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WEATHER FORECAST

Kootenay: Increasing cloudiness with a few snow flurries. A little milder. Winds light and South 15. Low and high at Cranbrook zero and 25, Crescent Valley 10 and 36, Revelstoke 20 and 36.

Happy 3-Year-Old Returned to Parents

16-Year-Old Youth Admits Kidnapping Montreal Child for $50,000 Ransom

MONTREAL, Feb. 24 (CP)—Three-year-old Barbara Nemeroff slept unharmed in her own crib Saturday night and police held a 16-year-old youth who they said was the kidnapper who snatched her from her home Friday night.

Identified by authorities as Robert Patenaude, police said the youth confessed to the kidnapping. He was seen Saturday walking along busy St. Catharines Street, one pace behind the child, by Mrs. Margaret Henry who recognized the tot from broadcast descriptions.

Mrs. Henry tipped police who quickly arrested the pimply-faced youth, said to have been an employee of Barbara's father, Morris Nemeroff, a well-to-do leather goods manufacturer.

DEMANDED RANSOM

The kidnapper had demanded $50,000 ransom and police said the only motive they could think of for snatching the child was some difficulty which Nemeroff had had with his employee.

But Patenaude in police cells today denied that he took the girl because of any grudge against her father.

"I don't know why I took the little girl," he said, "But I wanted money."

Finding of the child climaxed the greatest and most concentrated police activity Montreal had seen in years. The tot was snatched about 10:30 p.m. Friday night and returned to her parents about 12 hours later.

Mr. Nemeroff, holding the child in his arms in police headquarters, said Mrs Henry was "a real doll . . . the best friend we have in the world."

GOOD NATURED

Barbara laughed and chatted with police when taken to headquarters, unaware that the city had been turned upside down in the search for her.

"I went for a ride in the dark and I looked out the window," she said. "When is Daddy coming to bring me my crayons? . . . I had toast and milk for breakfast."

A maid, Alice Lachance, 25, was looking after Barbara when the child was taken. The kidnapper forced the maid to dress Barbara, then walked out with the child, leaving a ransom note for $50,000 under the doormat at the front door.

Thief Nabs $50 in Bills At Ymir Dance

YMIR, B. C. — R.C.M.P. are looking for a young man who snatched between $50 and $60 in cash from a collection table at Saturday night's dance here, and eluded three pursuers.

Road blocks were set up immediately, but by Sunday night the stranger still had not been found.

According to Nelson people who attended the dance, the money was taken from an open box at a table near the door of Ymir community hall. A man dashed out into the night, ran down Ymir's main street tagged by three men who had witnessed the incident, but "ducked" them in an alley.

The collection box had contained considerably more money a few minutes before the robbery. George Murray, cashier, seeing the box was full, had taken about $80 in bills out and put them in his pocket for safe-keeping. Murray claims he can identify the man who made off with the rest.

Four-Day Holdup Ends for Twenty

GASPE, Que., Feb. 24 (CP) — Twenty persons — most of them haggard and unshaven — received warm welcomes from relatives and friends when they arrived here last night after being stranded four days in the lonely village of St. Therese.

They were part of the 38 passengers of a train snow bound at St. Therese Monday night, in a blizzard which paralyzed traffic in the Gaspe Peninsula for nearly a week.

Three rotary plows working toward the train from opposite ends of the line worked their way through the heavy drifts and Friday night the train was able to move under its own power and headed for Chandler, Que.

About half of the passengers who had been left with it and eventually returned to their homes. The rest — Gaspe residents — waited until yesterday afternoon when a two-car special train picked them up and continued the delayed voyage.

Estate Left at Coast

VICTORIA, B. C., Feb. 24 (CP)—An estate valued at $1,342,075 was left in a will probated here of the late Mary Burns Delehanty, millionairess of Princeton, N. J., who died recently.

Her large farm at Cowichan Station has been bequeathed to her two daughters, Patricia Armstrong Oliver, Ottawa, and Maragret Armstrong, living in Mexico.

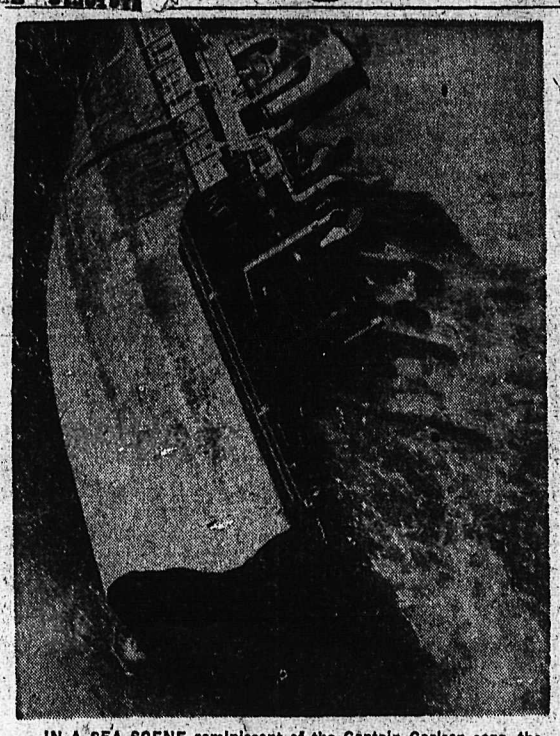
TB Drug Holds Great Promise

CHICAGO, Feb. 24 (AP) — An organization of chest doctors said today the new Isonicotinic acid anti-tuberculosis drug "should not be used as regular treatment in new cases until a great deal more is known about it and its reaction in the human being."

Experts in New York reported Thursday that 190 patients hopelessly ill with TB made amazing improvements within a few weeks after receiving the drug, known both as Rimifon and Nydrazid.

The physicians' group said the drug "appears to hold great promise" but added:

"Whether this drug will extend the scope of treatment, decrease the time required, or change the approach to certain types of this disease has yet to be determined."



IN A SEA SCENE reminiscent of the Captain Carlsen saga, the stern of the tanker S.S. Pendleton is pictured as it floats miles off Cape Cod, Mass. After the vessel split in two under the heavy pounding of the sea, 32 seamen in the bow section of the ship were rescued by coast guardsmen. A few miles away, 25 men were rescued from the tanker, the Fort Mercer, which was also split in two by the storm.

Provinces Fighting For Colored Margarine

By The Canadian Press

New attempts, supported by consumer organizations, are being made to eliminate provincial bans on the coloring of margarine. So far, there is no indication as to how they will fare.

Newfoundland is the only province which has no ban on the coloring of butter substitutes. The East-coast island maintains pre-confederation freedom on margarine production and sales. Newfoundland margarine, to the consumer's eye, looks just like butter.

But in other provinces, margarine and other butter substitutes are pale products compared to the rich yellow of creamery butter.

In provinces where margarine is permitted, the housewife has the choice of coloring the product herself, with a little red pellet usually contained in the margarine package.

Dairy producers say they don't mind if margarine producers color the product—but they don't want the butter subtitute colored yellow.

Consumer organizations, such as the National Council of Women and the Canadian Association of Consumers, say it's a needless hardship on the housewife to do her own coloring.

Dairy producers counter that the margarine producer has an "unfair" advantage. His production costs are allegedly lower and he is able to import "cheap" vegetable oils from areas of the world where labor costs are low.

Margarine in Canada sells for almost one-half the price of grade A butter, and representatives of the dairy producers have been quietly appealing to the Federal Government to boost duties on vegetable-oil imports to bring the price of margarine more in line with butter.

TWO BAN

Two provinces — Quebec and Prince Edward Island—still maintain a ban on margarine production, sales and imports into the provinces.

But in other provinces production and sales are allowed freely. All provinces obtained the right to control sales and production through a Supreme Court of Canada ruling in 1948 that parts of a Federal ban on the product actually were outside the jurisdiction of Parliament. The court was upheld by the Imperial Privy Council.

In British Columbia, Capt. D. J. Proudfoot, member of the Legislature for Victoria, withdrew a bill to allow manufacturers to color margarine and said he would support a similar bill to be presented by Mrs. Tilly Rolston, independent for Vancouver-Point Grey.

SEES PHILIP'S TITLE AS "KING CONSORT"

LONDON, Feb. 24 (AP) — The Sunday Pictorial says today the Queen may have her husband crowned "King Consort" instead of "Prince Consort."

In the established order of royalty, the 30-year-old Duke of Edinburgh has been expected to receive the princely title devised a century ago by Queen Victoria for her consort, Albert.

But the Pictorial predicts a surprise announcement giving the Duke a king's title because the new Queen wants it that way for her husband.

"The Duke is man of independence," the newspaper says. "His brain and personality are a great potential asset to the country."

Officially, the Queen still would reign alone. Either as king or prince, her husband's title would have the telling qualification — "consort."

The Pictorial says the higher title would be well received — "nothing would please the people more."

Diagnosis Expected

OTTAWA, Feb. 24 (CP) — Dr. C. A. Mitchell, the Government's top animal pathologist, took charge of tests today to diagnose the nature of the animal disease uncovered in the Regina area.

The head of the Agriculture Department's division of animal pathology arrived back in Ottawa from a Quebec business trip and conferred with his colleagues at the Animal Diseases Research Institute at nearby Hull, Que.

J. G. Taggart, deputy minister of agriculture, and other agriculture officials conferred with him at the Hull laboratories but declined comment on their discussions.

An announcement on the diagnosis is expected tomorrow.

VICTORIA, B.C., Feb. 24 (CP) —The Dominion Astrophysical Observatory here today reported "all quiet overnight" on its seismograph record, indicating at least a temporary cessation of the tremors that shook Victoria Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

OPERATION SUCCESS FOR LITTLE MARIE

CHATHAM, N.B., Feb. 24 (CP)—The dramatic story of Marie Mazerolle had a happy ending today when the eight-year-old girl, suffering a ruptured appendix, was airlifted from the snowbound village of Point Sapin and underwent a successful operation here.

Her condition was reported favorable tonight, with every indication of recovery. Capt. James Gilbert, Army doctor who parachuted into the Northern New Brunswick fishing village last Thursday, said he was "well pleased" with the outcome.

An R.C.A.F. helicopter which arrived here Saturday from Greenwood, N.S., went to Point Sapin today. Landing was made without difficulty. An hour later the ailing child was in the Hotel Dieu Hospital at Chatham after an Air Force ambulance waiting at their R.C.A.F. station here had completed the last stage of the mercy trip.

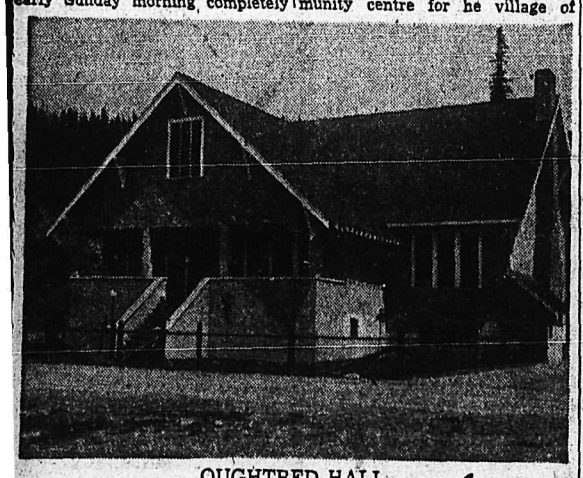
Dr. Percy Losier performed the operation today. It was officially termed successful.

The condition of the young girl, pending treatment, prevented her removal by the helicopter until today.

$50,000 to Replace . . .

Fire Destroys Chapman Camp Hall

CHAPMAN CAMP, B.C. — A fire early Sunday morning completely destroyed Oughtred Hall, community centre for he village of Chapman Camp and its best known land mark.



OUGHTRED HALL

The fire was discovered about 6:30 a.m. Both Chapman Camp and Sullivan Mine fire trucks were soon on the scene but difficulty in getting water pressure allowed the fire to get a good start and the whole building was soon a mass of flames. The ruins were still smouldering late Sunday afternoon.

It is estimated that it would cost more than $50,000 to replace it.

The Hall was named after the late Cliff Oughtred, popular Superintendent of the Sullivan Concentrator.

The main buildings housed a fine lounge and gymnasium and were the scene of all Chapman Camp social gatherings for many years. Chapman Camp post office and library were situated in the downstairs portion along with two bowling alleys and pool tables.

A canteen built on in recent years to serve the needs of the fast growing community, was also gutted

"ACTORS TOO OLD"

ROME, Feb. 24 (AP) — Some of Hollywood's top-notch actors are too old to make love, Sylvana Pampanini, one of Italy's popular actresses, maintains.

In her eyes, these include such stars as Clark Gable, Charles Boyer, Gary Cooper, Humphrey Bogart, Spencer Tracy, Paul Muni and Ronald Colman.

"They were all born more than a half century ago," said the sultry 27-year-old actress. "It's ridiculous to see a man, old enough to be your grandfather, playing an ardent lover.

"The violent, passionate kind of love that melts a woman's resistance looks more sincere when it involves a young man. The scene has more fire."

In Hollywood, Clark Gable, said between gasps of laughter: "I have no comment. You've got enough there already for a story. I'm not going to get mixed up in THAT."

$300 Billion NATO Plan Calls for Gigantic Army

Canadian Gov't Reported Seeking Approval for $100 Million Aid Increase

LISBON, Feb. 24 (CP)—The Atlantic countries Saturday night committed themselves to a master plan for the biggest peacetime military buildup in history.

The plan calls for an Allied defence wall of between 45 and 50 divisions to be stretched this year across Europe.

This is to be raised to double that number of men in arms by the end of 1954.

The plan will cost more than $300,000,000,000 but the ministers attending the North Atlantic Treaty Organization's ninth council session adopted it unanimously as an investment in security from Communist attack.

(Reuters News Agency said the Canadian Government has agreed to seek parliamentary approval for an increase of $100,000,000 for her mutual aid program of $225,000,000).

The plan was adopted virtually without debate, and with little comment.

Its adoption leaves the N.A.T.O. council with only two major problems to handle before the ministers leave for home Monday.

They still have to agree on where, when and how to pay for the vast network of air fields, fighter bases, barracks, and communications that will support their armies, ranging all the way from the Bosphorus to the Arctic.

Informed officials reported the U. S. had decided to press in the interval for the removal of practically all the wraps remaining on West German war industries. There is opposition from the French and, to a lesser extent, from Britain.

SEEK REDUCTION

From Bonn came word that the occupation powers are sending to Lisbon a request from Chancellor Konrad Adenauer's Government for a slight reduction in the proposed 11,250,000,000 mark ($2,670,000,000) defence budget for West Germany.

Tomorrow, foreign ministers are to sit in executive session to work on the problem of whether N.A.T.O. headquarters will be in Paris or London and who will be its secretary-general. The latter post is to be created in a proposed N.A.T.O. reorganization.

(The Associated Press said Saturday that L. B. Pearson, Canada's External Affairs minister is slated to be N.A.T.O.'s first permanent secretary-general. Earlier last week Pearson merely parried reporters' questions when they asked him whether he would accept the job.)

After the secretary-general problem is cleared up the ministers will meet with defence and finance ministers to adopt an airfield construction program and choose the place and date of their next meeting. This problem will be next May in Copenhagen.

The master plan is the result of months of compromise and argument between civil and military leaders of the alliance.

It deals only with the men, money and machines to be provided by the original twelve N.A.T.O. countries—the United States, Canada, Iceland, Britain, Norway, Denmark, the Netherlands, Belgium, Luxembourg, France, Italy and Portugal.

TO CONTRIBUTE

Greece and Turkey, attending their first council session as new members, are to add their contributions after a N.A.T.O. committee makes a study of their capabilities.

The report made no mention of West German contribution to Western defences. This is a separate matter that must be delayed until the occupying powers change occupation laws to a peace contract with the Federal republic.

Tentatively, however, West Germany is expected to add nearly $3,000,000,000 to the common defence fund, and put about 400,000 men into the uniform of a yet-to-be-formed European army.

FRENCH GIVE UP STRATEGIC POINT

20 Thousand Troops Retreat

BY LARRY ALLEN

SAIGON, Indo-China, Feb. 24 (AP) — French authorities announced tonight that they pulled out of Hoa Binh, key highway point on the Black River they once vowed they would never give up to Indo-China Communists.

They also withdrew their forces strung along colonial route No. 6, main supply chanel to Hoa Binh, and thus cut the French defence perimeter around Hanoi from 500 to 375 miles. In all, about 20,000 Frenc hand Viet Nam soldiers made the retreat, in which about 170 were reported wounded.

Gen. Raoul Salan, commander of the French union forces, told reporters today battle-ruined Hoa Binh, which lies only 40 miles Southwest of Hanoi, is no longer of any strategic importance to the French.

Salan said this is partly because of the Communist-led Vietminh succeeded in building roads to the West of Hoa Binh, over which they are receiving increasing amounts of war supplies from Red China.

The general said all French union troops now are massed in the Red River delta. The French are determined to hold the delta as a beachhead until they can launch a big-scale offensive against the Reds, he added.

Even though the French have written off Ho Binh as unimportant, its loss is bound to have a widespread psychological effect among the Indo-Chinese. It further points up the fact that the moment of decision in Asia's second biggest war is yet far away.

Noted Family Doc Dies at Coast

VANCOUVER, Feb. 24 (CP) — Funeral services will be held here Monday for Dr. William Cecil McKechnie, 78, internationally known physician and brother of the late Dr. R. E. McKechnie, the Chancellor of the University of British Columbia. Dr. McKechnie died Friday.

Dr. McKechnie, acclaimed as one of the greatest family doctors of his time, delivered more than 5000 babies in his long career in B.C. He became widely known as an outstanding heart specialist.

Born at Port Hope, Ontario, he was educated at Winnipeg Collegiate and McGill University. He graduated in medicine in 1899.

He practiced in Nanaimo before moving to Vancouver in 1906 and joining the staff of St. Paul's Hospital. He retired in 1946.

Bandits Lose Nerve . .

VANCOUVER, Feb. 24 (CP) — Two bandits lost their nerve and fled early today after their intended victim —a cabaret operator — defied them in the driveway of his home.

Sydney Bowles, operator of the Flame Supper Club, told police how he got out of his car in the driveway and saw two masked men approach from the rear of the house.

Bowles said he pushed one of the men, but slipped and fell. He turned to grab the second man and both of his attackers fled.

Sheila Richards, age 11, travelled all the way from Alberta for a three-minute performance at the Kiwanis Music Festival in Toronto. En route she lost oil of her luggage except what to her was the most important item — her cornet. So she was still able to give her performance and placed second. — Central Press Canadian.

WHY DIDN'T THE BOYS RASTLE ? ?

With the U.S. 45th Infantry Division, Korea, Feb. 24 (AP)—Sgt. Gene Gower of Lawton, Okla., was leading a night raiding squad when he found himself face-to-face with a Chinese soldier.

At point-blank range Gower pulled the trigger of his gun. Nothing happened.

The Chinese pulled the trigger of his gun.

Nothing happened.

Both men beat a hasty but orderly retreat.

Air Marshal Edwards Dies

OTTAWA, Feb. 24 (CP) — Air Marshal Harold (Gus) Edwards, C.B., 59, wartime chief of the R.C.A.F. overseas and one of the top men in the history of the service, died Saturday night.

Word reaching Air Force Headquarters said the Air Marshal, who retired in 1944 and has been in ill-health for several years, died at Scotsdale, Ariz., in his sleep.

The colorful veteran of nearly 25 years' service with the R.C.A.F. had been living at St. Saveur des Monts, Que., and went to Arizona several months ago.

One of the service's all-time top-notchers, he joined in 1920 when it was still known as the Canadian Air Force, with some First World War flying experience.

TRAINING PLAN

At the outbreak of the Second World War, he played a major role in launching the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan and then went overseas to take charge of the major phases of building up the R.C.A.F. in the United Kingdom.

Noted for his drive and his warm personality, he was highly-respected throughout the Air Force as a man who took a keen interest in all ranks.

"He lived and love dthe Air Force," said a former associate.

His big jobs were as Air Member for Personnel from February, 1940, to November, 1941, when he handled the personnel problems associated with the Commonwealth Air Training Plan, and as commander of the R.C.A.F. overseas from 1941 to 1943, when the R.C.A.F. overseas force grew from practically nothing to some 40 squadrons.

3 ISSUES CONTINUE TO BLOCK TRUCE

MUNSAN, Korea, Feb. 25 (Monday) (AP) — Korean armistice negotiators — with virtually all minor issues settled — today confront two old major roadblocks and a stubborn new one which bar the path to truce in a war entering its 20th month.

Staff officers, who took over when delegations and sub-committees failed to make progress, have erased most minor problems, in weeks of give-and-take bargaining.

The top negotiators still must settle these issues:

1. Voluntary repatriation of prisoners.

2. Rebuilding of military airfields in North Korea during a truce.

3. Red nomination of Russia as a neutral observer of truce conditions.

The repatriation issue—the Allies want all prisoners to have a free choice on whether they shall go back to the other side — is clouded by new Communist charges that the Allies are slaughtering Red prisoners.

The makeup of the neutral observers has blossomed into a major issue which apparently will have to be handled by top negotiators. The Allies refused Communist nomination of Russia as one of the "neutral" observers.

Victoria Presbytery To Discuss B. C. Liquor Plebiscite

VICTORIA, B. C., Feb. 24 (CP)—Discussion of the forthcoming provincial liquor plebiscite is expected at meetings of the Victoria Presbytery which starts here Tuesday.

Dr. A. E. Whitehouse, Minister of Metropolitan United Church and chairman of the Social Service and Evangelism Committee of Victoria Presbytery of the United Church of Canada, said today the plebiscite will "certainly" be on the agenda for the meetings.

He declined to disclose any of the conclusions or recommendations of his committee prior to their presentation to the Presbytery, however.

Clear Skies Forecast For Total Sun Eclipse

By L. S. CHAKALES

KHARTOUM, Sudan, Feb. 24 (AP)—Good weather and clear skies are predicted here for tomorrow, so scientists of many lands including Canada can get a good, three-minute look at the total eclipse of the sun.

There are 17 expeditions from world-renowned observatories and laboratories here in the Sudan for these few precious moments — starting about 10:10 a.m. (1:10 a.m. PST) — during which they can study the atmospheric shell around the sun and can work out more accurate knowledge of the size and shape of the earth. The scientists have been here for weeks setting up optical and electronic equipment for the show.

The United States Air Force has five stations along a 3200-mile corridor over which the moon's shadow will blot out the blazing desert sun. By timing the speed of that shadow, they can compute to a gnat's hair the distance across the jungle, mountain and desert from Dhahran, Saudi Arabia, to Libreville, French Equatorial Africa. It will enable them to make maps and air charts which would take a land surveying team months to accomplish.

Around the Sundance capital are scattered scientists from Britain, the U.S., Canada, The Netherlands, France, Italy, Greece, Egypt, Austria and Switzerland. Canada's representatives are from the University of Ottawa.

EVERY 18 YEARS

Eclipses of the sun follow an elaborate pattern because of the peculiar way in which the earth's satellite, the moon, moves around our sphere. Every 18 years plus a few hours, a given point on the orbit of the moon around the earth passes another given point on the earth's course around the sun. The few hours makes the difference between daylight when an eclipse can be seen and dark when it cannot. Several of these 18-year cycles go on at the same time, so that solar eclipses occur at less than 18-year intervals.

The last total eclipse in the cycle reaching Khartoum tomorrow occurred over Borneo in 1934. The next will centre over Mexico in 1970. The corridor along which the eclipse shawdow travels is about 10 miles wide, and Khartoum was chosen to view this one because it is virtually at the centre.

The moon's shadow starts its glide over the sun's western edge at 8:49 a.m. (2:49 EST) and slips off the eastern edge at 11:30 a.m. (5:30 a.m. EST.) Phases of the eclipse will be seen at least partially along a 9000-mile path across tropical Africa and the Middle East to Siberia. It will not be visible in North America.

And in This Corner . . .

NEWARK, N.J., Feb. 24 (AP)—His gas station was robbed so often, Louis Lehrhoff decided he needed a tough watchdog.

Last night, robbers broke in again and walked off with everything they could lay their hands on including his German shepherd hound. All that was left was a huge collar and chain.

"I can't understand it," Lehrhoff said, "you couldn't even approach the dog safely at meal times."

TOULON, France, Feb. 24 (AP)—There's a Marshal Stalin boulevard paved partly with U.S. Marshal Plan funds in a nearby shipyard town of La Seyne-Sur-Mer but not for the police and postman.

The town council's Communist majority recently dedicated one part of the main street to the Soviet prime minister.

The French Government in Paris and the town council minority protested.

The police, paid by Paris, tore down the Stalin Street markers. The postmaster, also paid by Paris, will have mail delivered there only if it is addressed to "Boulevard of September 4—Extended."

BISMARCK, N.D., Feb. 24 (AP)—The Aipperspach brothers at Wishek, N.D., Ben and Dave, have similar interests.

They married sisters.

The Mmes. Aipperspach are in the same room in a hospital here.

Each Mrs. Aipperspach gave birth to a son Thursday.

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Linens Needed . . .

92 Now at Mount St. Francis; Mail, Transportation Discussed

Sister Superior Mary Patrick in expressing thanks to the Mount St. Francis advisory board Friday said many of the services rendered to patients were on a par with hospital treatment and that she felt the people of the Kootenays were now realizing the work being done.

The institution was now almost filled to capacity with 74 Social Welfare patients and 18 private patients fro mall parts of the Kootenay, the report said.

J. W. Smith of the Social Welfare Deprtment told the board members that his department was well satisfied and enthusiastic about the work done at Mount St. Francis.

The Board also discussed the possibility of arranging more economical and regularly scheduled transportation for both staff and visitors to the Infirmary. Staff members now number 38 including five members of the Order of St. Ann. Possibility of arranging for regular mail delivery also came under discussion.

The public had been most generous in donating equipment and supplies to the Mount, Sister Superior pointed out. However there was still a need for more wheel chairs and a continual need for replacement of linens. It was decided to bring to the attention of various groups and organizations in the city and district the continuing need of support and assistance for the institution.

The increasing bean pack is an important phase of the canning industry in Southern Alberta.

Revelstoke Jumper Gets Olympic Win For Native Norway

OSLO, Feb. 24 (CP) — Canada successfully defended its Olympic Hockey Championship tonight, sharing the day's honors in the wind-up to the 1952 games with Arnfinn Bergmann, a 23-year-old mining engineer from Revelstoke, B.C., who won the spectacular ski jump for his native Norway.

The 44 contestants each making two jumps, represented 13 countries. Bergman's clinched the championship with his second jump, winging like a graceful bird for a leap of 68 metres — 223 feet 1¼ inches. His first jump was 67.5 metres.

Bergman left his native Trondheim in Northern Norway two years ago and went to the United States. Then he went to Revelstoke where he married and settled down as a mining engineer and gymnastics instructor.

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TODAY'S AFTERNOON PAPER FOR YOUR ENJOYMENT

Lach Sets New Points Record . . .

Canadiens in Second, Rangers Best Bruins

By The Canadian Press

Montreal Canadiens took sole possession of second place and New York Rangers tightened their grip on fourth place, the last playoff spot, in week-end National Hockey League games.

Canadiens moved two points ahead of floundering Toronto Maple Leafs by whipping Chicago Black Hawks 7-0 Saturday night while the Leafs lost to Detroit Red Wings 3-1.

Detroit made it 10 in a row without defeat to shading the tail-end Black Hawks 2-1 in Chicago Sunday night. New York moved three points ahead of Boston Bruins by downing the Bruins 5-2 in New York Sunday night.

It was New York's fifth win in 12 games against Boston this season. The Bruins have won three times with four games tied.

Hy Buller and Allan Stanley, both defencemen, Jack Stoddard, Ed Kullman and Reg Sinclair split the Ranger goals.

Buller's long shot in the first period gave New York a 1-0 lead. At the end of the second period, the Rangers held a 2-1 margin with Johnny McIntyre's goal offsetting one by Stanley.

The Rangers bombed the Boston net in the third period for three goals within less than five minutes to sew up the issue. Dave Creighton closed out the scoring for the Bruins with a tally at 15:32.

Sugar Jim Henry, Boston netminder, had twice as many saves as Ranger Goalie Emil (The Cat) Francs, 32 to 16.

Dickie Moore scored three goals, one in each period. Boom Boom Geoffrion connected for two and the others were talled by Floyd Curry and the veteran Elmer Lach.

Only in the first period did the teams battle on anything like even terms and at 19:06 of that period Moore put the Canadiens ahead on passes from Lach and Bouchard.

Lach provided the pass for Moore's second goal at the six-minute mark in the second period. Lach banged home the third goal at 11:32 with Dick Gamble and Moore getting assists.

Little Billy Reay organized the two goal-producing rushes in the third period when Geoffrion scored. But by the third period Canadiens were having things just about as they wanted them. Gerry McNiel in the Canadiens net had only four shots to handle while Lumley beat off 18.

LACH SETS RECORD

Lach's goal and three assists boosted his pont-scoring total for league play to 550, a record.

The red-hot Red Wings scored twice in the final period at Toronto to run their undefeated streak to nine games.

The Leafs haven't won a game in their last six starts.

Runaway leaders in the loop race, the Red Wings held a 1-0 lead at the end of the first period and had a big edge but couldn't register in the scoreless second. Leafs tied it up early in the final 20 minutes but the Wings stilled the 14,332 fans by going ahead again near the 10-minute mark and firing the clinching goal nto an empty net at 19:55.

Glen Skov, pivot man most of the night on Detroit's big line with Gordie Howe and Ted Lindsay, opened the scoring with a close-in ankle-high drive into the corner of the net. A Toronto defenceman was serving a charging penalty at the time.

British Soccer

FOOTBALL CUP
Fifth Round
Blackburn R. 1, W. Brom. Alb. 0.
Burnley 2, Liverpool 0.
Leeds United 1, Chelsea 1.
Leyton Orient 0, Arsenal 3.
Luton Town 3, Swindon Town 1.
Portsmouth 4, Doncaster R. 0.
South E. United 1, Sheffield U. 2.
Swansea Town 0, Newcastle U. 1.

ENGLISH LEAGUE
Division I
Tottenham Hot. 1, Preston N. E. 0.
Wolverhamp. W. 0, Sunderland 3.
Division II
Rotherham U. 0, Coventry City 1.
Southamptpon 2, Leicester City 0.
Division III (Southern)
Aldershot 1, Shrewsbury T. 1.
Bour. & Bos. Ath. 2, Ipswich T. 2.
Bri. & Hove Alb. 0, Gillingham 0.
Crystal Palace 2, Norwich City 0.
Exeter City 0, Colchester U. 0.
Millwall 4, Torquay U. 1.
Newport County 1, Port Vale 1.
Northampton Town 0, Reading 3.
Watford 2, Walsall 0.
Division III (Northern)
Barrow 2, Scunthorpe United 1.
Bradford 1, Accrington Stanley 1.
Chester 2, Southport 1.
Chesterfield 3, Carlisle United 0.
Crewe Alexandra 0, York City 0.
Gateshead 2, Bradford City 2.
Hartlepools U. 2, Darlington 0.
Lincoln City 3, Tranmere R. 0.
Mansfield Town 2, Oldham Ath. 1.
Stockport County 0, Wrexham 0.
Workington 2, Grimsby Town 4.

SCOTTISH CUP
Third Round
Airdrieonians 4, Morton 0.
Albion Rovers 1, Third Lanark 3.
Arbroath 0, Rangers 2.
Dumbarton 1, Falkirk 3.
Dundee 1, Berwick Rangers 0.
Dundee United 2, Aberdeen 2.
Dunfermline A. 1, Motherwell 1.
Queen of the South 1, Hearts 3.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE
Division A
Celtic 0, Raith Rovers 1.
East Fife 3, Hibernian 1.
St. Mirren 1, Partick Thistle 2.
Division B
Alloa Ath. 1, Kilmarnock 2.
Cowdenebath 6, Forfar Ath. 2.
Hamilton Acad. 1, Queen's Park 0.
St. Johnstone 2, Ayr United 0.

OTHER MATCHES
Aston Villa 3, Birmingham City 2.
Barnsley 3, Stoke City 4.
rBistol Rovers 0, Fulham 2.
Bury 4, Bristol City 1.
Everton 1, Blackpool 2.
Hull City 5, Huddersfield Town 0.
Manchester U. 4, Manchester C. 2.
Middlesbrough 2, Notts County 1.
Nottingham F. 3, Bolton W. 3.
Stenhousemuir 4, East Stirling 1.
West Ham U. 3, Charlton Ath. 3.

IRISH LEAGUE
Ballymena U. 2, Linfield 0.
Bangor 0, Glenavon 3.
Cliftonville 2, Derry City 2.
Coleraine 0, Ards 1.
Distillery 1, Crusaders 2.
Portadown 1, Glentoran 3.

The Weather

NELSON			
Sunday	11	35	—
Sturday	10	35	—
Montreal	5	24	—
Ottawa	14	26	—
Toronto	19	34	—
North Bay	17	29	.11
Port Arthur	- 4	31	—
Kenora	7	27	—
Winnipeg	- 2	26	—
Brandon	-12	15	—
The Pas	- 6	21	—
Regina	-22	15	—
Saskatoon	-16	12	—
Prince Albert	-13	15	—
N Battleford	-10	14	—
Swift Current	- 5	18	—
Medicine Hat	- 9	25	—
Lethbridge	1	34	—
Calgary	- 5	42	—
Edmonton	0	31	—
Kamloops	14	34	—
Penticton	15	32	—
Vancouver	38	47	.04
Victoria	37	47	.08
Kimberley	- 5	20	—
Crescent Valley	3	30	—
Prince Rupert	37	47	.44
Prince George	22	35	—
Seattle	38	50	.08
Porland	34	51	—
Spokane	12	34	—
Chicago	30	39	—
San Francisco	40	60	—
Los Angeles	47	64	—
New York	30	37	—
Whitehorse	16	36	.01

GAME E E E E — SENIOR HOCKEY PLAYOFFS — GAME E E E E

TUESDAY

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8:00 P.M.

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St. Paul's Cleric Going To Kamloops

Rev. A. L. Anderson, who is leaving Nelson after five years as minister of St. Paul's United Church, will go to Kamloops.

He will leave Nelson at the beginning of July to serve the congregation of Kamloops United Church, succeeding Rev. R. R. Morrison, who is retiring after 15 years there. Mr. Morrison was president of the B.C. Conference of the United Church a few years ago.

Mr. Anderson's successor will be announced soon.

A graduate of Union College in Vancouver and ordained in B.C. in 1937, Mr. Anderson had charges at Stewart, Cumberland and Union Bay. He served as a padre in the Royal Canadian Air Force during the Second World War. He came to Nelson from New York where he did post graduate work to take the place of Rev. Stewart Forbes.

Under his ministry, the church's membership has increased by leaps and bounds, many improvements have been carried out and youth work promoted.

He has been an outstanding worker for the Nelson Ministerial Association, and has had a leading role in the movement for better relationship between Doukhobors and other Kootenay residents.

Activities outside the church have also claimed Mr. Anderson's interest. He has been to the fore in organizations including Nelson Chamber of Commerce and Nelson Rotary Club.

Mr. Anderson is married, and has one son, David.

Deer Chased by Dog Brings Owner Fine

George W. King of Port Crawford was fined $35 and costs for allowing his dog to chase a deer. Game Warden G. A. Lines of Creston laid the charge.

WHERE ARE THEY NOW

Three former American Hockey League stars, Harry Frost, Nick Damore and Larry Archambeault are now playing for the Washington Lions of the Eastern League. The Lions coach, Jack Tilley is also a former American Leaguer.

WINNER of the Lou E. Marsh Trophy, awarded annually to Canada's outstanding athlete, is Marlene Stewart, 17-year-old golfer from Fonthill, Ont. Marlene won the Canadian Ladies' Open Golf Championship in 1951. With her here are her mother and father and 13-year-old sister, Dolly.—Central Press Canadian.

Nelson Churches Will Hold Communion, Special Lenten Services

Many Nelson churches will hold special services and Holy Communion during Lent commencing Ash Wednesday, in keeping with Christ's journey into the wilderness and his resurrection at Easter.

St. Saviour's Pro-Cathedral will hold special Sunday morning services on "Christian Living" throughout Lent and will celebrate Ash Wednesday in the morning with Holy Communion and meditation and Bible study in the evening.

Very Rev. T. L. Leadbeater in the special addresses will speak on the aspects of Christian Life, in respect to physical, mental and spiritual health. Evening services will take the form of films dealing with the missionary journey of St. Paul.

Holy Communion and meditation and Bible study will be held each Wednesday during Lent.

Confirmation will be held on Palm Sunday and on Easter day a special message on the Resurrection will be given by Dean Leadbeater.

COMMUNION SERVICES

Holy Communion will be celebrated Ash Wednesday, Feb. 27, and each succeeding Wednesday during Lent at Church of the Redeemer in Fairview by Rev. Canon W. J. Silverwood.

Services and addresses will be held on Wednesday evenings.

SERMON SERIES

Rev. A. L. Anderson of St. Paul's United Church will give a series of sermons, "Mystery and Meaning of Life" beginning the second Sunday in March in observance of Lent.

Services entitled "The Mystery and Meaning of The Incarnation", "Evil", "Love", and "The Cross" will be held on each Sunday morning concluding with "The Mystery and Meaning of The Resurrection' on Easter Sunday.

First Sunday morning in March, beginning of Lenten, will be marked with Holy Communion and an induction service of two new Elders of the Church, Archie Birse and M. G. Jemson.

Communicant classes will be held weekly throughout Lenten at Trinity United Church and Rev. Allan Dixon will give a series of special sermons.

Entitled "Five Steps to the Kingdom" the sermons beginning March 2 and continuing each Sunday morning until Easter, will deal with "Penitence, Prayer, Payment, Pardon and Power." Evening addresses will continue for the present in dealing with further aspects of the theme "The Privileges of a Protestant."

Mr. Dixon will hold Communicant classes if necessary for both adults and young people with adults meeting after Sunday morning service and young people Wednesdays after school.

Observances are still being planned by Catholic churches.

Special Palm Sunday services will be held at Evangelical Mission Covenant church by Rev. Vernon Lund and Communion service Good Friday evening. Easter day services will also be observed.

Mission Covenant Sunday School will present an Easter program during Sunday school Easter morning for parents.

SERVICES PLANNED

First Babtist Church in Fairview began a series of sermons Feb. 17 which will continue until Palm Sunday.

Morning services are taken from the Book of Eplistles to the Romans by St. Paul. Evening services are taken from the Book of the Prophet Hosea leading up to the coming of Christ.

The Women's World Day of Prayer will be held in the First Baptist Church the afternoon of Feb. 29. Theme of the meeting will be "Christ Our Hope."

Special Easter day services will be held by Rev. Theo T. Gibson.

YOUTH RALLY

Annual Youth Rally of the West Kootenay district will be held at Bethel Tabernacle Good Friday with representatives from Kaslo, Salmo, Castlegar, Trail, Grand Forks and Crawford Bay present.

Rev. Ian M. Presley will hold Easter services on the resurrection. Sermon Easter morning will deal with "what the Resurrection means to Chistians" and in the evening, "What the Resurrection means to non-Christians."

St. John's Lutheran Church will celebrate Lent with special Tuesday services on Zechariah's Prophecies concerning Holy Week.

Rev. R. Schmidt will divide the services into seven themes, "Searching the Phophets," "God's Servant, the Branch", "A Fountain for Sin," "The Sword and the Shepherd," "He Whom They Have Pierced," "The Potter's Field", and "Rejoice, Thy King Cometh."

Communion will be held Good Friday and Special Easter Services held.

Rev. L. S. Van Mossel of the First Presbyterian Church plans services on the Resurrection Easter Sunday and may hold a Good Friday service on the Crucifixion.

Vandals Spoil South Slocan Social for Kids

A Sunday School social at St. Matthew's Church parish hall at South Slocan was marred by the work of vandals, Rev. Canon W. J. Silverwood reported Saturday.

A smoke-filled hall greeted Canon Silverwood and nearly 100 youngsters when the hall doors were opened Friday night. Fears of a fire turned to indignation when it was found material dropped onto the heating plant through a floor grating had been set ablaze.

Not until a box of sand was emptied through the grating was the smouldering material put out. While the air was cleared to some extent when windows and doors were opened, eyes of all were red-rimmed after movies had been shown by the minister.

However, the vandals were not through.

Upon going out to his car to drive back to Nelson, Canon Silverwood found it smeared with a whitish substance that appeared to have been liquid soap or milk.

The incidents were reported to the R.C.M.P.

HEMMERLING RESIGNS AS SEATTLE COACH

SEATTLE, Feb. 24 (CP) — Tony Hemmerling resigned today as coach of the faltering Seattle Ironmen, telling owner Frank Dotten he felt he was not able to make the club produce properly.

A short time later team members elected veteran defenceman Danny Sprout to the job of coaching Ironmen, who have lost their last three games and are in fifth place in the Pacific Coast Hockey League.

Hemmerling's resignation was the second announcement to shake Ironmen during the weekend

Saturday, Seattle defenceman Jack Jackson was suspended indefinitely from organized hockey. The suspension came after Jackson was ordered out of a team meeting Friday by Rex Cook, chief scout and trouble-shooter for Cleveland Barons who came here to investigate Ironmen's slump.

"Jackson came right out and admitted he wanted the club to finish in sixth place," Cook said.

"He said he figured that way he wouldn't have to play as many playoff games as he would if the club finished higher — and he'd still make just as much money and get out of town sooner."

Al Leader of Seattle, P.C.H.L. president, said Jackson's arithmetic was poor; the playoffs are figured so that the higher you stand at the end of the regular season, the more you make in the playoffs.

Crawford Bay, Nelson Entrants Win Most W. Kootenay Junior Bird Events

CASTLEGAR, B. C., Feb. 24 — Nelson and Crawford Bay youngsters shared the major spoils in the West Kootenay junior open badminton tournament which wound up here Sunday.

The East Kootenay centre won seven events while Nelson captured five. Tadanac club won two while the other went to Kinnaird.

More than 130 took part in the four-day tourney which saw play Thursday and Friday evenings and all day Saturday and Sunday.

Peter Godfrey and Marvin Wilson of Nelson retained their boys' doubles under 16 title and also upset 1951 title-holders Jack Newstead and Norman Hughes in the under 18 class.

The most exciting final of the tournament saw Rose and Peter McGregor of Crawford Bay turn back Joy McEwen and Jack Newstead of Nelson 15-13, 17-16.

Rose McGregor also teamed with Sylvia Koch to win the girls' doubles under 18 honors.

M. Pratte and K. McGregor of Crawford Bay downed Sylvia Shorthouse and Peter Godfrey of Nelson in taking the under 16 mixed doubles crown.

Dolly Fife and Alice Ronmark of Nelson took the under 16 girls doubles in an all-Nelson battle with Pat Warren and Sylvia Shorthouse.

SINGLES WINNERS

In the girls' singles divisions, D. Johnson of Crawford Bay took the under 14 and Sylvia Shorthouse of Nelson the Under 16 crowns.

Rose McGregor of Crawford Bay won the Under 18 class event.

Jack Newstead of Nelson retained his Under 18 title while Peter McGregor of Crawford Bay won the Under 16 event and J. Ballenty of Tadanac the Under 14 class.

Coal Shortage Would Hinder European Plan

GENEVA, Feb. 24 (AP) — The United Nations Economic Commission for Europe predicted today the achievement of Western Europe's industrial development plans will be hindered by an ever-growing shortage of coal.

A commission report on the European coal situation urged vigorous government action both to discourage the wasteful use of high-grade coal and to accelerate coal production. If the Western governments fail to tackle the problem effectively, the commission said, they will face the alternative of a drastic lowering of production targets or an annual drain of $600,000,000 by 1956 for purchases of United States coal.

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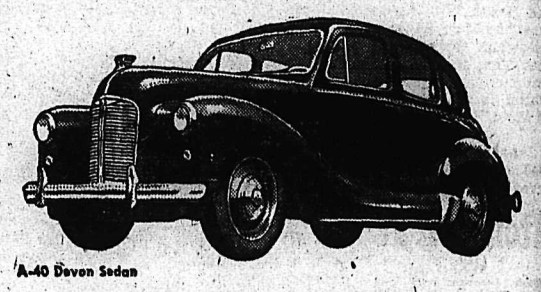

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New Bridge . . .

Okanagan To Be Route of Greater Traffic

KELOWNA, B. C.—When a bridge is built next year across the Parsnip River, opening the John Hart Highway from Prince George to Dawson Creek, the entire Okanagan Valley will benefit from the steady stream of freight moving from the U. S. to Alaska, according to C. G. Beeston, President of the Kelowna Board of Trade.

Speaking at the Board's general meeting, Mr. Beeston stated the new route will cut 800 miles from the present route via Calgary and Edmonton.

He visioned Kelowna as one of the main traffic centres and commended the Okanagan Cariboo Trail Association for playing a leading role in publicizing the interior route.

Referring to the recent conference with Works Minister E. C. Carson regarding reconstruction of the Peachland-Penticton road, Mr. Beeston said: "We made it quite clear to the Summerland and Penticton Boards that while we gladly join in their request to improve an existing necessity, we are not receding from our request for a bridge for the Naramata Road.

"I cannot tell you if and when any bridge will be built, but I am quite satisfied that the idea of building a bridge has not been dropped."

"Mind", Subject Of Lesson-Sermon

"The way to prove what is the will of God is to transform our thinking from the human to the divine." This procedure was touched upon in the Lesson-Sermon entitled "Mind" read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist Sunday.

The Golden Text was: "Be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God."—Romans 12: 2.

The Lesson-Sermon included the following passage from the Bible: "O the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God: How unsearchable are his judgments, and his ways past finding out: For who hath known the mind of the Lord?"—Romans 11: 33, 34.

Among the selections from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health With Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, was the following: "It is not rational to say that Mind is infinite, but dwells in finiteness, — in matter, — or that matter is infinite and the medium of Mind."

Canada's forest fire losses from 1940 covered more than 2,000,000 acres of burned-over territory.

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Canada Weighs Dams on Columbia . . .

International Power Potential Tremendous

(From The Vancouver Province)
(By JACK STEPLER)

OTTAWA — The tremendous power potential of the Columbia River basin in B.C. and Washington—which contain 30 per cent of the total water power potential of Canada and the U.S. combined—was described here as an important factor in industrial development of the two countries.

Norman Marr, chief of the Water Resources Division of the Federal Department of Resources and Development, told the annual meeting of the Canadian Geographical Society the basin would warrant an installed capacity estimated at 35 million kilowatts.

Canada is carrying out extensive surveys and studies of its portion of the basin, although much remains to be done before investigations of the Canadian portion of the area are complete. Studies on both sides of the border are coordinated under the International Joint Commission. In many cases, works required in the U.S. portion have been built.

IMMENSE RESERVOIRS

In Canada alone the basin has reservoir possibilities of more than 20 million acre feet, of which only one million, on Kootenay Lake, is now utilized. With this storage capacity the potential power resources total more than 2½ million continuous kilowatts involving a ninstalled capacity of perhaps 4 million kilowatts or more.

Although no dams or other structures have been built on the main stem of the Columbia in Canada, great power potentialities exist, said Mr. Marr. He listed possible developments as dam sites at Luxor, 40 miles below Columbia Lake; at Kitchins Rapids, 25 miles from Golden and at Mica Creek, 82 miles from Revelstoke, with two additional sites on the Columbia between that point and Revelstoke.

Mr. Marr estimated the Mica Creek site capacity at 660,000 continuous kilowatts and said this dam would be of importance in flood control in both countries.

B.C. POWER SITES?

Five possible sites have been examined in the 108-mile reach extending from the international boundary upstream to Canal Flats, B.C.

The one at Bull River, five miles from Wardner, would provide storage of nearly 3 million acre feet and about 68,000 continuous kilowatts. Mr. Marr said the Bull River dam would be beneficial in flood control downstream and would contribute to power possibilities elsewhere on the Kootenay and Columbia Rivers in a scheme of coordinated development.

Sites for dams to create other storage have been sought at the outlet of St Mary Lake, Lardeau and Duncan Rivers, Trout Lake and Howser Lake.

The Okanagan and Similkameen Rivers were described as of interest from the standpoint of irrigation and flood control and dam and channel improvements have been contemplated. Because of possible effect such diversions might have on salmon using the U.S. portion of the Columbia as their main migration route, the problem has been taken under study by the International Joint Commission, which is investigating possibility of storage reservoirs, on the Similkameen for flood control, irrigation and power in both countries.

1951 Best Year For Credit Union At Rossland

ROSSLAND, B. C.—A total of $128,275 was granted in personal loans by Rossland Credit Union group in the last year, members learned at their 11th annual meeting.

The year 1951 was the best year in the local organization's history, R. R. McLaughlin, president, said. The transportation garage has been decided upon as office accommodation, he said.

H. M. Bailey, vice-president, said the 850-member group had assets of more than $224,000. A Credit Union would be organized at Salmo soon. Mr. Bailey urged members to use the payroll deduction plan to save.

The president said intention was to sponsor radio broadcasts weekly to inform the public of Credit Union operation.

During election of officers, R. E. Blench, G. D. Ellison, Al LePage, A. Martin and B. McLaughlin became directors; James Jecks and J. Hook, supervisory committee, and H. G. Duckworth, D. Donaldson, J. Fetter and Percy Swift, Credit committee.

Representatives of Trail and Castlegar Credit Union organizations attended the meeting, and Carl Loebleck of Castlegar presented G. Donely, B. Littley and B. Laurie with awards for outstanding service in Rossland.

Police Learn How To Talk Plainly

HALIFAX, Yorkshire (CP)—The Halifax police force, 124 strong, has been ordered to take elocution lessons. This new twist in police training followed complaints from local magistrates that evidence given by many of the constables was often incoherent.

The Chief of Police believing his men were victims of "nerves," called in Harold Brook, an adult education official, with a microphone, recording machine and copies of Shakespeare's works.

The constables were then required to read a passage from Shakespeare which was played back on the recording machine. Few recognized their own voice.

Now Mr. Brook is teaching the force how to articulate properly, sound vowels more clearly, stop their voice dropping at the end of a sentence and how to breathe correctly.

No one is exempt from the "talkie" sessions and the injunction; "go home and practice talking and reading before the mirror."

Traces Mine History . . .

Reeves Second to Sullivan Only As B.C. Producer Institute Told

"We are milling the largest tonnage of lead-zinc ore of any mine in B.C., other than the Sullivan Mine," Ray Jones, superintendent of Reeves-MacDonald Mine told Nelson Branch of Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy at their meeting at the Canadian Legion Saturday.

The first white man came through this region in the 1850's with Simpson, exploring the route for the Dewdney trail, he said. The trail put through in 1864, followed by the Pend Oreille and Salmon Rivers. This marked the first valuable mineral recovery in this area. During the 30s many men got by, by panning these same gravels.

Lead-zinc mineralization was recognized in the area at least as early as 1884, Mr. Jones pointed out.

First claims were staked on the present Reeves MacDonald in 1916 by L. P. Larsen, now president of Reeves MacDonald Mines Limited. These claims were allowed to lapse. The present claims were staked by Bobby Reeves and Black Jack MacDonald in 1918.

A Victoria syndicate took up these claims in 1926, and after a few hundred feet of drifting and X-cutting on what is now the 2650 level, they formed the Reeves MacDonald Company in 1928. Pend Oreille Mines and Metals Company took control of the Reeves MacDonald Company in 1929.

At that time, the present River tunnel was put in to pick up the Reeves Orebody on what is now the 1900 level, 750 feet vertical distance below the Victoria Syndicate workings.

In 1937 the river tunnel was extended to try and pick up the B.L. orebody which outcrops to the East of the Reeves orebody.

No further work was done until 1947, when Pend d'Oreille raised the money to put the Reeves MacDonald mine into production.

Reeves Mining Methods Described To Nelson Mine Institute Branch

"Many obstacles had to be overcome before the present performance and anticipated low-cost mining methods were obtained," Bal Shannon, mine engineer at Reeves MacDonald mine told members of the Nelson branch, Institute of Mining and Metallurgy at the Canadian Legion Saturday.

Physical characteristics of the ore and walls suggested some form of open stoping. The ore and walls were extremely strong and self-supporting over large spans, he explained. The ore had no definite planes of weakness, nor did it break along the bedding. It was non-abrasive and readily drilled, tenacious and difficult to break.

Mr. Shannon went on to describe drilling and blasting procedure, equipment used and method of hauling.

"The training of miners was one of the difficulties," he said. He pointed out that a driller must constantly check his machine for good alignment and must not crowd his machine.

"In the face of rising costs of labor and materials, the cost of longhole drills has actually decreased," he said. "This is due to improvements in technique and drillers."

At present, 3/5 of the Reeves MacDonald mines production came from long hole stoping and this fraction would be increased in the future.

From early work done on the 2650 and 1900-foot levels the Reeves orebody of the Reeves MacDonald mine appeared to be a lens approximately 400 feet long with a maximum width of about 60 feet. Recent work has indicated the orebody to be considerably longer than this, but at the present, all stoping has been concentrated in the original lens.

Gerry Cameroux, mine superintendent at Reeves MacDonald, explained this to members.

Speaking on mining methods at the Reeves-MacDonald, he said D89 drifters are used in slash undercut stopes, giving a performance average of 23 tons to the ore pass per man shift. This has been increased to 30 tons by using 30 h.p. three-drum slushers.

Because of coarse rock breaking, on some stopes, most of the time was taken up by slushing.

All ore is hauled on 1900 level from four main chutes. Haulage is by four-ton trolley locomotives and four-ton cars. All haulage is done on afternoon and graveyard shifts using two trains and a three-man crew.

At present the underground crew consists of 83 men.

Production for last year averaged 25,000 tons per month.

"The geological work at the Reeves-MacDonald mine has been to afford a reasonably close control of the mining. All stopes and development headings are mapped regularly and this mapping has brought out the remarkable regularity of the walls and the persistence of structural features downward," William Pollock, geologist at Remac, said.

Presenting a technical talk on the mine's geology, he told of the stratigraphy and structure of the Reeves MacDonald workings.

With the aid of scale drawings, he pointed out the several mineralized areas on the workings, dolomitization and faulting.

CROW'S NEST LAUNCHES SCOUT FINANCIAL DRIVE

NATAL, B.C. — The Boy Scout Financial Campaign, a drive for funds in support of the movement is underway throughout the Crow's Nest District. This year the Michel Aerie No. 1864, Fraternal Order of Eagles, who have don a splendid job during the last three years in the Conquer Cancer Campaign in the Natal-Michel District, have generously consented to take charge of this work.

The participation of the Boy Scouts in the campaign will be limited to the distribution of handbills.

VICTORIA, B.C., Feb. 24 (CP)—The newly commissioned cruiser Quebec, undergoing final trials here before leaving for Halifax, entered drydock Saturday.

While in drydock the warship will be put through tilt tests. On March 1 she will test her anti-aircraft guns and later wil lspend several nights in "darkened ship" trials.

Speed trials were held in Juna de Fuca Strait yesterday, during which the vessel topped 30 knots.

She is scheduled to leave for the East coast on March 11 under command of Capt. P. D. Budge.

Policeman Teaches Safety Courses

OWEN SOUND, Ont. (CP)—Hundreds of Grey County school children are receiving safety training because Provincial Police Constable E. M. Reid of Owen Sound believes in "preventive medicine" for traffic accidents.

He has instigated, and is carrying out alone a scheme for educating the youth of the country in the rules of traffic safety.

Constable Reid spends his free hours calling at rural schools throughout the country. His lessons are easy to take for he uses films especially prepared for young people by the National Film Board and similar organizations. He rents a projector, and already this month approximately 3500 school children have seen safety films.

Besides showing the films, Constable Reid also talks briefly to the pupils, and gives them literature. Included is a pamphlet entitled "You and Your Bike", prepared by the Motor Vehicles Branch of the Ontario Department of Highways.

The work Constable Reid is doing has been welcomed by teachers, pupils and school officials. The pupils enjoy learning about safety this easy way. The teachers and officials realize the importance of safety education in today's world of motor transportation.

FORM SAFETY PATROLS

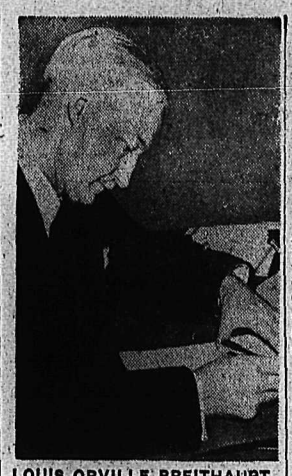
Several schools where he has shown films on safety patrols have formed their own safety patrols. Members of the patrols guide their fellow students at bad corners and other sections where traffic is heavy.

Grey County Council has recognized the work he is doing, and has made a grant of $100 to defray the cost of renting the projector and films.

The Constable's efforts are not going un-noticed outside the county. A similar plan is to be instituted in neighboring Bruce County soon.

He has a sound explanation for his enthusiasm. As a police officer he has investigated many accidents in which children were either killed or maimed. He knows that his work will do much to eliminate these accidents.

BRIERLY HILL, England (CP)—A model store at a food exhibition in this Staffordshire town was designed to show how not to handle food. It was labelled "Knott Sogood and Co." The Food Ministry later apologized for a "regrettable accident." Across the road is the real store of W. F. Knott and Co.



LOUIS ORVILLE BREITHAUPT, Kitchener, is sworn in as lieutenant-governor of Ontario. Death of the King caused the Ontario government to keep the formalities simple.—Central Press Canadian.

The Highways

Hope-Princeton Highway — Open. Good condition. Weather clear. Temperature 12 below.

Okanagan Valley — All main roads open. Good condition.

Castlegar - Nelson - Cranbrook-Crow's Nest — Open. Good condition

Nelson-Nelway and Creston-Porthill roads — Good condition.

River Pollution Safeguard Sought

TRAIL, B.C. — Provincial Health Officials will consider formation of a regulated area for the Lower Columbia Valley to safeguard against pollution of the river by Celgar Development Company.

Report was given to a meeting here of Union Board of Health.

Dr. L. S. Anderson, director of the unit, reported that provincial officials are aware of the seriousness of pollution problems, and plan a survey of them this Summer.

He has discussed the problem of waste and sewage from the $65,000,000 pulp development that is planned for Castlegar, and found that the only solution under existing legislation is to have the area brought under regulations.

Approximately 220,000 immigrants arrived in Ontario from 1945 to the end of 1950.

End to Co-Insurance and Payroll Deductions Urged by Inquiry Board

VICTORIA, B.C., Feb. 24 — British Columbia's Hospital Insurance Inquiry Board has recommended scrapping of "co-insurance" charges, elimination of compulsory payroll deductions and a crackdown to catch up with the thousands who evade paying the premiums.

The report o fthe eight-man board whic hinquired into the province's compulsory hospital insurance scheme, now some $12,500,000 in the red, was tabled in the Legislature by Health Minister A. D. Turnbull.

The Liberal government has already said that it will not act on the report at this session but that it should be dealt with by the new House this Fall following this Summer's general provincial election.

Under the hospital insurance plan, started in 1949, families must pay $42 a year for hospital care and single persons $30. In addition, a patient is charged up to a maximum of $35 for the first 10 days in hospital.

The 60,000-word report, result of a nine-month investigation, recommended that this extra charge be dropped altogether and that there be no increase in basic premiums.

The report of the eight-man board which inquired into the province's spokesman for the inquiry board said around 100,000 persons are evading payments. An administrative crackdown would bring at least 25,000 of these into the hospital fold. (A total of 680,000 accounts, amounting to $51,500,000, has been paid by the hospital service).

51 RECOMMENDATIONS

The inquiry board made 51 recommendations all told. The main ones besides those already mentioned:

1. Married persons with an income of less than $1200 a year and single persons with an income of less than $720 be exempt from paying premiums.

2. No group be exempted on religious grounds and that the current exemption for members of the Christian Science church be discontinued.

3. A long-range program of financing be developed, with any deficits being made up out of consolidated govenrment revenue.

GRANT BOOST

4. Daily per-patient grant to the 76 B.C. hospitals in the scheme be increased from 70 cents to $1. (The service now collects the money and allots it to the hospitals.)

5. Possibility be studied of bringing the 30,000 members of the Canadian Pacific and B.C. Telephone Employees' Medical Services associations under the plan. They now are exempt. Both association have vehemently opposed any such move.

6. The federal government be responsible for the premiums for Indians instead of the hospital service.

7. A case diagnosed as chronic be treated free for a maximum of 60 days. (Such cases now receive only 15 days' free treatment).

Under the current scheme, premiums are deducted from a workers' pay cheque by his employer, who remits the amount to the service.

The report recommends that this scheme be abolished and that employer and employee work out a voluntary method for deductions.

At the same time, the service would issue a card with a number on it to each paid-up person. Every issuer of licences (for instance, licence plates for cars, fishing or hunting licences) would ask the person buying that licence for his hospital number. If the person could not provide it, he would be reported to the hospital service.

An employer would also ask the employee to produce his hospital card. If he could not, he would be reported to the service and his wages garnished.

The spokesman said about 150 garnishees now are issued each month. Under the board's reccommendation, this would be stepped up to about 2000 a month.

The spokesman said about 75 per cent of delinquents could be caught up with through the employer, the other 25 per cent through issuers of licences.

A person exempt from hospital insurance would also require a card saying so and would have to pay $2 a year for it.

Under a more drastic plan suggested by the board, if the first were not successful, a worker who could not produce a hospital card would not be hired by an employer nor any licence issued to a person not holding a card. The spokesman said this would never be passed as it smacked of the "police state."

The report said the recommendations meant no increased costs. Elimination of "co-insurance" and exemptions for persons in lower-income brackets would reduce income but this would be made up by an administration overhaul and crackdown on delinquents.

3 Nelson Students To Attend U.B.C. High School Meet

Three Nelson High School students will attend the University of British Columbia High School Conference March 7 and 8.

Louisa and Trudy Pentland and Vince Borch, Grade 12 students, will leave about March 6 for the conference held annually by U.B.C. to acquaint students with the Unisity and what it has to offer. They will attend lectures on students council, school newspapers and various other items and will later report back to their own Parliament.

No conference was held last year, but in 1950 Mary Blazina and Frank Turner were Nelson representatives.

MOLESEY, Surrey, England (CP) — Alan Stainer, local landlord, makes prehistoric monsters out of twigs and branches. He says "I alter them as little as possible as most of them are naturally hideous from knots in the wood."

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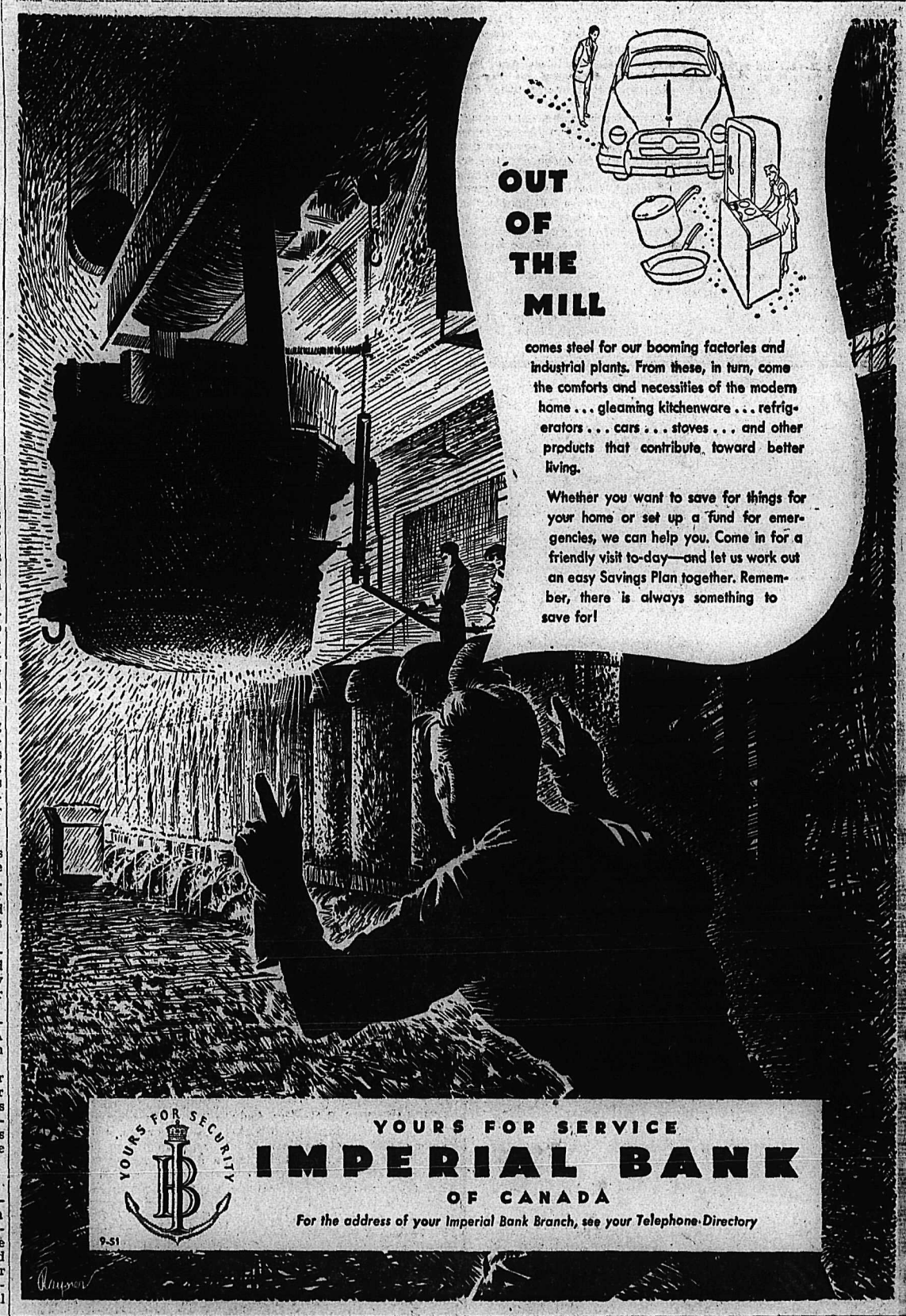

U.N. Relief Program Eases Korean Lot

(Editor's note: Bill Boss, Canadian Press staff writer in Korea, has completed a two-week survey of conditions among the civilian population during the Korean Winter. This article is the first of a series based on interviews with United Nations, Korean Republic and civilian sources.)

BY BILL BOSS
Canadian Press Staff Writer

SEOUL, Korea, Feb. 25 (CP) — Winter has not been as hard on Korean civilians as was feared.

Mild weather and a nenergetic relief progra mare almost sure to keep Koreans — most of them — alive until Spring. But the margin is narrow.

Food is at a bare subsistence level, though enough to prevent starvation. Everyone is under some kind of roof. Many of the millions of refugees are billeted in private homes, the rest in cmps. Only a few live in caves.

There is not enough clothing, although supplies have improved. One in 10 refugees mus stay indoors to keep warm, but there have been few cases of serious illness or death from exposure.

Long-neglected peat bags are helping to overcome a shortage of fuel.

The record of the United Nations Civilian Assistance Command, working through government agencies of the Republic of Korea, is such that I found no refugee, who did not feel everything possible is being done to help him.

The relief program has worked largely because the ground warfare has been static. Major operations would have sparked new refugee movements and dislocated the distribution of supplies.

BIG IMPROVEMENTS

The United Nations still has no "disaster relief" organization after more than 18 months of war experience. Its policy is to use an emergency as a means of educating Korean administrators in problems of civil government. However, vast improvements have been effected since last Summer when hundreds of thousands of North and South Koreans were evacuated to rear areas which were not prepared to receive them.

Said one C.A.C. official:

"The work of C.A.C. has improved a thousand-fold since last Summer. Now there is good leadership and administration at the top. We've been able to do a job in the field and are so much happier now that we are able to do something constructive."

But the Korean government has not mobilized its total resources — except manpower — for the struggle involving its own life. There is no control of essential materials and commodities are not rationed — not even rice. Nor will the government accept responsibility for the care of refugees and evacuees.

All relief grains are supplied by C.A.C. and must be imported. C.A.C. buys no Korean rice lest inflation be stimulated.

The result is that in Korea, Asia's premier rice-producing country, the Korean grain is plentiful in the open market but does not figure in the ration. Korean refugees are fed United States and Thailand rice, United States beans and Canadian barley. Refugees are too poor to buy in the open market, and even workers do not earn enough to buy enough for their needs.

One in three Koreans is a refugee. For the rest, enough rice costs three times what a man earns in a month.

Everyone is short of food. But almost all are getting enough to keep them alive.

Movie Gossip

Director Starts Work Earlier to Avoid Sagging Faces, Tired Stars

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 24 (AP) — Don McGuire, actor turned writer-producer, has this advice for film players: Find yourself another racket just in case.

McGuire is walking evidence of his own theory. Until a year ago, he was an actor. Then he decided it was more fun to eat regularly, so he turned to writing and producing movies.

He was a newspaper man before the war and came to Hollywood after the army. At first he was a press agent. He went to Warner Brothers to see about an acting job for a girl friend and ended up with a contract for himself. He stayed at the studio three years and then free-lanced. After 35 pictures he decided to give it up.

MOST ADMIRED

One of the most admired directors in town is George Sherman. The reasons: He always brings his pictures in ahead of schedule.

But George not only saves time and money, he provides quality entertainment. Clark Gable even sought him for "Lone Star" but arrangements couldn't be made with Sherman's studio.

An amazing thing about the Sherman method is that he shoots from 8:30 in the morning until around four in the afternoon. Most directors work from 9 to 6. "Everybody gets tired in the afternoon and the actors' faces start to sag," Sherman explained. "I can get just as much done by starting a half-hour earlier and working faster."

His secret for speed: He studies the script the night before and figures out three different ways to shoot each scene. If one fails, he tries the others.

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Parliament May Be Asked for University Scholarship Funds

ON HIS WAY to Britain to become defence minister, Viscount Alexander bids goodbye to his friends of the past six years in Ottawa. With Prime Minister St. Laurent in background, Alexander shakes hands with former postmaster-general Rinfret. Departure ceremonies were brief out of respect to the late King.—Central Press Canadian.

BY HAROLD MORRISON
Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA, Feb. 24 (CP) — A vast scheme for the creation of national scholarships and bursaries for some 10,000 university students is under active consideration by Prime Minister St Laurent.

Planning has developed so well that the prime minister, keenly interested in implementing recommendations of the Massey Commission on Arts, may ask parliament at the next session opening Feb. 28 for $7,000,000 to get the scholarship plan rolling.

In addition, it has been definitely decided that he will seek another $7,000,000 to continue in the next fiscal year the Federal-aid-to-university scheme launched a year ago.

The university-aid program still has many kinks. There has been some question whether the method of fund distribution on the basis of provincial population is the best feasible system.

Argument continues as to what type of institute of higher learning should be eligible for Federal aid to ward off financial crises threatening universities. In Quebec, for example, there was no easy agreement and Finance Minister Abbott and Provincial Treasurer Onesime Gagnon had to head up a special commission to judge what institutions would become eligible in that province.

A MAJOR RECOMMENDATION

Launching of the scholarship scheme was one of the major recommendations of the 500-page report by Rt. Hon Vincent Massey, governor-general-designate of Canada, and four other commissioners. The report, considered by the government as its cultural guide to promote national unity through cultural development of the country, was placed before parliament last year after a two-year investigation of Canada's cultural achievements.

It envisioned:

1. A total of 100 annual "Canada" scholarships of $1000 each, tenable for four years, granted to students showing outstanding ability and exceptional promise. When the program was in full swing, 400 Canadian students would be able to attend university free.

2. A total of 250 "national" scholarships, valued at $500 each, awarded annually and tenable also for four years. These would go to "distinguished and promising" students.

3. For "able and diligent" students, in financial need, there would be 2000 bursaries of $300 each, also tenable for four years.

4. Finally, there would be a loan fund open to all students whose work is acceptable to university authorities.

OTHER SUGGESTIONS

There were other scholarship recommendations in the Massey report, now also under government consideration. These include support of post-graduates pursuing studies in the fields of humanities, social sciences and law, as well as those training as musicians, artists and writers.

Some hint of the government's intentions on aid to cultural programs may be given in the traditional speech from the throne, the first Mr. Massey will read in his new role as governor-general.

Along with the scholarship program, Mr. St. Laurent is considering the possibility of establishing the 15-man arts council which Mr. Massey recommended to direct the government's over-all cultural policies.

The council would be independent of government departments, reporting directly to parliament.

If the council is created, it still is possible that members of the Royal Arts Commission may be invited to become part-time members. The members, apart from Mr. Massey, were: Arthur Surveyor of Montreal, civil engineer; Dr. Norman MacKenzie, president of the University of British Columbia; Most Rev. Georges-Henri Levesque, dean of the faculty of social sciences, Laval University; and Dr. Hilda Neatby, professor of history, University of Saskatchewan.

Possibility of Stalemate in Korea If Truce Talks Fail Considered

BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24 (AP) — If Korean truce talks break down, what happens then?

The possibility that such a collapse might lead simply to a prolonged stalemate in the war is being considered by United States strategists.

There are signs that President Truman's advisers are opposed to the U.S. taking any initiative to hit Communist China directly in an effort to break such a stalemate.

The dominant feeling in the joint chiefs-of-staff and National Security Council is reported to be that the U.S. should extend the war beyond Korea only if it is compelled to do so by aggressive Chinese actions.

FIGHTING ARM

The air force has long been counted on as the fighting arm which would carry the burden of such an air-sea war but it is understood that air force leaders are among those who have advised against it if it can be avoided. Three principal arguments are being advanced in support of this attitude:

1. The present 90-wing air force has been designed to retaliate-directly against Russia if Russia starts a war, to defend the U.S., and to support Allied ground forces in Western Europe. It does not have more than just enough plane to do these jobs. If it had to expand its operations in the Far East it would have to divert planes from these essential purposes.

2. China is a junior partner in the Communist bloc. Russia is the centre of power there just as the U.S. is the centre of power for the free nations. Action against China, therefore, could not be decisive.

3. In terms of the results which could be obtained, a limited war on Red China now would be a costly one in U.S. planes and personnel and perhaps naval craft as fell.

ACTION

The U.S. Government has been examining for several weeks the possible courses of action which it might follow in the event that the truce negotiations go sour.

One of the big problems which officials sa ythey cannot measure is what public reaction would be in the event of a truce collapse. In both the state and defence departments some officials believe that the demand for action directly against China, quite apart from the strategic questions, would be almost overwhelming

U. S. Rubber Returns To Private Firms

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24 (AP) — The United States Government announced today it is turning back the country's importing of rubber to private industry.

The Government has been the sole importer of rubber since Dec. 29, 1950. It took over purchasing of the vital defence material in order to build a stockpile and at the same time check runaway prices charged by overseas producers.

The General Services Administration announced that the U. S. stockpile now has reached a safe enough level to allow a return to normal purchasing methods.

2 Die in Air Crash

SNOHOMISH, Wash., Feb. 24 (CP) — Two men were killed shortly after noon today as their light plane went into a spin at a low altitude and crashed near the airport. They were Frank Bernier, Everett, and James A. Ormiston of Everett.

Lister Notes

LISTER, B. C.—A card game sponsored by the Deer Lodge Club was held in the hall. There were 10 tables of bridge, whist and cribbage in play. High scores in bridge—Mrs. C. Huscroft and Waddy Huscroft; cribbage—Bert Hobden and Archie Donaldson; whist—Fred Huscroft and Mrs. Henwick.

Granton Skerik was a visitor to Kimberley.

Alfred and Fred Sommerfeld, Don Beebe, Delmer Becher are visiting Calgary.

Moyie Notes

MOYIE, B.C. — Mrs. Jack Sullivan entertained in honor of Mrs. Maxwell who was presented with a basket decorated with white, blue and pink streamers and containing many small garments. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Welch.

Miss Cathy Stanton spent the weekend at Kimberley where she visited her sisters, Mrs. J. Ekskog and Mrs. Munshaw.

Mrs. L. Barnhardt of Yahk, spent a week with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Saunders returned home after spending six weeks with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clark at Seattle, Wash.

New Denver

NEW DENVER, B.C.—Mrs. Andy Anderson entertained recently in honor of her eldest daughter, Sandra's fifth birthday, when 10 invited little guests enjoyed indoor games, then sat down to a decorated table centred by the large birthday cake with five candles. Each child received favors of candels and balloons.

Mr. and Mrs. William Andrews and two children of Lardeau, B.C. have arrived at Rosebery and taken up residence. Mr. Andrews has been transferred from Lardeau to Rosebery as C.P.R. station agent.

Demand for Brass Products

NEW YORK, Feb. 24 (AP) — A softenng in the demand for certain brass products appeared to be developing last week for the first time in months. And supplies of lead continued to improve, with foerign prices at the United States ceiling and the import duty suspended.

Otherwise there was litte change in the current non-ferrous metals market. Copper, aluminum and the galvanizing grade of zinc continued tight. Prices were steady.

The National Production Authority announced that makers of so-called more essential non-military goods, like kitchen ranges, refrigerators, sewing machines, bicycles, and television sets, will get slightly less copper and aluminum in the April-June period than in the current quarter.

The Aluminum Association, in a final report on last year's operations, announced this week that primary aluminum production totalled 144,907,819 pounds in December, bringing the total for 1951 to 1,673,815,406 pounds — an increase of 16.5 per cent over 1950.

Major metal prices:

Copper — 24.5 cents a pound, delivered. Foreign 27.5 cents, New York.

Lead — 19 cents a pound, New York; 18.80 cents, St. Louis.

Zinc — 19.5 cents a pound, East St. Louis; 20.286 cents, New York.

Aluminum — 19 cents a pound, ingots, shipping point. Pigs, 18 cents.

Nickel — 56.5 cents a pound, electrolytic cathodes, Port Colborne, Ontario, U.S. duty included.

Silver — 99 cents an ounce, New York; 77 pence, London.

Tin — $1.215 a pound, New York.

SAFE LANDING . . .

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Feb. 24 (Reuters)—A four-engined United States military plane which early Saturday radioed it might have to ditch in the Atlantic tonight landed safely at McAndrew Airforce base at Argentia, about 70 miles Southwest of here.

Rescue planes left the Argentia and Harmon Fields to meet the distressed aircraft — a C-97 machine of the Military Air Tronsport Service — and a Trans-World Airlines liner hovered nearby in case it ditched.

The plane finally made a perfect landing after arriving at the field with a ceiling of only 200 feet.

The pilot's message, picked up by Cape Race radio, said he was bound for Newfoundland but might have to ditch through engine trouble. He was then about 500 miles out into the Atlantic from Newfoundland.

CANTERBURY, England (CP) — Small boys and girls in a local church choir have asked their vicar for an increase in wages. They said the penny they get for each service just won't meet the rising cost of living.

READ THE CLASSIFIED DAILY

Top American ace in Korea, 31-year-old Maj. George A. Davis, Jr., of Lubbock, Texas, has been reported officially missing in action. The air force said his plane was seen to crash, but that no parachute had been sighted opening. Since he went into action last Nov. 1, Davis had been credited with downing 12 Red planes. He was on his 59th mission over Korea when he was shot down by the enemy.—Central Press Canadian.

Welsh Miners Stage One-Day Strike

CARDIFF, Wales, Feb. 24 (Reuters) — Thirty-nine coal mines in South Wales were idle Saturday as miners stayed away from work in a protest against Conservative Government economy cuts in free National Health Services.

They were carrying out a threat to boycott Saturday shifts following the Government announcement of a plan to make patients pay for dental treatment and medicine under the hitherto-free National Health Service.

Though Saturday is legally a holiday in the mines, most normally stay open for voluntary work to help beat the country's serious coal deficit.

BIRTLE, Man. (CP)—This town's oldest citizen, 94-year-old John McQuaig, threw the first rock to open the annual Birtle Bonspiel. Another elderly Birtle citizen, 80-year-old Larry Brennan, played with a regular rink in the 'spiel.

McGrath Against Imported Gas

SALT LAKE CITY, Feb. 24 (AP) —T. J. McGrath of Washington, said Saturday that if natural gas is permitted to come into the United States from Canada it would be "disadventageous — if not crippling — to the coal and railroad industries of the Western States."

"Experience has shown," he added, "that such a move would result in deterioration of mining and railroad employment and an encroachment on business conducted in the Western States."

McGrath is general counsel of the Fuels Research Council. He spoke at a 10-state conference called to protest the applications of four firms to either import or distribute the Canadian-produced gas.

The applications of Northwest Natural Gas Company, Pacific Northwest Pipeline Corporation, Westcoast Transmission Company, Inc., and Glacier Gas Company are pending before the Federal Power Commission. A hearing has been set for April 8 in Washington.

Royal Family Spend Windsor Weekend

LONDON, Feb. 24 (AP) — The Queen went to Windsor today to join her mother and sister at the Royal Lodge on the castle grounds where he father was buried last week. The 25-year-old Queen was accompanied by her husband, the Duke of Edinburgh, on the 20-mile trip to Windsor The Queen mother and Princess Margaret went there Friday.

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Ainsworth Notes

AINSWORTH, B.C. — A good crowd turned out to the crib game Saturday. High scores went to Mrs. Garland and Mr. Frazer. Club members served refreshments.

A well attended Church Aid meeting was held in the hall. Two minutes silence was observed for the late King George.

Mrs. Mason gave a reading on the importance of home life.

Mrs. R. Sherradin and Mrs. J. Hawer provided the refreshments.

WITLEY, England (CP)—Spectators at a ploughing match figured the 13-year-old boy who took second place must have had a good teacher. The boy turned out to be the son of the winner, who has been champion for four years.

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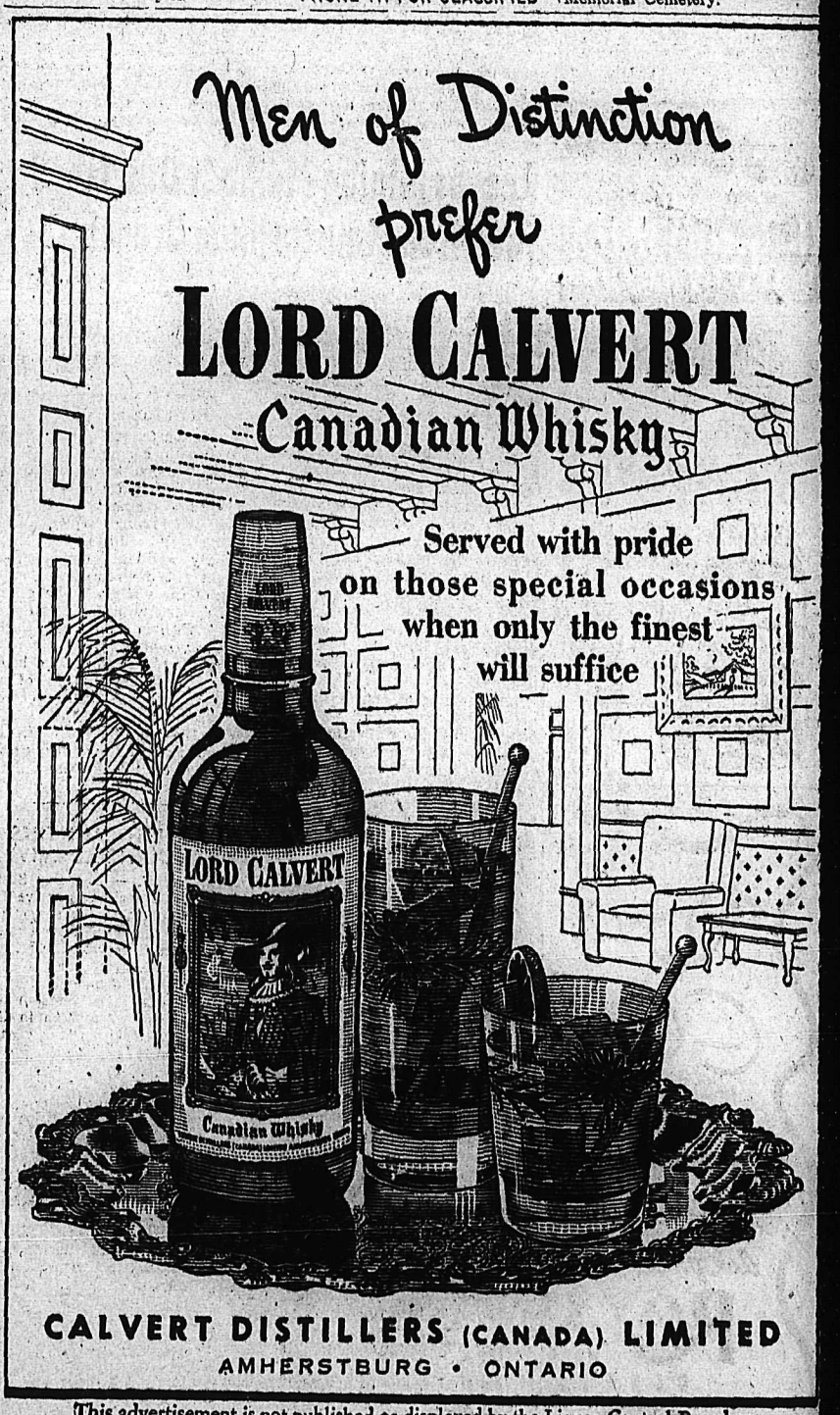
FUNERAL NOTICE

Funeral services for the la Albyn Wheeler Thorn will be he Tuesday, Feb. 26 at 2 p.m. from St Alban's Anglican Church, Castl gar. Archdeacon B. A. Resker w officiate and interment will be Robson Memorial Cemetery. Clark Funeral Chapel in charge. flowers by special request.

FUNERAL NOTICE

Funeral services for the la Clara Elizabeth Askew will be he this afternoon at 1 p.m. from Clark Funeral Chapel in Trail. Rev. D. More will officiate and interme will be in Castlegar-Kinnaird Pa Memorial Cemetery.



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First V.O.N. Week Observed

OTTAWA, Feb. 24 (CP) — Should Canada's Victorian Order nurses keep out a little more jauntily this week, it's because these seven days belong to them.

For the first time in the organization's 55-year-old history a Week, from Sunday until March 2, has been set aside to highlight V.O.N. activities relation to the country's health program.

In his tribute to the order Prime Minister St. Laurent said "it stands ready in many communities across the country to assist in the care of the sick and injured in their homes and to aid in the prevention of disease."

A shortage of hospital accommodation in Canada and the endless need among all classes of persons for adequate home nursing are reasons for holding a V.O.N. Week at this time.

Organized in 1897, the order originally was intended to provide new settlers with home nursing services. From its early beginnings with a staff of eight it has grown until today there are 530 nurses in 108 branches. They make 1,000,000 visits annually, caring for upwards of 135,000 patients.

Montreal and Toronto have the largest V.O.N. branches. Others exist from coast to coast. In communities such as Carleton Place Ont., Chatham, N.B., and Gibson's Landing, B.C., as well as in larger cities.

Only organization of its kind on the North American continent, the order keeps its services modern. Automobiles frequently form part of branch's equipment, enabling a nurse to make twice as many calls.

One office is completely mechanized. This is the Lincoln County branch in the Niagara district of Ontario which operates from an office at St. Catharines. Each of the seven nurses at the branch lives in a different community in the county and is provided with a car. They manage to provide nursing services in a 325-square-mile area.

Add a tablespoon of rich prepared mustard to 2 tablespoons of butter, melted in a frying pan. Then brown corned-beef hash slowly in the pan and turn onto a warm platter. A nice number for a cold day.

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Nelson Social

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Nelson bade farewell Sunday to women curlers from various B.C. points who competed for the provincial championship Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Prior to a banquet Friday night in Hume Hotel, Nelson Ladies' Curling Club entertained the visitors at a cocktail party at the home of Mrs. V. M. Killeen, Cedar Street.

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PARTY GIVEN . . . Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Graham, 424 Robson Street, entertained a number of members of the Silver Slipper Club of St. Saviour's Pro-Cathedral prior to the club's dance last week.

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FROM KASLO . . . Mrs. Charles G. Bowker of Kaslo is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burns, Kerr Apartments, for several days.

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CALGARIAN . . . Constable Weldon Graham of Calgary is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Graham, 424 Robson Street.

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IN HOSPITAL . . . L. M. McBride, 822 Baker Street, is a patient in Kootenay Lake General Hospital.

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FROM CASTLEGAR . . . Mrs. A. E. Murphy, Baker Street, had as her guests over the weekend Mr. and Mrs. George Shaw of Castlegar. Mr. Shaw is manager of the new branch of the Bank of Commerce in Castlegar.

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AT CARNIVAL . . . Among Nelson people attending Trail Skating Club's Iceland Varieties of 1952 in the smelter city Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Dill, North Shore.

Hat Named In Honor Of Carlsen

PARIS (Reuters) — Capt. Kurt Carlsen, the skipper who stayed aboard the Flying Enterprise for two weeks before it went down in the Atlantic, has commandeered a niche in the Spring fashion scene.

"Capt. Carlsen's" hat in white pique with a visor of black bakou, leads off the Spring hat collection of Svend, one of Paris' top milliners.

Other models stress types of cloches and slouched brimmed hats, which Greta Garbo made famous. Dramatic effects are achieved with chiffon scarves or merry-widow veils, or flowers growing through the floppy brims.

A novel note appears in white pique printed with scribbles from blotting paper. Svend's own signature, in reverse, is used on one model, which completes the theme with a large feather quill pen speared through the Crown.

AND SAILORS

The nautical note is continued by Paulette who sticks to the French Navy. Little berets, complete with topknot and ribbon streamers, are featured in fabric and straw. Other models are copied from Breton-brimmed sailors with the neat small brim bent back against its crown.

A tiny Gibson girl sailor is literally anchored on the head in the back, with a wired scroll in the shape of an anchor, extending down from under the brim.

Paulette features a new approach to Spring with wool and jersey hats. Even grey flannel appears in a pert little cloche, paired with its own stole.

TULLE TRIMMING

Trimming is restrained, and if presented at all, is handled with a light-as-air touch. For the last word in feminine flattery, Paulette takes yards of wispy tulle and drapes it round the shoulders, or allows it to fall unrestricted down the back.

Other effective tricks are seen in untrimmed hats, which are matched with their own special bunch of posies, pinned at the waist or on the shoulder.

Food authorities tell us that frozen concentrated orange juice has been declared the nutritive equal of fresh orange juice. Loss of Vitamin C occurs with improper handling. For best flavor and nutrition, keep juice in covered container in refrigerator.

WOMAN COLLECTS 4000 BUTTONS

EDMONTON (CP) — When a friend in Rhode Island first told Mrs. Earl Quincy of Edmonton about button collecting, she scoffed at the idea.

But that was 10 years and some 4000 buttons ago. Today, Mrs. Quincy has one of the finest collections of buttons in North Americ.

Mrs. Quincy has buttons of early bone, calico buttons worn by frontier women, buttons of ivory from India which were used to convey secret messages, silver buttons with the heraldic crests of English nobility, bridle buttons from the Vanderbilt stables, cameo buttons of Jenny Lind, miniatures on French court beauties painted on silk an deven the lowly overall button — each with its own story

The discs worn as ornaments on Roman and Greek togas were the forerunners of buttons, Mrs. Quincy explains. The nobility wore them as jewelry.

Women weren't admitted to the button world until 1850. Later, Queen Victoria, in mourning for her consort, popularized jet and black glass buttons.

Kaslo Legion L.A. Installs Officers

KASLO, B.C. — Officers for 1952 were installed at a meeting of Ladies' Auxiliary to Kaslo branch of the Canadian Legion in Legion hall.

Mrs. M. Whittaker, past president, officiated at the installation of Mrs. W. F. Tyers as president; Mrs. W. F. Moody, first vice-president; Mrs. L. Bradshaw, second vice-president, and Mrs. C. Carpenter, sergeant-at-arms. Other officers are Mrs. J. Tonkin, secretary; Mrs. T. H. Horner, treasurer; Mrs. E. W. Garrett, standard bearer, and Ms. G. Sutherland and Mrs. H. E. Singel, first and second executive.

Members decided to organize a young mothers' association to be affiliated with the auxiliary.

Three parcels of food are to be sent overseas, two of which will go to relatives of members.

The auxiliary has a good working balance in the bank, the treasurer reported. Two new members were initiated.

Fruitvale Auxiliary Plans Card Party

FRUITVALE, B.C. — Plans for a card party, proceeds from which will help send Guide Marlene Gladdish to national camp at Ottawa this Summer, were made by the Scouts and Guides Mothers' Auxiliary at a meeting here.

Members voted to reimburse leaders of both Guides and Brownies for the cost of their uniforms. Whenever needed, an examiner will be provided to test Guides on any complete work for a badge.

TORONTO — Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire has sent 610,000 cigarettes to the Canadian and British armed forces stationed in Korea and Europe, reports Mrs. K. I. G. Drope, convener of the I.O.D.E. national cigarette fund.

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The World of WOMEN

TOMORROW IS Pancake Day (Shrove Tuesday) and Canadians from Coast to Coast will be greeted with the traditional feast of pancakes—all hot from the griddle

Shrove Tuesday Calls For Fluffy Pancakes

Old and yet ever new . . . that is the story of the pancake! History tells us that it is one of the oldest foods known to man. In some communities, primarily those stemming from English background, the pancake has even been honored by a special holiday.

This holiday, known as Pancake Day, is celebrated on Shrove Tuesday, tomorrow, just before the beginning of Lent. Ever growing in popularity, the celebration began as a religious observance at least 600 years ago.

The pancakes were mixed according to a formula prescribed by the church and wher the church bells tolled it was time to prepare them. Then the people all hurried off to church to be "shriven" or absolved of their sins.

Whether you use a pancake mix that takes the guesswork out of pancaking or make your own from a favorite recipe, you'll want to observe this ancient custom. For there's nothing better than fluffy, golden pancakes, hot off the griddle, dripping with butter and warm maple syrup.

FRENCH PANCAKES

3 eggs, beaten
½ cup milk
½ cup ready-mix for pancakes
½ teaspoon grated lemon rind.

Combine beaten eggs and milk. Add ready-mix and lemon rind, stirring until smooth. Place about a teaspoon of butter in a small frying pan and heat until the butter bubbles. Pour in enough batter to coat bottom of pan with a thin layer.

Bake until delicately browned on under side, turn and bake on other side. Spread each pancake with tart jelly, roll up. Sprinkle with confectioner's sugar.

PANCAKES

1¼ cups sifted all-purpose flour
½ teaspoon salt
2½ teaspoons baking powder
2 tablespoons granulated sugar
1 egg, beaten
1 cup milk
2 tablespoons melted shortening

Sift together flour, salt, baking powder and sugar. Beat egg, stir in milk and melted shortening. Pour over dry ingredients, stir with spoon just until blended.

Pour batter in little pools about 2 inches apart on heated greaseless griddle or into lightly greased, heavy frying pan. Bake until pancakes are puffed and bubbles appear on top. Turn and continue to bake until lightly browned on other side. Makes 10 four-inch pancakes.

SOUR MILK PANCAKES

1¼ cups sifted all-purpose flour
½ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon baking powder
½ teaspoon soda
2 tablespoons granulated sugar
1 egg, beaten
1¼ cups sour milk or buttermilk
2 tablespoons melted shortening

Sift together flour, salt, baking powder, soda and sugar. Beat egg, stir in sour milk and melted shortening. Pour over dry ingredients, stir with spoon just until blended.

Pour batter into little pools about two inches apart on heated greaseless griddle or into lightly greased heavy frying pan. Bake until pancakes are puffed and bubbles appear on top. Turn and continue to bake until lightly browned on other side. Makes about 12 four-inch pancakes.

Tapioca pudding becomes a very special dessert when you sweeten it with brown sugar and add a handful of raisins to the mixture as it cooks. After it cools fold in a half cup of whipped cream.

TRY NEW SAUCES FOR PANCAKES

There's no end to the variety of sauces and syrups that make pancakes so delicious. Corn syrup and maple syrup are, of course, the favorites, but here are a few other delightful combinations.

Brown Sugar Syrup — Combine in saucepan 1 cup of brown sugar, ¾ cup water and ⅛ teaspoon salt. Cook 5 minutes. Add ½ teaspoon maple flavoring before served.

Praline Sauce — Add ½ cup chopped pecan meats to 1½ cups brown sugar syrup or maple syrup.

Fruit Sauce — Combine in a saucepan 3 finely sliced canned peaches or pears with ½ cup of the liquid. Add a little sugar and a teaspoon of lemon juice. Heat until syrup is rather thick.

Spiced Honey — Heat in top of double boiler 1 cup of honey, 1 teaspoo ncinnamon and ½ teaspoon nutmeg. Or add a little cream to honey and heat in the top of double boiler; add a dash of cinnamon and serve with hot pancakes.

Apple Ring Shortenin' Syrup — Core three red-skined apples. Cut each apple into four rings. Fry apple rings in two tablespoons fat until lightly browned. Add 1 cup dark corn syrup, ½ cup water and 1 teaspoon vanilla. Cook slowly until apples are tender.

Snow Cap Topping — Beat 2 tablespoons of top milk into a 3-ounce package of cream chese. Fold in one cup of frozen or canned berries (sweetened) and serve at once with hot pancakes.

HERE ARE TIPS HOT OFF GRIDDLE

Pancakes hot off the griddle . . . that's the way they're best. And to be certain that you make perfect pancakes every time, here are a few pointers to follow:

1. Measure the ingredients carefully.

2. Add liquid all aton ce and stir lightly. The small lumps in the batter will come out in the baking to produce light, tender pancakes.

3. Season griddle properly. To season a new griddle or one that has been scoured, cover it with a thin coating of unsalted shortening or oil. Heat griddle slowly until it begins to smoke; turn off heat and let griddle stand overnight. Remove excess shortening before making pancakes.

4. Grease griddle very lightly with unsalted shortening, heat slowly. Test griddle for correct temperature by sprinkling a few drops of water on it. If griddle is hot enough, the water will bounce a second before evaporating.

5. Pour bter for each pancake onto the griddle all at once. Use small pitcher or measuring cup. If batter is spooned on, the first spoonful starts to bake before the second can be added.

6. Turn pancakes when the tops are covered with tiny bubbles and edges look cooked. Turn them only once.

7. Serve pancakes "hot off the griddle."

Christening Robe Comes From U. K.

NATAL, B.C. — The two-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Menduk of Natal was christened Lynn Robert Menduk at St. Paul's Anglican Church at Michel recently by Rev. Mr. Elsted.

The baby wore a long gown of nylon which came from London, England. The sponsors were Mrs. Sheila Little and Mr. and Mrs. J. Polak. The grandparents of the baby are Mr. and Mrs. L. Little and Mr. and Mrs. S. Menduk, both of Natal.

Marriage Vows Heard At Castlegar Church

CASTLEGAR, B.C. — The blue and pink gowns of her attendants formed a pretty foil for the white ensemble worn by Maxine Velma Burrowes for her marriage to Elden Arthur Purdon in St. Alban's Anglican Church here.

Archdeacon B. A. Resker performed the ceremony which united in marriage the elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Townsend of Castlegar and the elder son of Mr. and Mrs. David Purdon of Oasis.

Mrs. F. A. Hostettet played the traditional wedding music on the organ as the bride entered on her father's arm.

NYLON ORGANDIE

The bride wore a gown of embroidered nylon organdie buttoned to the waist with crystal buttons, styled with a mandarin neckline and long full sleeves with a wide cuff. Her veil of embroidered net was double chapel length and was held in place by a coronet-type headdress. She wore white lace gloves and carried a shower bouquet of red roses.

Miss Joyce Williamson of Castlegar was bridesmaid. She was gowned in a nice blue corded taffeta formal with a sweetheart neckline and short puffed sleeves Her headdress was halo-style trimmed with pearls. She carried a shower bouquet of pink carnations.

Miss Sheila Townsend, younger sister of the bride, was junior bridesmaid. She wore a pink taffeta dress with puffed sleeves and a Peter Pan collar trimmed with rosebuds. Her halo and gloves matched her dress, and she carried a Colonial bouquet of pink carnations.

Mr. Alex Miller of Castlegar was best man, and Mr. Clinton Purdon, the groom's brother, was usher.

The groom's mother wore a teal blue crepe gown with a sequin design at the neckline, a black off-the-race hat and a corsage of pink carnations. Mrs. Townsend was in a dusty rose taffeta gown with a black lace over design, a small black hat with rose trimmings and a corsage of deep pink carnations.

NELSON, TRAIL INTEREST

A reception was held in Twin Rivers hall for 136 guests. The bride's table was covered with a lace cloth and centred with a three-tiered wedding cake flanked by Spring flowers. Friends and relatives from Nelson nd Trail were among the guests. The best man proposed the toast to the bride.

The bride changed to a wine dressmaker suit with black accessories and a corsage of white carnations before leaving for Trail where the couple will make their home.

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Valentine Tea Aids Scholarship Fund

St. Joseph's Academy Parent-Teacher Club realized $78 from its recent successful Valentine tea.

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Time for Action

That joint Ottawa-British Columbia handling of the Sons of Freedom problem is of interest beyond the bounds of this province has been evidenced by the widespread editorial comment by newspapers across the Dominion. Latest Alberta concern is written into a Calgary Albertan editorial which we shall quote in full in an adjoining column.

The release of John Sherstibitoff or Sherstibito has, of course, been explained, at least in part, since the first announcement, as being based on compassionate grounds. It has been said that the convicted arsonist is in Vancouver under medical care for what sect members in the Kootenay describe as an old arthritic leg ailment, and that after treatment he will be "expelled." It would have been better had the original announcement carried this explanation. Any criticism it might have reaped would have been small by comparison to the feeling of unrest and disturbing reaction that did result.

The close-mouthedness that has marked action and attitudes on the problem by higher authorities has contributed nothing to any feeling of assurance that there will be proper, follow-through on the good work of the Consultative Committee on Doukhobors. In truth, it has done the opposite. Delays, and incomplete announcements have done no good, and indeed created in some quarters unwise talk and suggestions of action that require the tempering influence of wiser counsel. Certainly, no considerate person will have sympathy with notions of meeting lawlessness with lawlessness. But, the best means of offsetting unrest is for the men of Victoria and Ottawa to get down to brass tacks and show that they intend to heed major recommendations of the Consultative Committee, or offer something better.

Looking Backward

25 YEARS AGO

From The Nelson Daily News, Feb. 25, 1927

Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. James O'Shea entertained at four tables of bridge at their home on Silica Street, when their guests were Dr. and Mrs. E. G. Smyth, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Garland, Mr. and Mrs. Eric P. Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. John Cartmel, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Bunyan, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Robertson, T. R. Wilson and W. W. Powell.

W. Weatherhead of Yahk is visiting his family in Fairview.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hawkins of Bonnington spent the day in town.

50 YEARS AGO

From The Nelson Daily Miner, Feb. 25, 1902

At a meeting of the City Council a letter was read from J. Matheson asking permission to tin the electric light pole in front of his barbering establishment for seven or eight feet from the ground and to paint the same in stripes. It was decided on motion of Ald. Morrison, seconded by Ald. Drew, that this permission could not be given, as it would not be fair to the other barbers who had no electric light poles in front of their stores and had been compelled to remove the private poles.

"Love is strong as death."—Solomon.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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

Against Royalty, Capitalists, D-Ps

To the Editor:

Sir—I would like to take this opportunity to enquire why we fuss and cry and spend the taxpayers' money on Royalty.

First of all, we have a Governor General who serves no useful purpose and a representative in each Province that you and I, the taxpayers, have to pay for.

Then we bring over Royalty for visits, and more money down the drain; and then last year we have Elizabeth and Philip in Canada, and lavish presents on them.

Now we have the death of King George VI, and naturally Princess Elizabeth taking over the throne and becoming Queen. This is all very well; I imagine we are all quite sorry to hear of his passing and of Elizabeth taking over her duties as Queen so young. But what, may I ask, is all the fuss and feathers raised about? How many fathers in our own country have died this past week and their daughters or sons or wives forced to take over their duties, and without the help of a few million pounds or dollars to tide them over?

If this is a democratic Canada, is it not time we used our sympathies and money for our own people, instead of bowing and giving to a monarchy that is as much use to us as a rock god of some heathen tribe in the jungles?

I, for one, believe it is time we had our own flag, our absolute independence; and if we can't have it under our present system (be it democratic or capitalistic, whichever you would call it), then I believe it is time we got a few old politicians out of their easy chairs and have a new party and some young blood that will get in there and represent the people—and I mean the people, not big business men.

I suppose numerous people will write and brand me non-patriotic and a Communist and what have you, but I'll tell you this, that I will fight for my country and family for just cause, but not to save some capitalist's oil wells or to use up a few thousand planes and millions of dollars of equipment so we can run our war factories full blast and provide big-paying jobs for our D.P.'s while our own boys fight and die for $1.50 for a 24-hour day.

In Canada now we have veterans out of work. I myself was out of work for some time shortly after my discharge from the Army in 1945. We see one headline—so many thousand jobless in Canada—and turn the page, and there we'd see another headline telling us the number of D.P.'s (and past enemies, some of them) in Canada, and the plans to bring over more. And what happens in event of war? We as born Canadians go, and they as our guests can stay and make their $10 or $15 a day, while we die for what?

A CANADIAN.

Says U. S., Russia Should Co-Operate

To the Editor:

Sir—Permit me, please, to quote your most interesting newspaper dated Jan. 9: "Alberta Moves Up."

"Alberta, only 46 years a Province, has moved up to fourth place in population, with 936,556, a gain of 140,000 for the decade. It has replaced Saskatchewan in the standing, and now is led only by Ontario, Quebec and British Columbia. It is so close behind the coast Province, however, that a hard race by both of them is indicated for the 10 years just ahead. Each is tapping new resources and growing rapidly. Progress and competition will go together. Best of all, they can be rivals without being enemies, for each has much it will and can give to the other in the way of markets, materials and means of distribution.—Windsor Daily Star."

What is said in the last paragraph quoted about Alberta and British Columbia in my humble opinion applies very nicely to the United States and U.S.S.R. (or vice versa) dog-fight.

These two powerful nations should learn to cooperate with each other instead of preparing to operate (bombing) on one another.

"Truth never yet fell dead on the streets; it has such affinity with the soul of man, the seed however broadcast will catch somewhere and produce its hundredfold." — Theodore Parker.

STEPHEN IWANICK.

433 South East 5 Street,
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?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. V. R. P., Cranbrook—Where can I get a ladies' coat dyed?

Roy Stevens, Tri-Cleaning, 1170 Burrard Street, Vancouver.

Curious, Chapman Camp—To settle an argument, tell me who "that man" refers to in this saying: "Brothers and sisters have I none. But that man's father is my father's son?"

"That man," namely the man whose portrait is being viewed by the speaker, is the speaker's son.

Subscriber, Nelson—We are indebted to S.D.B., Kimberley, for the following information:

"Referring to the answer as to where the largest meteoric crater is: The largest known is in the Northern tip of Quebec, and is called Chubb Crater. It was photographed from the air by a U.S. Army Air Force plane in 1943 and surveyed by a National Geographic Society group in 1951. This crater is over two miles wide, having a circumference of 6.8 miles."

Reader, Greenwood—What is the population of Morocco, Arabia, and Egypt?

The estimated population of Arabia is 10,000,000; of Morocco, 9,591,000; of Egypt, 20,045,000.

Middle-Aged, Nelson—On what day of the week did March 28 occur in leap-year 1892?

Tuesday.

Totally Unknown Factor

(Calgary Albertan)

"Action of British Columbia's "Screening Sub-committee of the Consultative Committee on Doukhobor Problems" in recommending the release on parole of a notorious arsonist after serving but 18 months of a 14-year sentence is puzzling to a great many people. According to press reports, the sub-committee made its recommendation, presumably to the Department of Justice, on factors "totally unknown to the public." Attached to the parole is the condition that John Sherstibitoff, one of the leaders of the fiery Sons of Freedom, must remove himself from British Columbia.

"What are these factors "totally unknown to the public"? Have they come to light since Sherstibitoff faced a court of law and a jury or were they known then? What if Sherstibitoff, along with his unknown factors and the more than 12 years of prison sentence he was released from serving, takes himself to Alberta? Will provincial authorities here be made acquainted with these factors that are of sufficient importance to over-ride the opinion of the trial judge, who thought Sherstibitoff should serve 14 years for his part in the reign of terror that brought him into court?

"The Doukhobor problem has exercised the neighboring province for a great many years. Kindness has been tried, without success. A get-tough policy was introduced, resulting in some stiff sentences. Now, apparently, an attitude of forgiveness is to be introduced. But along wih being forgiving, British Columbians are throwing heir unwanted residents right out of the province, and right into someone else's lap.

"There may be good and sufficient reasons for this extraordinary action but if there are, it is time we were told about them."

How correct. Surely our courts are in a much better position to administer justice than the so-called "Screening Committee"? Justice is what the people of this province demand and the reason should be made public for the parole of Mr. Sherstibitoff. Our government at Victoria must certainly be aware of the recommendations of the committee and have concurred in them. The facts should be made public immediately. Other provinces should also know what they might expect.

Your Horoscope

A social invitation you may shortly receive could lead to new happiness. Make no erratic changes or decisions in the next year, and you may expect some good fortune. Today's child should be mentally alert, idealistic and romantic.

They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo

Today's Bible Thought

It may take half a lifetime to bring the fraud into the open, but false witness ruins the peace and certainly the character of the liar.

A false witness shall not be unpunished.—Prov. 19:9.

Aunt Het

I don't know what it was that spoiled Cain. He didn't have no grandmother.

Fowey in Cornwall, England, was a leading port in early times and ships for the Crusades were fitted out there.

Prince Philip, Reigning Queen's Consort, Likely to Run Household

By COLIN FROST

LONDON, Feb. 24 (AP)—A blond young athlete with a ready smile is settling down to the toughest job Britain has to offer. And the British people, although unsure what the job entails, are certain he'll make the grade.

The man is Philip, 30-year-old Duke of Edinburgh. The job is Prince Consort to a reigning Queen.

Philip as yet has no legal status beyond that of any ordinary husband. His role in state affairs must be largely unofficial. Even his title has prompted speculation.

Only his wife, Queen Elizabeth II, can decide Philip's share in her great burden.

HISTORY NO HELP

British commentators trying to forecast Philip's role have brought out the history books to see how Queen Victoria shared her job with Prince Albert. But history hasn't helped much.

Both Philip and Albert were foreign-born. Albert was a German and Philip came from Greece. The similarity ends there.

Albert came to Britain a stranger, misunderstood and misunderstanding. He hardly spoke the language. Much of the country mistrusted him.

Only after his death did Britons realize that Albert's wisdom in state councils had spurred the Victorian age to prosperity, only then did they call him Albert the Good.

RIGHT BACKGROUND

Philip came to his new job well-known and well-liked by the British people. He has the right background—a British upbringing, a first-class record in the Royal Navy, a love of sport and a sense of humor that Albert lacked.

Newsreels and the press have made his smile familiar throughout the Commonwealth. His share in Elizabeth's Canadian tour last year brought new warmth—and strength—to Royalty's part in holding together the scattered British peoples.

Philip's public life now that his wife is Queen is likely to follow the pattern of the last few years. He will still be the good-humored shadow, ready to lend a quick hand when the queenly course gets tricky.

Behind the scenes Philip is likely to run the royal household and estates for his wife. If he does, palace sources say, he will probably shake up the costly routine of court life, little changed since Albert gave it a going over more than a century ago.

The aim will be to save money.

Jennie Lee Begs Respect for Queen

LONDON, Feb. 24 (AP)—Jennie Lee, wife of Aneurin Bevan and herself a Labor member of Parliament, asked Britons to quit prying into the private life of Queen Elizabeth.

"The Queen Mother, in a moving message, has told us the young Queen needs the love and protection of us all," Miss Lee wrote in The Weekly Tribune. She continued:

"One thing we can at once do is to insist that the Queen's private life be respected and she be given not only time enough but peace of mind to live her private life."

Jittery Iranians Eye Kuwait Oil

By JOHN SCALI

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24 (AP) — The fabulous piece of desert-bound real estate called the Kuwait has moved into the Middle East oil picture as possibly Britain's trump card in its bitter dispute with Iran.

There are signs that Iran's Prime Minister, Mohammed Mossadegh, realizes this and is getting increasingly jittery over his prospects of victory.

Ever since Iran nationalized Britain's $1,000,000,000 oil properties, production in the Kuwait has been going up and up. This desert sheikhdom, an Arabian port at the mouth of the Persian Gulf, is turning out 640,000 barrels of oil daily, replacing nearly half of Iran's output.

Added to stepped-up production in Saudi-Arabia, Iraq and the Western hemisphere, the rich flow of oil from Kuwait has enabled the West to get by since last Summer when oil stopped moving from Iran.

Further, there are indications that the sheikh of Kuwait and King Abdullah of Saudi-Arabia would in effect insist that their stepped-up oil production be kept at the same level. These governments could argue cogently, some officials believe, that they helped out in a pinch and should not be tossed aside when things ease up.

So much money is pouring into the sheikdom that Britain has sent half-a-dozen specialists there to figure out how the old sheikh can spend it. The 1950-square-mile area he rules not only stands to be the richest in the Middle East but perhaps the world. Statisticians estimade per capita income in the Kuwait this year, when added to the money earned by inhabitants working for the oil company, will average about $2000 annually.

CHUMLEIGH, England (CP). — Ernie Webber, 75-year-old postman who has delivered mail by horseback in this Devonshire town for 58 years, finally decided to retire. His last horse died and he could not get used to riding a bicycle.

Experts Studying Waterton Trout

HAMILTON, Feb. 24 (CP)—Two fisheries experts of the Federal Resources and Development Department said some lake trout grow faster in Waterton Lakes in Alberta than in other Canadian lakes.

F. H. Schultz and J. P. Cuerrier reported to a meeting of the advisory committee on wildlife of the Research Council of Ontario on an intensive study of limnological conditions in the Waterton Lakes of the Waterton Lakes National Park in 1951. The lakes are located 4200 feet above sea level and their maximum depth is 450 feet.

The study had also disclosed that the Waterton Lakes were inhabited by a deep-water type of lake trout, distinctly separate from the normal type and characterized by dark pigmentation, slow rate of growth and different feeding habits.

Mr. Schultz and Mr. Cuerrier said it had been concluded that the good growth and excellent condition of the normal type were believed related to an abundant and readily available supply of common whitefish as good supply; absence of competitive species for this apparently preferred food supply and favorable physical and chemical conditions of the lakes.

Sir Leslie Stephen, English religious author who died in 1904, was a famous European mountain-climber

Views From the News Fronts

BY CARTER L. DAVIDSON

LISBON, Feb. 24 (AP) — The free world's biggest diplomats are calling the Lisbon Atlantic Council meeting "the dawn of a new day" and similar things.

They refer to the 14-country rubber-stamping of the Western Big-Three acceptance of the watered-down plan to rearm the Germans within a European army.

But we won't know whether it's a new day dawning bright until the United States Congress and European parliaments decide.

They must first squeeze more money from the taxpayers. That chore in the United States may be rugged in a presidential election year.

TAKE DOWN PREJUDICE

Secondary, in Europe, legislators must tear down prejudices it has taken Europeans thousands of years and many wars to build up.

This ninth session of the Atlantic Council has a number of achievements to its credit; the most publicized is the approval of the general principles of the European defence community.

These broad principles were drafted in nearly a year of negotiations by ministers and technicians of France, West Germany, Italy and the three little Benelux countries.

They were put in workable form a week ago when Britain, U.S., and France held a series of horse-trading meetings with Germany's Chancellor Konrad Adenauer in London, to do away with the combination of German pride and French prejudice.

When the Atlantic Council approved the compromise he and the others reached in London, State Secretary Dean Acheson of the U.S. said "we have taken a greatly significant step. A dawn is breaking on a new day for all of us."

Britain's Anthony Eden called it the "beginning of a new era." France's Robert Schuman said progress on the European army so far "makes it possible to envisage within a short time the final signature" of the treaty.

Europe still faces the battle of accepting the idea revolutionary to most Europeans —of sharing national secrets and national efforts with the fellow across the border.

U.K., U.S. Make Terms With Rand

CAPETOWN, South Africa (Reuters) —Mines Minister Johannes Viljoen said a new agreement has been reached on the production and sale of uranium from Rand Gold Mines, following discussions with the United States and Britain at the end of 1st year.

Viljoen told the House of Representatives the new agreement provides for increased production of Uranium and also lays down that an invitation should be made to mines not already producing uranium to install the necessary processing plants.

Under the agreement the plants would be paid for by loans from American and British sources, which would be repayable from the sale of uranium.

The agreement also provides that the price of uranium would be fixed on a "cost plus" basis.

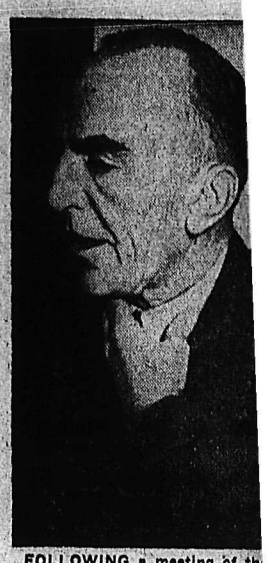
Airlines Faces Suit

VICTORIA, B.C., Feb. 24 (CP) — Queen Charlotte Airlines faced a damage suit, arising out of one of the worst aviation disasters in Canada.

Mrs. Gordon Graham, of Victoria, has filed in Vancouver Supreme Court a civil suit for unstated damages for the loss of her husband, killed when a Queen Charlotte Airlines Canso aircraft crashed on Mount Benson, near Nanaimo, last Oct. 17.

Mrs. Graham is also suing the estate of pilot Doug MacQueen, who was killed, along with 22 passengers in the disaster.

Staunton in Virginia was the first municipality to use the commission form of government under a city manager.



FOLLOWING a meeting of the U.S. national air transport coordinating committee, Chairman Eddie Rickenbacker announced that air activity at LaGuardia airport, New York, will be reduced by 226 planes daily. The step was taken, he said, because residents in the vicinity of the airport had felt that the peak load of flights was a definite hazard and feared duplication of the Newark airport catastrophes.—Central Press Canadian.

Two Sittings Daily In Victoria House

VICTORIA, B. C., Feb. 24 (CP)—Starting next Tuesday, the Legislature will hold two sittings each day.

The first will be from 2 to 6 p.m. and the second from 8 p.m. until adjournment.

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Around the KOOTENAY in Sport

GERRY REYNOLDS

Nelson Maple Leaf stock for provincial title honors got a big boost Saturday with the acquisition of Willie Schmidt for the Allan Cup playdowns. The hefty blocker should be just what the doctor ordered for the Leaf defensive corps in the way of a solid anchor man.

Hufty, Wares and company have been looking for a player of Schmidt's qualifications ever since Calgary Stampeders lured big Bob Gilhooly into professional ranks last November. At that time, Stamp coach Tommy Anderson promised to provide the Leafs with at least one replacement as soon as available. Shortly after, Anderson resigned and the Calgary executive washed its hands of any arrangements he may have made.

It wasn't until shortly before the Feb. 10 deadline for registering players, however, that Wares learned that no help would be forthcoming from Calgary. Unsuccessful in searches elsewhere, the Leafs appealed to the C.A.H.A. and the B.C.H.A. for permission to pick up a replacement from the first B.C. senior team eliminated. Both gave their blessing and with Penticton Vees being the first club out of the running, Schmidt was selected.

Kimberley will likely lodge a protest against use of Schmidt in the Saturday game here on the grounds that he was not yet registered. Both Leaf president Frank Hufty and B.C.H.A. secretary Leo Atwell said the C.A.H.A., through secretary-treasurer George Dudley of Midland, Ont., had indicated it was okay to use him and that a formal vote of the C.A.H.A. registration committee was being undertaken. Official permission is expected within a day or two when the telegraph vote is completed. The Leaf front office doesn't anticipate any hitches.

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As for Leaf chances in the Playdowns, I now think they have an excellent chance to win the Province. Even without Schmidt, they were the team to beat up until the last week of play when none of the clubs except Spokane were taking too many chances. Right now, I see Nelson getting past Kimberley in four games.

That 8-1 trouncing the Dynamiters took here Saturday has little bearing on that last call, incidentally. After the Leafs got a couple of goals, Kimberley didn't exert themselves too much. It should be a different story Tuesday with the club at full strength and the blue chips on the line.

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SHORT SHOTS . . . Playing it safe in the final league game at Spokane last night, Eddie Wares came up with a lineup that included four brothers. He rested Boomer Rodzinyak, who is bothered with sinus, and used juvenile goalie Gerry Koehle, kid brother of Red and Fritz, in the nets. Red also sat this one out to rest up and Willie Schmidt's "kid" brother, Eddie, moved into the centre ice breach . . . Willie is 29, Eddie 21 . . . Third Schmidt in B.C. senior hockey is Otto, who toils for Vancouver Wheelers . . . Incidentally, Willie hits the scales at 195 although just five-nine in height. Born in Saskatoon, he saw both junior and senior service with the Quakers prior to the war, joined New Westminster Royals for four seasons after the war, then to Seattle Ironmen in 1949-50 and Vancouver Canucks in '50-'51 . . . Started out with Canucks again this season before joining the Vees late in October. Willie was a standout with the Vees and was recently selected as the Okanagan loop's Most Valuable Player . . . It was 16 years ago Saturday night when Eddie Wares made his National Hockey League debut with New York Rangers. It feels like 30 years ago, I'll bet.

Maartman Rink Wins B. C. Title

Mrs. Storm Maartman of Kimberley overcame a strong lead built up by Mrs. T. A. Wallace of Nelson and went on to win the B.C. Ladies' Curling Championship and the Collinson Trophy at Nelson curling rink Sunday afternoon.

A large gallery saw the Nelson curlers chalk up six points in the first five ends, then score only twice in the next seven while the East Kootenay rink inched its way up to tie the score 8-8 by the 11th end and mark up two more in the 12th.

Earlier in the day, Mrs. Wallace with one loss in the double knockout play, that to Mrs. Maartman, beat her 14-9 to stay in the running. The two rinks immediately moved to another sheet for the sudden-death final. The Nelson rink built up two or three good ends in the windup game, but the Kimberley curlers edged them out on each occasion with some fine shots.

Mrs. Maartman's rink was composed of Mrs. I. Leith, Mrs. C. Livingstone and Mrs. R. Lilley, while Mrs. Wallace had Mrs. J. M. DeGirolamo, Mrs. A. J. Hesse and Mrs. R. H. Bush.

The Queen City primary event was captured by Mrs. Wallace's rink Saturday night runnerup being Mrs. C. Graham of Trail.

Consolation prize was taken by Mrs. V. Pattullo of Trail, who defeated Mrs. E. Jones of Beaverdell.

Prizes were presented by Mrs. W. J. Hipperson, president of the Nelson Ladies Curling Club assisted by the vice-presidents, Mrs. John Thom and Mrs. E. N. Mannings.

The championship will be played off at Kamloops next year. At the elections here, Mrs. K. W. Gray of Kamloops was elected president. First vice-president is Mrs. R. Rose of Trail, which will be scene of the 1954 title play. Second vice-president is Mrs. F. McKenzie of Vancouver. Permanent central secretary is Mrs. A. B. Porter of Vancouver.

Results of games:

B. C. CHAMPIONSHIP

T. A. Wallace, Nelson 9, C. Pitman, Vancouver 7.

F. Gustafson, Prince George 10, M. Brunn, Vancouver 3.

K. Shirling, Cranbrook 9, E. Jones, Beaverdell 10.

A. B. Porter, Vancouver 7, C. Graham, Trail 9.

V. Brown, Vancouver 8, Pitman, Vancouver 4.

C. Graham, Trail 5, V. Brown, Vancouver 9.

F. Gustafson, Prince George 9, E. Jones, Beaverdell 8.

Gustafson 4, Brown 12.

T. A. Wallace, Nelson 8, L. Maartman 10.

Semi-Finals

Wallace 9, Brown 7.

Maartman 9, Wallace 14.

Final

Maartman 10, Wallace 8.

QUEEN CITY

Round 1

M. L. Craig, Nelson 10, V. Pattullo, Trail 6.

C. Graham, Trail 16, R. Little, Nelson 2.

T. A. Wallace, Nelson 11, L. Maartman, Kimberley 10.

F. Gustafson, Prince George 13, E. N. Mannings, Nelson 4.

QUEEN CITY

Round 2

Wallace, Nelson 11; Maartman, Kimberley 10 (extra end).

Graham, Trail 16, Little Nelson 2

Craig, Nelson 10, Pattullo, Trail 6.

Gustafson, Prince George 13, Mannings, Nelson 4.

Semi-Finals

Graham, Trail 12, Craig, Nelson 6.

Wallace, Nelson 14, Gustafson, Prince George 8.

Final

Wallace, Nelson 9, Graham, Trail 5.

CONSOLATION

Round 1

Nuyens, Nelson 16, Stan, Nelson 4.

Brunn, Vancouver 12, Porter, Vancouver 2.

Hipperson, Nelson 9, Shirling, Cranbrook 5.

Little, Nelson 4, Pitman, Vancouver 9.

Pattullo, Trail 15, Mannings, Nelson 6.

Round 2

Nuyens, Nelson 9, Hipperson, Nelson 10.

Craig, Nelson 9, Pitman, Vancouver 8.

Brunn, Vancouver 3, Pattullo, Trail 14.

Semi-Finals

Hipperson, Nelson 5, Pattullo, Trail 11.

Jones, Beaverdell, 10 Craig, Nelson 9.

Final

Jones, Beaverdell 9, Pattullo, Trail 14.

ARENA SCHEDULE

MONDAY

1:00- 2:00—Kimberley Dynamiters Practice.
2:45- 3:45—Maple Bud Practice.
3:45- 4:55—Figure Skating.
5:00- 6:00—Minor Hockey.
7:00 —Trail Bantams vs Nelson.
8:30 —Trail Juveniles vs Nelson.

TUESDAY

2:45- 4:00—Tiny Tots Skating.
8:00 —Senior Hockey Play-off No. E. Kimberley vs Nelson.

WEDNESDAY

7:00- 8:30—Figure Skating Patch Session.
10:00-12:00—Kimberley Dynamiters Practice.
2:00- 4:00—General Skating.
4:05- 5:00—Bantam Pool.
5:00- 6:00—Minor Hockey.
6:30- 7:30—Senior Hockey.
8:15-10:15—Adult Skating.

THURSDAY

2:45- 4:00—Tiny Tots Skating.
8:00 —Senior Hockey Play-offs No. F. Kimberley vs Nelson.

FRIDAY

3:45- 4:55—Figure Skating.
5:00- 6:00—Minor Hockey.
6:30- 7:30—Senior Hockey.
8:15-10:15—Adult Skating.
10:30-11:30—Minor Hockey.

SATURDAY

7:30- 9:00—Figure Skating.
9:00-10:00—Bantam Pool.
10:05-12:00—General Skating.
12:30- 5:30—Minor Hockey.
7:00-10:00—Commercial Hockey.

SUNDAY

12:30- 2:45—Figure Skating.
3:00- 5:00—General Skating.

LEAFS WIN, LOSE AS W. I. H. L. REGULAR SEASON COMPLETED

Trounce Kimberley 8-1 Saturday, Drop 5-2 Decision to Flyers; Add Defenceman

Nelson Maple Leafs ended their regular W.I.H.L. home season on a pleasing note at Civic Arena Saturday night, breezing to an easy 8-1 victory over the Kimberley Dynamiters before 1500 fans.

Equally pleasing was the surprise appearance in the Nelson lineup of husky rearguard Willie Schmidt, late of Penticton Vees, who flew in from the Okanagan to join the club Saturday. The Leafs plan to use Schmidt in the playoffs as a replacement for Bob Gilhooly, grabbed off by Calgary Stampeders early in the season.

Schmidt, older brother of Eddie Schmidt of the Leafs, made an impressive debut with some solid defensive work and fine puck-carrying.

15TH HOME WIN

The Greenshirts weren't extended in wrapping up their 15th win against five loses and a tie during the home schedule. They outplayed Kimberley during most of the scoreless first period, then broke out for five unanswered tallies in the second and coasted in with three more in the last period when the visitors scored their lone tally.

Don Appleton was the big gun in the Leaf attack, notching his fourth hat trick of the season when he scored all three last-period goals for the home club. He also picked up an assist to make it a productive evening.

Bill Haldane, Pete Dobni, Johnny Fargher, Johnny Harms and Red Koehle scored in that order in the second to provide the coasting margin.

Sam Calles shattered Boomer Rodzinyak's chances for a shutout by notching the lone Dynamiter tally at 5:48 of the third.

Dave McLay came up with a sparkling display in the Kimberley net, turning aside 34 shots as against 17 by Rodzinyak.

Kimberley played without Spence Tatchell, Bill Jones and Ken Simpson while Coach Ralph Redding did not make the trip due to family illness.

Eddie Wares was back in the lineup while both Ernie Gare and George Barefoot sat it out to make room for he and Schmidt.

The same two clubs go at it here again Tuesday in the opening game of the best-of-five W.I.H.L. Allan Cup semi-final playdowns.

Kimberley — goal, McLay; defence, Johnston, Barker, Sutherland, Yost; forwards, B. Mellor, R. Mellor, Barre, Livingstone, Bell, Calles, Schmied, Kavanagh.

Nelson — Goal, Rodzinyak; defence, Schmidt, Pasqualotto, Wares, Severyn; forwards, R. Koehle, F. Koehle, Smith, Appleton, Haldane, Harms, Dobni, McClenaghan, Fargher.

Officials — Lang and Ludlow.

SUMMARY

First Period — Scoring — None

Penalties — Smith, Pasqualotto, R. Mellor.

Second period — 1. Nelson, Haldane (Harms) 1:45; 2. Nelson, Dobni 9:06; 3. Nelson, Fargher (Dobni, Severyn) 17:00; 4. Nelson, Harms (Haldane, Appleton) 18:40; 5. Nelson, R. Koehle (F. Koehle) 19:20.

Penalty — Sutherland.

Third period — . Nelson, Appleton (Wares) 3:48; 7. Kimberley, Calels (Schmied) 5:48; 8. Nelson, Appleton (Harms, Haldane) 9:55; 9. Nelson, Appleton (Smith) 19:35.

Penalty — McClenaghan.

Stops by:

McLay	12	15	7	—34
Rodzinyak	8	4	5	—17

The Scoreboard

By the Canadian Press

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Chicago 0, Montreal 7.
Detroit 3, Toronto 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Buffalo 4, Syracuse 1.
Cincinnati 2, Cleveland 4.
Indianapolis 2, Pittsburgh 6.
Hershey 7, St. Louis 4.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE
Vancouver 4, Tacoma 7.
Victoria 2, New Westminster 5.
Calgary 1, Saskatoon 1.

MARITIME MAJOR
Sydney 4, Moncton 6.
Saint John 5, Halifax 1.
Charlottetown 4, Glace Bay 4.

QUEBEC SENIOR
Quebec 7, Ottawa 5.

OHA SENIOR A
Brantford 4, Owen Sound 10.
Hamilton 2, Sarnia 5.

EASTERN CANADA SENIOR
Thurso 3, Pembroke 1.
(Thurso leads best-of-seven series 2-1).

NORTHERN ONTARIO SENIOR
Sudbury Wolves 0, Sault Ste. Marie 4.

OHA JUNIOR A
Guelph 3, Toronto Marlboros 3.
Oshawa 2, Toronto St. Michael's 4.

NORTHERN ONTARIO SENIOR
Sudbury Miners 0, North Bay 6.

SUNDAY

QUEBEC SENIOR
Shawinigan Falls 2, Quebec 5.
Sherbrooke 0, Chicoutimi 4.
Valleyfield 5, Montreal 5.

SASKATCHEWAN SENIOR
Regina 1, Melville 5.
(Melville leads best-of-five semi finals 2-0.)

WESTERN INTERNATIONAL SENIOR (Saturday)
Spokane 6, Trail 1.
Nelson 8, Kimberley 1.

PACIFIC COAST SENIOR
Nanaimo 8, Vancouver 6.
(Vancouver leads best-of-seven 2-1).

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Flyers Whip Smokies 6-1

SPOKANE, Wash., Feb. 24 (AP) —Lorne Nadeau and Doug Carrigan each scored hat-tricks Saturday night to win a 6-1 Western International League hockey victory for the Spokane Flyers over the Trail Smoke Eaters.

Nadeau began the scoring and they traded goals, each scoring once in each period.

Trail's lone score was made by Johnny Rypien midway in the third period.

First period — 1. Spokane, Nadeau 3:20; 2. Spokane, Carrigan (Cirullo, MacPherson) 13:56.

Penalties—None.

Second period — 3. Spokane, Nadeau (S. Bentley) 12:20; 4. Spokane, Carrigan (MacPherson) 18:49.

Penalties—Cirullo, Stanton.

Third period — 5. Trail, Rypien (Kotanen) 9:15; 6. Spokane, Nadeau (Macauley, McNally) 17:03; 7. Spokane, Carrigan 19:56.

Penalties — Mandryk (2), Rypien, Blackett.

FLYER-SMOKIE SERIES WILL OPEN IN TRAIL

SPOKANE, Feb. 24 (AP) — Trail will host the Spokane Flyers in the first two games of the Western International Hockey League playoffs on Feb. 26 and 28, Flyer officials reported Saturday night.

The third tilt of the best-of-five game series will be played in Spokane March 1, and the fourth, if needed on March 2.

If a fifth contest is necessary, home percentages will decide where it will be played.

Five-Goal Third Period Wins For Clippers

NANAIMO, Feb. 24 (CP) — Exploding with five unanswered goals in the final period, Nanaimo Clippers Saturday night defeated Vancouver Wheelers 8-6 in the third game of the best-in-seven Pacific Coast playoffs. It was Clippers' first series win, and the fourth game goes at Kerrisdale Monday night.

Wheelers, taking full advantage of six first period penalties to Nanaimo, took an early 4-1 lead, and increased it to 6-3 by the end of the second period in the wake of some slightly terrific and phenomenal goaling by Wheelers' Bob Bartlett.

The game was fast and furious all the way with Wheelers looking as though they intended to sweep the series in straight games. Not until the final period did Clippers' repeated power plays begin to bear fruit.

Angie Defelice completed the hat trick in the wild third period. Don Culley and Hermie Gruhn got the others. Brown, Fennell and Culley got Clippers first three. Al Rittinger and Stan Chmiel fired two each for the Wheelers with Leek and Sims accounting for singles.

SPORTSCRAPS by JACK MACMELLON

ROCKY LEADS HQ BRASS TO PUCK WIN IN KOREA

WITH THE COMMONWEALTH DIVISION IN KOREA, Feb. 24 (Reuters) — Brig. John M. Rockingham set up the winning goal today as a team from the 25th Brigade Headquarters defeated officers of the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry 3-2 in a hockey game played on the frozen Injim River.

Rockingham, playing defence, made a shaky length-of-the ice attack, passed to Capt. Dodd P. Fenny of Dundas, Ont., who scored the winning goal and promptly fell.

Said Rockingham: "I practiced that for more than three hours in my tent last night."

A goal by Chaplain Maj Joe Cardy of Port Credit, Ont., was disallowed. The referee said he was offside.

Other goal scorers included Maj. Charles Hamilton of Brandon, Man., for Headquarters, Lieut. Tom Cory of Medicine Hat, Alta.; and Lieut. Jerry Richards of Calgary for the P.P.C.L.I.

With Stane And Besom

Nelson Curling Club draws for the week are as follows:

Monday

7 p.m. — H. Korbin vs H. Burden; A. L. Cooke vs W. Stern; A. Ried vs V. M. Killeen; A. Cawley vs L. Chase; R. Nash vs A. Moore.

9 p.m. — W. Kapak vs J. A. MacDonell; C. M. Suitor vs L. G. Peerless; H. D. Forman vs R. Palmer; A. Waters vs T. A. Wallace; A. Freeman vs J. R. Teague.

Tuesday — Hockey.

Wednesday

7 p.m. — A. Reid vs A. Moore; A. Waters vs J. Milne; J. A. MacDonell vs T. Halsey; A. Cawley vs R. Nash; H. Korbin vs A. G. Cooke.

9 p.m. — J. Teague vs J. R. Bailey; O. G. Macintyre vs D. S. Rodgers; C. M. Suitor vs H. D. Forman; L. J. Maurer vs D. M. Sample; A. S. Lockwood vs W. Stern.

Thursday — Hockey.

Friday

7 p.m. — Section playoffs of plugs and colts begin. Draw to be announced later. A. Waters vs D. M. Sample; W. A. Duckworth vs L. J. Maurer.

Olympic Standings

Final standing in the round-robin Olympic Hockey Championship series won by Canada:

	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Canada	7	0	1	71	14	15
United States	6	1	1	43	21	13
Czechoslovakia	6	2	0	47	18	12
Sweden	6	2	0	48	19	12
Switzerland	4	4	0	40	40	8
Finland	2	6	0	21	60	4
x-Poland	1	5	1	17	53	3
Germany	1	6	1	21	53	3
x-Norway	0	7	0	12	42	0

x—Norway and Poland to play their final-round game Monday.)

The final unofficial standing (based on 10 points for first and 5-4-3-2-1 for the next five places, with one point to be alloted):

Norway	125½
United States	89½
Finland	72
Austria	60
Germany	50½
Sweden	28½
Italy	25
Netherlands	24
Switzerland	23
Canada	18½
Great Britain	13
France	10
Czechoslovakia	4
Hungary	4
Belgium	1
Japan	½

MEDICINE HAT, Alta., Feb. 24 (CP)—A goal by Captain Jim Smith with just 28 seconds remaining today gave Medicine Hat Cougars a 5-4 victory over Coleman Grands in the first game of a best-of-three series for the Southern Alberta intermediate hockey title.

Mercs Win Olympic Hockey Title

By JACK SULLIVAN
Canadian Press Staff Writer

OSLO, Feb. 24 (CP) — Canada tonight won the 1952 Olympics hockey championship — the only gold-medal victory for Canada in the Winter Games — with a 3-3 final-game tie with the United States.

The tie was enough to keep Canada on top of the nine-country standing but it broke a seven-game winning streak the Canadians had nourished from the start of the round-robin series.

The tying goal came scarcely two minutes from the end of the game when the United States tossed in desperate power plays. The draw gave the United States second place. A loss would have dropped that country to fourth.

The United States overcame a two-goal lead Billy Dawe and Louis Secco gave Canada in the opening period. The Americans snapped back with goals by Johnny Mulhern of Boston and Ruben Bjorkman of Roseau, Minn., in the second period.

But with only 90 seconds of the second period left, Don Gauf put the Canadians ahead again. Despite the gambling chances the Americans took in the final period it looked as if the Canadians would win their eighth straight.

Jimmy Sedin of St. Paul, Minn., poked in the tying goal. Standing near the goal mouth, Sedin took a pass from Jerry Kilmartim of Providence, R.I., and rapped the puck past goalie Ralph Hansch.

Tonight's victory was Canada's fifth since the Olympic hockey championships were started back in 1924. The only time any other country had taken honors was in 1936 when Great Britain's team, which had a Canadian tinge, was the winner.

In other games tonight Czechoslovakia shut out Sweden 4-0 and Switzerland defeated Germany 6-3. The game between Norway and Poland scheduled for a smaller rink, was postponed because of soft ice and will be played tomorrow.

Czechoslovakia's victory over Sweden gave the Czechs third place in the standing by a whisker, the Swedes ending fourth.

The United States had one loss in the series — a 4-2 setback at the hands of Sweden — and in the final standing had 13 points for six wins and a tie compared with Canada's 15 points.

On tonight's play the Canadians—the Mercurys from Edmonton — had a wide edge over the Americans, and also some tough luck. They fired 58 shots at goalie Dick Desmond, compared with only 13 that Hansch had to kick out.

Coach Lou Holmes of the Mercurys said he was satisfied with the outcome and called it "a very good game."

"The United States has a good club, the toughest we've met," said Holmes. "We figured from the start they were the team to beat in this tournament."

Engelbert Miller, who was given a clean bill on his amateur status before the Olympics started, was the fastest man on the ice and also the scrappiest. He fought for the puck at every opportunity and although he didn't figure in the scoring he was a valuable man.

Saturday's game against Norway was just a breeze for the Canadians in their 11-2 victory. Bruce Dickson was high scorer with three goals and Billy Dawe and Billy Gibson had two each. Tom Pollock, George Abel, Bob Watt and Engelbert Miller each collected one goal.

ST. SAUVER, Que., Feb. 24 (CP) — Queen's University won the inter-collegiate ski meet here Saturday.

Second was University of Montreal, and University of Toronto and McGill University skiers were third and fourth respectively.

Frank Udvari will be the next referee to join the American Hockey League's officiating staff, from the National League, under the rotating system in effect this season. Frank pronounces his name "Ood-vari", accent on the first syllable.

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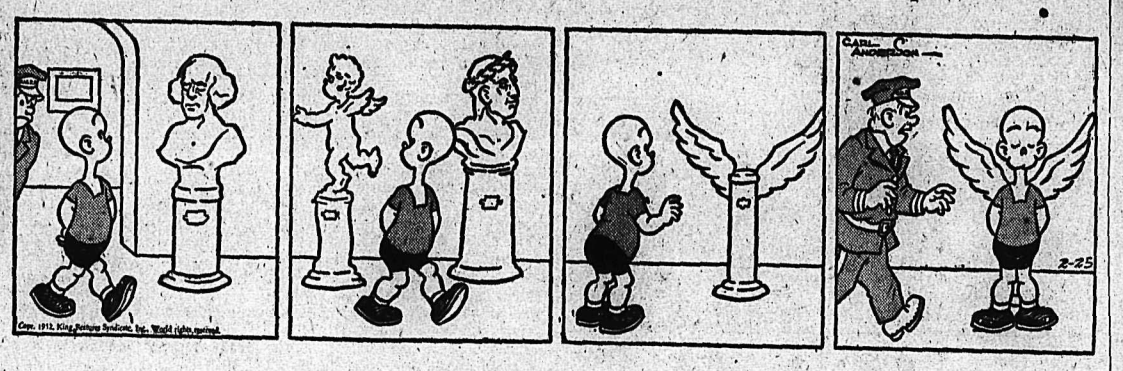

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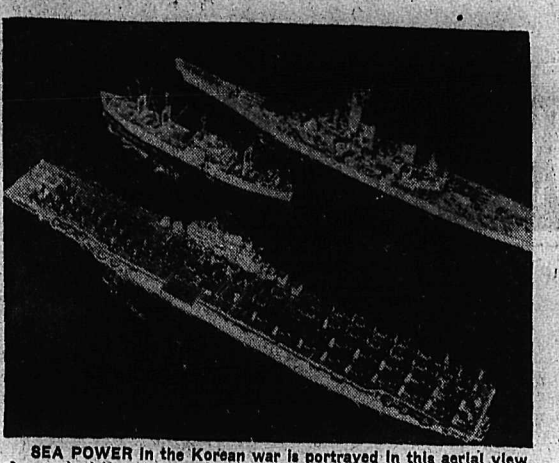

SEA POWER in the Korean war is portrayed in this aerial view of a replenishment operation. The ammunition ship U.S.S. Rainier (centre), having transferred its lethal cargo to the flattop Antietam (foreground), and the battleship Wisconsin, background, is just getting underway to pass the AMMO to the next ship on its calling list.—Central Press Canadian.

DURING A MASS AIRDROP at Camp Drum, New York, the parachutes of U.S. paratroopers become entangled in mid-air during their descent.—Central Press Canadian.

THIS INNOCENT LOOKING METAL CONTAINER is actually the focus of world attention. It's a lead shield holding radioactive cobalt from the U.S. atomic plant at Oak Ridge, Tenn., and is on its way to a cancer research institution at Los Angeles. This photo and others recently released by the U.S. Atomic Energy Commission show the development of peacetime uses from atom research.
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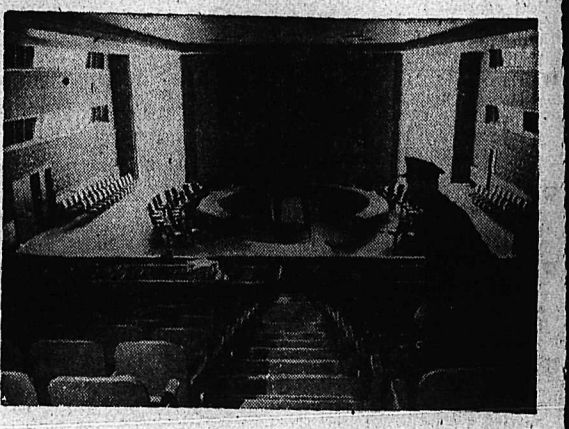
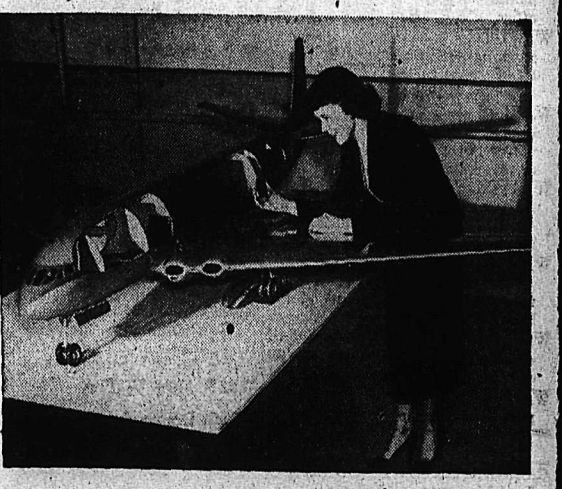


THIS VIEW in the United Nations permanent headquarters in New York, shows the newly completed Security Council chamber which is now ready for business. A meeting is expected to take place in the new chamber sometime within the next week or two. A security guard is shown inspecting the chamber.—Central Press Canadian.

SPECTATORS at the ruins of the Federal Loan Association building in Farmingdale, N.Y., were looking for profit from their curosity. When the building was levelled by an explosion of a gas main, $10,000 in bills was blown into the air, settling on trees and streets. Eleven persons were injured.—Central Press Canadian.



THIS SEVEN-FOOT, NINE-INCH MODEL of the new jetliners, to go into service on Canadian Airlines trans-Pacific route, will be shown in Montreal, Winnipeg, Toronto, Vancouver and Honolulu. The model, costing $15,000, shows prospective travellers exactly what the planes will be like. The jet-service is expected to start this year.—Central Press Canadian.

The main original draft of James Boswell's "Life of Johnson" found in Scotland in 1940 is one-third larger than the published work.

Finland has no coal or oil in her soil, but Finland's rivers have a potential of two billion kilowatts of hydro power.

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS
1. Sloths
4. Shinto temple
7. Poker stake
8. Center
10. Past part. of "be"
11. Elliptical
12. So. Am. mammal
13. Music note
14. Expression of interrogation
16. Ever (poet.)
17. Convert into leather
19. Moslem title
20. Argon (abbr.)
21. Canine
22. Prohibitionists
23. Searches for food
25. Diving bird
27. Contend
28. Mother
30. Lofty mountain
31. Jewel
32. Flowed
33. Music note
34. Mulberry
35. Aborigine (New Zea.)
37. Valley (poet.)
39. Metal
40. Border
41. Quote
42. Father
43. Girl's nickname

DOWN
1. Near (poet.)
2. Article
3. Legislative representative
4. Derision
5. Raised with effort
6. Constellation
7. More dexterous
9. Funeral song
12. Marshy meadow
15. Owns
18. Genus of century plant
19. Land measures
21. Put on
22. River (Eng.)
23. A dandy
24. Anything tricky (slang)
25. Escape (slang)
26. A fruit of Italy
28. French river
29. Cuckoo
31. Glowing coal (archaic)
32. Full of roots
34. Seaweed
36. Melody
38. Sum up

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STUDY ZEBEC
ARMOR TARRY
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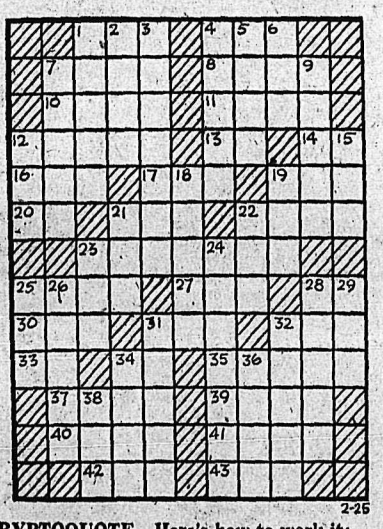

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A Cryptogram Quotation

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MONDAY, FEB. 25, 1952

7:00—News
7:05—Top of the Morning
7:30—News
7:35—Top of the Morning
8:00—News
8:10—Sports News
8:15—Breakfast Club
8:45—Towler Serenade
8:55—Meal of the Day
9:00—Western Tune Show
9:30—Morning Concert
10:00—Morning Devotions
10:15—Sons of Pioneers
10:30—Kenny Baker
10:45—Musical Kitchen
11:00—News
11:05—Dorothy Douglas
11:10—For You Madame
11:30—Aunt Mary
11:45—Forbidden Diary
12:00—Notice Board
12:15—News
12:25—Sports News
12:30—Farm Broadcast
12:55—Ogilvie Reminder
1:00—Afternoon Concert
1:45—The Will to Peace
1:56—Women's Commentary
2:00—B.C. School Broadcast
2:30—Musical Program
3:00—Sacred Heart
3:15—Pacific News
3:30—Today's Guest
3:45—Novel Time
4:00—Sunshine Society
4:30—The Sun Horse
4:45—Young Man With a Song
4:55—Report from Parliament Hill
5:00—Rawhide
5:20—International Commentary
5:30—Sports News
5:35—Superman
5:50—News
6:00—Red Skelton Show
6:30—Cavalcade of Melody
7:00—News
7:15—News Roundup
7:30—Frankie McPhalen Show
7:45—Sky Trails
8:00—Linger Awhile
8:30—National Farm Radio Forum
9:00—Songs in the Night
9:15—Musical Mail Box
9:30—Abernathy and Laurie
10:00—News
10:15—Fred Hill
10:30—"Affectionately Jenny"
11:00—News Night Cap

CBC PROGRAMS

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8:00—News
8:10—Here's Bill Good
8:15—Breakfast Club.
8:45—Laura Limited
9:00—News
9:15—Aunt Lucy
9:30—Concert Hour
10:00—Morning Visit
10:15—The Happy Gang
10:45—Guestin' With Kestin
11:00—Kindergarten of the Air
11:15—A Man, and his Music
12:15—News
12:25—Showcase
12:30—B.C. Farm Broadcast
12:55—Five to One
1:00—Afternoon Concert
1:45—CBC School for Consumers
1:56—Women's Commentary
2:00—B.C. School Broadcast
2:30—Strike It Rich
3:00—Brave Voyage
3:15—Program Resume
3:30—Solo Guest
3:45—Novel Time
4:00—Sunshine Society
4:30—Cook of the Seven Seas
4:45—Lyrical Lady
4:55—News
5:00—Tony the Troubador
5:15—John Fisher
5:20—International Commentary
5:30—Piano Playhouse
6:00—"Dr. Dogbody's Leg"
6:30—Now I Ask You
7:00—News
7:15—News Roundup
7:30—Leicester Square
8:00—The Nation's Business
8:15—The Commodores
8:30—Mystery Theatre
9:00—Chilcotin Trails
9:30—Hollywood Theatre
10:00—News
10:15—Trans-Continental Traveller
10:30—Nocturn
11:00—UN Today
11:15—Judy Canova Show
11:45—Nightcap
11:57—News

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PUBLIC NOTICE

FINANCIAL STATEMENT
OF
SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 8 (SLOCAN)
1951

Statement of revenue and expenditures for the year ending December 31st, 1951.

REVENUE

Tax Requisitions (Rural)		$45,987.37
Tax Requisitions (Municipal)		4,298.65
Sale of Assets		110.25
Rentals		1,736.55
Government Grants re:		
Basic Program	$48,800.40	
Transportation	5,966.07	
Boarding	210.00	
Special Aid	41,959.63	
Guards	51,387.77	
Buildings	937.38	
Equipment	824.46	150,085.71
Miscellaneous Receipts		236.92
		202,455.45
Revenue Surplus December 31, 1950		22,769.14
		225,224.59

EXPENDITURE

Administration	6,087.56	
Instruction	93,450.84	
Operation	21,457.75	
Repairs and Maintenance	9,425.64	
Auxiliary Services	2,180.64	
Non-Operating Expense (Guards)	51,406.60	
Non-Operating Expense (Miscellaneous)	3,788.81	
Debt Services	6,740.00	
Conveyance of Pupils	10,149.56	
Capital Account	6,759.86	211,447.26
Revenue Surplus for the year ended December 31st, 1951		13,777.33
		225,224.59

Statement of receipts and disbursements for the year ended December 31st, 1951.

RECEIPTS

REVENUE:			
See statement of revenue and expenditure			202,455.45
Add: Accounts Receivable Dec. 31, 1950			31,619.42
			234,074.87
Deduct: Accounts receivable Dec. 31, 1951			15,353.45
			218,721.42
Deduct: Cash in Bank Dec. 31, 1950		4,711.81	Dr 8,850.28
Less Outstanding cheques		13,562.09	209,871.14
NON-REVENUE RECEIPTS:			
Building and Equipment Grants		64,405.15	
Bank Interest		100.92	
Sale of Assets		1,652.95	
Capital Expenditure Reserve		2,512.26	
Donation: N. D. High School		144.20	
Transfer from Revenue		3,839.98	
Funds held for Guarantee		1,700.00	
Proceeds of Debentures, Slocan City		5,000.00	79,355.46
			289,226.60
Add: Cash in Bank Dec. 31st, 1950			
By-law account		Dr 3,307.70	
Special Building Fund		Cr 8,648.11	5,340.41
			294,567.01

DISBURSEMENTS

EXPENDITURES:			
See Statement of Revenue and Expenditures			211,447.26
Deduct: Cash in Bank Dec. 31, 1951		10,119.13	
Less outstanding cheques		11,695.25	Dr 1,576.12
			209,871.14
NON-REVENUE DISBURSEMENTS:			
New Buildings		75,300.31	
Reconstruction		189.32	
New Equipment		7,865.35	
Funds Held for Guarantee		1,700.00	
		85,054.98	
Deduct: Cash in Bank Dec. 31, 1951			
By-law account	Dr 4,077.18		
Special Building	Cr 3,718.07	Dr 359.11	84,695.87
			294,567.01

Signed on behalf of the School Board:
PAUL A. BARBER, Secretary-Treasurer
E. E. MARSHALL, Chairman.
Certified Correct
H. PARKER, Auditor

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
IN PROBATE:

In the Matter of the Estate of Charles Grant (otherwise known as Carl Rudolf Grann) deceased, intestate.
and
In the Matter of the "Administration Act."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by Order of His Honour Eric P. Dawson, Local Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, made the 20th day of February, 1952, Thomas G. C. Fox, Court House, Nelson, B.C., Official Administrator of the Nelson-Creston Electoral District was appointed Administrator of the estate of the above deceased, late of Nelson aforesaid, who died thereat on the 20th day of December, 1951.

DATED at Nelson, British Columbia, this 25th day of February, 1952.

THOMAS G. C. FOX,
Official Administrator,
by his Solicitor, H. C. Irving.

CITY OF NELSON

TENDERS WANTED

The City of Nelson is offering for sale the building only, on Lot 3, Blk. 62A, O.P., 524 Front St. The building to be pulled down, lot cleared within 90 days of Feb. 18, 1952 to the satisfaction of the City Council. The highest or any bid not necessarily accepted.

C. W. R. HARPER,
City Clerk.

CITY OF NELSON

TENDERS WANTED

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Kootenay Belle	.90
Pend Oreille	8.00
Pioneer Gold	2.25
Premier Border	.35
Quatsino	.62
Reeves Mac	5.60
Sheep Creek	1.75
Silver Ridge	.27
Silver Standard	2.65
Utica	.05
Vananda	.23
Van Roi	.69
Western Exploration	1.21
Western Mines	.50
Western Uranium	3.35
OILS	
Anaconda	.16
A P Con	.54
Cal & Ed	16.00
Calmont	2.15
Home	16.00
Home	16.00
Mercury	.32
Okalta Com	3.95
Pacific Pete	11.00
Vanalta	.65
INDUSTRIALS	
Alberta Dist V T	2.70
Inter Brew	4.60

Winnipeg Grain

WINNIPEG, Feb 24 (CP)—Winnipeg grain cash prices Saturday:
Oats, No 1 feed, 90.
Barley, No. 1 feed, 1.37¼.

Toronto Stocks

MINES	
Akaitcho	1.00
American Y K	.58
Anaconda	3.40
Anglo Huronian	12.00
Ankeno	.39
Arjon	.12
Bagamac	.16
Bevcourt	.92
Bobjo	.21
Boymar Gold	.14½
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Buff Can	.23
Calliman	.30
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Duvay	.11
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East Sullivan	.95
Elder Gold	.52
Eldona	.35½
Eureka	1.48
Falconbridge	12.50
Frobisher	4.85
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God's Lake	.38
Gold Eagle	.13¼
Gold Arrow	.16½
Golden Manitou	6.65
Halcrow	.12
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Hollinger	14.15
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Hosco	.05
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Kelore	.25½
Kenville	.22½
Kirkland Lake	.75
Labrador	8.75
Lake Dufault	1.28
Lakeshore	11.50
Lake Wasa	.34
Leitch	1.13
Little Long Lac	.68
Louvicourt	.28½
MacDonald	1.51
Macassa	1.82
Madsen R L	1.90
Magnet	.16½
Marcus G	.10
New Alger	.10½
New Calumet	2.75
New Goldvue	.31
New Lund	1.20
New Rouyn Merger	.44
Normetals	5.30
O'Brien	1.18
O'Leary	.19¼
Osisko	1.01
Pamour	.76
Paymaster	.64
Pend Oreille	7.95
Pickle Crow	6.57
Pioneer	2.25
Placer Development	49.00
Preston E D	1.40
Quebec Lab	.29
Queenston	.46
Quemont	22.00
San Antonio	2.47
Sherritt Gordon	4.25
Silvermiller	1.60
Silanco	.41¼
Siscoe	.68
Stadacona	.40
Steep Rock	7.00
Sudbury Cont	.21
Surf Inlet	.11
Sylvanite	1.30
Teck Hughes	2.33
Thompson-Lund	.14
Tombill	.66
Torbrit	2.00
Trans Cont Res	.56
Union Mining	.29
Upper Canada	1.69
Ventures	16.25
Waite Amulet	13.00
OILS	
Anglo Can	9.10
A P Con	.50
B A Oil	20.75
Cal & Edmonton	15.50
Calmont	2.08
Chemical Research	1.28
Commonwealth Pete	3.30
Dalhousie	.40
Davies Pete	.49
Decalta	.40
Del Rio	2.25
Eastcrest	.21
Federated Pete	8.20
Highwood	.35
Home	16.00
Imperial Oil	37.50
Inter Pete	27.25
Kroy	2.05
MacDougal Segur	.36
Mid Cont	.55
Nat Pete	3.00
New Pacalat	.15
Nordon	.17
Okalta	3.20
Pacific Pete	10.75
Royalite	17.00
Roxana	.29
Tower Pete	.42
United Oils	1.15
INDUSTRIALS	
Abitibi	16⅝
Algoma Steel	51
Aluminum	111
Atlas St	22
Beattie Bros	8⅛
Bell Telephone	39
Brazilian	10¾
B C Power A	32
Brown Co.	13¾
Can Packers B	29
Can Breweries	18⅞
Can Canners	32
Can Car & Fdy	14½
Can Celanese	43½
Can Marconi	6
Can West Lmbr	10
Cockshutt	16⅞
Cons M & S	39
Dist Seagram	24⅝
Dom Bridge	87
Dom Foundries	13⅝
Dom Steel & Coal B	17¾
Dom Tar & Chem	40¼
Dom Textiles	11¾
Famous Players	17¼
Fanny Farmer	23½
Ford A	51
H R MacMillan B	24
Imperial Oil	37½
Int Nickel	45⅛
Int Pete	27¼
Laura Secord	12½
Massey Harris	12
Moore Corp	23⅞
McColl Frontenac	40
Nat Steel Car	27
Powell River	27
Shawinigan	41½

Market Trends

NEW YORK, Feb. 24 (AP)—E. R. Squibb, pharmaceutical house with a producing interest in the new anti-tubercular agents, was a spectacular performer Saturday.

Canadian issues were higher. Canadian Pacific and International Nickel were both up 1⅛. Dome Mines added ¼. Hiram Walker was up ¾ and Distillers Seagram advanced ⅛. McIntyre was not quoted.

TORONTO (CP)—Prices inched steadily higher.

Industrials, uncertain at the opening, steadied and advanced by mid-session while Western oils started strong and continued to gain. Senior and secondary golds posted a majority of gains.

MONTREAL (CP) — Securities were trendless at mid-session. Both sides of the line were about evenly balanced with an over-whelming number of issues trading at Friday's closing level. Changes were fractional with two issues ranging to a point on the up side.

WESKO CLAIMS BOUGHT BY JERSEY ZINC

New Jersey Zinc Company's Canadian subsidiary, New Jersey Explorations, Ltd., has purchased Wesko Mines' eight-claim property in Southeastern British Columbia.

The claims will round out the Oxide and Jackpot group, which the company has been developing for the last two years. The properties lie about 18 miles North of the international border, and are among the most Northerly developments in the Canadian zone of the mineral belt which extends South into Stevens and Pend Oreille Counties in Washington.

"Bigots" Disgust Southwood Resident

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Feb. 24 (AP)—The Southwood District, which last week voted against admitting a Chinese family, has found out it is not an all-Caucasian neighborhood.

The disclosure was made at a bitter, disorderly meeting Friday of 200 persons who met at the request of the 28 property owners who voted to admit Sing Sheng to the tract. A total of 174 voted against the former Nationalist army officer.

Belmar B. Shepley, dressed in army pants and a field jacket stepped to the speaker's stand said:

"You've had me among you for some time. You have put up with me. I have put up with you."

He described himself as a Hapa Haole—a half Hawaiian."

The audience applauded when he finished.

The meeting broke up without any action.

After the meeting, Roger Rousseille, a local businessman, said he was putting his $17,000 house, largest in the tract, up for sale today "to any person regardless of color, nationality, or creed."

"I do not want to continue living with a bunch of bigots," Rousseille said.

Fashion Specialists Watch Meat Diets

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina, Feb. 24 (Reuters) — Women's fashions Saturday became part of the campaign to reduce meat consumption. The semi-official newspaper Democracia came out in favor of the wasp waist styles — but warned against achieving it by a meat-only diet. The newspaper said that to diet on meat alone "is bound to produce serious liver complaints and other diseases."

Borstal Terms for Two Bank Clerks

VANCOUVER, Feb. 24 (CP) — Two youths were sentenced to terms in New Haven Borstal Institute Saturday for defrauding the bank in which they worked of $6300.

Sentenced by Magistrate MacKenzie Matheson were William Halpenny, 21, former clerk of a suburban branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia, and George Durling, 17, ex-teller of the same branch.

Halpenny was sentenced to six months definite and 18 months indefente and Durling to six months definite and nine months indefinite.

VANCOUVER, Feb. 24 (CP)—The merger of two of Vancouver's oldest milk distributing companies was announced here.

Louis H. Turner, President of the 30-year-old Turners Dairy Ltd. announced his company has merged with Palm Dairies Ltd.

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To Start Drilling On Duke's Ranch

CALGARY, Feb. 24 (CP) — The Duke of Windsor is going back into the oil business.

Another wildcat well is to be drilled on the Duke's E.P. ranch, about eight miles South of Turner Valley. Since the Duke has the oil and gas rights on his ranch, should production be found at the well, he will undoubtedly obtain a portion of it.

The well—Anglo Socony Pekisko No. 1—will be drilled by a group of Canadian independent companies on farmout land obtained from Socony Vacuum Exploration Company. Socony originally obtained the rights to drill for oil and gas rights from the Duke, who has the lands and rights on a 99-year lease.

The Duke, who is an honorary member of the Calgary Petroleum Club, was last in the oil business in 1944, but a wildcat drilled on his ranch at that time ended in failure.

After the failure, the Duke commented, "my career in oil has been rather sad so far. However, I have hopes that oil will some day be found on the E.P. Ranch."

Anglo-Canadian Oil Company, which will be the operator, is at present moving in drilling rig, and operations should be under way by Feb. 28.

Lad Ordered to Start Bank Account

NANAIMO, B.C., Feb. 24 (CP) — Donald Clarence Thompson, 19, logger, has been ordered by Magistrate Lionel Beevor-Potts to start a bank account.

The magistrate, who last week ordered a long-haired teen-ager to get a hair trim, made the compulsory savings part of terms of probation for Thompson who pleaded guilty to stealing gasoline. The youth had squandered $4000 of his logging wages on girls, liquor and U-drives.

Two other young men, Leonard Louis Rinvold and Kenneth John Borteril, who pleaded guilty to stealing gasoline, were also told to open bank accounts.

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Gasmen Withdraw From T.L.C.

VICTORIA, B.C., Feb. 24 (CP)—Gas workers in Victoria and Vancouver voted to give up their Federal charter from the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada and join with the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (AFL).

About 250 men are concerned.

The Gas Workers Union, Local 225 was chartered by the T.L.C. about 1944 when gas brokers broke away from the Plumbers Union. They now will reorganize as a sub-local of the Electrical Workers' Union.

The vote to turn in the T.L.C. charter was 228 in favor to 18 against.

Garson Disagrees With Chevrier

OTTAWA, Feb. 24 (CP)—Justice Minister Garson said Saturday he cannot agree with the views of Mr. Justice E. R. E. Chevrier that sections of the Criminal Code which give judges the option of imposing either a fine or a jail sentence are discriminatory.

"If the judge imposes a fine in a case in which a jail sentence should be imposed, the fault is not with the law but with the judge," Mr. Garson said.

He was commenting on a Toronto report Feb. 20 in which the Ontario Supreme Court Justice said sections of the Code "allow a rich men to pay a heavy fine and get away with a light sentence or with none at all."

Mr. Justice Chevrier made the statement in the case of John B. MacPherson, Toronto real estate broker, convicted of manslaughter in the traffic death of an eight-year-old boy and who pleaded guilty to a charge of leaving the scene of an accident.

He was given eight months for the manslaughter charge and Mr. Justice Chevrier said he would be given a jail sentence—and no fine—for leaving the accident scene.

Births, Marriages, Deaths Increasing

OTTAWA, Feb. 24 (CP)—Marriages, births and deaths all increased in Canada in the first 11 months of 1951.

The Bureau of Statistics reported marriages totalled 117,065 against 113,383 in the same period of 1950, births totalled 337,152 against 326,594 and deaths 111,892 against 110,224.

In November, births were 29,348 against 28,261 in November, 1950, marriages 10,738 against 12,334 and deaths 10,487 against 9820.

In the 11-month period, Ontario reported the biggest increase in births, with 108,107, compared with 99,987. Only the Maritime Provinces showed birth-rate declines.

All Provinces except Prince Edward Island and Saskatchewan reported increased marriages. Manitoba showed the biggest increase and Quebec the next. Deaths increased in every Province but Nova Scotia, where they dropped to 5217 from 6262.

Police Court Uses Explosives Charge

VANCOUVER, Feb. 24 (CP)—For the first time in many years the rare charge of possessing substances capable of making explosives was used in police court today.

Magistrate W. W. B. McInnes, who last week committed Jack Short, 40, to trial in higher court for possessing $15,000 worth of narcotics, today committed the same man for possessing ingredients capable of making nitro-glycerine.

The explosive charge, Section 114 of the Criminal Code of Canada, has been used in Vancouver Police Court about six times in 20 eyars.

R.C.M.P. officers discovered the substances in Short's home Jan. 2 when they raided in search of narcotics.

Two B. C. Men Gain Pre-Doctoral Awards

VANCOUVER, Feb. 24 (CP) — Two British Colmubia men have been awarded pre-doctoral fellowships by the Canadian Social Science Research Council at Ottawa.

The awards are to advance students of the social sciences and are made possible by funds provided by the Rockefeller Foundation.

British Columbia winners are Edward J. Chamber, M.A., of Vancouver, who won a Regents' Fellowship in Graduate School of University of Nebraska; and Albert Leonard Farley, M.A., of Victoria, who is taking his doctoral degree in geography at the University of Wisconsin.

Believe It or Not, Some Like Monday

LONDON, Feb. 24 (CP) — Research shows that well-known "Monday-morning feeling" may not be as unpleasant as the expression indicates.

In fact, there are people who genuinely like Mondays. Samplings of opinion taken by canvassers show that such characters include persons really interested in their job or working on their own. Others who welcome Monday are those who see too much of the family at weekends and have little real rest.

The public-opinion surveys also show: Tuesday is slightly better because Monday is over; Wednesday is unpopular because it's mid-week; and Sunday best of all.

One housewife said she picked Sunday because that is the day hubby does the nappies.

Craftsmen in gold and silver had an organized group of their trade before AD. 1170 in Britain.

Canadians Only Commonwealth Troops Minus Korean Ribbons

By BILL BOSS
Canadian Press Staff Writer

WITH THE CANADIANS IN KOREA, Feb. 24 (CP)—All troops in the 1st Commonwealth Division except the Canadians are wearing the two Korean campaign ribbons.

The ribbons are those of the Commonwealth's own Korean medal and of the United Nations' Korean decoration.

Hold-up on issue to the Canadians is an application to the Crown by the Canadian Government for authority to affix a Canadian maple leaf clasp to the Commonwealth ribbon.

Soldiers here criticize the Canadian request as political rather than military. They also consider it inappropriate in view of their membership in the Commonwealth division and feel that their Commonwealth ribbon should speak for that just as their U.N. ribbon will speak for their places in the U.N.'s Eighth Army.

There also is belief in official circles that Canada is considering changing the qualifications for the Commonwealth Medal.

The provision now is that it goes only to armed forces who actually served in Korea. There is thought that Canada wants to extend it to all her troops serving in the Far East, including Japan.

The fact that such soldiers are issued with the ribbons as they pass through Kure en route home has caused one inter-service beef.

Sailors of the Royal Canadian Navy returning to Canada are forbidden to wear them, even if they could obtain them, and there is no machinery here for issuing the ribbon to them.

BAR PATRICIA'S BADGE

Also tied up in the administrative mill is the question of permission for individuals of the 1st Battalion Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry to wear the decoration that goes with the United States Presidential citation won by the unit at Kapyong last April.

Individuals on an American unit's posted strength at the time such decorations are won are entitled to wear a gold-framed black enamel badge on the right breast. This has found favor with Canadian Army thinking here but so far has not been clarified by Ottawa.

The Gloucesters, who won their citation during the same Communist offensive, wear the award on their unit colors. The Australians wear theirs on the right sleeve just below the shoulder.

Canadian thinking is that the badge should be worn as the Americans intended.

Meanwhile Canadians here wear no Korean decorations of any kind.

At Ottawa a spokesman at Army Headquarters said the question on Canadians wearing the Commonwealth or United Nations medals is "still up in the air," but has been receiving active consideration. Canada's policy is expected to be announced "shortly".

The idea of affixing a maple leaf clasp to the Commonwealth ribbon has not been decided and is still in the "suggestion" stage.

Meanwhile, some Canadian repatriates have been wearing both sets of ribbons, neither of which are issued to Canadian soldiers. When a group of soldiers of the 1st Battalion of the Princess Patricias came home on rotation leave with the ribbons up, the Army at first ordered them to take them down.

However, Defence Minister Claxton later ruled that the soldiers who returned home wearing the ribbons should be allowed to continue wearing them, pending a decision on Canada's policy.

Chic London Males Parade in Nylon

LONDON, Feb. 24 (Reuters)—Young men paraded in shining satin and nearly transparent nylon at a male fashion show in a London hotel. They showed creations designed "for the tired worker when he returns home from the office." "We want to convince men they can wear bright colors and unusual materials without looking silly," explained a representative of the firm which designed the outfits for chic males.

IN WASHINGTON, Pfc. Daniel Murphy demonstrates a one-man helicopter. It is strapped to the shoulders like a knapsack, and can lift and carry a fully-armed man anywhere on a battlefield. The new "Hoppicopter" was part of an exhibit of U.S. Navy firepower and technology.—Central Press Canadian.

English, American Women Prepare for Pancake Race

By MARY BURNETT

OLNEY, England, Feb. 25 (Reuters) — Women of this Buckinghame shire farming village are putting finishing touches on their pancake-flipping skill for a pancake-tossing race tomorrow against a team of American women in Liberty, Kansas.

The race — in which women run a 415-yard course flipping pancakes in a frying pan — originated here in 1445 and is held every year on Shrove Tuesday, traditional pancake eating day.

This will mark the third year in which the Kansas women — racing over a course in their home town similar to the one here — have competed and this time it may be a three-way contest.

ASK RUSSIAN WOMEN

The third team would be Russian women who were invited to take part in the race as a gesture of international goodwill.

"We've openly invited Russian women to join and the offer is still open," said the Vicar of Olney, Rev. Ronald Collins.

The race became transatlantic in 1950 when the Kansas women after hearing about the race challenged the Olney girls.

So far the British women have won the trophy, a silver model frypan, all three times.

SIMILAR COURSES

The course over which the race is run here streches from the village pump to the church porch. A similar course has been laid out in Liberty.

Both races start at the same time —five minute before noon.

Judges on each side confer by transatlantic telephone after the races have been run, and then the winner is announced.

Champion still is 20-year-old Mrs. B. Maynoard who won the 1950 race in one minute, 10.4 seconds as Miss Florence Caccow.

She is running again this year and has high hopes she may break her record.

The rules have been slightly altered this year. Previously the women had to toss their pancakes three times during the race but that meant at the finish the pancakes were hardly recognizable.

So this year they'll be tossed only at the beginning and at the end of the race.

Britons Take Civil Defence Training With Grim Spirit

By ROBERT WIGHTON

LONDON, Feb. 24 (Reuters). — Nearly 250,000 British men and women have joined civil-defence forces since the recruiting call two years ago, and the number is increasing by nearly 7000 a month.

To them may be added the 11,200 members of the auxiliary fire service, 23,353 special constables, 19,060 members of the national hospital service reserve and 17,092 highly-trained aircraft observers and plotters of the Royal Observer Corps.

STAFF COLLEGE

Not included in the total of 242,943 in the civil-defence forces are the "last-ditch" soldiers of the Home Guard, now being formed again, or the permanent forces of the Red Cross and the St. John Ambulance Brigade which will also play their part if a third world war comes.

Many believe that in a third world war Britain would become a giant "aircraft carrier," uninhabitable under a rain of atom bombs.

So concerned with this despondent view is the London borough of Holborn that its councillors plan to distribute leaflets in taverns warning against "careless atomic talk."

A civil-defence staff college and training schools have been established to become the model for more, including some to be set up in the United States.

Canada, which last Spring made a formal agreement to pool her civil defence resources as well as her military means with those of the United States, also has made arrangements to exchange students of civil-defence with Britain.

SHELTER PROBLEMS

The problem of shelter from atomic attacks may be one of the most difficult. London, for example, has hundreds of shelters specially built in the last war, which, though adequate then, would not protect people from atomic blasts.

Another main problems is emergency feeding. Forty Canadian and United States csientists, service officials and administrators recently returned from Britain after observing her method on the food aspects of civil defence.

PAT CONROY, shown with his wife and daughter, may be recalled from Washington to become federal deputy minister of labor under Hon Milton F. Gregg. At present he is labor attache in Washington where he went after disagreement with the Canadian Congress of Labor of which he had been secretary-treasurer.—Central Press Canadian.

Foster Son for the Gary Merrills

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 24 (AP) — Screen Actress Bette Davis and her actor husband, Gary Merrill, have a new foster son — blond Michael Woodman Merrill, one month old.

The boy, who arrived at the Merrill home recently has been nicknamed "Woody."

The couple married in 1950. They have been searching for a son for more than a year, they said. They have two other children, Miss Davis' daughter, Barbara, and an adopted daughter, Margo, 13 months.

Westinghouse Gets Big Navy Contract

OTTAWA, Feb. 24 (CP)—A $4,000,000 contract for parts for Canada's new destroyer-escort ships has been awarded Canadian Westinghouse Company, the Defence Production Department has announced

The order was the largest in a list of contracts made public by the department covering the period between Jan. 15 and Jan. 31.

Canada is building 14 of the ships

Northwest Industries, Ltd., Edmonton, won a $1,000,000 contract for modifying Mitchell Aircraft.

Transportation Strike Finished

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Feb. 24 (AP)—Cable cars, trolleys and buses are rolling again on San Francisco streets. A strike which had immobilized the municipal transportation system for the last three days ended Friday midnight.

The entire system was struck Wednesday forcing some 250,000 passengers to walk, hitchhike, or drive downtown.

The strike ended when members of the A.F.L. Carmen's Union unanimously approved a settlement their officers reached with city officials.

Trouble began last week when six men on the Powell cable line protested their schedules called for working their eight hours in more than 11 hours.

Mischief Charge Against Boys

OTTAWA, Feb. 24 (CP)—Police have disclosed that "Harold Gotch", the mysterious voice that telephoned Ottawa merchants and ordered thousands of dollars of unwanted goods delivered to a West-End residence, had a dual personality.

He was, they said, two Nepean High School 'teen-agers. They appeared today before Juvenile Court Judge John P. Balharrie on charges of creating a public mischief and were remanded in custody for a further hearing Feb. 29.

Police said the youngsters—aged 13 and 14—besieged the Westboro home of Edgar Larwill with unordered deliveries of goods and services that ranged from six tons of coal to funeral wreaths and a man to estimate the cost of moving the house from its foundations. They placed the orders by phone.

Credit for unearthing the youngsters went to Laurie Weber of Quintan, Sask., who has been visiting his brother here. He became suspicious when he tried to use his brother's telephone a two-party line, and heard a youthful voice giving an order for 50 tons of fish. Police traced the boys through his tip.

BROMLEY, Kent, England (CP) — Seven-year-old Margaret McLaughlin was so upset by the rusty condition of the ancient market pump that she wrote to the council, declaring she would contribute towards the cost of cleaning it.

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Ottawa Reshuffles Korean Army Posts

OTTAWA, Feb. 24 (CP)—Defence Headquarters have announced a reshuffle of army posts involving army officers. Among those listed is Maj. A. J. Baker, 41, Vancouver, now Deputy Assistant Quartermaster general with the 25th Brigade's replacement group in Edmonton, who will succeed Maj. C. J. A. Hamilton, now Deputy Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster General with Brigade in Korea.

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