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Kootenay: Cloudy with snow-flurries. Wind light. Low-high Cranbrook 10-20; Crescent valley 20 and 30.

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Short Circuit Fires Embassy

$250,000 Damage as Russian Embassy Razed; Staff Fought Fire an Hour Before Calling on Fire Department

By DON PEACOCK
Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA (CP)—A stubborn New Year's Day fire fought in sub-zero weather amid a hampering confusion of languages and diplomatic delicacy Sunday night virtually destroyed the Russian embassy here.

An embassy official said the general-alarm fire was caused by a short circuit. It started in a top-floor office of the three-storey brick building which stands on a promonotory overlooking the Rideau River in the capital's east-central Sandy Hill district.

The official, Vitali A. Loginov, counsellor and charge d'affaires who is second in authority to Ambassador Dmitri Chuvahin, estimated the loss at $250,000. Valuable paintings, carpets and other fixtures were destroyed. No one was injured.

AMBASSADOR WATCHES

Firemen were called to the scene at 4:55 p.m. to find squads of embassy personnel carrying out armloads of documents and loading them into two black limousines. The general alarm, calling in off-duty firemen, was sounded at 6:37 p.m. The fire was considered under control at 10:52 p.m. but it was not until 6 a.m. Monday that it was declared out.

The ambassador was in the embassy when the fire broke out. He later stood stolidly outside, watching for hours as the old mansion went up in flames.

Fire Chief John Foote, who reported the Russians invoked diplomatic immunity to keep him and his men from entering the north wing housing the highly-secret coding section, said the embassy staff apparently had tried for an hour to halt the blaze themselves before calling the fire department.

The time they spent fighting the fire alone, he said, may have doomed the building. The embassy was burning "beyond help" by the time firemen arrived.

Bug Loginov complained bitterly to reporters afterwards about firemen's efforts to control the blaze, which quickly engulfed the tarred roof and ate relentlessly down into the embassy.

"It took them six hours and they couldn't save the building," he said. "I am not a fireman but . . .

It was the first time fire destroyed an embassy here and it posed a delicate diplomatic situation since an embassy is considered a piece of the country that owns it.

Chief Foote sought guidance of Mayor Charlotte Whitton who soon arrived on the scene with Acting External Affairs Minister Martin and R. M. MacDonnell, deputy undersecretary of state for external affairs.

The mayor said fire fighters "were impeded from getting the equipment in until it was much too late."

Officials said the external affairs department's advice was that if, in the opinion of the mayor and the fire chief, the fire was endangering adjacent property, they had the legal right to enter the building to fight the blaze.

But Chief Foote said his men were not allowed into the embassy's north wing—although they had access to other parts of the building—until the coding section had been cleaned out by the Russians.

"It is my personal opinion that they were more anxious to save the records in the coding section than the building," he said. "They were well drilled. They made a 100 per cent job of it. There wasn't enough left in there to fill your pipe.

Deputy Chief Maynard Dolman, who led the first fire squad to the scene, said he went outside to check the rear of the embassy and tried to re-enter through the same north wing stairway on which Chief Foote was later stopped but was blocked by a Russian who told him: "No entry." He said he then re-entered through the main centre door.

Mayor Whitton said later that as a result of the fire she will propose that officials of the city department and the external affairs department try to work out a plan to avoid similar confusion should fire start in some other embassy in the future.

THROUGH A FRIEND the four remaining Dionne quintuplets have answered the public statement of their father that "outsiders" have caused a rift between them and the rest of the Dionne family. The quints wish to live their own lives, but are not estranged from the rest of the family. They live in a luxurious apartment in Montreal, where Yvonne and Cecile are in training as nurses. Annette is studying music and Marie is recovering from an illness. Here is one of the most recent photos of them taken together. Left to right: Marie, Yvonne, Annette and Cecile.—Central Press Canadian.

ARCHBISHOP of York, Dr. Cyril Garbett, 80, above, died Saturday, just as the Queen was about to announce that he was being made one of four new barons in her New Year's honors list. As a peer, he would have become a permanent member of the House of Lords. For 13 years, as a spiritual peer, he had been a life member but was to have retired in 1956.

Over 1000 at New Year Levee

By CAROLYN WILLETT
Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA (CP)—More than 1000 callers filed through the crimson-and-gold Senate chamber Monday to shake hands with Governor-General Massey at his annual New Year levee.

Attired in formal morning clothes and attended by his aides, Mr. Massey received statesmen, diplomats, chiefs of military staffs and their officers, and a few members of the general public, at the foot of the speaker's throne.

Visitors walked to military airs played outside the Senate chamber by red-coated members of the governor-general's foot guards band. Carillon bells chimed tunes from the Peace Tower where the governor-general's standard flew in bright noonday sunshine.

Staccato steps and the rattle of swords in scabbards echoed through the halls as the line of civilian dignitaries in dark clothes gave way to military officers in colorful ceremonial dress.

11 Die Violently in B.C.

By The Canadian Press

Eleven persons had died violently in B.C. during the New Year weekend, a Canadian Press survey showed at 8 p.m. Monday.

Four persons died in traffic accidents, three died in a fire, two were suffocated, a child died from gas poisoning and a tugboat cook was drowned.

Fire destroyed a house in the Indian village of Ahousat, about 130 miles northwest of Victoria, early Sunday. Mrs. Rose John, 49, perished in the flames with her four-year-old daughter Caroline and 15-months-old granddaughter, Carol Swan.

Killed in traffic accidents were Arthur Boulanger, 20, in Nanaimo Friday night; Mrs. A. Pohto, 25, at Malcolm Island, 240 miles northwest of Vancouver, on Sunday; and 19-year-old Conrad Eyolfsson at Port Moody, 13 miles east of Vancouver Sunday. Mrs. E. Page, 81, died Monday in Victoria from injuries received when she was knocked down by a vehicle Friday night.

Elaine Eely, 15 months, died in suburban Burnaby in Vancouver Sunday from the effects of gas poisoning. Other members of the family escaped unharmed.

Donald Roy Johnson, 28, and an unidentified 17-year-old girl died by asphyxiation or suffocation in a Vernon motel room, police reported Sunday.

The body of 38-year-old Frank Jenner was found Monday in the north arm of the Fraser River near Richmond. Jenner, a cook, was last seen aboard the tug Malaspina New Year's Eve.

Two other persons died in the Shuswap Lake area during the weekend but their deaths were not added to the holiday death count. C. S. LeFleuvre, 46, of Sicamous died of a heart attack Saturday after driving 16 miles to report a fire which burned down a friend's home. An old-age pensioner, Henry Olson, died Saturday from scald burns he received at his lonely cabin four miles from Salmon Arm last Tuesday.

51 CANADIANS KILLED IN ACCIDENTS

Canada entered the New Year with at least 51 persons killed in holiday-weekend accidents.

A Canadian Press survey shows that 30 traffic deaths and 13 dead in fires occurred by 11 p.m. Monday.

In the same 78-hour holiday period last year, 35 persons were killed. Nine died the year before, when New Year's Day fell on a Friday. Sixty-five fatalities were recorded during the Christmas weekend last week.

Ontario had 15 dead, British Columbia and Quebec 11 each, and Manitoba seven. Alberta and Newfoundland each had two killed, Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick one each. No deaths were reported from Saskatchewan.

RECORD ACCIDENT TOLL IN U.S.

CHICAGO (AP) — The Associated Press showed that at least 322 persons were killed in traffic mishaps between 6 p.m. local time Friday and 11 p.m. EST Monday night. The previous record of 317 was set in 1953-54.

During the three-day Christmas holiday 609 people died on the highways, a record.

Sixty-seven died in fires and 67 others in miscellaneous accidents this New Year's bringing the toll from all causes to 456.

124 Trampled to Death in Japan

LONDON (CP) —While the rest of the world greeted 1956 with traditional gay celebrations, Japan was struck with disaster.

With the New Year only five minutes old, 30,000 worshippers, scrambling for the traditional good luck rice cakes thrown by priests at the famed Japanese Shinto shrine of Nii Gate, stampeded. At least 124 persons were trampled to death and more than 75 injured.

In Tokyo, however, the New Year was welcomed under happier circumstances. Some 3,000,000 persons crowded into a shrine during the two-day holiday while Emperor Hirohito and Empress Nagako in nine public appearances greeted 158,970 subjects.

Six Rescued After Ship Capsizes

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP) — Six men were whisked from the clutches of a hungry ice pack off Newfoundland's west coast Sunday after their ship capsized.

Jagged ice pierced the hull of the motor vesel Young Harp as she butted her way through the Bay of Islands with a cargo of oil for ports between Corner Brook and Flowers Cove.

Coalition Gov't to Continue in France

Communists, Poujadists Make Big Gains; Centrists Must Mend Split

By HARVEY HUDSON

PARIS (AP)—Centrist parties clung to a National Assembly majority in returns early today from the French general election. But the Communists and tax rebels of Pierre Poujade showed a surge of strength that dismayed the moderate elements.

With the centrists badly split, France obviously was headed for a continuation of the shaky coalition governments that have plagued her since the war.

It became increasingly clear that the centre groupings torn between Premier Edgar Faure and ex-premier Pierre Mendes-France would have to get together if anyone was to form a government. Whether this would be possible after the heated, bitter campaign which Faure and Mendes-France waged was an open question.

Unofficial figures from the interior ministry covering 398 of metropolitan France's 544 assembly seats gave Mendes-France's Republican Front 115, while Faure's right-centre coalition was credited with 137. The Communists had 108 and the Poujadists 36.

With numerous Red strongholds not heard from, the Communists already had topped their previous total assembly strength of 99 seats.

Poujade's followers also were certain to capture more places. Most pre-election estimates had given them only four to eight seats.

The forces of Poujade — who gained attention with his campaign for a strike against paying taxes — were making their first measurable political effort. Faure in the early morning hours called the tax rebels' showing "a most striking development."

MENDES LEADS VOTE

An unofficial tabulation of 5,261,000 votes, representing all sections of France with only a scattering from the Paris region, gave these percentages of the popular vote for the main groupings:

Communists, 22.8;
Republican Front (Mendes-France) 33;
Right-centre coalition (Faure), 31;
Poujadists, 10:7.

The strength of the main parties in the old national assembly was:

Communists 98;
Socialists 104;
Near Radicals 25;
Radicals — including Orthodox Radicals (Mendes-France) and Dissident Radicals (Faure) 73;
Mouvement Republicaine Populaire 89;
Conservatives—including right-wing ex-Gaullists 162;
Social Republicans (ex-Gaullists) 69;
Others, 7.

The Poujadists held no seats in the last assembly.

DAM CONTROLS ANNOY NASSER

May Reject U.K., U.S. Offer, Turn To Russ for Aid

WASHINGTON (AP)—Egyptian Premier Gamal Abdel Nassar has protested hotly against some of the conditions imposed on a British-American offer to help Egypt to build a huge dam on the upper Nile river.

It was learned Monday that Nasser in effect has rejected some of the economic control strings attached to the offer by the World Bank.

Unless the difficulties can be resolved, this poses a serious threat to the British-U.S. offer to help build what would be one of the world's greatest dams and thus, it is hoped, deliver a setback to Russian designs on Egypt.

The Communists, through Czechoslovakia, already are supplying planes and tanks to Egypt, and Moscow is reported by diplomatic sources to be prepared to put $250-000,000 or more into the dam project.

Nasser therefore has a choice between Moscow and Washington in this instance. U.S. officials understand he would prefer to deal with London and Washington but may take on the Moscow offer if he regards such a step as necessary.

Rebels Kill Six Of 13 Captured

ALGIERS (AP) — Nationalist rebels captured a 13-man French garrison and killed six of them in a daring strike early Monday only 20 miles from the busy city of Algiers.

Several hours earlier a French armored patrol left 161 rebels dead in a clash near Meskian, about 50 miles from the Tunisian border

The two widely separated actions occurred as 200,000 French troops in Algeria were on the alert for disorders on the French election day. The kidnapping was the first time the rebels struck in force so near the country's capital and seat of government.

Reports from the scene Monday night said the remaining seven men still are missing.

Space Travel "Utter Bilge"

LONDON (Reuters)—Dr. Richard Woolley flew in to London Monday to take up his post as Britain's astronomer-royal and told reporters that interplanetary travel is "utter bilge."

The 49-year-old Woolley added: "But if the next war could be won by the first chap getting to the moon and by that alone, some nation might put up the enormous amount required."

Eden Against "New Approach" to Russia

By ARTHUR GAVSHON

LONDON (AP)—Prime Minister Eden Monday night rejected a British Laborite proposal to invite Russia to help keep peace in the Middle East. The proposal was made by Labor party leader Hugh Gaitskell at a dramatic meeting with Eden at 10 Downing street, the prime minister's residence.

Eden promised to consider a request by the newly appointed leader of the Laborite opposition to have Parliament—now in recess—debate the Conservative government's policy of selling new and old arms to the Israelis and their Arab enemy neighbors.

Gaitskell proposed a "new approach" to the Soviet Union on the Middle East question. The Russians are making overtures of their own to the Arab world, and Red Czechoslovakia is shipping arms to Egypt through Soviet Black sea ports.

Eden told Gaitskell he had already explained to Parliment that approaches had been made to the Russians but their "answer was not in the Geneva spirit" and he did not think anything could be gained by a new approach "unless there was a change in the Russian attitude."

The chiefs of Britain's two main political parties met in a crisis atmosphere in the company of their top foreign affairs and defence advisers.

The Eden government is under fire after newspaper disclosures—later officially confirmed — that hundreds of old British tanks and other surplus Second World War goods have leaked through to the Middle East.

Egypt has been described as the major buyer in this undercover traffic in second-hand armaments.

1956 Tiptoed in

By The Canadian Press

Canadians slid into 1956 with lots of happiness but little hullabaloo.

A Canadian Press survey showed citizens in most parts of the country stayed up Saturday to greet the New Year with brimming glasses and glad cries. But most marked midnight Saturday in house parties, ducking those pocket-jarring night club bills.

Police in nearly all centres reported the quietest holiday in year.

It was clear and cold in most parts of Canada. Temperatures swung around freezing on the Prairies but dived to zero-level in Quebec. Ontario and the Maritimes saw a light dusting of snow.

Olivier May Play Opposite Marilyn

LONDON (Reuters) — Sir Laurence Olivier, famous British Shakespearean actor, may star in a movie with Marilyn Monroe.

Olivier's London representative said Monday there is a "strong possibility" the pair will act together in "The Sleeping Prince."

Director John Huston was quoted here Monday as saying: "It's the greatest combination yet of opposite kinds of talent."

10 Saved as Gales Lash British Isles

LONDON (AP)—Lifeboat crews fought through gale-lashed seas Monday to pluck 10 men from a British coaster which foundered off the Cornish coast. One of the 10 died later of exposure.

Elsewhere, ships ran for shelter in ports around the British Isles as high winds whipped up mountainous seas, damaged houses and uprooted trees.

The 779-ton Citrine, bound for London with a cargo of coal from South Wales, sent a distress signal from off Lizard Point. Seas stove in her hatches and she began to sink.

Guided by flares dropped by Royal Navy planes, lifeboats put out to sea where the Citrine's 10 crew members clung to the wheelhouse.

Seven of the men leaped into the sea and were picked up. Then coxswain Robert Carey sent his lifeboat over the submerged part of the Citrine and took off the last three men seconds before the coaster went down.

Scholars Hope Tomb Will Tell Author of Hamlet, King Lear

LONDON (AP) — An ancient tomb in a County Kent church is to be opened in a dramatic search for evidence as to whether Christopher Marlowe wrote all those plays attributed to William Shakespeare.

In an effort to find an answer to a question perplexing scholars the chancelolr of the Diocese of Rochester, Percy Lamb, granted permission Monday for the opening of a tomb believed to contain the bodies of at least four men named Walsingham.

The fourth Walsingham, Thomas, was a patron of Marlowe, the brilliant Elizabethan dramatist, and some scholars have expressed belief he took to his tomb evidence that he and Marlowe had made one William Shakespeare, the young country bumpkin who came down from Avon to pick up a living, the front man in history's greatest literary conspiracy

Proposals to open the tomb have been made energetically for many months by Calvin Hoffman, New York writer and investigator, but he was not mentioned in proceedings at Chiselhurst Monday.

Permisison to open the tomb was granted to Maj. John Marsham-Townshend, lord of the manor of Scadbury.

Scholars who believe Marlowe, not Shakespeare, was the great bard have spun theories to bolster their opinions.

Marlowe, dramatist whose star was rising brilliantly in the 16th century, suddenly fell under suspicion of treason. The Privy Council under Elizabeth I issued orders for his arrest, and there were excellent prospects that his head might have been chopped off at the tower had he been found.

At this point, says the Marlowe partisans, the fourth Walsingham stepped in with a masterpiece of strategy. In a tavern in the town of Deptford — now a dockside district of London—there was brawl that ended in a stabbing, and a man was killed.

Walsingham, this theory has it, arranged for witnesses who identified the dead victim was actually some plowman of the downs. So the Privy Council stopped looking for Marlowe and he, in seclusion and under the protection of his influential patron, was able to write Hamlet, King Lear, and all the rest.

But a play needs a stage, and to get the immortal dramas produced Walsingham had to find some living person who could pretend to be the author. His choice, say the pro-Marlowe scholars, was a dull chap who had done some poaching, William Shakespeare of Avon, who had come to London. Some theorize Walsingham would not have died without leaving some evidence of such a stupendous secret. And a tomb, to these theorizers, seems a likely place.

RED-NATIONALIST TALKS HINTED

LONDON (AP) — The Daily Herald suggests that secret negotiations may be taking place between Chiang Kai-shek and the Chinese Communists.

"Information reaching London," says the Labor paper, "suggests that secret negotiations between Chiang and Peiping were opened some weeks ago."

The Daily Herald says this theory was "reinforced" by the arrival in Peiping of "Two-Gun" Cohen, an Irishman who became a general in the Chinese army and is a close friend of leading Chinese Nationalists.

The Herald quotes Cohen as saying when he passed through Hong Kong last week: "I may be able to bring about a better understanding between the two."

Israel Must Be Prepared For War Says Ben-Gurion

JERUSALEM (AP) — Premier David Ben-Gurion told Parliament Monday the Middle East is a "whirlpool of disturbances" and Israel must be ready for the danger of imminent war. But he added it would be "a serious mistake to say war is unavoidable."

The 69-year-old premier addressed Parliament after intensive behind-closed-doors political conferences here. As a result of these conferences Ben-Gurion's Socialist Mapai party established a special committee last Thursday to hammer cut a comprehensive plan to guide Israel through the crisis facing Israel as a result of a flow of arms to Egypt and possibly other Arab countries, from Communist sources.

Previously, Ben-Gurion has been criticized by the Independent Liberal newspaper Haaretz of Tel Aviv on the ground that an Israeli attack on Syrian army positions east of the Sea of Galilee on Dec. 11 was an act "dangerously close to dictatorship."

UN truce observers reported 56 Syrians and six Israelis were killed. The paper charged Ben-Gurion ordered the attack without consulting other cabinet ministers, and that it affected adversely Foreign Minister Moshe Sharett's mission to Washington to obtain arms to match Egypt's supply from Czechoslovakia.

Tribute Paid to Sir James Dunn

OTTAWA (CP) — Trade Minister Howe says the late Sir James Dunn's contribution to the industrial development of Canada has been tremendous.

Sir James, head of Algoma Steel Corporation, died Sunday in St. Andrews, N.B.

Prime Minister St. Laurent said "Canada mourns a distinguished citizen" with the death of Sir James.

"He will be long remembered for his outstanding career and his contribution to the development of this country, particularly to the steel industry," the prime minister said.

"During his life he demonstrated both by word and deed his belief in the future of Canada."

And in This Corner . . .

VANCOUVER (CP)—A spry, 77-year-old woman went swimming here Sunday.

Mrs. C. Bush joined 42 other game members of the Vancouver Polar Bear Swimming Club in the annual New Year's Day swim at English Bay here.

Gordon Freeze stayed in the water for an hour during the endurance competition.

A crowd of 3500 shivering spectators watched the event from a lightly snow-covered shore.

The t-t-temperature? Forty-two degrees in the water, 35 on land.

TONIGHT—WEDNESDAY. Complete Shows 7:00-9:00.

Mrs. O. W. Humphry, Long-Time South Slocan Resident, Dies

A great community worker in South Slocan for many years and a pioneer resident of Nelson and district, Mrs. Georgiana Mary Elizabeth Humphry, aged 85, widow of Ozias William Humphry, died Saturday in Edmonton.

Since she left Nelson in the Summer of 1955 after half a century of residence in the district, she had been living with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Frizzell, 5607-118th Avenue, Edmonton. The funeral will take place in Nelson.

Mrs. Humphry was born in Leyburn, Yorkshire, England, September 18, 1870. She came to Canada as Miss Spence in September, 1905, and the same month was married to Mr. Humphry in St. Saviour's Church, Rev. F. H. Graham, new Ven. Archdeacon F. H. Graham of Trail, being the officiating clergyman.

After living some time in Nelson, they moved to South Slocan and Slocan Junction, owning and operating a general store and post office for many years. Their ranch, Summerhill, was well-known in the area.

COMMUNITY WORKER

Both Mrs. Humphry and her husband devoted many hours to bettering South Slocan. They helped in acquisition of the hall, St. Matthew's Anglican Church and the school.

She was a life member of the Woman's Auxiliary to St. Matthew's, having been instrumental in the group gaining its charter, and having worked for the organization until recent years. She taught Sunday school in the early days.

In June, 1950, the Women's Institute honored her with life membership as one of its oldest charter members, the presentation being made by her friend, Mrs. J. D. Yeatman.

She gave time and energy to furthering work of the Red Cross in the district in the First World War, and assisted in reorganizing its efforts locally for the Second World War.

Another of her interests was reporting South Slocan and Bonnington news for The Nelson Daily News. Her correspondent's work started in 1910 and was ended by illness in 1954. When she was forced to give up the job, she had been the longest-time correspondent for this paper.

When their lovely home burned down in 1944, Mr. and Mrs. Humphry moved into Nelson, living on Edgewood Avenue. Mr. Humphry died April 4, 1948. Before going to Edmonton in July of last year, Mrs. Humphry lived on Nelson Avenue, and attended services at the Church of the Redeemer.

Besides her daughter in Edmonton she is survived by two grandchildren, a brother, Ernest Spence in Leyburn, and a nephew, Ron Greyson, city power plant superintendent.

POLIO CONFIRMED CAUSE OF DEATH OF KASLO GIRL

A pathologist's report from Vancouver has confirmed that a 15-year-old Kaslo girl, Mary Hope Jacobs, died at Kootenay Lake General Hopsital of a severe type of poliomyelitis December 16. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Jacobs of Shutty Bench.

A second Kaslo resident, a three-year-old boy, Patrick Bradshaw, has also been struck by polio. He is a patient in the Victoria Hospital at Kaslo and is reported improving.

There were two polio cases in Nelson this year, the first in the city in five years. The two Kaslo cases were the most in the Selkirk Health Unit in three years. There was one last year from Nakusp and none in the unit the two years previous.

Students Back to School Today

Students will be dusting off their lunch boxes and trudging back to school today. The Christmas holidays for them are over.

They've been on holidays since December 16 and go back to school now for three months until Good Friday, March 30.

Firemen Help Man From Ravine

The Nelson fire department had a call at 3:20 a.m. New Year's Eve to 924 Falls Street, where a man slipped into a steep ravine.

Seven firemen put down ropes and helped him out, wrapped him in blankets and applied first aid. He was taken to Kootenay Lake General Hospital and was reported in satisfactory condition. The firemen were on call 30 minutes, and spent 10 minutes in rescuing the man. He was down 45 feet.

While out, they were called to 422 Silica Street to the home of Mrs. F. Boyd, to answer a smoke scare caused by a misplaced cigaret. No damage resulted.

These were the only calls over the weekend.

Letter to the Editor . . .

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

Board Member Clarifies New Hospital Situation

To the Editor:

Sir—Kindly permit me a small space in your valuable paper to clarify in my humble way a misunderstanding that appears apparent in a letter by Mr. F. B. Pearce in your Saturday edition dated Dec. 31, 155.

Let me assure Mr. Pearce that no background of knowledge is held from the BCHIS or the general public. The HIS is well informed of all transactions by the board; this board of directors operates efficiently and squarely above board. Nothing is done under the table, in fact, we have been advised by the HIS that we have one of the best and most capable boards, also that the Kootenay Lake General Hospital is managed and operated as economically as any in British Columbia.

Before proceeding further, I will point out to all concerned some of the difficulties encountered which had to be overcome during 1955. In January last we were told by the HIS to sign the wage contract with our lay staff. This was done, with a raise being given across the board. At the end of June we were advised that the HIS would not accept this in our budget, that we would have to pay the increase ourselves by some other means.

Our plans for the new hospital were coming along fine the first half of the year, the HIS riding right along with us. We had high hopes of calling for tenders in October, then at the end of June an atomic bomb was dropped on the board of directors in the form of a letter from Victoria saying that a 75-bed hospital was sufficient for the needs of Nelson and district (our present building has 98 beds squeezed into a 65-bed capacity). Several times we had to house 105 patients.

We immediately battled with this situation and succeeded in having it raised to 90 beds. Still not satisfied, we battled again and the final result was 100 beds finished and 20 rooms unfinished. This entailed a vast amount of work for the architect by continual revising of plans, also numerous executive, board and planning committee meetings, trips to Victoria. I wonder what the taxpayers would say if we asked them for an $800,000 addition in five years from now? I well know what the answer would be.

Now back to the letter by Mr. Pearce.

The HIS has never accepted a budget from us in its entirety; they have always cut us down. At the end of the year, when they find that we could not possibly operate within their budget, they came through with a cheque for the deficit. Now they want us to sign a guarantee that we will operate the new hospital on a $12.50 daily basis three years from now; also if our operating costs are above $12.50 we should be required by some means or other to make up the difference. Mr. Pearce, can you visualize any sane thinking board signing such a document under present conditions with ever-increasing costs, etc.? Who knows what may happen three years from now? There may be an entirely new board, they would say what a bunch of saps we were if we signed such a document.

The effect of the building on the per diem rate would be the lower number of beds you have naturally the cost of operation would be less, that is not looking to the future; also that would not supply present needs. Laboratories, X-ray rooms and certain landscaping are regarded as absolute necessities by the HIS.

The hospital board visualized a completed 120-bed hospital to meet requirements until 1971; this including a nurses' home would come well within the allotment of $1,800,000.

In order to give patients proper medical care without having to go to distant points, we must have a hospital well equipped for adequate specialist service. At the present time we have a specialist who is doing a great service to the community.

I can assure you, Mr. Pearce, and the general public, that this hospital board is doing all it is humanly possible to speed the erection of the new hospital. We are leaving no stone unturned.

A happy, healthful 1956 to you all.

HAROLD J. WITCHELL,
Member Hospital Board
and Planning Committee.
Nelson, B.C.

Few Bruises as Bus Slips Into Ditch

Passengers were shaken up slightly when a Nelson-bound Greyhound bus slid part way into the ditch on an icy stretch of road near Goatfell, east of Creston, Sunday morning. The passengers were transferred to another bus and arrived in Nelson at 12:35 p.m., a little over four hours late.

Damage to the bus was slight and it was returned to service Monday after a dent in the right front end was repaired.

One passenger with a bruised shoulder was examined at Creston, and, with two other passengers, had an X-ray checkup at Kootenay Lake General Hospital in Nelson, before continuing on their way.

Trail Child Flown To Coast Hospital

VANCOUVER (CP) — An 18-month-old Trail boy was flown to hospital here Saturday suffering from meningitis.

Leonard Janni, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Janni of Trail, was sped to Castlegar airport by ambulance in time to catch an eastbound flight to Calgary.

In a race against schedules and time, the boy remained on the flight for the trip west to Vancouver where he will be examined by a neuro-surgeon.

Doctors in Trail were unwilling to keep the boy there until the return flight west in case the plane was prevented from landing at Castlegar by weather or darkness.

Bowl Results

By The Canadian Press

Cotton Bowl
Texas Christian 13 Mississippi 14

Sugar Bowl
Georgia Tech 7 Pittsburgh 0

Orange Bowl
Oklahoma 20 Maryland 6

Sun Bowl
Wyoming 21 Texas Tech 14

SATURDAY
Shring — East 29, West 6.
Blue-Grey — South 20, North 19.
Gator — Vanderbilt 25, Auburn 13.
Salad — Border 13, Skyline 10.

The Weather

Nelson (Sun.)	14	33	—
Nelson (Mon.)	15	31	.37
Kimberley	-1	16	.06
Crescent Valley	21	28	.24
Koslo	22	30	.15
Kamloops	11	22	.02
Penticton	27	32	.03
Vancouver	35	44	.21
Victoria	38	43	.16
Prince Rupert	33	41	—
Prince George	-7	8	.02
Whitehorse	-5	6	.05
Seattle	35	42	.50
Portland	35	39	.59
San Francisco	38	51	—
Los Angeles	44	67	—
Spokane	21	32	.03

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Hyssop Baby Becomes "Little Miss 1956"

The new year was nearly 10 hour old when the first baby of 1956, a tiny daughter, was born to hockey player LeRoy Hyssop and his wife, 523 Carbonate Street, at Kootenay Lake General Hospital.

The girl weighing four pounds one and three quarter ounces came at 9:50 a.m., as the best New Year's gift the Hyssops could receive. They also have a son.

Baby Hyssop will get a boost to her start in life with gifts from nearly 20 Nelson firms as winner of Nelson's annual New Year's baby derby. Silverware, shoes, milk, drug needs, portraits, wool, a high chair, a savings account, pablum, birth anouncements and flowers will be bestowed upon her and her parents. Radio promotion by a Nelson shoe store will also yield gifts.

The mother was very pleased with the bonus goods, a nurse said.

Only other New Year's Day baby was a son born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Carman, 909 Latimer Street. The stork brought him at about 2:30 p.m.

There were no births New Year's Eve, the hospital reported.

Musician Here in Silent Movie Days, Karl Meyer Dies in Yakima

Word has been received in Nelson of the death recently in Yakima, Wash., of Karl Meyer, 76, symphony musician and Yakima music teacher for 30 years and well-known in Nelson musical circles during his residence here in former days.

He died in Summitview Manor Nursing Home after a six-month illness.

Born in Germany, he went to the United States in 1904, first settling in New York City. There he played with Sousa's, Spaulding and other well known concert bands of the day, playing the violin, viola, trumpet and French horn.

He came to Nelson about 1911 to play the violin in Johnston's Orchestra which performed regularly ing's and other well known concert silent movie days. The orchestra was also the principal dance aggregation of the time and played for all big events such as the Cinderella series, Scotch dances, Christmas and New Year's balls, and district parties such as the Firemen's annual ball at Kaslo. As a member of Johnston's Orchestra Mr. Meyer performed regularly for Sunday dinners at the Hume Hotel.

As a cornetist, he played with the Nelson City Band and the Nelson Symphony Orchestra. He conducted a music studio and travelled to Kaslo and other district points to give lessons.

He left Nelson in 1915, and returned in 1950 with his wife to visit old friends here.

He had directed theatre orchestras in other parts of the Continent, as well as those of the Palace Hotel in San Francisco and the Davenport Hotel in Spokane. He was first violinist with the Seattle Symphony Orchestra at one time.

In Yakima, he taught music privately and in the Parker, Wide Hollow Schools and Marquette High School, and gave his talents in support of many Yakima Valley causes.

He is survived by his wife, five sons, Albert in Portland, William in Naches, Bernard and Karl jr., in Seattle and Irwin in Yakima, one sister in Germany, 10 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

B.C. TELEPHONES APPLY FOR MORE SHARES

The B.C. Telephone Co. has made application to the Board of Transport Commissioners for Canada for approval to issue an additional 200,000 ordinary shares, of the par value of $25 each.

Hearing on the application is scheduled for January 13 in Ottawa. If the application is approved, the Company will have 1,000,000 ordinary shares outstanding and the total issued capital will be $49,000,000. The issue price of the new shares is subject to approval of the Board of Transport Commissioners. The purpose of the issue is to provide, in part, the funds required to meet the company's program of improvement and expansion.

The shares will be offered to the company's existing ordinary shareholders who now number 6319 and more than 60 percent of whom reside in British Columbia.

One Holiday Accident in City

City police reported only one accident in Nelson over the New Year's holiday. RCMP reported none in Nelson detachment.

Approximately $75 damage was done to a car driven by Gordon Burgess Jr., and about $15 to a car driven by Sanzo Oka, both of Nelson, when they were in collision at the intersection of Front and Anderson Streets on New Year's night.

Bristol Aeroplane Announces New Consolidated Firm

MONTREAL (CP)—The Bristol Aeroplane Company of Canada announced that three subsidiaries have been consolidated under a single new parent company.

The new company, with headquarters here and named the Bristol Aeroplane Company of Canada (1956), will control three operating subsidiaries in Montreal, Vancouver and Winnipeg. They are Bristol Aero Engines Limited, Bristol Aero Engines (Western) Limited and Bristol Aircraft (Western) Limited, the last being the business formerly operated by MacDonald Bros. Aircraft Limited.

$341,549 in Municipal Taxes Paid in Nelson

All but 6.41 per cent of the 1955 taxes in Nelson have been collected.

Figures released by city hall at year-end showed that 93.59 per cent of the current taxes which include sewer rental and property and improvement taxes, have been paid. Total interim figure is $364-923.06 of which $341,549.63 has been collected. Final year-end totals are not complete and the figure is subject to minor changes.

Last year 93.98 per cent of the taxes were collected.

After Deember 31 unpaid taxes become tax arrears on which interest is charged at six per cent per year. Properties on which taxes are not paid for three years are sold for taxes.

Re-Assessment Here Two-Thirds Completed

With the mailing of the assessment notices for 1956, the City of Nelson will have completed approximately two-thirds of the re-assessment program required under the provisions of the Provincial Government's Assessment Equilization Act 1953.

Commercial and residential land has been valued at 60 per cent of the market values prevailing in 1953 and all residential values have been calcaluted on the basis of 1953 replacement costs, the necessary allowance being made for depreciation for the older type of homes.

The work was carried out by a team of specialists employed by Schultz Appraisal Company in cooperation with City Assessor G. A. Butling. "Judging by the changes, particularly in land values, it will be obvious that it was a job that urgently needed doing," states Mr. Butling.

"No doubt," said the assessor, "there will be some homeowners who will be surprised to receive an indication of the real value of their property. Some may doubt ability to pay the taxes on the increased values. It should be remembered, however, that within a very small range of variation, the City operates on a more or less fixed income, so that when the overall assessments are raised, the mill rate is lowered accordingly."

First meeting of the court of revision is set for 10 a.m. February 1. Persons desiring to appeal their assessments are asked to give notice of their intentions before 5 p.m. January 20. Until that date the city assessor will be able to discuss with anyone problems connected with his assessment.

School Promotion Policies Receiving "Major Attention"

Provision for pupils to advance according to ability is receiving "major attention" of Department of Education officials, Education Minister Ray Williston stated in his reply to a B.C. School Trustees' Association request for revision of promotional policies to "require achievement in relation to the pupil's ability."

Trustees at their Qualicum Beach convention passed a resolution contending present policies "do not seek to encourage the desire for achievement," and that many students either are not or will not be "taxed to the fullest extent of their ability."

They feared "inferior grading" which might be demoralizing to the students, and said high standards might be sacrificed to retain the holding power of schools.

Mr. Williston said provision was being made in the curriculum for individual differences of pupils. "The introduction of majors into the high school curriculum is having a fine effect and the University (of B.C.) reports that never have bright pupils come along as well prepared as they are today." He promised "This movement will continue."

He hoped for expansion of bursary-loan plans, possibly with wider federal government participation.

He doubted whether greater emphasis should be placed on public speaking instruction.

Training of music teachers will be incorporated in the curriculum of the new College of Education, he said in reply to another resolution.

VALUE OF TRUST IN GOD NOTED AT SERVICE

How lasting peace and harmony may be gained through steadfast trust in God's goodness and power was brought out at Christian Science services Sunday.

The Lesson-Sermon entitled "God" consisted of readings from the King James version of the Bible and correlative selections from "Science and Health With Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, the discoverer and founder of Christian Science.

Isaiah's promise of peace for those who rely on God was included in the Scriptural readings (26:3): "Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on thee: because he trusteth in thee."

Also emphasizing the availability of God-given harmony and goodness are correlative passages read from Science and Health including the following: "All that God imparts moves in accord with Him, reflecting goodness and power."

AGRA, India (AP)—Prime Minister Nehru called Monday for an end to cold war tension and said "what needs conquering first is the atom and hydrogen bombs in our hearts. When this is done, the conquest and control of other bombs becomes easy," he told a conference of scientists.

Council to Hold Statutory Meeting Tonight

Traditional swearing in of Councillors, both newly-elected re-elected and in mid-term, will take place tonight at the statutory meeting. C. W. R. Harper city clerk, will conduct the ceremony.

Mayor Joseph Kary and Alderman Elizabeth Wallach were re-elected to the Council at the December civic electioin. C. F. Blakeman and J. W. McClelland will take their places around the table for the first time. Ald. George Eckmier, Ald. Arthur Foster, Ald. W. S. Smith are half away through their present terms.

The Mayor will appoint committees and speak on objectives for 1956.

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ANNOUNCEMENT!

An educational film, entitled
"New World Society In Action"
which has been shown in over 150 countries, territories, and islands of the sea, to a total audience of well over 2 million, will be shown in Nelson by a Watchtower Society Representative, **WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4th, 7:30 P.M.** in the large **EAGLE HALL.** For the benefit of residents in **SOUTH SLOCAN** and vicinity the same film will be shown **FRIDAY, JANUARY 6th, 7:30 P.M.,** in the **COMMUNITY HALL.** Everyone invited.

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Business Building at Creston Swept by Fire

CRESTON—New Year's Eve here was marred by a fire which gutted a main street building occupied by four businesses and two apartments.

Most of the goods were removed from Valley Appliances, Baynton's jewelry firm and Modern Beauty Parlor, but nothing was saved from Creston Upholstery where the fire centred and caused most damage.

A happy dance-going throng jammed the street to watch between 20 and 30 volunteer firemen battle the flames for two hours to bring them under control. It took another two hours to mop up.

Smoke from the blaze was spotted shortly before 11:30 p.m. by William Standen, a village employee, as he drove by on his way home from work.

He took out the fire truck and played a major part in directing fire fighting operations, the chief, William Ferguson, being ill in hospital with pneumonia.

"It was a bad night for a fire to happen," Mr. Standen said. "It took a while to round up the volunteers."

Mr. Standen was the only casualty of the episode. He suffered cuts which required stitches when he fell against broken window glass.

"It was certainty a mess," said one bystander who arrived five minutes after the alarm was turned in.

During removal of hairdressing equipment from the beauty parlor, a lot of the machines were damaged, he said.

Owner of the old frame building, Tom Crawford, whose apartment was upstairs, was absent at the time. Occupants of the other apartment, Mr. and Mrs. Scanlan, who had guests at the time, managed to get out in time, but lost their belongings.

Plans for a community drive to help the apartment dwellers and the operator of Scanland's Music Studio who lost accordions in the fire among other things, have been announced. The studio was also upstairs.

Flames caught a telephone pole near the building, and as a result 50 phones were thrown out of order.

The Overwaitea store building was damaged by water where it abuts the fire-swept building.

CAUSE UNKNOWN

It is not known how or where exactly the fire originated, nor has the total damage been estimated. One source of information said it was believed that "pretty well all" the businesses had insurance coverage.

Residents and visitors, many of them on their way to the annual New Year's ball and all dressed for the gala occasion, pitched in to help fight the fire. Some were soaked by water as it was poured on.

The Club Cafe opened to provide refreshments for the fire fighters and apartment occupants.

COMING EVENT In the Windermere is the annual February run of ling which attracts sportsmen from all over the district. Holes are cut through the ice on Lake Windermere and here the Hal Bavin family, enthusiastic fishermen all, watch for the delicious coarse fish to swim into the hole.—Jack Cummings photo.

LOGGERS LOSE ALL TO FIRE

ZELBALLOS, B. C. (CP)—Fire drove 17 loggers into freezing weather in their night clothes Saturday when it destroyed their floating bunkhouse at the logging community of nearby Tahsis. Superintendent Norman Charlesworth said no one was hurt but $1,500 in cash was burned along with all personal possessions.

District Sawlog Scale Shows Big Gain in '55

The sawlog scale in the extensive Nelson Forest District rose sharply in 1955.

Total scale for the year, just announced, was 446,133,101 feet board measure, a terrific gain over the 1954 total of 311,786,955 fbm.

December was no exception to the monthly increase shown, a total of 52,109,594 fbm. being scaled compared with 43,551,131 in the same month of last year. Fir and spruce were the big leaders.

In minor products, the pole and pile scale was up considerably last month, but the mine timber scale was lower than in December 1954.

Comparative figures:

SAWLOGS (fbm)	1954	1955
Fir	11,807,787	14,379,304
Cedar	2,091,030	2,467,488
Spruce	8,188,115	11,431,264
Lodgepole Pine	1,272,986	1,994,550
Hemlock	4,105,880	6,141,929
Balsam	598,641	719,471
W. Pine	2,845,266	2,400,447
Yel. Pine	641,903	785,745
Larch	11,999,403	11,777,402
Birch	120	—
Cottonwood	—	11,994
TOTAL:	43,551,131	52,109,594
Total to Dec. 31	311,786,955	446,133,101

MINOR PRODUCTS:

Poles and piles (lin. ft) 356,013; (527,266); mine timbers (lin. ft.) 98,096, (38,019); mine props (cords) 1186, (1060); hewn ties (1671); fence posts (cords) 491, (168); cordwood (cords) 410, (243).

* 1955 figures in parenthesis.

RED HILL, Surrey, England (CP) — Hospital nurses here have been having a hard time keeping up with the Lawrences. Three Mrs. Lawrences were admitted to the maternity ward on the same day and special precautions were taken to avoid any mixup in babies — two boys and a girl. Next day two more expectant mothers arrived—both named Lawrence.

4 New Barons Created In Queen's Honors List

LONDON (Reuters) — The Queen Monday honored 1900 of her subjects ranging from Britain's greatest ballerina, Margot Fonteyn, to a man who helped doctors by allowing himself to be bitten 770 times by malaria-carrying mosquitoes.

In her New Year honors list—the eighth list of her reign—the Queen created four new barons, three baronets, and many knights throughout the British Commonweath.

But the announcement of the honors was touched with tragedy as Dr. Cyril Garbett, Archbishop of York who was to have been one of the new barons, died Saturday.

Dr. Garbett, 80, was told about a week before his death of the Queen's intention to make him a peer and thus a permanent member of the House of Lords. For 13 years, as a spiritual peer he had been a life member but was to have retired early in 1956.

As he was a bachelor without an heir, his title has become null and void.

Margot Fonteyn — born Peggy Hookham, daughter of a civil engineer 36 years ago—becomes a dame commander of the British Empire. Now the star of Britain's Sadler's Wells Ballet, she learned her first dance steps at the age of four. She is married to Dr. Roberto Arias, Panamanian ambassador in London.

MOSQUITO MAN

The mosquito man is Charles Howard, a former ship's radio operator, who in 1949 offered himself to doctors investigating malaria at London's Hospital for Tropical Diseases. After he had been bitten by the mosquitoes for three days, surgeons removed a piece of his liver for study and the results helped greatly to advance medical knowledge. The Queen makes him a Member of The Order of the British Empire.

Another hero recognized by the monarch is Group Capt. Douglas Bader, flying ace who in 1931 lost both legs in a plane accident—but with artificial limbs flew Spitfires in the Battle of Britain. By his example he has given new hope to limbless people. He is made a commander of the Order of the British Empire.

The same award goes to Agatha Christie, thriller writer whose books have sold more than 15,000,000 copies. The new barons are:

Col. John Jacob Astor, 69, chairman of The Times. Younger son of the first Viscount Astor, he was forced by ill-health to withdraw last May from the leadership of the United Kingdom delegation to the Commonwealth Press Conference in Australia.

Sir Francis Raymond Evershed, 56, master of the rolls, a high legal post. He is a member of the permanent court of arbitration at The Hague. He was Britain's youngest judge at the age of 45.

Sir Frederick Godber, 67, chairman and managing director of the Shell Transport and Trading Company. He has spent his life in the oil industry.

The baronets (hereditary knights) are Sir Huberts houldsworth, chairman of the National Coal Board; Col. James Hutchinson and Col. Charles Ponsby, both Conservative politicans.

The Queen created three Companions of Honor, a select order of only 65 members. One is Sir John Kotelawala, prime minister of Ceylon.

Another Companion of Honor is Arthur David Waley, the Western world's most eminent authority on Chinese literature and language.

The third is Viscount Cecil of Chelwood, who has dedicated himself to ending war and in 1937 won the Nobel peace prize.

The Queen created 32 knights bachelor in the United Kingdom and sent 18 knighthoods overseas —six in Australia, one New Zealand, one Ceylon, one Pakistan, and nine in colonial territories.

Among those honored are:

Sir Basil Embry (Knight Grand Cross Order of the Bath), air chief marshal who complained recently that he was being retired five years before the normal air force age for quitting. For the last two years he had been commander Allied air forces, central Europe Ebry, 53, was succeeded Saturday in the NATO post by Air Chief Marshal Sir George Mills.

Tom O'Brien (knight), general secretary of the Theatre and Cinema Workers' Trade Union and Labor member of Parliament

Paul Scofield (Commander of the Order of the British Empire), at 34 one of Britain's foremost Shakespearean actors.

Sir Osbert Sitwell (C.B.E.), poet essayist and novelist, and, with sister Edith and brother Sacheverell, one of a famous literary trio.

Rudolf Bing (CBE), manager of New York's Metropolitan Opera, gets his award for services to music.

Sir Gilbert Laithwaite (Knight Commander order of the Bath), permanent undersecretary at the Commonwealth relations office

Prof. Kathleen Lonsdale (Dame), 52-year-old scientist whose researches have made her Britain's No. 1 atom woman.

The companionship of the Order of Saint Michael and Saint George was awarded to Gordon Bowen, senior trade commissioner at Ottawa for the United Kingdom board of trade.

The Queen's commendation for valuable service in the air goes to Flt. Lt. Gordon Price of Montreal.

Harry Hopman, internationally known manager of Australia's Davis Cup team, became a commander of the Order of the British Empire (CBE). Two other Australians, cricketers Ian Johnson, 37, and Keith Miller, 36, were made Members of the Order of the British Empire (MBE).

Trail New Year's Babies All Boys

TRAIL—Trail's first baby of 1956 is a bouncing seven pound, five ounce boy, born in Trail-Tadanac Hospital at 5:45 a.m. Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tremblay of Ross Spur.

Several merchants are donating gifts to the year's first arrival.

Two other infants arrived on New Year's Day, both boys. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cole of Montrose was born at 2:30 p.m., weighing eight pounds, six ounces and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Greenspan, 3323 Highway Drive, was born at 4:14 p.m., weighing seven pounds, 13 ounces.

FUNERAL HELD FOR SLOCAN CITY RESIDENT, 81

SLOCAN CITY — Funeral services were conducted here Friday afternoon for Takateru Takarabe, 81, who died in Kootenay Lake General Hospital in Nelson.

Mr. Nakao officiated at the last rites for the Slocan City resident of Japanese origin who had lived in British Columbia for 55 years, 25 of them as a commercial fisherman on the coast.

Pallbearers were I. Tagami, T. I. Tagami, M. Tagami, Y. Tagami, S. Tagami and M. Inouye. Cremation followed at New Denver.

Mr. Takarabe is survived by his wife and two daughters, Mrs. T. I. Tagami and Mrs. I. Tagami, both in Slocan City; two sons, John and George in Toronto, and nine grandchildren.

1955 Was Good Year for Amateur Sports in Kimberley

KIMBERLEY—McDougall Hall and Kimberley Amateur Athletic Association activities for the past year have been well up to former years, with enrolment for badminton, weightlifting, table tennis, boxing and organized groups exceeding last season's numbers.

Square dancing was well attended and will continue in the new year with a new amplifier which is felt will be a vast improvement.

Basketball and gymnastics, with voluntary leaders, also kept a number of the younger element well occupied.

The bowling alleys and billiard tables kept fairly busy during the season.

70 Rinks To Participate in Second Half Trail Curling

TRAIL — Rinks for the second half of the season have been drawn up by Trail Curling Club. Personnel of the 70 rinks in order of skips, thirds, seconds and leads follow:

H. T. Beckett, W. J. Bailey, A. V. Kavic, Dr. R. Love.

J. R. Landucci, A. Balfour, A. Tonelli, G. Zanier.

J. D. Hartley, C. Bogstie, A. M. Martin, G. A. Donaldson.

R. D. Perry, M. Brennen, T. Smithson, W. Leaman.

A. M. Chesser, A. Brokenshire, A. Brown, R. B. Heath.

J. D. Hargrave, J. Buchanan, E. Benson, D. W. Varner.

W. E. Vance, M. W. Cameron, A. Tadey, J. A. Gray.

Reg. Stone, W. M. Cameron, Rev. J. Taylor, C. Storie.

S. Matovitch, G. Campion, K. E. Johnston, J. R. Turner.

A. M. Gibson, G. Campbell, L. S. Piper, D. Wetmore.

G. Morrison, H. Chaddock, D. W. Dykes, C. A. Watson.

J. Atwell, J. Cushner, J. D. McMynn, D. Poscente.

A. B. Ross, S. Douglas, C. F. Smith, C. Albright.

W. S. Ross, L. Emerson, A. Marcolin, R. C. Gardner.

C. H. Wyatt, R. H. Farmer, W. Shankaruk, R. A. Winstanley.

B. Merlo, K. Fetherstone, A. J. Mondor, J. Morris.

N. S. Bentley, W. Fish, J. Gagnon, C. Hand.

R. K. Dunlop, R. Forbes, H. Barr, T. Teahan.

H. Rothery, P. Gavrilik, R. Allerton, R. Briggeman.

L. L. Fortin, W. K. Gwyer, P. Halliwell, A. Swyston.

E. Montpelier, A. A. Hall, C. L. Lakes, R. Bomben.

R. C. Rose, P. Henne, H. Green, R. E. Mulvihill.

G. Babcock, E. Hill, R. D. Curtis, I. L. Harper.

J. D. Rae, N. Hinton, C. Bell, M. H. Smith.

L. F. Wendell, P. Huse, J. V. McDonald, J. R. McNaughton.

A. Crichton, J. Ink, L. N. Grodzki, J. G. Barnes.

A. E. Cheyne, W. Irvine, M. Irvine, A. H. Wade.

J. J. Comeron, J. Jarrett, A. C. Allison, R. Lewis.

P. F. McIntyre, C. A. Johnston, A. Lyon, K. Timleck.

S. J. Delpuppo, P. Jones, O. Stranne, M. De Biasio.

D. McDonald, W. Farnsworth, E. Eisgrove, J. Tremblay.

G. R. Balfour, S. Langille, M. L. Brothers, I. Muzzin.

A. W. McDonald, S. Lund, M. Bowen, M. Mason.

J. H. Wallace, W. McCulloch, Y. O. Guthrie, B. W. Muir.

T. H. Weldon, D. S. McGibney, R. Lyon, A. E. Turner.

A. F. Dafoe, W. McKay, N. Zuk, R. Salmond.

Roy Stone, W. H. McKay, S. J. Graham, P. Lauriente.

W. Milburn, J. McNeil, K. McKay, C. Martin.

T. D'Amour, J. Mark, P. Jarry, D. Kenneway.

E. A. Mitchell, A. E. Martin, G. R. McMeekin, W. Yurick.

W. G. Siddall, M. A. Martin, P. Buna, F. Schnieder.

R. P. Dockerill, P. E. Martin, M. Storie, J. Wood.

Rod Stuart, A. Matthews, H. Currie, H. Molyneaux.

L. L. Landucci, J. Melvin, H. W. Tutt, J. W. Bowie.

A. B. Anderson, K. Miles, J. Baines, G. H. Perkins.

A. Forrest, J. F. Millican, A. Faunt, J. F. Buckingham.

E. G. Player, N. E. Mitchell, J. Wormold, G. Bell.

A. G. McKinnon, S. N. Mitchell, W. E. Gordon, W. E. Page.

E. A. Todd, A. E. Mortimer, T. Owens, R. Le Rose.

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D. J. Minto, C. Pennie, W. Johnston, W. G. Bruce.

T. W. Mathieson, M. Pistak, C. Hagcarty, A. Cristofoli.

E. E. Perkins, B. Pollock, E. Mondin, A. Piccolo.

F. J. Plester, T. Sadler, S. Reid, G. Menelaws.

J. A. Robinson, M. Salsiciolli, J. F. Smedley, B. J. Taylor.

S. G. Smillie, N. Sanderson, S. D'Archangelo, W. Robertson.

V. E. Ferguson, F. M. Sawyer, M. G. Martin, A. P. Pikley.

A. R. Robinson, J. Kelly, C. Charlton, G. D. Bruce.

D. Sutherland, C. M. Spencer, J. E. McMynn, N. W. Norman.

R. Bainbridge, L. Telfer, K. Campbell, N. Ink.

J. Devito, J. M. Thomson, J. Reardon, D. Longdon.

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O. H. Gill, C. H. Wright, C. N. Anderson, M. Roscoe.

C. D. Stuart, A. Buchan, G. Shaw, R. Somerville.

G. Moir, J. Kwasney, B. Leadbeater, A. McGowan.

M. N. Anderson, A. Richardson, H. W. Beckett, J. MacLean.

CIVIC EXPENSE

HORSHAM, England (CP) — Municipal authorities of this Sussex town paid householder William Rodger 8s 3d. The larder ceiling of his municipally - owned house fell in, breaking 14 eggs.

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Directional Signs An Urgent Need For Nelson and Its Visitors

When and if the Nelson City Council decides on a comprehensive road program they might also consider a system of effective street marking. We need it badly. One can go the whole length of Baker Street without seeing one sign to indicate the names of cross streets. The provincial highways are adequately marked. It is easy for the visitor to get out of town but not so easy for him to find his way around in it.

Much good work has been done by the Junior Chamber of Commerce in providing some street markers, but it is too great a job and too expensive for one service club to complete.

There is much to be said for planning and particularly period planning. By this means it is possible to spread the work and the expense over a number of years. Its success depends very much upon the consistency with which the plan is followed and councils are too often ruled by expediency.

The logical starting point is from the main street of the city. Here, where traffic often obscures the view and lamp standards are already cluttered with signs, it might be as well to consider larger than ordinary signs high on the walls of buildings where they will be more conspicuous. The main street is no place to dawdle in traffic looking for the right turning. In other parts of the city the signs should be distinctly legible from a distance and to be economical they should be durable, preferably of metal, and they could be so designed as to add to the appearance of the street.

Nor are markers for streets the only ones needed. It is surprising how many people pass through Nelson without ever knowing that Nelson has a Tourist Park where they can stay overnight. Strangers in any city have difficulty in finding places without sufficient signs, and Nelson is no exception. Much as we may deplore the necessity for signs which deface the streets, the fact remains that such signs are needed. Not only that but they are stimulating to strangers, who feel that the city is thoughtful of their needs and are more inclined to stay. We should certainly have arrow signs pointing to all our parks and the Tourist Park in particular, which should also have attractive and conspicuous signs at each entrance.

Hope For Argentina Is Balanced Gov't

It is to be hoped that the provisional President Major General Eduardo Lonardi will bring about a new Argentina. He has said elections will be called as soon as possible. He has also given assurances that Argentina has no desire to repeat its experiences of a totalitarian regime such as the unseated President Peron was building.

The strong hope will be that a new government will be a balance of all interests and national forces rather than have domination by any particular group. In that way the "love of liberty" which Lonardi has declared is "profoundly ingrained in Argentina tradition" will have its best chance of expression.

Pursuit of the Wild Swan

A friend writes that it is the finer things in life he is after, not money. There seems to be a trace of guilt in his statement, as though he secretly would enjoy getting hold of some money, but feels he must not touch the stuff, lest it impair his capacity to pursue the wild swan. In his case the wild swan happens to be architecture. He is a first-class architect, and, with only an uncertain number of years left to work, he wishes to squeeze some satisfaction out of them by designing a few things that will not make him shudder when he strolls past.

Anyone who amounts to anything has much the same notions, whether his job is drying the dishes expertly for his wife, delivering the newspaper neatly and on time, or getting the estimates through Commons. A person without at least one beautiful wild swan to pursue is a sorry case indeed.

It is the reference to money as being bad that is the controversial feature in the letter from this architect. Love of money is the root of all evil, but the fact that many people omit "love" from this quotation suggests a general feeling that money itself is bad.

Carthage and the U.S. are pointed to as horrible examples of empires with a lot of money and no culture. On the other hand, it is difficult to find a civilization of quality that did not own a considerable amount of material wealth. Athens in her best days of art had made the Aegean her lake and was invading Asia, Sicily and the lower Italian mainland. Rome is not a good example, being more a wealthy patron of the arts; but the Florence of 2000 years after Pericles was a trading town that beat out Pisa and Siena and staved off Milan. Shakespeare was 24 when English sailors, with fish scales glistening like armor on the backs of their hands and wrists, confounded the Armada and improved the aspects of the London theatre. And Canadians know that in the U.S., for all the rustle of currency, there is a civilization that in at least a third of the arts is the acknowledged big league of this decade.

Although it seems clear that nations most effectively pursue their wild swans on full stomachs, there have been too many hungry individuals who did great things for any such rule to apply to the man himself. Edgar Allan Poe was plagued by poverty and his work was probably impaired by it, while the fact that Sir Isaac Newton made a lot of money did not interfere with his research. The best advice that can be mustered in reply to the architect who is worried lest he make some money is that money is a fine thing to have, especially around the first of the month; that in itself it is not evil, but one must love people and some other things more.

The architect friend should design the very finest building he is capable of, as only in that way will he expand his own capabilities; as Sir Christopher Wren did, improving while he built St. Paul's, arguing with committees. A man as busy as that seldom thinks much about money, but he usually has some.—The Printed Word.

?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.

Reader, Nelson — Please give me names of pulp mill in the State of Washington.

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Interested, Trail — Every year you print the address of a firm in Vancouver that makes old blankets into rugs. Last time I saw it I cut it out but have mislaid the clipping. Would you mind putting it in your column again?

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Student, Fernie — Do girl clerks in banks get over-time pay?

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Desperate, Grand Forks — Is there any society that would lend a deserted wife with children money to pay for a divorce?

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J.S. and B.H., Vancouver — Would you please give us names and addresses of some hospitals in Spokane with training schools as we would like to get information on them?

St. Luke's; Sacred Heart; Deaconess, Spokane, Washington, U.S.A. all have training schools for student nurses.

W.A., Thrums — What is the annual production of electricity in KWH of Canada and the United States?

The latest figures available are as follows: Canada, as of January 1, 1954, 71,480,000; United States, as of January 1, 1954, 513,518,000.

Colored Highways

In this day and age of progress, it is not surprising that some Italian engineers have come up with a startling idea, colored highways. Just when we are getting used to the multi-colored cars of today, the suggestion of a colored highway seems to fit into the general scheme of present-day planning. It may result in greater safety, for one thing.

Most roads today are black, which quickly takes up light at night. Pedestrians walking along the road are totally obliterated. Those who drive today can be thankful, too, that horse-and-buggy traffic in the West is almost entirely limited to side roads. The black roads are a big improvement over the white roads from which the sun glares back at the drivers during the heat of the day.

It is possible that some other color, say yellow or green, would prove most satisfactory both for night and day travelling. It has been suggested, too, that different roads might be in different colors. It might be that roads could be two-toned, with the colors dividing at the centre.

The main problem would be, should colors be advisable, just how to achieve them. Both the black and the near-whites are more or less natural to the materials being used. But the adding of color might create serious cost problems. Then, too, the greens, if green was decided, should not be the color of grass. Much thought will be given the question of colored highways before one is built, but it may come in our time yet.—The Brandon Sun.

It's Been Said

It is another's fault if he be ungrateful, but it is mine if I do not give. To find one thankful man, I will oblige a great many that are not so.—Seneca.

Watch Your Language

OBLATION — (ob-LA-shun) — noun; a religious or ritualistic offering, usually something inanimate, as unconsecrated bread and wine; also that which is offered; hence, any offering to a church, charity, etc. Origin: Old French—from Late Latin—Oblatio, from Oblatus, used as a past principle of Offerra, to offer.

Paramouse Makes Successful Jump

By ROBERT B. TUCKMAN

FRANKFURT, Germany (AP)—First, the U.S. Air Force here came up with a parachute jumping dog.

Now comes the U.S. Army with a paramouse.

Not long ago, an air rescue squadron based at Frankfurt airport promoted Yabo, a German shepherd dog, to the rank of full-fledged paratrooper.

Yabo at the time had just completed his fifth jump, leaping into space after his master, S.Sgt. Enson Farmer, a paramedic from Rio Oso, Calif., credited with more than 70 jumps.

Yabo had just about touched ground the fifth time when an army unit in southern Germany unveiled Oscar, possibly the first airborne mouse in history.

Oscar is attached to the 10th Special Forces Group (Airborne) at Bad Toelz. His previous "post" was a pet shop in Bad Toelz, where Lieut. Ralph W. Burton of San Diego, Calif., bought him.

Oscar lives in the dependent housing area. He is dependent on liverwurst, cheese and apples for chow. His entry into the paratroop ranks came about through a last-minute decision. The 22-year-old sergeant was due to make a jump one morning last September and wanted company.

Oscar was rigged in a handkerchief parachute and taken aloft. Burton jumped at 1200 feet and after his 'chute blosomed, he released Oscar. Due to Oscar's "underweight" condition, he descended much more slowly than Burton. After he landed 150 yards away, Burton gave him a medical checkup. He found Oscar suffering ony from high blood pressure.

Like Yabo, the air force paradog, Oscar has five jumps to his credit. But only one from a plane. Oscar made one jump from the company adjutant's window and three others from a 34-foot-high practice jump tower.

Oscar isn't allowed to jump at night. He might get lost.

FAMOUS NAMES

TORONTO (CP) — Marlene Dietrich, Marilyn Monroe and Roy Rogers are attending a Toronto high school. The famous names belong to two attractive third form girls and a first former from Scotland.

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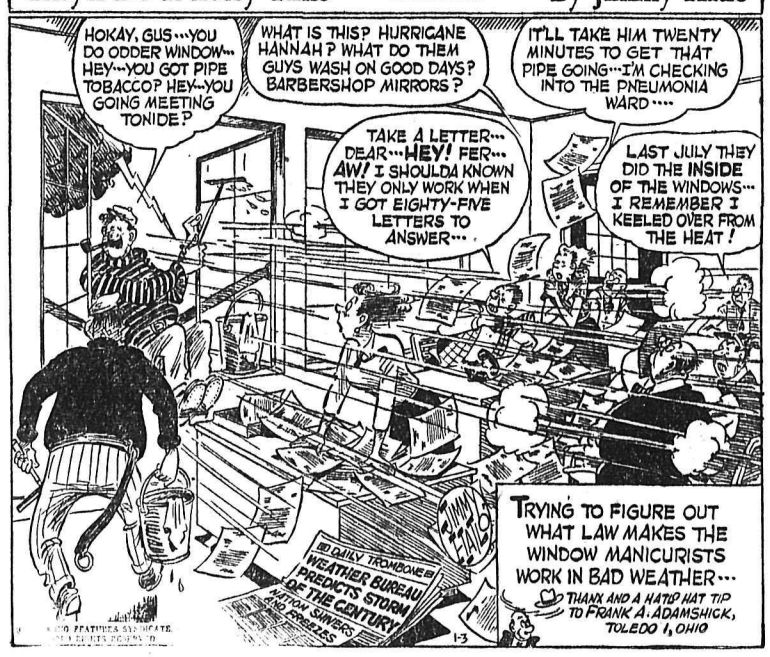
By Jimmy Hatlo



Today's Bible Thought

Take no thought of your life, what ye shall eat.—Luke 12:22.

We have known people who worried for more than fifty years about something that never befell them. In Christian lands daily bread is seldom a problem.

Aunt Het

One of nature's worst mistakes is to give a cute little nose to a woman who feels grave and dignified.

Nelson Social

Mrs. James McGregor, Mill Street, who is a patient in the Vancouver General Hospital, is reported to be making excellent progress.

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Jack Glover has returned to Chilliwack after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Glover, Second Street.

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Miss Nancy Lee, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Turner Lee, Silica Street, is returning today to Cranbrook where she is Senior Public Health Nurse for East Kootenay Health Nnit.

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John Norris, Silica Street, has returned from Kamloops where he spent the holidays with relatives.

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Bruce MacLean who has been spending the holiday season with his mother Mrs. E. B. MacLean Medical Arts Building has returned to his home in Vancouver.

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Miss Carol Proudfoot who spent the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Dave Proudfoot, Observatory Street has returned to Prince George where she is teaching.

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Miss Marian Hansen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hansen, Salmo, left Sunday morning for Victoria where she will go in training in the Royal Jubilee Hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carmichael and baby daughter have returned to their home in Vancouver after visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Carmichael and Mr. and Mrs. H. Loewen, and other relatives and friends over the Christmas and New Year holidays.

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Silverton Notes

SILVERTON — Silverton students, home for the holidays, were Pat Harding, Andy Avision, Wayne Morrison and Ernest Harding. all attending UBC, Harvey Wilson of St. George's College, Vancouver. Len Erickson of The Lloyd Crowe High School, Trail, and Laurence Harding of the Chicago Vocational School, Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Anderson had as their guests their daughter Mrs D. Evans, Mr. Evans and family of Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gordon of Trail were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gordon and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Linnert Lindstein of Revelstoke spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. Lindstein's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Lindstein and brother Elmer and family

Mr. and Mrs. Traymaine of Kimberley have purchased the J. Fairhurst Confectionery store and are now residing here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Steel entertained their relatives at a dinner party to celebrate a three-fold occasion —the coming of age of their son John, the engagement of their son Lance to Miss Joan Weirs of Saskatoon and their silver anniversary. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. William S. Hnderson and their daughter Miss Anne Teir of New Denver, Mr. George Steele of Appledale, Miss Leona Boss of Nelson and Miss Teir's fiance Bud Wilson of Kelowna.

A Christmas tree concert, sponsored by the Silverton Christmas Tree committee, was held in the memorial hall. Two plays, "The Cobbler's Story" and "Comicopia" was played by the students of grades 4, 5 and 6 under the direction of their teacher, Mrs. L. A. Lind. "Tweedle Dee Plays a Bad Joke" was played by the 1, 2 and 3 grade students under the supervision of their teacher Mrs. M. Bell. Santa Claus, with his helpers Mrs. J. L. Wilson and W. H. Johnston gave gifts to 125 children. Master of ceremonies was Mr. J. Fairhurst. Music was supplied by J. Loundes, violin, and Mrs. J. Steele, piano. Mrs. Loundes conducted community singing.

The Silverton Women's Institute held its whist drive in the municipal hall. Six tables were in play. Mrs. C. Schmidt and Mrs. S. A. Mathews cut for first prize, the honor going to Mrs Schmidt. Consolation was won by Mrs. Jim Stewart of New Denver. J. W. Kabatoff won men's first prize and Jim Stewart, consolation. Door prize was won by C. Gill. Refreshments were served by Mrs. H. Mager and Mrs. O. A. Lindstein. The sum of $12 was realized. It was decided to hold the next whist drive on January 6.

A Christmas party sponsored by the Silverton Women's Institute for the old-time bachelors was held in the Municipal Hall

Whist was played. Mrs. T. Wilkowski won women's first, Mrs. S. A. Mathews, second. C. Gill won men's first and T. Anderson second.

Mrs. E. Fairhurst of Vancouver is visiting with her two sons and daughters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Fairhurst and family and Mr. and Mrs. R. Fairhurst and family.

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Recipes . . .

Left-Over Turkey Suggestions Welcome

By MARGARET CARR

The ingenious homemaker turns left over foods into dishes which are frequently more popular than the original item. After New Year's when leftovers may present a problem, a new recipe for using the last bits of the flavorful meat is usually welcome.

Here's a savory variation shaped into a ring that's appealing to look at and better to eat. It can be made with either diced stewing chicken, canned chicken or leftover turkey or chicken. Canned chicken consomme or a bouillon cube dissolved in boiling water can be substituted for chicken broth. This chicken or turkey ring is served with a mushroom sauce and sliced hard-cooked eggs.

Another variation of the turkey left over theme are turkey turnovers. These are flaky biscuit triangles which enclose chunks of the holiday bird flavored with cranberry sauce.

CHICKEN OR TURKEY RING WITH MUSHROOM SAUCE

4 cups diced cooked chicken or turkey, 1½ cups diced uncooked celery, 2 cups lukewarm chicken, broth or chicken consomme, 2 unbeaten eggs, 1½ tsp. salt, ⅛ tsp. pepper, ¼ tsp. tarragon or savory, 2½ cups dry enriched bread crumbs, 3 tbsps butter or margarine, 3 tbsps. all-purpose flour, 2 cups milk, or 1 cup milk and 1 cup chicken broth or consomme, 1 cup sliced fresh mushrooms, 2 tbsps. butter or margarine, 2 hard-boiled eggs, sliced.

Grease well an 8-inch ring mold. Preheat to 325 deg. F. Combine chicken or turkey, celery, chicken broth or consomme, eggs, salt, pepper, tarragon or savory and all or enough of the dry enriched bread crumbs to absorb excess moisture, and pack into buttered ring mold.

Place mold in pan of hot water. Bake in preheated oven 45 minutes. Meanwhile, in a heavy saucepan, melt 2 tablespoons butter or margarine. Blend in flour. Slowly add milk, stirring all the time. Cook over low heat, stirring constantly until mixture boils and thickens. Saute sliced mushrooms in remaining butter or margarine and add to white sauce and season to taste. Place sauce in centre of unmolded hot chicken ring. Garnish with sliced hard-cooked eggs. Makes six servings.

TURKEY TURNOVERS

2 cups sifted enriched pastry flour, 3 tsps. baking powder, 1 tsp salt, ¼ cup shortening, ¾ cup milk, 1½ cups cooked turkey meat, 1/3 cup cranberry sauce or relish, 2 cups turkey gravy.

Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Cut or rub in shortening. Add milk to make a soft dough. Turn out on lightly floured board and knead gently one-half minute. Roll out ¼ inch thick. Cut four six-inch squares. Place turkey meat and one tbsp. cranberry sauce or relish on ½ of each square. Fold dough over filling to make triangles and seal edges with fork or fingers. Prick top of each turnover with fork. Place in baking dish, nine by 12 by 1½ inches. Pour hot gravy over the turnovers. Bake in hot oven (425 deg. F.) 25 minutes, Makes four servings.

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By DR. HERMAN N. BUNDESEN

NEW help for arthritic sufferers, the mentally ill and drug addicts is promised by recent medical developments.

Sterane, a powerful anti-arthritic drug, is a potential aid to some 200,000 persons now regarded as permanently disabled. It might also prove helpful to 10,000,000 others who suffer from rheumatic diseases.

The drug is a steriod and is related to hydrocortisone, although it is chemically different.

The anti-inflammatory hormone is four to five times more potent than cortisone or hydrocortisone. Its other uses are in treatment of bronchial atshma, ulcerative colitis and several types of skin disease.

Injections of histamine may sharply increase the number of persons leaving mental hospitals, a Canadian scientific team says.

Thirty-ady histamine treatment brought about sufficient improvement in 20 of 100 schizophrenic patients tested to permit their release.

The improvement rate might have been ever greater, the doctors report, except for the fact that the majority of the patients had been under care for more than two years and many for more than five years.

Use of thorazine may turn out to be of great value in treatment of drug addiction.

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Balfour Notes

BALFOUR — Mike Randel of Trail and Chris Randel, a student at UBC, spent a few days of their Christmas Holiday at their Summer home.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Wellwood entertained at bridge. Two tables were in play, and F. Hansen won topscore.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Saunders entertained at a dinner party, in honor of their grandson, R. Chandler, who left Sunday for Toronto.

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Len Gregory, of Kimberley has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. E. Carleson.

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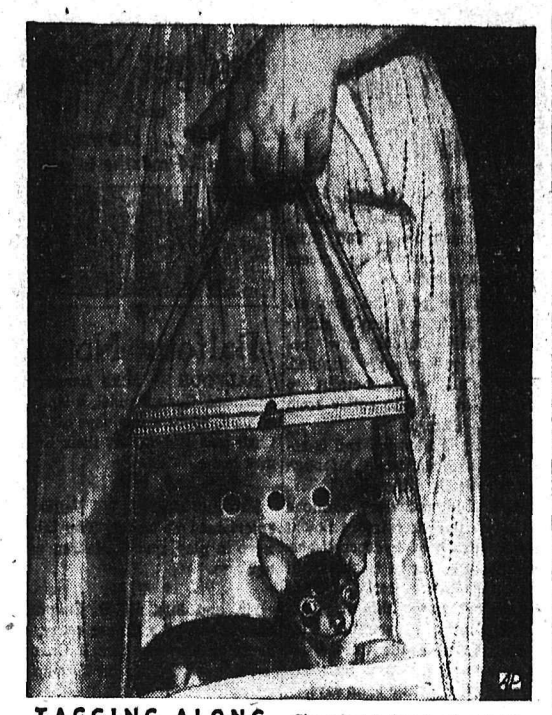

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Movie Gossip...

Donald O'Connor Believes in Not Making Movie Fans Tire of Star

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP) —"As long as I can remember, my family never bothered to plan ahead. They never worried about the future as long as there was applause to be had. But I wondered what would happen when the applause was no longer there."

This was Donald O'Connor's explanation of why he has temporarily abandoned his blossoming movie and television career.

The talented young performer made these obsevations between rehearsals in a studio above the Hollywood bus station. In these unique surroundings he was preparing for his date at Las Vegas' Sahara, his only professional engagement during his long vacation.

O'Connor, a serious young fellow despite his talent for clowning, explained that he had been working steadily since he played in hisfamily's vaudeville act during his earliest years. He came to movies at 12 and has been them ever since, minus time for the army.

NO TIME TO PLAN

"I never had any time to plan," said Donald, now 30. "I didn't want to burn myself out too early. It seems to me they can get tired of you very soon."

"So I have turned down all TV offers. I own 19 TV films that I have done, but I think I will withhold them from circulation. To let go of them would defeat what I am trying to do—avoid being seen too much by the public."

He added that his present plan is to make only one picture a year, or three every two years at the most. And if he does anything on TV, he will make a rare appearance in a spectacular-like production with a strong story, not the usual revue.

Did he find it hard to do nothing after a lifetime of activity?'

"Yes, I did," he said. "The first few weeks were murder; I didn't know what to do with myself. There's an art to doing nothing, and I finally got the hang of it. It has been very enjoyable."

TRIP TO EUROPE

Donald has occupied the time by doing the things he has never had the time to do. He took a leisurely trip through Europe—pure pleasure, no work involved. He takes an occasional look into his music publishing and housing development business. His principal pastime is writing.

He even fulfilled his lontime curiosity about how he would look with a moustache. He grew one that aroused a rash of pro and con among his friends. He ended the controversy by shaving it off.

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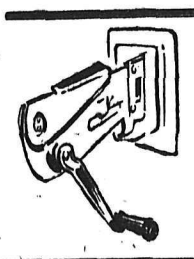

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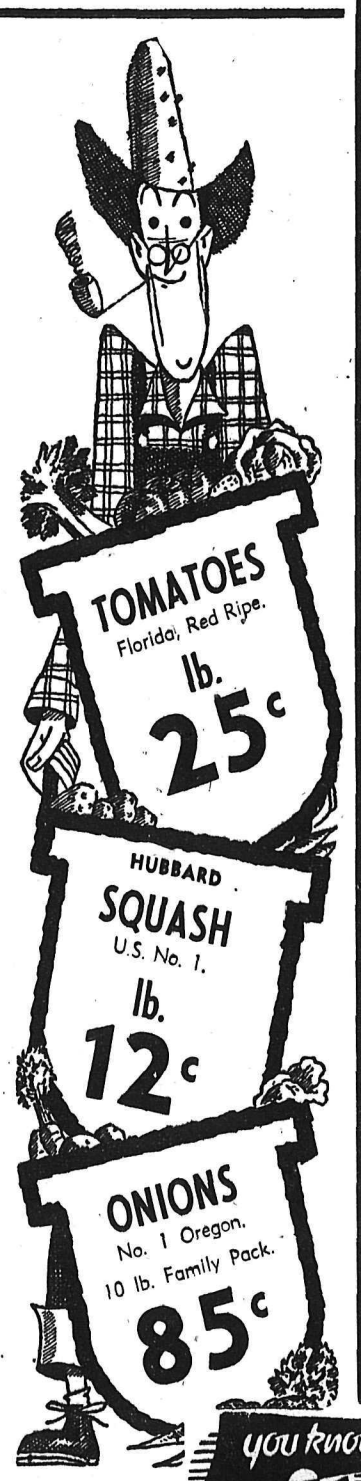

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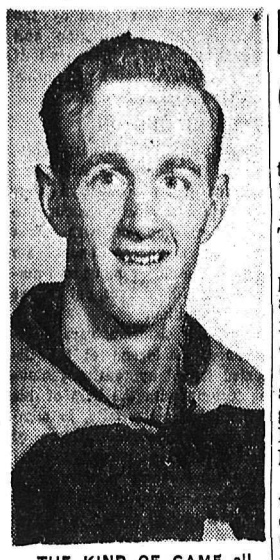
Hyssop Whole Show as Leafs Take Trail 6-4



THE KIND OF GAME all hockey players dream of was played by Nelson's Lee Hyssop Monday afternoon. The starry centre ice man had a hand in all six goals as his club dumped Trail 6-4. He scored four times, three times unassisted, and assisted on two markers by winger Bud Andrews. The six points gave Hyssop the lead in the WIHL scoring race.

Nelson Centreman Scores 4 Goals, Assists On Other 2

A rink full of spectators (and two referees) watched two evenly balanced teams roar through 60 minutes of hockey in the annual New Year's classic at the Civic Arena Monday afternoon as the Maple Leafs downed Trail Smoke Eaters 6-4.

It was a great afternoon for Lee Hyssop as he personally supervised the entire six goals, getting four and assisting Bud Andrews on two more. It was also a further addition to his prestige as the Hyssops' baby daughter was the first to arrive at Kootenay Lake General Hospital in the New Year, and with that go considerable gifts from the local merchants. It was also a great day for the Nelson fans as they gloried in their Leafs climbing to the top of the WIHL ladder. They now lead Trail by one point.

The game also marked the first time in two months that the host club has won a Trail-Nelson game. On November 1, Nelson defeated the Smokies 7-2 at the Civic, but in the five following meetings, the visiting club had been victorious, Nelson winning three at Cominco Arena and Trail coming through in two games here.

TRAIL LEADING

Trail was leading 4-3 with less than five minutes to play in the final period, and the first Smokie goal, which appeared to be at least four feet offside, began to loom as big as a mountain. They had gone ahead when Ray Demore was sitting out an interference penalty, Bobby Kromm making the most of a goalmouth pass from the wily Norm Lenardon.

Lee Hyssop, who had figured in the first three goals, hitched his pants a notch higher and trotted out.

At 15:21 he scored his third unassisted goal, added another from Andrews at 15:30 and then with Fritz Koehle set Andrews up on the final goal of the game. While no one could take away anything from Hyssop on his performance, it did seem that his wingmen were going to starve to death waiting for the referees to award an assist.

The game had everything. It almost got out of hand from referees George Cullen and Tommy Dunn. During Nelson's first penalty, Red Koehle and Wendy Keller had Trail shooting back to their own goal in a delirious effort to get the puck out of their own end, and later in the game Gus Adams cleared so hard he got a shot on goal at the other end. And then to cap it off, in the third, Lenardon got away on Lofvendahl after the latter had made the most spectacular tackle of the day and missed, then went nearly the length of the ice to give Kromm a beautiful setup for a goal. However, it was Rose Bowl day and tackles were allowed.

	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Nelson	16	16	1	140	168	33
Trail	16	15	0	138	140	32
Spokane	14	14	0	139	130	28
Kimberley	12	16	0	137	148	24

While the Herb Jeffrey centred line gave a lot of good hockey, it was not their game to score and Seth Martin didn't give them a point. Red Koehle and Keller were used to kill off penalties and Appleton and Red Koehle alternated with Bell and Jeffrey.

The game couldn't have had a better finish from the point of view of the Nelson fans. With Trail in the lead and the old maestro, Frank Turik, running circles in the Nelson defence area, the uneasier spectators were beginning to move toward the exits. Then with what looked like Hyssop's last sortie of the game the whole thing blew wide open. The three stars were Hyssop, Hyssop and Hyssop.

Lineups:

Nelson—Goal: Adams; defence: Lofvendahl, McGregor, Gare; forwards: Hyssop, F. Koehle, Andrews, Keller, Bell, Jeffrey, Appleton, R. Koehle.

Trail — Goal: Martin; defence: Conn, Fletcher, Kraeger, Smith; forwards: Lenardon, Shabaga, Saplywy, Kromm, Penner, Turik, Birukow, Demore.

SUMMARY

First period' 1. Trail, Penner (Saplywy) 2:20; 2. Nelson, Hyssop, 7:43; 3. Nelson, Hyssop, 19:13. Penalties: Bell, 8:25; Conn, 12:05; Saplywy, 17:55.

Second period: 4. Trail, Penner (Smith, Saplywy) 10:49; 5. Nelson, Andrews (Hyssop) 14:11; 6. Trail, Shabaga (Lenardon, Kromm) 19:01. Penalty: Gare, 3:05.

Third period: 7. Trail, Kromm (Lenardon, Conn) 6:20; 8. Nelson, Hyssop, 15:21; 9. Nelson, Hyssop (Andrews) 15:30; 10. Nelson, Andrews (Hyssop, F. Koehle) 15:40. Penalty: Demore, 5:01.

V's Beat Canadians 4-2

VERNON (CP) — The come-from-behind club—Penticton Vs—dit it again here Monday afternoon by punching home two goals in the final period to down Vernon Canadians 4-2 before a packed house of 2800 Okanagan Senior Hockey League fans.

The victory was seventh in eight games for Vs and cut Vernon's first-place lead to 18 points. Vs are six points ahead of third-plice Kamloops Elks.

Jack Macdonald was outstanding player for Vs with two unassisted goals. Grant Warwick and Jack Taggart bagged the others.

Tom Stecyk put Canadians ahead 1-0 in the first period. Sherm Blair continued his hot pace with his 23rd goal of the season—his 10th in six games.

The score was 2-2 going into the third.

Only seven penalties were charged, four against Canadians.

FERNIE TIES COLEMAN

FERNIE—Coleman Grands and Fernie Rangers played to a four-all tie in an Alberta-British Columbia Intermediate Hockey League game here Monday afternoon.

Coleman got the only goal of the first period with T. Zembiak netting the puck. W. Tymchina made it 2-0 early in the second period. Vic Marasco scored for Fernie midway in the period.

Harold Uphill tied it up for Fernie halfway in the third. Five minutes later Allan Neidig put Fernie ahead for the first time in the game. W. Tymchina tied it up with a minute and a half to play. Both teams scored in the overtime with Wilf Ashmore scoring for Fernie and J. Scodellaro for Coleman.

With Stane and Besom

Results of play at Nelson Curling club Monday night, in club competition:

D. M. Sample 1, J. Strachan 0.
L. Peerless 9, D. Cathcart 7.
R. Bruce 12, E. Ramsbottom 8.
R. A. Briggs 1, W. Stern 0.
R. D. Wallace 1, F. Carmichael 0.
R. Carmichael 11, H. Moore 7.
A. S. Lockwood 10, W. Leeming 7.
J. Campbell 1, A. Gilker 0.
E. Mason 11, E. C. Hunt 14.

In championship playdowns:

L. Peerless 12, M. Ryalls 12.
H. Farenholtz 12, J. Harvey 11.
L. Maurer 15, D. Lord 3.
D. Cathcart 11, E. C. Hunt 8.
J. Leeming 12, R. Palmer 5.

Hockey Standings

By The Canadian Press

	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Montreal	24	7	7	115	62	55
New York	18	11	6	106	82	24
Detroit	12	11	13	86	74	37
Chicago	12	18	8	92	117	32
Toronto	12	19	7	76	100	31
Boston	8	20	9	66	106	25

WESTERN JUNIOR LEAGUE

	W	L	T	F	A	Pts.
Regina	14	5	1	100	65	29
Lethbridge	15	11	0	123	112	20
Edmonton	10	14	0	90	101	20
Medicine Hat	10	19	1	102	143	17

Lethbridge-Medicine Hat games count one point.

HOCKEY SCORES

By The Canadian Press

MONDAY

WESTERN LEAGUE

Winnipeg 5, Regina 2

SUNDAY

NHL

New York 4, Boston 2
Chicago 1, Detroit 5

SATURDAY

Montreal 7, Chicago 2.
Toronto 2, Detroit 1.
New York 6, Boston 2.

About 80 per cent of the population of the United Kingdom lives in towns and cities.

Bachynski Leads Commerk League

John Bachynski has a 17-point lead over teammate Syl Benedetti in the race for scoring honors in Nelson Commercial Hockey League. The Civic Hotel player has scored 18 times and has assisted on 17 other markers for 35 points. Benedetti has nine goals and nine assists for 18 points. A third Civic player, Frank Hufty, is tied with two from the Reuben Buerge Motors club, Arnie Sherwood and Neil McClenaghen for No. 3 spot with 16 points.

The Civic team is also on top of the league by a one-point margin.

League statistics follow:

LEAGUE STANDINGS:

	Gp	W	L	T	Pt
Civic Hotel	7	4	1	2	10
R. Buerge Mot.	7	4	2	1	9
Queen's Hotel	7	2	3	2	6
Glade	7	2	4	1	5

SCORING STANDINGS

	G	A	Pn	Pt
J. Bachynski, Civic	18	17	2	35
S. Benedetti, Civic	9	9	2	18
F. Hufty, Civic	8	8	7	16
A. Sherwood, Buerge	8	8	6	16
N. McClenaghen, RB	9	7	—	16
B. Richardson, Civic	4	10	4	14
C. Burdette, Queens	6	7	6	13

GOALIES' RECORDS

	gp	ga	av	so
V. Miller, R. Buerge	7	30	4.28	1
R. Fetterly, Civic	7	36	5.14	1
B. Freno, Queens	7	39	5.57	-
G. Denisoff, Glade	6	46	7.66	-
Sherstobitoff, Glade	1	5	5.00	-

Don Capper of Buerges leads the penalty parade with 22 minutes, double second man Queens' Fred Boates' total of 11. The Buerge club has served 50 minutes in penalties, Civic 41, Queens 27, and Glade 16.

SPORTS

Spartans Beat UCLA In Rose Bowl 17-14

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — Michigan State Spartans and UCLA fought each other to a savage tie on the ground and in the air and it was left for a field goal in the last seven seconds to decide the game as the Spartans left the Rose Bowl with a rousing 17-14 victory Monday.

Right end Dave Kaiser kicked the winning field goal with a boot that sent the ball sailing 41 yards through the goalposts.

Bedlam such as this historic post-season game has not seen in years promptly broke loose and few, if any, of the capacity crowd of 100,809 had left the big saucer in the Arroyo Seco.

UCLA, champions of the Pacific Coast Conference, had tied the score 14-14 just a few minutes before and tension mounted with every play that ensued, climaxed by the field goal.

MIDWEST LEADS

The goal posts were demolished by uproarious Michigan State fans and the outcome spelled nine triumphs for the Big Ten. The coast is still searching for win No. 2 in its series with the mid westerners.

Michigan State broke a 7-7 deadlock early in the final quarter on an electrifying 67 yard pass play from left halfback Clarence Peaks to his six-foot-three left end, John (Big Thunder) Lewis, who outran Sam Brown for the touchdown.

Far outgained on the ground by the Spartans' devastating sophomore, Walt Kowalczyk, Peaks and Gerry Planutis, the Bruins went to the air on the arm of their erstwhile invalid, Ronnie Knox.

Knox connected with halfback Jim Decker for 47 yards and the Bruins were back in the game on the MSU seven-yard line. Knox made five, then one, and reserve fullback Doug Peters executed a high dive over the pileup in the centre of the line for the tying touchdown.

Decker's conversion made it 14-14.

Minor Hockey League Results

Minor hockey league summaries for the games played during the weekend:

BANTAM LEAGUE

Rangers 14, Bruins 1.

Ranger goals— Abrahamson 6, Laughton 4, Brown 2, Tames 1, McElroy 1, Assists, Brown 3, Atwell 3, Tames 2, Laughton 1.

Bruin goals—Swetlicoe. Assists Cherenko.

Red Wings 7, Canadiens 3.

Red Wing goals—D. McEachern 3, McKinnon 1, Tees 1, Hennig 1, Acres 1. Assists—Tees 3, McKinnon 2, Rogers 1, Hennig 1, McEachern 1.

Canadiens goals — Wallach 1, Steed 1, J. Sample 1.

Assists—Steed 1, Patterson 1, L. McEachern 1.

Black Hawks 4, Canadiens 1

Black Hawks goals—Neilson 2, Arnot 1, Sjoberg 1. Assists — Sjoberg 1, Peters 1, Rothery 1, McCowan 1.

Canadiens goals—Steed. Assists —Wallach 1.

MIDGET LEAGUE

Hornets goals—Skapple 3, Sergent 2, W. Farenholtz 1. Assists—Borch 3, Trozzo 2, Farenholtz 2, Skapple 2, Sergent 1.

Warrior goals—Hufty 2, Wilson 1, Cameron 1, Moffat 1. Assists — Wilson 2, Cameron 2, Bond 2, Hufty 1, Kleef 1.

JUVENILE LEAGUE

Royals 7, Quakers 5.

Royals goals—Stevenson 2, R. Carman 2, Spencer 2, Lipsack 1.

Assists—Roberts 2, Edwards 2, Anderson 1, Spencer 1, Stevenson 1.

Quaker goals—B. Carman 2, Atwell 2, Monteleone 1. Assists — Monteleone 2, B. Carman 1, Borch 1, Steadman 1, Farenholtz 1.

Maloney Two Up On Blinky Boyce

SEATTLE (AP)—Phil Maloney of Vancouver holds first place in the Western Hockey League individual scoring race for the third straight week.

Summaries released here Monday by the league show Maloney, with 52 points, two ahead of Blinky Boyce of New Westminster. Boyce was held to a lone assist in games up to and including New Year's Eve.

Steve Witiuk of Calgary won "player of the week" honors with nine points on four goals and five assists. He moved into a tie for 10th place among the pointmakers for the season.

Boby Love of New Westminster, in third place for total points, is the top assist maker, with 37.

Gordon Fashoway, New Westminster, and Sid Finney, Calgary, have the most goals, 26 each.

Ray Mikulan of Vancouver leads the goalies with an average of only 2.6 scored against him per game.

The high scorers;

	G	A	Pts
Phil Maloney, Van.	25	27	52
Blinky Boyce, N.W.	20	30	50
Bobby Love, N.W.	12	37	49
Gerry Melnyk, Edm.	21	28	49
Sid Finney, Cal.	26	21	47
Gerry Couture, Cal.	18	28	46
Guyle Fielder, Sea.	10	34	44
Gordie Fashoway, N.W.	26	15	41
Colin Kilburn, Vic.	25	16	41
Jim McFadden, Cal.	13	26	39
Billy McNeill, Edm.	16	23	39
Steve Witiuk, Cal.	18	21	39

MINOR HOCKEY SCHEDULE

Minor hockey schedule for this week follows:

Tuesday, 8 to 9:30—Royals vs Canucks.

Wednesday, 5 to 6—Bruins vs Canadiens; 6 to 7—Hornets vs Reps; 7 to 7:45—Warrior practice.

Thursday, 8 to 9:30—Quakers vs Royals.

Saturday, 1:30 to 2:30—Bantam Pool.

2:30 to 3:30—Hawks vs Rangers.
3:30 to 4:30—Bruins vs Wings.
4:30 to 5:30—Reps vs Warriors.
5:30 to 6:30—Midget Rep practice.

MICHIGAN STATE'S football team is seen taking time out from practice at Pasadena, Calif., to look over a 300-foot-long telegram from the fans at home in East Lansing and Lansing, Mich. The wire, wishing the Spartans luck in their Rose Bowl clash with UCLA, carried nearly 8000 names. In foreground, from left, are Capt. Carl Nystrom, Coach Duffy Daugherty and End Joel Jones. The Spartans won 17-14 so 8000 people would figure the telegram was really worth it.—AP Wirephoto.

Packers Wallop Kamloops 8-2

KELOWNA (CP) — Kelowna Packers celebrated little New Years, and young Canada day in the Orchard City by trouncing Kamloops Elks 8-2, moving to within one point of third-place Kamloops.

Big Jim Middleton was high-scorer for Kelowna, with one goal and three assists. Joe Kaiser earned three assists and rookie Greg Jablonski one goal, two assists.

Packers' goalie Dave Gatherum had a shut-out until 14:17 of the third when Joe Connors scored to break the goose-egg.

Coach Moe Young was the first to score for Kelowna, followed by Brian Roche, Bill Jones and Mike Durban. The first period ended 4-0 for Packers.

Roche made it 5-0 half away in the hectic second as Elks gave it all they had in the effort to come back. Connors goal two minutes later was the scoring effort for the period.

Middleton opened the scoring in the third, pumping in one on the end of a hard-driving rush. Jablonski put the game further on ice two minutes later, with a shot from behind and a follow through.

Ed Kassian scored the next Kamloops counter, sweeping across in front of the net with a screened shot into the lower corner off Gatherum's leg.

Jones bored straight in on goal and took a pass from Jablonski to end the hockey game at 8-2.

COAL KINGS EDGE KIMBERLEY

NATAL — Playing their first home game of the season in the Alberta-British Columbia Intermediate Hockey League at the Natal Arena, Natal-Michel Coal Kings edged the highly touted Kimberley Legionaires 4-3 in a thrilling encounter.

The win avenged a 22-4 shellacking the Coal Kings were handed at Kimberley a week previous when the ABC league schedule opened.

Goal getters for the Kings were Dino Paoli, Armond Lalonde, Jimmy McVeigh and Reno Fabbro. For the losers, Livingstone, Port and Kershaw were the lamplighters.

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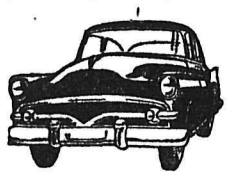

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By Frances Drake

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For Wednesday, January 4, 1956

MARCH 21 to APRIL 20 (Aries) —With this day's stimulating influences, you may be inclined to force matters or opinions. Be wisely tactful and you will gain more eventually.

APRIL 21 to MAY 20 (Taurus) — Encouraging vibrations from your planet, and from others, but be advised not to go to extremes lest you defeat your own purposes.

MAY 21 to JUNE 21 (Gemini)—Worthwhile goals can be promoted today and personal achievement assured IF you make the best use of your fine ability and talents.

JUNE 22 to JULY 23 (Cancer)—Some activities may call for extra vigor now, but this you can easily supply and greatly benefit thereby.

JULY 24 to AUGUST 22 (Leo) —Wish to develop new, better methods in your particular field? Then seek and heed the advice of those who are qualified to give it. You are clever and ambitious but do not always know the answers.

AUGUST 23 to SEPTEMBER 23 (Virgo)—A little extra study beforehand—especially on new matters—may be just what you need to get things off to a better start. Cut needless red tape, long discussions; get to the meat of things quickly.

SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23 (Libra) — Your inherent patience, fairness and sound judgment will be great aids to your achievement now. This day may not be fully responsive. You must do your share to make it work.

OCTOBER 24 to NOVEMBER 22 (Scorpio)—Be modest as well as brilliant. One complements the other. Today offers fresh opportunities for making profits, and friends should help in many ways. Be grateful.

NOVEMBER 23 to DECEMBER 22 (Sagittarius) — Every good deed, every good effort will result in some gain, some benefit. Patience with homely little tasks or details can speed the attainment of those big goals.

DECEMBER 23 to JANUARY 21 (Capricorn) — Full returns may not be attained now but partial ones are possible if you augment your knowledge and use your innately keen mind. Allocate tasks so as to get everything possible for your efforts.

JANUARY 22 to FEBRUARY 20 (Aquarius) — Don't fret if you don't seem to make records in record time. If you do your best without procrastinating, you will do well.

FEBRUARY 21 to MARCH 20 (Pisces)—A genial disposition and patience should be stressed all day. Unusual, if practical, methods to advance progress are favored.

YOU BORN TODAY are diligent, trustworthy, ambitious, usually purposeful. Your initiative and energy may lead to aggressiveness and arrogance, so be watchful in this department. Never lose patience with children; their very mischievousness is what you often need to dispel a tendency to gloominess. Laugh with and enjoy the best. There is a wide field in which you can succeed: especially as surgeon, dentist, statesman; in law, banking. You can be an efficient worker in industry, farming, dealing in livestock.

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Historic Bells May Ring Again

By SIDNEY TAYLOR

LONDON (Reuters) — The old London church linked with Dick Whittington, St. Mary-le Bow, is appealing for £150,000 so that its bells may ring again.

Its peals, silenced by Nazi bombs dropped during an air raid in May 1941, date back to the Middle Ages.

It is the curfew bell of Bow which is mentioned in "Oranges and Lemons" the English nursery rhyme about the church bells of London:

"I'm sure I don't know,"
Says the big bell of Bow.

It was the curfew bell which, in the year 1374, was heard by the legendary Dick Whittington and brought him back to be thrice lord mayor of London and a pantomine hero for centuries to come.

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Stow, the historian, says nothing about the legend of the ill-treated truant apprentice achieving fortune with the help of his cat, which, incidentally, is common to the medieval folklore of several European countries.

The story seems to have been first associated with Whittington and Bow bell in a play presented in 1605.

At this time Londoners were known as "Bow Bell Cockneys" to distinguish them from other "cockneys" the term used by the landed aristocracy and squires for those who dwelt in large towns.

In 1617, Minsheu, the lexicographer, recorded that "cockney" applied only to persons born within sound of Bow bell. According to this, no cockneys have been born in London for more than 14 years —nor, indeed, can any be born until the broken bells are recast and rehung, and their voices rise once more above the din of the traffic along Cheapside.

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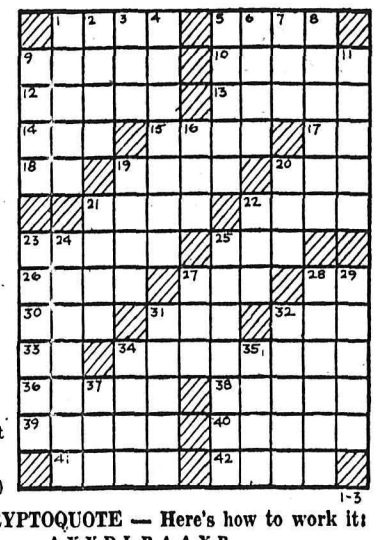

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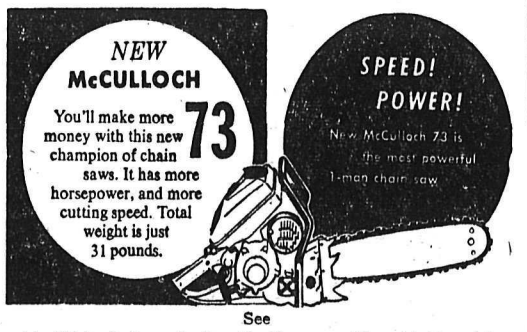

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Mr. Cottingham described 1955 as "the best year yet." It had been very good for base metals, particularly copper, where producers were breaking records for output and still maintaining and increasing ore reserves.

Production in 1954 was valued at $288,349,399.

Calcutta Test Match Ends in a Draw

CALCUTTA (Reuters) — The fourth test cricket match between India and New Zealand ended Monday in a draw.

Scores: India 132 and 438 for seven wickets declared; New Zealand 336 and 74 for six wickets.

India is one up in the series, having won the second test in Bombay. The tests at Hyderabad and New Delhi were drawn. The fifth and final test will start Saturday in Madras.

BRITISH SOCCER

LONDON (AP) — Results of soccer matches in the United Kingdom Monday:

ENGLISH LEAGUE
Division I
Bolton W 2, Huddersfield T 2
Manchester C 4, Portsmouth 1
Newcastle U 0, W Bromwich 3
Sunderland 1, Wolverhampton W 1
Division II
Blackburn R 2, Nottingham F 2
Middlesbrough 1, Port Vale 1
Division III, Northern
Barrow 0, Grimsby T 0
Chesterfield 3, Gateshead 0
Carlisle U 4, Bradford 1
Hartlepools U 1, Oldham A 0
Tranmere R 1, Southport 2
SCOTTISH LEAGUE
Division A
Airdrieonians 3, Motherwell 0
Celtic 0, Rangers 1
Dundee 2, Aberdeen 4
East Fife 3, Raith Rovers 0
Hibernian 2, Hearts 2
Partick T 1, Clyde 0
Queen of S 3, Dunfermline A 0
St. Mirren 2, Kilmarnock 2
Stirling A 1, Falkirk 0
Division B
Abroath 0, Forfar A 4
Ayr U 3, Morton 1
Brechin C 3, Montrose 1
Cowdenbeath 1, Berwick R 1
E Stirling 3, Dumbarton 1
Hamilton A 2, Albion R 2
Queen's P 3, Third Lanark 1
St. Johnstone 2, Dundee U 0
Stenhousemuir 2, Alloa A 2

British Rugby

LONDON (Reuters) — Results of rugby matches played in the United Kingdom Monday:

RUGBY UNION
Rosslyn Park 8, Fettesian Lorettonions 0
Ballymena 9, Stewarts College Former Pupils 25
Northern 8, Leicester 11
Watsonians 11, Swansea 0
English Schoolboys 8, Scottish Schoolboys 6
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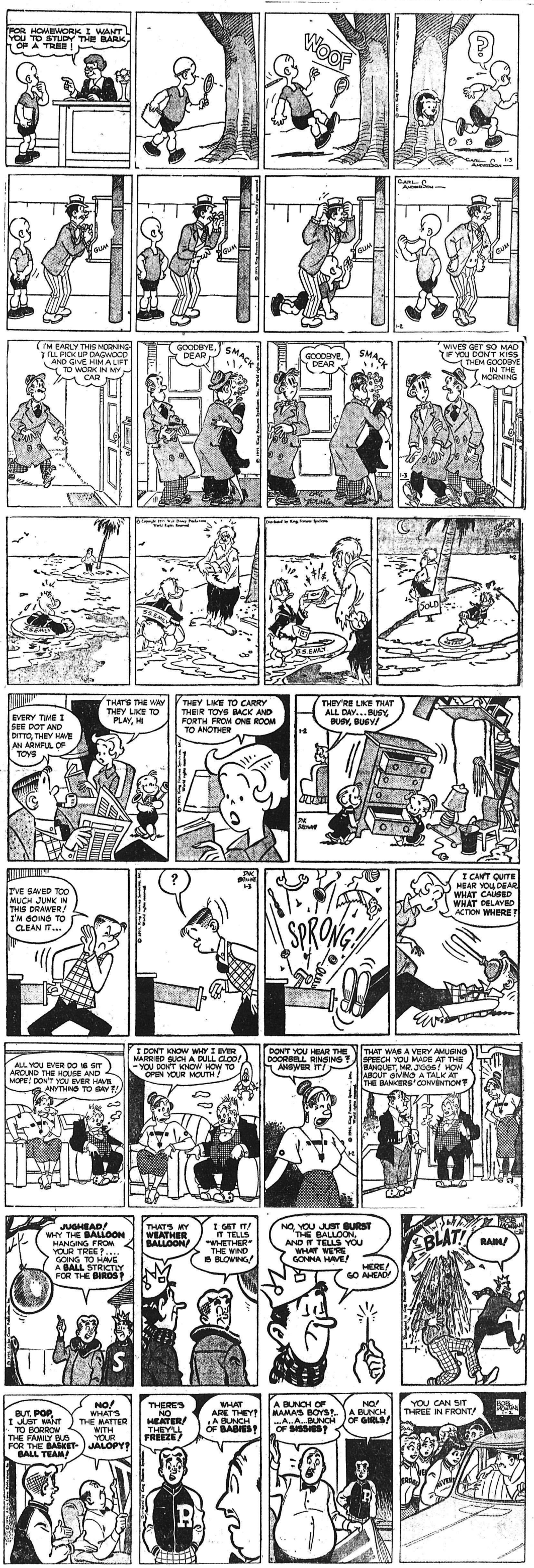

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Old Year Saw Canada Up Front in A-Power, Science, World Affairs

By JOHN E. BIRD
Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA (CP) — In the world of science last year Canada reached the threshold of industrial atomic power and threw a haymaker at one of the world's dread diseases — poliomyelitis.

The year's chief achievement was a decision to build an experimental electricity-producing atomic power plant in Ontario at a cost of $13,000,000 to $15,000,000. The federal government also contracted for a fourth research reactor at the Chalk River, Ont., atomic project to help solve problems still blocking economical atomic power.

The Salk polio vaccine programs of both Canada and the United States were made possible by research at the Connaught Medical Research Laboratories in Toronto.

PRODUCED IN QUANTITY

The laboratories devised a method to produce polio virus in quantity. This paved the way for large-scale production of the vaccine for tests in 1954 and the 1955 vaccination program.

Canada gambled that the vaccine would work.

Long before April 12 — the historic day the University of Michigan announced that its evaluation of the 1954 experiments proved the vaccine at least 60 per cent effective, Canada had spent $1,000,000 producing the immunization agent.

If the Ann Arbor, Mich., announcement had said the vaccine was useless, $1,000,000 would have been wasted, embarrassing both the federal and provincial governments.

IMPORTANT PROGRAM

In the atomic field, the health department in 1955 also launched a research program into the effects of atomic radiation on human beings. It involves possible genetic effects on humans and methods for disposal of dangerous radioactive wastes.

Other developments during the year:

1. Canada and the United States signed agreements for a wider exchange of information on the use of atomic energy for peaceful purposes and defence against atomic attack.

2. Colombo Plan funds were earmarked to provide India with a Canadian-built atomic reactor and Burma with a cobalt-60 beam therapy unit for cancer treatment.

3. A junior size cobalt "bomb" unit was developed for sale to small hospitals.

4. W. J. Bennett, president of Atomic Energy of Canada, forecast that Canada's uranium production will be a $180,000,000 business by the end of 1958.

Bergen Takes Family to TV

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Edgar Bergen, who confesses "I'm the fellow who said comedians should not be on TV every week," starts a weekly television show next Tuesday.

Thus ends the longest and oddest holdout against regular TV by a top radio star. While his fellow comics all leaped into the new medium, Bergen had steadfastly refused to follow.

Despite an early foray into TV, Bergen declined to do anything but an occasional guest appearance. But his new show, "Do You Trust Your Wife?" starts Tuesday on CBS. He told the reasons for his succumbing:

"I had two ideas about television. For one thing, I didn't want to be on more than once a month. And my idea for a show was to take Charlie and Mortimer to foreign lands. But sponsors didn't want a monthly show, and they said my idea was a travelogue.

CAN EASE INSULT

"What they were buying were comedy shows and quizzes. So I'm giving them a comedy quiz."

Edgar will interview married couples with the aid of Charlie McCarthy, Mortimer Snerd and the bachelor girl, Effie Klinker. This allows the dummies to insult the contestants, and Bergen can make them apologize.

The ultimate prize in the Bergen show is $100 a week for a year. Winners can continue trying until they lose.

"If the contestants are smart enough, they can end up with a pension for life," Bergen explained.

Provinces to Break Records

By FORBES RHUDE
Canadian Press Business Editor

Nineteen fifty-six promises to be as big a one for Canada as was record-breaking 1955.

In fact, an accelerating pace at year-end indicates it may be bigger.

Only sheer inability of present population and facilities to handle much more than they are now handling seems to set a limit.

Only a substantial drop in world economic activity could set the new year back seriously in Canada. Hardly anything, barring war, could make it a bad one.

REGIONAL SURVEY

Here are a few projects reported from Western Canada:

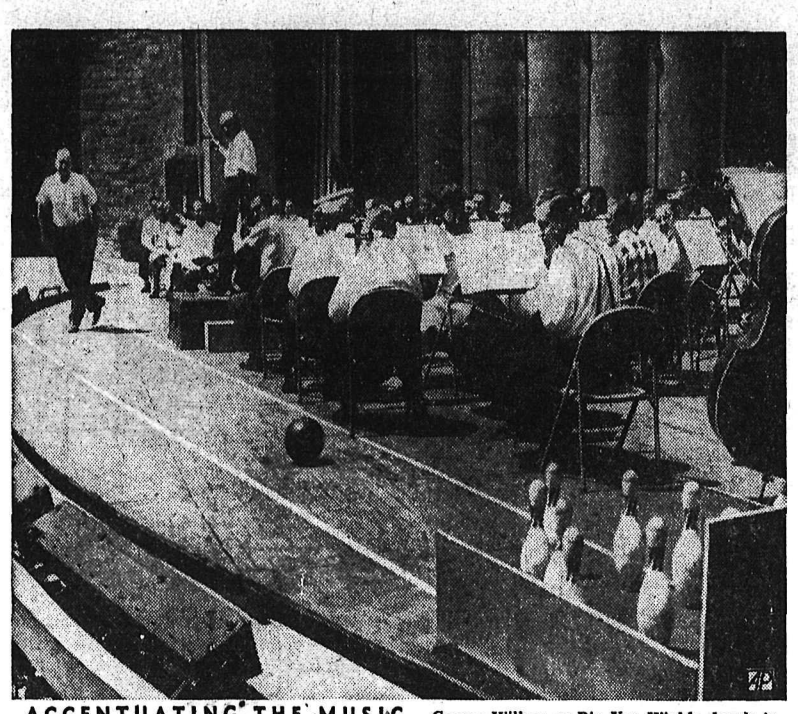
British Columbia: The pulp and paper industry, which spent $141,000,000 in the last five years, plans to spend another $250,000,000. The Peace River-coast gas pipeline is expected to mean additional expenditures of $135,000,000 on attendant facilities, including distribution lines. Frobisher-Ventures plans to spend $50,000,000 on a power-metallurgical development in the province's northwest and may ultimately spend $700,000,000. Aluminum Company of Canada continues huge expenditures at Kitimat and Kemano. Hooker Electrochemical is building an $11,000,000 plant at North Vancouver

The provincial government is spending $60,000,000 on the Pacific Great Eastern Railway. British Columbia Electric Company will spend $75,000,000 on 1955 expansion.

Alberta: Northwest Pulp and Power Ltd., has a $30,000,000 pulp plant underway at Hinton. The Alberta Gas Trunk Line, a gathering system for the proposed Trans-Canada pipe line, plans to spend $55,000,000. Northwest Nitro Chemicals Ltd., plans a $17,000,000 expenditure at Medicine Hat. Edmonton Steel Fabricators plans a $3,500,000 pipe mill. The $3,500,000 Edmonton city hall is underway.

Saskatchewan: Potash Company of America is nearing production from a 3000-foot shaft costing $3,000,000 at Patience lake, near Saskatoon, and plans a $10,000,000 refinery. Spring construction is planned for an $8,000,000 cement plant by Saskatchewan Cement Corporation and a $3,000,000 Hoesh Werke steel pipe plant — both at Regina.

Manitoba: Winnipeg's $15,000,000 post office will be finished in 1957. Canada Cement Company plans to add $3,000,000 to a recently-completed $10,000,000 expansion program. Simpsons-Sears plans a $5,000,000 Winnipeg shopping centre. A 1500-unit housing development in West Kildonan will cost about $16,000,000.



ACCENTUATING THE MUSIC — George Wilbur, as Rip Van Winkle, bowls in a rehearsal for National Symphony Orchestra's presentation, "Hudson River Suite," in Washington.

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German Army Starts Training

ANDERNACH, Germany (AP) —The first 1800 men of the new West German army, navy and air force started training Monday.

At Andernach, 800 officers and men started a three-month basic training course. At three U.S. Air Force bases in southern Germany 650 future pilots of the new air force entered courses with Americans as instructors. At Wilhelmshaven, the first 165 volunteers for the new navy were organized under command of Lt. Cmdr. U. Reschke, a former U-boat captain. And at Noervenich in the Rhineland, 180 technicians and maintenance men of the air force began training.

Gregory Peck Weds Magazine Writer

LOMPOC, Calif. (AP) — Gregory Peck, 39-year-old actor, and French magazine writer Veronique Passani, 22, were married Saturday night at the ranch home of a friend. After a three-day honeymoon at an undisclosed place, Peck returns to Hollywood to resume work Wednesday in a movie.

The New Year's Eve ceremony was performed in the living room of the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. Channing Peake. Peake, who served as best man is a well known artist and operator of a 1300-acre cattle ranch.

Peck met the pretty, green-eyed Parisienne journalist while making the movie "Moby Dick" in Europe. It is her first marriage.

Sunday Paper Scoops U.K. Honors List

LONDON (Reuters) — The newspaper The People Sunday defied official injunctions to secrecy and carried the Queen's New Year honors list.

Newspapers were given an advance list of the honors on the understanding that it would not be published before Monday.

The People's front page story began: "Here is news you are not supposed to read this morning."

It branded the official "instructions that it must not be published till Monday as "nonsense" and added:

DUTY TO PUBLISH

"The New Year's honors should be announced on Jan. 1, and Sunday newspapers that publish on that day have every right to print them. Indeed, it is their duty to do so."

The People then scored the awards as "the dullest and most unimaginative honors list ever got together." But it gave the names of the chief honors and criticized omissions.

The reason that the embargo is set for Jan. 2 is that the London Gazette, the official publication in which the honors are promulgated, never is published on a Sunday. It will be published today.

Ex-Nazi Lawyer To Lead Saar

SAARBRUECKEN, Saar (AP)—Hubert Ney, a 63-year-old Roman Catholic lawyer who never held public office before, has been chosen prime minister for a new Saar government pledged to early union with West Germany.

Named as president of the Saar Parliament was 48-year-old ex-Nazi Heinrich Schneider, also a lawyer and a driving force in the campaign to make this long-disputed border territory the 10th state of the Bonn republic.

FORMER OUTLAWS

They were picked by leaders of the three pro-German parties which united in a coalition to govern the Saar. Until last July, these parties were outlawed from political activity under French occupation. They engineered an overwhelming plebiscite defeat of a plan to Europeanize the Saar last October and went on to capture 33 of the 50 seats in Parliament in an election Dec. 18.

Ney is chairman of the Saar Christian Democratic Union, an offshoot of Chancellor Konrad Adenauer's West German CDU. Schneider heads the Saar Democrats, who along with the CDU and the Socialists formed the coalition government.

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Gives Fire Alarm, Dies After Call

SALMON ARM, B.C. (CP) — A truck driver raced 16 miles to this north Okanagan valley community to give a fire alarm New Year's Eve. He collapsed and died after completing the call for help.

C. S. LeFleuvre, 46, was visiting with his wife and family at the home of William Rhodes at Sicamous, about 240 miles northeast of Vancouver.

When fire broke out in the Rhodes' home, Mr. LeFleuvre drove the 16 miles to the nearest fire brigade at Salmon Arm. After telling of the fire, he collapsed and died from a heart attack. No one was injured in the fire but the house was destroyed.

Russ Jews Face Extinction Says Editor of Davar

WINNIPEG (CP) — The editor of Israel's largest daily newspaper says the Jewish race will die out in Soviet Russia unless it is allowed cultural freedom.

In an interview here during the weeeknd, Chiam Shurer, editor of Davar, said if the Jews remain more than 10 or 15 years without culture they will be "annihilated."

Mr. Shurer, who recently returned from a 40-day visit to Russia, said:

"My main goal was to see the Jews in Russia. Since the revolution we haven't been able to contact them."

He said the cultural and community life of the 2,000,000 Jews in Russia was non-existent. The only gathering place is the synagogue, and there is only one synagogue allowed in each city—even Moscow where there are 500,000 Jews.

Buy, Sell, Trade With Want Ads

Fisherman Was Hooked

MARATHON, Fla. (AP) — Sometimes it's the fisherman who is reeled in.

It happened last weekend on the Seven Mile Bridge on the overseas highway.

Harry Stinger, 33, of Miami, stopped his car on the bridge to unload his tackle box and rod and reel. Mrs. Stinger remained in the car to drive it away while her husband fished.

Another vehicle skidded 138 feet and rammed the halted car from the rear. Stinger saw the skidding machine bearing down on him, leaped the rail and landed in the water 15 feet below.

A wrecker hurried to the scene, lowered a rope to the splashing Stinger, and reeled him back up with its winch.

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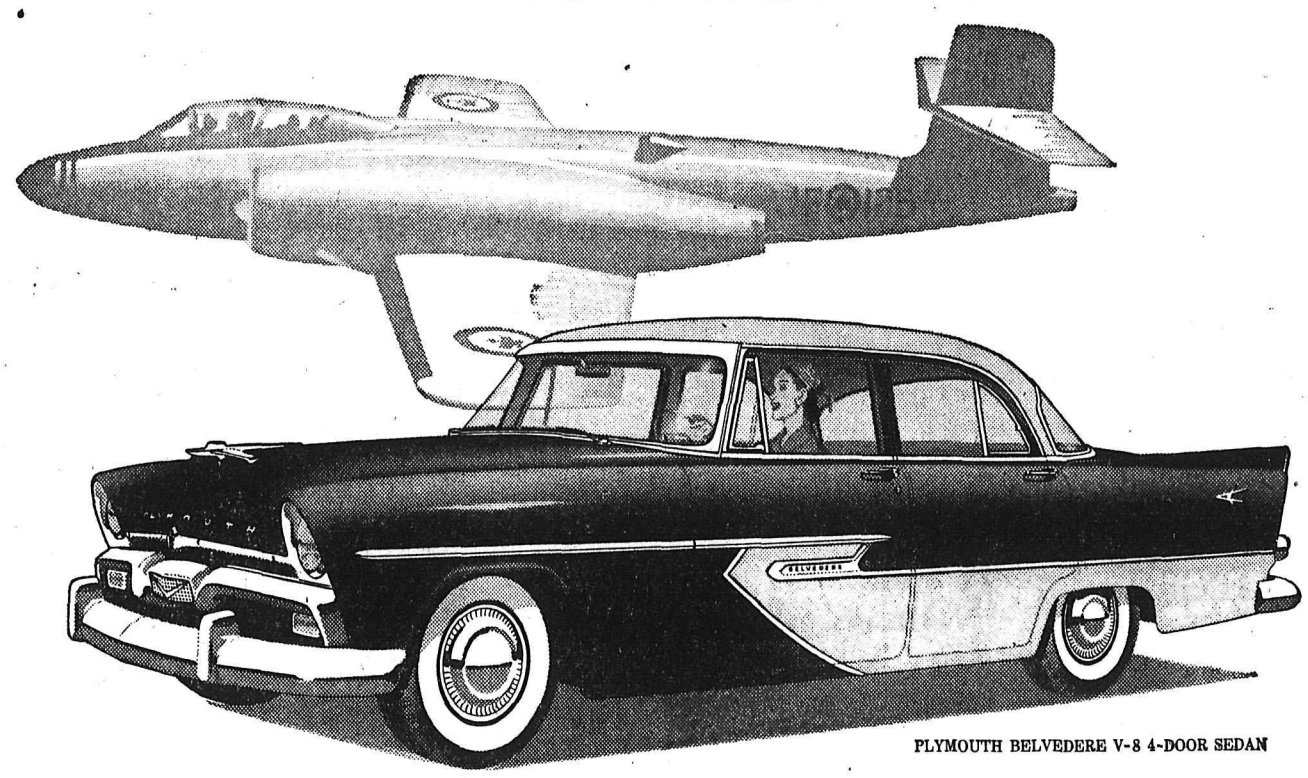

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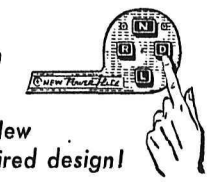

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