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Eisenhower Urges Peaceful Solution To Berlin Issue

GETTYSBURG, Pa., (AP)—President Eisenhower told the leaders of Russia Thursday it is critically important to the United States that the Soviet Union work toward a peaceful solution in the Berlin situation.

The president, who is spending the holidays at his country home here, made the statement in a cabled reply to two Soviet leaders who voiced hope in a New Year's message that decisive action would be taken in 1959 toward removing "the dangers of a new war."

The exchange of messages was with Soviet Premier Khrushchev and U.S.S.R. President Voroshilov, who sent Eisenhower an expression of hope that the East-West cold war could be ended and the arms race slowed "with the aim of reducing dangerous tensions."

EXPRESSED THANKS

Eisenhower expressed thanks for the message but at the same time voiced hope that the Russians would act according to their expressed sentiments.

He went on to say:

"As of this moment it seems to us critically important to apply the sentiments expressed in your message to the Berlin situation. In this connection, I cannot fail to recall your government's declaration of intentions toward the people of Berlin. In my view, they are not in accord with your expressed aspirations and hopes for peaceful co-existence."

The Berlin situation has been tense since Khrushchev on Nov. 10 demanded an end to four-power occupation of the city. He hinted that Russia would no longer guarantee Western access to the city which is located within Communist East Germany.

Eisenhower added in his message Thursday:

"The United States government repeats that, in an atmosphere devoid of any kind of coercion and threat, it would welcome discussion on the question of Berlin in the wider framework of the whole German problem and European security.

"Positive progress in this specific problem would, I deeply believe, give real substance to the hope that 1959 would witness great advances toward the goal of a just and lasting peace."

Ulbricht Flays Adenauer

BERLIN (Reuters) — East Germany's Communist chief, Walter Ulbricht, has lashed out at West German Chancellor Konrad Adenauer, accusing him of preparing a civil war in Germany—"a war amongst brothers."

Ulbricht says in a 9000-word article in the party newspaper Neues Deutschland that Adenauer's policy is the same as the policy of revenge of Hitler.

"It is perfectly clear—this road leads undoubtedly into a total disaster."

Ulbricht's attack followed the handing over in Moscow of the American, French and British notes rejecting Russian proposals to make West Berlin a free city, with all foreign troops withdrawn.

Neues Deutschland reported the handing over of the Western notes in a five-line message without comment. Only direct Communist reaction to the notes came Thursday night from the East German news agency ADN, which described the move as "brusque."

ADN said the notes ignored that the Western powers "have broken all Allied agreements on Germany and Berlin stemming from the Second World War," and also ignored the offer made by East Germany "in the interest of peace" to renounce its sovereignty over West Berlin.

Russia Plans Rocket Round Moon in 1959

LONDON (AP) — The Russians will be able to send a rocket around the moon and fly a nuclear-powered civilian plane during 1959, Moscow radio said Thursday.

A French-language broadcast entitled Soviet Science in 1959 said the New Year "will see still greater development in the field of interplanetary rockets and Sputniks."

"Here progress of technology and automation will without doubt make it possible to send an interplanetary rocket around the moon in 1959," the broadcast said. By using the word "possible," Moscow avoided saying flatly that the Russians would try.

The United States Air Force has made three unsuccessful attempts to send rockets around the moon. The U.S. Army failed four weeks ago to hit the moon. A second army attempt is expected within the next few months.

Ever since the Russians sent up their first Sputnik 15 months ago, the West has been expecting a Red attempt to shoot the moon. Completely unconfirmed reports have circulated that the Soviet Union has tried and failed at least once.

The broadcast noted that Soviet scientists are concentrating on the problem of nuclear reactors.

It declared: "The prospects of conquering these sources of concentrated power are closely linked with the problem of penetrating into cosmic space. Soviet scientists have been working for a long time on the problem of efficient use of atomic engines for civil aviation and the results already obtained make it possible to state that 1959 will see the first trials in this field."

60 Polar Bears Brave English Bay

VANCOUVER (CP) — Sixty brave souls plunged into the chilly waters of English Bay here Thursday for the annual New Year's Day dip of the Vancouver Polar Bear Club.

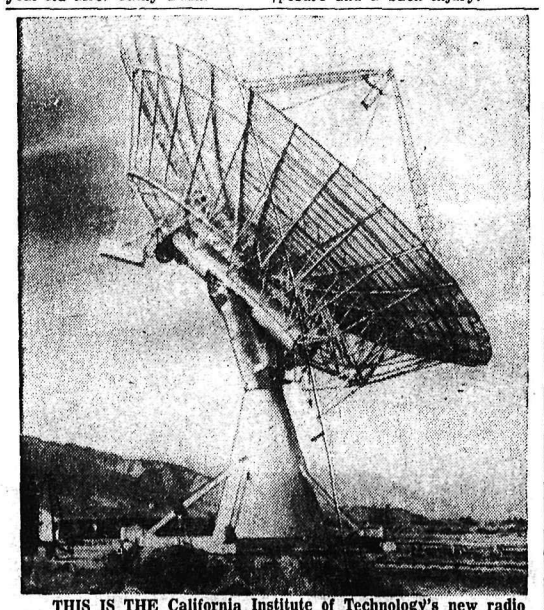
Some of them scrambled out again almost immediately but seven members of the club, five of them women, stayed in the 41-degree water for a full hour.

Youngest of the Polar Bears was Danny Clark, 8. The oldest was 80-year-old Mrs. Cathy Bush.

GIRL RESCUED

VANCOUVER (CP) — Mount Seymour's mountain ski patrol rescued a 15-year-old girl from the bottom of an icy, 40-foot ravine Thursday after she had lain there helpless for more than an hour.

Jacqueline MacLean was reported in good condition in hospital Thursday night, suffering from exposure and a back injury.



THIS IS THE California Institute of Technology's new radio observatory, recently dedicated in the Owens Valley at Bishop, Calif. The huge radio telescope reached 1,000,000,000 light years into the heavens in its first two days of routine experiments.

Tower Still Leans

PISA, Italy (AP) — This New Year's Day will be remembered in Pisa as the day they tried to straighten the Leaning Tower.

It all happened early in the morning after a night of revelry. A group of unidentified foreign tourists ran a long steel cable around the tower's base and fastened it to the rear bumper of an automobile. With a roar, the automobile moved forward.

With a crash, the rear bumper came ripping off the car. The tower soberly held its ground.

New Year Brings Chills

By The Canadian Press

The new year brought winter's worst and coldest storm to the prairies.

The "wind chill" — calculated from Thursday's 40-mile-an-hour north gales and a temperature around 10 below zero—was 60 below zero.

Blizzards were reported in many areas as the winds, gusting up to 70 miles an hour, whipped up two inches of snow that fell New Year's Eve.

By Thursday night the storm covered Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and all of British Columbia except the coastal region. The Edmonton weather office said strong winds and sub-zero temperatures will continue today.

Radiation Dose Kills Technician

LOS ALAMOS, N.M. (AP) — Cecil Kelly, 38-year-old laboratory technician, died Thursday of radiation burns received in an atomic mishap. He had received a fatal dose of radiation while handling plutonium Tuesday.

Spokesmen for the Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory said the accident occurred during what was normally considered a safe operation. Kelly received about 1000 roentgens of radioactivity.

There were no witnesses to the accident. Kelly, before he died, told fellow technicians of seeing a "blue flash" as he started a stirring operation in a 225-gallon stainless steel tank. There was no explosion.

Kelly was the third employee of the Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory killed by radiation since 1945. Another victim was Dr. Louis Slotin, a Canadian from Winnipeg, who died May 21, 1946.

Dr. Thomas Shipman, head of the health division of the laboratory, said "for severe radiation injury of this sort there is no specific treatment.

Mao Draws Big Ovation

By RONALD FARQUHAR

PEIPING (Reuters) — Communist China's Mao Tse-tung Thursday made his first public appearance since the announcement two weeks ago that he plans to give up the post of chairman of the republic.

Mao paid a surprise visit to a conference here of more than 6000 Chinese farm and health workers and was given a tumultuous ovation. He will remain in the key post of chairman of the Communist party after his resignation from the country's highest state office.

The 65 - year - old Communist leader appeared fit and wore a silver-grey overcoat over a tunic and trousers of the same color. As he entered, a naval brass band in the conference hall struck up a tune called "The east is red, the sun is rising".

Mao stayed for half an hour to hear the closing speech of the conference. Before he left the audience rose and, holding up clenched fists in the Communist salute, roared "Long live chairman Mao" three times. Many crowded forward to shake his hand.

Gets Candy By Hula Hoop

GREAT BEND, Kan. (AP)—About 15 youngsters who live along the Missouri Pacific in Great Bend figured out a way to return the good deeds of Ed Krug, a freight train conductor from Hoisington, Kansas.

Almost daily, the youngsters gather to watch the freight train go by. Krug tosses candy and bubble gum to them.

With the help of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Oliver, the children fastened a box of candy to a hula hoop and handed the hoop to Krug as he rolled by on his caboose.

MARVIN MAUS of Denver, Colo., has three grandchildren whose one request for Christmas was a fire engine. Not just a little toy one, but the real thing. So Grandfather Maus lived up to expectations of Dick, Don and Debra by producing this model, bought from Boulder, Colo., which had no further use for it. Now, to the three youngsters happily playing on the gigantic truck, there's no one in the world quite like grandpa.

Queen Honors Over 2000; Order of Merit to Alexander

LONDON (CP) — The Order of Merit, one of the most exclusive of British honors, is bestowed on Earl Alexander of Tunis in the Queen's New Year's honors list.

Alec Guinness, man of many faces in the movies, is made a knight. The Queen conferred honors on more than 2000 of her subjects in the traditional New Year's list.

Peerages went to Sir William Rootes, the car manufacturer, and Sir James Turner, president of the National Farmers Union. Both become barons.

The Order of Merit bestowed on Lord Alexander, former governor-general of Canada and wartime commander-in-chief in the Mediterranean, is limited to 24 members. Its roster includes Sir Winston Churchill, John Masefield, Dr. Albert Schweitzer and, as an honorary member, President Eisenhower.

IN HOSPITAL

Lord Alexander is in hospital near London following the recurrence of a heart attack suffered in October on a visit to Canada.

A CBE (Commander of the Order of the British Empire) went to Prof. Charles MacInnes, blind since childbirth and a native of Calgary, who retired a year ago as professor of imperial history at Bristol University.

Wing Cmdr. Kenneth Bell of Montreal received an OBE (Officer of the Order of the British Empire). Another recipient of the OBE was the sports car racing driver, Stirling Moss, who is married to the former Kathy Molson of Montreal.

Besides Guinness, star of the academy award-winning movie Bridge on the River Kwai, other arts world figures honored included writer Rebecca West and Michael Somes, principal dancer of the Royal Ballet.

Miss West received a dame commandership in the Order of the British Empire, equivalent to a knighthood.

GOT CBE

Somes, partner of Dame Margot Fonteyn, got a CBE along with actor George Relph and painters Oscar Kokoschka and Victor Passmore.

Sir Kenneth Clark, chairman of the arts council, became a Companion of Honor, an order limited to 65 persons.

The Queen named an Australian and an Englishman to her privy council, which advises her on constitutional matters. They are Sir Philip McBridge, Austarlian defence minister from 1950 to 1958, and Cameron Cobbold, governor of the Bank of England.

In sports, Irish international rugby star Jackie Kyle and Mrs. Mary Halford, captain of Britain's successful Wightman Cup tennis team, received the OBE.

Col. Sir Godfrey Llewellyn, organizing committee chairman of the British Empire Games at Cardiff, Wales, last July, received a baronetcy, a hereditary knighthood.

WEST HONORED

Among the armed forces awards was a knight commandership in the Order of the Bath to Lt.-Gen. Michael West, commander of the Commonwealth Division in Korea.

Twenty-nine new United Kingdom knights included Aubrey Burke, managing director of the de Havilland Aircraft Company and one of the men behind the firm's Comet jet airliner.

In publishing, Viscount Kemsley, chairman of the newspaper group, became a knight grand cross of the Order of the British Empire.

An OBE went to Dr. Louis Essen, scientist who designed the "quartz clock" used for measurements in the U.S. satelllte and missile programs.

Sir Harold Caccia, British ambassador in Washington, was created a knight grand cross of the Order of St. Michael and St. George (GCMG).

Although bulk of the honors went to leaders in art, sport, politics, science and industry, the Queen did not forget to recognize the work of many lesser known persons — including factory workers, a lighthouse keeper, and housewives active in social work.

World News Briefly

OTTAWA (CP) — Hazen Argue, CCF leader in the House of Commons, said Thursday the new year brings "a time for decisive action on the part of world leaders . . . to end the possibility of some chance action plunging the world into destruction."

He said in a New Year's Day message that 1959 also is a time "for decisive action to end the tragic waste of billions of dollars of resources in the piling up of vast quantities of war materials that are obsolete almost before their completion."

WASHINGTON (AP) — Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev, in a New Year's message, said Wednesday "it is my conviction that the prospects for preserving peace in 1959 are good."

His prediction was contained in a statement sent to the Mutual Broadcasting System in response to a request for his opinions on world peace prospects.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States Navy is going ahead with an expanded program of missile-firing submarine construction.

An announcement released on Wednesday said the first of four nuclear-powered submersibles of an advanced type has been ordered. The other three are to follow in the next 18 months.

CAPETOWN (Reuters) — Black Africa does not appreciate the help of the white man, Premier Hendrik Verwoerd said Wednesday.

Verwoerd said in a New Year's broadcast that the immaturity of the black states was exposed by "rash attempts" to take a greater part in international affairs than they were capable of taking and by the arrogance shown toward more experienced powers prepared to help them.

MONTREAL (CP) — CBC president Alphonse Ouimet and Fernand Quirion, leader of 74 striking TV and radio producers, met Thursday in a face to face conference aimed at settling the producers' dispute over collective bargaining rights.

The producers, members of a newly-formed association seeking CBC recognition as collective bargaining agent, maintained picket lines Thursday around the CBCs main Montreal studios on downtown Dorchester Street.

LONDON (AP) — There was no word Thursday from the Small World balloon—its 15th day of radio silence.

But there was still little evidence of alarm in London, although Friday marks the third week since the balloon, carrying four British adventurers, set off from the Canary Islands to cross the South Atlantic in the path of the Trade Winds.

MONTREAL (CP) — Four federal ice-breakers plodded into the thick, rafted ice in Lake St. Peter, 60 miles northeast of here, as the battle to free 13 trapped freighters in Montreal harbor continued into the new year.

The ice-breakers were trying to hammer a narrow channel through vast floes of ice in the St. Lawrence to provide an escape route for the imprisoned ships.

All This and Pinups Too

LITTLE AMERICA, Antarctica (AP) — Everyone here will be eating real rare meat for the next few weeks. The meat will be rare no matter how it's cooked. It's 16 years old.

The steaks and chops have been kept fresh and juicy in an abandoned deep-freeze.

A few days ago marine Lieut. Glen R. Anderson decided to explore Little America III, a station set up some 40 miles from here in 1939 by the late Rear-Admiral Richard Byrd.

Poking around in dark chambers buried under 30 feet of snow, Anderson found a generous stock of frozen meats, including chicken, whole turkeys, hams, veal and steaks.

Anderson flew to the old station Tuesday with six others. They managed to haul out 400 pounds of choice beef tenderloins and 100 pounds of chopped beef.

They also found other curious leftovers:

"There were some pinups," Anderson said. "There were views of Bette Davis and a shot of Claudette Colbert."

969 Attend Levee At Ottawa

OTTAWA (CP) — Governor-General Massey exchanged greetings with 969 persons Thursday, observing a centuries-old tradition — the New Year's Day Levee.

He greeted members of Parliament, diplomats, government officials, the judiciary, the military, churchmen and anybody else who wanted to come.

Mr. Massey, 71, favoring a right shoulder bothered by bursitis last autumn, shook hands with his left hand, saying "happy new year" or "how do you do" to each person individually.

Prime Minister Diefenbaker led the line that came up to Mr. Massey, standing at the foot of the throne in the red-carpeted Senate chamber.

This was the sixth levee for Mr. Massey, governor - general since February, 1952. Last New Year's Levee was cancelled due to a grippe that affected Mr. Massey a few days before last Jan. 1.

It may be the last levee for Mr. Massey, whose term in office—the longest on record—now is scheduled to end about next September.

Early Bird Visits Montreal, Winnipeg

By The Canadian Press

The stork delivering Baby New Year had an extra load in Winnipeg and Montreal where girls were born one second after midnight Thursday.

They were the earliest 1959 arrivals reported in Canada on the basis of local times. Leading candidate for the country's first baby of the year is a girl born at 12:02 a.m. Atlantic Standard Time.

Mrs. Gilbert Brisk, 24, of the Indian reserve of Restigouche, Que., gave birth to her sixth child in the Hotel Dieu Hospital at Campbellton, N.S., to claim the national title.

FERRIS WHEEL TOPPLES

SYDNEY, Australia (Reuters)—More than 40 persons were injured when a giant ferris wheel toppled into a crowd Thursday night. The wheel fell sideways when its axle broke, throwing screaming men, women and children from chairs as high as 60 feet above the ground.

Batista Flees Before Castro Rebel Forces

By WILLIAM L. RYAN

HAVANA, Cuba (AP)—The Batista dictatorship gave way Thursday, with President Fulgencio Batista flying into exile, and Fidel Castro's rebel forces moving to clinch a hold on the central government and take over.

Castro followers, in a wild orgy of celebration, looted and burned pro-Batista homes in Havana. Dozens of army officers fled with Batista.

Castro's radio in Eastern Cuba announced his forces had entered Santiago de Cuba, the nation's second city. Earlier he had issued an ultimatum to Batista-loyal forces there to lay down their arms. The city, birthplace of Castro's revolt 25 months ago, later became an army stronghold blocking the rebels' path to power.

WITHOUT GOVERNMENT

For the time being Cuba was without an established government. Justices of the Supreme Court refused to accept the oath of a provisional president, Justice Carlos Piedra, unless Castro approved — and Castro refused. He was holding out for recognition of Dr. Manuel Urrutia, longtime Cuban judge and Castro supporter, as head of the government.

Castro forces proclaimed a national revolutionary strike, and it was in part effective. Mobs smashed gambling casinos and shops in downtown Havana and swarmed into fashionable suburbs, looting the homes of relatives and supporters of Batista.

The rebel forces, in the last month, had woven an encirclement of Santiago, cutting it off by land from the rest of Cuba. The rebel forces moving into the city reported they quickly captured the city hall, and many of the 250,000 persons in the city and its suburbs turned out in welcome.

NEGOTIATIONS UNDER WAY

The rebel radio said negotiations are under way for a mass surrender of the garrisoned troops in Santiago — estimated to number 5000.

"Santiago will be free because we have won," Castro broadcast at one point. In another statement he said the war was not over "because there are still many enemy sins about."

Rebel commanders ordered their forces not to attack the city of Guantanamo, 27 miles north of a U.S. naval base. It is a city of 130,000 and rebels had erroneously reported earlier they had captured it. The broadcast said the rebels intended to negotiate with the garrison of about 1500 soldiers to lay down their arms and surrender, as apparently the garrison had done in Santiago.

Meanwhile the mobs were still active in Havana.

HAVANA (AP) — News dispatches left Cuba by cable Thursday night free of censorship. For several months it has been impossible to get uncensored news out of Havana except by mail or international telephone.

One Airline Ends Strike

MIAMI, Fla. (AP) — Eastern Air Lines and its flight engineers have settled a 38-day strike, easing conditions for post-holiday travellers in the United States despite the continuing strike of American Airlines.

The line announced in Miami, Fla., shortly after the New Year's Eve accord was reached that service would resume on its 124-city system as quickly as equipment can be made ready and personnel is back to adequate strength. Some flights were scheduled for Thursday night. The line normally carries about 25,000 passengers a day. It serves Montreal and Ottawa in Canada.

Meanwhile, the situation remains static at American Airlines, where 1500 pilots and co-pilots walked out Dec. 20 in a wage-hours dispute. No negotiations are in progress and none is scheduled.

Refugees Quit Cuba

NEW YORK (AP)—By the score, henchmen of fallen Cuban President Fulgencio Batista followed him into exile Thursday, many of them to the United States. Some refugees commandeered an airliner to New York at gunpoint.

Refugee-laden planes from Havana landed in New York, New Orleans and Jacksonville, Fla. Police found guns aboard at least two of the aircraft.

Batista himself had already fled to exile in the Dominican Republic, leaving his country to the rebel forces of Fidel Castro.

Most of the exiled president's eight children were accounted for in exile. Two had been sent to New York Tuesday.

Fulgencio Batista, 6, and Marta Maria Batista, 4, landed in New Orleans Thursday with a planeload of 54 Cuban refugees. Three other children landed at Jacksonville in a plane that also carried 54 refugees.

Ruben Batista, 25, the ex-president's eldest son, was accompanied by his pregnant wife and a daughter. He told reporters: "I am sorry to leave Cuba but one must bow before reality."

Arsonist Blamed As 81 Homes Burn

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Two wild brush fires that made New Year's Eve a nightmare for thousands in the scenic hills ringing Los Angeles died down Thursday.

One, a 10,000-acre blaze that burned 81 homes as it swept Topanga Canyon from the San Fernando Valley to the sea, subsided unexpectedly as winds dropped to nearly a standstill. Some 1500 men controlled much of its perimeter.

The other, a 650-acre fire on the outskirts of elite Beverly Hills, was in the mop-up stage with complete control expected Thursday night. It burned two homes, one a total loss.

Both are believed the work of an arsonist.

In the first 15 hours after it started Wednesday morning, the Topanga blaze raced madly down the nine-mile canyon and its tributaries, fanned by 60-mile winds.

Thursday morning the weather was calmer and the fire slowed to a crawl, burning along a 25-mile perimeter. The estimated 4000 who evacuated the area were allowed to return.

CUBAN ENVOY TO RESIGN

OTTAWA — The Cuban ambassador to Canada, Carlos Carrillo, said Thursday night he will resign if rebels take over government of Cuba.

"I intend to resign as soon as I have any evidence of Castro rebel groups having anything to do with the government of Cuba," he said in an interview.

He did not consider the fight for power in Cuba yet over.

"There seems to be a deadlock in fighting right now," he said.

DOLLAR LOWER

NEW YORK (CP) — Canadian dollar off 1-16 at $1.03 11-16 in terms of U. S. funds; week ago, $1.03 13-16. Pound sterling off 1-32 at $2.80 9-32.

And in This Corner . . .

DETROIT (AP)—For the last 18 months Ray Pearson has been playing a game of chess by mail with Wallis A. Cady of Clearwater, Florida.

Cady wrote Tuesday to remind Pearson he hadn't made a move in seven months.

"I thought it was his move," Pearson explained.

BRIGHTON, England (AP)—Sally, an expectant mother, went on an all-night binge she never planned.

Sally is a pig. She escaped from the grounds of a convent school at midnight and smashed into a wine shed on a neighboring estate.

About 60 bottles of matured home-made wines were overturned and smashed on the concrete floor.

Sally slurped it up, then reeled out and fell into a nearby pit.

The wine and the excitement were too much for Sally. Her body was found Thursday morning.

ROME (AP)—Rome police Tuesday night arrested 75 vendors in a drive against illegal sale of fireworks and seized 200,000 firecrackers, Roman candles, sparklers and noise bombs.

But Rome's New Year's Eve was still noisy.

Residents traditionally create a considerable clatter without fireworks by hurling old bottles and dishes out of their windows at midnight. That's illegal, too, but arrests for it are rare.

NEW YORK (AP)—The American Museum of Natural History has a hangover cure to end all hangover cures.

All you have to do is borrow their Goliathus goliathus and slip it on the pillow before the unfortunate person wakes up.

This playful pillow pal is a beetle as long as your hand, and it peels bananas with its horns. Now isn't that enough to snap anyone wide awake?

Tonight - Saturday—Complete Shows 7:00 - 9:10

The suspense of "SHANE!"
The warmth of "THE YEARLING!"
The excitement of "OLD YELLER!"
Today ALAN LADD
OLIVIA deHAVILLAND
"PROUD REBEL"
TECHNICOLOR

CIVIC

CASTLE THEATRE
Castlegar, B.C.
Tonight and Saturday
"TEACHER'S PET"
(Vista-Vision)
Clark Gable, Doris Day
NEWS and SHORTS

HOCKEY SCORES

OKANAGAN SENIOR
Kamloops 2, Kelowna 9.
Kelowna 6, Kamloops 3.
Penticton 2, Vernon 4.

SASK. JUNIOR
Prince Albert 0, Saskatoon 4
Regina 0, Estevan 5.

Nelson Son Wins Promotion In Railway

C. F. Armstrong, a native of Nelson, has been appointed assistant superintendent for Canadian National Railways Portage-Brandon division. He will have his headquarters at Winnipeg.

Born in Nelson, he graduated from University of B. C. in 1949 with a bachelor of commerce degree. Before joining the railway, he served with the economic research and control division of Trans-Canada Air Lines as well as with the Railway Association of Canada at Montreal.

He entered CNR service at Montreal in 1953 as an assistant economist in the research and development department, and in 1956 went to Winnipeg as a transportation assistant. In the same year, he was made an operation trainee at Winnipeg, a post he has held until his new appointment.

BACK TO SCHOOL soon go students from universities and other training institutions across the continent, who have been holidaying with families in Nelson and district. Students here, representative of various different colleges, are, top row, Patrick Clark, University of Toronto; Bill Horswill, University of B.C.; Judy Vance, Holy Name Academy, Seattle; Mike Horswill, Kinman Business College in Spokane; front row, Mary Bailey, St. Margaret's School in Victoria, and Diane Nygaard, Midland University at Fremont, Neb.—*Daily News photo by Ian Brown.*

Two Cars Overturn Near Kimberley

Two cars slid off icy highways near Kimberley and three collisions were reported at Trail during the New Year's holiday.

No one was injured in any of the accidents, RCMP reported Thursday.

A 1957 car driven by Archie Doran and also occupied by Mrs. Doran and their small son skidded off Highway No. 95 south of Kimberley and rolled over twice. Damage exceeded $200, police estimated.

Close to the same spot, a car driven by Olaf Frederick Lindquist overturned, with damage of more than $200 reported. Mrs. Lindquist was the only other occupant of the car.

In Trail, three accidents happened in less than one hour in the early hours of the first day of 1959. The first was in the Glenmerry district near Trail, and involved two Trail cars. An auto driven by Doran Roy Hamilton collided with one driven by Wesley Tamer. There was $150 in damage to both cars. The second accident was also in the Glenmerry district. At 5:45 a.m. cars driven by Mike Popluvich and Michele Maio collided. Damage was minor.

The third accident of the holiday season occurred less than five minutes later when a 1958 car driven by Sesto Guiseppe allegedly hit a 1955 car owned by John Chubanuk, damaging it to the extent of $175. The Chubanuk car was reported parked on Cedar Avenue at the time.

At Nelson, city police reported there were no accidents. Both city police and RCMP said the Christmas and New Year's holiday was one of the quietest they had known in many years.

Russia, U.S. Teams Tie 5-5

NEW YORK (CP) — The visiting Russian all-star hockey team tied the U. S. National team 5-5 on Thursday night at Madison Square Garden.

In Canadian eyes the hockey was classy, full of picture plays, but lacked body contact. It was the first game that a Soviet team had ever played in the U. S.

Sportsmanship was conspicuous on both sides. The Russians made a favorable impression with the crowd of 10,000. But many familiar with NHL play were heard to murmur at the lack of body contact. The game—as all eight fixtures scheduled in the U. S. visit—was played under international rules.

The Russians, in red uniforms, took a 4-2 lead in the first period.

Then the Americans came back in the second period to go ahead 5-4. The only goal in the final period was scored by Russia with the Americans one man short.

NO EARLY ARRIVAL

Nelson district's first baby of 1959 will be a late arrival.

No births took place at Kootenay Lake General Hospital Thursday and up to press time last night, the report was the same — "No news."

Radio Announcer Going to Kelowna

R. A. (Ron) Coull, who has been an announcer with radio station CKLN, Nelson, for the last two and a half years, leaves this weekend to take up a post with CHBC-TV at Kelowna.

He began his radio career at CKLN in 1955 and then was with CFCN at Calgary. He returned to the Kootenays in May, 1956, to work for CJAT, Trail, in the news department and in July of that year returned to CKLN.

He is married and has a daughter. Mr. Coull's home town is Vernon.

Royals Find New Steam, Gallop To Win Over Cougars

VICTORIA (CP)—New Westminster Royals, who have had their troubles in the first half of the Western Hockey League season, started the New Year right here Thursday by outscoring Victoria Cougars 4-2, before 2933 fans.

It was the second straight win for the Royals and moved them into fourth place in the Western Division, five points behind the Cougars and Vancouver Canucks, who are tied for second place. It was the first loss on home ice in seven games for the Cougars and ended a three-game winning streak.

Max McNab, Gene Ubriaco, Pat Hannigan and Art Jones scored for the Royals while George Ford and Al Nicholson scored for the Cougars.

The loss was a tough one for the Victoria club, which held an edge in play for a good share of the game but had tough luck in front of the Royals' goal. The puck wasn't rolling right for the Cougars and after they had missed on a number of great chances the Royals grabbed a 2-0 lead in the second period.

WINNIPEG (CP) — Gerry Melnyk's goal with only nine seconds left in overtime gave the first-place Edmonton Flyers a 2-1 Prairie Division Western Hockey League victory over the tail-end Winnipeg Warriors here Thursday night. A holiday evening crowd of 3327 saw the game.

The tally broke the hearts of the Warriors, who had dominated play throughout the game but went away empty-handed as the result of their own poor finish and atrocious marksmanship.

Former Winnipeg goaltender Ed Johnston as a result had to stop only 14 shots while Ray Mikulan handled 33 in the Warrior net.

Rookie left winger Gerry Brisson gave Warriors a lead with the only goal of the first period in the scrambly game. Playing coach Tony Leswick tied it up on a play with Chuck Holmes early in the second and the scoreless final frame set the stage for overtime.

Melnyk's winner, a bouncing shot from a bad angle after Ed Diachuk had been foiled by Mikulan, came at 9:51 of the sudden-death overtime session.

Eleven penalties were called, six against the Flyers including majors and minors to Ray Brunel of Winnipeg and Jack Hendrickson of Edmonton for a high-sticking duel and a subsequent wrestling match along the boards in the second period.

Warriors played without the services of two key defencemen—Bob Chrystal and Danny Summers, both sidelined with minor injuries.

It was the second straight overtime game for the Flyers and Warriors. The last meeting ended in a 4-4 tie in Edmonton.

STAMPS WIN

CALGARY (CP) — Calgary Stampeders defeated the Spokane Flyers 7-4 before 3581 fans Thursday night as Flyers completed their last scheduled swing through the prairie division of the Western Hockey League.

The victory enabled Stampeders to remain four points behind the division-leading Edmonton Flyers. Spokane, meanwhile, fell into last place in the five-team coast circuit, two points behind New Westminster Royals.

In games on the Prairies this season, Spokane earned two victories and a tie. One of the wins came in Saskatoon on their latest five-game jaunt.

Calgary marksmen were Bruce Lea, Fred Hucul, Don Ward, Lou Jankowski, Ron Leopold, Eddie Dorohoy and Sid Finney.

Ching Johnson got two for Spokane. Blinky Boyce added one along with Tom Williams, who got his first goal of the season.

Goalie Emil Francis played the game with a bad cut on the sole of one foot, suffered when he stepped on a broken bottle when coming out of the showers after the Edmonton game Tuesday night. Five stitches were required to close the cut.

Weather Fouls Up Soccer Play

LONDON (Reuters) — Gale-force winds and torrential rains marred Scotland's New Year's Day soccer program and conditions were almost as bad for the dozen English League matches.

Three Scottish matches were postponed because of waterlogged grounds and another had to be abandoned three minutes before the end.

For the traditional "derby" match at Glasgow between Rangers and Celtic, dozens of extra policemen were on duty both inside and outside the stadium as the league-leading Rangers won 2-1. No trouble broke out among the crowd of 40,000 but seven were arrested for being drunk.

The biggest English crowd of the day—33,040—saw John Goodchild score two goals and Don Kitchenbrand and Reg Pearce one each to give Sunderland its third successive home win, 4-0 over Leyton Orient in a second division game.

The Weather

The return of winter weather to all regions of British Columbia marked the first day of the new year as an Arctic air mass blanketing the interior spilled over the coastal mountains to cover the entire province. Sub-zero temperatures were recorded in the central interior and sub-freezing readings were expected in coastal areas Thursday night. Scattered snowflurries will occur along the coast as the cold air pushes into these regions. The cold spell promises to linger.

	Min	Max	Pre
NELSON	20	30	—
Wednesday	32	43	—
St. John's	26	32	2.43
Montreal	6	17	Tr
Ottawa	5	17	.03
Toronto	25	36	.18
North Bay	17	24	.04
Port Arthur	-6	28	.68
Kenora	8	22	.28
Winnipeg	2	25	.05
Brandon	-11	35	—
The Pas	-12	7	.54
Regina	-12	9	.03
Saskatoon	-15	5	.15
Prince Albert	-14	0	.20
North Battleford	-13	-2	.07
Swift Current	-8	11	.04
Medicine Hat	-2	10	Tr
Lethbridge	-2	16	.33
Calgary	-4	7	.13
Edmonton	-10	-7	.07
Kimberley	20	31	—
Kamloops	22	34	.11
Penticton	27	33	.07
Vancouver	37	42	Tr
Victoria	34	44	—
Prince George	-3	23	.10
Whitehorse	-39	-24	—
Seattle	34	43	.20
Portland	36	44	.12
San Francisco	42	61	—
Los Angeles	48	71	—
Spokane	25	41	—
New York	27	41	Tr

CAR PRODUCTION

WOLFSBURG, West Germany (Reuters) — The Volkswagen works produced the record number of 556,717 cars, buses and delivery trucks during 1958, the firm said. This figure exceeded last year's production of 472,554 units and this year's production target of 550,000 units.

Charles Swan Laid at Rest

Funeral services for Charles Swan, pioneer stonemason of Nelson, were held at the Thompson Funeral Home Wednesday. Mr. Swan died Dec. 28 at the age of 82.

Rev. H. R. Whitmore led the service. Hymns sung were "The Old Rugged Cross" and "Abide With Me". Mrs. W. A. Manson was organist.

Pallbearers were Mr. Swan's grandsons, William Swan, Rodney Swan, Carl Swan and Carl Lundstrom, and two grandsons-in-law, William Scott and Gordon Burgess.

Interment took place in Nelson Memorial Park.

German, Austrian Share Chess Lead

HASTINGS, England (AP) — Two adjourned second - round games in the international chess congress were quickly completed Thursday.

Wolfgang Uhlmann, the East German champion, took only 15 minutes to beat Pete Clarke of Britain. The game had lasted 5¼ hours and went to 65 moves.

Uhlmann now shares the lead with Andreas Duckstein of Austria. Each has 2½ points from three games.

Stateless Hungarian Erno Gereben and Robert Wade of New Zealand agreed to a draw after 64 moves in 5½ hours' play.

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MAY SPARKS ENGLAND IN TEST MATCH

MELBOURNE (Reuters)—Peter May rescued England's cricket team from an early batting collapse and sparked the squad to a total of 173 for four wickets in the first day of the six-day test match against Australia.

May, the team captain, came in after England had lost three batsmen with only seven runs scored. He was 89 not out at the close of play.

Trevor Bailey, with 48, and Colin Cowdrey, 28 not out, also helped rally the side after Australian left-arm pace bowler Alan Davidson had taken three wickets for four runs in only 14 deliveries.

May walloped eight fours during his stay of four hours and 40 minutes at the wicket. He teamed with Bailey for a fourth-wicket partnership of 85 and then paired with Cowdrey for an unbroken fifth wicket stand of 81.

Bailey's 48, which included six fours, took two hours, 31 minutes.

West Indies in Strong Position

CALCUTTA (Reuters) — The West Indies declared at 614 for five Thursday and quickly took two Indian wickets for 29 runs to take a commanding position in their third cricket test match here.

Three members of the West Indies team, already one up in the test series, hit first-innings centuries.

Rohan Kanhai, who was 203 not out overnight in a West Indies score of 359 for three, took his score to 256 Thursday morning — the highest innings by a West Indian in a test match against India.

Garfield Sobers hit an unbeaten 106—his sixth century in his last 10 test innings and his third in the current series. Basil Butcher was the third West Indian century maker with 103.

The West Indian batsman added 255 runs Thursday in 240 minutes. Kanhai and Butcher made their partnership for the fourth wicket worth 217 in just over three hours. Sobers and Joe Solomon (69 not out) hammered 160 in 143 minutes in their unbroken stand for the sixth wicket.

Killed in Crash

LIVERMORE, Calif. (AP) — Gayland W. Laack, 27, linebacker for Philadelphia Eagles of the National Football League and formerly with Saskatchewan Roughriders, was killed Wednesday night when his automobile failed to make a curve and hit a tree.

Laack was a car salesman in Stockton, Calif., and a former football star of College of the Pacific.

After graduation in 1957 he joined the Regina club in the WIFU. Later he was drafted by the Washington Redskins, and went to Philadelphia last season.

MINOR HOCKEY ROUNDUP

Blackhawk Pee Wees eked out a close 4-3 win over Bruins in another league game at the Civic Arena.

Neil Westmacott led the winners with two goals, brother Jerry one and Paul Dawson one. Deakin and Moore gave out assists. All three of the Bruin goals came unassisted with Todd Phillips sniping two and Derek Bennett one. There were no penalties.

Ranger Pee Wees added another win to their credit side of the ledger as they defeated Canadiens 4-1. Rookie Ted Hennig paced the Rangers with a hat trick, Greg Cook getting the other one. Ross, Jeffs and McBride gained assists. The lone Canadien goal came from the stick of hustling Doug Cameron late in first period. Referees were Ernie Gare and Charlie Burdett.

Bruin midgets scored their third win in league play as they pounded out an 8-5 win over Rangers. The win helped the Bruins to cut down on the lead of the second place Rangers.

Ron Grey, Jim Cain and Alan Swetlikoe scored two goals each to pace the Bears, singletons going to Walt Cherenko and Bob Paterson. Assists went to Swetlikoe, Grey, Paterson, Seaby, Bubas, Holmes and Irwin. Ken Dewar was tops for the Rangers with two goals and one assist. Mike Laughton and Shelly Atwell picked up one goal and two assists each and Chick Chapman one goal. The Bruins drew four of the six penalties given out by referee Hugh Hooker.

Blackhawk bantams added another win as they beat Canadiens 4-1.

Blackhawk goal getters were Gary Hucal, Johnny Cherenko, Mark Hennig and Ray Leeming. Cherenko drew two assists and Odegard one. Gordy Schmidt drove in the lone Hab goal unassisted. Major penalties to Cushner of the Hawks and Speirs of the Canadiens for fighting and a misconduct to Niven of the Hawks livened up an otherwise dull contest.

8-4 WALLOPING

Canadien midgets rode roughshod over the short handed Rangers for an easy 8-4. Gary Higgs led the Habs with a four-goal attack with Glen Wilson and Bill Burdenie notching two goals each. Paul Peters picked up four assists, Higgs, Wilson, Preston, Conne and McEachern getting one each. Mike Laughton, playing pearly the whole game, banged in another hat trick with rookie Ian Niven getting the other one. Odegard and Bishop picked up an assist each. Only one penalty and that to the Canadiens was meted out by refs Gare and Hooker.

Canadien bantams took an easy 7-3 win over Bruins in another league game. Gordy Schmidt and Keith Beck scored a hat trick each, Johnny Sample getting the other one. Steed, McLachlan, Preston and Sample earned an assist each. The Bruins' goals were scored by Bobby Thast from Moisey, Ted Leslie from Seaby and Ernie Moisey unassisted. There were no penalties.

Bruin Pee Wees hung another defeat on the last place Canadiens. Glen Price and Stuart Paterson scored for the losers, Cameron getting an assist. Larry Black potted three goals for the winners, Derek Bennett, Bob Zannon and Larry Pisacreta getting one each. Phillips drew two assists and Zannon and Bennett one each. Canadiens drew the only penalty of the game dished out by referee Hugh Hooker.

Ranger Pee Wees hung up their 13th win in 14 tries as they defeated Bruins 3-1. Reggie Cherenko led the winners with two goals and Bruce Ferguson notched the other one. Ferguson also drew an assist as did Denis Cherenko. Derek Bennett kept the Bruins from being shut out as he scored on a play from Allan. The losers drew the only penalty handed out by referee Bernie Arcure.

SEVENTH WIN

Black Hawk Pee Wees took a 2-1 victory over the Canadiens in one of the closest games played so far between these two clubs. For the Hawks it was the seventh win while for the Canadiens it was the 13th loss.

In the first period Bruce Wright opened the scoring for the Hawks on a double relay from Tees and Deakin. In the third Neil Westmacott tallied unassisted for the Hawks' second and last goal. For the Canadiens, versatile Doug Cameron made good on a breakaway to score unassisted. The Canadiens drew the only penalty of the game. Referee was Hugh Hooker.

Black Hawk bantams and Bruins battled to a 3-3 tie in a league game. It was the second time in the last two meetings of these teams that the game has ended in a draw. Ray Leeming, Ian Niven and Stan Smith accounted for the Black Hawk goals, Cherenko and Odegard earning an assist each. Chuck Owens, John Fink and Ted Leslie were the Bruin marksmen while Owens and Moisey picked up an assist each. The Bruins drew both of the penalties dished out by referees Ernie Gare and Bernie Arcure.

Ranger midgets fatened their scoring points as they walloped Bruins in the highest scoring game to date with a 12-6 defeat. Poor goal tending and defensive work were probably the biggest factor in the Bruins' defeat. Ken Dewar skated through the Bruins at will and netted six goals. Mike Laughton and Art Lang were the other goal snipers getting three apiece. Robertson and Lang drew the only two assists on the 12 goals. Walt Cherenko scored a hat trick for Bruins, while Ross Seaby, Nick Bubas and Alan Swetlikoe got a goal apiece. Assists went to Bubas and Swetlikoe two each and Irwin and Grey one each. The Rangers drew three of the five penalties given out by refs Arcure and Hooker.

SECOND SHUTOUT

Blackhawk bantams added another win to their credit as they shut out the Canadiens 2-0. It was the second shutout for the Hawks goalie Ken Armstrong and he was full measure for the blanking. Les Westmacott opened the scoring late in the first period on a screened shot for the Hawks' first marker. In the second they got their second and last goal and again it was a screened shot by Johnny Cherenko giving goalie Fred Zaitsoff of the Habs little chance on the drive. There were no penalties with Ernie Gare doing the whistle-blowing.

Strikes and Spares

Nelson Mixed Commercial Bowling League schedule for 1959:

Jan. 8, 7 p.m. — Orange Crush vs Mc and Mc; Kellys vs Hume Hotel; Overwaitea vs Bank of Montreal.

9 p.m.—Palm Dairies vs Queen's Hotel; CYO vs Bank of Commerce; Imperial vs Lucky Strikes.

Jan. 15, 7 p.m.—Bank of Commerce vs Hume Hotel; CYO vs Palm Dairies; Queen's Hotel vs Orange Crush.

9 p.m.—Imperial Bank vs Oveawaitea; Bank of Montreal vs Lucky Strikes; Mc and Mc vs Kellys.

Jan. 22, 7 p.m.—Bank of Montreal vs Kellys; Overwaitea vs Orange Crush; Mc and Mc vs CYO.

9 p.m. — Hume Hotel vs Palm Dairies; Bank of Commerce vs Imperial Bank; Lucky Strikes vs Queen's Hotel.

Jan. 29, 7 p.m. — Lucky Strikes vs Overwaitea; Hume Hotel vs CYO; Imperial Bank vs Queen's Hotel.

9 p.m. — Mc and Mc vs Bank of Montreal, Palm Dairies vs Kellys, Orange Crush vs Bank of Commerce.

Feb. 5, 7 p.m. — Mc and Mc vs Overwaitea; Bank of Commerce vs Lucky Strikes, Bank of Montreal vs Palm Dairies.

9 p.m.—Orange Crush vs Kellys, CYO vs Imperial Bank, Queen's Hotel vs Hume Hotel.

Feb. 12 7 p.m.—Hume Hotel vs Orange Crush; Palm Dairies vs Overwaitea, Kellys vs Imperial Bank.

9 p.m.—Queen's Hotel vs Mc and Mc; CYO vs Orange Crush.

Feb. 26, 7 p.m.—Bank of Commerce vs Palm Dairies; Orange Crush vs Imperial Bank; Hume Hotel vs Bank of Montreal.

9 p.m.—Queen's Hotel vs CYO, Kellys vs Overwaitea, Lucky Strikes vs Mc and Mc.

March 5, 7 p.m.—Kellys vs CYO, Palm Dairies vs Mc and Mc, Orange Crush vs Lucky Stirkes.

9 p.m.—Imperial Bank vs Bank of Montreal; Hume Hotel vs Overwaitea, Queen's Hotel vs Bank of Commerce.

March 12, 7 p.m.—Mc and Mc vs Bank of Commerce, Queen's Hotel vs Kellys, CYO vs Overwaitea.

9 p.m.—Lucky Strikes vs Palm Dairies, Hume Hotel vs Imperial Bank, Orange Crush vs Bank of Montreal.

March 19, 7 p.m. — Hume Hotel vs. Lucky Strikes; Palm Dairies vs. Orange Crush; Bank of Commerce vs. Kellys.

9 p.m. — Overwaitea vs Queen's Hotel; Bank of Montreal vs. C.Y.O.; Mc & Mc vs. Imperial Bank.

March 26, 7 p.m. — Bank of Montreal vs. Overwaitea; Bank of Commerce vs. C.Y.O.; Queen's Hotel vs. Palm Dairies.

9 p.m. — Orange Crush vs Mc & Mc; Imperial Bank vs. Lucky Strikes; Kellys vs. Hume Hotel.

April 2, 7 p.m. — Orange Crush vs. Queen's Hotel; Lucky Strikes vs. Bank of Montreal; Mc & Mc vs. Kellys.

9 p.m. — Bank of Commerce vs. Hume Hotel; Overwaitea vs. Imperial Bank; C.Y.O. vs Palm Dairies.

April 9, 7 p.m. — C.Y.O. vs. Mc & Mc; Imperial Bank vs. Bank of Commerce; Palm Dairies vs. Hume Hotel.

9 p.m. — Bank of Montreal vs. Kellys; Lucky Strikes vs. Queen's Hotel; Overwaitea vs. Orange Crush.

April 16, 7 p.m. — Queen's Hotel vs. Imperial Bank; Kellys vs. Palm Dairies; Bank of Montreal vs. Mc & Mc.

9 p.m. — Lucky Strikes vs Overwaitea; Orange Crush vs Bank of Commerce; Hume Hotel vs CYO.

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New York Rangers Cop Pair To Grab Sole Runnerup Hold

By The Canadian Press

New York Rangers took over sole possession of second place in the National Hockey League standings by taking two games from Boston Bruins in the last two days.

Thursday night New York won 5-2 and Wednesday the score was 4-3. In another NHL game Thursday, Chicago Black Hawks tied the Montreal Canadiens 2-2 at Chicago.

New York's double win pulled them two points ahead of the idle Detroit Red Wings, who are now in a third place tie with the up-and-coming Black Hawks with 35 points.

As always, Montreal is still away out in front with 48 points and Toronto is last with 28. Boston dropped to five points ahead of Toronto in the shuffle.

TORONTO SURPRISES

In other Wednesday games, Toronto surprised everybody including Montreal, by shutting out the Canadiens 2-0. Also Wednesday Chicago beat Detroit 4-2.

At New York Thursday night, the Rangers were led by rookie Les Colwill, who scored twice, and defenceman Hank Ciesla, who got three assists.

Defenceman Lou Fontinato of New York got the most spectacular goal of the night. He fired an 80-foot shot in the first period. Bruin goaltender Don Simmons came out of his net a few steps to block the shot. The puck bounced in behind him.

HENRY SCORED

Camille Henry and rookie Eddie Shack got the other New York goals. Vic Stasiuk and Bronco Horvath scored for Boston.

The Bruins now have lost four straight games.

Also Thursday, Chicago spotted Montreal two goals early in the first period and came back to tie it up on Ted Lindsay's seventh of the season and Ron Murphy's 13th goal.

MOORE STARRED

Montreal's Dickie Moore assisted on Ab McDonald's goal then scored himself two minutes later.

Lindsay picked up three minor penalties in the game to boost his season's penalty total in minutes to 95. This is tops in the league.

Montreal, now winless in three games, played without Maurice Richard, who strained a back muscle in Wednesday night's loss to Toronto.

Twins First, Third In B. C. Baby Race

LADYSMITH (CP) — One of two twin boys, both born before the New Year was five minutes old, Thursday became British Columbia's first 1959 baby—but his brother had to settle for third place.

The boys, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith of Ladysmith, were born at 12:02 a.m. and 12:04 a.m. respectively. But a baby girl born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Christopher in Vancouver sneaked between them at 12:03 a.m.

The twins weighed five pounds, 9¼ ounces and five pounds, 10½ ounces respectively.

PROMISE COMPENSATION

LONDON (Reuters)—The U.S. Air Force today promised prompt compensation for damage caused by a jet fighter crash Monday at Kesgrave which killed an English woman and wrecked a section of the town of Kesgrave. Claims from property owners are expected to top £20,000.

WHL Standings

By The Canadian Press

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
COAST DIVISION							
Seattle	30	18	10	2	131	97	38
Vancouver	30	12	11	7	92	81	31
Victoria	34	14	17	3	101	127	31
New West.	36	12	22	2	116	153	26
Spokane	34	10	20	4	113	144	24
PRAIRIE DIVISION							
Edmonton	34	20	11	3	115	83	43
Calgary	30	19	10	1	105	79	39
Saskatoon	29	13	14	2	91	89	28
Winnipeg	29	12	15	2	102	113	26

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Baby Born at Trail Leads '59 Arrivals

New Year's Day babies were scarce on arrival scenes throughout Kootenay - Boundary Thursday.

As the day lengthened into 1959, most hospitals from the East Kootenay to Grand Forks were still awaiting their first arrivals of the year.

Believed to be the first baby of the new year is a healthy boy born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gaudreault of Fruitvale at the Trail-Tadanac Hospital when 1959 was a mere three hours old. The baby, weighing eight pounds, 15 ounces, arrived at 2:59 a.m.

Another New Year's Day baby, again a son, was born at Creston Valley hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Sam Rota. He arrived at 5:10 a.m.

Prizes have been offered by merchants and organizations at most district cities and villages where hospitals are located.

Doukhobors "Abused", Lawyer Says

CALGARY (CP) — Peter Faminov, former secretary of the Union of Doukhobors of Canada, said Tuesday Doukhobors are being subjected to "unprecedented and discriminatory abuse."

Mr. Faminov, a Vancouver lawyer, told a service club the government in British Columbia, where most of Canada's Doukhobors live, is "trying to outdo the Czar of Russia when it comes to persecuting minorities."

He crtiicized reports of bombing incidents by Doukhobors because the persons responsible usually remain unknown.

"Those who contradict our laws are no longer Doukhobors. When an act of violence is committed the perpetrator is no longer a member."

FORMER TRAIL WOMAN'S SONG CHOSEN BY UN

TRAIL — The United Nations has accepted for its national anthem a song composed by a former Trail resident.

Mrs. Goldie Cotton of New York City, formerly Goldie Hall of Trail, informed brothers Tick and Al Hall of this city that her song, "Hail to the United Nations" has been selected as the UN anthem.

Mrs. Cotton, who last visited Trail in 1936, has been writing and composing music for a number of years.

She has three other sisters, Camille and Helen in Vancouver and Mabel in Los Angeles.

Kicking Horse Was Stiff Test on Runs

INVERMERE — Memories of freight runs through the Kicking Horse Pass before diesel locomotives came along, have been revived in Calgary.

The city of Calgary is considering purchase of an old 5900 type steam locomotive from the Canadian Pacific Railway, and if it does so, the event will be a happy one for Fred Lance, 84, of Calgary.

In 1891, before the spiral tunnels were ever thought of, Mr. Lance was a brakeman on the run from Calgary through the Kicking Horse Pass into Field.

It was through the Kicking Horse Pass that the old 5900 met its stiffest test on the way across the Rockies to the coast. At this point four engines, two in the front, one in the middle and one in the rear, were used on a normal sized freight in order to cope with the down grade.

Mr. Lance's job over this particular stretch of track consisted of standing on top of the last wagon and seeing that the trains' brakes were kept full on at all times.

EASY TASK

Taking freight over the Kicking Horse today is a comparatively simple task. Two circular tunnels which bore through Mount Ogden and Mount Stephen now bring powerful diesel-pulled freights up or down in a very gradual, easy-to-handle way.

In Mr. Lance's day it was not quite so easy. Then railroadmen were faced with the task of bringing their freights straight down what was probably the steepest grade in North America.

"We did it by using safety switches," Mr. Lance says. "The safety switches were made so that any train which gathered too much speed could be switched onto another track and brought around in a semi-circle so that it was headed back up hill again."

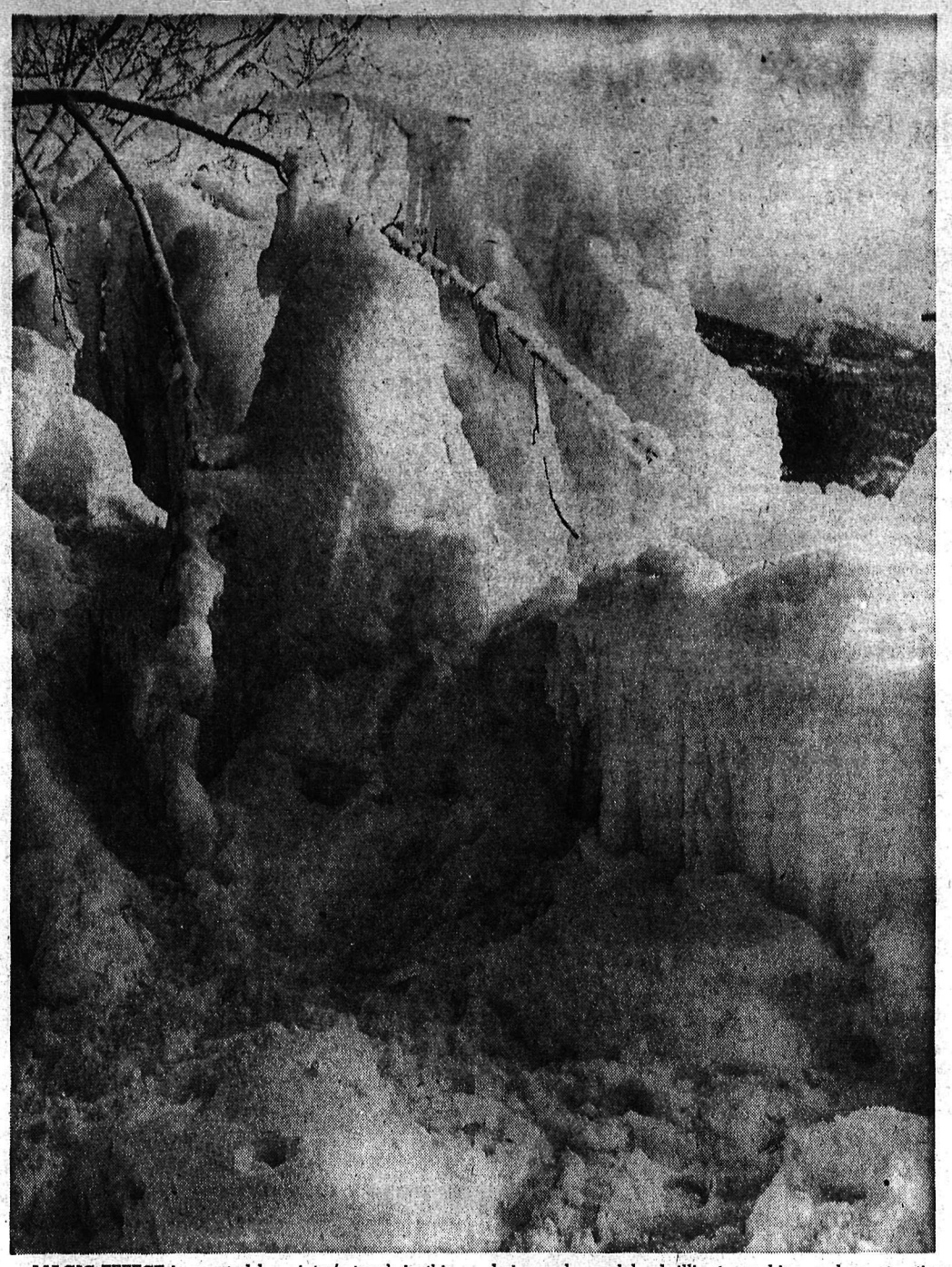
The upgrade acted as a break brake. After coming to a stop it would roll backwards onto the original track. It would then proceed on its downhill journey and the same process would be repeated if necessary at the next switch.

WHISTLE SIGNAL

"The man who operated the switch boxes," Mr. Lance said, "kept them on safety at all times. He would only allow a train to go through a switch if the engineer signalled he had everything under control. The signal was four blasts of the engine's whistle."

"My job on top of the last car was a fairly easy one in the summer but in the winter the steam and water from the three engines ahead of me turned to ice by the time it got back to where I was. It was sometimes about 50 or 60 degrees below zero when we went down that hill."

"But," he said, "it was quite a sight to see four of those old engines on the hill on a crisp winter's night."



MAGIC EFFECT is created by winter's touch in this picture of boughs festooned by snow and ice, the whole being enhanced by brilliant sunshine and constrasting shadows.—Photo by Percy Orrell.

"LITTLE CHERRY" TESTS PROMISING

CRESTON — Improvement of the size and sugar content of trees affected by "little cherry" disease has been attained in experiments last year in a commercial orchard at Creston. This followed applications of zinc in various forms.

The project was conducted with the aid of the Palmer Memorial Research Grant.

The experiment has also given added information on means of overcoming chronic difficulty in introducing zinc into cherry trees. Some tree injury resulted from zinc sulphate sprays.

An earlier experiment has given strong indication that the rate of spread of the "little cherry" disease can be reduced significantly by application of insecticides to reduce populations of insect vectors.

TO BE CONTINUED

In 1958, it is reported, the rate of spread was low in all plots, whether sprayed or not, with "little cherry" symptoms appearing on only three trees of the 100 trees included in the test. No damage was caused by any of the sprays in 1958. The test will be continued in 1959.

The B.C. Fruit Growers' Association has expressed the opinion that protection of orchards from "little cherry" spread is required for the Kootenays if new plantings are to be successful, and for the Okanagan if the disease appears.

Bank of Canada Interest Rate Up

OTTAWA (CP) — The Bank of Canada interest rate this week was 3.74 per cent, down from 3.89 last week, the central bank reported Wednesday.

The rate compares with 3.81 per cent two weeks ago. It is set at one-quarter of one per cent above the average yield for short-term government treasury bills which was 3.49 per cent this week.

Hearing of Trio To Open Monday

TRAIL — The preliminary hearing of three men charged with murder will open here Monday at the city council chambers, likely before a Castlegar magistrate.

Larry, Harry and John Popoff are accused of murder in the death of 35-year-old Douglas Clarence Garrett, father of four, last fall.

The Popoffs are being defended by E. M. McGauley of Castlegar and Douglas Wetmore and Frank Meagher of Trail. Bruce Arnesen of Nelson has been appointed Crown counsel.

Garrett was found in woods above Highway No. 3, apparently beaten to death. Discovery was made by Gordon Read, son of Mayor Leslie Read, during a hunting expedition.

The Popoffs have been awaiting trial in Oakalla prison for some weeks and delay in bringing them to preliminary hearing was severely criticized by the Burnaby magistrate two weeks ago.

Hotel at Cranbrook Changes Ownership

CRANBROOK — The largest real estate transaction of the year was completed in the final week of 1958 when Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Reid of Cranbrook bought the three-storey Mount Baker Hotel on Baker Street at the corner of Eleventh Avenue. The hotel has about 20 rooms, a dining room and cocktail lounge. It was built about 30 years ago by E. T. Clausen of Cranbrook, and was operated for several years by Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Kennemann. The new owners purchased it from Mrs. Joe Waswick who has been owner and operator during recent years. Mr. and Mrs. Waswick have moved to the Fernie district where they are operating a farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Reid will operate the hotel themselves.

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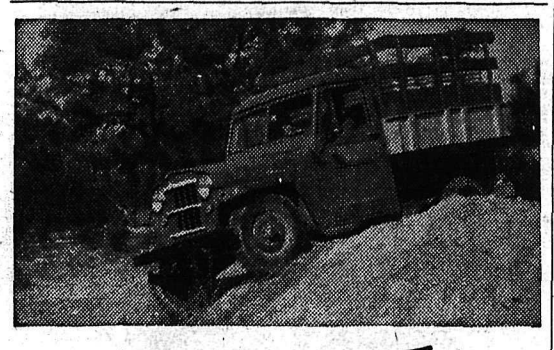
KAMLOOPS (CP) — A 27-year-old moose hunter who earlier this week fell over a cliff in Wells Grey Park, about 100 miles north of Kamloops, was rescued Thursday.

RCMP said Roger Thomasson of Coquitlam, suffered frostbite but was otherwise unhurt.

Thomasson failed to rendezvous with companions on Monday and a search was started. He was found later Wednesday at the bottom of the cliff on the Clearwater River, but ropes carried by the searchers were not long enough to reach him.

Additional rope was obtained and the rescue party pulled Thomasson up the cliff Thursday. Meanwhile, a helicopter set out from Kamloops for the scene. It was used to transport the rescued man to hospital.

Canadian exports to Great Britain for first 10 months of 1958 were $640,100,000 from $604,100,000 for corresponding period of 1957.



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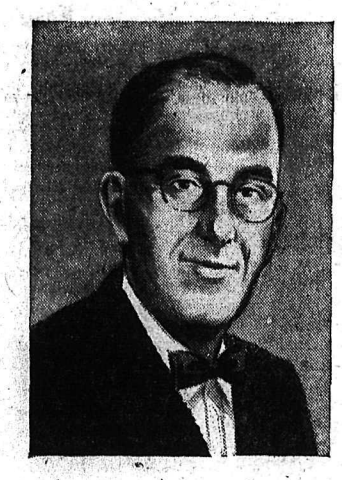

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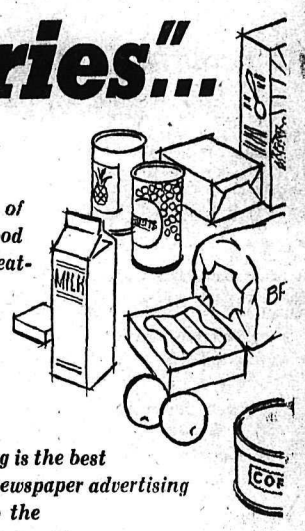

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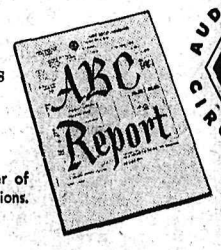

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Minority Wields Deadly Power

Much food for harassing thought can be taken from something that happened in New York City recently which could and perhaps does have application anywhere else in the world including Nelson, or British Columbia, or Canada.

We refer to the shutdown of all the newspapers in that largest city of the United States, in which an extremely small minority of workers cast the die that stopped the presses for more than two weeks.

Of the 4500 members of the Deliverers Union in New York City, 36 per cent of them (1649) cast ballots Dec. 9 to accept or reject the contract negotiated with the newspaper publishers. The contract was rejected by 105 votes (877 to 772). The 877 who voted against it represented 19.5 per cent of the Deliverers Union membership and only four per cent of all newspaper employees in the city. The 105 by which the vote to reject was carried, is exactly a half of one per cent of all the employees. Because of that vote, nine newspapers shut down and most of the 20,000 employees were thrown out of work for 19 days.

It is also interesting to note that the union members (those who voted) in rejecting the contract also rejected their own elected and appointed officials and negotiators.

The main point, however, is that here was a strike directly affecting thousands of employees and millions of other people indirectly which nobody wanted except 10 per cent of the union members involved, or four per cent of all the newspaper employees, or half of one per cent of the total employees.

We see in this an alarming illustration of how, rights or wrongs aside, a small but determined minority can wield power out of all proportion to its size. With such an example, it is readily apparent how minorities can capture control of organizations, communities, even governments.

Unless, of course, all those persons entitled to express their opinions, do so.

Interpreting the News

By DAVID ROWNTREE
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Town by town and farm by farm, a rebel leader and a handful of followers have been fighting their way westward across Cuba for 2½ years.

Until recently they weren't given much hope of completing their avowed task — reaching Havana, overthrowing dictator Fulgencio Batista and forming a government. But in recent weeks Fidel Castro, the bearded revolutionary, has pushed nearer these goals.

The rebels are acknowledged to have effective control of more than half of the Caribbean island. They claim about two-thirds of the country. More important than the size of the territory is the fact that it is the area where most of Cuba's huge sugar crop is grown.

Control the sugar and you pretty well control the Cuban economy. Sugar earns about 85 per cent of Cuba's foreign exchange and there have been estimates that Castro, if he wants to, can prevent about half the crop being sold by blocking roads and seaports.

The rebels say they don't want to wreck the economy. As they hope to inherit the government, they understandably don't also want to succeed to a financial crisis.

Despite this, the economy is feeling the strain. Business life has been disrupted, industrial plants have been sabotaged and the tourist trade has suffered.

The rebellion, primarily a guerrila operation, sustains itself. The fighters live off the land, helping themselves liberally to food, fuel and transport. Money comes from wealthy and middle-class supporters who, although they may not like the way Castro is going about it, are also anxious to see Batista dethroned. Military supplies are either captured or arrive in an uncertain trickle from sympathizers who smuggle them into the country.

Castro has said little about what he would do if he can depose Batista. The president is due to retire early in 1959 but is certain to influence his hand-picked successor.

Apart from installing a former judge, friendly to the insurgents, until free elections could be held, Castro has said:

"I do not believe in military rule. All Latin Americans are tired of government by colonels and generals."

He pictures his cause as the classic Latin American one of fighting dictators. As the Argentines who fought Peron found, that cause wins little popular support when labor unions are coddled by the government, the army is loyal and life seems prosperous.

Lately this has been changing. The army, which all along has been unable or unwilling to mount a strong offensive against Castro, has shown some signs of discontent. Prosperity is receding and this may eventually change the attitude of unions.

Castro's forces have proved capable of being able to survive a long, slow civil war. "The fighting," Castro once remarked, "will continue until we occupy the whole island."

'Cat's Eyes' Rebels

Group Captain Cunningham, an English airman, has been elected to the board of an aircraft company and took the chance to pour scorn on the nickname "cat's-eyes" which has clung to him since he was an outstanding night fighter pilot in the last war. "That nickname was absolutely baloney, and I've always disliked it," he said.

This is a shocking revelation. It leads to the anxious thought that Gen. McNaughton never liked being known as "Andy," that "Blood and Guts" Patton of the U. S. Army was disgusted by this title and that "stonewall Jackson and "Billy" Sherman in the Civil War were tortured by the opinion no one respected them.

The best we can offer Group Captain Cunningham and other troubled nickname - carriers is the recollection that a prince of the Royal blood in England was known as "Prinny" and Queen Victoria was not amused at being called "The Widow of Windsor". Sir John A. Macdonald took in good humor the title of "Old Tomorrow." And while generals may writhe at nicknames we think the politician who achieves one should be glad he is high enough in public esteem to rate one.—The Ottawa Journal.

PRESS COMMENT

CANADIANS DON'T READ

We have the dubious honor of living in one of the best-fed and worst-read countries on this globe. If figures about the reading of books collected in Europe, North America and the British Commonwealth are to be trusted we read fewer books per capita than any other civilized land, with the exception of the U.S.A.—Peterborough Examiner.

Newfoundland Trail Blazer

The blazing of new trails is no novelty to Premier Joseph Smallwood of Newfoundland. He stumped the island by road and foot and boat to bring it into Confederation. He became its first—and so far only—premier. He is one of the few men ever to cross it on foot, following the rail line in 1952 when he was organizing a union of section hands.

Now he has become the first man to cross the province by road. The chance came when he learned that a trail had been bulldozed through Terra Nova National Park, in preparation for the building of an eight-mile last link in Newfoundland's east-west road system. He immediately organized a party, including 12 newsmen, and set off.

Until now it has been possible to cross the island from east to west by road only with the help of a ferry across Clode Sound.

It was typical of Mr. Smallwood that he let no one else take the wheel during the two-day trip. He was born to be in the forefront of his province's progress. The opportunity to pioneer is one that comes to few men in the modern age. If it has come frequently to Newfoundland's premier, few would deny that he has created his own opportunities.—Toronto Telegram.

The Dope Habit

Every sensible Canadian is aware of the insidious evils of inflation. It robs the people in the community who can least afford it—widows, pensioners and others living on fixed incomes—and lulls the rest into a sense of well-being that encourages them to shrug off the dangers.

One senior executive of a large Canadian company is so upset about public apathy toward the inflation problem that he thinks businessmen should do something dramatic to draw attention to the issue.

"Inflation is like dope, and a little dose is pleasurable," he says. "My salary and those of my business friends, and the annual increments thereto, are now larger than they used to be, and we like the feel and the sound of the bigger figures. My estimate is that one-half of the increase in salary is simply compensation for inflation."

His suggestion: He and his business friends who make $15,000 a year or over should donate half any salary increase this year to their favorite charity, over and above their normal contributions.

"Let us back our convictions with our pocketbooks and rid ourselves of any lurking and furtive enjoyment of this dope."

—Financial Post.

End of the Line?

There will be no more passenger trains operating in the United States after 1970 if railway travel continues to decline at the rate of the last decade, says an official of the U. S. Interstate Commerce Commission.

American railroads are carrying fewer riders today than they were 60 years ago, when the population was half what it is now. There had been a shrinkage of almost 50 per cent since 1950, and last week two more lines operating out of New York City served notice that they were abandoning the passenger field.

Mainly because many people still use the railways for long distance travel, the decline has not been quite as steep or as sudden in Canada. But the trend is certainly in the same direction, with costs mounting and passenger revenue declining.

Last year Canadian railroads carried less than 23 million passengers. This was a sharp drop from the previous year's 26 million and only about half of the wartime tottals. Indeed, every year since 1946 has registered a drop in the total of passengers carried by rail, respite the fact that several of these years were the most prosperous in the country's history.

In Canada, as in the U. S., a lot of children now being born may never ride on a railway train. ——Financial Post.

Promotion

The difference between the British and Russian methods of sending elder statesmen out to pasture is illustrated in the report of a British diplomat passing through Ulan Bator. This is the capital of Mongolia, where former foreign minister Molotov, in the classic style of Russian exile, serves as Soviet Ambassador to Mongolia. Invited to tea by Mr. and Mrs. Molotov, the diplomat was politely queried about Clement Attlee's health. "Lord Attlee," he replied, "is now a member of the House of Lords". Said Molotov with a ghost of a smile, "Ah, so that's where they send them in your country." ——The Toronto Telegram.

They'll Do It Every Time — By Jimmy Hatlo

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TODAY'S BIBLE THOUGHT

He looseth the bonds of kings.—Exodus 20:8.

Some call it destiny. An unseen Hand moves His pawns to suit His pleasure. No one is above or below this destiny.

Aunt Het

I tried once to read things that would improve my mind, but I got to where I was sleepin' too much and had to give it up.

Molsons Extend Date Of Offer to Sicks

MONTREAL (CP) — Molson's Brewery Ltd., announced that its offer to Sicks' Breweries Ltd., shareholders to acquire their common shares and voting trust certificates has been extended to Feb. 20, 1959.

Most of Sicks' shareholders were reported to have already accepted the offer. The offer was two shares of Molson's A, two shares of Molson's B and one preferred Molson's share for each four Sicks' common or Sicks' voting trust shares. The common and voting trust were considered equal.

Voyage Too Much For One-Man

LONG BEACH, Calif. (AP)—"Never again," said handsome 34-year-old Peter Tangvald after a harrowing one-man sailing voyage halfway around the world. "It is too much for one man."

He should know. Tangvald sailed his 45-foot wooden yawl, Windflower, from West Mersey, England, to Long Beach, on the southern California coast.

He battled mountainous seas for four days in a hurricane, sailed 31 days without spotting another sign of human life, spent 48 hours at the tiller during a heavy fog without sleep, food or water, and broke two fingers which he bandaged himself.

The bearded mariner, of Norwegian descent, started sailing at 14.

TOO MUCH FOR WIFE

He hadn't planned to make the trip alone. His attractive wife, Lillemore, accompanied him from England to France in the fall of 1957. Rough weather led her to fly home to California.

He set sail for Vigo, Spain. A three - month layover in Spain found him still without a crew, so he set out alone. The Windflower covered the 3100 miles from the Canary Islands to Antigua in the West Indies in 31 days.

After he passed through the Panama Canal into the Pacific Ocean in August Tangvald ignored advice not to sail along Mexico's west coast in hurricane season.

This was almost his undoing. Halfway to Acapulco a storm with winds raging up to 70 miles an hour struck the vessel.

"It was the one time I regretted making the trip," he says. "I thought it was the end for sure."

Premier Bennett Looks Ahead, Sees 1960 B.C.'s Greatest Year

KELOWNA, B.C. (CP)—British Columbians can look forward to a prosperous 1959 and for the province's "greatest year" in 1960, Premier Bennett declared Wednesday.

In a New Year's Eve message from his Kelowna home where he is spending the holiday, the Social Credit premier warned, however, that Canadians as a whole must take a "new look" at national policies if Canada is to avoid a recession and unemployment.

"As we approach 1959, I am more optimistic over B.C. than ever before," the premier said.

But it was important that the government have the co-operation of labor and management and farmers and business men.

Referring to Canada as a whole Mr. Bennett said this country is in "the world's best location" next door to the rich United States. But this very location meant Canada "must have a dynamic national policy to compete and survive with a prosperous economy."

He believed the Canadian dollar should be pegged at about 90 per cent in relation to American currency, that Canada should have a low interest rate policy and that she should establish a "more realistic" export credit corporation to help finance surpluses in agriculture, primary products and manufactured goods.

Canada should have a great national highway program similar to the U.S.

Mr. Bennett said he believes these policies would result in a great economic development and prosperity with full employment and in reduction of the national debt, thus ending debt financing.

"I predict that unless the Diefenbaker government brings about such changes he will not last long," the premier said.

"In spite of what I consider wrong federal fiscal policies, I am optimistic as we approach the new year which is very significant as it starts the first year of our second century in B.C."

The premier, who has said there will be no election in the province this year—his government was last elected in 1956—leaves Saturday for Victoria where the provincial legislature opens a new session Jan. 22.

TCA 1958 Passenger Traffic Reached Record Figures

MONTREAL (CP) — President G. R. McGregor of Trans-Canada Air Lines said Wednesday in his annual review of the company's operations that in 1958 the TCA carried a record-breaking number of passengers, estimated at he said. "Traffic has increased 2,757,000.

"This has been a good year," and for the third year in succession we have carried more than 2,000,000 passengers.

"Although the price of labor and materials has continued to rise, the airline has exercised careful cost control and it was possible, in 1958, to reduce the general fare.

PASSENGERS-MILES UP

Approximately 1,632,090,000 revenue passenger miles were flown, a rise of 17 per cent. Percentage of passenger occupancy decreased, as planned, to 70 from 71 per cent.

Carriage of mail, express and freight remained at about the 1957 level.

Additional domestic flights were scheduled in 1958 and new services introduced abroad. TCA began flights to Zurich and Brussels in Europe and to Antigua in the West Indies. A non-stop flight began between Montreal and Paris.

NEW WESTERN FLIGHTS

In western Canada a new transatlantic schedule was introduced —from Vancouver to London, England, with a stop at Winnipeg, via the Hudson Bay route.

Domestically a transcontinental service included Edmonton, linking Toronto and the Alberta capital with a non-stop flight. A new direct service was inaugurated between Calgary and Saskatoon. Flight frequencies were increased on many other routes.

Also, the TCA, which pioneered use of propeller-turbine aircraft in North America, extended Viscount service to 12 more Canadian communities.

Mr. McGregor said it is expected that by 1961 TCA will become the first inter - continental airline in the world to operate an all-turbine fleet.

The statement recalled that in 1958 TCA was awarded the Socrates high award for the year's best newspaper transportation advertising in North America, in competition with 200 transportation companies.

FEUD SETTLED

JERUSALEM (AP)—Members of parliament have arranged to get into the papers again by placating reporters who have been boycotting their proceedings. The reporters had been banned from the parliamentary cafeteria at meal time. The reporters agreed to lift their boycott today after the parliamentary praesidium said it would discuss new arrangements for press facilities.

Leading Canadians Make New Year's Resolutions

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

New Year's resolutions?

"I never make them," says Citizenship Minister Ellen Fairclough, Canada's woman of the year for 1958. "When you feel there are things you should do, you should do them—whether it's January or June."

But you can take your pick of these resolutions by prominent Canadians, gathered in a survey by The Canadian Press:

"I've decided to be just as troublesome and as much as a busybody as ever," said Mme Therese Casgrain of Montreal, vice - president of the national council of the CCF.

COVERS ALL

A blanket resolution was provided by Dr. Andrew Stewart of Edmonton, resigning as president of the University of Alberta to become chairman of the CBC's board of broadcast governors:

"To be grateful for the many privileges we enjoy and to be considerate of others less fortunate, to express our individuality and to resolve our differences, to be ourselves as Canadians, to make a contribution toward peaceful and expanding relations within the Commonwealth of Nations."

Mrs. Catherine Seppala, first woman mayor of Fort William:

"I developed an elephant's hide after three months as an alderman and I'm determined not to let any amount of criticism pierce me during 1959. My motto for the year ahead is 'fair to all and favors to none'."

FROM UBC HEAD

Dr. Norman A. M. MacKenzie of Vancouver, president of the University of British Columbia:

"I hope we achieve in 1959 an improvement in relations between East and West — particularly as these affect Berlin, the Middle East and the hydrogen bomb. In respect to Canada, I hope 1959 sees an improvement in economic conditions — living standards, outside markets and employment for all who want it."

Mrs. Margaret (Ma) Murray, of Fort St. John, B.C. outspoken publisher of the Alaska Highway News:

"I hope that half a million settlers will be placed in northern British Columbia, the Yukon and Alaska during 1959—the most of these being recruited in the United States. We need them in a joint effort to develop the heritage of a good land and secure both our countries from invasion."

DEMAND NEW APPROACH

Mrs. Irene Parlby of Alix, Alta., one of the first woman cabinet ministers in the Commonwealth and ready to celebrate her 91st birthday Jan. 9:

"In these times of recurring crisis, of governments frustrated in their efforts to bring nations together, we ordinary men and women should raise our voices and demand a new approach, decide the game of threat and abuse is over, try the rules of good sportsmanship, shake hands and try friendship instead of hatred."

William C. McNamara of Winnipeg, chief commissioner of the Canadian wheat board:

"We are approaching the new year with confidence. Overseas buyers have confidence in our grain products and our merchandising methods. The board has the co-operation of all elements in the grain trade in sustained sales efforts. We benefit from the high reputation Canada enjoys the world over. With these important factors working for us, 1959 should be a good year in the merchandising of our wheat and other grains."

U.S. Governors Invited to Russia

CHICAGO (AP) — Governors of eight states and Hawaii have been invited to visit Russia this summer, the executive secretary of the Governors' Conference announced Tuesday night.

The Soviet Union's invitation was extended to the nine members of the conference executive committee meeting in Chicago three weeks ago, Brevard Crihfield, the executive secretary, said.

It is due to be acted upon — with every indication that it will be accepted — at a further meeting of the executive committee Feb. 23.

The nine governors who would make the trip to the Soviet Union are Leroy Collins of Florida, chairman of the Governors' Conference; William G. Stratton of Illinois, Cecil H. Underwood of West Virginia, George D. Clyde of Utah, James P. Coleman of Mississippi, Robert Meyner of New Jersey, Victor E. Anderson of Nebraska, William F. Quinn of Hawaii and Stephen L. R. McNichols of Colorado.

ACTRESS SUFFERS STROKE

BURBANK, Calif. (AP)—Character actress Verna Felton, 68, who plays the role of Hilda Crocket in the television show December Bride, is in hospital following a slight stroke. A spokesman said she is progressing satisfactorily.

Coast Publisher Honored On Retirement

VANCOUVER (CP) — Arthur William Moscarella, publisher of the Province here since 1951, retired Wednesday. He will be succeeded as publisher by Fred S. Auger, who followed Mr. Moscarella as publisher of the Winnipeg Tribune.

A letter from Prime Minister Diefenbaker was among many personal communications received by Mr. Moscarella at a farewell dinner and presentation tendered by his associates Tuesday night.

The Prime Minister extended his "personal congratulations for all your achievements," and added:

"The contribution that you have made to Canadian publishing will not soon be forgotten, and I think you can be justly proud of your part in the development not only of a great newspaper, but, indeed, of Canada itself."

Born in London in 1893, Mr. Moscarella came to Canada at 17 to join the Hudson's Bay Company catalogue division at Winnipeg. He later worked briefly for the Winnipeg Tribune before its acquisition by the Southam Company, and then operated his own advertising agency in Winnipeg before moving to Regina as advertising manager of the Regina Trading Company.

BECAME DIRECTOR

He rejoined the advertising staff of the Tribune after the First World War, and within a year was made national advertising manaegr In another year he was advertising director of the paper.

In 1936, when M. E. Nichols, publisher of the Tribune, was appointed to a similar post with the Province, Mr. Moscarella became business manager under Mr. Nichol's successor, Dr. Wesley McCurdy. On Dr. McCurdy's retirement in 1948, he became publisher of the Tribune.

He came to Vancouver in 1951 and in the ensuing years became governor of the Pacific National Exhibition and a council member of the Board of Trade.

He served as a director and member of the executive committee of The Canadian Press and the Canadian Daily Newspapers Association.

Mr. Moscarella will continue as a director of the Southam Company and of Pacific Press Limited.

Mr. and Mrs. Moscarella, with their two daughters, reside in Vancouver. Their only son, Ray, is advertising manager of the Winnipeg Tribune.

FRYING PAN TO FIRE

HUTCHINSON, Kan. (AP)—Joe Ramos' car, parked in front of his house, was damaged by a hit-and-run motorist. He called police. But when the officers arrived, they gave a ticket to Ramos—for parking on the wrong side of the street.

Movie Gossip...

Critic Tries Again To Read Future For Hollywood's Leading Favorites

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — What will 1959 bring Hollywood?

The No. 1 rule with forecasters should be: Never look back. But I'm going to defy tradition and see how I did with last year's guesses before embarking on next year's.

On the credit side are these: Elvis Presley will be drafted. Top Oscar winners will be British - born (half - right). River Kwai will be the picture to beat in the academy sweepstakes. Love will find Lana Turner (yipes!). South Pacific will be top money maker. Dramas will be hot in films, westerns on TV. Lots of talk on pay-TV but little action.

Also: Marilyn Monroe will return to Hollywood for a film. Jayne Mansfield will marry Mickey Hargitay. Brigitte Bardot will become the movies' sex queen.

BIGGEST MISS

My main strikeout: That Lauren Bacall would marry Frank Sinatra. Well, it was close.

Okay, then, what about 1959? Let's be a little more fearless this year and try some tougher picks. Such as:

Frank Sinatra will not get married.

One major studio will go out of business.

Ben-Hur will be the top money picture, Diary of Anne Frank the most honored picture.

Brigitte Bardot's vogue will fade.

Liz Taylor and Eddie Fisher will wed, to no one's surprise.

Ingrid Bergman will make a triumphant return to Hollywood.

Bing Crosby will become a papa again.

WESTERNS GO ON

The westerns will continue to ride roughshod over the TV competition.

The TV comedians will go back on the shelf.

Debbie Reynolds' career will boom.

Some of the veteran film heroes who have been getting top prices will find their salaries cut.

There will be fewer pictures made.

More films will be made abroad.

Still no action on pay-TV.

Bob Hope won't be home for Christmas.

Okay, so I cheated on that last one. I've got to be right some of the time.

15-Year-Old Call Girl Tells Court Holdups Paid Trip East

TORONTO (CP) — A 15-year-old Vancouver call girl told a Toronto court Wednesday her trip from the west was financed by a series of cross - country armed holdups.

She was testifying at the trial of Mrs. Bernice Howard, 22, of Toronto, who was fined $100 or 30 days for keeping a common bawdy house — a swank apartment where the girl was found during a police raid.

The girl is charged with juvenile delinquency and will be tried later.

She spent nine months in a Vancouver training school, escaped once and was declared "incorrigible" by a juvenile court last year.

SERIES OF HOLDUPS

She told Magistrate J. L. Prentice she motored to Toronto last July with a boy friend and another couple. Her boy friend, she said, staged a series of holdups from west to east.

The Vancouver girl said the couple were drug addicts and now are serving prison terms for possessing narcotics.

She said when the group reached Toronto she was persuaded to start working in "Chinatown" as a prostitute but quit within a few weeks because she was making "only about $45 a day."

MADE $300 DAILY

She said she was forced to go to the Toronto apartment by a man to whom she owed $160. She made about $300 a day but "gave about half of it to Mrs. Howard."

The apartment superintendent testified there were complaints about the noise.

"Sometimes they were queueing up on the stairs," he said.

Fruit Report to Be Released Sunday

PENTICTON (CP) — A. R. Garrish, president of the British Columbia Fruit Growers Association, said Wednesday the report of the McPhee royal commission, which studied the fruit industry in B.C., will be released Sunday.

Mr. Garrish said he was advised by Agriculture Minister Steacy that the report will be released formally to fruit industry officials at that time and it is expected to be made public immediately after.

Queens Bay

QUEEN'S BAY — Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Phillips and daughter Anne of Nelson are spending a few days during the holiday with Mrs. Phillips' mother and sister, Mrs. J. S. Hirst and Miss Joyce Hirst.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Palmer had as guests over Christmas Mrs. Palmer's mother and brother, Mrs. S. Erickson of Vancouver and J. Tieken of Calgary.

David Baravalle has arrived from Vancouver to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Baravalle.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Attree have had as recent guests Dr. Basil Donell and Dr. and Mrs. Bartlett, all of the department of chemistry at UBC in Vancouver.

Robson Notes

ROBSON — First Robson Guides entertained First Robson Brownies Monday in the Community Hall. Games, contests and refreshments were enjoyed by all present. Gifts were distributed from the Christmas tree. Arrangements were made by Guide members under direction of Mrs. R. Bro.

Their annual Christmas party was held by the Evening Group in the church hall Monday, with each member inviting a guest. Cedar boughs and Christmas ornaments decorated the hall. The buffet supper was followed by an evening of games, contests and gift exchanges.

Castlegar Notes

CASTLEGAR — Miss Darlene Harding has left for New Westminster, where she is nurse-in-training at the Royal Columbian Hospital.

Mrs. Bert Donnan leaves today for Vancouver, where she will enter St. Paul's Hospital for treatment.

Sunday evening members of St. Alban's choir took part in a carol service at the Robson Church. The choir sang an anthem under direction of Joe Killough, with Mrs. F. A. Hostetter as organist, assisted by J. Bainbridge and Leslie Waldie. Rev. B. A. Resker conducted the service.

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TWO STUDENTS FROM FAR POINTS of the globe who spent their Christmas holidays at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Nygaard, 910 Davies Street, enjoyed a Christmas celebration "the same as we have at home" according to one of the guests, Miss Sissel Ljono of Oslo, Norway, who is shown at left, above. The other guest, Miss Marianne Sandweg of Cartago, Costa Rica, finds customs here very different from the Yule celebrations in her native country. Both girls are students at the Midland University in Fremont, Nebraska, where Miss Diane Nygaard also studies. The two visitors are majoring in languages at the university.

—Daily News photo by Ian Brown.

Your Individual HOROSCOPE

By Frances Drake

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

FOR SATURDAY, JAN. 3, 1959

MARCH 21 to APRIL 20 (Aries) — Highly stimulating, helpful vibrations from most planets. New and familiar matters, big undertakings and lesser tasks equally honored. You can make good if you try.

APRIL 21 to MAY 21 (Taurus)—Your Venus among favorably aspected planets. Have good cheer; you can make this a "red letter" period if you combine your talents and good judgment.

MAY 22 to JUNE 21 (Gemini) — Fine vibrations are auspicious for your special capabilities and the many fields in wwhich you can advance. Private matters, business and evryday interests highlp sponsored.

JUNE 22 to JULY 23 (Cancer)—You are on a fortunate planetary list, too. Get quickly at your program, let nothing interfere witth sound accomplishment. Seemingly unimportant details may help to advance bigger projects.

JULY 24 to AUGUST 23 (Leo) — A generous, prospehous outlook. Be a go-getter but, at the same time, be just, reasonable. Unusual benefits should accrue if you put forth your best efforts.

AUGUST 24 to SEPTEMBER 23 (Virgo) — You will undoubtedly be ecquilitive, eager tto learn, and apply that learning now. Aspects favor new business, finances, teaching, study the arts, industry, trades, too. Fine rays!

SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23 (Libra) — Forget annoyances, worries. Get into your working clothes and show what you can accomplish. Advantages are promising. Employee, employer, student, teacher, technician: Self-confidence will count now!

OCTOBER 24 to NOVEMBER 22 (Scorpio) — Deal with those in authority; build, repair and improve where, what you can. This should be a progressive, remunerative time for sound planning, good work. Honest labor rewarded.

NOVEMBER 23 to DECEMBER 21 (Sagittarius) — Fresh advantages, new leads of value, gains through sensible cooperation indicated. There's abundant planetary help for the sincere, capable you.

DECEMBER 22 to JANUARY 20 (Capricorn) — The truly difficult in most lines of endeavor should move ahead more smoothly. Government interests, weighty conferences, agreements among the many encouraged activities.

JANUARY 21 to FEBRUARY 19 (Aquarius) — Repairs, building, railroad and other construction under new favor. Science, trades, professions honored. Hasty actions or decisions not advised.

FEBRUARY 20 to MARCH 20 (Pisces) — Have care in confidential matters, handling chemicals, oil, medicines, etc. You can push ahead faster in other lines — familiar matters, household affairs, organization work. Good rays!

YOU BORN TODAY are interesting, clever, detehmined. You are often lethargic about your own advancement but can and usually will catch up and do an excellent job. You have unlimited talents, strength, fine mental ability. Who needs more? Use these God-given assets honorably and progressively each day and you will have the right kind of success as well as contentment. Give health proper attention and take well earned rest and relaxation.

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Boswell Notes

BOSWELL — Visitors in Boswell during the Christmas holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Terry Sullivan and daughter, and Ross Rose, all of whome returned to Calgary earlier in the week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Sherratt and family of Cranbrook, and Boyd Wallace spent the holiday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. Wallace.

INSTITUTE HOLDS PARTY

DEER PARK — Deer Park Women's Institute sponsored a Christmas party for local youngsters and residents of Deer Park. Games and contests were enjoyed, as well as singing of Christmas carols. Music for the singing was provided by Mrs. H. Coleman at the piano, G. Phelps, guitar, and J. Friesen, mandolin.

Santa Claus arrived and presented each youngster with a gift. Refreshments were served by the WI.

Out of town guests were Mr. R. Coleman and children, Craig, Lorne and Cheryl of Syringa Creek.

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About the Town

PHONE 1844

Judge and Mrs. E. P. Dawson, 803 Silica Street, returned Wednesday from the east where they attended the wedding of their son, W. J. Dawson, in Hamilton, Ont., and also visited their son, Lieut. Commander E. J. Dawson, RCN., in Halifax, N. S.

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Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bartlett of Vancouver are holiday guests of Mrs. Bartlett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bailey, 719 Davies Street.

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Alderman and Mrs. A. K. McAdams and family, 810 Elwyn Street, have returned from Victoria and Courtenay, where they spent the holiday with members of Mrs. McAdams' family.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Petty, 911 Tenth Street, have had as guests their son Bob of the Bank of Montreal in Vancouver, who spent the Christmas holiday with his parents, and their son Leo, of Gonzaga University in Spokane, who has spent Christmas and New Year's with his parents.

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Home from the Coast, where she attends Pittman Business College in Vancouver, Miss Ruth Evans is visiting her parents, Magistrate and Mrs. Evans, 117 Victoria Street for a month.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Favelle and family, 624 Fifth Street, have returned from New Westminster, where they spent the Christmas season with Mrs. Favelle's parents.

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After spending Christmas in Lethbridge, Mr. and Mrs. M. I. MacAlpine, who were visiting Mrs. MacAlpine's brother, A. Ervin, have returned to their home at 124 Pine Street.

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Joe Johnson, formerly of Nelson and now of Vancouver, who has been a holiday guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Sjoberg, 308 Delbruck Street, returned to the Coast on Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Clark and family, 1405 Hall Mines Road, have returned from the Coast, where they spent Christmas with Mr. Clark's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bakker in Seattle, and also visited Mrs. Clark's mother, Mrs. F. O. Hoole and family in Vancouver.

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From Victoria, Mrs. Helen Peachey and daughter Lynn have been spending the holiday season with Mrs. Peachey's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Nuyens, 305 Hall Mines Road.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Halsey and daughter Hazel, formerly of 715 Fifth Street, left Thursday for Kaslo, where they will reside.

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Ellen Fairclough Woman of Year For Second Term

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

Ellen Fairclough, minister of citizenship and immigration is Canada's Woman of The Year for the second successive year.

She was voted the nation's leading woman by women's editors of daily newspapers in a poll conducted by The Canadian Press.

Mrs. Fairclough, 53, Progressive Conservative member for Hamilton West, was also selected the woman most active in public affairs during the year.

HAD BUSY YEAR

Here's what she did: When the year opened she was already secretary of state and a privy councillor; in February she acted as prime minister for a few days when Prime Minister Diefenbaker was away from Ottawa; in March she was re-elected to Parliament; in May she represented Canada when a new president was installed in the Argentine; a few days later she became minister of citizenship and immigration; in September she guided a government bill on citizenship through the House.

Winners in other poll categories:

Sport—Lucile Wheeler, St. Jovite, Que.

Literature and Art — Gabrielle Roy, Montreal.

Music—Lois Marshall, Toronto soprano.

Stage, screen, radio and television—Toby Robins, Toronto.

WON WORLD TITLE

Miss Wheeler, red-haired, blue-eyed skier, in February became the first Canadian to win a world skiing title. At Bad Gastein, Austria, she won the downhill race over a 27-gate, 1¾-mile course in 2:12.1, beating the existing record by five seconds. Two days later the 23-year-old girl won the world giant slalom title.

Recently she was named Canada's outstanding female athlete of 1958 by the country's sports editors and broadcasters.

Gabrielle Roy, prominent writer, won the 1957 Governor-General's Award for fiction for the second time. The award was announced last April and was given for her book, Street of Riches, published in French as Rue Deschambault.

Lois Marshall, 33-year-old soprano, added to her laurels this year. She made international headlines when she sang to packed theatres in Moscow and other Russian cities during a European tour.

Pert Toby Robins, knowledgeable veteran of the television show Front-Page Challenge, covered a lot of ground during the year. In January, her son Peter was born but she did not miss a Challenge. Later in the year she appeared in Visit to a Small Planet a stage play which ran for seven weeks in Toronto and she has just finished working in a series of television films featuring the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

By TRACY ADRIAN

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Ymir Notes

YMIR — Peter Verigan has returned to Edmonton after visiting his mother, Mrs. S. Verigan, and also his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. M. Burgess.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Durasich have as guests their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. Olsen of Vancouver.

Miss Marguerite Beaulieau has returned to Calgary after a brief visit with her mother, Mrs. V. Beaulieau.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Nord had as guests Mr. and Mrs. J. Johnson of Wardner, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Kmiecek spent a few days visiting Mr. Kmiecek's mother, Mrs. M. Wolkin of Kamloops.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Gould entertained their son, Harold, and wife, who have recently returned from Orillia, Ont. Mr. and Mrs. Gould will take up residence in Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Pahl have as guest Mr. Pahl's mother of Medicine Hat.

Attractions of Elegance Can Replace Charms of Youth

TORONTO (CP) — Older women in Canada must pull up their nylons and generally smarten up, says Mrs. Jean Miller of Maple, near here.

"Most older Canadian women are drab," she said in an interview. "They should flaunt their age and experience, not take a defeatist attitude and imagine that they lose attractiveness as they grow older."

The attractions of elegance can replace the charms of youth; it just takes a little more thought and care, says Mrs. Miller, herself acknowledged to be one of the best-dressed members of the Fashion Group of Toronto, an organization of women in fashion and allied trades.

Blonde Mrs. Miller, who for years drew the fashion pictures in the catalogue of a leading department store, won't tell her own age but she says she won't see 40 again.

The younger set can get away with an untidy hairdo but an older woman never can, she points out. So hair should always be well-groomed.

As for hats, older women can wear sophisticated styles which are impossible for a youngster. If they can also wear frivolous headgear and look attractive, they should take every opportunity of doing so.

Older women must take more care of their skin by regular creaming and selection of cosmetics, and their hands need more attention.

"Women often worry about being overweight as they get older," said Mrs. Miller. "Ideally, they should try to be the correct weight for their height, but if they really cannot reduce, they must compensate for it by wearing darker colors and taking more care over the fit of their clothes."

CLOTHES PROBLEM

And clothes for older women in Canada are a real problem, says Mrs. Miller. "Canadian manufacturers and designers do not cater sufficiently for older women, although the mature group will spend more money on clothes than younger women can.

"This attitude will change if older women take an interest in their clothes and insist on getting what they want."

Born in Alliston near Barrie, 60 miles north of Toronto, she studied art at Toronto and worked a two-year apprenticeship with a Toronto firm, at $10 a week during the depression. She draws fashion pictures for stores, and magazines, and advises on fashion illustrations. She makes frequent trips to fashion houses in New York, London, Paris and Rome.

Who are the best-dressed women in the world? "English women," she said. "But the best dressed office workers are right here in Toronto."

Deer Park

DEER PARK — Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Williamson visited Renata Christmas Day, and were dinner guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Reimer.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Heywood and children, Jason and Della, returned to their home in Vancouver after spending a few days during the Christmas holidays at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Jamieson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Briggeman and Mrs. R. Seaman of Trail were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Briggeman.

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QUEEN'S BAY — A wedding of interest to Queen's Bay residents and nearby communities took place recently at St. Barnabas Church, Deep River, Ontario, when Dr. R. W. (Dick) Attree, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Attree of Queen's Bay took as his bride Pamela Mary Dyson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Dyson of Newbury, England.

The bride was lovely in a floor-length gown of champagne satin brocade. She wore a short, pearl-studded veil and carried a spray of roses. She was given in marriage by Dr. H. Clayton.

Her bridesmaid, Miss Velma Stanton, chose ice blue brocade and carried a bouquet of rust chrysanthemums.

Floral decor consisted of large baskets of rust and white 'mums.

Rev. Thompson, rector of St. Barnabas, conducted the doublering ceremony.

During signing of the register, a choral group of which Dr. Attree is a member sang the anthem "Come Holy Ghost".

A reception was held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Clayton, at which 60 invited guests assembled to toast the happy couple. The bride and groom left later by train for Montreal and New York, from there flying to Spain for a short honeymoon. They then left for England to spend Christmas and New Year's with the bride's parents at Newbury.

The newlyweds will return early in January to make their home at Deep River where Dr. Attree is a research chemist at the nearby Chalk River plant of Atomic Energy of Canada Ltd.

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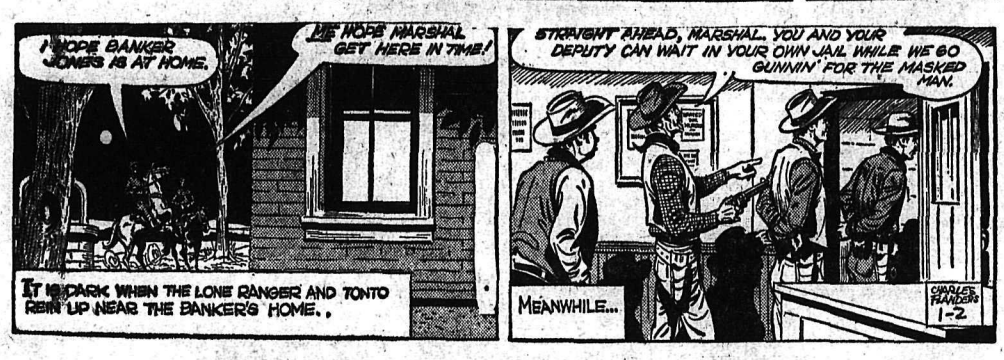

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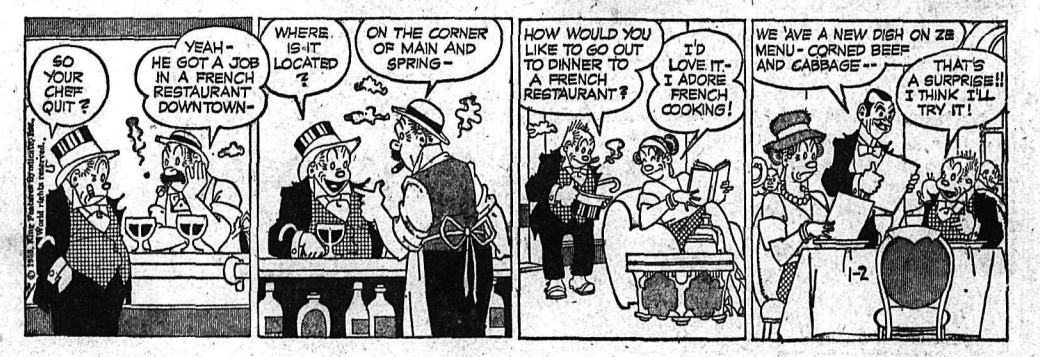

MARKET TRENDS

NEW YORK (CP) — The stock market closed the year at its highest level ever Wednesday.

Both Dow Jones and Associated Press averages were at record levels — the Dow Jones industrial average at 583.65, up 1.85, and the AP index $1 higher at $214.30.

Steels, motors and oils paced the advance. Some of the best gains were trimmed before the close.

Gold-mining issues continued in demand. Benguiet, a Philippine producer, was the most active issue, unchanged 111,100 shares. McIntyre Porcupine of Canada was 2 points higher at 97 for a total gain of 10 points in three sessions. Dome Mines added ⅜.

Also in the Canadian section, Aluminium Ltd. gained ⅞ to 33. Canadian Pacific and Granby Mining lost fractions but other stocks rose.

The American Stock Exchange also closed higher. Shawinigan dropped ⅝ among Canadians. Fargo Oil reacted from a ¼ advance to be fractionally lower.

TORONTO (CP) — The stock market closed out 1958 with its third straight daily advance, amid the fastest trading in almost two months.

Industrials and golds each reached 1958 peaks during the session then faded slightly before some late profit-taking. Industrials touched a high of 515.43 then slid back to close at 515.02, ahead one-half on the day.

Golds touched 92.47 at 2 p.m. then slipped a few decimal points, closing at 92.43, up one-half. Base metals and western oils each gained one point on index.

The final volume was 4,681,000 shares, compared with Tuesday's 4,463,000. Five speculatives again passed the 100,000-share. Two gained, two lost and one issue was unchanged. Gold Eagle was the most active, trading 262,200 shares, off 3 cents at 39 cents.

Among industrials refining oils, banks, pipelines and liquors scored the best wins. Foods and motors were mixed. Great West Saddlery had the best gain, up 3½ at 45.

Western oils rallied at the close. Canadian Husky was up ⅝ at 13¼ and Bailey Selburn added 25 cents at $9.50, to lead.

Index gains: Industrials .52 to 515.02; golds .50 to 92.43; base metals 1.09 to 174.47; western oils 1.03 to 135.74.

MONTREAL (CP)—Prices were generally higher in moderate trading Wednesday on the Montreal and Canadian stock exchanges.

Utilities were mixed. Quebec Power was up ¾ at 38½, a new high, and International gained ¼ at 29⅞. Shawinigan declined 1⅛ at 33½ and Jamaica was off 1 at 22.

Up ¾ in base metals were Aluminium at 31¾, Hudson Bay at 58 and Nickel at 85½.

In construction issues Canada Cement declined ½ at 34½; Foundation advanced ¼ at 14½, a new high, and Dominion Bridge lost ⅜ at 21⅝.

Up ¼ in banks were Montreal at 55¾ and Commerce at 54¾. Royal was up 1 at 75½ and Provinciale lost ½ at 35.

In refining oils BA advanced ½ at 39½ and Imperial Oil gained ¼ at 45.

Up ¼ in papers were Great Lakes at 35¼, St. Lawrence Corp. at 16⅜, and Consolidated at 42. Anglo Newfoundland advanced ⅛ at 6¼.

Textiles were mixed with Celanese up ½ at 19½ and Penmans down ½ at 32.

In steels National Steel Car declined ¾ at 16¾, a new low, and Stelco, trading ex-dividend, lost ⅞ at 68¼.

Mines and oils were active and generally higher.

Closing averages show banks up .27 at 59.54, utilities off 1 at 148.7, industrials off .6 at 295.5, combined off .7 at 246.6, papers up 1.2 at 455.6 and golds up .8 at 86.52, a new high.

Business Spotlight . . .

Automation Licked When It Comes To Packaging Maritime Peat Moss

MONCTON (CP) — An industry that defies automation is booming in the Maritime provinces and eastern Quebec.

In 1942 the production of peat moss was about 10,900 tons. In 1957 production climbed to 50,000 tons and shows no signs of stopping there.

J. E. McIntyre, CNR Atlantic region agricultural agent, says the growth of the industry is largely due to new packaging methods and the use of new machinery to bale the moss.

The moss now is marketed in small plastic bags and distributed to chain stores throughout Canada and the United States.

VARIED USES

Gardeners buy it to mix with their garden soil, thus adding humus and promoting growth. Peat moss is used for packing bulbs and roots in shipment and storage. It also has value as poultry litter, stable bedding and even insulation.

Largest markets for the moss are found in the eastern U.S. and the larger Canadian cities.

Four bogs are being worked in New Brunswick at Pokemouche, Shippegan, Lameque and Inkerman. In Nova Scotia a large bog is being exploited at South Berwick in the Annapolis Valley. One of the largest to be worked in the east is at Riviere du Loup, Que.

The combined output of these bogs was worth $1,500,000 in 1957.

Mr. McIntyre says some bogs employ as many as 300 men during peak periods of cutting in spring, summer and fall. Most are employed on a piece-work basis and can make as much as $15 a day.

DEAD VEGETATION

Peat moss is an accumulation of centuries of growth and death of undecomposed roots of spaghnum and other mosses found in damp regions. Most of the bogs are convex shaped and the centre may be as deep as 25 feet.

Because of the swamp land heavy machinery cannot be used. The moss is cut with wide spades, piled to dry and then moved by wide-wheeled tractors and light trucks to rail sidings.

TELEVISION FOR TODAY

PACIFIC STANDARD TIME

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9:00 For Love or Money *
9:30 Play Your Hunch *
10:00 Arthur Godfrey *
10:30 Top Dollar *
11:00 Love of Life *
11:30 Search For Tomorrow *
11:45 Guiding Light *
12:00 Topic
12:30 As The World Turns *
1:00 Jimmy Dean Show *
1:30 Houseparty *
2:00 Big Payoff *
2:30 Verdict Is Yours *
3:00 Brighter Day *
3:15 Secret Storm *
3:30 Edge of Night *
4:00 Early Show
5:45 Cleaning Tips
6:00 The News
6:10 A Greater Spokane
6:15 Doug Edwards *
6:30 Hit Parade *
7:00 Trackdown *
7:30 Jackie Gleason *
8:00 Phil Silvers *
8:30 Treasure
9:00 Lineup *
9:30 McKenzie's Raiders
10:00 Badge 714
10:30 Night Edition
10:40 Post Time
10:45 Late Show

KHQ-TV — Channel 6

8:10 Color Test Pattern
8:13 Test Pattern
8:28 Bible Reading
8:29 Program Previews
8:30 Q Toons
9:00 Dough Re Mi *
9:30 Treasure Hunt *
10:00 Price Is Right *
10:30 Concentration *
11:00 Tic Tac Dough *
11:30 It Could Be You *
12:00 Truth or Consequences (C) *
12:30 Haggis Baggis (C) *
1:00 Today Is Ours *
1:30 From These Roots *
2:00 Queen For a Day *
2:30 County Fair *
3:00 Matinee On Six "Feminine Touch"
4:45 Our Gang
5:00 Five o'Clock Movie "Dr. Gillespie's New Assistant"
6:30 Weatherwise Front Page
6:45 NBC News *
7:00 Cavalcade of Sports *
7:45 Decorating Ideas
8:00 Ellery Queen (C) *
9:00 M Squad *
9:30 The Thin Man *
10:00 U.S. Marshal
10:30 News
10:40 Late Movie "Born To Dance"

KREM-TV — Channel 2

6:00 Joe Palooka
6:30 Newsbeat
7:00 This Is Alice
7:30 Rin Tin Tin *
8:00 Walt Disney Presents *
9:00 Man With a Camera *
9:30 77 Sunset Strip *
10:30 Nightbeat
10:45 John Daly
11:00 Channel 2 Theatre

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Last Members of Flat-Iron Gang Hold Celebration

MONCTON, N.B. (CP) — A single verse from an old hymn and a bowl of oyster stew and New Year's eve was complete for the last two members of the Flat-Iron Gang.

Irvine Malcolm, 83, long-retired railway accountant, told how it was in 1899 when 21 young men met in Jenny McGee's restaurant in the east end. They named their gang after a triangular-shaped section of Moncton where they lived — a section which resembled the old irons which used to sit on the back of wood-burning kitchen stoves.

"The gang would have a celebration every New Year's eve," Mr. Malcolm said. "It used to be we wouldn't get home until four or five o'clock in the morning. Now I get home right after midnight."

Of the 21, only he and Dr. Harry S. Thomson, 77, a retired Toronto dentist, are left.

LEAVE THE GIRLS

"When we'd leave the girls on Saturday night we'd go down to Jenny McGee's for oyster stew," Mr. Malcolm said. "We met there every year in our own private room for 35 years. Later we used to get together at the Moncton Curling Club for a turkey dinner.

"It was a closed book. There were a lot of business men who wanted to get in, but we all said no."

Each New Year's eve, the reunions began at quarter to 12. The gang would have dinner, reminisce. They sang one verse of the hymn Unto the Hills.

"That was always a popular hymn," Mr. Malcolm said. As death overtook each member of the gang, the survivors sent a wreath shaped like a flat-iron. It hung on the casket and those who were left sang their hymn.

NEVER OBJECTED

How about the women?

"I never knew a wife who objected," he said. "They used to have a New Year's eve party and called themselves The Suffragettes."

Last year was the first break in the gatherings since 1899. Mr. Malcolm was in Florida. Dr. Thomson was in Moncton.

Wednesday, the celebration was quiet. "They just came to my house, had an oyster stew, sang the verse of our hymn and reminisced."

The club accepted only four honorary members. Of the four, only Elmer Ferguson, sports columnist of the Montreal Star, still lives.

The club's very exclusiveness is leading to its death. "The gang will just peter out when Harry and I die."

ON THE AIR

CKLN PROGRAMS — 1390 ON THE DIAL
(PACIFIC STANDARD TIME)
FRIDAY, JANUARY 2, 1959

5:59—Sign On
6:00—News
6:05—Wake Up Time
6:30—News
6:35—Wake Up Time
6:55—Farm Fare
7:00—Chapel in the Sky
7:15—Wake-Up Time
7:25—Sports News
7:30—News
7:35—Wake-Up Time
8:00—News
8:10—Sports News
8:15—Opening Markets
8:20—Breakfast Varieties
8:55—Morning Devotions
9:00—News
9:10—Musical
9:15—The Archers
9:30—Country Caravan
10:00—News
10:05—Time Out
10:15—The Happy Gang
10:45—Woman In My House
11:00—News
11:05—Holiday Time
12:00—News
12:05—Polka Party
12:15—Sports News
12:25—News
12:54—CKLN Reports
1:00—News
1:05—Matinee
1:15—University of the Air
1:45—Sacred Heart
2:00—Holiday Time
2:30—Trans-Canada Matinee
3:30—Pacific News
3:45—Rocking With Boates
4:45—An Englishman's Home
5:00—News
5:05—Rolling Home Show
5:30—Ottawa Report
5:45—Closing Markets
5:50—Rolling Home Show
6:00—News
6:10—Sports News
6:15—Christian Science
6:30—Old Favorites
6:40—Rawhide
6:55—Musicale
7:00—News
7:30—Hoedown
8:00—Curious Canadiana
8:30—The Four Gentlemen
8:45—Music as You Like It
9:00—Songs of My People
9:30—Concert Hall
10:00—News
10:10—Sports News
10:15—Symphony Concert Review
10:30—Parade of Choirs
11:00—News
11:05—Sign Off

CBC PROGRAMS

(PACIFIC STANDARD TIME)
SATURDAY, JANUARY 3, 1959

6:00—Bert Nelson
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Children's Magazine
9:45—Outdoors With Kerry Wood
10:00—CBC Stamp Club
10:15—News
10:25—Weather
10:30—Traditional Echoes
11:00—Metropolitan Opera
2:30—Star Time
2:45—World Church News
3:00—News
3:10—Weekend Listening, Weather
3:15—Speakers' Choice
3:30—Sports College
3:45—4-H Club Broadcast
4:00—Don Messer
4:30—Prairie Schooner
5:00—Ca C'est Montreal
5:25—News
5:30—NHL Hockey
7:30—News
7:35—New York Philharmonic
9:00—Marine Investigator
9:30—Vintage Goons
10:00—News
10:15—This Week
10:30—Literary Interviews
11:00—Sign Off

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1. To dress
5. Fragment
9. —— Hood
10. Aircraft detector
12. Correct
13. Run away and marry
14. Dancers' cymbals
15. Piece of shot
16. First
19. Measure (Jap.)
20. Classify
21. Melt
23. Isthmus of —— (Asia)
24. An age
25. Organ of smell
27. Blazed
30. From
31. Clash
32. Adrift
35. Transgression
36. Those who inherit
37. The white poplar
39. Lurk
40. Tree trunks
41. Demands, as payment
42. Shore recesses

DOWN

1. Marc Antony's audience
2. Four-sided pillars
3. Storage crib
4. Conclude
5. Fisherman's basket
6. Corridor
7. Heathen image
8. Journals
9. Networks
11. Bind anew
15. Timely
17. Ripped
18. Man's name
21. Simpleton
22. Injudiciously
24. Building addition
25. Builder of the ark (poss.)
26. Displease
27. Obtained
28. Roman magistrates
29. Sand dunes (G.B.)
31. Kegs
33. Stead
34. Algerian seaport
37. Warp-yarn
38. Large snake

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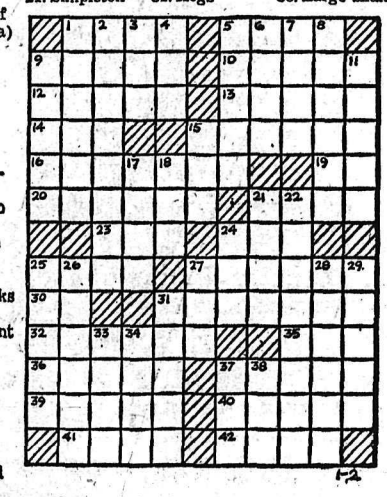

DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE — Here's how to work it:

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

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

A Cryptogram Quotation

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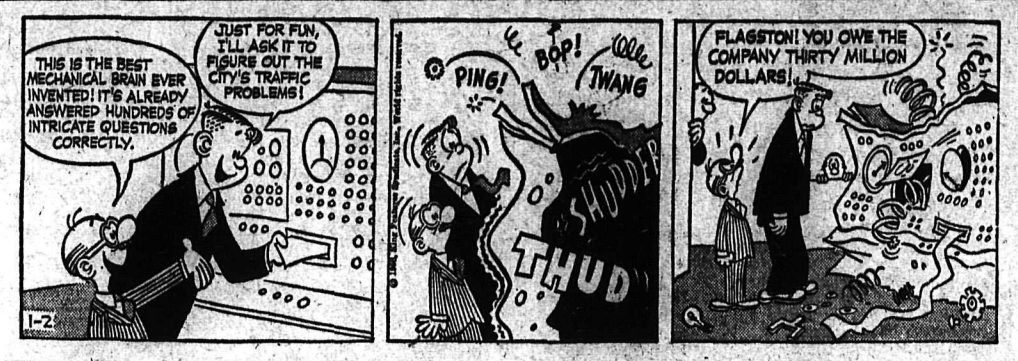

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Wheat Marketing Picture Brighter Than Expected

By STAN McCABE

WINNIPEG (CP)—The ghost of the dusty 30s walked through part of the Prairie grain belt in 1958.

Farmers saw reminders of the drought years in days of cloudless skies, drifting soil, dried-up sloughs and in some areas withered crops.

But the crop roots went deep and tapped moisture left by rains of the previous fall. The wheat crop was officially estimated at 341,000,000 bushels, far surpassing grim forecasts which lasted until the drought broke in many areas in July. The crop compared with 349,000,000 bushels in 1957 and the 10 - year average of 465,000,000 bushels.

Wheat marketing, handled for the Canadian government by the Canadian Wheat Board, presented a comparatively bright picture during 1958. Sales for the 1957-58 crop year which ended July 31 reached 315,600,000 bushels, a 21-per-cent increase over 1956 - 57 sales of 261,800,000 bushels. Hopes are held that sales of 300,000,000 will be made in the current crop year.

A dry, frost - free autumn brought one of the earliest harvests in years but it also brought a new worry. Fall rains averaged only 70 per cent of normal when heavy precipitation was needed to build up moisture reserves for 1959.

Topsoil and subsoil in many areas were left bone - dry with rainfall in all three Prairie provinces below normal. The Searle Grain Company, which turns out detailed and thoroughly researched reports on crop conditions, placed rainfall for the area at 2.85 inches compared with normal fall precipitation of 4.08 inches.

The company said moisture reserves generally are much less favorable for crops to be sown on summerfallow land than they were last year and crops to be sown on stubble land will begin the season with considerably smaller reserves of moisture.

Although the 1958 crop was one of the smallest in the last 10 years, it was high in both protein selling points.

The board of grain commissioners said average protein content of spring wheat was 13.8 per cent, .2 per cent below the 1957 average and .3 per cent above the long-term average. The ideal is considered 13.3 per cent.

The wheat carryover at the end of the crop year was 614,764,000 bushels, about 1½ times the 1958 crop. However, the amount left over was considerably lower than the 729,500,000 bushels left at the end of the 1956-57 crop year. The amount left on farms was estimated at 203,900,000 bushels compared with 319,200,000 bushels a year earlier.

Trade Minister Churchill said following a fall wheat-selling trip to Europe: "After a careful assessment we have estimated that again we may set an export target of 300,000,000 bushels."

The agriculture department estimated that the carryover at the end of next July might fall to a six-year low of 525,000,000 bushels if exports reach 300,000,000 bushels.

William Riddel, assistant chief commissioner of the wheat board said that although Canada fell behind in export shipments due to a two-month waterfront strike on the Pacific coast, the board still is hopeful it will reach the 300,000,000-bushel target when gifts to Colombo plan countries are taken into account.

"We haven't quite caught up at the Pacific coast," he said. Up to Nov. 26, shipments from Pacific ports totalled 26,300,000 bushels compared with 42,200,000 bushels in the corresponding August-November period of 1957.

Mr. Riddel said he still is hopeful Russia will take an agreed minimum of 14,800,000 bushels under her wheat agreement which expires in February. One problem is presented by China, which took 5,500,000 bushels last year but which is reported to have a large home-grown crop this year.

Arrow Interceptor Issue Faces Heated Controversy

By DAVE McINTOSH
Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA (CP) — Canada was launched—albeit gingerly — into the missile age in 1958.

The navy equipped its carrier-borne fighter squadrons with the American Sidewinder, an air-to-air missile. The government announced plans to procure the American Bomarc anti - aircraft missile for the RCAF in 1961 and the American Lacrosse surface-to-surface missile for the army in about a year.

But a government decision on the most costly defence project in Canada's history was postponed until the spring of 1959. By March it is expected the administration will have decided whether to order into limited production the supersonic jet Arrow interceptor. By that time some $400,000,000 will have been spent on the project.

CONTROVERSIAL ISSUE

The Arrow has bid to become the most controversial defence issue in Canada since Second World War conscription.

The government has indicated pretty strongly that it wants to cancel the Arrow program, mainly on grounds of its high cost.

The RCAF has made it clear it wants the Arrow for military reasons, its argument being that air defence cannot be accomplished by ground-to-air missiles alone. Naturally, the RCAF doesn't want to see itself go out of the combat - flying business, which will be the case if it doesn't obtain a new manned interceptor.

The defence department is more or less marking time until a decision on the Arrow is reached. If the Arrow is scrapped, it can go ahead with other defence projects which have had to be delayed because of the heavy expenditures on the interceptor.

Besides the Arrow, several other major defence decisions face the government in 1959.

One of these has to do with the re-equipping of the RCAF air division in Europe and, indeed, the future role of the 12-squadron division.

If the division is to continue to play a part in the air defence of Europe it will have to be given new interceptors or missiles. If its role is to be switched, such as to army support, it will have to get a new type of plane altogether.

The government next year may also have to decide whether to build atomic submarines in Canada. Studies now are in progress.

Defence against the missile - launching submarine is receiving more and more attention here. Athe same time, scientists are grappling with the problem of devising a system of defence against the intercontinental ballistic missile.

This latter problem has top priority of the Defence Research Board whose scientists and engineers are attempting to find a means of tracking a long-range missile and devising a guidance system and propellant for a counter-missile.

The 1958-59 defence budget was $1,686,000,000. The size of the 1959-60 budget will depend on the Arrow decision. If the plane is junked, expenditures may go down appreciably.

For the armed forces, 1959 will be a year of adaptation to new missiles and technical training will be expanded. But they will not get the actual missiles in any substantial numbers and their equipment will largely be that which they have had since the days of the Korean war.

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VANCOUVER (CP) — Boxing promoter Earle Kalani said on Thursday that Archie Moore, the world light-heavyweight champion will appear in an exhibition bout here Jan. 20.

Kalani said Seattle's Eddie Cotton has agreed to appear on the same card and may be chosen to oppose Moore.

The Vancouver promoter did not disclose what guarantee Moore had asked, but said: "He gave me a good deal."

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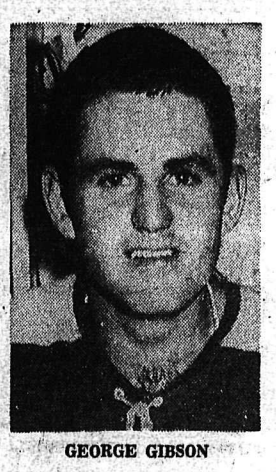

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WEMBLEY LIONS DOWN RUSSIANS

STOCKHOLM (CP) — Wembley Lions, British Hockey League team made up mostly of Canadians, defeated the Russian team, Soviet Wings 10-8 Thursday night in the Ahearne Cup series before a crowd of 9000 at Stockholm Stadium.

Wembley had to come from behind to nose out the Russians, who lost steam in the final period after leading 7-4 at the end of the second. They changed goalies in the final 10 minutes in an unsuccessful attempt to stop the Anglo-Canadian team.

BRITISH SOCCER

LONDON (Reuters)—Results of Thursday's British soccer league games:

ENGLISH LEAGUE
Division II
Middlesborough 3 Huddersfield 1
Sunderland 4 Leyton Or 0
Division III
Bury 5 Doncaster 0
Chesterfield 2 Hull City 1
Tranmere 1 Wrexham 2
Division IV
Barrow 2 Workington 2
Bradford 0 Crewe Alex 2
Carlisle vs Oldham, ppd, ground unfit.
Darlington 2 Shrewsury 1
Gateshead 0 Port Vale 4
Hartlepools 1 Chester 3
Southport 0 Crystal P 2

SCOTTISH LEAGUE
Division I
Aberdeen 1 Dundee 1
Clyde 0 Partick 3
Falkirk vs Stirling, ppd, ground unfit.
Hearts 1 Hibernian 3
Kilmarnock 1 St. Mirren 0
Motherwell 5 Airdrieonians 2
Queen of S 2 Thd Lanark 5
Raith R 2 Dunfermline 2
Rangers 2 Celtic 1
Division II
Albion vs Hamilton, ppd, ground unfit.
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Albion vs Hamilton, ppd, ground unfit.
Alloa 3 Stenhousemuir 2
Berwick 2 E Stirling 0
Cowdenbeath 4 East Fife 2
Dundee U 2 St. Johnstone 3
Forfar 1 Arbroath 4
Montrose 2 Brechin 4
Morton vs Ayr U ppd, ground unfit.
Queens Park 2 Dumbarton 4

RUGBY UNION
Watsonians 3 Newport 18

RUGBY LEAGUE
Barrow 2 Whitehaven 7
Liverpool City 13 Blackpool Borough 14
St. Helens 9 Leigh 6
Salford 0 Swinton 3 (abandoned after 74 minutes.)
Wigan 24 Warrington 16

Warriors Back in Top Tie With 7-5 Win Over Smokies

ROSSLAND—Rossland Warriors moved back into a first place tie with Trail Smoke Eaters in the Western International Hockey League, scoring a 7-5 victory over the Smokies before a New Year's Day crowd of 1004.

The score was tied 2-2 at the end of the first period and Rossland led 4-3 at the end of the second.

Carl Cirullo and Gil Desrosiers led Rossland with two goals and two assists each. Al Lloyd also had two goals and Bud Andrews the other.

Ernie Secco scored two for Trail while singles were notched by Laurie Bursaw, Cal Hockley and Bobby Kromm.

Playing his first game of the season for Rossland was Gino Rozzini of Spokane. Rozzini, formerly with Spokane Flyers, has been voluntarily retired for the past two seasons. He picked up two assists in the game.

Trail took a 1-0 lead in the second minute of play on Bursaw's goal, but it was tied up shortly after on a power play with Lloyd scoring from Rozzini. Andrews made it 2-1 for Rossland midway in the frame, but the period ended in a deadlock when Hockley scored with less than two minutes to go.

Cirullo tallied both Rossland markers in the second with Secco getting one for Trail in between.

CINCHED IT

Two fast goals midway in the final stanza cinched it for Rossland. Trail had tied it again 4-4 early in the frame on Secco's second goal. Desrosiers' marker at 10:15 and Lloyd's at 11:48 put the Warriors ahead to stay.

The clubs traded goals before the game ended, Kromm scoring for the Smokies and Desrosiers for Rossland.

Busiest period of the game for Trail goalie Seth Martin was the second when he turned away a total of 21 shots. He stopped a total of 43 in the game, while Warriors' netminder Gus Adams blocked 27.

Trail — Goal, Seth Martin; defence: Joe Conn, Jack Lancien, Ray Hamilton, Don Fletcher; forwards: Laurie Bursaw, Cal Hockley, Ernie Secco, Bobby Kromm, Ad Tambellini, Gerry Penner, Ron Flinn, Gordie Robertson.

Rossland—Goal: Gus Adams; defence: George Ferguson, Danny McDougald, Vic Lofvendahl, Bud Andrews; forwards, Harold Jones, Ray Demore, Al Lloyd, Carl Cirullo, Steve Chorney, Gino Rozzini, Gil Desrosiers, Leo Lucchini.

SUMMARY

First period—1. Trail, Bursaw (Tambellini, Penner) 1:17; 2. Rossland, Lloyd (Rozzini) 3:30; 3. Rossland, Andrews (Jones, Lucchini) 9:41; 4. Trail, Hockley (Secco, Kromm) 18:28.

Penalties — Kromm, 2:16; McDougald, 4:06; Bursaw, 5:12; Ferguson, 13:01; Penner, 13:21; Ferguson, 18:16.

Second period—5. Rossland, Cirullo (Desrosiers, Chorney) 7:02; 6. Trail, Secco (Kromm, Hockley) 12:49; 7. Rossland, Cirullo (Desrosiers, Chorney) 17:52.

Penalties—Conn, 4:01; Kromm, 4:34; Bursaw, 14:49.

Third period — 8. Trail, Secco (Kromm, Conn) 7:50; 9. Rossland, Desrosiers (Cirullo) 10:15; 10. Rossland, Lloyd (Rozzini, Andrews) 11:48; 11. Trail, Kromm (Lancien, Conn) 12:42; 12. Rossland, Desrosiers (Chorney, Cirullo) 18:20.

Kamloops Team in Financial Straits

KAMLOOPS (CP) — Kamloops Chiefs of the Okanagan Senior Hockey League are on the verge of collapse from financial starvation, but owner-manager Kenny Mackenzie says they'll play their next two games and see what happens.

The senior "A" hockey club, with the others in the OSHL, has been in financial difficulty all season with attendance dipping well below the point where operating expenses can be met.

Its problems were compounded this week when goalie Ken Kuntz left for his home in Regina and two other players didn't turn out for Tuesday night's game in Penticton.

At the same time, the Kamloops Arena Commission threatened to close Memorial Arena to further OSHL games here unless the Chiefs pay rink rent for each game.

One of the club's players, who requested his name not be used, said in an interview that players' meeting Monday night brought an 8-3 vote in favor of quitting. He said "no wages for several weeks" was the reason.

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Icy Roads Force Cancellation Of Game Here

Icy roads in the East Kootenay caused cancellation of an exhibition hockey game between Nelson Maple Leafs and Cranbrook Selkirks in Nelson New Year's Day.

Roads were described as "sheets of ice" when heavy rain was followed by a freezeup in the Cranbrook area. The Selkirks were forced to cancel their trip to Nelson because of the treacherous road conditions.

The Maple Leaf executive had news of the cancellation broadcast by CKLN, but many fans showed up at the arena to learn the game was off.

The Leafs play in Trail tonight and are all set to "ride-herd" on the Smokies after the close Trail victory of last Saturday. Back in the Leaf line-up will be Bill Thieman, who seems to have recovered from the torn muscles in his stomach that sidelined him for the last few games.

George Gibson, left defence, will probably not be back in action for some time as he still suffers with headaches as a result of his collision with the boards in the club's last game in Rossland.

Anderson Signs Pro Contract

BRISBANE (AP)—Mal Anderson of Australia Thursday night signed a professional tennis contract guaranteeing him $22,500 a year for the next two years.

Promoter Jack Kramer and Anderson made the announcement simultaneously after the Davis Cup dinner honoring the United States players who defeated Australia 3-2 in the challenge round.

At the same time Kramer said he expects soon to sign Ashley Cooper, the other member of the Australian Davis Cup tandem, to a three-year contract calling for a minimum of $100,000.

"Cooper was very disappointed at losing to Alex Olmedo in the singles yesterday," Kramer said. "He came to us and said he expected we were no longer interested because of his showing."

"We told him positively we were still interested."

Anderson joins the professional troupe on the basis of 15 per cent of the gate in all matches in which he competes.

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Bob's Layups

Coach Mo Slater, L. V. Rogers High School, is keeping his fingers crossed because Christmas exams might result in the loss of some players on the Bombers' basketball team.

The boys have to pass all their subjects in order to play on the team," he said. If a player does not pass a subject, Slater, along with other teachers, will look over the situation and see if basketball is behind the players' scholastic failings.

Slater does not know who will be on his team when the first game comes up against Castlegar High School, Jan. 7, but a loss of any one player will hurt the team to the point where it may affect them for the rest of the season. At present the team has 11 players, five of whom are in their first year with the team. Some of the vets in their second or third year form the team's backbone, and Slater has had a tough grind trying to work the newcomers into the club's fast-breaking type of play.

Before the exams came up, he told the players that if they wanted to play basketball they would have to do their best in the exams.

This year, the Bombers are playing the other teams as West Kootenay defending champions after winning top honors last season. When they played in Vancouver last year, however, their hopes of a B. C. championship were squashed by the Coast's better ball handlers.

This year's schedule involves a "home-home" series with the league's other teams; Castlegar, Salmo, Rossland, Grand Forks and Trail.

Slater promises "fast breaking, good basketball all year" and he feels that the material he has on the team is going to bring the club into contention for another B. C. championship series this year.

Hockey Standings

By The Canadian Press

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pt
Montreal	36	21	9	6	134	76	48
New York	36	14	13	9	192	100	37
Detroit	35	16	16	3	84	89	35
Chicago	36	13	14	9	98	113	35
Boston	38	14	19	5	99	117	33
Toronto	35	10	17	8	78	100	28

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Louisiana, Oklahoma, Iowa Score Bowl Victories

By MURRAY ROSE
Associated Press Sports Writer

Louisiana State's national college football champions won a 7-0 squeaker over Clemson, favored Iowa and Oklahoma scored impressive victories, and the underdog Air Force Academy and Texas Christian battled to a scoreless tie in the New Year's Day bowl classics Thursday.

LSU, the only major college all-winning team and favored by 15 points, beat Clemson in the Sugar Bowl at New Orleans on a 10-yard pass from all-America Billy Cannon to Mickey Mangham. A fumble on a bad pass from centre gave LSU the ball on the Clemson 11 to set up the touchdown.

Iowa's Big Ten kingpins and second-ranked team of the nation sent a horde of fleet backs loose for a 38-12 trouncing of California in the Rose Bowl at Pasadena. The Hawkeyes had been favored by 17 points. Mercury-footed Bob Jeter featured Iowa's devastating attack with a record Rose Bowl run of 81 yards from scrimmage.

Oklahoma's rangy Sooners shocked Syracuse with three explosive, long-gaining touchdown plays for a 21-6 triumph in the Orange Bowl at Miami. The Sooners were favored by 13 points.

TCU, and the unbeaten—once tied Air Force Falcons fought to a stalement in the Cotton Bowl at Dallas in a hard fought contest marked by 13 fumbles, interceptions, and five field goal attempts —three by the air force. TCU was an eight point choice.

These four major bowl contests were telecast coast to coast and were witnessed by a "live" audience of 331,082.

In the Prairie View Bowl at Houston, Prairie View's national Negro college champions walloped Langston of Oklahoma 34-8, after trailing 8-6 at the half.

A bad pass from centre Paul Snyder on a punting situation — fourth down and eight to go in the third quarter—led to a fumble, recovered by LSU tackle Duane Leopard on the Clemson 12. Three plays later Cannon tossed the game winning touchdown to Mangham in the end zone.

Clemson's big, hard - charging line gave the 82,000 fans at the Sugar Bowl a thrill with their tough opposition to the "team of the year".

First string LSU quarterback Warren Rabb fractured his right hand and had to leave the game in the second quarter.

Oklahoma brought the 75,281 Orange Bowl fans to their feet with two lightning touchdown thrusts in the first period and another in the third quarter.

A 42-yard touchdown run by Prentice Gautt, first Negro ever to play for Oklahoma, and a 79-yard pass play from Brewster Hobby to Ross Coyle — longest aerial gainer in Orange Bowl annals — earned the Sooners their first two touchdowns. The third score came on a flashing 40-yard punt return by Hobby.

Syracuse drove 69 yards for its touchdown, climaxed by Mark Weber's 15-yard dash.

JETER STARRED

Iowa's speed demons struck like lightning before a packed house of 98,297 in the Rose Bowl. Jeter broke another Rose Bowl record, set by Stanford's Bobby Grayson against Columbia in 1938, by rolling for 194 yards from scrimmage. Grayson's mark was 151. The previous record run from scrimmage was the 71-yarder of Northwestern's Frank Ashenbrenner in 1949 against California.

Jeter was ably assisted in the massacre by all-America Randy Duncan, who passed for one TD and ran for another, and by Willie Fleming, Don Horn and a terrific line.

Fleming streaked 37 and seven yards for two touchdowns, Horn smashed over from four yards out, and Duncan went over from the one. The other touchdown came on a seven-yard pass from Duncan to end Jeff Langston.

LEAD BEARS

Quarterback Joe Kapp led the Bears to their two touchdowns. The first came after the second half kickoff when Iowa led 20-0 and the second in the closing minutes against the Hawkeyes' third and fourth stringers. Halfback Jack Hart scored both Cal touchdowns.

In the scoreless Cotton Bowl contest before 75,504 fans, the Air Force's George Pupich missed field goal tries from the 12, 23 and 42-yard lines. TCU's hard-running Jack Spikes, voted the outstanding back of the game, failed on three-pointers from the 35 and 29-yard marks.

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