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# Nelson Daily News

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**FORECAST**

Kootenay: Mainly cloudy with scattered snowflurries. Little change in temperature. Winds light. Low and high, at Cranbrook 5 and 25; Nelson area 10 and 25.

Friday: Partly cloudy. Cooler.

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# 30 - Hour Viet Nam Truce Called

## Lamp Explosion Set Cranbrook Fire

CRANBROOK— The fire Tuesday afternoon in which Mrs. Elizabeth Trottier, 46, lost her life ,originated with explosion of a high-test gasoline lamp, Fire Chief Vernon Doll reports, as fire marshal investigator.

The four-room rented frame house in pine trees at the foot of the North Second Street hill intersection with Victoria Avenue, stands by itself at city limits and has neither water nor power. Fire marshal inspection of the ruins Wednesday indicated Mrs. Trottier was lighting the lamp in the kitchen at the south end of the house when it exploded. She attempted to run out of the living room door at the north end of the house, but fell before she reached it, and this was where she was found, dead of burns .

Almost simultaneous unidentified calls at the fire hall summoned the pumper truck and even then the flames leaping into the pines were visible from the fire hall nearly a mile away.

Contents of the house, fairly complete furnishings, were demolished, and were not insured. The house was gutted but remains standing. It is property of Cranbrook Holdings Ltd. and was insured.

The location is a few yards below the property site for Cranbrook's new hospital expected to be under construction next year.

## 46 - Year - Old Woman Dies

## Senate Choices Getting Onceover

By RONALD LEBEL

OTAWA (CP)—With the new Parliament opening in less than a month, Senate fever is running high in political circles.

Vacant seats in the red chamber are comparatively numerous—12—and most of them have been gathering dust for months. All but two provinces have openings.

*Twice in the last week, Prime* Minister Pearson told reporters casually that he is "looking into" Senate appointments.

Several factors point toward early appointments:

—A tradition has grown up whereby the prime minister of the day distributes Senate appointments soon after an election to prominent party workers and fund-raisers, defeated stalwarts and retiring cabinet colleagues.

**P.M. UNDER PRESSURE**

—With the Senate and Commons convening Jan. 18, Mr. Pearson likely is under pressure to bring the upper chamber closer to full strength.

—British Columbia and Alberta are greatly underrepresented in the Senate. With six seats apiece, Alberta has three vacancies and B.C. two. Quebec has two vacancies out of 24 seats. Ontario, Saskatchewan, New Brunswick, Newfoundland and P.E.I. each has one vacant seat. Nova Scotia and Manitoba delegations are at full strength, 10 and six seats, respectively.

There has been speculation the two cabinet ministers who were unseated Nov. 8, former agriculture minister Harry Hays, 56, and former mines minister J. Watson MacNaught, 61, might be named to the Senate. Mr. Hays is from Alberta and Mr. MacNaught P.E.I.

However, Mr. Pearson said Monday Mr. Hays would like to *seek a Commons seat in a by-*election if a vacancy should develop in the next few months. Such a vacancy could be created by elevating an MP to the Senate.

One Senate prospect is Commons Speaker Alan Macnaughton, 62, who did not seek re-election last month and will retire when the new Parliament elects his successor Jan. 18. In the past, many retiring speakers have been named senators.

VIETNAMESE BRIDGE—American soldiers walk on a log as they ford a stream during a patrol north of Chu Pong, South Viet Nam, near the Cambodian border.

## U.S. Ceasefire Order Marks Christmas Spirit

SAIGON (AP)—U.S. military leaders today ordered a 30-hour Christmas truce in Viet Nam. There was no indication of the Viet Cong response.

U.S. forces were ordered not to fire except in self-defence. A similar order was issued by South Vietnamese military leaders.

The U.S. military command ordered the ceasefire from 6 p.m. Dec. 24 to midnight Dec. 25. It seemed unlikely the troops would go unarmed, as proposed by the Viet Cong.

Two weeks ago, the Viet Cong offered a conditional 12-hour truce from Christmas eve into Christmas Day. The Viet Cong offer was qualified by demands that U.S. troops should not carry weapons, launch attacks or engage in spying.

A U.S. military spokesman said today's ceasefire order is "in keeping with the spirit of Christmas."

**POPE PLEADS**

The announcement followed reports from Vatican City that Pope Paul, who pleaded Sunday for at least a Christmas ceasefire, has taken direct diplomatic action to encourage negotiations for a general settlement in Viet Nam.

The Texas White House said Wednesday President Johnson had authorized U.S. commanders to make the final decision on a Christmas truce.

U.S. military officials had been cool to the Viet Cong offer because, they said, guerrillas had violated such lulls in the past.

Around Saigon, meanwhile, U.S. troops were girding for a sharply stepped-up offensive in an attempt to crush Viet Cong battalions ringing the South Vietnamese capital and to prevent a Viet Cong takeover in the Central Highlands.

The emphasis will be on what one high military source calls "a true hunter posture." Reconnaissance patrols will make lightning probes of jungle hideouts where the Viet Cong in the past have eluded showdowns except on their own terms. When sizable contact is established, large reserve forces will be committed.

Planning for expanded American ground operations went ahead as the weekly casualty summary issued Wednesday by the U.S. military assistance command reflected diminished operations last week.

The report listed 10 Americans and 239 South Vietnamese government troops killed in action, and 126 Americans and 425 South Vietnamese wounded. It recorded 920 Viet Cong killed and 89 captured.

**STRONGHOLDS HIT**

U.S. warplanes struck again in North Viet Nam's heartland and, in the south, blasted an old Viet Cong stronghold less than a half mile from neutralist Cambodia's frontier.

A Hanoi dispatch broadcast by the New China news agency said four U.S. planes were shot down during the day. Independent confirmation was lacking.

## Pope Paul Presses For Peace Moves

VATICAN CITY (AP)—On the eve of his annual Christmas message to the world, Pope Paul is reported to be directing a program of active Vatican diplomacy to encourage negotiations toward ending the war in Viet Nam.

Vatican sources said Wednesday night the Pope will undoubtedly talk about Viet Nam when he makes his Christmas speech tonight.

He appealed Sunday for at least a Christmas ceasefire and the U.S. and South Vietnamese commands in Saigon said today they will observe one.

The sources said the Pope is growing concerned over the human misery of the war and is fearful the conflict will spread.

They said the pontiff is not interested in favoring either side in the war, but in encouraging moves for negotiation and making Vatican diplomatic channels available as the avenue for contacts.

**TO MAKE CONTACT**

Vatican diplomats in various world capitals have been given the task of making direct contacts and soundings in Viet Nam itself, the sources said.

A sign of the Pope's concern was seen in an announcement Wednesday by Caritas Internationalis, a worldwide Catholic charity organization, that Paul has given a $100,000 Christmas donation for Vietnamese war victims of both north and south. The Pope gave $50,000 to Caritas several weeks ago for the same purpose.

At the United Nations in New York, the Vatican's observer, Msgr. Alberto Giovanetti, told reporters the Pope's motive in appealing for a Christmas truce was "to stop the flow of blood for at least that day." He noted that the Pope expressed hope a lull in the fighting would lead to "reflections and negotiation."

## Wilson Sets Limit On Aid

By HAROLD MORRISON

LONDON (CP)—Prime Minister Wilson says there's a limit to how far he will go in supporting President Johnson in United States bombing of North Viet Nam but an aide says this in no way should be interpreted as a split in British-American policy.

The aide said Wednesday Wilson made his remark mainly for the benefit of the Labor party's left wing which has conducted a strong campaign for a halt to the air bombardment of North Viet Nam.

Johnson has been under pressure from some American politicians to destroy North Viet Nam's biggest cities as well.

Wilson told the Commons Tuesday:

"We have always made it clear that there are some escalations of the bombing which we could not support, including bombing of the major cities in North Viet Nam."

**WANTS 'WILLINGNESS'**

But he added: "Of course, it is no good approaching these problems on the basis which says that the United States should do this and stop doing that unilaterally. It is for us to be able to get some corresponding willingness on the other side.

## Woman Gets Tough Post In British Cabinet Moves

LONDON (CP)—A 54-year-old woman who has no driver's licence was appointed Britain's transport minister Wednesday night, one of the toughest and touchiest government posts.

The task of wrestling with Britain's complex traffic problems went to Mrs. Barbara Castle in a cabinet shuffle announced by Prime Minister Wilson.

She relinquished the post of minister of overseas development.

Her job will include handling two of Britain's hottest domestic problems—how to deal with the automobile, which is choking a grossly inadequate road system and threatening the economy of the country, and how to modernize rail transport.

Mrs. Castle, a former journalist and wife of a reporter, immediately called a press conference.

Asked whether a driver's licence might help her cope with traffic snarls, she replied "not necessarily."

"I doubt whether I will have a lot of time for trying to pass a driving test.

**MENTIONS DEATH TOLL**

"The problems are there for us to see. We live with them: The misery of the commuter, the death toll on the road and the fact that traffic will come to a standstill unless we have some new ideas."

The red-headed Mrs. Castle, first woman minister of transport, replaces Tom Fraser, 54, who has resigned. He was subjected to considerable criticism during his 14 months in office.

The only surprise in Wilson's shuffle was the dropping of Anthony Greenwood from the post of colonial secretary.

Into Greenwood's shoes stepped 60-year-old Lord Longford, *who also continues* with his present job as leader of the House of Lords.

Greenwood, a leader in the Labor party's left-wing faction, became minister for overseas development. Political observers rated this a downgrading.

**FIRST CABINET POST**

Roy Jenkins, 45, former aviation minister and a leading pro-European member of the administration, gets his first cabinet post as home secretary, replacing Sir Frank Soskice, 63, who stays in the administration with the non - departmental post of lord privy seal.

Jenkins will be responsible for the implementation of a wide range of key measures, including the controversial Commonwealth Immigrants Act, which restricts the flow of immigrants. Critics contend the act is intended to curb non-white immigration.

His successor as aviation minister is Fred Mulley, formerly deputy defence secretary with special responsibility for dealing with the army and with Britain's military alliances, such as the North Atlantic Treaty.

## Canada Brands Russ Talk as Defamation

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada accused Russia Wednesday night of an entirely unfounded campaign of defamation against West Germany.

An external affairs department official spokesman said it is a matter "for grave concern that Soviet policy should apparently be directed not only toward the indefinite postponement of solutions to cardinal issues of European security, but also toward sowing mistrust of the Federal Republic of Germany as a partner in NATO by an entirely unfounded campaign of defamation against it."

The spokesman was commenting on a Moscow report Wednesday quoting Tass, the Soviet news agency, as saying that Canada is supporting the revival of German militarism by permitting West Germany to conduct cold-weather weapons tests at Camp Shilo, Man.

The report said Robert Ford, Canadian ambassador in Moscow, was called to the Russian foreign ministry Tuesday to receive the Soviet view.

**EXPRESSES SURPRISE**

The spokesman said it is "surprising" that the Soviet government should publish, almost as soon as delivered, a communication made to the Canadian ambassador.

He said it appears that Mr. Ford was called to the foreign ministry to provide an excuse for the Tass report.

The Canadian defence department announced Aug. 17 that German technicians would go to Camp Shilo to conduct cold-weather trials of armored vehicles. The Germans now are at the camp.

"Co-operation within the (NATO) alliance is of course extended without discrimination to all members," the spokesman said.

*Use of the facilities of one* NATO country for equipment trials and training of the forces of another was an established form of co-operation among NATO partners.

"The Canadian government considers such co-operation with its allies to be an integral and important feature of our general defence effort and essential to the effective functioning of the alliance," the spokesman said.

## To Join Ban on Oil Sales

LONDON (CP) — British authorities said Wednesday night they have word that South Africa and Portugal intend to observe the international ban on oil sales to Rhodesia.

In addition the informants said the South Africans have decided to block Rhodesian foreign currency assets held in Pretoria.

The reported move by the two countries politically sympathetic to Rhodesia could prove a major setback for Premier Ian Smith whose white-minority regime is in danger of isolation.

South African and Portuguese diplomats in London would not comment on the reported developments.

## Dimbleby Dies

LONDON (Reuters) — Richard Dimbleby, 52, Britain's top television commentator, died of cancer Wednesday.

Dimbleby was known to millions around the world for his descriptions of Britain's great state and royal occasions.

He had been in hospital here for eight weeks.

## Toronto Paper Joins Eight-Paper Group

TORONTO (CP) — The Globe and Mail, Toronto's morning newspaper, has joined the FP Publications group with dailies in six other cities.

Addition of The Globe and Mail to the FP group was made known late Wednesday in a joint announcement by the two publishing companies. It said that officers of the various newspapers in the group are unchanged *and that each paper continues its* present editorial policies.

Financial details of the transaction were not announced.

The merger statement said: "The Globe and Mail, Toronto, has joined with FP Publications Ltd., according to a joint announcement by the two publishing companies.

"The FP newspaper group includes the Winnipeg Free Press, the Ottawa Journal, the Vancouver Sun, the Calgary Albertan, the Victoria Times and Victoria Colonist, the Lethbridge Herald and The Free Press weekly Farmers Advocate.

"The six members of the board of The Globe and Mail will be joined by G. Max Bell of Calgary, John W. Sifton of Winnipeg, and R. S. Malone, general manager of FP Publications.

"R. Howard Webster, chairman of the board of The Globe and Mail, will become a director of FP publications. Control of the enlarged parent company will be vested among Mr. Sifton, Mr. Bell, Mr. Webster and Mr. Malone. It is anticipated that this new grouping will substantially strengthen the news facilities of the member newspapers."

**DEVELOPMENT ENSURED**

James L. Cooper, publisher and editor-in-chief of The Globe and Mail, said he is pleased that the arrangement ensures the future and the continued development of the newspaper. The statement quotes him:

"Mr. Webster continues as chairman, I remain as publisher, and Earl B. Richards as general manager. No change is being made in the management, character and tradition of the newspaper, which will continue to be objective in its news and independent in its editorial opinion.

"The arrangement means that nine newspapers will be better equipped to meet the increasing competition of all media and that none of the newspapers will face the danger and uncertainty of a sudden, forced sale to meet inheritance taxes."

## Daylight Saving Schedule Set

**VICTORIA (CP) — Daylight Saving Time will return to British Columbia at 2 a.m. April 24, the cabinet announced Tuesday.**

**The fast time, which gives more daylight hours during the Summer, will end October 30.**

## Thomson To Enter Shipbuilding

LONDON (CP)—Lord Thomson, the Canadian - born publisher, has decided to add shipbuilding to his extensive enterprises and incidentally help preserve the jobs of some 5,000 Scottish workers.

Economics Minister George Brown announced Wednesday that Thomson and another wealthy entrepreneur, Sir Isaac Wolfson, are joining the government and trade unions and other groups to take over Fairfields shipyard in Glasgow.

The amount of equity involved is the equivalent of about $6,000,000 with the British government putting up 50 per cent and the private groups, including trade unions, putting up the other 50 per cent.

## Fire Guts Natal Theatre

**NATAL — Fire destroyed the interior of a theatre in this Crow's Nest Pass mining village Wednesday. The fire, believed caused by a faulty furnace, broke out only an hour before schoolchildren were to have watched a free movie.**

## U Thant Urges Truce

UNITED NATIONS (CP) — Secretary - General U Thant called Wednesday for an immediate truce in Viet Nam and declared: "This war must be stopped."

He said the will for peace "must be more positively reflected in the actions of all the parties involved in the fighting."

## Two Die in Truck Crash

SALMON ARM (CP) — The bodies of two men, both believed from Calgary, were recovered late Wednesday after the wreckage of their transport truck was pulled from Shuswap Lake, about 25 miles west of here.

Police withheld identification pending notification of next-of-kin.

The big semi-trailer plunged off the Trans-Canada Highway on a curve early Wednesday.

# *Christmas Business Records Topple in Canada*

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

The greatest Christmas buying splurge in history is nearing an end as Canadians, many still with cash to spare, besiege transportation companies in record numbers.

Many will holiday in Mexico, Florida, or parts of the Caribbean, a Cross-Canada Survey by The Canadian Press shows.

Others, during what is expected to be mainly a white Christmas across the country, will quietly celebrate the birth of Jesus in churches and in helping others in home surroundings.

While the annual holiday travel rush gained momentum, motorists heard the prediction that 60 will die on the roads during Christmas. The Canadian Highway Safety Council, said another 1,200 will be injured in auto accidents.

Other long-range predictions came from weather bureaus. They added up to a green Christmas in southern B.C. and southern Ontario and mostly white elsewhere.

**ARCTIC AIR BUILDS UP**

Arctic air building up over Alaska and the Yukon posed frigid possibilities for the Prairies. Mild weather melted snow in southern Ontario and Quebec. Clearing skies cheered the generally - snow - covered Maritimes. But Newfoundland, already hit heavily, braced itself for further heavy snowfalls.

Canadians took to the air as never before. An Air Canada spokesman said the airline expects enough holiday traffic to fill 30,000 extra seats, about two-thirds of them for use in Canada.

Travel agents, bus lines and railways also reported record business.

Heavy Christmas buying saw shoppers trooping to stores under bright lights and decorations which transformed downtown shopping areas.

A winter wonderland sprang up in Montreal's Lafontaine Park where a nativity scene was complete with live lambs and a donkey. An ice palace was built and 13,000 colored lights strung about the branches of trees. The city executive committee approved an expenditure of $22,000.

**The picture across the country:**

**British Columbia:** "Every day has been Christmas day for us," said one merchant reporting record sales. One department store owner said trade was up 20 to 25 per cent over 1964.

A carol ship sailed through Vancouver harbor for three nights, watched by thousands of motorists and residents. The ship, the ferry Northland Princess, carried 40 grade-school carollers in a convoy of two charter boats and city fireboats.

Vancouver show business people, as members of Variety Clubs International staged the first annual Christmas party for 500 retarded and handicapped children in a night club.

**The Prairies:** All regular and 17 extra Air Canada flights from Edmonton were booked solid from Dec. 20 to Jan. 3 and there was a heavy waiting list Canadian Pacific Airlines reported exceptionally heavy booking to tourist areas such as Mexico and Hawaii. Flights over the North Pole also had almost solid booking.

The CNR at Edmonton reported the heaviest demand ever, with one eastbound and one westbound transcontinental train added.

Retail sales were reported high in Prairie cities.

The Edmonton post office handled three times the normal mail, more than 1,000,000 letters on one day.

At Winnipeg the Christmas Cheer Board, which provides needy families with hampers and gifts planned to aid 6,000 families, up 1,100 from 1964.

The 120 West Germany army technicians recently arrived at Camp Shilo, near Brandon, Man., can spend Christmas with German-Canadian or Canadian families. Said one German officer: "We could find places for another 50 boys for Christmas."

**Ontario:** Merchants' shelves were cleaned out at the Lakehead and late shoppers found choices limited. Because of distance from sources of distribution and the seasonal strain on transportation there was little opportunity for merchants to repair inventories to meet the final shopping rush.

Record bookings were reported by Toronto travel agencies for flights to Florida and other southern points.

Illuminated Christmas trees surrounded Toronto's new city hall, where a series of nightly chorals featured city choirs and professional entertainers.

At Kitchener about 30 members of the Kitchener Pony Club planned Christmas carolling on horseback.

A rush of Christmas shopping at Sudbury was credited to a victory by the United Steelworkers of America over the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers for control of 15,000 international nickel company workers. Storekeepers believed this gave housewives a feeling of security and helped loosen family budgets.

**Quebec:** Heavy demand was reported on railway travel facilities. Extra and longer trains were planned on many routes, particularly from Montreal to the Maritimes and from Montreal to Ottawa and Toronto. An Air Canada spokesman estimated 50,000 to 60,000 passengers would fly in and out of Montreal from Dec. 18 to Jan. 4, including 35 extra flights across the Atlantic.

**The Atlantic Provinces:** A last-minute shoppers' rush continued in full swing in cities such as Halifax and Saint John, depleting stocks.

Snow up to two feet deep covered parts of Newfoundland, with more expected. At St. John's, the Roman Catholic Newman Club and the Anglican Canterbury Club on Memorial University campus sponsored a "Keep Christ in Christmas" campaign.

# Merchants Note Increased Christmas Business

City construction in North America is using up farmland at a rate of 1,000,000 acres a year.


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CIVIC PLAYERS THEATRE


# Power Rate Structure Investigation Underway

A committee named by Balfour and district residents to petition the city of Nelson for a power rate reduction comparable to that being offered by West Kootenay Power and Light Company is still awaiting word from a Public Utilities Commission investigation into the matter.

"We're still sitting here waiting to see what happens," said Clyde Johnson, committee chairman, who declared they (the committee) would "go the full length of the North Shore" to get backing for their cause.

Describing the current power rates a "very unfair situation," Mr. Johnson told the Daily News that "the last word we have received from the city was from Ald. Edith Van Maarion, who told us we were lucky the rates weren't going up instead of getting a reduction."

Reduction demanded by the committee, which represents Balfour, Longbeach, Procter, Harrop and Queen's Bay, would encompass between a 35 and 36 per cent cut in current rates which, says Mr. Johnson are "25 per cent higher than Nelson rates." The figure is based on the present cost of eight cents for the first 50 kilowatts.

Compounding the problem, added Mr. Johnson, is the fact that the area has been offered a "much lower rate" by West Kootenay Power, who have a 170,000 volt line above Balfour. However, negotiations cannot begin without a release from Nelson, Mr. Johnson added, since the city has a franchise.

"They claim they have a franchise, but it's for rights of service only," emphasized Mr. Johnson.

So far, several meetings between city officials and the Utilities Commission together with Mickey Thomas, electrical consultant from Vancouver, have been held "in camera," but no results have as yet been forthcoming.

"All we are mainly interested in is reasonable service out here," claims Mr. Johnson, who feels present service is frequently prone to "fluctuations" and "breakdowns."

In a formal statement, Mr. Johnson added that "up to the present time, we are not too pleased with the way things are going, but we're going to see it through to the finish."


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CARTOON


## ROGUISH RODENT REVELS IN JAIL

By BOB CAMPBELL
*Daily News Staff Reporter*

A roguish rodent who believes in starting Christmas celebrations early is under surveillance by the Nelson Police Department.

The whole thing began when Chief H. M. Thomlison left a [illegible] red' chocolate on his desk the other night. [illegible] came back next morning to enjoy the forgo[illegible] dbit, suspicious teeth marks were discovered on the bon-bon. The same thing happened the next night.

Although no clues were left behind to confirm the culprit's identity, the "modus operandi" together with size of bites have led police to the conclusion that the sneaky snitcher is a sweet-toothed mouse who by now must have an elephant-sized hangover since the chocolate he has been sampling is spiced with gin.

"We're not going to catch him until he has squeaked three bars of Auld Lang Syne on New Year's Eve,'" smiled Chief Thomlison. From the rate in which the suspect has been nibbling on the spirited sweet, it just might last that long.

"He wants to save some for the New Year," observed the Chief, who fully believes to have the mouse-adventurer in irons before 1966 rolls around.

"We've got the whole department working on the case," he added solemnly.

## More Information Asked by CPR

Nelson City Council Monday night referred a reply from the Board of Transport regarding application for authority to construct an overhead bridge to carry Ward Street over Canadian Pacific Railway tracks.

Board secretary C. W. Rump stated, by letter, that the Board required an estimate showing quantities, unit prices and all surcharges which may be applicable so that the Board engineer may investigate cost estimates on inspection.

The cost of sidewalks on the approaches to the grade separation is considered part of the cost if there are sidewalks on the approaches to the two crossings to be eliminated.

If there are no sidewalks at the existing crossings, construction cost of sidewalks on the proposed grade would be considered a highway improvement.

The same would apply to construction costs for curbs and gutters on the approaches.

The inclusion of light standards on the structure itself can be considered as part of the initial cost on which a grant may be made from the Railway Grade Crossing Fund.

Street lighting on the approaches would not be considered part of the project cost.

## Sally Ann Drive A Bit Down

The Salvation Army's Christmas Kettle is boiling lower than last year, although "response has been good," Lieutenant M. R. Harris told the Daily News.

"On the fire" since December 1, the Kettle will be out soliciting financial help every day Christmas week to help provide Yuletide hampers for indigent families, as well as ease economic burdens of the needy throughout the rest of the year.

During the Christmas season, the local unit also co-ordinates disposition of all Christmas hampers, with the exception of the local Royal Canadian Legion and several service clubs. The compassionate cause is also carried on all year long by the Salvation Army's League of Mercy, who distribute "sunshine bags" to patients at Willowhaven, Mount St. Francis and Kootenay Lake General Hospital.

## Sewer Bylaw To '66 Council

Nelson City Council Monday night referred the Sewer Utility Rentals By-law to the incoming council after two stalemate votes were taken and Mayor E. T. Bodard had twice declared the motion lost.

The controversy arose when Mayor Bodard stated that the sewer rental was directly linked with the proposed water rate increase.

Three members of council felt that action should be taken. The by-law has already been approved by the lieutenant - governor - in - council and was tabled once before.

Alderman Don Porteous felt that sewer rental rates were too low and that the best part of a year had been spent working on the bylaw.

Sewer rentals come due January 15 and users have until February 15 to pay in order to secure a discount.

Cit ytreasurer Eric Willmot stated that sewer rentals enter into the provisional budget and that current rental rates were based on the 1965 water rates.

## To Appraise City's Assets

Nelson City Council Monday night accepted, subject to inventory verification by City Administrator C. W. R. Harper, a $4800 bid by General Appraisal Company of Vancouver to appraise city assets.

The $4800 fee would include disbursements to personnel while on assignment and has been allocated in the budget.

For each building owned by the city, the report would contain a complete description of the structure for insurance rating purposes, a construction summary, details of insurance exclusions and final insurable values.

All equipment appraised would show new replacement costs and depreciated values.

The city's power distribution system would not be included, but the report would cover details of the transmission system from Bonnington power plant to the city's main substation.

## Conciliation Chairman

W. A. Forsyth of Nelson has been appointed chairman of the Conciliation Board in negotiations between the city and Nelson Civic Employees Local Union 339.

Representative members to the board are John Oliver and Charles Fraser.

Appointed conciliation officer R. S. Raguin earlier failed to bring in an agreement.

The contract expired last February.

# Late Shoppers Rush For Last Minute Gifts

With only a few shopping days remaining, late Christmas shoppers are rushing to complete their gift lists much to the pleasure of merchants in Nelson's business district.

Throughout the city's business district, revenues have shown a decided increase over last year and many managers and owners have linked the influx to construction of High Arrow and Duncan dams.

A spokesman for the Retail Merchants Association commented that the area seems to have experienced a greater flow of money and the result has been increased spending.

Men's shops cite sweaters and casual jackets as two of the most popular items on the Christmas gift list.

The presence of the Canadian National Ski Team in Nelson could account for an increased interest in the sport and ski equipment and fashions have been highlighted in many local window displays.

Women's dresses, which have dropped skirt lengths from above the knee to almost floor-length, continue to be in demand. Plain shades with effective lace trim and high neck-lines are still the rage.

City department stores noted that household appliances, long a stand-by on a Christmas shoppers' list, have been handsomely displayed with the benefit of special visual advertising effects.

Managers noted that living room and dining room suites in hardwood patterns have attracted a wide interest from the discerning shopper.

Children continue to flock to the toy department. But no longer does the shopper find simple children's toys; instead a maze of wind-up dolls, cars and what have you.

Do-It-Yourself toys, complete with flashers and sound effects, fascinate children of all ages.

One little boy stood in the toy corner recently as his older brother patiently explained the workings of a scale model airplane. He didn't take his eyes off it the whole time as the props spun madly and the engine ground out accompanying noises.

Children's clothes have continued to take on a fashionable appeal. Turtle-neck tee shirts, no-pleat pants and collarless blazers are now part of a youngster's wardrobe from three to 13.

Mother and daughter and father and son matching sets are all the vogue.

Jewelry store managers grace their displays with diamonds and silver. Silver serving sets and earthenware are two items that seem to have a lasting popularity.

Local druggists who joined Associated Retail Pharmacists are catering more to Christmas gift buyers. Shoppers can now find perfumes ,and other small gifts to decorate the base of the Christmas tree.

One service that husbands, boy friends and male shoppers in general can be thankful for is gift--wrapping. If it wasn't for the artistic ability and patience of the sales personnel, some of the presents under the tree Christmas morning would have been wrapped in the bags they came in.

## HEALTH UNIT WARNS, CONTAMINATED CUBES

Imported plastic novelties, including freezable ice balls now being offered for sale throughout the province, have revealed "gross contamination" of water contained in a high proportion of such items, says a report from Victoria received by the local Selkirk Health Unit.

The report states that although no illness has so far been incurred, it was felt "they do constitute a serious potential health hazard and should not be used." Most marked pollution cases appear to be in novelties imported from Hong Kong, although contamination of Japanese and West German products has also been discovered.

## Few Accidents

Traffic accidents in the district were light Wednesday.

Trail RCMP were investigating an accident in the city which netted damage amounting to approximately $250, involving two cars. One car went out of control momentarily on a corner due to slippery conditions, according to a report, and was in collision with another car coming in the opposite direction. No names were available at press time.

At Duncan, opposite the Mannix camp, Wednesday afternoon, a truck and car were in collision, with no one reported injured. Police were investigating Wednesday night.

At Trail also, road blocks were in effect this week and will be until after the New Year, to check on drinking drivers.

## POLICE WILL WATCH CHRISTMAS REVELLERS

Nelson city police "will be on the alert for impaired drivers," is the word from Chief H. M. Thomlison, who is issuin gformal advance warning to Christmas revellers to forget about driving if they have imbibed in too much "Yuletide spirits."

Celebrants who have trouble with gravity after a party are advised to leave their cars behind and take a taxi after notifying police where their vehicle is parked.

"The police department will be happy to look after such cars," said Chief Thomlison.

Another warning, this time to parents, concerns used of city streets by children for sleigh runs. Parents are advised to make sure they know where their children are located when playing with sleighs, or to supervise all such activity.


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# East Kootenay Regional District Launched

## Grand Forks Bridge Club Elects Campbell Prexy

GRAND FORKS — Mrs. J. B. Campbell was elected president of the Grand Forks Bridge Club at a meeting held recently at the home of the president.

Other officers elected were Lottie Ralloff, vice-president; H. P. Ritchie, secretary-treasurer; B. Hardwicke, play director; N. F. Brookes, representative to Okanagan Unit Board.

The club will continue to hold weekly games in the Sacred Heart Parish in the coming year on Tuesday evenings. A system for arranging partnerships, if and when required, is being instituted.

The club is anxious to increase its membership and is willing to sponsor a series of instruction if a sufficient number of people indicate their interest in bridge.

Results of the five-table Howell duplicate game held on December 7 were: 1st. B. Hardwicke and H. Denamy; second — A. McKay and H. P. Ritchie; third — E. Wright and G. Bedard; fourth — P. Bodnarchuk and W. Palmer.

Leading contenders in the Archer Davis Trophy race are: B. Hardwicke (70); H. Ritchie (63); M. Gillespie (57); H. Denamy (52); E. Wright (48). There are three games left to play in the competition.

## Cominco Makes Appointment

TRAIL — R. E. Walton, manager of the purchasing division of The Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company announced the appointment of D. M. R. Williamson as traffic supervisor.

The appointment became effective December 1, after the retirement of R. E. Hawkes.

Born and educated in Trail, Mr. Williamson began his employment with Cominco in 1934 at the company's Trail retail store. He was transferred to the traffic department in 1949 and became assistant traffic supervisor in June, 1956.

Mr. Williamson, his wife Margaret, and one daughter live in Trail.

## Announce Start Of Sewer Line

ROSSLAND — Alderman C. Skinner told council in his report for the Water and Sewer Committee Monday night, that the new sewer line on Victoria Avenue west of Davis Street, has been started.

He said his department hopes to have the line completed before spring and avoid a seepage problem that will occur with the spring break-up.

He also told the meeting that there is a good supply of water in the reservoir and that patrols of the logging operations in the watershed area had revealed the conditions there are good.

## Tree Features School Dance

SALMO — A 20-foot high, gaily bedecked tree centred the secondary school gym for the annual pre-Christmas dance staged by the student council. Smaller trees sparkled in the corners and a mock fireplace added to the festive air while a good crowd turned out to enjoy the party.

Promptly at 11 o'clock, Santa Claus bounded in with a jangle of bells and a merry ho ho to one and all and it was announced by Josie Besenger, student council president, that Jolly Kris Kringle would crown the Snow Queen and King.

The winning team for this yearly student popularity contest was demure Danita Turner and comely Robert Cox. Both stepped forward to be dutifully crowned by Santa, who then disappeared amidst a crash of applause while the "royal" pair took over their sovereign duties for the evening.

## Hector Ermacora Dies Suddenly

KIMBERLEY — Widely known hospital orderly in Kimberley for 30 years, Hector Ermacora died suddenly at Kimberley Saturday. He had joined the staff of McDougall Hospital in the 1930s and transferred with the staff to the Kimberley and District Hospital when it opened several years ago. He was 51 years old, and was born and grew up in Coalhurst, Alta. During the Second World War he had served three years with the Medical Corps, Canadian Army.

He is survived by his wife, Lillian, Kimberley; one son, Gary, Wycliffe; a brother, Louis, Lethbridge, and two sisters, Mrs. Bertha Hyssop, Nelson, and Mrs. Teresa Negretto, Lethbridge.

Rev. John Allison conducted funeral services Wednesday at McPherson Funeral Chapel here.

## Special Yule Skating Set

ROSSLAND — A special session for older students and adults plus extra skating sessions for the youngsters have been arranged for the Christmas holidays.

At the RCAA meeting Tuesday night, directors decided to open the arena for public skating on the afternoons of December 28 and 30. The adult sessions will be on Thursday evening, December 30. The arena will be closed on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day, but will be in operation on December 26 for public skating and curling if required from 1:00 — 5:00 p.m.

W. Draper reported that the RCAA Finance Committee had met with the Warriors Hockey Club in an effort to obtain a contract to cover play-off games, but with no success. On recommendation of the Finance Committee, the RCAA accepted the regular season agreement with the Hockey Club.

Mr. Draper also reported a meeting with the Minor Hockey Club at which an arrangement was made for use of the arena for games on Friday nights between the Minor Hockey and Juvenile teams.

## Forty Children Greet Santa

SALMO — Forty excited children greeted Santa Claus when the local Fire Department put on their annual family Christmas party earlier this week.

Staged in the Masonic Hall, parents and youngsters enjoyed the two-hour festivities complete with gifts and refreshments.

## Kimberley Woman Dies Aged 70

KIMBERLEY — Mrs. John Walker, Pioneer Lodge, Kimberley, died at Kimberley and District Hospital Friday at the age of 70 years. She had lived in East Kootenay 54 years and Kimberley 42 years.

She was born Elizabeth Lythgoe in England, and the family came to Canada and Yahk in 1911. She was married at Yahk in 1915 and they settled in Kimberley nine years later. He survives her at Pioneer Lodge, and two sons, Ernest, Chapman Camp; Leonard, Prince George, and one daughter, Mrs. Alice Krown, Kimberley; eight grandchildren, one great-grandchild, and two brothers, Arthur Lythgoe, Chapman Camp, and Ernest Lythgoe, Victoria.

United Church funeral rites were followed by burial in Kimberley Cemetery.

## Suggest Changes In Inspections

CRESTON — A complaint by a cattle shipper that police can not be expected to inspect a shipment of cattle the moment it is ready to go because they are often called away on other duties at the time, has prompted discussion of the relief of the RCMP from the cattle inspection, by the Creston Board of Trade meeting in the near future.

The cattle industry has taken a great increase in the valley lately with a number of flats' farmers raising beef cattle on some portions of former grain lands.

A thankless task, inspection is becoming too great a chore for the police and a suggestion was made that it should be done by a government inspector.

## Salmo Notes

SALMO — Miss Lynne Likus, student nurse at the Royal Columbia Hospital in New Westminster, has arrived home to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Likus of Salmo. She will return to the hospital after the New Year to commence her second year.

Less than 35 per cent of city householders' milk is delivered nowadays, compared with 85 per cent in 1925.

## Cranbrook Librarian To Northern Post

CRANBROOK — Miss Patricia L. Smith, librarian for the East Kootenay Branch of the B.C. Library Commission with Cranbrook headquarters the past three years, completes this service and has accepted a new appointment by the government of the Northwest Territories.

With Hay River headquarters in mid-January, she will establish one of the biggest library area services in the world. The territory stretches from the Yukon and Alberta boundaries into the Arctic to include Baffin Island, the Arctic coast, Aklavik, Inuvic and Frobisher Bay, in addition to the relatively southern centres of Yellowknife, Pine Point and Fort Smith.

Books from the library depot will be circulated through existing community libraries already operating, and new community libraries anticipated started in more sparsely settled northland centres. With no highway system to provide truck access for circulating the supplies of books among libraries, book transport will be mostly by plane where possible and during navigation season by boat on the Mackenzie River and Arctic shipping.

Total population of the Territories is about 25,000 widely distributed, and special efforts will be made to supply books which can be read and enjoyed by people not accustomed yet to much use of the written word, such as the Eskimo population on the Arctic fringe.

Department of Resources and Indian Affairs is basic sponsor of the new library area.

## Three Charged After Break-In

MIDWAY — Two teenagers were charged with breaking and entering and a juvenile is to appear in juvenile court at a later date in connection with a break-in five miles north of Greenwood.

Richard Walch, 19, and Robert Willan, 18, both of Greenwood, will appear in court today. The juvenile is also of Greenwood.

RCMP report a small home was left in a shambles with furniture smashed, cupboards torn off the walls, windows broken and household articles scattered about, following a break-in.

The resident had been away a few days and when he returned Sunday morning discovered the vandalism and reported it to the police.

## 2300 Feet Of Main Laid

CASTLEGAR — Since work began on Nov. 1 on Castlegar's Water bylaw, 2300 lineal feet of water main have been laid, council was informed by Comm. Lorne Zinio.

Three fire hydrants have been installed and eight major ties with existing water mains were also completed and additional valves installed.

There are 10 more service connections to be installed in the Sopow subdivision and once these are completed, the old wood stave and plastic water mains can be closed off, saving water which is being lost by leakage.

## Present Letters Patent At Cranbrook Ceremony

CRANBROOK — Henry Nelson of electoral area B, centering on Galloway, was named first chairman of the East Kootenay Regional District which received its letters patent at Cranbrook Saturday.

The board's function will be regional planning for the entire district, community planning including zoning, building and subdivision regulations within the individual electoral areas, and will be parent organization for individual improvement area projects.

Oath of office was administered to the appointed representatives present from municipalities of Cranbrook, Fernie, Chapman Camp, Sparwood, and electoral area A, G. H. Fedorek of Natal, area B, Henry Nelson; area C, Vince Downey, Cranbrook; area E, Gerry DeCosse, Kimberley, and area G, Cameron Moore, Edgewater. Some of the other areas and municipalities were represented at the meeting, but not by their appointed directors and in these cases oath administration was postponed until the latter attend.

Final composition of the board will be 15 members, seven from the rural electoral areas which each represent approximately 2500 population in unorganized territory, and eight from the eight municipalities named by their own municipal government. Next December the individual rural areas will each elect its own member.

Each electoral area will have one vote on the board, while municipal board members will have one vote for every 2500 population, which allows Cranbrook and Kimberley three votes each, Fernie two and the other five a vote each.

Thus total votes of the functioning board are 20, but these will operate only on matters concerning the whole regional district.

From the practical point of view the component electoral areas either singly or in any combination can undertake improvement area projects such as water, fire protection or hospital construction on which they will ballot within their own boundaries and be financially responsible within their own boundaries.

This preliminary meeting agreed to have its initial official meeting at Cranbrook Jan. 22. Under the municipalities department policy toward establishing regional districts, the board is alloted $5000 for 1965, and again for 1966 toward defraying costs to board members to put the regional district in operation.

The initial meeting will deal with establishing cost of attendance at meetings, tentatively quarterly, in this initial year before board members are returned to office by election, and will authorize payment of these expenses on a fixed formula of mileage and time involved.

Frank Bertoia was named secretary.

**YOGI NOT FORGOTTEN**

LONDON (Reuters)—Yogi the racoon got a Christmas parcel from Canada at London Zoo Tuesday. The parcel, containing six large packages of brazil nuts, came from Yogi's former owner, S. R. Pengelly of Toronto. "He passed Yogi on to us when he moved to Canada," said a zoo official. "He never forgets his former pal at Christmas."

## Marysville Man Dies Age 52

MARYSVILLE — Marysville resident since 1958 and Cranbrook native son, Ellsworth Charles Ryan died Saturday at Kimberley Hospital at the age of 52 years.

He had been Marysville commissioner, St. John Ambulance officer, Marysville Community Chest director, Parent-Teacher Association president, and at Trail he had been active in Red Cross and Cancer Society work.

Son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ryan of Cranbrook, he attended Cranbrook schools and, following his marriage to Eva Descoteau in 1936, moved to Trail where he was employed by Cominco. In 1958 he transferred to Marysville as a shift supervisor.

Surviving are his wife, two sons, Daniel in Edmonton and David at home; three daughters, Mrs. Anne Elder, Chilliwack, Lynn in Cranbrook and Donna at home, and four grandchildren. Two sisters, Mrs. Faith Bates of London, Ont., and Mrs. Phyllis Perry of Vancouver, also survive.

## Crash Rash At New Denver

A rash of accidents have been reported by RCMP in the New Denver area, due to slippery roads.

A small 1962 car driven by Terrence McCrory of New Denver, overturned a mile north of Hills Sunday night. Neither he nor his passenger was injured, but damage to the car was estimated at $500 to $600. In another mishap about four miles north of Hills, a 1960 convertible driven by Jacques Thibault of New Denver sustained about $400 damage Thursday night when it hit an icy corner, went into the ditch and overturned.

A. W. Bieber of Lumby was uninjured when his 1959 station wagon failed to negotiate a curve on the outskirts of New Denver Friday night and overturned in the ditch. Damage was under $100.

Several other vehicles slid off the slippery roads into the ditch, in what RCMP termed minor accidents.

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## TORONTO STOCKS

| INDUSTRIALS | | |
|---|---|---|
| Abitibi | 10.87 | 11.00 |
| Algoma Steel | 60.50 | 61.50 |
| Alta. Gas Trunk | 38.00 | 38.37 |
| Aluminum | 32.50 | 32.62 |
| Argus | 18.25 | 19.00 |
| Argus C Pfd | 12.25 | 12.37 |
| Bank of Mont. | 61.75 | 62.25 |
| Bank of N.S. | 71.75 | 72.00 |
| Bathurst Power | 21.25 | 22.00 |
| Bell Telephone | 56.12 | 56.25 |
| B.A. Oil | 29.00 | 29.25 |
| B.C. Forest | 22.12 | 22.75 |
| B.C. Packers A | 17.62 | 18.50 |
| Burns & Co. | 16.25 | 17.00 |
| B.C. Telephone | 68.50 | 69.00 |
| Calg. Power | 26.50 | 26.87 |
| Can. & D. Sugar | 23.25 | 23.50 |
| Can .Cement | 43.50 | — |
| Can .Iron | 62.00 | 62.25 |
| Can. Breweries | 7.62 | 7.75 |
| Can. Canners | 14.00 | 14.25 |
| Can. Industries | 19.75 | 20.25 |
| Can. Imp. Bank | 64.00 | 64.50 |
| Can. Pac. Rly. | 65.75 | 66.00 |
| Chemcell | 13.62 | 13.75 |
| Col. Cellulose | 7.12 | 7.37 |
| Cons. Min. & S. | 47.00 | 47.50 |
| Cons. Paper | 39.00 | 39.25 |
| Cons. Gas | 15.12 | 15.37 |
| Crestbrk. Timber | 5.25 | 6.00 |
| Dist. Seagrams | 36.00 | 36.25 |
| Dom. Bridge | 27.00 | 27.25 |
| Dom. Stores | 23.00 | 23.50 |
| D. Electrohome | 14.25 | 14.75 |
| Dom. Tar & C. | 18.25 | 18.37 |
| Dom. Foundries | 26.37 | 26.50 |
| Dom .Textiles | 32.25 | 32.37 |
| Eddy Match Co. | 36.50 | 37.00 |
| Eddy Paper | 14.25 | 14.50 |
| Falconbridge | 106.00 | 106.50 |
| Famous Players | 24.25 | 25.00 |
| Fanny Farmer | 41.00 | 47.00 |
| Ford Motor Co. | 60.00 | 62.50 |
| Ford of Can. | 153.00 | 156.00 |
| Gen. Steel Wares | 10.87 | 11.00 |
| Greyhound Lines | 12.62 | 12.75 |
| Goodyear | 201.00 | 202.00 |
| Gt. Lakes Power | 30.00 | 30.50 |
| Home Oil A | 17.50 | 17.62 |
| Home Oil B | 18.50 | 18.87 |
| Husky Oil | 13.62 | 13.87 |
| Hudson Bay Co | 14.25 | 14.37 |
| Imperial Oil | 52.37 | 52.62 |
| Ind. Accept. | 22.75 | 23.12 |
| Imp. Tobacco | 14.12 | 14.25 |
| Ind. Minerals | 8.50 | 9.00 |
| Inland Nat. Gas | 9.50 | 10.00 |
| Intl. Utilities | 29.87 | 30.00 |
| Int. Nickel | 99.00 | 99.62 |
| Jefferson Lk. | 24.75 | 25.00 |
| Laurentide | 11.12 | 11.37 |
| Loblaw B | 10.87 | 11.00 |
| Massey Ferg. | 32.62 | 32.75 |
| MacM Powell R | 25.75 | 26.00 |
| MGF Manage. | 8.50 | 8.75 |
| Molson Brew. A | 32.00 | 32.50 |
| Mont. Loco. | 13.75 | 14.12 |
| Moore Corp. | 79.12 | 79.75 |
| Noranda | 51.75 | 52.00 |
| Ogilvie Flour | 14.12 | 14.37 |
| Pacific Pete | 11.87 | 12.00 |
| Price Bros. | 38.37 | 38.50 |
| Power Corp. | 12.25 | 12.50 |
| Que. Nat. Gas | 13.62 | 13.87 |
| Royal Bank | 72.50 | 73.00 |
| Rothmans | 22.87 | 23.12 |
| Salada Foods | 11.37 | 11.62 |
| Shell Oil | 19.75 | 19.87 |
| Simpsons | 27.75 | 28.00 |
| Southam | 39.00 | 39.75 |
| Steel of Can. | 25.37 | 25.50 |
| Traders Fin. A | 11.75 | 11.87 |
| Texaco | 53.00 | 53.50 |
| Trans Mtn. Pipe | 17.50 | 17.87 |
| Trans Can. Pipe | 37.75 | 37.87 |
| Union Carbide | 27.50 | 27.75 |
| Un. Gas of Can. | 31.00 | 31.25 |
| Walker - Gooder. | 34.37 | 34.62 |
| Westcoast Trans. | 23.12 | 23.37 |
| Weston Geo. A | 19.00 | 19.25 |
| Woodwards A | 24.75 | 25.00 |
| Zenith Elect. | 2.35 | 2.40 |
| Advocate | 4.55 | 4.90 |
| **MINES AND OILS** | | |
| Atlantic Coast | 1.58 | 1.59 |
| Agnico | 1.20 | 1.29 |
| Aetna Inv. | 1.28 | 1.34 |
| Aunor | 3.30 | 3.35 |
| Barnat | .64 | .66 |
| Bethlehem Cop. | 5.35 | 5.45 |
| Banff | 7.45 | 7.50 |
| Bralorne | 4.65 | 4.75 |
| Brunswick | 15.00 | 15.25 |
| Cadamet | .09 | .09½ |
| Campbell Chib | 6.90 | 7.00 |
| Can. Delhi | 2.75 | 2.80 |
| Campbell R.L. | 19.00 | 21.00 |
| Cariboo Gold | .40 | .45 |
| Cassiar Asb. | 13.87 | 14.00 |
| Central Del Rio | 10.62 | 10.75 |
| Central Patricia | 1.75 | 1.80 |
| Charter Oil | 3.00 | 3.25 |
| Chimo | 1.48 | 1.50 |
| Cheskirk | .15 | .16 |
| Copperman | .10½ | .11 |
| Cons. Rambler | 1.92 | 1.94 |
| Cons. Halliwell | .51 | .52 |
| Cons. Mogul | 3.70 | 3.75 |
| Conwest | 7.10 | 7.30 |
| Copper Corp. | .65 | .69 |
| Cowichan Cop. | .84 | .85 |
| Craigmont | 11.50 | 11.75 |
| Denison | 35.75 | 36.00 |
| Dickenson | 4.40 | 4.50 |
| East Malartic | 1.57 | 1.60 |
| East Sullivan | 8.15 | 8.25 |
| First Maritimes | 4.90 | 4.95 |
| Fargo | 2.80 | 2.92 |
| Frobex | .83 | .85 |
| Great Plains | 10.75 | 11.00 |
| Giant Mascot | 1.30 | 1.35 |
| Giant Yel. | 12.50 | 13.00 |
| Granduc | 3.10 | 3.15 |
| Gunnar Mines | 2.04 | 2.05 |
| Highland Bell | 8.70 | 8.90 |
| Hastings M&D | 2.32 | 2.34 |
| Hollinger | 25.25 | 25.87 |
| Hudson Bay Mg | 76.25 | 77.00 |
| Hydra Ex | .21 | .22 |
| Iron Bay | 2.32 | 2.34 |
| Iso | 2.01 | 2.02 |
| Kerr Addison | 8.60 | 8.75 |
| Key Anacon | 2.65 | 3.00 |
| Labrador | 32.50 | 34.00 |
| Lake Dufault | 13.12 | 13.25 |
| Leitch | 5.70 | 5.75 |
| Little Long Lac | 1.71 | 1.80 |
| Lorado | 1.30 | 1.35 |
| Madsen | 2.13 | 2.15 |
| Malartic | .69 | .70 |
| Mattagami Lake | 16.62 | 16.87 |
| McIntyre | 90.00 | 91.00 |
| McKenzie | .08 | .09 |
| Midcon | .53 | .56 |
| National Pete | 2.57 | 2.60 |
| North Can. Oil | .24½ | .25 |
| New Jason | .06½ | .07 |
| New Hosco | 2.62 | 2.65 |
| New Conex | 7.25 | 7.40 |
| Norlex | .16½ | .17 |
| New Conex Wts. | 3.50 | 3.55 |
| Normetal | 4.60 | 4.70 |
| Northgate | 7.70 | 7.75 |
| Opemiska | 8.75 | 8.80 |
| Orchan | 4.30 | 4.35 |
| Petrol O & G | .65 | .68 |
| Permo Gas | .24½ | .25½ |
| Pickle Crow | .27½ | .29 |
| Pine Point | 74.00 | 76.00 |
| Place Gas | 1.73 | 1.74 |
| Placer | 25.37 | 25.50 |
| Patino | 10.25 | 10.37 |
| Preston | 10.50 | 11.00 |
| Provo | 2.22 | 2.25 |
| Que. Manitou | .21 | .23 |
| Quebec Lithium | 3.10 | 3.15 |
| Quemont | 10.62 | 10.75 |
| Roman | 7.35 | 7.40 |
| Radiore | .75 | .76 |
| Raglan | 2.02 | 2.05 |
| Rayrock | .99 | 1.00 |
| Reeves Mac | 2.60 | 2.75 |
| Rio Algom | 18.87 | 19.00 |
| Sarimco | .19½ | .20 |
| San Antonio | .15 | .16½ |
| Sherritt Gordon | 5.55 | 5.60 |
| Silver Standard | 1.18 | 1.19 |
| Siscoe | 2.27 | 2.33 |
| Steep Rock | 6.50 | 6.60 |
| Sullivan Con. | 5.65 | 5.75 |
| Teck Corp. | 5.00 | 5.10 |
| Torbrit | .51 | .54 |
| Tribag | 2.41 | 2.43 |
| United Buff | .48 | .49 |
| Union Oil | 22.50 | 23.00 |
| United Keno | 4.60 | 4.70 |
| United Oil | .13 | .14 |
| Upper Canada | 1.45 | 1.50 |
| Violamac | 3.75 | 3.85 |
| Western Mines | 5.00 | 5.10 |
| Wright Harg. | .70 | .79 |
| Wilroy | 1.77 | 1.78 |
| West. Beaver | .14 | .15 |
| Zulapa | .23 | .24 |

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| INDUSTRIALS | | |
|---|---|---|
| Burrard Mort | — | 6.00 |
| Growers A | 3.25 | — |
| Growers B | 3.40 | 3.50 |
| Okan. Helecopters | 2.60 | 2.75 |
| Sun Pub. A | 24.00 | 24.75 |
| Sun Pub. B | — | 25.00 |
| Int. Brew. B | 9.25 | — |
| **MINES AND OILS** | | |
| Canam Cop. | .15 | .16 |
| Bethex | .53 | .55 |
| Copper Soo | .35 | .37 |
| Cons. Standard | .16 | .20 |
| Crown Silver | .12½ | .14 |
| Coast Copper | 12.50 | 13.50 |
| Dolly Varden | .41 | .42 |
| Dundee | .35 | .37 |
| Endako | 16.00 | 16.25 |
| Kamloops | .43 | .44 |
| Earlcrest | .22 | .24 |
| Galaxy | .40 | .45 |
| Mt. Washington | .35 | .37 |
| London Pride | .18 | .22 |
| Ottawa Silver | .62 | .63 |
| Lytton | .36 | .38 |
| Peace River Pete | .30 | .31 |
| Magnum | .37 | .38 |
| McKinney | .14½ | .15 |
| Silver Ridge | .25 | .26 |
| New Cronin | .46 | .47 |
| Skeena Silver | .66 | .70 |
| New Imperial | 1.37 | 1.45 |
| Trojan | .23 | .29 |
| Quatsino | .22 | .23 |
| Torwest | .64 | .66 |
| Pyramid | 13.12 | 13.50 |
| Van Tor Oil | .05½ | .06 |
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| Investors Growth | 9.04 | 9.83 |
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| Div. Income | 5.83 | 6.41 |
| Mutual Accum. | 5.10 | 5.58 |
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## New Jobs, New Faces

Prime Minister Pearson's impressive cabinet shake-up meets or exceeds public demand on several counts.

Mr. Pearson has clearly resolved to modernize the internal structure of his government, reward and utilize available talent, and encourage younger men to move into positions of power and responsibility. At first glance, his program seems well designed to achieve these aims.

New vigor has been injected into the administration. Four out of the five new ministers range in age from 47 down to 36 years and the fifth is only 55. Significantly, many ministers given wider scope are men in their early 40s. Mr. Pearson is apparently putting together a strong team for a long pull. Its performance in the next Parliament should be lively and interesting.

The rearrangement of portfolios and the upgrading of several functions and departments gives evidence of thorough study of previous shortcomings. The nation will be better served by having a distinct department of manpower and another for resources and energy, having regard to automation and retraining problems and the rising importance of such things as atomic energy and water management. Greater emphasis is also to be placed on suppression of crime and the rehabilitation of criminals. More attention is to be paid to rural development.

Hon. Mitchell Sharp's retention of the finance portfolio and his replacement by Robert Winters in trade and commerce should please everyone with a knowledge of their outstanding abilities. Hon. J. R. Nicholson has earned his advancement from immigration to labor. Hon. Arthur Laing is well equipped to handle the new linking of Indian affairs with his former northern affairs duties.

The new minister without portfolio, John Turner, is obviously marked for greater things. He is a shining figure in the new generation in Canadian politics and will be expected to go far.

The newcomers from Quebec, Jean Marchand as minister of manpower and Jean-Pierre Cote as postmaster-general, are expected to represent their province ably in place of the resigned State Secretary Lamontagne and Postmaster-General Tremblay. These two ministers were wise and proper to step down in view of their innocent indiscretions in the furniture affair.

It would probably have been better for all concerned if Mr. Favreau had done the same. There is no stain on his character but his presence will be a continuing embarrassment to the government. Responsibility for keeping him is Mr. Pearson's alone.

Miss Judy LaMarsh's deficiencies as minister of health and welfare have brought her demotion to the state secretary's rank, with Hon. Allan MacEachen moving up from labor to take over.

Hon. Maurice Sauve's promotion, with rural development added to his forestry department, will be a topic of debate. Mr. Sauve must have convinced Mr. Pearson that there is nothing of substance to allegations of improper conduct in the election in his constituency. The prime minister is content to leave it to any disgruntled person to take the matter to court under the Controverted Elections Act. If such an action should succeed, Mr. Sauve would have to go, but Mr. Pearson seems to have no qualms.

The net result is that Mr. Pearson has done a commendable job of reorganization with the material on hand. But he knows that there is no magic in new faces or new labels. It will be up to him during the first months of the new year to prove that he can knit the new and old personnel into a cohesive unit and lead it in the better service of Canada.—*Vancouver Sun.*

## Canada's Move

It is not without significance that the first two African Commonwealth nations to break off diplomatic relations with Britain in protest over Prime Minister Wilson's handling of the Rhodesian crisis are those who are most under the influence of Communist powers.

The two — Ghana and Tanzania — though officially professing their non-alignment with any non-African political ideology have long made it clear to the West that they look with considerable favor upon the Communist system.

And with all the finesse of a barazza bargainer they have sought to place their future political allegiance on the block for the highest bidder.

And in this matter of international blackmail they have been most successful. Millions of dollars and millions of pounds — and no doubt millions of rubles — have been poured into their backward countries in gifts, grants and loans made by the Western democratic and Communist governments alike.

Even Canada has been played for a patsy in this somewhat sordid game. At this very moment Ottawa is paying out 10,000,000 taxpayers' dollars for the dubious privilege of setting up an air force for the pro-Communist government of Tanzania.

Now that these two Red-leaning African republics have broken with Britain, it is to be hoped that they will be expelled from the Commonwealth at once and that Ottawa will finally see the futility of its ill-considered gesture of friendship and withdraw its material and technical aid immediately.

If it does not, it will be taken throughout Africa and by the world at large as proof that Canada now allies itself with the irresponsible nations of the Organization for African Unity in their demand for war and bloodshed over Rhodesia.

—*Victoria Colonist.*

## Genuine Phoney

The City of Hamilton has been plagued with an outbreak of counterfeit $20 bills. And it seems you can't trust anyone.

A young lady having her hair done offered a $20 bill to the hairdresser in payment.

"Is it a real one?" she was asked.

"Sure, just made it myself," the customer replied.

Further investigation showed the bill was counterfeit. The customer was relieved of responsibility, however. She proved to police that she was given the phoney bill when she cashed her pay cheque . . . at a bank.—*Toronto Daily Star.*

# The Stamp Corner

By JAMES MONTAGNES

The spread of education throughout the British Commonwealth is illustrated on many stamps, the latest of which appeared recently for the new University of Malawi, which used to be known as Nyasaland. The stamps featured a book and a microscope.

Two years ago Kenya-Uganda-Tanganyika issued stamps for the opening of the University of East Africa, made up of colleges in each of these three former colonies. The units are shown on the 2 shilling value of the Uganda series and the 20 shillings stamps of the 1963 Kenya series.

New stamps come from Great Britain (top left) for new post office tower at London, Cook Islands (top right) for self-government, Austria (lower left) for 10 years membership in the United Nations, Spain (lower centre) for Christmas, and Brazil (lower right) to native poet Leocio Correia.

Many Commonwealth countries have featured their universities, colleges and schools on stamps in recent years. India has been the most prolific producer of such stamps since 1931. It has also featured educators on its stamps.

Pakistan has shown some of its schools on stamps of 1948 and 1960. Ceylon shows Buddhist seminaries on 1959 stamps. Hong Kong's 1961 $1 values depicted the arms of its university.

The British islands in the West Indies each had a series in 1951 for the opening of the University of the West Indies. Trinidad shows a tropical agricultural college on the 2 cents value of its pictorial series of 1935, 1938 and 1953.

Other educational establishments which have appeared on Commonwealth stamps include the College of Samoa on the 1966 independence series of Samoa, Fourah Bay College of Sierra Leone on 1961 stamps of this former colony, and the College of Further Education at Lusaka on Zambia (formerly Northern Rhodesia) 1964 stamps.

New Zealand has had stamps to Otago and Canterbury universities, Newfoundland to Memorial University, Pitcairn Island to its schoolteacher's house, Bahamas to a high school, St. Kitts-Nevis to its grammar school, Zanzibar to colleges and schools, while Newfoundland had a stamp in 1933 portraying England's famed Eton College.

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New issues . . . Angola has issued stamps to racial unity . . . Albania shows paintings on its latest series . . . Bulgaria has a set to horse racing . . . Afghanistan has stamps for its king's birthday . . . France has stamps for reforestation and for the 300th anniversary of the resettlement of Reunion Island in the Indian Ocean . . . West Germany has a series to the Cinderella fairy tale for its semi-postal issue . . Honduras has a set for the centenary of the death of Father Subirana . . . Japan has a stamp to letter-writing week . . . New Caledonia has issued stamps for the 25th anniversary of the Free French movement . . . Hungary has a new floral series . . . Korea has issued stamps for athletics and the tobacco industry . . . Surinam has a series for a power development . . . Russia has stamps for cinema art and for its scientists . . . Central African Republic has two Boy Scout stamps . . . Brazil has a stamp for the visit of the Grand Duke and Duchess of Luxembourg . . . Austria has a Red Cross stamp . . . Maldive Islands has a series for saving the Nubian monuments on the Nile River . . . Nigeria features native art on its newest stamps.

# South African Racial Problems

**South Africans offer a variety of arguments in defence of their racial policies. Canadian Press reporter Joseph MacSween reviews them in this story.**

By JOSEPH MacSWEEN

CAPE TOWN (CP)—A massive parade of argument is marshalled by South Africans in defence of their racial policies.

These are linked with the country's importance as a defence bastion of the West—whose spokesmen so often deplore the actions of Prime Minister Hendrik Verwoerd's Nationalist government.

"Without us you will have nothing between Europe and the South Pole when the fight against communism begins," is one defence argument.

"This is the only slave state in history where the slaves are fighting to get in, not out," says banker Jan Marais, in discussing the politico-economic situation. "We have 1,000,000 illegal black immigrants who won't leave."

As for the purely economic side, a college professor enumerated the ways South Africa has boomed despite world criticism and quoted the words of the late prime minister, Field Marshal Jan Christian Smuts:

"Whenever I despair of South Africa, something always crawls out of the rocks"—diamonds, gold, coal, many other minerals.

The Dutch-descended Afrikaners are considered the most hard-shelled opponents of black nationalism. But in recent years immigrants have been arriving at the rate of 30,000 annually.

**AFRICANS 'COWED'**

Some from Kenya and Rhodesia can be expected to be anti-black but others from Britain and various European countries soon latch on to the advantages of apartheid, or separate racial development.

"I have no reason to think that English, Americans or Canadians would act differently than the Afrikaners if they were here," said an official of the South African Institute of Race Relations.

Economic prosperity and comparative tranquillity have convinced many that in the face of turbulence in other parts of Africa, a profound solution is being reached in this climate-blessed stronghold of the white man.

But the race-relations official—recalling the 1960 Sharpeville massacre and harsh treason-trial verdicts—commented "it's simply that the Africans have been cowed." She added that resistance and repression follow a pattern and this happened to be a quiet period.

An English-speaking editor, asked whether any new uprisings by Afracans were likely, lifted his hands in the manner of a gangster movie. "Rat-tat-tat," he said, with the well-known expressive gesture.

A government employee who took a reporter to see perhaps the world's best nursery school for black children was asked the same question.

"If enough people wanted to die . . ." he began cryptically.

"But there's no need to think about that," he added. "The Transkei and the other Bantustans are being prepared so that the natives will be equal with the white man in their separate places."

In global defence strategy, the Simonstown naval base 30 miles from here had an important role in the Second World War and now by treaty is available for use by Britain and her allies in the event of another conflict, even if South Africa is not involved.

Admiral H. H. Biermann, naval chief of staff, interviewed at Simonstown, scoffed at speculation that South Africa's big defence buildup is aimed at containing its own populace rather than facing a possible outside foe. The 30-ship navy was designed primarily for anti-submarine warfare.

The county in recent years has been making a determined attempt to counteract bad publicity and an important agency in this effort has been the privately-sponsored South African Foundation, whose head is Sir Francis de Guingand, wartime chief of staff to Field Marshal Bernard Montgomery, another fan of South Africa.

Sir Francis recently wrote that although South Africa occupies only six per cent of the land area of the African continent and has only seven per cent of its population, it accounts for 40 per cent of Africa's gross industrial product.

He added: "Should the use of the Suez canal be denied to the West, if Aden should be lost, or if Communist-controlled or unaligned African states were to deny fly-over rights to Western aircraft . . . South Africa's harbors and airfields would be vital to the anti-Communist alliance."

In a passage not designed to win friends with African-ruled states Sir Francis explained that South Africa's resources are protected by white-supremacist Rhodesia and Portuguese-ruled Mozambique and Angola.

The philosophic basis of separate development was outlined for a reporter by a prominent Afrikaner editor who stressed the South African situation cannot be compared with the United States, where only 10 per cent of the population is Negro.

The editor reacted vehemently against a frequently-heard thesis that economic integration — meaning that millions of blacks are propping the South African economy with their labor — will eventually break down apartheid.

"Sometimes I wish the word apartheid had never been invented because it obscures the issue," he said.

"The heart of the Nationalist party, and in a sense it goes farther than that, is not a certain system or certain laws but the absolute determination of white people to remain masters of their own fate."

"That urge only becomes more desperate and strong the more it is threatened," added the editor, comparing the position of white South Africans with Britons during the threat by Hitler.

The editor opened up a whole nest of paradox. South Africa, not Ghana or Kenya, was the first in the African anti-colonial field, against Britain at the turn of the century.

Yet South Africa now was unique as a country nursing within her own bosom a colony and a colonial people. Britain, in contrast, had been able to grant independence to India and other populous nations without having millions of people on her doorstep.

Afrikaans-speaking and English-speaking whites, opposed in the past, now had come to realize they constituted a South African nation.

**NOWHERE TO GO**

"The Afrikaner idea of having European roots but not political links is catching on with all of the white population. that's what I mean by the idea of a white South African nation in its own right, one that cannot abdicate.

"If you are a colonialist minority you can abdicate and go back to the land you came from. But once you get that feeling of nationhood you are—just here. That was the basis on which the whole apartheid philosophy was built.

"On the one hand there is this tremendous determination to stay. On the other hand, being anti-colonialists, you can't say you're going to dominate other nations or people forever.

"Being committed to the principle of freedom yourself, you must say other nations deserve freedom. That is the positive side of the Transkei policy—that is what it's about.

"The argument against it is that it is impossible. But in South Africa you simply have to make the impossible possible.

"Because any other policy, any one-nation policy, is only conceivable when you work with small minorities. I believe that very firmly. You see the difficulties the Americans have with the Negroes who are only one-tenth of the nation, to give them a freedom of acceptance.

"I distinguish between freedom of acceptance and freedom of separation. The Americans have these difficulties with a fairly small minority. We can't possibly give the blacks who outnumber us so much freedom of acceptance because they are different.

"They are seen to be different, which makes it very difficult. If they were white Germans or white Poles, it would be difficult but the color makes it obvious. It pinpoints the difference an dit accentuates every existing difference.

"We think in terms of the imperial powers. They gave all their colonial peoples the freedom of separation—they had their freedom in a different nation, with their own institutions.

"You don't, for instance, give freedom to the Indians by making Britain and India one nation, whereas if you come to a small immigrant minority like the West Indians, it is conceivable. . . ."

# Just A Line . . .

by Jean Baker

Christmases come and go, but through the years, winter's snows and the Santa myth have remained inseparable. As we get older, there is just the snow.

Many of us have experienced the exhilaration of sleighing behind a team of horses along Ymir or Granite roads, or remember the winter snows lying untrampled on Baker Street, until a horse-drawn plow would come weaving unevenly along the roadway and sidewalk with muffled hoofbeats, jangling harness, occasional snort from the horse and clipped orders from the driver.

Christmas in those days was identified with sleighbells dingling on the baker's and milkman's horses and the clank, clank of loose chains beating against the fenders of cars, which came along the blanketed streets rather less frequently than they do now.

This was a din compared to the snow-blessed calm of Christmas at Mineral City. Mrs. Rose Wright remembers the solitude and thick quietness of winter days in that abandoned mining city when she was ten years old, in 1898. She and her mother and two brothers spent a couple of Christmases in that wilderness setting seven miles from Burton, above the Arrow Lakes, while her father was working at the Chieftain Mine.

They drove up from Burton in a horse-drawn sleigh to the ghost city in February. They found that they were to live in an uninhabited, huge hotel, which had been used for only a few months. There were nine bedrooms upstairs, and two downstairs, a dining room, kitchen and barroom. What a haven for three youngsters to romp around in!

It was, however, a nerve-racking experience for Mrs. Wright's mother, who was afraid of wolves coming in the windows and kept a light going all night to discourage them.

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Although the building was practically new, the mice had taken over and they also spent the days and nights romping around the house, chased by weasels.

Rose's father used to come home on the weekends. He rigged up an automatic trap for the mice, catching 47 in a single night and eventually, all were annihilated.

Water came from the creek (the hotel was built on the bank of Mineral Creek) and the family would fetch pails of water every day, with an extra trip to the creek on washdays.

In the summer, huckleberries covered the hillsides and Mrs. Wright's mother filled every available jar with huckleberry preserves, as there was no fruit available.

The youngsters, 10 years old, seven and five, had a wonderful time in the spring, summer and fall playing at mining, panning gold and actually finding color in the pan.

"We had such happy days there," Mrs. Wright says nostalgically.

The family, including the eldest daughter, 12 years old at the time, had arrived in Burton in October, 1897.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Williams had come out from England, where the two girls were born, with just enough money for their fare to the United States. Mr. Williams was a Welsh miner and Mrs. Williams came from Cornwall. The two sons were born after their arrival in North America. They were living in Colorado at a mining camp 9500 feet above sea level, which was a difficult climate so far as health was concerned. They moved to Canada and arrived in Rossland, where Mr. Williams was told about the mining possibilities at Burton.

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The parents and four youngsters boarded the little train in Rossland and enjoyed a short trip down to Trail, where they embarked on the sternwheeler Trail as far as West Robson. Here, they changed at the landing and they and their goods were stored aboard the Kootenay for the journey up the Arrow Lakes to Burton, arriving at 4:30 a.m.

They were the first children in Burton.

Most excited at this unexpected turn of events in the city, which at that time boasted three hotels, were three terriers owned by a Frenchman. They barked and jumped and made a great to-do of the youngsters' arrival. There were only a few people staying at the hotel and the proprietor asked Mrs. Williams if she would cook, to which she agreed willingly.

The first Christmas was spent at the hotel in Burton. Little Rose, coming accidentally into the dining room, saw a new doll among other things on the dining room table. She ran out to the kitchen to tell her mother what she had seen. Whose was it? Mrs. Williams, with the ingenuity born of long practise with four children, told her daughter that Santa Claus had left it on his way down the lake on the afternoon trip and that there hadn't been time to wrap it up yet. A satisfactory explanation, and the next morning, Rose was happy as any child deserves to be with her gift from Santa, who had travelled down the Arrow Lakes on the Kootenay.

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The following two Christmases, when they were at the Mineral City hotel, Mrs. Williams made the traditional egg-nog with a touch of brandy, and they all played the games with which she entertained her brood in the evenings. A special dinner marked Christmas, with plum pudding a specialty, remembrance of the Old Country.

"In those days we didn't have a Christmas tree," Mrs. Wright recalled. They just had stockings hanging on the bottom of their beds, which on Christmas morning would contain a little toy or two, oranges, nuts and candy. They were delighted with this offering, particularly because Santa Claus had left it. Compared to the surfeit of gifts children receive today, this seems insignificant, but the children were delighted with the offerings, since Santa Claus had put them there.

This magical presence bolstered the youngsters through their tender years when times were hard, but when Rose spent her first Christmas away from home, it was the end of magic. She was staying at Revelstoke, where she had finally been sent to school.

Not really believing, but not actually disbelieving either, she hung her stocking on the bottom of the bed, knowing that the morning would make or break the legend of Santa.

No need to tell how it turned out. But of all the rugged experiences a pioneer child took in her stride, this was probably the hardest.

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The merriest of Christmases to all!

# Today in History

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

Dec. 23, 1965 . . .

Duke Henry of Guise and his brother, Cardinal Louis, were murdered 377 years ago today — in 1588 — by Henry III of Valois, king of France. This turned the scale in the "war of the three Henries," a three-cornered free-for-all among the legitimate king, the Catholic - backed Henry of Guise and the Protestant Henry of Navarre. It was the eighth religious war in France in 6 years. Henry III was murdered in 1589 by a Catholic agent and Henry of Navarre took the throne.

1834 — Joseph Hansom patented the Hansom cab.

1913 — The U.S. federal reserve bank was founded.

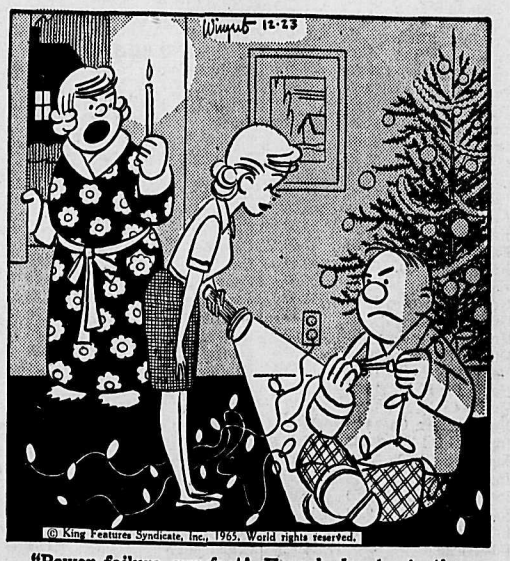
**First World War**

Fifty years ago today—in 1915 — Britain bought 134,400,000 pounds of American copper, a vital part of ammunition production; the president of the British board of trade announced Germany had lost the war "as far as commerce is concerned."

## Civil Defence

British Columbia has been selected as a Civil Defence pilot province for the next five years and will be given increased advantages financially. In so far as the municipalities show a desire to make progress they can benefit materially.

## HUBERT




"Power failure, my foot! Everybody else in the neighborhood has lights!"

# Smart Shoes Add Dash To Leisure Ensembles

FASHIONS AROUND THE CLOCK: Feet will be catching much attention when they're decked out in the many beautiful shoes manufacturers have designed for the holiday season. From left to right: Fashionable mule is in gold and white brocade; black peau-de-soie sling-back has small straps knotted across toes; gold kidskin evening shoe has a woven leather vamp, kid bow. At right, a gift any man likes to find under the Christmas tree is a pair of slippers. Two models that are sure to please: fake sealskin slippers with moccasin vamp are warmly lined in red fleece. Ankle-high slipper is in supple suede that has elastic gore front, warm sheepskin lining.

Every woman loves to be daring once in a while by bursting forth in an exciting outfit.

The approaching holiday season provides just that opportunity. Party and leisure time clothes have never been more exciting nor more colorful.

Everywhere, the look is trousered, from pyjamas to stretchy slims. It's not every woman who takes to the trousered look, however. For her, there are enchanting evening skirts in just about any fabric you could possibly desire. All an all, there's ample scope to indulge your urge to look like a Cleopatra!

Shoe manufacturers have been quick to come up with a whole new range of leisure footwear that is just right to wear with the spirited home-entertaining creations. In a whole new look, pyjamas go to cocktail parties and long skirts appear in ski chalets.

This requires the right footwear.

There are stretchy boots and other boot types for slims and bell-bottoms; mules, sandals and slippers in velvets, brocades, shantungs, gilded or silvered kid, to team up with dressier ensembles. All feature rounder toes, chunkier heels, openings, buckles on high rising fronts, the newest trends in footwear.

Shoes for more conventional, cocktail or formal wear, continue in the young and open vein. There's a good deal of mesh to be seen in silver or gold, brocades, embroideries, kid skins, and fabrics such as faille, satin or velvet. Bows and straps are prevalent.

# Gay Fashions Give a Lift to "Off Hours"

LUXURIOUS LOUNGER in dramatically contrasting colors and textures combines quilted nylon at-home pants with a practical, full-length housecoat to match. In festive red and rich royal, the three-piece ensemble is from Montreal. Neckline of the shoulder-baring blouse can be tied pussy cat fashion or left to swing freely. Housecoat lining matches blouse.

CUDDLY AS A STUFFED TOY and red as Rudolph's nose is this brushed fleece dorm coat. Double-breasted and shawl-collared, the featherweight fleece has been fashioned and embossed to resemble skins of fur that have been worked horizontally.

FOR FASHIONABLE STAY-AT-HOMES is this Montreal-designed hostess costume, which is dramatic without being audacious. An interesting interplay of pattern and texture is provided by the paisley patterned stretch nylon jumpsuit and the quilted wrap-around skirt of black nylon taffeta. Red lining of the skirt echoes one of the colors from the rich print.

# Hints From Heloise

**By Heloise Cruse**

Dear Heloise:

Whenever I clean and highly polish my furniture (especially when I use an oily-type polish), I always stuff my polishing cloth down inside an old nylon stocking.

I find that when I use this method, it is an impossibility to have any lint from my polishing cloth left on my beautiful furniture.

Louise B.

When someone wonderful was passing out brains, you sure got your share, didn't you?

It works beautifully!

Not only did it leave no lint, but I found that it kept my polishing cloth cleaner, too. When the stocking became soiled, I discarded it (no drain on the budget), and used another.

I found, too, that if I cut off the foot of the stocking and tie a knot in the cut end of the leg part, it makes a better sized cloth to work with.

Heloise.

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Dear Heloise:

I put five or six marshmallows on top of cocoa — when heating and stirring — and they prevent scum from forming on the top.

I also put a marshmallow in the thermos before pouring in the hot chocolate mixture.

Saves sugar, too, since the marshmallows are sweet.

Mrs. Don Rosenow.

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**LETTER OF LAUGHTER**

Dear Heloise:

When a husband asks, "Where is your budget money going?" . . just keep track of all the little expenditures for two weeks, and BEG him to look at your list!

Most housewives will get the answer. "I don't want to see it."

And — you can bet your last old shoe, he won't, either! All he wants is supper, his slippers, etc.

Laughter Sal.

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Dear Heloise:

I've worn girdles for years. The girdles wear out, but the supporters stay like new!

I save all of these, and sew them to the inside of my four boys' coat sleeves to fasten their gloves to. Thus, no kiddies' lost gloves . . .

Bonnie Henkel.

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Dear Heloise:

Approximately how much more expensive is a spray starch than ready-prepared liquid, and the dry starch which we have to mix ourselves?

My husband says we can save on our budget by using the cooked kind, which I have to make myself.

Housewife.

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Your husband is right.

According to Cornell Extension Bulletin, I quote:

"Spray starches are about seven times as expensive as liquid, and liquid ones are about seven times as expensive as dry and pre-cooked flakes. Their convenience follows the order of their cost."

Heloise.

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Dear Heloise:

If the sleeves of a coat need relining, just cut out the sleeves of a discarded sweater, leaving on about three-fourths inches extra above the shoulder seam to allow for the seam when attaching to the coat.

Slip-stitch the cut-off sweater sleeves to inside armholes of your coat.

You will have a fine sleeve lining, with snug cuffs for extra warmth.

Mrs. Joanne Palminsno.

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Dear Heloise:

I have found a way to deodorize my whole house at one time, without leaving a heavy odor in one spot . . .

I put an opened wick-type deodorizer in front of the intake air vents in my furnace (I have the gas blower-type furnace).

When the furnace turns on, and the heated air starts circulating, so does the deodorizer, and it leaves a delightful, light fragrance all over the house.

Do not use the spray-type deodorizers, as they are flammable.

Mrs. Brenda Blake.


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# About The Town

**PHONE 352 - 3552**

Miss Dawn Frederiksen, who has completed her medical secretarial course at business college in Spokane, has arrived home for the Christmas season. Miss Frederiksen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Frederiksen of the North Shore.

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A complete Christmas dinner for a family of six was supplied and packed in a hamper by the Anglican Young People's organization of Nelson this week and delivered to a local family by David Tees and Ted Wright. The AYPA Tuesday distributed hampers for the Salvation Army, and Tuesday night held a carol-singing evening.

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A Christmas party and sale took place at the meeting of the Evangelical Covenant Church Mission Circle at the home of Mrs. A. Olson. A banquet was enjoyed and carol singing followed. Gifts were exchanged. Later in the evening, candy bags were filled for the Sunday School children.

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The Dorothy Francklin Circle of the First Baptist Church held its Christmas party at the home of Mrs. J. F. Boyce with Mrs. R. L. MacLeod as co-hostess. Games were arranged by Mrs. L. Kennedy and Miss E. Innes.

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Winning pairs in this week's five-table Howell match point bridge game were Mrs. Gordon Burns and Mrs. R. H. Bradley, first; Mrs. Eric Thast and Tom Buckley, second; Mr. and Mrs. G. D. G. Barwis, third, and Mrs. P. W. Buckley and Rev. L. Buckley, fourth.

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Among students home for the holidays from Vancouver are Dave McElroy and Clem Price, students at Simon Fraser University; Doug Catley, Bob Gustafson, Brian Crawford and Ed Hollington, who attend University of British Columbia.

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Joe McEwen, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McEwen, 515 Fourth Street, has arrived home from Vancouver to spend the holidays.

## Gynecologist Addresses RNs

Wednesday, the Nelson Chapter of the Registered Nurses had as their guest speaker Dr. D. A. Boyes, a specialist in gynecology, who is on the staff of the B.C. Cancer Institute.

Dr. Boyes showed trends in treatment of cancer as his topic. He stated that it is most important for individuals to have frequent check-ups by their doctor. There is a possibility that in the future travelling vans similar to the TB van could tour the province doing tests for specific types of cancer, he advised.

Large amounts of money are being spent on basic research in the cause and cure of cancer, he stated. Today, the prime concern is early diagnosis. Dr. Boyes felt that more money should be spent on work based on present knowledge of cancer.

## Lardeau Notes

The annual school Christmas Concert was held at Lardeau Valley Community hall Dec. 17. Argenta Elementary and Jewett schools participated. The evening closed with Santa Claus coming and giving out the treats supplied by various firms. Refreshments were served by the women of the community. The sum of $44.34 was collected for the PTA to buy more books for the school library.

Bill Richins of Cooper Creek broke ihs foot recently while working in the tunnels.

A Sunday school concert was held on Dec. 19 at Meadow Creek Faith Chapel. It was headed by Mrs. Blanche Funk and Mrs. Phyllis Rempel. There was a record attendance of 92 in the little chapel.

## Fruitvale Notes

FRUITVALE — Unit 1 of the United Church Women met at the home of Mrs. B. Robson with eight members attending. Mrs. J. Barrett was a guest. Mrs. B. Dovey presented the devotional. Mrs. J. P. Gladdish read from the Upper Room.

Nominations were called for Mrs. J. P. Gladdish, leader; Mrs. B. Dovey, treasurer; Mrs. E. Nelson, recording secretary.

Gifts were exchanged among members and Christmas carols were sung.

**ISLAND MEANT DOOM**

A total of 53 ships were wrecked on Anticosti Island, in the Gulf of the St. Lawrence River, between 1870 and 1880.


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Box 700 Nelson, B.C.

# Spokane Jets Gain Share Of First With 4-3 Win

**TRAIL—Spokane Jets taxied into a first place tie Wednesday night as they edged Trail Smoke Eaters 4-3.**

**Jim Moro, Gordie Turlik, John Kenny, and Ron Bahr scored for Spokane.**

**Gerry Penner, Norm Lenardon and Dave Rusnell — all veterans with the club — accounted for Trails goals.**

| | Gp | W | L | T | Pt |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Spokane | 24 | 17 | 6 | 1 | 35 |
| Kimberley | 27 | 17 | 9 | 1 | 35 |
| NELSON | 24 | 16 | 7 | 1 | 33 |
| Rossland | 26 | 9 | 15 | 2 | 20 |
| Trail | 26 | 9 | 17 | — | 18 |
| Cranbrook | 23 | 4 | 18 | 1 | 9 |

Referee Bill Waddell assessed a total of 11 minors and a 10-minute misconduct to Spokane Jim Chow for flinging his stick at the ceiling with 12 seconds remaining in the game.

Spokane picked up seven of the 12 penalties called.

The Smokies sported a weak defence in the opening 20 minutes and it was only the work of goaltender Barry Brown that earned them a 2-0 first period lead.

Brown, who was pulled in the dying seconds of the game to give the Smokies a two-man advantage, blocked a total of 33 shots.

Dave Cox, who has been hot and cold since his return to the Jets from Vancouver Canucks' training camp, handled 20.

Harry Smith, whose slapshot gave the Smokies a 6-5 win over Rossland Warriors on Tuesday night, corked Turlik with a stiff check at centre ice when he caught him going in with his head down.

GORDIE TURLIK

Turlik had seconds earlier skirted the entire Trail club to beat Brown unassisted and move the Jets to within one goal of the Smokies.

**Don Sherza and Lorne Nadeau didn't suit up for the Jets who may be planning to trim their roster.**

**Gary Duthie and Gary Ferro were idle for the Smoke Eaters. Duthie is rumored to have signed an intermediate card.**

SUMMARY

First Period: 1. Trail, Penner (Rusnell, White) 17:28; 2. Trail, Lenardon (Smith, Ferguson) 18:54.

Penalties — Hodges (1:26); Smith (7:36); Bill Gallamore (14:35).

Second Period: 3. Spokane, Moro (Chow) 9:43; 4. Trail, Rusnell (unassisted) 11:46; 5. Spokane, Turlik (unassisted) 18:06.

Penalties — McGowan (3:47); Ferguson (10:45); Bahr (13:55); Hodges (15:18).

Third Period: 6. Spokane, Kenny (Moro, Chow) 9:18; 7. Spokane, Bahr (Hodges, McGowan) 12:45.

Penalties — Sid Gallamore (11:17); Chow (14:41); Bodman (16:02); Chow (19:48) 10-minute misconduct.

SAVES:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cox | 7 | 5 | 8—20 |
| Brown | 13 | 5 | 15—33 |

## F-L-A-S-H

CHICAGO (AP) — Stan Mikita's goal at 13:38 of the final period gave Chicago Black Hawks a 4-3 National Hockey League victory over New York Rangers Wednesday night.

The triumph moved the Black Hawks into a first-place tie with Montreal Canadiens, who were idle.

## NHL Standings

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Montreal | 15 | 6 | 4 | 91 | 62 | 34 |
| Chicago | 16 | 8 | 2 | 102 | 66 | 34 |
| Detroit | 12 | 10 | 4 | 92 | 75 | 28 |
| Toronto | 12 | 10 | 4 | 71 | 75 | 28 |
| New York | 6 | 14 | 7 | 76 | 96 | 19 |
| Boston | 5 | 18 | 3 | 58 | 116 | 13 |

## FRANK ARNETT DIRECTS MINOR HOCKEY CLINIC

Nelson Minor Hockey Association will hold a hockey clinic in the Civic Centre on Tues, day, Wednesday and Thursday of next week. Under the direction of Nelson Maple Leafs playing coach Frank Arnett and netminder Jim Letcher, the clinic will be held between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 a.m.

The clinic has been arranged so the defencemen, goalies, leftwingers, centremen and rightwingers will be taught the fundamentals of hockey so lacking in the minor leagues and the basics of positional play, each at a separate time.

This will enable the coaches to spend the entire session drilling wingers on their correct positions and fundamentals without worrying about different wingers and centres.

Jim Letcher will spend a special two-hour session on Thursday with the netminders.

The clinic has received the expressed consent of Mr. Jack James, president of the Nelson Maple Leafs Hockey Club and Mr. Hank Barone, president of the Nelson Minor Hockey Association.

Schedule for the clinic is as follows:

Tuesday, 8:00-10:00—Peewee and Bantam defencemen; Peewee Rangers, Leafs, Wings and Hawks goalies.

10:00 - 12:00 — Rep team, Midget and Juvenile defencemen; Peewee Canadiens, Reps and Bantam Rep goalies.

Wednesday, 8:00 - 10:00—All centremen; Bantam Seals, Eagles and Cougar goalies.

10:00-12:00 — All rightwingers; Bantam Warriors, Col. Col. and Bantam Rep goalies.

Thursday, 8:00 - 10:00 — All leftwingers; Midget and Midget Rep goalies.

10:00-12:00—All goalies.

# Buckaroos Shutout Vancouver Canucks

PORTLAND (AP) — Cliff Schmautz, Art Jones and Tommy McAvie led Portland to an easy 8-0 Western Hockey League victory over Vancouver Wednesday night.

Schmautz got four points with one goal and three assists.

Jones and McVie got two goals apiece and the others were scored by Gerry Goyer, Chuck Holmes, Len Ronson and Schmautz. The latter also got three assists.

The victory moved Portland to within six points of league-leading Victoria, which comes to Portland for a game Sunday.

## WHL Standings

| | W | L | T | F | A | Pts |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Victoria | 18 | 6 | 2 | 107 | 72 | 38 |
| Portland | 15 | 9 | 2 | 92 | 71 | 32 |
| Vancouver | 12 | 16 | 1 | 92 | 104 | 25 |
| San Francisco | 10 | 11 | 2 | 67 | 71 | 22 |
| Los Angeles | 10 | 19 | 0 | 85 | 125 | 20 |
| Seattle | 8 | 17 | 1 | 75 | 101 | 17 |

EVEN JUVENILES CAN DO IT!

# Rossland Warriors Crush Inept Nelson Junior Maple Leafs 15-2

By JOHN KOROBANIK
Daily News Sports Writer

**Two weeks ago Rossland Warriors let it be known that they were looking for tougher competition to prepare themselves for the Kootenay Juvenile Championships this spring. To get this competition, they entered into the West Kootenay Junior Hockey League on a no-points basis.**

**They are still looking for the tougher competition they originally set out to find.**

**Last night the Warriors proved that the Juniors of the WKJHL were no competition for them as they bombed Nelson Junior Maple Leafs 15-2 for their second lop-sided victory in as many games.**

Tom Vanness proved to be the downfall of the Leafs as he fired two goals and added six assists.

Defenceman Jim Snuggs fired three goals, as did centreman Ron Brennan, Eddie Ruelle, Joe Rossi and Gary Heier chipped in two each while Terry Fleming added the remaining marker for Rossland.

Jim Boyce and Larry Zimmer replied for Nelson.

The Warriors outskated, outchecked, outhustled and completely outplayed the Leafs from the moment the puck was dropped until the final buzzer sounded.

**The Leafs were sloppy and disorganized as they were forced into mistakes in their own zone by the forechecking Warriors. Three of the Warriors' first six goals came as a direct result of errors on behalf of the Nelson defence.**

**Ruelle twice stole the puck off stick of Leafs defencemen on their blueline and walked in to beat netminder Dave Allen. Vanness stole the puck several times from the Leafs and scored once when he stole it on the Leafs blueline and broke in all alone.**

Rossland netminder John Christianson kicked out 40 shots for the Warriors but didn't have too much trouble with the Leaf attackers as the majority of their shots were from well-out.

Christianson couldn't be faulted on either of the Nelson goals. The first marker came as a result of a goal-mouth scramble as Boyce flipped the puck over the fallen netminder, in the midst of several players. The Leafs got their only other marker when Zimmer and Bob Jeffs broke into the clear and Zimmer, in attempting to pass to Jeffs, lost control of the puck. He poked at it and flipped it into the top corner of the net as Christianson moved to cover the onrushing Jeffs.

The Warrior line of Vaness, Brennan and Ruelle were the dominating force whenever they stepped on ice. They completely controlled the play and bottled the Leafs up in their own end, as they accounted for seven goals and 12 assists.

**The only bright spot for the Nelson team was defenceman Bruce Ferguson who played a steady game on the blueline as the Leaf defensive corps fell apart around him.**

Coach Bill Freno substituted netminder Ted Allen for his brother Dave in the third period and it appeared to have a calming influence on the Leafs as they came to life. But they couldn't score and Rossland took over to run the score to 15-2.

SUMMARY

First Period — 1. Rossland, Vanness (Snuggs, Ruelle) :47; 2. Nelson, Boyce (Jeffs) 3:03; 3. Rossland Heier (MacAvlay) 3:25; 4. Rossland, Rossi, 5:18; 5. Rossland, Ruelle (Vanness) 7.38; 6. Rossland, Brennan (Vanness, Ruelle) 16:08.

Penalties — Ferguson (4:04); Preston (13:29).

Second Period — 7. Rossland, Vanness 9:42; 8. Rossland, Ruelle, 12:26; 9. Rossland, Snuggs (Vanness) 15:15; 10. Rossland, Snuggs ,Vanness) 16:44; 11. Rossland, Heier (Rossi) 17:26; 12. Nelson, Zimmer (Boyce, Jeffs) 19:01; 13. Rossland, Brennan (Vanness, Ruelle) 19:15.

Penalties — Hennig (1:46); Snuggs (10:18); Ferguson (15:26); Jeffs, Snuggs (19:55).

Third Period — 14. Rossland, Brennan (Vanness, Ruelle) 5:25; 15. Rossland, Fleming (Ruelle) 15:32; 16. Rossland, Rossi 15:40; 17. Rossland, Snuggs (Rossi, Lewis) 15:56.

Penalties — Preston (16:55); Rossland (Bench minor — 18:14)

Saves by:

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dave Allen | 7 | 10 | 9—26 |
| Ted Allen | 12 | 14 | 14—40 |

## WITH STANE AND BESOM

Following are the results of the draws played at the Nelson Curling Club Wednesday night:

A. Waters 10, F. Koehle 8.

A. Waters meets J. Leeming in the competition final tonight.

## TELEVISION FOR TODAY

(Pacific Standard Time)

**KREM-TV — Channel 2**

5:00—Yogi Bear (C)
5:30—Channel 2 Reports
6:30—Outdoor Sportsman (C)
7:00—One Step Beyond
7:30—Shindig *
8:00—Donna Reed *
8:30—OK Crackerby * (C)
9:00—Bewitched *
9:30—Peyton Place *
10:00—Long Hot Summer *
11:00—Nightbeat
11:30—"X — The Unknown"

**KXLY-TV — Channel 4**

7:00—The Rifleman
7:30—The Munsters *
8:00—Gilligan's Island (C) *
8:30—My Three Sons (C) *
9:00—CBS Thursday Night at the Movies (C) *
Sunrise at Campobello
11:00—11 o'Clock News
11:30—Big Four Movie

**KHQ-TV — Channel 6**

7:00—Have Gun Will Travel
7:30—Daniel Boone * (C)
8:30—Laredo * (C)
9:30—Mona McCluskey * (C)
10:00—Dean Martin * (C)
11:00—News and Weather
11:30—Tonight with Carson * (C)

**CBC-TV — Nelson, Channel 9; Trail, Channel 11**

10:00—Ivanhoe
10:30—Friendly Giant
10:45—Chez Helene
11:00—Butternut Square
11:20—Across Canada
11:50—News
12:00—Bachelor Father
12:30—Search for Tomorrow
12:45—Guiding Light
1:00—Girl Talk
1:30—As the World Turns
2:00—Password
2:30—Cuisine
3:00—To Tell the Truth
3:25—Happening on Take Thirty
3:30—Take Thirty
4:00—Bonnie Prudden Show
4:30—Razzle Dazzle
5:30—Music Hop
6:00—Feature Film: "The Impersonator"
8:00—Seaway
8:30—I Dream of Jeannie
9:30—Telescope
10:00—A Man Called Shenandoah
10:30—The Serial
11:00—News
11:14—Viewpoint

**CJLB-TV — Channel 7, Lethbridge**
**MOUNTAIN STANDARD TIME**

**FRIDAY**

10:00—Ivanhoe
10:30—Friendly Giant
10:45—Chez Helene
11:00—Butternut Square
11:20—Across Canada
12:00—Noon Show
1:00—Hitchcock Hour
2:00—Password
2:30—Something for the Ladies
3:00—To Tell The Truth
3:35—Take Thirty
4:00—Bonnie Prudden Show
4:30—Razzle Dazzle
5:00—Kids Bids
5:30—Sea Hunt
6:00—Dateline — Sports, Weather, News
6:25—Magic Moments
6:30—My Favorite Martian
7:00—Big Valley
8:00—Get Smart
8:30—The Tommy Hunter Show
9:00—Friday Night Movie — "Christmas Carol"
11:00—CBC News
11:15—Final Edition
11:20—Christmas Message
11:30—Christmas Eve Church Service

(Programs subject to change by stations without notice.)

AT BANFF-LAKE LOUISE

# MEN'S DOWNHILL COURSE A HAIR-RAISER

BANFF, Alta. — Two of the toughest training courses in the country, Mount Whitehorn and Mount Norquay at Banff - Lake Louise, are testing the Canadian National Ski Team over the next two weeks and for several members of the men's team the effects are already beginning to tell.

"Whitehorn is really fast," Jacobs said Wednesday night. "We're reaching speeds up to 70 miles per hour."

Bob Calladine suffered a fractured shoulder, Andre Pomerleau badly bruised his ribs and Jean Perrault sprained his ankle in the second day of training.

"The men's course is tough," Jacobs added, "but it's what we needed in order to compete on an even basis with the Europeans."

Three of the 24 National Team members will be competing for spots on the 11-man team that leaves for a whirlwind tour of Europe January.

Rod Hebron of Vancouver, Peter Duncan, Mount Tremblant, Que.; Bob Swan of Ottawa, Scott Henderson of Banff and Gerry Rinaldi of Kimberley fill five of the six positions on the men's 'A' team.

Nancy Greene of Rossland, Karen Dokka of Vancouver and Andree Crepeau of Sherbrooke, Que., are three of the five members of the women's team.

Currie Chapman, Wayne Henderson and Keith Shepherd of Revelstoke could have the inside track to fill the remaining position. Garrie Matheson and Barbie Walker of Montreal, Heather Quipp of Ottawa and Nancy Mason of Kimberley seem like the skiers to beat for the two spots on the women's team.

More than 60 National Team members, Les Espoirs (the Hopefuls) and top-seeded juniors from across the country opened training Sunday.

**The two-week camp will provide the best possible downhill training for the National Team and another opportunity for the country's top juniors to train with National Team members.**

**Alberta division officials hope that it will act as a dry run for the Olympic '72 Committee and enhance the area's bid.**

"North American racers have always had trouble holding effective downhill camps," Jacobs commented.

"Mainly because there were few adequate areas available for training."

There are only two FIS-sanctioned downhill courses in Canada — both at Lake Louise on Mount Whitehorn.

Vail, Colorado set a precedent last year by providing Olympic specification training areas for the U.S. National team during Christmas, closing the lifts for commercial use.

Rossland, with its newly-completed Granite Mountain operation, and Garabaldi, near Vancouver, are two of Canada's potential training areas.

Other FIS specification camps will be held at Jackson Hole, Wyoming, in addition to the Banff-Lake Louise camp.

**Last season, following major downhill training, the National team recorded the best results ever in world competition.**

**This year, Jacobs hopes they can do the same.**

BOB SWAN — MEN'S 'A' TEAM
. . . Bags Packed and Ready To Go.

# ON THE AIR

PACIFIC STANDARD TIME

**CKLN PROGRAMS** — **1390 ON THE DIAL**

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1965

6:00—News and Reports
6:10—The Morning Show
6:40—Farm Fare
6:45—Chapel in the Sky
7:00—News
7:05—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 Cont'd
8:35—Morning Markets
8:40—Wake-Up Time
9:00—News
9:10—Road and Early Markets
9:15—Mr. Pickwick's Christmas
9:30—Royalite Windfall
9:59—Time Signal
10:00—News
10:10—Music Fill
10:15—Morning Melodies
11:00—News
11:05—Morning Melodies Cont'd
11:30—Christmas Cavalcade
11:55—A Story to Remember
12:00—That McKinnon Girl
12:15—Sports News
12:25—News and Roads
12:30—B.C. Farm Broadcast
12:55—News
1:00—Stories with John Drainie
1:15—The Gordie Tapp Show
1:45—Music Fill
2:00—Christmas Music
2:30—News
2:33—Trans-Canada Matinee
3:30—The Archers
3:40—Sacred Heart
3:55—Assignment
4:00—News
4:03—Canadian Roundup
4:10—Sports News
4:15—Pops Parade
4:55—Assignment
5:00—Rolling Home Show
5:05—News
5:35—Closing Markets
5:40—On Parliament Hill
5:45—Business Barometer
5:50—Sports Desk
6:00—Strikes and Spares
6:05—News
6:15—Countrytime
7:00—News
7:15—Topic for Tonight
7:30—The Bible Speaks to You
7:45—Legislative Report Hon. W. D. Black
8:00—CBC Talent Festival
8:30—CBC Winnipeg Pops Concert
9:00—Symphony Hall
10:00—News
10:15—Chapel in the Sky
10:30—Chamber Music
11:00—News
11:03—Sign Off

## CBC PROGRAMS

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1965

6:00—News
6:05—The Morning Program
8:00—A.M. Show Cont.
8:25—Sports Report
8:35—Max Ferguson Show
9:00—News and Report
9:10—Pacific Express
9:44—Playroom
9:59—Time Signal
10:00—Ten o'Clock Show
12:00—That McKinnon Girl
12:15—News
12:30—B.C. Farm Broadcast
12:55—Marine Weather
1:00—John Drainie
1:15—Gordie Tapp Show
1:45—Program Resume
2:00—Christmas Music
2:30—News
2:33—Trans-Canada Matinee
3:30—Off the Record
3:55—Assignment No. II
4:00—News
4:03—Canadian Roundup
4:10—Off the Record
4:40—Who Will Come With Me?
4:55—Assignment No. 3
5:00—Jazz 'n' Things
5:30—News
5:40—On Parliament Hill
5:45—Business Barometer
5:50—Sports Desk
6:00—Tempo Part II
6:15—A Date With Doug
6:45—Rod and Charles
7:00—News
7:15—Topic for Tonight
7:30—Soundings
8:00—CBC Talent Festival
8:30—CBC Winnipeg Pops Concert
9:00—Symphony Hall
10:00—News
10:15—Today's Editorial
10:30—Chamber Music
11:00—Concerts From Abroad
12:00—News
12:03—Land and Marine Weather

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1965

6:00—News
6:05—The Morning Program
8:00—News
8:10—Sports Report
8:35—Max Ferguson Show
9:00—News and Report
9:10—Pacific Express
9:44—Playroom
9:59—DOOTS
10:00—Ten o'Clock Show
11:55—Assignment
12:00—Tommy Hunter
12:15—News
12:30—B.C. Farm Broadcast
1:00—John Drainie
1:15—Gordie Tapp Show
1:45—Programme Resume
2:00—Christmas Music
2:30—News
2:33—Trans-Canada Matinee
3:30—Off the Record
3:55—Assignment
4:00—News
4:03—Canadian Roundup
4:10—Off the Record Cont'd
4:55—Assignment
5:00—Jazz 'n' Things
5:30—News
5:40—On Parliament Hill
5:45—Business Barometer
5:50—Bill Good Evening Sports
6:00—Tempo, Part 2
6:15—Evening Concert
6:45—Rod and Charles
7:00—News and Reports
7:15—Topic for Tonight
7:30—Messiah
10:30—News
10:45—Today's Editorial and This Week at the UN
11:00—Christmas Music
11:30—Carol Service
12:00—News
12:03—Land and Marine Weather
12:05—After Hours
1:00—News
1:03—Music to 6 a.m.

## DAILY CROSSWORD

**ACROSS**

1. Guenon monkey
5. Baden and Warm Springs
9. Asses
10. Operatic songs
12. See
13. Loll
14. Consumed
15. Frankenstein's creation
16. Continent: abbr.
17. Mountain pools
18. Reverberated
20. Peruvian Indian
24. Call out
25. N.Z. native
26. Gull-like bird
27. Roam
28. Dilutes
30. Dutch meter
31. Attacks
34. Mimic
35. Withdraw
36. Sacred bull: Egypt
37. Rock
38. Ascends
39. Impudent talk: colloq.
40. River in Baltic

**DOWN**

1. Facial feature of the villain
2. Greek wine pitcher
3. Napoleon's "bravest of the brave"
4. Ancient Roman coin
5. French river
6. Militaristic Teutons
7. Solecistic contraction
8. Profound philosopher, for example
9. Most contemptible
11. Persian weight
13. Feudal estate owner
15. Encounter
17. Jungfrau, Logan, Rainier et al.
19. Biblical mountain
21. Drowse
22. More scary
23. Still and humid
25. Fortifies
27. Trick
29. Employs
31. Land measures
32. Places
33. Portico
34. Altar end of church
36. Succor
38. Artificial language

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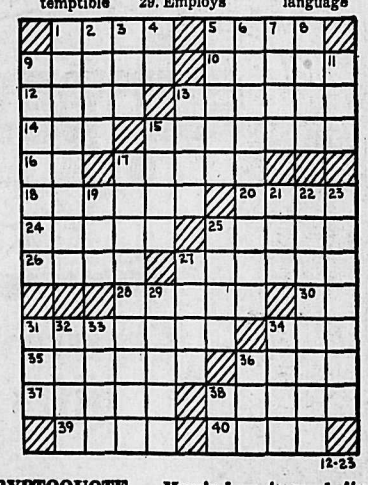

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**DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE — Here's how to work it:**

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

A Cryptogram Quotation

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## PUBLIC NOTICES

LAND ACT

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land

In Land Recording District of Kaslo and situate on Kootenay Lake in the vicinity of Coffee Creek.

Take notice that Kootenay Forest Products Ltd. of Nelson and H. R. Stafford & Sons Ltd. of Harrop, occupation lumber companies, intend to apply for a lease of the following described lands:

Commencing at a posts planted in the vicinity of the N-E corner of Lot 185 K.D. thence 1500 ft. more or less in a southerly direction along the H/W line; thence in an Easterly direction for 200 ft; thence in a Northerly direction for 1500 ft. more or less in a line parallel to the H/W line and 200 ft. east of said line, thence 200 ft. west back to point of commencement, and containing 7 acres, mor or less, for the purpose of booming logs. (grazing, oyster-culture, etc., as the case may be).

H. R. Stafford & Sons Limited,
Kootenay Forest Products Limited,
John Fenger, Agent.
Dated November 29, 1965. —287-h

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, for an Act to incorporate Southwest Mortgage Indemnity Corporation Limited as a body corporate and politic, for the purpose of transacting the business of insurance against loss caused by default on the part of a Borrower under a loan secured by mortgage upon real property, a hypothec upon immovable property or an interest in real or immovable or movable property, with power to purchase, take on lease or in exchange, hire or otherwise acquire and hold any real and personal property and any rights or privileges that the Company may think necessary or convenient for the purpose of its business, and such other powers as may be necessary or incidental to the objects of the Company.

DATED at the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, this 9th day of December, 1965.

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Kootenay Forest Products Limited,
John Fenger, Agent.
Dated November 29, 1965. —287-h

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## PUBLIC NOTICES

### NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session commencing on January 27th, 1966, on behalf of the Association of Professional Engineers of the Province of British Columbia, for an Act to replace the "Engineering Profession Act, 155" being Chapter 128 of the Revised Statutes of British Columbia, 1960 and amending acts, with a new Act, to be entitled the "Engineering Profession Act, 1966" to provide for revision of the regulation of the Profession of Engineering within the province and including provision for the following:

1. TO revise the definition of the practise of professional engineering so as to define more specifically the tasks which constitute the practise of engineering;
2. TO add certain definitions to the Act, including that of "conduct unbecoming a member", "licence", "licencee", "permit" and other terms necessitated by changes in the provisions of the new Act.
3. TO increase the provision for the bond to be deposited by the Treasurer of the Association from $1,000.00 to $10,000.00;
4. TO enable the Council of Association to pass bylaws providing for the establishment of an ancillary group of engineering technicians and technologists and to provide for regulation of conditions and qualifications leading to admission to such group;
5. TO enable Council to pass bylaws providing for the fixing of annual fees deleting the previous restriction that such fee could not be in excess of Fifty Dollars.
6. TO enable engineers in training and engineering students to become members of the Association;
7. TO require that applicants for membership in the Association be graduates of an approved institute of learning, deleting the restriction that they be graduates of the Faculty of Applied Science of Engineering, in such institute.
8. TO enable Council to fix the conditions under which permits are granted to non-residents of the Province to engage temporarily in the practice of engineering.
9. TO licence corporations and partnerships and so enable such corporation and partnership to practice engineering within the province; to restrict the use of the designation "engineering" by unlicensed corporations, not presently using such designation; to require each corporation so licenced to be represented by a nominee who is a member of the Association; to establish terms and conditions under which such licence is issued and held and generally to require corporations and partnerships engaged in the practice of engineering to observe the ethical standards of the profession.
10. TO permit corporations to practice engineering without the necessity of being licenced where the engineering services rendered are necessarily incidental to the business of the Company.
11. TO delete requirement for publication of an annual list of members of the Association in the British Columbia Gazette;
12. TO change the date of payment of annual fees to the Association from February 1st to March 1st of each year;
13. TO increase penalties for offenses against the Act to a maximum of $1,000.00 or imprisonment for three months where more than two previous offences have been committed.
14. TO enable preliminary investigations to be held into complaints against members of the Association by a disciplinary committee appointed by the Council of the Association, such committee to report to the Council and to enable such committee, in turn, to conduct preliminary investigations either through the Registrar or any individual member of the committee;
15. TO delete provisions enabling the Association to collect costs of disciplinary proceedings from members or to require the Association to pay costs of disciplinary proceedings to members;
16. TO enable members of the engineering profession to bargain collectively with their employers through professional employees organizations, and to enable such professional employees organzations to sign collective agreements with employers;
17. TO make such provisions necessary to give force and effect to provisions enabling collective bargaining including provision for:
    (a) defining the rights of professional employees and employers;
    (b) specifying unfair labour practices;
    (c) limitations on activities of professional employees' organizations;
    (d) prohibition of coercion or intimidation;
    (e) provision for inquiry by Labour Relations Board into unfair labour practices;
    (f) making application for certification to Labour Relations Board and method of certification by the Board and the effect of such certification;
    (g) the conduct of collective bargaining;
    (h) designating the effect of collective agreements;
    (i) the method of resolving grievances;
    (j) conciliation procedures and compulsory arbitration.
18. TO repeal "The Engineering Profession Act, 1955" and replace the same with the proposed new Act, which Act retains the provisions of the "Engineering Profession Act, 1955", except insofar as indicated generally above, and to provide that the by-laws passed hereunder shall remain in force until the passing of new by-laws or amendments thereto pursuant to this proposed Act.

DATED at Vancouver, British Columbia, this 11th day of December, 1965.

W. J. Wallace,
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# Plan Financing Of Biographies

OTTAWA (CP)—Biographies of two famous Canadians are included on the list of literary works to be partly financed by the Centennial Commission under its publications assistance program, the commission announced Tuesday.

Dale C. Thompson, a professor of political science at the University of Montreal, will receive $5,000 to write a biography of the Rt. Hon. Louis St. Laurent, former prime minister of Canada.

Mr. Thompson, former secretary to Mr. St. Laurent, also wrote a biography of Alexander Mackenzie, Canada's second prime minister. He has won three awards since its publication in 1960.

A $5,000 grant is being made to Hilda K. Grant of Kleinburg, Ont., for a book on the life and times of Samuel Cunard of Halifax, founder of the Cunard Steamship Lines. Mrs. Grant won the Stephen Leacock Award in 1951 for her first novel, The Salt Box.

The Rev. H. W. McKerville will write a history of fishing on the British Columbia coast with the aid of $2,500 from the commission. Mr. McKerville is the author of a biography of Dr. G. E. Darby, famed British Columbia missionary doctor.

Murray D. Edwards is being granted $2,000 to examine the theatre in Eastern Canada. A Canadian, Mr. Edwards is associate professor of speech and theatre at Hamilton College, Clinton, N.Y.

Dr. Watson Kirkconnell, president emeritus of Acadia University, receives a $2,000 grant to revise and update his history of Victoria County, Ontario.

**STUDY OF LITERATURE**

Grants of $2,000 will go to Gilles Marcotte for a critical study of French-Canadian literature, and to freelance-writer Ruth G. Bailey for a book on B.C.'s best-loves sea captains and ships.

Lincoln K. Ingersoll of Grand Manan, N.B., will receive $1,500 for a history of fishing and social conditions in Grand Manan Island and the Bay of Fundy area 1840-1867.

Frank Rasky of Toronto, former editor of Liberty magazine, has been awarded $1,000 for Romance of Canada's Wild West.

## NO MORE DUTY DEPOSITS ON AUTO PARTS

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States has stopped collecting provisional deposits of duty on automobile components from Canada, a customs bureau official said Tuesday.

The official said the change went into effect Monday—the date specified by the U.S.-Canadian tariff agreement.

The deposits have been collected since Jan. 19. They will be returned to the payer as soon as the bureau determines that the parts are a type that is duty free.

The agreement covers parts which will be used to manufacture new automobiles but does not cover replacement parts.

The effective date of the new agreement was set as Monday, Dec. 20, but it was made retroactive to Jan. 18.

# BAMBI'S CHRISTMAS ADVENTURE

By Walt Disney

## POLICE NAB COUNTERFEIT BOND RING

RICHMOND HILL, Ont. (CP) Provincial police raided a beverage room here Monday night and arrested two men on charges of conspiring to manufacture counterfeit U.S. money and Canada Savings Bonds.

Police said grandiose plans had been made for printing $10,000,000 worth of bonds and funneling phoney $20 and $50 bills to the underworld in the United States.

One officer described the scheme as "absolutely goofy."

Charged are Joseph Marc Jean Therriault, 41, of Montreal and Carl Uteck, 44, of Thornhill, Ont.

The arrests followed a five-week investigation involving an undercover agent, a former employee of the attorney-general's crime laboratory.

He told police last month he had been esked for technical assistance in manufacturing counterfeit money for shipment to Switzerland.

# MARKET TRENDS

NEW YORK (AP)—Records were set in two averages Wednesday even though 203 more stocks declined than advanced on the New York Stock Exchange. Trading was heavy.

Volume was 9,750,000 shares compared with 8,240,000 Tuesday.

The Dow Jones industrial average rose 6.40 to a closing pea of 965.86, topping the previous high of 961.85 Nov. 4.

Steels paced the early advance as they continued to ride on more vigorous prospects, based on rising demand from the automotive and heavy construction industries.

The other side of the coin was a slump in many of the erstwhile high - flyers which have made big gains this fall. Aerospace issues, airlines and electronics were hard-hit.

**501 GAINED**

Of 1,417 issues traded, losers totalled 704 and gainers 501. Highs for the year totalled 68, lows 30.

Nine of the 15 most active stocks advanced, five declined and one was unchanged, Sperry Rand. Sperry was the most active stock, closing at 251⅛ on 194,100 shares.

Among Canadians, Aluminium Ltd. was up ¾, Dome Mines ½ and Granby Mining ¼, McIntyre Porcupine dropped 1¼, Walker Gooderham was off ⅝ and Hudson Bay Mining ½.

Prices were generally lower on the American Stock Exchange. Volume was 3,520,000 shares compared with 3,500,000 Tuesday. Brazilian Traction was up ½ and Scurry Rainbow Oil ⅛. Canadian Marconi dropped ½ and Canadian Javelin was down ¼.

What stocks did:

| | Wed | Tues |
|---|---|---|
| Advances | 501 | 664 |
| Declines | 704 | 530 |
| Unchanged | 212 | 229 |
| Total issues | 1417 | 1423 |

TORONTO (CP)—Prices were generally stronger in moderate trading at the Toronto Stock Exchange Wednesday.

Chrysler Corp. advanced 2½ points to 59 in industrials. CPR and Inco rose ¾ to 66 and 99¾.

Brazilian Traction climbed ⅝ to 10½ on 59,508 shares following announcement that it has agreed to sell its telephone assets to the Brazilian government for $96,000,000.

Among banks, Toronto-Dominion added 1 at 62, and Nova Scotia ½ at 71½.

Steep Rock and Highland-Bell gained 20 cents to 6.60 and 8.90 as base metals climbed .75 to 82.98 on index.

**BANFF LOST 5 CENTS**

Banff Oil and Canadian Delhi lost 5 cents to 7.50 and 2.75 among Western oils.

In golds, Kerr Addison added 20 cents at 8.75 and Hollinger gained ⅝ to 25¼. Bralorne climbed 15 cents to 4.70.

O'Brien Gold Mines were up 23 cents in speculatives to 2.10, Place and Consolidated Hallinwell 6 cents to 1.74 and 52. Jonsmith fell 3 cents to 25½.

On index, industrials up .86 to 165.37, golds .91 to 154.01, TSE .77 to 155.75 with Western oils down .92 to 102.57. Volume was 2,894,000 compared with 2,782,000.

MONTREAL (CP) — Stocks halted their downward slide Wednesday after eight straight sessions of weaker trends on the Montreal and Canadian stock exchanges.

Industrial volume was 165,800 mines and oils 1,106,500, compared with 97,000 and 996,000 Tuesday. Advances and declines were equal at 80. The composite index rose 0.49 to 154.98

Among speculatives Chemalloy jumped 29 cents to $1.50 on 142,000 shares and Midepsa 10 cents to $3.80.

Industrials were up 0.56 at 160.64. Moore Corp. added ½ to 79½ and Imperial Tobacco ⅛ to 14¼.

Utilities rose 0.37 to 150.52. Interprovincial Pipe Line jumped one point to 84½ and CPR ⅝ to 66. Quebec Natural Gas and Trans Mountain Pipe Line added ¼ to 13¾ and 17⅝.

**BANKS UP**

Banks climbed 0.20 to 121.60. Toronto - Dominion rose ⅝ to 61⅝ and Nova Scotia ¼ to 71¾. Imperial Commerce and Royal added ¼ to 62¼ and 73.

Papers were up 0.74 to 113.84 Fraser climbed ½ to 29 and Domtar ⅜ to 18¼.

Machinery was off with Fleetwood slipping ½ to 25 and Massey-Ferguson ⅛ to 32¾.

Metals were higher. In the base section International Nickel and Noranda rose ¾ to 99¾ and 52.

Among primary issues Canada Iron climbed ½ to 62 and Aluminium ¼ to 32⅜.

Senior oils were off with Home slipped ¼ to 17⅝ and Pacific Pete ⅛ to 11⅞.

# Unions Begin First of Many Meets

MONTREAL (CP) — Senior officers of the Canadian Labor Congress, the Seafarers International Union of Canada (Ind.) and the Seafarers International Union of North America met Tuesday in the first of a series of talks planned to consider the SIU's possible re-entry into the CLC.

The meeting took place in the offices of the board of maritime union trustees, established by the federal government in 1963 with authority over the SIU and four other maritimes unions.

The board was set up following a royal commission inquiry into waterfront violence and inter-union warfare.

The SIU of Canada was expelled from the CLC in 1960 for raiding the members-ship of another CLC union.

SIU's president, Hal Banks, an American labor leader brought to Canada by the federal government in 1949 to organize the SIU against the Communist-dominated Canadian Seamen's Union, skipped the country in 1964 while on $25,000 bail pending an appeal against a five-year sentence for assaulting an official of another union.

Banks was deposed as president of the SIU by the board of maritime trustees, who appointed vice-president Leonard (Red) McLaughlin in his place.

In an interview, Judge Rene Lippe, chairman of the board of trustees, said much progress has been made towards a reformation of the SIU.

None of the parties at Tuesday's talks would comment on how they went except to say that they had been satisfactory. They said they will arrange the next meeting when they have had time to consider all the points which had been raised.

Among those attending the talks were Claude Jodoin, president of the CLC, Paul Hall, president of the SIU of North America, and Mr. McLaughlin.

## Plan $36 Million Pipeline Program

TORONTO (CP) — Trans-Canada Pipe Lines Ltd. plans a $36,000,000 construction program in 1966, president James Kerr said Tuesday. The plans are subject to approval by the National Energy Board in Ottawa.

The major project will be 89 miles of 34-inch diameter pipe in Saskatchewan and Manitoba. When completed the entire 586 miles of the original Western Canada pipeline will have been looped, or parallelled by a second line of the same size.

Other projects include 35 miles of 16-inch line from the Alberta-Saskatchewan border to the Saskatchewan Power Corp. storage reservoir near Unity, Sask., and a 12-mile looping of 24-inch pipe between Toronto and Markham.

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# Your Horoscope

BY FRANCES DRAKE

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

**Friday, December 24, 1965**

MARCH 21 to APRIL 20 (Aries) — If you put forward your best efforts, you need not be anxious about results, even though they may be somewhat delayed. A good day for making new friendships, group activities generally.

APRIL 21 to MAY 21 (Taurus) — Very encouraging influences! But, remember: the striver makes headway, the mere dreamer loses ground. Things will be happening fast during this period. Gear your actions to the stepped-up pace.

MAY 22 to JUNE 21 (Gemini) — You may receive less help from co-workers or others than you would like, but do not be dismayed. You can go it alone. Be patient.

JUNE 22 to JULY 23 (Cancer) — The Moon generously influences all endeavors now, but avoid impulsiveness. You can achieve much in your usual competent manner. Be on the lookout for good leads, projects with substantial background.

JULY 24 to AUGUST 23 (Leo) — Partnerships, business, personal life all generously influenced. Those of you who take responsibility seriously have grand opportunities now. Be realistic in all things.

AUGUST 24 to SEPTEMBER 23 (Virgo) — Mild influences. Don't rest on past laurels or indulge in day-dreaming. Put forth your best efforts. Incentive can be tailored to meet top requirements.

SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23 (Libra) — Do not fear changes; they have taken place and have been feared before. The important thing is to evaluate circumstances, act rationally, and keep ploughing on toward worthwhile objectives.

OCTOBER 24 to NOVEMBER 22 (Scorpio) — This type of day may be just-right one for you now. Take the initiative where you can save time and energies. Maintain your dignity, principles, rights.

NOVEMBER 23 to DECEMBER 21 (Sagittarius) — Generous Jupiter influences. Take the optimistic point of view. It will give a clearer perspective of potentialities and fan the enthusiasm that translates into fertile ideas, progress.

DECEMBER 22 to JANUARY 20 (Capricorn) — Everyday matters may give most concern now. Use tried-and-true methods in areas where you must act but have little to go on for reference. Your innate perseverance will aid you.

JANUARY 21 to FEBRUARY 19 (Aquarius) — Uranus favorable. Take advantage of the situation. Don't expect the unreasonable in return, however. Avoid extremes; be happy. There's no need to rush. Things can work out surprisingly well .

FEBRUARY 20 to MARCH 20 (Pisces)—You are a responsible person when "the chips are down." This day asks still more from your generous nature: A steadying hand to someone uncertain — a little more than you gave before.

YOU BORN TODAY: This is the birthdate of a determined, consistent person — one who can command or follow with ease, once his highest qualities are developed. Integrity is your byword and you are practical, ambitious and persevering. Capricornians make fine statesmen, politicians.


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Mrs. Simkin and her family thank their many friends for their kind messages of sympathy. Special thanks go to the staff of the Kootenay Cleaning Centre. Also to Dr. Morrison and nurses of the Kootenay Lake General Hospital for their skilled care and attention while the late Mr. Simkin was a patient there.
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**FUNERAL NOTICE**
COOKSON — Funeral services for Mr. Thomas Gregory Cookson, will be held at the Thompson Funeral Home, Friday at 11 a.m. The Very Rev. R. W. S. Brown will officiate and interment will take place in Nelson Memorial Park.

# Forecast Larger Winter Wheat Crop For U.S.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. agriculture department Tuesday predicted a 1966 U.S. Winter wheat crop of 1,059,116,000 bushels, based on conditions of the crop as of Dec. 1 and other factors. This would be three per cent larger than the 1965 crop.

Winter wheat, which is planted in the fall of the year prior to its harvest, makes up roughly 75 per cent of the total wheat crop. Spring wheat will be seeded next spring.

The 1965 crop totalled 1,024,076,000 bushels compared with 966,560,000 bushels for the 1959-63 average. The new crop, like that of 1965, is being grown under a voluntary program offering farmers price supports and payments for planting within allotments set by the government in its efforts to stabilize prices and supplies.

Should the 1966 spring wheat crop equal the five-year average of 223,000,000 bushels, the total wheat crop would be 1,282,176,000 bushels compared with 1,326,747,000 this year and 1,189,763,000 for the five-year average.

The department forecast a winter wheat yield per seeded acre of 25.1 bushels compared with 22.8 this year. The acreage was estimated at 42,138,000 acres compared with 44,831,000 this year.

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