government efforts to obtain an "honorable peace."

The main body of Communist troops in central China is reported deploying for a general offensive to the North bank of the Yangtze.

Nationalist divisions are stretched thinly from Shanghai Westward to Wuhu, on the South bank of the Yangtze about 80 miles Southwest of Nanking. Nanking also is on the Yangtze's South bank.

Supporting those forces are naval patrols on the river and the Chinese air force, the operational strength of which has been reduced by transfers to Formosa.

Some 60,000 troops of this total force hold a defence line North of the Yangtze anchored to Chuhsien. Foreign military circles refer to their dispositions as suicidal.

Those nationalist divisions North of the river are said to be confronted by an overwhelming Communist force, and with an unfordable and unbridged river at their back.

CAPTURE PORT

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — The Chinese Communist radio reported Red capture of Tangku, ocean port for Tientsin which fell Saturday.

(Evacuation of Nationalist troops from the North China port was reported authoritatively from Nanking a couple of hours before the Communist broadcast. The Nanking report said the Chinese navy withdrew the Tangku garrison Sunday night).

FEEDING PIGEONS IN PARK — Two early morning strollers toss food to pigeons flocked around them in snow-blanketed Bryant Park in New York City.

Manitoba Woman in Fair Condition After Flight Through Blizzard

WINNIPEG (CP)—Manitoba Government snowplow crews were expected to clear most trunk roads in the Province in the wake of the third big blizzard to hit the Southern area this Winter, during which a Saskatchewan Government air ambulance successfully completed a 250-mile mercy flight from Yorkton, Sask.

The plane, buffeted by gale-like winds, landed at Winnipeg's Stevenson Field Sunday night with a seriously-ill woman aboard. The patient, Mrs. Eva Peppler, 49, of Yorkton, is in hospital suffering from an abdominal tumor. Her condition is reported fair.

Her husband, Gordon Peppler, and Nurse June Dowling of Regina accompanied her. Pilot Rex Cliberry was dispatched to Yorkton from his Regina base after an appeal from a Yorkton doctor.

He was forced to land at Rivers, Man., when the ceiling closed in to 200 feet. Mrs. Peppler was cared for in R.C.A.F. hospital there, while Cliberry awaited clearance.

After reaching Winnipeg, Cliberry was unable to taxi to the waiting ambulance because of heavy drifts.

Snowmobiles were called out to rescue dozens of motorists trapped West of Portage la Prairie, Man., Saturday night. A Highways Department official said that despite radio warnings to keep off roads until the storm cleared, many drivers went out and became snowbound.

This necessitated the calling out of special rescue plows at the height of the blizzard, he said, and made much of their clearing work useless after occupants of cars were brought in. It was 15 below zero at Brandon, Man., Monday, with slight winds blowing.

By contrast, Calgary reported a balmy chinook wind blowing, with an early-morning temperature of 22 degrees above. Vancouver reported milder weather and Westerly winds.

In Lethbridge, Alta., the thermometer registered 27 degrees above, and the overnight low 25 above. High West winds lashed Southern Alberta all Sunday and overnight, and still were continuing, resulting in heavy drifting snow.

Edmonton reported temperatures of approximately 25 degrees above, but this was expected to drop to around zero later. Light, powdery snow was falling and high West winds prevailed.

It was clear and mild in Regina, with a light wind blowing, and at Moose Jaw, Sask., the weather was cloudy and mild, with snow falling.

Crucial Changes Expected in Senate This Year

By DOUGLAS HOW
Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA (CP)—Informed opinion here sees the next general election as a potentially-crucial event in the career of the Canadian Senate.

If the Liberals win, its lopsided representation would soon be carried to lengths that would invite if not force change.

If the Progressive Conservatives win, they would probably merely go ahead redressing the balance as vacancies occur—at the average rate of five to six a year.

If the C.C.F. wins, it is in record as favoring abolition of the Chamber.

A recent heavy series of deaths among Senators and the fact that the three most recent appointments have involved men more than 70 years of age have provoked a flurry of speculation about its future. Appointments are made for life by the Prime Minister, and bring an income of $6000 a year.

The current standing is Liberals 65, Progressive Conservatives 16, with 15 vacancies. There is no reason to believe that before the election, which may come this year, the Government won't fill both the vacancies and the six Newfoundland seats with Liberals, making the Party's strength 86.

Of the Conservative members, six now are more than 80 years of age, four are more than 70, the other six more than 60. A number of them take little or no part in debates.

The Cabinet, too busy with more immediate matters, has shown no particular interest in reform, and the general attitude has been to leave the problem to the Senate itself. Within its ranks, there have been several movements for change in the last few years, and another is expected this coming session.

Most of the impetus has come from the ranks of the Liberals themselves, but so far all efforts have proved abortive.

First of the changes generally considered likely is an age limit of, say, 75. To this might be added a pension for Senators who have served 10 years, thus making 65 a sort of unwritten age limit for most newcomers.

Another proposal that has been suggested is to give the Provincial Governments power over a portion of the appointments. This would give a Senate voice to such Parties as the C.C.F., Social Credit and Union Nationale, which have elected Provincial Governments.

Landlegging Racket In Winnipeg Ended

WINNIPEG (CP)—A racket in the buying and selling of city-owned property has been reported to have been thwarted.

City Council's Finance Committee set up an effective block to the operation by ordering stoppage of any further sales of city-owned properties. This move followed charges by Ald. C. E. Simonite that the city lost thousands of dollars which had been funnelled into the pockets of "unscrupulous buyers."

Finance Committee also has instructed the property sub-committee to increase property prices so that they stand at 100 per cent of their assessment value. The "landlegging" had been engaged in by operators who took advantage, Ald. Simonite claimed, of a policy instituted in 1939 where land could be bought at lower than the assessed price.

New Drug Free for Manitoba Patients

OTTAWA (CP)—Tuberculosis patients in Manitoba sanatoria who might benefit from streptomycin will receive the new drug free of charge, the Health Department said today.

Patients in sanatoria in British Columbia, Alberta, Ontario, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island already are receiving the drug under similar conditions. The project is being advanced by the Department under its public welfare program.

While streptomycin is not considered a cure-all for tuberculosis, Department officials say it arrests the progress of the disease, cutting down the patient's stay in hospital, and also the convalescent period.

Patrons Escape Night-Club Fire

MONTREAL (CP)—Thirty night-club patrons filed safely out of the Cafe Minuit on Park Avenue in Central Montreal when fire broke out in the basement. There was no estimate of loss, but it was believed smoke damage would run into several thousand dollars.

According to the latest decenn census there were 732,715 farms Canada of which 75.1 per cent we owner operated and a further 1 per cent were operated by own who rented additional parcels land.

RAUM TITLIST AT MOUNT BAKER SKI JUMP MEET

SEATTLE (AP)—Jumps of 163 and 174 feet gave Gus Raum of the University of Washington the Class A Division title in the Fjeld Ski Club meet at Mount Baker Sunday.

Joe Vincent of the Leavenworth Ski Club won the Class B event, and Henry Sotvedt of the Vancouver, B. C., Ski Club took the Senior title.

BOWLS PERFECT FIVE-PINS SCORE

TORONTO (CP)—Joe Cucinati, of Toronto, rolled a perfect 450 game in five-pins here in one of the hottest scoring sessions ever recorded on local alleys.

Joe tossed a 412 count Saturday prior to the perfect game, then followed with 353 for a three-game string of 1215. Not content with that he tacked on another 318 count for 1533 over a four-game stretch.

Jews to Release R.A.F. Pilots

TEL AVIV (Reuters)—Israeli authorities Monday informed the British Consul-General at Haifa that they have decided to release two R.A.F. pilots shot down over the Palestine-Egyptian border.

The pilots, F/O. Timothy McElhaw and P/O. Frank Close, were flying R.A.F. Spitfires on a reconnaissance mission over the frontier area when they were shot down Jan. 7. Israeli authorities claimed that they had crossed over Israeli territory.

Married Secretly While Living in Home Of Wealthy Indian

EPSOM, England (AP) — The strange story of Phyllis Britton Newell, who lived in the home of a wealthy Indian cotton merchant, was bared in this town's official records.

Mrs. Newell, 28, was found dead last Thursday in the 20-room mansion of Nusli Whaddia, a millionaire Parsee. She lived in his home for the last 10 years. A year after coming there as a servant she changed her name legally to Phyllis May Whaddia.

At the time she died, Phyllis' husband, Victor Newell, 30, of Southall, England, a trucker, was held by United States immigration authorities in Bangor, Me.

Newell blamed "American red tape" for hastening his wife's death.

Newell, who accompanied his wife last month on a visit to her sister in Maine, was detained for illegal entry into the United States.

His wife returned here last Dec. 23. Newell, however, was held in jail at Bangor in lieu of $1000 bond.

It was there he learned of his wife's death. As a result of her death the immigration authorities said they planned to drop charges against him.

The secret that the attractive Welsh girl kept from the 72-year-old Indian merchant — that four years ago she was secretly married to Newell — was written into the record of the Coroner's inquest on her death.

Cementing oil wells has made it possible to obtain oil from depths rendered unproductive by the infiltration of water.

U. S. Gasoline Consumption Breaks Records

WASHINGTON (AP) — Motorists in the United States used more gasoline last year than ever before, the Public Roads Administration said. Reports from state tax-collection agencies indicated 30,700,000,000 gallons were consumed, a nine per cent increase compared with 1947.

R. A. F. Hockey Team Unbeaten

By NORMAN CRIBBENS
Canadian Press Staff Writer

UXBRIDGE, Middlesex, England (CP) — The RAF's first hockey team, composed of 11 ex-RCAF fliers and two British airmen, has been making history on British rinks since it was formed here last October.

Unbeaten so far this season, the new team has tussled with eight leading teams, beaten seven of them and drawn with the famous Streatham Royals.

One of their most thrilling encounters—watched by Marshall of the RAF Lord Tedder and 9000 enthusiasts — was against Wembley Colts at Wembley Stadium, where the RAF team scored a 4-3 win in the last 45 seconds of the game.

Flt. Lt. D. G. Evans, 27, Toronto, Captain and Manager of the RAF team is also its instigator. An RCAF pilot during the war, he has been with the RAF as jet test pilot ever since.

"The boys have put up a splendid show," said Evans, "but I feel we could do much better if we could get more good Canadian food. Soap and chewing gum would also be welcome."

The RAF team is as follows: Gnr. Hercules Zelenitsky (goal), 26, Winnipeg, former RCAF, air gunner.

Engineer I. W. Moffat (defence), 27, Hamilton, Ont.

FO. J. Cowman (defence), 34, Hamilton.

Flt. Lt. D. F. Shallow (defence), 30, Grand Falls, N.B.

Ftl. Lt. W. Taylor (defence), 26, Calgary.

Gnr. J. Adams, 27, Toronto, now one of the leading scorers, is a former RCAF gunner who made 25 trips over Germany in bombers.

Flt. Lt. L. (Wally) Wallace, (forward), 27, Flin Flon, Man., is coach. He played with Winnipeg Monarchs and Flin Flon Bombers.

AC2. J. Forrest (forward), Paisley, Scotland, 20, the youngest man on the side.

Gnr. J. Cooper (forward), 24, Windsor, Ont., formerly with Western Industrial League.

Gnr. E. Chabot (forward) 29, Winnipeg, who made 24 trips over Berlin with the RCAF in 1944 and 1945.

Flt. Lt. C. R. (Chuck) Labelle, 27, Montreal, spare forward.

AC2. Ernest Ripley, 23, only English-born member of the team, is reserve goalie.

Jewellers Meet

MONTREAL (CP) — Six hundred jewellers from all parts of Canada are registered here as the four-day convention of the Canadian Jewellers' Association got under way Monday. A special train from Toronto brought 200 members from Ontario points. They were welcomed by a committee headed by Roland Lord, President of the Association's Quebec branch.

New V.O.N. Chief

OTTAWA (CP) — Christine Livingston of Hamilton, Ont., has assumed her position as Chief Superintendent of the Victorian Order of Nurses for Canada. Appointed to the position last October, Miss Livingston succeeds Miss Maud Hall who has retired. Miss Livingston has been with the V.O.N. since 1938 and has served as District Superintendent of the V.O.N.'s greater Montreal branch since 1946.

Honolulu Cleans Up After Heavy Storm

HONOLULU (AP) — Honolulu is cleaning up after one of its heaviest kona (South) storms in years. Heavy rains and winds swept the islands Sunday. Rainfall was measured as high as 7½ inches in some sections. Two brothers were crushed to death by a landslide which struck their home during the storm.

BELIEVE 600 BODIES STILL IN SUNKEN SHIP

SHANGHAI (AP) — Divers estimate that about 600 bodies are still in the sunken steamship Kiangya, which exploded Dec. 3 near Shanghai with loss of more than 3000 lives. About 1300 bodies were recovered from the ship. Chinese junks and sampans picked up others. Many more were washed ashore and many were blown to bits in the explosion.

HOTEL FOR PILGRIMS — The building (foreground) being constructed near St. Peter's (background) in Rome will house pilgrims who will visit the city during Holy Year of 1950. Offices of Catholic Action groups will be in the building.

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