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WEATHER FORECAST

KOOTENAY: A few clouds, litle change in temperature. Light winds. Low-high at Cranbrook 25 and 50, Crescent Valley 25 and 55.

Living Index Takes Fourth Straight Drop

Food Index Lowest Since Last May; Shelter Only Item To Rise To New High

OTTAWA (CP)—The consumer price index dropped three-tenths of a point during February to 116.0 from 116.3 as lower food prices reduced living costs for a fourth consecutive month.

The food index was at its lowest point since last May when it stood at 110.2. It now is at the same level as a year ago.

The main index declined to 116.6 Dec. 1 from 116.8 on Nov. 1. On Jan. 1, it dropped to 116.4 and to 116.3 Feb 1.

The only group in the index to advance was shelter, which rose to 128.6 from 128.5, a new high. The clothing and household operation indexes each decreased 0.1 points, the former moving from 108.1 to 108 and the latter from 117.1 to 117. Price changes within these groups were small and scattered.

The index of other commodities and services remained unchanged at 118.3. Lower prices for automobiles and batteries were offset by increases in tires, auto maintenance, public transportation and newspapers.

The cost-of-living yardstick is based on 1949 prices equalling 100.

The bureau of statistics said today that the drop in the index was due largely to lower food prices. The index declined to 110.7 from 115.5, on Feb. 1.

Decreases in the price of coffee and all cuts of meat except veal, outweighed increases in the cost of tea, eggs and potatoes. Coffee prices declined 10 cents a pound in February.

WHOLESALE INDEX UP

Wholesale industrial prices strengthened in March, the index for 30 industrial materials, based on 1935-39 prices equalling 100, rising to 230.0 for the week of March 25 compared with 229.1 for the week of Feb. 25.

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Tw[illegible]ves could not get in[illegible]d Chinese gambling den.

The detectives, C[illegible] Telsma, and Bill Lefeuvre, went to a professional makeup man who changed the Occidental caste of their features to Oriental and dressed them in Chinese clothes.

They had no difficulty entering the premises on the second attempt and promptly arrested one man as keeper of a gambling house and 24 others as found-ins.

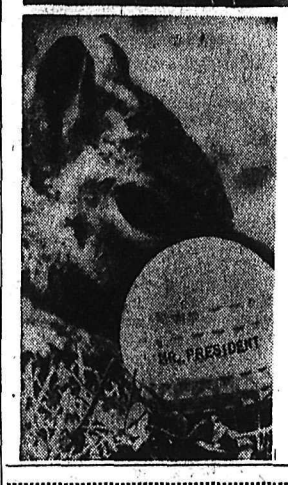
Polio Vaccine Flown to District

VANCOUVER (CP) — About 10,000 cubic centimeters of Salk anti-polio vaccine were flown out of Vancouver Monday to five British Columbia health units.

Shipment to the 20 remaining points is expected to be completed this week, Dr. George Elliot, deputy provincial health officer said.

Clinics are expected to be set up by April 17 in readiness for "SV-Day"—April 18, when children throughout the province will start getting the anti-polio vaccine shots.

Today's shipment went out to the Cariboo, Peace River, East Kootenays, West Kootenays and Selkirk health units.



SUBJECT of the conversation between President Eisenhower, right, above, and Bernard Baruch, advisor to many U.S. presidents, is not the atom bomb, high finance or international politics. It is about squirrels, the ones that have been nibbling away at the greens around the White House in Washington. One of the squirrels, left, was caught by the cameraman in the act of eyeing one of the president's golf balls, but the order has gone out — Squirrels Vamoose! Mr. Eisenhower says he did not issue the order, but the little rodents have, nevertheless, been trapped and removed.

—Central Press Canadian photos.

Purged Top Chinese Red Commits Suicide

Accused of Planning To Take Over Gov't; Disappeared From News Year Ago

By GRAHAM JENKINS

HONG KONG (Reuters)—Kao Kang, top Communist leader once considered the heir to Mao Tse-tung as Chinese head of state, was reported Monday to have committed suicide soon after being purged from the Chinese Communist party.

The official New China News agency said in a report here Kao killed himself "as an expression of his ultimate betrayal of the party."

Kao, a vice-chairman of the Communist government, was expelled by the party's political bureau for conspiring to take over both party and government leadership, the Communist news agency said.

Commenting on the Peiping announcement, Western observers claimed Kao must have died — or been deposed — a year ago. His "conspiracy" was uncovered in February of last year and within a month his name disappeared from news out of Communist China, they said.

Monday's NCNA report did not say when he committed suicide. Announcement of Kao's suicide climaxed a long statement listing his sins against the state. The statement said he died without confessing his "guilt."

Kao, who developed Manchuria as China's industrial showpiece, never was officially relieved as a vice-chairman of Mao's central government.

PURGED LAST WEEK

He was branded a conspirator by the political bureau in a report approved last Thursday at a national party conference, the news agency said. The conference also voted unanimously to purge him from the party.

FELLOW CONSPIRATOR

The conference also approved the expulsion of an alleged fellow-conspirator, Jao Shu-shih, a political commissar whose last known post was as head of the party's central organization bureau. Both Kao and Jao were said to have formed an "anti-party" alliance.

Ten Hsiao-ping, deputy premier and a top defence expert, said in a report Kao's conspiratorial activities dated from 1949, when the Communists took over the Chinese mainland from Nationalist leader Chiang Kai-shek.

Delegates accepted Teng's evidence that Kao tried to split the party and planned to set himself up as general secretary of the party's central committee and prime minister of the state council, the agency said.

U. S. Sabre Jets Arrive at Taipeh

TAIPEI, Formosa (AP) — U. S. Sabre jets armed with rockets arrived Monday amid reports that the Chinese Communists the last two days have speeded up activity near the offshore islands.

It was learned that the reports of increased Red activity were given to U. S. Army Secretary Robert Stevens, who spent the day on southern Formosa inspecting nationalist military bases.

One government official said Stevens was told that Luchiao Lukidao air field about 100 miles north of the Matsus was nearly finished. The Matsus, 100 miles northwest of Formosa, are regarded as likely targets of a Red attack.

Stevens also was told that several squadrons of new MiG jets have arrived at Nanching, in Kiangsi province. Nanchang, inland about 300 miles from the Matsus, would be a feeder field for coastal bases.

Churchill Throws Farewell Banquet

By BARTON D. PATTIE

LONDON (AP) — Sir Winston Churchill, wearing full court dress and a flashy array of decorations gained in a half-century of service to his country, was host to the Queen Monday night at a glittering dinner party.

All Britain expects that Churchill will resign today as prime minister and hand his high office over to Sir Anthony Eden. The crowds outside his official residence at 10 Downing Street sensed history in the air as they watched the guests arrive for Monday night's party.

There were 50 invited: The Queen and the Duke of Edinburgh, members of the prime minister's family, his closest personal friends, top members of the cabinet, leaders of the opposition party and some of Churchill's old comrades of Second World War days.

It was a list to add weight to the belief that the 80-year-old statesman was winding up his last full day as head of the government.

Word got around in Britain's newspaperless capital that today Churchill will drive to Buckingham Palace to hand his resignation to the Queen and recommend that she name Eden as his successor.

The Queen's schedule calls for her to visit the Isle of Grain in the Thames river estuary at midday today and it is possible Churchill's visit will be postponed until Wednesday.

This will be the biggest story of the year for Britain—and there are no newspapers here to tell it. London's national circulation papers have been closed down by a strike of maintenance men for 11 days.

The prime minister wore knee breeches, silk stockings, frock coat and ruffled shirt. On his breast were his decorations. Dominating all was the great star of the Order of the Garter, Britain's highest chivalric order, awarded him by the Queen when she knighted him two years ago.

VANCOUVER (CP)—City council Monday approved a two-mill increase in Vancouver taxes.

City comptroller Frank Jones, in submitting his revised budget, said the tax rate for general purposes this year will be 42.5 mills.

Train Wreck Death Toll 13

COLIMA, Mexico (AP) — The death toll of a holiday train crash that tumbled three passenger cars into Colima state's "canyon of death" rose to 13 Monday. Four others were reported in critical condition.

The cars fell through a bridge on a mountain line 50 miles from the Pacific coast near the town of Alsaba.

The Colima state governor, Jesus Conzalez Lugo, said about 60 persons were injured slightly. Other cars of the 15 car train remained on the track and hundreds of the persons who jammed them escaped without a scratch.

Early reports said nine cars plunged into the canyon.

The governor's casualty report knocked down a previous unofficial estimate received by the Guadalajara newspaper El Informador that about 300 persons were believed dead.

The dead and injured were brought back to Colima early Monday by one of three relief trains sent out from Colima and Guadalajara with doctors, nurses and wrecking crews.

First report said the ill-fated National railways express, speeding from Guadalajara to the coastal resort of Manzanillo with a crowd of holy week holidayers, had just left a tunnel when it jumped the tracks and hurtled into the 600-foot abyss. It was believed most or all of the passengers aboard the train were Mexicans. Foreigners rarely use the line.

Mother Leaps 2 Storeys With Babe

VANCOUVER (CP) — A mother with a baby in her arms leaped to safety Monday from a flaming second storey window as fire destroyed a $60,000 home in the Shaughnessy district.

Mrs. Wong Leung suffered two broken legs. The baby escaped injury.

Bert Nystrom, a painter, rescued two other children from smoke-filled hallways.

Malenkov Shows Up at Party

MOSCOW (AP) — Former premier Georgi Malenkov showed up with the rest of the Soviet government at a party Monday night.

His appearance ended a mystery about whether he was still alive. Malenkov, who resigned as premier Feb. 8, had not been seen by Western correspondents for 11 days and attempts to get information on his whereabouts were unavailing.

There has been speculation that Malenkov, now in charge of Russia's electric power stations, might be further purged.

When he resigned the premiership, he admitted "inexperience" for "failure" in his job.

Malenkov turned up at a party given at the Sovietskaya Hotel to mark the 10th anniversary of the liberation of Hungary.

The present premier, Nikolai Bulganin, Communist party boss Nikita Khrushchev, Foreign Minister Molotov and other high dignitaries attended the function.

SAYS HIGH TAXES HERE TO STAY

TORONTO (CP) — J. Harvey Perry, director of the Canadian Tax Foundation, said Monday Canadians should face the fact that high taxation is here to stay.

He told the Canadian Club the only hope for lower taxes was a long period of guaranteed world peace. Nearly $2,000,000,000 — 40 per cent of the federal government's budget—goes for defence.

He said Canadians will pay $7,000,000,000 in taxes in 1955, $5,000,000,000 to the federal government.

Protest To Greece On Cyprus Riots

LONDON (Reuters) — Britain is making strong representations to Greece against the "most objectionable character of the broadcasts in the Cyprus service" of the government-controlled Athens radio.

The foreign office, which announced this action Monday, told Greece "the incitements to violence" in some recent Athens broadcasts "cannot be dissociated with the outbreak of terrorism" in Cyprus.

'Coon Takes Over Police Car

WICHITA, Kan. (AP) — A belligerent raccoon commandeered a police patrol car here Sunday. Policeman Elza Maslin had captured the coon at a residence where it entered a bathroom, turned on water taps and splashed water on the floor. Maslin enticed the animal into a box with bread crumbs and started for the police station. But on the way the coon, snapping and snarling, forced open the box and jumped onto the front seat. Maslin quickly stopped the car and got out. The raccoon proceeded to flash the car's red emergency light on and off for 30 minutes. The animal finally was caught and taken away by Humane Society representatives.

White Paper Highlights

OTTAWA (CP)—Highlights of the white paper tabled Monday in the Commons by Finance Minister Harris preliminary to his Tuesday night budget: (See page 10 for details.)

Budget deficit fo $148,251,000 estimated for 1954-55 fiscal year ended March 31, first in nine years. Previous year's surplus was $45,798,000.

Budget revenues $4,107,136,000, down from $4,396,320,000. Expenditures $4,255,387,000, down from $4,350,522,000.

Personal income tax was the largest single item in revenue, topping corporation tax.

Federal net debt increased by $148,251,000 during year to $11,264,000,000.

Defence spending reduced by $156,900,000 to $1,696,900,000 but remained largest spending item at 40 per cent of budget total.

Old age security fund for payment of universal over-70 pensions had deficit of $62,000,000, bringing total fund deficit to $108,000,000.

Gross national production for 1954 estimated at $23,985,000,000, down $431,000,000 from 1953.

Personal spending up to $15,581,000,000 from $15,115,000,000.

For the first time since the war there was little increase in personal earnings, which moved to $18,144,000,000 from $18,086,000,000.

Aggregate accounts of all Canadian governments estimated at about balanced during 1954 compared with average 1953 surplus of three per cent.

Capital investment in 1954 estimated at $4,546,000,000, down $294,000,000.

Average number of persons at work fell to 5,194,000 from 5,246,000 in 1953.

Unemployment Insurance Changes Draw Opposition Criticism

OTTAWA (CP) — Proposed unemployment insurance changes ran into opposition criticism immediately after they were announced Monday in the Commons by Labor Minister Gregg.

Spokesmen for all three opposition parties made varying claims that the legislation either does not go far enough or is going in the wrong direction to deal with unemployment.

Mr. Gregg outlined a measure that would overhaul the Unemployment Insurance Act, making broad changes in benefits paid to jobless and generally revise the whole insurance setup. The bill will be introduced later.

Mrs. Ellen Fairclough of Hamilton West, Labor specialist for the Progressive Conservative party, protested that the proposals still leave some classes of workers, including fishermen, without protection.

She said she will oppose a provision reducing the maximum period for drawing of normal benefits to 30 weeks from the present 51 weeks.

This change is being accompanied by higher minimum benefit periods, to 15 from six weeks.

Stanley Knowles (CCF — Winnipeg North Centre) welcomed the intentions of the new proposals but said they offer no real improvements.

Social Credit leader Low said the fact that the government introduces unemployment insurance legislation indicates a lack of faith in its economic policies.

Believed Drowned

ALERT BAY, B.C. (CP) — John Levecque, 31, Monday was believed to have drowned when he fell overboard from his motorboat Sunday night.

Kitimat Plans 500 Homes Per Year

KITIMAT, B. C. (CP) — At least 500 homes will be built here each year up to 1960 to house employees of the Aluminum Company of Canada.

Company officials reported Monday that 500 homes have already been built and a similar number will be completed by the end of the year.

Alcan officials said the increased demand for housing is due to the proposed plant expansion which will boost the plant's present production of 90,000 tons a year to 350,000 in 1960.

Projects planned in the downtown area this year include a two-storey department store, a cleaning plant and a bakery.

Three Don'ts For Long Life

MILTON, Ont. (CP) — George Hemstreet's formula for a long life: Don't smoke, don't drink, don't drive. For him it worked — he was 102 Monday.

His wife's formula is happiness. She'll be 100 May 22. They are believed the oldest married couple in Canada.

AUTOPSY ORDERED

VANCOUVER (CP)—An autopsy was ordered Monday in the death of John Link, 61, who died from head injuries without regaining consciousness after being found in the skid road area two weeks ago.

War Hero Given 15-Year Sentence

VANCOUVER (CP) — Daniel Haddon, 40-year-old war hero, Monday was sentenced to 15 years in prison when convicted of a $10,800 bank robbery.

"You must be quietly saying to yourself 'what a damn fool I've been,'" said Mr. Justice A. M. Manson when he sentenced Haddon in Assize Court.

Haddon was awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal in Italy in the Second World War.

"In battle he was a person absolutely without fear," Col. J. D. Forin, a character witness, told the court.

Col. Forin, who was Haddon's battalion commander, said the award of the DCM was justified, and at that time Haddon had been considered for the Victoria Cross.

Haddon was convicted of the Dec. 3 holdup at the Park Royal branch of the Royal Bank of Canada in West Vancouver last Dec. 3. He was arrested a few days later in a downtown Vancouver hotel.

Ice Jam Moves Without Fuss

NIAGARA FALLS, N.Y. (AP)—The historic 1955 Niagara river ice jam has come to an anticlimactic end.

There was no thunderous crack or rumble as tons of ice gave way the whirling current. There was no mountainous wall of water as the freed Niagara rushed into Lake Ontario.

A massive floe of slush ice — about 200 feet wide and half a mile long — broke off in midstream near the mouth of the river at Youngstown, N.Y., and flowed quietly out into the lake.

For all practical purposes, that was the break-up of the ice jam that clogged the river from shore to shore in the last two weeks and imperiled thousands of dollars in property.

Gets 2 Whippings, 7 Years For Assault

VANCOUVER (CP) — Raymond Graves, 28, was sentenced Monday to seven years and two whippings of five strokes on his conviction on a rape charge.

He was convicted of attacking a 30-year-old married woman on Feb. 12.

"Perhaps you will remember that," said Mr. Justice A. M. Manson in assize court wren he ordered use of the paddle.

It was a second offence for Graves. He was convicted of rape in 1948 when he was sentenced to two years and nine months.

Gratin Slaney, 52, was sentenced to two years for assault causing bodily harm. Earlier, he was acquitted of attempted murder arising out of a hatchet attack on Mrs. Roonie Townsend in her home Jan. 9.

Also sentenced by Mr. Justice Manson was Ray Galloway, 22, who was given two years and one whipping of five strokes of the paddle for indecent assault.

CPR Earnings Reported Down by $1.9 Million

MONTREAL (CP) — The Canadian Pacific Railway Company said Monday night in its 74th annual report 1954 saw a decrease in net railway earnings of nearly $1,900,000.

Net income for all operations before payment of dividends was $29,826,248, a decrease of $1,800,000 from last year. Dividends amounted to $23,805,419, leaving a balance of $6,020,829, to be transferred to profit and loss accounts.

The company had net railway earnings of $27,032,926, against $28,884,572 in 1953.

The report said "Gross railway earnings decreased $48,000,000, or 10 per cent, from the previous year. The decline in the volume of freight traffic in terms of revenue-ton miles was 14 per cent.

A one-third decrease in movement of grain and grain products because of reduced export demands was said mainly responsible.

There were many commodities which showed increases, it said, and after mid-1954 "an improvement occurred in the trend of traffic."

It said greater use of diesel power and new maintenance techniques checked the decrease in earnings.

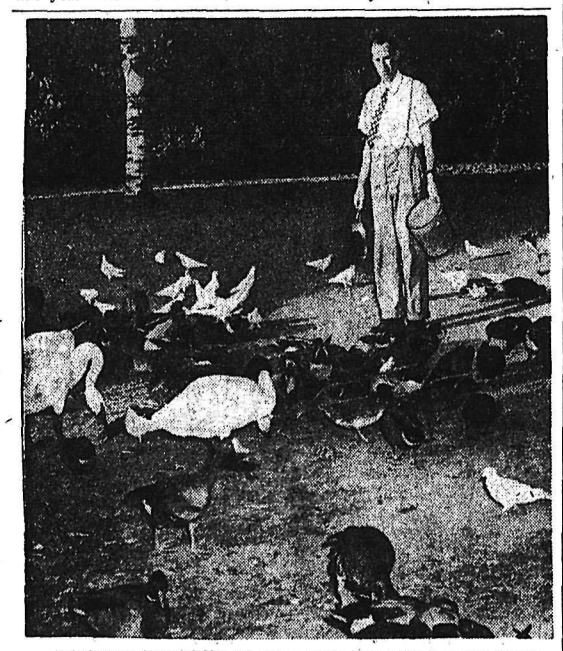
Unlike the decline in freight, 101,655 more passengers used the CPR in 1954—the total being 9,528,589.

"The results for the year represent a return on net railway investment of 2.15 per cent compared with 2.40 per cent in 1953," the report said.

Employees, at 87,074, were 8139 less than previous year. The 1953 payroll was $311,943,927, $24,822,998 more than 1954. Average annual wage however, increased by $22 to $3298 in 1954.

WALT DISNEY, who had won 22 Oscars previously, holds the two he accepted at the annual Academy Awards presentations. As Disney walked off with his second gold statuette, master of ceremonies Bob Hope quipped that he noticed the famed cartoon and nature creator had arrived at the theatre in a truck. The Oscars weigh seven pounds each. Disney won for best special effects and best art direction in "20,000 Leagues Under the Sea."

—AP Wirephoto.



WITHOUT KNOWING IT, these birds being fed here by Manly Miner, son of Jack Miner, who founded famous bird sanctuary north of Kingsville, Ont., are among thousands contributing some flying time each day in the cause of science. They are the chief actors in Operation Wood Duck, which is being unedrtaken for the first time by the Canadian Defence Research Board to determine the effects of birds on radar screens. The Miner sanctuary was chosen refuge on farm on their annual flight to Canada's Arctic regions, because of the tens of thousands of geese and ducks which seek

—Central Press Canadian.

And In This Corner . . .

LONDON, Ont. (CP)—A wrestling fan looking for a place to park his car at London Arena was approached by a bright-looking teenager. "Park your car, sir?"

"Sure," said the motorist, and handed the youth a quarter and the keys.

The motorist and police were still looking for the car at last report.

Police said that, despite the fact that the boy didn't say where or when he was going to park the car, he still could be charged with theft.

PICKERING, Ont. (CP)—Ronald Cross, 23, of Toronto had a 200-foot race with a black bear north of here Sunday night. He won by default when the bear quit.

Cross said he was walking along a concession road to visit an uncle when he heard a splashing noise in a field.

"I saw a black object," he related. "I took a closer look and saw it was a bear. I tried to run as fast as I could. I looked sideways and saw the bear running alongside me, about 25 feet away."

A wire fence separated Cross and the bear.

Cross, who said it was the first bear he had seen outside of a cage, was nearing the rear door of his uncle's house when the bear veered off into some bushes.

VANCOUVER (CP)—It was a "happy shock" for William Lee of Vancouver Sunday when he learned his wife had given birth to triplets.

The triplets—all girls—were born in St. Vincent's Hospital, the second such event in the hospital's history.

The babies, delivered within a 21-minute period, were reported "doing fine", as was Mrs. Lee. Mr. and Mrs. Lee had their first child 10 months ago in St. Vincent's.

MANILA (AP)—A barber slashed his customer's throat for "talking too much," Philippine News Service reported Monday. The story said Justiniano Zarsadiaz, 41, told police he could not stand the insults Cesar Madarang, 30, directed at him. Madarang is in a hospital in serious condition.

LAST TIMES TONIGHT — Complete Shows 7:00-8:35
TWO BIG ALL TECHNICOLOR ACTION HITS

SECOND HIT —
"FLAME OF CALCUTTA"
Denise Darcel — Patric Knowles

Wednesday Only: "THE BIGAMIST"
With Joan Fontaine - Edmond O'Brien
Plus "SKY COMMANDO"

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AUTO VUE DRIVE-IN
LAST TIMES TONIGHT
6:45 p.m. and 9 p.m.
"THE QUIET MAN"
John Wayne—Maureen O'Hara
Barry Fitzgerald
Plus Travelogue and News

Egyptians used powdered cobalt ore to tint pottery blue in Cleopatra's time.

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Police to Train Auxiliaries for CD

Nelson Police Department has expressed willingness to co-operate with the local civil defence organization in training of auxiliary policemen for use in the event of an emergency, Norman Bowcock, Nelson civil defence officer, stated Monday night following a meeting of the police department, Mr. Bowcock and E. W. White, civil defence co-ordinator for West Kootenay.

City police, represented by J. H. Crozier, showed enthusiasm for the plan and said to "go right ahead and get people interested," Mr. Bowcock said. The police department would train the auxiliaries, who would in the course of training, take over city police duty with the regular policemen. Mr. Bowcock wants to get the training under way as soon as possible. Details may be obtained from the police department.

In the event of bombing, Nelson might have to handle persons from other district centres, Mr. Bowcock said. If the H-bomb were used evacuees would come from as far as Vancouver, Mr. White added.

The tiny state of Kuwait on the Persian gulf produced 43,000,000 tons of oil in 1954.

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LADIES' ANKLE SOX: All wool, cotton and nylon. Sizes 8½-11. Pair 39¢
GIRLS' GABARDINE RAINCOATS: Green and maroon. Sizes 12-16. $8.95
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Need for Greater Knowledge of New Chemical Products Illustrated Here

With an array of the newer products of the chemical industry, Douglas Walkington, who has 35 years' experience in the chemical field, illustrated their impact upon everyday living in a "lecture dictated by the needs of the chemical industry" to the Rotary Club at the Hume Monday. Later in the day he addressed a Notre Dame College gathering.

The chemical industry has been going ahead at such a rapid pace in recent years, stated the special assistant to the sales manager of Canadian Industries Limited, Montreal, that to a great extent it is "misunderstood." A wider public knowledge was required.

For instance, few people realize there are 20 different kinds of plastic. To say that an item is made of plastic is practically the same as saying a piece of furniture is made of wood, or a garment is made of cloth. Like the many different kinds of wood, cloth or metals, the different kinds of plastic each have a different set of properties.

Evidence of the progress of the chemical industry was noted by Mr. Walkington in that only 15 or 16 years ago were the first chemicals used for medicine, nylon has been known for about the same length of time, DDT, weed killers, and other items are all comparatively new.

Basically the chemical industry is trying to make the "products without which industry could not continue." From that it tries to make other products. New raw materials and products which persons do not understand. Like metals, different chemical materials have different properties which suit them to use in different ways.

In the plastic field, a particular kind of plastic is suitable for making tumblers in that it is unbreakable, Mr. Walkington demonstrated by dropping two tumblers on the floor. Other kinds of plastic are similarly unbreakable, but can be tasted, and still another kind melts if hot liquid is put in it.

LIGHT AROUND CORNER

But nylon plastic does not melt when heated so is ideal for use in the food industry. Another kind, polythene, lighter in weight than nylon plastic, can also resist heat, is flexible and resists chemical action. Flexible plastics are used for combs and refrigerator dishes, the lecturer demonstrated. Another kind will carry light around corners and is used by dentists and for decorative purposes.

The reason that some plastic products were inferior in recent years was that the manufacturers too were unfamiliar with the different types of plastic and were in some cases using the wrong kind. An example was plastic toys which are now being made unbreakable from the right kind of plastic and which "a kid can really play with," said Mr. Walkington as he dropped a set of plastic blocks on the floor.

In the textile industry, "where chemistry is playing a great part," nylon is a "true chemical" made from minerals rather than animal or vegetable matter. A new chemical fibre is terylene. A $22,000 plant is now being built in Ontario to produce this product. Nylon possesses properties of strength and stretch, ideal for hose; terylene (known also as dacron) will not stretch so is right for thread and cloth; orlon has still other properties that suit it to a different use.

Some chemical fibres are water resistant, Mr. Walkington demonstrated a tie that could be washed in soap and water. Trousers made from this fibre won't lose their crease if the wearer walks through water. All the best fibres are not new, he noted. Some of the old fibres have good properties, too.

Mr. Walkington also mentioned "engineered fibres", made by combining two or more fibres as in the case of men's hosiery made from wool and nylon. Also chemicals can be added to woolen socks to make them shrink resistant. Addition of a chemical makes rayon water-repellent, Mr. Walkington illustrated by pouring water into a rayon stocking. It held the water.

A wider public understanding of chemical products could be obtained if manufacturers did a better job of labelling and also by individuals making an effort to educate themselves in this field, the speaker felt.

Rotarian H. E. Doelle introduced the speaker, who was thanked by J. W. Graham on behalf of the club.

STORM SEWER CROSSES AVENUE

A city public works crew Monday laid the storm sewer for Nelson's new high school across Nelson Avenue and moved their giant ditch digger on to Cottonwood Street between Third Street and Nelson Avenue.

The $16,770 storm sewer is of special reinforced concrete able to bear traffic load. When completed it will stretch from the lake front up Cottonwood Street to the school site.

Daughter of Early Dentist Passes

Word has been received in Nelson of the death of Mrs. Lloyd Kerr of Astoria Ore. She suffered a heart attack.

Mrs. Kerr is remembered in Nelson as Ethel Morrison, eldest daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Morrison, who lived for many years on Silica Street. Dr. Morrison was one of Nelson's first dentists.

Mrs. Kerr is survived by two brothers, Clarence and Ross, and one sister, Mrs. William Beatty, all of Portland.

The Weather

By The Canadian Press

A weakening Pacific disturbance brought intermittent rain to the northern B. C. coast Monday and cloudy skies spread eastward over the northern Interior. In the southern section of the province there were only a few clouds and temperatures were a little higher reaching the low 60s at some interior points. No marked change is expected Tuesday but showers will spread to northern interior districts.

Nelson	30	58	—
Halifax	30	49	—
Montreal	32	51	—
Toronto	30	51	—
Winnipeg	35	50	—
Regina	34	43	—
Calgary	25	39	—
Kimberley	28	48	—
Crescent Valley	26	53	—
Grand Forks	26	56	—
Penticton	27	56	—
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Civic Sanitary Conditions Good

Sanitary conditions in the Nelson Civic Centre are generally good, it was indicated in a report of R. G. Scott, sanitary inspector for Selkirk Health Unit, read at a meeting of the Civic Centre Commission Monday night. The report was made following an inspection of the Civic Centre and Civic Theatre last month.

A cleanup of the furnace room was recommended in the report to alleviate a dust condition. Part of this cleanup has been carried out already, secretary-manager Jack Morgan informed the commission. Improved sanitary conditions in the dressing rooms were also recommended. Food handling facilities were found satisfactory.

Five representatives of the Nelson Figure Skating Club met with the commission to discuss arranging a weekly adult skating session for the club next winter. The commission tentatively set a time each week for this session. The club through the summer will endeavor to get individuals interested in attending these functions. It is necessary to have at least 35 or 40 persons to make a session successful, they said. The club also mentioned lockers for figure skaters next season. Mr. Morgan advised that a locker rental plan for next season was likely.

The commission granted the West Kootenay Mine Safety Association use of the recreation hall for a first aid competition June 11 in the event that the function is rained out at Lakeside Park. This is an annual event.

Mr. Morgan advised that the Ward Bell circus will be held at the Civic April 30 with the Junior Chamber of Commerce as sponsors.

A new frame ladder costing $70.25 has been received, the manager said. It is ideal for changing lights, cleaning shades, etc.

FRED MALOFF IN FAIRLY GOOD CONDITION

TRAIL — Fred Maloff, 19, of Brilliant, injured in an accident on the Thrums Flats highway Sunday was reported in "fairly good condition" at Trail-Tadanac Hospital Monday.

He was injured when his half-ton truck overturned, suffering multiple fractures, including a fractured pelvis. The truck was a total wreck, RCMP said.

VANCOUVER (CP) — Funeral service will be held today for Lew Gordon, former city editor of the Vancouver Province and British Columbia's first motion picture censor.

Charles Llewellyn Wallace Gordon died Sunday at his home in Sechelt at 77.

LAST RITES HELD FOR P. PLANIDIN

CASTLEGAR — Russian funeral services were held at Glade Monday afternoon for Peter Planidin, 32, who died suddenly at his home in Glade April 2. Ven. Archdeacon B. A. Resker of Castlegar conducted the committal service. Interment was in Thrums cemetery.

Mr. Planidin is survived by his wife, Alice; four sons, Peter, Anthony, David and James and a brother, Gregory, all of Glade, and a sister, Mrs. Violet Amaroso of Nelson.

Former Salmo Man Dies In Freak Accident

Thomas A. Newton, 41-year-old Prince Rupert electrical contractor, died in hospital at Queen Charlotte City, B. C., during the weekend following a freak accident while berthing his seaplane.

Accompanied by William Collins, provincial government electrical inspector at Prince Rupert, Mr. Newton had flown Saturday from Prince Rupert to Masset on the northern tip of Graham island in the Queen Charlotte group.

RCMP said Mr. Newton was standing on a pontoon beside his single engined Luscombe plane while the motor was still running. The pontoon bumped the side of the dock throwing Mr. Newton against the revolving propellor and knocking him into the water.

He is survived by his widow, Elsie, and three children, Peter, Cheri Ricky and a brother Douglas.

Mr. Newton was well known in this district, having resided in Salmo for 10 years. He was employed then by West Kootenay Power and Light Company. He moved to the Coast about 1940.

Quakers Here to Meet Freedomites

A delegation of the American Society of Friends arrived in Nelson Monday and will meet with Sons of Freedom.

The delegation, Dorothy Starr, editor of the Canadian Friend, Toronto, Stephen Cary of Philadelphia, secretary of the American section, American Friends Service Committee, and a third member, will visit New Denver Welfare Home where 74 Freedomite children are attending school, and Krestova.

The sect a week ago in a telegram to Dorothy Starr protested that they did not wish to see the delegation if they continued in support of one of their number, Emmett Gulley, who has been a principal in efforts to solve the Freedomite problem.

467 Attend Rotary Meet

Registration at the Rotary International District 153 conference at Lewiston, Idaho, last week numbered 467, K. D. McRae reported to Nelson Rotary Club meeting Friday. He was one of nine Nelsonites who attended the conference.

Programs were interesting, he said with the highlight being an address by the dean of Ankara College, Turkey, Harry D. Harrison of Nelson was a speaker at the conference, also.

Also at the business meeting, President W. S. Ramsay expressed thanks to the Nelson Kinsmen Club for a donation to the Rotary swimming pool fund.

Guests were William H. Heinke of Milwaukee, Wis.; Vincent Killeen of Nelson and Douglas Walkington of Montreal, guest speaker.

CLASSIFIED ADS GET RESULTS

Central School Boiler Room to Be Fireproofed

Fireproofing of Central School boiler room will be started immediately, trustees of School District 7 decided Monday night.

The fireproofing has been asked by Fire Chief Elwin S. Owens to make the school safer. It is common practice to fireproof boiler rooms in all schools, the Department of Education told the board in a letter and the board will therefore pay half the cost. Tender is for $2100.

Unusual drainage problem at the new high school site has decided the school board to take out a special insurance that will cover the building fully in case the bank should sluff and the building be damaged. The insurance will be effective until the permanent drain is in and both the drainage system and building have been approved by the school board.

An application to use the Junior High School auditorium May 11 to stage a play was received from St. Saviour's Young Peoples and the club will be notified of the board's policy to charge $50 for money-raising programs. The money from the play would go to help pay for the new St. Saviour's hall addition.

The Board received letters of thanks from Notre Dame College for use of the Junior High School auditorium by the college basketball team to practice in and one from the Chamber of Mines for use of a classroom for their prospecting classes, for which 58 registered.

Two letters of thanks were received from Junior High School Principal B. B. Crawford and School Inspector H. S. Hurn for work done on the Junor High School auditorium stage by the schools maintenance crew.

The Board moved that when Recreation Director A. W. Thiessen makes an application to use school facilities that principals be given power to act, since his work is of an educational nature.

School buses will be provided to take students from Salmo to Trail April 12 and Nelson students to Trail April 13. The students will tour Cominco smelter.

Easter Holidays Start Friday

Nelson School District No. 7 students are engaged in the last week of school prior to the annual 10-day Easter holiday. Teachers, of course, will also be free of classroom duties for 10 days, starting Good Friday. However, for the three remaining days students and teachers will be concentrating on Easter examinations and plans for the holiday. Schools re-open April 18.

NELSON MOTORISTS FINED

Two Nelson motorists were fined in provincial court Monday for driving infractions.

Gordon L. Sutherland was fined $10 and costs when he pleaded guilty to failing to stop at a stop sign on the North Shore and R. O. Christie was fined $25 and costs for exceeding the 30 mile per hour speed limit at Balfour.

J. Godin of Nelson was sentenced to 30 days in provincial jail for being intoxicated while an interdicted person. He pleaded guilty. All appeared before Stipendiary Magistrate William Evans.

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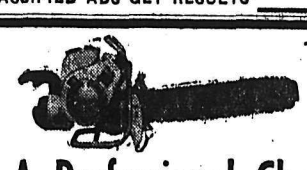

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To Lay Cornerstone for Trail Church Saturday

TRAIL—Completion of St. Andrew's Church on Pine Avenue was the largest item on building inspector T. J. Stretton's report to city council Monday, with $60,500 the amount designated for the new structure. Permission was granted for the closing of the street on Eldorado from the lane to Pine from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. April 16 for the laying of the cornerstone.

Total of permits for March amounted to $76,950, as compared to $106,040 for March, 1954. Total to date for 1955 amounted to $91,585, compared to $408,640 for the same period last year.

An amended budget from the Trail-Tadanac board of park commissioners was received by council. The $3000 to be spent on B. Street Park was cut to $600, reducing the budget from $41,324 to $38,624.

The board will also abandon the memorial centre one per cent write-off figure, reducing the loss from $39,803 to $10,206. Member of the council will hold a meeting with the parks board commissioners to discuss the amended budget.

The Rossland-Trail Soroptimists Club favors fluoridation of the local water supply, and wished to go on record as such. The club recommends holding a plebiscite, if necessary, to make it conclusive.

A proposal from the West Kootenay Health Unit to erect a community health centre in Warfield will be studied by council.

Chairman of the cemetery committee reported considerable water and mud, particularly on the driveway, at the cemetery.

Resolutions concerning paving and employee benefits were received from the village of Warfield for presentation to the spring meeting of the Association of Kootenay Municipalities to be held in Cranbrook May 14.

Charges of unorthodox operation by a company in Trail operating from Nelson will be fully investigated. Representing Marapodi's Accordion College in East Trail, Mr. Marapodi told city council members the company was conducting a similar business under an almost identical name without taking out a licence. Misleading stories were being told, he said, to confuse people. An investigation will be conducted by the finance committee.

$200,000 for Cancer Fight

B.C. citizens will be asked by two Vancouver-based organizations to give $200,000 to help beat cancer. Canada's second leading cause of death. The Cancer Society is a member of the Community Chest in Nelson District and receive support here from citizens' donations distributed through that body.

The objective of the joint campaign of the B.C. division, Canadian Cancer Society and the B.C. Cancer Foundation was announced today by Mrs. Frank M. Ross, society president.

The "Conquer Cancer" funds carry on a program of education on cancer's danger signals, help to needy patients, research into the disease and provision of treatment and diagnostic facilities.

The B.C. Cancer Institute, at Tenth and Heather, recognized as one of the finest cancer treatment centres in North America, and the adjoining $270,000 boarding home for cancer patients now under construction are monuments to their efforts.

"An estimated 3000 new cases of cancer will be discovered in B.C. this year and an estimated 1800 British Columbians will die of the disease."

"To Conquer Cancer we must all be ready to support the research into its causes and possible cures, and the education and welfare programs so that no B.C. citizen need delay seeking treatment."

Community Chest allocation from Nelson District to the fund last year was $4000.

SUCCEEDS FATHER

ST. LOUIS (AP)—Joseph Pulitzer, Jr., 41, became editor and publisher of the St. Louis Pos-Dispatch Monday, succeeding his father who died last week. Pulitzer in an editorial emphasized he would maintain the policy set by his grandfather and father which made The Post-Dispatch one of the great crusading newspapers in the United States.

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CRESTON BOARD NEVER DOUBTED NELSON'S SUPPORT FOR CUTOFF

CRESTON — A letter received Monday morning by Creston Board of Trade from Nelson Chamber of Commerce concerning the latter's support for the proposed Salmo-Creston road, created a very favorable reaction among local board officials.

It was pointed out, however, that the Creston board had never officially or otherwise felt inclined to believe as reported elsewhere recently that the Nelson Chamber was not in favor of the road.

It has been generally felt that the road would go through regardless of the recent addition of a lake ferry or plans for the West Arm bridge. This was stated in effect some time ago by former minister of public works Hon. P. A. Gaglardi.

The belief here is that the cutoff would be a boon to all centres in the Kootenays. Not only would tourist trade be stimulated, but Creston residents themselves would also be more prone to take trips to Salmo, Nelson, Trail and other centres rather than go South. It was also realized here, said one board of trade official, that it was only natural that the Nelson chamber, in seeking improved communications generally, had directed most of its energies recently to the West Arm bridge project.

Pearce Again President . . .

Fernie United Football Year One of Its Worst

FERNIE — James Pearce was re-elected president of the Fernie United Football club at the annual meeting. It is the 51st successive year that Mr. Pearce has had some connection with football either as a player or executive. This record began while Mr. Pearce was a youth in Wales.

John Cairns was named vice-president while the perennial Alfred Crompton, was returned to office. The meeting elected Dave Kerr, Tom Shaw, Harry Burrows, James Shaw Sr., and Archie Price to the executive. Authority was given to the officers and elected executive to appoint three additional executive members.

GATE RECEIPTS OFF

In his annual report Mr. Pearce stated that 1954 was one of the poorest, both in play and financially in the club's history since its reorganization after the war. The club had won the Crows Nest Pass football league without losing or tying a game. The Crahan cup had been successfully defended. The Central cup had been lost to the Lethbridge ANAF. It was the first time since 1939 that a Fernie football club had not been in the money in the Labor Day football tournament. Mr. Pearce quoted figures showing that the gate receipts during the past four years had steadily dropped from $1291 in 1951 to $455 in 1954.

The financial statement showed total receipts of $1063. This included a carryover of $102 from 1953. The expenditures were $990 leaving a balance of $73. This meant that the club operated at a loss of $29 during 1954.

The United will again enter the Crow's Nest Pass Football League and join the Alberta Fotball Association. The city league will be sponsored by the United. April 23 was set as the closing date for entries in the league. James Pearce and Alfred Crompton were named as delegates to the Crow's Nest Pass Football Association meeting scheduled to be held after Easter.

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Busy Three Days Ahead of Black

CRESTON — Hon. W. D. Black, provincial secretary and minister of municipal affairs, arrived Sunday night for a short visit with his constituents here.

He will return to Victoria by plane from Cranbrook Friday morning.

The minister was busy Monday with interviews by appointment with numerous citizens, discussing their individual problems, and will continue to be so each day of his visit.

J. E. Brown, inspector of municipalities, is here also to discuss municipal matters with Creston Village Council. Main municipal problem at present is how to finance a hold-over 1954 sewerage project with a limited 1955 revenue.

Mr. Black's itinerary also includes his attendance at a Legion social tonight and a visit Wednesday night to Riondel, where he will speak at a public meeting. He will be guest speaker at a Creston Social Credit Association banquet Thursday night, winding up a busy visit.

PAKISTAN TO JOIN DEFENCE ALLIANCE

KARACHI (Reuters) — Pakistan has decided to accept the invitation of Turkey and Iraq to join their defence alliance, it was learned today.

Invitations were delivered last Friday to Prime Minister Mohammed Ali. It is understood Pakistan's acceptance has already been sent to Ankara and Baghdad.

Pakistan's decision to join the pact, which has been denounced by Egypt as cutting across the Arab security pact, follows a similar decision by Britain.

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ALL-DAY CELEBRATION of the 50th anniversary of Cristoforo Colombo lodge was highlighted at Trail by a banquet at which the giant birthday cake shown here was cut. Left to right in foreground are C. Decembrini, lodge president; his wife, Hon. R. E. Sommers, MLA for Rossland-Trail, and Mrs. Sommers.—A. L. Fryling photo.

Slocan Mining Picks Up; Woods Activity Reflects Spring Change

Renewal of activity at two Slocan mines, resumption of production at two mills, and suspension of some logging operations during the Spring break-up were features of the employment pictures, reported by the National Employment Service.

Manager George Bevis of the local area office said 1500 received unemployment insurance benefits totalling $136,000 during March. This was 300 fewer than were registered at the same time a year previous.

Bridge and building gang and section work activities of Canadian Pacific Railway were expected to show increase during April with re-hiring of crews.

SCALE TRIPLES

Timber scaled in the Nelson Forest District in February was three times greater than the amount scaled in the same month a year ago. The total log scale reported for January and February this year was 62,455,852 f.b.m. as compared to 29,155,232 f.b.m. for the same period last year.

The closure of the Marblehead logging operation of the Kootenay Forest Products Ltd. was effected during March. The company having a sufficient log inventory on hand with which to continue normal sawmill operations until logging activity is again resumed following the spring breakup.

Hearn Brothers operation in the Salmo area, employing 20, suspended logging operations during the latter part of March due to poor road conditions. They will resume milling as soon as logs are again available.

The tempo in sawmill activity increased with the return of two operations to normal production.

The Waldie Division of the Celgar Development Co., Castlegar, resumed operations, following a shutdown for machinery overhauling. This closure lasted approximately one month and involved 100 workers. The match block factory of the W. W. Powell Lumber Company, Nelson, also resumed operations during March, at which time 10 female workers were re-employed after a layoff of a month.

PRICES SLIP

Lumber prices softened somewhat owing to a slackening in demand for most grades. The price of fir lumber particularly eased to some extent.

The Viola Mac mine continued to operate at full production and in addition two of the producers which closed down following the decline in base metals, have now re-opened and are carrying out underground development work in preparation of resumption of production. These properties include the Cody Reco mine which is presently employing 17 men and the Carnegie mine currently employing four men.

A number of other mining companies are formulating plans to re-open their properties following the spring breakup at which time possibly an additional 350 mine workers will be required in the Nelson L.O. area.

Early in the month, 15 workers were taken on the B. & B. gang of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. This employer plans to rehire 25 section men early in April, should weather conditions be favorable at that time.

SALES OVERCOME RETAIL DROP

Retail trade was down from 10 to 15 per cent in the Nelson area in March as compared to the same month a year ago. This drop was overcome in some cases by firms resorting to sales promotions.

Furniture and appliance sales showed a decline as did the sale of men's and ladies' clothing, while piece goods and small wares sales held up fairly well.

Teen Town Gives To March of Dime

FERNIE — Mrs. Gwen Lilley, chairman of the March of Dimes, was given a happy surprise when she was presented with a check for $39.16 for B.C. sick and crippled children

This money had been raised by the young people of the Teen Town organization under the management of Miss G. M. Pettersen, adult advisor, and Glen Di Georgio, mayor, by holding a series of dances.

This addition now makes the total of $367.53 donated by the citizens of Fernie.

"It is very heart-warming to see the young people of the Teen Town organization of Fernie taking such a keen interest in the welfare of the sick and crippled children of B.C.," one official said.

Hon. R. E. Sommers . . .

New Deal on Interior Stumpage Needed

TRAIL — A new deal on stumpage is the key to establishing large forest industries like pulp mills in the interior, Lands Minister Sommers said in an address to the Kiwanis club of Trail.

He said the fact that stumpage rates were the same in the interior as on tidewater was one of the problems confronting Celgar.

Final decision on Celgar's application for a forest management licence in the Arrow Lakes is being delayed pending that company's presentation of a brief to the Sloan commission.

Mr. Sommers noted that a pulp mill in the interior faced higher costs in transporting raw materials to the mill and in transporting the finished product to markets.

Further, he said Celgar surveys had uncovered a species problem which increased production costs with no alleviating factor in stumpage rates.

Mr. Sommers said it looked like establishment of a large forest industry in the interior was not economically feasible unless some method was devised to encourage companies to come into the interior.

Decision on Celgar's application will be made when the Sloan commission completes its findings within a year.

Aussie Engineer For Emerald Mine

EMERALD MINE—Bert Gazzard has arrived from Australia to take over duties as mechanical engineer for the Canadian Exploration Company Ltd., here.

His wife and daughter are en route from Australia to join him here.

150 Petition For Road Work

PROCTER — A delegation headed by B. J. Fitchett has presented a petition containing 150 names to Hon. W. D. Black requesting immediate attention to the Procter-Harrop road.

About 75 motor vehicles are owned in this district and the school bus and two trucking lines use the road daily.

Poor condition of the road has been a bone of contention for some time.

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Andrew Johnson, U.S. president who died in 1875, was taught to read by his wife after his marriage at age 19.

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Lifeboat Used As Ferry Stalls

HARROP — Service was disrupted on the Harrop-Longbeach ferry for a number of hours Saturday night. The transmission broke at 10:30 p.m. when the ferry was proceeding about 400 feet from the Harrop shore, making it necessary for the ferryman, V. Rowley, and one passenger to take to the lifeboat. Three mechanics of the public works were called from Nelson and worked four hours repairing the damage.

Passengers from eight cars had to be rowed across the lake by Mr Rowley and their cars were left for the night by the roadside. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Garner of Procter waited until 3:30 a.m. on the Longbeach side until the repairs were completed before continuing home.

A short time before the breakdown a large number of district residents had returned from the public meeting in Longbeach at which the Hon. W. D. Black was guest speaker.

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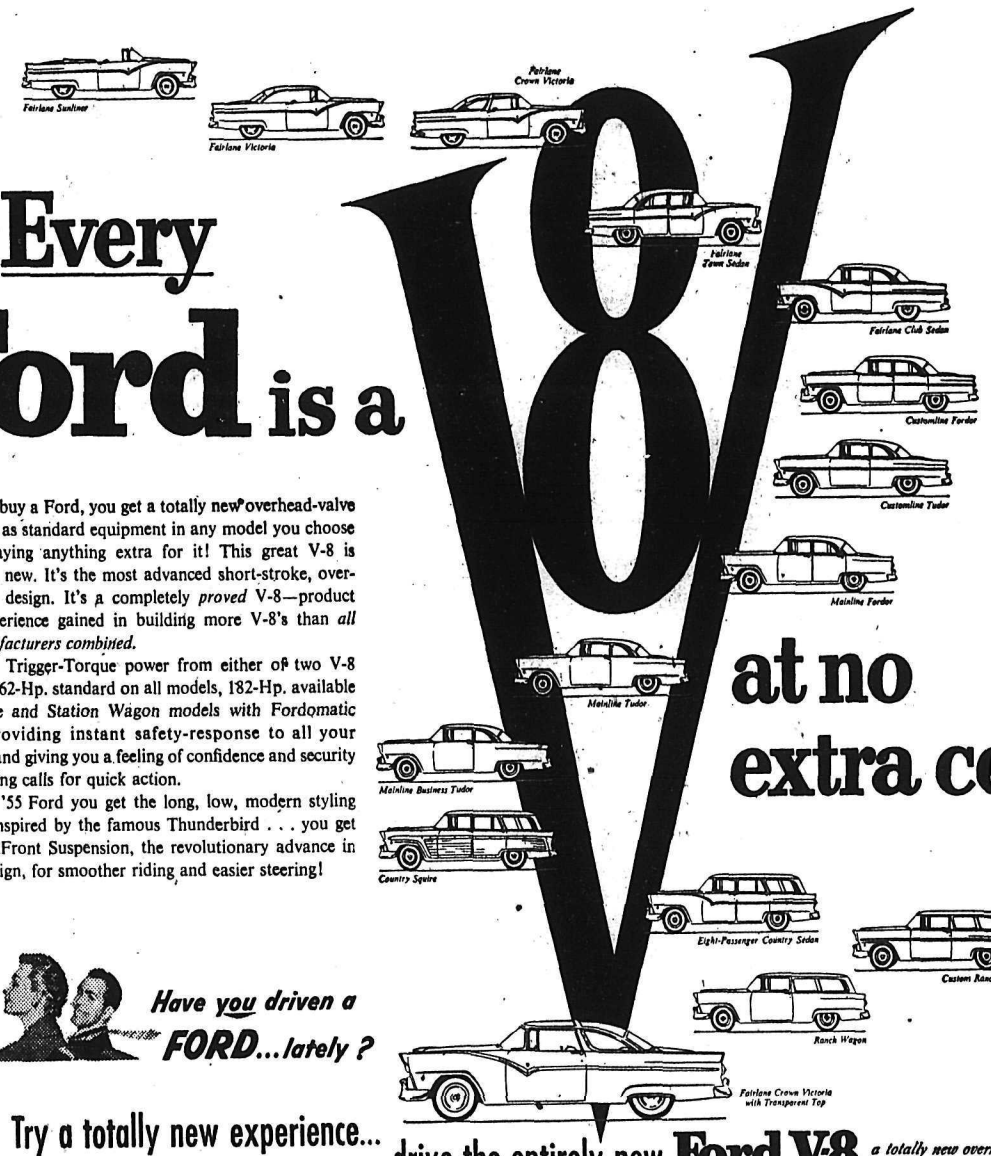

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Lesson From Alberta

Because they were charged with being part-owners of a building rented to the government two private members of the Alberta Legislature have resigned. The public accounts committee, which reported the information made no suggestion that there was wrong-doing. The resignations came in recognition of a long-standing principle. That is, that no person can represent both interests in a two-way transaction. It is a basic rule for decency in government — and for all society, for that matter. The rule that no man or woman elected to parliament can do business with the government is designed to protect the people, protect the government and protect the individual elected Member. Confidence of the public is lost once it becomes known that principals on both sides of any transaction, no matter of what size, are the same. The degree of participation in the transaction and the degree of ownership in the business does not matter, it is the principle involved and the ramifications possible from such a matter that are important.

Other Centres See Value of Pursuing Business

Kitchener, Ontario, with an established status as an industrial city, is going to send to Europe a delegation of three to seek new investment, new prospects for industrial building and new interest in its potential.

In doing so Kitchener is merely following in the footsteps of many another modern centre that has found it advantageous to bring the attention of business and industry to its own attractions.

We have argued many times that the Kootenay is an economic entity. We have argued frequently that the district should have a business promotion committee that made sure the facts of this district were known to those who have money to invest in new enterprises.

At times the reply has been that industry is so well informed and business is so wise in seeking out new sites for its activities that there is no point in such effort. That attitude borders on defeatism. Progress will come to the communities that work honestly and vigorously for it.

We have the examples of such cities as Kelowna and Penticton promoting their attractions to the hilt, we have Mayor Joseph Kary urging that the city leaders give attention to publicizing our tourist attractions, we have the provincial secretary urging Chambers of Commerce and similar groups to make the facts of their districts known and to assist in holding the attention of business and industry when it is attracted here. With these viewpoints, and with activities such as Kitchener is supporting, we are in full accord.

Man cannot live on bread alone. He must keep his spiritual, cultural and social house in order and advance those things that enhance these qualities. But he must also be a fisher and a baker, a buyer and a seller, and a strong economic basis helps all these achievements. Nelson and the Kootenay should give some attention to developing a business promotion and relations program.

Try and Stop Me

By BENNETT CERF

The nastiest kid on the block had tried to hold out for two successive lessons the dollar his mother had given him to pay his piano teacher. "Try that just once more," threatened the professor angrily, "and I'm going straight to your parents and tell them you have exceptional talent."

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A collection agency wrote a slick evader at a Park Avenue address. "We hope you can send in the amount of your bill, which is now two years overdue." The slicker actually answered. What he wrote was: "Sirs: The amount of my bill is $818.71. Very truly yours. . . ."

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The old Shakespearian actor cupped a hand over his ear, and apologized. "You'll have to speak a bit louder, my good man. I've become a wee bit deafened. All that applause, you know . . ."

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A landlord was called "Santa Claus" by his loving tenants because he faithfully painted his property once every 30 years whether it needed it or not. One day he worked himself up into a particular lather over the occupants of the flat on the top floor. "Now the fool thinks I'm a weather prophet," the Scrooge snorted to his wife. "Wants to know how much longer the roof's going to leak!"

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A farmer once named a cow Zephyr,
She seemed such an amiable heifer.
But when he drew near
She chewed off his ear,
And now he is very much dephyr.

If the Whistle Had Blew

(Cleveland Plain Dealer)

Since English is the tool of our profession, we found great interest and many a chuckle in an article which appeared recently in the Journal of the American Judicature Society. It expressed the need for greater study of English in the schools. The author was Cary V. Weygandt, chief justice of the Supreme Court of Ohio.

One day, while returning to Columbus by train, the judge sat behind two law students, headed for the bar examination.

Said one: "I wish that somehow during my many years of schooling I had learned to express myself."

Said the other: "Express yourself! I can't even spell."

"Then," wrote the judge, "ensued a discussion of our ultra-modern theories of education. It concluded with the pungent indictment: "We are supposed to learn to read and spell without learning the alphabet. Next they will attempt to teach us arithmetic without learning figures."

In conducting bar examinations, Judge Weygandt wrote: "When we find proper and the correct use of semi-colons, we are inclined to think we may have unearthed a legal genius."

Practising lawyers have been known to suffer from "an occasional linguistic lapse," and this story by Judge Weygandt would appear to prove it: A rural Ohio barrister, it seems, was pleading a case in which his client sought to recover damages from a railroad for killing his cow. The peroration, according to the record, went like this:

"If the train had been ran as it should have been, or if the whistle had been blew as it should have been, both of which they did neither, the cow would not have been injured when she was killed."

Recommended Reading

The opening of the parliamentary session so closely following the death of B. K. Sandwell reminds us of one of the many projects he undertook during his life: the formation of the Society of the Friends of Hansard.

The Society's object was to get more people watching the work of Parliament through readership of the record of the House of Commons Debates.

The object remains sound. By following the debates printed in Hansard, the average citizen can arrive at his own opinions on the matters discussed in Parliament, can judge the effectiveness of his MP, and can pick up an astonishing amount of detailed information.

—The Financial Post.

?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.

Oldtimer, Nelson—Referring to your request for list of names of hotels in Nelson's early days, we are indebted to several readers for supplying the full information:

Tremont, Queen's, Nelson House, Madden, Silver King, Sherbrooke, Club, Royal, Lakeview, Grand, Hume, Kootenay, Klondike, Grove, Grand Central, Phair, Stanley House, Merchants', Victoria (temperance), Clark (later known as the Bartlett House). There was also a hotel at Bealby's Point.

A. J. B., Kimberley—What days and at what time does the ferry leave Castlegar for Edgewood?

The ferry leaves Castlegar Tuesday at 7 a.m., and Saturday. It arrives at Edgewood at 11 a.m. We are making inquiries regarding rates.

Reader, Arrow Park—Please tell me the name of Penticton and Kelowna papers.

Penticton Herald; Kelowna Courier.

R. S., Castlegar—Please tell me what one can use to clean chrome where it is rusty in places?

As rust corrodes metals, it will be difficult to remove, but we advise you to consult your hardware merchants. There are two or three preparations on sale for polishing metals.

Mrs. D. R. S., Kimberley—Do you know anyone who raises collie dogs?

Write to Mrs. Colin Duff, R.R. 1, Nelson.

E. F., Trail—Is there anybody in the district who does hemstitching? I find that the Singer Sewing Machine people no longer do that kind of work, and I would like to find someone nearer than Vancouver.

Get in touch with Mrs. H. Laurie, 1580 Bay Avenue, Trail. Mrs. Laurie specializes in baby clothes, and might be interested in other fine work. There is also Mrs. Boettger, Castlegar, and Mrs. Mary Efanoff, Box 146, Salmo.

Driver's Dilemna

(From The Winnipeg Free Press)

The murder of a priest on a lonely stretch of highway in Manitoba raises a problem that at one time or another troubles all motorists. While one might reasonably refuse to stop for a hitch-hiker, particularly at night, what does one do if a man appears to be in real difficulty? To drive on outrages a westerner's sense of comradeship and hospitality, and his appreciation of how savage the prairies can be in winter. But one cannot stop without misgivings.

There is a compromise that enables something to be done while reducing, though not entirely eliminating, the risk. The motorist can slow down and perhaps stop—with the doors of his car locked. He may then feel sure that the person requesting help is honestly in trouble. But if he still suspects that there is some danger involved, the entirely safe thing to do is to go to the nearest phone and inform the police. One may regret having to take such precautions. They may prove necessary in only one cause out of every thousand. They are, nonetheless, safeguards that can avert tragedy in that one case.

Crime?

An 80-year-old Turkish newspaper editor has been jailed for 26 months for writing editorials found to have been insulting to Turkey's Prime Minister and his Cabinet colleagues. The text of the editorials is not available here, but if insulting politicians were to become an offence in Canada, a good many editors would be behind bars. By the same token, if insulting newspapers were an offence, a lot of politicians also would be on the inside looking out.—The Brantford Expositor.

Your Horoscope

You should enjoy success, but are cautioned to exercise care over minor business details and safeguard your property. A child born today should be very clever and successful.

It's Been Said

There can be no excess to love, to knowledge, to beauty, when these attributes are considered in the purest sense.—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

Today's Bible Thought

Light is sown for the righteous, and gladness for the upright in heart.—Psa. 97:11.

Some prefer darkness, because their deeds are evil. Gladness will not brighten their days.

Aunt Het

Pa thinks I ought to be cooler than he is because my clothes are lighter, but I've got a lot more natural covering than he has.

READ THE CLASSIFIED DAILY

Where a Baby Never Cries

. . . F. B. Pearce

According to a news report from Melbourne, doctors are trying to find out why eleven-months-old Gregory Eddy never cries. Even when he falls he just gurgles or chortles with amusement. The report does not say how they went about their research, but unless Gregory can talk it is as hopeless a business as asking a deaf mute to explain a joke. We have all heard of a doctor being called in because the baby cried, but this is the first time that it ever happened that three doctors have been concerned with one that refuses to cry.

In the ancient days in Europe no one would have been at all concerned. They would simply have ascribed the phenomenon to fairies, but unless some of the recent immigrants to Australia have been clandestinely introducing the "little people" we can count that out. Our ancestors when they were confronted with something like this would immediately talk of changelings and hie themselves to the local white witch to have the child unspelled. Of course it could not possibly be a human baby if it did not grow and did not cry, and they certainly would not want to bring up someone else's baby, particularly a fairy's.

There was the other kind of changeling that was even worse. It was very big and its appetite was enormous. It grew up to be a giant, with all the brutishness of low intelligence, and was a terror to the neighborhood. The tales of giants and Jack the Giant Killer were not mere invention. They started from real beings, who actually were over-large, ferocious and dangerous. The tales of course were exaggerated and embroidered, but essentially they are reasonable in the way the giants were killed, by cunning and not force.

FEAR STILL

People have always had a horror of human monsters. The two-headed giant of the fairy tales was a freak of nature which frightened everybody, but today, though we have no fear of giants, there is still a fear of monstrosities. The recent experiments with the atom bombs have let loose a large amount of radioactive material which is supposed to affect the human body in such a way that there will be a large number of mutations and new forms of the human body. No one seems to consider that there might be some improvements. They expect to have monsters. In fact, they rather look forward to something horrid. They will probably be disappointed.

BOON

It is certainly to be hoped that the doctors will find out what makes Master Gregory laugh and not cry. Think what a boon it will be to the human race if it can produce cryless babies. No longer will the distracted mother have to consider gagging the child for the sake of a little peace, and male parents will no longer be called upon to pace the floor at midnight. They will be able to enjoy television, with all its noise, in peace. It will be a golden age for teachers, too. Fancy having a class where no one is unhappy.

We must now expect that the Australians will come forward with the claim that such children are not uncommon in their land, and that the influence of sun and climate is such that they are breeding a race of super-humans in the Antipodes, and the Melbourn Chamber of Commerce can be expected to advertise their city as the only place where babies never cry.

Demand Withdrawal Of Schulberg Oscar

NEW YORK (AP) — The Monticello Film Corp., has demanded that the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences take back the "Oscar" given to Budd Schulberg last Wednesday for writing the movie "On the Waterfront." In a letter to the Academy the lawyer for the company said Monticello has filed suit claiming to be "the true owner of the story" that was produced by Columbia Pictures.

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London Presses Remain Silent

LONDON (Reuters) — Britain Monday faced the prospect of going without her national press for at least another week and missing out on newspaper reports about the greatest domestic story in years — Sir Winston Churchill's expected resignation as prime minister Tuesday.

There was no hope this morning that the 11-day-old strike of 600 maintenance men for higher pay would be settled before Easter weekend. The stoppage has halted publication of all London's daily and Sunday newspapers which circulate throughout Britain.

Combined net losses of the newspaper owners is rapidly approaching the equivalent of $3,000,000. The losses are expected to mount daily by about $250,000.

UNCERTAIN UNIONS

So far, the two unions concerned have not decided whether to participate in a government fact-finding probe of the stoppage, expected to start today. The Newspaper Proprietors Association has already announced its intention to co-operate with the three-member inquiry court.

The court has no power to enforce a settlement but will make recommendations to the government. The strikers are demanding a weekly wage increase equivalent to $8.12 above their present average pay of $32 a week. They have rejected an offer of $1.96.

Canada's First Sub Arrives

HALIFAX (CP) — The Royal Canadian navy got its first submarine Monday.

The 1120-ton Astute slid gracefully alongside jetty 5 at the naval dockyard to begin 18 months of service with the RCN. Although she still is the property of the Royal Navy, the Astute will be under Canadian operational command.

She will be followed later this year by two of her A-class sisters, the Ambush in May and the Alderney in July. Together they will comprise the RN's 6th submarine squadron, Halifax-based and the focal point of the RCN's accelerating program of anti-sub training.

Canadian personnel now being trained in the United Kingdom eventually will make up about 50 per cent of the combined complement. During the next few months only 30-odd Canadians will be among the 180 crew members.

CLASSIFIED ADS GET RESULTS

SELL SCARBOROUGH DEFENCE PLANT

OTTAWA (CP) — The government has sold the huge Scarborough defence plant, just outside Toronto, which is engaged in making propulsion machinery for Canada's destroyer-escort program.

The defence production department announced Monday that the plant, built by the John Inglis Company, Ltd., for the government, has been sold to the Inglis parent company, the English Electric Company, Ltd., of England.

The price involved was not immediately announced.

The plant will continue to be operated by the Inglis Company.

Title to the government-owned machinery and equipment located in the plant remains vested in the crown and the complete production facilities are to be maintained for defence requirements for a 10-year period.

Canadian Vets Visit Cenotaph.

LONDON (CP) — Some 300 expatriated Canadian veterans marched through the heart of London recently to pay tribute to their fallen fellows.

Small crowds of sightseers lined Whitehall and Trafalgar Square as the Canadians swung past in civilian clothes, medals tinkling. Skies were overcast for the annual parade, arranged by the Canadian Veterans Association in Great Britain.

Air Vice-Marshal D. M. Smith of New Westminster, B. C., only man of the Canadian joint staff in London, inspected the ex-servicemen, placed a wreath at the Whitehall cenotaph and took the salute.

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Kootenay Valley Hospital Improvement District

NOTICE

OF ANNUAL MEETING

ZONE NO. 2

Willow Point and North Shore Including Grohman Creek

Notice Is Hereby Given That The Annual General Meeting of the Property Owners of the Above Zone Will Be Held In

WILLOW POINT SCHOOL HOUSE

on FRIDAY, 15th of APRIL, 1955 at 8:00 P.M.

For the Following Purposes:

(a) To receive from the Trustees of the Zone a report on the undertakings of the said Improvement District for the preceding fiscal year and a statement of the financial condition of the said Improvement District prepared by the auditor.

(b) To discuss with the Trustees any matter relating to the undertakings or finance of the said Improvement District.

Trustee: Mr. R. A. Grimes, Chairman of the meeting.

Dated: the 15th day of March, 1955.

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Mrs. Flora Hubert is a patient in Kootenay Lake General Hospital.

Procter PTA Raps Road Condition

PROCTER—Parents at the Parent-Teacher Association's meeting sent a letter of protest to the public works department against the dangerous condition of the road between Harrop and Procter on which the school bus travels.

A. L. Cartier reported that teachers at Harrop, Balfour and Willow Point had agreed to share the cost of the trophies and ribbons, and the school sports meet was set for May 20.

B. J. Fitchett announced that the Procter and District Recreation Commission had donated $15 to the dressmaking and upholstering classes to be held in Procter starting the week of May 2. Mrs. A. J. Garner, president, said that the PTA would sponsor a lecture on civil defence by Ian MacLeod during the Easter vacation. Court whist and refreshments followed, with conveners Mrs. N. MacLeod, Mrs. M. D. MacKinnon, Mrs. Garner, Mrs. O. Bedard and Mrs. F. Bonacci in charge. Winners were Mrs. William Andrusiak and A. Ogden, with consolations going to Mrs. Henke and Mr. Cartier.

SOCIAL LEADER

Dolly Madison, wife of President James Madison, presided at the first inaugural ball at the White House in Washington in 1809.

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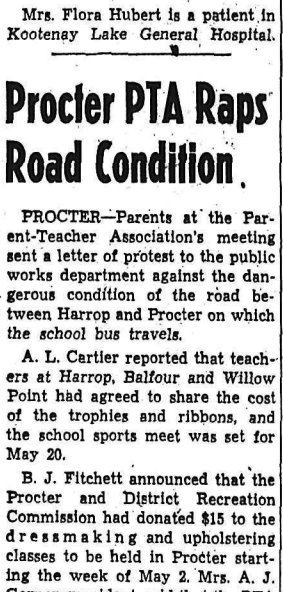

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Recipes . . .

Scored, Glazed Ham Favorite for Easter

By MARGARET CARR

Easter fashions vary with the years but the traditional holiday feast of ham is an unchanging favorite.

Rosy-hued slices of the ham are a perfect flavor foil for early spring vegetables, and the ease of preparation makes this meat the ideal selection for the homemaker who is planning her work schedule with an eye to a day of leisure with the family.

Although ham has never varied as a top flavor favorite throughout the years, styles of ham have changed and today's modern, mild cure ham is a far cry from the old-time product that required many hours of pre-soaking and cooking. Even the popular "cook before eating" style of ham today requires but a short baking time to come to the table roasted to the peak of perfection. An even greater time and worksaver is the "fully cooked" ham which may be served just as it is taken from the wrapper. It also may be scored and glazed in a hot oven or given sufficient baking time to heat it completely.

Choose the ham best suited to your family's needs and tastes. There are on the market uncooked hams, ready-to-eat hams, hams which are completely cooked and need only heating, and canned hams. The label of the ham will tell you the type of ham you are buying and will include directions for baking or heating.

There's no doubt about it, for the festival meal the ham should be decked out with at least a touch of splendor. Then for the most attractive appearance the ham should be scored and glazed.

GLAZE FOR HAM

For glazing, remove the ham from the oven one-half hour before the end of the cooking or heating time. Score the fat by cutting shallow gashes in criss-cross pattern. For the glaze, measure three-quarters cup of firmly packed brown sugar and moisten slightly with some pineapple or orange juice. Add some ground cloves and perhaps a little grated orange rind. Spread over the fat and pin on simple orange and pineapple flower *garnish made this way: Centre the* ham with an orange slice stuck with whole cloves. Fasten this on with half toothpicks, centre with a maraschino cherry and surround with pineapple tidbits. Return ham to a 325 degree F. oven to glaze.

If you like to serve a sauce with ham, instead of the usual raisin sauce, you might like this special red cherry sauce. It's perfect for a festive dinner. Or you might use it for a ham meal later in the *week, in which case you could heat* the sliced leftover ham in the sauce.

CHERRY SAUCE FOR HAM

One can sour red cherries, ¾ cup sugar, 2 tablespoons cornstarch, ¼ teaspoon cinnamon, ½ lemon.

Drain juice from cherries into a saucepan. Combine sugar, cornstarch, and cinnamon and add to juice. Cook until thickened, stirring constantly. Add cherries and *thinly sliced lemon. Simmer for* 15 minutes, remove lemon and serve hot.

Shower Held For Friday Bride-Elect

Honoring Miss Florence Edith Smith, whose marriage to Harvey Elmer Langridge will be solemnized *Friday, a shower was held at the* home of Mrs. G. Chaluck. Cohostesses were Mrs. J. Ratkowski and Mrs. I. Valentine.

Games were played, after which lunch was served. Gifts were presented to the young bride-elect in a pink and white decorated basket.

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Pretty Floral Setting For Jerome-Shaw Rites

TRAIL — Candelabra and Spring flowers formed the setting for the wedding of Beverley Heather Shaw and John Douglas Jerome. The guest pews of First Presbyterian church were marked with white satin bows and purple heather for the ceremony.

Rev. J. M. Young officiated. Mr. Allan Broom was soloist accompanied at the organ by Mr. Harold Gate.

The groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Jerome, was supported by his brother, Mr. Leonard Jerome. Mr. Richard Ross and Mr. Stuart Mathieson, cousins of the bride, ushered.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Shaw, was given in marriage by her father. She chose for her wedding gown a floor length model of white nylon net over satin. *The front panel of the skirt* featured appliqued floral designs of lace. The strapless bodice was topped with a jacket of nylon lace. The long sleeves of the jacket came to points over the hands and the collar was pearl trimmed. Her fingertip veil fell from a lace cap trimmed with pearls. Jewelry accent was a pair of pearl earrings, the gift of the groom. She carried a *bouquet of red roses and white* freesia.

PRETTY TRIO

Bridal attendants were Aloha Reik, Sharon Ross and Judy Shaw. The former wore helio nylon taffeta in floor length style featuring high neckline, long waist and full skirt. Her headdress was a ruffled band of the same material as the dress with rhinestone trim. She wore a *gold cross, the gift of the bride and* carried yellow carnations and mauve freesia. White satin shoes and wrist length gloves completed her attire.

Miss Ross, cousin of the bride, chose a dress of blue nylon dot over blue taffeta in floor length style. The sweetheart neckline had rhinestone trim as did the sleeve edges. She wore a rhinestone necklace, *the gift of the bride and car*ried flowers similar to those of Miss Reik. Her ruffled headdress matched her gown and wrist length gloves had a ruffled cuff of dress material.

Judy Shaw, sister of the bride, as flower girl, wore mauve nylon taffeta. The floor length skirt fell in tiers and the Peter Pan collar of the bodice was trimmed in rhine*stones. Her Colonial bouquet was* of daisies and mauve freesia and her gold bracelet was a gift of the bride.

Yellow daffodils and mauve heather decorated the Skylark Cafe where the wedding reception was held. The wedding cake was embedded in white tulle and pink rosebuds flanked by white tapers in silver holders.

Mrs. T. W. Mathieson, aunt of the bride, cut the wedding cake, after the first cut by the bride and groom. Mrs. Allan Broom assisted. Mr. Mathieson proposed the toast to the bride. Mr. Leonard Jerome proposed the toast to the bridesmaids and read many telegrams of congratulations to the bridal pair. Mr. Young gave the blessing. The bride had chosen for her wedding day the *21st anniversary of her* parent's wedding day.

Assisting the bridal party in receiving the guests were the parents of the bride and groom. The bride's mother wore a black martinized velvet dress, a coral colored velour hat, nylon coral colored gloves and a corsage of coral camellias and white freesia. The groom's mother chose navy floral silk, a navy hat *and gloves and a red carnation and* white freesia corsage.

For her wedding trip of 10 days to Vancouver the bride changed to a suit of charcoal bengaline, pink lace straw hat and shoes and purse of pink linen. A top coat in charcoal shade and corsage of pink *roses completed her ensemble.*

Mr. John MacInnes, cousin of the bride, played the bagpipes when the bride and groom entered the hall and upon their departure for their honeymoon.

On their return the young couple will reside at 1746 Fourth Avenue, Trail. Many out-of-town relatives and close friends attended the wedding.

Prior to her marriage the bride was feted at several showers. Mrs. A. Borom entertained at a coffee party for the bride-to-be, Mrs. J. H. McLeod, Mrs. F. A. McLeod and Mrs. A. Ross were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower. Miss Aloha Reik entertained at a shower given by co-workers of the telephone office. Mrs. George Graham and Mrs. P. Saliken were joint hostes*ses at a miscellaneous shower, and* Mrs. Joe Catalano was also hostess at a shower.

Kootenay WMS Meet Opens Today

Forty delegates will attend the meeting of Kootenay Presbyterial of the United Church Women's Missionary Society in St. Paul's today *and Wednesday. Mrs. L. C. Johnston* of Castlegar will be in the chair.

The church's position in Manchuria, where he was a missionary, will be described Tuesday night in St. Paul's by Dr. H. K. Johnston of Kaslo.

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Gaylene Wehner was enrolled as a Brownie and the following badges were presented: golden hand, Barbara Clayton, Maureen Copley, Carmen Lefort; golden bar, Wendy Anderson, Shirley Duval, Mary Ann Knipe; house orderly, Barbara Clayton, Maureen Copley, and signaller, Carmen Lefort.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. G. Ash and Mrs. L. Hill of the Emerald Girl Guide Local Association.

POLIO VICTIM HAPPY IN JOB AS STOREKEEPER

BALSAM CREEK, Ont. (CP) — Postmistress and storekeeper Rosamond Deneau, 42, of this community 15 miles northeast of North Bay, has a good sense of humor and a never-say-die attitude.

That helps, because apart from her jobs Miss Deneau does her share of housework. She has been crippled since stricken with polio in childhood. When she gets any *spare time, which isn't often, she* likes doing jigsaw puzzles.

*Miss Deneau shrugs off ques*tions about how she manages all this. She thinks the worst thing people can do is to feel sorry for themselves.

Until 1939 Miss Deneau was able to manoeuvre about her home only by pulling herself along with her hands. Then the North Bay Rotary Club sponsored an operation for her in Toronto. Now she is able to use crutches when she finds her wheelchair monotonous.

She did not attend school until she was 15 years old, but within *three years she had passed exam*inations in eight grades.

Procter Group To Sell Hot Cross Buns

PROCTER — Members of the Procter Ladies' Aid of the United Church met at the home of Mrs. Morsh to finalize plans for the annual hot cross bun sale and tea to be held Wednesday. Items were turned in and priced for the sale of work and duties were assigned.

Mrs. M. MacKinnon, who has just returned from wintering in New Zealand and Australia with her daughter Isa, was welcomed back and she told a little of her experiences there. Nancy Whybark of Corvallis, Ore., was a prize-winner.

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GIANT WINDMILL — A crewman is dwarfed by the tail rotor and stabilizer assembly of 40-passenger Air Force H-16 Piasecki helicopter in Philadelphia. Side open at left is air intake for one of 30,000-pound craft's two powerful engines.

AWAITING ROYAL HANDOUT — These deer were driven into the open in search of food near Balmoral, summer home of Britain's royal family, by the hard winter in Scotland. Keepers of royal preserve fed the hungry animals by hand.

STRANGER AT THE TABLE — This mother cat not only tolerates a baby rat but permits it to feed with her kittens in the Flint, Mich., home of Mrs. Lawrence Miller. (

FOUR STAR — New U. S. Army commander in Europe, Gen. Anthony McAuliffe, famed for "Nuts!" reply to Nazis' demand for surrender, takes over in Heidelberg.

DAD'S HOME — British heavyweight boxing champion Don Cockell holds son, Peter 3, on return after signing for title bout with world champion Rocky Marciano in New York.

MARIANNE GOES ASTRAY — Dutch crewmen go ashore by ladder to await a tug after their freighter ran aground in heavy fog on the Seine River near Rouen, France.

WELL SOOTED IN WORK — Mrs. Marie-Louise Dubuisson, Belgium's only woman chimney sweep, follows her husband along rooftops of Brussels. Antoine, who taught her the trade when they were married two years ago, wears traditional stovepipe hat of the trade.

ART AND CIGARS — Italian sculptress Fiore de Henriques arrives in New York to help design modern art museum which Huntington Hartford plans for Los Angeles estate.

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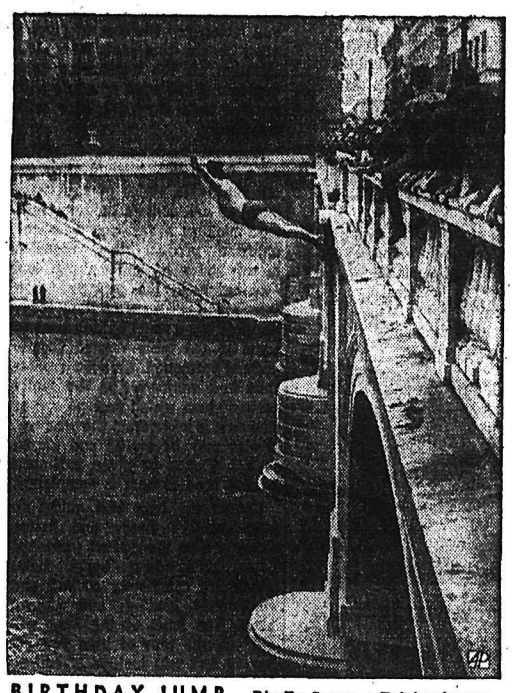

BIRTHDAY JUMP — Rig De Sonag, a Belgian known in Rome as "Mr. OK," repeats his annual New Year's dive from Cavour Bridge into Tiber River wearing tophat on 56th birthday.

RIGHT THROUGH CHICAGO — Dinghies pass under Dearborn Street bridge on Chicago River during Columbia Yacht Club's Frostbite Regatta, last of the sailing season.

BIDING HIS TIME — Singer Stanley Clarkson, costumed for role as Sarastro in "The Magic Flute," relaxes with his pipe as he awaits cue during rehearsals in London.

WINTER TIE-UP — Snow and ice cover long row of gondolas along Venice's Grand Canal after heavy snowfall blanketed the Adriatic showplace. At right is part of Piazza San Marco.

SPORTS

Around the KOOTENAY in Sport

Kokanee, a hearty species of land-locked sockeye salmon, have upset an experiment of the British Columbia game commission in Premier Lake, reports The Canadian Press.

The commission will have the last word, however, and the kokanee face eradication under present plans.

Premier Lake, located in southeastern B.C., was stocked with kokanee 10 years ago to provide food for the Kamloops trout population.

The experiment backfired when the kokanee, which usually thrive sparingly, grew beyond expectations and replaced the trout.

INTENDED FOR FEED

The Kokanee had been considered ideal feed for the Kamloops in the lake which produced a record fish weighing 35½ pounds in 1929.

The Kimberley Rod and Gun Club will co-operate with the game commission in poisoning spawning beds, as well as seine-netting and live-trapping in creek mouths to rout the Kokanee.

The club obtained permission to sell fish taken in seine nets during the summer, while fish trapped during the fall spawning period will be transplanted in Slocan lakes.

The commission will restock the lake with fingerling and adult Kamloops.

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The Post Office Department has issued postage stamps depicting wild life birds and animals that help awaken public interest to the great need of conservation in this dominion.

April is the month the birds return to Canada to nest, and to make us conscious of the value of our bird and animal life during the first week of April, these wild life stamps will be released in all Canadian post offices.

This will be followed during the week of April 10-16 inclusive, by National Wild Life Week. When this week has been designated by an act of Parliament as National Wild Life Week, all schools will observe the week. Service Clubs can be expected to have special speakers on Conservation, and on Sunday, April 17, all churches have been asked to observe that day as Nature Sunday, and preach on God's Great-Out-Doors.

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Anybody who wants to know how Toronto got to be called Hogtown, says the Toronto Globe and Mail, should consider the hullabaloo that went up on Saturday when it was announced that this year's Grey Cup playoff would be held at Vancouver. "We wuz robbed!" As though, having enjoyed the commercial and other advantages of Canada's biggest football game for eleven years in a row, Toronto now "owns" it.

If anybody "owns" the Grey Cup game, it is the people of Canada, most of whom live a long way away from Toronto. Just why they should have to come all the way to Toronto to see it, is a mystery to us, and no doubt to them. Just as mysterious, says the paper, is the notion of some sportsmen around Toronto that in "letting" the match go West this year, Toronto's city fathers have been guilty of a grave dereliction of duty.

BASEBALL SCORES

By The Canadian Press

St. Louis (N) 2, Chicago (A) 4
Cleveland (A) 9, New York (N) 5
Brooklyn (N) 10, Milwaukee 8
Chicago (N) 2, Beaumont, Tex. 1
Washington (A) 8, Cincinnati 5
Pittsburgh (N) 9, Baltimore (A) 8
Detroit (A) 13, Atlanta 4
New York (A) 11, Chattanooga 8
Boston (A) 9, Philadelphia (N) 7

COOKING UTENSILS

Canada's annual production of aluminum cooking utensils is valued at more than $8,000,000.

FIVE MEMBERS of the Brooklyn Dodgers' entourage at Vero Beach, Fla., present team shirt numerals totalling the magic, they hope, pennant figure "1955"—the season which may bring them back to the top of the National League. From left: Carl Furillo, Walter Alston, manager; Walter O'Malley, club president; Gil Hodges and Pee Wee Reese, team captain.—Central Press Canadian.

Wings Aim at Eight-Game Sweep

DETROIT (AP) — Detroit Red Wings have set their sights on duplicating their memorable eight-game sweep of the 1952 Stanley Cup hockey playoffs.

This team is hot. It has won 14 games in a row, hasn't lost its last 17 starts and is unbeaten at home since Dec. 19—a stretch of 21 games.

The Wings' 14-game winning streak equals the National Hockey League record set by the Boston Bruins 25 years ago. It also ranks favorably with other winning streaks in professional sports. In 1916, New York Giants baseball team won 26 games in a row, and twice the Chicago Bears football team won 18 in a row.

When the Red Wings rallied to defeat Montreal Canadiens 4-2 on Sunday in the opening game of the finals, it marked their fifth straight playoff victory. They eliminated Toronto in a four-game breeze in the semi-finals.

The Red Wings need only three more victories to match their magnificent record of 1952 when they became the first team in hockey history to win the Stanley Cup in the minimum of eight games.

The second game of the best-of-seven series against the Canadiens takes place in Olympia stadium tonight. The third and fourth games are set for Montreal Thursday and Saturday.

Coach Dick Irvin put his Canadiens through a brisk workout at Olympia stadium Monday. The Red Wings rested in their hideaway in nearby Toledo, Ohio.

British Soccer

LONDON (AP)—Celtic and Clyde Monday qualified for the final of the Scottish Soccer Cup competition April 23. Semi-final replay results:

Airdrieonians 0, Celtic 2
Clyde 1, Aberdeen 0

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Coventry C 3, Newport C 2
Division III, Northern
Bradford C 2, York City 3

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De Marco-Basilio Title Bout Slated for June

NEW YORK (AP) — Newly crowned welterweight champion Tony DeMarco of Boston will defend his title against top-ranking challenger Carmen Basilio in the Syracuse, N. Y., Memorial Auditorium June 10.

The 15-round bout will be broadcast and telecast (NBC), said Harry Markson, managing director of the International Boxing Club. The IBC will co-promote the scrap with Syracuse promoter Norm Rochschild.

DeMarco won the crown Friday night by stopping Johnny Saxton in the 14th round in the Boston Garden. The 23-year-old Bostonian had agreed to meet Basilio, of Canastota, N. Y., Aprill 29, but the date was put back because of minor injuries suffered by Tony in the Saxton clash.

The champion, accompanied by manager Bobby Agrippino, Markson and IBC matchmaker Billy Brown, signed an official contract Monday before Julius Helfand, the chairman of the State Athletic Commission.

He will receive 40 per cent of the net gate and the radio, TV receipts. Basilio will collect 20 per cent.

TKO PLATES

BOSTON (AP) — Two legislators from welterweight champion Tony DeMarco's district Monday asked the Massachusetts State Legislature to vote DeMarco automobile registration plates reading "TKO".

Rocky Marciano was awarded special registration tags "KO" after he won the world heavyweight championship by a knockout.

DeMarco wo nthe world welter crown Friday with a 14-round technical knockout over Johnny Saxton.

Beavers Take 2-Game Lead Over Canadians

FORT WILLIAM (CP)—A commanding two-game lead was assumed Monday night by Fort William Beavers in the western Canada senior hockey final when they turned back Vernon Canadians 3-1 before 3681 fans.

The victory was the second in as many starts for the Thunder Bay representatives in the best-of-seven round to decide the West's entry in the Allan Cup final.

Morris Saplywy fired two goals for the Beavers and Tom Kompon tallied once. Sherman Blair counted the lone Vernon marker.

As in the opening game Saturday, the Beavers assumed a two-goal lead during the first two periods while holding the Canadians scoreless until the final frame. This time, however, the Beavers came back to count a third time after the visitors had registered their lone tally.

KOMPON FIRES FIRST

Kompon puts the Forts in the lead midway through the opening stanza with the assistance of Alex Irving and Harold Brayshaw. It was also nearing the half way mark of the middle period when Saplywy made it 2-0 with the help of Alex Birukow.

Goalie Paul Morin of the Beavers appeared to be headed for a shutout when Blair batted home a loose disk in a goalmouth scramble at 17:26 of the third period.

However, Canadians' hopes of forcing the extra time were crushed a couple of minutes later when Saplywy got into the clear on a pass from Bob Drainville and beat Hal Gordon from close range.

The first two periods were extremely rough with both clubs frequently resorting to high sticking, elbowing and other infractions. During these two frames a total of 17 penalties were called, but the last period passed with only a single sentence. Of the penalties total 11 were incurred by the Beavers, including a 10-minute misconduct against captain Gino Antonazzi for slapping his stick against the boards in the second period.

Third game of the series will be played here Thursday night in Fort William.

Says Moore's Condition Okay

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Archie Moore, light heavyweight boxing champion has "as normal a cardiovascular system as anybody could wish," it was stated in an examining physician's report released Monday.

Dr. Robert Haddon, physician for the California State Athletic Commission, said the examination was made by Dr. Meyer Friedman.

Moore, who attended the conference, had been declared physically unfit to box in California because of a heart condition. Dr. Haddon said he wouldn't hesitate to recommend that Moore's licence be restored. Commissioner Joseph Phillips said he would take the matter up with other members of the commission.

Procter Volleyball Teams Win Honors

PROCTER — A. L. Cartier and W. A. Henke accompanied the boys and girls volleyball teams to Trail to participate in the tournament.

The girls placed third while the boys brought honor to Procter Superior School by winning the West Kootenay title. Playing coach is Leo Fitchett. Other players are John MacLeod, Gerald Iwanik, Mike Radulovich, Harold Smith, Roy Stevenson and spares Warren Garner and Martin Mucha. The girls' team is made up of Cecile Mucha, Annie Radulovich, Josephine McMullin, Heather MacLeod, Mary Dvorak, Violet Smith, Sandra Fitchett, Sarah Laktin and spares Millicent Dvorak and Lynn Ferguson.

Clyde Ousts Aberdeen From Cup Play

GLASGOW (Reuters) — Aberdeen's bid for the cup and league soccer championship double in Scotland failed Monday when the team was knocked out of the cup play 1-0 by Clyde in their semi-final replay, a first-half goal being sufficient to settle matters.

Clyde will meet Celtic, current cupholder and league champions, in the final at Hampden Park, Glasgow, April 23. Celtic Monday beat Airdrieonians in the other semi-final replay. Its victory came on two second-half goals.

Airdrie, present leader of Division B in Scotland, had hoped for promotion and the cup, but now can concentrate on consolidating its position at the top of its division.

It was perhaps strange that the two teams now leading their respective divisions, Aberdeen and Airdrieonians, should be beaten, but on the run of the play the best teams won.

Yet it was a penalty which eliminated Aberdeen. In the 28th minute the award came for a handling infringement and Robertson easily beat Scotland goalkeeper Martin from the spot. Aberdeen was far below the form of a team so far ahead in the league, and the halfbacks of Clyde—fifth in the standing — dominated the Aberdeen forwards.

In the other game, Airdrie played clever soccer for half an hour but finished poorly. Celtic, on the other hand, finished well but found the opposing defence steady. After a goalless first half, Celtic began to get on top. Within two minutes, the defence left a loose ball to the goalkeeper and McPhail nipped through to score. McPhail also scored the second from a corner three minutes later, and then Celtic, with the game virtually won, played out the rest of the time almost entirely in Airdrie's half for the field.

Delivers 43rd Ticket To White House

WASHINGTON (AP) — For the 43rd year in a row, owner Clark Griffith of the Washington Senators called at the White House Monday with a baseball ticket for the president.

The white-haired Griffith, who said he's "only 85" drew from President Eisenhower a promise to throw out the first ball when the Senators open their season against Baltimore next Monday.

GOLFER'S BAD DAY

KELOWNA, B. C. (CP) — Tom Tomiye, noted Kelowna golfer, launched himself and the first competition at the golf and country club here Sunday.

Slicing on the sixth hole, Tomiye followed his ball out four feet from the edge on a frozen pond. He was lining up his second shot when the ice shattered, plunging him into neck-deep water.

B. C. Rugby Union Has $3000 Deficit

VANCOUVER (CP) — The B.C. Rugby Union faces a deficit of more than $3000 following the 2½ week tour of the Oxford-Cambridge rugby team.

Taking stock of the first rugby tour to lose money in British Columbia, union officials Monday estimated the loss may reach $4000 after all bills have been paid.

Jack Bain, president of the Vancouver Rugby Union, said: "We had to keep Oxford and Cambridge here for two and a half weeks, which is a costly item."

Another reason for the loss, said Bain, was poor response at the gate.

"We dropped a bundle of cash at Wednesday night's game in the rain at Cap stadium, and the receipts were down for the two games at UBC stadium," he said.

The six-game series wound up Saturday with 3500 fans seeing the B.C. All-Stars upset the Oxford-Cambridge squad 11-8. It was the first time a B.C. team defeated a touring club.

The British students now are in California for another six-game series.

SCOTLAND'S AREA

Scotland covers 29,796 miles, with a maximum distance north-south of 284 miles on the mainland.

Coach Irvin Scolds Babcock in Lobby

By W. R. WHEATLEY
Canadian Press Staff Writer

DETROIT (CP) — Coach Dick Irvin of Montreal Canadiens steamed up the Stanley Cup playoff Monday by publicly upbraiding linesman Sammy Babcock in a Detroit hotel lobby.

Irvin's verbal castigation of the linesman took place in the lobby of the Detroit Leland Hotel. The veteran Montreal coach, still rankling over the Maurice Richard incident in Boston March 13, spotted Babcock sitting in the lobby, walked over to him and let loose to the accompaniment of vigorous gestures.

Richard attacked Hal Laycoe of Boston Bruins in that game with a stick and punched linesman Cliff Thompson in the eye. Babcock was the other linesman and Frank Udvari was the referee. Subsequently the Canadiens' great scoring star was suspended by president Clarence Campbell of the National Hockey League.

Richard's absence in the cup series undoubtedly has been sorely felt by the Canadiens, who dropped the first game of the cup final here Sunday night to Detroit Red Wings 4-2.

Babcock worked in Sunday night's game, with referee Bill Chadwick and linesman Doug Davies.

In the lobby Monday with Babcock were Davies and referee Red Storey, who will work the second game of the final tonight.

CALL HIM LIAR

Pounding the air with his arm, Irvin said: "And what did you do? All three of you (Udvari, Thompson and Babcock) said Richard was carrying the puck at the time. What did Laycoe himself say at the hearing before Campbell? He said: 'I was in possession of the puck.' So you're all three blankety blank liars."

Still steaming, Irvin strode away. Babcock sat dumbfounded. Storey said to him: "Report that; you don't have to take that kind of stuff."

The incident was duly reported to referee-in-chief Carl Voss and president Campbell.

Later Campbell told The Canadian Press: "As far as I am concerned I will not do anything about it. We have had enough inflammatory situations already."

Irvin said: "That's the first time I've caught up with Babcock since the Boston affair . . . "

Irvin was steamed up also over penalties given Canadiens in Sunday night's game.

"As soon as we got a goal behind there was a penalty. Butch Bouchard was penalized and later Dollard St. Laurent was penalized. Detroit scored each time. I don't know what the penalties were for."

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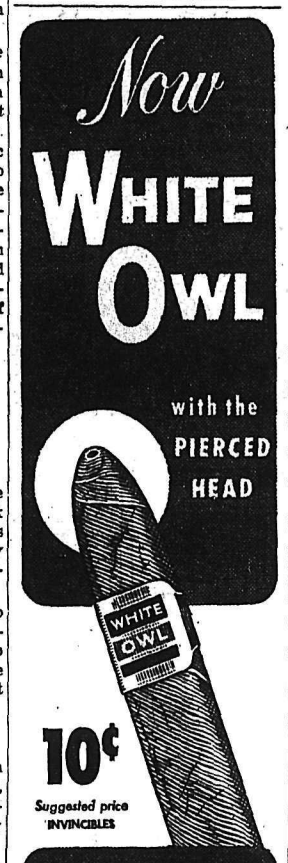
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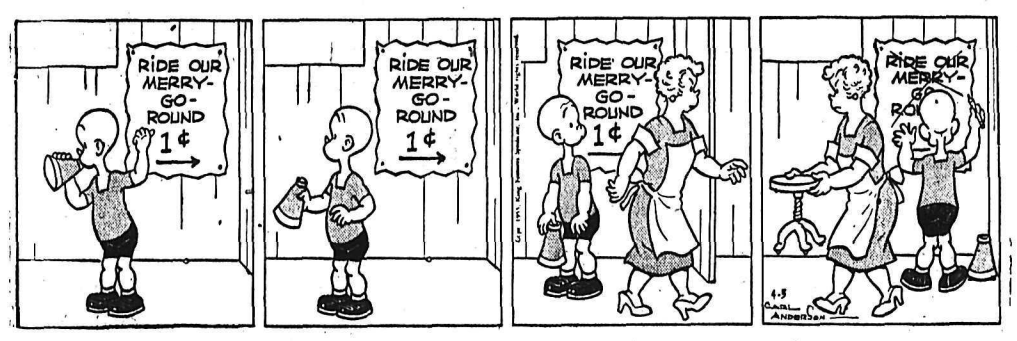

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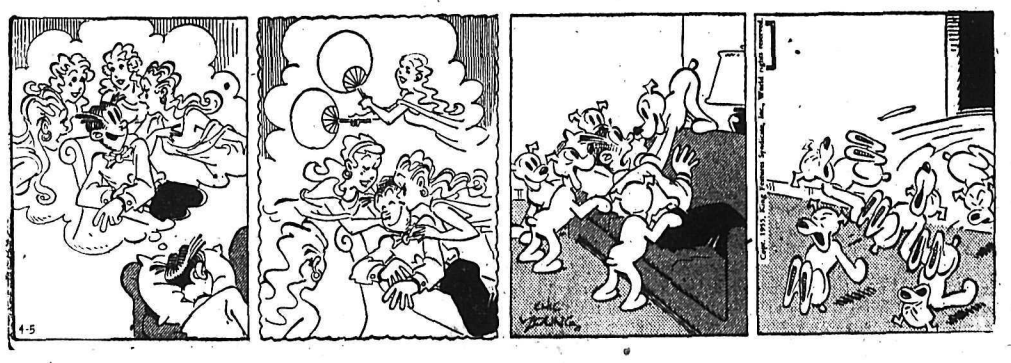

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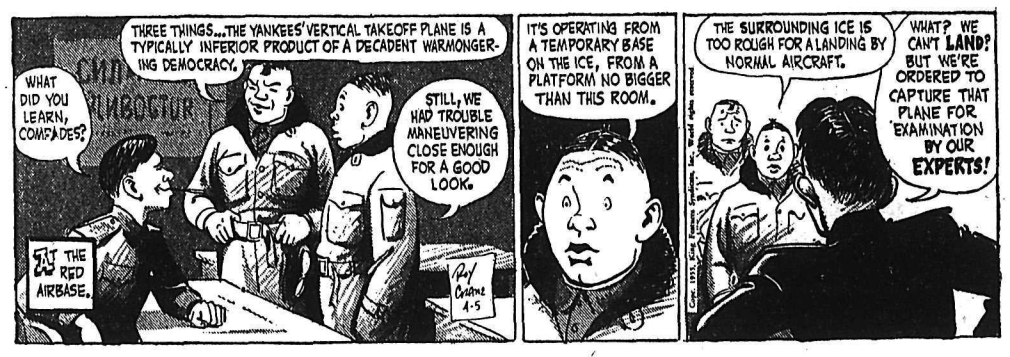

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Russ Ind	16⅜
Shawinigan	53¼
Sicks Brew	27½
Simpsons A	18¼
Steel of Canada	44
Taylor Pearson	9¾
Union Gas of Can	41
United Fuel A	61
United Steel	16⅛
Western Grocers	42
Winnipeg Gas	13

Killed by Harpoon French Scrap Ships

NUMAZU, Japan (AP) — Fusataro Goto, 47, boated a 44-foot, 300-pound Scombroid Sunday in Suruga Bay and drove in a harpoon for the kill. The mackerel-type fish jerked in a death flip. The harpoon struck Goto on the forehead, fatally.

TELEVISION FOR TODAY

KXLY-TV — Channel 4

10:30—Sign On
10:45—Inner Flame
11:00—Welcome Travellers
11:30—Road of Life
11:45—Secret Storm
12:00—Big Payoff
12:30—Bob Crosby
1:00—On Your Account
1:30—Valiant Lady
1:45—Brighter Day
2:00—Old World Flavor
2:30—Search for Tomorrow
2:45—Guiding Light
3:00—Love of Life
3:15—Robert Q Lewis
3:30—Garry Moore
3:45—Beauty With Sally
4:00—What's Cookin'?
4:30—Strike It Rich
5:00—Rick Myers Show
5:30—Western Roundup
6:25—Weather Girl
6:30—Doug Edwards
6:45—Jo Stafford
7:00—Badge 714
7:30—See It Now
8:00—Inner Sanctum
8:30—Frankie Laine Show
9:00—Meet Millie
9:30—Red Skelton
10:00—Danger
10:30—My Hero
11:00—I Am the Law

KHQ-TV — Channel 6

10:10—Test Pattern
10:25—Color Test Program
10:40—Bible Reading
10:45—Sheilah Graham
11:00—Home
Noon—Tennessee Ernie Ford
12:30—Feather Your Nest
1:00—Rhythm Inn
2:00—Elaine Gray Kitchen
3:00—The Greatest Gift
3:15—Golden Windows
3:30—One Man's Family
3:45—Concerning Miss Marlowe
4:00—Hawkins Falls
4:15—Lady Fair
4:30—Bar 6 Roundup
5:00—Pinky Lee
5:30—Howdy Doody
6:00—Rin Tin Tin
6:30—Ames Bros.
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—Milton Berle
9:00—Fireside Theatre
9:30—Circle Theatre
10:00—Truth or Consequences
10:30—Curtain Time
11:00—Racket Squad
11:30—News Headlines

KREM-TV — Channel 2

2:45—Test Pattern
3:00—"Champagne For Caesar"
4:30—Health and Happiness Club
4:45—The Story Lady
5:00—Krem's Kamera
5:30—Shadow Stumpers
5:55—What's the Weather
6:00—Western Movietime
7:00—Boxing from Eastern Parkway
7:45—Bill Corum Sports
8:00—TV Reader's Digest
8:30—Voice of Firestone
9:00—Music of the Masters
9:15—James Mason
9:30—Impact
10:30—Wrestling from Hollywood
11:40—Layman's Call to Prayer

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TUESDAY, APRIL 5, 1955

6:30—Wake-Up Time
7:00—News
7:05—Wake-Up Time
7:15—Chapel in the Sky
7:30—News
7:35—March of Truth
7:40—Wake-Up Time
7:45—Farm Fare
7:50—Rise 'n' Shine
8:00—News
8:10—Sports News
8:15—Breakfast Club
8:45—Serenade
8:55—Women Today
9:00—Homemaker Harmonies
10:00—Carnation Entertains
10:15—News
10:20—Musical Program
10:30—Story Parade
10:45—Here's Health
11:00—News
11:05—Call One-Nine
12:00—Noonday Show
12:10—Shoppers Guide
12:15—Sports News
12:20—News
12:30—Farm Broadcast
12:55—Here's Our Story
12:55—Here's Our Story
1:00—CKLN Reports
1:15—Hollywood Calling
1:30—Sports Column
1:40—Lighter Side
1:45—Matinee
2:00—School Broadcast
2:30—Trans Canada Matinee
3:30—Pacific News
3:45—Sacred Heart
4:00—Record Album
4:30—Jubilee Road
4:45—Sleepytime Story Teller
5:00—Traffic Jamboree
5:15—International Commentary
5:20—Musicale
5:30—Sport News
5:35—Spotlight on a Star
5:40—Journey to Fashion
5:45—Bowling News
5:50—News
6:00—Rawhide
6:15—Review
6:30—Cavalcade of Melody
7:00—News and Roundup
7:30—Music Hall
8:00—Concert Hall
8:30—Ukrainian Records
9:00—Songs Chez Nous
9:30—Anthology
10:00—News
10:15—Talk
10:30—Parade of Choirs
11:00—NEWS Nightcap
11:05—Vespers

CBC PROGRAMS

(Pacific Standard Time)

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, 1955

7:00—Fishermen's Broadcast
7:15—Musical Minutes
7:30—News
7:35—Musical Minutes
7:40—Morning Devotions
7:55—Musical March Past
8:00—News
8:10—Bill Good
8:15—Breakfast Club
8:45—Laura Limited
9:00—BBC News Commentary
9:15—Aunt Lucy
9:30—Morning Concert
10:00—Morning Visit
10:15—The Happy Gang
10:45—Musical Kitchen
11:00—Kate Aitken
11:15—Kindergarten of the Air
11:3 —A Man and His Music
12:15—CBC News
12:25—Showcase
12:30—Farm Broadcast
12:55—Five to One
1:00—Afternoon Concert
2:00—Holiday Time
2:30—Trans-Canada Matinee
3:30—Program Resume
3:45—Share the Wealth
4:00—B. C. Roundup
4:30—Piano Music for Children
4:45—Legends of Vancouver
5:00—Neighborly News
5:15—International Commentary
5:20—News
5:30—The Homely Virtues
6:00—Rawhide
6:15—In Reply
6:30—Folk Themes
6:45—Introduction to Wednesday Night
7:00—News
7:15—Handel Program
7:45—Poetry
8:15—St. John Passion
10:45—News

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1. Red-flowered tree (Pac. Is.)
6. Strife (dial.)
11. Appearing as if eaten
12. More infrequent
13. Discharges
14. An ax wielder
15. Sailor (slang)
16. Ahead
17. Malt beverage
18. Site of Cornell University
22. British political party
24. Rodents
28. Mohammedanism
29. Harmonize
30. Feat
31. Flowing substances
32. Expressions of pleasure
34. Bah!
37. King of Bashan (Bib.)
38. Head covering
41. Fencing swords
43. Make, as cloth
45. Cautions
46. Bury
47. Questionable (colloq.)
48. Web-footed birds

DOWN

1. Opposed to right
2. Assam silkworm
3. Dreadful
4. Employ
5. Roman money
6. French coin
7. Not strict
8. Girl's name
9. Kind of duck
10. Sea eagle (Eur.)
16. Rowing implement
19. Garden amphibians
20. Drone
21. Debate
22. Cover
23. Ashes (Scot.)
25. Awned
26. Man's nickname
27. Southeast by south (abbr.)
29. Entire amount
31. A fruit
33. Covered with moss
34. Long benches in churches
35. Brightly-colored fish
36. Queen of heaven (Gr. Myth.)
39. Birds as a class
40. Mountain pool
42. Conclude
43. Covering of false hair
44. Easternortheast (abbr.)

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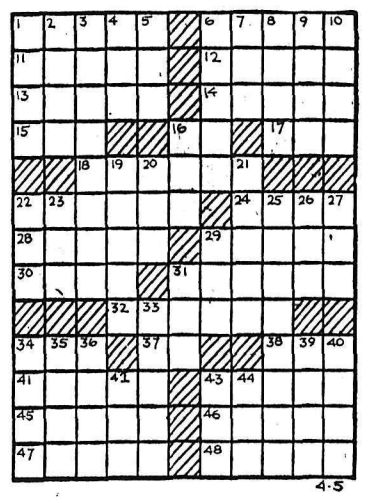

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Kaslo-Slocan District

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M. STRUVE,
District Engineer.

New Denver, B. C.
March 31, 1955.

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TORONTO (CP) — Stock market volume Monday hit the third highest peak in the history of the exchange with 12,206,000 shares changing hands.

Trading pace was so fast that the ticker tape fell as much as half an hour behind in recording floor sales. It was the greatest lag on record.

Base metals led all major sections ahead gaining 1.67 points on the index.

MONTREAL (CP) — The stock market was moderately higher at the close of heavy trading Monday. Mines hit a record on the stock exchange selling over 2,000,000 shares.

Leading industrials were Weston and Consolidated Paper each up 1½, St. Lawrence 1⅜, Aluminum 1⅛, and du Pont, a point.

LONDON (Reuters) — Despite a number of restrictive influences, the London stock exchange was buoyant Monday. Sentiment was aided by the trend to the right in the local elections and the strong possibility of a general election in May at which a government victory is envisaged.

Business was small and buying selective. Gilt-edged issues advanced strongly after a slow opening.

Winnipeg Grain

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Britain received $21,000,000 from the U. S. during the month in defence aid.

Three million dollars in gold or dollars in gold or dollars was received from the European Payments Union in respect of February and $2,000,000 was paid to union creditors in bilateral settlements.

An $8,000,000 quarterly instalment on the 1942 interest-free Canadian loan was also paid.

On the provisional figures for March, Britain had a surplus of £9,000,000 with the European Payments Union which will be settled during the present month, half in gold or dollars and half by reducing her debt to the Union.

OLD READING

THAMES DITTON, England (CP) —Newspapers 120 years old were found pasted on the walls of a 16th century old house in this Surrety town.

MIGHT BE USEFUL

LONDON (CP) — Barnet Municipal authorities have offered a 28-year-old steam roller for public auction.

Stock Exchanges Close April 8

NEW YORK (AP) — Financial and commodity markets throughout the U. S., Canada and England will be closed April 8 in observance of Good Friday.

Various livestock markets will be open.

The London stock exchange will extend its Easter holiday through Monday April 11. Canadian grain, and financial markets will be open Monday April 11.

MASCULINE MODELS

PRESTON, Ont. (CP) — The men of St. Paul's United Church put on a cavalcade of women's fashions St. Patrick's Day, with male models.

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BLACKPOOL, England (CP) — A 30-year-old tramcar has been given to the New England Electrical Railway Historical Society in the United States.

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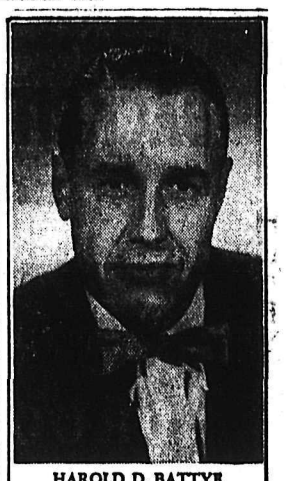

HAROLD D. BATTYE

Mr. HAROLD D. BATTYE has been appointed B. C. Sales Supervisor for Seagram Distillers Western Ltd., it was announced today by W. H. Morgan.

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Board Orders Alberta Farmers to Evacuate Area Near Wild Gas Well

RIMBEY, Alta. (CP) — The Alberta Petroleum and Natural Gas Conservation Board Monday ordered the evacuation of all farmers in a 4¼-section area where a gas well is out of control.

Under the board's order all residents of the 2740-acre farming area, 75 miles southwest of Edmonton, must leave their land because of the uncontrolled antics of the well.

Natural gas continues to spew uncontrolled from dozens of fissures and holes. Four weeks ago an oil-well drill pipe split 8000 feet under the surface and released the gas which travelled underground, as far as two miles in one direction through water channels and porous earth.

The Commonwealth Drilling Co., boring the hole for Texaco Exploration, has sent hundreds of thousands of barrels of water, several tons of drilling mud and 13 concrete plugs down the hole.

EVERYTHING DISAPPEARS

All have disappeared. The natural gas is coming from what is called the D3 production zone. Drillers report they have 180 feet of open pipe in this section. So far no oil has accompanied the gas.

FORMS "HILLS"

Land in some spots had been forced up 30 feet by the underground pressure. One witness said the largest "hill" was 200 yards across and about 30 feet high.

One farmer narrowly escaped asphyxiation when he stayed on his farm to care for the livestock. He said he felt himself being overcome and telephoned for help. He didn't remember anything after placing the call until he met his son on the road leading to the farm.

Crews at the well head have pumped thousands of barrels of water mixed with mud into the well in an effort to "kill" it. The well owners, Texaco Exploration, have not said what future action will be taken to control the escaping gas. It was estimated that more than $150,000 had been spent to flood the 8000-foot well.

The Rimbey district is 70 miles south of Edmonton.

U.S. Army Chemists Test A-Mask For Use as Civilian Protection

By FRANK CAREY

CINCINNATI (AP) — A $2 mask developed by the army is being tested for possible use in protecting civilians against poison gas, germ warfare and radioactive dust, two army scientists announced today.

Rseearchers Bernard Siegel and Frank Shanty of the army chemical centre, Maryland, reported that if test models meet protective requirements, the masks could be quickly mass-produced. They addressed the 127th national meeting of the American Chemical Society.

The low cost of the mask—figured at between $1.50 and $2—compared with $14 for the standard military mask and $8 for a previously developed mask for civilians, they said.

Key to the cheapness of the new one, they explained, is the elimination of a relatively high cost motel "canister" for absorbing noxious gases or filtering out airborne germs and radioactive materials.

PLASTIC LENSES

Instead, much of the face piece of the mask itself constitutes the "filter"—a fibrous mat forming a pad and containing an absorbent chemical. The face piece is attached to snug-fitting plastic materials which make the mask cling to the face and head. A harness holds it on the head. Plastic lenses are used for eye-pieces. The whole device can be machine produced.

The researchers said work is also underway looking toward the development of a new military mask that would have "major improvements in protection, vision, compactness, speech transmission, wearability and comfort."

But they said in the development of a protective mask for civilians—"where low cost and mass producibility are of paramount importance"—some of the things required in a military mask must be compromised. These include ruggedness, long-period wearability, and eye-pieces that won't cloud up at low temperatures.

Attlee Makes Plans For Canadian Visit

LONDON (CP) — Labor party leader Clement Attlee is proceeding with plans to pay a three-week visit to Canada this month despite expectations that Prime Minister Churchill will resign today or Wednesday—and that successor Anthony Eden may call a May 26 election.

Attlee has gone through the formality of asking the Labor parliamentary party — his fellow Labor members of parliament for leave of absence. He will depart Sunday by air and plans to return May 1.

"Even with a May 26 election, Attlee would be back before the three week campaign begins," a party headquarters spokesman said today. The trip is being arranged by Canada's CCF party.

Calgary Livestock

CALGARY (CP) — Offerings were light on the livestock market today, due to the spring road ban, and prices were steady to firm. Bulk of the 630 cattle and 21 calves offered were good butcher steers and heifers.

Choice butcher steers steady 18.50-19; good steady 17.75-18.25; medium steady 16.50-17.50; common 14-16; choice butcher heifers firm 16.75-17.50; good firm 15.75-16.50; medium firm 14.50-15.50; common firm 13-14; good cows generally steady 12.50-13.50; medium 11-12.25; common 9.50-10.50; canners and cutters 6-9.

Good bulls steady 11.50-12.50; common to medium 9.50-11; good feeder steers steady to firm 16.50-17.50; with odd sales higher; good stock steers 16-17; common to medium 13-15.50; good stock steer calves 14.50-17.50; good to choice veal calves about steady 21-25; common to medium 12-20.

Hogs closed steady last week at $21.50 and sows 14.

Good lambs sold Friday at 18-18.25.

Pension Deficit Met By Loans

OTTAWA (CP) — The government's old age pension fund went into the red by $62,000,000 in the 1954-55 fiscal year.

That brought the fund's deficit for the last two years to $108,000,000, Finance Minister Harris estimated in his white paper tabled Monday in the Commons. Deficits are covered by government loans.

The fund, set up two years ago to administer payment of $40-a-month pensions to Canada's elderly folk, was to have been self-supporting, receiving revenues from special tax levies of two per cent on corporation and personal incomes and sales.

IN THE RED

However, the fund has persistently gone into the red. Federal officials had hoped that, as economy expanded and revenues increased, the special levies would cover pension payments.

The white paper estimated that in 1954-55 pension payments from the fund increased to $353,200,000 from $338,900,000 in 1953-54. Revenues from tax levies dipped to $291,000,000 from $293,100,000.

Leave Ike Alone, Urges Senator

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senator Alexander Wiley (Rep. Wis.) suggested Monday that Congress "tend to its own knitting" and allow President Eisenhower to decide what the United States should do in the Formosa strait.

Wiley, senior Republican on the Senate foreign relations committee, said he supports Eisenhower's position in declining to say now what action the U. S. will take if the Chinese Communists attack the offshore islands of Quemoy and Matsu.

Alluding to the defend-Formosa resolution passed earlier this year by Congress, Wiley said in an interview:

"Congress has said that Formosa is significant to our defence and must not fall into unfriendly hands. The president must decide what it is necessary to do to prevent that from happening. We must not limit the president in making that decision."

Wiley thus took a position similar to that voiced Sunday by chairman Walter George (Dem. Ga.) of the foreign relations committee. George called for a let-up in the "heavy pressure" he said is being put on Eisenhower to declare that the United States either will or will not help Chiang Kai-shek's Nationalist forces defend Quemoy and Matus.

Steel Mills May Tighten Exports

By The Canadian Press

Federal authorities are taking a close look at the steel scrap situation to find out if Canadian steel mills are losing out in the world scramble for this scarce metal.

The result may be a tightening up of export permits if mills report they cannot get sufficient supplies. Mills use about one-half scrap and one-half iron in the production of new steel.

DEMAND BOOSTS EXPORT

Scrap exports soared in 1953 and 1954 in the wake of an industrial upsurge overseas. West Germany, for example, which once was an exporter of scrap, has become a heavy importer to feed her busy mills.

The general rise in demand boosted Canadian exports from 40,000 tons in 1951 to a record 559,000 tons in 1954.

Federal officials were not too concerned about the situation last year because steel production in Canada dropped sharply with the decline of economic activity. But this year steel mills are reporting big business and furnaces are burning bright again.

SURVEY STOCKS

To make sure the mills have enough scrap, the federal government recently began a survey of stocks and mill requirements for the year. Ottawa officials said they will make no change in export regulations unless the mills demand action.

Last year Canada's steel production dropped by some 900,000 tons to 3,200,000 from the record 4,100,000 in 1953. This year, officials feel, production may catch up or may even exceed the 1953 peak.

QUEER DECORATION

BOGNOR REGIS, Eng. (CP) — Members of the yachting club were startled when told "There's a nude woman sun bathing on the roof." They found it was a ship's figurehead. Officials are trying to discover who put it there.

ANCIENT PRACTICE

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111th Battery News

Part I orders by Capt. H. T. Gumbert, officer commanding 111 HAA Bty, RCA, CA (M):

Duties—All April 5, 1955: Orderly Officer, Lieut. F. W. M. Drew; Orderly Sgt. Sgt. E. J. Heroux; Canteen Steward, Bdr. R. McGhie; Duty Driver, Gnr. K. Lowen.

Dress: Roll call order.

Training: As per syllabus.

Parades: April 5, 1955, 1955 hrs., April 8, 1955, 1955 hrs., dismissal parade, 2155 hrs.

News Highlights: Members of the 111 HAA Battery have turned in some good shooting with only 12 points away from the prize money. Dominion Rifle Shoot is now over for the winter.

The second phase of junior and senior NCOs course is scheduled for the week of April 9 to 16 at Nanaimo and Trail, respectively.

Personnel participating in the guard mounting competition will be in Vancouver April 16 and 17.

Would Agree to Release of Far East Papers

NEW YORK (AP)—Gen. Douglas MacArthur says he will agree to the release of documents dealing with "responsibility for the Yalta decisions" only if the record is released in full.

"I would be wholeheartedly in approval . . . to have published all documents which bear upon responsibility for the Yalta decisions," he declared in a statement. "But," he added, "I would deprecate most unequivocally a partial and selective release."

The wartime Far Eastern military chief referred to the requested release of certain army documents and messages dealing with the war against Japan.

Publication of these records was sought after MacArthur denied statements that his advice had prompted concessions to the Soviet Union in order to enlist that country in the Pacific war. These concessions were made by the United States and Britain at the Yalta conference in February, 1945.

NORTHERN FRUITS

Large crops of currants, strawberries and raspberries are grown in Finland.

Net Debt Boost First Since War

OTTAWA (CP) — The net debt of the federal government has risen to $11,264,200,000, the first increase since it reached its post-war peak of $13,421,400,000 in 1946.

A budget white paper tabled Monday in the Commons reported that the net debt was boosted by $148,300,000, the amount of the estimated deficit, in the 1954-55 fiscal year ended March 31. A year earlier it stood at $11,115,900,000.

Previously, a series of post-war surpluses had cut $2,305,500,000 from the net debt piled up mainly during the Second World War.

The figure of net debt is the difference between the government's total liabilities and its net active assets—cash and assets which yield interest, profits or dividends.

LIABILITIES INCREASE

Total liabilities increased during the year by $20,900,000 to $17,944,100,000. Unmatured debt was cut by $88,400,000 to $14,487,800,000 but the decrease in this and other liabilities was more than offset by an increase of $204,800,000 in insurance, pension and guaranty accounts.

Net active assets decreased in the year by $127,400,000 to $6,679,900,000.

Britain-Iraq Pact Signed

BAGHDAD (AP) — Britain and Iraq formally signed an agreement Monday ending their 25-year-old treaty and bringing Britain into the Turkish-Iraqi defence pact.

The agreement, reached in talks here last week, was signed today by Iraqi Premier Nuri Said and minister of state Berhanuddin Bashayam and by British ambassador Sir Michael Wright and Robert Turton, parliamentary undersecretary of state.

Wednesday was proclaimed a national holiday to celebrate the end of the treaty with Britain and the subsequent evacuation of British forces from the two Iraqi air bases they have occupied. The bases will be handed over May 2.

Shipyard Output Touches Record

OTTAWA (CP) — Canadian shipyard production reached a record post war value of $183,215,310 in 1953, up 15 per cent from $159,057,949 in 1952, the bureau of statistics said today.

$289,000,000 Slump in Revenues; Deficit for 1954-55 Is $148,215,000

By JOHN LeBLANC
CanadianPressStaffWriter

OTTAWA (CP) — The Federal Government monday estimated a budget deficit of $148,251,000 for the 1954-55 fiscal year after eight straight surpluses.

It was the first deficit in a full year of peace since 1938-39. The last previous one was in 1945-46, for part of which Canada was at war.

The estimated deficit was reported to Parliament in a white paper tabled in the Commons by Finance Minister Harris, as background to the tax-setting budget for 1955-56 he will present tonight.

In his first fiscal accounting to Parliament—he took over as finance minister from Hon. D. C. Abbott last summer—Mr. Harris' 90-page white paper disclosed that revenues slumped by about $289,000,000 during the year while expense cuts totalled $95,000,000.

SURPLUS WAS FORECAST

The deficit compared with a surplus of $45,798,000 for the 1953-54 year, and with an estimated surplus which Mr. Abbott forecast in his final budget last spring before he went to the Supreme Court of Canada.

A decline in over-all national production, the white paper showed, was among factors resulting in Mr. Abbott's calculation of budget revenues being off about $357,000,000.

Mr. Abbott had forecast 1954-55 revenues of $4,464,000,000.

The white paper estimated them at $4,107,136,000, against expenditures of $4,255,387,000. These figures are subject to revision in the final cleanup of annual accounts, usually about mid-August.

For 1953-54, revenues were $4,396,320,000 and expenditures $4,350,522,000. The 1953-54 revenue figure was an all-time high and the spending total was exceeded only in some years of the Second World War.

NON-BUDGET TRANSACTIONS

The budget figures on revenue and spending do not include several forms of non-budget transactions, including loans and investments, on which there was a net credit of $196,000,000.

Placing this against the deficit, the government estimated it had about $48,000,000 for reduction of the debt in the hands of the public. It cut this debt by $202,000,000 through reducing its cash balance by $154,000,000.

However, the net national debt went up by the amount of the deficit, being $11,264,000,000 at March 31.

A major account not reflected in the budget was the payment of $353,000,000 in universal pensions to those 70 and over. This is mainly financed through earmarked portions of income and sales taxes.

In 1954-55, there was a deficit of $62,000,000 in this account, covered by a special treasury loan not appearing in the current accounts. The total of this running deficit now credit of $196,000,000.

TURNING POINT

The white paper showed that in 1954-55 personal income taxes topped corporation taxes as the largest item of federal revenue.

Personal and corporation taxes fell from the previous year, but the take from corporation levies dropped more sharply.

Personal taxes — not including about $101,000,000 ticketed for the old age pension fund — totalled $1,176,000,000 against $1,187,700,000 for the year before. Corporation taxes—excluding $46,000,000 for the old age fund—dropped to $1,008,000,000 from $1,191,200,000.

Most other major categories of tax revenues decreased during the year, though the post office department increased its revenue by $19,100,000, which does not come under the heading of taxes.

On the spending side, defence remained the big time, though its proportion of the national expenditure went down to 40 per cent from 42.6 per cent.

DEFENCE SPENDING DOWN

Defence expenditures totalled $1,696,900,000, down $156,900,000.

In the government's annual economic review accompanying the budget figures, the white paper estimated the 1954 gross national product — value of all goods and services produced in the country — at $23,985,000,000.

This was a reduction of $431,000,000 from 1953 after a series of large gains between 1950 and 1953. The drop of roughly two per cent in value probably was exceeded by the volume decrease, the white paper said.

Net farm income dropped by almost one-third, to $1,114,000,000, but a several years' trend was reversed through a small increase in the farm labor force.

EARNINGS UP SLIGHTLY

For the first time since the Second World War, there was only a small increase in total personal earnings, which went to $18,144,000,000 from $18,086,000,000. Consumer spending climbed to $15,581,000,000 from $15,115,000,000.

The white paper estimated the average number of persons employed during 1954 was 5,194,000, compared with 5,246,000 in 1953.

Capital investment was estimated at $4,546,000,000, a decrease of $294,000,000.

Revenue-expenditure accounts of the various governments in Canada were estimated at about balanced during 1954, whereas in 1953 there was an average surplus of about three per cent.

Floods Sweep South Manitoba

WINNIPEG (CP) — Residents of at least three southern Manitoba communities battled floodwaters during the weekend following a sudden spring runoff.

Temperatures that soared into the 50s melted the thick blanket of snow and sent torrents of water into sections of Brandon, MacGregor and Plum Coulee.

At Brandon, 12 business premises were flooded and several homes were threatened as waters collected in an old channel of the Assiniboine River now blocked by a roadbed. Up to two feet of water seeped into warehouses and offices in Brandon's south end.

ASSINIBOINE RISES

The Assiniboine itself rose three feet in 24 hours but was still more than five feet below flood level. The Manitoba flood forecasting committee said last month flood conditions should develop west of Brandon during the spring breakup.

At MacGregor, 80 miles west of Winnipeg, the floodwaters from Beaver Creek, which flows through an underground passage beneath the town's main street, were blocked up by an ice jam. Seven stores were flooded.

At Plum Coulee, 95 miles southwest of here, dynamite was used to break up an ice jam on a creek running through the community. One family was forced to flee the rising waters. A section of the Canadian Pacific Railway track between Horndean and Plum Coulee was washed out.

CIVIC HAVEN

BIRMINGHAM, Eng. (CP) —Double-bass player Douglas Williams moved four times because neighbors objected to his playing. He tried a trailer, but municipal officials objected. Now he practices in the city hall.

The highway from Quebec to Montreal was extended and completed in 1736.

Vancouver, Canada's Third Largest City, Celebrates 69th Birthday

VANCOUVER (CP) — This west coast city of 450,000, undergoing a $94,000,000 face-lifting, celebrated its 69th birthday Monday.

The occasion was marked by a dinner at which a bronze plaque was unveiled in commemoration of the construction in 1890 of the Maddams ranch.

The plaque picturing the historic ranch house says: "Here stood Maddams' ranch, 1890—a pioneer paradise in a forest wilderness reached by boat or canoe across False creek."

Charles Cleaver Maddams' ranch was built on five acres on the south shore of the now-industrialized False creek in the Mount Pleasant district.

Mr. Maddams purchased the site in 1889 for $400, and created a picturesque garden and orchard. The ranch could be reached by boat or canoe from the south end of Carroll Street, or by trail, now Seventh Avenue, through the Mount Pleasant clearing.

HONOR PIONEERS

The dinner itself, given by the park board to honor Vancouver pioneers who resided in the city before the arrival of the first train on May 23, 1887, marked the 69th anniversary of Vancouver's incorporation as a city on April 6, 1886.

As Canada's third largest city celebrated its birthday, more than $94,000,000 is being spent on 29 industrial, office, apartment, hotel and hospital projects either already under construction or scheduled to start shortly.

Mayor Fred Hume is confident that 1955 will exceed last year in its industrial-business expansion. With homesites diminishing in the city, he said, housing is pushing steadily ahead in outlying areas.

The two biggest projects under construction in the greater Vancouver area are a $13,000,000 Dominion Glass factory and a new general post office, valued at $9,500,000.

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TONIGHT, DR. H. K. JOHNSTON formerly of Singapore and Manchuria, will address a public meeting in St. Paul's Church, 7:30 p.m. All welcome.

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The annual meeting of the Slocan Lake Golf Club will be held in the Legion hall, New Denver, B.C., on Thursday, April 7 at 8 p.m. All members please attend. Any person interested in golf cordially invited.

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No. 95 Kingsgate - Cranbrook - Golden mostly bare. Banff-Windermere fair, liable to restrictions on short notice. Nelson - Kaslo, rough, muddy, surface breaking up. Kaslo New Denver closed due to slide, expected to be open late today. Kaslo-Lardeau fair and muddy. Lardeau-Gerrard may be slides. Marblehead-Lardeau, fair.

Washington State:

Snoqualmie—Clear, road bare and dry, 130 inches old snow in ski area, temperature 24.

Stevens—Clear, road icy, 135 inches old snow in ski area, temperature 23.

Says Bright Pupils Neglected At School

TORONTO (CP) — Bright children are among the most neglected in schools, the University Women's Clubs of Ontario decided after hearing reports of surveys by clubs in 22 communities.

The surveys showed that acceleration in the elementary grades was the most common method of dealing with such children.

Several reports criticized the segregation of the gifted.

Delegates from Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., favored it. There is a high school there with a class, for children with IQs over 130. Teachers said these pupils have been able to go far beyond the regular course in English and need less time on drill.

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