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WEATHER FORECAST

Kootenay: A few snowflurries in morning with sunny intervals in afternoon. Little change in temperature. Light winds. Low-high at Cranbrook 10 and 25; Crescent Valley 15 and 30.

Royal Birth Appears Imminent

No Patronage Gaglardi Retorts

Demands Facts to Support Charges; MLA Says Gasoline Monopoly in B. C.

VICTORIA (CP)—Highways Minister Gaglardi Thursday heatedly denied there was any patronage in his $100,000,000-a-year department and challenged the opposition to prove any contract favors had been given.

Charging CCF Leader Strachan with "scatterfun" politics and "hitting in the dark" the 47-year-old pastor-minister challenged Mr. Strachan to back his allegations with facts and declared:

"Every contract I've let has been on the recommendation of my deputy and engineers and if they are guilty of patronage I want to know about it.

"No contract has ever been let by this government on a patronage basis and I pray to God it never will."

The minister also had strong words for those who would make "disparaging remarks" about his connection with the Pentecostal Assemblies Church at Kamloops where he usually preaches on weekends.

"I'm proud I'm a minister of the Lord Jesus Christ," he declared amid cheers from all sides of the house.

The churches, he said, are the bulwarks of the nation.

Mr. Gaglardi was one of four speakers in the budget debate before the legislature rose until 2 p.m. Friday.

WATER SUPPLIES

At the opening Lands Minister Williston introduced legislation to provide for control of below-surface water supplies such as wells. It will prevent encroachment by big industrial water users on communities which get their water supplies from below ground.

Friday Education Minister Peterson will lead off in a continuation of the debate on Finance Minister Bennett's record $331,000,000 budget presented a week ago. Mr. Bennett is still convalescing from a kidney operation he underwent last month.

Rae Eddie told the house that the big gas companies have monopoly control on gasoline in the province. B.C. once had controlling legislation but it was abolished in 1953. He urged a commission to study the situation.

Cyril Shelford (SC — Omineca) urged better forest protection and more help for agriculture in his big Northern riding. He said the legislature's standing committee on agriculture has held three meetings but done nothing.

It should be hearing delegations of farmer groups from the local level.

He also suggested a plebiscite be held to let Indians decide for themselves whether they should have full liquor rights.

BLAMES WOMEN

Mrs. Buda Brown (SC — Vancouver-Point Grey) said she blamed women shoppers for the "evils" of trading stamps and other merchandising devices. People seemed to have forgotten true values and emerged into a world of frills.

The woman member, one of two in the 52-seat house, urged more help for paraplegics, compulsory liability insurance for motorists, mandatory jail sentences for those driving with their licence under suspension and provincial control over driving schools.

Mr. Gaglardi told the house highway business has become big business. His department now was worth more than $100,000,000 a year. The province led the way in development of design and construction techniques in the free world and he mentioned the Deas Island tunnel under the Fraser River and Kelowna's floating bridge.

60 SAFE SPEED

The minister, himself three times ticketed by police for speeding on the highways his department built, said 60 miles an hour — instituted in the province last year — is a proper speed for trunk highways. Records showed that liquor, not speed, contributed most to highway accidents.

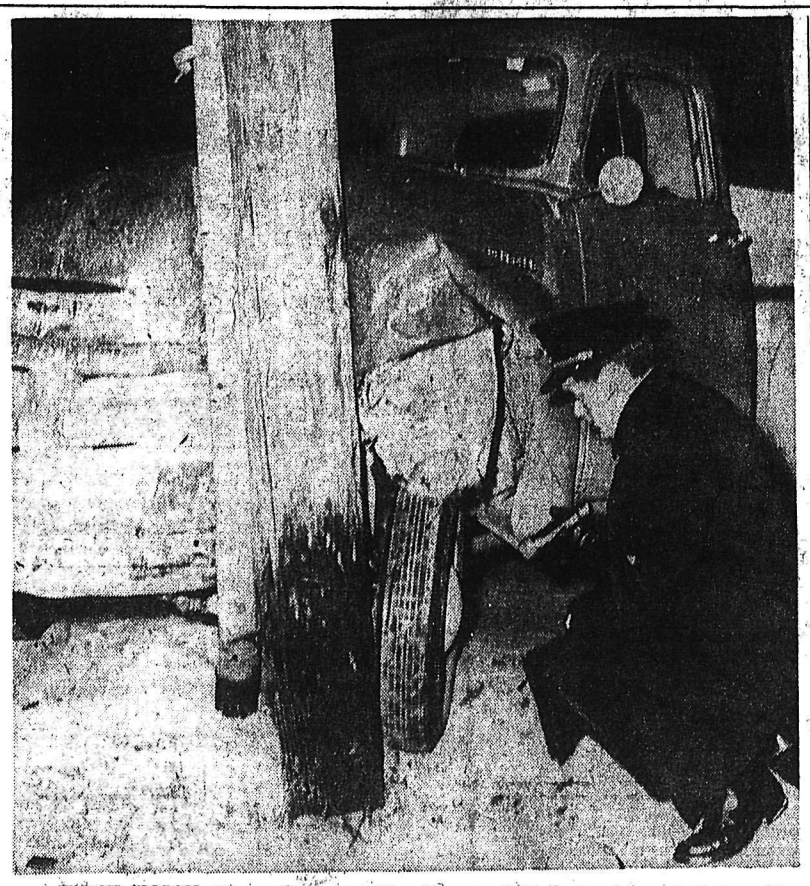
"Sixty miles an hour is a good safe speed so long as the driver behind the wheel is capable of thinking as he should be thinking," the minister said.

Main objective of the government's road-building policy was to develop the entire province as a single unit. Up to now arterial highways had been built only through smaller communities below a population of 15,000.

Now the government was to participate on a 50-50 basis for highways mutually agreed upon with larger centres. Mr. Gaglardi said he is looking forward to "immediate meetings" with Vancouver, North Vancouver, New Westminster and Victoria on this plan.

He told the house the traffic needs of the province will never by served by a single arterial highway.

To those who would criticize his department he said it spent only 2.2 per cent of all the money it handled on administration costs. It now had 3000 employees.



TRUCK SMASH. City police constable George Dalzell is shown pointing his flashlight under the twisted body of a half-ton truck driven by Fred Zmaeff of Crescent Valley. Zmaeff's truck struck a car and careened off into the power pole about 7 p.m. Thursday. No damage has been estimated.—*Daily News photo.*

17 Speakers Debate Bill On Capital Punishment

By DON HANRIGHT
Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA (CP)—Commons debaters split sharply as they began arguing out one of the session's best-heralded issues — whether Canada should abolish the death penalty for murder.

When the debate was adjourned until next Thursday, there had been 17 speakers.

Nine supported Frank McGee's bill to abolish the penalty for all crimes except wartime treason. Seven opposed it. One MP said he has an open mind on the question.

In the two-hour night sitting, the speakers took these stands:

For the bill: Margaret Aitken (PC — York-Humber), newspaper columnist; Chesley W. Carter (L—Burin-Burgeo), educationist; Erhart Regier (CCF—Burnaby-Coquitlam), school teacher.

Against the bill: R. D. Caldwell Stewart (PC — Charlotte), lawyer; Art Smith (PC—Calgary South), former oil executive; Remi Paul (PC—Berthier-Maskinonge - Delanaudiere), lawyer; Lucien Cardin (L—Richelieu-Vercheres), lawyer; Frank Lennard (PC—Wentworth), businessman.

This was the picture after the afternoon speeches:

For the bill: Frank McGee (PC — York - Scarborough), its sponsor, a businessman; Harold Winch (CCF—Vancouver East), the seconder, an electrician; Hubert Badanai (L—Fort William), an auto dealer; and three lawyers, Arthur Maloney (PC — Toronto Parkdale), Martial Asselin (PC — Charlebois) and Laurier Rengnier (PC—St. Boniface).

Against the bill: Ferguson Browne (PC — Vancouver Kingsway), a business executive; and Guy Rouleau (L—Montreal Dollard), lawyer.

Alan Macnaughton (L — Montreal Mount Royal), also a businessman, said that while he objects personally to capital punishment, Mr. McGee's bill had a number of drawbacks. He would keep an open mind until it came time to vote.

Mr. McGee proposes to amend the criminal code to abolish the death penalty for all crimes except certain cases of treason committed during wartime.

DEBATE ALL THREE BILLS

The House gave Speaker Roland Michener the authority he required to allow speakers also to debate two other capital punishment bills submitted by private members, but which are so far down on the Commons order paper they would not be reached for weeks.

J. P. Deschatelets (L—Montreal Maisonneuve-Rosemont) proposes to give judges a choice between the sentences of death or life imprisonment for murder convicts. John Drysdale (PC — Burnaby - Richmond) wants to abolish the death penalty for crimes of pashion, but retain it for such cases as the murder of a policeman. Both are lawyers.

As Mr. McGee began speaking Thursday, about half the 264 MPs were in their seats and the commons galleries were filled beyond their 600-seat capacity.

Warns of Smallpox

VERNON (CP) — There is a danger of a smallpox outbreak in the North Okanagan unless more children are vaccinated against the disease, Dr. M. C. Black, medical health director, warned Thursday.

He said only 44 per cent of all infants in the area have been vaccinated and "although smallpox has been a relatively minor disease in B.C. for many years, the possibility of new cases is great when persons can span the globe within a few hours."

Farmers Told Highway May Have Adverse Effect

VERNON (CP) — An official of the Canadian Federation of agriculture said Thursday British Columbia farmers could be undercut by Prairie produce when the Trans-Canada highway is completed.

Director John M. Kosty of nearby *Coldstream* said in an interview the completion of the highway through the Rockies at Rogers Pass, not scheduled until next year, may result in the dumping of eggs and milk in B.C. at low prices.

He said because of higher costs, B.C. farmers could not compete with Prairie produce.

225,000 Tons Crow's Nest Coal Sold to Japan

FERNIE—The Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company Thursday announced it had received a substantial coal order from the Japanese steel industry.

Word had been received from Tom G. Ewart, president of the company, that he had closed a deal for 225,000 tons to be delivered over a year commencing April 1 and ending March 31, 1961. The order does not include the 60,000-ton interim order now being shipped.

Bill Prentice, secretary and sales manager of the company, stated the order would provide full employment for the company's mines at Michel. All shipments of 1958 order had been up to specifications and the company felt annual contracts could now be obtained. Shipments will commence on the new order as soon after April 1 as shipping space is available.

FINCH JURY LOCKED UP

Judge Believes "Certain Pressure In the Air"

LOS ANGELES (AP). — Both prosecution and defence Thursday ended their cases in the long trial of Dr. Bernard Finch and his mistress, Carole Tregoff.

The jury, after hearing nearly two months of testimony, was immediately locked up — even though final arguments will not begin until next Tuesday.

The judge told the five men and seven women he did so "because there has been a certain pressure in the air."

The prosecution's first major witness against the wealthy surgeon and his mistress — accused of plotting and carrying out the slaying of his wife — proved to be the last.

The maid in the Finch home in suburban West Covina, Marie Ann Lidholm, 19, was called as a prosecution rebuttal witness.

Thursday Miss Lidholm — slim, blonde and blue-eyed — contradicted many details of the doctor's lengthy story.

More Ottawa Aid For Roads Urged

VICTORIA (CP) — Highways Minister Gaglardi Thursday called for immediate negotiations with Ottawa for a 50 per cent federal sharing of the costs of all arterial highways in the province.

He told the legislature it was expected B.C.'s portion of the Trans-Canada highway will be completed "by late 1960 or early 1961."

"Therefore it is imperative that at this time we start negotiating with Ottawa on further participation on our major arterial highways.

"Our proposal has been that we *should receive 50 per cent aid for* all our arterial highways through this province, for every highway is of equal importance to the citizens it serves."

He said the government hopes in the immediate future to be able to "negotiate a positive policy with Ottawa for continuance of aid on our arterial highways and we fully expect that the new agreement . . . will not be restricted to two lanes but to whatever number of lanes are necessary both in highway and bridge construction."

The federal government's cost-sharing agreement with the province on the coast-to-coast trans-Canada highway specifies two paved lanes with gravel shoulders on each side.

Crowds Watch For Palace Lights

LONDON (CP)—The Queen was reported to be resting fitfully today in the first stages of an apparently difficult childbirth.

Her gynaecological surgeon, Dr. John Peel, who spent the night at Buckingham Palace, remained near at hand.

Court officials were reported to have been advised that the royal baby could be born at any moment.

When the birth appears imminent, apparently later today, the Queen's two other doctors and her anaesthetist will be summoned.

After a day of tense waiting and bedside conferences, the Queen's doctors were reported to have decided late Thursday that the birth would not occur during the night.

The first alert was given Thursday by Sister Helen Rowe, the Queen's maternity nurse and veteran of her two previous confinements.

She was reported to have consulted her assistant nurse, 30-year-old Annette Wilson, then summoned the Queen's doctors.

RESTING FITFULLY

No official bulletin on the Queen's condition was issued during the night, but The Associated Press quoted informed sources as saying she was resting fitfully.

The two maternity nurses took turns in sitting up through the night.

Cmdr. Richard Colville, the Queen's press secretary, came out of the palace and told a crowd of over 500 persons gathered at the gates:

"The birth is not imminent."

He then said:

"Nothing more is expected now until tomorrow."

Most of the crowd started drifting away.

But at midnight (4 p.m. PST) about 100 die-hards still were waiting, prepared to spend the night walking the pavement.

Some had been there for four days or more.

HAD BEEN A MYSTERY

The progress of the Queen's confinement was a mystery all day. Colville's announcement was the first official word. His brief statement was greeted with cheers from the crowd and cries of "thank you very much."

In the afternoon sunshine the crowds made a lively scene, with tourists from every continent mingling with London Cockneys.

Bookmakers in mufflers joined them to take bets on the hour the baby would arrive.

A young girl asked a palace policeman: "What happens when it comes?"

"Nothing, ma'am," said the bobby, "except that the lights will go on."

Near midnight the palace windows were dark. A single spotlight picked out the red, blue and gold royal standard floating on a rooftop staff.

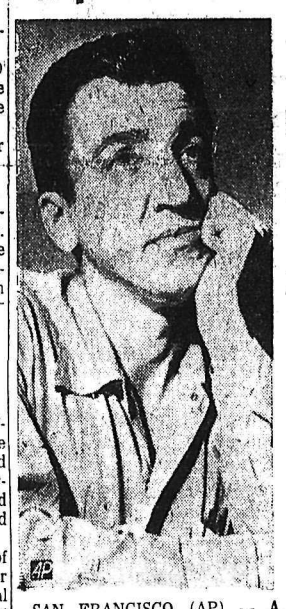
Minister Pleads Guilty to Morals Charge

VANCOUVER (CP) — A 37-year-old minister used a false name and wore a black jacket and motorcycle cap to date a 12-year-old girl, police court was told Thursday as the minister admitted sexual relations with the girl.

Rev. Gordon Sears, father of three and leader of the Youth for guilty to a charge of having sexual intercourse with a girl under 14 years of age and was remanded for eight days for a pre-sentence report.

Magistrate Oscar Orr said he wants to see either the girl or a photograph of her so he can "have some estimate of her appearance."

Chessman Reprieved



SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — A last-gasp move to save the life of Caryl Chessman failed late Thursday. The convict-author was prepared for execution today in the state's gas chamber at San Quentin at 11 a.m.

SAN QUENTIN, Calif. (AP) — Warden Fred Dickson of San Quentin prison announced shortly after midnight that he had been instructed by Governor Edmund G. Brown to spare convict-author Caryl Chessman's life for at least 60 days.

Thursday for the second straight day, the state supreme court voted 4 to 3 against clemency and sealed shut the door by saying "this order is final forthwith."

That stamped it as possibly the last chapter in a 12-year court fight that drew worldwide attention.

In Sacramento, Governor Edmund Brown said "No further action on my part is possible" after the state supreme court rejected Chessman's latest plea.

Lawyers for the convicted man had pleaded with the court that there was psychiatric proof of Chessman's rehabilitation in prison. They submitted a letter from a former state prosecutor that he had changed his mind and now feels Chessman's life should be spared.

Egg Prices Low, But Rise Expected

By The Canadian Press

Housewives in Edmonton, by a bit of adroit shopping, could find grade A large eggs selling four dozen for $1 this week.

If they really looked around, they found that one supermarket was selling them at two dozen for 35 cents.

This extreme case points up what has happened to the egg market all across the country since federal government deficiency payments went into force last October.

The housewives are happy. Farmers are turning to thoughts of roast chicken, despite predictions from some quarters that egg prices will soar by summer.

The new federal program replaces the old promise - to - purchase support under which the government agreed to buy all grade A large eggs when the market price dropped below the support price.

The new plan has no purchase agreement. The price of eggs finds its own level and farmers get only the market price at the time. At the end of the year, the government pays a deficiency payment in cash to farmers on a maximum of 4000 dozen grade A large eggs if the average annual price falls below what the government calls a perscribed price. The "prescribed" price is the same figure as the old support — the 10-year average price. However, under the new plan, an ational average is used which comes to 33 cents.

DOLLAR LOWER

NEW PORK (CP) — Canadian dollar off 1-64 at $1.05 11-64 in terms of U. S. funds. Week ago $1.05.

Pound sterling unchanged at $2.80 7-16.

Street Corners

By PYRAMUS

After 52 years in the shoe business, Dave Wade is throwing in the last.

Established in Nelson first as a shoe repair and salesman, Dave has carried on business in a number of locations near or on Baker Street.

He has been burned out twice, he says.

His last stand is at the former Jake Ludwig's harness and leather goods store on Baker Street and Johnny Wade, Dave and their assistant are busy clearing out boots, pants and what-not to make way for their new business venture.

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SEEN IN PASSING — **Miss Enid Etter** with a bagful of carefully prepared work, catching the bus for the hospital, where she has a small pupil who is almost immobilized with both legs in traction apparatus . . . **W. M. (Bill) Young** talking to an office clerk . . . **Mrs. G. E. Thompson,** the other day coming out of the florist's shop carrying a many-bloomed hyacinth plant . . . **Mrs. Harry Glowachuck** saying good-bye to a neighbor and small boy who had just been visiting.

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"Thieves!" screamed the sales manager to his secretary after glancing through his sales force expense account. "Thieves—every one of them!"

Then, picking a name at random, he barked, "Get Miller up here!"

In a few minutes the salesman stood before him. "Okay, Miller, let's have an explanation for your expenses: This one 'for food'. How the devil can you spend $16 a day for food in Peoria?'

"Oh," beamed the salesman modestly. "I just go without lunch."

Infamous Devil's Island Up for Sale

PARIS (Reuters)—The world's most notorious piece of real estate, Devil's Island, was put up for sale Thursday by the French government.

The 108-year-old penal settlement in French Guiana was listed for the finance ministry's next auction of government property.

Devil's Island, a tiny, palm-covered rock, was regarded almost as a rest home by the murderers and thieves who slaved and died in the malarial swamps of the mainland part of the penal settlement.

The island was reserved for political prisoners and thus gained world-wide notoriety as the prison of Alfred Dreyfus, who was held there from 1894-99.

Dreyfus, a French Army captain falsely accused of espionage for the Germans, was declared innocent after one of France's most celebrated legal cases.

During its long, brutal history, the settlement received an estimated 52,000 of France's worst criminals who in the early days made the trip in iron cages chained to the deck of wooden convert ships.

FEW ESCAPED

Escape was the only hope for the convicts, but of the hundreds who tried it every year, only a third succeeded and most of these died in the jungle or shark-infested seas.

The most successful of the fugitives was Rene Belbeniot, who made a break in a canoe in 1935 and after 11 months of desperate flight reached the United States. His book on the conditions at Devil's Island, Dry Guillotine, became a best-seller.

France sent its last convict ship to Devil's Island in 1938 and started closing the penal colony in the following year. The last prisoners were returned to France after the war.

And in This Corner . . .

BEL AIR, Md. (AP)—Mrs. Mary Catherine Cooper, a 38-year-old grandmother, had been putting on a little weight but otherwise had been feeling all right. Thursday, she unexpectedly gave birth to a healthy six-pound girl at her home in this northeastern Maryland town. The father, 42-year-old Oscar Leroy Cooper, said he was "flabbergasted."

TORONTO (CP)—Mrs. Wilfred Mercer saved her husband from an impaired driving conviction when she told magistrate R. C. Taylor: "Any woman whose husband takes a drink can tell how much he's had. I'd say he had only three or four beers that day because after six, his ears get red." The magistrate accepted her testimony and dismissed the charge.

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Kimberley	4	30	—
Penticton	19	36	—
Vancouver	28	48	—

G. A. Hoover Named Presbytery Chairman

Three Nelson delegates to the Kootenay Presbytery of the United Church of Canada, meeting at Trail this week, won election to key posts.

G. A. Hoover, who has been missionary and maintenance convener of the presbytery, was elected chairman "in tribute to both his outstanding work as a layman and to all laymen of the church."

Mr. Hoover succeeds Rev. David R. Stone of Trail and assumes the chairmanship July 1. He was also nominated to represent the Kootenay Presbytery at the national general council of the church in the fall of this year.

Rev. H. Whitmore of Nelson was re-elected secretary and Ross W. G. M. Fleming treasurer at the Trail meeting, which ended Thursday. Elections were held late Wednesday afternoon.

GAME PROBLEMS

REGINA (CP)—The Saskatchewan natural resources department said Wednesday increased hunting has started to present game management problems in the province.

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CLAN OFFICIATES AT RITES FOR D. G. MOSSES

Funeral service was held at the Thompson Funeral Home Thursday for David Greig Mosses, retired carpenter who has lived in Nelson since 1906. He died in Kootenay Lake General Hospital Sunday, aged 79.

Rev. E. A. Hircock officiated. Hymns sung were "Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling," and "Abide With Me." Mrs. W. A. Manson was organist.

Graveside services were conducted by Clan McLeary, COSC No. 1, under direction of D. W. Cro-Sutherland, Ivie Speirs, Dan Crozier, Chief.

Clan members J. Sutherland, B. zier, David Paul and E. McLachlan were pallbearers. Interment was in the Clan McLeary plot in Nelson Memorial Park.

Nelson Doctors Familiar With New Cancer Test

Members of the Nelson medical profession state that they have been using the new smear method of discovering cancer before it manifests itself for nearly a year.

"However, the new method has not been used to the extent that it could be if more facilities were available," said Roy Pollard, president of the Nelson unit of the Canadian Cancer Society.

Mr. Pollard stated that there are facilities in Vancouver to accommodate 10,000 tests a year but they are expected to expand soon in order that 100,000 smears may be tested.

Lions See Big Blast

The explosive spectacle of the Ripple Rock blast in the Straits of Georgia in spring of 1958 was captured for Nelson Lions Club members at their weekly meeting Tuesday, via film and movie projector.

The club also learned that it will be handling again this year the city inter-service bonspiel, slated for sometime in early March.

Credit Unit Grows Fast

Problem Now More Money Than Loans

As much as $18,000 is lying idle in the Nelson Savings Credit Union coffers, president Ray Couch told more than 100 members at the annual meeting Thursday night.

Although the Union has been climbing steadily during 1959, both in membership and finances, the main problem now is to encourage loans, saving plans and investments. This excess capital is not working for the organization, president Couch said.

"Nelson Savings is in a peculiar position when compared with other Credit Unions in this area," he said. "Where they never have enough money available for loans, we have too much lying relatively idle."

MEMBERSHIP UP

Shares, loans and memberships are up considerably compared to 1958, he said. Approximately $39,000 in shares, $38,000 in loans and an increase of 95 new members are proof of advancement. Membership increased by 63 new members in 1958.

Early in 1959, the Nelson Credit Union stopped real estate loans, Mr. Couch told the members. The Credit Union Act states a Union may declare a dividend but it cannot pay it if delinquent loans total more than 10 per cent of loans in force.

"As most real estate loans are in the $2000 to $4000 bracket," he said, "we felt a hazard existed due to the fact that these loans were well over 30 per cent of the total loans."

LOANS REOPENED

However, loans on real estate have been reopened. Money will be loaned on real estate at eight per cent. The loan, of course, being insured the same as the regular personal loans.

Largest expenditure by the Union during 1959 was for a fire-proof safe. The Union received the safe Thursday morning, 12 months after the safe-buying recommendation was made, Mr. Couch reported.

"We as a Credit Union have reached a critical point in our growth. Sometime in the next few months, we are going to become a quarter of a million dollar credit union. This advancement will leave with every member and officer a responsibility for intensified work."

Norm Bentley, president of the West Kootenay Chapter, Credit Union, Trail, outlined a report of the 20th annual convention of the B. C. Credit Union League held in Kelowna June 25, 26 and 27. Mr. Bentley was selected to represent this district at the three day affair.

1961 CONVENTION

He told members of the attempts to bring this annual convention to Nelson for the 1961 session. No other bids were expressed other than the hope for Nelson's privilege to host B. C.'s delegates. The 1960 session will be held in Courtenay June 23, 24 and 25.

Officers were elected for the 1960 term. They are: supervision committee, John H. Cone. Mr. Cone was elected for a three year term.

Officers to fill the directorship vacancies are Andy Olychick, Fred Chernenkow and W. C. Leahy. Mr. Leahy was elected for a one year office while the remaining two directors a three-year term.

Credit commission officers are Ralph Huffman and Andy MacKay, both for three year terms.

Kiwanis Say Goodbye to John Nikiforuk

Kiwanis Club president J. W. McClelland paid tribute to the work of John Nikiforuk, who has been transferred to Vancouver, at the club's meeting at the Hume Hotel Thursday night.

Mr. Nikiforuk, manager of the Nelson branch of the Household Finance Corporation of Canada, has been promoted and will be manager of a branch at Vancouver. He leaves for Vancouver Monday with his wife and their two children. He came to Nelson in November, 1958.

A. J. Hamson erported that arrangements were completed for the Kiwanis Bonspiel here Feb. 28. About 20 rinks are expected to enter from Creston, Castlegar, Trail, Nelson and Colville, Wash.

CHARGED WITH MURDER

LETHBRIDGE (CP) — Clayton M. Dube, 24, was remanded until Feb. 25 for preliminary hearing when he appeared in court Wednesday on a charge of murder in connection with the shooting of his step-father last month.

Figure Skaters To Show Wares At Creston Show

Members of the Nelson Figure Skating Club will give Creston skating fans a preview tonight of Nelson's figure skating carnival.

Members of the group will depart from Nelson this afternoon to perform at the Creston Carnival along with troupes from Kimberley and Cranbrook.

The skaters will do several numbers from the Carnival as arranged by John Franks, club pro, and Bonita Buerge, assistant pro.

The club's own carnival will be held February 26-27.

Minister Suffers Fractured Leg

Rev. T. J. S. Ferguson, 89, of 504 Mill Street suffered a fractured leg and shock after he was struck down by a vehicle driven by Nick Saviskoff of Taghum about 5:30 Thursday night.

Mr. Ferguson was crossing Stanley Street when the north bound Saviskoff vehicle is alleged to have knocked him down.

Const. George Dalzell of the city police was driving directly behind the Saviskoff vehicle at the time. Mr. Ferguson is reported resting quietly in Kootenay Lake General Hospital.

A. P. Geissinger Dies at Age 87

One of southern Alberta's earliest pioneers, Alonzo Potter Geissinger, 87, died in Kootenay Lake General Hospital Thursday.

Born in Pennsylvania in 1872, Mr. Geissinger lived in Iowa but later moved to Red Deer, Alta., in 1901 where he raised in Big Valley. He married Eliabeth Ellwood in 1905 and moved to Craigmyle, Alta., in 1911, where he was active in community and school affairs.

In 1946, he and Mrs. Geissinger retired in Nelson where she died in 1953.

After the death of his wife, Mr. Geissinger made his home with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kary of Nelson.

Besides Mrs. Kary, he is survived by three sons, Robert E. of Craigmyle John E, of White Rock, B. C., Dr. Max E., of Nelson; and 10 grandchildren.

WHL STANDINGS

By The Canadian Press

	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Vancouver	34	15	6	172	129	74
Edmonton	30	23	4	196	194	64
Seattle	30	23	3	213	174	63
Victoria	29	23	4	170	145	62
Calgary	24	31	1	190	190	49
Winnipeg	21	33	2	177	197	44
Spokane	18	38	2	171	260	38

THURSDAY'S RESULTS
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City Fathers Could Be "Out On the Street" by May 16

After May 16, 1960. Nelson's city fathers may be left without a roof over their heads.

At a meeting Thursday afternoon with Fire Marshall B. Nixon of Creston a further extension of 30 days was given council to move out of the old city hall, which has been condemned for quite some time. Council has received several extensions on the condemnation of the city hall over the past five years.

Fire Marshall Nixon said that Nelson has an excellent fire record and he thought council should oblige Fire Chief E. S. Owens by moving out of the present city hall as soon as possible.

"After five years," he said, "I would not hesitate to give council an extension of 30 days but I would have to have their assurance of this time. I am deeply concerned about this building and want to act in the best of public interest because I do hold the responsibility. I would much rather put someone out on the street than to see them burn to death in a condemned building," he said.

Mayor Shorthouse told Mr. Nixon that council may not even need the 30 days. He did not elaborate on his remark.

The old hospital building and old post office are possible premises for the new city hall but as yet council has not come to an agreement on which one will be used.

Mayor Shorthouse told the fire marshall that exploratory plans are being made on the two buildings to see which would be most fit for city hall purposes.

Expect 75 Out for Firearms Course

After a successful first season last year the junior firearm safety training program sponsored by the Nelson Rod and Gun Club will again operate this year with an expected 75 teenagers added to the membership.

The program stresse gun safety in all phases, including working knowledge of the different parts of a gun and different types of guns.

Last year the program met with such great success that the B.C. Federation of Fish and Game clubs has adopted it for their province-wide project this year.

With an enrolment of 173 last season, the applications are expected to exceed 250 this year.

A subsidy of 50 cents per student will be given to clubs affiliated with the B.C. Federation through a $2500 grant provided by the provincial Department of Recreation and Conservation for this specific purpose.

The course originated through the effort of the West Kootenay Rod and Gun Clubs and through the direct guidance of C. E. Estlin, game inspector.

Registration for the classes will be held Friday night at 8 p.m. in the Legion Hall. Everyone interested and over 15 years of age is welcome. The course will commence on Feb. 22.

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Two months of lectures on various stages of prospecting, exploration and development will begin Monday, February 22.

The prospecting classes for novices and veterans alike are being sponsored by the Chamber of Mines of Eastern B.C. in conjunction with the Provincial Department of Mines with assistance from local mining engineers.

Classes will be held in the board room of the Chamber of Mines in Nelson, beginning at 7:30 p.m. and lasting approximately 2½ hours.

Due to the large number registering it will be necessary to split the classes into two groups, one attending Monday night lectures, the other Tuesday night of each week, commencing after the first lecture on February 22.

If it is found necessary another lecture period may be arranged.

Following is a schedule of the lectures, with the subject first and speaker listed last.

February 22: History of Geology and Mining, J. D. McDonald; History of the formation of the earth's crust and geological events, B.C. Department of Mines; Slides on mining operations, D. Norcross.

Feb. 29 and March 1: Mineralogy and Lab. work, T. Smith, geologist, Canadian Exploration Ltd.

March 7 and 8: Rocks - Igneous - Metamorphic - Sedimentary with Lab. Work, G. Warning, geologist, H. B. Mine.

March 14 and 15: Economic minerals with Lab. work using blowpipe tests, T. Smith.

March 21 and 22: Mineral Deposits, J. D. McDonald; Structural geology, F. G. Shannon; faulting, folding, etc., F. G. Shannon, geologist, Bluebell Mine.

March 28 and 29: Prospecting and development of prospects; lab. exam - identification of rocks and minerals, J. D. McDonald.

April 4 and 5: Maps - geological mapping; surface and underground with slides, F. G. Shannon.

April 11 and 12: Industrial minerals, J. W. McCammon, geologist, B.C. Department of Mines; general talk on geo chemistry and geo physics, C.M.&S. Co. Ltd., Exploration Department.

April 18 and 19: Mineral and placer act, Mr. Blakey, chief gold commissioner; staking claims, J. D. McDonald; mining methods, economics of mining, J. McIntosh. Sheep Creek Mines Ltd.

April 25 and 26: Regional geology, application to prospecting, G. Warning, geologist, H.B. Mine.

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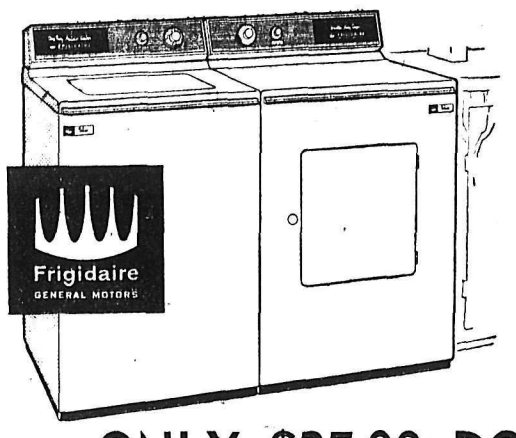

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1959 Year of Steady Growth For Fruitvale United Church

FRUITVALE — Reports presented at the annual meeting of St. Paul's United Church revealed that the local church had enjoyed another year of steady, slow increase in membership and finances.

Rev. L. C. Hooper chaired the meeting which was fairly well attended.

Reports of the Session and treasurer were in two parts. Part one covered the first six months when St. Paul's formed with Salmo-Emerald the Fruitvale Pastoral Charge. Part two was of the last six months, after the Pastoral Charge had been divided with Salmo-Emerald-Remac forming a separate charge from St. Paul's, which takes in Montrose and Fruitvale.

Clerk of Session, Eric Ray, had reported that a better attendance was noted at services, an increased awareness of stewardship was most rewarding.

During the year a canvass was held and its results was reflected in the financial statement, presented by treasurer, Fred R. Haines.

It showed that St. Paul's had ended the year with approximately $927 in treasury as compared to $96 in 1958. Total receipts were $13,116 while expenses were $12,285.

An increased budget of $15,500 was proposed and accepted. In this was noted an increase in minister's salary, the missionary and maintenance allocation and the development and local building fund.

The board of trustees report, presented by Gordon Henke, revealed that they had almost completed sale of the present manse. As soon as weather permitted work on the enrolled in three Sunday Schools new manse would commence.

There are more than 300 children — St. Paul's with 92, Montrose 100 and Beaver Falls with 36.

Two projectors and several song slides had been purchased for use by teachers. The need for more teachers and leaders was stressed.

Increased interest and enthusiasm was also shown in the boys and girls groups. Here a new group had been formed, World Friends (or Mission Band) under the leadership of Mrs. E. Jacobson. This group enjoys a membership of around 30 boys and girls of seven to nine years of age.

Miss Jean McKenzie leads the Explorer girls in St. Paul's and Miss Gloria Thompson and Mrs. Gordon Henke in Montrose. Both have been studying how to conduct meetings.

Montrose presented a pulpit Bible for use in the Montrose service. Other projects carried out by these groups were the collection of used clothing for the Fruitvale Clothing Centre, making Christmas gifts for mothers and selling Christmas cards, teas and travelling baskets.

CGIT, the Tyros and Sigma C's all reported slow "beginnings" but ending the year with a keen membership.

The AOTS reported that they had purchased a jigsaw for the boys.

The Young Peoples' Union enjoyed a good year. Among their projects was the collection of toys, donated to the Fruitvale Welfare Society, the collection of used clothing for the clothing centre and an old-timers banquet.

Carolling on Christmas Eve was again carried out, winding up with the midnight service. They were happy to have their representative in Older Boys' Parlaiment, Bob Sybulka, chosen as a member of that parliament's cabinet.

Behind all these activities and progress of the church is the Woman's Association in St. Paul's and Montrose.

Both of these groups had busy years, with the former ending the year with a balance of $260 as compared to $114 in 1958.

Donations of more than $500 were made during the year. But for many the most worthwhile project carried out has been the sending of 300 pounds of used clothing to Korea and a quilt to Home Missions.

The Montrose W.A. also ended the year with a larger balance than in previous years. They assisted financially in the purchase of the the pulpit Bible and projects.

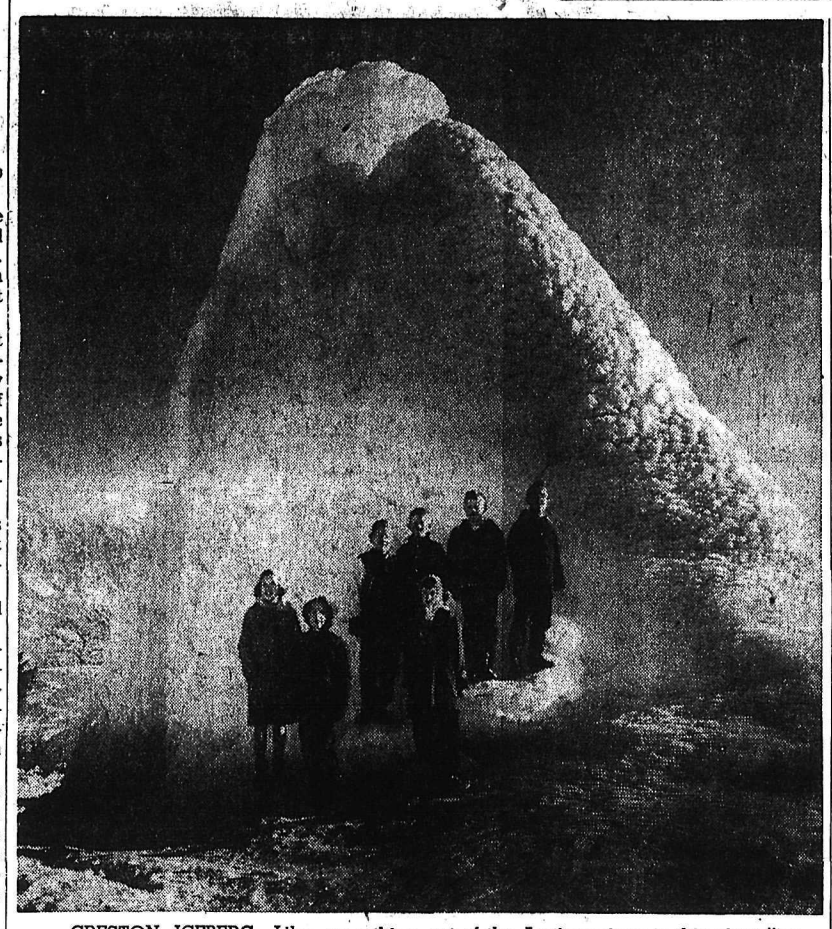
After considering the reports election of the Committee of Stewards was held and the following were elected for two-year terms: Mrs. Walter Duncan, Sr., Mrs. Fred Cullen, Albert Bath, Stanley Court, Alvin Turner and V. Cheney.

Other members of the committee with one more year to serve are Fred Haines, who is also the treasurer, Arthur Borrow, O. Passmore and H. W. Hollett.

Mr. Hooper, in reviewing the past four years, felt there had been growth, but "real growth requires sacrifices."

He also asked those present to consider a change of pastoral relations. This was done while he and his wife were absent. After much discussion those present extended them (Mr. and Mrs. Hooper) an invitation to remain for another year. The invitation was accepted.

Mrs. Donald Ashworth was elected by acclamation as recording secretary of the official board. She was also chosen as the lay delegate to Presbytery and Conference.



CRESTON ICEBERG. Like something out of the Arctic regions is this giant "iceberg" formed by a broken water main near Creston. Children find it an exciting place with a sleigh run down a hill on the other side ending up on the sloping side of the artificial berg. In the bright sunlight of winter the huge block looks like a giant jewel, radiating colors between the icicles on the top of the formation.
—*H. M. Buckna photo.*

New Denver Boat Ramp To Be Winter Job

NEW DENVER — T. K. Smith, manager of the Bank of Montreal, in New Denver, was elected president for the coming year at the trict Board of Trade. Other officers anual meeting of the Slocan Diselected were: Q. A. Forsythe, vice-president; A. L. Roberts, treasurer; council members: R. Peachey, J. McKellar, Les R. Campbell, H. Gilroy, A. L. Harris, and James Minnis. The meeting was held in the Newmarket Hotel at New Denver.

Magistrate James Draper administer the oath of office to the incoming president and vice-president.

L. R. Campbell reported work is to start shortly on a boat-launching ramp in New Denver, being constructed by the federal government as a winter works project. Contract has been let for piling and boom logs. Local veterans are to get employment preference.

The meeting passed a resolution that the Kaslo-New Denver road be designated an arterial highway. Color slides of the district were shown by John Clarkson.

Spring Bustin' Out All Over!

CRANBROOK — Two significant symptoms of Spring occurred this week. The first authenticated robin was reported on Monday on a mountain ash tree in the garden of Mr. and Mrs. James Johnston on Twelfth Avenue, identified by Miss Joan Spence. The following day, full-fledged pussy-willows appeared on the Bald Hill road.

Marbles and skipping ropes jumped the gun by appearing in the January thaw and have been more or less continuous since then. Still to be reported is the first crocus.

Last Respects Paid Fruitvale Pioneer

FRUITVALE — Final respects were paid over the weekend to Mrs. Alexander Webster (Matilda Jane Florence), one of the few remaining pioneers of the Beaver Valley. She died Feb. 10 after a lengthy illness at the age of 73.

Born in London, England, Mrs. Webster emigrated to Canada in 1908 to be married in Nelson. She and her husband came immediately to Fruitvale and engaged in farming. The place she and her husband carved out of the forest became one of the show places of the valley for many years. Both had a "green thumb" when it came to gardening and orchard work.

Mrs. Webster played an active part in the community and was the one who introduced the idea of a Women's Institute here, becoming one of its charter members and in 1946 was made a Life Member of the Women's Institute. She was also a member of the Senior Citizens Association. Since the Fruitvale Fall Fair was started both Mrs. Webster and her husband were faithful supporters and exhibitors, carrying off many a trophy.

Besides her husband, the deceased is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Mary Cherry of Vancouver and her son, Alex, of Fruitvale. There are also four grandchildren and two great grandchildren, as well as a sister and four brothers in England.

In 1958 Mr. and Mrs. Webster celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary by making a trip back to their homeland.

Rev. D. Neil Robinson conducted the funeral services in the St. John's Anglican Church, which were attended by many relatives from Nelson, Prince George and the Coast as well as many friends and neighbors of the valley. The members of the Women's Institute and the Senior Citizens Association attended in a body, as did the Ladies' Auxiliary of Canadian Legion, the latter two groups forming a Guard of Honor at the Church for the Cortege.

Hymns chosen for the service were "O God Our Help in Ages Past" and "The King of Love My Shepherd Is". Mrs. Hans Fogh-Domsmidt was organist.

Pallbearers were Gilbert Page of Trail, R. F. Davis, D. J. Howe, Albert DeBruyn, Alfred Endersby and W. A. Corbett, Sr., all of Fruitvale.

Interment took place in the Fruitvale cemetery. There were no flowers by special request, other than the family memorials. Donations to the Cancer Fund was suggested instead.

BACK MOVE TO USE NEW DENVER FOR HANDICAPPED

TRAIL — Support of a resolution to the provincial government asking that the vacant New Denver dormitory be turned over to the Kootenay Society for Handicapped Children was given by members of the Junior High PTA Tuesday.

The Society, should it be given or leased the dormitory, would turn it into a school for handicapped children.

In other business, a certificate was received from the provincial executive in recognition of membership equalling last year.

After a short business meeting, student counsellors S. Nutini and Miss H. Wagner each discussed the problems involved in programs of studies for pupils moving from Grade 8 to Grade 9, E. A. Tweeddale said an important meeting will be held in the Crowe High School in March for parents of children advancing from Grade 9 to 10.

FIRE DAMAGE

VANCOUVER (CP) — Brock Hall, headquarters for many University of B.C. students and a social centre, was damaged slightly by fire Wednesday night. The hall's centre portion was rebuilt in October, 1954, after a spectacular fire.

Advertising Mail Rulings Tightened Up

New regulations designed to control the acceptance of unaddressed "householder" advertising mail were announced by the Honorable William Hamilton, Postmaster General.. Under the regulations which go into effect June 1st, 1960, Householder matter must be folded to a size of 4½x12 inches. The inclusion of samples and advertising novelties will be prohibited in this class of mail. The regulations will also extend the delivery period for such advertising matter and increase the postage rates on larger items.

Under the changes announced large bulky "flyers" and broadsheets will not be accepted unless folded to the required size. The system will be restricted to printed matter; that is, to matter on paper, parchment or cardboard. Merchandise, including samples and other advertising novelties which are bulky and hard to handle, will be excluded.

The four-day period previously allowed for delivery of householder mail will be extended to seven days. In other words, the Postmaster General said, householder matter will be accepted only on the understanding that delivery may not be completed in less than seven days.

The rate on larger items, that is, those of over two ounces in weight, has been increased by one-half cent per two ounces.

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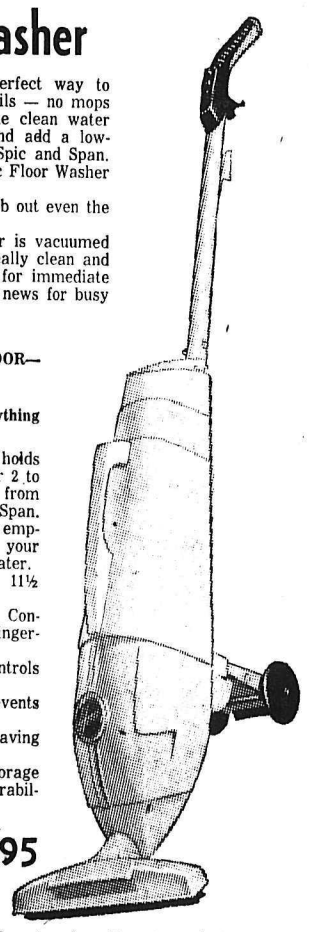

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Cenotaph Transfer a Sensible Move

Possibly because so many North American cities were designed without open spaces or parks where there is green grass and trees, and the noise and rush of traffic is for a moment subdued, there is a nostalgic longing which expresses itself in a demand for malls.

These are streets from which cars are banished, where boulevards are flower-lined and planted with trees. Some cities already have them, and Victoria is considering setting aside certain streets for the establishment of one.

They are an attraction to the tourist, but they are still only a substitute for parks. The streets still have their primary purpose of providing access to the shops and houses which line the mall. There is no escaping from the true function of a street.

It should not be expected, however, that roads and streets should be characterless, ugly and purely functional.

How best they can be beautified is another matter. There is, unfortunately, a conflict between what is called "progress" and beauty in our streets.

Much as we may dislike the word, progress is the impact of modern methods and advances on our lives, and in this case modern transportation on our existing facilities. It is something which cannot be staved off. The mall is an attempt to put the clock back.

Some years ago when the council decided to improve Vernon Street it proposed to eliminate the centre boulevard in the 500 block. There was opposition to this and the Council compromised by narrowing it. Since then part of the boulevard has had to be removed to allow the mail trucks to back into the post office unloading space and all winter long the other parts have been piled high with dirty snow.

At the same time, a strong body of public opinion felt that the boulevard in the 400 block, which contains the cenotaph, should remain as it was with its trees and its grass and the cenotaph. The Canadian Legion is concerned at the appearance of the cenotaph during the winter months and is renewing attempts to move it to the new Vernon Sreet park, which overlooks its present site.

When the Council was contemplating narrowing the boulevard it was decided to remove the cenotaph to the little park. This was to be a Garden of Remembrance dominated by the memorial to our gallant dead. It is in process of being made a beautiful spot indeed and the time has come when citizens should give second thoughts to the relocation of the memorial in a setting more worthy of it.

Interpreting the News

By STEWART MacLEOD

Canadian Press Staff Writer

Suggestions in Britain's defence white paper that greater stress be placed on conventional forces, and that nuclear hitting power be diversified, have done nothing to lessen the likelihood of a cabinet rift over defence policies.

But it does suggest that peace — and possibly warm harmony — has been restored to the defence ministry.

Ever since the former minister of defence, Duncan Sandys, launched his five-year streamlining program for the services three years ago, there have been frequent — and sometimes — open clashes over his plan to have Britain totally dependent on a nuclear force. The cabinet never has been in complete agreement, and chiefs of staff have openly expressed their doubts.

Now that Harold Watkinson has taken over the ministry, and is apparently paying greater heed than Sandys did to his chiefs of staff, senior military advisers and civilian defence planners, the ministry is reported to be reaching total agreement on how things should be run. But in the cabinet, Sandys and his supporters haven't changed their minds.

In an effort to pour oil on troubled waters, Prime Minister Macmillan will gather his ministers together for a round-table discussion this weekend. The meetings are being described as "friendly, informal discussions on defence and other subjects."

Sandys, now minister of aviation, has always contended that Britain cannot afford highly diversified defences and should therefore concentrate on deadly nuclear devices to scare off any aggressors. Watkinson has said that atomic weapons become useless the minute any aggressor calls Britain's bluff. From then on, he says, it's suicide.

Sources say that no decisions have yet been taken, but that reference to a possible shift of plans in the white paper clears the way for "just about anything in the missile field." Watkinson plans to visit the United States in May to have a look at the latest mobilesite missiles.

Launching Fashions

All these years we have remained blissfully unaware of any possible connection between the world of high fashion and the military establishment.

But now the noted fashion photographer Richard Avedon has used Cape Canaveral as an overpowering background to display the latest dress styles, arousing a few suspicions.

In retrospect, it seems a little hard to sort out the couturiers from the weapon designers. Dior's A- and H-looks had a popular impact uncomfortably similar to that of bombs of the same name. The cloche hat made a comeback along with the space helmet. And the armed forces have themselves been getting pretty fashion-conscious of late, what with wearing ascots in bright colors and redesigning uniforms every few years.

We don't really think there is any cabal involving the designers of Misses, Size 12-18, and the designers of missiles, 3-stage, But Mr. Avedon has piqued our curiosity, and we're going to watch closely to see if any fashion house tries to launch a vogue in Canaveral capes or ballistic hats.

Memo to Caesar

An angry Englishman has appealed to the Romans to invade Britain again — to mend a road they built more than 1600 years ago.

The road is Sandy Lane, which runs through Upton village in southern England. Villager D. K. Coleman said he is tired of asking Dorset County Council to get it mended.

So he fired off a letter to Rome's roads department saying:

"This road is part of one of the military roads built by your soldiers between the years 55 B.C. and 350 A.D. I have no doubt that during your occupation the road was kept in the same beautiful state of repair as all your roads, which even today are the only good highways we have in Britain. I am sure you would be grieved to see how it has been neglected."

Mr. Coleman suggested Rome might tackle the road in one of two ways:

"Either make a grant to Britain under the UN scheme for technical assistance to backward and underdeveloped nations, or better still, send over a road-making team to show what should be done."—*Associated Press*

Letters to The Editor

Letters to the editor on any topic of genuine interest are welcome if they are brief, accurate and fair. They may be published over a nom de plume, but the name of the writer must be given to the Editor as evidence of good faith. Anonymous letters go into the wastepaper basket. Typewritten letters must be double-spaced.

W.I. Superintendent Needed Says Writer

To the Editor:

Sir—Do the members of the Women's Institutes throughout B. C. know that we have been without a superintendent for almost 16 months?

We have over 240 organizations, large and small, in this province, doing their best for everyone.

At present we receive a government grant annually of $10. In return we contribute to the department a per capita of $1 per member. Some of the smaller Institutes use the government grant to help them pay their per capita.

The act, as it stands, has been good enough for 50 years. It provides that the appointment of a superintendent is entirely the responsibility of the Minister of Agriculture. As of January, 1959, the Hon. Mr. Stacey wrote stating he would continue to advertise until we were successful in securing the services of someone who can do a complete job through the department to the Institutes.

What happened? By grapevine we hear the minister "plans to do away with the office of superintendent, and gradually withdraw all financial support." Does he plan to change the act? What is our provincial board doing for us? I suggest the W.I.s write their member, now in Victoria, about this.

(MRS.) J. D. McGUIRE.

Salmon Arm, B. C.

Deer Park Man Sees Merit in High Arrow

To the Editor:

Sir—It is with a good deal of interest that I have followed the recent controversy on the High Arrow dam as, since 1936, I personally had a deep interest in the Lower Arrow Lakes in having the same developed for the residents of this area. As Deer Park is presently my permanent home, I cannot help but feel disappointed in the attitude taken by the Castlegar Chamber of Commerce.

Although there may be some individuals in the Castlegar Chamber of Commerce who are truly concerned over the High Arrow dam, I would like to point out that, since I have taken an interest in the Arrow Lakes, the Castlegar Chamber of Commerce has completely failed to publicize not only the tremendous potential of the area but also the tourist value of the lakes and, in fact, not in my memory can I recall the Castlegar Chamber of Commerce taking any stand on the development of the Lower Arrow Lakes and, in fact, it is my opinion that they have been dormant up until the question of the High Arrow dam arose.

Further, I do not feel that the Castlegar Chamber of Commerce represents the feelings of the residents of the Lower Arrow Lake as I do not feel that they have taken the time to investigate the feeling of those people who will be affected by the High Arrow dam. In addition, very few, if any, members of the Castlegar Chamber of Commerce are residents who will be affected by the High Arrow dam, nor are any of them making their livelihood in that area which will be affected by the dam.

It took myself along with others a good many years to obtain a road to Deer Park and I certainly feel that to now oppose the High Arrow dam would be contrary to my desire and to the desires of many citizens to have the Lower Arrow Lakes developed as they should have been many years ago.

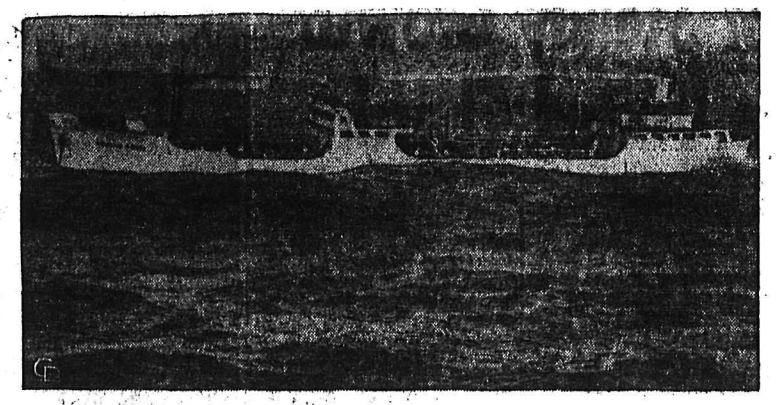
It is true that the High Arrow Dam will flood the properties owned by many individuals. However, they, no doubt, will be adequately compensated for their losses and there is still land available for relocation. It is my belief that the tourist attractions of this area, which the Castleagr Chamber of Commerce has never publicized, will be increased and I feel, in my own mind, that those beaches which will be lost will either be recreated by the government or will eventually form themselves as a good deal of the surrounding land is sandy and, in time, new beaches will form on their own.

If Celgar were to purchase all the timber which will be under flood water, it is also my opinion that the fishing potential will increase as there will be provided larger feeding grounds for the fish. I also feel that the flooding will not result in any actual loss of feeding areas for game.

In reviewing the various articles of the Castlegar Chamber of Commerce, it has appeared to me that they have taken a stand without considering the advantages which will result from the High Arrow Dam but, rather, have merely criticized it without any foundation for the criticism. No doubt they, as many others, on hearing of the approval of High Arrow, were rather shocked as the immediate impression given by such statements tended to indicate the entire flooding of all the fish and game areas presently there. However, I feel that if the matter was thought out more fully, those against High Arrow would realize that such flooding is not of too great importance when viewed in light of the development of this potential area and the advantages which will eventually be attained by, if not ourselves, at least by our children. It is my opinion that there is no logical or practical argument against the High Arrow Dam.

OLIVER D'ANDREA.

Deer Park, B.C.



BATTERED WINE TANKER—The Angelo Petri, world's largest wine tanker, wallows near the San Francisco area coast, disabled by the gale-force storm. Most of the 40-man crew was taken off by U. S. Coast Guard helicopter, then the anchors finally caught and held. The Petri's got two and a half million gallons of refreshment and other cargo in her innards.

Khrushchev's Blunders Irritated Indian Press

By ROY ESSOYAN

JAKARTA, Indonesia (AP)—Soviet Premier Khrushchev committed a remarkable number of blunders during his five - day goodwill visit to India.

He started out by insulting India's parliamentary system and ended up by ridiculing the underfed nation for accepting a "dole" of American food aid.

In between he embarrassed his Indian hosts whose friendship for the West is on the upswing by using India as platform for repeated attacks against colonialism's "imperialist exploitation."

Khrushchev also irritated Indian officialdom by thoughtless remarks. And his brash and burly security men angered the Indian press by their progressively rough efforts to shield their boss.

Indian newspaper men covering the tour were outspoken in their irritation. Some of their papers expressed this irritation in their editorial columns.

OFFICIALS SILENT

Indian officials for the most part maintained silence, but several did little to hide their annoyance.

At his voluble best Khrushchev frequently steps on other peoples' toes. But he usually carries it off by the force of his personality, vigor of his delivery and steamroller weight of his argument.

None of this was in evidence at the start of the tour. Khrushchev looked so tired and acted so unveteran observers wondered at the cause. But his spirits picked up as the tour progressed, and he delivered his last jibes—at a banquet on the eve of his departure from Calcutta for Rangoon—with bubbling good humor.

One of the worst blunders Khrushchev committed was his attack on the Western parliamentary system of "bourgeous democracies" delivered in an address to the Indian Parliament last Thursday, the day he arrived in New Delhi.

He said the multi-party political system—which India enjoys—exploiting class to dominate Western governments.

Members of the Indian Parliament sat in silence as Khrushchev's words rang through the hall.

"I think he has underrated the intelligence of his listeners," an Indian reporter who covered the tour said.

Another Indian's comment: "He seemed to protest too much."

Chimp's TV Career Over

NEW YORK (AP) — Impy the Chimp's television career appears finished. She has turned huckster.

Her monkeyshines henceforth will be used to sell such beauty aids as hair curlers, cobs and hairpins.

Impy, a 4½-year-old trained chimpanzee that has appeared on local TV stations—shaking hands and kissing people—started her new career Thursday when she was auctioned off for $425 to a Long Island City, N.Y., manufacturer.

Impy and other inhabitants of the Wing and Fin Pet Centre went on the block after their owner, Mrs. u Van Wiseman, went into bankruptcy.

Mrs. Van Wiseman wept when another animal, an orangutan named Betty Boo, was sold for $25. Betty Boo and Impy never have been separated, sobbed Mrs. Van Wiseman.

Impy's owner, Carl Renstrom, quickly made a deal with the purchaser of Betty Boo—and the animals were together gain. Mrs. Van Wiseman stopped crying.

Renstrom said he wants Impy to help sell some of his merchandise. Exactly how was not disclosed.

DEATHS

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

Toronto—John Blackhall, 84, retired vice-president and secretary of the Canadian Pacific Express Company.

Ottawa—E. S. Hind, 58, insurance agent, former Ottawa Rough Rider football player and prominent curling and bridge competitor.

Ella's got so she believes in divorce. Well, livin' with that man of hers would make a believer out of anybody.

New Brunswick Throne Speech Indicates Welfare Changes

FREDERICTON (CP) — The throne speech opening the 1960 session of the New Brunswick legislature Thursday indicated hospital insurance and a "history-making departure from welfare practices" will be subjects of major legislation.

The speech, read by Lieutenant - Governor J. Leonard O'Brien, said the government has in preparation legislation which would enable the province to share with federal and municipal authorities the cost of care for citizens needing it, marking a depature from welfare practices which have existed "since the establishment of the province."

On hospital insurance, the speech said the House would be called upon to consider legislation to "improve and broaden" provisions of the present federal-provincial hospital care plan which became operative July 1, 1959.

It added the hospital services commission registered more than 95 per cent of the population of the province by Dec. 31, 1959 and more than 50,000 people received benefits in the first six months of operation.

The speech said winter works projects at all levels of government in the province are expected to exceed $7,500,000.

A report will be presented by a one-man royal commission on the coal industry and estimates will be provided for spruce budworm spraying of 2,500,000 acres of forest land in central New Brunswick, financed on a cost-sharing basis with the federal government and private forest industries.

The speech added that the New Brunswick coal industry achieved one of its best years in history, reaching a production total of more than 1,000,000 tons.

Pearkes Says North America Vulnerable

MONTREAL (CP) — Defence Minister Pearkes Wednesday night warned Canadians the only place where Russia could win a war with the West would be on the North American continent and she would use every means at her disposal to do it.

Mr. Pearkes said a third world is faced with a substantial change in the balance of strength, a technological break-through or an enlarging of a local war.

If any of these three things happened, he told the 10th anniversary meeting of No. 306 (Maple Leaf) Wing, RCAF Association at the nearby RCAF station in St. Hubert, North America would be attacked.

And in the event of a nuclear attack the armed forces would have to rely on the co-operation of federal government departments, provincial and municipal agencies and volunteer and civilian commercial elements to provide a system of locating nuclear explosions, assessing their effects and warning the public of fallout dangers.

The armed forces simply don't have enough men to do such a job themselves, he said.

Cuban Cabinet Signs Pact With Russians

HAVANA (AP) — The Cuban cabinet Thursday ratified the big, sugar - heavy trade pact signed last Saturday by Premier Fidel Castro and Soviet Deputy Premier Anastas Mikoyan.

The deal makes the Soviet Union Cuba's biggest customer next to the United States.

United States State Secretary Christian Herter announced Wednesday in Washington that consideration is being given to cancellation of the system under which the U.S. pays premium prices for Cuban sugar.

There was no comment from the late night cabinet meeting here on Herter's remarks. But Castro is expected to blast the American secretary tonight, when he makes another of his periodic television appearances.

Bonn Students Demand Cabinet Minister Goes

BONN, Germany (AP)—Christian Democratic students of Bonn University Thursday renewed their demand that Theodor Oberlaender quit the West German cabinet because of his Nazi past.

The committee of the student organization issued a statement Feb 1 that refugee minister Oberlaender's "far-reaching involvement" with the Nazis amounted to self-disqualification for office in a democratic state.

On Feb. 4 the group withdrew this statement after talking with Oberlaender but a general meeting of members unanimously endorsed the original committee demand for his resignation.

Opinions in the Christian Democratic Party itself are divided and the party has set up a court of honor to hear the case.

Mother Spends Sad Birthday

NORTH BAY (CP)—Mrs. Isabelle Bebee of nearby West Ferris Township made a birthday cake and sat alone Wednesday hoping her 15-year-old son, Kenneth, would return home. He has been missing since last Sept. 10.

Last report of the boy was that he left his Grade 8 classroom at Riverbend Public School with a man who said he was an uncle. His mother heard subsequently that the two were believed to be in Regina where police were investigating the passing of fraudulent cheques. Police have circulated his description nationally but no information of his present location has been received, she said.

CHEF TELLS HOW TO LIVE TO 104

COVINA, Calif. (AP)—Wilberto di Djase, a retired chef, celebrated his 104th birthday Wednesday. He gave this recipe for longevity:

"Eat whatever you like, as long as what you eat likes you."

Canada Among Powers Planning Congress of Free Countries

By HAROLD MORRISON
Canadian Press Staff Writer

WASHINGTON (CP) — Representatives of eight Western powers including Canada will meet here early next month to prepare the foundations for what President Eisenhower hopes eventually will become a congress of all free countries to channel capital into impoverished areas.

This will be the beginning of the Eisenhower dream—to unite the free world in a common goal that could provide a positive and potent challenge to the Communist aim of enlarging its economic camp until it chokes off capitalism.

The eight countries, which annually spend billions of dollars to help needy countries in Asia, Africa and Latin America, are the United States, France, Britain, Italy, West Germany, Belgium, Portugal, as well as Canada.

They agreed in Paris last month to work together on their investment programs until a new 20-country association can be set to replace the antiquoted 18-country organization for European economic co-operation.

The U.S. feels that Europe, now recovered economically, can afford to increase its aid programs.

DATE TO BE SET

The exact date of the first meeting is not yet decided but the meeting likely will be during the first half of March.

Eisenhower told his press conference Wednesday he doesn't want the co-ordinated group to think in terms of giving aid to "have-not" countries but on the basis of "our ideas of what will help them."

He wants the entire free world to work in a co-operative effort "to raise the world economy." In that way all would benefit in prosperity as well as security.

Eisenhower touched on this subject as Congress tussled with his request for $4,175,000,000 worth of new mutual aid for the next fiscal year. Congress chopped his combined demand for foreign economic and military aid to some $3,200,000,000 last year and congressman talked of making another big chop this year.

HUBERT

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"Your wife's been trying to get you, Cecil . . . your gardener quit and your swimming pool's sprung a

About the Town

PHONE 1844

Nelson Guides will entertain seven Girl Scouts and one Scout leader from Metaline Falls this weekend. The visitors, who are expected to arrive in Nelson Saturday morning, will be guests of honor at a luncheon served by the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Girl Guide Association in the Scout Hall, followed by an afternoon of skiing at the Silver King ski hill. A social evening will be enjoyed and Sunday morning the visiting Guides will join their Nelson hostesses at Thinking Day church service.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ken McRory of the North Shore have returned from Vancouver where they visited their sons, Don and Lorne, and their daughter, Miss Joan McRory.

New Denver

J. L. Irwin of New Denver and his brother L. D. Irwin of Fruitvale, left for North Burnaby to attend the funeral of their father, J. J. Irwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thring sr. of Robson and Mrs. Thring's brother-in-law Steve Cuthbert of Scott, Sask., were visiting their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Thring.

Mrs. S. Kenzie of Swift Current is in Nelson visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Kenzie, 60 View Street, and her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Wylie of the North Shore.

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After spending the past three weeks visiting her son-in-law and daughter, P.E.R. and Mrs. J. R. Kripps of Victoria, Mrs. Clarence Ward, 505 Nelson Avenue, has returned home. P.E.R. Kripps has since left for a three months' Pacific cruise as a member of the crew of HMCS Saguenay.

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Included in the program of the Iota Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, entitled "People," were discussions of Darwin's theory of evolution and the biblical conception of mankind. The group met at the home of Mrs. Mickey Maglio, 1208 Josephine Street, Tuesday night, with Miss Monica Melling as cohostess.

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A miscellaneous shower honoring Mrs. Brian Acres was held at the home of Miss Sheila McGovern, 624 Seventh Street, Wednesday night with Miss Carol Waldie as cohostess. Games were played during the evening and prizes were won by Miss Lynn Waldie and Mrs. P. Laurie. Refreshments were served to the 40 guests by serviteurs Miss Sue McAdams and Miss Terry Beauchamp.

Arrangements Made For Annual Tea Print, Bake Sale

ROBSON — The annual tea and bake sale was topic of discussion at a meeting of the evening group at the home of Mrs. Alice Sanford.

President Msr. J. Schuepfer presided at the meeting, attended by 16 members and two visitors.

The tea will be held in May, with Mrs. Beth Rogers appointed as convener of the sewing and work committee. Some donations of print materials were received for the print sale table at the event.

The group has a travelling basket making the rounds of the community to raise funds, and rather than have a Valentine box, members also gave talen money.

All old correspondence which is of no further use will be destroyed.

Three new members were welcomed into the group — Mrs. Meda Webster, Mrs. Louise Weinsner and Mrs. Francis Marshall.

A Valentine cake was highlight of the tea hour.

GOOD NEWS . . . LADIES!

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Up to this point we have made no mention of the new arrivals in shoes for the entire family. Yes, and the teenagers.

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By ALICE ALDEN

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Four Grandparents at Young Lads' Christening

Presence of four grandparents at their christening service made the event a memorable occasion for Charles James, George Walter and Timothy Gregory, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Milligan of the Mountain Station in Nelson.

The private service was held in St. Saviour's Pro-Cathedral recently, with Rev. Canon George W. Lang officiating.

Grandparents Mr. and Mrs. John Maryka of Thorsby, Alta., and Mr. and Mrs. George S. Milligan of Nelson, and godparents Mr. and Mrs. John Barrett of Fruitvale, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Maryka of Trail and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pickering of Nelson attended a buffet dinner held at the parents' home following the ceremony.

GRAVY HINT

If your gravy refuses to brown, add a little instant coffee to it. This will give it a rich brown color and will even perk up the flavor without over-powering it.

Artificial Roses Decorate Bride's Chair at Shower

EDGEWOOD — Prior to her marriage later this month, Miss Gladys Hopp was feted at a miscellaneous shower in the Legion Hall.

The bride's chair and tea table were decorated with artificial roses. The hostesses presented corsages of sweetpeas to the bride-to-be, her bridesmaids, Miss Christine Hug and Miss Ellen Hopp, her mother Mrs. W. L. Hopp and her grandmother, Mrs. S. M. Cooper.

Gladys was assisted in opening her gifts by Misses Peggy Farrer and Donna MacDonnell. The hosteses Mrs. H. E. Farrer, Mrs. R. Spence and Mrs. W. Hug were assisted in serving refreshments by a group of former classmates of the bride-to-be.

During the evening Joyce Nesbitt and Leslie Hopp sang two selections — "Cruising Down the River" and "Forever and Ever." The bride's shower register was signed by 80 guests.

Versatile Liedersinger Paves Way For Canadian Artists

By VON MANCUSI-UNGARO
Canadian Press Staff Writer

NEW YORK (CP)—One of the best chapeaued women in New York is Toronto-born Mary Bothwell. This is no surprise since she is noted for wearing many hats in many jobs each day.

Even in this fast - paced city Miss Bothwell is something of a wonder.

She has won international acclaim as a singer, yet still finds time to serve as president of the Canadian Women's Club of New York. She is an amateur candlemaker in her Park Avenue apartment, paints designs on drinking glasses and collects models of elephants.

"I am also interested in hats," Miss Bothwell said in an interview. "I even make some of them when I get the urge."

CROWD CLOSETS

"She has so many hats they fall out of the closet when she opens the door," a friend remarked.

Miss Bothwell's headgear has attracted the public notice of New York's leading milliners. For seven consecutive years, she was voted one of the "best hatted women of America." Last year she was elected to the hat-wearers "hall of fame."

Miss Bothwell came to New York from Toronto in 1938 to further her musical career. The blonde and dynamic liedersinger has made a name for herself in the musical world and she has turned her talents to helping other Canadians in the big city.

In November, miss Bothwell gave a concert in one of the major performance halls here to make it possible for other Canadian artists to follow her footsteps to New York.

HELPED FUND

She sang an entire program of Brahms that raised more than $400 for the scholarship fund of the Canadian Womans Club. The fund defrays expenses of a Canadian woman singer studying in New York. Auditions to award the scholarship will be held here in March.

The scholarship fund was started four years ago when the club gave a $300 scholarship to Emelia Cundari, a Metropolitan Opera company soprano whose parents lived in Windsor, Ont. Another dramatic soprano, Catherine Howard of Windsor, is studying here.

In her second year as president of the club, which has about 150 members, Miss Bothwell oversees its many activities. These include sessions, lectures, musicales, cocktail parties as well as dances.

Miss Bothwell also makes money for benefits by candle-making. She melts down old candle stubs in her kitchen, molds the wax in milk cartons and decorates the candles often in della robbia - like designs. She also turns her painting talents to decorating glasses. Both these items are sold at church fairs.

LONG STUDY

"I could sing before I could talk," Miss Bothwell boasts. And singing—especially the lieder—is a most important part of her day. The lieder, a German art song composed to the finest of poetry, requires a long, arduous study, she says.

"The music must become part of you," Miss Bothwell insists. "You have to practise every day. That is one thing that is an absolute necessity."

She works on her concert programs for a year before she presents them to the public. And, as her reward, she gets an elephant.

She has one gold elephant on a charm bracelet for every one of her Town Hall recitals and a silver elephant for her European performances. Many of her friends give her varieties of this traditional good luck piece. She has more than 1,000 elephants made out of felt, porcelain, ivory and even diamonds sitting in a case in one end of her studio.

New Denver

NEW DENVER — Mr. and Mrs. John Stokes left for their home in Victoria after attending the funeral of Mrs. Stokes' mother and visiting her sister, Miss G. L. Reynolds.

E. Neshida of Lethbridge was here to attend the funeral of Mrs. E. A. Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Huestis of Nelson and Mrs. J. B. Marchi of Nelson were here to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. E. A. Reynolds.

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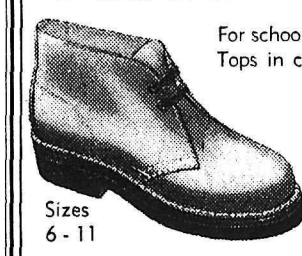

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Director Says Women Make Better Investors Than Men

By EDNA BLAKELY
Canadian Press Staff Writer

TORONTO (CP) — Women are good investors, says the managing director of one of Canada's large investment groups.

"Women make good investors because they are willing to take pains. They are alert, they like to learn the know about good things, and they want to get value for the family money," says Harry L. Gassard of the Investment Dealers' Association of Canada.

The same qualities that make a housewife a good manager make her a natural investor, he says.

Women shop around, compare values and learn through the experiences of their friends.

STUDY TRENDS

Women flock to investment classes, and many of those enrolling are accompanied by their husbands.

The emergence of women investors during the last 10 years is one of the most gratifying things to him, says Mr. Gassard.

Some of these are business women, but most are housewives and mothers.

"It's amazing how so many wives can find time to adopt investment as their principal outside interest or hobby, but they do it."

His company stresses four objectives for investments. Safety is paramount, although there is a different reasoning on safety between an elderly widow, for instance, and a young college graduate whose earning capacity has just begun.

Income is also an important factor, and here again the elderly widow wants a regular, dependable income. The younger investor might be more interested in bonds of a new company.

Growth is the third objective. Those at the peak of their earning power might not look for immediate returns, but would rather invest in long-term growth, he says.

Marketability, the fourth objective, is the ability to convert the investment readily into cash.

NEED BALANCE

Any one particular security does not provide all these factors.

Investments need to be balanced. And experts warn that there is no investment that can be put away and forgotten — all investments need to be watched.

Mr. Gassard agrees that women are more cautious with investments than are men. "Men sometimes will not admit they do not know too much about investments, and will impulsively plunge into speculative securities." Women are less likely to act hastily.

LARGE-SCALE CLEANERS

VANCOUVER (CP)—The biggest house-cleaning job in town—the seven-storey, 650,000-square foot post office—will be done by Modern Building Cleaning Service Limited. Modern Building, which also had the previous two-year contract, said its annual bill for the job is $187,440 which includes a staff of 40 cleaners using $30,000 worth of soap and wax every yeear.

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Disarmament Urgent Need Says Herter

WASHINGTON (CP) — State Secretary Christian Herter said Thursday the East-West missiles race and the spread of nuclear arms production make a disarmament pact a matter of urgency.

But the United States will not compromise its military strength "out of a desire for quick but illusory results in arms control," he added in a luncheon address before the National Press Club.

The prime U.S. demand is that any agreed steps towards disarmament be accompanied by verifiable inspection and control procedures, including the use of aerial and ground inspection teams to safeguard against surprise attacks.

Herter, outlining the U.S. position to be taken at 10-power negotiations in Geneva next month, observed that previous negotiations failed because of Russian opposition.

US. HOPEFUL

"We approach these new negotiations with some hope that the Soviet leaders may be coming to realize that the arms race offers unacceptable risks. This realization could induce them to attach a high priority to progress in arms control as being in their own national interest."

Herter's disarmament suggestions seemed to contain some element of agreement with those put forward by Prime Minister Diefenbaker about a week ago.

Both agreed that to prevent aggression, teeth must be put into international law through the development of an international armed force.

But Herter seemed to be placing priority on what he called the creation of a more "stable military environment" and the elimination of nuclear weapons production.

Lacrosse Missile Test Completed

CHURCHILL, Man. (CP) — A series of test firings of the United States army's Lacrosse missile has been completed by a Canadian and American team near this base on the shore of Hudson Bay, 610 miles north of Winnipeg.

The army said Thursday the final firing in the series was made Wednesday.

Purpose of the firings of the ground - to - ground missile, designed for close support of ground troops, was to demonstrate the field operation of the weapon under arctic conditions.

Pass To Moon Offered Gen. Ni Win

RANGOON, Burma (Reuters) Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev Wednesday night offered "visas" to the moon to Burmese Premier General Ni Win and his family.

Khrushchev made the offer during some bantering conversation at a lavish reception under colored lights he threw for Burmese leaders on the grounds of the Soviet embassy.

He presented to Ne Win and Burmese President U Win Maung copies of the metal pennant sent to the moon by Russian rockets.

"This is only a copy and you'll have to go to the moon to get a look at the original," quipped Khrushchev.

Said Ne Win: " I suppose this is as good as a visa to the moon."

Said his wife: "I suppose I'll have to go to Moscow for mine."

"Not at all," grinned Khrushchev. "This is a visa for you and all your family to visit the moon."

FELL 40 FEET

VANCOUVER (CP) — Vernon Jack, 26, suffered severe back injuries Wednesday night when he fell from a third-floor window of a downtown hotel. Police said he felll 40 feet to the pavement below.

RCMP Investigate Anonymous Letter Threatening Mc Gee

OTTAWA (CP) — The RCMP has launched an investigation into a crudely-penned registered letter threatening Frank McGee, sponsor of a private bill to abolish Canada's mandatory death sentence.

The RCMP said the force was asked to investigate the letter by the justice department.

Mr. McGee, lanky, 33-year-old Progressive Conservative MP for York-Scarborough, turned the letter over to the justice department Wednesday "for any action the RCMP think should be taken."

The letter was received Wednesday by Mr. McGee on the eve of a Commons debate of his bill. The envelope bore the name "P. Magee" and the address "2497 Coursol Street" Montreal.

An RCMP spokesman said the Montreal detachment of the RCMP is conducting the investigation. Ottawa headquarters expected to receive a report some time Thursday.

Mr. McGee, after learning that his name and address had been disclosed by the Progressive Conservative member for York-Scarborough, said:

"I'm going to see somebody about this."

He was asked if he meant a lawyer.

"Yes," he replied quickly.

He said he knows of no one who would "want to write a letter like that and put my name and address to it, and it certainly was not me."

Asked what he thought about the death penalty for murder he replied:

"My feelings on this are certainly no concern of the newspapers."

Snapshot Accepted As Evidence

TORONTO (CP — A landlady was found guilty Wednesday of theft after John Butler, 33, produced a color photograph in court showing a woman opening a drawer.

Magistrate J. L. Prentice convicted Mrs. Jean Shirton, 37, on a charge of stealing $6 but dismissed a second charge of breaking and entering the apartment of Mr. Butler, a designer. The woman was remanded for sentence.

Mr. Butler told the court he became angry after a series of small thefts from his apartment and set a trap with a camera after losing a total of $390.

Washington, Ottawa, One on World Trade

Still at Odds Regarding Tough Domestic Issues

By HAROLD MORRISON
Canadian Press Staff Writer

WASHINGTON (CP) — Canada and the United States have reached agreement on how to tackle a number of sticky problems hampering world trade but they still are at odds on how to resolve some tough problems in their own backyard.

At a two - day ministerial conference which ended Wednesday, the two countries agreed Europe and other industrialized countries should take more of Asia's low-cost manufactured goods to ease the flood of these products in North American markets.

They also agreed that the sterling area should eliminate completely all remaining import quota discrimination against dollar area goods from Canada and the U.S.

But the U.S. rejected Canada's demand that U.S. lead and zinc import curbs be withdrawn and that the U.S. stop subsidizing its cotton textile exports to Canada and other markets.

CANADIAN CHARGE

Canada on the other hand rejected U.S. complaints against a new Canadian charge for use of air navigation facilities by civilian aircraft flying over Canadian territory.

A U. S. spokesman said this charge went into effect last month and seemed to be a tool against aircraft simply for the privilege of flying over Canadian territory on North American routes. They said only a few countries make such a charge. Canada said the charges "covered only a part of the large and growing costs of these facilities."

The U.S. said it also would like to see removal of Canadian import curbs on turkeys. Canada asked for removal of U.S. curbs on flaxseed, linseed oil and cheddar cheese. Authorities said later there may be a possibility of some action on these farm products but that no pledges were made by either country.

"BEST" MEETING

Despite the lack of major decisions on domestic issues, Canada's Finance Minister Fleming said in a statement the two-day meeting of the joint economic and trade committee was "one of the best" ever held by the group set up five years ago.

He said he will report to Parliament Thursday on achievements with him were Trade Minister Gordon Churchill, Agriculture Minister Douglas Harkness and a group of advisers.

State Secretary Christian A. Herter headed a U.S. delegation of five cabinet members, their deputies and other experts. Both sides felt progress had been achieved.

The committee s next meeting will be in Ottawa sometime next year.

Spokesman amplifying on a communique said the two sides had a meeting of minds on the general philosophy that will go into development of a new 20-country association to replace the present 18 - country organization for European economic co-operation. The new structure may act as a bridge to bring Europe's rival six-country Common Market and the seven-country Free Trade Association closer together.

FIRM STAND

Both Canada and the U.S. made clear they would oppose any action by the two European blocs that would restrict North American farm products in European markets.

They agreed there should be closer co-operation between Canada's National Energy Board and the U.S. federal power commission on oil and natural gas and that the two governments "should keep each other closely informed on developments in either country bearing on trans-border movements" of these two products.

They also agreed there should be a greater flow of trans-border information on uranium market prospects. The Canadian industry was hard hit recently by the U.S. decision to ditch renewal options on Canadian Uranium contracts after 1962.

RATE INCREASE

EDMONTON (CP)—A possible rate increase is hinted in the annual report of Alberta government telephones tabled Wednesday in the legislature. The blame was put on rising operating costs.

If All Piled Up On Worried Man

LANGLEY, B.C. (CP)—Pent up tensions caused a father of eight to explode and beat a woman teacher with a rubber hose Wednesday over complaints that his children were repeatedly late for school, the man's wife said Thursday.

Rhoda Sort, 30, said her husband's worries about heavy bills, a farm to run and the children to provide for, plus complaints about the tardiness of two sons who helped him at milking were just too much.

"I couldn't quite believe it when I heard about it," she said "but I know these things must have been on his mind."

Sigmund Sort, 37, pleaded guilty to assault causing bodily harm to Miss Muriel E Boskill, who was attacked before the class of grade five and six children she was teaching. Sort was remanded in custody.

Miss Boskill, described by a provincial superintendent as the best teacher in Langley, was bruised and near collapse after the attack but otherwise unhurt.

Magistrate M. W. Mulligan said Sort himself was so excited and confused that he couldn't explain why he attacked the middle-aged woman.

Complaint Withdrawn

SQUAW VALLEY, Calif. (AP) Men's team coaches in the Olympic village here are worried about the influence that the women competitors might have on their boys.

At a recent meeting a representative for the women's teams got up and complained that athletes from the men's dormitories had been trying to get into the women's dormitories at night. She wanted a stop put to this traffic.

An attache for a men's team jumped up at once.

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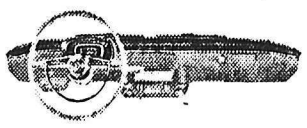

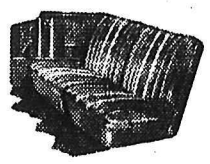

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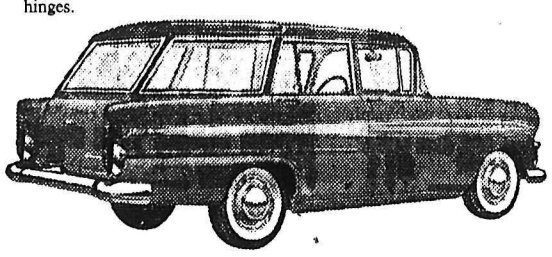

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Ski Slants

By SITZMARK

So, the 8th Olympic Games opened yesterday in Squaw Valley and we will follow with much interest the happenings of the different events.

We of the Kootenays should be proud of the strong representation of our skiers in the Canadian national team. No less than four skiers from the Red Mountain Ski Club in Rossland, B.C. are participants and certainly form the nucleus of Canada's eight-member team.

The winter games were at first started in 1924 and ever since then are part in the four year cycle of Olympic Games. Of course things have changed quite a bit since then. Not only has technique of skiing undergone a vigorous alteration but also the number of nations participating has increased enormously. So has the interest. Rossland is a perfect example for the excellent skiers supply interest for any competition.

Red Mountain skiing facilities have been in existence since 1947. Compared to this, our own facilities ar being used actually for the first year.

While we are just starting to develop good material on the hill, Rossland's jump of almost 13 years has given the skiers there the base to produce outstanding skiers of international recognition. George Merry participant in world champion skiing competition and Olympitc, Bill Stevens, John Platt, etc. And now sister combination of Nancy and Elizabeth Greene, Verne Anderson and Don Bruneski. Although placed quite low in the starting number assignment we are certain they will do their best under the circumstances. The very best of luck to them.

Meanwhile we ourselves will be getting ready for the first annual Frosty Frolic. The program for this festivity are many.

Torchlight skiing and fireworks followed by a public dance on Saturday. A Club competition in the form of a giant Slalom and a public display of skiing with events on Sunday morning and afternoon.

Part of this Frosty Frolic will also be the showing of an exciting film at the Capitol theatre on Wednesday the 24th at 8 p.m. The internationally renowned ski-lecturer, ski-instructor and mountain guide Hans Gmoser of Banff will personally narrate a feature length color movie called "Vagabonds of the Mountain". We are privileged indeed to have a man of this caliber come to Nelson to show us his production which has been filmed exclusively in the Canadian Rockies, mostly around Banff and Lake Louise. It will be more than worth while for the public to make plans to see this film.

Snow conditions on our ski hill art excellent. The fresh snowfall last weekend put the slope in first class condition and the usual several hundred skiers should again bag a wonderful time. The last minute preparation of various groups will be organized for the Sunday skiing display on the 26th of this month.

The events on Sunday will begin with a giant slalom for all ages, boys and girls. We suggest that only experienced skiers enter this competition since the course will be running over the entire length of the hill. Fred McKim will be the tricky course-setter. This event will be timed in order to determine the different champions of the different age groups.

Entry forms for this race will be available at the ticket shack at the ski hill this coming Sunday. These entry forms must be received by Wednesday, 5 p.m. at Fred Whiteley's Sport Shop. Later entries will not be considered.

Awards for this Club championship will be given during the afternoon frolic on the ski hill

The thirty odd skiers that went to Spokane last weekend must have had a wonderful time skiing at the Mount Spokane facilities. They mentioned that about 800 beginners take advantage of the ski-school down there. The fact that they have to pay for the lessons does not seem to keep them from joining. How lucky we are in Nelson. The ski-classes, which as we know are sponsored by the Nelson Daily News, are absolutely free of charge to anyone willing to learn our sport. Percentage wise we seem with 115 beginners on our list somewhat ahead of the Spokane Club.

For next year we already expect a considerable increase in beginners. For this reason an appeal is being made to better skiers to consider being ski-instructors for the next season. Anyone who is interested of receiving training in this field should contact Helmuth in the next few weeks so a training program can be started this season.

BUSINESS GIRLS CURLING

Business women's curling Wednesday night:

V. Olsen 8, L. Leverington 6.

J. MacCleod 8, M. MacDougal 2.

C. Moore won by default from G. Ferguson.

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PLAYOFF HOCKEY . . . As sure as Leap Year comes every four years, so does playoff hockey every February. Nelson Midgets are in the thick of their annual West Kootenay playoff with Trail. Thursday night at the Civic Arena, Nelson scored a 4-3 triumph in the opening game of their two-game total-point series on the strength of Gary Higgs' two-goal effort early in the third period to wipe out a 3-2 Trail lead.

—Daily News photo.

Late Goal Ties Habs

MONTREAL (CP) — Norm Ullman's goal with one second left to play gave Detroit Red Wings a 3-3 tie with Montreal Canadiens in a National Hockey League game Thursday night.

Ullman's goal, a 20-foot low shot beat Montreal goalie Jacques Plante cleanly. Plante never had a chance on the play.

Detroit was playing with six forwards at the time, having pulled goalie Dennis Riggin with 39 seconds left to play and Canadiens leading 3-2.

The other Detroit goals, both early in the first period, were by Gary Aldcorn and Jack McKenzie.

Henri Richard and Ralph Backstrom tied the score 2-2 in the second period and Phil Goyette scored late in the third period what appeared for a time to be the winning goal.

Then came Ullman's blazing shot that caught the corner of the net with one second left in the game. Ullman tapped Delvecchio's passout from the back boards.

With Stane And Besom

Wednesday's Result:

Jefferys 5, Leeming 10; Benedetti 5, Barefoot 5; Cathcart 8, Duckworth 10; Maurer 10, Porteous 8; Harvey 10, Haines 7; Hamson 11, Lutkiwich 10; Tozer 10, Tickner 8.

STRIKES 'N' SPARES

Mixed Commercial League:

North Shore 1, Hume Hotel 3; Orange Crush 1, Coopers 3; Hudson Bay 1, Queen's Hotel 3; Savoy Hotel 4, Palm Dairies 0; Bank of Montreal 3, Beatniks 1; Overwaitea 1, Mc and Mc 3.

Ladies' high single: Vi Cook of Beatniks 253. Ladies' high aggregate: Dot Waterer of Hume Hotel 675. Men's high single: Tom Marshall of Beatniks 316, men's high aggregate: Chuck Symmonds of Savoy Hotel 713.

Team high single and aggregate: Hume Hotel, 1161 and 3220.

MILD WEATHER GREETS SNOW FIESTA OPENING

KIMBERLEY, B.C. — Kimberley's fifth annual Snow Fiesta got off to a flying start with bright sunshine and mild weather.

With the ladies' intercollegiate ski meet scheduled to start Friday, the UBC team from Vancouver have been working out and other ski teams arrived throughout Thursday.

Radio station CKEK's mobile unit from Cranbrook is parked next to Snow Fiesta headquarters and handled official opening broadcast by Mayor Clem Thompson. They will be there four days and conduct their complete business from there during snow fiesta.

Close to fifty entrants are lined up for Saturday's bob sled race, a new feature of snow fiesta that is creating terrific interest and will no doubt become a part of future fiestas.

The reigning queen, Pat Thompson, three candidates and the five visiting queens from Creston, Windermere, Cranbrook, Coleman and Canal Flat will attend the numerous activities such as the East-West Kootenay basketball championships, pet parade, mardi gras and teen dances.

The colored flare torchlite parade down North Star Mountain was a big success and added a new touch of color and excitement to general picture. Over 1500 cars converged at Lois Creek to watch it.

Saturday will see a full schedule of events with a tapering off on Sunday.

Suspensions in Commerk Loop

Suspensions were handed out by the Nelson Commercial Hockey League executive after a meeting Wednesday night.

Both players were involved in receiving game-misconduct penalties during recent Commerk games.

President Don Ball also announced the loss of referee-in-chief, Bernie Loff due to increased business pressure. Arrangements are being made to find a replacement to go along with the two remaining referees, John Misurella and Bennie Arcuri.

Latest standings of the Commercial League, as released Thursday by league statistician Ernie Gare, are as follows:

	P	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Combine	10	10	0	0	58	22	20
Notre Dame	10	5	4	1	44	34	11
Juveniles	12	5	5	0	47	51	10
Midgets	10	0	9	1	38	59	1

Action resumes Sunday morning with the playoffs scheduled to commence aproximately February 28 with first and fourth teams, second and third meeting in a best 2 out of 3 semi-finals. The finals will be a 3 out of 5 series with the winner declared league champion.

Individual Marks At Stake Saturday

Improved individual scoring records and goal keepers' averages will be targets tomorrow night at Civic Centre when Trail Smoke Eaters tangle with Nelson Maple Leafs in their last appearance here in WIHL schedule play.

Final team leadership in the regular schedule was settled in Trail's favor when Rossland Warriors ended Nelson's hopes at the Golden City Tuesday with a 7-4 win. Smokies the next night added emphasis and another two unneeded points by taking Warriors on Trail ice by the same score.

Proof that the fact the final positions in league play are settled does not mean that fans are no longer interested, is seen in the season's record turnout for the Trail-Rossland game Wednesday. There were 1152 spectators on hand, although the only bearing the game had was on individual scoring records and goalies' averages.

Tomorrow night will see seven of the league 10 top scorers out to add to their season's record — coach Mickey Maglio, Lee Hyssop and Howie Hornby of Leafs, and coach Bob Kromm, captain Cal Hockley, Ad Tambellini and Harry (Hurricane) Smith of the Smoke Eaters. With a good night's work in goals and assists, any of them could gain ground on the league leading sharpshooters — McIntyre and Jones of the cellar-dwelling Rossland Warriors.

The battle of the goalies gives promise of being a hot one. Nelson's Gerry Koehle has the best average, approximately 4½ goals per game, while Seth Martin is not far behind with about 5½ goals per game average.

By virtue of winning the league leadership, Trail will go into the round robin semi-final play at the end of next week with three points to their credit. Nelson, finishing second, will start with two points and Rossland will have one. After a double home-and-home series in which each win will add two points to a team's total, the two teams with the highest points will go into the finals. These start on March 14 at the home rink of the leading team in semi-finals. The finals will be a best three out of five games.

The next step after that will be the B. C. finals, opening in the Okanagan, March 21. Two games will be played there if one team wins both. If the first two games are split, a third will be played in the Okanagan. The rest of the series will be in West Kootenay.

Snowfall Cools Games Opening

SQUAW VALLEY, Calif. (CP) The problem-plagued eighth Winter Olympics opened Thursday during a lull in a 10-inch snowstorm.

Vice-president Richard Nixon drove the last 46 miles of his 3,000-mile journey from Washington over treacherous mountain roads to pronounce these 15 words:

"I now declare open the Olympic Games of Squaw Valley celebrating the eighth Winter Olympics."

Moments earlier the storm had let up and the sun broke out.

Some 6,500 spectators, gay in brilliant-hued ski suits, huddled in the $3,500,000 arena to watch the parade of 740 athletes from 30 countries.

There were almost as many participants as spectators. In addition to the athletes and Olympic officials, Hollywood's Walt Disney brought together a choir of 2,645 voices and 1,285 instrumentalists from 52 California and Nevada high schools for the brilliant ceremonies.

SKI RACE POSTPONED

The storm that snarled traffic also forced postponement of the men's downhill race from Friday until Monday to give time to pack the course. Thus competition will start today with the figure-skating pairs championship, the 30-kilometre (18 miles, 100 yards) cross-country ski race, and the first round of the hockey tournament.

Canada's 1960 try for the gold medals gets off to a promising start on the first day of competition with the experienced Toronto duo of Bob Paul and Barbara Wagner favored to add the Olympic crown to their world, North American and Canadian titles in the figure-skating pairs

The Kitchener-Waterloo Dutchmen clash with Sweden tonight in the opening hockey round, with the Canadians favored. In the day's other event, the cross-country ski competition, the Servold brothers from Camrose, Alta., are entered, but are not expected to place highly against the experienced European competitors. Irvin Servold Drew No. 22 starting position with Clarence Servold due to start off 35th.

The Canadian Olympic team made a colorful showing in the parade of international athletes that opened the 11-day spectacle. They wore dark cossack hats and rainbow-hued mackinaws of white with large green, red, yellow and black stripes.

ATHLETES URGED TO MIX

Prentis C. Hale, president of the Olympic organizing committee, urged the athletes to fraternize so that they could go home as "the world's best ambassadors for unity and peace."

Welters Headline Fight Card

Amateur fistic action will be highlighted during the Kimberley Snow Fiesta on February 20 when Kimberley boxers will engage leather swingers from Kalispel and Bonner's Ferry in ten bouts.

Headliners will be welterweights Melvin Hockley, Kootenay champion at 139 pounds since 1958 and Al Alt of Bonner's Ferry. Alt is Idaho State Champion in this class.

In the semi-final at 140 pounds Neal Stuart of Kalispel, Montana State Champion tangles with Gary Marcer.

Louis Deschamps is paired with Gayland Olsen of Kalispel in the 156 pounds four round battle.

At 147 pounds Ted Vogelaar and Bud Olsen of Kalispel clash in a three round bout.

In another three rounder heavyweight Bill Harychuk of Kimberley will meet a Bonner's Ferry opponent.

Five preliminary bouts will fill out the card.

During the intermission the Kimberley weight lifting club will demonstrate the various lifts under the supervision of Dave Masich.

CITY AUTO TRIPS WHITELEYS 40-32

City Auto Service edged Fred Whiteley's Sport Shop 40-32 in a Nelson City League cage game played in the Civic Centre Thursday night.

High scorer for the night was Garth Strong of City Auto with 17 points. Lorne Shockey of City Auto was second with 15 points and Jeff Craig of the Whiteley's took a close third position with 14 markers.

Dave Borch with six points and Maurice Renwick with two accounted for the rest of City Auto scoring.

Rudy Lanki dropped three balls for the Whiteley's while Pat Renwick and Ralph Englesby matched each other with four points. Harry Ronmark and Mel Pasacreta got two points apiece.

Selkirks Drub Fernie Rangers

CRANBROOK — Cranbrook Selkirks trounced Fernie Rangers 17-4 in an Alberta-British Columbia-Montana Hockey League game played in Fernie Wednesday night.

The win enabled the Selkirks to move into a first place tie with Lethbridge Native Sons in the league standings.

Cranbrook scorers were Andy Drobot five, Tic Beattie four, Ken McTeer three, Barry Craig two and Harvey Nash, Vic Marasco and Al Bennett one each.

Nash also collected seven assists while Brian Casey got five.

Fernie scorers were Joe Bossio two, Patsy Caravetta and Cliff McNamara.

CIVIC CENTRE

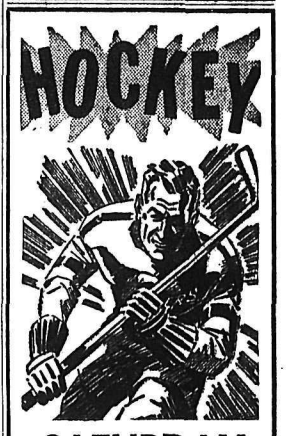
TODAY'S EVENTS

ARENA

7:15—Juveniles
9:30—Greyhound
3:45—Figure Skating
5:00—South Nelson vs St. Joseph's
7:30—JR. HIGH RED CROSS JIMS AND JEANS SKATING PARTY.

RECREATION

9:00—Playschool
2:00—St. Joseph's Girls
7:00—Children Beginners Square Dancing
7:30—Senior Citizens — W.I. Room
9:30—JR. HIGH RED CROSS JIMS AND JEANS DANCE



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CPR 'Spiel Attracts Greatest Turnout Yet

A record entry of 22 rinks have been filed for the CPR Employees, Nelson and district bonspiel to be held at the Nelson Curling rink Feb. 21.

Owing to the large entry list and that ice time is limited this year, it has been necessary to change the competition so that each rink will curl two 10-end games, instead of three 8-end games as in the past.

The competition will be scored on a point system with one point awarded for each end won and two points for a game won.

The rink with the highest point total will take possession of the William Manson Trophy for the ensuing year. The trophy was won in 1959 by the John Taylor foursome.

Rinks are as follows, in order of skip, third, second and lead:

W. Simpson, E. Swanson, A. Mores, K. R. Turner; J. Lusk, R. Skene, A. Bambury, J. A. Katrusiak; T. Romano, A. Bouchard, J. Misurata, R. Weaver; W. Triggs S. Leinweber, J. Nagy, R. Jonker; L. Nicholson, R. Lindblad, W. Carlson, E. Stepp; D. Cathcart, J. Kinnon, J. Munro, D. Segur;

K. K. LePage, D. Danyluk, M. Balahura, D. Lloyd; J. Taylor, W. Cartwright, J. Hagan, B. Anderson; Carl Arcuri, G. Trainor, G. Scales, P. Popoff; M. Gee, E. Weech, J. Parker, D. Eveson; F. Booth, G. White, F. Taylor; J. Bay; D. Proudfoot, L. Sept, D. Fullerton, E. Bay; F. Phillips, J. Lindsay, C. Proctor, C. Smith;

B. O'Neill, A. Betton, R. Smith, F. Tady; C. Westwood, G. Lane, J. Walker, B. Phillips; A. Arcuri, J. Christie, J. Bond, P. Breck; E. Ramsbottom, T. Bate, C. Maglio, J. Wagontall; D. Capper, B. W. Eady, L. Prive, C. Horwood;

H. Dow, S. Grill, G. DeGirolamo, F. Schaeffer; H. Godderis, R. Wagner, W. Lechuk, E. Blunt; W. MacFarlane, G. Johnson, R. Watson, F. Wilson; H. Goetting, T. Clarke, W. Cook, P. Campeau. Spares—R. Lanki and A. Vulcano.

DRAW

12:30 p.m.—MacFarlane, Ramsbottom; O'Neill, C. Arcuri; Goetting, Godderis; Romano, Triggs; Nicholson, Lusk.

2:30 p.m.—Dow, LePage; Proudfoot, Taylor; Gee, Westwood; Booth Phillips.

4:30 p.m.—A. Arcuri, Simpson; Ramsbottom, Goetting; Capper, Cathcart; Lusk, C. Arcuri; Triggs, MacFarlane.

6:30 p.m.—Godderis, Romano; Dow, Booth; Phillips, Westwood; Nicholson, O'Neill.

8:30 p.m.—Gee, Cathcart; Simpson, Capper; Taylor, A. Arcuri; LePage, Proudfoot.

Department of Highways
NELSON-CRESTON DISTRICT

Advance Warning of Load Restrictions On Highways

During the spring breakup it may be necessary to impose load restrictions on vehicles using highways and secondary roads in this District. These restrictions may be imposed on short notice and trucking and transportation companies should govern themselves accordingly.

The restrictions will limit the axle loads of trucks and busses.

Vehicles with solid tires will be prohibited from using the highways.

A. L. FREEBAIRN,
District Engineer

Nelson, B.C.
February 17, 1960

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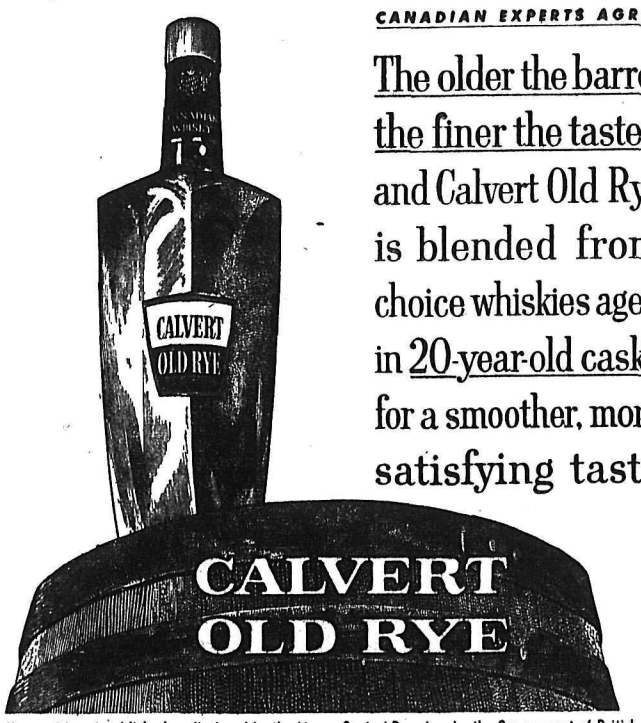

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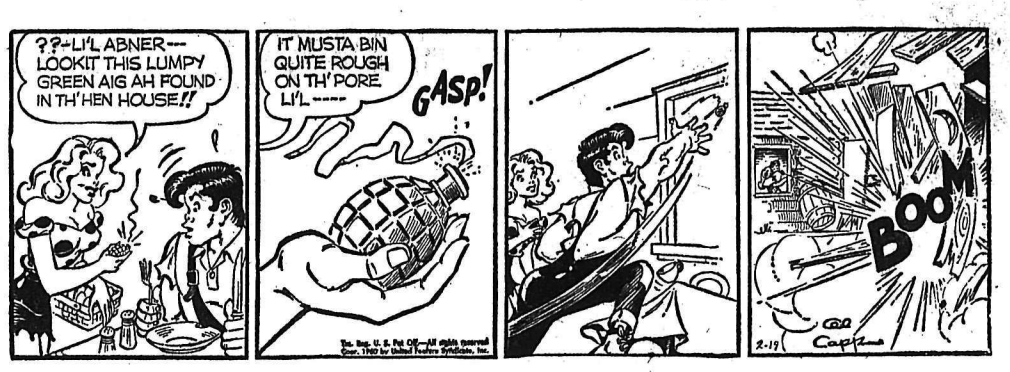

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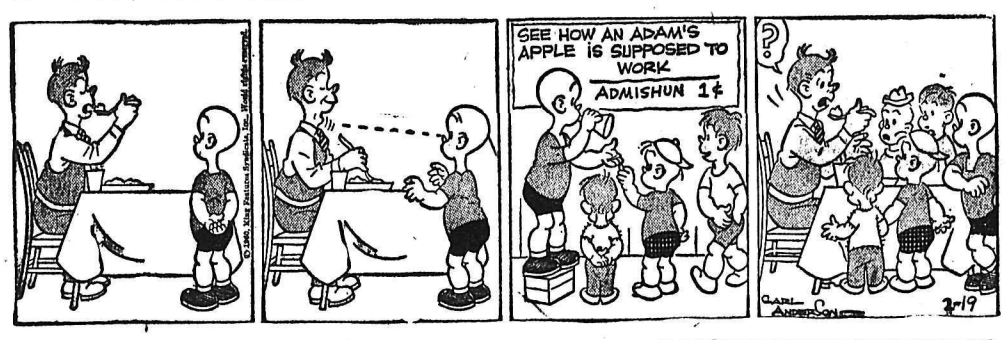

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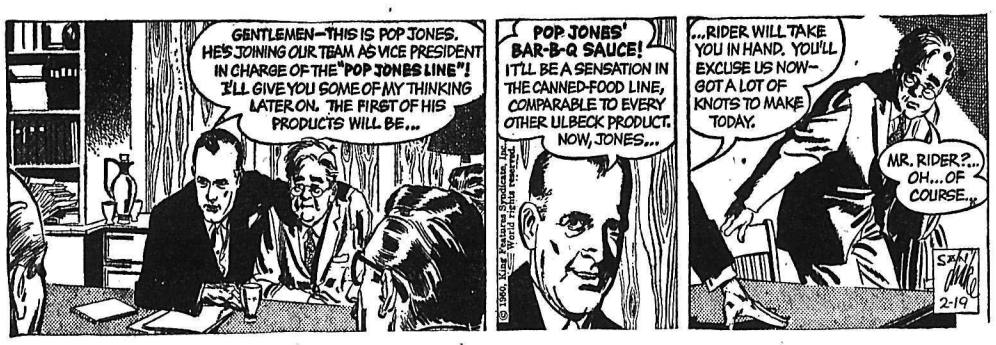

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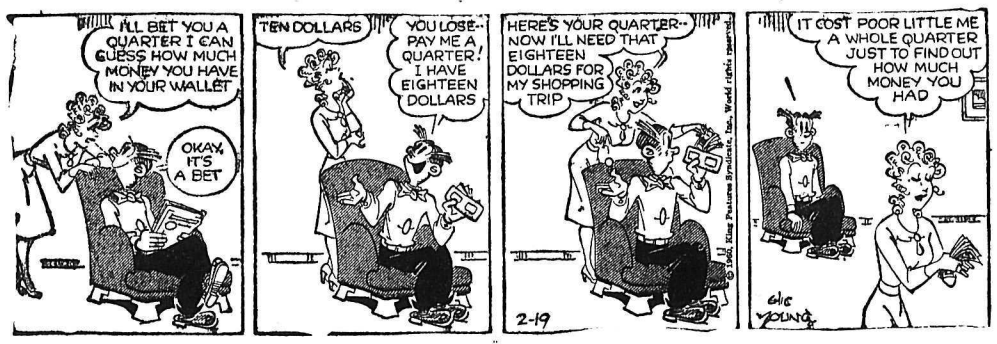

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STOCK QUOTATIONS

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TORONTO STOCKS

(Closing Prices)

MINES	
Advocate	2.74
Algom Uranium	10.62½
Anacon Lead	.72
Atlin Ruff	.10½
Aumacho	.09½
Aumaque	.13
Barnat	1.51
Brunswick	4.45
Buffalo Ank	2.10
Campbell C	5.65
Campbell R. L.	12.75
Can Met	.10½
Cassiar	12.87½
Central Patricia	1.20
Chimo	.51
Chromium	4.25
Coniaurum	.45
Cons Denison	10.25
Cons Denison Wts.	.07½
Cons. Discovery	3.55
Cons Halliwell	.58
Cons Mining & Smelting	17.87½
Cons Regcourt	.08
Con Sub	.38
Conwest	3.90
Copper Corp	.26
Copper Man	.10
Craig	3.70
D'Aragon	.28
East Malartic	1.56
East Sullivan	1.57
Elder Gold	1.33
Falconbridge	31.00
Faraday	.71
Frobisher	1.85
Geco	16.87½
Giant Yel.	11.75
Gunnar Gold	10.00
Harminerals	.09½
Headway	.26
Hollinger	25.50
Hudson Bay	48.00
Int. Nickel	99.87½
Iron Bay	2.30
Jonsmith	.13½
Kerr Addison	20.87½
Labrador	23.50
Leitch	1.38
Little Long Lac	.85
Lorado	.26
Macassa	2.66
MacDonald	.25½
Madsen R. L.	2.90
Malartic G. F.	.92
Maritime Mining	1.12
McLeod	1.05
McMarmac	.07
McKenzie R L	.24
Milliken	.82
Mining Corp.	.12
Multi Mins	.42
New Bidlamaque	.16
New Harricana	.13½
New Hosco	.80
New Lund	.21
Nipissing	1.25
Noranda New	42.75
Normetals	3.35
Norpax	.10
North Can	1.15
North Rankin	1.00
Opemiska	6.80
Pickle Crow	.80
Preston E. D.	4.45
Quebec Copper	.16
Quebec Lab	.04½
Quebec Metallurgical	.55
Quemont	10.50
Radiore	.65
Rainville	.30
Rayrock	.50
Sherritt Gordon	2.80
Steep Rock	10.75
Sylvanite	.71
Taurcanis	.60
Teck Hughes	1.80
Temagami	1.90
Tombill	.48
Trans Cont Res	.17
United Keno	5.85
Upper Canada	1.15
Ventures	23.75
Violamac	1.39
Waite Amulet	6.35
Wiltsey Goglin	.11
Wright Hargreaves	1.29
Yale	.22
Yellowknife Bear	1.10
Young (H.G.) Gold	.81
OILS	
American Leduc	.11
Bailey Selburn	6.90
Calgary and Edmonton	19.62½
Canadian Devonian	3.30
Home A	10.50
Long Island Pete	.14
Midcon	.50
Pacific Pete	10.75
Petrol	1.00
Place Oil	.74
Prov Gas	2.26
Royalite	7.15
Spooner	.16½
Stanwell Oil	.40½
Triad	3.30
United Oils	1.53
INDUSTRIALS	
Abitibi	36⅝
Algoma Steel	34⅜
Aluminum	31
Analog	6⅞
Atlas St.	23½
B.A. Oil	30⅛
Beatty Bros.	6½
Bell Telephone	43¼
Brazilian	4.25
B.C. Electric 4¾s	82
B.C. Forest	12½
B.C. Power A	32⅜
Burns A	13
Canadian Breweries	36
Canadian Canners	13⅛
Canadian Celanese	20
Can. Cement	30
Can Chem Co	7⅛
Canadian Dredge	15⅛
Can. Curtis Wright	2¼
Can. Malting	50
Can Oil	22⅜
Canadian Pacific Rly	24⅛
Can. Packers A	46½
Can. Packers B	46
Cockshutt	17¼
Columbia Cellulose	4.20
Cons Gas	35⅝
Dist. Seagram	29½
Dom. Bridge	18
Dom. Foundries	46
Dom Magnesium	7¼
Dom. Stores	45½
Dom. Tar & Chemical	14½
Dom. Textiles	9¼
Famous Players	18¾
Ford U.S.	76¼
Gatineau	33¼
Gatineau 5% pfd	96
Gen. Steel Wares	13
Goodyear	150
Howard Smith	43½
Imperial Oil	32¾
Imp. Tobacco	11¾
Ind. Acc.	32¾
Loblaw B	24
Massey Ferguson	10½
Molson Brewery	21¾
Moore Corp.	38½
Nat. Steel Car	14¼
Page Hershey	25
Poer Corp.	52½
Russ. Industries	10¼
Shawinigan	26⅞
Simpsons A	29
Standard Paving	16½
Steel of Canada	76½
Texaco	50½
Union Gas of Can	14¾
Western Grocers A	32¾
Weston George	31
Woodwards A.	16¾

Urge Canadians To Hold Own In Defence Output

WINNIPEG (CP — Canadian manufacturers must demonstrate to the Americans that they can hold their own in the highly-competitive field of defence production, defence production minister O'Hurley said Thursday.

Mr. O'Hurley told businessmen at a luncheon meeting that the Canadian government is trying to do everything possible to encourage defence production sharing, short of placing United States orders with Canadian firms.

The competition in some cases would largely be matter of price and delivery, but in other cases technical aspects might be of equal or greater importance.

"The experience of the past year seems to confirm that Canadian industry is not going to invade the American defence market on any massive scale.

"But it also confirms that, within more modest limits, Canada does have the resources and skills which will enable it to contribute more effectively — and more profitably—to the common defence of the two countries."

More than half that $96,300,000 in United States defence contracts awarded to Canadian industry iin 1959 resulted from efforts under the production sharing program.

"This is an encouraging beginning and needless to say, we look for further progress in 1960."

AND HE DID

MANILA (AP) — Dangal Guevara, candidate for mayor of the town of Subic, promised he would not hesitate to go after his own relatives if they broke the law. Guevara was elected last November. Wednesday he arrested his younger brother, Ernesto, on a charge of mauling a night club hostess.

TELEVISION FOR TODAY

PACIFIC STANDARD TIME

KREM-TV — Channel 2

5:30 My Friend Flicka*	9:00 77 Sunset Strip
6:00 Burns and Allen	10:00 Capt. of the Detectives*
6:30 Newsbeat	10:30 Black Saddle*
7:00 Square Dance Party	11:00 Nightbeat News
7:30 Walt Disney Presents*	11:15 Channel 2 Theatre
8:30 Man From Blackhawk	1:00 Nightcap News

KHQ — Channel 6

6:15 Front Page	"Not So Long Ago"
6:45 NBC News*	9:30 Life of Riley
7:00 Cavalcade of Sports*	10:00 People Are Funny*
7:45 Phil Crosbie	10:30 News.
8:00 Troubleshooters*	10:40 Late Movie
8:30 Project 20 (C)*	"Sands of Iwo Jima"

KXLY-TV — Channel 4

8:30 University Profile	4:00 Brighter Day*
8:45 Song Shop	4:15 Secret Storm*
9:00 Red Rowe*	4:30 Edge of Night*
9:30 On the Go*	5:00 Cartoons
10:00 I Love Lucy*	5:15 Robin Hood
10:30 December Bride*	5:45 4-Star Report
11:00 Loce of Life*	6:15 Doug Edwards*
11:30 Search for Tomorrow*	6:30 Amos 'n' Andy
11:45 Guiding Light*	7:00 Johnny Midnight
12:00 Ray Milland Show	7:30 Rawhide*
12:30 Susie	8:30 Hotel De Paree*
1:00 Take 4	9:00 Desilu Playhouse*
1:30 As the World Turns*	10:00 Twilight Zone*
2:00 For Better or Worse*	10:30 Person to Person
2:30 Houseparty*	11:00 News
3:00 Millionaire*	11:15 Winter Olympics
3:30 Verdict Is Yours*	11:30 4-Most Feature

(Programs subject to change by stations without notice.)

VANCOUVER STOCKS

(Closing Prices)

MINES		
Beaver Lodge	.12	
Bralorne	5.35	
Cariboo Gold	1.10	
Craig	3.60	
Giant Mascot	.26½	
Granduc	1.10	
Highland Bell	1.60	
National Ex	.05	
Pend Oreille	2.60	
Quatsino	.17½	
Reeves MacDonald	1.55	
Sheep Creek	.78	
Sherritt Gordon	2.75	
Silbak Premier	.24	
Silver Ridge	.04	
Silver Standard	.26	
Sunshine Lardeau	.11	
Taylor	.15	
Trojan	.08½	
Utica	.00¾	
Western Exploration	.10	
OILS		
A P Consolidated	.54	
Calgary & Edmonton	19.25	
Charter	1.10	
Home	10.00	
Okalta Com	.48	
Pacific Pete	10.25	
Peace River Gas	.25	
Royalite	6.95	
Royal Can	.13	
United	1.50	
Vantor	.50	
INDUSTRIALS		
Alberta Distillers	2.40	
Alberta Distillers Vt.	1.85	
B C Forests	12.25	
B C Power	32.00	
B.C. Telephone	42.25	
Canadian Collieries	9.75	
Crown Zeller (Can)	18.25	
MacM & Powell River	15.62½	
Mid-West Cop.	.13½	
Trans Mtn	10.00	
Westminster Paper	35.50	
Western Plywoods	14.50	
UNLISTED		
Alta Gas Trunk	24.50	
Trans Canada Com	22.50	
Trans Mountain Unit	9.75	
BANKS		
Bank of Montreal	51.00	52.00
Can. Bank of Com.	50.50	51.50
Imp. Bank of Can.	53.50	54.50
Royal Bank of Can.	72.50	73.50
FUNDS		
All Can. Com.	7.06	7.67
All Can. Div.	5.63	6.12
Can. Inv. Fund	8.35	9.17
Commonwealth Int.	7.70	8.46
First Oil and Gas	3.75	4.10
Grouped Income	3.50	3.83
Investors Growth	5.65	6.11
Investors Mutual	10.42	11.27
Trans Canada "C"	5.50	6.00

EXPLOSION FEARED

VANCOUVER (CP)—Buses and motorcycles with open exhausts were rerouted in east Vancouver Thursday when a leak developed while crews were working on a gas main. Police, who feared the vehicles exhausts might produce a spark and cause an explosion, also issued warnings against smoking or lighting matches in the area until the leak was repaired.

ON THE AIR

CKLN PROGRAMS — **1390 ON THE DIAL**

PACIFIC STANDARD TIME

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1960

6:54—Sign On
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—Wake Up Time
8:30—Opening Markets
8:35—Wake-Up Time
8:45—The Archers
9:00—News
9:05—Morning Devotions
9:10—Story Parade
9:20—Alan's A.M. Spot
9:59—D.O.O.T.S.
10:00—News
10:05—Wheel of Fortune
10:10—Carnation Quiz Party
10:15—Tommy Hunter Show
10:45—John Drainie Tells a Story
11:00—Edge of Tomorrow
11:15—Jane Grey Show
11:20—Woman's World
11:25—Album Time
11:45—Swift Money Man
12:00—News
12:05—Polka Party
12:15—Sports News
12:25—News
12:31—Farm Broadcast
12:54—News and Noon Markets
1:00—Pacific Express
1:45—Sacred Heart Program
2:00—National School Broadcast
2:30—Trans Canada Matinee
3:30—CKLN Concert Corner
4:00—B.C. Road Report
4:05—Rocking With Boates
5:00—News
5:05—Rolling Home Show
5:20—Ottawa Report
5:25—Rolling Home Show
5:40—Closing Markets
5:45—Rolling Home Show
5:55—Dee's Show
6:00—News
6:10—Sports News
6:15—Musicale
6:25—Tempo Pt. 3
6:55—Musicale
7:00—News
7:30—Serenade
8:00—Cameos
8:30—Teen Pary
9:30—Songs of My People
10:00—CBC News
10:10—Sports and Weather
10:15—The Nation's Business
10:30—Anthology
11:00—Tuned to Dancing
11:57—News
12:00—Sign Off

CBC PROGRAMS

MOUNTAIN STANDARD TIME

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1960

6:00—Bert Nelson
8:00—News
8:10—Bert Nelson
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Hobby Club
9:30—Sports College
9:45—Footlight Favorites
9:59—D.O.O.T.S.
10:00—World Church News
10:15—CBC News
10:25—Regional Weather
10:30—Time for French
10:45—Chansonettes
11:00—Metropolitan Opera
2:30—Now I Ask You
3:00—CBC News
3:10—Weekend Listening
3:15—Ask the Weatherman
3:30—William Lyon MacKenzie
3:45—Stu Davis
4:00—Ray's Record
4:30—CBC Light Concert Orch.
5:25—News
5:30—NHL Hockey
7:30—CBC News
7:35—New York Philharmonic
9:00—Prairie Schooner
9:30—Drama in Sound
10:00—CBC News
10:15—This Week
10:30—Parade of Choirs
11:00—Western Jamboree
11:57—News

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1. Beseech
5. Smell
9. German girl's name
10. Corn ——
11. A light wood
12. Upright
14. Undo
16. Stitchbird
17. Abound
18. Having no feet
21. Ignorant
22. Vow
26. Pauses
27. Sahara mountains
29. To wind again
30. Strange (Scot.)
34. Jellylike substance
35. An injury
37. Roman magistrate
40. Not too much (mus.)
41. Recline
42. S-shaped molding
43. Units of work
44. Headland

DOWN

1. Smoothing device
2. Moon valley
3. State in India
4. Affirmative votes
5. Open (poet.)
6. June bug
7. American Indians
8. Remap
11. Except
13. Ornamental plates
15. Chinese dynasty
19. Young salmon
20. To be in debt
21. Force onward
22. Non-commissioned officer (colloq.)
23. Cajole
24. Nearer in the future
25. Mature
28. Entire
30. Custom
31. Baseball teams
32. Coops
33. Biblical name
36. Boy's jacket
38. Loiter
39. Half ems

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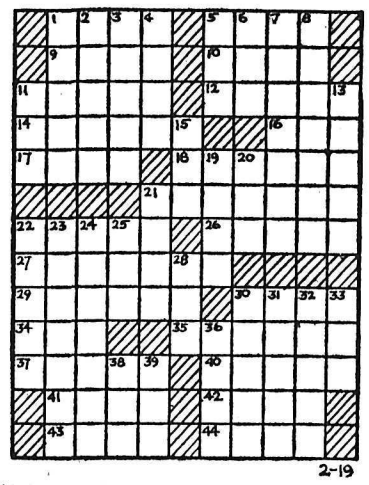
Yesterday's Answer



DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE — Here's how to work it:

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

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

A Cryptogram Quotation

TATFQ ELAEHREUT ZH RIT BECR ZC NMLUTL ZH RIT DZUIR YW RIT WZHED ZCCMT--LTPYCRITHTC.

Yesterday's Cryptoquote: HOW OFT THE DARKEST HOUR OF ILL BREAKS BRIGHTEST INTO DAWN — EURIPIDES.

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SMALL INVESTMENT — LARGE RETURNS

That's the Want Ad Story — **PHONE 1844**

YOU CAN NOW PHONE YOUR CLASSIFIED ADS IN UNTIL 5 P.M. ON SATURDAY.

BIRTHS

COSTAIN — To Mr. and Mrs. William Costain, 1018 Falls Street, at Kootenay Lake General Hospital, February 17, a son.

HOROBIN — To Mr. and Mrs. Denis Horobin, 307 4th Street, at Kootenay Lake General Hospital, February 18, a daughter.

HELP WANTED

9 HOLE GRASS GREEN GOLF course, requires Greenskeeper-Pro Operator: May 1st to September 30. Applications accepted to March 7, 1960. State Experience and Salary expected. References, further information apply—Secretary Kimberley Golf Club, Box 241, Kimberley, B.C.

MAKE MORE MONEY — SELL Household Necessities. Full time and part time Districts Available Write W. T. Rawleigh Co., Dept. BB-153, 589 Henry Ave., Winnipeg 2, Man.

HELP WANTED — FEMALE

GIRL TO DO DOMESTIC WORK in doctor's home, 5 children, home is fully automatic, no cooking required. $80 per mon. Ph. 10, New Denver.

SITUATIONS WANTED

FOR THE BEST IN BODY AND paint work, see Ted's Auto Body. 1 mile Granite Road, or phone bus 98, res. 1186-Y.

STENOGRAPHER 5 YEARS EXperience, requires part time office work. Box 7850, Daily News.

CHESTERFIELD, RUG CLEANing, moth proofing. Dutch Cleaning Service. Phone 2190.

OIL STOVES OR FURNACES serviced. Norm Bowcock Ph 385.

PUBLIC NOTICES

AUCTION SALE
Timber Sale X82167

There will be offered for sale at public auction, at 10:30 a.m. Local Time on 4th April, 1960, in the office of the Forest Ranger, Cranbrook, B.C. the Licence X82167, to cut 568,000 cubic feet of fir, larch, spruce, balsam, cedar and lodgepole pine trees and trees of other species on an area situated on Crown land on Tepee Creek, Kootenay Land District.

Seven (7) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Provided anyone unable to attend the auction in person may submit a sealed tender, to be opened at the hour of auction and treated as one bid.

Further particulars may be obtained from the Deputy Minister of Forests, Victoria, B.C.; the District Forester, Nelson, B.C.; or the Forest Ranger, Cranbrook (R.D. No. 4), B.C.

The Corporation of
THE CITY OF KIMBERLEY

Tenders are invited for construction of a new fire hall and minor alterations to the existing municipal building.

Drawings, specifications and tender documents can be obtained from the office of Smith & McCulloch, Architects, 860 Eldorado Street, Trail on deposit of $25.00.

Sealed tenders marked as to content will be accepted at the office of the undersigned up to 5 p.m. M.S.T. Monday 7th March, 1960.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Don Torgeson, City Clerk,
City Hall, Kimberley, B.C.

MACHINERY

LOGGING EQUIPMENT
by Owner

¾ Yd. Bantam Loader with Hiel boom on rubber; '54 Int. 170 dual drive truck with dual axle trailer; TD-6 Int. tractor with blade, canopy and winch; shop on wheels, with 550 gal. gas storage pump, meter, electric welder, gas welder, grinder, lathe, other tools too numerous to mention. These items are priced very reasonable and are in good shape with accessories included.

If Interested, Write
BILL BOGER
Route 2, Colville, Wash.
(Onion Creek)
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MARKET TRENDS

NEW YORK (AP)—The stock market had its second biggest rally of 1960 as it continued to rebound Thursday from a month and a half of decline. Trading was heavy.

Motors were active and made substantial gains. The advance was broad and included steels, oils, rails, utilities, chemicals, non-ferrous metals, electronics, drugs and building materials among others.

Among Canadian stocks, Hudson Bay Mining gained 1⅛, McIntyre Porcupine ⅝, Walker Gooderham ¾, Aluminium Ltd. ¼ and Dome Mines ⅛. Distillers-Seagrams lost ⅝ and Canadian Pacific and International Nickel ⅜ each.

American Stock Exchange prices advanced on volume of 1,010,000 shares. In the Canadian list, Scurry Rainbow Oil gained ¼. Preston East Dome lost 3-16 and Shawinigan ⅛.

TORONTO (CP) — The stock market, showing signs of a rally since Wednesday's big mid-afternoon loss, closed out higher in all sections during light trading Thursday.

Industrials faltered slightly near the close but were still ahead nearly one point on index. Base metals increased about ¾ of a point. Western oils were ahead more than ½ point. Base metals jumped nearly ½ point.

The final volume for the day was 1,775,000 shares, much lighter than Wednesday's final of 2,259,000 shares.

International Paper had the best industrial win of the day with a gain of 2½ points at 106. General Motors was up 1¼ at 45 and Industrial Acceptance gained a point at 32¾.

Losses were more spectacular on the industrial side. Goodyear Tire dropped 10 points at 150 on a small turnover of 25 shares. Huron and Erie dropped five points at 53 on sales totalling 50 shares.

Western oils were ahead with most changes in a fractional range.

Manitoba Elk Population Faced With Starvation

WINNIPEG (CP) — Hunger looms as a major enemy of Manitoba's elk population—one of the largest concentrations in Canada.

Attention was focused on the lack of food this winter when the Manitoba government declared a special limited hunting season on elk in regions bordering Riding Mountain National Park.

This action followed complaints by farmers that the animals were slipping out of the reserve to eat grain trapped in the fields by early snowfall. Government wildlife personnel found that the heavy snow had reduced the elk's natural food supply.

The 1,150-square-mile park, a hilly, heavily-timbered plateau 66 miles north of Brandon, is home for all but a few of Manitoba's elk. The population in 1959 was estimated by the Canadian wildlife service at 5,000—compared with 500 in 1914.

MANY STARVED

The elk population reached a peak of about 12,000 in 1946 but was cut down sharply by starvation in the winter of 1955-56.

The Manitoba section of the Canadian Institute of Forestry says the big rise in population during the 40s probably resulted from logging operations and forest fires, which made browsing conditions ideal.

The fact that the population appears to have fluctuated rather than increased during the last decade suggests that the elk has caught up with its food supply, an institute spokesman said. Movement of many animals into agricultural areas during hard winters was a further indication.

Provincial authorities are trying to decide whether special measures are needed to assure the animals a constant food supply. Some wildlife groups have suggested that the government stop allowing farmers to reap hay from the parklands, leaving it instead for the elk.

TOURISTS LIKE THEM

The key to the situation is the question of whether there are too many elk for the public good. The big animals with picturesque antlers are considered a good tourist attraction since they are readily visible to travelers driving through the park.

The sporadic elk-hunting seasons declared by the government as measures of population control are an attraction for big game hunters.

On the other hand, damage to farmlands when natural food is in short supply, and the elk's taste for succulent young hardwood trees—resulting in damage to forests—are big problems when the population becomes very large.

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OTTAWA (CP)—Plastic mail-boxes and three-wheeled mail delivery vehicles will appear next month in several Canadian cities.

The post office announced Thursday that the vehicles, called mail-mobiles, will begin operating in Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, Halifax and Vancouver after successful British Columbia trials last month in North Surrey and New Westminster.

In Toronto, Ottawa and Winnipeg, postmen also will try out a four-wheeled version of the vehicles designed for mail delivery in outlying suburbs where homes or groups of homes are far apart.

The plastic letter boxes are to be installed in busy locations in 22 cities during the next two months. They will maintain the traditional letter-box red but will have a new design. The department said it is interested not only in how practical they are but also on the public's reaction.

CUT PAINTING

It is hoped the color - impregnated plastic will eliminate the need of frequent repainting, especially in coastal centres. The boxes are expected to have more resiliency than the present metal boxes, 100 of which are damaged daily by cars or trucks.

Only a small number of mail-mobiles will be used in each city, following policy of trying out new machinery before adopting it on a large scale. They will be tested in all seasons.

The four-wheel machines, built of Canadian and British components by Gamalin (Canada) Limited, Preston, Ont., get about 55 miles to a gallon of gasoline and carry up to 500 pounds of mail. The U.S.-built three-wheel machines get 60 miles to the gallon and carry 600 pounds. Both have one - cylinder engines and top speeds of about 30 miles an hour.

Planned modernization also involves experiments with electronic sorting and handling of mail, including a trial run in Winnipeg in 1961 of a machine that will automatically separate parcels from letters, arrange envelopes face up, cancel stamps and separate local delivery letters from those with out-of-town addresses.

ELECTRONIC COMPUTER

Also in the experimental stage is a money order imprinting machine that might make it possible for an electronic computer in Ottawa to handle accounting and auditing of the 300,000 money orders completed daily in Canada.

Postal authorities also are studying use of a commercially developed, ink-impregnated plastic stamp that would liminate the familiar rubber stamps and ink pads from Canada's 11,270 post offices.

It is expected that by mid-summer the Ottawa computer will be used to make up the payroll of 14,000 employees in smaller post offices. They would be paid twice a month instead of monthly — a change the employees have sought.

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Actor Can Always Go Back To Bulldozing

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Here's one fellow who won't have to worry if screen actors go on strike — *Stuart Whitman.* All he has to do is climb aboard his bulldozer and go to work.

"I figure I've graded 200 lots in the hills above West Hollywood," he said. "Whenever I had time between picture assignments — and often the tme was long —I'd hire myself out for a job."

The bulldozer, he explained, was a gift from his far-sighted father, lawyer Joseph Whitman. Stu got it on his 21st birthday. It became his badge of independence.

"I've never take a role that I didn't really want to do," he said. "I've had a number of TV series offered to me — things like Trackdown and Wanted Dead or Alive. I didn't want to do TV; I wanted features. I could afford to wait for the roles to come along because I could always go out on a digging job."

BOW-OUTS HELP

It doesn't look as if Stu will have to do his own digging. His career is getting stronger all the time, thanks in large part to the recalcitrance of other actors. His first big break was in Darby's Rangers, in which he drew a hefty part because of the bow-out of Charlton Heston.

The film led to a 20th Century-Fox contract. He got a big break in The Sound and the Fury because Paul Newman stepped out of the cast, inherited These Thousand Hills from Bob Wagner and Hound Dog Man from Pat Boone.

Now he has his biggest part to date as Boaz in the studio's biblical epic, The Story of Ruth. He can thank Stephen Boyd for refusing the part.

Would he ever give up one career for the other?

"I don't think so," he said. "*Acting gives me pleasure, building gives me security.* I'd like to keep on with both."

B.C. Cattle Exports To U.S. Declining

KAMLOOPS (CP) — Cattle exports from B.C. to the United States dropped sharply in 1959, preliminary figures show. The total was 15,420 compared with 36,139 in 1958.

K. V. Chowen, manager of the B.C. Livestock Producers Co-Operative Association here, said however that increased demand from Eastern Canada for B.C. feeder cattle offset much of the drop in U.S. demand.

He said Canadian demand increased as prices slipped in a reflection of lower U.S. demand. Cattlemen generally experienced a good year, although prices were lower than in 1958, he added.

Exports reached a peak in 1958 when American cattlemen were conserving their cattle to replenish drought-stricken herds.

HOLIDAY BILL

VICTORIA (CP)—Leo Nimsick (CCF—Cranbrook) introduced a bill in the legislature Wednesday calling for a three-week vacation with pay following five years' service with any firm in the province.

ISRAELI CARGO CONFISCATED — Workmen begin unloading an Israeli cargo of cement, potash and marble at Port Said, where Egyptian authorities had detained it along with its carrier, the Danish freighter Inge Toft, for eight months and 20 days. The 7,725 tons of cargo was bound for Japan and Hong Kong. Now it will be sold at auction.

Your Individual Horoscope

By Frances Drake

For Saturday, February 20, 1960

MARCH 21 to APRIL 20 (Aries) —Don't rush into things without study, knowledge and good planning. Take your time.

APRIL 21 to MAY 21 (Taurus)— Much depends on how you look at prospects, opportunities at hand. You can have a productive, fruitful day.

MAY 22 to JUNE 21 (Gemini)— Get off to a flying start this splendid day. Results could surprise if you give your best efforts and don't do anything to offset possibilities. Don't be too restless.

JUNE 22 to JULY 23 (Cancer)— Auspicious rays should stimulate your interest and desire to accomplish big things. Realize the opportunities before you and don't be timid or undecided in action. Try to lighten the burdens of another.

JULY 24 to AUGUST 23 (Leo)— Concentrate on essentials to get maximum results now. Avoid anxiety and impatience; neither will help and both can do great harm. Household and family matters under good vibrations.

AUGUST 24 to SEPTEMBER 23 (Virgo) — Generally encouraging rays for professional pursuits and mental work although you may not be as full of unusual ideas as you generally are. Think before making decisions.

SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23 (Libra) — This day favors bettering present occupational conditions rather than making expansive plans for the future. Ask and grant favors, aid where you can.

OCTOBER 24 to NOVEMBER 22 (Scorpio) — Don't let tricksters like overconfidence or flattery keep you from the constructive and productive path now. You'll need initiative, stick-to-it-iveness, good humor.

NOVEMBER 23 to DECEMBER 21 (Sagittarius) — A warning: don't be careless in property transactions, spending, assuming debts. Otherwise, this period is encouraging, helpful.

DECEMBER 22 to JANUARY 20 (Capricorn) — Your planetary influences warn against foolish recklessness. If careful, you can enjoy a happy, pleasant day and weekend.

JANUARY 21 to FEBRUARY 19 (Aquarius) — Be sensibly money-conscious now. There's no need to be penurious, just wisely careful. Healthy sports, hobbies strongly sponsored.

FEBRUARY 20 to MARCH 20 (Pisces) — A good period for occupational interests, but even better for private affairs. Join family and friends and help make this a really joyous period.

YO UBORN TODAY are staunch, dependable, highly talented, and capable, with strong leanings toward the artistic or scientific fields. You can lead ably or work with and for others earnestly, conscientiously; are ingenious at planning ahead, courteous; make able instructors, teachers. You have a retentive memory, an agreeable personality; are capable of gathering much knowledge and can apply it usefully, gainfully if living true to your finer characteristics.

Birthdate: Joseph Jefferson, famous actor.

GOOD TURN WAS NOT SO GOOD

MILFORD, Ohio (AP) — Doing a good turn can take a bad turn, W. B. Goodman learned.

Goodman, turning onto a street here Wednesday, saw a car apparently stalled. The driver was making motions which Goodman interpreted as meaning he wanted a push.

So Goodman eased his car into position an dstarted pushing. The frantic signalling continued and Goodman thought that meant 'go faster." he speeded up.

Finally a stop-signal caused a halt.

The motorist meing pushed ran back and among the unprintable words he uttered, Goodman learned the man didn't want to be pushed—he was trying to flag Goodman past so he could back into a parking space.

Lynn Kauffman May Have Visited Doctor

HALIFAX (CP)—The Mail-Star says investigators seeking a doctor who may have been consulted by slain Lynn Kauffman two or three days before her body was found in Boston Harbor have failed in their search.

The investigators believed Miss Kauffman might have used the name Lynn Tucker and visited a psychiatrist or obstetrician. Willem Van Rie, the radio operator of the ship Utrecht on which Miss Kauffman was travelling, is on trial for murder in Boston.

The Utrecht was here Sept. 16-17 and an immigration department spokesman is quoted by the newspaper as saying Miss Kauffman was one of several people given permission to go ashore.

Van Rie's counsel, Walter Powers Jr., said in Boston:

"We made some inquiries in Halifax about what she did but I don't recall anything like this."

Warm Welcome For Mr. K. In Jakarta

By JOHN RODERICK

JAKARTA, Indonesia (AP)— Neutralist Indonesia Thursday gave Nikita Khrushchev the most enthusiastic welcome of his current Asian tour and he beamed with appreciation.

An estimated 200,000 Indonesians greeted him in the airport area and 300,000 more lined the motorcade route into the city as the Soviet premier began his 12-day visit looking brighter than at any time since he left Moscow.

Khrushchev, who got only lukewarm receptions from the public in New Delhi, Calcutta and Rangoon, was in high spirits and told the cheering Indonesians:

"*Indonesia is a country with a* hot climate and we are receiving a most warm welcome from the masses."

Khrushchev looked healthy and rested, in contrast to the tired, subdued appearance he exhibited during most of his stay in India and Burma.

PARTY MEMBERS HELP

Indonesia's powerful Communist party and the Communist-run trade union federation, *Sobsi,* joined the government in bringing out the crowd. Buses and trucks gave free transportation to the airport. Musicians beat native gongs and drums. Lines of school children slowed the motorcade into Jakarta.

Khrushchev declared full support for the "independent and active" policy of this sprawling young island republic and said the Soviet Union and Indonesia jointly stand for peace, elimination of colonialism and "prohibition of nuclear weapons menacing the life of humanity."

Indonesia's President Sukarno, carrying a black umbrella against the sun and his habitual gold swagger stick, met Khrushchev as he alighted from the big Ilyushin 18 turboprop plane which brought him from Burma. He praised Khrushchev as "one of the fighters for the people of your country and for world peace."

Communist China's ambassador, Hwang Chen, and United States Ambassador Howard Jones were among the 1,000 invited dignitaries at the airport. After the 21-gun salute, Khrushchev shook hands with them and smiled but did not pause to talk.

HINT OF AID

He hinted in his arrival speech that he may offer the Indonesian government further economic aid during his visit. "The Soviet people understand well and take close to the heart the hardships which the Indonesian people have lived through," he said.

He will find the Indonesians receptive to Soviet offers of aid but determined to cling to their neutralist policies in the international arena. The big nationalist newspaper *Merdeka said* "such loans should not influence our internal or external politics."

Khrushchev and Sukarno will not settle down to formal talks until Feb. 27, near the end of the visit. Together they will visit Bandung, Jogjakarta, Surabaya and Bali before negotiating sessions at Sukarno's summer palace in Bogor, 40 miles from Jakarta.

Sukarno is anxious to get Soviet credits in addition to the $118,000,000 worth already extended. The two leaders also are expected to lay the groundwork for cultural agreements and tourist exchanges.

Khrushchev arrived here at a time when Indonesia is embroiled in a dispute with Red China but he is expected to take a hands - off attitude toward the dispute over Indonesia's ouster of *Chinese merchants from trade in* rural areas.

Khrushchev and Ni Win Call For Test Bans

RANGOON, Burma (Reuters) — Premier Ne Win of Burma and Russian Premier Nikita Khrushchev called jointly in a communique released Thursday for early agreement on a nuclear test ban treaty and for world-wide disarmament.

Until a test ban treaty is reached, all nuclear powers should abstain from carrying out tests, they added.

The communique was issued here following the Soviet premier's two-day visit to Burma. He left Rangoon airport early for a 12-day visit to Indonesia.

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TORONTO (CP) — Every prediction made by the automotive industry today will prove to have been too conservative, H. E. Chesebrough, president of the Society of Automotive Engineers, said Wednesday night. Mr. Chesebrough, also vice - president of Chrysler Corporation of Detroit, told the annual meeting of the society's Ontario section the next 10 years will bring cars that are virtually trouble-free, use one-third less fuel and have more power, performance and economy per pound.

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ADULTS ATTENTION!
Anyone interested in rifle, archery or shotgun competition be at Canadian Legion tonight for organizational meeting. Group registrations and movie pictures, under the auspices of Nelson Rod & Gun Club.

We have over 200 juniors registered for Junior Firearms Program. We need help and instructors. Be at Canadian Legion hall tonight at 8 p.m. Nelson Rod & Gun Club.

Billy Vaughn's new hi-fi recordings "Golden Saxaphones" — "Blue Hawaii" — "Golden Hits" and others.
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ATTENTION GOLFERS
The Annual Meeting of the Nelson Golf and Country Club will be held on Thursday, Feb. 25, at the Chamber of Commerce Rooms, at 7:30 p.m.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank most sincerely and with deep appreciation the many friends who sent cards and flowers, also the kind expressions of sympathy in the passing of David G. Mosses, beloved husband and father.

Mrs. David G. Mosses
and Family

I wish to convey my heartfelt thanks to those who remembered me in their Prayers, and for the lovely gifts of flowers, cards and letters received during my recent illness.

Also special thanks to the nurses and staff of the B.C. Cancer Clinic, Dr. Hardie and Dr. Bie of Vancouver, the nurses and staff of the Vancouver General Hospital, Drs. Reubsaat, Smythe and Hall, nurses and staff of the Castlegar and District Hospital, and nurses and staff of the Kootenay Lake General Hospital for their excellent care.

—Mrs. E. F. Herman.

FUNERAL NOTICE
POPOFF — Funeral services for Mrs. Katy Popoff of Blewett will be held from the Ootischenia Community Hall, Saturday at 1 p.m. Interment will take place in the Ootischenia Cemetery. Thompson Funeral Service.

FUNERAL NOTICE
GEISSINGER — Funeral services for Mr. Alonzo Potter Geissinger will be held at the Thompson Funeral Home, Saturday at 2 p.m. Rev. R. Cross will officiate and interment will take place in Nelson Memorial Park.

FUNERAL NOTICE
BIRD—Funeral services for the late Mrs. Martha (George) Bird of 1598 Third Ave., Trail will be held Saturday, February 20 at 1:30 p.m. at St. Andrew's Anglican Church. Rev. E. H. Patterson will officiate. Cremation to follow. Clark's Funeral Chapel in charge.

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