Regiment W.A. Will Correspond With Soldiers

Former members of the Prince Rupert Reserve Regiment who are on active service will be recipients of letters and comforts from the Women's Auxiliary of the reserve unit. Plans to start up correspondence and send parcels to men who received their initial military training with the local reserve batallion were laid at a meeting of the regimental W.A. last night. In view of the success of a recent dance sponsored by the W.A., plans for another dance, to be held during Easter week, were begun and committees appointed. Mrs. E. Saunders was in the chair in the absence of the president, Mrs. L. M. Asemissen.

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LAZY BEES A PROBLEM

SYDNEY, Australia, (CP)— There are all sorts of angles to gardening in the tropics. The Australian Army planned to make itself self-supporting in vegetables in the Northern Territory, but the native bees were found to be so lazy that crop pollination failed. So they imported bees from the south.

INDIA IS NOW BIG FIGHTER

Expanded Volunteer Services Have Served on Many Battlefronts

WASHINGTON, March 7 (CP)— More than 300,00 members of the Indian Army—now more than 2,000,000 strong — have served outside India, says a booklet entitled "India at War."

The booklet, issued and distributed by the government of India Information Services here, says Indian soldiers have served in the defence of East Africa and the Sudan, in Eritrea, Ethiopia, the Western Desert, Tunisia, Italy, Syria, Iran, Iraq, Malaya, and the East Indies, Burma and Hong Kong.

One of the units of the all-volunteer army which has travelled the farthest and fought the most is the 4th Indian Division. It was part of Field Marshal Lord Wavell's small army in the Middle East in 1940; fought in the Ethiopian campaign, helped defend the Egyptian frontier against a drive by Rommel; saw hard fighting in Syria; took part in the 1941 offensive and retreat in Libya and Egypt; and fought all the way from El Alamein in Egypt to Tunisia. In 1944 it was fighting with the British 8th Army in Italy.

A women's auxiliary corps of the army, numbering more than 10,000 has been formed to release soldiers and technicians for more active duty, the booklet says. They work as switchboard operators, wireless operators, clerks and in various other capacities.

Great Naval Growth

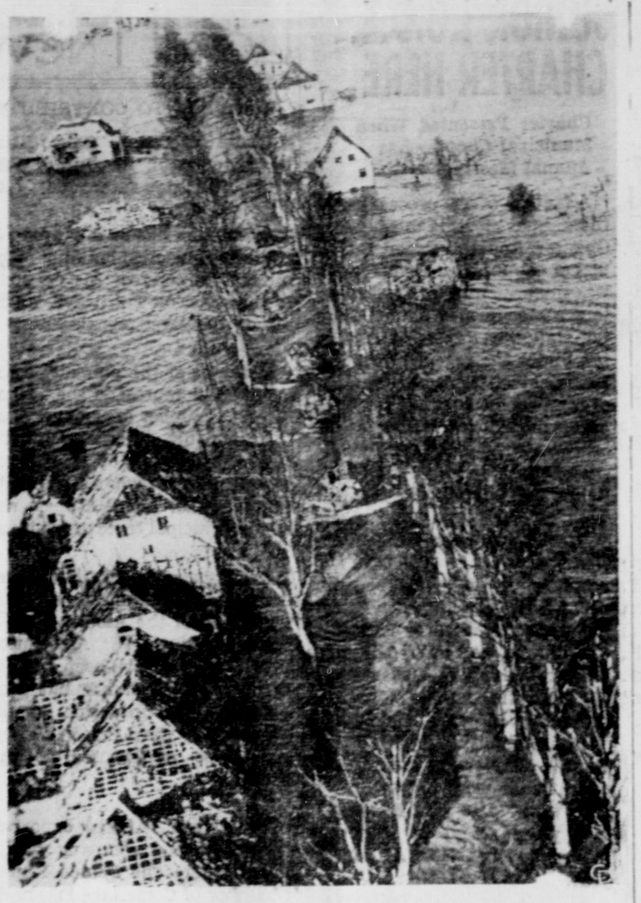
The Royal Indian Navy by the beginning of 1944 had expanded its personnel to nearly 30,000 from 1,200 at the outbreak of the war. Two major naval bases have been built and three minor bases.

The minesweeper Bengal distinguished herself in November, 1942, when two Japanese armed raiders attacked a motorvessel the two raiders was believed to be the Bengal was escorting. Each of armed with six 5.5 inch guns. The Bengal attacked and sank the larger raider—the 10,000-ton Kikoku Maru. The minesweeper suffered only slight damage during the engagement.

Squadhons of the Indian Air Force have been fighting over Burma since 1942. The coastal defence wing has been expanded and 75 percent of its personnel is Indian.

India's industrial effort during the war has been impressive too, the booklet shows. The steel industry, for instance, now turns out sufficient high-speed tool steel for its own requirements and for manufacture of armored fighting vehicles. During 1943 an overall increase of 50 percent in output of steel was achieved.

Also during 1943 more than 300 naval vessels were under construction in India, including trawlers, corvettes, minesweepers, motor launches and small craft.



FLOODS DON'T DAUNT CANADIANS—"Ducks" carrying Allied supplies pass along the inundated main road from Nijmegen to Kleve. Retreating Germans flooded large areas of land lying in the path of the attack by the Canadian First Army. Gen. Crerar's troops were moved up to the front line in amphibious vehicles along the flooded road. The high waters are gradually subsiding and roads are now emerging above the water.

Briefs From Britain

By the Canadian Press

HERON BRIDGE, Eng., (CP) — Skeltons found during excavations in a field in this Cheshire town are claimed by their discoverer, Archaeologist W. J. Williams, to date back to 616 A.D.

LONDON, (CP) — A C.B.E. has been awarded to the "Old Man of the Old Lady," Commodore Herbert Packer, R.N., who got the nickname because of his long connection with H.M.S. Warspite, veteran battleship.

LONDON, (CP)—London's telephone exchanges are short 1,000 trained operators and the rest of the country could use 3,000— the biggest telephone labor crisis of the war.

LONDON, (CP)—Lord Brabazon, former minister of aircraft production, has disclosed that he was the first to take a pig up in an airplane—just to refute the old saying that pigs cannot fly.

LONDON, (CP)— Allied artillery barrages on the western front are synchronized by BBC time "pips" from Greenwich observatory—the same time signal used by millions of Britons to set their clocks and watches.

LOUTH, Eng., (CP)—H. H. Ridington, who watched the last public execution in Britain 76 years ago, has died, aged 102, in this Lincolnshire town.

LONDON, (CP) — Lord Bruntisfield, parliamentary secretary to the Admiralty, told a Wembley meeting that since the start of the war the Royal Navy had lost 47,000 men killed or missing, 13,000 wounded, and 5,500 prisoners.

» Smiles «

"Little boy, how is it that your mother's name is Jones and yours is Smith?"

"She got married again and I didn't."

Thoughtless Prison Visitor: "You know stone walls do not a prison make, or iron bars a cage."

Prisoner: "If they don't then I've been crazy to stay here so long."

Young Doctor: "This pie is burnt. Send it back to the store."

Young Wife: "I didn't buy it. It's my own cremation."

An admiral and one of his officers were discussing the welfare of the sailors in their chareg. "I wonder how they spend their pay?" said the admiral. Just then a young sailor walked by and the admiral beckoned him over. He explained their discussion and asked the coilor if he would care to tell them how he apportioned his salary.

"Oh sure," said the sailor, "I don't mind telling you. I spend a third of it on whisky and a third on women and I guess I just spend the other third foolishly."

Doctor: "Wait a minute, I didn't tell you to say ah-h-."

Male Patient: "I know you didn't. I just saw the nurse."

Judge: "So you broke into the cigar store just to get a ten-cent cigar? What were you doing in the safe?"

Prisoner: "I was putting in the dime."

Doctor (eyeing outpatient coldly as the latter arrives late for pneumo): "You should have been here at 9:30."

Outpatient: "Why, what happened?"

Captain: "Have you cleaned the deck and polished the brass?"

Sailor: "Yes sir, and I've swept the horizon with my telescope."

"Mama, how do you get the cubic contents of a barrel?"

"I don't know, ask your father."

Wife: "Did you see those soldiers stare at that pretty girl boarding the bus?"

Husband: "What soldiers?"

"Say, mister," said a youth to the butcher, keep joints to suit all p

"Sure," said the bu

"Well, what have y an empty one?"

"Cold shoulder," butcher.

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Your Assistance Invited

The Daily News is compiling a Roll of Honor which is hoped may contain the name of every man and woman of this city to serve with the armed forces at sea, on land and in the air. To make this list complete, it is essential to obtain the co-operation of the public as a whole in submitting the names.

It is impossible for the Daily News or any one person to compile the list complete so we are asking YOU to be responsible for the submission of the name of YOUR boy, YOUR girl or YOUR friend.

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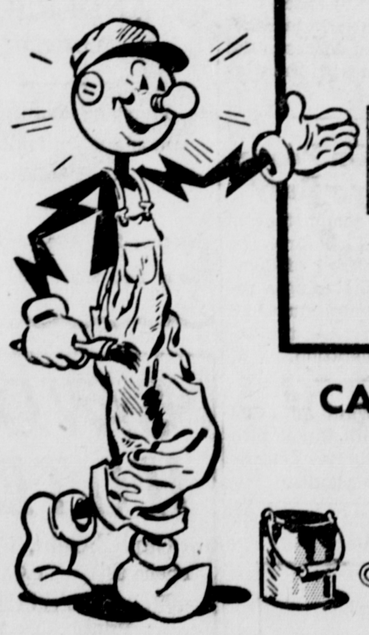

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TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor W. E. Fisher, made on the 16th day of February, A.D. 1945, I was appointed Executor of the estate of Kristian Knutsen, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said Estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or before the 17th day of March, A.D. 1945, and all parties indebted to the Estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

DATED at Prince Rupert, B.C., this 17th day of February, A.D. 1945.

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