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By ELMORE PHILPOTT
IS IT FREE SPEECH?

LONDON.—The crowd is melting away from a Conservative in Hyde Park.

Another speaker with a fine sense of timing has set up shop. His little step-ladder platform carries no flag. But obviously he is an old hand at the game and an old favorite with the crowds.

He is a stoutish man, bow-chested, with dull yellow hair, glasses, florid face, and he exudes self-confidence. It seems that one of the regular speakers had died suddenly during the week. Evidently the departed Mickey was well known to all. But, says this very much alive colleague, Mickey had only practised the right kind of breathing (here the speaker demonstrated the right "in and up" method), Mickey would be alive and well today. That is, if Mickey had also remembered to moisten his lips properly. Open-air speakers should always remember to take time out to moisten their lips.

This old master at the art of open-air oratory makes it crystal clear that he carries no torch for no party. The people, he flatly declares, cannot be trusted. They are stupid, and the political parties are no better than the people. In fact, if you want to get on in British politics, there are two things you must be:

"First, you must be a yes-man, and" (dramatic pause)—

"Second, you must join the Masons."

It is now 12:45. At precisely 1:15, says this rugged individual, "I will read the most important part of my speech. I will deal with the great tragedy that is now descending on Europe." (Voice—hard, strident.) "We are now being dragged towards catastrophe by the bloody Americans, who are determined to bring on a war."

The crowd is deadly earnest now. Gone is the lighthearted mood of the moment before. One voice says:

"Hear, hear!" But the sudden hush is more impressive than the customary breeze of light chuckles, dissent or assent.

Another voice pipes up, Cockney as the Bow Bells themselves:

"Be careful, mite, remember you're being repawtweed."

I look around. There is only one policeman in sight, and he sits sleepy-looking astride an equally sleepy-looking horse. I did see one girl with a notebook taking shorthand notes of the Conservative meeting, but—no newspaper reporters, let alone police agents, are in evidence here.

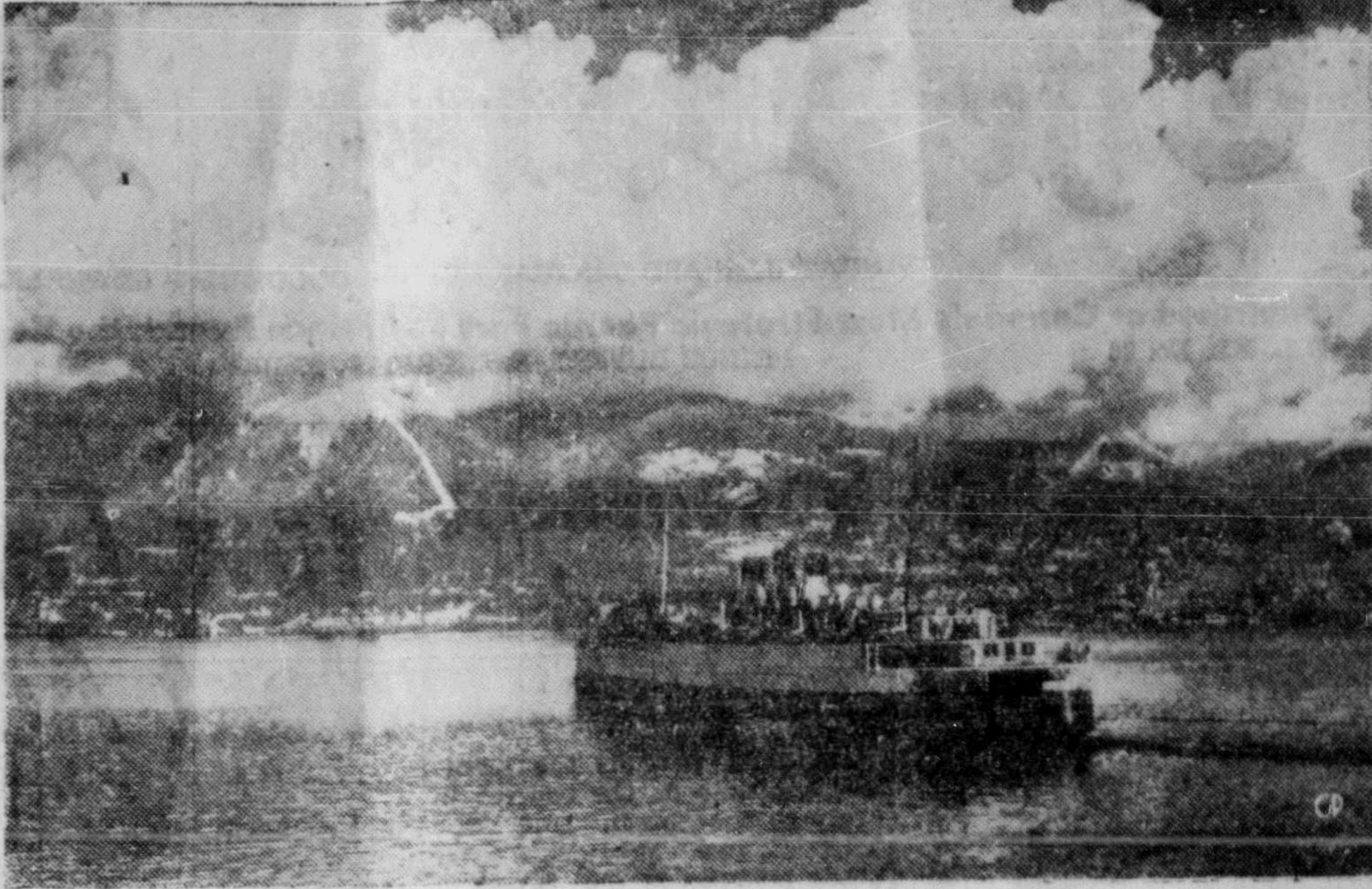
Even if they were, they would not intimidate this lad, I thought to myself, as I hurried off to keep my date with Canadians, like me, far from home.

In the taxi, I asked myself: "What does Hyde Park add up to anyway? Of the ten million people who live in or near London, how many thousands have ever gone to Hyde Park to listen to the speakers? Is the free speech symbolized by Hyde Park an illusion, especially as hardly a line of what any speaker ever says in Hyde Park ever gets in the press or on the radio?"

My answer, for what it is worth, is: Yes, Hyde Park is very much worth-while. It's not so much that many Britons want to use such facilities; but that they still can, if they do so wish.

STOCKPORT, Eng. (P)—A boy of 14, on probation, bought a calendar to present his probation officer. The calendar bore the message: "It is a mistake to suppose that men succeed through success. They much oftener succeed through failure."

allowed to charge expenses. A duke in modern England may be a guide to visitors in his own mansion. A duchess may have to make tea—just as an opening gesture, of course—to the crowds who want to see how the nobles live.



VANCOUVER PANORAMA—Beautiful panorama of the north shore of Burrard Inlet greets Vancouverites these crisp winter days. The snow-clad mountains provide a scenic background as the CPR ship Princess Joan leaves for Nanaimo. (CP PHOTO)

RAY... Reflects and Reminisces

Alberni's new city clerk and treasurer will draw more than \$350. In 1910 Ernie Woods, city clerk in Prince Rupert, was drawing \$150. But today we do not pay 12 cents for post roast, 20 cents for bacon, or eight cents for halibut.

Churchill, looking more bronzed and fit than ever, is back home from a month's holiday in Morocco. He is 76, and leader of the British Conservative party. He's back to an evil spell of winter weather and an epidemic of influenza, but with spring a month nearer. The old warrior knew where to go at the right time.

When a newspaper dies, says J M C of the Ottawa Journal staff, referring to the closing down of the Edmonton Bulletin, it is like the sinking of a fine old ship. More is lost than machinery and jobs. Out of existence goes a vehicle of adventure, a fountain of legends, a custodian of tradition. Newspapers long dead are still spoken of today as if they still lived—the Vancouver World, the Winnipeg Telegram, the Toronto World, the Ottawa Free Press, and others.

South Africa's pampered housewives are face to face with doing their own housework—after the passing of centuries. Servant shortage is here. White South Africans have always been surrounded by the luxury of cheap and unlimited native African domestic help. They have had an easier time than any feminine class since the "memsahib" in the heyday of British rule in India or the "southern belle" era in pre-Civil War United States.

Further restriction of meat rationing in England was received by the Cockneys in a characteristic way for they must have their little joke. "And if the bloody Russians come, as well," they made it plain, "we'll know what to eat."

Arming and directing the Germans, once again, is giving many a European an uncomfortable feeling. Once this machinery is set in motion, it is feared, it can and possibly would turn at an increasing pace without any one being able to halt it. For how far was Goethe wrong when he declared, "We are the slaves of the creatures that we create."

British Columbia's Fraser Val-

Big Estate Is Claimed

LONDON (P)—A claim to the "Angell Millions," a vast estate in Industrial London, has been made on behalf of 83-year-old Mrs. H. Abrahams and her pensioner husband.

Nearly 30 years ago the Angell estate was valued at £60,000,000 (about \$180,000,000) with an annual rental income of approximately £1,000,000.

In 1889, Mrs. Abraham's father, William Angell, spent his life's earnings in an effort to establish his claim to the property, which has been vested in the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for more than 100 years. He died before sufficient evidence could be gathered.

Now her son, Arthur, aged 59, claims to have traced the family back to the original owner of the estate, John Angell, who died in 1784. Like his father, Arthur has spent most of his time and savings seeking official recognition of his claims.

"I don't want any millions myself," Mrs. Abrahams said.

"We are quite happy with what we have, but I should like my family to have the money if the claim is true." She said her son was hard-pressed to carry on his fight owing to the high cost of the legal action.

The "Angell Millions" last came into prominence in 1923 when 82-year-old William Allery, who spent 50 years in pressing his claims to the fortune, seized two houses belonging to the estate. A syndicate subsequently subscribed £10,000 to support his claim, but he died before it could be brought to court.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert sailed last night on the Prince George for Vancouver. Mrs. Gilbert has been employed in the local telephone office.

Daily Health Hint

Next week is National Health Week in Canada—why not resolve during that time to become more health minded in public and in private. Resolve to adhere to the rules of your health authority for avoiding illness and of your physician for curing it.

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No Other Course

TO MAINTAIN its prestige and its self-respect, the United Nations has overwhelmingly approved the resolution of the United States branding Communist China as an aggressor in Korea. It is well that such was done by a large margin. This was no time for appeasement even if to be strong and courageous in the action taken may have involved the risk of war.

Failure to adopt the American resolution would probably have meant the end of the United Nations, certainly as a body of any potency. It would have gone the way of the League of Nations.

There come times when, in spite of risks and consequences, it is necessary to be forthright and bold. It was such a time this week at Lake Success.

The course that was taken might, indeed, lead to a fighting war, depending on whether the Soviet nations consider themselves ready for such a war instead of the cold war they have been waging these last few years.

Yet, as dispatches say, the door is not closed to peaceful settlement. Maybe it is slightly wider open.

Not the Time Now

IT IS a testimonial to the well-known popularity of "Smiling Mike" Pearson, Canada's minister of external affairs, that he should be mentioned as a possibility to become commissioner of organized baseball—a position from which there is no reason why a Canadian citizen should be debarred since Canada also is interested in organized baseball through such leagues as the International and others of less importance.

It may or may not be that Pearson is considered as a real possibility for the post but, whether or not, it is hardly to be seriously thought that he would be taking it.

There are much more serious things than the problems of organized baseball requiring the youth, vigor and talents of a man like Hon. L. B. Pearson. And there is probably no one who recognizes the fact more than Pearson himself.

Of course, it is to be fervently hoped that the day may not be too far removed when the state of world affairs, in which Canada plays such a prominent part, will have become so relieved that such a man as Mike Pearson will be able to turn their attention to inconsequential things such as these. But that day is certainly not today.

Scripture Passage for Today

"The shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things that they had heard and seen."—Luke 2:20.
"Jesus increased in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man."—Luke 2:52.

Taxes Cripple Aristocracy

By SIDNEY TAYLOR

LONDON (Reuters)—The British aristocracy, groaning under crippling death duties and other "levelling down" taxation, sold many of their lands and treasures in 1950. Still more are scheduled to go in 1951.

In the struggle to pay maintenance costs and government demands last year, they broke up historic estates, let ancestral homes pass to strangers, opened castles at a shilling a look to sightseers and sent vanloads of family heirlooms to the London auction sales.

At Sotheby's and Christie's auction rooms three Dukes, two Marquesses and a Marchioness said goodbye to precious possessions. So did nine Earls, five Viscounts, 10 Barons and four Baronesses.

Under their own names, they disposed of the best part of \$1,400,000 worth of old masters, jewellery, antique gold and silver, porcelain and early printed books. How much they, and others, sold anonymously is anybody's guess.

Sometimes, they were just getting rid of things they no longer wanted. But usually the driving force was taxation.

HEAVY DEATH DUTIES

If maintenance expenses are the great worry of the landed gentry, death duties are their nightmare. Since the Labor government's 1946 budget, the maxi-

mum duty payable at death on estates exceeding \$5,600,000 is 75 per cent. This tremendous tax has done more than anything else to break up Ducal estates. Few remain.

The Duke of Norfolk, England's premier duke and holder of titles dating back to the 12th and 13th centuries, has prophesied that within three generations all Britain's large country estates will be split up or in the hands of the government.

As the first half of the century of the common man passes into the second, a British peer thinks himself lucky if he can save his favorite home—usually one of his lesser ones—by selling parcels of his land or giving them outright to the government, as Viscount Portman did.

The number of stately homes of England now open to the public at a shilling or half-a-crown a time rose in 1950 to more than 80. For the purposes of taxation they became "business premises" and the noble lords were ity live.

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Mrs. Harvey Davies, Smithers, left last night on the Prince George for Vancouver. Her husband, prominent pioneer of the Bulkley Valley, died recently.

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Job's Daughters meeting to-night at 8 p.m. Initiation, installation, Silver March, Birthday Party, Cake Walk. (1tc)

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Williams of the Queen Charlotte Islands, who have been on a trip to Vancouver, arrived in the city from the south on the Chilcotin this afternoon.

Mrs. T. Jockola, Mrs. M. Godkin and Mrs. J. George of Juneau are returning on the northbound steamer Princess Norah which was here this morning. Also aboard was Mrs. A. J. Dorman of Ketchikan.

Rev. Dr. E. A. Wright, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, returned to the city on the Chilcotin this afternoon from Vancouver where he attended Presbyterian sessions and was inducted as pastor of the local church.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Williams and family sailed last night on the Prince George for Vancouver where they will take up future residence. Formerly with the Canadian Pacific Air Lines here, Mr. Williams has now received an appointment with the Great Northern Railway in Vancouver.

Dr. H. Gordon Baker, tuberculosis control staff, Vancouver, who has been in the city since Sunday, left last night on the Prince George on his return south. While here, Dr. Baker consulted with local physicians and examined many x-ray plates taken by Miss Dorothy Redding, technician.

Attention—Sonja Ladies' Aid meeting, Monday, February 5, at Mrs. Gunnar Selvig's. (29c)

Mrs. Elsa Beckett, after a few weeks' stay in Prince Rupert, sailed last night on the Prince George for Vancouver.

Tonight's the night, Little Theatre curtain 8:15, Civic Centre tonight. (1tc)

J. F. Edwards, who resigned recently as telephone superintendent here, sailed last night on the Prince George for Vancouver where he will join his family.

SON Whist and Dance Friday, February 2, Whist, 8 o'clock. Music by Mike Colussi. Refreshments, Everybody welcome. (28c)

The annual general meeting of the Prince Rupert Fishing Vessel Owners Mutual Protective Fund will be held in the Common Lounge, Civic Centre, on Sunday, February 4, 1951, at 2:30 p.m. All members are requested to attend. (29c)

Mrs. F. G. Downey, wife of the general passenger agent of the White Pass and Yukon Railway at Skagway, was aboard the Princess Norah today returning to Skagway.

No Shadow Seen Today

Not only did the proverbial groundhog not see his shadow when he stuck out his nose today but he was also met with a drizzle of rain. So winter's over, folks!

The weather has taken a decided turn to mildness since the winter's coldest point was reached Saturday morning. From the 15.5 degrees registered then, the thermometer has been on the up and up. It climbed to 36 degrees in the 24-hour period ended this morning.

The accumulation of snow that has covered the city and district has been running off rapidly for over a day and rain promised to see the end of the greater part of it before nightfall.

Meanwhile, walking has been a very wet business with considerable quantities of slush on sidewalks that have not been cleared. But counter-balancing the discomfort, is the better footing in the rotten snow than there was on the ice of a few days ago.

THE EXPERTS Say...

By KAY REX
Canadian Press Staff Writer

AN APPLE A DAY

There may be a grain of truth in that old saw about an apple a day keeping the doctor away—at least there is from the vitamin C point of view.

Nutrition experts say this vitamin, ascorbic acid, is essential to health and growth. It also is necessary for the normal structure of teeth. And if any members of your family are showing symptoms like rheumatism you'd better start feeding them apples. Such symptoms may be caused by lack of vitamin C which is found in apples and other fresh fruit.

But don't forget that vitamin "C" is destroyed in cooking, and is most easily destroyed in soda or some other alkaline solution. Apples are not only the cheapest fruit but are in season the year round.

Housewives are also advised to add vitaminized apple juice to their shelves. Not only is this a good idea from the health point of view but it is also sound economics.

CHEAP MEDICINE

One should buy the largest container one can safely and conveniently store, this means economy. However if your storage facilities are poor, buy only sufficient quantity for your immediate needs.

Apples should be stored in a cool well-ventilated place with a high humidity.

When cooking apples add as little flavoring as possible; let the natural flavor of the apples come through.

Wherever possible cook apples without peeling. But if you must peel them, drop the apples in cold water to prevent discoloration.

In a booklet which the Junior Chamber of Commerce has put out on favorite Canadian recipes, Nova Scotia—the apple province—has been represented by Annapolis apple pudding.

"Apples have symbolized temptation since the days of Adam and Eve," is the comment at the head of the recipe. "This apple pudding will tempt the most jaded palat."

Apple Pudding—Ingredients: Six medium-sized tart apples; three tablespoons granulated sugar; 1½ cups sifted bread flour; three teaspoons baking powder; one-half teaspoon salt; one-quarter cup soft shortening; three-quarters cup granulated sugar; one egg (well beaten); three-quarters cup water or milk.

Grease a 10 by six by two-inch baking dish. Slice peeled apples and arrange in the bottom. Sprinkle with three tablespoons sugar. Sift together flour, baking powder and salt. Cream shortening until fluffy. Gradually add sugar, mixing until creamy. Add beaten egg. Beat well. Add dry ingredients alternately with water or milk, folding in lightly after each addition. Pour over apples. Sprinkle with combined sugar and cinnamon (one tablespoon sugar and one teaspoon cinnamon). Bake at 350° F. for 45 to 50 minutes. Serve warm, cut in squares, with brown sugar sauce or with plain or whipped cream. Eight servings.

Announcements

Women's Hospital Auxiliary Tea, Nurses' Home, February 1.

St. Andrew's Cathedral Tea, Mrs. W. C. R. Jones, 430 4th Ave. West, Feb. 6.

Card party, Catholic Hall, Thursday, February 8, 8 p.m.

Conrad P-TA Valentine Masquerade Party, Conrad School, February 10, 8 p.m.

120th H.A.A. Valentine Dance, February 10, Armories.

United Church Valentine tea, Mrs. L. M. Greene's, February 15.

Rupert Rod and Gun banquet, February 15.

Legion masquerade party Friday, February 16.

Conrad School P-TA card party, February 16, 8 p.m.

St. Patrick's Tea and card party, Catholic Hall, March 17.

The King Edward School P-TA White Elephant sale and tea, March 15, at 2 p.m.

Orange Ladies' tea and sale, March 21.

Job's Daughters Easter tea and sale, Masonic Temple, March 25.

Legion Auxiliary Spring Sale, April 4.

W.O.T.M. Spring bazaar, April 20.

St. Peter's Spring Sale, April 26.

Sonja tea, May 12.

January Was Milder Month

There was no comparison between the weather of January last year and this. In 1950 there was only .97 of an inch of precipitation from 7.6 inches of snow during January compared with 5.47 inches last month from 4.25 inches of rain and 12.2 of snow. There were 113.7 hours of sunshine in January 1950 compared with 33 hours in January 1951.

The temperature this year was as warm as 48.9 degrees on January 6 and 7 and as cold as 15.5 degrees on January 27. Mean temperature was 33.8 degrees. Last year, the mean was 18.7 degrees with temperatures of three degrees above registered on January 1 and 23. High was 37 on the sixth.

Maximum wind velocity registered at the Digby Island weather station during this month of January was southeast 31 on the 12th.

The barometer needle went right off the paper on the sixteenth when a low of 28.84 was reached. High for the month was 30.92.

Customs Revenue This Year High

Customs collections this January at \$71,517.04 were more than the combined totals of January and February 1950. In January 1950 collections were \$14,663.59 and in February they were \$38,346.54 to make a total of \$53,010.13.

Organizing Of Elks

P. A. Miquelon, Elks grand organizer for the Dominion of Canada, will arrive next Wednesday to complete organization of the Benevolent and Protective Order of the Elks lodge in Prince Rupert. Mr. Miquelon intends to be in the city about two weeks and will have charge of the meeting next Wednesday night.

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Schedule Of Basketball Puck Boys Ambitious

Basketball league schedule for the remainder of the 1950-1951 season is announced as follows: Feb. 3—Junior, High School vs Rupert Hotel; Intermediate, Fashion vs High Gold; Senior, Gordon & Anderson vs Brownwoods.

Feb. 6—Junior, Cooks vs Mansons; Intermediate, Merchants vs Thunderbirds; Senior, Co-op vs Brownwoods.

Feb. 9—Intermediate, Fashion vs Thunderbirds; Exhibition, Invitational Tournament, Kitimat, Ketchikan, Metlakatla, Prince Rupert.

Feb. 10—Intermediate, Merchants vs Hi Green; Exhibition, Invitational Tournament, Kitimat, Ketchikan, Metlakatla, and Prince Rupert.

Feb. 13—Junior, Rupert Hotel vs Mansons; Intermediate, Merchants vs Fashion; Exhib., Hi Gold vs Brownwoods; Senior, Gordon & Anderson vs Co-op.

Feb. 17—Junior, High School vs Cooks; Intermediate, Fashion vs Hi Green; Senior, Brownwoods vs Gordon & Anderson.

Feb. 20—Jr., Cooks vs Rupert Hotel; Int., Thunderbirds vs Hi Gold; Sr., Brownwoods vs Co-op.

Feb. 24—Jr., High School vs Mansons; Int., High Gold vs Merchants; Girls—Peoples vs Hi Girls; Sr., Co-op vs Gordon and Anderson.

Feb. 27—Jr., Rupert Hotel vs High School; Int., Hi Green vs Thunderbirds; Sr., Gordon and Anderson vs Brownwoods.

New Agent For CPR Is Here

J. D. Notman, who has been district freight agent at Vancouver, arrived today to become the new Canadian Pacific agent here, replacing Harry Davis, who died recently. Mr. Notman arrived here aboard the Princess Norah this morning.

The substituting agent, Jack MacIntosh, will continue on the staff. Mr. Notman for many years, before going to Vancouver, was with the company at Nelson.

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Boys Bowling League Results

Lees, Annettes and Lyons, Division, and Manson's Snaps in "B" Division three game clean sweep in this week's play in the Bowling League.

Single game scorer in "A" was Pebbles Dickens of 233. Dolly Nelson Lee's had the high three aggregate of 714.

"B" Division L. Phillipson Wallace Pharmacy copped high scoring honors—308 single game and 669 for three-game aggregate.

Results were:

"A" Division
Lees 3, Belmont 0
Stars 3, Stars 0
McMeekins 0

Strikes 2, Gordon anderson 1
Hall's 2, C. B. of Com-
re 1

2, Brownwoods 1
"B" Division
3, Commercial 0
Snaps 3, Savoy's (de-
ted)

Cats 2, Skeena Groc. 1
sters 2, Slatons 1
A. 2, Wallace Pharm-
1

es and Rockettes (to be-
ed).

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Close Race In Bowling

Short Circuits, who have been leading the pack for quite some time, finally took a tumble at the hands of D & S for a 3-1 defeat which places them in a tie for first place with Philpott, Evitt in "A" Division of the Men's Five Pin Bowling League.

In "B" Division, Thom Sheet No. 1 is well out in front with Canadian Legion and possibly Mallets the only contenders for first place.

Three weeks remain in this third of the schedule. High scorers were:

Single—W. Hardy, Thom Sheet No. 1, three game total of 727.
Team results were as follows: Brownwoods 4, Pitters 0 (default).

D & S 3, Short Circuits 1. Philpott, Evitt 3, Three C's 1. Toughies 3, Crescents 1. Bulgers 3, Mansons 1. Cooks Jewellers 2, Home Oil 2. Mallets 4, Thom Sheet No. 2. J.C.'s No. Two 4, Scotlans 0. Thom Sheet No. One 4, Oddfellows 0.

Canadian Legion 4, Ambassadors 0.
Blain Bros. 4, J.C.'s No. One 0.
Kalen Industries 3, Helpers 1.
Standings:

"A" Division	
Short Circuits	23
Philpott, Evitt	23
Home Oil	22
Mansons	22
Three C's	21
Bulgurs	21
Brownwoods	20
Toughies	20
Cooks Jewellers	19
D & S	11
"B" Division	
Thom Sheet No. One	28
Canadian Legion	25
Mallets	22
J.C.'s No. One	22
Blains	18
Oddfellows	18
J.C.'s No. Two	13
Kalen Industries	13
Thom Sheet No. Two	11
Ambassadors	10
Helpers	9
Scotlans	6

SPORT SHOTS

Syl Apps, when Toronto Maple Leafs great centre star, declared 11 years ago that he would stand for election in the Dominion general election. But as Conservative candidate he was defeated in his home riding of Brant in the federal election of March 1940, and five years later was defeated in the Ontario election. In 1947 he was appointed Ontario Athletic Commissioner and retired from hockey in 1948.

Billy Burch, former Toronto Aura Lee amateur centre, made his professional hockey debut with Hamilton in the National Hockey League 23 years ago at Montreal. Burch, who later retired, figured in two of his team's four goals against Canadiens.

URGE IMMUNIZATION
MONTREAL (C)—Dr. Adelaire Groulx, Montreal health director warned that "far too many" Montreal babies are not yet immunized against diphtheria and whooping cough. He said every baby at six months should be immunized.

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4:30—Sleepy Time Stories
4:45—Stock Quot. & Int.
4:55—CBC News
5:00—Int. Comty.
5:10—Rawhide
5:30—Now I Ask You
6:00—Supper Serenade
6:15—Personal Album
6:30—Musical Varieties
6:45—Saddle Rockin' Rhythm
7:00—CBC News
7:15—CBC News Roundup
7:30—Watcha Know, Joe.
8:00—London Cavalcade
8:30—Opening Night
9:00—"Burns Chuckwagon"
9:30—General Eisenhower
10:00—CBC News
10:10—CBC News
10:15—Nesbitt Reporting
10:30—Riverside Rancho
10:55—Interlude
11:00—Weather
11:06—Sign off

SATURDAY—A.M.
7:00—Musical Clock
8:00—CBC News
8:10—Here's Bill Good
8:15—Hits and Encores
8:30—Morning Devotions
8:45—Little Concert
9:00—BBC News and Comty.
9:15—Sadie Serenade
9:30—CBC Stamp Club
9:45—The Answer Man
9:59—Time signal
10:00—Bandstand
10:15—Minuet
10:30—"Melody Time"
10:45—CBC News
10:55—Weather and Interlude
11:00—Saturday Date
11:30—Weather Report
11:31—Message Period
11:33—Recorded Interlude
11:45—Scandinavian Melodies
SATURDAY—P.M.
12:00—Mid-Day Melodies
12:25—Program Resume
12:30—Musical Program
1:00—Pops on Parade
2:00—Dance Music
3:00—This Week

Dutch Coming—

New Migration To Terrace

Due in Terrace, March 20, to spearhead one of the greatest advents in agriculture of that district, is L. R. Doorman, late from Holland and now with the Canadian National Railways colonization headquarters in Montreal.
Last year Mr. Doorman bought 160 acres of farmland in the centre of a 4,000-acre basin, just south of the Skeena river, in Terrace. The basin is drained by Thornton Creek.
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Girls Confess— Prominent Juneau Men Out of Doghouse Now

JUNEAU. — Juneau wives have been worrying about a series of mysterious telephone calls in which sweet feminine voices asked for their husbands by first names and refused to tell who was calling.
Taxicab companies have been plagued with calls to send cabs to addresses where drivers on arrival found nobody wanted a taxi.
Grocers have been called on to deliver large orders to places where deliverymen found the people didn't want groceries at all.
The U. S. marshal's office here last week rounded up a gang of telephone-happy high school girls who thought they were being just awfully funny by placing such calls in wholesale lots.

ADMIT MAKING CALLS
Acting Marshal Walter Hellan has had in for questioning four girls aged 14 to 16, who were caught in the act of making such malicious mischief over the telephone. The four admitted to cutting school one afternoon and gathering in an apartment to which one of them had a key. Then, they confessed, they proceeded to keep the switchboard busy with false calls.
Local cab companies all had calls from the group. Local grocery stores also were sent on wild goose chases by the girls.
There were other calls of a kind that can't even be described in the newspaper.
The most serious set of calls, however, according to Hellan, went out to wives and made insinuations about the conduct of their husbands. Among those known to have received such calls are the wives of well-known Juneau business and professional men and one prominent federal official.
In placing such a call, one of the girls would ask for the man and on being told he was not at home (this being in the middle

of the afternoon), would say she just had to get in touch with him right away to tell him something she had forgotten to say the last time they were out together.
The girls confessed, Hellan said, to making various suggestive references to alleged trysting with the husbands in these conversations with their wives.
All denied ever having met any of the men mentioned, Hellan said, and insisted they had picked names called at random from the telephone book.
Other occasions in the past when such calls were placed, and the names of several other girls who had participated in the "game," were confessed by the four who were apprehended.
The marshal's office is continuing its investigation.
OUT OF DOGHOUSE
Meanwhile, it is hoped that a few Juneau married men will be permitted to come out of the doghouse.
There is also another problem confronting city and federal authorities and that is many reports of shoplifting reported done by juveniles.

TERRACE TOPICS

Larry Stanwood of the Prince Rupert Daily News arrived in town on Tuesday's train from the interior, leaving for the coast on Thursday. He has been on a trip through the district.
Miss Blanche Matte, having finished her course at Normal School, has returned to take up her duties as teacher in the elementary school here.
A. J. Dominato of the Fashion Shoe Store, Prince Rupert, was in town last week. He has rented the store which was formerly Mel PeekeVout's butcher store. He will be returning about March 1 to open up a shoe store in Terrace.

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Blackwood on Bridge
By Easley Blackwood

Unless you and your partner have worked out a pretty good partnership understanding, I recommend you stick to the general rule that when either of you has bid some suit, then a later bid of four no trump asks for aces.

Here, however, is an exception for players who want to refine their bidding a little—and this is part of the Blackwood system. When a player who has previously made any bid in no trump later makes a call of four no trump over his partner's bid of four in a suit, that four no trump is a sign-off and is not asking for aces.
The reason is that a bid in no trump, whether it be in opening the bidding or in responding, describes the bidder's general strength in very narrow limits. Partner should be able to come within half a trick of naming the exact total of honor tricks in the no trump bidder's hand.
Therefore it is partner who knows best about the combined strength of the two hands and he is the one best fitted to institute slam proceedings if his own hand warrants such action.
None vulnerable South dealer

West (Mrs. Keen)	East (Mr. Abel)
S-6 4 2	S-A J 3
H-10 7 6 5	H-8 4 3 2
D-A 4	D-10 8 7 2
C-9 3 2	C-8 4

The bidding:
South (Mr. Masters) S-9 8
H-A K J
D-K 3
C-A K Q J 6 5

South	West	North	East
1 C	Pass	1 S	Pass
3 NT	Pass	4 D	Pass
4 NT	All pas		

Notice how Mr. Masters and Mr. Champion stayed out of trouble on today's hand. After Mr. Masters jumped to three no trump Mr. Champion knew his partner held almost exactly five high card tricks—no fewer than four and a half and no more than five and a half.
If Mr. Masters held good help for either of his five card suits, Mr. Champion was willing to try for a slam in spite of his own sparse high card holding.
So he bid his second five-card suit at the four range. But Mr. Masters held only doubletons in the spade and diamond suits. He therefore bid four no trump—a natural bid, not asking for aces. Mr. Champion recognized it as such and passed.
Mrs. Keen, who is getting better all the time, didn't fall for the opening which would have given Mr. Masters an easy five-odd. Instead, she opened the six of spades. The king was put up in dummy and Mr. Abel ducked.
A diamond lead to South's king was won by Mrs. Keen with the ace and she led another spade enabling her partner to cash two tricks in that suit and hold the hand to four no trump.

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