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### Top of the World

THE TOP OF THE WORLD is still, and is likely to remain, an area of vast and virtually unknown strategic possibilities. Hon. Brooke Claxton, Minister of Defence, in a recent speech in parliament, took the matter into the open. Frankly admitting that Russia was our only possible and potentially dangerous enemy, he said in substance that, not only was the threat improbable and distant, but, even if it arose, the only possible attack on Canada would be aimed to divert the attention of the people of this continent and, through a panic technique, to induce them to direct a disproportionate amount of effort into passive local defence. The distance that must be flown would mean that even a dominant air force would not be assured of accomplishing any strategic objective before it was destroyed. Despite this optimistic statement Mr. Claxton is still spending more money on the air force than on any of the other services and especially on jet planes, and others specially designed to meet Canadian defence needs.

#### SAFETY FOR SWIMMERS

AANY IMPROVEMENTS have been made this Wear to the popular Salt Lakes swimming resort across Prince Rupert Harbor, thanks to the provincial public works department which was spurred by the Soroptimist Club. In fact, things are in better shape at the Salt Lake than they have been fo ryears. One lack however, seems to be life sailing on the Camosun on saving facilities in the event of distress occurring which often does at the best of regular bathing resorts. Fortunately, there have been no serious incidents there so far this season but one never knows when something might come up. Life saving equipment might never have to be used but, nevertheless, its easy availability is good insurance and provides a measure of relief and peace of mind.

### FOR THE MANUFACTURER

COOD starts on the farm but, before it reaches the housewife, it passes through many hands and processes, comments an exchange. First the manufacturer must buy from the farmer. According to government figures he had to pay \$2.65 in 1947 for farm products which cost him \$1 in 1939. At each step, the cost of doing business is up from 75 to 100 percent. In the matter of profits, the manufacturer is the most abused suspect in the crime of high prices. His profit, however, is the CFPR one element of cost which, far from increasing, has actually declined. The profits of the manufacturer and retailer together total five cents on the sales dollar. Suppose these profits were removed, how much difference in the price of a tin of beans? The can costs sixteen cents. The housewife would save four-fifths of a cent.

### ANNIVERSARY OF BASTILLE

THE 159TH ANNIVERSARY of the fall of the Bastille, in Paris, was again celebrated this month. The date never does pass, unobserved, in the French capital. It means too much.

The people themselves were in the throes of revolution. There were many horrors. Their enthroned rulers died, at the hands of the citizens, but revolt only came as the consequence of long continued oppression.

The grim, prison-fortress was a symbol of this. With its fall also fell the principles and practices that for generations had denied France her freedom.

"The people cry for bread," said suppliants. "Why do they not eat cake?" was the reply of tyranny.

There is nothing surprising that this recognition of a famous date is so well observed. For history is proving that there can be more than one bastilleor attempt to establish one. One need not travel far today to detect signs and symbols against which the best protection is eternal vigilance.

### 'LET US ALONE' WEEK

TVERYONE has noticed the ever-increasing num-Le ber of special "weeks" or "days," solemnly dedicated to some particular event or occasion ostensibly meriting public support. If people, busy with their own duties and affairs, were to co-operate to the desired extent there would be precious little time left for anything else. It is not that some of these special weeks are not worthy of encouragement. The trouble is there are too many. And so it comes that the recent launching of a "Let Us Alone Week," away down in Georgia, comes as something timely and appropriate and just as well understood in Canada as in the south.

ADVERTISE IN THE DAILY NEWS FOR BEST RESULTS

### MATERIALISM IS THREAT TO WORLD PEACE

The threat of "practical atheism" to Christianity was the sermon topic of Rev. A. J. Lawton at the morning service at First United Church on Sunday. Mr. Lawton, of Port Simpson, is relieving the regular minister, Rev. R. A. Wilson, who is on vacation.

"Practical atheism" Mr. Lawton defined as the devotion of a man's entire energy to the accumulation of material things to the neglect of responsibilities to his fellow man and to God. He spoke on the parable of the rich farmer whom Jesus condemned, not because he was rich, but because of his exclusive pursuit of riches.

"Jesus looked beneath the surface and into the man's mind, and there he saw the material atheist." Mr. Lawton said. "It is very true that we, too, worship material success."

Not until the world learns to make proper estimates of things and realizes that spiritual values are the determining factors in solving differences of opinions will there be peace and good will among individuals and nations, he declared.

A special musical number was the vocal solo "Down Here," sung by J. S. Wilson. Mrs. L Dakin was organist.

### SEA CADETS SET FOR CAMP

Cook Corps of Sea Cadets are Tuesday afternoon for Camp Latona in Howe Sound where they will spend two weeks at annual summer camp with Sea Cadets from other parts of the province.

The two-week camp will include training in seamanship, recreation and a one-day cruise aboard a naval vessel. The group will be in charge of Petty Officer Gordon Rothwell. Lieut Commander Alex Mitchell, corps commander, who left by car for the south Saturday, may attend at least part of the camp.

Cadets leaving, in addition to P/O Rothwell, will include E. Jurvick, B. Anderson, M. Sedgwick, J. Ketcheson, W. Toderas. Holt, B. MacFarlane, D. Leighton, R. Rhodes and R.

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MONDAY -P.M. 4:15-Stock Quotations and Int 4:30-Lyle Evans 4:45—The New Mother Goose

5:00—Spring Time

5:30—Pops on Parade

6:00—Supper Serenade

6:15-Martial Airs

6:30—Musical Varieties 6:40—Recorded Interlude

6:45-Plantation House Party 7:00—CBC News

7:15—The Tenth Man

7:30—Summer Fallow

8:00-Date After Dark

8:30—Guy Lombardo Show

9:00—Piano Recital

9:30—George Olson's Orch.

10:00-CBC News 10:15—Outdoor Fun

10:30-Let's Dance

1:00-Fish Arrivals and News

1:05—Weather and Sign-off TUESDAY-A.M

7:30-Musical Clock 8:00-CBC News

8:15—Morning Song

8:30-Music for Moderns 8:45—Little Concert

9:00—BBC News

9:15-Morning Devotions 9:30—Transcribed Melodies

9:45-Modern Musicians

9:59-Time Signal 10:00-Morning Visit

10:15—Morning Melodies 10:30-Roundup Time

10:45—Scandinavian Melodies

11:00-Bernie Braden Tells a Story (CBC) 11:15 Songs of Today

11:30—Weather Forecast

11:31—Message Period 11:33-Recorded Interlude

11:45—Let's Waltz

- P.M -

12:00-Mid-Day Melodies

12:15-CBC News

12:25—Program Resume 12:30-B. C. Farm Broadcast

12:55—Recorded 1:00—Symphony Orch.

2:00—Sheila Presents

2:30—Commentary and Talk

2:45—Western Five 3:00-Ethel and Albert

3:15—Spotlight on a Star

3:20—Sketches In Melody

3:30-Divertimento, Ottawa 3:45-BBC News

### THE PREMIER BLUES

(To the une of "Bury Me Not on The Lone Prairie")

We are Gold dust miners and our hearts are sore, We are leaving Premier cause they can't pay more, That's what they told us so they closed her down, Now we're headin' back for our home town.

The bunkhouse now; well no words can tell, Of its lonesome rooms where the boys raised h-Where the clank of bottles rang loud and free, Where they passed out colder than Sam McGee.

We had our sprees and our fightin's too, Where many a white lad turned navy blue, And sported a pair of big black eyes, That would shame a belle who would win a prize.

And oh, those nights in the Stewart gaol, When we hoped like H- they'd stand our bail, When our pals got canned for hittin the booze, They took our pants and they swiped our shoes.

see the valleys and glacier peaks, Those ghostly buildings where no one sleeps, The homes left empty where soon decay, Will mould and rot 'till they melt away.

So we're bidding Premier a sad goodbye, Our hearts are breaking but we cannot cry, Our grief's too deep to be drowned in tears, And our hearts too sore to be healed with beers.

-NELLIE WOODWARD

### THIS AND THAT



"It was reduced from all of your salary to half of your salary."

# LEAVING FOR

Four Prince Rupert people are leaving the city next month to visit their former homes in England and Scotland and one of them, an elderly lady, plans to stay there to complete her

on August 12 on the Ascania,

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wood have arranged to sail on August 26 on the Britannic from New York for a three-month visit to Scotland. Mr. Wood is a Canadian National Railways em-

Travel arrangements for the two groups were made by Arthur Brooksbank of the Dybhavn and Hanson agency.

### HOW CAN I ? ? ?

A. Tart molds can be made over the backs of muffin tins. Make a syrup of sugar and water, drop fresh strawberries in it, and cook for a few minutes. Fill the tarts and serve with whipped cream.

Q. How can I remove lime inside of the teakettle?

A. Boil a strong solution of

Q. How can I prevent soggy

dish when sending to the table, or the potatoes will become soggy by absorbing their own moi

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## CITY FOLK ARE OLD COUNTRY

Mrs. Ernest Burton, 76-year old Billmor lady, plans to sail from Montreal to return to the home in Cumberland, England, which she left more than 40 years ago. Accompanying her will be Mrs. Ethel Slaney, who will visit England for about six weeks before returning to Can-

### By ANNE ASHLEY

Q. How can I make good

that has accumulated on the

vinegar in the kettle. Rinse it thoroughly before refilling with

A. Never cover the potato

WOMEN IN INDUSTRY

cherries next winter, can your ow NOW.

Mrs. O. A. Rogers, formerly her sister, Mrs.

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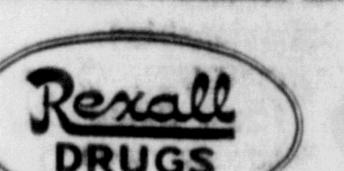
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