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#### EDITORIAL

#### National Service - - -

If the Canadian young men prefer that method there seems to be no good reason why they should not be drafted for national service. If Canada is worth living in, it should be worth living for and, if necessary, dying for. To select the men who are needed for the defence service would seem to be much better than to plead with them to join the Canadian forces. All would then be treated as equals.

If this recruiting campaign is not successful, there is only one thing to do and we hope the administration will see that it is done.

#### Criticism Met - - -

Now that Prime Minister Churchill has given the of- James Reid Nelson Passes Away At ficial view of the recent military operations in the Mediterranean, we shall likely hear little more of the criticism of the loss of Crete following the loss of the campaign in Greece. At any rate the British fought bravely and well the history of Wistaria met here in both campaigns. The military headquarters say that at United Church on Sunday afterboth campaigns were necessary in the steadying up of the noon to pay final tribute to the German move toward Suez. Now we are wondering what will be the next move in that part of the world.

#### Preponderant Part - - -

Dr. Goebbels had been saying that the forces from Australia and New Zealand have been fighting battles for the English. To meet this accusation it became necessary for Prime Minister Churchill to tell Parliament that nearly ninety-four per cent of the casualties so far in this war were from the British Isles. Yet we had seldom heard of the fighting done by these British home forces. We always hear of the South Africans, Australians, New Zea- FOR SALE-Blue Tip mechanic's Harrison sr. landers, Canadians and South Africans because their home folk want to know what they are doing. They have all done wonderful fighting along with the English and Scottish and Irish but no one who knows would suggest that they have done a major part of the fighting.

#### Spies and Traitors - - -

"The arrest and conviction of a Nazi spy, who was found in possession of detailed plans of an English harbor, FOR SALE—One 20 h.p. marine John Nelson, Ireland, and one furnishings and is now busy in is clear evidence, if such were needed, that the R.C.M.P. and officials of the naval intelligence department have not been lulled into a sense of false security because so little evidence of espionage in British Columbia has appeared during the last few weeks," says the News Herald.

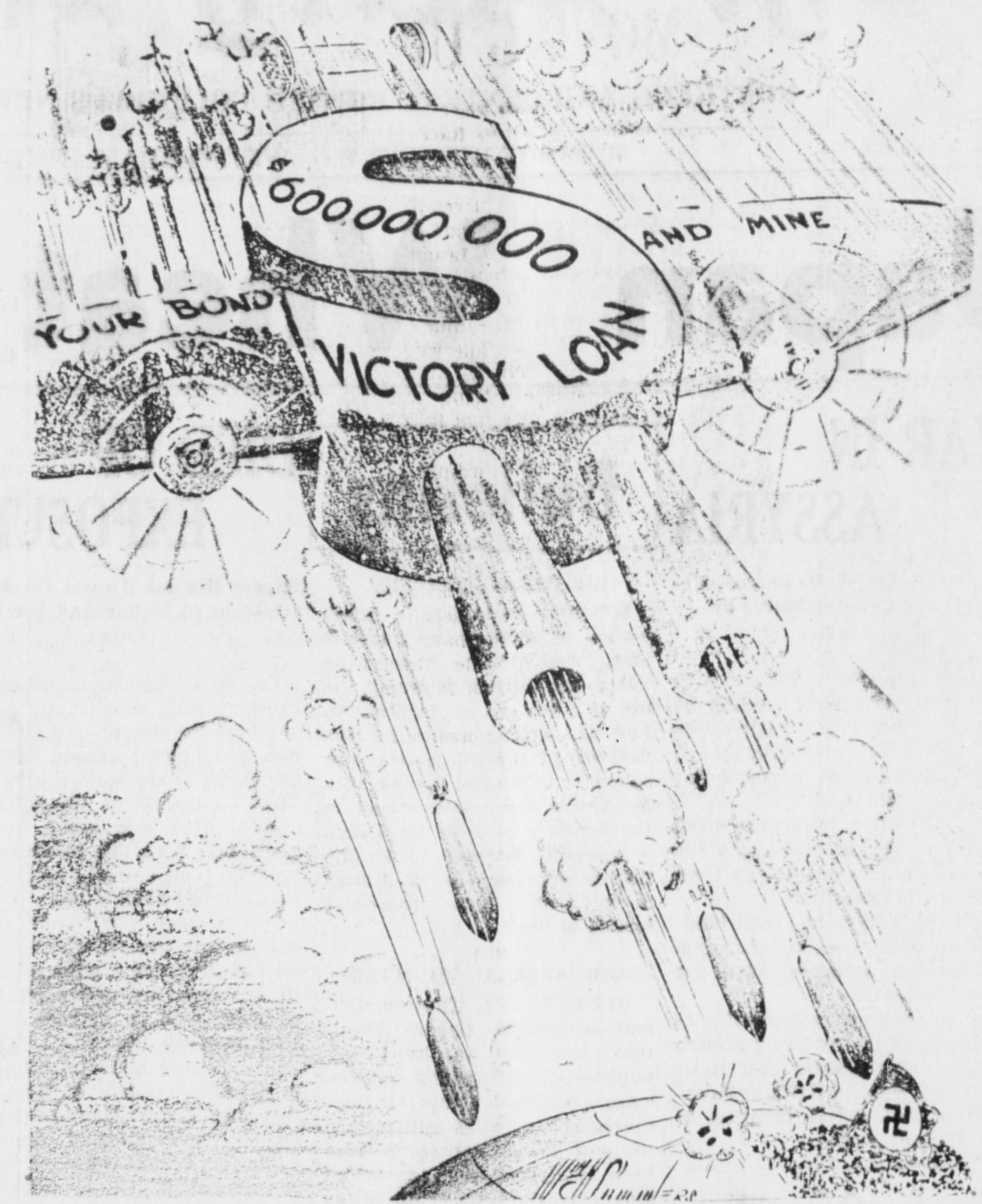
"Scores of rumors and suspicious circumstances are constantly being traced to their source, sifted and examined with the intelligence and the minutest care, for every arrest that is made.

"Yet, on the other hand, there is no need for panic. WANTED-Elderly man to herd The circulation of baseless rumors that this coast is honey- cows, start right away. Valetin combed with spies and saboteurs is a gross disservice to Dairy. those who are working day and night to ferret out these WANTED-Neat, efficient girl to do vermin. While the arrest of a spy who admits his guilt is unusual there are still far too many rumor-mongers in Vancouver who delight in spreading alarmist stories and in repeating sentiments that must hinder the fulfillment of our maximum war effort.

"In Britain posters are displayed everywhere especially where men are likely to discuss the conduct and course of the war advising them of the danger of repeating unfounded and hasty words. Scores of cases have been brought to notice in which a baseless rumor of the circulation of facts concerning movement of troops or ships have caused the deaths of scores of innocent men and the wreckage of homes. While few of these notices have been posted in Vancouver the whispering campaign has been the subject of many warnings by the authorities.

"Not all the spies are in the pay of the enemy. Some of the most dangerous are the unwitting men and women who would scorn the suggestion of treachery. Eternal vigilance on the part of everyone is the price of our safe-

#### WINGS FROM CANADA



Contributed to the Canadian Victory Loan Campaign by William H. Summers, cartoonist of the Buffalo Evening News.

# PIONEER

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WISTARIA, June 11:-One of the 1908 largest gatherings of mourners in

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#### memory of James Reid Nelson, one PRESENT of the most esteemed pioneers in PRESENT the district. After many years of suffering which he bore with patience and cheerfulness, he succumbed on Friday morning.

Mr. Nelson was born in 1886 in Toughlemney, County Down, Nor- Irish Fusiliers Gift To 102nd. Hosthern Ireland and came to Canada in 1907, settling in Wistaria in

The church was filled to capacity with practically the whole community attending, also many from Burns Lake, Palling and surroundng districts. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Adam Crisp. Burns Lake, who paid tribute to the fine spirit and helpful influence of the deceased upon all the knew him.

Hymns loved by Mr. Nelson were sung, these being "Nearer My God to Thee" "Rock of Ages" and "Abide With Me." Miss Doris An-The pallbearers were Arthur

(138) Shelford, E. Larson, Jack Shelford,

tools, 2 cross cut saws, 3 Rem- Interment was in the Wistaria couches, chesterfields, unpainted tributes were sent by relatives and source of pride to the 102nd.

prices. Phone Black 324, B. C. who was a faithful nurse and con- ter this hospital and the one which stant companion to him during has just been completed at Frederhis long illness and two children, ick Point. The Auxiliary has raised FOR SALE-7 tube cabinet radio. James and Minnie. Others who and spent some hundreds of dol-Newly checked. \$24.50. Phone Blue mourn his loss are his brothers, lars in furnishing the Barrett hos-(137) William R. Nelson of Wistaria and pital with equipment, supplies and

#### COMMODORES OUT The United States Navy has drop-

RUN ON WOOD GAS Sweden has nearly 50.000 vehicles running on gas from wood or char-

AFTER SHOP KEEPERS In one month nearly 4,000 Berlin shop-keepers were fined for violating Nazi government price laws.

pital At Barrett Point Fort

An interesting event took place yesterday at Barrett Point Fort when the area commandant, on beholf of the First Battalion, Irish Fusiliers (Vancouver) Regiment, presented to Major C. V. Evitt, commanding the 102nd. Heavy Battery, one of the latest and most effecient types of infra red lamps for use in the hospital at Barrett.

This useful gift from the Irish Fusiliers to the Battery, Col. J. N. Burnett states, is in appreciation of the amicable relations which existed between the two units and derson played the accompaniment. the excellent care and attention the men of the Irish received in the Barrett Hospital during their J. Lund, Ed. Blackwell and W. H. eighteen months stay in Prince

Barrett Point Fort has a very ington typewriters, studio Cemetery. Many beautiful floral fine six bed hospital which is a

The Women's Auxiliary of the and mattresses at very low Deceased is survived by his wife, 102nd, has the task of looking afsister Mrs. G. Cummins, Cloverdale. arranging the same at Frederick

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#### Hospital Scene Wins In Window Display Contest

It is announced that the winner Bay has won one game and lost of the Victory Loan Campaign win- one. Elks have failed to win a dow display competition was Mrs. game so far and have lost two. In H. S. Parker. The prize was a the last scheduled game Hudson framed picture of the King and Bay won a 7 to 2 victory over Queen now on display in her win- Elks. Ronald Bregoliss pitched for dow. Mrs. Parker's display was an the Bay while Gordon Bregoliss effective scene depicting a hospital and Hec MacKenzie shared mound room in bomb-stricken London duty for the Elks. with an army nurse and cot containing a baby bombing victim. It Kamloops had a visit last week was an undoubtedly outstanding from Ken Black, Canadan amaarrangement.

Mrs. Parker was picked winner crowd of enthulasts of the Royal by six judges working independent- and Ancient Game gathered on the

Honorable mention from the tion. Only a couple of bad breaks judges was given to Northern El- kept the champion from breaking ectric Co., Gordon & Anderson, the course record of seventy as McRrae. Bros., Dollar Store, Mrs. partnered with Fred Irwin, he won Emith's Flower Shop and Ben's over T. A. Clark and C. C. Ternan News Stand.

### SPORT CHAT

Co-Eds are leading the City Baseball League at Kamloops, having won two games so far this season and losing none. Hudson

teur golf champion, and a record links en masse to see him in acthree up in an exhibition foursome.



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