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WEATHER FORECAST

Kootenay: Cloudy with a few snowflurries at night. A little cooler. Winds light. Low-high at Cranbrook 5 below and 20 above, Crescent Valley 10 and 25.

Laborite Plan Aims At Solution to Middle East Problem

Charge Gov't With Weakness in Dealing With Explosive Situation

By FRASER WIGHTON

LONDON (Reuters)—Leaders of the Labor party Wednesday announced a six-point plan for tackling the critical Middle East situation as Prime Minister Eden sailed for his Washington talks with President Eisenhower on the Middle East and other world issues.

The plan took the form of an official statement issued by the party's national executive.

Deploring what it termed the "weakness, confusion and vaccilation" of the government in the face of the Middle East situation, and its "failures" to put forward a bold and imagnative policy, the committee said:

"An armed clash could touch off a war which would spread beyond the area."

BALANCE OF ARMS

The six-point plan urged:

1. The immediate strengthening of the United Nations supervisory commission on the Arab-Israeli armistice line, and that a small international force be formed to assist in preventing further bloodshed.

2. The Anglo-American-French declaration of 1950, which pledges to uphold the peace on the present armistice lines, must remain the absolutely indispensible instrument preventing war between Israel and the Arab states.

3. A balance of arms between Israel and the Arab states must be maintained.

4. The three powers should formally request Russia to join with them in maintaining peace between Israel and the Arab states and in preserving a balance in arms.

5. The need for a settlement between Israel and the Arab states, including frontier rectification, the recognition of Israel as a state by the Arab states, and the ending of the economic blockade and the resettlement of Arab refugees.

6. A comprehensive plan should be devised for Middle East aid under United Nations auspices.

The monthly meeting of the Labor executive committee was held only a few hours after Eden, accompanied by Foreign Minister Selwyn Lloyd, sailed from Southampton for New York on his way to Washington, where he is due Jan. 30.

DISCUSS WAR THREAT

Dominant topic in the Washington talks will be the threat of a new Israeli-Arab war which has arisen following the shipment of arms to Egypt by Czechoslovakia and what the West should do to suppress any renewal of hostilities.

The Eden-Eisenhower conversations are likely to concentrate on steps that might be taken to minimize the present border tension between Israel and her Arab neighbors, and what action the United States, Britain and France should take if there should be large-scale fighting.

One talking point will be a British plan for establishing demilitarized zones which would be "policed" by United Nations agents.

Communists Eye Cabinet Posts

PARIS (AP)—Campaigning hard for a place in the French cabinet, Communist leader Jacques Duclos called Wednesday for a Socialist to be the next premier.

The Communists have little chance now to regain the cabinet posts they lost more than eight years ago, when the last Socialist premier kicked them out. They hope to win the posts back eventually, however, by showing that any left-of-centre cabinet needs their support in the National Assembly.

The Reds now control 151 seats, the largest bloc in the 595-man Assembly elected Jan. 2.

Duclos urged President Rene Coty to pick a Socialist. He said the Communists' strength entitled them to the premiership but acknowledged it would be hard for a Communist to form a cabinet, because none of the other parties would join, and nearly all would vote against it.

Tuesday, the Communists gave the other left - of - centre parties proof of their strength by furnishing the votes that elected Socialist Andre le Troquer president of the Assembly, nominally the No. 2 political post in France. In recognition of their strength the Communists got two of the six vice-presidencies.

Firemen Seek Wage Hike

PENTICTON (CP) — The fire fighters' union has presented a request to council for a 10-per-cent increase in Penticton firemen's wages. The firemen also requested that the assistant-chief's salary be increased to $375 monthly.

New Labor Legislation Sought

VICTORIA (CP) — New labor legislation aimed at preventing a small group of workers from putting a whole industry out of work by strike action was urged in the B.C. legislature Wednesday.

Rae Eddie (CCF — New Westminster), a trade unionist, described as a "mess" a situation last fall when some 1500 sawmill workers were made idle by a strike of 160 engineers.

He called on the government to take steps to prevent it from happening again. This could be done, he said, by making it necessary for a smaller craft union to gain 51-per-cent support from the whole unit before breaking off bargaining.

Mr. Eddie was one of three speakers in the continuing throne speech debate.

The others were Vincent Segur (CCF—Revelstoke) who supported public development of the Columbia River hydro-electric potential and J. D. Tisdalle (SC—Saanich) who urged uniform traffic regulations through the province.

Pulp Mill For Sitka Planned

SITKA, Alaska (AP)—A Japanese-backed company Wednesday brought this one-time capital of Alaska its biggest news since Russia transferred it to the United States in 1867.

A pulp mill was virtually assured for this historic fishing community as the Alaska Lumber and Pulp Co. received a preliminary award from the U.S. Forest Service for 5,250,000,000 board feet of timber in the Tongass National Forest.

The Japanese-financed firm posted a $25,000 cheque as it submitted the only bid at an opening at Juneau, the capital.

The firm also posted $75,000 as a guarantee of qualification for the final award.

Tadao Sasayama, chairman of the firm's board, headed the company delegation at the bid opening, which drew a capacity crowd to the Juneau city hall chamber.

The product of the projected $45,000,000 plant will be shipped to Japan, under the development plan. A 300-ton-a-day capacity is planned.

Ontario Wants Gov't To Foot 60 P.C. Health Bill

By JOHN LeBLANC
Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA (CP) — The federal government Wednesday detailed for the provinces what it is spending on health services but did not get to presenting its cost-splitting plans on health insurance at the federal-provincial health conference.

Health Minister Martin said after the conference's third day that it might be late Thursday before he raises the curtain officially on what the central government will contribute to a national insurance scheme.

Meanwhile, Ontario Provincial Treasurer Porter said his government is sticking to its original proposal that the federal treasury contribute 60 per cent of the cost of a scheme based initially on comprehesive hospital coverage including diagnostic services.

BY THE TIME George Thomas and Arlene Day grow up they may be driving cars similar to the Firebird II being shown them by Harlow H. Curtice, president of General Motors, at the Motorama in New York. Pride of the G.M. engineers, the experimental gas turbine car is adaptable for future highway use, and present day roads.—Central Press Canadian.

Queen, Duke Start Nigeria Tour Friday

LONDON (CP) — The Queen and the Duke of Edinburgh leave by air Friday for an 18-day flying tour of Nigeria, Britain's largest colonial possession.

They depart from Britain's dreary winter in the afternoon, and step out of their plane the next morning into the hot, 80-degree temperature of the Nigerian dry season. Their first sight of the newly-formed federation in Africa's western elbow will be Ikeja airport, near the capital, Lagos.

Then begins a round of official engagements, broken mid-way by a two-day rest at Jos in the high interior parkland.

On her arrival day the Queen will inspect a guard of honor, take a royal salute, meet a dozen notables at the airport, witness a ceremonial fly-past of RAF Canberra jets, stop halfway on the 13-mile drive to Government House to receive Lagos town council officials, lunch, meet the press and attend a state dinner

TO VISIT LEPERS

Later in the tour, the Queen and Duke will watch weird tribal dances, visit a new power station, tour hosptials and even see a leper colony at Oji river. The royal couple will fly most engagements, flitting across a country of colorful, intriguing contrast. For Nigeria, an area little larger than British Columbia, shades geographically from the lagoons of Lagos and the coastal forest belt into mangrove swamps, then rises to great grassy plains and finally merges into the Sahara desert to the north.

Here live 31,800,000 people, some primitively, others progressively.

Regina May Get $10 Million on Health Scheme

REGINA (CP) — The Leader-Post says Saskatchewan may receive a $10,000,000 federal grant to help finance its hospital services plan provided Ottawa approves the scheme an doffers to assume half the cost.

Federal cost-sharing proposals on a national health insurance plan are expected to be revealed later this week£ There has been speculation it will be a 50-50 deal covering diagnostic services and hospital care.

Orders Freight Rate Cuts

OTTAWA (CP) — The board of transport commissioners has ordered a cut in some freight rates affecting Victoria.

It made public today a judgment directing that on certain shipments the mileage between the mainland and Victoria is to be regarded as 43 miles for setting rates.

This applies on hauls between Victoria and points east of Hatzic, B.C., and Matsqui, B.C. It is applicable to "class" ceiling rates.

Bulganin Letter to Ike Is "Top Secret"

Some Top Officials Believe It Just Propaganda Timed to Eden Arrival

By JOHN SCALI

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Soviet ambassador paid an extraordinary call at the White House Wednesday and handed President Eisenhower Russian Premier Nikolai Bulganin's newest proposal on how to promote "world peace."

The White House quickly put a top secret label on the Soviet proposition, reporting little beyond the fact that Bulganin advanced his views in a "friendly letter." Ambassador Georgi N. Zarubin first read the letter to Eisenhower, and then gave it to him.

At first a belief was widespread that the letter dealt with disarmament. However, an air of mystery was added when a well-posted informant said the document did not discuss disarmament very much.

This source said it dealt mainly with another problem "involving Soviet-American relations."

The White House did say that Bulganin, who has been missing from Moscow since last Jan. 3, set forth "certain ideas which the premier has asked the president to study further in the interest of promoting world peace."

PROPAGANDA MOVE

Despite official reticence, top administration officials indicated they continued to regard Bulganin's letter as a clearly timed propaganda move intended to undercut Eisenhower's meeting next week with Prime Minister Eden.

Eden now is at sea aboard a British liner en route to the United States for cold war strategy conferences with the president which are expected to chart new joint moves to offset Russia's economic and political policies.

A few hours after Bulganin's message arrived, another top Russian leader, Communist party chief Nikita Khrushchev, said he and other officials are convinced President Eisenhower and his advisers are striving for world peace.

Moscow dispatches said Khrushchev expressed this view in an interview with Marshall MacDuffie, a New York lawyer who once headed United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation operations in the Ukraine.

Khrushchev told MacDuffie that he believes neither Prime Minister Eden nor former French premier Edgar Faure want war, and that international tensions will be further relaxed.

Eisenhower, with State Secretary Dulles at his side, received Bulganin's letter in an unusual 15-minute meeting with the Soviet ambassador.

Zarubin, smiling slightly, manoeuvred his way through some 150 reporters and photographers who followed every move as he entered and left the White House in his first call since September, 1952.

"No, no, no, no," he said with a wave of his hand to some dozen questions fired at him. As he walked quickly to his car he reported only that Eisenhower looked "very well" and that "yes" the Bulganin message had been delivered, as arranged.

Parliament Wednesday

By The Canadian Press

Labor Minister Gregg announced relaxation of unemployment insurance restrictions for workers temporarily disqualified under the new act.

Prime Minister St. Laurent said Prime Minister Eden of Britain will address the Canadian Parliament Monday, Feb. 6.

Davie Fulton (PC—Kamloops) charged Justice Minister Garson with flagrant interference with the Supreme Court in the Coffin murder case.

Ross Thatcher (Ind — Moose Jaw-Lake Centre) again voted with the Liberal majority as the government won a confidence motion 149 to 79.

Justice Minister Garson said the Criminal Code provides adequate means to put sex deviates away indefinitely if it is properly enforced.

SAYS SECONDARY INDUSTRY HOLDS JOBS OF FUTURE

By HAROLD MORRISON

TORONTO (CP)—A banker and a professor Wednesday called for reappraisal of government attitudes towards big business as the Gordon economic commission continued to hear more criticism of federal anti-combines laws and procedures.

James Stewart, president of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, predicted that labor will have to depend more on secondary industry for jobs in the future. Business will have to take more risks to meet the challenge of expansion.

But whether business will become more venturesome will depend on the country's economic climate. If Canada is to improve her living standards, she ought not to be frustrated by a system of ideas "no longer relevant to the real world."

Whether a monopoly is good or bad for a country depended not only on law but also on economics. Restraints against monopolists had to be established which would not punish the good with the bad.

10 YEARS FOR DRUGS

VANCOUVER (CP) — Edward Senger, 27, was sentenced in police court here to 10 years in the penitentiary for trafficking in narcotics. Two slips of paper found on Senger led police to two caches, each containing 50 capsules of heroin.

Canada Seeks Okay to Reveal Arms Details

OTTAWA (CP)—External Affairs Minister Pearson said in the Commons Wednesday that Canada is trying to obtain agreement from a foreign government for release of full details on Canada's arms shipments to the Middle East.

Mr. Pearson, who said Tuesday that Canada shipped about $3,000,000 worth of arms to Egypt and Israel in the last two years, did not identify the government.

But on the basis of his statement Tuesday he was apparently referring to Israel. He said Tuesday that Egypt purchased $771,121 worth of arms, the bulk of the order being 15 Harvard training planes, while Israel purchased $2,067,685 worth.

Mr. Pearson said he was withheld from giving full details Tuesday by the reluctance of one government to have them disclosed, for security reasons.

He added that Canada, through correspondence and conversations, is trying to convince this government that security precautions are not as important as "considerations which indicate that all details should be released." Canada was not reluctant to make them public.

Molotov, Zhukov To Meeting Of Warsaw Pact

Foreign Minister Vyacheslav Molotov and Defence Minister Georgi Zhukov arrived here Wednesday to attend a political meeting of the Warsaw pact — the "eastern NATO".

They are heading a Soviet delegation to a meeting of the pact's political consultative committee which begins Friday.

Observers believe that one of the subjects on the committee's agenda is likely to be the incorporation of the new East German Army into the unified command.

Albania, Bulgaria, Hungary, East Germany, Poland and Romania are the other countries attending.

Communist China will be represented by an observer, Marshal Nieh Jung Chen, currently in Czechoslovakia.

Sommers Presses Libel Charge

VANCOUVER (CP) — A statement of claim was made in the Vancouver court house Wednesday on behalf of Lands and Forests Minister R. E. Sommers in his action against lawyer David A. Sturdy.

Mr. Sommers claims unstated damages for a statement made by Mr. Sturdy to Chief Justice Gordon Sloan at the forest commission enquiry Dec. 16.

Counsel for Mr. Sommers earlier filed a writ seeking damages for "publication of a libel," and for alleged slander.

Hospital Tenders Called

CAMPBELL RIVER, B.C. (CP) —Tenders have been called for the $918,000 hospital soon to be built here, village officials announced Wednesday.

Cost of the hospital will be shared by the provincial government, which will pay 50 per cent of the bill; the federal government and taxes from the hospital improvement district.

ANYONE WHO feels like "blowing his top," can now call on "Albert," a mechanical toy ready to take on the task with a push of the finger. Photos show how the toy can suddenly shoot up.
—Central Press Canadian.

30,000 To Benefit From Easing of Unemployment Insurance Ruling

OTTAWA (CP) — Relaxation of unemployment insurance restrictions will restore temporary-lost benefit payments to more than 30,000 workers.

Labor Minister Gregg announced terms of the change in the Commons Wednesday, after complaints from many labor bodies. Officials said later it will have these effects:

1. Between 30,000 and 33,000 workers, temporarily disqualified from benefits after Parliament's new unemployment insurance legislation went into effect last Oct. 2, now will collect retroactively to that date.

2. They will get more than $3,000,000 in back benefits from the $900,000,000 insurance fund.

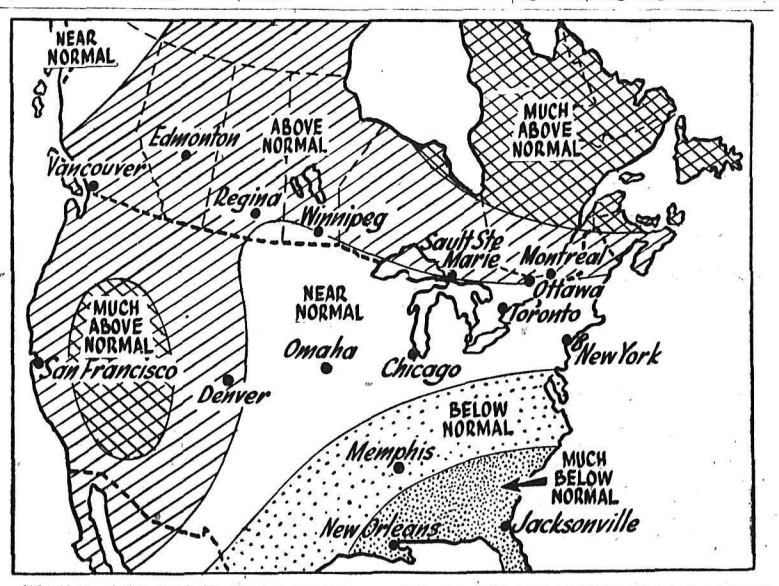
The retroactive payments, officials said, should be largely cleaned up a month from now.

Says Sex Laws Adequate, Need Enforcing

OTTAWA CP) — The Criminal Code provides adequate means to put sex deviates away indefinitely if it is properly enforced, Justice Minister Garson said Wednesday.

He suggested it is up to provincial prosecuting officials to see that the laws against sex crimes are fully applied.

Once put away in federal penitentiaries, he said, such persons have proper treatment available — if they accepted it. Not all did and it could not be forced on them.



NORMAL AND ABOVE normal temperatures will prevail over all of Canada for the next 30 days, according to the long-range weather chart. Moderate snowfall is expected. And the cold, cold weather that has afflicted Florida for the past few weeks is expected to continue.—Central Press Canadian.

LAW ENFORCEMENT LAX . . .

Mulligan Lacked Leadership, Tupper Commission Reports

By PETER MURRAY
Canadian Press Staff Writer

VICTORIA (CP) — Law enforcement has been lax in Vancouver for many years is the "firm conclusion" of R. H. Tupper, conducting a royal commission inquiry into the affairs of the 735-man force.

The statement is included in an interim report on the inquiry, tabled late Wednesday by Attorney-General Robert Bonner in the British Columbia legislature.

The report says Walter Mulligan, police chief for eight years before he was fired last October, lacked the "essential element of leadership."

The report found the chief did not have the confidence and respect of a large number of the men under his command.

It said he was "frustrated" in the performance of part of his duties by his failure to delegate authority to subordinates.

The number of crimes reported and known to police in Vancouver "greatly exceeds" the record of other Canadian dies on a per capita basis, the report says. However, the crime rate has not increased in the last 10 years in proportion to the population rise, except in the year 1955.

"A low ratio of crimes is cleared by arrest," the report states.

The report, termed by Mr. Bonner a "penetrating analysis" of administrative police techniques, dealt only with the enforcement of the Criminal Code and the administration of the Vancouver department. It went 161 pages.

Investigation of charges of corruption will be dealt with in the final report, to be drawn up after the commission ends its sittings.

CALLS FOR MORE MEN

Mr. Tupper sharply criticized the $3,000,000 budget allotted the police department and recommended an "immediate" increase in the strength of the force.

He also noted "serious defects" in the discipline and administration of the force.

"The report has illustrated some of the growing pains which police administration has had in Vancouver during a period when the population of the city has enormously increased," Mr. Bonner said.

It makes many recommendations:

1. The detective division be revamped and enlarged to enable it to make a "planned attack upon major crime."

2. Extension of the training program for recruits and creation of a recruit school.

3. Enlarging the three-man police commission to four members.

DELEGATE AUTHORITY

4. More delegation of authority within the force, especially in matters of discipline.

5. Dispute between the Police Union and the commission over the distinction between administrative matters and "working conditions" be settled by the Supreme Court.

6. Provisions be taken to prevent disclosure of confidential information by members of the force.

7. Relations with the Press be improved by a "proper system of communication through responsible officers."

8. Some police duties, such as traffic, should be given to men not requiring a constable's training.

The increasing number of services given by the police in recent years has created the need for more manpower. The Vancouver police force now is more overworked than forces in any other major Canadian city.

Revamping of the detective division has already been announced by George Archer who took over from Mulligan.

Chest Crushed Under House

VANCOUVER (CP) — Victor Gauvin, 45, suffered a crushed chest and possible internal injuries Wednesday when an eight-ton house being moved on rollers rested on his chest.

Fellow workers said Gauvin had attempted to move a roller into position when the house due to "a freak, caused by frost on the rollers" suddenly settled on top of him.

He was freed with heavy jacks and in hospital within 20 minutes. Hospital attendants described his condition as fair.

DOLLAR DOWN

NEW YORK (CP) — The Canadian dollar was 1-32 lower at a premium of ⅛ per cent in terms of U.S. funds Wednesday. Pound sterling unchanged at $2.80¾.

Musicland Theatre

KASLO — 8 P.M.

Tonight, Friday, Saturday

"The Shrike"

June Allyson · Jose Ferrer

110 at Creston Burns Night

CRESTON — A successful Burns Night was held in Creston at the Canadian Legion Hall Tuesday night with 110 Scots and would-be Scots present.

Tribute to the immortal bard was paid with a round of toasts and addresses and Highland entertainment. Master of ceremonies was Hugh Anderson who gave the address of welcome, in the absence of Dr. W. N. Fraser who was ill. Address to the haggis was given by J. Veitch after the haggis was piped in by Bob Adams of Kimberley, and escorts.

Toast to the adopted land was given by Rev. E. Polloch. George Sinclair gave the toast to Bonnie Scotland. Toast to the lassie was given by J. Fell. Honor of giving the toast to the immortal memory fell to Mr. Veitch. Entertainment was supplied by Mr. Adams, piper; Miss Joyce Beatty, dancer, Mrs. R. Stevens and M. Nichol, soloists.

Miss Beatty was presented with a gift at the close of the evening by president C. French as a token of appreciation for her efforts.

The Weather

	Min	Max	Pre
NELSON	21	35	—
St. John's	30	35	.39
Ottawa	5	16	—
Winnipeg	16	22	.14
Regina	7	13	—
Lethbridge	14	24	—
Edmonton	-7	14	—
Kimberley	-4	11	—
Crescent Valley	11	30	.01
Kamloops	5	24	—
Penticton	14	28	—
Vancouver	32	39	—
Victoria	34	40	—
Spokane	17	31	—

Blustery Weather Ahead
For Dry, Chapped Skin, Try
NOXZEMA SKIN CREAM
See our window display for specials in these sizes:
6 oz. jar 98c
10 oz. jar $1.25
Nelson Pharmacy
"Your Fortress of Health"
433 Josephine St., Ph. 1203

Redeemer Church Maintaining Its Family Atmosphere, Says Vicar

"I believe we continue to maintain that friendly family atmosphere which is an outstanding mark of our parish life."

With these words, Rev. Canon W. J. Silverwood summed up the Church of the Redeemer's place in the community when addressing a large congregation at the annual supper meeting Tuesday night. Far more men than women attended.

Financially, the church increases in strength each year the work of the service clubs was outstanding in 1955.

"Were it not for the fact that a vicarage has been purchased we could, I am sure, be in the happy state of a self-supporting parish," Canon Silverwood said. Block assessment, now known as the family budget, has been increased for the parish from $500 to $800 for 1956, $200 of which will be allocated for South Slocan.

The meeting re-elected John Applewhaite, vicar's warden; Frank Pennoyer, peoples warden, and Stanley Morris, treasurer. Both wardens were named delegates to the Synod, with E. W. Florendine and J. Burgess as alternatives.

COMMITTEE

The Church committee consists of Mr. Pennoyer, Mr. Applewhaite, J. P. Horswill, E. E. Hopwood, C. Shayler, Clarence Ward, Mr. Burgess, Robert Foxall, Norman Buckley, E. J. Allen, D. R. Grahame, A. C. VanSacker, G. S. Mayo, W. Defoe, R. Palmer, T. W. Halsey, W. Melneczuk, S. E. Briard, S. T. Lea, W. Bennett, Mr. Florendine, H. Whitely and Mr. Morris.

Besides reports from the wardens and treasurer, outlines of activities of various groups were given by Mrs. VanSacker for the Service Clubs; Mrs. E. Sjostrum for the Women's Auxiliary; Mrs. Grahame, Altar Guild; Mrs. Burgess, Sunday School; Mrs. Colin Baker, Sunday School treasurer; Mr. Burgess, choir; Mrs. Hopwood, bulletin; and Canon Silverwood for the Servers Guild.

In his 23rd annual report, Canon Silverwood paid hearty tribute to the work of Sunday School teachers, lay readers Mr. Burgess and Mr. Applewhaite, the church organizations, choir and organists.

"The work of the newly-formed Servers Guild is a great asset and the seven young men have been faithful in their duties," he said.

He expressed pleasure at the recovery from illness of Frank Pennoyer.

In conclusion, he said: "I cannot thank you all enough for your interest, support and co-operation and I trust we shall go forward about Our Father's business with loyalty, affection and friendship and achieve perhaps greater things in 1956."

YOUNG BOXER DIES

DETROIT (AP) — Eddie Lee Walker, a 24-year-old Detroit heavyweight, died Tuesday night after collapsing during a workout with Johnny Summerlin at the Motor City Gym last Friday.

Walker complained of a pain in one arm and collapsed in his corner at the end of a round.

He was taken to hospital but never regained consciousness.

Famed for its 300-foot spire, St Botolph's church at Boston in Lincolnshire, England, dates from the 13th century.

YOUTHS PLEAD GUILTY TO POST OFFICE THEFT

Larry Hill, 17, of New Westminster and Cliff Larimande, 16, of Duck Bay, Man., pleaded guilty in city court Wednesday to charges of breaking and entering the Nelson Post Office on October 19.

Hill was sentenced to a 15-month determinate and eight months indeterminate jail term to be served in the Young Offenders' Unit of Oakalla Prison Farm. Larimande's sentence, 12 months determinate and 21 months indeterminate, will be served in the New Haven school for boys.

A third man, Gordon Erickson, 20, of New Westminster, faces a similar charge.

The trio was arrested near Fort Macleod, Alta., and were convicted on October 31 of a breaking and entering offence near Lethbridge. After serving three-month jail terms in Alberta, they were handed over to the Creston RCMP.

In Creston, Hill and Larimande pleaded guilty when charged with two breaking and entering offences committed near Gray Creek on October 21. Both were sentenced to a nine-month determinate and 18-month indeterminate prison term.

Erickson, facing the same charge in Creston, was remanded.

Sentences imposed by magistrate R. S. Nelson in Nelson city court upon Hill and Larimande will run concurrently with jail terms imposed in Creston.

Magistrate Nelson said that they had been sent to different institutions in order to separate them.

Off to Coast for Farmers' Meeting

Kenneth Wallace of Boswell was in Nelson Wednesday en route to Victoria where he will attend B.C. Farmers' advisory board meetings as West Kootenay representative.

Nelson Scots Honor The Immortal Bard

Traditional commemoration of the birth of Robert Burns in a humble peasant's cottage 197 years ago was observed in Nelson Wednesday night by Clan McLeary.

Wee Doreen Spiers paraded the haggis to clan chieftan, Ernest F. McLachlan, while George Milne, a husky piper, played "There Was a Lad Was Born in Kyle."

Bob Wallace, a charter member of the clan, read the Selkirk Grace and David Paul "addressed the haggis" before 80 clan members sat to the annual banquet.

Speaking upon the "humanity and influence of Robert Burns today," Rev. J. N. Allen said: "We are here tonight to honor the man who voiced the timeless aspects of the Scottish character—its loves and its hates. Burns did this in his own day and his poetry continues to do so."

"The Scottish character portrayed by Burns is a peculiar mixture of religion and irreverence, softened by an awesome respect for constituted authority," said Mr. Allan, First Presbyterian Church minister.

"Let who will write Scotland's laws," he concluded, "Burns has written her music and song."

The roguish brogue of Jock Hawkins was sharply reminiscent of the familiar renditions of Harry Lauder. Mr. Hawkins sang "When I Meet McKie" and "I Belong Tae Glasgow." Equally well received were Scottish folk poems, "The Laird o' Cock Ban" and "The Besom," recited by May MacFarlane.

Traces of the Scottish theme in contemporary entertainment were introduced into the program by Carol Coventry, who sang selections from "Brigadoon." Miss Coventry was accompanied by pianist Herb Kline, who played a piano solo, also taken from "Brigadoon."

A lively session of dancing concluded the Burns night program. The dances included waltzes, quadrilles, rye waltzes, the Grand March and the Circassian Circle.

DOUGLAS CAMPBELL

Campbell in Dual Capacity In "Saint Joan"

Douglas Campbell, Scots actor from London's Old Vic Theatre, the Edinburgh Festival and the Canadian Stratford Shakespearean Festival, is both directing and playing in the Canadian Players production of "Saint Joan" by George Bernard Shaw to be staged in the Capitol Theatre Saturday night.

During the summers of 1953 and 1954 at the Stratford Shakespearean Festival in Canada, Campbell's roles of Parolles in "All's Well That Ends Well", starring Alec Guinness, and as Pompey in "Measure For Measure", starring James Mason, brought forth the following comment from Brooks Atkinson of the New York Times, "The most resourceful Shakespearean clown in the business today."

By contrast, in England and in South Africa where he toured with the Vic., Campbell gained an equal reputation as a tragedian because of his portrayal of such roles as MacBeth, Othello, etc.

The summer of 1955, Campbell gave a magnificent interpretation of the title role of Oedipus in Sophocles' Greek tragedy "Oedipus Rex". His performance was lauded by all who saw it. Of his role in the 1955 Stratford production of "Julius Caesar", Claudia Cassidy of the Chicago Herald Tribune said, "Campbell, the interesting Oedipus, and a superb Casca, staged the battle scenes which crowned the play". Again Brooks Atkinson complimented him by writing: "Campbell's sophisticated Casca is first rate".

Douglas Campbell, a Glasgow "rebel", left the British stage in the Fall of 1954 to form Canadian Players with Tom Patterson, founder of Canada's Stratford Shakespearean Festival.

Campbell, as well as directing "Saint Joan", plays the roles of De Beaudricourt, Cauchon and the English soldier.

Three Months, $300 Fine for Van Cauter

Paulus Roland Van Cauter, Belgian immigrant who was found guilty of unlawfully causing to be published untrue or misleading information on employment opportunities in Canada, was sentenced to three months in Oakalla prison and fined $300 and $40.50 costs Wednesday. In default of the fine he will serve another three months in prison.

He was sentenced by Magistrate William Evans in provincial court. Van Cauter was charged with setting up his own self-styled employment agency at Nakusp offering Belgians jobs on a trans-Canada oil pipeline he knew nothing about.

He faces another charge in county court today.

$180 DAMAGE

A two car collision at the intersection of Fifth and Davies Streets Wednesday resulted in $180 damage to cars driven by James R. Allen and Stanley T. Lea, both of Nelson.

School Stages Play Tonight

The students of St. Joseph's High School, Wednesday night held the final rehearsal of "Murder In a Nunnery" which will be presented at the Capitol Theatre tonight.

An estimated 250 students have taken part in readying the production for its two-night stand. Second performance will be held on Friday evening.

Among the 13 cast members are Frank Matovich as an officious Scotland Yard inspector and George Buckley as his caramel-nibbling assistant. Also prominent is John Cristofanetti as the gardener who would "never kill anybody in church."

Other members of the cast include: Marguerite Houde as The Baroness, Margie Tedesco as the waspish Mrs. Moss; Gail Bonacci as Mother Peagle and Delphine Poulin as Mother Peck. Aileen Trainor is Reverend Mother, Virginia Troyam portrays Venetia and Georgette Major is the sleepwalking Mother Trevor. Josephine Catanacci, Margie Gallican, Maxine Walsh and Margaret Tschauner will be on hand as four rambunctious convent students.

Bob Sturgeon is the smart-alec reporter while Diane Lang plays Mother Bassonwaite, Andrew Zielowski plays The Baron and Leonard Buckley plays The Priest.

Filipchuk Committed For Trial at Assizes

CRANBROOK — Preliminary hearing of William Filipchuk on a charge of attempted murder of his wife January 8 when she was knocked down by his car ended iate Wednesday in committal for trial at the Spring assizes here the second week in May. He has submitted an application for bail but remains in custody in the meantime.

Magistrate Richard Shiell presided at the hearing and Michelangelo Provenzano represented the Crown. The defendant had no representation. Chief witness was Julias Kiss, who said he was walking north on Sixth Avenue with Mrs. Filipchuk in the late afternoon, when a car loomed behind them. He avoided it, but was unable to drag Mrs. Filipchuk out of its path, he testified. The left front fender allegedly struck her and she sustained bruised legs.

RCMP Constables Max Hockstetter, Fred Fuhr and Wilfred Ende testified they were summoned and described the situation with measurements when they arrived. Mrs. Filipchuk was transferred to the hospital by them. Her evidence at the hearing was brief and dealt chiefly with her injuries. Also testifying were four persons who were in the vicinity when the incident occurred about dusk. RCMP Sergeant Malcolm Matheson was also a witness.

Newsman From East Joins News

A young Ontario newsman, John Short, has joined the editorial staff of the Daily News.

A specialist in sport, Mr. Short trained for more than two years under Jim Vipond, sports editor of the Toronto Globe and Mail, then did general and sports reporting on Southern Ontario papers at Brampton and Port Colborne.

He will take on sports writing duties at the Daily News, while Bruce McLean, who has been sports writer this Winter, will do general news reporting.

Inquest Into Kaslo Man's Death Today

Inquest into the death of Kenneth Richard Prout, Kaslo man who was killed in an accident on the Kaslo highway January 16 will be held in Kaslo Friday.

The 20-year-old man was the driver of the fateful car. Four passengers in the car received injuries when it was in head-on collision with a truck owned by R. H. Grim of Salmo, and driven by Fred Tedesco of Nelson.

SCHOOL-DAY FRIENDS, both of whom are serving in Western Allies forces, are Herbert Chaluck, left, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Chaluck, 714 Silica Street, who is serving in the RCAF in Germany, and Gilbert Choquette, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Choquette, 1104 Stanley Street, who is stationed in Florida with the United States Marines. Both attended St. Joseph's School here.

Membership a Record . . .

Trinity Church Has Final Annual Meeting

Trinity United Church held its annual meeting Wednesday night in an atmosphere of both anticipation and regret.

The congregation was looking with anticipation toward amalgamation with its sister church, St. Paul's, and toward this end endorsed a resolution to dissolve the congregation February 6 when the joint church comes into being. It was also looking toward formation of the new Fairview-North Shore pastoral charge.

At the same time it looked with regret at the passing of Trinity Churchc congregation as it has existed in past years and the fellowship that has been enjoyed there.

Close to 200 attended the annual dinner and meeting, held in Trinity Church Hall.

Close to 20 annual reports from church organizations read during the two-hour meeting indicated a highly successful and progressive year in the church.

No new officers were elected at the meeting as all offices will be terminated February 6 when new church officers for the merged churches will be named. New Fairview and North Shore church officers will be named at a meeting February 8.

Rev. Allan Dixon, in his session report, saw in the formation of the Trinity and St. Paul's Pastoral Charge "the loss of our former identity as Trinity Congregation in order to find a larger avenue of Christian service" and the coming year "as an adventure in faith."

SPECIAL TRIBUTE

Mr. and Mrs. Dixon, who will leave Trinity church for the Fairview-North Shore pastoral charge, received a special tribute from church members. George Hoover, on behalf of the congregation thanked them for the leadership and friendliness" they had given in their years with Trinity.

Special tribute also went to two of the church's longest-time members, Mrs. J. H. Wallace, who has been a member since 1900 and J H. Allan, a member since 1909. Mr. Dixon read two poems he had been asked to compose to honor the two revered members and each received a gift from the congregation in recognition of their long years of association with the church. Mrs. Wallace, the congregation noted, had only recently become a great, great grandmother.

A letter of greeting was read from St. Paul's United Church on occasion of the annual meeting which also said the church was looking forward to reorganization of the two pastoral charges in the coming year.

The church's "poet lauraete", Mrs. L. S. Bradley, read a poem in recognition of the church's last annual meeting.

Trinity's membership soared to the highest in the church's history last year, reports showed. In 1955, 110 new members joined the church bringing its membership to 394. In 1954 there were 347 members.

Although the church financial statement, given by treasurer Ross Fleming, showed a $554.33 deficit, the church had an outstanding financial year, raising $26,905. An eight-page financial report was presented to members for study. Disbursements during the year were $27,931.35, including $2092 for the missionary and maintenance fund, $15,379 for the building fund and $10,460 for local expenses. The church also paid all but $7250 of a $20,000 bank note during last year, a big accomplishment for the church, it was noted. All monies anticipated did not come in during the year, Mr. Fleming said.

Trinity women's clubs and church circles all reported successful years with good membership and attendance and wide interest in their work.

Trail Church Has Good Year

TRAIL — A good year was reported at the annual meeting of Knox United Church held here Wednesday.

A surplus over expenditure of $1778 was reported. Obligation to Union College, Vancouver, spread over a three-year period was met. Rev. J. M. Taylor spoke on the National Evangelistic Mission Enterprise, pointing out that in the United States and Canada, 85 per cent of humanitarian interests comes from Christian service source.

Three elders elected were A. Freeman, J. M. Little, H. Tucker. New senior stewards elected were C. Albright, N. Campbell, D. M. McKenzie. Stewards re-elected were Dr. C. E. Toll, W. Wagstaffe, F. Wilby; recording secretary H. L. Mack. R. E. Hawkes was clerk of the session.

CAMPY SIGNS

BROOKLYN (AP) — Roy Campanella, Brooklyn's three-time winner of the most valuable player award of the National League, Wednesday signed his 1956 contract for an estimated $36,000.

The stocky Dodger catcher, who made a tremendous comeback last season, was understood to have received a $5000 pay increase.

LAST RITES FOR MRS. CALBICK

TRAIL—Funeral services for the late Mrs. Julia Calbick were conducted Wednesday at St. Andrew's Anglican Church here by Rev. Canon J. Rogers.

Mrs. Calbick, former Nelson and Trail resident, died Saturday in Trail-Tadanac Hospital. Interment was in Mountain View Cemetery.

She is survived by her husband Wesley Calbick, at the Nelson Hostel for Aged Men; two daughters, Mrs. Alexander Mitchell of Trail and Mrs. C. J. Calbick of Chatham, N.J.; one step-daughter. Mrs. Sam Brown of Spokane, formerly of Nelson; one son, R. B Elwood of Blueberry Mountain, Alta.; two step-sons, Wesley C. Calbick of Nanaimo, Chester Calbick of Chatham, N.J., and Elmer Calbick of Nelson; one brother, Percy Lucas in England, 18 grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Nelson Woman's Father Passes

Mrs. H. W. R. Ramsden, 705 Sixth Street, Wednesday received word or the death of her father, G. R. Jamieson, in Regina. Mrs. Ramsden leaves today to attend funeral services.

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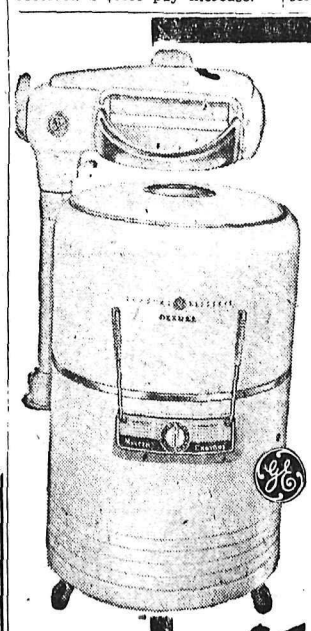

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BOSTON (AP) — There's one special thing to be thankful for as the leap year, 1956, begins. It just can't be such a crazy, mixed-up year as the biggest leap year on record, just 2002 years ago (46 BC).

That year was 14 months long. Instead of adding one day to the year, the calendar makers added two months.

That's why 46 BC went down in history as "the year of confusion." The early calendars had gone wrong because the calendar makers had got the lunar year fouled up with the solar year. No matter what the Romans did about fitting the spare 10 or 11 days each year into their calendar, it kept drifting away from the solar year.

FIRST LEAP YEAR

Julius Caesar, with the help of a Greek astronomer, Sosigenes, finally evolved the Julian calendar allowing for a quarter day left over the 365 each year. This worked pretty well for nearly 16 centuries. That was done by making every fourth year a "leap year" and adding an extra day.

But there was still inaccuracy. The extra time in the solar year was really five hours, 48 minutes and 45 seconds—about 11 minutes shorter than a quarter day. Every 130 years, that margin grew into a one-day deficiency.

Finally, a docter in Verona, Italy, named Luigi Lilio Ghiraldi, worked out an idea for a new calendar. It was finally accepted after Ghiraldi's death by Pope Gregory XIII. The resulting Gregorian calendar was gradually accepted by the Western world betaween 1582 and 1918.

The Gregorian calendar takes care of the deficiency in the Julian calendar by knocking out the century years ending in even hundreds as leap years and making them into common years of 365 days. With this exception: Every fourth century year which can be divided by four still remains a leap year. Thus, 1900 wasn't a leap year, but 2000 will be.

R. A. McBurney, Long-Time CPR Conductor Dies

CRANBROOK — Resident here since 1905 and widely-known CPR conductor for many years, Richard A. McBurney died suddenly Monday afternoon.

He retired from railway service in 1942 and had engaged in occasional sawmill work since then. Born 80 years ago he lived in Manitoba before coming to Cranbrook 51 years ago. He was a member of Rocky Mountain Chapter No. 7, and Hartney Lodge No. 52, Manitoba, AF and AM.

Surviving him are his wife at their home, a daughter, Mrs. Ralph Knickerbocker in Calgary, a son, Colvin, in Cranbrook, four grandchildren, a sister and two brothers.

Public funeral service will be at the Masonic Temple today following private rites by Cranbrook Lodge No. 42, and burial will be in Westlawn Cemetery.

Mr. McBurney had received his jewel as 50-year member in the Cranbrook Castle of the Knights of Pythias, was an active member of the Cranbrook Senior Citizens Association, and a long-time member of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen.

Windermere Paper Now Home Product

INVERMERE — "The Columbia Valley Echo", published at Invermere for the past seven months is now being printed also on the home front. Until this week the photo offset paper was sent to Calgary each week for printing and returned to Invermere for distribution.

Editor and publisher, Earle Gray of Invermere, has now established his own offset printing plant at Invermere and the eight page weekly appears every Thursday as a completely home town product. The plant is also equipped for job printing and is the first job printing establishment in the Windermere District.

Anglicans Pleased . . .

Church Improvements Noted at Castlegar

CASTLEGAR — Enlargement and beautification of St. Alban's Anglican Church at Castlegar was the outstanding event during 1955, according to the reports given at a well-attended annual vestry meeting.

The Women's Auxiliary reported a splendid year and a large increase in membership, members had had their share in the program of beautification, having with their own hands redecorated the parish hall, and also having done their full share in the work of the church inside and outside the parish. The Guild had done its share by paying for many improvements in the church, of which the beautification of the East end of the church is witness. Mention was also made of the single-handed work of James Toogood in sanding and varnishing the hall floor.

In his report, Archdeacon B. A. Resker stated that he now had no responsibilities in the Fruitvale-Salmo area as the mission that was started nearly 10 years ago had fulfilled its purpose and was now two parishes. The treasurer's, C. Petts and J. P. Taylor, reported the finances in good shape but warned that expenses would be much heavier.

The vicar reported the following statistics: baptisms 21, confirmations, 18; marriages, eight; burials, four. At the beginning of the meeting a period of silence was kept in memory of Mrs. J. A. Thomas and W. H. Toogood, who died during the year. Mention was also made of the departure from the town of the Kerr family. Mr. Kerr was church-warden in 1955 and delegate to Synod.

SUPPORT URGED

The vicar thanked all who had helped the parish to grow so well during the past 10 years and urged all members to take their share in the great campaign of intensive evangelism which begins this year.

The following were elected to office for the year: vicar's church-warden, C. Petts; elected church-warden, A. E. Norris; delegate to Synod, R. Maddocks; J. P. Taylor, alternate; church committee, two representatives of the WA and Guild, Miss F. Toogood, Joe Killough, J. W. Toogood, R. Maddocks and Dr. F. M. Thorne.

Color Plays Big Part in Alta. School

EDMONTON (CP) — Color has been a major concern in construction here of a new $2,850,000 high school.

Six different colors are arranged in different conbinations throughout the Strathcona composite high school. To a visitor, it appears that every room has a different combination.

Vinyl flooring of various hues is used throughout the 27-room building. Authorities say research has shown it is much easier to study and work in such an athmosphere than in the drab surroundings of older buildings.

Classes were held in the new school for the first time this term, but it was too small before the first class began. Even while they look forward to the official opening late this month, officials are planning another 12-room wing.

The new wing will cost $380,000, bringing the total cost of the school to an estimated $3,230,000. This will be an all time high for the cost of a single school here. It is about $230,000 more than the city's largest, Victoria composite high school, built in 1949.

Mrs. Weir Head Of Cancer Unit

INVERMERE — Annual meeting of the Windermere District Branch of the B.C. Division of the Canadian Cancer Society heard an address by Dr. K. J. Williams on "Mental Aspects of Cancer."

Mrs. T. N. Weir was re-elected president, Mrs. W. H. Cleland, vice-president, Mrs. O. F. Young, secretary, and W. H. Lloyd, treasurer.

Representatives on the executive are: Athalmer, Rev. Father Agnellus; Brisco and Spillimacheen, Mrs. Jim Stone, Mrs. Lloyd Watkins; Edgewater, Mrs. E. Mitchell and one to be appointed; Radium Hot Springs, Mrs. Marjorie Merrill; Canal Flat, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Case; Fairmont, Captain J. R. Ogilvy-Wills, Mrs. Bellamy; Windermere, H. R. Wannop, Mrs. M. G. Moger; Invermere, Mrs. G. H. Walker, Mrs. Herbert Wenger; Wilmer, Mrs. Hubert Statham, Mrs. Thomas Seaton; campaign chairman, G. H. Walker; welfare, Mrs. Weir, Mrs. Edith Fisher, Mr. Wayne Lacy; education convener, Dr. K. J. Williams; publicity, Mrs. Weir.

Salmo Chamber Meets Tonight

SALMO — The Salmo District Chamber of Commerce will hold its annual dinner meeting tonight. Representatives of other Kootenay Boards of Trade and Chambers of Commerce are expected to be present.

THINK ALIKE

LUTON, England (CP) — Three banker friends of this Bedfordshire community sent each other Christmas cards. For the second successive year the cards were identical.

Emerald Teenagers Arrange Dances

EMERALD MINE — The teenagers of the Canadian Exploration held a meeting at the Harold Lakes School, to discuss future entertainment and activities. It was decided to hold a dance every two weeks at the Community Hall, starting Friday.

M. Phillips, president of the PTA, was in charge.

Official Installs Kiwanis Slate At Cranbrook

CRANBROOK — Kiwanis Club district lieutenant-governor Dr. Walter Matson of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, and Mrs. Matson were special guests at the Cranbrook Kiwanis Club's installation ceremonies for the 1956 slate of officers.

Chairman and master of ceremonies was Robert Eagle, 1955 president. His report of 1955 club work included heading the service club peewee hockey league operations, and season wind-up supper for players, the Ice Stampede benefit show, sponsorship of the Cranbrook Air Cadet Corps, participation in Little League baseball and sponsorship of a team in home and exhibition play, the annual Better Block competition for property maintenance, practical support in the Cranbrook Jubilee program, gift of equipment to the arthritis clinic at the hospital here and aid in the various health and welfare national canvasses. Club help was given in a number of individual emergencies. Club funds for these services were raised by the annual sale of apples by the box, and the fall auction.

WESTLING PRESIDENT

Dr. Matson officiated at the ceremony which installed Eldon Westling as new president, Bob Eagle past president, Donald Neale vice-president, Leonard Miller secretary-treasurer, and directors Michael Green, Harold Dingman, Douglas Pepper, Ed McAneely, James Miki, Verne Askew and Newt Newman. Special guests included Mayor Sang, who spoke briefly, Mrs. Lorence Nickel of the Hostess Club, who also spoke, and guests from all the other Cranbrook service clubs. After the ceremony an informal program of games and music was presented and a buffet lunch was served. Mrs. Eric Freeman was pianist.

ROBSON SCOUT GROUP NAMES '56 OFFICERS

CASTLEGAR — A full attendance at the annual meeting of the Robson Boy Scout Group Committee voted in a new slate of officers at the home of president Mrs. Duncan Carter.

Mrs. Carter won re-election, F. B. Giraud became vice-president; Mrs. R. T. Waldie, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. P. M. Jolly, W. J. Adams and W. R. Brown, committee members. Assistant-Commissioner Archdeacon B. A. Resker congratulated the committee on its good work and enthusiasm.

This Scout group is under the sponsorship of the Robson Women's Institute. The secretary in her report stated that difficulties of leadership, largely created by shift work, had been partly overcome. Gordon Younghusband assisted by the former Scoutmaster, Ron Nickerson, was in charge of the 12 Scouts and J. E. Leamy, assisted by David Adshead, is the leader of the 21 Wolf Cubs. Mention was made of the fact that Mr. Adshead had been very faithfully working with the Pack since its inception four years ago. Anthony Quance also gives valuable help as instructor. The group committee had helped the boys by transporting the Scoutmaster back to Castlegar every Wednesday, in the annual father and son picnic which was attended by the commissioner, C. E. Charlton.

The Scouts had the honor of having a representative at the eighth World Jamboree last Summer, Geoffrey Hett, who has now moved from the district. Five Scouts and one Cub went to camp and several of the group went to Nelson for the rally for Lady Baden Powell. P. L. Rodney Brown attended the Scout Circus at Spokane. The Cubs had earned $30 by the collection of bottles and the Scouts worked hard to help to raise funds for the Jamboree trip. The Scouts had done a good turn to the community by helping to clean up the Institute picnic grounds.

Board of Trade Promoted Slocan's Interests in '55

Thomas Buckham of Sandon Elected President at Group's Annual Meet

NEW DENVER — The year 1955 was a good one both for the Slocan District Board of Trade and the Slocan country generally.

This was stated in the annual report of N. F. Brookes, president, at the annual meeting of the Slocan Board in the Newmarket Hotel here Tuesday night. Mr. Brookes regretted that he was unable to attend owing to personal reasons.

The members elected a Sandon mining engineer, Thomas Buckham, as new president, and T. M. Leask of Silverton, vice-president. The president was in the vice-president's position last year. John McLaws of New Denver is treasurer, and Council members are William Sharp, W. G. Thring, A. L. Harris and John Clarkson, all of New Denver, and J. L. Wilson of Silverton.

As there was no representative from Slocan City, one vacancy was left on the Council to be filled at a later date by a member from that city.

Secretary J. L. Wilson introduced Dr. H. L. Campbell, deputy minister and superintendent of education for B.C., and school inspectors E. Clay, B. H. Harford and N. A. Allen. Dr. Campbell spoke generally on education before leaving the meeting to travel to Nelson.

RAIL HEARING

During the regular business of the meeting, highways and transportation chairman Leask reported that a hearing on the CPR proposal to abandon its New Denver to Kaslo rail line would be held by the Board of Transport Commissioners in Nelson January 30. Anyone interested was advised to attend. Various mining companies will have representatives there.

On power, Mr. Harris reported that the B.C. Power Commission was storing materials at Silverton for the new line from Nakusp, expected to be started in the Spring.

J. W. Peck, mines inspector, was interested in holding a prospecting course in New Denver, and notices have been posted announcing February 3 as the deadline for registration.

The treasurer's annual report, given by Hermann Clever, showed a loss at dinner meetings of $34.65, owing to members failing to show up. Outstanding among donations during the year were $25 voted to the polio fund of Slocan City Kinsmen Club and $25 to the Strathcona Relief Fund in Nelson.

The president's annual report, read by the secretary, outlined a number of worthwhile Board projects during the year and noteworthy events in the Slocan.

Highlights were hard surfacing of 11 miles of the Slocan Highway and acceptance by the B.C. Power Commission of responsibility for supplying electricity to the New Denver and Silverton area.

The March of Dimes campaign was again successful, and a dentist was obtained under a special temporary permit.

Early in the year the board submitted a resolution to the highways minister on shortage of routes for the Cascade section of Highway No. 3 and it was gratifying to note that the government subsequently decided to follow the Blueberry-Paulson route, Mr. Brookes reported.

In February, the Board supported a bylaw referendum put forward by Slocan School District trustees which failed by a narrow margin.

HIGH EMPLOYMENT

Employment was at a high level in spite of many of the base metals mines remaining idle, and the uranium boom died in its infancy. Three members of the Cabinet, Hon. W. D. Black, Hon. R. E. Sommers and Hon. Eric Martin, visited the district and met with board members.

From a financial point of view 1955 was not to successful, treasury being reduced by a smaller membership, losses on dinner meetings and cost of the road-opening ceremony held at Winlaw in August.

During the latter part of the year a committee was formed to work in conjunction with the Kaslo and Nakusp Boards of Trade and various municipal bodies in opposing a CPR application to abandon the line between Denver Canyon and Kaslo damaged by high water in June. As a result of the combined committee's efforts, the provincial government has retained legal counsel to oppose the application at a hearing.

Anglican Church at Natal in Good Shape

NATAL — An encouraging financial report was given at the annual vestry meeting of St. Paul's Anglican Church of Michel, conducted by Rev. Canon R. E. M. Yerburgh of Fernie. Good reports also came from the Women's Auxiliary and other groups, and Sunday school teachers won high commendation for their work. Those lauded were Mrs. T. Lyne, Mrs. Lorraine Fontana and Miss Anne Gregory, who asked for extra help to take care of the youngsters. Mrs. J. E. Whalley was elected as delegate for the 1956 Synod. Robert Marsh was elected Vicar's Warden and J. E. Whalley, Peoples Warden. R. D. Winstanley was elected treasurer and L. W. Lowe as secretary. The church committee consists of Mrs. W. Gregory, Mrs. Lyne, Mrs. S. Stephenson, Mrs. C. Kozler, Mrs. G. Mannion, Mrs. L. Lowe, Mrs. H. Bath, Mrs. R. Marsh and Mrs. J. Walsh Sr.

Nakusp Library Has Active Year

NAKUSP — A busy year was reported at the annual meeting of the Library Board.

It was stated that during 1955 a total of 293 books had been bought, 70 adult reading and 223 juvenile books. The book stock at the end of the year showed 1418 adult fiction books, 182 adult non-fiction and 1097 juvenile books. In addition, the Library handled 300 books from the travelling library.

There were 165 registered borrowers. Circulation was 1472 adult fiction, 11 adult non-fiction and 2504 juvenile.

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LIBRARIANS, DIRECTORS EARN PRAISE . . .

Castlegar Library Year Outstanding

CASTLEGAR — J. H. Charters, in his chairman's address to the Castlegar Public Library Association's eighth annual meeting at the home of Mrs. A. Hopland, praised librarians and directors for "their unselfish public-spirited efforts in a project so vital to the community."

Two of the staunchest supporting organizations have been the Kinnaird-Robson-Castlegar Recreation Society and Lillian Killough chapter, IODE. The Library also receives grants from the Public Library Commission and the Village.

The chairman also thanked Village Commissioner James Kelly for his attendance, and interest in the welfare of the library. It was said "most heartening" to have a commission and parks board such as this one had shown itself, he said.

From the treasurer's report it was shown receipts of the year had been $1330.81 and expenses for books, supplies, fuel, janitor costs and secretary-treasurer's salary had been $1261.69. Books in the library now total 3049, and 1955 circulation was 5947.

BOARD RE-ELECTED

Elections returned all the previous board for another year with the exception of Mrs. Hopland who declined in favor of Mrs. J. Peterson. Miss C. Loomer was re-elected for her fifth year on the board, Mrs. W. R. Whitaker for her seventh year, Mrs. C. King for her seventh year, W. Markin for his fifth year and Mr. Charters for his sixth consecutive year as chairman. Mrs. Hopland who had served for seven and a half years on the board will continue to work as librarian.

WIRING

Preparations were under way for wiring the new library but this would take a little time, it was stated. C. Mather who has already been generous of his time and Mr. Graham have offered to move and set up the shelves.

Mr. Kelly added his thanks to those of the chairman for the work done by librarians and boards, and added that he hoped to see the library workroom and facilities for the St. John Ambulance Association completed as well.

Mrs. H. Binnie, who is now a regular librarian, and Mrs. J. Gennill, who acts as a substitute, urged that more publicity be given to the work and the fees for librarians.

Next regular meeting of the board will be February 7.

Mrs. Kennedy of Cranbrook Dies

CRANBROOK — Mrs. Angelina Kennedy, resident here since 1945, died suddenly at Fort Mcleod where she had been visiting for the past two months.

Remains were be brought here for Rosary service Wednesday at McPherson Funeral Chapel, and requiem will be celebrated at St. Mary's Church today with burial in Westlawn.

She was 74 years old and was born at Mattawa, Ont. Her marriage to Timothy Kennedy took place there and they operated a farm at Tisdale, Sask., for 42 years. Following its sale in 1945 they settled in Cranbrook, and his death occurred here in November. Surviving is one son, John Kennedy at Fort Macleod and three grandchildren.

GOOD RECORD

MAIDSTONE, England (CP) — More than 80 per cent of the men released from prison in this Kent town have avoided further trouble, says J. Howell, prison welfare officer.

IOOF, REBEKAH SLATES INSTALLED AT KIMBERLEY

KIMBERLEY — Impressive installation ceremonies were conducted in the IOOL hall when officers of Sullivan Lodge, IOOF and Victory Rebekah Lodge were duly installed by district deputy Grand Master A. W. Burth, from Wynndel, and Mrs. Pearl Jones, district deputy president.

The Grand Marshals were J. Fell of Creston and Mrs. Inez Williams, Kimberley. The installing team was from Boundary Lodge, Creston, assisted by officers of Victory Rebekah Lodge.

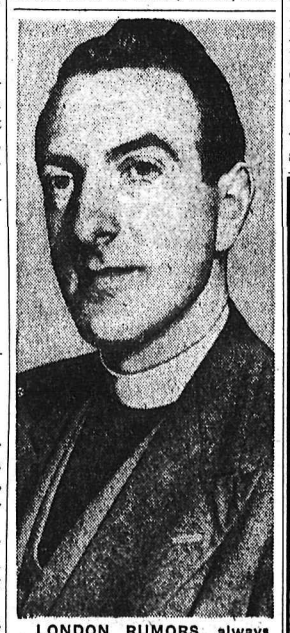
The retiring noble grand, Mrs. Roberta Skinner, was presented with her jewel. Greetings were extended to the Lodge from Sis Kolofsky, president of the Rebekah Assembly and from the sovereign grand master.

Officers for Victory Rebekah Lodge are as follows: Mrs. R. Skinner, jr, past noble grand; Mrs. V. Schneider, noble grand; Mrs. A. Walker, vice-grand; Mrs. M. Torgeson, recording secretary; Mrs. H. Duncan, financial secretary; Mrs. D. Oliphant, treasurer.

Appointed officers are Mrs. O. Boone, Warden; Mrs. D. Honeyman, conductor; Mrs. I. Williams, right support of noble grand; Mrs. J. Dodd, left support of noble grand; Mrs. E. Hobbins, right support of vice-grand; Mrs. E. Blake, left support of vice-grand; Mrs. Ada Calles, chaplain; Mrs. E. Oslie, R.S.S., Mrs. L. Bates, L.S.S., Mrs. F. Langton, pianist; Mrs. B. Oliver, outer guand; Mrs. L. Lloyd, inner guard; Mrs. N. Preston, color bearer.

Officers installed for Sullivan Lodge were D. B. Morrison, noble grand; D. B. Waites, vice-grand; C. P. Nesbitt, recording secretary; J. O. McDonald, financial secretary; and E. Nesbitt, treasurer. Appointed officer are R. Johnson, conductor; J. Luke, Warden; A. Andrews, R.S.N.G.; H. Bidder, L.S.N.G.; H. Bryant, R.S.V.G.; G. Mackie, L.S.V.G.; E. Lewis, chaplain; L. Heusdens, R.S.S.; H. H. Ochs, L.S.S.; K. Dodd, O.G.; E. A. McKay, I.G.

Refreshments were served after the ceremonies by Mrs. Lila Bates, social convenor.



LONDON RUMORS, always quick to start when Princess Margaret is involved, have linked her name with that of Rev. Simon Phipps of Trinity College, Cambridge. They have been seen together several times, most recently at a tea and at a ballet presentation. —Central Press Canadian.

Affleck Engaged For Salmo Work

SALMO — Boyd C. Affleck of Nelson has been engaged by the Salmo Village Commission to direct engineering of the proposed waterworks system for Salmo.

Mr. Affleck will make a survey of requirements for an adequate system, and plans will be submitted to the Department of Municipalities at Victoria for approval before going to ratepayers.

The Commission's Tuesday night meeting was also taken up with ratification of constitution and bylaws for the fire brigade.

United, Anglican Young People Join Forces in Castlegar Group

CASTLEGAR — The United and Anglican Young People formed themselves into the Anglican and United Young Peoples' Association at the home of Mrs. R. E. Cail.

The following were elected to office: president John Ross, vice-president Paul Walker, secretary Eileen Quance, treasurer Ann Henderson.

Graham Smith gave an entertaining account of his visit to Mexico last summer.

The meetings are to be held every other Thursday. The Association is sponsored by Mrs. R. E. Cail and Mrs. J. F. Killough under the auspices of the two Churches, and is open to all young people who have left school or who are over 18 years of age.

Graham Not Going To Speak at Coast

VANCOUVER (CP) — Evangelist Billy Graham will not hold a crusade here in the near future, Clifford Barrows, his chief assistant, said Tuesday.

Mr. Barrows, in Vancouver for an evangelical meeting said he did not "come here to discuss holding a crusade."

A pianist, organist and soloist accompanied him.

VEGETARIAN FOXES

CHESTER, England (CP) — Foxes killed by the Cheshire Hunt were found to have been living on a diet of apples and plums.

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Septic Tank Control Must Be Tightened

The alarm which the Central Mortgage and Housing Company feels with regard to the increasing number of houses being built in British Columbia which are making use of septic tanks has brought a warning that loans will be refused on houses built in city areas where no proper sewerage service is provided.

Many cities in Canada are confronted by the same problem. The sudden growth of urban population has brought the need for more houses and the development of new subdivisions has resulted. In many cases these subdivisions have only the minimum service of light and water, and the provision of sewers is something to be considered in the distant future.

Much of the sprawling nature of British Columbia's large cities seems to be due to the haphazard opening of subdivisions. As fast as one is opened another seems to be right on its heels and becomes the much-touted "best residential section" of the city. Lots are sold and houses built before the city has time to provide sewers. From the point of view of city efficiency this is unsound, and lays a heavy burden on taxpayers to provide facilities to areas not built to capacity. CMHC's decision to refuse loans will have the effect of slowing up building, but it will also result in the building up of sparsely settled subdivisions which have sewers.

Only under the most favorable conditions is a septic tank a satisfactory method of sewage disposal. The effluent from the tank runs almost continuously, and is never entirely free from bacteria and an objectionable odor. If the soil is porous it may absorb the effluent; if it is not the ground may become waterlogged. If the tank is located on a slope its effluent may escape and become a nuisance to people below. This is the condition which so often occurs in the fringe areas built outside Nelson city limits and against which the city has no legal recourse.

While primarily a health problem, the matter of septic tanks is also part of the greater problem of town planning. Strip development and the opening of haphazard communities multiply the chances of infection from overloaded septic tanks, and will in the future present many problems. In the meantime we should press for more effective control over the installation of septic tanks where there seems to be any possibility that their operation can be a source of annoyance, inconvenience and danger to neighbors or adjacent communities.

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

Honest Soul-Searching, Not More Religious Instruction, Suggested

To the Editor:

Sir—I am afraid Dean Leadbeater misses the mark by a wide margin when he advocates religious instruction in our public schools as a remedy for juvenile delinquency. This, he says, will increase "respect toward and reverence for life", lack of which he considers a major cause of juvenile delinquency.

But when we look at countries where education is controlled or strongly influenced by a religious group, we don't find any higher moral standards, any less delinquency, nor any more reverence for life than elsewhere.

Would one say that fascist Spain, where public education is the monopoly of a church, offers a moral example to be emulated?

Does the province of Quebec, where education is strongly influenced by the clergy, have less crime, better morals, or fewer youth problems than our other provinces? Is Montreal more fragrant than Vancouver?

In Southern United States, where church attendance is greatest and religious influence in schools strongest, there is no reverence for life if its skin is dark, and the usual youth problems are plentiful.

In fact, I doubt if the Dean can name any country or large area where religious instruction prevails in schools that can also show any notable superiority in public or private morals. Isn't it more usual to find countries where education is dominated by religion among the most backward?

Nor can I agree with the Dean that it is lack of "respect toward and reverence for life" that afflicts our youth. It is lack of respect for the kind of life we are offering our youth—something quite different. Youth learns by example more than by precept, and the question to ask is: What kind of life does it see around it that is worthy of respect, much less reverence? A society is sick when there is a wide gulf between its moral pretensions and its actual practices, and juvenile delinquency is only one symptom among many of that sickness.

Can it be that youth has been made cynical by listening to fine sermons about brotherly love, when it sees little room for its practice in a society dedicated to individual profit and personal aggrandizement, and only incidentally to general welfare?

Can youth develop reverence for a way of life in which it sees our greatest skills, energies and resources devoted to preparations to end life?

Does the behavior of white Christians toward the dark-skinned natives of Africa and Southern United States show our youth how we actually practice reverence for life?

We assure a youth that if he studies hard, postpones physical gratifications and attends Sunday school, he will get his reward later in a successful career and a happy personal life. But how seriously can a youth take this assurance, when a mere glance at a newspaper shows him that he is much more likely to be pushed into a uniform and have his life ended long before he has a chance to collect on any of these fine promises? And what is he to conclude from a recent statement in this paper by a prominent Canadian educator, that youngsters don't go from high school to college in accordance with their talent or abiuity, but according to the wealth of their parents?

In the kind of world we are making—or accepting with only the feeblest protest—is it relevant to ask our youth to look upward, when what we have made certain they will see is not a benign Being, but a heavy bomber? How can you train youths to be killers and expect them to act like brothers? How can you show youth, by a thousand daily examples, that "if he doesn't get his while the getting is good" he'll end up on the social and economic ash-heap—and then expect him to be unselfish, socially minded and co-operative? In short, can you honor and reward the most aggressive anti-social acquisitiveness, and then pretend you aren't encouraging anti-social aggressions? Indeed considering the standards we hold up to youth, one might even be tempted to ask if there isn't something anti-social in the youths who too readily conform!

No, youth gets enough of the preaching of Christian virtues. What it doesn't get is the example of seeing them practiced by those who pretend to them, nor a social environment in which they can be practiced without penalty.

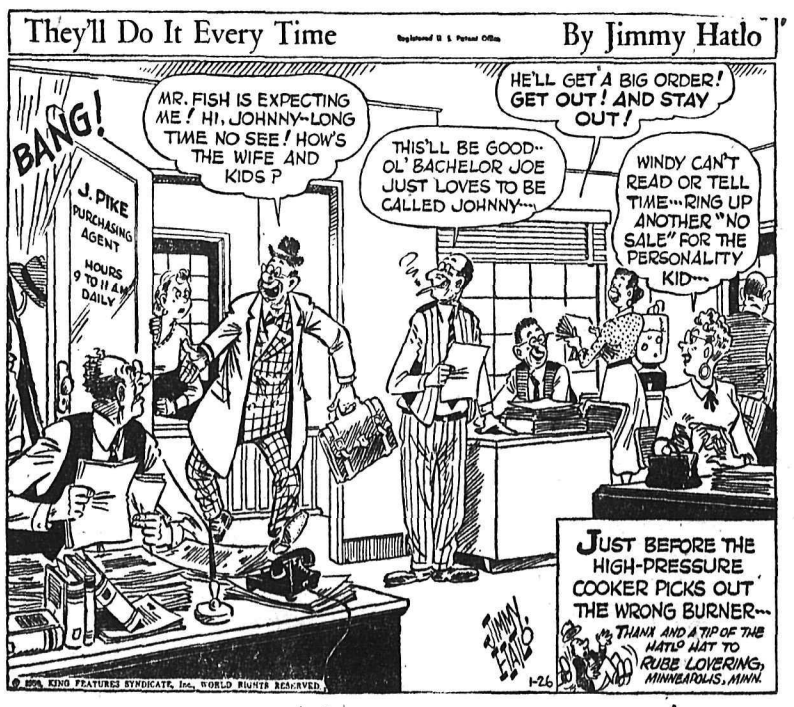
Much so-called juvenile delinquency is no more than a protest, often disguised, against the kind of life, the shoddy opportunities, we are offering our youth. In that case we are the delinquents, not our children, and we only avoid facing up to our own guilt, and continue to evade our responsibility, by offering youth more religious instruction in place of engaging in some honest soul-searching ourselves.

ARTHUR STRAWN.

Queen's Bay.

Watch Your Language

DECOMPOSE (DE-kom-POZ) — Verb transitive and intransitive: To separate or resolve into constituent parts or elements, or into simpler compounds; to bring to or undergo disintegration; decay; rot. Synonym—Decay. Origin: French—Decomposer.



Today's Bible Thought

The Spirit of the Lord is upon Me. Luke 4:18.

Christ read this in the synagogue of Nazareth. It was a prophecy made by the prophet Isaiah Christ did proclaim liberty to captives, recovery of sight by the blind. Best of all, He showed how to be free from sin.

Aunt Het

When a man thinks he is repentin' his sins, he is usually repentin' of his follies.

?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.

W. N., Fernie—Could you please tell me where I could purchase a Bren gun carrier or a small half-truck vehicle, army surplus?

As far as we can find out these vehicles are off the market. We have been advised to suggest you get in touch with a Coast peat company, such as the Lulu Island Peat Company, Lulu Island, B. C., and the Canadian Peat Sales Ltd., 426 Columbia, New Westminster, B. C. These companies use such vehicles, and might have the odd extra one for sale.

A. D., Trail—Will you please advise if a couple would have to pay income tax on joint-account interest, amounting to $105 a year? Wife does not earn anything. Would husband have to pay on half the amount or is it considered tax-free?

A man married on or before 1955, and who in 1955 supported a wife whose income in that year, while married, was not over $250, can claim $1000 exemption. If wife has private income, or is earning over $250 but under $1000, husband claims $1250 exemption, less wife's income. Under the heading "Interest" on income tax return form, report any bond interest, bank interest, mortgage or other interest received by you or credited to your account during the year.

Interested, Salmo—What jobs can a girl obtain in the RCAF with a general program education? What age must she be to enter the RCAF, and up to what grade must she have studied? How long must she sign up for? What jobs can a girl get in the RCAF with a university program education?

Write to Commanding Officer, Women's Division, RCAF, Ottawa, Ont. They will send you literature relating to these questions.

J. R., Salmo—What is the address of the air force base in Penhold, Alta.?

That is sufficient address.

M. B., Trail—I would like to learn the Serbian language. Could you tell me of any books to start with?

Your best plan would be to get in touch with the Director of High School Correspondence Courses, Weiler Building, Victoria. They do not include Serbian among their language courses, but would be able to send you a list of books which could probably be obtained through the Public Library Commission, Parliament Buildings, Victoria. As you live in a town with a public library, the Commission would send any such books to your library for you to pick up there.

Library Notes . . .

New Library Books On Canadian Topics

Reading material to suit all tastes, whether a person prefers fiction or non-fiction, is contained in the new books at Nelson Municipal Library. Several deal with Canadian subjects. Here is the list:

FICTION

The Tontine, by Thomas Costain, published by Doubleday:

This story of a tontine (a strange form of gambling, part lottery, part insurance) begins on the day *the Battle of Waterloo was fought* and ends when the 19th century was drawing to a close. It carries along the suspense of the tontine, until finally there are but three survivors in this human lottery.

Murder In Fiji, by John W. Vandercock, published by Macmillan:

The murders which summoned Lynch and Deane to the Fijis were particularly cold-blooded. Fanatical natives were being blamed for the slayings, but Lynch had his own ideas. Discovery of a bloodied Tholo war club confirms his suspicions.

Eleanor the Queen, by Norah Lofts, published by Doubleday:

The wife of two kings and the mother of two kings portrayed was a woman far ahead of her times, and the centre of a struggle for power between the royal houses of England and France.

Jonathan Eagle, by Alexander Laing, published by Little, Brown:

The author has used old maps, journals and documents to create an authentic background for his story of the sea and voyages to many lands. Jonathan Eagle knew of slavery in Algiers, the friendliness and terror of the South Seas, French jails, etc.

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NON-FICTION

Pilots of the Purple Twilight, by Philip H. Godsell, published by Ryerson:

In this saga of Canada's bush pilots are exciting stories of the early fliers in the North, their mercy flights, searches for lost men and planes, pioneering of Arctic air mail and episodes such as the rounding up of the Mad Trapper of Rat River.

The Dead Sea Scrolls, by Edmund Wilson, published by Oxford University Press:

Significance of the dramatic discovery of the Dead Sea Scrolls, when a Bedouin shepherd boy threw a stone in 1947, is recounted, its meaning to Christianity and Judaism, and its importance in modern Biblical research.

The Empress Frederick Writes to Sophie, by Arthur Gould Lee, published by Faber and Faber:

Eldest daughter of Queen Victoria and mother of Kaiser William II, for 99 days Empress of Germany and for the rest of her life a lonely, unpopular woman, the Empress Frederick is among the most tragic figures of recent history. Her letters to her daughter give an intimate picture of court life and mirror the great events and the personages she watched.

Indian Summer, by Douglas Leechman, published by Ryerson:

Dr. Leechman, senior archaeologist of the National Museum of Canada, says: "These sketches of Indians I have known and tales they have told me cover a period of 40 years. There is a repose and a calm about the older people, not unlike that of Indian Summer."

The Beast That Walks Like a Man, by Harold McCracken, published by Hanover House:

A leading naturalist and explorer gives a factual and legandary analysis of the grizzly. He points out that while the grizzly has been respected and feared by Indians and white man, it has been *mercilessly hunted to the point of* near extermination.

Historic Houses of Canada, by Katherine Hale, published by Ryerson:

Here, at last, is a collection of Canada's historic houses from coast to coast.

Pageant of B. C., by B. A. McKelvie, published by Nelson and Sons:

Did you know that a song made the Spanish settlement at Nootka possible? Or that the United States owned part of Vancouver Island and forgot about it? That Governor Douglas personally provided protection for the American communities at Seattle and Bellingham? Bruce McKelvie has spent 40 years of research in delving into these episodes.

Trampled In Hockey Brawl

DURHAM, Ont. (CP)—Spectators were thrown over the boards and a woman was trampled in a brawl at a hockey game here.

At least two persons required treatment after the brawl, which broke out near the end of an Ontario Hockey Association Intermediate A game between Durham and Meaford.

Police could not get through the crowd to stop the fight, and the arena management had to turn off the lights to quell the outbreak.

Witnesses said it started when 20 Durham fans marched into the section occupied by Meaford supporters and started swinging.

Meaford won the game 6-5.

LARGE CITY

STOCKHOLM (CP) — Greater Stockholm's population at the end of 1955 was 1,063,260, an increase of 18,285 during the year. Gothenburg, with a population of 380,900, and Malmo, with 202,605, had small increases.

Views from the News Front

By J. M. ROBERTS

President Eisenhower has finally yielded to his economists in asking for power to curb consumer credit, as has been done in wartime, if it begins to assume inflationary aspects.

So far, consumer credit has been increasing only slightly faster than personal income during the current boom, and there are straws in the wind, the President said, indicating htat the boom is slowing down.

Nevertheless, he wants to be prepared, just as he wants to be prepared with tax cuts if the leveling off of national production should take on any aspects of a business recession. Heretofore he has not taken the credit situation too seriously.

A good many business observers have been saying that a test of the boom's strength will come this spring — that there will be no great drop in activity during the first half of the year, but that the last half might not maintain the 1955 pace. Eisenhower used the word "tamer" in referring to prospects.

Many of the early headlines emphasized the President's reference to the nation being on the verge of a 400 billion dollar economy, which sounds good, but is not actually the real point and would mean a very serious levelling off if it became the top figure for 1956.

The figure was almost reached in 1955, which saw a record increase of 30 billion dollars. The President was talking about where he expected it to stand in another year.

He did point out, however, that there is practically full employment now except in certain chronically depressed areas about which he expects to do something through loans and shifts in government spending.

The consumer credit situation also affects all these plans, as it is presumed people will have to cut down on their buying for a period now, while they pay for what they bought last year.

Despite the request for standby controls of consumer credit, the danger of serious inflation is not considered great, since in almost the same breath the President repeated references in his State of the Union message to the need for increased government spending in several fields — roads, schools, and home construction, public health and the like.

The administration does seem to think, however, that a change of tempo one way or the other is possible, and wants to be able to jump in any direction whenever it is manifested. The economists think they have learned a lot since the 1930's about controlling violent changes in economic trends.

Victoria to Retain Former RCMP Constable

VICTORIA (CP) — The Victoria police commission have announced it will retain the services of a constable recently discharged from the RCMP. The constable was one of two involved in a case at Prince George, B.C., in which a 24-year-old sawmill worker served 4½ months in jail for a crime he did not commit.

The commission issued the following statement:

TOLD CHIEF OF INCIDENT

The commission said Constable Towers, 25-year-old officer with five years' RCMP experience, last October wrote police chief John Blackstock an explanation of the incident in applying for a job here.

The letters were read to the commission.

He was punished with another officer, Constable Towers said.

"I did not participate in the action alleged," but was punished for not having done anything to stop a senior officer, he wrote.

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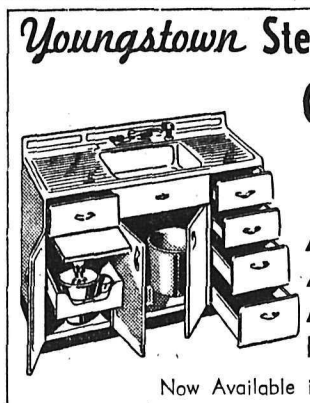

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Honorary Life Member . . .

Mrs. Currie Honored By Légion Auxiliary

Recognition of Mrs. H. H. Currie's outstanding work for servicemen and their dependents during the war years and in succeeding years, was paid by Ladies' Auxiliary to Nelson branch of the Canadian Legion at the annual meeting.

She was awarded honorary life membership, the presentation being made by Mrs. R. Keffer, herself a longtime member. Such awards have the sanction of B.C. Command before they are given.

The Currie home was open to servicemen, especially those from Nelson and the Kootenays, at any time of the day or night, and many a cake was baked in her kitchen and parcels wrapped regularly for mailing overseas by members of the Women's Auxiliary to the forces.

Her late husband also encouraged this work, and was well-known to and well-liked by the members.

Deer Park

DEER PARK — Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Briggeman of Trail and Mr. and Mrs. E. Worley of Robson were recent visitors to Deer Park, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Briggeman.

J. Allan has returned to Procter after spending a three-week holiday at his home here.

A. Law was a recent visitor to Trail where Mrs. Law was a patient in Trail-Tadanac hospital.

Fruitvale Group Chooses Officers

FRUITVALE—The 1956 executive of the Fruitvale Baden Powell Society was elected at the annual meeting in the society's hall, and reports revealing a very successful year just ended were given.

Mrs. H. Fogh-Domsmidt was named president, succeeding Mrs. Fred Tull. Mrs. Tull is vice-president, Mrs. Nels Hansen, secretary; Mrs. A. Ralph, treasurer; Mrs. P. Flested, tea convener, and Mrs. Clinton Fraser, Mrs. O. G. Rogers, Mrs. Neil Moore, directors.

Plans were made for catering for the annual mother and daughter Guide and Brownie banquet on February 23, and for the father and son Cub or Scout banquet March 15.

FIRST RIDE in an aircraft for both Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ashby, North Shore, was taken when they left Vancouver recently via Canadian Pacific Airlines polar route to Amsterdam, on a trip back to England. Mr. Ashby, who came to Canada in 1906, will visit the little town of Staines where he was born "around 1878." The couple also plan to visit Colchester, Essex, where Mrs. Ashby was born.—Canadian Pacific Airlines photo.

Nakusp Couple Wed In East Trail Church

NAKUSP — The East Trail United Church was the scene of a very pretty wedding recently when vows were exchanged by Ruby Vera Harper, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Orville Harper, and William Alonzo Cameron, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Murray Cameron, both of Nakusp. Rev. D. R. Stone, well-known former pastor of Nakusp United Church, officiated at the double-ring service.

The charming bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white satin, ballerina length, with seed pearls decorating the bodice, the sleeves being beautifully fashioned into a closefitting lily point design. A tiara headpiece held in place the shoulder length veil of flowing white net. She also carried a bouquet of Sweetheart roses and small white carnations. She wore the gift of the groom, black Alaska diamond earrings.

Mrs. Doreen Desrochers attended as matron of honor dressed in pale blue lace and tulle over taffeta with matching headdress of blue flowers. Her bouquet consisted of pale pink carnations.

Mr. Alexander Havill Leitch was the groomsman and Mr. Edward Desrochers acted as usher.

The chancel of the church was nicely decorated for the ceremony with flowers and baskets of ferns. During the signing of the register, two vocal selections were given by Mr. Robert F. Cook and the incidental music, which included the Bridal March from Lohengrin and the Mendelssohn Wedding March, were played by Mrs. Minnie B. Cook.

BANQUET

A banquet was held in the Crystal Room of the Crown Point Hotel, where places were set for 20 guests. The table decorations consisted of white candles and carnations. Toast to the bride was proposed by Mr. Cook. The matron of honor was then toasted by Mr. Leitch, and an entertaining response was given by the bride's father. The happy couple were the recipients of a number of congratulatory telegrams from friends and relatives in Los Angeles, Trail, Calgary, Kelowna and Nakusp, which were read by the best man.

The bride's mother wore a very becoming dress of gold and agua taffeta with close fitting model hat of velvet and crystalette in matching shades. Mrs. Murray Cameron chose an afternoon dress of navy blue crepe which was set off with a small navy and white hat. A lovely corsage of pink roses completed her ensemble.

The bride travelled in a tailored suit of medium grey tweed combined with smart accessories in red. The newlyweds will visit Spokane vicinity before returning to Nakusp to take up residence in the Beau Vista Apartments.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Harper, Mr. and Mrs. J. Murray Cameron, Mrs. Harry C. Lusk of Vancouver, Mrs. B. C. Hummon, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Leitch, Mrs. J. O. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. A. Webster of Trail and Rev. and Mrs. D. R. Stone, also of Trail.

An open reception is being arranged at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harper in Glenbank, to take place Friday.

Fruitvale's Legion Auxiliary Raises $1000

FRUITVALE—Retiring officers of 1955 of the Ladies' Auxiliary to Fruitvale branch of the Canadian Legion presented a resume of their respective offices' activities and all revealed a very active and profitable year.

Treasurer's report, given by Mrs. Adam Wagner, revealed that approximately $1000 had been raised during the year. The biggest expenditure had been to the branch and represented $585 in cash and purchases of equipment for hall. The next largest expenditure was for the veterans and armed forces personnel from this district.

President Mrs. J. Campbell appointed conveners for the standing committees. They are: welfare, Mrs. Stanley Walsh; investigating, Mrs. Earl Grieve; press, Mrs. F. M. Peitzsche; ways and means, Mrs. Adam Wagner; kitchen, Mrs. Charles Veysey; social, Mrs. F. M. Peitzsche; parcel, Mrs. Lloyd Kalusik; sewing, Mrs. Henry Barlock; flower fund, Mrs. Gordon Grieve, Sr., and representative to Fruitvale Advisory Council, Mrs. O. G. Rogers.

DONATIONS MADE

Donations were approved to Essondale, to the Zone Council Ladies' Auxiliary and to the Kootenay Society for Handicapped Children.

Plans were made for a bake sale Saturday and for catering for the annual Rotary ball and the branch's turkey shoot in February. The annual Spring sale was set for May 26. The secretary was authorized to purchase some fishpond articles, taking advantage of the sales in town.

RENATA WI BUYS RECORDS FOR SCHOOL

RENATA — Members of the Renata Women's Institute at their January meeting at the home of Mrs. Julius Dyck, voted in favor of spending $10 on records for the school record player.

A letter of thanks was read from Mount St. Francis Infirmary for jams and jellies sent there at Christmas.

The citizenship convenor reported having sent discarded cards and scrap books to Queen Alexandra Solarium, Cobble Hill. The social welfare convenor reported visits to sick and gifts of fruit at Christmas.

Mrs. Henry Funk was appointed cemetery convenor. It was announced that a tea will be held at the home of Mrs. Dyck February 8 to raise money for the cemetery care-taker.

A demonstration of a cotton tufted rug was given by Mrs. W. J. Hale.

A white elephant draw was won by Mrs. Lou Chizmazia during the social hour.

Crawford Bay WI Sponsors Guides

CRAWFORD BAY — Decision to sponsor Girl Guides and Brownies was taken by the Crawford Bay Women's Institute at the January meeting conducted by Mrs. Howard Adams as the new president.

Mrs. Haverstock reported that the Guides were in need of funds to carry on their work.

Mrs. William Fraser and Mrs. Vance reported on the Christmas tree party of which they were conveners. One hundred bags of candy, nuts and oranges had been filled for the children of the community.

It was decided to hold a St. Patrick's Day concert on March 16.

The members from Kootenay Bay offered to take the next meeting at their Hobby Craft Hall.

Deny Princess To Visit U.S. in 1956

LONDON (Reuters)—A Buckingham Palace spokesman Wednesday denied rumors published in several newspapers that Princess Margaret will visit the United States in the late summer or fall of this year.

"The reports are based on unfounded rumors," the palace official said. "No such plan exists at the moment. That is not to say, however, that Princess Margaret might not one day visit the United States."

Nelson Social

PHONE 1844

The Kinette Club met at the home of Mrs. M. B. Ryalls Monday with 17 members attending. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Ben Sutherland and Mrs. K. Lees. Fred Leno spoke on behalf of handicapped children and received a good response to the membership drive from those present. Mrs. Ryall's daughter Carol also gave a talk about her trip to Europe with Jobs' Daughters.

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Mrs. E. E. L. Dewdney, Stanley Street, left this morning for Tadanac where she will spend a few days with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dewdney, Ritchie Avenue, prior to visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Fingland, in San Francisco. At the end of the month Mrs. Dewdney will be sailing from New York on the Constitution for Spain and other European countries.

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Mrs. J. R. Swanson, Mill Street, is a patient in Kootenay Lake General Hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Allan, 604 Third Street, have returned home from a visit to Vancouver.

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Miss C. R. Ross, Willow Point, is spending a few weeks with Rev. Canon and Mrs. W. J. Silverwood, 521 Fourth Street.

European Visit for Vancouver Board

VANCOUVER (CP)—A promotion trip to Europe early this year is being planned by the Vancouver Board of Trade, it was disclosed at the board's annual meeting Tuesday night.

H. N. Walters, retiring president, said an invitation had been received from the government of West Germany and a committee has been set up to organize a trade expedition.

He said it was likely the delegation would also visit the United Kingdom.

STONDON MASSEY, England (CP) — A competition to determine the happiest couple in this Essex cillage was so successful that parish officials have decided to make it an annual event.

BROAD PLAN

NEW DELHI (CP) — The State Bank of India has opened 20 new branches since it started operation last July. It is to open 400 within five years.

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Veal Roasts Rolled. Tasty stuffing. Per lb. 59¢
Boston Butts Fresh. Per lb. 39¢
Minced Beef, Lean
Minced Beef, Veal, Pork
Sausage Meat
Tasty Seasoning
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TORONTO STOCKS

(Closing Prices)

MINES	
Acadia Uranium	.19
Algom Uranium	18.00
Anacon Lead	3.05
Anglo Rouen	1.60
Atlin Ruff	.15½
Aubelle	.09
Aumacho	.40
Aunor	2.35
Barnat	.92
Baska Uranium	.41
Base Metals	.85
Bibis Yukon	.11½
Bobjo	.44
Boymar	.12
Brilund	1.63
Broulan	1.80
Brunswick	12.00
Buffalo Ank	.75
Buff Can	.17
Buff Red Lake	.08¼
Bulldog	.12¾
Callinan	.24
Campbell C	19.12½
Can Met	2.83
Cassiar	8.65
Central Patricia	1.16
Chimo	1.94
Coin Lake	.13
Cons Denison	9.85
Cons Mining & Smelting	35.25
Cons Orlac	.16
Con Ran	.17
Conwest	6.00
Con Sub	4.75
Cons. Discovery	3.40
Cons Howe	4.20
Copper Man.	.32¼
D'Aragon	.30
Detta M	.18
Donalda	.43
Dyno	1.21
East Amphi	.11
East Malartic	2.37
East Sullivan	5.90
Elder Gold	.64
Falconbridge	30.75
Faraday	1.99
Frobisher	4.20
Geco	18.00
Giant Yel.	5.85
God's Lake	.60
Goldale	.30½
Gold Eagle	.11½
Goldcrest	.24½
Golden Manitou	3.50
Goldora	.14
Grandine	.11½
Gunnar Gold	18.82½
Harricana	1.00
Hasaga	.19
Headway	1.15
Hollinger	23.25
Hudson Bay	65.75
Inspiration	1.50
Int. Nickel	79.50
Iron Bay	3.10
Joliet Que.	1.06
Jonsmith	.41
Kerr Addison	17.50
Keyboycon	.11¾
Kristina	.12
Labrador	19.00
Lake Lingman	.13½
Lakeshore	5.70
Lexindin	.26
Little Long Lac	1.85
Lorado	1.55
Louvacourt	.29
Macassa	2.11
MacDonald	.90
Macfie Exploration	.19½
Mackeno	.45
Madsen R. L.	2.30
Malartic G. F.	2.20
Maneast	.37
Mart McNeely	.17
Multi Mines	1.41
McKenzie R L	.35½
McMarmac	.20
Mining Corp.	22.62½
Mogul	3.15
New Alger	3.30
New Bidlamaque	.24
New Delhi	1.01
New Highridge	.55
New Jason	.37¼
New Lund	.74
New Thurbois	.29
Noranda	52.50
Norgold	.45
Normetals	7.00
Norpax	.47
Omnitrans	.06¼
Opemiska	8.80
Osisko	.55
Pardee	1.25
Pickle Crow	1.45
Placer Devel	38.25
Purdy M	.18½
Preston E. D.	7.00
Quebec Copper	2.88
Quebec Lab	.12⅞
Quebec Lithium	13.12½
Quemont	26.62½
Radiore	1.60
Rayrock	2.45
San Antonio	1.40
Sherritt Gordon	8.00
Stadacona	.28
Steep Rock	15.62½
Silver Miller	.95
Slocan Van Roi	.26½
Sullivan Con	5.25
Surf Inlet Vanc	.09
Sylvanite	1.30
Tombill	.43
Torbrit	1.00
Thomp-Lund	2.25
Trans Cont Res	.38
United Keno	7.50
Valor	.36
Ventures	38.00
Vicour	.24½
Violamac	2.99
Waite Amulet	14.12½
Wright Hargreaves	1.95
Yakeno	.11
Yale	.49½
Yellowknife Bear	2.25
OILS	
Amer. Leduc	.87
B. A. Oil	35.50
Calgary and Edmonton	21.00
Cdn Atlantic	6.00
Cnaadian Collieries	12.87½
Can Decalta	.70
Central Leduc	2.40
Central Explorers	5.05
Great Sweetgrass	4.30
Home	11.25
Kroy	1.10
Liberal Pete	2.90
Marigold	.35
Mid Cont.	.81
Nat. Pete	4.15
New Gas Ex.	1.70
Okalta	1.93
Pacific Pete	13.00
Pathfinder	.80
Petrol	1.30
Ponder	.79
Royalite	12.87½
Spooner	.17½
Triad	6.05
United Oils	1.75
Yank C	.18
INDUSTRIALS	
Abitibi	35⅜
Algoma Steel	99½
Aluminum	102¼
American Tel & Tel	180⅛
Argus	21¾
Atlas St.	18
Beattie Bros.	7⅛
Bell Telephone	50
Brazilian	7¼
B.C. Electric 4s	93½
B.C. Electric 4¾s	105
B.C. Forest	10⅜
B.C. Packers B	13¾
B.C. Power A	37
Brown Co.	18
Can. Cement	34
Can. Packers A	39¼
Can. Packers B	34½
Canadian Breweries	31
Canadian Celanese	20¼
Can Chem Co	9⅞
Canadian Dredge	21⅞
Can Oil	20
Canadian Pacific Rly	33
Cockshutt	7¼
Cons. Gas	22¾
Cons Paper	34½
Dist. Seagram	37¼
Dom. Foundries	27⅞
Dom Magnesium	18
Dom. Steel & Coal B	18
Dom. Stores	33¾
Dom. Tar & Chemical	12¾
Dom. Textiles	8½
Eddy Paper	64
Famous Players	20⅞
Fleet Air	175
Ford A	126
Gatineau	30¾
Gen. Steel Wares	10¾
Goodyear pfd	52⅝
Great Lakes	43½
Gypsum Lime	56
Hiram Walker	70⅛
Imperial Oil	38
Imp. Tobacco	11¼
Int. Metals	34⅜
Int. Pete	29¼
International Utilities	39
Laura Secord	20
Loblaw A	54
Loblaw B	100
Massey Harris	9⅛
McColl Frontenac	42½
M & O Paper	66¼
Mont. Loco	18
Moore Corp.	40
Nat. Steel Car	29
Ogilvie Flour	47
Page Hershey	79⅞
Powell River	56
Power Corp.	55¾
Russ. Industries	13¼
Shawinigan	69
Sicks Brew.	26½
Simpsons A	17
Standard Paving	36
Steel of Canada	57½
Union Gas of Can	46¾
Western Grocers A	41½
Weston George	34

Vancouver Stocks

(Closing Prices)

MINES	
Beaver Lodge	.62
Bralorne	5.55
Canadian Lithium	1.25
Cariboo Gold	.75
Estella	.32
Giant Mascot	.77
Granduc	8.85
Grandview	.23
Hamil Sil	.08
Highland Bell	.75
Jackson Mines	1.80
National Ex	.68
Pac Eastern Gold	.10
Pioneer Gold	1.80
Premier Border	.62
Quatsino	.48
Reeves MacDonald	2.30
Rexspar	.58
Rix-Athabaska Uran	1.00
Sheep Creek	1.43
Sherritt Gordon	7.85
Silback Premier	.14½
Silver Ridge	.25
Silver Standard	.45
Sunshine Lardeau	.35
Taylor	.23
Van Roi	.25
Western Exploration	.50
Western Potash	.62
Western Tungsten	.55
Woodbury	.21
Yale	.48
OILS	
Altex	.25
A P Consolidated	.31½
Calgary & Edmonton	20.75
Canadian Anaconda	.18
Chamberlain	.33
Gas Exp	1.70
Home	11.00
National Pete	4.00
Okalta Com	1.95
Pacific Pete	13.00
Royalite	12.70
Royal Cam	.10
Sparmac	.28
United	1.74
Vanalta	.18½
Vantor	.90
Vulcan	.48
Yankee Princess	.64
INDUSTRIALS	
Alberta Distillers	1.90
Alberta Distillers Vt	1.65
B C Forests	16.00
B C Power	36.75
B C Telephone	48.00
Int Brew B	5.10
Inland Nat Gas	3.55
Lucky Lager	5.00
MacM & Bloedel B	50.25
Mid Western	4.15
Powell River	55.25
Trans Mtn	47.00
Western Plywoods	20.50
Westminster Paper	26.50
UNLISTED	
Anuwon	.32
Midwest Copper	.78
New Mol Mac	.10
Western Mines	.47
BANKS	
Bank of Montreal	48.85
FUNDS	
Balanced Mutual	5.16-5.67
Cdn. Investors	8.81-9.66
Comm. Inter.	7.50-8.24
Investors Mutual	9.56-10.33
Leverage	5.57-6.12
Trans-Can. "C"	5.70-6.10

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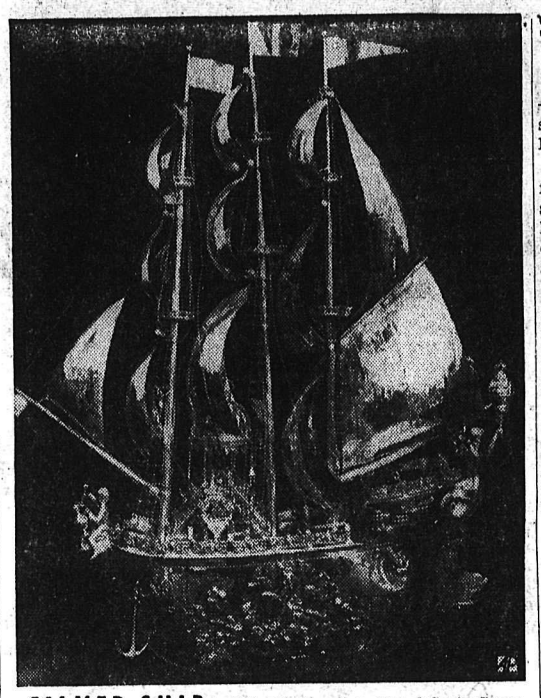
A Dying Sport

CALGARY (CP) — Hunting of birds is a doomed sport, says an official of the Audubon Society here.

"It is mainly luxury hunting and I think eventually public opinion will control it," said Walter H. Shackleton.

"The hunter today shoots just to kill. He buys a gun and maybe a license and out he goes. There have been so many accidental deaths that one wonders whether it is worth it for a few birds.

"By the time the hunter has paid for his gun, hunting vest and ammunition, I have an idea that those birds are pretty expensive."



SILVER SHIP— Wine holder from Royal Scots Greys was part of exhibit of rare silver pieces from British armed services officers' messes at Royal Academy show in London.

Strip-Teaser Flees From White Mice

PORTSMOUTH, England (CP) —Mice have struck again at shapely stage stripper Peaches Page — this time from the air.

Last week 19-year-old Peaches fled screaming from a London stage after a mouse scurried over her foot. She lost her job, because in England nudes on the stage just don't move. It's a law.

Tuesday night she was standing on the stage at a theatre here — again clad only in a bracelet — when two white mice attached to handkerchief "parachutes" fluttered down from one of the boxes.

In the box were several young men dressed as clergymen and armed with pea-shooters. They kept up a persistent bombardment as the curtain was hurriedly lowered.

Curtain Rod Kills Boy's Schoolmate

CHICAGO (AP) — Milton Alexander, 13, was killed when struck on the head by a 30-inch brass curtain rod thrown accidentally by a schoolmate while they were walking to school. The rod was being used by Thomas Carr, 12, as a bat for striking at stones and cans. It flew out of his hand and struck young Alexander.

Movie Gossip...

Walt Disney Starts Western That Will Delight Children and Adults

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Walt Disney has embarked on his first western movie with a determination to avoid the horse opera cliches.

The hero (Fess Parker) even kisses the girl!

Trust Walt to do things differently. It seems incredible that the prolific producer hasn't tackled a western before, but it's true. He classifies his brief cartoon feature, "Pecos Bill," as legend. "Davy Crockett' was "historical," with some legend thrown in.

Now he's shooting "Westward Ho the Wagons," the story of a pioneer drive across the plains.

"There'll be no cavalry," Disney announced. "And the Indian fight comes in the middle, not at the end. But the settlers don't form a circle to fight the Indians off. They race toward a gap, where safety lies.

"The Indians aren't just killers; they want something. So Fess stampedes a herd of horses right into their charge. Each Indian scrambles to get a horse for himself, and the attack is broken.

EASY ON BLOOD-SHED

"We'll have to wound a few of them, but we aren't going overboard. Yakima Canutt (action adviser) wanted to explode one of the wagons for a spectacular scene. But I told him settlers wouldn't be carrying that much powder."

Disney said he planned the picture as a change of pace for Fess. The famed king of the wild frontier plays a doctor in this one, and he has some romance for the first time. He even kisses his lady love, pretty Kathleen Crowley. This is contrary to the unwritten code for western heroes, who are supposed to kiss their horses only.

"But we're not going to have a lot of love making," Disney assured. "There's too darned much of that in pictures. The kids resent it."

The Disney studio is going at peak production. Just how much production astounded even Walt when he figured up the total number of film footage in a year. It came to about 750,000 feet of film. That's a lot of celluloid, when you consider that the average feature runs around 45,000 feet. It's doubtful if any other Hollywood studio is producing as much film as Disney's.

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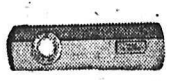

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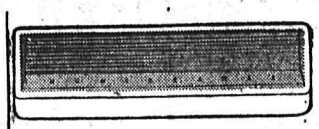

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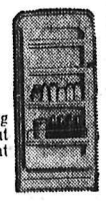

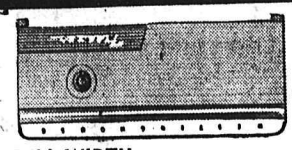

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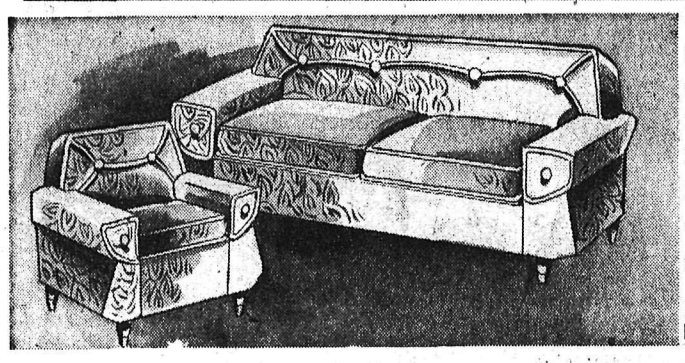

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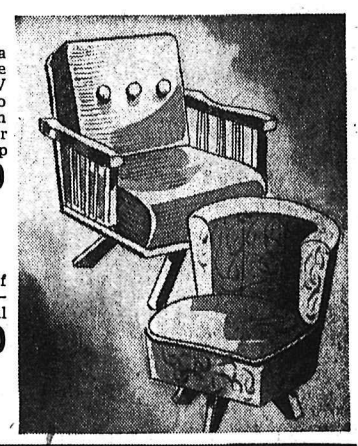

. . . resilient spring construction. Choice of blonde, walnut or black wood finishes. — Covered in quality Alpine nylon material in choice of popular colors. **54.50**

Pay only 5.90 down, balance monthly.

Extra Value! 3-pc. Bedroom Suites

A low sale price for a suite with good looks! A handsome addition to your home for a modest investment, and, Bay Easy Terms make it so simple for you to own it. Sturdy construction of seasoned materials for years of satisfaction to you. A fresh new design for 1956 home-makers, expertly constructed and finished in rich ivory shade . . . picture finish. Consists of single dresser with mirror, chest and bed with bookcase in head. ....

Pay Only $18 Down, Balance Monthly.

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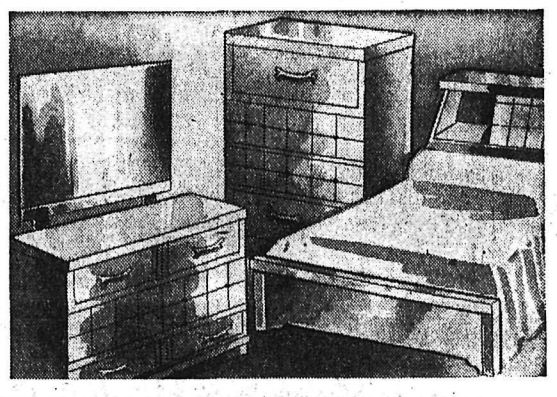

Sale Price! Armless Lounges

A versatile, dual purpose lounge which serves as a comfortable seat by day and doubles as a roomy bed by night. Double spring construction throughout, choice of blonde or walnut wood finishes. Covered in durable tapestry. **74.50**

Pay only 7.45 down, balance monthly.

Outstanding Value! 5-Piece Chrome Sets

Outstanding value because of long range planning and chain-wide buying . . . a handsome suite at a very low price. Table has top of heat-stain-acid resisting Arborite, broad Aluminum skirt, 2-tube legs. 4 rigid-leg chairs are upholstered in matching color plastic material. .....

Pay Only $10 Down, Balance Monthly.

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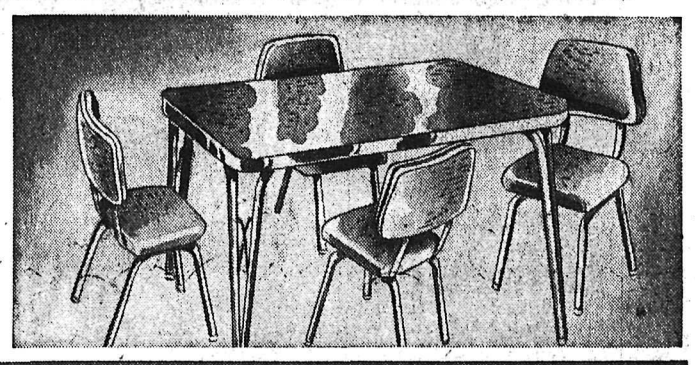


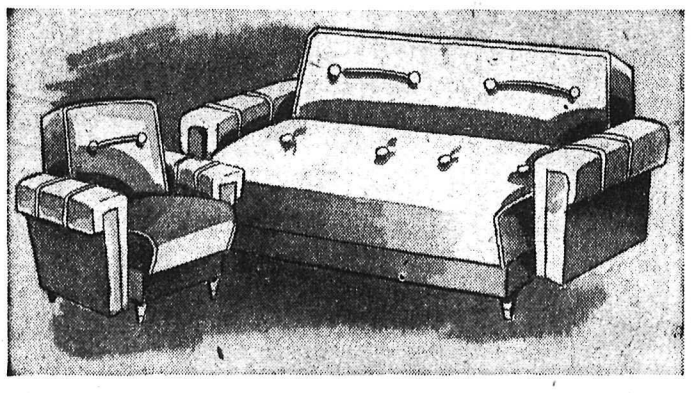
FLEETWOOD TV RADIO COMBINATION

• Big 21" screen; • Powerful 5-tube radio; • Three-speed automatic record player; • Beautiful, modern styling in a rich walnut, mahogany or limed oak cabinet. 18 tubes. • Installed in your home (including line and installation) for as low as $25 down. .....

$399

TV IN YOUR HOME FOR $25 DOWN!

Big Saving! Quality Davenport Suites



A big saving for value-wise homemakers because of long range "Bay" planning and chain-wide buying . . . smart appearance, solid construction, quality materials all teamed together to give you a first class suite at a money-saving price. Unit features double spring construction for added comfort . . . covered in good quality rep material. Choice of wanted decorator shades. .....

Pay Only $12 Down, Balance Monthly.

$129

A.M.C. Automatic Washer

Made to our specifications to give more quality for less cost. — • 8 to 9 pound capacity; • Lifetime porcelain tub; • High 3-vane agitator provides gentle yet positive washing action; • Transmission sealed in oil for lifetime operation; • Centrifugal spin 600 r.p.m.; • High capacity non-clog pump; • Fluid drive air-cooled motor; • Sediment trap catches and retains sand and heavy dirt while washing. .....

$199

AMC 30 Inch Electric RANGE

Cooking's a pleasure when it's done on this feature-packed electric range that's selling at such an attractive low price. Automatically clock-timed oven control assures successful absentee cooking and large 24" oven. There are 4 high-speed elements, a convenient light across top of stove and easy-to-reach controls. Beautifully finished in gleaming white enamel and chrome trim. **$229**

AMC Refrigerators

• 9 cubic foot capacity; • Deluxe colored interiors; • Racks in door; • Butter keeper; • Adjustable shelves; • Two large Clear Vu crispers; • Push button defrost; • 5-year guarantee.

Full price **$369**

Trade-In **$100**

YOU PAY **$269**

Outstanding Value! Bunk Bed Outfits

Here's a real space saver outfit for the Kiddies' room or your spare bedroom. Ruggedly constructed of seasoned hardwood and finished in choice of natural, red maple or walnut shades. Consists of 2-deck bunks with guard rail and ladder . . . equipped with 2 180-coil spring-filled mattresses. Bed size 3' 3". .....

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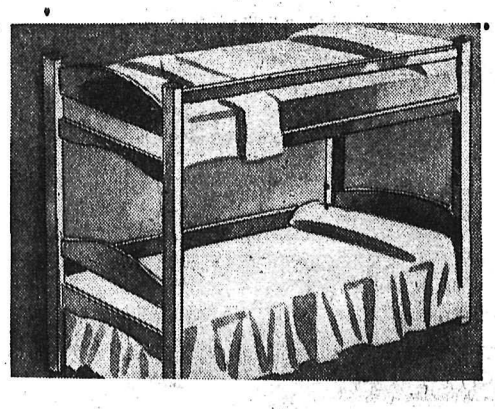

Exceptional "Buy" Hostess Chairs

An exceptional "Buy" because we planned the purchase months ago and "Shopped the Market" to be sure we had the best value possible . . . we pass it along to you at this low sale price. Smartly styled, ruggedly constructed and finished with no-sag spring seat, padded back. Covered in attractive frieze material. .....

18.95

DROP LEAF TABLES

Choice of black legs with brass or chrome trim . . . heat-stain-acid resisting Arborite top has black plastic edging. Top size 22" x 30" . . . extends to 32" x 52". **29.95**

KITCHEN STOOLS

Rugged chrome frame with swing-out, rubber treaded steps, upholstered seat and back. **17.95**

Repeat Special! Famous

Simmons Quality Mattresses

The response to our earlier offer was so good that we decided to repeat this money-saving offer for 3 days only. A saving of $5 over regular price of this SIMMONS mattress . . . built specially to Bay standards of quality. Has 260 coil spring base with Flexolator, wire edges to retain shape, striped ticking cover. Size 3' 3", 4' 0", 4' 6".

39.50

Hudson's Bay Company. INCORPORATED 2ND MAY 1670

A GREAT MONTH-LONG CARNIVAL OF SAVINGS!

Nine Per Cent Sales Rise Seen

Canada's sales boom will continue through 1956, to the tune of a 9% rise in dollar volume. And it will receive a big assist from advertising expenditure totalling a record-breaking $485 millions.

That's the forecast based on a Marketing survey of 2000 advertising, media and sales executives — the most comprehensive poll of its kind in Canada.

The biggest, and most confidently expected, sales increases are for chemicals, building materials, plastics and office equipment. Sharp sales rises are anticipated for insurance, food and grocery products, sports equipment, personal accessories, and packaging.

Helping the higher sales will be the largest advertising expenditure in Canada's history:

National ad spending should reach $191 millions;

Local advertising will boost the total to some $420 millions;

Direct mail and miscellaneous advertising is expected to carry it over the $485 millions mark.

Total expenditure on advertising should be almost 2% of the estimated 1956 Gross National Product of $27.3 billions.

All media expect to share in the country's biggest boom year.

Here are the increases media hope to mark up:

Daily newspapers 10.5%. Radio 15%. Television 40%-50%.

Magazines 5%. Business papers 10%-15%. Farm papers 10%.

Week-end publications up to 10%. Weeklies 5%. Film production 25%.

Posters 3%.

However, media should receive an unexpected windfall. They are budgetting for a little more than a 10% over-all increase. Advertising agencies set the rise at 12%. But advertisers, the men who have the most important say, intend upping their spending 14%.

Even allowing for heavier increases in direct mail and point of sale, comments Marketing, it should mean more money for media than they have forecast.

Not all the extra cash poured into advertising will result in increased space and time. A good proportion of it will be earmarked to meet higher rates coming into operation this year.

Arrives in Hollywood

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Grace Kelly's fiance, Prince Rainier III of Monaco, has arrived for a month's visit. She took him to the house he has rented in nearby Bel-Air, then reported for work on her picture with Bing Crosby and Frank Sinatra.

Miracle Cushion Holds False Teeth Tight and Firm

Eases Sore Gums

Snug® brand Denture Cushions are a triumph of science, a sensational new plastic re-lining that gets rid of the annoyance and irritation of loose, badly fitting false teeth. Snug eases sore, irritated gums due to loose fitting dentures. Applied in a few minutes, makes the wobbliest plates stay firmly in place — gives perfect comfort. Eat corn-on-the-cob, steaks, apples — talk, laugh as you please — plates "stay put," firmly, solidly. Harmless to gums or dentures.

Snug re-liners can last from 2 to 6 months. Stays soft and pliable — does not harden and ruin plate. Peels right out when replacement is needed. No daily bother with adhesives. Get Snug brand Denture Cushions at your druggist today! 2 liners for upper or lower plates $1.50. Money back if not satisfied. G. T. FULFORD Co., Ltd., Brockville, Ont.

MARRIAGE WITH NEGRO SHOCKS BERMUDA SOCIETY

HAMILTON, Bermuda (AP)—Alexander Stuart Outerbridge, 34, whose marriage to Royce Wallace, 32, Negro night club singer, has created a sensation in Bermuda society, says he will not leave the island as long as he can make a living here.

Outerbridge and Miss Wallace, who has appeared in 13 Broadway musicals, were married Christmas Eve. Before the wedding, Outerbridge said, there were warnings he would be ostracized and threats of injury to his four children by his first marriage.

Outerbridge is a member of one of Bermuda's oldest families, which first settled here in the 17th century.

Since the wedding he has been expelled from the Bermuda Yacht Club, the Mid-Ocean Golf Club and the St. George's Dinghy and Sports Club. Creditors suddenly have demanded immediate payment of his debts and he has been urged to leave Bermuda.

Sister Cities Unite Talent

SAINT JOHN, N.B. (CP)—Planning for the future is a family matter here.

The sister cities of Saint John and Lancaster and the parish of Simonds have united their top business talent in a metropolitan industrial commission.

Less than a year old, the commission has held three meetings to begin work on a five-point program it is hoped will attract new industries to the area of close to 100,000 persons.

Commission chairman R. G. Lilely says the city of Lancaster will soon be in a position to offer completely serviced areas to business firms. New Brunswick's younger city had begun work on its first industrial site before the commission was established.

Also under way is a survey to acquire information required by prospective customers, including tax structures, buildings available, labor markets and transportation facilities.

The third project is what Mr. Lilely refers to as "the advancement of private and public enterprises to visualize the potential of the metropolitan area."

Port and industrial commissioner H. H. Smith told a recent meeting of civic labor leaders that a negative attitude toward the city's growth could well throttle its progress.

Mr. Smith said that although amalgamation of Saint John, Lancaster and Simonds might not be a matter of immediate consideration formation of the commission indicated "we are working together in the right direction."

Determined To Die

BRONTE, Ont. (CP)—A young Toronto mechanic hanged himself minutes after his car crashed into a ditch.

Police said Walter Rudy, 28, ran 250 yards from the crash scene to a barn, looped a piece of wire around a pipe jutting from the barn and hanged himself.

Rudy was driving toward Hamilton, 20 miles from here, when his car swerved on to the boulevard, bowled over a lamp post and some trees and hit the ditch.

Sgt. Allie Jackson of the Ontario Provincial Police said:

"It appears the man was trying to commit suicide on the highway. There was no other apparent reason for the accident."

AT SKI SCHOOL — Carlene Johnson, Miss USA, visiting parents at Rutland, Vt., takes lesson from Peter Mead, brother of Olympic skier Andrea Mead Lawrence, at Pico Peak.

1000 Boy Scouts See Jamboree Film

TORONTO (CP) — About 1000 Boy Scouts were present at the premiere of a motion picture with a cast of thousands, some of whom were in the audience.

The picture was "Jamboree", a technicolor documentary of the 1955 World Scout Jamboree at Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ont.

Three miles of film and 55 hours of sound recording were edited into a feature-length story of world Scouting.

The film is to be distributed to Scout groups throughout Canada.

Battle to Stem Wall of Water

NEW YORK (AP)—A torrent of water broke through the wall of a new tube being dug 85 feet below the Hudson River for the Lincoln automobile tunnel, which links New York City and New Jersey.

Nobody was hurt, but a desperate battle was launched by workmen to stem the flow and prevent it from filling the shaft and lapping over into the two tunnel tubes now in use.

The third tube parallels the others, which were built between 1934 and 1937.

Three workers who tried to close a bulk head safety door, which would shut off the forward section of the tunnel where the water burst through, had to give up and swim for their lives as the water deepened rapidly.

How to Start Car in Winter

OTTAWA (CP) — The director of the army's vehicle testing operations at Fort Churchill, Man., says Canadian motorists should never have any difficulty starting their cars in winter.

Capt. H. W. (Doc) House of Ottawa says that any vehicle kept in first-class condition with batteries fully charged will start in the coldest Churchill weather. Several times this winter, army drivers have started their vehicles without difficulty when the temperature was nearly 50 degrees below zero.

Capt. House's advice to motorists: Make sure batteries are charged and always release the clutch before attempting to start motors.

TELEVISION FOR TODAY

KXLY TV — Channel 4

10:00—Sign On
10:15—Love of Life
10:30—Love Story
11:00—Cartoon Clown
11:30—Houseparty
12:00—Big Payoff
12:30—Bob Crosby
12:45—TBA
1:00—Brighter Day
1:15—Secret Storm
1:30—On Your Account
2:00—Theatre
2:30—Search for Tomorrow
2:45—Guiding Light
3:00—Valient Lady
3:15—Garry Moore
3:30—Garry Moore
3:45—Garry Moore
4:00—What's Cookin'
4:30—Strike It Rich
5:00—Western Roundup
6:00—News
6:10—Weather Vane
6:15—Doug Edwards
6:30—Judge Roy Bean
7:00—I Search for Adventure
7:30—Picto
8:00—Rob Cummings Show
8:30—Climax
9:30—Four Star Playhouse
10:00—Johnny Corson Show
10:30—Grand Ole Opry
11:00—News
11:05—Follow That Man

KHQ TV — Channel 6

8:40—Test Pattern
8:45—Color Test Program
8:55—Bible Reading
9:00—Tenn. Ernie Ford
9:30—Feather Your Nest
10:00—Ding Dong School
10:30—Ernie Kovak
11:00—Home
12:00—Matinee Theatre
1:00—Now The News
1:10—The Weather Watcher
1:15—Mod. Romances
1:30—Queen For A Day
2:00—Women
3:00—My Little Margie
3:30—Trouble with Father
4:00—Mr Engineer
4:30—Bar 6 Roundup
5:00—Pinky Lee
5:30—Howdy Doody
6:00—Hopalona Cassidy
6:30—Little Rascals
6:45—The Front Page
6:55—Newspaper of the Air
7:00—Studio 57
7:30—Dinah Shore
7:45—News Caravan
8:00—You Bet Your Life
8:30—Dragnet
9:00—Hall Of Stars
9:30—Ford Theatre
10:00—Video Theatre
10:30—Secret File U.S.A.

KREM TV — Channel 2

11:45—Test Pattern
12:00—Afternoon Film Festival
2:00—Movietime on 2
3:30—The Ruggles
4:00—Storyland
4:15—Music Room
4:35—Shadow Stumpers
4:45—Watch The Birdie
5:00—Mickey Mouse Club
6:00—Frontier Time
7:00—Royal Playhouse
7:25—News
7:30—The Lone Ranger
8:00—Bishop Sheen
8:30—Stop The Music
9:00—Western Theatre
10:00—Theatre
10:30—News
10:35—Million Dollar Theatre
11:30—Layman's Call to Prayer

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Risks Needed For Growth, Says Stewart

TORONTO (CP) — James Stewart, president of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, said Wednesday traditional attitudes towards competition and big business will have to be re-examined in the light of changing economic patterns.

Touching on the issues of business competition and monopolies, Mr. Stewart told the Gordon economic commission that business will have to take a lot of risk in the future to meet the needs of expansion. Employment will depend more heavily on secondary industries.

MUST BE CAREFUL

"I am neither a lawyer nor an economist, yet I see the need for serious and detailed examination and a re-thinking of our traditional attitudes towards competition and 'big business.'

"Whether, for example, monopoly or its varient or certain other practices now viewed as detrimental to the good of the country are in fact contrary to the public interest involve questions cutting across the fields of economics and law," he said.

"We are agreed that some kinds of restraint must be established but . . . it is to be hoped that the scholars will continue their studies to the end that legislation will be developed to provide the necessary restraints and at the same time not punish the good with the bad."

A.T. and T. Co., Release Patents

WASHINGTON (AP) — Justice Department officials see fresh competition in the electronics field as a result of an anti-trust judgment releasing American Telephone and Telegraph Co. patents in the United States.

The patents, held by A. T. and T. and its manufacturing affiliate, Western Electric, cover every means of electrical communication. They represent the fruit of 70 years of research in A. T. and T. Bell laboratories.

Included in the free patient list are such modern-day miracles as the tiny transistor and the solar battery.

Volkswagen Drops U.S. Building Plan

WOLFSBURG, Germany (CP)—The Volkswagen Motor Works here has announced that it has dropped plans to manufacture Volkswagen cars in the United States. The management said investigations had revealed that production of Volkswagens in the U.S. would have meant either increasing the price or reducing quality because of the comparatively small number which could have been turned out.

Lloyds Would Take Bets on Monaco's Heir

LONDON (AP)—London insurance men are willing to offer 100 to 5 odds that actress Grace Kelly produces an heir or heiress to the throne of Monaco after her marriage to Prince Rainier III.

Several Monaco business men have approached Lloyds of London for insurance against the risk of Miss Kelly not providing such a successor.

The tiny principality of Monaco, with its Monte Carlo casino, will become part of France if the ruling family dies out.

NEED MEDICAL REPORT

"We said we'd be happy to arrange it—provided we can have a medical report on the prince."

Peter Walker, director of a Lloyds insurance company, said Wednesday he has had several inquiries for indemnity policies.

The premium?

"Well," said Walker, "with a thing like this it's rather hard to say, but I think a once-for-all payment of about five per cent would cover it."

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No matter how often those precious babies woollens are washed with gentle ZERO Cold Water Soap, they'll always remain soft and bright as new, never shrink or mat. ZERO softens water, too! 59c package does 50 washings, 98c package over 100. At your local drug, grocery and wool shops. For Free sample write Dept. 2Y, ZERO Soap, Victoria, B.C.

No Lack of Markets for Canadian Metals, Says Toronto Mining Man

TORONTO (CP) — Thayer Lindsley, veteran mining industrialist, predicted Wednesday that for a generation or more Canada will be the mecca to which all the world will turn for an enormous amount of raw materials.

To expand the economy, Canada must encourage processing of materials at home to develop skills and industries, and finally "we must have the vision to conquer the barriers of the north and create new enterprises wherever minerals may be found," he said at a sitting of the royal commission on Canada's economic future.

PLENTY OF MARKETS

There is no dearth of markets for Canadian metals, he said. The United States has an immense and expanding need. Post-war Europe, with its huge industrialization, has an insatiable appetite and the backward countries, he predicted, will turn to Canada inevitably to supply their deficient materials.

Turning to the north, he suggested the federal government could do more to develop the area. Industry had been asking for a 400-mile rail branch to develop lead and zinc deposits at Pinen point on the north shore of Slave lake in the Northwest Territories.

Governments were aiding in developing radar warning lines in the north. Why could not aid for the basis of northern development and national defence? he asked.

And why couldn't the federal Northern Transportation Company, which operates in the north, be used more effectively as an instrument for developing the northern reaches? he added.

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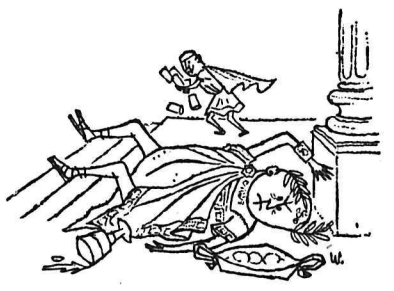

"Brutus stabbed me, so I'm told For my Royal City - not for gold!"

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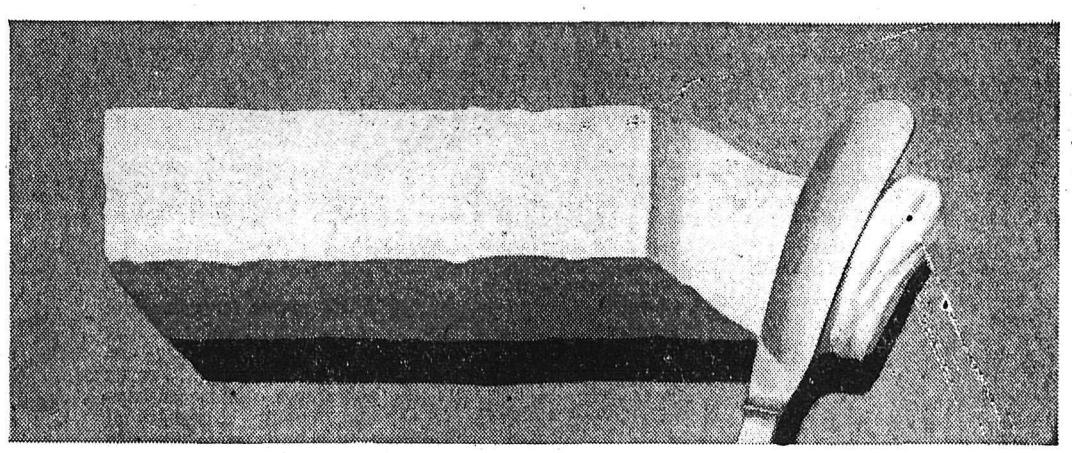

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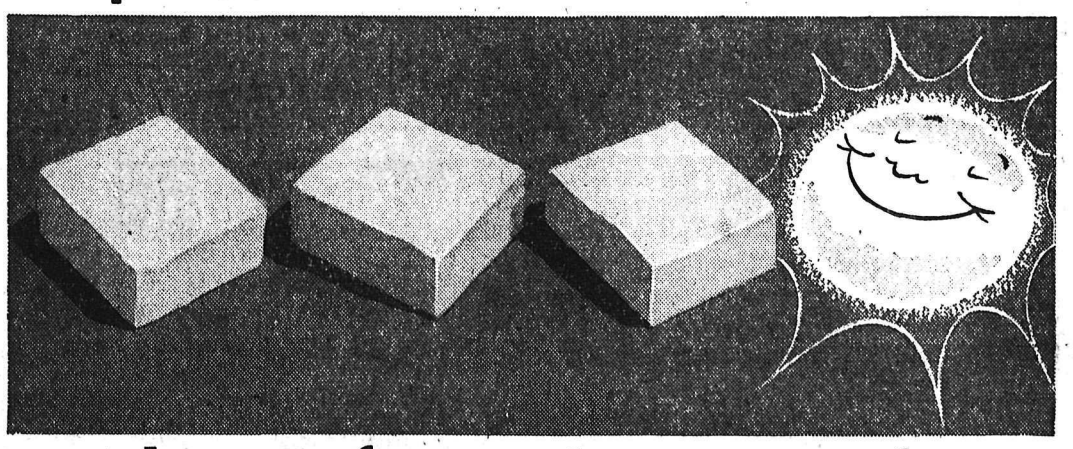

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It's fresher because it's made in B.C.

Of course, Kraft's Parkay Margarine is the margarine most people spread most! It "behaves" best at all times.

Right out of the refrigerator, Parkay spreads smoothly, instantly, on even the freshest bread. Even in a warm kitchen or on a hot summer day, Parkay keeps its shape . . . never turns gooey or "runny."

Its flavor is something special too. It's milder, fresher, because Parkay is made from the finest pure vegetable ingredients.

Be sure you always look for Kraft's Parkay Margarine in the four foil-wrapped quarters or the 2-lb. Economy size.

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Sportorial

Elsewhere on this page a letter from a sports fan deals with the comments of Earl Warren, sports broadcaster of CKLN. The letter makes a plea for commentaries and criticisms based on fact. Because we feel much the same way, we would like to deal with some phases of the letter that are far from the facts of the case.

First, CKLN's Earl Warren had nothing to do with construction of a new gondola in the Civic Arena as any member of the Civic Centre Commission would be glad to tell the writer.

Second, Nelson home game broadcasts had no relation to construction of the gondola. The only reason they were not previously broadcast was because no sponsor had been willing to take them on and pay for the broadcasts despite Earl Warren's vigorous attempts to sell them during the past three months.

Third, the hockey game of January 4 could not be broadcast because it was Wednesday night, when CBC Wednesday Night has precedence over all other programs and permission for its removal could not be obtained. This applies to all Wednesday night games, most recent being at Spokane January 18.

On no occasion was Earl Warren late in arriving for a broadcast, but on two occasions, once in Trail and once in Spokane, wire hookups were not completed when he was scheduled to broadcast, and on another occasion, a game was late in starting, naturally delaying the broadcast.

We presume fair comment should be the objective of the person criticising someone else for unfair comment. Reference to fear of the old gondola or fear of highways is hardly fair comment, particularly when broadcasts have been made for years from the old gondola and the highways have been travelled by the sports commentator under all conditions—recently under conditions as treacherous as those which kept the entire Trail Smoke Eater team from a scheduled game in Kimberley.

We welcome sports comment and letters that are fair, constructive and based on facts. The reader can best judge this one.

Earl Warren has not seen the sports fan's letter prior to its publication and in all fairness to him we are inviting him to reply to the letter in a future edition, but felt that the points brought out here are ones that Earl Warren should not have to make of his own account.

We agree with the repeated statements in this letter that Earl Warren has done a job for hockey and perhaps is still doing a bigger job than realized.

Pups Win 3 Games On Okanagan Tour

Notre Dame Pups returned from their Okanagan basketball tour Tuesday night sporting a three wins in four tries record. Their final game was played against Grand Forks High School Tuesday afternoon and turned out to be a 39-27 victory for the Pups.

The Grand Forks crew broke through the Notre Dame defense quite often, and were fast on the rebounds but lacked shooting accuracy. The Pups were in full stride by the time they hit Grand Forks and appeared able to put on the pressure and pick off the baskets when they wanted to.

Top scorers of the game were Bell and Turik of Notre Dame, and Fedorak of Grand Forks who scored eight points each. Wolfe of Notre Dame and Plotnikoff of Grand Forks each netted seven.

Larry Wolfe was the top scorer of the Pup's tour with an enviable record of 47 points. He was a great factor in Notre Dame's close contest with Kelowna, giving the Pups seventeen points as they battled through to a 49-45 win.

The series brought two injuries to the Notre Dame squad. Roy Englund suffered an injured finger in the game that the Pups lost to South Okanagan in Osoyoos. Max Gordon was knocked unconscious for several minutes after a collision in the Grand Forks game. Both players have returned to the line-up. The Pups will be back on the road this Friday as they travel to Trail to engage the J. Lloyd Crowe High School team.

Salmo Rink Wins Ladies' Bonspiel

EMERALD MINE — Emerald Ladies' Curling Club was hostess to Salmo Club at a bonspiel, with Mrs. H. Parsons of Salmo winning first prize in the primary and G. Forbes of Salmo second.

First prize in the secondary was taken by M. McLeod and second went to A. Chenoweth. Tertiary honors were won by the A. Sanford and M. Breeze rinks.

Mantle Gets Pay Boost

NEW YORK (AP) — Mickey Mantle, centre fielder for New York Yankees, signed a 1956 contract Tuesday at an estimated $30,000. The 24-year-old player, who will be with the club for the sixth season, received a $5,000 increase for leading the league in homers last season with 37.

KINGS LOSE TO FERNIE RANGERS

NATAL — Natal - Michel Coal Kings swallowed their sixth defeat in Alberta-British Columbia Hockey League competition here over the weekend, bowing, 10-5, to Fernie Rangers. Coal Kings' only two victories have not been sufficient to hoist them from their spot on the bottom rung of the ABC ladder.

Fernie took a 2-0 lead in the first period, held their two-goal edge, 6-4, at the end of the second as the clubs split eight goals, then outscored Coal Kings 4-1 in the final.

W. Bossio and I. Mitchell scored twice each, Neidig, Ashmore, J. Bossio, Olesko, Marasco and Caufield once apiece for Fernie. Ben Serafini and Jimmy McVei scored two goals each for the tailenders and Stuart McFarlane added the other.

New Stamps Honor Dutchmen

KITCHNER (CP) — Envelopes and stamps publicising the Kitchener - Waterloo Dutchmen hockey club and Canada's national winter sport left here Tuesday for many parts of the world.

Cancelling machines handled 23,000 pieces of mail, 5000 more than the daily average. Stamp wickets also were busy filling orders for the new five-cent hockey stamp, commemorating the winter Olympics at Cortina d'Ampezzo, Italy, where Dutchmen are out to defend Canada's hockey title.

Torch Near Cortina

ZUEL, Italy (AP) — The Olympic torch reached this mountain village on the outskirts of Cortina Wednesday night.

Italian skier Conte Cortini handed the symbolic flame to another Italian skier, Giovanni Marchandi, who headed up rugged Mount Tofana.

Today, Guido Caroli, an Italian champion who is the first speed skater ever to be so honored, is to enter the Olympic stadium, circle the track and light the official olympic flame.

The flame began its long trip at the temple of Jupiter in Rome. Former Olympic and world discus champion Adolfo Consolini took it on the first lap.

Flyers Battle Three Deficits To Win 8-6

SPOKANE — Spokane Flyers, WIHL leaders, came from behind a two-goal deficit three times Wednesday night to defeat the Penticton V's 8-6 in the OSHL club's first game of its interleague tour.

Penticton led 2-0 at the end of the first period, 4-3 after 40 minutes before Spokane outscored them 5-2 in a wierd third stanza. A highlight of the game was Spokane's third goal of the game, scored by Lorne Nadeau on a penalty shot at 17:57 of the second period. Nadeau also scored Spokane's tying goal in the third.

Other Spokane scorers were Bruno Pasqualotto and Frank Kubasek with two each, and singletons by Carl Cirullo and Gino Rozzini. For the V's, Dick Warwick and Hal Tarala each potted two and Malo and Jack Taggart, one each. V's play in Kimberley tonight.

SUMMARY

First period: 1, Penticton, D. Warwick (G. Warwick) 7:53; 2. Penticton, Malo (Madigan) 9:07. Penalty: Mascotto 1:54.

Second period: 3. Spokane, Cirullo (Starr, Toole) 9:28; 4. Spokane, Rozzini (Starr, Toole) 10:09; 5. Penticton, D. Warwick (B. Warwick, McDonald) 12:34; 6. Penticton, Tarala (D. Warwick, B. Warwick) 12:56; 7. Spokane, Nadeau 17:57 (pegalty shot). Penalties: Nadeau :57, Bedard 4:07, Miller 12:07, Tarala 14:23.

Third period: 8. Spokane, Pasqualotto (Jones, Cirullo) 4:14; 9. Penticton, Taggart (D. Warwick, B. Warwick) 4:57; 10. Penticton, Tarala (McDonald, G. Warwick) 6:45; 11. Spokane, Kubasek (Miller) 7:53; 12. Spokane, Nadeau (Miller, Kubasek) 9:08; 13. Spokane, Pasqualotto (Rozzini) 10:34; 14. Spokane, Kubasek (Nadeau, Miller) 14:02. Penalties :Cirullo 6:12, Kilburn 7:25.

Stops

McLelland	7	9	13	—29
Sofiak	8	9	7	—24

Referee: George Cullen; linesman: Tommy Dunn.

Hepburn Decides To Quit Wrestling

VANCOUVER (CP) — Doug Hepburn, who won the world heavyweight weightlifting title in 1953, is giving up "the big money" of wrestling.

"Professional wrestling is too tough a trade for me," he said in an interview here Wednesday. "I'm through."

The 270-pound muscle man, who won for Canada at Stockholm three years ago, has been appearing on the professional wrestling circuit throughout Canada and the United States for the last year.

"I made around $25,000 and netted $15,000 the first year and Frank Tunney said I'd hit $50,000 to $60,000 next year and $100,000 within about three years."

Tunney is the Toronto promoter who holds Hepburn's five-year contract.

Questioned about missing wrestling dates in Yakima, Wash., and Vancouver, Hepburn said:

"These weren't the first times I've failed to show. There were two other times in the East. After that, Tunney insisted on me posting a bond with him—my '55 Cadillac."

Of wrestling as a sport, he said:

"I just haven't the temperament for it. I've had my nose smashed, my leg hurt and the boys have been just beginning to turn it on. It's not for me.

"I'm going to sit tight for a while and maybe get together a touring show troup featuring a strong man act."

BANT BRUINS, HABS TIE 2-2

Bantam Bruins and Canadiens battled to a 2-2 tie in a League game at the Civic Arena Wednesday afternoon. The game was fast all the way and both goalies put on a sparkling display to rob the opposing players of what looked like sure goals. Frank Dixon was in the nets for the Bruins and Doug Seaby tended the twine for the Habs.

Walt Cherenko opened the scoring on a play from Berdenie for the Bruins. Garry Higgs evened the count for the Habs with Wallach helping. Johnny Sample moved the Canadiens ahead with their second goal on a double relay from Paterson and Cox. Jimmy Cain evened it up with the Bruins second goal with Swetlicoe assisting.

Only two penalties were handed out by referees Bernie Arcuri and Tom Hufty. Carl Hennig and Ron Glover kept the time and score.

Joey Giardello Licence Returned

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Middleweight Joey Giardello was given his licence back Wednesday by the Pennsylvania state athletic commission.

Giardello, 25, recently released from prison after serving part of a term for assault and battery during a row at a gasoline station, was given a clean bill of health by the commission.

COASTAL ISLAND

Galiano Island between Vancouver Island and the B.C. mainland is 17 miles long, with maximum width of three miles.

RUNS 30 MILES IN 2:54:45 TO BREAK RECORD

HONG KONG (AP)—Master-at-Arms Robert Pape of the Royal Navy ran the world's fastest 30-mile race here Wednesday in two hours, 54 minutes and 45 seconds.

Pape was the only runner of five entrants to finish the distance on the cinder track at the South China athletic ground here.

The previous world's best — there is no official record—was 2:57.48.

WARRIORS EDGE BANT REPS 5-4

Ron Corbett's midget Warriors eked out a 5-4 win over Bantam Reps at the Civic Arena Tuesday night in a League game.

It was the second win of the season for Warriors over the Bantam Reps and the fifth loss in League play for the Reps. Shifty Tommy Hufty who carries much of the scoring punch for the Corbett club scored four of their five goals, and assisted on Bud Morrisons goal. Morrison picked up three assists and Gerry Wilson two. Arlo Sjoberg, Denny Lang, Bob McCandlish and Ernie Wah were the goalgetters for the Reps. Assists went to Palmer, Wah and Hooker with two.

Warriors drew six of the eight penalties dished out by referees George Barefoot and Bob Carmen.

Marciano-Valdes Bout Considered

NEW YORK (AP)—Al Weill, manager of heavyweight champion Rocky Marciano, said Wednesday he has received an offer of $350,000 for a Marciano-Nino Valdes title fight in Havana in May and will give it "every consideration."

Weill received the bid by cable from William (Lefty) Clark, Havana hotel owner. Wednesday afternoon he met with Clark's representative.

"At the present time I can't commit myself," said Weill.

Greenberg, Cronin Enter Hall of Fame

NEW YORK (AP) — Hank Greenberg and Joe Cronin, two of the best righthanded hitters of the modern age, were elected to baseball's Hall of Fame at Cooperstown, N.Y., Wednesday by the 10-year members of the Baseball Writers Association.

Greenberg is general manager of the Cleveland Indians and Cronin is general manager of the Boston Red Sox, both in the American League where they spent most of their brilliant major league careers.

A total of 193 ballots were received from the eligible writers, with Greenberg earning 164 votes and Cronin 152. A total of 145, three-fourths of those cast, was necessary for election. Only players active in the 1930-50 period were eligible for recognition and they could not be active as a coach or manager within the last five years.

Red Ruffing, a key pitcher on many New York Yankee pennant winners, was third with 97 votes. Then came Ed Rush, former Cincinnati outfielder, with 91.

Others among the first 10 in vote getters were: Lefty Gomez, 89, Hack Wilson 74, Tony Lazzeri, 64, Kiki Cuyler 55, Hank Gowdy 49 and Sam Rice 45.

"In all my years of being on the playing field I never dreamed that this would be the final result," Greenberg said. "I can't possibly express how I feel."

Cronin called his election the "greatest thrill of my career."

Leafs Face Vs Here Friday

Few who ever watched Prince Charlie Rayner pull New York Rangers up by their bootlaces in the late 1940s and early 1950s can doubt that he was a tremendoes goeltender.

Tomorrow night at Civic Arena, Nelson hocky fans will have a chance to see for themselves how much of his magic has rubbed off on young Gus Adams, Nelson Maple Leaf cage guardian. Gus will be faced with the sizeable chore of holding the world champion Penticton Vs to fewer goals than can be collected by his slump-ridden Nelson teammates.

His chore will be made tougher, too, by Rayner's decision to call up Red Koehle to replace the injured Ernie Gare, which indicates Nelson will ice only three defencemen.

Lest anyone suddenly decides that Gus Adams is qualified at this time to fill Rayner's pads, such is not the case although Gus has improved noticeably in recent contests. Earlier in the season, Gus came up with a few shaky efforts, causing Rayner to insert himself into one game.

Since his temporary removal, Gus has experienced only a few bad nights and judging by Wednesday night's practice session, his uprising should continue against the Okanagan leaguers.

Nelson's three remaining blueliners — Vic Lofvendahl, Murray Parker and Don McGregor — will work an average of 40 minutes apiece, a lot of hockey in a league as fast as this.

Red Koehle has been summoned from Nelson's reserve list and will re-unite with brother Fritz to form the most potent penalty-killing unit in the WIHL. He will also serve to fill out the third offensive combination. Gare will be out for six weeks.

HOCKEY SCORES

By Canadian Press

NHL

Toronto 3 Chicago 1

Western Junior

Lethbridge 5 Regina 9

Western League

Seattle 2 New Westminster 6

Vancouver 0 Winnipeg 3

QUAKERS BEAT CANUCKS 7-4

Playing on of their best games of the Juvenile League so far, the Quakers trounced the top place Canuck juves 7-4 at the Civic Arena Tuesday night. The Quakers took a 3-1 lead in the first period and were in front for the rest of the game.

Barie Carmen and Lloyd Atwell set the pace for the Quakers with two goals and an assists each. Barry Wilson, John McMasters and Ian Leslie were the other lamplighters. Monteleone picked up four assists with Peterson, Borch and Walton also gaining an assist each. Franky Perehudoff scored a brace and assisted on another goal for the Canucks. Gene Kraft was the other marksmen. Jeffs picked up an assist besides playing a good game on the defence. Don McGregor and Murray Parker were referees.

Olympic Ref Picks Dutchmen to Win

By KEN METHERAL

CORTINA d'AMPEZZO, Italy (CP)—An Olympic hockey referee who played on a Canadian championship team in the 1948 games says Russia will be lucky to finish in the first three in this year's tournament.

FO Louis Lecompte of Ottawa, one of 25 referees selected to handle this year's games, said in an interview Wednesday that he picks Canada's Kitchener-Waterloo Dutchmen to win the title with Czechoslovakia and the United States finishing ahead of Russia.

"I don't think the Russians are as strong as last year and a number of other teams are much stronger," said the RCAF photographer, who obtained two weeks' leave from Canadian First Air Division headquarters at Metz, France, to undertake his Olympic whistle-tooting chores.

Lecompte, a member of Ottawa RCAF Flyers who won the 1948 title, had ample opportunity to watch the Russians in action. He was a referee at the world hockey championships in Germany last year when Canada's Penticton V's defeated Russia 5-0 to win the crown and recently refereed a three-game series between the Russians and Switzerland's national team.

BETTER THAN V's

He said the Dutchmen look "far stronger" than Penticton.

"The Canadians look like a happy gang of kids out on the ice," he said. "And can they ever go!"

FAN CLAIMS SPORTS BROADCASTER NOT GIVING PEOPLE THE FACTS

To the Sports Editor,

Sir: — Why don't the hockey fans of Nelson form an "Earl Warren Fan Club?" Earl has done a lot for hockey in this league. Of course opinions vary as to whether this is good or bad. However, no one can deny that Earl loves to broadcast hockey games, but despite this love he will quit broadcasting to give the poor unfortunate fans who, for years have not understood hockey, his opinions on what is wrong with our league. Earl donates more of his time (sponsored) than any other man in Nelson to expounding the truth without the facts.

In Kimberley the other night, Earl forced himself to forego his usual good form of descriptive commentary on the play so that he could discuss the league executive, and the referee situation, again using the unique Earl Warren Method of "Not putting the facts" before the people. It is unfortunate that Red Mellor did not meet Mr. Warren earlier in his hockey career because it was obvious that after many years of playing good hockey, Red does not understand the rules of play the same way Earl does.

It is Earl's job to discuss hockey, but why not the facts before the blast? When Earl was late arriving to broadcast a couple of games this year, the fans didn't cry "Why did he sleep in?" No, they got the facts. When Earl didn't make the long trip to Kimberly on January 4th to cover the game, did anyone cry "Earl must be scared of the slippery roads?" No, they got the facts. When Earl didn't broadcast the home games until the arena commission built a good substantial broadcast booth, was it rumoured "He was scared the old gondola wasn't safe?" No, they got the facts. It was quite in order for Earl to mention that he did not know why Messrs Cullen and Dunn were not at the game in Kimberley, but before he raved further he could have checked the facts, and if they were not in order he could then have blasted the league officials.

I took the trouble to phone league president Dr. Vingo and the facts were there. The reason that Cullen was not at this game was because of a disagreement between the league and the referee, this disagreement being both financial and technical, and until it could be settled it might be termed there was a minor strike.

Now before we condemn the referee's right to strike, let us remember that many millions of Canadian workers settle disputes with their employers in the same manner. I also learned that the settlement was not reached until late Friday afternoon, too late for the man to get to Kimberley,

REGULAR REFEREE

I learned that Lowie Ludlow is one of the league's regular referee's this year so naturally he was used to fill in. Ed Swanson, whom Earl referred to as "That Dandy", is a very likeable young chap well experienced in the East Kootenay Intermediate League, and before we "pan" him, let's first thank him for stepping out of his class and coming to the rescue.

Just shortly before game time it was learned that Red Sutherland, who would have been in charge of the game, was in the hospital. Following up further on Earl's charges that our highly paid referees never go to Kimberley, I learned that either Cullen or Dunn have been in charge of every game in Kimberley since they arrived, except one, when the league "softies" allowed Dunn to be substituted for so he could spend Christmas with his wife and family. On this occasion Cullen was covering a game elsewhere.

Earl infers that the two pros spend a lot of time in Spokane, yet the facts reveal they have handled fewer games in Spokane than any other league city. Further I learned contrary to the radio comments that George Cullen is the senior referee in the league, and has been all season.

I hope that our hockey team didn't quit playing the way Earl quit broadcasting after that third penalty, for as much as I enjoy these out-of-town broadcasts, I must admit I found the third period very dull.

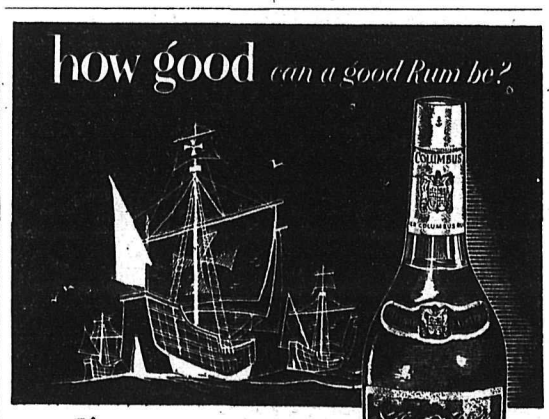
Earl should take a tip from his sponsors before his next radio appearance, and fill up with "anti-knock" gas. With that "mike" of his a lot of the responsibility of the hockey future in Nelson is his, and he can go a long way towards making or breaking our team. The fans are tired of complaints. Let's hear the bright side.

Yours for more hockey.
MERV HORNE
Nelson B.C.

MIDGET, JUVE REPS CLASH TONIGHT

Nelson midget Rep hockey squad will mix it up with the juvenile Reps in an exhibition game at the Civic tonight.

Midget Reps have been working out under Leo Atwell and the turn outs are being gradually thinned down to get the team down to about 15 players. There will be a further cut after this evening's practice game with the Juves. The juveniles are down to about the required limit and have been going through their work outs under Murray Parker. For the juves, tonight's work will help them get in shape for their exhibition game down in Spokane on February 4. Players for the midget Reps will be Holmes or Grundy in the goal, Jeffs, Waters, Poulin, H. Hufty and Farenholtz on defence. Forwards will be picked from Atwell, Borch, Monteleone, Stevenson, McMasters, Wilson, Perehudoff, Benedetti, Kraft, Skapple, T. Hufty, and Horswill. The Juves will include Gordie Wood in goal, Ball, Bealby, Steadman and Maber on defence. Forwards will be Carmen, Wilson, Lipsack, Morrison, Armstrong, Smith, Gibbon, Spencer, Roberts and Edwards.



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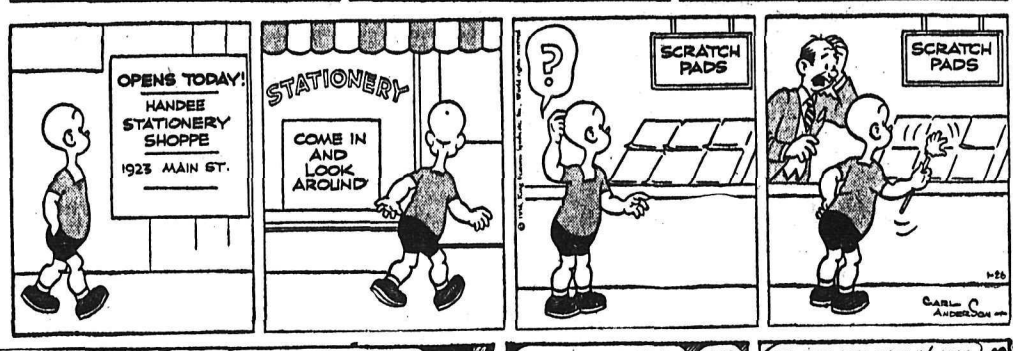

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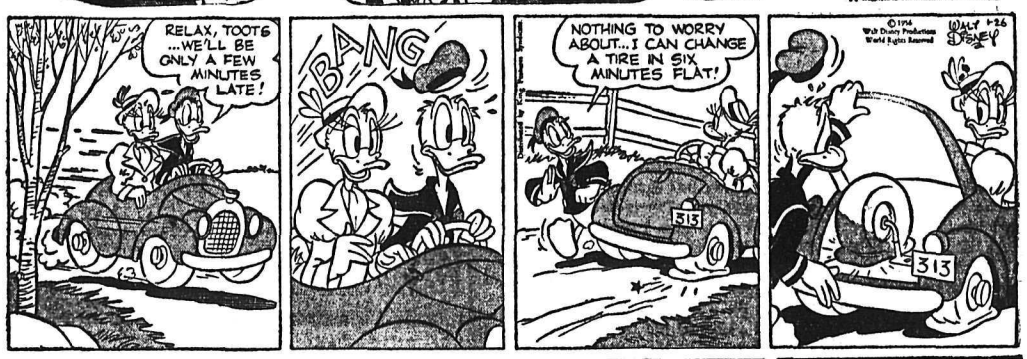

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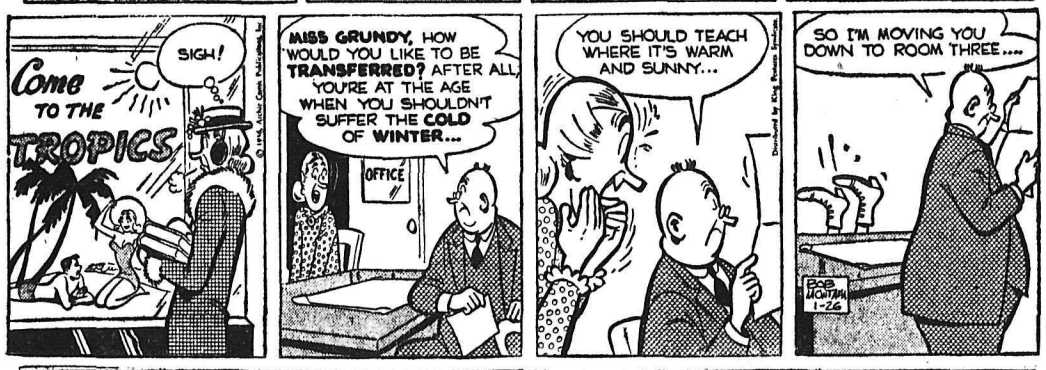

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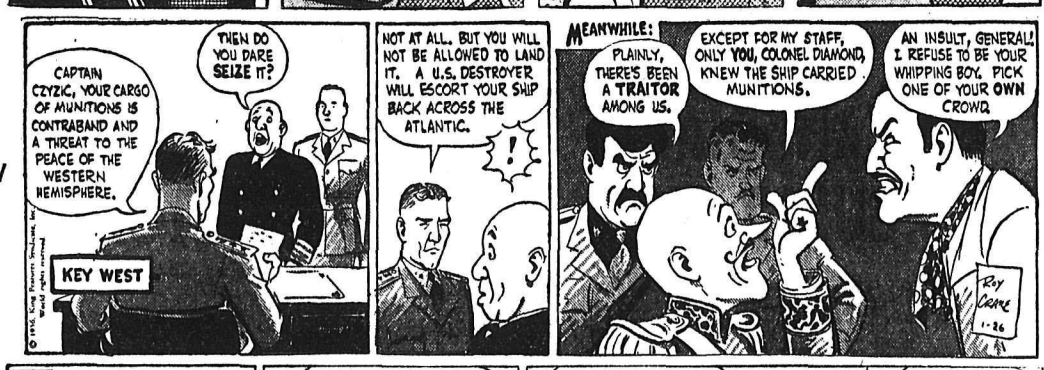

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Your Individual HOROSCOPE

By Frances Drake

Look in the section in which your birthday comes and find what your outlook is, according to the stars,

For Friday, January 27, 1956

MARCH 21 to APRIL 20 (Aries) —Favorable for finishing incompleted work, for writing, studying, mental interests especially. Some industrial work may take more patience, as building, mechanics. Friendly day.

APRIL 21 to MAY 20 (Taurus)—Correspondence, authoring stories, plays, etc., giving your creative talents a fresh chance; research in science, chemistry highly favored.

MAY 21 to JUNE 21 (Gemini) — How about finishing what you can, giving yourself a break for week-end? Unless urgent, don't undertake more than you really need to now.

JUNE 22 to JULY 23 (Cancer)—Planetary aspects (with your efforts) suggest snug returns, perhaps some pleasant surprises. Don't promise carelessly or sign documents without real study. Good day on whole.

July 24 to AUGUST 22 (Leo) — Several aspects today urge avoidance of irritating talks and happenings. This heeded, you can have an interesting and productive day in your work, household affairs.

AUGUST 23 to SEPTEMBER 23 (Virgo) — No need to crowd day with all sorts of tasks. Much can be accomplished by making plans carefully and taking them in order of urgency.

SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23 (Libra) — Notations to Taurus obtain here today. Very pleasant indications exist; you should have no trouble meeting duties, even extra tasks if you keep good natured and remain serene.

OCTOBER 24 to NOVEMBER 22 (Scorpio) — Favorable rays in general in your sector but day strongly advises against extremes, emotional upsets. Be patient, agreeable — you are always at your best and more efficient that way.

NOVEMBER 23 to DECEMBER 22 (Sagittarius) — You could be overrun with desire to do this and that in many directions. Call a halt, take things calmly and you will gain more. Clear things for week-end.

DECEMBER 23 to JANUARY 21 (Capricorn) — You could be susceptible to intriguing offers. Be wise, and investigate if they entail investments, signing pledges, etc. Otherwise, today is favorable for healthy interests.

JANUARY 22 to FEBRUARY 20 (Aquarius) — Detach yourself from pointless ideas and purposeless ventures. One loses a great deal of time, energy, money, and other assets, too, by not being firm and staying with best objectives.

FEBRUARY 21 to MARCH 20 (Pisces) — You have keen discernment. This is a valuable asset, can be used today to real advantage. You can finish incompleted tasks or start new matters.

YOU BORN TODAY have many likeable qualities, assets of value to be rightly developed and used with honorable intent. You are sometimes indecisive about which way to go or handle a thing. At such a time consult with reliable authority and quickly follow sound advice, using, too, your own good instinct and sound judgment. Pray daily. Develop your talent for music, science.

Birthdate: Lewis Carroll, English mathematician and author of "Alice in Wonderland"; Mozart, composer.

King Features

Calgary Livestock

CALGARY (CP) — The cattle market was strong and active Wednesday with 750 cattle and 65 calves on offer up to 11 a.m. Tuesday's sales were 1,384 cattle, 136 calves, 973 hogs and 75 sheep.

Bulk of today's offerings are medium to good butcher steers and heifers. Strictly choice butcher steers meeting good demand at steady to strong prices, medium to good butcher steers 50 or more higher grade and yield considered.

Choice steers 17.50-18.00, good 16.25-17.25, medium 13-16, common 10-12.50; choice heifers 14.50-15; good 13.25-14.25, medium 12-13, common 9-11.50; good cows 9.00-9.50, medium 8.25-8.75, common 7.25-8, canners and cutters 4-7; god bulls 10.50-11.50, common to medium 7-10.

Good feeder steers 13-14.50, god stock steers 13.50-15, common to medium 9-12.50.

Good to choice veal 16.50-18, common to medium 12-15.50, good butcherweight heifer calves 350-450 13-14.50.

Hogs steady Tuesday, 20.50 A grade, sows 50 or more lower for week at 10.50-11.00 liveweight. Good lambs mostly 17-17.75.

KREMLIN PERMITS LONDONER TO STUDY RUSS FISH

LONDON (AP) — John Miller of the London zoo has Kremlin permission for a visit to Russia to study fresh water fish that produce caviar.

But the Russians turned down his request to visit Siberia and study the world's only fresh water seals.

"I suppose some atomic work is going on there," he said. "I was very disappointed."

Miller, a fellow of the Royal Zoological Society, said the main object of his visit to the Soviet Union will be the life and habits of the sterlet — the river species of sturgeon from which caviar is obtained.

Miller said his quest will take him up and down the Volga, particularly the waters around Saratov, which stands on the western bank of the big stream.

Will he eat much caviar?

"I hate the stuff," said Miller.

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1. Throw, as a fish line
5. Exclamation
9. Man's name
10. Ghastly in hue
12. Dispatch boat
13. Wrath
14. Spread grass to dry
15. Perform
16. Greek letter
17. Erbium (sym.)
18. Receptacle
20. Evening sun god
21. Fillets for the hair
23. Organs of hearing
24. Magicians
26. Touch
28. Native of New England
31. Half ems
32. A stiff hair (Bot.)
33. Measure (Chin.)
34. Close to
35. Bounder
36. Concealed
37. Warning signal
39. Shun
41. Exchange of goods
42. Body of water
43. Pitcher with a lid
44. Bamboo-like grass

DOWN

1. A large cave
2. Dry
3. Little sister
4. Also
5. Set
6. Search for
7. Unit of work
8. Variety of sausage
9. Fellows
11. Band instruments
15. Examined, as ore
18. Wind
19. Chisel-like steel tool
20. A job
22. Is obligated
23. Girl's name
25. Rodent
26. Banquet
27. All
29. Omitted, as a vowel
30. Kind of duck
32. More rational
35. Give over
36. Own
38. Uncooked
39. Blunder
40. Contend

CAMEL SAFES
OLIVE ARIEL
WINE SNEERY
EVE SAT
DESTINATION
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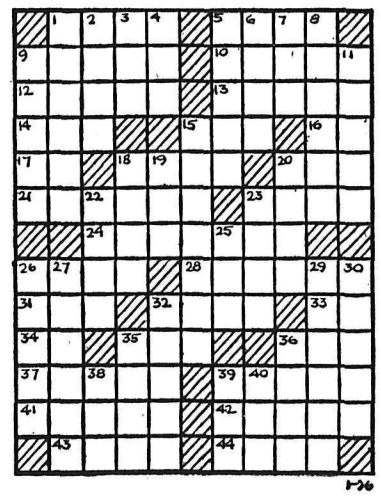

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE — Here's how to work it:

A X Y D L B A A X E
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.

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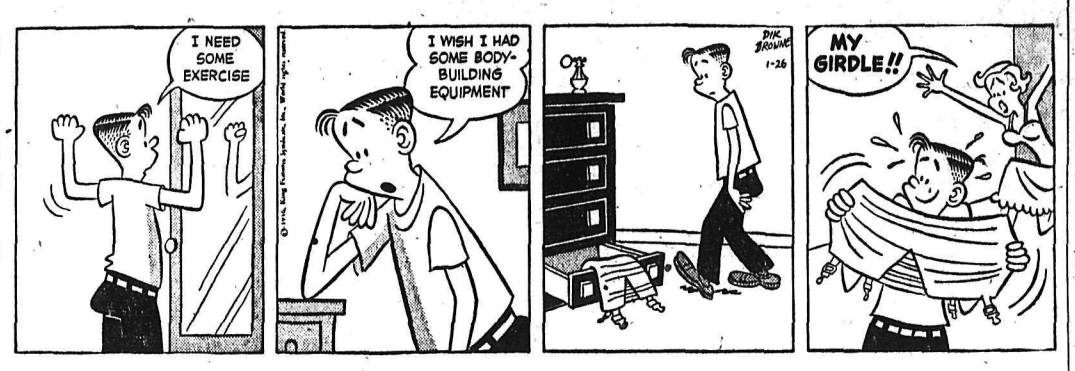

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Latchkey Children Centre of Change That Worries Experts

By STANLEY GODFREY

LONDON (AP) — Tucked away in a quiet corner of a factory yard, 20 children play in a nursery—symbols of a silent revolution that has altered the pattern of British family life.

Before the Second World War, only 900,000 British wives went out to work. Now, nearly 4,000,000 put out notes for the milkman and hurry off to shops, offices and factories. That is one-third of all women and girls of working age, in the country.

It is a revolution that has sociologists and child welfare experts worried. Tens of thousands of babies are taken daily by their mothers to factory and workshop nurseries. Hundreds of thousands of school children are coming home to empty houses, letting themselves in with their own keys and preparing the kitchen for their mother's return.

PURSUE MONEY

Full employment in Britain has led to a booming demand for women workers—and the women are cashing in.

John Watson, chairman of London's Tower Bridge magistrates court, said recently: "A race of children is growing up whom I call 'latchkey children.' Mothers who go to work . . . are a major cause of juvenile crime."

Mrs. Geoffrey Fisher, wife of the Archbishop of Canterbury, complained that "mothers . . . in pursuit of money . . . leave their children without a mother's love and understanding."

But Ronald Ledger, who represents industrials Romford in Parliament, said: "It is not the bad mother who goes out to work . . . it is the working mother who is the one prepared to make a sacrifice."

BLAME COSTS

The working wives blame the rocketing cost of living. With inflation and a "credit squeeze," Britain's shops are stacked with goods far out of grasp of the average family.

Women in unskilled jobs can bring home £5 or £6 for a week's work. Some earn considerably more. With the average male factory pay running around £10, that's a big help for the family budget.

The experts sympathize, but say that a mother with young children shouldn't go out to work till the children are of school age.

The industrialists claim they have set up nurseries in factories and workshops where mothers can leave their babies in expert hands for feeding and loving care.

Foster mothering is no substitute, report the experts.

Frenchman Executed On Guillotine

PARIS (CP) — Louis Mathiau, 24, was executed here for murdering a taxi driver. He was the fourth Frenchman to die on the *guillotine in three years. Most* death sentences in France are commuted to life imprisonment, but the public prosecutor had asked that Mathiau should be executed in view of a wave of attacks on taxi drivers.

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Market Trends

NEW YORK (AP) — The recovery movement in the stock market continued for the second session Wednesday.

Canadian issues were mixed. International Nickel added ⅜ and McIntyre gained 1¼. Canadian Pacific and Dome Mines both slipped ⅛ and Hiram Walker and Distillers Seagram both remained unchanged.

TORONTO (CP) — The stock market followed up Tuesday's gains with another, though more patchy, advance Wednesday. Industrials traded very sluggishly, but there were some sharp gains in mines. Western oils were firm. The volume of 5,391,000 shares was well ahead of Tuesday's 4,016,000 and reflected active dealings in coppers.

Only a few industrials moved more than a point. Chartered Trust was up $6 at 61 on 75 shares. Building Products and Huron and Erie firmed $1.50.

MONTREAL (CP) — Most industrial issues held on to early gains to close higher at the end of moderately active trading on the Montreal and Canadian stock exchanges today. Mines were generally improved in active trade.

Papers provided firm ground as International added 2½ points and Donohue a point. Fraser, Great Lakes and BC Forest all gained minor fractions.

LONDON (Reuters) — Stock markets were firmer in sympathy with the Wall Street advance and as a result of good news of the shipbuilding industry at home.

Government issues were easier after a firm start and Dominion and colonial stocks were also fractionally lower.

Young Britons Say Canadians Informal, Kind

LONDON (CP)—The "air of informality" among Canadians, including those in responsible jobs, was one of the chief impressions brought back by 40 young Britons who made a one-month tour of Canada in 1955.

This is recorded in a report by the W. H. Rhodes educational trusts, founded by the Yorkshire industrialist of that name to foster personal contacts among Commonwealth citizens. The 1955 party, comprising male students of an average age of 18½ years from London, Birmingham, Glasgow and Bradford, Yorkshire, visited major centres in Quebec and Ontario starting last Aug. 6.

DEEP IMPRESSION

In an essay on returning to Britain, Roland MacLeod, a Londoner, wrote that the informality of Canadians "left a deep impression upon us all." He said he was particularly impressed by the "human and friendly manner of the civic

Another visitor, Terence Reed, and federal officials.
was struck by the personality of Ed Archibald, director of a camp in northern Ontario, Reed said he found "much of the spirit of Canada, the pioneering, adventureing spirit, in the story of his life, in the many fascinating stories he can tell . . . ranging from the Canadian backwoods to the west."

Another Rhodes party will visit Canada in 1956.

Winnipeg Grain

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Children's Lives Saved by High Humidity Room in Coast Hospital

VANCOUVER (CP) — A high humidity room, started in Children's Hospital six years ago by Dr. Harry Baker, has saved the lives of a number of young children.

This treatment of breathing disorders in the very young is believed to be unique in this country and colleagues refer to the room as "Dr. Baker's Room," as he founded the initial $3000 to make it possible.

After several years of operation the "gamble" has paid off by saving the young from strangulation because illness had robbed their bodies of large amounts of water.

In the room condensed water runs down tiled walls and lies in *large pools on the terazzo floor.* But despite this the children remain comfortably dry, and, more important, breathe freely and easily because of the soothing moisture.

WATER DROPLETS

What appears to be steam is really minute water droplets blown under pressure to maintain a constant 100 per cent humidity at 70 to 72 degrees.

Dr. Baker explained: "Sickness in a small child often causes dehydration and a narrowing in the throat around the larynx."

Fellow pediatricians said that some of their tiny patients would have had to undergo dreaded but not uncommon tracheotomy, surgically opening the neck to insert a breathing tube, if it hadn't been *for the room. In fact there has* been only one such operation and the room speeded recovery in that case.

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Stern Russian Guards Grin at Sight of Small Baby's Passport

By ROY ESSOYAN

MOSCOW (AP) — One of the newest residents of Moscow is a baby named Catherine Essoyan.

She got to Moscow the hard way, starting at Honolulu. That's about as far from Moscow as you can get. It happened that Catherine's father was a member of the AP staff in Honolulu. He had been wanting an assignment to the Soviet Union for several years and when the opportunity came Catherine was an added starter.

She left Honolulu July 15. When she was five weeks old. It was a warm, tropic evening with the temperature in the middle 80s. Five months and some 12,000 miles later we stepped off the train in Moscow. The sun was watery, the temperature a breath-snatching 30 degrees below zero.

But by then Catherine was a seasoned traveller of six months, used to the vagaries of the world. San Francisco had been chilly, Los Angeles warm, New York blistering and Moscow was just another milestone in a growth she was learning to mark by the thermometer, not the calendar.

Catherine's first milestone came in a motel in Palo Alto, Calif. She thoughtfully dropped her 2 a.m. feeding there. She started on solid foods while waiting for visas in a furnished apartment in New York. Just before we left New York she took one look at her harried parents and decided to skip her 10 p.m. feeding from then on.

MOUNTAIN OF DIAPERS

There may be foreign correspondents who journey to faroff lands equipped only with a toothbrush and a thirst for adventure. Our safari wasn't in that class. We came equipped with a small mountain of diapers, baby bottles, formula, a portable crib, medical supplies, soap and 12 cases of baby food.

And Catherine earned every cent of her freight. She learned English in London, German in Frankfurt and Berlin, and Russian on the "Blue Express"—which actually is painted green—between Berlin and Moscow.

BABY PASSPORT

While her parents struggled to make themselves understood, her happy gurgles established immediate diplomatic relations with baby sitters, bellhops, railroad porters and Communist militia.

Catherine travelled with her own passport and visas. Border guards from East Berlin through East Germany, Poland and into the Soviet Union howled with glee at the idea of a six-month-old baby travelling with her own passport.

It apparently set some kind of precedent, but each country we passed through rose to the occasion. The East Germans shrugged shoulders and said she didn't need a transit visa. The Polish authorities said she did, and wanted passport photos too. On the Soviet border the milita men slapped their thighs and doubled up with laughter.

"In the Soviet Union a little child does not need a separate passport," one Russian said in a voice tinged with sadness over the state of affairs in the United States.

Need it or not, it helped. You can't chuck a baby under the chin and glower at the same time.

Sheep Industry Up in N. Scotia

HALIFAX (CP) — The sheep raising industry is making a comeback in Nova Scotia. Farmers have watched their flocks decrease by 38,000 since 1941, but the emphasis is being placed on quality rather than quantity.

Provincial agriculture department officials say the quality of sheep has improved to such an extent that the industry today is valued at close to $1,000,000.

NOW BUSINESS VENTURE

In the past farmers kept sheep just for their own consumption and it has only been during the last five years they have looked at sheep raising as a money making venture.

Today the average flock contains about 100 sheep with the rugged hills and vales of Cape Breton island providing excellent grazing grounds.

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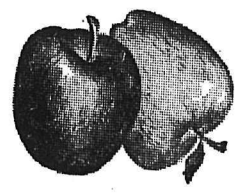

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