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WEATHER FORECAST

Kootenay: Cloudy and cold with scattered snowflurries. Light Northerly winds. Low and high at Cranbrook 5 and 20. Crescent Valley 16 and 25.

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To Resume Nelson, Nelway Highway Work in Spring

Board of Trade Resolution to Victoria Would Point Up Unemployment Situation

Work toward completion of the portion of the Nelson-Nelway Highway between Nelson and the Euphrates mine is expected to begin this Spring, Nelson Board of Trade Council members were told at their luncheon in the Hume Thursday. A 21-mile section from the Euphrates, nine miles South of Nelson, to beyond Salmo was surfaced two years ago.

John Learmonth, Chairman of the Roads and Bridges Committee, reported that the committee was endeavoring to secure up-to-the-minute information as to completion of the highway from Hon. E. C. Carson, Minister of Public Works. In a report received, Mr. Carson stated that as work on the project had not started last Fall it certainly would begin this Spring. Construction estimates were awaited.

The Roads and Bridges Committee prepared a resolution to be forwarded to Walter Hendricks, M.L.A. for Nelson-Creston, at Victoria drawing his attention to the unemployment situation in the district with a view to having unemployed work on district roads.

A 12-mile section of the Nelson-Nelway Highway beween Salmo and the border at Nelway also has not yet been surfaced.

No Public Works Projects Planned for Unemployed

Premier, Cabinet Ministers Shun T.L.C. Programs in Annual Visit

OTTAWA, March 9 (CP)—A definite trend in unemployment has set in, Prime Minister St. Laurent today told a labor delegation.

While conceding Canada still has a larger-than-usual number of jobless, he advised heads of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada the government does not feel the time has arrived to open up its shelf of public works projects to provide jobs.

At the same time, Mr. St. Laurent and cabinet members told the labor chiefs it was impossible now to adopt an all-inclusive federal social security system and gave no encouragement to labor's concerted drive for immediate abolition of the means test for old age pensioners.

Making their annual legislative submission to the government, more than 100 top officials of the 460,000-member congress met with 12 of the cabinet and heard Mr. St. Laurent and various ministers say that:

1. Canadian trade prospects are good and Canada's economy generally is going to be "all right" through 1950.

2. The country has another big year ahead in capital construction, and there are no signs that this activity is slowing down.

3. With the government committed to heavy expenditures for defence, savings bond payments and health and social services, there is little leeway for additional social services expenditures.

4. Finance Minister Abbott's estimates have been pared of all unnecessary spending, and it is expected the federal budget will be just about balanced.

5. The government does not accept a T.L.C. suggestion for price control based on the principle of wage contracts.

6. It would not be feasible to re-impose the wartime excess profits tax of 100 per cent, as sought by the congress.

The Prime Minister also indicated he was not accepting a congress proposal for further increases in the personal income-tax exemptions.

The congress in its brief had declared there were 390,000 jobless and that unemployment had reached th epoint of a "naitonal emergency." It called on the Dominion for measures to restore trade and to undertake public works to provide jobs.

The T.L.C. had also asked for a contributory plan covering health insurance of various types, old age pensions without the means test and with payments boosted to $60 a month and age qualifications lowered, mothers' and 'windows' allowances and larger benefits and more coverage in unemployment insurance. All would be operated by the Dominion government.

Attacks Gov't Social Security

OTTAWA, March 9 (CP) — A Liberal Member of Parliament today told the Government he is not anxious to see additional groups of Canadians added to the state's social security payroll.

Leslie Mutch, Liberal Member for Winnipeg South and Parliamentary Assistant to Veterans Affairs Minister Gregg, described state assistance as a "snare . . . a delusion . . . and a fraud."

He said in the Commons:

"I believe it is time to say that there is grave danger that the idea of state-provided security, if persisted in, will destroy the possibility of any real measure of social security at all for any of us.

"At the considered risk of being both honestly and maliciously misunderstood I want to say now that I for one am not anxious to see any further groups, as such, of Canadians put on the payroll of the Government of Canada."

Mr. Mutch, a Winnipeg Advertising Executive, said he is in favor of social security measures that are borne by the public generally and that are in the public interest and for the public good.

But he did not think the question of social security should be approached from the standpoint that the "state owes us something."

Mr. Mutch spoke during continued debate on the speech from the throne. Other speakers included John Diefenbaker (PC--Lake Centre); William J. Major (L--Glengarry); Hazen Argue (CCF--Assiniboia); and E. D. Fulton (PC--Kamloops).

Mr. Diefenbaker reiterated his party's request for a Commonwealth Trade Conference and charged Agriculture Minister Gardiner with saying one day that Canada has food surpluses and on another that there are no surpluses.

Mr. Major said that as a result of the Government's price support program the morale of farmers was higher than ever.

Mr. Argue said he believed that Mr. Gardiner and other Cabinet Ministers were "guilty" of making statements during the last election campaign which they had since denied.

Mr. Fulton dealt with trade and called for Government action to promote prosperous trade within the Commonwealth.

At the House opening, Revenue Minister McCann said he will make a statement within the next few days on a new order in council fixing depreciation rates farmers can claim for income tax purposes.

Refuse Information On Alta. Oil Lease Tenders

EDMONTON, March 9 (CP)—Over charges that the government was being peculiarly reluctant to give information, the Legislature today threw out two Opposition requests for information on oil lease tenders and public works contracts.

In both cases the government ministers, Hon. N.E. Tanner, Mines and Minerals, and Hon. D.B. MacMillan, Public Works, claimed that it was not in the public interest to table returns giving the information.

During the other business today, the Federal Government was urged to guarantee subventions on Canadian coal for a period of from three to five years. This suggestion was made by Gordon Taylor (SC—Drumheller) in moving a resolution that urged the Federal Government to establish a national coal policy.

First reading also was given a bill authorizing payment of $3,727,000 towards the cost of public ward hospitalization to hospital districts which have a $1-a-day scheme for patients.

Demands Inquiry On Radium Stores

OTTAWA, March 9 (CP)—Trade Minister Howe told the Commons today he has asked for a report on the disappearance—and eventual recovery—of 20 needles of radium from the National Research Council here yesterday.

G. W. Fraser (PC—Peterborough West) had asked if it was true that the radium had been stored in unprotected sheds on the council grounds instead of in vaults.

Expedition to Baffin Island During Spring

MONTREAL, March 9 (CP) — The Arctic Institute of North America announced today that an expedition to Baffin Land Island will be undertaken this Spring.

The announcement was made by McGill University headquarters of the Institute.

Scientists from the United States and several European countries will be included in the expedition, headed by Col. P. D. Baird who commanded "Exercise Muskox" Operations a year ago in the Churchill, Man., district.

The party will undertake scientific studies on Baffin Island.

Desperate Love Affair With Guay

QUEBEC, March 9 (CP) — Waitress Marie-Ange Robitaille today told Quebec Criminal Court a tale of a stormy, two-year-love affair with J. Albert Guay on trial for murder after a plane wreck that killed his wife and 22 others Sept. 9.

The 19-year-old girl spent more than two hours in the witness box giving details of her unstable life since the Spring of 1948 with the 32-year-old jeweler.

Crown Prosecutor Noel Dorion presented the petite, flowing-haired waitress as a key witness in the case against Guay. By her testimony, the Crown tried to prove that the jeweler's affection for her was a prime motive in an alleged time-bomb plot having Mrs. Guay's death and $10,000 insurance money as its objectives.

The girl's story was mostly about Guay's anxiety to keep her by his side, her attempts to end the shady romance, their quarrels and amounts of money he gave her.

Apart from an isolated mention that Guay once tried to obtain a separation from his 28-year-old wife, there was no mention in her testimony of the time-bomb plot around which the Crown's case reas its objectives.

Defence and prosecution will summarize their cases for the 12-man, French-speaking jury Saturday, and Monday 68-year-old Judge Albert Sevigny will deliver his charge, a study of the facts and legal points of the trial. The verdict may come Monday afternoon.

URGES STRUGGLE FOR FREE WORLD

Acheson Calls for Concerted Effort Against Russ Drive

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, March 9 (AP)—State Secretary Acheson tonight called on the men and women of the United States to join with their government in a concerted every-body-in tussle to defeat Russia's plans for "world domination."

He called it "total diplomacy." The totality he had in mind appeared to be hardly less comprehensive than total war . . . without the dive-bombers and trench mortars.

Acheson said the freeworld is engaged in a struggle fully as decisive for mankind as the successful fight against Nazism. But "we clearly are not focusing our total resources on the winning of that struggle."

He said total diplomacy means that all branches of the U.S. government must work together and that other institutions such as business, agriculture, labor, press and radio "must agree voluntarily" to direct their efforts to the single purpose of the struggle.

Acheson's views were set forth in a heretofore unpublished speech released by the State Department with his approval in an effort to enlarge and clarify the kind of foreign policy line he is following. This policy holds that a Truman-Stalin talk, for example, would not solve any cold war issues at this time and that those issues can only be solved after expanding Russian power has been matched and cancelled by allied Western power in critical areas of the world.

Acheson's speech was delivered at a meeting February 16 of the advertertising leaders who frequently help the government on public causes.

Acheson ruled out the idea of a preventive war to solve the Russian problem. He said: "A 'showdown' in the brutal and realistic sense of resort to a military decision is not a possible policy for a democracy. The Kremlin knows that."

He said that to meet the Soviet threat the United States must have a foreign policy with "two interrelated branches."

The first point in this policy, he said is to "meet wherever possible all thrusts of the Soviet Union." He cited American aid to Greece and Turkey as an example.

The second part of the policy "must be to create those economic, political, social and psychological conditions that strengthen and create confidence in the democratic way of life." The European Recovery Program and American help to the Indonesian independence movement are examples of this, the secretary said.

GOV'T DEPOSITS DOWN

OTTAWA, March 9 (CP) — Dominion Government deposits decreased $7,561,000 to $57,628,000 during the week ended March 8, the Bank of Canada reported today in its weekly financial statement.

Chartered bank deposits decreased $17,548,000 to $513,884,000, while notes in circulation rose $5,559,000 to $1,257,540,000.

SAW WRECKAGE OF SPACE SHIP?

Was Told "Man" 23 Inches Tall Died In Mexico Crash

LOS ANGELES, March 9 (AP)—A dynamite salesman told reporters today he had seen the wreckage of a flying saucer in Mexico, but later changed his story to say he saw only a strip of metal which business associates told him came from a space ship.

Ray L. Dimmick, Sales Manager for the Apache Powder Co., refused to name the associates, saying only that one was an American and the other a Chilean-Mexican. Dimmick added he would furnish the names "if requested by the proper authorities."

He said he was told that the wreckage was on a mountainside in Mexico City and that top U.S. Military officials had viewed it. However, the Air Force in Washington said it has heard nothing about it and there was no confirmation from Mexico.

Dimmick said his friends told him that a "man" 23 inches tall was killed in the crash and the body embalmed for scientific study. The crash occurred three months ago, Dimmick said. He recently returned from a business trip to Mexico City.

He added his associates described the aircraft as 46 feet in diameter built of a metal resembling aluminum but much harder, and powered by two motors.

In his original account, Dimmick said he had seen the wreckage, which he said was roped off. In his later story, he described the piece of metal as about six feet long, eight inches wide and three-quarters of an inch thick.

Reminded that the Air Force announced last December it was dropping its investigation of flying saucers because of a preponderance of evidence that they do not exist, Dimmick said.

"I'm big enough to take the consequences of what I've said and stand my ground."

CUT LEAD PRICE

NEW YORK, March 9 (AP) — A leading customs smelter today cut the price of lead one cent a pound to 11 cents, New York basis. Large lead producers met the new price immediately. Lead had been quoted at 12 cents since last Nov. 21 when it was reduced a half-cent.

"Not Guilty" Verdict Frees Dr. Sander

MANCHESTER, N. H., March 9 (AP) — Dr. Hermann N. Sander was freed today on a charge of murdering a cancer-ridden patient.

An all-male jury found the country doctor innocent of charges he murdered in an "act of mercy" a suffering cancer patient he couldn't heal.

It took the jury—made up of nine Roman Catholics and three Protestants—less than 75 minutes to reach the verdict.

The 41-year-old Dr. Sander showed not the slightest trace of emotion as the words "Not guilty" echoed through the small courtroom.

There was a chorus of "Ohs" from the women spectators.

Deputy Sheriffs were forced to rap for order.

COUNSEL WEEPS

When the jury was discharged by Judge Harold E. Wescott, defence counsel Louis E. Wyman walked over, smiling and crying at the same time.

Crowds gathered around Wyman and Sander, and rushed over to shake hands with Mrs. Sander, who has stood loyally by her husband throughout the case.

Mrs. Sander looked happy, and for the first time seemed to relax.

Immediately, Dr. and Mrs. Sander were almost submerged by cameramen and newsreel men who flocked into the tiny courtroom.

County Solicitor William H. Craig, assistant prosecutor in the case, was grinning along with Sander's lawyers.

Attorney General William L. Phinney, who directed the prosecution of his long-time friend—Dr. Sander—quickly donned his hat and coat and quietly left the Courthouse.

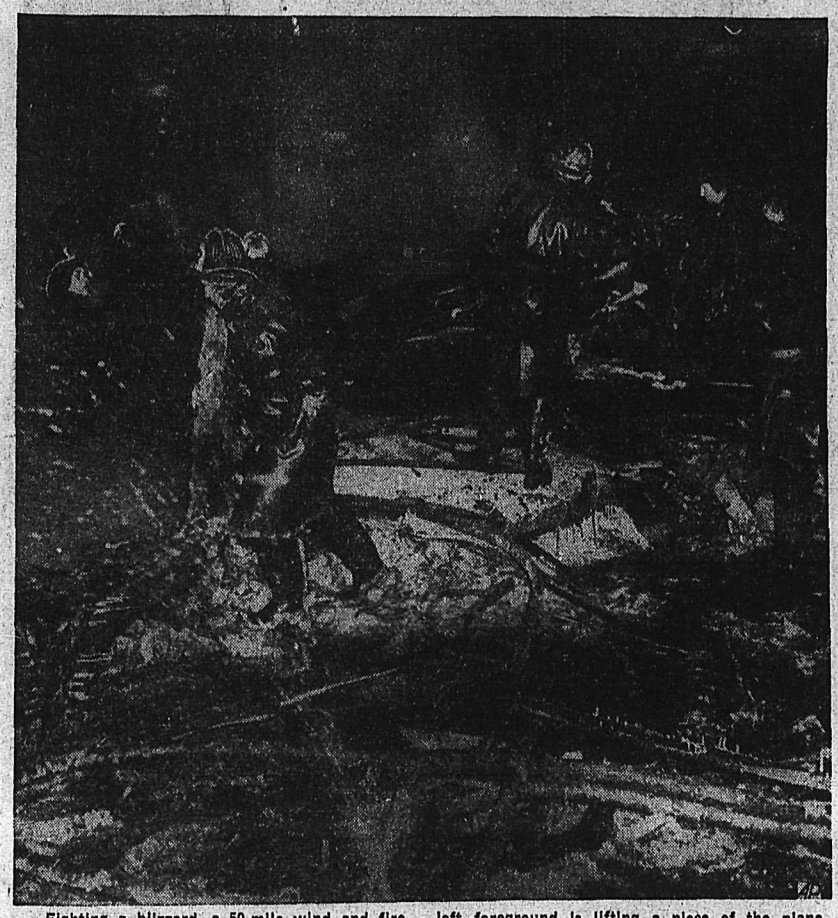
DIESEL FUEL TO REPLACE CHAMPAGNE AT ENGINE CHRISTENING

EDMONTON, March 9 (CP)—A quart of diesel fuel refined from Edmonton district crude oil is going to pinch-hit for champagne in the christening of a diesel locomotive at Montreal on Monday.

The refined diesel fuel—crystal clear like water—was requested by an official of the Montreal Locomotive Works. The Company will commeorate completion of the first of a series of diesel locomotives. Officials of Imperial Oil Limited in Edmonton sent along an extra three quarts to power the engines first move.

TORIES CAPTURE LABOR RIDING IN MANCHESTER

Air Liner Crashes in Snow Storm



Fighting a blizzard, a 50-mile wind and fire as well as disaster, these firemen search the shattered wreckage of a Northwest Airlines passenger plane which crashed into a house in Minneapolis killing 15 persons. The fireman in the left foreground is lifting a piece of the plane. Several members of a family in the crashed house were also killed as well as all aboard the plane. —(AP Wirephoto.)

DUCHARME SAYS SAW WOMAN

Tried to Help Her When She Fell; Says She Lost Shoe

VANCOUVER, March 9 (CP) — Mr. Justice A. M. Manson will rule tomorrow whether a fourth statement given to police by Fred (Red) Ducharme should be admitted as evidence at the 34-year-old laborer's murder trial.

Ducharme, also known as Farnsworth, is charged with murdering Ferne Blanche Fisher, 45. She disapepared Nov. 8 last year and her body was recovered the following day from False Creek near downtown Vancouver.

Ducharme, at that time, was living in a floathouse near where the bruised body was recovered.

Three other statements allegedly given to police by Ducharme when he was arrested on a vagrancy charge last December have been admitted as evidence. Mr. Justice Manson ruled they were "voluntary and permissible."

Most of today's hearing was concerned with Ducharme's third statement and the testimony of a woman he had visited the day Miss Fisher's body was found.

In his third statement, Ducharme said he saw a screaming woman trip and fall on railway tracks near his floathouse. He said the woman fell, got up and disappeared across Kitsilano bridge.

Detective C. W. McKay, one of those present when the statement was made, said Ducharme said:

"Suddenly I saw a woman running fast and screaming toward the bridge. When she got near the sidewalk, she tripped and fell.

"I jumped out of the car and ran over to help her. When she saw me, she got up and ran again."

Ducharme told his interviewers he saw shoes between the tracks and said, "Hey, lady" then took them home. He said he later took the shoes to his houseboat.

Mrs. Madelaine Gougeon testified the accused "came to my place around noon" Nov. 9.

She said that when Ducharme left her home she found a clipping about the Fisher death had been cut from her paper.

Mrs. Gougeon said when Ducharme returned in the evening he said he had taken the clipping "just because it happened in my neighborhood."

EDMONTON, March 9 (CP)—Dr. O. B. Hopkins, President of the Interprovincial Pipeline Co., Ltd., said in an interview yesterday that construction of six additional pumping stations on the Edmonton-Superior, Wis., pipeline in being considered. This would increase daily capacity of the line from 90,000 barrels to 130,000 barels.

The Canadian Press erroneously reported that this would increase capacity from 90,000,000 to 130,000,000 barrels.

To Deport Gubitchev . . .

15 Years in Jail For Judith Coplon

NEW YORK, March 9 (AP)— Judith Coplon was sentenced to 15 years in jail for plotting to spy for Russia. Valentin A. Gubitchev, her Russian partner, received a 15-year suspended sentence and was ordered deported to Russia within two weeks.

Before the Judge spoke, Gubitchev declared in a courtroom statement that the case had been "artificially manufactured" against him.

The deportation order for the 33-year-old Russian was recommended by the Government as a result of conferences between the State Department and the Attorney General's office.

Judge Ryan specified that the term imposed on Miss Coplon might not be served concurrently with a sentence of 40 months to 10 years she received in Washington, D.C., on kindred charges.

The Judge refused an application to release her in bail.

Samuel A. Neuberger, attorney for the 28-year-old Miss Coplon, said he would file notice of appeal immediately.

"You came here as an emissary of peace," Judge Ryan told Gubitchev, who was suspended from his United Nations position after his arrest March 4, 1949.

"You were accepted by us in the role of friend," he declared, and added that Gubitchev had violated his United Nations oath by his actions.

The State Department did not recognize Gubitchev's claim of diplomatic immunity.

Gubitchev is the first Soviet citizen ever to be convicted of spying for his country in the United States.

CAT WITH NINE LIVES FOUND BAKED IN KILN

MINERVA, O., March 9 (AP). — An ordinary calico cat which emerged singed, thirsty but alive after 36 hours in a fiery kiln was an object of scientific interest today.

Dr. William Orr, Minerva veterinarian, exclaimed, "It's a strange case that wouldn't happen again in 100 years. The animal's (foot) pads were burned off, the top of its skull was scorched, the end of its nose was charred and its body was burned as dry as a cracker when it was brought to me."

Dr. Orr pumped food into the baked cat's veins after putting the cat under sedatives. Today it was jumping into his lap to be fed.

The cat was sealed accidentally in a kiln at the Metropolitan Brick Company plant here Friday night. Temperature in the oven reached up to 900 degrees Fahrenheit. When the kiln was opened Sunday, the durable feline tottered out before the astonished eyes of workers.

The veterinarian said he investigated the case carefully yesterday with Plant Superintendent Joe Bucola and both agreed that any other explanation was out of the question—the animal had stood the heat for a day and a half and had survived.

Bucola said no part of the kiln could have had a temperature of less than 400 degrees. Workmen doubted if the cat could have found a place cooler than 600 degrees.

"It's fantastic but true," Dr. Orr declared.

GAS, PETROLEUM OUTPUT DOWN SLIGHTLY

OTTAWA, March 9 (CP) — Canadian production of crude petroleum and natural gasoline during November amounted to 1,915,000 barrels, compared with 2,060,300 in the preceding month and 1,264,500 a year ago, the Bureau of Statistics reported today.

During the first 11 months of the year, production totalled 19,704,300 barrels as against 11,123,200 in the same period of 1948.

MAJORITY CUT TO 6 MEMBERS

House Wins Vote Of Confidence on Conservative Motion

LONDON, March 9 (CP) — The House of Commons, jammed to overflowing, tonight gave the Labor Government a vote of confidence by a majority of 14.

The result put off, for the time being at least, a new general election.

The vote, on a Conservative motion regretting that the Speech from the Throne did not mention state ownership of iron and steel, was 310 to 296. The nine Liberals voted with the Conservatives.

All Labor members voted except two who were absent because of illness. The Conservatives had six absentees. Each party provided two tellers for the vote. Two Irish Nationalists were not present.

It was the first test of the Government's strength since it was returned to power in the Feb. 23 geenral election with a majority of only seven in the new 625-seat House of Commons.

Labor's majority was reduced to six when the result of Thursday's byelection in Manchester's Moss Side division was announced at midnight. Florence Horsebrugh won the seat for the Conservatives, a gain from Labor.

The Labor candidate was R. W. Casasola. E. P. Atkin contested the seat for the Liberals.

Today's figures were: Miss Horsebrugh 25,347; Casasola 16,769; Atkin 2607.

The voting had been delayed because the Conservative candidate for the Feb. 23 general election, E. L. Fleming, died during the campaign.

Standing in the House now is Labor, 315; Conservatives, 281; Conservative Liberal, 14; National Liberals, 2; Liberals, 9; Irish Nationalists, 2; Independent, 1, Speaker (neutral), 1; total 625.

FACE SECOND TEST

Labor faces a second vote in the House of Commons Monday which may prove even tougher. This is on a Conservative motion deploring the Labor party's record on housing. The Government may have trouble keeping its own supporters in line on this issue.

The first vote, on iron and steel, drew the largest muster of members in the memory of most living MPs. It was the biggest vote since full Parliamentary records began 12 decades ago.

Speaking just before the vote, Prime Minister Attlee said the Conservative action in challenging the Government at this time "shows utter irresponsibility."

There was tremendous cheer from the Government benches when they saw William Whiteley, chief Labor whip, take his place on the Speaker's right to report the outcome of the teller vote. The place on the right is the traditional one for the teller on the winning side.

A still louder roar went up when the vote was announced.

And in This Corner —

BOSTON, March 9 (AP)—Oops! That lake is in again.

The Massachusetts Legislative Committee on Harbors and Public Lands is hearing a proposal for creation of the Webster Lake Commission to regulate use of—hold your breath now:

Lake Chargoggagoggmanchauggagoggchuaubunagungamaug.

It's in the town of Webster.

People there are known far and wide for their ability to pronounce it, despite the 44 letters.

Everybody else calls it "that lake in Webster."

LIVERPOOL, England, March 9 (CP)—Kilted Gavin Mathieson, 5, landed today from the liner Empress of Canada at the end of a 5000-mile trip to school.

Gavin left his home near Medicine Hat, Alta., 10 days ago.

His mother accompanied him as far as Halifax, then he bade her goodbye and boarded the liner to complete the trip alone.

He will enter Seaford School in Sussex.

"I've come all this way because we thought a British education would be better for me," the curly-haired Gavin told reporters while customs officers checked his luggage.

"It's been a grand trip," said the son of Ewen Mathieson, Scottish-born engineer.

LOS ANGELES, March 9 (AP)—Harold Martin smells too good.

That's why he and Carl Lancaster, a friend, were acquitted yesterday of stealing a Great Dane and a Collie dog.

Martin told a court jury that the dogs forced themselves into the defendants' car last Dec. 3 and wouldn't leave.

The reason: Martin is a salesman and his clothes smell of the product he sells—dog food.

GEORGETOWN, Ky., March 9 (AP)—A look at the thermometer convinced Andy McFarland it was time at last to try out his fireplace.

A few minutes later he had a fire roaring. Still a few minutes later he had the fire department roaring down the street to his smoke-filled house.

When the fire was put out, McFarland made a belated discovery. The fireplace was ornamental—there was no chimney.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., March 9 (AP)—A flock of about 50 crows, prevented by an 82-mile-an-hour wind from flying across a road, finally gave up and walked.

Conservation Officer Ward Garrett reported seeing this unusual sight during a blizzard Tuesday:

The crows were flying about two feet off the ground and when they tried to gain altitude to cross the road the wind blew them back. After repeated attempts, the birds took to the ground, climbed the side of the grading and marched stoically across the road.

TONIGHT-SAT.—Complete Shows 7:00-9:10
NOMINATED FOR THE ACADEMY AWARD
THE STORY OF 50 GUYS AND A GIRL!
BATTLEGROUND
starring VAN JOHNSON JOHN HODIAK RICARDO MONTALBAN GEORGE MURPHY JEROME COURTLAND DENISE DARCEL

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N. Ont. Captures Curling Title; 3-Way Tie for Second

By ARCH MacKENZIE
Canadian Press Staff Writer

VANCOUVER, March 9 (CP)—Manitoba tonight defeated Northern Ontario, already Canadian champions, to force a three-way tie for second place in the Canadian curling finals.

Officials announced immediately after the game that Ontario, Manitoba and Alberta, the runners up for the title, will be involved in a two-game play-off with one game later tonight and the second tomorrow morning.

Manitoba drew the bye and will meet the winner of the Alberta-Ontario match tomorrow morning.

The Manitoba rink, playing a thriller against the squad which clinched the title in the eighth draw, indicated why they were prespiel favorites in scoring in six consecutive ends to win 8-7. They had trailed 6-1 at the end of the fifth.

Alberta stopped a young and coming Nova Scotia rink 11-10 to qualify while Ontario ran away from New Brunswick 20-4. The three had been tied with Quebec before the games with five victories apiece.

Quebec conceded at the end of the 10th end to Saskatchewan with the score 16-2. The defeat marked the end of one of the most valiant fights exhibited by any rink in the 10-rink field, Quebec having victories over Ontario and Manitoba, with five matches won.

The province never has won as many games in any other Dominion bonspiel.

Reason for the game tonight, officials said, was the necessity of ice being ready for a hockey game tomorrow night.

Presentation of the Macdonald's Brier Tankard to the Northern Ontario rink of Tom Ramsay, took place tonight.

Tonight's other matches, closing out competition for the other four rinks, saw Prince Edward Island wind up in the bottom position with a lone win as B.C. won 9-8 for that Manitoba-born rink's fifth victory in the bonspiel.

Presentation of the trophy was preceded by a girl's pipe band leading the rinks around the ice and up the centre.

In the presentation, winner Tom Ramsay, the outstanding skip of the event by his steadiness, and all-round ability of his rink, said it was a "real thrill" to win.

Commenting, Chief Justice Thane Campbell of Charlottetown, P.E.I., recounted that "in 1946, Tom missed the championship by four inches. It has taken Tom four years to pick up those four inches."

He was referring to Ramsay's 1946 showing at Saskatoon where Northern Ontario tied with Leo Johnson of Manitoba and Bill Rose of Alberta for first place. Ramsay lost, after a bye, to lose by four inches on his last rock.

Final standings:

	Won	Lost
Northern Ontario	7	2
Ontario	6	3
Alberta	6	3
Manitoba	6	3
B.C.	5	4
Quebec	5	4
Nova Scotia	4	5
Saskatchewan	3	6
N.B.	2	7
P.E.I.	1	8

Honors in Canada's Largest Music Festival for Two Kootenay Artists

Two young Kootenay artists were successful in the Kiwanis Music Festival at Toronto.

The final in the Men's Rose Bowl Competition was won by Donald G. Brown, baritone, formerly of this city and well known to Nelson audiences. Miss Carol Wright, formerly of Trail, was accompanist for violinist Miss B. J. Hagen, who won first place in the violin concerto class.

The Kiwanis Festival is the largest in Canada, commanding two full weeks packed with large classes of competitors both amateur and professional.

The trophy in the Men's Rose Bowl Competition is a beautiful silver tray and represents the grand final for all male voice classes both amateur and professional. As this trophy is keenly contested by a large group of highly competent soloists of all types, the Rose Bowl award brings great distinction to the winner.

Alex Redshaw of London, England, was adjudicator for the senior classes. In presenting the trophy Mr. Redshaw complimented Mr. Brown on his accomplishments after having awarded him 89 and 90 marks in the preliminary contests. The final concert of the Kiwanis Music Festival winners was held in Massey Hall Thursday evening.

Miss Carol Wright, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Wright of Trail, brilliantly accompanied Miss B. J. Hagen, violinist in the violin concerto class in which she won first place. Miss Wright is a scholarship

DONALD BROWN

student studying at the Toronto Conservatory.

Nelson music lovers wil lhave a chance to hear Mr. Brown once again on the Singing Stars of Tomorrow program March 19. He will sing an aria from Mozarts "Marriage of Figaro", and a selection from Benjamin Britten's French Folk Song Album (in English).

Havergal College Players recently presented a three night performance of Gilbert and Sullivan's "Iolanthe". In this performance Don Brown appeared in the role of Strephon and was highly acclaimed for his artistic performance.

Trail Voices Concern Over Premier's "Threatening Attitude" on Costs

TRAIL, B.C., March 9—The Trail City Council has endorsed a resolution informing Premier Byron I. Johnson that B.C. municipalities "are concerned about his threatening attitude" on the school cost question.

The resolution arose following a recent news story which stated that the Premier had threatened all municipalities that the Government would pass legislation earmarking payment of the municipalities' portion of the Social Security Municipal Aid Tax for school purposes, unless the municipalities stopped complaining about the increasing municipal share of school costs.

The resolution asked the Premier to give more sympathetic consideration to the needs of the municipalities and to exercise more governmental control on the spiraling costs of education.

It was pointed out that most municipalities were finding it difficult to "make ends meet" due to high costs which had resulted during the last few years.

It denied "the Premier's assertion that a municipality has full control of school costs" and pointed out that the portion of the three per cent Social Security Municipal Aid Tax was designed to assist municipalities in their general financing difficulties.

Checkoff Cards To Show Mine, Mill Membership Greater, Says Al King

TRAIL, B.C., March 9 — The announcement by the Steelworkers Union that they are about to apply for certification for the bargaining rights now held by Local 480 of the U.M.M.S.W. was a "meaningless gesture, designed to boost a lost cause and a badly sagging morale," Local 480 President Al King said Thursday night.

"Local 480 of Mine-Mill is the established bargaining agency for the workers in the Trail C.M. and S. plants, and is going ahead with its regular work, in preparing for the negotiations with the Company for a new collective agreement, in company with Kimberley Local 651, Mine-Mill, as we have done in the past," said Mr. King.

"The Steel Workers attempted blitz has fizzled out, as will be demonstrated tomorrow at which time the Mine-Mill Union will take to the company office the hundreds of dues check-off cards which have been re-signed by workers on the hill. These cards being presented to the company office for the pay period of March 1 to 15 along with those of hundreds of members who have remained with Local 480 will amply demonstrate the hollowness of the Steel Unions' publicity stunt. Further, Local 480, Mine-Mill has not only withstood this attempted blitz but is emerging stronger than ever before.

"Forty-two new members who never before belonged to Local 480 have now joined the rapidly swelling Mine-Mill ranks in Trail," said Mr. King.

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A.O.T.S. Entertains Ladies, J. H. Allen Pictures Enjoyed

Thursday night was ladies night for the A.O.T.S. Club and about 50 people sat down to an enjoyable dinner in Trinity United Church.

J. H. Allen showed colored moving pictures of the Kootenays and described the beautiful scenes in poetry.

Anscomb To Be Overhauled This Year

The main Kootenay Lake ferry, the M.V. Anscomb this year is scheduled for a complete overhaul.

The Roads and Bridges Committee reported at the Nelson Board of Trade council meeting in the Hume Thursday that the Anscomb was to be taken out of service every four years for an overhaul and that 1950 was the year for the first job.

At a committee meeting earlier this week a committee was appointed to interview H. T. Miard, Divisional Engineer of the Provincial Public Works, and ascertain the intentions of the Provincial Government regarding the ferry.

The committee felt that the best time of the year for an overhaul would be between Oct. 15 and Nov. 15 rather than in the Spring when the water level was at its highest.

With Stane And Besom

Thursday night's results in the Nelson Curling Club's round robin competition follow:

H. Farenhotlz 7, W. A. Duckworth 9.
J. Holmber 6, T. A. Wallace 9.
W. Marr 6, W. Young 6.
A. Ronmark 9, T. S. Shorthouse 6.
L. F. Tinling 9, C. L. Race 8.
H. A. D. Greenwood 12, H. Whitehead 6.
T. H. Bourque 4, J. G. McMurchy 11.
L. Peerless 9, D. Valentine 6.
W. Tozer 1, E. E. Hopwood 0.
A. B. Gilker 5, J. Morris 8.

URGE SETTLEMENT OF WAR DEBTS

TORONTO, March 9 (CP) — The Canadian Chamber of Commerce is to consider a resolution urging settlement of Britain's sterling balances, really war debts, held by India and some other countries.

The resolution, if adopted, would add that, if necessary, Canada should be prepared to consider joining other wartime Allies in assuming responsibility for part of this indebtedness.

A further resolution to be considered would set free more dollar currency to business men for trade between Britain and Canada and ease the way from Canadian goods into sterling areas.

A third resolution would call for industrial integration for defence between the United States and Commonwealth countries.

The resolutions are being presented by the Chamber's Canadian section of the Anglo-Canadian Trade Committee, which recently met with its British counterpart in London.

Announcement of the resolutions was made today by C. Gordon Cockshutt of Brantford, Ont., Chairman of the Canadian section, in an address to the Empire Club of Toronto.

PILES
Pyltone has been used in many cases. Some were very old people with twenty or more years of torture, others recently severe cases, scarcely able to walk, yet the new Pyltone Treatment has been successful. This new way treats the cause right at its source, which is always internal. Pyltone (a liquid taken by mouth) goes quickly to that inner trouble. One bottle will show you the results we claim or price refunded at once. At all druggists. His wholesaler has it in stock now.

The Highways

Nelson-Cranbrook—Nelson-Balfour rough; Kootenay Bay-Kuskanook good; Kuskanook-Creston rough; some sections muddy Creston-Goat River; remainder fair to good.

Nelson-Kaslo — Nelson-Balfour rough; remainder fair.

Nelson-Nelway—M0-M9 fair; M9-M30 good; M30-M42 rough and muddy.

Nelson-Trail-Patterson — Fair to good; watch for frost heaves.

Rossland-Cascade—Fair.

Carlin Challenges Statement

TRAIL, B.C., March 9 — "In view of recent statements by Herbert Gargraves, Organizer for the United Steelworkers, published here today, Robert Carlin, Board member for District 8, IUMMSW of Sudbury, Ont., Thursday night challenged Mr. Gargraves to a public debate on the issues raised in the statements. Mr. Gargraves was reported as saying that Mr. Carlin was expelled from the CCF for advancing the Communist party line, and following this had been soundly beaten in the Ontario Provincial elections.

Mr. Carlin stated that the reasons for his exclusion were not those stated by Mr. Gargraves, and that he was willing to debate that issue not only with Mr. Gargraves, but also any member of the CCF especially Charles Millard, Canadian Director of the Steel Union."

Mr. Carlin also pointed out that he was only defeated by some 275 votes, and personally led the official CCF candidate by some 3000 votes. Mr. Carlin also stated that his exclusion from the CCF was because of his refusal to hand over his Union to the CCL.

In declining to meet Mr. Carlin in a public debate, Mr. Gargraves was reported by Local 480 President Al King as replying that he was only using information received from Mr. Millard, his Canadian director.

Mr. Carlin had arranged to leave Trail on Thursday night, but was willing to remain for the debate he said.

The Weather

Synopsis: The weather has turned cold throughout B.C. and in the Interior maximum temperatures reached only 19 at Prince George and 35 at Penticton. Some light snow is continuing to fall in the Southern valleys but skies will begin to clear. The remainder of the province will continue to be mostly clear and quite cold.

NELSON	26	34	—
(Wednesday)	30	38	.10
St. Johns	25	37	—
Halifax	35	45	.49
Toronto	5	20	—
Winnipeg	-21	11	—
Regina	-17	9	—
Edmonton	-9	7	—
Kamloops	27	33	.20
Penticton	31	35	.32
Vancouver	37	46	.23
Victoria	37	48	.03
Kimberley	13	24	.05
Crescent Valley	26	31	.02
Prince Rupert	26	36	—
Grand Forks	28	37	.20
Spokane	27	33	.20
Whitehorse	-16	21	—

Riondel . . .

RIONDEL, B.C. — Mr. and Mrs. Art Hill attended the funeral of the latter's father, the late Charles I. Raymond of Creston.

Mrs. Art Hill and children are visiting Mrs. Raymond of Creston.

ASK KIWANIS AID FOR W. I. PLAN, LOAN CUPBOARD

Appeals for assistance in establishing a "loan cupboard" service and for used woollens to be remade into blankets were heard by Nelson Kiwanis Club at the Hume Thursday night.

Nelson Graduate Nurses Association said the loan cupboard would be for the benefit of patients at home and would be under auspices of the Red Cross. It was to be set up in the Public Health office at 507 Hall Street. Equipment would be made available to all district citizens. Needed were hospitals beds, back rests, wheel chairs, bed trays, crutches and other such hospital equipment.

The other appeal was contained in a letter from Mrs. R. A. Custer of Nelson, president of the West Kootenay Women's Institutes, who said aid was needed for the Hospital Auxiliary in providing comforts for Kootenay Lake General Hospital patients. Old woollens no longer wearable were sought, and a container to receive the material would be placed in the hallway of the institute room at the Civic Centre. She explained that materials should be washed and fasteners and cotton bindings removed.

CASTLEGAR MAN CHANGES NAME

Notice of application for change of name was given by Joseph Jean Marcel Lesieur Desaulniers of Castlegar in the B.C. Gazette. Mr. Desaulniers wishes to change his name to Ralph Lesieur Desaulniers.

Classified Ads Give Results.

Kiwanis Club Committees Set for Regatta

Plans for this year's Kootenay Lake Regatta were set in motion by Nelson Kiwanis Club at the Hume Thursday night with appointing of committees by Stanley Morris, chairman. The club works in conjunction with the Kootenay Launch Club and the Spokane Powerboat Association in staging the regatta, the Spokane group conducting the race events.

Committees are:

Samuel Korbin, S. Sinnerud, R. H. Bayne and Fred Eberle, ticket sales; Dr. Joseph Vingo, club secretary, distribution; R. H. Bayne and A. W. Gibbon, advertising and posters; Ald. N. R. Sardich and Frank Holt, Lakeside Park floats, parking, etc.; H. Korbin, K. W. Jensen and Andre Stevens, park collection; George Latta and Carl Field, program advertising; W. DeFoe, A. C. Cawley and R. V. Culley, dance.

President Richard Palmer announced that five rinks would represent the club at the Inter-Service Club bonspiel here Saturday night.

Inducted as a new member was A. W. Gibbon. Guests were James Corral of Nelson and Lorne Hamilton of Vancouver.

High School To Stage Annual Program Tonight

Final touches were made at dress rehearsals Tuesday afternoon to the three one-act plays and musical selections Nelson High School students will bring before the public tonight.

The productions show ever sign of meeting the high standard the school has attained in other years. The plays are entitled "Beauty and the Jacobin," "The Red Velvet Goat" and "The Maker of Dreams."

"Beauty and the Jacobin" takes place in France against the tragic background of the French Revolution. It is the story of an escaping French noble, Lorne Dyke; his widowed sister, Pat Carney; his beautiful cousin, Sheila Kearns; a wily Revolutionary leader, Tom Shorthouse, and his henchman, Weldon Graham. The play is directed by Miss Barbara Lang.

"The Red Velvet Goat" is a Mexican play within a play. It has a prompter, Ralph Lewis, who is really a peddler; Estaban, Kenneth Magee, and his family, Mariana, Doris Boyes, and his son, Lorenzo, Bert Young; the Mayor, Trev Roberts; Dona Berta, Elsie Fletcher, Lola, Esther Carmen and other spectators, Mona Loomer, Jeanne Stringer, Margaret Ratkowski, Evelyn Reisterer, Barbara Brown, Valorie Cutler, Edna Bullock and Marcia Jorgenson. H. Dahlquist directs the play.

"The Maker of Dreams" is a fantasy in which Pierrot, Roy Langill, and Pierrette, Margaret Imming, are visited by the manufacturer of dreams, Marfyn Williams.

Three songs will be sung by the girls' chorus, and the orchestra will play two selections. Presentations from the Houses will complete the program.

Mrs. L. Casemore Wins L.O.L. Whist

Mrs. L. Casemore captured first place at the L.O.L. whist drive held in the Eagles Hall Thursday evening. Norman Bradley took second place and Mrs. Frank Eberle took third.

Consolation prizes went to Mrs. A. Van Ruyskensvelde and K. McNeill.

About 20 tables were in play. Refreshments and dancing followed the games.

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Prince Bernhard To Arrive in Ottawa Today

OTTAWA, March 9 (CP)—Prince Bernhard, husband of Queen Juliana and Prince of the Netherlands, will arrive here by air tomorrow for three days of formal visiting as a royal guest of the nation.

A flier, businessman and soldier, the 38-year-old Prince will be greeted on arrival from New York by the Governor-General, Prime Minister St. Laurant, the Netherlands Ambassador, Dr. J. H. van Roijen, members of the Cabinet and a Guard of Honor.

He is due to land at Rookcliffe Airport around noon for a visit that will include a number of receptions, a press conference and a look at Canada's first jet fighter, the CF-100.

The Prince will be the guest of the Governor-General and Lady Alexander. He leaves Monday for Quebec City.

Na particular significance is seen in the vissit other than a courtesy call.

He is concluding an official tour that took him to the Netherlands overseas territories of Curacao and Dutch Guiana and then to Venezuela, Brazil and Mexico. from Mexico is rescribed as unofficial.

No stranger to Canada, he came here six times during the second World War to visit his wife, the Princess Juliana, who lived in Ottawa during the war years.

CKLN To Air Hockey Semis

Kootenay playoff games between Trail Smoke Eaters and Kimberley Dynamiters in the Provincial senior hockey semi-finals will be aired by Nelson radio station CKLN. The series opening Saturday continues on March 13, 15, 17 and 18.

TO INTERVIEW PROSPECTIVE HOME BUILDERS

S. W. Bournes of Trail, Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation Branch Manager for the Kootenays, is expected to arrive in Nelson today.

While here, Mr. Bournes will interview tenants who wish to become home owners under the joint Dominion - Provincial - Municipalities scheme being conducted by the City of Nelson.

Mr. Bournes is expected to be in Nelson today and Saturday.

Fights

(By The Associated Press)

PHOENIX, Ariz.—Irish Rodney Jones, 107, Santa Monica, Calif., knocked out Dick Finley, 170, Wilmington, Calif. (3).

OAKLAND, Calif.—Willie Bean, 206, Los Angeles, outpointed Al Hoosman, 212½, New York (10).

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Smokies, Mintos Play Junior Series in Trail

REGINA, March 9 (CP)—Prince Albert Mintos and Trail Smoke Eaters will open their best-of-three Western junior inter-provincial hockey series in Trail March 15, it was announced today by Al Pickard, president of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association.

The complete series will be staged in the British Columbia city with the second game billed for March 17 and the third, if necessary, March 18.

Winner of the series meets the Western Junior Hockey League champions in the Western semi-final playoff.

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Aussies Hope to Stimulate Trade With Americans

CANBERRA, Australia, March 9 (AP) — External Affairs Minister Percy C. Spender today urged formation of a Pacific Pact including the United States.

He made his plea in a report outlining to Parliament the foreign policy of Australia's newly-elected moderate coalition Government.

Spender declared that the centre of gravity of world affairs now lies in the Pacific and Asiatic areas. The ever-increasing thrust of Communism, he said, had posed new problems for Asia's newly independent States—Pakistan, Ceylon, India, Indonesia, and Indo-China.

"We should work with the new States," Spender said, "economically and commercially in the technical as well as political fields in order to maintain (their) newly-won independence."

Spender said Australia hopes to stimulate trade with the United States in order to increase the flow of American capital to boost this country's development.

The population of Great Britain in 1948 was 49,990,000, an increase of nearly 100 per cent in 100 years.

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FIND NEEDLES IN BATTERED CASE

Believe Youngsters Unharmed but Watch For Radium Burns

OTTAWA, March 9 (CP).—National Research Council officials today reported they have recovered all of 20 radium needles stolen from a National Research Council storehouse.

The last 15 dangerous needles were found in the Lower Town District in a torn cardboard carton stuffed with paper and matted with snow.

Research Council and R.C.M.P. officials who conducted an all-night search declined to disclose the exact location of the finds, but all the needles were believed to have been recovered within a five-block radius of N.R.C. headquarters.

Authorities issued a warning yesterday when it was discovered that the 20 needles—in appearance resembling finishing nails but dangerous to anyone handling them — were missing.

NO CHARGES

A group of children were responsible for the theft.

R.C.M.P. said the children were between 12 and 15 years of age.

They said no charges would be laid.

Meanwhile, Research Council authorities, concerned about the health of the children, said they believed none of the youngsters involved has suffered from radium burns.

However, Dr. Jacob Kastner, N.R.C. physicist in charge of radium calibration, said a check will be made in two weeks' time on the health of the children and that they would be kept under observation for some time after that.

Seek Wig-Wag Signals for Rail Crossings

Wig-wag signals for the main railroad crossings for the safety of motorists and pedestrians are being sought by the Nelson Board of Trade Roads and Bridges Committee.

At the Board Council meeting in the Hume Thursday, Committee Chairman John Learmonth reported that C. E. Lister, Kootenay Division Superintendent for the CPR, had been contacted for the purpose of obtaining information relative to securing signals. They hoped to have them placed at the Lakeside Park crossing in Nelson and at the crossing at Taghum, Mr. Learmonth said.

TRAIL POLIO SHOW RAISES $1857

TRAIL, B.C., March 9—The Canadian Institute for Poliomyelitis with its headquarters at Vancouver has had its March of Dimes receipts swelled by $1857.93.

A check for that amount—the net proceeds of the police and taximen's March of Dimes ice show here—was turned over to the Trail Welfare Society to be forwarded to the Institute.

The show featured a hockey game between the Trail and district Provincial Police detachments and city taxi drivers.

The event was sponsored by the Trail service clubs and other organizations.

Discuss Way to Avoid New Car Freight Rates

WINNIPEG, March 9 (CP).—An official of the Manitoba Automobile Dealers' Association said today the Association will discuss possibility of transporting new cars by truck from Eastern factories to circumvent boosted railway freight rates.

H. Dickson, Association President, said the Manitoba dealers also might consider plans at a meeting shortly to put an end to "bootleg" deliveries. It's estimated about 10,000 cars have been "bootlegged" into the Province in the last year. The cars are driven or towed to Manitoba and sold as new after speedometers are set back to zero.

Manitoba dealers said Saskatchewan and Alberta dealer organizations also are considering plans to truck cars West to beat the freight rate boost. Dealers said average cost of freight to Manitoba per car is between $130 and $140.

Wynndel . . .

WYNNDEL, B.C.—Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Eakin left for Vancouver to visit their children, Robert and George Eakin, and Mrs. Harcas.

The Ladies' Aid was held at the home of Mrs. C. Ogilvie on Thursday, March 2, with a good attendance.

Miss MacNeil, who has been the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Packman, returned to her home at the Coast.

The "500" Club met at the home of Mrs. Liens on Wednesday, March 1, with prizewinners being Mrs. McInnis and R. Smith.

Mrs. Vic Johnson of Marysville is visiting here, guest of her brother and sister.

A quilting bee was held at the home of Mrs. Crane of Tuesday, March 7, when a wool quilt was completed for a needy family.

Alta. Counsel Lays Charges Against C.P.R.

OTTAWA, March 9 (CP)—Counsel for Alberta today charged that the Canadian Pacific Railway is trying to force shippers to pay higher freight rates in order to bring C.P.R. common stock back up to par.

J. J. Frawley, representing that Province before the Royal Commission on Transportation, said C.P.R. common stock now is selling at less than the $25 par value.

By getting freight rates increased, C.P.R. would be able to attract a better market for its common stock, send it back up to par, and thus release more of the stock held by the Company.

Mr. Frawley met some opposition, however, before he was finally allowed to introduce a document listing ranges of stock prices of various Canadian and United States utilities.

The document, which Mr. Frawley said was supplied by a brokerage firm, estimated that C.P.R. common stock, with par value of $25, ranged in price between $11⅞ and $18 in 1949.

Declining at first to allow the document as evidence, W. F. A. Turgeon, Commission Cairman, finally agreed to allow as evidence the C.P.R. listing alone.

Calls on Labor to Hold Down Costs

OTTAWA, March 9 (CP).—Concern over demands of construction labor for higher pay was expressed today by Robert Drummond of Toronto, President of the Canadian Construction Association.

Mr. Drummond, in a statement following a meeting of the C.C.A. Management Committee, called on labor for cooperation in holding down building costs.

"This is necessary to keep new construction attractive and economically feasible in all regions of the country," he said. "It is for this reason that the industry feels that any general rise in construction wage rates would be unwise."

The C.C.A. President's statement was issued against a background of two major wage disputes—in Toronto and Ottawa—in which plumbers are seeking pay increases. There is some feeling in the industry that any increases obtained by these groups would set the pace for similar demands in the construction trade across the country.

Plans Needed to Dispense Gov't Hospital Service

VICTORIA, March 9 (CP)—Study should be given to dispersal of our hospital services so that they may provide sanctuary for the sick and helpless and not be vulnerable targets, declared Air Vice-Marshal L. F. Stevenson (Cln.—Vancouver-Point Grey) in the House.

"Let us, while there is yet time, consider moving Government from this city to some place where it is less vulnerable and where its communications are secure so that it can operate in an emergency."

The former Commander of the R.C.A.F. here and in England cited Britain as an example of what might be expected in case of war. Government there should have moved, but didn't for fear of the effect of morale on its people.

See Better Year For Steel Industry

NEW YORK, March 9 (AP)—The new contract for coal miners will add somewhat less than $1 a ton to costs of making finished steel, the Iron Age, metalworking trade weekly, says today.

Despite this, the industry's coal cost a ton of finished steel this year may be less than it was in 1949, the publication adds.

It explained: "Last year the steel industry had about $50,000,000 added to its coal cost by John L. Lewis' devious strategems—the three-day week and the need to build huge reserves of commercial coal. This added about $10 on an annual basis to the cost of each ton of finished steel produced."

With the country's industries preparing record-breaking production schedules in the wake of the coal strike, the Iron Age says, some steelmakers now believe strong demand for steel will continue into the third quarter.

'If the appliance makers and auto people are guessing right," it said, "1950 will be better than 1949—for themselves, as well as steel." Scheduled output of steel this week was placed at 73 per cent of capacity, unchanged from last week. The trade weekly said that "within two weeks the operating rate should be back in the 90's again."

The coal crisis caused a loss of about 1,000,000 tons of production in the steel industry, the Iron Age says.

Opposes Payroll Hosp. Deduction

VICTORIA, March 8 (CP).—Compulsory payroll deduction for hospital insurance premiums was opposed by Maurice P. Finnerty (Cln.-Similkameen) in the House Wednesday.

If deductions on payrolls continue for various services, the workingman would find his paymaster handing him a check, saying "all your bills are paid; here is your pocket money."

Mr. Finnerty did not believe the payroll deduction would be approved by employers who would find themselves having to do more bookkeeping for the Government.

Private insurance companies did not guarantee the policy holder a bed, yet the fact remains that he did 'get one, the Similkameen Member went on.

"During th last six months outspoken criticism has appeared in the Press in regard to hospital insurance. Throughout all this criticism the Government has remained silent. Some say silence is golden and some say silence is consent, but I say that in this case silence on part of this Government has created doubt and unrest among the people and that if the criticisms were unjustified at the time they were made, this Government should have refuted them publicly and placed the minds of the people at ease."

Juvenile Gang's Loot More Than $40,000

TACOMA, Wash., March 9 (AP).—A police roundup of 13 persons—most of them juveniles—has cleared up nearly 40 Pierce County burglaries and car thefts, Det. Capt. Larry Amundson said today.

Amundson said the youths operated in two gangs and estimated their loot over the last 10 months at more than $40,000.

Signed statements by members implicated them in at least 16 burglaries and 23 car thefts.

Amundson said at least four cars—one only three months old—had been cut in half with acetylene torches to save time in dismantling.

Police recovered six truckloads of automobile parts and accessories.

The roundup also cleared up a series of mysterious explosions which startled Tacoma residents last Fall. The youths had obtained several boxes of dynamite in a burglary and had set it off in isolated places from time to time "for the fun of it."

Cabinet Minister Vanishing Specie

VICTORIA, March 9 (CP). — Maurice Finnerty (Cln.—Similkameen) had something to say in the Legislature about "this specie known as Cabinet Minister."

"This specie has recently become extinct throughout the length and breadth of the whole interior of British Columbia, lying East of Chilliwack and including the Similkameen, the Okanagan and the Kootenay districts."

In this area made up of almost half of B.C. he advised there are these three schools of thought on the matter: The specie has disappeared due to the astounding growth of population and industry during the last 10 years; another school of thought, looking North to where the specie has recently multiplied quickly, claims that if the cold Winter such as we recently experienced in the interior returns again next year, the specie will revive.

Still another school of thought, looking to the Lower Mainland and Vancouver Island where the specie is abundant almost to the point of being superfluous, is hoping for a still larger shift of population to the interior in the belief that the problem can be solved by immigration.

"I don't know which group is correct but I agree with all three of them when they say that in the day by day deliberations of the Executive Council of the Government decisions are being made affecting the second most important part of British Columbia in regard to their industries, their agriculture, their mining and their people, without representation," declared Mr. Finnerty.

Driver, Passenger Trapped by Wire

SEATTLE, March 9 (AP). — A taxi-cab driver and his passenger were trapped for 26 minutes inside the cab last night when a transit wire fell and wrapped around the machine.

The driver, Douglas Coughty, 38, and his fare, Syd Pruden, finally were freed by linemen.

Food Production Sound Basis for Peace and Plenty

DENVER, March 9 (AP). — An orderly, organized plan by which the world can feed itself is the soundest basis for peace and plenty, H. H. Hannam of Ottawa, President of the International Federation of Agricultural Producers, said last night.

In a speech prepared for the closing banquet of the National Farmers Union convention, Hannam said that agricultural surpluses are piling up throughout the world.

Kingsgate To Have New Customs House

CRANBROOK, B.C., March 9—Dominion public works projects have been announced for the year in this part of East Kootenay.

Largest project is construction at Kingsgate port of entry from the United States of more appropriate buildings for the immigration and customs stations at an approximate cost of $88,000. This southern terminal of the Kingsgate-Radium feeder road to Kootenay and Banff national parks is second busiest international port of entry in the province. An April call for tenders is expected.

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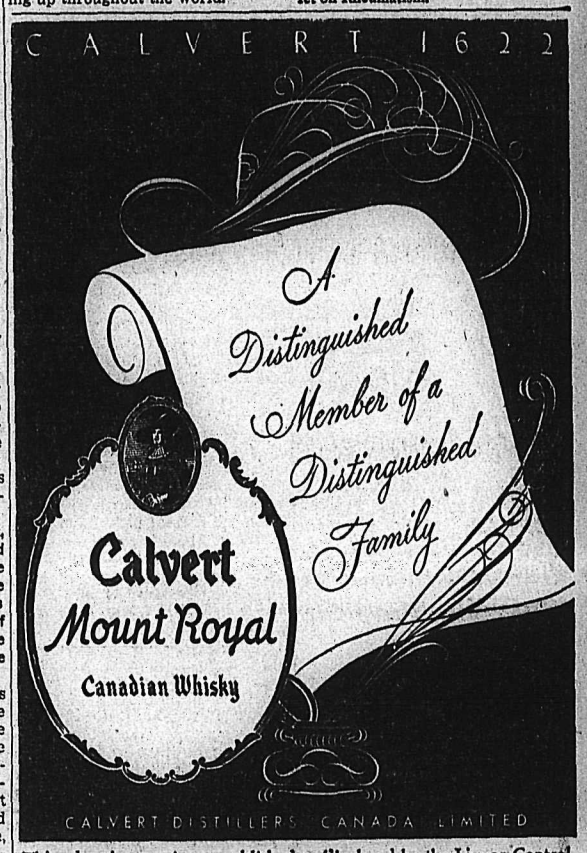

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Saskatchewan Puts Indians on Prospecting Jobs in Backwoods

By FORBES RHUDE
Canadian Press Business Editor

Saskatchewan, ambitious to become one of Canada's great mining Provinces, has put its native Indians to work.

The plan was described yesterday to the Prospectors and Developers Association in a paper prepared by W. James Bichan and Malcolm F. Norris of the Province's Mineral Resources Branch, and presented by Mr. Norris.

It is based on the proposition that in many large areas it is not possible for prospectors to gain a livelihood, particularly through the early years of reconnaissance.

"It is possible, however, for individuals resident in the territory, or, more appropriately, native to the territory, to gain a livelihood from the exploitation of the game, fish and forest resources, with auxiliary aid of small-time agricultural pursuits."

Proceeding from this, the Government decided that the logical people to do primary prospecting are the native Indian population.

Last Summer four parties of two men each were chosen and sent out. Each man was paid $4 a day, Sundays exclusive, plus a sustenance allowance of $1 a day straight time; a maximum of $135 a month for each trainee.

MUTUAL ADVANTAGE

Messrs. Bichan and Norris state that cooperation effected between native trainees and Geological Survey personnel has proved of mutual advantage. "The interchange of scientific knowledge for practical details of woodcraft, the use and care of canoes and camp equipment, has been as much to the benefit of the geologists and students as to the prospectors."

Messrs. Bichan and Norris comment further:

"While this program does give the participants some actual knowledge of prospecting techniques and the recognition of economic minerals, they are still lacking in the necessary awareness of the significance, economically, of mining activity and of the rewards it can hold for themselves. This intangible but most important requisite must be part of our mining activity education program."

"Through the direction of more and more individuals, both of Indian and white races, into this type of activity there will be maintained a steady amount of uncovering of new and interesting concentration of valuable minerals."

The Federal Department of Indian Affairs cooperated, and the Federal Government contributed $3000, or approximately half of the Committee expenditures of the program.

Jobless Delegation Presents Case Before Premier Johnson

VICTORIA, B. C., March 9 (CP)—Eighty jobless persons, members of the Unemployed Action Association, marched to the Legislative Buildings Wednesday to demand of the Provincial Government:

1. That a wide-scale program of public works be undertaken to provide work for B.C.'s unemployed at current union wage rates;

2. That the Provincial Government exert influence on the Federal Government to provide a 50 per cent increase in unemployment insurance benefits and to have the benefits continue during the entire period of a man's unemployment;

3. That the province see to it that unemployed persons not qualifying for unemployment insurance benefits be provided with civic relief at a rate of $15 a week for single persons; $20 a week for married persons, plus $2.50 for every child.

4. That the Provincial Government press Ottawa to enter into trade negotiations of all countries of the world, including Russia and Communist-held China.

Led by Fred Collins, President of the Vancouver Unemployed Action Association, a delegation of 20 went before the Cabinet.

Collins told Premier Byron Johnson that if steps were not taken to halt unemployment now "present unemployment figures will be peanuts compared to what will develop."

In dealing with world trade, Collins said:

"In this connection we call upon this Government to urge the Federal Government to open up trade with China, Poland, Czechoslovakia, Bulgaria, and the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics."

Following the Cabinet meeting, which lasted an hour and a half, Collins came away dissatisfied, claiming the Government had given his delegation "the brushoff."

Charges that Press reports were playing up too much the fact the Labor Progressive Party had contributed to the financing of a "march on the capital," by the unemployed was made today by Collins.

"Ninety-eight per cent of the money used for financing the delegation's trip came from private sources," Collins said.

At the same time he did not deny financial support had been given by the Labor Progressive Party.

Asked by a reporter if he was a member of the L.P.P., Collins refused to answer.

"I don't ask you what your religion is," he told the reporter.

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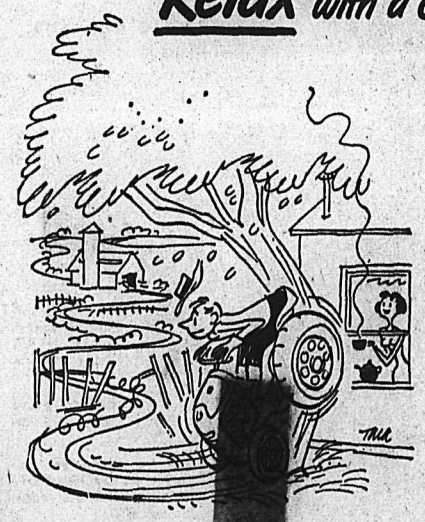

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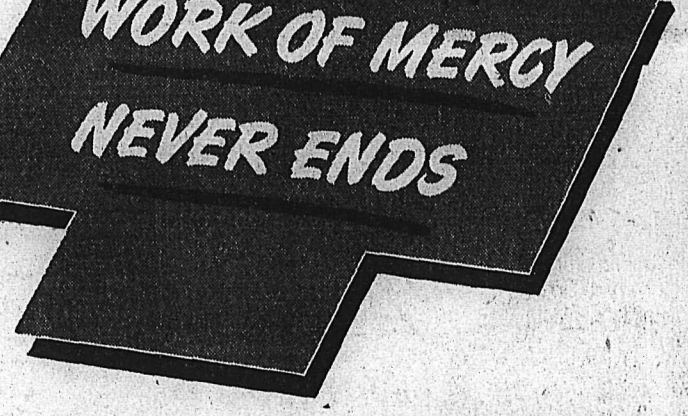

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Bishop of Kootenay Holds Mass Baptismal Service

KASLO, B. C., March 9—Sunday, March 5, St. Mark's Anglican Church held a capacity congregation, when a special Baptismal Service was conducted by the Rt. Rev. F. P. Clark, M.A., D.D., Bishop of Kootenay.

Those baptized were: Sheron Gayle Hendren, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hendren, godfather Jack Hendren, and two godmothers, Mrs. R. Edwards (for whom Mrs. G. Browell acted by proxy) and Mrs. K. Fox; Robert Archibald Jacobs, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Jacobs, godmother, Elinor Jacobs, and two godfathers, Bruce Jacobs and John Bartsch; the infant twins of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Doan, Donna Marian, godmother, Dr. Marian Irwin, godfather, A. B. Doan; and Raymond Wallace, godmother, Mrs. R. Burns and Dr. William Irwin; two daughters of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McLeish, Janet Louise, godparents Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Tyers, and Lily Margaret, godparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Jacobs; Zoe Elizabeth Wallace, parents Mr. and Mrs. Wallace acted by proxy for godparents; Duane Arthur Norberg, two godfathers, Jack Hendren and W. J. Hendren; mother, Mrs. Norberg, as godmother; George Susumo Shimizu, son of Mr. and Mrs. Taroo Shimizu, godparents, Miss Elizabeth Giegerich, Eric Allsebrook and James Garrett; Barbara Lillian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shultz, parents acted by proxy for godparents.

E. Wardle presided at the organ throughout the services.

Movie Gossip—

Churches, Once Opposed to Movies, Encourage Them

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD, March 9 (AP)—Film producers should turn to the Bible in their search for vital movie subjects.

This advice comes from a fellow producer, Rev. James K. Friedrich, Episcopal minister and head of Cathedral Films. He has produced several dozen well-made films which are shown in Protestant churches, and to Catholics and Jews as well.

"The major film companies could do a great job for religion," Mr. Friedrich remarked. "But they are too wrapped up in making 'entertainment' pictures."

He indicated that movie makers could make exciting and significant pictures from Bible stories. But not, he added, the Scriptures according to Cecil B. DeMille.

Mr. Friedrich became interested in the idea of religious films while studying for the ministry at Virginia Seminary. He realized the dramatic power of the Scriptures and wrote a scenario on the life of St. Paul as his thesis.

Using an inheritance, the minister founded Cathedral Films. His first and only feature film, "The Great Commandment," was bought by 20th Fox for $170,000. Profits from the sale were put back into Cathedral, which is not a money-making venture.

Unfortunately, 20th-Fox did little or nothing about releasing "The Great Commandment." "I don't believe it was a deliberate sabotage," said Mr. Friedrich ruefully, "but it is too bad that the picture's message cannot be heard."

He said that many churches opposed the use of films in teaching, considering movies "an instrument of the devil." But they have been won over.

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New Denver

NEW DENVER, B. C.—Members of New Denver Badminton Club journeyed to Silverton for a set of friendly games. Refreshments were served after the matches were completed.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Wilson of Saskatoon are guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Forsythe.

Denver Pythian Sister Honored With Visit of Deputy Grand Chief

NEW DENVER, B. C., March 9—The meeting of Lucerne Temple No. 17, Pythian Sisters, Tuesday, was honored with the official visit of District Deputy Grand Chief Madge Stanley of Nakusp, who was accompanied by her husband, District Deputy Grand Chancellor A. B. S. Stanley; also Miss Delia Parent Jr., Mrs. Cathrine Horrey and Miss Hazel Herridge, all of Nakusp.

Mrs. Stanley was introduced and presented with a corsage by Junior Past Chief Inga Clever. Other Grand Officers who were introduced were Past Grand Chief Dora M. Clever, District Deputy Grand Chancellor Arthur Stanley and Supreme Representative James Draper.

Plans are under way for the District Convention at Nakusp May 2.

Mrs. Stanley gave a very touching address on Pythian principles—"Equality".

At the close of business the long tables were set, centred by vases of flowers in the Order's colors.

The Good of the Order Committee served a delicious sitdown supper. Speakers were District Deputy Grand Chief Madge Stanley, District Deputy Grand Chancellor Arthur Stanley of Nakusp, Past Grand Chief Dora M. Clever, Grand Representative James Draper and Miss Marjorie H. Butlin.

Invite V.O.N. to Meet in Winnipeg

OTTAWA, March 9 (CP).—Mrs. R. F. McWilliams, wife of Manitoba's Lieutenant-Governor, has invited the Victorian Order of Nurses for Canada to hold the first session of its annual meeting at Government House in Winnipeg.

The Order will meet in Winnipeg May 1-2.

With only one exception in the last half century Ottawa has been the site of V.O.N. meetings. Traditionally the afternoon session of the opening day has been held in Rideau Hall at the invitation of the Governor-General and his Lady.

Following the session this year at Government House in Winnipeg, the delegates will be the guests of the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. McWilliams at a reception and tea.

Guide Officials Plan Oversea Conferences

TORONTO, March 9 (CP)—Overseas trips next Summer are planned by several Canadian Girl Guide officials who will attend overseas conferences in Great Britain.

Canadian delegates to the 13th World Conference of the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts at Oxford July 17-31 will be Mrs. D. E. S. Wishart of Toronto, Chief Commissioner for Canada, and Mrs. R. F. T. Greer of St. James, Man., Provincial Commissioner for Manitoba.

Guides Roma Porter of Sudbury, Ont., and Patricia Malaher of Winnipeg will visit England, Switzerland and France under the Juliette Low Scholarship Award. Also on a Juliette Low Scholarship, Doris-Hope Rhys of Edmonton and Mrs. V. Kent of Fort Garry, Man., will attend a Girl Scout training centre at Pleasantville, N. Y.

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GLORIFYING GOD AIM OF LIFE, SAYS ARMY OFFICER

Major Norman Buckley, Salvation Army officer from Vancouver and guest speaker at a meeting in the Salvation Citadel Wednesday evening, said "the chief aim in life is to glorify God and enjoy Him forever . . . only through God can people have true happiness."

Mr. Buckley by illustration contrasted three men of the world who sought fame and wealth and still were unhappy with three men from the Bible who put God first and were happy.

Major Buckley is public relations officer for B.C. and at present is making a tour of the Kootenays visiting Salvation Army centres.

From Nelson the Major will visit Cranbrook, Kimberley and Fernie.

Silverton . . .

SILVERTON, B. C.—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Scaia had as their weekend guests their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. Scaia of Trail.

J. L. Canty has returned from Vancouver, where he attended funeral services for his father.

H. Walker, who has been a patient in the Slocan Community Hospital at New Denver, has returned to his home.

Mrs. N. Brookes of New Denver was the weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. Cave and family.

J. Harvey, an old-timer of the district, has left for Nelson, where he will enter the Hostel for Aged Men.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Anderson have returned from a week's visit to Spokane. En route home, they visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. Evans, in Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Smith, who have spent the past three months as guests of the latter's sisters, Misses T. and P. MacKinnon, have returned to their home at Creston.

Miss Norma Edwardson of Nelson is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Edwardson, prior to her marriage to R. W. O'Grady, which takes place in Silverton March 10.

R. T. Avison and son Andy were weekend visitors in Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Mills were guests for a few days at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Shannon, in Trail.

Mrs. G. Graham has returned from a three weeks' visit to relatives in Kimberley and Marysville.

E. Scott was a recent visitor to Trail.

Kaslo...

KASLO, B. C.—Mr. and Mrs. Axel Augustine returned from a visit to friends in Vancouver.

J. McMullan returned from an extended visit to the Coast and other points.

J. Marshall received word that his mother Mrs. Mary Marshall, aged 84, had passed away in Scotland.

F. Aydon has returned from Nelson, where he was a patient in Kootenay Lake General Hospital.

J. Wills, R. Hewat Inducted, Kaslo, By Bishop Clark

KASLO, B. C., March 9—Sunday, March 5, an excellent congregation was in attendance in St. Mark's Anglican Church, when the service was conducted by the Rt. Rev. F. P. Clark, M.A., D.D., Bishop of Kootenay. At the close of the service, J. Wills, presented by R. Hewat, was inducted as Layreader. E. Wardle presided at the organ.

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Mrs. Blombedier Prize Winner at Kaslo C.W.L. Meet

KASLO, B. C., March 9 — The Catholic Women's League held a regular meeting at the home of Mrs. H. Hewat March 7, with an attendance of 12 members. Routine business was dealt with.

The annual March 17 entertainment was discussed.

A prize donated by Mrs. H. Hewat was won by Mrs. Blombedier. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by the Misses Helen and Anna Surina.

Wynndel Church Elects Officers

WYNNDEL, B.C., March 9—Following church service on Sunday in St. Patrick's Anglican Church, a meeting was held with Rev. Craig as chairman. Church matters were discussed and officers elected: Vicar's warden, D. Colonel; C. Hindley to be asked to act as people's warden; secretary, Mrs. Wolfe; treasurer, A. E. Towson; committee, A. Sherwood, Mrs. Colonel and Mrs. Davidge. Arrangements are to be made to meet the committee of Creston and discuss church matters.

VICTORIA, March 9 (CP).—An air ambulance based at Stewart should be supplied by the Government to carry mail, physicians, nurses, school inspectors and passengers into remote areas of Atlin Riding not accessible by road, asserted Frank Calder (C.C.F.—Atlin) in the House today.

"There is no reason why we people in remote areas of the Province should not receive every attention as do the people living in well-settled parts of British Columbia," he said.

The air ambulance could be purchased outright or based at Stewart on a charter basis, he told the House.

Donate Face-Cloths, Slippers to Hospital

KASLO, B. C., March 9—A regular meeting of the Kaslo Victorian Hospital Women's Auxiliary was held at the home of Mrs. C. R. Fahrni, March 7, when the living rooms were charmingly decorated with Spring flowers for the occasion. Mrs. F. S. Chandler, First Vice President, presided, with 19 members in attendance.

The Vice President voiced her pleasure at seeing so many members and hoped their interest would continue. Further arrangements were made for the annual Easter Hospital Ball, and the members are putting forward every effort to make, the dance the usual success.

A face cloth shower was held, and a total of 68 received, for which the donors were tendered a vote of thanks. Mrs. J. Tonkin presented the Auxiliary with four pairs of beautifully hand made slippers for children. The wool was donated by Mrs. A. T. Garland.

Membership fees are being received at each meeting, and it is hoped that as many women as are able will join the Hospital Ladies' Auxiliary and lend their active support.

Mrs. E. H. Latham invited the Auxiliary to meet at her home for the next regular meeting.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. J. Cochran of Mirror Lake and Mrs. C. D. Bowker as co-hostesses.

Suggest Sale of Antihistamine Drugs to Public

VICTORIA, March 9 (CP).—British Columbians soon may be able to buy antihistaminic drugs without a prescription.

This was disclosed by Fred H. Fullerton of the B.C. Pharmaceutical Association.

Widely publicized as "cures" for the common cold, the drugs at the present time are sold only on prescription from a doctor.

The Pharmaceutical Association meeting here for the past week endorsed a recommendation at its closing session today recommending removal of restrictions.

If the recommendation is accepted by the B.C. Government, the drugs will be available for sale about April 15 by a pharmaceutical chemist, in a drug store without a prescription.

The recommendation stipulated, however, that the drugs may not be sold by non-qualified help in drug stores.

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Nakusp Women Plan Easter Ball, Social

NAKUSP, B. C., March 9 — The Nakusp Ladies' Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion discussed arrangements for annual Easter ball and social, at their meeting this week.

The social for members' husbands and escorts, which had been planned for last month's meeting and later cancelled is scheduled for later in March. Further plans for the Easter Ball will be discussed at their next meeting in April.

Two new members were initiated into the auxiliary while four members were ballotted on. Those initated were Mrs. S. A. Cowan and Mrs. D. Chadwick.

Mrs. A. Raymond won the contest while Mrs. S. Dawby won the booster. Refreshments were later served by hostesses Mrs. Olive Hawpton, Mrs. Patterson and Miss Sheila Stewart.

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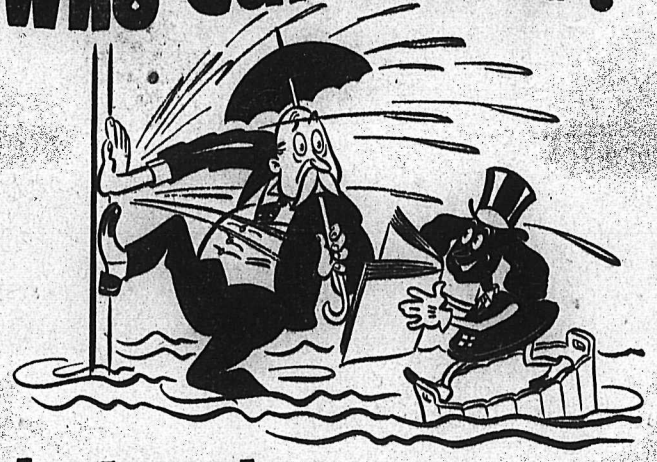

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Kimberley Couple Move to Edmonton

KIMBERLEY, B.C., March 9 — Mr. and Mrs. Dow R. McKenzie of Lower Blarchmont left this week for Edmonton, Alta., where they will make their future home.

Mr. McKenzie, who has been employed by the C. M. & S. Company for several years, has accepted a position with a photographic studio in the Alberta capital.

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13 Years Without An Accident

E. W. Paterson, bus driver for the Greyhound Bus Lines at Nelson, Tuesday completed a 13-year record of non-accident driving.

Mr. Paterson has been driving buses for over 20 years, and has been on the Nelson-Nakusp run for the past six years.

He and his family reside at 520 Second Street in Nelson.

In September, 1942, Mr. Paterson was awarded the gold medal of the National Safety Council for driving Greyhound Lines buses for 270,276 miles in six years without an accident.—Vogue photo.

Campaigner for Racial Equality Here on Sunday

R. M. Millar, a "Crusader for Better Racial Relations," will be a Nelson visitor this weekend. Mr. Millar, a layman, is a prominent Vancouver business man.

The Brotherhood of Man has been described by Waldo Kane, Vancouver writer, as "still the dream of a few optimists in a world in which most of their fellows remain indifferent. Many prominent men agree with the theory, but do nothing towards putting it into practise.

"A notable exception," wrote Kane, "is R. M. Millar, founder of a well-known Vancouver store, who has devoted much of his time shedding light on the problem of the interior position of the colored race.'

In his plea for racial equality Mr. Millar has travelled to many parts of Canada and in his tour of the Kootenays will speak at Trail and Nelson. Mr. Millar invariably meets his own travelling expenses.

Mr. Millar's subject of address at St. Paul's United Church Sunday evening will be "Candles in the Dark." A social hour in the Trinity United Church will follow the evening service. Monday, Mr. Millar will speak at the Rotary Club, "Bridge Builders on the World Highway."

Nelson Pioneer Dies at Spokane

Mrs. Laura Helen Thor, former Nelson pioneer, died in St. Luke's Hospital at Spokane on March 8.

Mrs. Thor was born April 15, 1867 in Sundaval, Sweden. She married Mr. Thor in Buffalo, N.Y., and spent several years in Minnesota. In the Spring of 1899 they moved to a homestead 30 miles from Edmonton. In 1910 they moved to Nelson and resided on Silver King Road remaining there until after their golden wedding anniversary except for a few years spent at Kimberley.

Mrs. Thor's lifetime hobby was the care of her beautiful gardens and her home was always a friendly neighborhood centre for young and old alike.

One son, John, died before they left Alberta; and five sons, Ture, Howard, Sydney, Otto and Conrad died during their years in Nelson.

Mrs. Thor is survived by two sons, Tycko of Spokane and Adrian of Tofield, Alberta; two daughters, Mrs. Gertrude Balensiefen of Spokane with whom she has lived for eight years and Mrs. C. E. Coonradt of Seattle, 13 grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held in Spokane Saturday.

Complete Change Of C.P.A. Offices To Vancouver

VANCOUVER, March 9—Completing the movement of Canadian Pacific Air Lines to Vancouver, the Department of Sales and Traffic, headed by H. B. Main as director, is now established at the Island headquarters of the companl, it is announced by G. W. G. McConachie, president. The department was formerly at Montreal.

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Horticulturist For District

J. E. SWALES

of Nelson, who is District Horticulturist for the Kootenay and Arrow Lakes District. Supervising Horticulturist for the district is E. C. Hunt of Nelson.

A native of Kaleden, B.C., Mr. Swales came to Nelson in April, 1948.

He received his Bachelor of Science degree in Agriculture at the University of Toronto, having majored in horticulture at the Ontario Agricultural College at Guelph. He graduated in 1947.

Mr. Swales attended elementary school in Kaleden and high school at Penticton.

Mr. Swales is married and resides at 1319 McQuarrie Avenue in Rosemont. —Vogue photo.

Rossland Group Plans Ambulance

ROSSLAND, B.C., March 9—Temporary committees have been set up and provisional officers have been named in the new Rossland Ambulance groups formed here this week.

Herb Christian was named chairman of the Ambulance Association with Jack Miller, vice-chairman, and E. C. McGauley, secretary.

Temporary committees named were T. Gibbons, James Quenn, William Keane and Mrs. G. Yarmolik, Ways and Means; Jack Miller Mrs. Alex Erickson and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Palfrey, Constitution Committee; and H. Christian, Frank Coates and E. V. McGauley, Purchasing Committee.

All representatives of organizations who attended the meeting will support the provisional officers as executive members. It is hoped to purchase an ambulance within the next few months.

Nelson Social

By MRS. M. J. VIGNEUX

● Miss Mary Caruk, 121 Richard Street, is progressing favorably following an appendix operation in the Kootenay Lake General Hospital.

● Mrs. James A. Armstrong, Chatham Street, left by bus Tuesday for Spokane to visit her old friend, Mrs. Pete Thor, who has since passed away.

● Mrs. F. M. Auld was hostess Tuesday evening to the Fairview Circle of St. Paul's United Church at her home, 421 Nelson Avenue, for her mother, Mrs. D. G. Smith. Mrs. Auld was assisted by her daughter, Miss Lillian Auld, in serving. H. H. Hinitt entertained the ladies with his very interesting colored films, one of his trip to Kokanee glaciers and the other of a floral display.

● Captain J. A. McDonald, who has been a patient in Kootenay Lake General Hospital, has recovered sufficiently to return to his home on Fell Street, Fairview.

● Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Coles, 523 Cedar Street, have as guests their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lepper of Vancouver, formerly of Nelson, who are also visiting Mrs. Lepper's sisters, Mrs. Fred Chapman and Mrs. Eric Butler.

● The 6th Nelson Cub and Scout Mothers Auxiliary held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. W. A. Fowles, 1208 Crossley Avenue.

Legion Women Ask Herridge Support For Committee on Veterans Affairs

Seeking establishment of a Parliamentary Committee to press for betterment in Veterans Affairs, Ladies Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion here Wednesday night decided to write to H. W. Herridge, M.P. for Kootenay West, asking his support of the move.

The action was in response to a request from the Provincial Command asking support of such an undertaking by branches and auxiliaries.

In answer to a request to the City Council, the Auxiliary was granted a tag day July 8.

The Secretary was asked to write a letter to H. W. Herridge, M.P. for Kootenay West, asking for his support in establishing a Parliamentary Committee whose special duty would be to take strong action for the betterment of Veterans Affairs. The request was made in response to a circular letter from the Provincial Command asking for support from all Legion branches and auxiliaries.

In response to an appeal for help for needy families, Mrs. A. Dunn, Mrs. Les Browett and Mrs. J. Dawson were appointed as a Good Cheer Committee to provide necessary assistance in such emergencies.

An unusual amount of correspondence, read and filed, included a great number of letters of thanks, from the Kaslo Fire Relief Fund, March of Dimes, overseas parcels and Shaughnessy Hospital at Vancouver.

An appeal from the Women's Institute for old woollens to be made up into blankets for needy homes and the hospital receive the promised support of the members.

An encouraging report was made by Mrs. John Dawson, acting convener of the Catering Committee, on three banquets since the New Year, including the Clan McLeary Burns' night, the Kinsmen banquet Feb. 20 and the South African War Veterans banquet Feb. 25.

Mrs. Dawson also reported on Sick Committee work in Fairview, followed by a report from Mrs. Steve Cameron, Convener of the Uphill Sick Committee and the Layette Committee.

Mrs. F. H. Johnson, Secretary, reported on prices for Auxiliary blazers and hats.

During the social hour when refreshments were served by Mrs. Hansen and Mrs. A. Ross, the booster prize was won by Mrs. B. Gray.

President Mrs. A. O. Allen was in the chair.

Former Kimberleyite Dies in Vancouver

KIMBERLEY, B.C., March 9 — Word has been received of the death in Vancouver of John (Czarny) Black, former Kimberley resident, at the age of 72.

Mr. Black was a pioneer of this City, arriving in 1912 and living here until 1949. He was employed by Cominco at the concentrator for several years prior to 1932.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. H. B. Eddy, Creston and Mrs. Johanna Black Vancouver, also four grandchildren. A brother survives in Poland.

Funeral services were held on Feb. 28 at St. Cassimer's Church Vancouver, Rev. Father Kosakiewiez officiating.

Admirers of First Nelson Mayor Erected Monument

Memorial to John Houston, Nelson's first mayor, was raised by admirers of the colorful pioneer figure, oldtimers pointed out Thursday. A news story recalling his death 40 years ago Wednesday described the Vernon Street monument as having been erected by the City.

Hon. William Sloan, B.C. Minister of Mines at the time, who unveiled the monument, and the late Fred A. Starkey were among principals in raising the fund.

Ontario produced 258,000,000 pounds of nickel in 1948.

Assists Production High School Plays

TOM SHORTHOUSE,

popular young Nelson dancer, singer, pianist and dramatist, has assisted in the producing of all the plays which are to be seen at the Nelson High School's annual stage production tonight.

Tom has thrilled many an audience with his impersonations of Al Jolson, his singing and acting ability. He also participated in the Nelson Kinsmen's Kinauctions of the Air.

Last year he attended Banff School of Fine Arts under the High School Scholarship.

He was elected by the student body of the High School to lead them as their Prime Minister for the 1949-50 school term.

Tonight Tom will take a leading part in the play "Beauty and the Jacobin." He has also written accompaniment for two of the plays.

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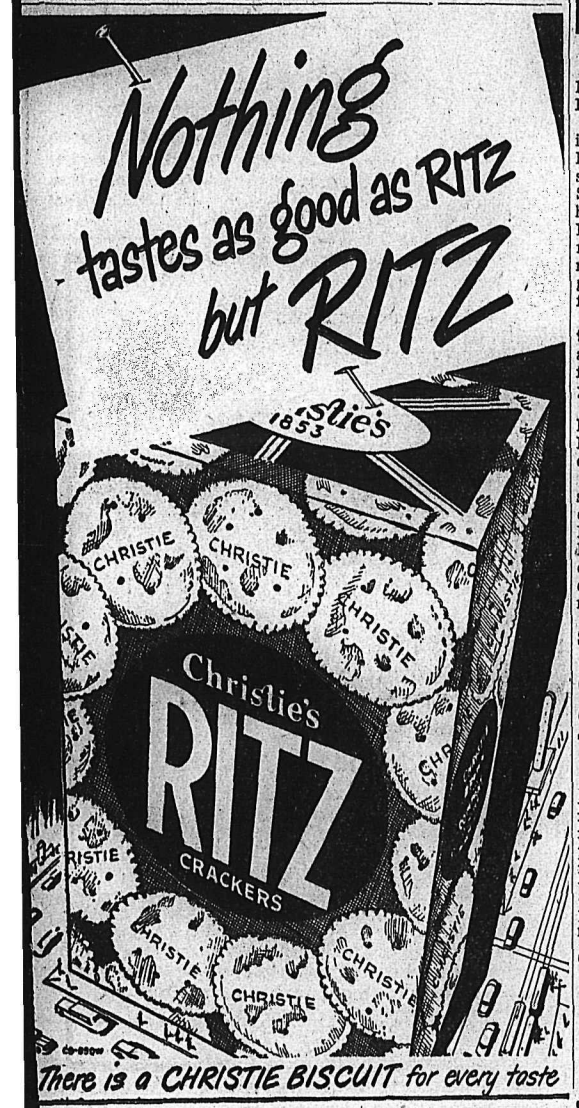
We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to the friends and neighbors of the late Frank Edward Andrews, for their many acts of kindness and sympathy during his illness.
Mr. and Mrs. John Horlick and family.

FUNERAL NOTICE

Requiem mass for the late Joseph E. Roulier will be sung at the Cathedral of Mary Immaculate Saturday at 9 a.m. Interment will be in the Nelson Memorial Park. Funeral arrangements under the direction of the Thompson Funeral Home.



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A Lesson

The ridiculous extent to which price support policies can be extended in non-emergent times is pointed up by the New York World-Telegram and The Sun in viewing what it terms the "Potato Fiasco" across the border. There is a lesson there for those in Canada who would foist price support on the Government as a cure-all for economic difficulties. Says the New York paper:

We hope the photographers, newsreel men and other suitable archivists of our time were on hand to record for posterity—which otherwise might not believe it—that monumental bit of folly recently enacted at East Grand Forks, Minn.

It had to do with the abacadabra of our surplus potato crop—which seems to be getting sillier by the hour.

Farmer Art Wardner sold your Uncle Sam 160,000 pounds of potatoes at $1.46 per hundredweight.

The Government, of course, doesn't want these potatoes. But it wants to keep them off the market so the price will stay high. So farmer Wardner said he'd buy them back for livestock feed at the Government's price of 1 cent per hundredweight.

Evidently this was all arranged beforehand, because a Government representative was there with checkbook. It was possibly the first transaction of its kind under the potato-dumping program announced by Secretary of Agriculture Brannan Feb. 3.

The Government man handed over his check—that would be for $2336—to Mr. Wardner. In turn, Mr. Wardner wrote out his—that would be $16—and handed it to Uncle Sam.

The potatoes never left the farm. Mr. Wardner's profit figures at $2080, knocking off $240 for grading and inspection by a State agency at the rate of 15 cents per hundredweight.

The check that Mr. Wardner got can be made good by 43 men (with wives and two children each) paying their Federal income taxes on wages of about $3000 a year.

Curiosity Dangerous

A leopard as large as a man escaped from his pit in a zoo on the outskirts of Oklahoma City. People of the vicinity are urged by radio broadcasts and otherwise to stay indoors and avoid danger.

What happens? Large numbers of curiosity seekers fill the roads leading to the area where the beast is at large. The zoo keepers, police, and a Marine reserve detachment are joined by amateur hunters whose presence may be a help or a menace.

In This Week Magazine, Maurice Robert Reddy, a veteran Red Cross disaster worker, says that curiosity is the most dangerous public reaction that can follow from an unusual and perhaps destructive happening.

He recalls how sightseers swarming into Texas City in 1947 after the first of a series of explosions were caught and many of them killed by subsequent blasts. The difficulties which firemen encounter from crowds are proverbial. An automobile crash on a highway often results in a long line of cars stopping and creating hazardous congestion though only the occupants of one or two cars can be of any assistance.

A good rule in such situations is to ask yourself: "Can I really give any help here that is not already being given?" If not, stay away. Otherwise, as the Christian Science Monitor noted, you may find yourself in the position of a leopard hunter with a popgun.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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

Likes Her "News"

To the Editor:

Sir—With all our grumbling, it dawned on me the other day that we really have a first-class little paper on our doorsteps every morning.

First the headlines, and who's done what; then "In This Corner" there's many a choice little chuckle; then Aunt Het with her common-sense philosophy of life. The editorials are excellent, the comic strips are good, and often funny. "They'll Do It Every Time" is very descriptive of our humanity. From the Questions and Answers, one learns a lot. "It's Been Said" is usually well chosen, and "Today's Bible Thought" is just something we can't miss.

Friday morning was a dull morning, but the text was "that the morning stars together sang for joy." I thought the analysis of that was good, that we may introduce a note of discord, but we cannot upset the harmony of the Universe.

The "Looking Backwards" must be very interesting to all those of us who have lived here from 20, 30, to 40 years; also the letters to the Editor give us an idea of what other people think.

Altogether, I just don't know what we'd do without the Daily News.

ANNE DOLPHIN.

Nelson, B. C.

Verse

Say Them Now

If you have kind words to say,
Say them now;
Do not wait until too late:
Time flies somehow.
They may bring some hope and cheer,
Help to banish many a fear,
Try to make life's road more clear.
Say them now.

If you have good deeds to do,
Start right away.
Give all assistance that you can;
Do not delay.
Service given, no matter where,
Will bring each joy beyond compare,
To know someone their troubles share.
Do them now.

Then give a friendly greeting
Where'er you meet;
A pleasant smile, a cheery hello
Make life more sweet.
Kindness shown to one and all
Will always live beyond recall,
And help us rise whene'er we fall
Along life's way.

—JEAN M. PICKARD.

Trail, B. C.

It's Been Said

The country still has faith in the rule of the people it's going to elect next.—Ted Cook.

Your Horoscope

Your success in the next year probably lies with you. Tact will help you to obtain good results. Expect the child born today to be industrious and capable.

? 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 where there is obvious necessity for privacy.

Mrs. R. A., Nelson—Can you give me the name of a firm that makes carpets from old woollens?

Write to Fairfield and Sons, Ltd., 797 Notre Dame Avenue, Winnipeg, Man.; or The Saskatchewan Wool Products, Moose Jaw.

D. G. T.—Will you send us addresses of some movie studios in U. S. and Canada?

For Fox, M-G-M, Paramount, Twentieth Century; Hollywood, Calif., is sufficient address. In Canada, write Vancouver Film Board of Trade, Film Exchange Building, Vancouver, B. C.

Curious, New Denver—Would it be against the law for a person, building his own house, to wire it himself if he does not hold an electrician's certificate?

Apparently not, but he must fulfill all requirements. Installation must be open for inspection, and he must contact his local power company.

Looking Backwards

10 YEARS AGO

From the Daily News of March 10, 1940

Seven big packing cases, containing 1060 articles made by voluntary Red Cross workers of the Nelson Branch of the Red Cross Society and shipped to Provincial headquarters at Vancouver, Mrs. A. T. Horswill, President of the Work Committee, stated Sunday.

Hon. Gordon Wismer of Vancouver, Attorney-General, arrived in Nelson on Sunday morning from Cranbrook and spent the day here.

A. H. Allan at the helm of the four-man executive as President, will guide the Nelson Skating Club in the 1940-41 season, it was decided by an election at the Skating Club meeting on Sunday.

25 YEARS AGO

From the Daily News of March 10, 1925

Miss Eulalie Gagnon, who teaches at South Slocan, was a city visitor over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dunham of Nelson returned during the weekend from a trip to Spokane where they visited their daughter, Miss Loreen Dunham.

F. C. Whitehouse, Manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, was the speaker at the monthly meeting of the Associated Canadian Travellers held in the Recreation Club Saturday afternoon. He explained at some length the functions of the bank.

Mrs. William Rutherford has decided to accept the nomination as regent of the Kokanee chapter, I.O.D.E., made, pending her consent, at the annual meeting last month.

40 YEARS AGO

From the Daily News of March 10, 1910

J. E. Anable has had plans prepared for a three story brick block, metal roofed, 100 feet by 120 feet, to be constructed at Ward Street on the corner of Victoria. He expects to be able to let the contracts in a couple of weeks, and plans to have construction finished by July 1.

E. J. McGregor, City Sanitary Inspector, has arrived home after a month spent on the Mexican isthmus. He would have been home about a week earlier, he said, but his train was held up for five days by a snowslide at Cutbank, Montana.

Press Comment

HOARDING ALBERTA'S GAS

The Provincial Government seems concerned about whether our gas resources will support our own needs and provide about 80,000,000,000 cubic feet a year for export as well. It is taking its time making up its mind, because it apparently believes the great Pacific Northwest market will always be there; but the unfortunate fact is that it won't. We have heard little in these parts about the expansion of natural gas distribution across the border; but it has been fabulous. Sales have increased from $471,000,000 in 1941 to $995,000,000 in 1948; by the end of this year, a concern in Texas (a State which does not share Alberta's caution about reserves) will have completed an 1840-mile pipeline to carry gas to New York City.

—Calgary Herald.

Today's Bible Thought

We cannot be at peace with ourselves if our ways are selfish and sensual. We can find it only in harmony with the Infinite, within us. —Acquaint now thyself with him and be at peace.—Job 22:21.

A man can be so aggravatin'. He lets you tell a long story till something right at the last catches his attention and then he asks what you said.

The Ancient Order of Shepherds, formed in Britain in 1859, has branches in most United Kingdom towns to give relief in distress, funeral benefits and sick pay.

French Canadian Actors Resent Wray Criticism

By ALBERT HUNTER
Canadian Press Staff Writer

MONTREAL, March 9 (CP)—British adjudicator Maxwell Wray last night commended Les Compagnons de Saint Laurent for their performance of Moliere's "Le Malade Imaginaire," only a few minutes after he was heckled from the stage by a small group of French-speaking men and a girl.

But he threatened to "leave Montreal" if there is another similar disturbance during the remainder of the week-long Western Quebec Regional Drama Festival.

He lauded the entire cast of "Le Malade" for their interpretation of the 17th century comedy-satire, especially Guy Hoffman as the hypochondriac, Arcan.

LEAVES STAGE

The heckling started while Mr. Wray was criticizing technical points of staging and lighting of Les Compagnons' entry in the Festival, which is a preliminary to the Dominion Drama Festival in Calgary the week of May 8.

Mr. Wray walked from the stage of Les Compagnons' Playhouse, but returned a few minutes later after Rev. Emile Legault, Festival Chairman and Director of Les Compagnons, made a public apology to the adjudicator.

Once again during the latter part of his adjudication, attempts were made to heckle Mr. Wray. The hecklers were booed down by an audience of some 600 persons.

Mr. Wray told The Canadian Press later that he was "well received by the Press and public of Canada—until tonight. I shall leave Montreal if there is another similar disturbance," he said.

Father Legault said in an interview that it was the first time, to his knowledge, that such an incident had occurred in the history of the Dominion Drama Festival. He said Mr. Wray's adjudications were "too technical but still necessary."

NOTED CADBOROSAURUS DOES DOUBLE TURN, APPEARS TWO PLACES AT ONCE

VANCOUVER, March 9 (CP)—A rash of reports of sea monsters—a sure sign of spring on Canada's West Coast—is under way.

Cadborosaurus, the monster Victoria, B.C., claims as its own, reared his ugly head twice yesterday, reports said, in sectors so widely separated it fits nicely with the rest of the legends about him.

Wide-eyed observers at Qualicum Beach, on Vancouver Island's East coast, noted Caddy. At Tofino, on the West side, he was being observed in some detail at the same time.

Gwen Coleman and Bryan Tiele of Port Alberni thus described the Tofino visit:

"A 50-foot creature with fins four feet high, a long slender neck and a cat-like head."

Qualicum Beach folk said Caddy, on show for Victoria tourists, "looked in" at a village store for half an hour while resting 30 yards off shore. More than a score of residents reported Caddy's visit.

Descriptions differed but Caddy will win no beauty contest at the best.

THERE'S OGOPOGO

The appearances got a false start last week when a "sea monster," long dead, was washed ashore downcoast on the mainland at Delake, Ore.

The monster, some biologists said, was nothing more than the nether portion of a whale.

British Columbia's other sea serpent, a fresh-water denizen who hangs out in Okanagan Lake, is known affectionately in the trade as Ogopogo. He hasn't shown since last summer when tracks were uncovered on the beach and assigned promptly to Ogo, but old timers will give odds that he'll make an appearance before Kelowna, near the lake, throws its regatta next summer.

REFUSE TO GIVE UP

DELAKE, Ore., March 9 (AP)—The people of Delake refuse to give up faith in their "sea monster."

Lloyd Cable, president of the Chamber of Commerce, declared he wouldn't burn the thing until people began complaining about the smell. They haven't complained—much—yet.

In fact the comparative mildness of odor was cited as one reason for disbelief.

But none of this made much impression on the state's biologists, who have lost interest since a state fish commision marine expert examined the thing.

Roger Tollefson, the marine biologist, hadn't claimed it was a whole whale, anyway. Just a piece.

Catchy New Slogan For Penticton

PENTICTON, March 9 (CP)—The "City of Beaches and Peaches" is the catchy new slogan adopted by this resort town at the entrance to the fruit-growing Okanagan Valley.

The new slogan was chosen from entries to a $25 contest sponsored by the local Board of Trade, Chamber of Commerce, radio station and newspaper. More than 300 slogans were submitted.

The Week at Victoria

(Editor's note—Leo T. Nimsick, M.L.A. for Cranbrook, has sent the following despatch from Victoria entitled "The Week at Victoria" as a report to his constituents.)

I would like here to give briefly highlights of my address to the House:

1. Rural electrification for the farming and outlying districts with special reference to the community of Yahk.

2. Closer medical aid to these outlying districts, if not by doctors, then by the greater use of health nurses.

3. Greater efforts in the conservation of our forests by selective logging, reforestation and less waste.

4. As a source of revenue in lieu of any further boost in the sales tax or hospitalization, I did not feel that the people of B.C. were receiving enough for the depletion of the mineral resources. I therefore gave particular mention to this item.

5. The change in the School Act of last year and how it affected Kimberley by an increase from just over 11 mills to 50 mills for school tax purposes, was a big item and how we had to sacrifice the maintenance of the city in order to set the mill rate at 69 when it should have been at least 90.

MINES WITHIN CITY

As one solution for this, I asked that mine property be taken within the city limits and come under the same taxation as the citizens although I do not imagine this will receive the approval of all.

I take the attitude that since the wealth production per capita of the Cranbrook area is probably higher than any other part of B.C., the residential communities should want nothing in the way of educational, recreational or civic improvements, and that we should not have to go, cap in hand, to any provincial government for help. I maintain that someone is not paying their share, and if I am right, then with the high taxes that the residents are already paying industry must pay more. This may be done by classing it as an industrial area. I maintain that industry is just as responsible for the residential area as the residents are themselves. Neither one could carry on without the other. I will give credit to the C.M. & S. for the generous donations given to the different communities but I would not like to think this was subsidized by an inequality of taxation. Charity is a poor substitute in a case such as this.

6. I also asked for a better deal for the Native Indians and that they be given full citizenship with all the rights that go with it. Also, that they receive their share of the old age pension and any other social benefits that go to any other citizen.

BRIDGES

7. I could not help asking the member for Rossland-Trail why he did not fight for a bridge at Castlegar which is the worst bottleneck on the Southern provincial highway. Also the one at Nelson and, if we cannot have these, then one at Wasa. I appealed for these while speaking on

8. UNEMPLOYMENT because if you translate the loss of wealth production of the unemployed into terms such as bridges, roads, schools, etc., we could have all these and more, but it looks as though we are satisfied to let this great potential wealth waste away because every day these men are idle, society has lost something that will never be regained.

Although these are only the highlights, I tried to cover as much as possible of what concerned both the people of the riding and those of the province generally and must say I had a very good hearing.

See Over 96 P.C. Vote For Stalin and Party

(Editor's note: Don Dallas, former chief Reuters correspondent at Moscow, returned to London two months ago).

By DON DALLAS

LONDON, March 9 (Reuters) — The most pessimistic predictions in Moscow are that Stalin and his party will win in next Sunday's general election with a vote of between 96 and 99 per cent.

More than 91,000,000 voters are expected to dutifully place an X beside the names of the party candidates. There are no other names on the ballot. Even so, it is considered vitally important that every eligible citizen vote and several hundred thousand "agitators" were already at work to get out the vote before I left Moscow two months ago.

From Europe to the Far East and up to the Arctic settlements, "Agitunkts" are hard at work. "Agitpunkts" is literally an "agitation point." It is organized by the all-powerful Communist party.

In many respects, the party and the Government are almost inseparable, both with great administrative machines which work hand-in-hand in such a matter as an election. The "agitators" use the election as an opportunity to deliver long lectures to the people about democracy in Russia. They say their election are the freest and most impartial in the world.

Candidates for election to the U.S.S.R. Supreme Soviet are either party members or what are described as "non-party Bolsheviks," but there is in effect no difference between them.

Stevenson Advises Buying Kids Bikes

VICTORIA, March 9 (CP).—Love that man!

Rural kids had a champion in the Legislature yesterday when Attorney-General and Vice-Marshal L. F. Stevenson (Cliff—Vancouver-Point Grey) suggested a solution for cutting cost of transportation to country schools.

Dispense with buses, he suggested, and buy the children bicycles.

Premier Stalin of Russia was arrested in 1902, imprisoned for a year and banished to Siberia—the first of several arrests before the Communists came to power in Russia.

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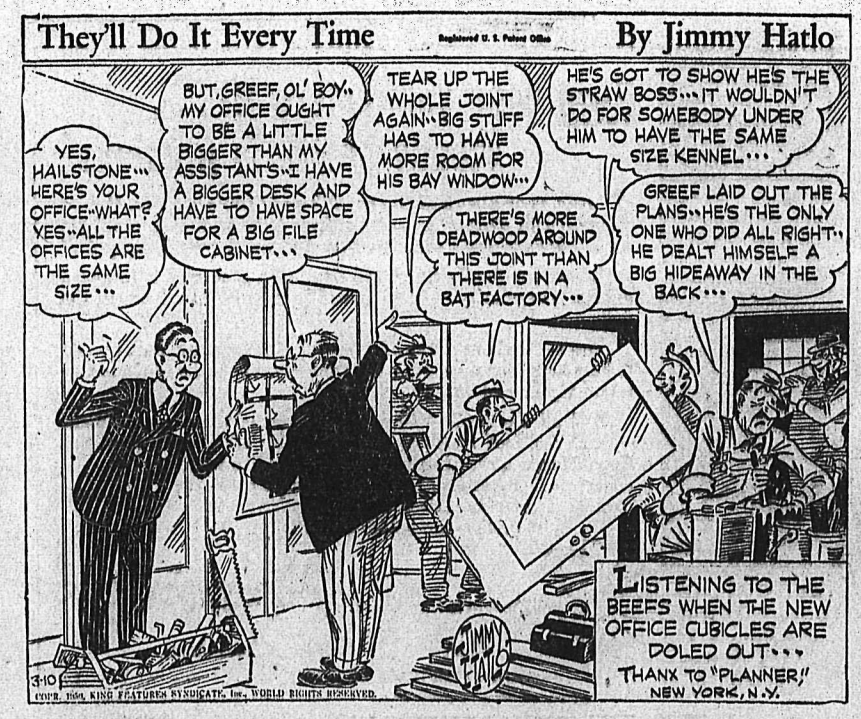

SPORTS

Puck Pourri

By CLIVE FLEMING

WIHL 1949-50 All-Star team:

First team:		Second team:
Dinny McManus (S)	Goal	Duke Scodellaro (T)
Ralph Luke (S)	Defence	George Barefoot (N)
Bill Johnston (K)	Defence	Danny McDougald (T)
Roy McBride (S)	Centre	Frank Sullivan (K)
Don Anderson (T)	Left Wing	Johnny Rypien (S)
Bill Snider (S)	Right Wing	Sammy Calles (K)
Don Appleton (N)	Rookie	Dave McLay (K)

This year I did not intend picking my version of the Western International Hockey League all-star, so I am publishing the consensus of the selections of the guys who really should know who's who, the players themselves. Sixteen players on each club picked all-star teams of opponent players. This poll was conducted by Eric (Trail Times) Bishop.

With points being awarded two for a first team choice, and one for a second squad selection, the total possible for any player was 96. Highest man was Trail's scoring champion Don Anderson who amassed 88 points.

For goaltending chores, Dinny McManus held a 14 point lead over Trail's Duke Scodellaro, garnering 63 points. Dave McLay was third with 44 points.

There was a tie for defencemen, with Kimberley's Bill Johnston and Ralph Luke receiving 63 points apiece. Barefoot and McDougald had 58 and 57 points, respectively, while Scoop Bentley was next with 51.

Roy McBride and Frankie Turik waged a close battle for centre slot, grabbing 74 and 70 points, respectively. Fighter Frankie Turik was the only other pivot to rank well up with 40 points.

Behind Trail sharpie Don Anderson's 88 points were Johnny Rypien with 62 and Bill Haldane with 30. Rightwinger Bill Snider ran away with 66 points, trailed by Sammy Calles with 39, Dave Nicol, 28 and Red Koehle 26.

Nelson's Don Appleton was almost a runaway in the rookie field, with 66 points, trailed by Dynamiter Dave McLay, 37, Bobby Bartlett, 27, and Johnny Michaluk 26.

One spot which wasn't selected was the coach, but there there would be a few difficulties. Just how would a player be able to know how good a coach is, if they have not played under him? In most of the hockey circuits, the Press and radio picks the all-star players and coach, but at that, it is seldom press men are in the dressing room when a coach is at work.

So who's to know what happened in there that makes a team come out fighting to win?

Last season, Art Somers was named the Western Canada Hockey League coach, when his Regina Caps won the loop title, but this year, the Caps didn't even qualify for playoffs.

One of the top secrets is "pacing a club properly", or getting them to top form when playoff time rolls around. That is the reason why the Toronto Maple Leafs have won the Stanley Cup so often. Kimberley is always in top form about playoff time, but Nelson Maple Leafs, right down the line play like a million dollars all season until playoff time.

Jack Kilpatrick deserves the thanks of Nelson fans this season. Killy, who played a terrific season, finishing as top Leaf point-getter, should never have played that last playoff game in Kimberley. But still he was in the lineup, and turned in a great game though every stride must have been agony. Both his ankles were puffed up like watermelons. Since he knew the Leafs needed every player, he told none of the players of his agony, and went out with the rest of them.

N. H. L. LEADERS

By The Canadian Press

Standing—Detroit, won 32, lost 17, tied 12—76 points.

Points—Lindsay, Detroit, 66.
Goals—Richard, Montreal, 34.
Assists—Lindsay, Detroit, 44.
Penalties—Lindsay, Detroit, 124; Gadsby, Chicago, 124.
Shutouts—Broda, Toronto, 8.

Trail Senior Bs Win West Kootenay Title

TRAIL, B.C., March 9 — Trail All Stars came from behind twice in the third period tonight to edge Nelson Legion 8-7 and capture the West Kootenay intermediate playoffs.

Trail took the first of the two-game, total goal series 8-3 in Nelson. The winners now open the Kootenay finals here Saturday against Kimberley.

Behind 4-2 going into the third period, Jake McLeod's All Stars scored three fast ones early in the stanza to go ahead 5-4. Then Nelson came back with three straight counters to again take the lead.

In the last five minutes, however the Trail Club again took command and fired three markers by hardworking Nelson netminder, Fred Madden.

Both clubs played on even terms in the opening period and collected a goal apiece.

Centre Herbie St. Jean paced the winners with three goals. Howie Walmer and Emil Kwasney connected for two each while Tommy Dunn notched one.

Former Nelson Maple Leaf, Doug Winlaw, counted twice for the Queen City club. Don Forteous picked up a goal and two assists while the other Nelson goals came off the sticks of Red Wassick, Fred Boyer, Ron Nash and Bill Wicken.

Kimberley Host To East Kootenay Badminton Championships April 1, 2

KIMBERLEY, B.C., March 9 — With the annual East Kootenay Badminton championships scheduled for Kimberley on April 1 and 2 and the local Senior tournament commencing next week, large numbers of players are out every practice night. The Men's Singles and Doubles in the Club Tournament should produce the best badminton on local courts in years, with W. Swan, R. Roskilly, B. Fergus and G. MacGregor among those taking part.

Several Junior members of the club will compete at Creston in the Kootenay Junior championships which are being held under the supervision of Dave Waddell, well known coast player, on March 11.

Jack Webb, Club Secretary, has been transferred to Salmo and will be greatly missed.

Kimberley Skiers Place Well in Banff Ski Meet

KIMBERLEY, B.C., March 9 — The Kimberley Ski Club was well represented at the recent Dominion Championships at Banff, with the eight Junior members doing particularly well. Placings of the Kimberley contestants were as follows:

Junior Cross Country (Dominion Title)—first Eric Bodin; second Norman Hilland; third Ronine Halstrom; fourth Gordon Soblin.

Men's Cross Country—sixth Noel Paul; sventh Jack Collins.

Dominion Downhill—Sever Rondestvedt disqualified for missing one set of control flags.

Senior Jumping (Canadian and North American) — Eighth Noel Paul 183 and 194 feet; Seventeenth Jack Collins 169 and 175 feet.

Junior Jumping—Fourth Ronnie Hallstrom 82 and 84; fifth Harry Aune 78 and 86; seventh Norman Helland 87 and 92; eighth Sever Rodestvedt 81 and 80; ninth Gary Battistella 71 and 73; tenth Bob Pearson 71 and 70.

Noel Paul won the Dominion Classic Combined and Sever Rondestvedt the Junior Four-Way Combined.

IRENE STRONG BREAKS RECORD IN AUSTRALIA

SYDNEY, Australia, March 9 — (CP) — Canada's Empire Games competitors won three races, gained two second places and took one third in seven events contested here tonight at an invitation meet.

The Canadians are in Sydney on their way home from last month's Empire Games in New Zealand.

Irene Strong of Vancouver broke an 18-year-old New South Wales record by 1 2-5 seconds when she won the 110-yard breast stroke in one minute and 29 seconds. The previous mark was set by Clare Dennis, former Australian Olympic swimmer.

Lucien Beaumont of Quebec City won the 110-yar men's free-style event in one minute and one second. The third Canadian success was in the 220-yard women's race which Kay McNamee of Victoria captured in two minutes and 48 2-5 seconds.

Withdraws Charge Against Conacher

DETROIT, March 9 (AP) — Lewis H. Walter, Detroit Times sports writer, today dropped his charges of assault and battery against Coach Charley Conacher of Chicago Black Hawks.

The case stemmed from a dressing-room incident after a Detroit-Chicago hockey game here Feb. 8. Walter claimed that Conacher knocked him down with his fists after he (Walter) had replied to the coach's complaint of slanted stories in the Times.

Quakers, Stamps Even Off Series

CALGARY, March 9 (CP) — Saskatoon Quakers tonight opened up for their fastest clip here this season to beat Calgary Stampeders 4-0 and tie the Western Canadian Senior Hockey League's best-of-seven semi-final at a game apiece.

The most colorful and most dangerous trio on the ice was the Quakers' crack line of Tommy Burlington, Cy Thomas and Chuck McCullough who accounted for three of the Saskatoon goals.

Summary:

First Period—1, Saskatoon, McCullough (Burlington, Milford) 2:30.
Penalties—Scott, Thomas.
Second Period—2, Saskatoon, Thomas (McCullough) 1:19.
Penalties—Coflin, Staley, Myles.
Third Period—3, Saskatoon, Burlington (Johnson) 1:24; 4, Saskatoon, Staley (Maher) 17:17.
Penalties—Myles, Thomas, Johnson, Levicq, Milford.

Hockey Scores

By The Canadian Press

CAPE BRETON SENIOR
Glace Bay 3, Sydney 4.
(Sydney leads best-of-seven finals 1-0.)

MARITIME SENIOR
Halifax 4, Saint John 5.
(Halifax leads best-of-seven finals 2-1.)

QUEBEC SENIOR
Valleyfield 0, Quebec 5.
(Best-of-five quarter-finals tied 1-1.)

EASTERN CANADA SENIOR
Hull 6, Ottawa RCAF 3.
(Best-of-five semi-finals tied 1-1.)

THUNDER BAY JUNIOR
Fort William Canadiens 3, Port Arthur Bruins 6.
(Port Arthur leads best-of-seven final 2-1.)

QUEBEC JUNIOR
Montreal Canadiens 4, Three Rivers 10.
(Best-of-nine semi-finals tied 4-4.)

AHL
Buffalo 2, Indianapolis 5.
St. Louis 4, Providence 7.

USHL
Tulsa 1, St. Louis 2.

Trail Curling

TRAIL, B.C., March 9—Thursday night's results in the Trail Four-Way Knockout Competition follow:

T. W. Mathieson 11, T. J. Teahan 12.
P. F. McIntyre 7, L. L. Fortin 10.
W. P. Robertson 10, C. W. MacBey 8
E. S. Shannon 9, J. D. Hartley 8.
Balfour 8, Wendell 10.
J. Atwell 8, W. L. Wood 10.
G. Ortner 12, Wm. Rae 11.
Murphy 8, Hill 9.
A. G. Robertson 10, Ferguson 9.
Chrichton 12, D. Forrest 7.

Mixed Two Ball Tournament for Nelson's Bowlers

A mixed two-ball foursome tournament, last of the doubles tournaments of the season, will be held at the bowling alleys Sunday.

The mixed two-ball event will be the first of its kind to be held in Nelson.

Sunday's bowlers follow:

1 p.m.—Q. Wright and B. Wright; F. Gill and G. Gill; M. Moen and M. Whitelock; L. Chapman and B. Morgan; J. Kuntz and L. Jennings; B. Moore and B. Kelly; R. Jennings and N. Nelson; I. Locatelli and F. Koehle; D. Chursinow and B. Riddell; A. McGinn and B. Bennett; A. Stevens and G. Procter; E. Townsend and A. Kuhn.

3 p.m.—A. Macrone and C. Chapman; E. MacRae and D. MacRae; F. Beresford and C. Beresford; A. Edwards and J. Edwards; L. Koehle and C. Locatelli; G. Gullivan and O. Gullivan; B. Hille and J. Wallach; W. Hallman and A. Boyd; C. Peters and M. Peters; G. McLean and D. Carmichael; E. Rogers and C. Mills; G. Macrone and A. Herchuk.

Dodgers Take 2nd in Finals

The Dodger bantams hammered out their second straight win in the final City bantam hockey playoffs at the Civic Arena Wednesday afternoon. They defeated the Fairview Athletic Club 12-6.

Bill Culley and Bill Richardson split top scoring honors for the winners with three markers each and an assist each. Garth Lipsack was next with two goals and one assist. Ron Peterson, Erling Ecstrom, Larry Scott and Arnold Sherwood were the other sharp shooters. Scott gave two assists, Ecstrom and Sherwood one each. In the penalties Lipsack and Sherwood drew a minor each.

The F.A.C.'s were paced as usual by their fast-skating right winger, Wilf Marquis who drove in four of thme loser six goals. Bill Horswill and Walt Olson added the other F.A.C. goals. Horswill picked up two assists, Marquis one and Van-Sacke one. Ron Collings and Pat Moran were the referees. Darrel Lipsack and Harry Somerville kept the score and time.

Plan Junior Football In Ottawa District

OTTAWA, March 9 (CP) — The Ottawa Football Club has decided to establish an intermediate or junior football league in Ottawa district as a means of developing players, E. K. (Eddie) Emerson, President of the club, announced today.

The announcement followed a decision by Don Loney, star snap for Ottawa Rough Riders, to abandon his plans for playing next season with Edmonton Eskimos. Loney signed a contract with Rough Riders yesterday.

Discussing the proposed Ottawa district junior league, Emerson said Rough Riders plan to establish a farm club in Ottawa and expect to have teams "in Brockville, Cornwall and Pembroke or Kingston."

"Don Loney will have the job of developing players in the proposed league, the winners of which will play off with Montreal and Toronto.

Ski Slants . . .

Find Alpine Slopes a Thrill; To Silver King

BY BILL DERIDDER

Don't let this Spring-type weather fool you planksters. There is still a good month's skiing on our hill and the tow is still working on week ends. Actually now is the time to get in some good skiing as the Sun is warmer and a good tan can be got on the hill.

Sunday evening a weary band of ski-tired bums returned to civilization after a perfect three days alpine skiing at the Alpine Mine. Snow conditions were perfect with only a very light snow falling, while down here in civilization, we understand it was raining. A perfect moon made for some excellent skiing. The moon up at high altitudes is so clear that a good camera could easily be used. With mountains ranging in altitude from 7000 to 8000 feet, many superb downhill runs of two to four miles can easily be found. The condition of the snow varies so little at this altitude that skiing on different slopes doesn't require much special attention. A fall in this type of snow is really something a skier won't easily forget. The plankster takes about an hour to dig himself out of the light powder snow, Larry Grimwood gave us his opinion, along with an excuse that he was digging down to find some ice worms.

TO SILVER KING

A large group of skiers intends making a trip into the Silver King Ski slopes this weekend. If this cold weather holds, the skiing up there should also be superb.

The feeling of complete freedom and of individuality making the run successful are the main factors in a skier's love for the high terrain. The towering snow-clad peaks and the shimmering light snow make a skier's dream come true. The moon reflecting every snow crystal a gleam like huge diamonds and the quietness of the trees mingled with piercing rays of moonlight increase the skiers feeling of freedom and perfect solitude.

Eleven Nelson Skaters to Creston

Today 11 bladesters of the Nelson Figure Skating Club will make a trip to Creston where they will play a part in the second annual Ice Frolic in the Creston Civic Arena.

"Holiday on Ice" will be the theme of the Nelson performance.

Top skaters from Spokane will also take a leading part in the frolic.

Skaters from Nelson taking part will be Eleanor Ludwig, Rose Ann Zabawa, Delores Hille, Anne Brown, Pamela Duff, Sylvia Fetterly, Barbara Leslie, Sheila McPhail, Jill McDonald, Mary Lou Harrison and George Zabawa.

Miss Barbara Cowan, Nelson club pro, will be seen in three numbers.

$3500 for Compensation

HARRISBURG, Pa., March 9 (AP) —Eddie Waitkus, Philadelphia National League baseball player, today was awarded $3,500 by the State Workmen's Compensation Bureau as paymentof medical expenses for injuries he suffered when shot by a girl in a Chicago hotel last June 14.

William H. Chestnut, Pennsylvania Secretary of Labor and Industry announced the award against the Travellers Insurance Company, which carried a policy on Waitkus. The player had asked for $4,000 for medical expenses for the first 60 days of his disability.

Waitkus contended at the hearing that he was acting in the interests of the Phillies' public relations when he visited cute Ann Steinmaveno in her Chicago hotel room at her invitation. The young woman was placed in a mental institution after a police investigation of the Waitkus shooting.

Rangers Gain 3-1 Win Over Wings

By The Canadian Press

New York's classy young Rangers, fighting hard in a drive to take over second place in the National Hockey League, waited until late in the final period last night before taking a 3-1 victory over the league-leading Detroit Red Wings.

The combination of a Ranger win plus a 1-1 draw played between the second-place Toronto Maple Leafs and the fourth-spot Montreal Canadiens pulled the Blueshirts within two points of the Leafs. Detroit is away out in front coasting along with 76 points. Toronto has 67 points, New York 65 and Montreal 63. The other two clubs — Boston and Chicago — are already out of playoff contention, the Bruins with 53 points and the Hawks with 46.

A slim Madison Square Garden crowd of 9644 watched as the Rangers pushed into a 1-0 first-period lead when rearguard Fred Shero blasted the puck in from a scramble. Detroit's Jack Stewart was in the penalty box at the time. The score stayed that way until the last minute in the second frame when Ted Lindsay blasted the puck into the left side to knot the count at 1-1.

Then a little more than midway through the final frame big Ed Slowinski of Rangers broke loose and drove the rubber past goalie Harry Lumley. Lindsay and Gus Kyle of the Rangers were in the penalty box with majors at the time for fighting. Three minutes later rookie Nick Mickoski rapped home the insurance goal.

Meanwhile the Canadiens had a tough battle to gain their 1-1 deadlock with Toronto, scoring the tying goal with about two minutes of the game left. A Montreal crowd of 14,003 looked on as Bill Ezinicki put the Leafs one up midway through the second period after taking a relay from Cal Gardner and Harry Watson.

The Canadiens put on the pressure but were unable to score until 17:57 of the final when Bill Reay slapped in Glen Harmon's rebound.

SUMMARIES

MONTREAL-TORONTO

First period—Scoring—None.
Penalties—Klukay, Ezinicki (2), Reardon, Mortson, Richard, Juzda, Bouchard.
Second period—1, Toronto, Ezinicki (Watson, Gardner) 8:46.
Penalties — Timgren, Thomson, Mortson.
Third period—2, Montreal, Reay, (Dussault, Harmon) 17:57.
Penalties—None.

NEW YORK-DETROIT

First period—1, New York, Shero (Leswick, White) 6:08.
Penalties—Stewart, Fogolin, Leswick.
Second period—2, Detroit, Lindsay 19:12.
Penalties—Reise, Eddolls, Stewart
Third period—3, New York, Slowinski (Raleigh, Eddolls) 11:24; 4, New York, Mickoski (Leswick, Eddolls) 14:09.
Penalties — Lumley (2) (served by Babando and Peters), Kyle (minor and major), Lindsay (major) Stanley, Leswick.

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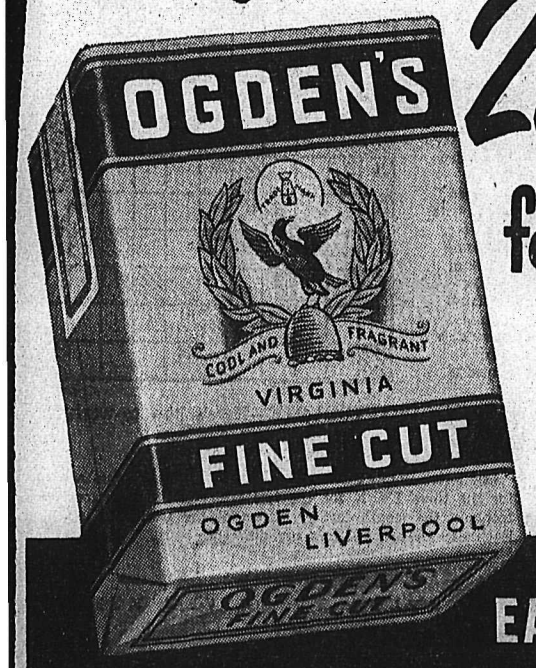

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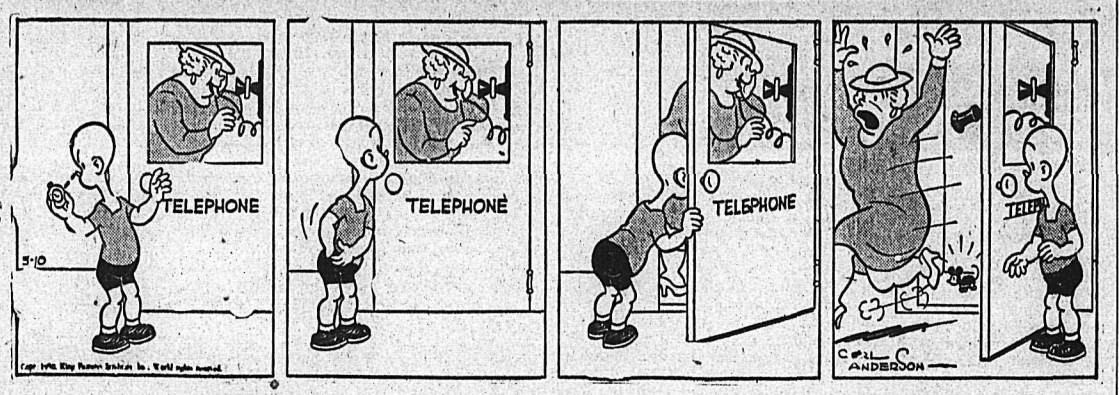

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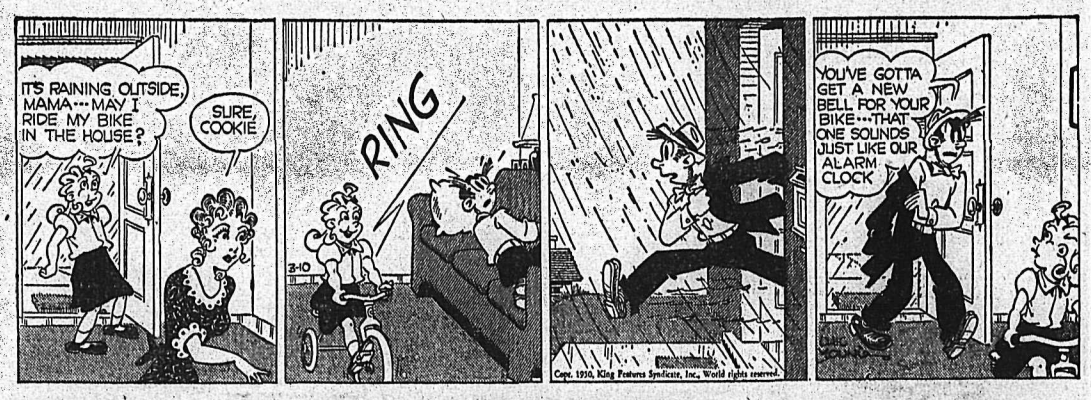

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On the Air

FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1950

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1240 ON THE DIAL

6:58—O Canada
7:00—News Summary
7:05—Top of the Morning
8:00—CBC News
8:10—Bill Good Sports
8:15—Breakfast Club
8:45—For You Madame
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Western Tunes
9:45—Kate Aitken
10:00—Time Signal and Train Time
10:01—Ellen Harris
10:15—"Ladies' Choice"
10:30—Musical Program
10:45—Music Kitchen
11:00—Kindergarten of the Air
11:15—Five Roses Radio Kitchen
11:20—Song Parade
11:30—Show Case
11:45—Notice Board
12:15—Press News
12:25—Sports and Weather Forecast
12:30—Farm Broadcast
12:55—According to the Record
1:00—Kootenay Concert
1:30—Bernie Braden
1:45—Mr. Prime Minister
2:00—School Broadcast
2:30—Your Little Show
2:45—CBR Presents
3:00—Inside Story
3:15—Train Time
3:16—Messers Islanders
3:30—Commentary
3:45—Divertimento
4:00—Opera Stars
4:15—Ed MacCurdy
4:30—Sleepy Time Stories
4:45—Trio Tunes
5:00—Rendezvous Room
5:30—News Cast
5:40—Strikes and Spares
5:15—Bill Good
6:00—Musical Program
6:15—Sacred Heart
6:30—Cavalcade of Melody
7:00—CBC News
7:15—CBC Roundup
7:30—Musical Program
8:00—Report From Parliament Hill
8:15—Canadian Health Story
8:30—Vancouver Theatre
9:00—Burns Chuckwagon
9:30—Talk and Short Stories
9:45—Canadian Short Stories
10:00—Peebles News
10:15—Legislature Report
10:30—Organ Recital
11:00—Sign Off

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610 ON THE DIAL

6:30—News
6:35—Good Morning Neighbor
7:00—News
7:05—Good Morning Neighbor
7:25—Your Hymn for the Day
7:30—News
7:35—Good Morning Neighbor
8:00—CBC News
8:10—Your Market Report
8:15—Breakfast Club
8:45—Laura Ltd.
9:00—Coffee Time
9:15—Aunt Lucy
9:30—Five Roses Radio Kitchen
9:35—Housewives Hit Parade
10:00—Homemaker's Club.
10:15—Happy Gang
10:45—Rita Martin's Musical Kitchen
11:00—The Woman's World
11:05—Music for Milady
11:55—Barry and Betty Show
12:00—United Steelworkers of America
12:05—Noon Revue
12:30—News
12:45—Saddle Rockin' Rhythm
1:00—Afternoon Recess
1:30—Bernie Braden
1:45—Mr. Prime Minister
2:00—National School Broadcast
2:30—Waltztime
2:45—CBR Presents
3:00—Brave Voyage
3:15—Movie Hits
4:00—Club Calendar
4:15—Buddy and Dinah
4:30—Old Corral
4:45—Superman
5:00—News
5:05—United Steelworkers of America
5:10—Supper Serenade
5:55—Local 480
6:00—Ray Norris Quintette
6:30—Beat the Champs
7:00—CBC News
7:15—CBC News Roundup
7:30—Toronto Symphony "Pop" Concert
8:30—Memory Lane
8:45—Doctor's Orders
9:00—Burn's Chuckwagon
9:30—Talk
9:45—Canadian Short Stories
10:00—News
10:05—Sports Cavalcade
10:15—Report from the Legislature
10:30—News
10:45—Evening Meditations
11:00—Hot Air
11:55—CBC News

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8:00—CBC News
8:10—Bill Good
8:15—Hits and Encores
8:30—Story Time
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Saddle Serenade
9:30—CBC Stamp Collector
9:45—The Answer Man
10:00—Train Time and Time Signal
10:01—Bandstand
10:15—Notice Board
10:45—News Cast
11:00—Metropolitan Opera
2:00—Musical Program
2:15—Ballet Club
3:00—This Week
3:14—Train Time
3:15—News Week-End Listening
3:30—NBC Symphony Orch.
4:00—NBC Symphony Orch.
4:30—Sports College
4:45—Sacred Heart
5:00—Cavalcade of Melody
5:30—Prairie Schooner
6:00—N.H.L. Hockey
7:30—Organ Music
7:45—Armdale Choir's Hall
8:00—Musical Fill
8:30—Current and Choice
9:00—Hockey Broadcast
10:00—Peebles News
10:15—Request Hour
11:15—Sign Off

In 1946 there were 232 reported deaths from epilepsy in Canada.

TODAY'S News Pictures

Union Aides Applaud Leader

Members of the United Mine Workers' Union Policy Committee applaud their leader, John L. Lewis (centre) as he walks down the aisle of a U.M.W. headquarters meeting room in Washington to tell them the terms of a new soft coal contract he negotiated with the operators. The Committee gave unanimous approval of the agreement, which gives the miners a 70-cents-a-day pay increase in addition to other benefits.
—AP Wirephoto.

Startled by 250,000 Volts

Shocking conditions in the electrical world are enough to make your hair stand on end, Dr. Richard C. Hitchcock demonstrates for members of the Association of Commerce and Industry in Chicago. Dr. Hitchcock is shown taking an electrostatic whallop of 250,000 volts during a nuclear energy demonstration.
—Central Press Canadian.

Runs Back Into Burning Home, Dies

Carol Ann Robertson, 8, shown with her mother and sister, Dorothy Leone, 1½, was being led out of her burning home by her father, Robert Robertson, at Preston, Ont., when she wrenched herself from his grasp and ran back to bed, where she died. Friends collected funds to help the couple, deaf-mutes, restore their home, burned to its foundations.—Central Press Canadian.

The first man named to baseball's Hall of Fame was Alexander Cartwright, designer of the baseball diamond and framer of the first definite rules.

Mail for Little Male

Albuquerque, N. M., must be a headquarters for dear folk and gentle people, 6-year-old Billie Shearrow, of Canton, Ohio, has concluded. Folks out that way have sent him nearly 1000 cards, letters, and gifts. Billie has a disease which requires his legs be kept in casts. He collects post cards for a scrap book. His mother wrote to the Albuquerque Postmaster for a card. The Postmaster spread the word. Now Billie's mail man needs an automobile to haul the boy's mail.
—AP Wirephoto.

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS
1. An adherent of Jainism
5. Equipment
9 City (Mont.)
10. Flowers
12. Undivided
13. Receptacle of rushes
14. King of Bashar (Bib.)
15. A wicked king (Bib.)
17. Cunning
18. Splinters
20 Any powerful deity
21. Highest male singing voices
22. Signal system
24. Free
25. Metal
26. Nourishment
28 Chemically sour
31. Land-measure
32. Yield, as a point
33 Substance in shellac
35 Finely chopped meat, potatoes, etc.
36 At home
37. Russian leader
39. Distress signal
40. A reddish dye
41. Subside
43. Send out vapor
44. Heavy weights

DOWN
1. Close, tropical underbrush
2. Devoured
3. Neuter pronoun
4. Neon (sym.)
5. Seizes
6. Goddess of dawn
7. Questions
8. Staggered
9. Push from below
11. Fashion
13. Stripes
15. Shun
16. Flock
19. Set of boxes (Jap.)
22. Put pressure on
23. At one time
25. Converts into leather
26. Artificial
27. Public speaker
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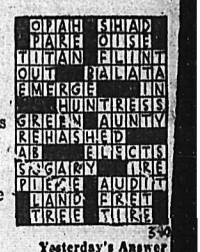

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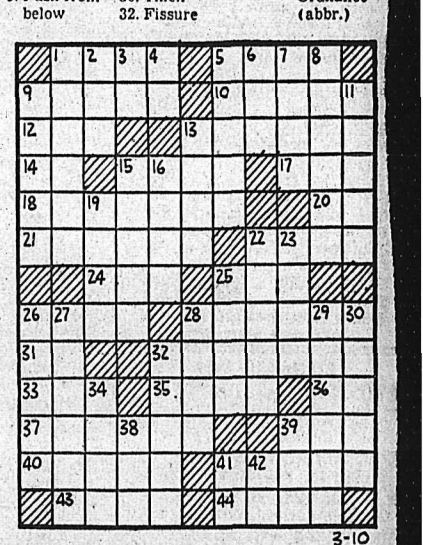

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MONTREAL (CP) — Stock prices showed a slightly downward trend near the final hour on Montreal Stock Exchange and Curb Market today.

Trading was fairly active, and volume showed industrials with 42,700 shares traded and mines 131,700 shares.

TORONTO (CP) — Prices were in a two-way movement on the Toronto Stock Exchange today. Activity was the slowest in some time as interest lagged. Volume was about 750,000 shares.

NEW YORK (AP)—Fresh selling developed in the stock market today after an early rallying try failed to take hold.

Losses ranged from fractions to around a point. Business picked up speed as quotations were marked down.

Canadian issue s were lower. Hiram Walker dropped ⅝ and Dome Mines eased ⅛. Distillers Seagrams added ⅛. Canadian Pacific was unchanged.

Winnipeg Grain

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Arjon	.26
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Discovery	.36
Dome	11.50
Donalda	.62
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East Malartic	2.35
Elder Gold	.43
Eldona	.33
East Sull.	5.20
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Falconbridge	4.25
Frobisher	2.35
Gient Yel.	6.10
Gillies Lake	.33
Golden Manitou	2.59
Hardrock	.36
Hasaga	.40
Hollinger	10.35
Hudson Bay	41.75
Inspiration	.41
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Kirkland Lake	1.27
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O'Brien	1.82
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Pamour	1.37
Picadilly	.11
Pickle Crow	1.85
Preston E. D.	1.88
Quebec Manitou	.78
Queenston	1.00
Quemont	21.00
Reeves Mac	2.15
San Antonio	3.65
Sherritt Gordon	2.15
Silvermiller	.68
Siscoe	.33
Sladon Mal.	.81
Steep Rock	2.56
Sylvanite	1.50
Teck Hughes	3.15
Torbit	1.18
Toburn	.37¾
United Keno	3.75
Upper Canada	3.40
Ventures	6.20
Waite Amulet	8.50
Viola Mac	.30
OILS	
Anglo Can.	3.95
Atlantic Oil	1.40
B. A. Oil	26.75
British Dom.	.22
Calgary and Edmonton	7.10
Calmont	.48
Chemical Research	.95
Dalhousie	.33
Davies Pete	.28
Decalta	.12
Foothills	3.40
Globe	.57
Imperial Oil	21.35
Inter Pete	8.75
Okalta	1.62
Pacific Pete	4.30
Roxana	.27
Royalite	9.10
Tower Pete	.36½
INDUSTRIALS	
Abitibi	24½
Algoma Steel	14¾
Aluminum	57¼
Argus	7⅞
Atlas St.	8¼
Bathrust Power	28¾
Bell Telephone	40⅛
Brazilian	22
B.C. Electric	91¼
B.C. Forest	3.00
B.C. Packers A	11¼
B.C. Packs B	6½
B.C. Power A	28¾
B.C. Power B	3.15
B.C. Pulp	92
Brown Co.	3.75
Brown Co. pfd.	100
Bruck Silk A	19⅝
Bruck Silk B	8
Building Products	33
Burns A	29
Burns B	18½
Burrard A	73¾
Can. Malting	51
Can. Packers A	34¼
Can. Packers B	21¼
Canadian Bakeries	9½
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Gypsum Lime	18⅓
Can. Oil	17
Canadian Dredge	26
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Canadian Marconi	3.75
Canadian Pacific Rly.	17
Canadian West Lmbr.	3.80
Cockshutt	16
Coast Copper	1.00
Cons. Mining & Smelting	92⅛
Dist. Seagram	22¼
Dom. Foundries	29¾
Dom. Stores	34¾
Dom. Tar & Chemical	28¼
Famous Players	15
Fanny Farmer	36½
Fleet Air	1.35
Ford A	27½
Gatineau	18¾
Gen. Steel Wares	20
Great Lakes pfd.	15⅞
H. R. MacMillan B	42
Imperial Oil	8½
Int. Metal	13⅞
Int. Nickel	27
Int. Pete	31¾
Lake of Woods	70
Loblaw B	31¾
Maple Leaf Milling	30¾
Massey Harris pfd.	24½
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U.S. Military Aid Program Aims At Security for Western Europe

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press News Analyst

The $1,000,000,000 United States military aid program for the rearming of Western Europe got under way yesterday, thus starting implementation of the Grand Defence strategy of the Atlantic Allies, approved by President Truman only six weeks ago.

The first shipment was to France, consisting of warplanes which were put aboard the French aircraft carrier Dixmude at Norfolk.

France will get further help, and her acting Ambassador, Jean Daridan, declared that the aid program "will facilitate the determined effort which France is making to ensure her own security, a condition and consequence of the security of all."

The current State visit of French President Vincent Auriol to London is said to be concerned in part with defence of Europe in general and of France in particular. As Paris sees it, the American-Western European military strategy is based on Britain.

The French want the defence centred solidly around their country so that it won't be overrun by foreign troops.

France's recent sensational pact with Germany's former rich coal-mining Saar Basin fits into this picture.

BUFFER STATE

The Saar Basin is of vast strategic value militarily, quite apart from her wealth of coal. France wants this zone as a buffer against invasion.

Heretofore French fears of assault have been directed toward Germany, which has attacked France three times in the last 80 years. And although Germany is impotent at the moment, the French naturally don't want to take chances.

French anxiety is greatly increased because of the country's large and active Communist population. The French Reds are doing everything possible to hamper military preparedness and have announced that shipments of arms under the American military aid program will be sabotaged at the docks.

The French Government is preparing for contingencies. As regards the military aid program, the Government has served notice that sabotage will be dealt with ruthlessly by force.

Thus the military shipments from the U. S. will be a godsend for France at this crucial juncture—and by the same token for the rest of Western Europe.

Calgary Livestock

CALGARY, March 8 (CP) — The cattle market remained active at steady prices at the Calgary stockyards today. A few more good quality cattle were being offered but there was little or no change in general market conditions.

The Dominion Livestock Market Service reported yesterday's salable receipts as 719 cattle, 45 calves, 200 hogs, 104 sheep. Today's salable receipts: 83 cattle, 17 calves.

Hogs sold yesterday at $27.25; sows 16.36. Good lambs 24.75; offcar lambs 25.00.

Good to choice butcher steers 23.75-25.00; common to medium 19-23.50. Good to choice butcher heifers 22-24; common to medium 18-21.50. Good to choice fed calves 24-25; common to medium 21-23.50. Good cows 17-17.50; common to medium 15-16.50; canners and cutters 12-14.50. Good bulls 18-19; common to medium 16-17.50. Good to choice veal calves 23-25; common to medium 18-22.50. Good stocker and feeder steers 21-22.50; common to medium 18-20.50.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Industrials 202.35 off 1.36.
Rails 55.18 off .28.
Utilities 42.91 off .03.

Vancouver Stocks

MINES	
Caribou Gold	1.40
Grandview	.18
Hedley Mascot	.25
Highland Bell	.60
Int C & C	.28
Kootenay Belle	.26
Pend Oreille	5.25
Pioneer Gold	3.00
Quatsino	.06
Reeves MacDonald	2.10
Sheep Creek	1.10
Vananda	.12
OILS	
Anglo Canadian	3.95
A P Consolidated	.23½
Calgary & Edmonton	7.10
Calmont	.50
Commonwealth	1.30
Dalhousie	.32
Globe	.59
Home	11.75
Mercury	.10½
Okalta Com	1.62
Pacific Pete	4.35
Royalite	9.15
Southwest Pete	.30
Vanalta	.25
Vulcan	.32
West Leduc	.78
INDUSTRIALS	
Coast Breweries	3.75

Predict Early Spring Breakup

VICTORIA, B. C., March 9 (CP)—The monthly snow survey bulletin issued by the Water Rights Branch of the Provincial Department of Lands and Forests reports considerable melting throughout all areas of the Province during February.

"The ground is generally unfrozen beneath the snow pack, and in many cases a large percentage of inland snow precipitation occurred in the form of rain," the report says.

Figures show, however, an above-average Summer runoff for the Columbia, Kootenay, Okanagan-Similkameen, North Thompson and Skagit Rivers "providing normal temperatures and precipitation prevail until and during the runoff period."

Officials declined to forecast on the Summer runoffs until next month. They indicated that if the present type of weather continues there will be an early Spring breakup.

The Fraser Valley precipitation, as reported from key precipitation stations in the Fraser River Basin above Hope, "all show above normal precipitation for the Winter to date."

Low Gas Pressure Delays Breakfast

By JOSEPH E. DYNAN

PARIS, March 9 (AP)—Thousands of utility workers struck throughout France today, but a Government draft of key personnel kept the lights and gas burning.

The only immediate noticeable effect of the stoppage was a lowering of gas pressure. Householders found it took a long time to cook breakfast.

Industry did not appear to be hit by the walkout, which had been scheduled to begin at midnight

NO REBELLION

A spokesman at the Ministry of Commerce and Industry said no worker had rebelled at the draft. The Ministry said it had no immediate information on how many of the utility workers had struck.

Reports from outside Paris indicated the strike was having small success in other major French centres. Gas and electricity service were reported normal in Dijon, Nice, the rubber manufacturing centre of Clermont-Ferrand, and in heavily industrial Metz, where normal deliveries of gas were reported being made to the big coke ovens at Phalsbourg and Sarreguemines.

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PHONE 144

Nelson Daily News

Nelson, B.C.

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of Advertising Contest

1st prize $15.00
2nd prize 10.00
3rd prize 5.00

1. Ads must be confined to the subject of our store, our dispensary, or to the merchandise which we sell.
2. They must be of a size suitable for this space.
3. They must be humorous or serious but must be ethical and must be original.
4. You may submit as many entries as you wish but each entry must have attached to it a separate sheet with your name and address printed in block letters.
5. They must be addresed to "Advertising Contest", Mann's Drug Store, Box 410, Nelson, B.C.
6. All ads become our property and we may publish them or not as we desire.
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Contest dates and names of three judges will be published tomorrow.

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AMBULANCE SERVICE
515 Kootenay St. Phone 382

Sub Post Office For West Trail

TRAIL, B.C., March 9—Trail's fifth sub-post office is scheduled to be opened shortly, this time in West Trail.

The sub-post office will be located at Tonelli's store, Joseph Tonelli having been appointed sub-postmaster.

Other postal branches are located in East Trail, Shaver's Bench, Annable and Warfield.

The new sub-post office will facilitate members of Trail's Italian-Canadian colony in transacting post office business. Opening date will be announced shortly by Postmaster J. B. Twaddle.

WASHINGTON, March 9 (AP) — Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt received Sweden's Prince Carl Medal yesterday for "outstanding work in the field of national and international humanitarianism." The medal was presented by Ambassador Erik Boheman in a simple ceremony at the Swedish Embassy. The award was instituted in 1945 by King Gustav of Sweden.

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F. LORD ELECTED TO KINNAIRD LOCAL 480 BOARD

KINNAIRD, B.C., March 9—Fred Lord has been elected a board member of the Kinnaird Local 480. He will sit on the executive of the local board.

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OIL MOP
$1.89
Get this new, better constructed high-low oil mop. Has handle, gets into corners, and under low furniture

Liquid OR Paste Wax
Paste From 59c
Liquid From 47c
Choose the kind you prefer — both are finest quality polish and preserve floors and furniture.

MOP PAIL
$6.30
Has handy wringer, very strong, long-lasting and easy to operate. Pail is galvanized —holds 16 quarts.

Step-Ladders
Made from Sitka Spruce
Light
Strong
Durable
4 ft.—$2.90 ea.
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No. 050 $5.70
No. 110 $5.25

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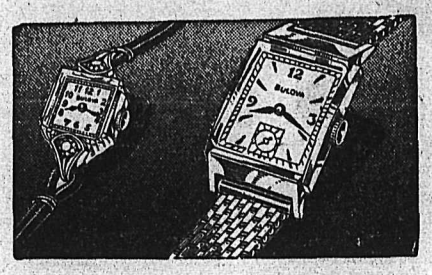

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