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WEATHER FORECAST
Kootenay: Light snow. Little change in temperature. Winds light. Low-high today at Cranbrook 15 and 35, Crescent Valley 22 and 35.

UN Condemns Flyers' Detention

Hammarskjold Asked to Try to Obtain Release of Prisoners Held by Red China

By WILLIAM HARCOURT
Canadian Press Staff Writer

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (CP)—The General Assembly Friday overwhelmingly condemned Red China's jailing of 11 American fliers as spies.

The assembly voted 45 to 5 with six abstentions for a resolution, sponsored by the UN Korean Allies, that also calls for UN help in releasing the fliers, and all other UN personnel still detained.

UN officials later changed the vote to 47 to 5 with seven abstentions, when Costa Rica and El Salvador, absent when the vote was taken, asked to be recorded among the supporters, and Syria, also absent, asked to be included among the abstainers.

In approving the resolution, the assembly specifically asks Secretary-General Dag Hammarskjold to use the best means to obtain the prisoners' release and to report his progress to the UN by Dec. 31.

Hammarskjold immediately accepted and said he "will do everything within my power to serve the interests of this organization."

A spokesman for the secretary-general later said in a statement Hammarskjold hopes soon to announce what steps he will take toward getting the prisoners released.

The approving vote came despite Soviet bloc opposition to UN interference in the matter, based on the argument that the airmen were spies who got what they deserved.

India was one of the six countries that abstained on the vote.

Earlier Indian delegate Arthur Lall said the resolution would condemn without "a full and fair hearing" and that India believes Red China has a right to be heard on the matter.

Jacob Malik, top Soviet delegate and spokesman for the Communist side, said the airmen were American intelligence agents who violated Chinese air space on an espionage mission and that in sentencing them, Red China did only what any other country would do in similar circumstances.

U.S. delegate Henry Cabot Lodge and Britain's Anthony Nutting were the chief spokesmen for the Allies' case.

JAILED AS SPIES

Lodge brought the matter before the UN shortly after Peiping radio announced Nov. 24 that 13 Americans had been jailed as spies. This group included 11 U.S. airmen and two civilians.

Lodge declared the 11 fliers were sentenced on "trumped-up charges." He said the resolution did not mention the two civilians because they were not UN command personnel.

The Communists used this distinction over the prisoners in an attempt to prove all 13 were spies.

In approving the resolution, the UN declares the imprisonment of the fliers and the detention of all other UN personnel is a violation of the Korean armistice.

GHOSTLY FIRES UPSET FAMILY

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP) — The RCMP said Friday it has completed an investigation of the ghostly fires of Flat Rock but the outbreaks that have terrified a family of five remain unexplained.

The first of the fires broke out about three weeks ago in the home of Mike Parsons at Flat Rock, 10 miles from here. Parsons and his wife reported a dictionary burst into flames for no apparent reason.

A few days later, a sack of sugar caught fire. Then a box of religious literature stowed in an upstairs bureau. Next was a blaze under the eaves of the Parsons' home. A few days later the floor blazed up. The last outbreak demolished a doll.

Police said they finished their inquiry with no "definite proof" of the origin. Detectives poked through the old homestead in response to an appeal by the family whose members said they were afraid to sleep at night.

The results of the inquiry have been turned over to the attorney-general's department.

The Parsons reported they had no trouble putting out any of the fires. Mrs. Parsons said the sack of sugar went out easiest of all.

"I just touched it with my hands, I tell you, and the fire went out," she said.

VANCOUVER (CP) — There's another entrant for the Strait of Juan de Fuca swim next summer from Victoria to Port Angeles, Wash.

He is Bobby Hooper, 35-year-old detective, and former Canadian Olympic star.

Even Bears Have Eye Fon Comfort

JASPER, Alta. (CP)—An ambitious black bear in Jasper National Park has started a new fad in the bear world: hibernation with steam heat.

Eight black bears now have settled under a platform adjoining CNR stores building in this mountain resort town. And it looks as if they're here to stay.

Railway officials sought an eviction by park wardens, but the game officials say the bears are "quite vicious during the hibernation season" and add that they will probably check out in the spring. Railway spokesmen indicate the building isn't used during the winter, anyway.

The bears made their own winter home by tearing the insulating cover from a steam pipe entering the building under the platform.

Treaties Ka... tion Having Tough Going

By GEORGE BOULTWOOD

BONN, Germany (AP) — The treaties to rearm West Germany cleared their first hurdles on the road to ratification in Bonn and Paris Friday.

But the attitudes of legislators in both countries showed many more obstacles remained before West Germans get the right to raise a 500,000-man force for NATO.

In Paris, the foreign affairs committee of the French National Assembly recommended ratification of the treaties to restore German sovereignty, give her the right to rearm and settle the troublesome Saar dispute.

But the Paris vote on the key treaty providing for rearmament was by the narrowest of margins, 16 to 15, with 11 abstentions. Later an independent deputy tried unsuccessfully to change his positive vote to abstention, which would have made it 15-15.

SAAR STORM BREWING

In Bonn, the Bundestrat (upper house) gave preliminary approval to all the treaties except the controversial Saar settlement. The Bundesrat said its position on this pact, which is most unpopular in West Germany, would be made known after the Bundestag (lower house) acts.

This was a storm signal of trouble to come for the Saar agreement, which the French insist must be accepted as their price for allowing German rearmament.

Crancellor Konrad Adenauer also faces the prospect of a critical show of strength in the cabinet which is due to be reshuffled following elections in the states of Bavaria and Hesse.

BATES FACES SEVEN CHARGES

VANCOUVER (CP) — Robert Bates, 26-year-old escapee from the B.C. penitentiary, was remanded to Wednesday when he appeared in police court here to face seven charges.

Bates, who escaped Nov. 20 while working outside the penitentiary walls, is charged in four cases of robbery with violence, one kidnapping, one breaking and entering, plus a charge of escaping custody. No pleas were entered by the accused.

Bates was captured in Vancouver's 1000-acre Stanley Park Tuesday.

To Vote on Liquor

VICTORIA (CP)—The Victoria Colonist says residents in unorganized areas in British Columbia will express their opinions on the desirability of additional liquor outlets early next year.

The paper says about 95,000 voters in 750 polling divisions will vote on referendums, probably in mid-February.

'Forks Man Dies In Rail Accident

GRAND FORKS — Cecil Mark Long, 73, was killed about midnight Thursday when his badly mutilated body was found on the railway tracks near No. 2 bridge, one and a half miles east of here.

The victim, employed as a guard on a CPR bridge, apparently slipped under the middle section of a westbound diesel freight train seconds after he waved to the engineer.

The train crew found his body four hours later on their return. They were returning from their round trip to Midway.

It is surmised that Long lost his footing in the snow, and was thus struck by the train. His clothing was caught by the centre cars of the 24-car train and dragged nearly 75 feet to the end of the bridge.

The body was viewed Friday and an inquest will be held Thursday, with Dr. E. E. Tomashewsky as coroner.

He is survived here by his widow, by a son, Edward, in Vancouver, formerly of Grand Forks, and a daughter, Mrs. W. Dyer of Moose Jaw.

Says Police Cursed Him During 11-Hour Grilling

By ARTHUR EVERETT

CLEVELAND (AP) — Dr. Samuel Sheppard on Friday thrice denied his wife's July 4 murder, and said the slain Marilyn Sheppard "is absolutely in my corner." He is on trial for his life in the slaying.

He also testified police cursed him after his arrest July 30 and practically guaranteed him a lighter manslaughter sentence, rather than a first-degree murder charge, if he would confess. He never has confessed.

"I told them I couldn't confess to something I didn't do," the 30-year-old osteopath said.

Earlier Dr. Sheppard told how he bore up under the strain of accusation because "Marilyn was in my corner and right beside me."

"Do you feel she is in your corner now?" he was asked by defence counsel William Corrigan.

"She's absolutely in my corner," the defendant replied.

Sheppard said police interrogators during an 11-hour grilling after his arrest called him "a dirty low-down s.o.b." and told him people would point at his little son for years to come, and say "his father killed his mother."

"I told them I didn't do it," Dr. Sheppard continued. "Couldn't do it to any human or any animal."

Union Tables 5-Point Program To Combat B.C. Unemployment

VICTORIA (CP) — Representatives of the 55,000 member B.C. Trade Union Congress Friday laid before the cabinet a five-point program to combat unemployment and demands for public ownership of the B.C. Electric.

A joint 12-man TUC-AFL delegation presented the legislative proposals to the cabinet. They were led by TUC president James Barton.

The recommendations aimed at curbing unemployment were:

1. Initiation of a sweeping public works program, including construction of schools, roads, hospitals, low-rent housing, and a natural gas pipeline.

2. Enactment of legislation to prohibit workers from holding more than one full-time job; a new minimum wage scale based on trade union rates recognized by industry, and curtailment of overtime except under extreme emergency.

3. Reduction of hours of work to 40 hours a week, and eight a day, through changes in the hours of work act.

4. Encouragement to the construction industry to provide maximum employment during winter and spring months.

5. Endorsation by the provincial government of a plan already laid before the federal government for establishment of an advisory committee on seasonable unemployment.

The TUC delegates also pressed the provincial government for direct assistance to workers whose unemployment insurance benefits are exhausted, and who are without funds to buy food, clothing, and to pay rent.

Europe Ravaged by Storms

By DAVID MASON

LONDON (AP) — Winter lashed parts of southern Europe with icy rain, wind and snow Friday as flooding rivers and biting temperatures plagued wide areas of the British Isles.

In Dublin, swamped earlier in the week with its worst flood in living memory, thousands of housewives, shopkeepers and relief workers were busy with cleanup and rehabilitation chores.

Sections of France, Italy and Switzerland were in the path of the new winter fury. The Irish midlands, Wales and England had continuing flood troubles.

The 81,000-ton liner Queen Mary landed 844 passengers at Southampton Friday after riding out hurricane force Atlantic squalls earlier in the week. Some of its port-holes were broken and a section of the first class dining saloon was flooded.

The department of agriculture said some 2000 small farms in Ireland were flooded. Near Athlone, the Shannon, usually a half-mile wide, stretched to three miles, and the Irish Republican Army organized relief operations.

Scores of roads in the west of England were still under as much as three feet of water, the Royal Automobile Club said. The Thames and Severn rivers went into flood stage.

In Wales snowplows were used in high areas to clear up to three inches of snow from roads. Rain and snow were blamed for cutting telephone service from 5300 subscribers.

France had torrential rains and winds up to 90 miles an hour in the Alps and Rhone valley, disrupting traffic and communications and brought flooding to low areas of villages.

In Italy a violent rain and snow storm swept across the northern part of the country. In the Appennines and Alps, snow was whipped by gale-force winds into drifts three feet deep. Rain swelled several small rivers to flood stage.

Switzerland saw more than four feet of snow fall in the central Alps and Ticino Canton during the last 24 hours. Winter's first avalanche warning was issued by the Swiss weather service as trees collapsed under the weight of snow, blocking roads and rail lines and cutting telephone wires.

SNAGS DELAY PIPELINE START

No Major Contracts Signed; Cost Of Gas Unknown

By JOHN LeBLANC
Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA (CP) — The $300,000,000 project for a natural gas pipeline from Alberta to the East is falling behind schedule in its pre-construction stage.

Trans-Canada Pipe Lines, Ltd., is meeting trouble in getting its supply and sales contracts negotiated, and as a result is unable to meet the Dec. 31 Alberta and federal deadline for getting a clearance to go ahead.

Informants said Friday it is virtually certain the company will have to ask for an extension of the deadline, though it was stated expectations remain that construction will start in 1955. However, it will be later than the forecast early spring beginning.

Since getting the tentative permits last summer, the company has been negotiating with suppliers in Alberta and with prospective purchasers including the Consumers' Gas Company that will handle its intake in the Toronto market that is the keystone of the 2200-mile line.

No major Canadian contracts have been signed yet. A sticking point is the fact that, without deals at the producing end, it is difficult for Trans-Canada to nail down contracts with customers along the route, not knowing initial cost of gas.

Silent Treatment Ends for Worker

CHESTERFIELD, Eng. (CP) — Crane driver Ron Hewitt, given the "big freeze" treatment by his fellow workers since he refused to join them in a token strike, was released Friday from the year-long spell of silence they imposed on him.

Hewitt, 30, was snubbed for six months by his 300 workmates, beginning last December, when he did not join their one-day token stoppage for more pay at the nearby Staveley Iron and Chemical Company.

In June, the factory workers slapped on another six-month sentence to follow the one which had just expired.

Hewitt explained that in declining to take part in the strike he was obeying the orders of his own union, the Municipal and General Workers' Union. Most of his workmates belong to the Amalgamated Engineering Union.

For a year, he has exchanged instruction with workers in sign language.

Said Hewitt: "The strain of the ban has been getting me down. I am very glad it is all over."

Say Exploration For Gas, Oil in B.C. to Be Pressed

VANCOUVER (CP) — The Vancouver Sun says a greatly stepped-up oil and gas exploration program in British Columbia's Peace River area is expected to follow a reported $9,000,000 development deal between Imperial Oil and Pacific Petroleums Ltd.

The Sun said both principals are keeping silent on terms of the deal, but it is understood to involve multi-million dollar spending on Pacific Pete's Fort St. John properties within the next three years.

Police Arrest Four in Hunt for Bank Bandits

Man Caught in Los Angeles Said to Have Admitted to Bank of Nova Scotia Robbery

POLICE CHIEF MULLIGAN
". . . result of good, patient detective work" says Vancouver's police chief.

VANCOUVER (CP)—Four men are under arrest today in what police say is the first major break in the crime wave plaguing Canada's third-largest city.

One of the men was arrested in Los Angeles where, detectives said, he admitted robbing a Bank of Nova Scotia branch here of $3400 Nov. 8.

The other three were picked up Thursday on city streets and in a downtown hotel room. With them police seized $2000 in cash.

Arrested in the United States for carrying a gun was Bruce Teetzel, a Canadian. He has lived in the United States for some years.

Police there said he admitted the Bank of Nova Scotia robbery in Vancouver, one of eight bank robberies to take place here in a month.

"I don't think there is much doubt this is our man," said Chief Walter Mulligan. "He has quoted almost verbatim the wording of the note handed to the teller in the holdup."

The note said: "All your bills. Act normal, sound no alarm. Fast now."

MADE FOUR PER CENT

Teetzel said he added to his loot by moving to Detroit where he changed the Canadian money into U.S. funds and profited by four cents on the dollar.

A warrant is being prepared for him here and, police chief Walter Mulligan said, a detective will go to Los Angeles to bring him back.

Two of the others arrested, both 39, were suspected in the Dec. 3 holdup of a Royal Bank of Canada branch in outlying Park Royal. Two gunmen in that holdup swept up $7500, called "Merry Christmas," and made their getaway.

Police said one of the two picked up was a truck driver, the other a tractor operator.

FOUND IN LINE-UP

The fourth man was picked up by uniformed constables who recognized him from a pickup order. He was identified in a lineup in connection with the Dec. 1 holdup of the downtown branch of the Bank of Montreal in which a lone bandit netted $1500.

Chief Mulligan, under heavy criticism during the robbery wave, said no charges would be laid for 24 hours.

"This didn't all happen overnight," he said of the arrests. "It is the result of good, patient, detective work."

He said he learned from telephone conversations with Los Angeles police that Teetzel said he used part of the money to buy a revolver in Detroit and then travelled to Arizona and wound up in Los Angeles broke.

Teetzel waived extradition.

Just What He Needed

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Sea-weary after four years in the navy, sailor Andrew Holt, Jr., arrived home this week ready to resume his life as a civilian.

His wife, Mitzi, greeted him at the door, with a surprise. She had won first prize in a national contest sponsored by an electric company. Now they could have the honeymoon Andy's induction had postponed, she said.

The prize, a 12-day Caribbean cruise.

"This is one cruise I'm sure he won't mind," said Mrs. Holt.

Andy had no comment.

Cape Breton Linked to N.S.

By DON MacKENZIE
Canadian Press Correspondent

PORT HASTINGS, N. S. (CP)—Ton after ton of earth crashing down from big diesel dump trucks finally licked the swirling Strait of Canso late Friday and Cape Breton found itself neatly hooked to the Nova Scotia mainland.

A mute crowd of about 50 people watched the clanking, mud-caked trucks drive the 4200 foot causeway across the last few feet of tidal waters whose mounting force delayed the link-up.

Among them was Lieutenant-Governor Alistair Fraser who stood patiently for hours in the rain and muck to witness completion of the 27-month-old project's major phase.

"It is a wonderful achievement," he said. Into it went 10,000,000 tons of rock-fill from the side of nearby Porcupine Mountain.

The Nova Scotia government expects the curving land bridge to be opened to road and rail traffic in early spring. A formal elaborate ceremony probably will be held then.

CNE SURPLUS

TORONTO (CP) — The Canadian National Exhibition had a surplus of $508,692 on operations for the year ending Nov. 30, 1954. The board decided to use $100,000 from the surplus in the renovation and repair of exhibition buildings. Total revenue for the year was $2,538,080. Expenditure was $2,189,117.

Auto Association Plans Action If No Tax Relief in Next Budget

OTTAWA (CP) — The Canadian Automobile Association and Finance Minister Harris disagreed Friday as to the meaning of remarks the minister made when the association appealed for removal of the $82,000,000-a-year excise tax on new automobiles.

R. J. Hastings of Vancouver, association vice-president, quoted Mr. Harris as expressing hope he may relieve taxpayers of some of the tax load, but Mr. Harris said he did not go that far.

Mr. Hastings was one of a five-man delegation conferring with the minister on the 15-per-cent excise tax. He said the 500,000-member association plans "extensive action" if there is no relief in the next budget.

Traditionally, the finance minister does not disclose budgetary plans in advance.

However, Mr. Hastings said: "We are hopeful. We feel quite confident that something will be done. That is the impression we got after talking with Mr. Harris."

Mr. Harris said he received the delegation and promised to give the association's brief careful consideration, but he denied that he gave them any promise or hope of relief.

Mr. Hastings insisted that Mr. Harris did. He said Mr. Harris called him back as he was leaving and asked him to be seated again, saying he will study the issue and that "we hope to come up with an answer to this problem and give you some relief."

Floods Kill Twenty

LONDON (Reuters) — Twenty persons were killed, hundreds injured and about 30,000 made homeless during recent floods in Kuwait, on the northwestern coast of the Persian gulf, a foreign office spokesman said here Friday. Queen Elizabeth has sent a message of sympathy to the Sheik of Kuwait.

DOLLAR UNCHANGED

NEW YORK (CP) — The Canadian dollar was unchanged at a premium of 3 9-32 per cent in terms of U.S. funds Friday. Pound sterling was up 1-32 of a cent at $2.78 31-32.

DRUNK DRIVING FINES BOOSTED

VANCOUVER (CP) — The fee was raised in court Friday on drinking drivers—the start of a Christmas safety campaign.

Magistrate Oscar Orr opened the pre-holiday campaign. He fined three men $125 each instead of the usual $100 for impaired driving.

Fined were Carl Pearson, 28, Steve Yuchin, 32, and George P. M. Jensen, 35.

"We have stepped up our campaign against drinking drivers because of the approaching Christmas season," said Traffic Supt. Alan Rossiter.

And in This Corner...

BONN, Germany (AP)—West German authorities have protested against plans of the Royal Air Force to use part of the North Sea island of Sylt, a nudists' paradise, for a shooting range.

Most of the island's beaches are officially reserved for nude bathing. British proposals to use the northern tip for air-to-ground firing with live ammunition have brought complaints the tourist trade will be badly affected.

OTTAWA (CP)—The northern affairs department, which has advertised for an information officer, has received the following communication from an applicant:

"Regards to employment as to information officers, I would like to know just what information you require and what opportunities there are.

"I have a special private detective diploma given by a detective agency in the last war. I was a news collector for a newspaper in that said time. I bring forth prompt and reliable service rendered in all matters, solved in all parts of the far north land.

"As you know detectives are not born but made from experience and I will fight a very desperate battle when I am signed on duty."

EDMONTON (CP)—Mrs. A. E. Poole met Mrs. Clara Williamson the other day and thanked her for her Christmas card.

"But I haven't sent any yet this year," said Mrs. Williamson. The card was last year's. Although both women live in Edmonton, the envelope was postmarked Winnipeg. And Mrs. Poole had to pay two cents' postage due because the rates have increased since last Christmas.

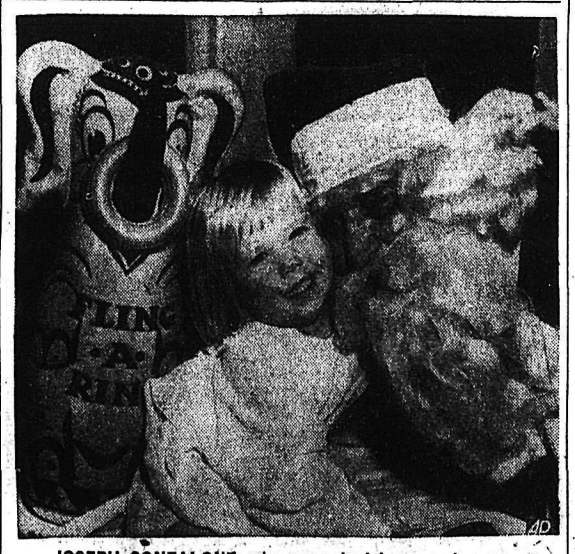
SINGAPORE (Reuters)—Fliers at a British air base far out in the backwoods jungles of North Malaya changed their minds about tropical rainstorms—the curse of Far East service—when one blew in Hollywood screen star Ava Gardner Thursday night.

Dodging the storm, a plane heading for Singapore touched down at lonely Butterworth field where several hundred British air force men are stationed.

Airmen stood goggle-eyed as Ava stepped down. But not for long. They quickly organized the biggest party the field mess had seen for years.

Ava danced barefooted with the boys most of the night in the officers' mess.

The only disgruntled note came from the corporals: "The officers kept her to themselves," said one.



JOSEPH CONFALONE, who was raised in an orphanage, gets hug from Susan Quilty at Hospital for Special Surgery in New York City. Joe, in the traditional Santa Claus garb, is following a custom he established 11 years ago—providing Christmas cheer for kids. His home is in Riviera Beach, Fla., where he owns a motel. Each year he dedicates his vacation to aiding orphans, each year in a different city. This year he hired himself out to Macy's department store as Santa, and already he has spent $1400 which he won on a television show, on candy and toys.—AP Wirephoto.

LAST TIMES TODAY — Complete Shows 2:00-7:00-9:00

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Starts Monday: "AMBUSH AT TOMAHAWK GAP"
"SLAVES OF BABYLON"

Capacity Audience Hears . . .

Carols, Marches, Drama In High School Concert

Ever-popular Christmas carols, new and old numbers, choir and band music, and a little drama were all included in the annual Nelson Junior-Senior High Schools' Christmas concert presented Friday night to a capacity audience at the Civic Theatre.

Four choirs, vocal and instrumental soloists, the High School Drama Club and High School Senior Band took part in the nearly two-hour concert. All numbers were well received with the final item on the program, Christmastide Overture, being the most popular judging from the applause. Dorothy Foster and Lorna Loomer were the announcers with Eric W. Iles as conductor.

Opening the show the massed choir sang O Canada, followed by three traditional numbers by the Junior High School Boys' Choir. They were "We Be Three Poor Mariners," "John Peel" featuring Marvin Smith and Fred Wah on trumpets, and "Jingle Bells" with Jo-Ellen Kary as piano accompanist.

The High School Girls' Choir gave a lively rendition of "The Little Shoemaker," recent Hit Parade tune, featuring tap dancers Marilyn Whitelock and Arlene Hamblin with Jackie Barrett, piano. Four numbers were sung by the Junior High School Girls' Choir conducted by Miss Enid Etter. Numbers sung were "Where the Bee Sucks," "A Funny Fellow, "Near a Leafy Woodland" and "Carol of the Birds." Rochelle Crawford accompanied them at the piano.

Majorettes Marilyn Whitelock and Jewel Tattrie gave a good performance while the High School Girls' Choir sang "On Parade." The followed this with a blending of voices in "Babe in Bethlehem," "Greensleeves" and "Happy Wanderer." Audrey Allan sang two solo numbers, "O Leave Your Sleep" and "Virgin's Slumber Song."

The High School Drama Club presented a short humorous skit featuring seven high school actors. Appearing in "Pretty Girl Wanted" were Lorne Loomer, Ron Graham, Gerry Borch, Pat McMaster, Barbara Gates, Eleanor Crowe and Barbara Forse.

Following an intermission the High School Senior Band struck up a march, "Marche Lorraine" and then "Lustspiel, an overture." "Syncopated Clock" was a popular number and in the following number Jim Muir and Gerry Borch displayed their musical talents on trumpet and baritone respectively in "Student Prince." Marvin Smith played a crowd-pleaser, "Trumpeters Lullaby," a trumpet solo.

The popular American tune "The Stars and Stripes Forever," was given a variety of ways as it might be played in foreign countries including Ireland, Germany, Spain, China and of course, America. The band played "Sullivan's Operatic Gems" and then Gerry Borch returned on baritone to play the beautiful "Holy City."

The final number before "The Queen," an overture called Christmastide, drew hearty applause. Christmas carols that everyone knows such as "It Came Upon a Midnight Clear," "The First Noel," "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," "Silent Night." "Joy to the World," and "Adeste Fidelis" ("O Come All Ye Faithful") were included in this overture.

Proceeds of the concert will be used to purchase new band uniforms.

Quakers Have No Sympathy for Anti-School Sons

The combined Quaker organizations of Canada and the United States have rejected a request for support from the fanatical Sons of Freedom sect.

By telegram they have told the sect they are not in sympathy with their policy of refusing to send their children to school because it violates their religion. Instead the Quaker organizations maintain "a healthy society is impossible without education" and feel the Sons' "sufferings could be avoided by co-operation. The government has made concessions necessary for preserving rights of conscience."

At the same time a reliable source close to the Sons of Freedom says the sect is in danger of losing its spiritual leader, Stephan E. Sorokin by refusing to obey his advice to send their children to school. Sorokin is still in South America where he went apparently on a land search.

SMOKE SCREEN

The Local Co-Ordinating Committee states Sorokin has, in the past, and only recently, urged the Sons to send their children to school and feel their religious conviction against education "is only a smoke screen."

Many Freedomites are sending their children to school, the committee says, and others are willing to but fear of reprisals holds them back. An unscrupulous and fanatic group of elders are terrorizing the group, the Committee maintains.

The Committee feels "there is no religious clash between the Christian Doukhobor faith and basic education. The department of education has offered all sorts of alternatives, including a revised curriculum in order to meet the Sons' criticism of militarism. All have been rejected."

Jail Escapees Picked Up in Creston Hotel

CRESTON — Two men who pried their way out of Nelson City lockup to freedom two days ago were apprehended in a Creston hotelroom at 7:20 Friday night by RCMP.

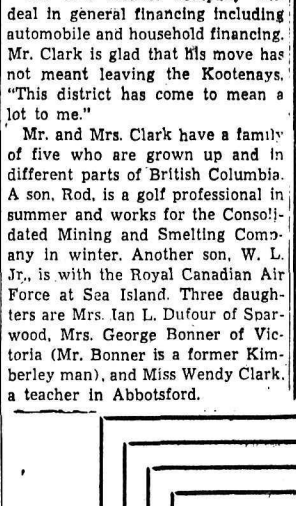
The men, 24-year-old Ronald T. Avery and 31-year-old Reginald Ray Smart, gave fictitious names when first questioned, but admitted under closer questioning that they were the men sought.

The two had been held in Nelson jail on suspicion of theft of costume jewelry, cigaret lighters and flashlights from F. W. Woolworth Company Ltd. store at Nelson. The men escaped when, it is believed, Avery, during Wednesday morning wrenched a brace from the bed in his cell and with it forced the cell lock.

City police said Friday night they would go to Creston early this morning to bring the pair back.

The escape was the first from Nelson jail in 16 years and the third in 20 years.

W. L. Clark Heads Business Here



W. L. (BILL) CLARK

Nelson has gained a new business and new citizens recently with appointment of W. L. (Bill) Clark, formerly of Kimberley, as manager of the newly-opened Mountain Finance Company here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark were both active in a number of organizations during 17 years' residence in Kimberley where Mr. Clark was district manager for Confederation Life Insurance Company. Currently he is president of the Kimberley Golf Club Society but will resign this office in view of his move. He is past-president of the Western International Hockey League and was on the executive until the last annual meeting in June when he resigned. He has also been active in Canada Savings Bonds campaigns and was organizer for the seventh, eighth and ninth campaigns.

Mrs. Clark has been particularly active in Community Chest work in Kimberley. Other activities have been the Parent Teachers Association, the IODE, the Red Cross and the golf club.

The new finance company will deal in general financing including automobile and household financing. Mr. Clark is glad that his move has not meant leaving the Kootenays. "This district has come to mean a lot to me."

Mr. and Mrs. Clark have a family of five who are grown up and in different parts of British Columbia. A son, Rod, is a golf professional in summer and works for the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company in winter. Another son, W. L. Jr., is with the Royal Canadian Air Force at Sea Island. Three daughters are Mrs. Ian L. Dufour of Sparwood, Mrs. George Bonner of Victoria (Mr. Bonner is a former Kimberley man), and Miss Wendy Clark, a teacher in Abbotsford.

MRS. C. HUGHES BURIED HERE

Funeral services for Mrs. Carlotte Hughes were held Friday afternoon under the auspices of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in the Thompson Funeral Home.

The service was conducted by president Robert T. Critchlow with the invocation by Garth McKen, benediction by Elder Ronald D. Stevenson. Speakers were Elders Chad Orton, Garry L. Paxman and dedicatory prayer was given by Arthur Cutler.

Organist Marlene Carter played two hymns, "Rock of Ages" and "Lead Kindly Light." A trio made up of Marlene Carter, Patricia Grundy and Myrna Little sang, "Not Now but in the Coming Years," under musical director Marlene Carter.

Pallbearers were Ross Fleming M. Hientz, Joseph Mermet, L. L Carter, A Stevens and Garth McKen.

Interment was in Nelson Memorial Park.

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Willow Point Scout Committee Elected

WILLOW POINT — John Learmonth was re-elected president of the Willow Point Scout Group Committee and T. G. Ludgate was re-elected secretary-treasurer at a recent meeting. Others on the committee are Fraser Tees, C. Duff, C. Healey, E. Tremblay, J. West, E. Shannon, N. Best and S. St. Thomas. N. Learmonth is a scoutmaster with R. Hay as cub leader.

TO PORTLAND CONGRESS

J. A. C. Laughton, optometrist, has left for Portland, Ore., to attend the Northwest Congress in Optometry.

His son, Dr. John Ivan Laughton at Castlegar, has also gone to the congress.

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New Baker St. Business Is Interior's Only Surplus Store

Proprietors of the Columbia Trading Company, plumbing and building supply firm on Front Street, are today opening a new business on Baker Street.

An assorted line of dry goods will be handled by the surplus store, "the only one in the interior" according to owner D. C. (Denny) Coen. The plumbing and building supply business on Front Street will still be maintained. The company policy of "trying to put out quality merchandise at a lower price" will be in affect for the new store as it has been for the other, Mr. Coen stated Friday. Space is limited in the Front Street premises, he said, necessitating acquiring new quarters for expansion into the new type of merchandise.

The Baker Street location will be "operated strictly as a surplus store." They will endeavor to handle top quality goods bought as surplus. Included in the store's stock will be women's and children's clothing, men's work clothes, other drygoods, a limited amount of hardware, floor coverings, etc.

For opening day today, the store will have a staff of six and will regularly have a smaller staff including Mr. Coen's wife, Mrs. Margaret Coen, Mrs. Herbert (Barbara) Lust and Mrs. V. Sanders.

Mr. Coen came here from Vancouver in June of 1952 and opened the Columbia Trading Company on Front Street. The new premises on Baker Street were previously occupied by Fred Welsh and Sons, a large Vancouver plumbing firm, who have ceased operation in Nelson. The west half of the building is occupied by Mac's Flower and Pet Shop which opened Thursday and the east half by the new surplus store.

Service of Dedication at Baptist Church

At the Sunday morning service at the First Baptist Church there will be a service of dedication when Betty Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beresford, and Cameron Nelson, son of Mayor and Mrs. Joseph Kary, will be dedicated to God.

In recognition of their dedication, they will be presented with three gifts, "a white carnation, the symbol of their innocence; a Bible from which the parents will instruct them in the way of righteousness; and a dedication certificate to remind them in the years to come of this memorable occasion."

The white carnation is the gift from the Mission Circle, the Bible from the Young Women's Auxiliary and the Dedication Certificate from the Church.

Civil Defence Courses Planned For Nelson Area

Civil defence activity will begin in earnest this Winter with commencement of new courses for men and women. Volunteers are already coming forward, reports Major E. W. White, co-ordinator, a firm believer in the need for education of the public for disasters or attack by an enemy.

Reporting on a meeting held in Nelson in November, he told Kiwanis Club Thursday night that it had been decided to ask for service club representation at the courses. First for men would be a wardens' and general course. This would be followed by basic rescue instruction, which would include first aid, training in how to move casualties from upper storeys of buildings, how to jack up beams of buildings, and so on.

Meanwhile, a home nursing course would be held for women and it was hoped some Kiwanis members' wives would participate.

Courses were to begin in mid-January. In April, there would be a study "of what our job will be in case of disaster." He explained that Nelson district was a mobile support and reception area for Trail, a target area. Civil defence was the duty of everyone, he said.

In connection with this, a familiarization exercise had recently been held to co-ordinate Civil Defence with the B. C. Forest Service communications network.

The Kiwanians decided to table the matter for a week. Plans for a Christmas party for Kiwanis children Dec. 23 were also discussed.

G. A. McGREGOR BURIED AT CRAWFORD BAY

Many attended funeral services at Crawford Bay Friday for George Archibald McGregor, resident of the community for 44 years. Services were from Crawford Bay Anglican Church.

Two hymns, "The Old Rugged Cross" and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," were sung.

Pallbearers were Fred McGregor, Raymond McrGegor, Harry McGregor, Percy McGregor, W. Fraser and L. Pratt. Interment was in Crawford Bay cemetery.

Mr. McGregor died at Mount St Francis infirmary at Nelson.

Egg Prices Take Further Drop

Kootenay wholesale egg prices took a further drop, according to prices reported by the Kootenay Poultry Co-operative Association, Fruitvale. Grade A large and Grade A medium eggs both are down five cents per dozen from prices of Nov. 26. Prices are 50 and 47 cents per dozen respectively. Grade A smalls dropped four cents to 44. Prices are for local fresh eggs and are f.o.b. Nelson, Trail and Rossland.

MANY ATTEND LOVE FUNERAL

Many friends attended funeral services from Thompson Funeral Home here for Edward James Love. Service under auspices of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints was conducted by Elder Chad Orton.

Two hymns, "Lead Kindly Light" and "Abide With Me" were sung. A solo "In the Garden" was sung by Mr. Orton. Organist was Eunice McKen.

Pallbearers were G. Forrester. H. T. Stavast, F. Rogers, J. De Jong, J. McClelland and H. Gerrish. Interment was in Nelson Memorial Park.

The Weather

Nelson	34	38	—
Ottawa	27	32	.29
Winnipeg	15	22	.01
Swift Current	24	36	—
Calgary	18	34	—
Crescent Valley	26	34	—
Kimberley	18	34	—

Teachers Tour Tadanac Plants

TRAIL—Teachers of the Castlegar-Kinnaird area, School District No. 9, were guests of Cominco Friday afternoon and evening, participating in a program which followed the same pattern set when Trail district teachers were company guests in November. About seventy-five guests, including husbands and wives, toured the Warfield chemical fertilizer plants and the metallurgical operations at Tadanac. Following a reception in the Legion hall, about two hundred and fifty teachers and company personnel enjoyed a banquet and entertainment. Later the group saw the hockey game between the Trail Smoke Eaters and Kimberley Dynamiters.

R. D. Perry, Cominco's general manager and one of the speakers following the banquet, expressed the regret of R. W. Diamond, executive vice-president, at being unable to attend. Mr. Perry, who said he hoped this would be the first of more such gatherings, explained that the get-together was to enable the teachers to see the plant operations and to give company people an opportunity to "know you and your work." Cominco is ready to give not only full moral support but every tangible assistance that is within our power to give."

GOOD STUDENTS

Other speakers included S. N. F. Chant, dean of the faculty of arts and science of UBC and Walter H. Gage, dean of administrative and inter-faculty affairs of UBC. Both agreed that students coming from here to UBC were well-trained in every way, capable and courteous and congratulated the teachers on the fine job they were doing.

Other guests introduced by Dr C. H. Wright, banquet chairman, included Mrs. Wright, H. S. Hunr assistant school inspector, District No. 9; J. Bryden, Cominco administrative assistant, and Mrs. Bryden; R. Brown, vice-principal, Stanley Humphries High School, and Mrs. Brown; G. A. Wallinger, vice-president and comptroller, and Mrs. Wallinger; G. Draft, chairman District No. 9 School Board, and Mrs. Draft; W. G. Jewitt, assistant general manager and manager of mines, and Mrs. Jewitt; Dr. D. C. Smith, school inspector District No. 9, and Mrs. Smith: Mrs. R. D. Perry; J. J. McKenzie, school inspector District No 9; J. G. Kirk, assistant school inspector; A. H. Sager, secretary UBC alumni; C. H. B. Frere, general solicitor; C. O. Swanson, chief geologist; R. R. McNaughton, manager metallurgical division; J. V. Rogers, manager engineering division; E. A. G. Colls, manager, chemicals and fertilizer division; A. L. Irwin, manager purchasing division; D. D. Morris, administrative assistant, and E. G. Randall, assistant comptroller.

KAMLOOPS JUVENILE APPREHENDED HERE

A 17-year-old Kamloops juvenile was apprehended on the Ymir Road near Nelson Friday in possession of a stolen car. RCMP said the car was stolen from Cache Creek two days ago.

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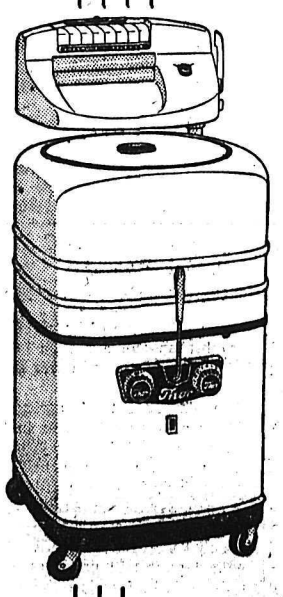
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NATAL — In a program sponsored by the Michel local, United Mine Workers of America, all the children under 15 years of age in Natal-Michel and Sparwood and vicinity will again receive their annual treat just before the Christmas holidays. Included also will be the children of those from Fernie, Hosmer, Coleman and the Crow's Nest who are working at the Michel mines.

The names of the eligible local children, who are not 15 years of age before December 23, will be handed in to the union secretary by the teaching staff and the names of the children from out-of-town are to be handed in at the lamphouse. Last year each child received the sum of $1.50 cash.

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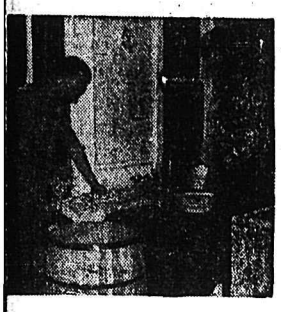

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Kimberley Presses for New Elementary Rooms

KIMBERLEY — Urgency of approval of a school building program to provide an immediate six new classrooms for elementary school children of Kimberley district is being stressed by Kimberley District School Board. Provision of a new senior high school within a few years is also planned.

The three proposed building projects have been proven necessary by a realistic count of pre-school and elementary school children, and have approval of the Department of Education. Whole project is estimated at a cost of $528,000, half of which would be financial responsibility of school district ratepayers repayable over 15 years.

The program, if approved, would start early in 1955 with the two most urgent items, doubling of Blarchmont accommodation from four to eight classrooms and addition of an all-purpose room, and addition of two classrooms to Marysville rural school.

Accommodation pressure is most acute at present in A. A. Watkins elementary school in Kimberley centre, and the Blarchmont addition for Blarchmont children now attending Watkins school would relieve this appreciably. Occupation of both additions by next September would be the objective.

Second most acute problem is at P. J. McKim junior-senior high school designed for comfortable use of 500 pupils. Enrolment at this school is now 729 pupils, and count of elementary and pre-school children to be served over the next eight years shows it will be 1000 pupils within a few years. The board proposes a new senior high school at a new Kimberley location to accommodate Grades X to XII inclusive, with junior high grades VII to IX to remain at the present McKim school.

JUDGE AWARDS DAMAGES IN TWO ACTIONS

CRANBROOK—In civil session of County Court here before His Honor Judge H. W. Colgan, judgment of $438.10 damages and court costs were awarded petitioners Howard Tegart of Windermere and W. F Serianni of Fernie, represented by Peter Graham, against defendant Arthur H. Brogden of Kimberley, represented by Fred Barry. The suit arose from a three-way car accident November 11, 1953, when the defendant is alleged to have run into the car of the two plaintiffs, pushing it into a stationary truck.

Judgment of $370.33 and costs were awarded plaintiff H. W. Jenkins, operating under the trade name of Cranbrook Motors, in his suit against Lawrence T. Pratt of Calgary for a repair bill. Mr. Barry represented the plaintiff and the defendant appeared in person.

A suit of H. K. Cartwright of Kimberley, also represented by Mr. Barry, for damages of $54 against James Brooks of Kimberley, represented by R. E. Read, was dismissed with costs assessed against the plaintiff.

Appeal of Einer Corneliuson against a magistrate's court conviction of driving without due care and attention arising from a car accident near here October 27, was dismissed.

Trail Air Cadets Win Service Stripes

TRAIL—The annual presentation of service stripes was made to Royal Canadian Air Cadets, Squadron 531. These Cadets have completed first, second and third year training.

First year: LACs Fox, B. N. Baird, D. O. Baird, Baron, Davies, Delmas, Ferrey, Flood, Hanes, Kirker, Lawrie, McAulay, McFee, Mandoli, Murdoch, Peipasche, Richards, Shaw, Spatari, Thompson and Woodward.

Two years completed: Flt. Sgt. Fryling; Sgt. Smith; Sgt. Sanberg; Cpl. Sinclair; Cpl. Woodward; LAC Bisaro; LAC Hanes; LAC Keath; LAC Poole; LAC Wallington.

Three years completed: Flt. Sgt. Giegrich; Flt. Sgt. Ryan; Cpl. Thompson.

Cadets will hold a father and son turkey shoot Dec. 14 in the old Armories.

Chapman Camp Plans $94,712 Sewer System

CHAPMAN CAMP— Undertaking of a $94,712 sewer disposal system in this village is being considered by ratepayers to replace the present system of individual septic tanks and cess pools. Saturation condition of ground in the central part of this village of about 500, and poor natural drainage conditions in its new higher housing subdivision are reasons for the proposal.

W. H. Rolston of Associated Engineering Services Ltd., has made a survey and recommendations and prepared estimates. The system would have eight-inch mains, with laterals, submains and service connections, leading to a large septic tank below village limits near Black Bear bridge. This tank would be 30 by 15 by 10 feet and would be emptied and cleaned yearly. The plan is subject to approval by the Department of Health before further consideration can be given.

However, general proposal would finance it through a 20-year debenture issue requiring department of municipalities and ratepayer approval.

Ratepayer charge for the service would be a monthly $3, plus 20 cents for each foot of lot frontage and would average about $46 a household a year.

Also discussed at the Camp ratepayers meeting was the present village fire department service. The Cominco-owned alarm system will have to be taken over shortly by the village at a cost of $5000, and present department service, based largely on volunteers, shows a serious shortage of men during day-shift hours. The Camp's proposal to the adjoining city of Kimberley that their two fire departments be merged, was declined by Kimberley City Council.

KASLO THESPIANS IN FIRST SHOW

KASLO — The dramatic branch of the Kaslo Theatrical Society, made its first public appearance in the Kaslo School Auditorium, in the well-known comedy "You Can't Take It With You", by Moss Hart and George Kaufman. Large audiences attended the two performances. The group plans to turn to light opera. The "Pirates of Penzance" will be its next effort.

The recent play cast was as follows: Penelope Sycamore, Doris Drayton; Essie Carmichael, Barbara Dahlquist; Rheba, Mary Miller; Paul Sycamore, Norman Miller; Mr. De Pinna, Bob Gilker; Ed Carmichael, Clive Yoxall; Donald, Fred Webber; Martin Vanderhof, Monty Armstrong; Alice Sycamore, Thelma Sawczuk; Henderson, Mike Halleran; Tony Kirby, Eric Lindwall; Boris Kolenkhov, H. E. Dahlquist; Gay Weljington, Kay Yoxall; Mr. Kirby, C. C. Halleran; Mrs. Kirby, Olive Armstrong; officers, department of justice, Reg Mossman and Vern Barge; grand duchess, Olga Katrina, Freda Mossman.

Behind the scenes, assistants were costumes, Mrs. E. N. Shephard; scenery, Noal Bacchus; carpentry, W. V. Drayton; make-up, Mrs. G. M. Doan and publicity, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Yoxall. Director was Mrs. C. C. Halleran.

Toronto Post For New Denver Man

NEW DENVER — Ted Roberts, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Allan Roberts of New Denver, is new instructor in charge of YM and YWHA in Toronto, after completing his courses at Univertisy of B. C. He handles swimming activities.

Mr. Roberts has a background of competitive swimming, life saving and teaching experience. He is developing a progressive test system for YM-YWHA members to include phases of Red Cross and Royal Life Saving awards systems so that general recognition for progress can be gained by those passing tests.

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T. A. McRae Heads Chamber

ROSSLAND—T. A. McRae, who completes his term as secretary-treasurer of the Rossland Chamber of Commerce at the end of the year, was elected president of that group at the annual meeting.

Other officers elected were T. G. Clark, vice-president, and James Looney, secretary-treasurer, and on the executive are Paul Jones, H. W. Lefevre, D. Ogroskin, Frank Wener, F. E. Batt, Mrs. M. M. Butorac, C. H. Clegg and Al Walters. Mayor H. S. Elmes conducted the ceremony during which the newly-elected officers took the oath of office. Retiring president G. T. German outlined progress made during the year, pointing out building permits in 1954 totalled $115,902, including nine permits for new dwellings valued at $69,200.

The Chamber during 1954 was successful in having "cattle crossing" signs posted on the Paterson highway. An endeavor was made to obtain the services of another medical doctor for Rossland. Speed limits on the highway between Rossland and Trail, sanding, snow removal, and requests for additional funds for maintenance of the Rossland-Cascade highway were also concerns of the Chamber.

Roads and bridges chairman, F. E. Batt, expressed the hope that "the year 1955 may close with the announcement that reconstruction will be started in 1956 on the present route from Cascade to Rossland."

District's Yule Trees Go as Far as Florida

CRANBROOK — An important phase of Christmas is completed in this district with final cleanup of yards of Christmas trees for export. Shipments have established a new record this season, although official figures are still incomplete.

Railway shipments during the past three weeks have amounted to 143 railway carloads, or approximately 715,000 trees from Cranbrook, Canal Flat, Jaffray and Creston, all for export to the United States. Furthest consignment was the carload shipped to Pensacola, Florida. Shipments from the Windermere Valley in recent weeks put East Kootenay's total well over the million-tree mark, and leave an approximate revenue of a half-million dollars in the district for tree purchase, hauling, yard work and railway loading.

A few truckloads consigned for Canadian prairie provinces are going out each day, but the 1954 season is practically completed.

RANGER TRANSFERRED

GRAY CREEK — V. Webber, assistant forest ranger, has been moved to Kaslo. Both Mr. Webber and Mrs. Webber have been active in all community matters.

ROSSLAND LEGION ELECTS OFFICERS

ROSSLAND — J. D. Ianson was elected president of Rossland branch of the Canadian Legion at the annual election.

Out of 27 nominees for 11 posts the following were elected: W. Butorac, first vice-president by acclamation; A. J. Whitehorn, second vice-president; B. F. Fourt, treasurer; Robert Richardson, Sr., sergeant-at-arms; A. F. (Boots) Rossi, trustee for a three-year term, and six executive members, P. A. Bateman, D. H. Cavill, C. A. R. Pitt, W. O. "Buck" Jones, W. Martin and Grant Milligan.

SUSPENDED SENTENCE

KASLO — A three-month suspended sentence was imposed on a Kaslo man, Eric William Sparring, when he pleaded guilty before Stipendiary Magistrate G. Armstrong to a charge of supplying liquor to an interdicted person. He was also assessed court costs.

Kaslo Man Takes Prison Sentence

KASLO—The option of imprisonment was taken by Joseph Agatti Godin of Kaslo when he pleaded guilty to charges here before Stipendiary Magistrate G. Armstrong.

He was fined $25 and costs for being intoxicated in a public place, and was fined $50 and costs or 30 days' imprisonment for being illegally in possession of liquor.

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Large, High Complex

One of Canada's leading business papers has taken the task of studying carefully the much-commented-on speech of Canada's new Finance Minister, Walter Harris, and correcting a general misconception that he hinted tax cuts were coming.

To keep the record straight, the Financial Post quotes the speech given before the Canadian Tax Foundation in which he outlined his first impressions of the Canadian tax system.

The first impression, he declared, was that it is "awfully large". He gave some facts, familiar to all of us, and added this comment: "I am not asserting either approval or condemnation. I am merely stating the fact that I find the situation remarkable."

His second impression was that "tax rates are pretty high". He added: "I confess I find myself concerned about tax rates (on personal incomes) under which the Government takes away half or more of the rewards of hard work which leads to promotion. There is so much to be gained if we can preserve initiative and enterprise." The rate of corporation taxes, he said, was "a puzzling situation in what is ordinarily described as a free enterprise system." Of sales and excise taxes, he said, "I believe they have a very important place in any well-balanced tax system. But the rates should not get out of line with reasonableness." Mr. Abbott in the past has repeatedly made similar statements, and so would any other sensible citizen.

Mr. Harris' third impression was that the tax system is "complex", and he commented: "In its very nature it must be so."

He then specifically denied that he thought the tax system "rather a bad show. True," he said, "it is awfully large, rates are pretty high, and it is extremely complicated; but with all it appears to me to be a very sensible, well-balanced and flexible tax system."

And finally, Mr. Harris removed all excuse for tax cut predictions when he said: "Obviously this high level of taxation is forced upon us by the high level of expenditure. Governments do not enjoy taking money from the public. Every finance minister would like to abolish taxes."

Individual Justice Comes Before Interest of Bureaus

Mr. Justice Stewart's statement in Ontario that justice for the individual is of paramount importance, "even if the civil service thinks its system is being upset," is a pronouncement to be warmly applauded in these days when the individual is increasingly subjected to the dictates of boards and bureaus invested with arbitrary powers.

It's Been Said

God is glorified not by our groans but by our thanksgivings; and all good thought and good action claim a natural alliance with good cheer.—E. P. Whipple.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Letters to the Editor on any topic of genuine interest are welcome if they are brief, accurate and fair. No letter will be inserted in whole, or in part, except over the signature and address of the writer. Unsolicited correspondence cannot be returned.

Here Are Ways Surplus Foods Can Be Got To Needy

To the Editor:

Sir—Many of us have been bothered by the fact that huge surpluses of food have been building up in the United States and Canada while at the same time there are many hungry people in the world. These surpluses not only do no one any good as long as they are in warehouses, but they tend to become a very costly burden to the governments. Hundreds of thousands of dollars a year are spent on caring for these huge surpluses.

Now some really exciting news has come out of the United States. The U.S. Government has decided to do something about getting this surplus food to the needy people of the world. The Government is now distributing these surplus foods through voluntary agencies for relief overseas on a basis that multiplies every dollar of contribution almost unbelievably.

The largest voluntary relief agency, of course, is Church World Service. This is an organization to which most of the church groups in the United States belong, and they are a tremendous organization which will distribute a major part of these surpluses. To do so, they will send relief workers to the needy areas, set up warehouses or distributing centres, and they announce that they will deliver food to the hungry people of those areas on the basis of one cent per pound, or $20 per ton. This is indeed a wonderful bargain for those who wish to help the needy people overseas.

However, a still greater bargain is offered through the facilities of the American Friends Service Committee. They already have their distributing centres set up in those needy countries with their workers serving on a subsistence basis rather than on salaries. They can deliver right to the hungry people across the water this surplus food at a cost of only one-quarter of a cent per pound, or a ton of food for only $5. Governments and United Nations are not prepared to handle this sort of food distribution because they do not have the personnel or properly trained people and organization.

Proteins and fats are the elements most needed in the foods which these countries lack. Every dollar that is contributed now will provide $48 worth of dried milk, or $100 worth of cheese, or $160 worth of butter. Five dollars will provide a ton of any one of these foods and others for our brothers and sisters overseas. Ten dollars will deliver $1600 worth of butter, and $100 would deliver $16,000 worth of butter to help save hungry folks over there from tuberculosis and other diseases that result from faulty and insufficient nutrition. Thousands of people are taking advantage of this opportunity to multiply their dollar's buying ability and thus move our vast surpluses out where they will do some real good. It would be wonderful if the other western goverpments would decide to follow along similar lines.

EMMETT W. GULLEY.

Nelson, B. C.

Press Comment

COULD DO WITHOUT

Canada has too many people who do without things they need in order to have things they could do without.—St. Catharines Standard.

WELL PUT

To the top brass who have wrestled in vain for two years with the problem of where to locate a new multi-million-dollar defence headquarters, we suggest that they decide on the Brantford area. To anyone who asks, "Why Brantford?" we reply: "Why not? It's got to be put somewhere."—Brantford Expositor.

Your Horoscope

Your prospects are most favorable, so forge ahead. An extremely ambitious personality is likely to develop in today's child, and gain may be expected.

FOR SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12: A mixture is suggested for your next year, with gain accruing if you exercise due care. Today's child may be the restless type for whom balance should early be inculcated for success.

?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.

Ambitious, Nelson—I would like to take a correspondence course in book-keeping. Where can I write for information and full particulars of same?

Write to the High School Extension Courses, Weiler Building, Victoria, B. C., or to The Institute of Technology, Calgary, Alta. Both give correspondence courses on this subject.

E. R., Creston—Please supply recipe for making sweet butter.

According to "Butter Making on the Farm", by E. H. Webster, no wooden vessel should be used, as wooden vessels cannot be kept really clean. A little sal soda and borax makes a cheap and effective cleansing agent for metal vessels. A brush should be used in preference to a cloth, and the final rinsing of butter vessels should be done with boiling water.

The milk should not be allowed to stand in a barn after it is drawn, as it readily absorbs odors. It should not be placed in cellar or root-house where there may be decaying vegetables. Detailed instructions for use of milk separator accompany each machine on purchase.

Cream prepared with the aid of a separator should be perfectly sweet, and if cooled properly will remain so for four or five days if kept at a temperature of 50 degrees Fahrenheit. It may be churned in this condition, but the quality of the butter made in this way is in limited demand. Sweet cream-butter to many users tastes flat and insipid. In America most of the butter used is churned from sour cream. Wooden churns should be kept scrupulously clean. If the cream is quite warm the butter will come quickly, if it is too cold the churning may be prolonged for a considerable period. In the winter months, when cows are on dry feed and the weather is cold, it is often necessary to raise the churning temperature to 60 or 65 degrees Fahrenheit.

It is important to know at what point to stop churning. The butter granules should be the size of beans or corn, possibly a little larger. The churning is then stopped and the buttermilk allowed to drain. After the buttermilk is drained an amount of clear water of the same temperature should be added and the churn given four or five slow turns so that the water will come in contact with every particle of butter and wash out the buttermilk. As soon as the wash-water is drained salt should be added according to taste. Usually one ounce of salt to each ounce of butter is all that will be required. For working butter, some sort of table is recommended rather than a bowl. After the butter has been pressed with the roller it should be divided in centre, one part being laid over the other, and then passed through rollers again. This process should be repeated until butter assumes a waxy appearance. Don't work too long or it will begin to look like lard. Usually the firmer the butter the more working it will stand. If the butter should taste salty, a very little cold water should be poured over it as the working continues. The water washes out the excess salt.

Shorter Work Week

Just as it seemed obvious to Galileo's opponents that the earth was flat, in a similar manner, local labor leaders state that a shorter work week, with the same take-home pay, would create more jobs and therefore alleviate unemployment.

The shorter work week with the same take-home pay works satisfactorily when business is expanding and the extra costs can be readily absorbed. However, when business is on the decline, as it is today, this practice will have the tendency of decreasing instead of increasing employment.

I therefore humbly ask the leaders of different unions to take a "second look" at this idea before intentionally leading the workers in general into positions from which it will be difficult to extract themselves.

I would suggest that labor leaders keep an open mind on this question, and further that they ask the advice of an orthodox economist on this idea of a shorter work week, with the same take-home pay, during a period of business recession.

I am a member of a large trade union and a student in economics, who is very interested in the trade union movement.

GEORGE JONES.

(From letter in Vancouver Herald)

So the State Can't Dictate

. . . F. B. Pearce

In these days of conformity it is heartening to find that there is at least one parent who is prepared to insist on his right to educate his own children. In a case at Creston the defendant was charged with failing to send his children to school, but the case was dismissed because he holds a teacher's certificate and has a library and the equipment necessary for teaching. Section 157 of the Public Schools Act states that children need not attend public schools if they are receiving education satisfactory to the magistrate. It was under this section that the case was dismissed.

There are seven children in this family, and the father told the court that he intended to teach them during their "impressionable" years, presumably during their period of elementary education. Up to some years ago, Canada had a tradition of home teaching. It was quite common for beginners to know their ABC and be able to count, and not uncommon for mothers to teach their children to read before they entered school; but now that tradition has been replaced by the belief that the less a child knows before it enters school, the better the teachers will be able to teach it.

Most teachers have had visions of a school where they could teach as they chose, where the timetable was flexible and the subject matter what best fitted the child and the occasion, where rules and regulations were unknown, and the only important thing was the enthusiasm of the children. Most teachers then will view this experiment with sympathy and interest and the hope that the children will acquire a great deal of knowledge and an unbounded enthusiasm for learning.

PARENTS' RIGHT

The magistrate dismissed the case but he said that he felt that the Act should be amended and that the section in question goes back to the days of the little red schoolhouse. That is true, but it was written into the Act as an acknowledgement of the parents' rights, and it is still true that all that the individual needs to make a success of this life is the ability to read and write and understand arithmetic. If he has these fundamentals he can proceed to the higher branches of learning if he chooses. Many adults and children do not.

One can sympathize with the magistrate. He was clearly at a loss when it came to determining if the children were being properly educated, but when he asks for the Act to be amended because magistrates should not be expected to make up for deficiencies in the Act he forgets that laws are not made for magistrates and that magistrates are expected to make judgments. It would never do for the decision to rest in the hands of the Department of Education. They could not be expected to be as impartial as justice requires. Nor would it be democratic to amend the law to state that the child must attend a public school.

We speak with pride of our system of free education, but this same system provides for only one kind of education. There are people who prefer their own kind, and for these there are private schools. Though these schools seem undemocratic in their attitude, yet they serve to remind us under our system of government the state does not dictate to parents that they have their children educated only in the public schools.

Find Boy Scout Guilty of Murder

WINCHESTER, England (AP)—A Boy Scout was found guilty Friday of murdering the 74-year-old spinster who issued his troop's badges.

A judge sentenced 17-year-old Barry Musson to be "detained during Her Majesty's pleasure" — the equivalent of a life sentence.

The prosecution charged Musson stabbed Amy Lloyd 29 times because she threatened to expose him for forging certificates that won him Scout merit badges as a signaller, pathfinder and rescuer.

Musson admitted the forgery but denied he was the killer.

To Consider Change Of Polling Day

VANCOUVER (CP)—City council will consider some time next year whether to change Vancouver's polling day for civic elections from Wednesday to Saturday.

Candidates in Wednesday's election here said they were shocked at the small 32.8 per cent turnout of those eligible and Mayor Fred Hume says a change "is worth considering."

The original idea was to make it convenient for store workers to vote. Now that city stores are open again Wednesdays, more people might be able to get to the polls on a Saturday, the mayor said.

Ask Harris to Remove Tax on New Automobiles

OTTAWA (CP) — The 500,000-member Canadian Automobile Association Friday appealed to Finance Minister Harris to remove the 15 per cent excise tax on new automobiles. The tax gives the government about $82,000,000 a year in revenue.

The association, in a brief to Mr. Harris, said car owners are complaining bitterly that they are being taxed beyond endurance.

The association said it is speaking not only for Canada's auto clubs but indirectly for all of the country's 3,400,000 auto owners.

It argued that heavy federal taxation, through the excise tax and through the $82,600,000 in sales tax levied on auto purchases in 1953, and other charges, was causing a slowdown in auto buying.

PURCHASING POWER LOST

"The loss of national purchasing power because of reduced employment in the motor industry and its feeders is at this moment a danger to Canadian economy," it said.

The association recalled Mr. Harris made a speech in Montreal last month in which he said sales and excise taxes have an important place in any well-balanced tax system, but that the rates should not get out of line with reasonableness.

"The rates are out of line with reasonableness as far as the automobile is concerned," the association said.

Mayor Saunders Tight-Lipped on Hideaway Entertainment Expenses

TORONTO (CP) — The "hideaway" room has flared into prominence again with the disclosure that the City of Toronto paid $47,613 for parties, services and official receptions in a downtown hotel in 2½ years.

A tab for that amount was picked up by the city since January, 1952, newspaper reporters learned.

The city accounts that dealt with the now-famous Suite 1735 at the Royal York Hotel were thrown open to the public, despite refusal of Mayor Leslie Saunders and City Clerk George Weale to make them available after charges that a City Hall clique was ruling from the hotel room. Mr. Saunders was not at the meeting.

Tips from 50 cents to $10, $1 items under the heading of "news stand", and $2.50 for a quart of lemon juice.

ENTERTAIN VISITORS

Reporters from three Toronto daily newspapers scanned the books for 2½ hours. Of the nearly $48,000 spent at the hotel, $11,231 was authorized by Allan Lamport when he was mayor. This was listed under items headed "Entertainment of the mayor's visitors . . ."

Board of control ordered the books opened after a hot-tempered debate during which Mr. Weal and City Solicitor W. C. Angus were ordered to appear before board members. The board overrode a edict by Mr. Saunders that the books were to remain closed in connection with charges Suite 173 was a hideaway for city officials.

The charges were made by two mayoralty candidates, Nathan Phillips and Arthur Brown, in campaign speeches before Monday's election. Mr. Phillips was elected mayor, displacing Mr. Saunders.

A close check of the account gave no breakdown of entries other than under headings such as restaurant, tips, newsstand, special purchases and special entertaining.

Mr. Lamport was not immediately available for comment.

Toronto Strikes Pontiac Oil Off Trade List

TORONTO (CP) — The Toronto stock exchange has ordered Pontiac Petroleums Ltd. stricken from the trading list because the oil stock plunged to $1 from $3 within minutes Wednesday.

Exchange officials said the action, effective immediately, was taken in the public interest because an orderly market for the company's shares was not maintained.

ISRAEL RUMORS

Pontiac fell sharply amid rumors that drilling operations on its holdings in Israel were not progressing favorably.

The stock closed at $1.30 Wednesday and $1.25 Thursday. Between its high and low for Wednesday, only a few shares were traded, but the day's volume was more than 222,000 shares.

Stop-loss orders under the $3 figure are reported to have caused the break, but the retreat was so sudden that brokers had no hope of completing selling orders at anything close to the prices asked.

The Toronto exchange notified the Canadian stock exchange in Montreal and the Calgary exchange of its move.

U.S. Taste Said Low

ANN ARBOR, Mich. (AP) — The American people "prefer in their homes the ugliest examples of household arts," says Joseph Hudnut, dean emeritus of Harvard University. Speaking at the Ann Arbor conference on design and the American consumer, he said, "The sad truth is that the aesthetic standards of the American people are dismally low."

CAMERA NEWS

By BILL RAMSAY

For quite some time the horse-racing fraternity has resorted to photography in calling the winner in the so-called "photo-finish" race. In case you have wondered how this is handled, it calls for a specially designed 35-mm. Photo-Finish camera, hot developer, rapid fix, and a "two-story" enlarger, all of which allows the judges to scan negative images in a matter of seconds.

The special camera, located high in the grandstand, looks quite a bit like a horizontal version of an old-fashioned movie camera. The focal length of the telephoto lens, depending on how far the camera is located from the track, may vary from 6 to 20 inches.

To give an idea of how fast a winner can be decided, the camera is switched off when the last horse staggers home, and the film is immediately developed in a 92-degree metol-caustic soda developer. This requires ten seconds, another ten seconds and it is fully fixed and cleared in a rapid hypo. Seconds more, and it is sandwiched in glass, placed in a slide projector and ready for the jaundiced eyes of the judges.

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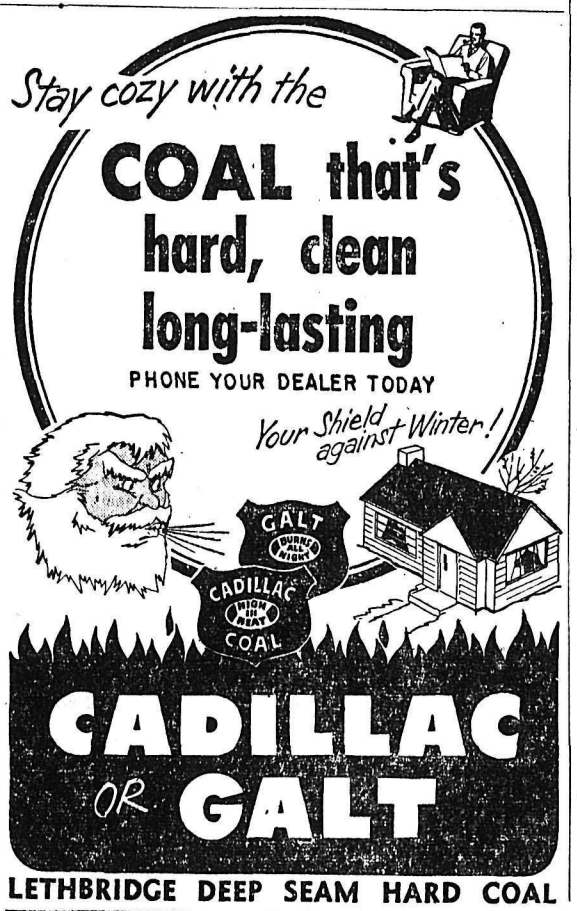

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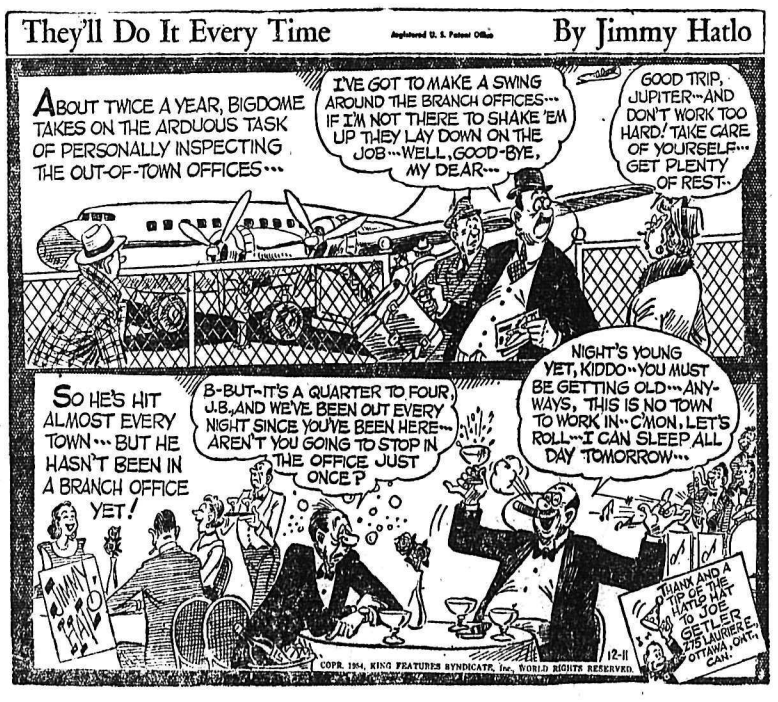


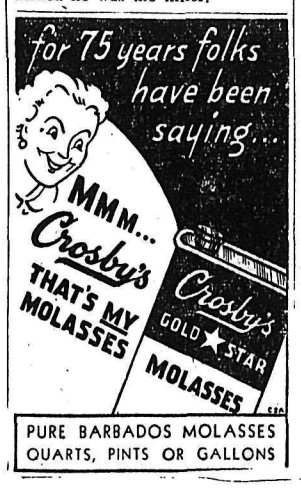
Today's Bible Thought

He that findeth his life shall lose it; and he that loseth his life for my sake shall find it.—Mt. 10:39.

Men who live dedicated lives do not commit suicide. A surfeited life is an unhappy life. It is not enough to be good; we must be good for something.

Aunt Het

Bossy talk don't make a boss. The boss in the family is the one that finds out the other can be handled by a little braggin'.



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Former Joan Will Is Bride of RCAF Officer

A former Nelson girl, Joan Marlene Will, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. B. Will of Calgary, became the bride of Flight Lieutenant John Richard Farnham, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Farnham of St. Andrews, N.B., in a pretty wedding ceremony in the Protestant Chapel at the RCAF station at Trenton, Ont.

After a wedding trip through New York State, they will be at Chatham, N.B., until December 22 when they will spend Flight Lieutenant Farnham's embarkation leave at their parents' home, prior to going to the Continent for two years.

Bouquets of autumn chrysanthemums formed the setting for the double ring ceremony, which was conducted by Flight Lieutenant Philip Ross, padre at Station Trenton. The wedding music was supplied by Flight Sergeant V. Boys.

The bride, who was given in marriage by Flight Lieutenant John R. Utting, was lovely in her gown of white Chantilly lace over satin. Seed pearls adorned the fitted, long-sleeved bodice and the full, hooped skirt extended at the back in a chapel-length train. Her veil fell to finger-tip length from a tiara with matching seed pearl trim, and she carried a bouquet of white roses interspersed with pink butterfly roses and ivy.

ONE ATTENDANT

Miss Lucy Morris of River Hebert, Nova Scotia was the bride's only attendant. She was gowned in ice-blue taffeta and net, the bodice being stitched in silver. Her headdress of dainty blue florets and matching blue net complimented her gown. Varigated autumn flowers composed her bouquet.

Flying Officer Alexander Blair was the best man and the ushers were Flight Lieutenant W. H. Wilson and Flying Officer Henry Brown.

The reception was held in the Social Centre at RCAF station Trenton, where Mrs. John Utting, wearing a charcoal grey suit with accents in blush pink and a pink carnation corsage, received the wedding guests.

The bride's going-away ensemble included a two-piece black wool dress trimmed with pastel blue and matching blue accessories. Her only jewellery was a strand of pearls, a gift of the groom.

Procter Celebrates Reopening of Hall

PROCTER—A gay crowd whirled through fox-trots, schottisches, old-fashioned waltzes and square dances at the re-opening of the Procter hall celebrating the laying of a new hardwood floor of two-tone maple.

The president of the Hall Society, Colin Major presented spot prizes to four unidentified dancers and the door prize to Angus Sallis of Nelson. R. L. Stevenson was master of ceremonies and square dancing caller Fitchett's orchestra played for five hours to start off another building fund with additional cloak rooms and another wash room as the objective. Mrs. C. Fitchett, Mrs. J. Purcello, Mrs. W. A. Henke and Mrs. Stevenson staffed the kitchen and served midnight lunch. J. Purcello acted as doorman to an estimated 130 merrymakers.

CIRCLE MEETS

St. Paul's United Church Circle No. 1 held its last meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. G. W. Payne. Mrs. K. Jensen and Mrs. H. D. Craig were hostesses

COUPLE MARRIED AT GRAND FORKS

GRAND FORKS — Principals of a quiet wedding recently were Mrs. Merlie Hughes of Grand Forks and Charles Leroy Burdick of Billings, who were married at the United Church manse. Rev. J. C. Jackson of S. John's Untied Church officiated for the couple who will make their home at Billings, where Mr. Burdick is on guard duty.

The bride chose for the occasion a navy blue dress with a corsage of red roses.

Witnesses were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bannert, the bride's brother-in-law and sister of Grand Forks.

A reception was held for the newlyweds at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bannert and was attended by friends and relatives.

Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Poulin wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Jeannette to Mr. Alfred Kluck, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Kluck of Penticton, B. C. Marriage to take place at 8:30 a.m., Monday, December 27, 1954, at the Cathedral of Mary Immaculate, Nelson, B.C.

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Willow Point WI Elects Officers

WILLOW POINT — A successful tea and sale was sponsored by the afternoon branch of St. Andrew's Woman's Auxiliary.

In the kitchen were Mrs. R. A. Grimes, Mrs. W. Ashby, Mrs. D. Philpot, Mrs. R. Thompson, Mrs. H. Hankin, Mrs. N. Denny, with Mrs. A. M. Banks as convener. Serving were Mrs. B. Townshend and Mrs. C. Linden. Mrs. T. G. Ludgate and Mrs. C. Haycroft sold quantities of lovely cakes, cookies and fruit. Mrs. P. Lincoln, Mrs. C. Shannon, Mrs. M. Roberts were in charge of a table laden with aprons, dresses, dolls' clothes and goods too many to mention.

The rummage sale, a new venture, was successful with Mrs. C. White and Mrs. C. Healey in charge. The tea tables were centered with evergreen red and white berries.

ROSSLAND BAZAAR BRINGS IN $1158

ROSSLAND — With the various Catholic Women's League Circle leaders giving their reports on the recent parish bazaar in Rossland, total receipts of $1158 were announced at the December meeting. Rev. Monsignor A. K. McIntyre expressed his appreciation of the work of all the members for this fine showing.

The members voted to give for Christmas a sum of money toward flowers for the church, a gift to the Sisters and a contribution to the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

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ROSSLAND LA EXTENDS DRIVE FOR MEMBERS

ROSSLAND — Ladies' Auxiliary to the Rossland Eagles heard two applications for membership read at their last meeting, and Mrs. S. Bowcock, president, announced that the membership campaign would be extended to the end of December.

Mrs. J. Bielli, convener of a "Christmas Shoppe" held recently, gave a favorable report on that project.

The members planned a Christmas party to be held December 19 for children of members. The Auxiliary will give a Christmas gift to some child with muscular distrophy. A project for raising money for the muscular distrophy fund will consist of members bringing books from home to the lodge where they will be bought at cheap rates by other members, with proceeds going to the fund. Membership in the Kootenay Society for Handicapped Children will be renewed.

New committee heads were chosen to carry on the auxiliary work. These will be: auditor, Mrs. D. Cameron; membership director, Mrs. J. Zentner; finance, Mrs. R. Gartside, Mrs. P. Black, Mrs. D. Stinson; publicity, Mrs. A. Pighin; raffle, Mrs. P. Flood; visiting the sick, Mrs. R. Gartside, Mrs. L. C. Miller, Mrs. J. Chisholm; entertainment, Miss Polly Poohachoff, Mrs. V. Picco; membership, Mrs. F. Brinson; refreshment phoning, Mrs. C. Skinner and special phoning, Mrs. H. Hanson, Mrs. J. Zentner, Mrs. J. Bielli, Mrs. R. Langman and Mrs. P. Black.

LONDON (Reuters)—Pretty Mary Malcolm, BBC television announcer, lost an earring during a program but didn't realize it until viewers telephoned the studio. Next time she appeared on the screen she announced that she had found the earring on the floor, and expressed her thanks to watchful fans.

Mrs. Bell Named By Greenwood WI

GREENWOOD — Mrs. N. MacNabb has resigned as president of the Greenwood Women's Institute, owing to ill health, and Mrs. F. Bell has accepted the position. A new vice-president will be elected at the January meeting.

At the annual meeting, standing committees for 1955 were formed. They are: agriculture, Mrs. M. Park; citizenship, Mrs. J. Puddy; home economics and social welfare, Mrs. M. Holm; cultural activities, Mrs. F. Bell; international exchange, Mrs. M. Cowdrill; letter friends, Mrs. M. Kayes and publicity Mrs. M. McArthur.

The project for the new year is to make a hooked rug. It will be raffled and the proceeds will go to the March of Dimes.

The secretary, reporting on a tag day for the blind said only $24.06 was raised this year.

Castlegar Party Aids Fruitvale Boy

KINNAIRD — The WA to Fraternal order of Eagles, Aerie 3107, held a card party in St. Albans Hall in Castlegar recently to raise money to aid a Fruitvale boy who is a victim of muscular dystrophy. Six tables of which and three of bridge were in play and the sum of $18 was raised.

Prize winners for bridge were Mrs. E. Conroy and P. Newman and consolation prizes went to Mr. and Mrs. G. Reith. First prizes for whist were won by Mrs. S. Kinakin and R. Moore and consolation by Mrs. Boetteger and R. Hardie. J. Brownlee won the door prize and Mrs. Boetteger received the hostess prize and the kitchen committee served refreshments.

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Hospital Bazaar Successful Event

INVERMERE—The annual hospital bazaar sponsored by three ladies aids to the Lady Elizabeth Bruce Memorial Hospital here was a successful event but did not attract as much patronage as usual from valley residents due to other conflicting events.

Sparking the hospital bazaar was the junior ladies' hospital aid of Windermere, which undertook the organization of the event and had the gift table, delicatessen table and candy stall.

The home cooking stall was in charge of the senior ladies' hospital aid and the junior ladies' hospital aid had charge of the refreshment tables which were attractively candle-lighted. This group also had a clothes line contest and a fish-dip for the young fry.

Independent, non-party candidates are barred from the ballot for the presidency in Costa Rica.

Come to Church

St. Saviour's Pro-Cathedral
(ANGLICAN)
Dean Thomas L. Leadbeater, D.D.
ADVENT III
8:00 a.m.—Holy Communion
11:00 a.m.—Holy Communion
"GOD'S LEDGER"
Sunday School as usual.
3:00 p.m.—Willow Point
7:30 p.m.—Evening Prayer
Young People's Gathering After Church.

Trinity United Church
Josephine and Silica Sts.
Minister: REV. ALLAN DIXON, B.A., B.D.
Organist and Music Director: Mrs. C. W. Tyler
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—WHITE GIFT SERVICE
"INGREDIENTS FOR A MERRY CHRISTMAS"
Broadcast over CKLN
7:30 p.m.—"DON'T BE SO BLUE"

St. Paul's United Church
Stanley and Silica Streets
Minister: Rev. G. W. Payne, S.T.M.
Director of Music: Mrs. T. J. S. Ferguson, B.A., A.T.C.M
SUNDAY, Dec. 12th:
No Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
WHITE GIFT SERVICE
Girls' Choir
2:00 p.m.—Harrop
3:30 p.m.—Procter
7:30 p.m.—"QUESTING TIME"
Subject: "DELIVER US"
Broadcast over CKLN

First Presbyterian Church
Minister: REV. CHARLES E. BRAY
Morning Worship—11:00 a.m.
Fourth in a series on Ruth: "THE KINSMAN REDEEMER"
Communion Service
Evening Service—7:30 p.m.
"The Man Who Fell on Thieves"
Church School at 11:00 a.m.

Mission Covenant
802 Baker St. Pastor: E. V. HANSON
SUNDAY — 9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p.m.—Evening Service
WEDNESDAY — 7:30 p.m.—Prayer Meeting
FRIDAY — 6:45 p.m.—Junior League
8:00 p.m.—Young People's

BETHEL TABERNACLE
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Sunday School
11:00
Worship Service
7:30 P.M.
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● Carols
BETHEL FIRESIDE HOUR
4:00 P.M. — CKLN

First Baptist Church
(Cottonwood and Fourth Sts.)
Minister: Rev. Katsumi Imayoshi
716 Stanley St. — Phone 1420-L
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—PRESENT HIM TO THE LORD
(Dedication of Children)
7:30 p.m.—VOICE CRYING IN THE WILDERNESS
WEDNESDAY:
8:15 p.m.—Bible Study and Prayer
Sunday Evening, Dec. 26th:
Senior Choir Presents
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Sunday School — 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Service — 11:00 a.m.
SUBJECT —
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8:00 p.m.
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Lieut. and Mrs. H. P. Thornhill
SUNDAY:
11:00 a.m.—Holiness Meeting
2:00 p.m.—Directory and Sunday School
7:30 p.m.—Salvation Meeting

St. John's Lutheran Church
Corner Stanley and Silica Sts.
REV. CARL J. HENNIG
Res. 317 Silica St. - Phone 729-X
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service
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CJAT, 8:00 A.M.

Church of the Redeemer
Anglican (Fairview)
CANON W. J. SILVERWOOD
Miss Barbara Lea, Organist
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Choral Communion
W.A. and Altar Guild
7:30 p.m.—Evening Prayer
3:30 p.m.—South Slocan

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Behind the Glass

With MAX DES BRISAY

KIMBERLEY — The past week saw the qualifying round for the local stane and besom artists completed. Top point winners in the various sections were D. Gold, A. Caldwell, H. Bates Jr., W. Leaman, L. James, D. Yuill with 20 points each, L. Nickolson and G. Edmonds with 16; B. Smart, J. Livingstone, W. Twells, E. Bisgrove and L. Matheson with 15 points. This group now will be brought together in "A" section of round robin play—with the balance of the rinks being split into B, C and D sections according to the points they received in the qualifying round.

B. C. Consol Playdowns:

We have just read of an idea that seems worth following through. It has been in use in the Saskatchewan zonal playdowns for some time.

In this hot bed of curling activity each rink entering the district playdowns, pays an entry fee. This fee is then used (A) to donate buttons to the winning district rink, (B) pay the expenses of the winners to the provincial finals, (C) the balance is contributed towards the expenses of the Provincial Champions to the Dominion Championships.

Following this idea to its completion we figure from our spot "Behind the Glass" that the District winners should also pay an entry fee when competing in the provincial playdowns with the winner getting the "pot" and an assist toward the heavy expenses attendant on going on to the Dominion Championships—How about it?

Keep It To Yourself:

See where Norman Stibbs, ex-mayor of Nelson, is heading the next Nelson Mid-Summer Bonspiel Committee. Things should hum with "N.C." in there. Well do we recall his activity when lacrosse was in its hey-day in the Kootenays in the late 30's. By the way I still have an old pair of running shoes—covered with tar (I had the job at that time of tarring the roof of the gas works, along with Glen Vickers).

Just to prove that the youngsters have not taken over the game entirely we still have those "oldtimers" Howard Bush and Bob Sommerville at the handsome age of 85 holding their own with the best.

What's this we hear about "Toss" Tagen asetting in the clubroom while the Kimberley Shift Club curlers were waiting at the front door? Seems as though someone got Ab Lilley to come down and open up—and there was "Toss" waiting with the curlers ! ! !

SALT 'EM DOWN

We heard George Hunter reminiscing the other day about the time the Cranbrook Club was tossed out of the B. C. Association. Seems a couple of boys were throwing salt on the ice to stop the rocks. Must have taken their curling seriously in 1911—eh?

And then, Jim Livingston told us the one about stalling an expert staller. Jim who was leading for "Ingre" Jahren took four and a half hours to complete this game in the old Kimberley rink. Needless to say the "staller" was only too willing to quit, and learned a good lesson.

This brings to mind the stunt pulled on a certain old time Trail curler, who was famous for his high, fast rock. Someone substituted a light fake wooden rock, which when delivered by this fast rock expert ended up in the rafters.

Those were the days.

For the Eric Bishop fans: You can now hear Eric broadcasting the WHL pro hockey games from Calgary. Sounds good, too.

Should be a swell do—the Sportsman Banquet in Trail on Dec. 15. Big Annis Stukis of the B. C. Lions (not Vancouver Lions—Mr. Rayner) is to be guest speaker. Hope it is more successful than the "Lions roar of 1954"—Glen.

Did you know that there were approximately 1300 clubs with a membership of 100,000—not including the ladies—affiliated with the Dominion Curling Association last season?

WIHL Race Tightens as Smokies Dump Dynamiters; Young Stars

TRAIL — WIHL cellar dwelling Trail Smoke Eaters took a 5-2 win over the league-leading Kimberley Dynamiters here tonight in a ragged hockey exhibition before some 1700 fans. Scoreless during the first period, Trail took a 3-2 lead in the second and added two more in the third with Moe Young picking up two goals.

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	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Kimberley	19	9	9	1	66	84	21.6
Spokane	18	10	8	0	77	60	21.0
Nelson	20	9	10	1	83	76	17.6
Trail	21	8	13	0	91	97	15.0

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Dynamiters' Knippleberg knotched the first tally of the night at 1:22 of the second frame unassisted. Moe Young put Trail back into the game at 7:39 on a rebound shot with Desrosiers assisting. Andrews put Trail one up at 10:21 in the second with Clarke assisting while Bari came back unassisted to tie the game up at 14:14. Moe Young copped the tie breaker with less than a minute to go again with Desrosiers assisting

Andrews and Kromm put the game on ice for the Smoke Eaters in the third with goals at 6:02 and 12:24 to end the scoring.

Lineups:

Kimberley — Goal, Betker; defence, Jones, Johnson, Craig, Andrea; forwards, Lebodia, Hockley, Barre, Knippleberg, Bell, McNiven, Larsen.

Trail—Goal, Martin; defence, Corrado, Fletcher, Clarke, Hamilton; forwards: McTeer, Kromm, Andrews, Trentini, Desrosiers, Lenardon, Young.

SUMMARY

First period: No scoring. Penalties —Corrado, Young, Lebodia.

Second period — 1, Kimberley, Knippleberg (unassisted) 1:20; 2, Trail, Young (Desrosers) 7:39; 3, Trail, Kromm (Clark) 10:21; 4, Kimberley, Barre (unassisted) 14:20; 5, Trail, Young (Desrosiers) 7:39; 3, Penalties—Fletcher, Lebodia.

Third period: 6, Trail, Andrews (McTeer, Hamilton) 6:20; 7, Trail, Kromm (Andrews) 12:24. Penalties —Lenardon, Craig, McTeer, Andrea, Craig, Lebodia.

Two Tie Games In Minor Hockey

Bantam Rangers 2, Blackhawks 2
Midget Royals 1, Quakers 1

Two well-played minor hockey league games were played at the Civic Thursday night with both games being tied. In the bantam game the Rangers came through with a last-minute goal to gain a two-all tie with the Blackhawks. The results put all three top teams in the Bantam League tied with six points each. The Midget tie game moved the Quakers into a tie for second spot with the Canucks in that division.

In the bantam game both the Vic Lofvendahl coached Rangers and the Kuhn coached Hawks battled through two opening scoreless periods with both goalies, Ron Glover of the Hawks and Garry Peerless for the Rangers starring. In the final frame Ev Kuhn's boys had a 2-1 lead up to the last minute when Vic Lofvendahl pulled his goalie and shoved on an extra forward to tie it up. Mike Laughton drove in the tying goal and his second of the night on Campbell's hard drive off goalie Glover.

Doug Farenholtz and Garry Smith notched the Blackhawks goals with Lang gaining an assist on Farenholtz' tally. The Hawks drew four penalties to one for the Rangers.

The Quakers and Royals Midget game was close all the way with the Royals picking up a goal in the first period as Mike Borch slapped in Eckstrom's rebound to beat Gordy Wood,

In the middle stanza Andy Watson tied it up for the Quakers as he converted Morrison's pass to beat Don Holmes in the Royals net.

Both teams drew four penalties each. Kraft drew two penalties for the Royals with Holmes and Eckstrom getting one each. Watson, Hufty, Smith, Lambert all served time for Quakers, Les Hufty and Chester Christensen did the officiating for both games. Gordy Jeffs kept the time and score.

OBECK TO AID VICE-PRESIDENCY

By W. R. WHEATLEY
Canadian Press Staff Writer

MONTREAL (CP) — Vic Obeck, athletics director and former football coach at McGill University, Friday announced his association with the reorganized Montreal Alouettes and envisioned a widespread program for development of football in Quebec.

Obeck has become an active shareholder in the Big Four Football League club and assumes the position of vice-president. His relations with McGill end officially with the close of the university year in June.

McGowan, Umpire 30 Years Dies

WASHINGTON (AP) — Bill McGowan, 58, who retired earlier this year after 30 years as an umpire in the American League, died Thursday of a heart attack.

One of the most popular of all baseball arbiters, the fiery little fellow had been an umpire in eight world series and earlier this week had been voted a retirement pension by the American League clubowners.

PUP BITES, FALLS DEAD

BALTIMORE (AP)—Henry Zlotak, 40, a grocer, told police his eight-week-old Boxer puppy bit him on the right forearm Thursday night —and then fell dead.

Pro-Rec Group To Stage Show Next Saturday

Ed Kelter and his Senior Leaders group will perform before Nelson pro-rec enthusiasts next Saturday, December 18, in a two-hour show at the Civic Auditorium.

Proceeds from the show will go toward the Rotary swimming pool fund to help bring better swimming facilities to the youngsters of the city.

The group on several occasions has been praised for its gymnastic display in various towns throughout the district and this will be Nelson's first opportunity of seeing them this season.

Their work on the trampoline along with other acrobatic feats has improved over performances last season when many attended the various shows held throughout the winter months.

Royals Increase League Lead

Bob Koehle's Royals pounded out a 4-2 win over Christensen's Canucks at the Civic Arena Friday afternoon. The win shoved the Royals five points ahead of the Canucks and Quakers who are tied for second place.

The Royals carried the larger portion of territorial play and kept the "Big Train" Donny Ball off the score sheet. The Royals went ahead with a three-goal outburst and came back with one in the third against the two Canuck goals.

McMaster, Olson, Perehudoff, and Ecstrom were the marksmen for the Royals. Peterson, Drew and Kraft were credited with assists. Benedetti drove in both the Canuck goals with Horswill and Earl Farenholtz assisting.

Each team drew four penalties as refs Vic Lofvendahl and Syd White clamped down on the rough stuff. Jimmy Young kept the time and score.

BEG Victory Bannister's Best

LONDON (CP) — Victory over Australian John Landy at Vancouver was recalled Friday by retiring miler Roger Bannister as the most exciting event of his most exciting season.

The famous running doctor, in a farewell press conference, chose his Empire Games medal over both the first four-minute mile at Oxford last spring and his European games victory in the 1500 metres.

BANNISTER HAS RUN LAST MILE

LONDON (Reuters)—Roger Bannister, first man to run a mile in less than four minutes, announced Thursday that he is retiring from international athletics.

The tall Briton, who made sports history by running the mile in 3 minutes, 59.4 seconds at Oxford last May 6, made his announcement at the annual dinner of the Sports Writers' Association here. He said he is retiring because he feels it would be "impossible to combine competitive athletics with my work" as a doctor.

NHL LEADERS

By The Canadian Press

Standing: Montreal, won 17, lost 8, tied 4; points: 38.

Points: Geoffrion, Montreal, 32.

Goals: Geoffrion, 19.

Assists: Raleigh, 18.

Shutouts: Sawchuk, Detroit, 6.

Penalties: Lindsay, Detroit, 67 minutes.

NHL BIG SEVEN

By The Canadian Press

	G	A	Pts.
Geoffrion, Montreal	19	13	32
Richard, Montreal	14	12	26
Beliveau, Montreal	11	15	26
Mosdell, Montreal	14	10	24
Raleigh, New York	4	18	22
Lewicki, New York	15	5	20
Mackell, Boston	6	14	20

LANDAU SOLD

LONDON (AP) — Landau, the three-year-old colt who ran under the colors of Queen Elizabeth this season, has been sold for $58,800

The buyer was the British bloodstock agency on behalf of an Australian client, the ministry of agriculture announced. The national stud, administered by the ministry of agriculture, owned the colt and leased him to the Queen for racing

Leafs Swing Into Action Against Dynamiters Here

After a layoff of one week, the Nelson Maple Leafs will swing into action again tonight when they entertain the Kimberley Dynamiters, who will be playing their third game in as many nights.

Although the teams have reached the half-way mark in the schedule, the race remains tight. First three clubs are bunched with the Smokies not too far in the rear.

The Dynamiters in their last appearance on Nelson ice suffered an 11-1 shellacking. To square that account Dynamiters will have Earl Betker in the nets with Bill Jones, Tank Johnson, Barry Craig and Gordon Andre on defence.

With Ted Lebodia recuperated from a foot injury, Coach Norm Larson will have him playing alongside Cal Hockley and Gerry Barre. The second line will see Larson working with Norm Knippleburg and high-scoring Claude Bell. Ray McNiven will be the extra man.

LINEUP UNDECIDED

Coach Charlie Rayner has yet to decide on a starting lineup, with the exception of Ray Mikulan, who will be between the pipes. The blueline corps will be chosen from Sid White, Vic Lofvendahl, Don McGregor, Ernie Gare and Murray Parker.

Up front, Rayner will choose from Buddy MacDonald, Wendy Keller, Red Koehle, Don Appleton, Ray Kinasewich, Herb Jeffrey, Fritz Koehle, Bruce Carmichael and Lee Hyssop.

Joe Bell will be sitting out his final game of a three-game suspension handed him for a brawl in Spokane. Bell will see action Wednesday when the Flyers play here.

Says Coast Cops Helped Bannister

By ALAN HARVEY
Canadian Press Staff Writer

LONDON (CP)—Chris Chataway says some kindly Vancouver cops rate an assist on Roger Bannister's great mile at the British Empire Games.

In a half-serious speech, the red-haired British runner told sport writers that Bannister's reckless driving nearly stopped him getting to the post at Vancouver.

"Frankly, Roger is one of the worst drivers in the world," said the master miler's close friend and track companion. "Somebody lent us a very nice sports car and we burned up those roads. We had many a small argument about the Canadian way of driving on the right side of the road, and only the forbearance of the Canadian police made it possible for us to get to the starting post instead of being locked up."

Chataway, an amateur actor as well as a track star, came straight to a sport writers' dinner to make the speech after his evening performance as Algernon in a production of Oscar Wilde's "The Importance of Being Earnest."

Bannister announced his retirement at the same dinner.

Gash On Ankle Sidelines Armstrong

TORONTO (CP) — George Armstrong, Toronto Maple Leaf right-winger, will be out of National Hockey League action for 10 days, club officials reported Friday.

Armstrong suffered a four-stitch gash on his right ankle when he was checked by Doug Harvey, Montreal Canadiens' defenceman, during Thursday night's NHL game at Montreal.

Jack Caffery has been brought up to the Leafs from Pittsburgh Hornets of the American Hockey League to fill in for Armstrong.

HOCKEY SCORES

WESTERN LEAGUE
Edmonton 1, Calgary 6.
WESTERN JUNIOR
Edmonton 4, Regina 5.
OSHL
Vernon 4, Penticton 2.

Toronto, Montreal To Black Hawks Assistance

TORONTO (CP)—The share-the-wealth campaign of the National Hockey League owners stepped into high gear Friday with the announcement that the weak-sister Chicago Black Hawks have received player strength from two league clubs.

Montreal Canadiens parted with rookie Eddie Litzenberger and Toronto Maple Leafs came up with an eye-raising deal that sent veteran left-winger Harry Watson to the failing Hawks. The straight-cash deals were made in what league officials termed their policy in trying "to help Chicago out of its present crisis."

The sales were announced after a closed-door meeting of NHL owners and Clarence Campbell, NHL president. The two players will report to the last-place Hawks this weekend.

Team owners were unanimous in lauding the Montreal and Toronto moves to help the Hawks who have finished at the bottom of the six-team league the last few seasons. It was another case of the "have clubs" recognizing the problems of the "have nots" instigated last month in New York when the Hawks bought centre Metro Prystai from Detroit Red Wings and Paul Masnick from Canadiens.

NORRIS HAPPY

James D. Norris, president of the Chicago Hawks board, termed the sales "most gratifying" and added that if Chicago is not "a representative hockey club with the addition of Watson and Litzenberger it is nobody's fault but ours."

"We are sincere and want to help Chicago," Montreal general manager Frank Selke said. "The only place a team can buy an NHL player is in the NHL and that's the only reason that Canadiens have sacrificed their fine young player, Litzenberger," he added.

"Detroit gave up one of their stars (Prystai) and the other clubs are matching it," Leaf president Conn Smythe said.

Walter Brown, president of Boston Bruins, termed the latest moves the "most statesmanlike I've seen in 30 years of kicking around in sport."

Harlem Clowns Down Rossland In Cage Game

ROSSLAND—An amazing finish offset a dismal showing in Rossland Wednesday night as some 200 fans watched the Harlem Chicks completely outclassed 52-34 by the Rossland B-Royals. In the second half of the twin bill, the Harlem Clowns came on with a rush to tie the score with Rossland Royals in the dying seconds of the game, then climax their comeback by winning 69-65 in overtime.

The Chicks were completely outclassed by the B-Royals and at times put little or no effort into the game. So lopsided was the play that before the Chicks were able to get a good shot the Royals had jumped into a 10-0 lead. At the half they held a 24-17 lead.

The Royals improved their shooting in the second half as they racked up 28 points. Al Alexander, a man playing for the Chicks, saved the day by splitting the twine for 16 points, one less than the entire team in the second half.

Ron McAuley, Tom Smith and Don Bruneski lead the assault, potting 12 points each for the winners.

OVERTIME

The nightcap was a close affair all the way until the Clowns finally pulled out of reach in the overtime.

Al Watson was the sparkplug of the Clowns' attack as he broke through for 23 points while Rip Collins was able to garner 20.

A big 18-11 first quarter lead by the Royals failed to discourage the visitors as they pecked away steadily at Royals' lead. By half time the gap was closed to 33-29. The third quarter saw the game tied at 35-35.

The Royals again took the lead early in the final but with 15 seconds left to play Rip Collins tied the game, sending it into overtime, which saw the Clowns outscore the Royals 8-4.

Irv Lavaratto and Keith Armstrong led the Royals with 18 points each.

Minor Hockey Schedule

Minor hockey schedule for next week:

Monday, 5 to 6 p.m.—Porter's Bantam Reps vs Koehle's Royals.

Tuesday, 8 to 9—Juveniles vs Midget Reps.

Thursday, 6:30 to 7:30—Gregoire's Rangers vs Blunt's Blackhawks; 7:30 to 8:30—Porter's Bantam Reps vs Fargher's Quakers.

Friday, 5 to 6—Porter's Canadiens vs Campbell's Bruins.

Saturday, 12:30 to 1:30—Bantam Pool; 1:30 to 2:30—Christiansen's Canucks vs Koehle's Royals; 2:30 to 3:30—Gregoire's Rangers vs Campbell's Bruins; 3:30 to 4:30—Bantam Reps, 5 to 6:30—Midget Reps vs Juveniles.

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Super-Market Opens Today

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PRESIDENT of the firm opening the Liberty Food Centre today is George Kaiway, above, who began in the grocery retail business 18 years ago in Trail. He is a director of Nelson Junior Chamber of Commerce.

POSITION of secretary-treasurer of Liberty Food Store is held by J. D. Hingwing, above. Mr. Hingwing is a member of Nelson Rotary Club.

Liberty Food Centre, Nelson's biggest food store, opens today in the 600 block of Vernon Street, a block from the spot where the firm began business in pocket-size premises 15 years ago.

The super-market will represent an investment of more than $200,000 when costs of construction, equipment and stock are totalled. Deep freeze and refrigeration units alone are worth more than $25,000.

The two-storey, fireproof, steel and pumice stone building was raised skyward on land formerly owned by the city. For the first time, the Vernon Street retaining wall was used as a fourth wall for a building.

As the newest addition to Vernon Street, the city's second business thoroughfare, the Liberty Food Centre is also a sizeable and attractive one.

FOR CONVENIENCE

In streamlined service, the Liberty builders have "gone about as far as they can go." Contrasted with the early-day cluttered country grocery store, there's as much difference in the new Liberty as between the horse-drawn carriage and the modern car.

In fact, Liberty has been geared to today's transportation. Customers will be able to drive into the 24-car free parking lot beneath the store and pick up their goods there. A slick conveyor belt system will be the deliverer.

Customers will stream through rows of counters to no fewer than six check-out stations on the main floor at street level. The gleaming glass of self-serve meat, dairy produce and vegetable refrigeration cases extends along one wall and the store rear.

This main floor measures 104 by 75 feet, more than 7500 square feet. At the back also is an office, raised five feet, to give the manager a commanding view of the store.

Merchandise is so arranged that customers may place heavy articles in their baskets first, and pick up lighter and perishable goods as they complete their rounds.

Two small stores, yet to be rented, are located on the second floor in an area 24 by 104 feet. The rest of the second floor is given over to Liberty Food Centre storage, boiler room and freezer.

Eventually, customers will be able to walk from the all-weather gravel parking lot directly up to the store, through the building, to select their purchases. Otherwise they can have the goods brought to them.

Two conveyor belts connect the main floor with ground level, so designed that products may be rolled from the loading platform to either storage or top floors while goods are being transported down to waiting customers.

The boiler room contains an oil-fired heater. It also contains a sprinkler system which automatically sprays water in the event of fire. The second floor is also equipped with washrooms for each of the small stores and two for Liberty Food Centre.

The flat roof is devoid of joists, a construction angle new to this district. A three by six plank deck spans from steel beam to steel beam, the planks being of tongue and groove "vee" joint. The underside forms the finished ceiling. Insulation two inches thick lies on top of the planks and built-up roofing lies on top of the insulation.

BRIGHT FACE

The pleasing, modern design and exterior color scheme strikes the visitor approaching the double-entrance front. The canopy features a king fisher green soffit and flame red fascia board. Window trim also reflects king fisher green hues.

Eighty-six feet of plate glass extends along the front and Hall Street side of the building, all eight feet high. There are 48 feet on Vernon Street, 16 feet on Hall and 22 feet on the second floor.

The curtain walls of eight-inch pumice stone have an insulating as well as a construction value. Only where Roman tile has been used as an exterior front finish is the pumice stone thinner.

A giant sign "Liberty Food Centre" announces the store's name from atop the canopy.

Within, the store is as eye-appealing as without. The ceiling is eggshell white, the walls, pine-tip green, and the counters, cream yellow. The customers walk on linoleum tile.

Owing to a delay at the factory, light fixtures will not have been installed by today's opening, and temporary lighting has been devised. When the store overcomes the Christmas rush, the parking lot and conveyor belt system will be employed.

Dominion Bridge Company erected the steel skeleton of the building. Louis Maglio was general contractor, Coleman Electric installed the wiring, and Kootenay Plumbing the plumbing and heating. Painting by Nystrom and work by Domino Refrigeration of Vancouver bring up the list.

"We have hired local firms and local labor as much as possible," George Kaiway, president, said Friday. The capital for the venture has come mostly from local sources.

The firm of Mrs. Ilsa J. C. Williams of Nelson was the architect.

SMALL START

Liberty was founded in 1939 when the late Tom Wong opened a tiny store on the south side of the 600 block of Baker Street. In those days Mr. Kaiway, who began grocery retailing 18 years ago in Trail, was himself a staff member.

In 1944 the building burned, and the business moved to a stone building in the 400 block of Josephine Street. A year later, on the site of the original store, was built the store from which Liberty moves to its new premises. The T. Eaton Company will occupy the vacated premises.

J. D. Hingwing, secretary, came to Nelson in 1946, and started in the business in 1947. Other member of the firm is Mrs. Wong, director and widow of the founder. By a joint managership, Mr. Kaiway is director of personnel, customer relations and produce, and Mr. Hingwing is in charge of accounts and purchasing.

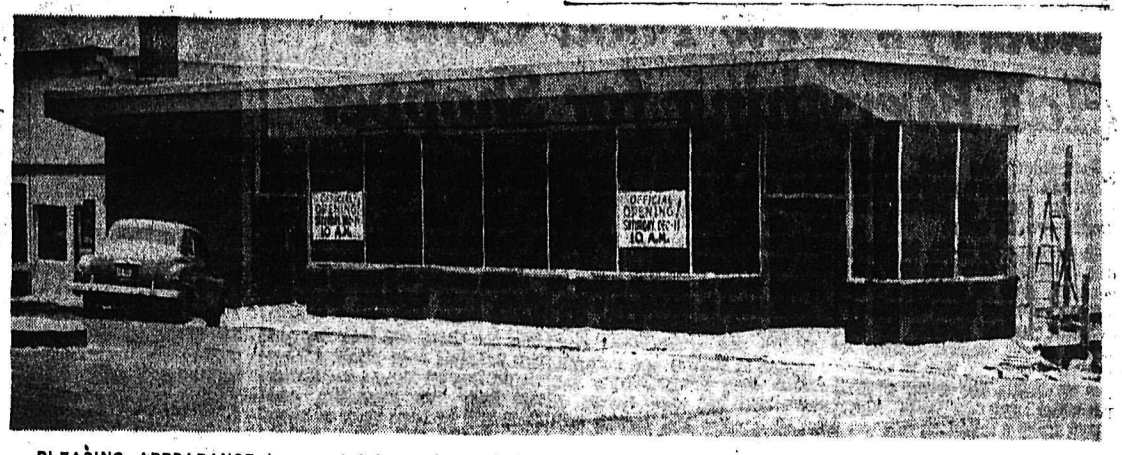
Buyer in the produce department is Jack Wright, and Leo Whitelock reigns as meat department manager. The bakery department will be in charge of Mrs. Jesse Seaby.

With the new store and bigger business, Liberty has engaged 10 more employees to bring its total to 31. There are 20 staff members on full-time and 11 part-time workers.

Tribute to his staff was paid by Mr. Kaiway. "I owe a great deal of my progress to them. I feel that their honest and sincere efforts to give the public the best service, have been appreciated," he said.

Mr. Kaiway expressed the opinion that as many as 10,000 people from Nelson and district points would view the new store during the three-day opening.

After the brief opening ceremony this morning, clerks and cashiers will handle the customer rush with a maximum of efficiency and speed. A record will be kept of the numbers attending the opening event and of how many people Liberty serves today, Monday and Tuesday.



PLEASING APPEARANCE is presented by modern exterior of the new Liberty Food Centre in the 600 block of Vernon Street. The two-level store was built on land formerly city-owned, and fronts on the Vernon Street retaining wall erected by the city in recent years. The plate-glass windows extend for 27 feet. —Vogue photo.

LARGE STAFF is employed at Liberty Food Store warehouse for packing and packaging the large supplies of groceries, produce and other goods, are the eight members above. Left to right are Lloyd Atwell, Donald Smith, Neil Morrison, Mrs. D. Kaiway, Jean Hingwing, Hong Der, Bing Pan and Dick Dar.

FOUNDER of Liberty was the late Tom Wong, above, who in 1939 opened a small store just a block away from the firm's giant super-market of today.

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Liberty's New Food Centre Has Everything for Shopper

Everything the food shopper could ask for and a good deal more is to be found at Liberty Food Centre opening today.

In doubling its stock, Liberty is also branching into new and more complete lines of products. These range all the way from: "television" prepared turkey dinners to diet menus, exotic tropical flowers to children's clothing, toys to Christmas tree lights. The variety of food specialties and delicacies alone would make a mile-long list.

Besides offering the public a vast selection of high-grade merchandise at prices easy on the pocketbook, Liberty has introduced a number of things to make shopping a pleasure. Foremost, is the self-serve system.

Music will be played over its public address system, and spot announcements will be made on special buys. An inter-communication network connects six departments and all floors, tuned to pick up the voice from a distance of 30 feet.

Women may leave their youngsters in a corrall-style corner set with eight chairs and a table piled with selected comic books. For young children there will be seats in which mothers may take them while they shop, and baby-buggy accommodation is also provided.

So that customers won't be burdened while they browse, a free shopping bag and parcel checking station will be opened.

Sheets printed with directions will help them to find specific articles they wish to buy.

THE DEPARTMENTS

Here are some of the departments, that by their wares or the special methods of displaying them, make them Liberty features:

Diet foods — People on diets or under a doctor's care, such as diabetics, will be served by this department. For instance, there will be salt-free foods and cereals, candy and jams sweetened by other than usual ingredients.

Fancy foods — Imports figure to a large extent in the Liberty's delicatessen and appetizer treats. Tinned fish and wafers from such countries as Norway and Portugal, biscuits from Czechoslovakia and Switzerland and new brands of English candies and cookies will be among the arrivals.

Bakery department — Breads, buns and cakes cooked by two local bakeries will be sold in this new section. Fancy baking will be included. For householders on tight budgets, a low-priced bread will be selling at two loaves for 27 cents.

Produce department — Two Hussman cases will assure that fruits and vegetables are dewy-fresh. Through personal selection, buyers will be guaranteed of high-grade produce.

Dairy cases — Besides fresh milk, butter and eggs, these will contain cheeses of practically every kind on the market, both imported and Canadian-manufactured. Cheese-eaters may buy everything from Limburger to the mildest cream cheeses.

Meat department — for the first time in Nelson, self-service and clerk service will be combined in a meat department. In a sanitary, pre-cooled room, two girls will be employed cutting, weighing, pricing and wrapping meat for customers who like to serve themselves. All types of fresh and frozen fish will be on hand, plus a good choice of shell-fish. Fancy-cooked sausages and imported sausages will be among the tempting items.

Frozen foods — Famous brands will be carried in a 27-foot frozen food section, largest in this area; to mention a few, ice cream, vegetables and fruits, Florida fruit juices and prepared meals such as the TV turkey and chicken dinners.

Floral section — Flowers and pot plants, some imported from the United States and others brought from the Coast, will deck this section including palm plants, African violets, tropical blooms, and Christmas holly and poinsettias. Also there will be large show of vases, fern stands and other artistic decorations for the home.

Household wares — Small electrical appliances, pots and pans and kitchen utensils will be on display in this department.

The Liberty "toyland" has been trebled in size, and packed with playthings from all over the world.

A limited stock of children's clothing will be carried, such as stockings and underwear, and women's slippers from China will be sold. *This is a new department, to* be established in a few days.

Awaiting district residents when they come to decorating their homes and trees for Christmas. will be a vast display of colored lights, glass baubles and wreaths.

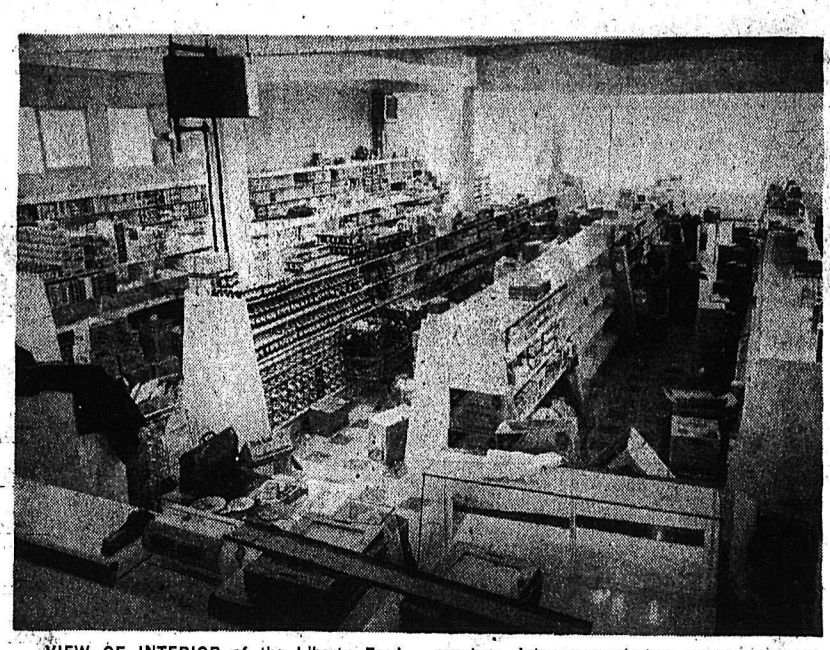
The most popular publications will be piled high on a magazine counter.

MAIL ORDERS

Liberty shippers will keep the new store in touch with its mail order shoppers. The firm has in the past done a big business with people living in other Kootenay towns and villages.

Friday nights the store will stay open until 8 p.m. for family *shopping and for customers from* out-of-town. Otherwise, hours will be from 8:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. on week days and from 8:30 a.m. until 6 p.m. on Saturday.

If, after the opening days, customers have suggestions for improving service, George Kaiway, president, has invited them to pass their ideas along to him. "I will personally attend to all suggestions and complaints if there are any," he said Friday. "We want everyone to be satisfied."



VIEW OF INTERIOR of the Liberty Food Centre opening today shows the spaciousness of the main floor and some of the well-stocked counters. Inter-communication system connects both floors and six departments. —Vogue photo.

READY TO SERVE customers in the completely up-to-date meat department at Liberty Food Centre are, left to right, Harry Miller, Barbara Acres, Leo Whitelock, manager; Elsie Paulhus and Gordon Halsey.

HEADS of departments at Liberty Food Centre are Mrs. Jesse Seaby, left, bakery and confection manager, and Jack Wright, produce buyer.

IN SERVICE department for shipping of country orders are Margaret Wah, left, and Vicky Abrossimo, right.

DRIVERS of Liberty Food Centre vans are George Lane, left, and Jack Bond, right.

CASHIERS engaged for Liberty Food Centre are pictured above. Left to right are Alice Bond, Mary Kinakin, Jeannie Argatoff, Joyce Dietrich and Mabel Maloff.

Liberty Opening Aids Rotary Fund

Nelson Rotary Club's swimming pool fund will be richer today because of the opening of Liberty Food Centre on Vernon Street.

Rotarian J. D. Hingwing, the new store's co-proprietor, has announced that the opening day net profits, likely to amount to two and a half *per cent of the gross, will go toward* the swim pool.

Nearly 20 club members, led by W. S. Ramsay, president, will assist their fellow member today.

After a traditional out-door Chinese fireworks display, a brief official opening will take place in the store before the public at 10 a.m. Mayor Joseph Kary and representative of organizations and businesses will participate. Earl Warren will be master of ceremonies, and the program will be broadcast Sunday over CKLN.

GIFT MEMENTOS

Actually, the opening will extend over three days, and Liberty will give away many dollars worth of merchandise and prizes to callers, irrespective of whether they come to buy or merely to look.

The first 2000 people who pass through the big doors each day will receive coupons on draws for 150 food hampers. Fifty will be awarded each day.

Today 1000 Christmas balloons will be given to children accompanied by their parents. Free hamburgers, hot dogs and coffee will also be served. Free instruction will be given on the use of a coffe grinder.

Sixty souvenir vegetable cutte will be presented to custome during the three days. In a fre contest, there will be a prize fo the person guessing most accurate the weight of a cheese block.

Samples of products will also b given away.

WIDOW of the founder, Mrs Tom Wong, above, is a director of the Liberty firm. Liberty Food Centre will employ 31 staff members, 20 of them on a full-time basis.

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OPEN Every FRIDAY EVENING to 8:00 p.m. for Family and Country Shoppers

150 Free Food Hampers!

WILL INCLUDE 150 COOK BOOKS

50 hampers a day given away! Obtain your entry ticket at the store and deposit in box provided at the door. 50 winning tickets will be drawn each evening and announced in the papers . . . also posted in the store. The first 2000 customers gets free coupon tickets during Saturday, Monday and Tuesday.

1000 Free Balloons!

TO ALL CHILDREN ACCOMPANIED BY PARENTS ON OPENING DAY . . .

FREE COKES, SAMPLES!

Demonstrations on Sat., Mon., Tues.

ROBIN HOOD
OATS

36 oz. pk.
19c

NABOB COFFEE — lb. **$1.15**

SWIFT'S PREM 12 oz. — **3 tins $1.00**

CRISCO Shortening for Holiday Baking — **3 lb. tin 98c**

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One hour free parking space no matter when you shop . . . under cover just a step from where you shop under the store.

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LIBERTY Food Centre

You have a complete variety from which to choose . . . not just in the grocery department but in all departments. Check the Fancy Festive Foods.

PRE-PACKAGED MEATS

Our self serve meat department features a complete selection of meats no matter what time of day you shop. Ready packaged for your selection in hygenic cellophane. Every package priced . . . there's no guessing at how much you have to pay.

QUALITY MERCHANDISE

All Merchandise Sold by

LIBERTY Food Centre

Is backed by an unconditional money-back guarantee. The brands we sell are the brands you know and trust. Cleanliness, spacious, for your shopping pleasure.

"KIDDIES' KORNER"

Leave your children at the "Kiddie Korner" and complete your shopping while they enjoy themselves. The kiddies will enjoy it and you'll appreciate doing your shopping without interruption.

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All Items Are Easy To Find at

LIBERTY Food Centre

You can complete your shopping jiffy-quick with no loss of time. Merchandise is situated so that fragile items are picked up last. Free floor guides at entrance. 6 check-outs . . . no time lost in waiting.

FREE BAG CHECKING

No need to shop hampered with parcels or bags . . . just check them at our checking counter and pick them up after you have completed your shopping.

Direct Line To Call a Taxi.

LOW PRICES

Prices Are Low Every Day . . . In Every Department.

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SWIMMING POOL FUND — Saturday's Net Profit Will Be Given to Nelson's Rotary Swimming Pool Fund

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You know exactly what you are paying for at Liberty's Self Service Meat Department

Every package is marked clearly to show you the price per pound and weight of package.

FIZZ CAPS to First 250 Customers Each Day

With Self-Serve You Select What You Want With No Time Lost Through 6 Checkouts.

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SATURDAY, DEC. 11 TO TUESDAY, DEC. 14 INCLUSIVE

UNION NO. 1 WEINERS lb. 35c

best buys in juicy tender **HAMS**
BLUE or RED BRAND

HAMS Calgary Packers. Whole or half. ..... lb. 53c

SIRLOIN STEAK lb. 65c

BLADE POT ROAST Lean. Blue Brand. ..... lb. 35c

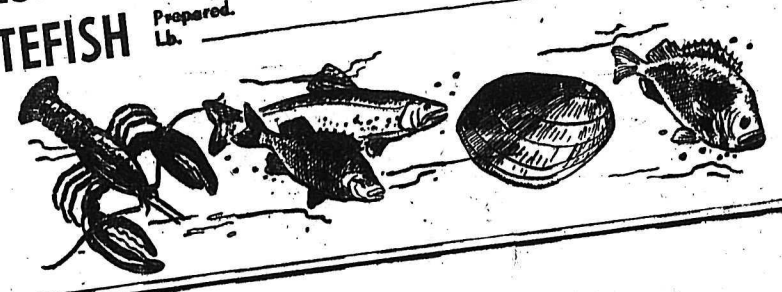
SIDE BACON Swift's Premium. ½ lb. pkg. 35c

COTTAGE ROLLS Gainer's. Tender. Lb. 55c

Fresh, Frozen and Smoked FISH

SEE OUR COMPLETE SELECTION

SALMON-FILLETS	Fresh frozen. Lb. pkg.	49c
COD-FILLETS	Fresh frozen. Lb. pkg.	39c
OYSTERS	Rupert. 8 oz. pkg.	45c
SOLE-FILLETS	Lb. pkg.	49c
HOLLAND HERRING	6½ lb. keg	$2.50
FRESH COD	Slices. Lb.	30c
LUTEFISH	Prepared. Lb.	35c



Hamburger Fresh ground. 3 lbs. 85c
Mincemeat Maple Leaf. Lb. 22c
Pork Chops Rib end. Loin end. Lb. 49c
Bologna Calgary Packers. Lb. 25c

Garlic Rings Burns'. ..... lb. 39c

FROZEN FOODS

Peas	Fancy, Fraservale. 12 oz. ..... 19¢	Strawberries	Fraservale. 15 oz. ..... 39¢
Beans	Cut green, Fraservale. 10 oz. ..... 25¢	Pineapple Chunks	Libby's. 10 oz. ..... 27¢
Fish and Chips	Fraservale. 1's. ..... 75¢	Orange Juice	Nabob. 6 oz. ..... 2 for 35¢
Reddi-Whip	Tin ..... 55¢	Corn Kernels	Nabob. 12 oz. ..... 21¢

Please - Place - Turkey - Orders - Now

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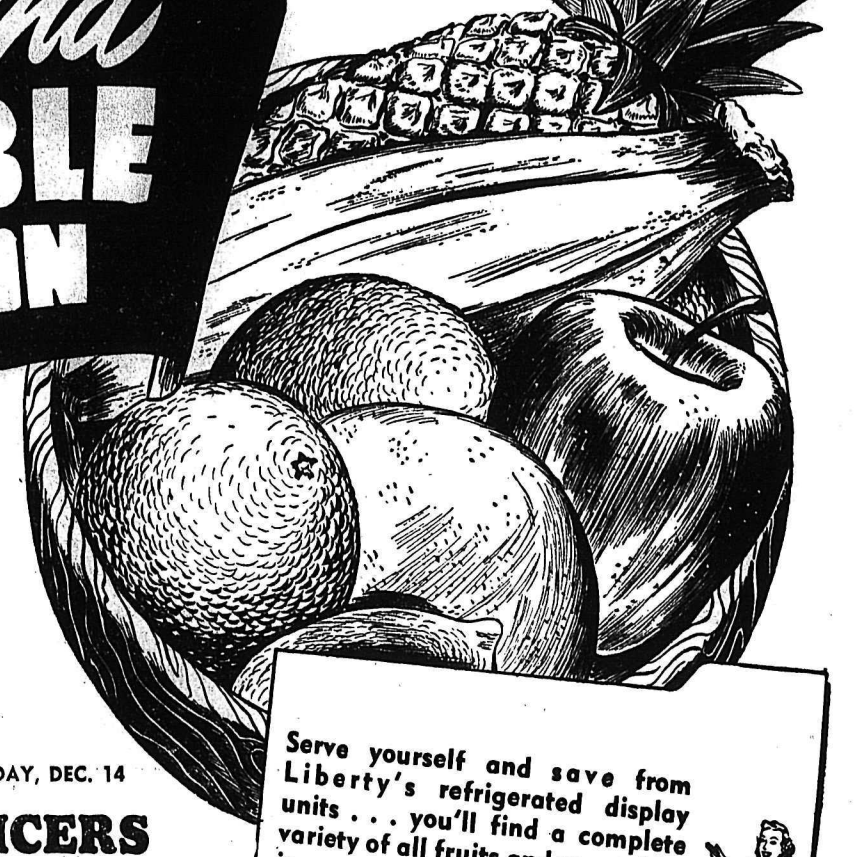

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Fruits and Vegetables are kept sparkling fresh at Liberty Food Centre in the latest, up-to-the-minute refrigerated units. All items not on display are held in our big coolers.

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PRICES EFFECTIVE SATURDAY, DEC. 11 TO TUESDAY, DEC. 14

60 VEGETABLE SLICERS
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With the Purchase of a Bag of No. 1 Potatoes

10 Lbs. and Up — Limit 1 to Customer.

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POTATOES Blue Ribbon. No. 1 Gems. **10 lbs. 43c** Approx. 100 lb. sack **$3.79**

TOMATOES California Field. No. 1. 14 oz. tube **22c**

ORANGES Japanese Mandarin. Easy to peel. How the Kids Love 'Em. Box ..... **$1.45** Bundle of 2 Boxes .. **$2.85**

APPLES Delicious. Fancy. O.K. ..... **2 lbs. 27c**

Brussels SPROUTS Waste Free. Lb. pkg. **25c**

CRANBERRIES Fresh lb. **31c**

Cooking ONIONS No. 3. B.C. ..... **10 lbs. 59c**

LETTUCE Crispy. Refrigerated. Spanking clean. ..... lb. **19c**

CELERY Cool and crispy. Taste the difference. ..... lb. **13c**

DATES California. 16 oz. **29c**

FRESH FIGS California Calmyrna white. ..... Lb. **45c**

McINTOSH APPLES
FANCY, RED.
6 lbs. 65c

Potted Plants

African Violets 3 in pot. **$1.15** 4 in pot. **$1.98**

FERNS For beautiful home decoration. 4 in pot. **98c**

PALMS To grace your living room. Each **$2.95**

Chinese Evergreens 2½ inch pot. Each **65c**

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Iris Moss—Ivy 2½ inch pots. Each **39c**

Neatlytis T.P. Evergreen. 5 in pot. ..... **$3.35 up**

PLANTER: Stump and Coon; Each ..... 95¢
KENWOOD VASE: Each $3.49
ROSE BOWL: 12-Inch; Each $5.75
STUMP PLANTER: Bambi; Each ..... 49¢
KENWOOD SHELLS: Each $2.35
BASKETS: Up from $2.35
SANTA PLANTERS: Each ..... 98¢
SAILFISH and BOWL: Each $7.49

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AT LIBERTY FOOD CENTRE YOU'LL FIND ONLY QUALITY PROVEN BRANDS ON THE WELL-STOCKED SHELVES . . . PRICES ARE CONSISTENTLY LOW . . . EVERYONE IS BACKED BY LIBERTY FOOD CENTRE'S MONEY-BACK GUARANTEE. DIET FOODS NOW COMPLETE, FANCY FOOD SELECTION UNSURPASSED.

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FOIL-WRAP
Stuart House. 12 in. 25 ft. — 30c

HEINZ KETCHUP
Family size. 15 oz. — 38c

EVERYDAY LOW PRICES

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- VEGETABLE SOUP Aylmer. — 2 for 25c
- SOLO-MARGARINE — 2 lbs. for 55c
- GOOD LUCK MARGARINE — 2 lbs. for 75c
- SUGAR — B.C. 10 lbs. 99c
- DOG FOOD Ballard's Thrifty. 15 oz. — 3 tins 33c
- LITTLE CHIP MARMALADE Keiller's. 12 oz. — 29c
- BLACK-CURRANT JAM Keiller's. 12 oz. — 31c
- PLUM PUDDING Crosse & Blackwell. 16 oz. — 59c
- CRANBERRY SAUCE Ocean Spray. 15 oz. — 2 tins 49c

MIXED NUTS
Faultless. Red Diamond. lb. 39c

BRAZILS
In the Shell. — lb. 47c

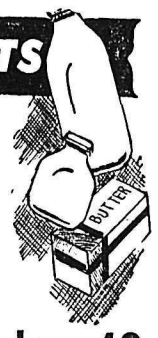
WALNUTS
Soft Shell. — lb. 49c

Christmas Candy Features

NELSON'S BEST AND LARGEST

- CANDY CANES — 5c, 6 for 25c
- Christmas Stockings Candy. Reg. 25c. — 2 for 45c
- JELLY STARS Dairy Maid. — lb. 39c
- JELLY BEANS Christmas. — lb. 35c
- TV MIX Popular sweet. 8 oz. — 8 oz. 35c
- Macaroon CHOC. BUDS — lb. 75c
- PEPPERMINT PATTIES — lb. 75c

DAIRY PRODUCTS



- ICE CREAM Palm. Brick — brick 25c
- WHIP. CREAM Kootenay Valley. ½ Pt. (Deposit extra.) — 35c
- BUTTER Glendale. First Grade. Lb. — lb. 67c
- EGGS Fresh A-Large. (Ctns. extra.) — doz. 49c
- CHEESE Kraft Festival. Winner Wins 5 Lbs. Cheese . . . It's Fun Come Early.
- CHEESE WHIZ 16 oz. — 65c

New Bakery Dept.

High Class Confections

Fresh BREAD

MOTHER HUBBARD 16 oz. 2 for 27c

Sesame Seed Rolls 4X. Regular 30c doz. — doz. 21c

Butter Sponge Cake 4X. Reg. 35c. — each 24c

SUGARED DONUTS: Hood's. Reg. 50c. Doz. — 39¢

HOOD'S BUTTERHORNS: Reg. 2 for 15c. **SPECIAL** — 5 for 25¢

HOOD'S LEMON BUNS: Reg. 60c doz. **SPECIAL** — 6 for 25¢

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32-Oz. 34c

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Heinz BABY FOOD
3 tins 29c Doz. $1.09
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S.K. English Biscuits 47c

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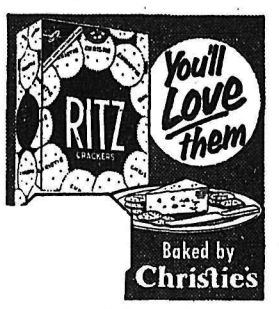

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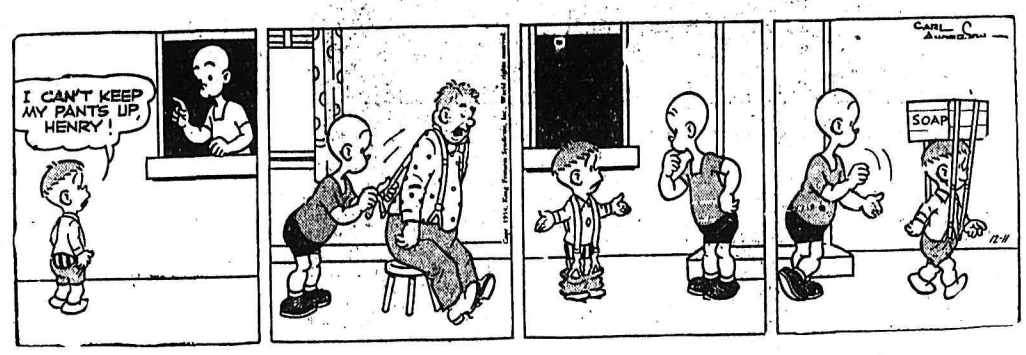

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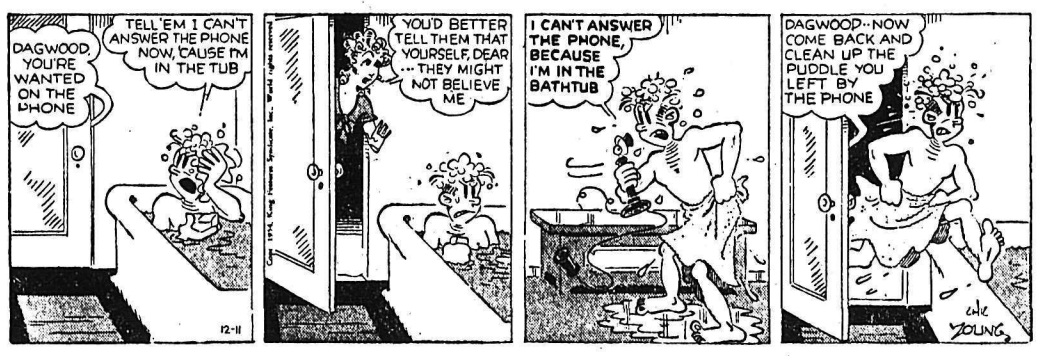

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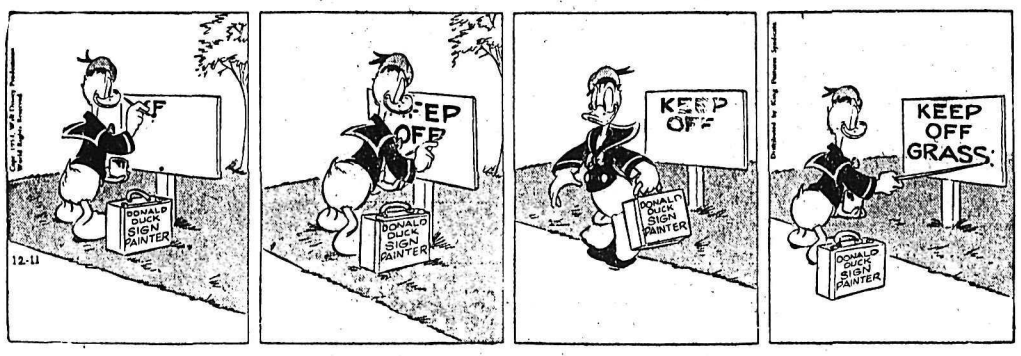

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STOCK QUOTATIONS

The Daily News does not hold itself responsible in the event of an error in the following lists.

TORONTO STOCKS

(Closing Prices)

MINES	
Acadia Uranium	.11
Akaitcho	.68
Anglo Huronian	13.75
Area	.37
Armistice	.14
Atlas Y K	.12
Aumaque	.13
Aunor	2.20
Bagamac	.13½
Barymin	2.22
Base Metals	.33
Belloterre	2.80
Bevcourt	.18
Bobjo	.27
Bralorne	2.71
Broulan	1.45
Brunswick	10.00
Buff Can	.15
Callinan	.15
Campbell R L	8.20
Central Porc	.14½
Chesterville	.35
Chimo G	1.38
Cons Denison	29.35
Conwest	3.25
Cons Discovery	2.80
Delnite	1.05
Detta R L	.17
Dome	16.50
Donalda	.36
Duvex	.19
Dyno	1.13
East Malartic	2.92
East Sullivan	5.00
Elsol	.10
Estella	.12
Eureka	.85
Falconbridge	20.62½
Frobisher	3.95
Geco	9.30
Giant Yel	7.90
God's Lake	.74
Gold Hawk	.30½
Goldcrest	.20
Golden Manitou	1.70
Gunnar Gold	10.35
Hardrock	.11
Hasaga	.22
Hollinger	15.50
Homer Y K	.17½
Hudson Bay	52.00
Inspiration	1.90
Joliet Que	.47
Kerr Addison	17.50
Kirk-Hudson Bay	.46
Kirkland Lake	.37½
Kirk Townsite	.16½
Labrador	8.50
Laket Dufault	.66
Lakeshore	5.30
Lake Wasa	.20
Lamaque	4.00
Little Long Lac	.56
McIntyre Porc	72.50
Mining Corp	16.85
Negus	.12
New Kelore	.21
New Larder U	.95
Noranda	82.50
Ogama	.13½
Pamour	.70
Pickle Crop	1.20
Placer Devel	33.00
Quebec Nickel	1.25
Rayrock	.82
Sherritt Gordon	4.80
Torbrit	1.50
United Keno	6.70
Violamac	1.80
OILS	
Anglo Can	4.75
B A Oil	29.50
Calgary & Edm	13.25
Cdn Atlantic	5.60
Dalhousie	.19
Del Rio	1.02
Home	7.25
Imperial Oil	38.12½
Pac Pete	11.87½
United Oils	1.00
INDUSTRIALS	
Abitibi	26⅝
Algoma Steel	44½
Aluminum	69¼
Bell Telephone	46¼
Brazilian	7¾
B C Electric 4¾s	102¼
B C Packers A	12
B C Power A	25⅜
Burns B	46
Can Packers B	35
Cdn Brew	25⅜
Cdn Car & Fdy	23½
Cdn Car & Fdy A	23½
Cdn Celanese	22¼
Cdn Pac Rly	29⅛
Cons Min & Smelt	29⅜
Cons Papers	59¾
Eddy Paper	31¼
Famous Players	28½
Fanny Farmer	27
Gatineau 5% pfd	110
Gen Steel Wares	12
Gypsum Lime	52
Imperial Oil	38⅛
Imp Tobacco	9⅞
Int Nickel	55
Int Pete	26¼
Int Util	36¼
Kelvinator	21
Sicks Brew	27¼
Simpsons A	20⅛
Steel of Canada	41¾
Standard Paving	26½
Taylor Pearson	9½
United Fuel A	60½
United Steel	14

Vancouver Stocks

(Closing Prices)

MINES	
Beaver Lodge	2.65
Estella	.11
Highland Bell	.41
Pend Oreille	4.25
Pioneer Gold	1.80
Reeves MacDonald	1.25
Sheep Creek	.75
Silver Ridge	.18
Silver Standard	.72
Surf Inlet	.09
Utica	.01
Van Roi	.03
Western Exp	.50
Yale	.39
OILS	
Calgary & Edm	12.75
Cdn Anaconda	.10
Home	7.10
Mercury	.07
Mid West Gas	1.49
Pacific Pete	11.87½
Peace River Gas	7.75
Royalite	11.50
INDUSTRIALS	
Capital Estates	5.00
Int Brew B	5.00

Cominco Declares Dividend, Extra

A dividend of 40 cents with extra distribution of 35 cents per share for the six months ending December 31, was declared Friday by the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company. The dividend and extra distribution are payable January 15 to shareholders of record December 17.

METAL PRICES

NEW YORK (CP) — Spot prices: Lead, N.Y., 15. Zinc, East St. Louis, 11½.

TELEVISION for TODAY

KXLY-TV
Channel 4

SATURDAY

12:00—Sign On
12:30—Chicago Wrestling
1:30—Theatre
2:00—Western Roundup
4:00—Big Picture
4:30—Theatre
5:00—Industry on Parade
5:15—Sports on Parade
5:30—Captain Midnight
6:00—Willie
6:30—Starlite Stairway
7:00—That's My Boy
7:30—Beat the Clock
8:00—Jackie Gleason (L)
9:00—Two for the Money (L)
9:30—District Attorney
10:00—My Favorite Husband
10:30—Chicago Wrestling
11:30—Late Show

SUNDAY

10:45—TV Top Ten
11:00—Giants vs Eagles at Philadelphia
2:00—Omnibus (L)
3:30—Halls of Ivy
4:00—This Is the Life
4:30—Disney Land
5:30—Annie Oakley
6:00—You Are There
6:30—Lassie (L)
7:00—Jack Benny
7:30—Celeste Holmes Show
8:00—Toast of the Town
9:00—G.E. Theatre
9:30—Name That Tune
10:00—Father Knows Best
10:30—Late Show

KHQ-TV
Channel 6

SATURDAY

11:30—Test Pattern
11:45—Color Test Pattern
Noon—Pro Basketball
2:00—Touchdown
2:30—Western Theatre
4:30—Space Patrol
5:00—Secret Service Investigator
6:30—Big Town
7:00—You Asked For It
7:30—Ethel and Albert
8:00—It's a Great Life
8:30—Place the Face
9:00—Imogene Coca
9:30—Death Valley Days
10:00—George Gobel
10:30—Hit Parade
11:00—Country Fair
12:30—News Headlines
12:35—Bible Reading

SUNDAY

11:45—Test Pattern
Noon—Color Test Pattern
12:15—What's Your Trouble
12:30—American Religious Townhall Meeting
1:00—Christopher Program
1:30—Frontiers of Faith
2:00—End of the Road
3:30—TV Theatre
4:30—Curtain Time
5:00—Hall of Fame
5:30—March of Medicine
6:00—Little Theatre
6:15—Eddie Fisher
6:30—This Is Your Music
7:00—Amos 'N Andy
7:30—Mr. Peepers
9.00—T.V. Playhouse
10:00—Loretta Young
10:30—The Hunter
11:00—Three Little Sisters
12:30—News Headlines
12:35—Bible Reading

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CKLN PROGRAMS
1240 ON THE DIAL

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1954

(Pacific Standard Time)

6:30—Early for Earl
7:00—News
7:05—Early Earl
7:15—Musical Minutes
7:30—News
7:35—Early Earl
7:45—Rise 'n' Shine
8:00—News
8:10—Sports News
8:15—Today in History
8:20—Fashion for You
8:25—Spotlight On a Star
8:30 Breakfast Bands
8:45—Wax Wagon
9:00—Homemaker Harmonies
9:15—Saddle Serenade
9:30—Stamp Club
9:45—Sounds Fun
10:00—Musicale
10:30—Metropolitan Opera
3:00—News
3:10—Old Country Sports Scores
3:15—Mainly About Books
3:30—Sports College
3:45—This Week
4:00—Buff Estes Sextet
4:15—Memo from U.N.
4:30—Now I Ask You
5:00—Rhythm Pals
5:30—Musicale
5:45—What Do You Think?
6:00—News
6:05—N.H.L. Hockey
8:00—Saturday Special
8:30—W.I.H.L.—Nelson
10:00—News
10:15—Bill Good
10:30—Sports Roundup
10:45—Starlight Ballroom
11:00—NEWS Nightcap

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1954

9:00—Overseas News
9:15—News
9:30—Harmony Harbor
10:00—B.C. Gardener
10:15—Just Mary
10:30—In His Service
11:00—Trinity Church Service
12:00—N.Y. Philharmonic
1:30—Critically Speaking
2:00—Canadian Scenes
2:30—Jake and the Kid
3:00—News
3:05—Ask the Weatherman
3:12—Weather
3:15—UN on the Record
3:30—The People's Church
3:45—All Aboard for Adventure
4:00—Bethel Fireside Hour
4:30—Homer's Iliad
5:00—Hour of Decision
5:30—Music I Like
6:00—News
6:03—Capitol Report
6:30—B C Profiles
7:00—News
7:10—Weekend Review
7:20—Our Special Speaker
7:30—Questing Time
8:00—Stage 55
9:00—Passing Parade
9:30—Ford Theatre
10:00 News
10:15—Talk
10:30—Music Diary
11:00—"NEWS" Night Cap

CBC PROGRAMS

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1954

(Pacific Standard Time)

8:00—Sunday Morning Music
8:30—Sunday Morning Recital
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Musical Memories
9:30—Harmony Harbor
10:00—B.C. Gardener
10:15—Just Mary
10:30—In His Service
11:00—Chamber Music
11:30—Religious Period
12:00—New York Philharmonic Symphony
1:30—Critically Speaking
2:00—Canadian Scenes
2:30—Jake and the Kid
3:00—News
3:05—Ask the Weatherman
3:12—Weather Forecast
3:15—U.N. on the Record
3:30—Winnipeg Sunday Concert
4:30—Homer's Iliad
5:00—Sunday Chorale
5:30—Music I Like
6:00—Capital Report
6:27—Weather Report
6.30—B C. Profile
7:00—News
7:10—Weekend Review
7:20—Our Special Speaker
7:30—Little Symphony Orchestra
8:00—Stage 55
9.00—String Along
9:30—Vesper Hour
10:00—News
10:15—Talk
10:30—Music Diary

MONDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1954

7:00—Fisherman's Broadcast
7:15—Musical Minutes
7:30—News
7:35—Musical Minutes
7:45—Morning Devotions
7:55—March Past
8:00—News
8:10—Here's Bill Good
8:15—Breakfast Club
8:45—Laura Limited
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Aunt Lucy
9:30—Morning Concert
10:00 Morning Visit
10:15—The Happy Gang
10:45—Musical Kitchen
11:00—Kate Aitken
11:15—Kindergarten of the Air
11:30—A Man and His Music
12:15—News
12:25—Showcase
12:30 BC Farm Broadcast
12:55—Five to One
1:00—Afternoon Concert
2:00—B C. School Broadcast
2:30—Trans Canada Matinee
3:30—Closed Circuit
3:45—Share the Wealth
4:00—B.C. Roundup
4:30—The Trail of the Swan
4:45—Roundabout
5:00—Current and Choice
5:15—International Commentary
5:20—News
5:30—Chansonettes
6:00—Rawhide
6:15—Roving Reporter
6:30—Don Messer
7:00—News
7:30—Conversation
8:00—National Farm Radio Forum
8:30—CBC Symphony Orchestra
9:30—Distinguished Artists
10:00 News
10:15—Provincial Affairs
10:30—Bob McMullin Show

DAILY CROSSWORD

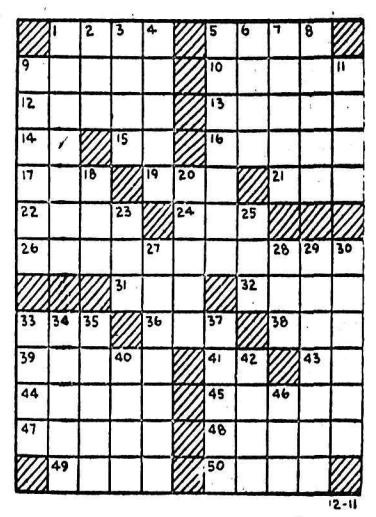
ACROSS

1. Fish
5. Too much (F.)
9. Serious
10. The earth
12. Packing box
13. Old card game (Sp.)
14. Ahead
15. Selenium (sym.)
16. River (Fr.)
17. Narrow inlet (geol.)
19. Word expressing negation
21. Fancy playing marble
22. Anglo-Saxon serf
24. Born
26. The Bard of Avon
31. The first woman
32. King of the beasts
33. Wine receptacle
36. It is (contracted)
38. Speck
39. Employed
41. From
43. Personal pronoun
44. Worship
45. Edible seaweed
47. Bowl
48. Arab chieftains
49. Dispatched
50. Bodies of water

DOWN

1. Language of Celtic Cornwall
2. Arabian garment
3. Soaks flax
4. Dress, as feathers
5. A dance step (hyphenated)
6. Ancient capital of the Roman Empire
7. Path of a planet
8. Opposed to vacuums
9. Tallies
11. Hauled
18. Miscellany
20. Beginning
23. Piece out
25. Lamprey
27. Obvious
28. Help
29. Lodgers (U.S.)
30. Comes in
33. Husband of Jezebel (Bib.)
34. The king with the golden touch
35. Ascended
37. Undersurfaces of shoes
40. Ireland
42. Renown
46. By way of

Yesterday's Answer



DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE—Here's how to work it:

A X Y D L B A A X R
is L O N G F E L L O W

One letter simply stands for another. In this example A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophies, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

A Cryptogram Quotation

I B W K F O T R R T T Q W E F : R F D X Z R R G Q B O I B W K F Y I D B Y R — F D N • H D N R.

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TURNER — To Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Turner, RR1, at Kootenay Lake General Hospital, Dec. 7, a son.

ZAKARDONSKI — To Mr. and Mrs. Basil Zakardonski, Salmo, at Kootenay Lake General Hospital, Dec. 8, a son.

DONALDSON — To Mr. and Mrs. James Donaldson, Procter, at Kootenay Lake General Hospital, Dec. , a son.

CAMPBELL — To Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Campbell, 916 Edgewood Avenue, at Kootenay Lake General Hospital, Dec. 10, a daughter.

LAKTIN — To Mr. and Mrs. Alex Laktin of Grand Forks, at the Grand Forks Community Hospital, December 6, a son.

SHIOZAKI — To Mr. and Mrs. Kiyomi Shiozaki of Greenwood, at the Grand Forks Community Hospital December 5, a daughter.

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Market Tends

NEW YORK (AP) — A higher trend was hampered by numerous losers.

Steels were outstanding in the advance. Others ahead on balance were railroads, airlines, aircrafts, merchandising shares, radio-televisions and coppers. Chemicals were mostly lower while the rest of the market was steady to mixed.

TORONTO (CP) — The stock market gathered strength from some spectacular advances toward close.

The market was fairly even on balance in light morning trade but things picked up in early afternoon with a report that Roche had uncovered radioactive ore in its drilling in the Blind River, Ont., district.

LONDON (Reuters) — London presented a slightly brighter appearance although there was no strong desire to extend commitments. Business was selective and small but there was some bear covering in certain better class issues, especially in industrials.

Transatlantic stocks were lower in sympathy with Wall Street and in Canadians International Nickel was a point lower.

MONTREAL (CP) — Prices were irregularly higher in moderate trading.

Ford moved up 2 points and Minnesota and Ontario 1¼. Bank of Nova Scotia was a point better. Quarter-point gains were made by Industrial Acceptance, Powell River and Consolidated Smelters.

Winnipeg Grain

WINNIPEG (CP) — Winnipeg grain cash prices:
Oats, No. 1 feed, 81¼.
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POPULATION GROWTH

Japan's population, now 88,000,000 has doubled itself since the turn of the century.

Calgary Livestock

CALGARY (CP) — Trade active on fairly heavy receipts of 1700 cattle and calves; good clearance indicated; good butcher steers and heifers good demand at steady to strong prices; good demand for cows at strong prices; bulls steady; medium to good stocker steers sell readily at the week's decline of 50 cents to $1; veal and butcher-weight calves unchanged.

Good to choice butcher steers 18-20.50, common to medium 14-17.50; good to choice butcher heifers 15.50-17.50, common to medium 10-14; good cows 8.50-9.50, common to medium 7.25-8.25, canners-cutters 4-7; good bulls 9.50-10.25, common to medium 8-9; good stocker-feeder steers 15-16.50, common to medium 10-14.50; good to choice veal calves 14.50-16, common to medium 10-14.

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Hatoyama Names Foreign Minister

TOKYO (AP) — Japan's new Conservative Prime Minister Friday named peg-legged Mamoru Shigemitsu, wartime foreign minister, to the top post in his "caretaker" cabinet.

Shigemitsu was named deputy Prime Minister and foreign minister by Ichiro Hatoyama, Conservative Democrat who was elected Prime Minister Thursday.

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Commit Semenick For Trial

VANCOUVER (CP) — William Semenick, 50, was committed for trial Thursday afternoon on a charge of attempting to obstruct justice.

Semenick, who appeared several hours after a bench warrant was issued for his arrest, was freed on $1000 bail by Magistrate Oscar Orr.

Semenick, shot through the hip in Stanley Park Nov. 3 in a gangland slaying attempt, failed to appear in court Thursday morning. Magistrate Orr issued a bench warrant, and Semenick, who said he had thought he was to appear in court Friday, arrived in time for the afternoon court session after learning he was wanted.

Virginia Voices Christmas Wish

NEW YORK (AP) — Virginia readily admits that her wish this Christmas season is not a novel one.

It is a wish for peace, and it comes from the heart of a gentle lady of 65 who occupies a yuletide niche as secure as Santa's himself.

It was Virginia—now Mrs. Virginia Douglas, mother and grandmother—who from the depths of girlish bewilderment wrote a letter 57 years ago to the editor of the old New York Sun.

"Please tell me," she pleaded, "is there a Santa Claus?"

IMMORTAL ANSWER

The editor, with wisdom no child would dare question, gave an immortal reply:

"Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus . . ."

Again this year, as for several generations now, editors, among others, will search for words to reassure their young readers of the spirit of Christmas. And again they will turn to the words that sustained young Virginia half a century ago.

"He exists as certainly as love and generosity and devotion exist . . ."

Again this year, as for half a century, the charming woman who has devoted her life to children, emerges briefly into the Christmas glow.

"This may sound unusual," she says, "but my wish for us all this Christmas is that Christmases of the future will be as happy as the past, that this new talk of war means nothing, and that peace will be something we all know."

Avro Carries on With Saucer Test

TORONTO (CP) — The Globe and Mail says Avro Canada Ltd. is reported to be continuing its research into the "flying saucer" project which Production Minister Howe said recently the federal government decided to abandon.

The newspaper says scientists at the Avro plant at nearby Malton are seeking to establish the aircraft's practicability as a weapon of war. It adds:

" . . . the reasearch continues, if on a somewhat more modest scale. The Avro company has reached no decision to scrap the project. It has not reassigned the key engineers who conceived it."

The story says Mr. Howe was quoted in London recently as saying: " '. . . we decided it was not suitable to our purpose . . . it didn't seem the sort of thing for Canada to be developing.' "

The operation to develop such an aircraft was called Project Y, and the newspaper comments:

"Project Y was the code name given a few years ago to a fairly extensive program of fundamental, and later, applied research—to develop plans for a revolutionary type of fighter aircraft which could take off and land vertically and fly long distances of supersonic speed.

"The project was never intended to prove the flight possibilities of a so-called flying saucer. It just turned out that way. . . . "

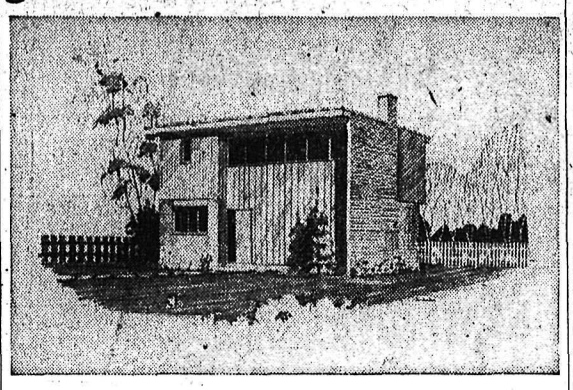
Grandmother of Mrs. W. Wicken Dies at Victoria

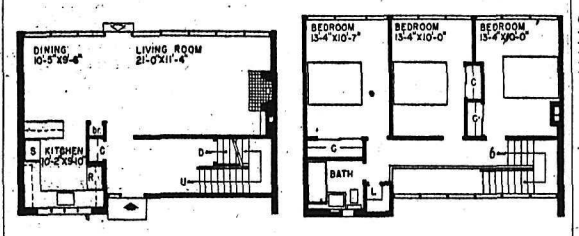
Mrs. William C. Wicken left Wednesday by plane for Victoria, where she will attend the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. E. Evans, who died at her home there.

Funeral arrangements have yet to be made, waiting the arrival of Mrs. Evans' daughter, Mrs. E. J. Berthiaume of Regina, who is also flying to the coast.

Mrs. Evans was predeceased by her husband several years ago.

The Modern Home





NHA SMALL HOUSE DESIGNS—A unique exterior appearance has been achieved by architect E. D. Ross, of Toronto, in the design of this two-storey house. Through the unusual combinations of the brick and wood exterior finishes and the unconventional window arrangements, particularly the gallery effect over the stairway and second-floor hall, the common rectangular shape of the flat-roof house gets an entirely new look.

The combined dining and living room extends the full width of the house and is lighted by a series of windows which form an entire wall looking out on the rear garden and lawn area.

Three ample-size bedrooms and a bathroom are located on the second floor. Plenty of cupboard space is provided in the well-arranged kitchen which is separated from the dining section by a counter with cupboards above.

The total floor area of the house is 1,365 square feet while the cubic measurement is 17,851 cubic feet. The exterior dimensions are 33 feet by 21 feet. Working drawings for the house, known as Design 521, may be obtained from Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation at minimum cost.

Archbishop Outlines Church Views Towards Revision of Divorce Laws

LONDON (Reuters) — Dr. Geoffrey Fisher, Archbishop of Canterbury, Friday opposed the easing of British divorce laws and said the Church of England believes a single act of adultery should no longer be considered sufficient justification for a divorce.

England's chief primate said the Church would "wholly approve" revision of present British law which makes one adulterous act grounds for divorce. He emphasized the Church's desire to restore the "conception of marriage as a lifelong obligation".

CHURCH AGAINST LAW

The proper response to an act of adultery, the Archbishop said, is forgiveness on one side and repentance on the other. His comments were made in response to questions submitted by a government commission studying questions of marriage and divorce, and are published in a Church moral welfare booklet.

The Church of England is the established Church, but its head made it clear the present divorce law is not ecclesiastically based. "It is not the Church but the law which has selected the grounds for divorce," he said.

Adultery and cruelty now are the only grounds for divorce in Britain.

The Highways

No. 3 Southern Trans-Provincial, Hope-Princeton, good, icy on summit, carry chains. Princeton-Osoyoos-Cascade, good, three to four inches new snow Anarchist Mountain, plowing and sanding. Cascade-Rossland, compact snow, plowed and sanded, carry chains, some slippery sections. Rossland-Trail-Castlegar, one inch new snow, compact snow surface, sanded. Castlegar-Nelson-Balfour two inches new snow higher levels, plowing, sanding, some slippery sections. Kootenay Bay-Creston one to three inches new snow, plowed and sanded, some slippery sections. Creston-Goatfell, one-half to one inch new snow, sanded, slippery sections. Goatfell-Cranbrook-Elko slippery sections, sanded. Elko-Fernie-Crow's Nest three inches new snow, plowed, sanded.

No. 3A Trail-Salmo—light snow, slippery sections, sanded.

No. 6 Nelway-Vernon — Nelway-Nelson-South Slocan 2½ inches new snow, plowing, sanding. South Slocan-Nakusp-Needles four inches new snow higher levels, plowing sanding. Needles-Monashee-Vernon new snow, plowing, carry chains.

No. 95 Kingsgate-Cranbrook-Golden, Banff-Windermere, icy sections, sanded. Nelson-Kaslo, two inches new snow, plowing, sanding. Kaslo-New Denver, six inches new snow higher levels, plowing. Kaslo-Lardeau, Lardeau-Gerrard, fair with rough sections, plowing.

Grinning Lads Re-Enact Murder

REVERE, Mass. (AP)—"You pick up the paper and read about kids getting into trouble, and you pray it'll never happen to yours. The next day you pick up the paper, and it's yours."

Those words spoke truck driver Sylvester D'Urbano's bewilderment Friday as his only child was summoned into court with two other teen-age boys to answer a charge of murder.

Joseph D'Urbano, 16, Salvatore Pizzurro, 17, and Angelo Mercurio, 18, are charged with killing Harry Abelovitz, 72, in a profitless attempted holdup of his gasoline station Wednesday night.

SENSELESS CRIME

Abelovitz' widow called the crime "senseless"—for the slayers raced away after the shooting without touching any of the $87 in a cash register or the $16 in Abelovitz' pockets.

The boys gave no sign that they understood their predicament.

"They have no idea of the seriousness of their crime," said Detective William Gannon as the three, grinning and wisecracking, were led to separate cells.

The three re-enacted the crime at the gasoline station, talking volubly and using extravagant gestures.

American Author Too Ill To Attend

Nobel Prize Handed to John Cabot, Representing Ernest Hemingway

By THOMAS HARRIS

STOCKHOLM (Reuters) — A glittering audience gathered in the Stockholm Concert Hall Friday to honor Ernest Hemingway, winner of the 1954 Nobel Prize for literature.

Poor health prevented the 55-year-old American author from leaving his home in Cuba, and King Gustaf Adolf handed the prize of 181,646 Swedish crowns ($35,000) to John Cabot, United States ambassador to Sweden.

OTHER PRIZES PRESENTED

Other Nobel prizes were presented to four American scientists — Professor Linus Pauling, chemistry, Professors John Enders, Frederick Robbins and Thomas Weller, sharing the award for medicine—and to Germany's Professor Max Born, physics.

Discoveries by this year's three Nobel medicine laureates, Doctors Enders, Robbins and Weller of the Boston Children's Hospital, have brought cure for poliomyelitis and virus diseases one step nearer, Dr. Svei. Gard, leading Swedish virologist, said in his address at the presentation ceremony.

Proposed Ferry Schedule Given

Schedule which Nelson Chamber of Commerce is asking the provincial government public works department to institute for the Kootenay Lake ferry service during the Winter months, has been announced. It would give extra runs.

The proposed schedule follows:

From Balfour	From Kootenay Bay
7 a.m.	8 a.m.
9 a.m.	10 a.m.
11 a.m.	12 noon
1 p.m.	2 p.m.
3 p.m.	4 p.m.
5 p.m.	6 p.m.
7 p.m.	8 p.m.
9 p.m.	10 p.m.
11 p.m.	12 midnight

Also asked is additional service three nights during each week of a boat leaving Balfour at 1 a.m. and Kootenay Bay at 2 a.m.

"Our request for this service is intensified by a realization that Highway No. 3 is the only highway open for traffic across British Columbia during the winter months, and traffic should not be restricted to 13¼ hours per day which it now is under the presently operating schedule," the Board's request stated.

MAY 1 START

"With reference to a summer ferry schedule it was felt that the establishing of a more extended service for the summer months should be further considered in plenty of time to be effective by May 1, 1955."

The petition was sent to A. L. Freebairn, public works district engineer, with copies to Hon. P. A. Gaglardi, public works minister; Hon. W. D. Black, MLA for Nelson-Creston; J. A. Dennison, public works divisional engineer, and to the Riondel Recreation Club, which has been circulating a petition for longer ferry hours among district organizations.

Advise Duke to Relax More

LONDON (CP) — The Duke of Edinburgh has been advised by the Daily Mail to "relax more".

The newspaper says "recently friends have noticed he looks tired . . . leaner in the face."

They have advised him to let up, but his reply, "it is said, is: 'I have another two years' work ahead. I cannot let up.' "

"For he feels that only by these intensive visits, only by intensive reading of technical books, will he eventually be accepted into our way of life."

Another newspaper, the Evening News, reported recently that the Duke had been advised to take more time off.

Salk Hints of Anti-Flu Vaccine

By ALTON L. BLAKESLEE

NEW YORK (AP) — Dr. Jonas E. Salk of Pittsburgh Friday reported new evidence that his polio vaccine can create powerful, long-lasting protection against polio.

And he hinted that knowledge being learned in the polio work may show the way some day for vaccine giving long-term protection against the common cold and influenza.

His polio vaccine is made out of killed polio virus—killed for safety. Salk said he finds no reason to think that a vaccine made out of living virus, altered for safety, would be better.

NEW THEORIES

The Salk vaccine was given to hundreds of thousands of American children in a great test last summer. A scientific jury will announce about April 1 whether the vaccine was found to have prevented polio in children who got the shots.

Salk said he is working on a theory that a dead virus vaccine could produce a protection that might surpass that from the mechanisms involved in normal exposure.

This theory, if proven, could be of great importance for diseases such as influenza and the common cold, he said. For while people recover from them, they don't get life-long immunity against another attack.

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