

Table with tide information: High 3:21 a.m. 19.8 ft., 16:25 p.m. 17.9 ft., Low 10:10 a.m. 3.7 ft., 22:14 p.m. 8.2 ft.



Prime Minister Winston Churchill is shown addressing a gathering of British merchant seamen during his visit to shipping areas of Lancashire recently. These men coming from the far-flung corners of the Empire are the heroes of the Battle of the Atlantic. It is to them that Britain looks to get supplies through minefields submarine traps and bomber territory.

BELIEVED DROWNED

"Eddie" Smith, Prominent in Local Athletics and Resident Since Boyhood, Lost on Fishing Trip

Edward John Smith, long well known in Prince Rupert athletic circles and for some time a member of the staff of the Royal Hotel, is believed to have been the victim of drowning southeast of Lewis Island south of the mouth of the Skeena River late Wednesday afternoon.

The party had left here at 2 p.m. The evening meal was in course of preparation when Smith went out on deck. There was a slight swell at the time. A few minutes later he was found to be not on board.

The Elida immediately turned around to make a search which proved in vain. Nor had the half-but boat Joe Baker, which was following not far behind and which also took part in the search of the spot, seen anything.

The provincial police P.M.L. 8 went out to conduct a search from which little in the way of results can be expected as the expanse of water at that point is both deep and wide, the point of tragedy being some three quarters of a mile off the nearest shore.

"Eddie" Smith was born in Winnipeg twenty-nine years ago and came here as a boy with his family in 1924. His father, John H. Smith, was with the provincial police, a sergeant at the time of his retirement from the force some years ago. The father is now at Victoria with the Veterans' Home Guard but the family is still here.

"Eddie" was particularly active in such sports as baseball, bowling and track. He was well known and popular and many friends will learn with shock of what seems certain to have been a tragic fate.

HITLER TO FAIL ALSO

Lack of Understanding of British Character Will Be His Undoing Like Previous Would-Be Conquerors

Great Britain will balk the ambition of Adolf Hitler for world conquest as it had done similar ambitions of previous would-be world conquerors—Phillip II. of Spain, Louis XIV. of France, Napoleon Bonaparte and Wilhelm II.—predicted Rev. Capt. R. C. H. Durnford in speaking before the Prince Rupert Gyro Club at luncheon yesterday.

Cart. Durnford delved interestingly into history in describing the attempts of the five would be Caesars (including Hitler) to conquer the world, running in each case into the stumbling block of Britain.

Phillip II. had probably had the best chance of success because in those days England was divided and weak while he controlled the richest part of Europe as well as all America. However, Queen Elizabeth had rallied the nation around her and Phillip's campaign had culminated in his defeat through the climax of the destruction of his great armada.

Louis XIV. had endeavored through bribery of the English and internal intrigue to weaken England for invasion. However, he had found to his disaster that politicians were not English and for the nation had risen up against the attempt to foist a king upon them.

Napoleon had routed Britain's allies one after one and had set up (Continued on Page Six)

Olof Hanson Inquires In House As To His Status Under Succession Act

OTTAWA, May 29: (CP)—Olof Hanson, Liberal member for Skeena, protested in argument over the meaning of the word "domicile" in the new Succession Duty Act in the House of Commons last night.

Mr. Hanson said he was born in Sweden and went to the United States, becoming a citizen but "I read something about British traditions, fairness and justice and decided to come to Canada. I was married in Canada and have one son and one daughter—the son in the Air Force and the daughter's husband in the Canadian army. I offered the government all my property. I have tried to be a good Canadian and a good Britisher but am I domiciled in Canada?"

Hon. J. L. Ilsley, minister of finance, said that, on the facts stated, Mr. Hanson undoubtedly was domiciled in Canada.

Canada Units—

TO HONOR "JOHN A." JUNE 7

Life Of First Prime Minister And Staunch Apostle Of Empire Recalled

By R. K. CARNEGIE Canadian Press Staff Writer. OTTAWA, May 29: (CP)—First statesman of the Dominion of Canada, first and longest-serving prime minister in its history and the nation's Grand Old Man of another generation, Sir John A. Macdonald and his achievements will be honored June 7 when Prime Minister Mackenzie King and Conservative Leader R. B. Hanson will lead the country in tribute at Kingston, Ontario.

Monuments to the Scottish-born chief Father of Confederation mark the memorial statuary of a dozen Canadian cities and towns but it was in Kingston where Sir John became a lawyer, entered public life and was first elected to the Legislature of Upper and Lower Canada. Prime Minister when he died at Ottawa June 6, 1891, it was in Cataract Cemetery on the outskirts of Kingston that he was buried beside his mother.

The proceedings in Kingston City Park June 7, the day after the 50th anniversary of Sir John's death, will be a national tribute which as Mr. King said in the House of Commons recently will be a tribute above party in which Canadians of all political views will be asked to join.

In the midst of the worries of the war Canadians will take time to remember a great kindly man, a man prone to a jaunty twist of his head, to a wise wink of his eye to a humorous retort—the man who from before Confederation July 1, 1867, until he died in 1891 at 76, dominated Canada's political destinies as Conservative leader and for 19 years as prime minister.

The anxious eight days when Sir John lay unconscious in his home in Ottawa the grief that swept over Canada when the news came that he was dead, will be fresh in the minds of those who still remember that happy warrior of many a hectic political battle. His body lay in state in the Senate Chamber and then was removed to Kingston that his wish to be buried there might be fulfilled. There was a wreath of white roses on his breast as he lay in the coffin "From Her Majesty, Queen Victoria, in memory of a faithful and devoted servant."

Strong For Empire Sir John had been a true and faithful servant of the Crown and a devoted defender of the British Empire. He was at times accused by his critics of changing his views in directing Canadian policies but he never wavered in his determination that this Dominion should remain within the Empire and become an important part of it.

Macdonald's first formal address to Canadian electors was in 1844 when he ran in Kingston for the legislature of Upper and Lower Canada. The rebellion of 1837 was fresh in his mind. There were open discussions of annexation to the (Continued on Page Two)

NAZIS ARE PICKED UP

More Than 100 Officers and Men Of Bismark Picked Up—Another Destroyer Lost—Details of H. M. S. York

LONDON, May 29: (CP)—More than one hundred officers and men of the German battleship Bismark were picked up after she was sunk on Tuesday and a subsequent attack by German aircraft sank the British destroyer Mashona the Admiralty announced today.

Informed sources said today that only three men from H.M.S. Hood had been accounted for.

One officer and forty-five men are missing from the Mashona. Britain's third cruiser loss in the battle for Crete—destruction of H.M.S. York—was announced today. The warship had been under repair at Suda Bay and the Admiralty said she must now be regarded as a total loss after repeated bombings.

Save for your Country—or Slave for the Hun!

Police Revive Charred Writ

Fire Damaged Documents May Be Made Readable

LONDON, May 29: (CP)—Police scientists in the Metropolitan Laboratory at Hendon have discovered a method for making readable badly charred documents. The papers are treated with a 25 percent alcoholic solution of chloral hydrate and dried at 60 degrees centigrade. This process is repeated several times and for the final application a similar solution containing 100 percent glycerine is used. Documents are then photographed on a special plate.

Aussie Women In Air Force

Take Over Ground Radio And Signal Duties To Release Men For Flying

SYDNEY, N.S.W., May 29: (CP)—About 250 women have been enrolled in a Royal Australian Air Force Auxiliary, all qualified radio and teleprinter operators, but they will not fly.

Fighting in the air, on land and at sea had demanded the services of so many skilled radio men, said Air Minister McEwen, that the women were necessary for ground jobs and would serve until they could be replaced by qualified men.

There was a rush to join by 1500 members of the Women's Air Training Corps who have been preparing themselves for such an emergency.

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Taking Over Of Ships Is Given Okay

WASHINGTON, D.C., May 29: (CP)—The United States Senate approved and sent to the White House today administration legislation permitting the government to take over more than eighty foreign ships now idle in American harbors.

TODAY'S STOCKS

Table of stock prices for Vancouver: Big Missouri, .04; Bralorne, 9.65; Cariboo Quartz, 2.30; Dentonia, .01; Fairview, .00 1/2; Gold Belt, .21; Hedley Mascot, .51; Minto, .01 1/4; Noble Five, .00 1/2 (ask); Pacific Nickel, .04; Pend Oreille, 1.30; Pioneer, 2.15 (ask); Premier, .90; Privateer, .49; Reeves McDonald, 10; Reno, .11; Relief Arlington, .01; Sheep Creek, .78.

Oil

Table of oil prices: A. P. Con., .06; Calmont, .14 1/2; C. & E., 1.05; Home, 1.60; Palalta, .02 1/2; Royal Canadian, .07; Okalta, .50 (ask); Mercury, .03; Prairie Royalties, .05.

Toronto

Table of Toronto stock prices: Aldermac, .08 3/4; Beattie, 1.05; Central Pat., 1.65; Cons. Smelters, 32.00; East Malartic, 2.21; Fernland, .01 1/2; Francoeur, .36; Gods Lake, .22; Hardrock, .70; Int. Nickel, 29.50; Kerr Addison, 3.95; Little Long Lac, 1.73; McLeod Cockshutt, 1.49; Madsen Red Lake, .53; McKenzie Red Lake, 1.05; Moneta, .40; Noranda, 50.00; Pickle Crow, 2.28; Preston East Dome, 2.84; San Antonio, 2.15; Sherritt Gordon, .63; Uchi, .09; Bouscadillac, .02; Mosher, .04 1/2; Oklend, .04; Smelters Gold, .01; Dominion Bridge, 21.00.

Launching of a new 57-foot seiner for J. H. Todd & Sons is taking place this afternoon at the McLean yard at Seal Cove. The vessel is fifty-seven feet long with beam of fourteen feet and depth of seven feet. A 75 h.p. Caterpillar engine is already installed and the vessel is almost ready for service.

ASKED TO CARRY ON

Conservatives Would Have Hon. R. B. Hanson Continue as Opposition Leader

OTTAWA, May 29: (CP)—Hon. R. B. Hanson, acting Conservative House leader, has been asked to continue in that capacity for the next session of Parliament, it was announced after a Conservative caucus.

Weather Forecast

General Synopsis—It has been cloudy with some light drizzle on north Vancouver Island but otherwise the weather has been fair on the coast.

Prince Rupert and Queen Charlotte Islands—Light winds, clear skies and mild.

West Coast of Vancouver Island—Light variable winds, cloudy with some local light drizzle on north Vancouver Island during the morning but otherwise fair and mild.

Halibut Sales

Table of halibut sales: American: Balder, 15,000, Royal, 10.5c and 8c. Canadian: Skeena M. III., 8,500, Storage, 10c and 7.5c.

DID SHE HAVE COUSINS?

WASHINGTON, May 29: (CP)—About 2,000 round-the-world cousins of Mary Frances White, 75, who died leaving \$500,000 to be divided among "my cousins," claimed their bit. Courts decided in favor of six "first" cousins and there are 40 appeals.

Let's All get on the Bond Wagon!

LIBRARY ON TRAIN

Alberta Capitol To Have Innovation In Books On Wheels

EDMONTON, May 29: (CP)—The first street car library ever established in Canada, possibly the first in North America, will begin operating in Edmonton in September. The Edmonton public library board has decided.

Tentative arrangements were worked out several months ago with the city's street railway department after the idea first was suggested to the board by Hugh C. Gourlay, chief public librarian, formerly of Hamilton, Ontario.

One of the city's oldest trams, known as No. 14 and not in use during the past two years, will be reconditioned for service, its seats removed and enough shelves installed to hold about 2,000 books.

A daring experiment in culture on wheels, the tram library will visit outlying districts of Edmonton in accordance with a regular schedule. It will "park" for about six hours while the motorman leaves the car in care of a member of the library staff.

Residents of each district served will be able to borrow books from the tram library exactly as if it were the main downtown branch or the one in South Edmonton, and books borrowed from the tram will be returnable at either of those branches, Mr. Gourlay said.

War News

H.M.S. YORK LOST LONDON—The Admiralty today admitted the destruction in action of the 8,500-ton cruiser York. York was built in 1928 and carried a complement of 600 officers and men. (H.M.S. York visited Prince Rupert in 1938, having been then the flagship of the North American-West Indies squadron.) The Admiralty also indicates that hopes of the crew of H.M.S. Hood being saved are groundless.

PRIZ EUGEN ESCAPES LONDON—The German warship Priz Eugen, companion ship of the Bismark, which the British navy sank in revenge for the loss of H.M.S. Hood, appears to have eluded British pursuing forces. It is believed she has escaped to a German base way gone far into the Atlantic, there to prey further on Allied shipping.

BOMBERS IN SYRIA ISTANBUL—One hundred and eighty German bombing planes are now based in French-mandated Syria, according to reports here. There are only five fighters and no land forces, it is suggested that an attack on the British island of Cyprus may be the next move.

BATTLE OF CRETE CAIRO—There has been further deterioration of the British military situation in Crete. Both German and Italian troops are now being landed by sea and fewer parachute troops are being landed. Meantime what is described as a "terrific slugging match" continues.

WESTERN AERIAL WAR LONDON—Germany and England exchanged aerial blows again last night. The largest number of German planes in two weeks came over Britain, visiting Liverpool and Northern Ireland, but the attack was not concentrated and damage was not heavy or casualties many. The Royal Air Force attacked Heligoland and the Germans claimed that five British planes had been brought down.

AXIS DRIVE AT STANDSTILL CAIRO—A new Axis drive in Egypt has been brought to a standstill south and east of Salum.

EDEN ON ROOSEVELT SPEECH LONDON—Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden speaking today, described President Roosevelt's speech of Tuesday night as a "resolute expression of fixed determination of the most powerful nation in the world." Mr. Eden took occasion to speak of post-war reconstruction and declared that every endeavour would have to be made to prevent a recurrence of economic conditions which had led to the rise of Hitler and Germany's subsequent misdeeds.

ONE WAS PURGED—THE OTHER FLED Seven years ago it was said throughout Germany that Hitler only trusted two men in full measure. They were Ernst Roehm and Rudolf Hess. It was seven years ago, despite this reputation for trust, that Roehm was assassinated in Hitler's bloody purge. Now the second Hitler trustee, Rudolf Hess, right hand man of Germany in a plane and parachuted to earth in Scotland. Insane, says Germany. Fully sane, says England's officialdom after Hess' imprisonment.

AIR RAIDS OVERNIGHT

Nazi Bombers Strike at Various Parts of England—Small British Force Over Germany

LONDON May 29: (CP)—Nazi bombers overnight struck at towns in northwest, east and southeast England and the southeast coast of Northern Ireland while a small Royal Air Force group raided objectives in northwestern Germany.

NAZIS ARE ADVANCING

Britons Are Being Driven Further Back Today in Battle of Crete, It is Announced

CAIRO, May 29: (CP)—German airborne troops in Crete, heavily reinforced, have pushed defenders back from Canea, occupying the wrecked capital as well as Suda Bay and the most of the shore around it. This was conceded today in British military quarters.

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EDITORIAL

United States at War . . .

While the United States has not declared war on Germany and no troops are to be sent overseas yet, in most respects the country is at war.

Commences Monday . . .

The big campaign to sell Victory Bonds commences Monday. The city has been divided into zones and calls will be made on all residents, whether permanent or temporary.

Looking Forward . . .

For doubters of his day in England, Lord Macaulay wrote in 1830:

"If we were to prophecy that in the year 1930 a population of 50,000,000 will cover these islands, better fed, clad and lodged than the English of our day—that machines constructed on principles yet undiscovered will be in every house—that our debt, vast as it seems to us, will appear trifling to our great grandchildren—many people would think us insane.

"We prophesy nothing, but this we say: if any person had told the Parliament which met after the crash of 1720 that in 1830 the wealth of England would surpass their wildest dreams—that stagecoaches would run from London to York in 24 hours—that men would be in the habit of sailing without wings and would be beginning to ride without horses—our ancestors would have given as much credit to the prediction as they gave to Gulliver's Travels.

"We cannot absolutely prove that those are in error who tell us we have seen our best days—but so said all who came before us, and with just as much apparent reason." Whatever kind of world we live in five or 10 years hence will hold plenty of problems and plenty of dangers, but we may be sure that if it is a free world, the opportunities for greater human happiness will outweigh the headaches.

Paris Jibes at Hitler . . .

One day last month the Nazi-controlled Paris-soir printed a poem, by an anonymous contributor, extolling Adolf Hitler. It read:

Aimons et admirons le Chancelier Hitler L'eternelle Angleterre est indigne de vivre Maudissons et ecrasons le peuple d'outre-mer Le Nazi sur la terre sera seul a survivre. Soyons donc le soutien du Fuehrer allemand Des boys navigateurs finira l'odysee A eux seuls appartient un juste chatiment La Palme du vainqueur attend la Croix gammee.

By last week Paris-soir knew that it had been, thoroughly hoaxed. Cut in half, from top to bottom, the poem became two poems, expressing very different sentiments:

Let us love and admire Eternal England Curse and eliminate Nazidom on earth Let us therefore support The seafaring boys To them alone The Palm of victory

Chancellor Hitler Is not worthy to live The people across the sea Will be the sole survivor The German Fuehrer Will finish the odyssey A fitting punishment Awaits the swastika.

The Markets

Table with market prices for various goods including Eggs, Fruit, Meats, and Butter.

SOFTBALL SCHEDULE

Games to be Played Each Tuesday and Thursday Evening, Starting This Week

Providing for double-header games each Tuesday and Thursday evening, the City Softball League schedule for the first half of the season was announced this morning by President W. F. Stone.

- May 29—Stones vs. Steel Workers; Dry Dock vs. Grotto. June 3—Grotto vs. Steel Workers; Stones vs. Drydock. June 5—Dry Dock vs. Steel Workers; Stones vs. Grotto. June 10—Grotto vs. Dry Dock; Steel Workers vs. Stones. June 12—Dry Dock vs. Stones; Steel Workers vs. Grotto. June 17—Grotto vs. Stones, Steel Workers vs. Dry Dock. June 19—Stones vs. Steel Workers; Dry Dock vs. Grotto. June 24—Grotto vs. Steel Workers; Stones vs. Dry Dock.

YANKEE SHILLINGS The first coin struck in what is now the United States were pine tree shillings, made of silver and worth 12 1/2 cents.

GLASS VERSUS STEEL Glass manufacturers are producing cables which they contend have greater tensile strength than steel.

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CANADA UNITES TO HONOR "JOHN A." JUNE 7

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United States. In his address he said "I, therefore, need scarcely state my firm belief that the prosperity of Canada depends upon its permanent connection with the Mother Country and I shall resist to the utmost any attempt (from whatever quarter it may come) which may tend to weaken that union."

At that time he was an impetuous young man of 29 years not above a fist fight, one of which took place in a court room. He changed greatly as the years went by and became the most patient and skillful composer of differences among men of conflicting views on the political scene.

He made his last formal address to the Canadian people before the election of 1891 after 47 years of strenuous public life and his unchanged views on Imperial relations were summed up in "As for myself, my course is clear. A British subject I was born—a British subject I will die." Four months later he died.

Early Life The crowds will converge on Kingston where John A. spent his boyhood. Born in Scotland in 1815 he had come to Canada with his parents when five years old. The family lived in Kingston most of the time and his father Hugh Macdonald died there when John A. was still a young man. "I had no boyhood" he once told a friend. "From the age of 15 I began to earn my own living."

Sir John often lamented the fact he had no university education but was a prodigious reader and after entering a law office in Kingston progressed so rapidly that he was called to the bar when 21 years old. He went by boat to attend his first legislature meeting in Montreal.

The older generation will recall that "John A." had a prominent nose about which he joked more than anyone else, a face made to order for the cartoonists. There was a remarkable physical resemblance between him and Benjamin Disraeli, prime minister of Great Britain at the time Sir John was prime minister of Canada.

Policy For Canada Sir John loved Canada intensely and his buoyant optimism for its future inspired his colleagues. He brought in his "national policy" of protection to make his country a great industrial nation as well as a producer of primary materials.

Biographers agree that he became a consummate leader of his party. One of his strongest critics once said of him: "He is a man of extraordinary ability. I admit as a manager of men, I have never seen his equal. I have often wondered how it was that he was able to so completely mould the character and shape the actions of the men who supported him."

"Whether it is magnetism or necromancy, whether it is the inherent strength that he possesses or whether it is the weakness of the gentlemen he leads, I am bound to say that, as yet, that question is unsolved in my own mind."

Most political students agree that the security of his leadership was not due to selecting weak men as his colleagues. Many of the ablest men of the country were in his cabinets. Some writers said that several of his colleagues were greater orators and in other respects more brilliant than the "old chieftan" but they served under him with unquestioned loyalty and devotion.

Biographers described Sir John as free from bigotry as it was possible for a human being to be. His parents were Presbyterian and he was raised by a deeply religious mother. In later years he joined the Anglican Church of which Lady Macdonald had long been a member. He regularly attended St. Alban's Church in Ottawa.

After his important part in the Confederation negotiations he became the Dominion's first prime minister from 1867 to 1873 when his government was defeated. He was returned to power in 1878 and remained prime minister until his death.

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Died With Pals— 100-YEAR OLD VET IS SLAIN

Veteran Was Among 10 Killed When Night Raider Dropped His Wares On Old Chelsea

By DOUGLAS AMARON Canadian Press Staff Writer LONDON, May 29: (CP)—A German night raider claimed as a victim Henry Augustus Rattray, an old soldier whose only grudge was against people who hid his cheroots.



Oldest pensioner at the Royal Hospital, Chelsea, the 100-year-old former bandman was killed with nine other veterans when a bomb levelled the infirmary where they lay with other aged patients.

Rattray's life history will never be written for even his closest cronies knew little of his early years. He joined the 24th (2nd Warwickshire) Regiment of Foot many years ago—at least 60, for in 1881 his regiment became the South Wales Borderers.

"He never talked much—he was beyond the age of being talkative," said the hospital adjutant who described Rattray as a benevolent old soldier, loved by all with whom he was associated. "He came to us three years ago and in next to no time was a favorite in the wards. The only times he was obstreperous were when we wouldn't let him have his cheroots. He would smoke all we gave him and more if he could get them."

Keen Memory Rattray, whose keen memory never failed, remained in the infirmary from the time he was admitted but until three weeks before his death was able to get up for dinner every day. He followed world events closely, reading the newspapers and discussing the war with other patients.

His big day each year was Christmas when it was his privilege, as the oldest pensioner, to make a speech at a party for the patients in his ward.

As a sergeant-bandsman he had seen little service in war but he kept his soldierly bearing to the end and his square jaw jutted out like a rock when he talked of Hitler and the Germans.

Once before death came close to this veteran but he shrugged it off as the sort of thing a soldier has to expect. Last fall a delayed action bomb landed in a flower garden underneath his window.

Awakened he sat up in bed and cursed loudly, then rolled over and went back to sleep. He was not disturbed by the bomb which fell last month. Death was almost instantaneous.

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May 29: (CP)—Drug addicts, who have lost their illegal source of supply have become desperate.

Authorities said the existing problem could be summarized thus: Illicit drug supplies have been reduced sharply, but the addict, with his craving, remains. Illegal supplies being impossible to obtain, the addict has turned his attention to the legal supplies he knows exist.

To obtain drugs, addicts try impersonation, forgery of prescriptions, theft of physicians' bags and the use of great pain and bribery of those with drug supplies.

Should other efforts fail, they may, as a last resort, appear in court asking for jail sentences and an opportunity to obtain medical assistance in attaining cure.

"The number of cases of forgery and theft which come to our attention in connection with drug control demonstrate clearly how serious is the shortage of illegal supplies from the point of view of the addict," said the official.

Shekels for Freedom—or Shackles for Serfs Buy Victory Bonds.

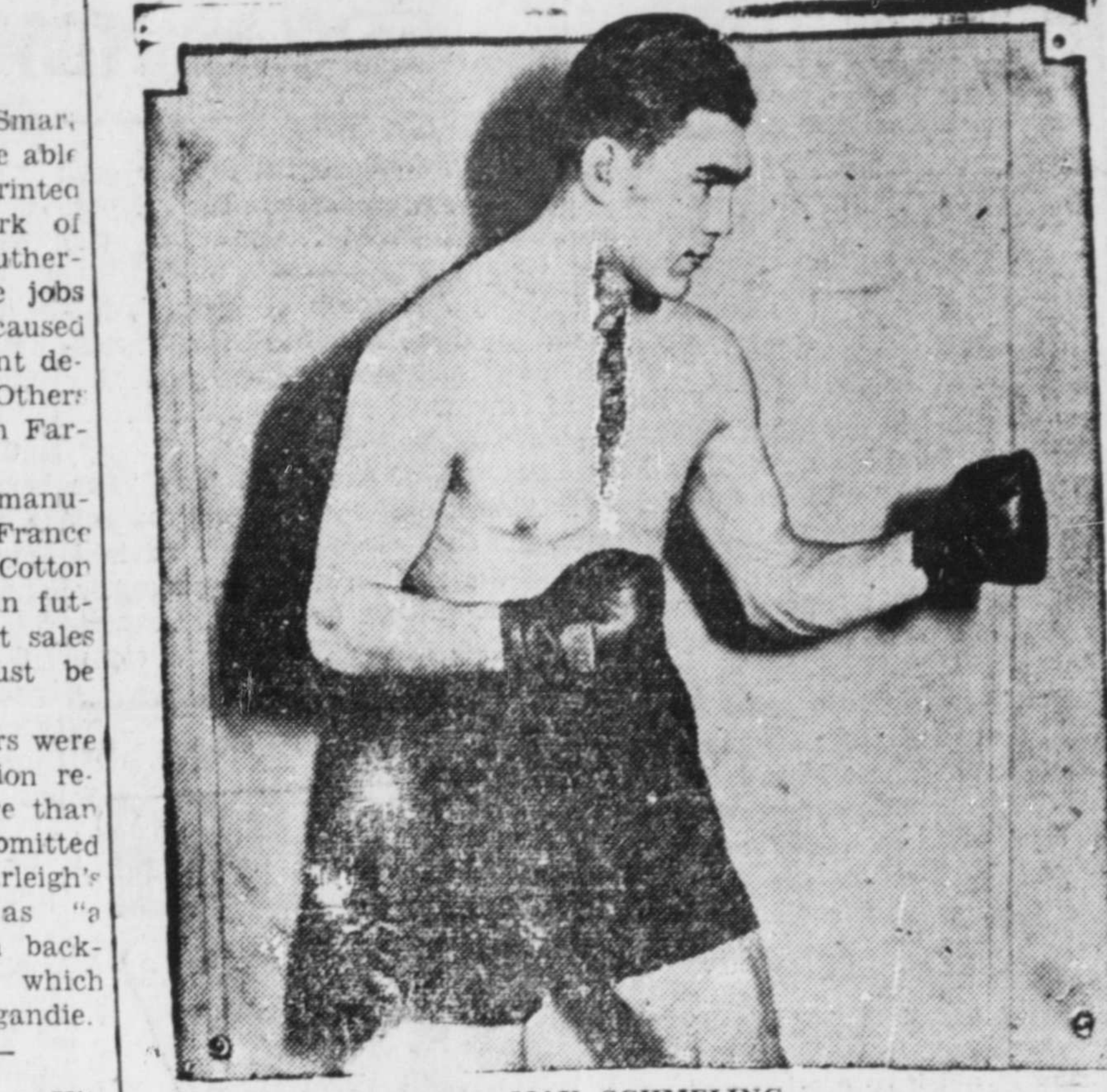
British Style Cotton Frocks

LONDON, May 29: (CP)—Smart women of Britain will soon be able to wear cotton frocks with printed designs which are the work of famous artists. Graham Sutherland, one of whose wartime jobs has been painting fires caused during raids for a government department, is among them. Others are Durkan Grant and John Farleigh.

Before the war British manufacturers relied largely on France for textile designs and the Cotton Board decided that to obtain future success in British export sales fresh ideas and color must be found.

Artists and young designers were approached and an exhibition resulted at which 150 of more than 1,000 designs which were submitted were exhibited. One of Farleigh's designs was described as "a scratchy white pattern on backgrounds of pale washes" which would work out well on organdy.

Killed In Crete



MAX SCHEMLING

CAIRO, May 29: (CP)—Max Schmeling, former world's champion heavyweight boxer, was killed while trying to escape from British forces which captured him in Crete, a New Zealand ambulance driver declared today.

Man in the Moon

Roosevelt has been telling 'em that is the kind of talk that precedes action.

Now that the Kelowna is launched the Okanagan boys can leave for the front just as soon as they are needed.

Wouldn't you like to take a crack at Hitler? Give him an overdose of his own medicine—planes, tanks, guns, bombs. Your money loaned to Canada will help to turn the trick. Invest in Victory Bonds.

Some of the visitors to Prince Rupert begin to think that Vancouver people never tell the truth. They have always said the Prince Rupert weather is terrible.

The Kelowna representative in the army admits the weather here is just as good as in his native town.

"And her husband has a prosperous business, I suppose?" "Oh, yes, he is taking in a lot of money. Only last night he told me a receiver was to be appointed to assist him."

The train had finally emerged from the blackness of a long tunnel. The conductor noticed a young couple, both of whom were apparently quite flustered, and the young woman was nervously rearranging her disheveled hair.

Thinking to put them at their ease, the conductor remarked pleasantly:

"Did you know that the tunnel we just came through cost \$12,000,000?"

"Did it?" inquired the girl. Then she added after a pause, "Well, it was worth it."

My parents told me not to smoke—I don't; Nor listen to a naughty joke—I don't; They made it clear I mustn't wink at pretty girls, or even think about intoxicating drink—I don't; To flirt and dance is very wrong—I don't; Wild youths chase women, wine and song—I don't; I kiss no girls, not even one; I do not know how it is done; You wouldn't think I had much fun I don't!

"My first tour began at Slocum" related the pantomime comedian, "and I remember singing songs of my own composing"

"Was the audience complimentary?" queried his friend.

"I cannot tell you that," was the answer, "but I remember his ticket was."

When is a sailor not a sailor? Why, when he is a board, to be sure, silly.

A wealthy auto tourist lost his pedigree dog while stopping in a small town. He inserted a lost ad in the newspaper, offering a reward of \$100.

The next day he went to the office to inquire, but no one was to be found except a decrepit janitor.

"Where the thunder is the newspaper force?" asked the tourist, impatiently.

"They're all out," the old man replied, "trying to find yer dog."

Mrs. Longsham, giving instructions to her new servant, said: "Before removing the soup plates, Ellen, always ask each person if he or she would like any more."

"Very good, madam!"

The next day, Ellen, respectfully bowing to one of the guests, inquired: "Would the gentleman like some more soup?"

"Yes, please," was the reply.

"Well," said Ellen, "there ain't any left!"

Men—No More Shaves That Scrape And Pull!

Try Today's **Gillette Blue Blade** At Our Expense!

Your money back if you don't agree today's Gillette Blade is better in three big ways:

1. Radically improved edges—sharper, more uniform—give comfortable shaves faster!
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Ask For Special Package With Free Trial Blade Attached **5 for 25c**

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WALLACE'S

MONTH-END SPECIALS FOR

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

- WEATERS and KNIT SUITS**
Men's sweaters and little girls knit suits.
- \$1.00**
PRINT DRESSES
Men's print dresses, small sizes, 2 to 6 for—
- \$1.00**
BLOOMERS
Men's elastic bloomers, tea rose, small, medium and large. 2 for—
- \$1.00**
SWEATERS
Men's all wool sweaters, assorted sizes and colors. Each—
- \$1.00**
HOUSE DRESSES
Women's dresses, cotton prints and gingham.
- \$1.00**
SLIPS
Women's baronet satin, lace trim, tea rose. Each—
- \$1.00**
NIGHTGOWNS
Women's cotton nightgowns, embroidery trim.
- \$1.00**
JACKETS
Men's rayon polo jackets and figured silk jacket and scarf. Each—
- \$1.00**
SPORT SHIRTS and BLOUSES
Men's sport shirts and middie blouses, white and colors. 2 for—
- \$1.00**
SPORT SHIRTS
Men's sport shirts in white stripes or figures, all sizes. Each—
- \$1.00**
PLAID JACKETS
Men's all wool plaid jackets. 8 to 14 years, regular \$2.50 for—
- \$1.50**
PAJAMAS and GOWNS
Men's knit pajamas and gowns, assorted colors.
- \$1.00**

- DANCE SETS**
Dance sets, white or tea rose, lace trim. Each—
- 95c**
- SNUGGIES and VESTS**
Waffle knit snuggies and vests, tea rose. 3 for
- \$1.00**
- SILK HOSE**
Creme hose, pure silk, new shades. Pair—
- 59c**
- COTTON HOSE**
Women's cotton hose, grey or fawn. 5 pairs—
- \$1.00**
- CHILDREN'S HOSE**
Children's cotton rib hose, fawns. 5 pairs—
- \$1.00**
- BABY BLANKETS**
Baby blankets, nursery design, pink only. 2 for
- \$1.00**
- BABY PILLOWS**
Baby pillows, pink or blue. 2 for—
- \$1.00**
- CUSHIONS**
Cushions, cretonne covered, bright patterns. 3 for—
- \$1.00**
- TOWELS**
Towels, white or colors, great values. 3 for— 4 for— 6 for—
- \$1.00 \$1.00 \$1.00**
- TABLE COVERS**
Rayon table covers, assorted stripes, 50x50. 2 for—
- \$1.00**
- TEA TOWELS**
Check or stripe tea towels. 5 for—
- \$1.00**
- MUSLINS and NETS**
Curtain muslins and nets, white or colors. 4 for—
- \$1.00**
- CRETONNES**
Cretonnes, assorted patterns. 6 yards—
- \$1.00**
- BED SPREADS**
Rayon silk bed spreads, 80x100. Each—
- \$1.95**

Baseball Scores

American League
Cleveland 5, Detroit 8.
St. Louis 8, Chicago 4.
Philadelphia 8, Boston 6.
New York 6, Washington 5.

National League
Chicago 5, St. Louis 6.
Pittsburg 7, Cincinnati 4.
Brooklyn 6, Philadelphia 5.

ZALE BEATS HOSTAK
CHICAGO, May 29.—Tony Zale won by knock-out over Al Hostak in the second round last night.

Guns for our Sons to beat the Huns!

Ally our Forces over here to help our Allied Forces over there!

There's Safety in Numbers—Buy more Bonds!

ECONOMY IN A CAN

You save money every time you use Irradiated Carnation Milk instead of milk in some other form. From creaming coffee to baby's bottle, Carnation meets all milk needs. Try a few cans.

"From Contented Cows"

A CANADIAN PRODUCT

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA IN PROBATE
In the Matter of the "Administration Act"

And
In the Matter of the Estate of Robert Emanuel Johnson Deceased

TAKE NOTICE that by Order of His Honor, W. E. Fisher made on the 15th day of May, A. D. 1941, I was appointed Executor of the Estate of Robert Emanuel Johnson, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or before the 27th day of June, A. D. 1941, 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 27th day of May, A. D. 1941.

OLOP HANSON
Prince Rupert, B. C.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA IN PROBATE
In the Matter of the "Administration Act"

And
In the Matter of the Estate of Edward Hensley, Deceased

TAKE NOTICE that by Order of His Honor, W. E. Fisher, made on the 23rd day of May, A. D. 1941, I was appointed Administrator of the Estate of Edward Hensley, deceased, with will annexed, and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or before the 27th day of June, A. D. 1941, 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 27th day of May, A. D. 1941.

HERBERT F. CLASSEY
Official Administrator
Atlin, B. C.

CIVILIANS WIN GAME

Searchlights Lose Opening Game of Baseball Season by Score of 13 to 2

Ideal weather and a good-sized crowd favored the opening game of the Senior Baseball League last night when Civilians scored an easy 13 to 2 triumph over Searchlights. Star of the game was Jack Lindsay who fanned thirteen batters and clouted out the biggest hit of the evening—a three-bagger. Mike O'Neill pitched for Searchlights. In the fifth inning Dido Gurvich caught a foul ball in the neck and was winded out for five minutes. Umpires were George Howe and Minor Simonsen.

PORT CHAT

Primo Carnera tottered to his corner at the end of 19 rounds after being outpointed by Leroy Haynes, Philadelphia negro, in a heavyweight boxing bout at Brooklyn five years ago. The mammoth Italian suffered temporary paralysis in his right hand in the ninth round.

Frank (Shag) Shaughnessy was appointed coach of the McGill University football team 10 years ago yesterday after a three-year business venture. He later became connected with baseball and in 1935 piloted Montreal Royals to an International League baseball pennant. The following year he was elected president of the International League.

Tommy McLernin knocked out Young Corbett III after two minutes and 37 seconds of the first round in their scheduled 10-round world's welterweight boxing title bout at Los Angeles eight years ago tonight. The Vancouver fighter floored the champion twice before the referee halted the bout.

Bye-and-Bye—But BUY and BUY!

Results Of Lawn Bowls

Games Played Tuesday and Wednesday Evenings of this Week in C.N.R.A. League

Results of play Tuesday and Wednesday evenings in the Canadian National Recreation Association Lawn Bowling League were as follows:

J. Preece rink, 22; J. A. Frew rink, 21.

W. H. Wilson-Murray, 17; F. A. Rogers, 13.

Thomas McMeekin, 22; R. M. Winslow, 12.

W. H. Wilson-Murray, 14; Jack Paul, 22.

G. P. Tinker, 21; Jack Preece, 18.

R. E. Benson, 22; D. A. MacPhee, 19.

Canada At War 25 Years Ago

May 29, 1916:—Germans bombarded British lines between La Bassee and Arras in northern France. Bulgarian artillery active against French advanced positions on the River Vardar in Greece. Italians evacuated Asiago on the Austrian front.

J. H. BULGER Optometrist

Royal Bank Bldg.

Twenty-Five Years Ago

May 29, 1916
Mayor M. P. McCaffery is in Montreal today on business in connection with final details of the transaction for the sale of city bonds.

Yesterday afternoon on the veranda of the home of Mrs. D. C. McRae, Fourth Avenue East, little Misses Louie Fisher, Eleanor Peck and Helen, Mary and Lois McRae gave a five-cent tea in aid of the Red Cross. From the tea, sale of cake, candy and flowers \$4.10 was raised.

Halibut prices were somewhat improved today at 75c per pound. Boats in were the Alvida, Glacier, Margalice, M. T. 3 and Hi Gill.

The Franchise of Freedom
A Specific Bond for a Pacific Purpose!

KISS YOUR TIRED FEELING GOODBYE!

Peppless Many Suffer Low Blood Count—And Don't Know It.

The baffling thing about low blood count is that you can weigh about as much as you ever did—even look healthy and strong, yet—you can feel as if you had lead in your legs, doped, tired and peepless.

Low blood count means you haven't got enough red blood corpuscles. It is their vital job to carry life-giving oxygen from your lungs throughout your body. And just as it takes oxygen to explode gasoline in your car and make the power to turn the wheels, so you must have plenty of oxygen to explode the energy in your body and give you going power.

Get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills today. They are world-noted for the help they give in increasing the number and strength of red corpuscles. Then with your blood count up, you'll feel like bounding up the stairs as if you were floating on air. Ask your druggist for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills today.

Mrs. James Clark
Palmistry
SILVERSIDES BLOCK
Second St. Phone Green 416

UNION STEAMSHIPS

Special Afternoon CRUISE
Through the Skeena River
SATURDAY, JUNE 7
S.S. "CAMOSUN"
Leaves C.N.R. Dock 2:30 p.m.
Return 5:00 p.m.
Excursion Fare \$1.00 (Plus Tax)
Children Half Fare
Accommodation Comfortably Limited
Tickets and Reservations from
FRANK J. SKINNER, Prince Rupert Agent, Third Ave.
Phone 568

Sport Shirts

By Forsyth

Open neck. In the popular Saddle Stitching. Cream, green and blue pastels.

\$1.65 TO \$2.50

Fine Gabardines, regular collar. Tan, green and blue.

\$3.50

Polo Shirts, with zipper or crew neck. In long-wearing Terry cloth.

\$1.00 and \$1.25



2 Boys' Numbers

Sport Shirt with open neck Plain shades and Jitterbug patterns **\$1.00**

Polo Shirts, Rayon and Terry Cloth **85c and 95c**

Watts & Nickerson

Open Until 10 p.m. Saturdays

FARCE WAS WELL DONE

Able Cast Enables Little Theatre to Put on "The Private Secretary" Its Most Finished Production To Date

The most finished production to date of the Prince Rupert Little Theatre Sir Charles Mawtre's comedy farce in three acts, "The Private Secretary," was presented last night in the Capitol Theatre before an audience which well filled the more desirable accommodation of the house. A study in humorous characters, the piece was excellently done by one of the most competent all around casts that has been assembled here in a long time. The audience was fully appreciative and all those who took part are to be congratulated on the success of the effort. It is only to be regretted that more people were not able to see this entertainment.

Briefly, the story of "The Private Secretary" concerns the situations arising in quick succession and under most ludicrous circumstances after two young men become embarrassed financially and make use of a quite simple and credulous young curate who is engaged as a private secretary and injected into the proceedings to confuse the issue. With the assistance of a wealthy uncle, all ends happily after a number of delicious episodes, mainly concerning the private secretary.

Taking the title role, Lieut. L. H. Hobden carried out his part in a highly entertaining manner and kept the audience in ripples of merriment whenever and wherever he appeared on the scene. Had the others in the cast not been so able themselves, he would undoubtedly have "stolen the show" himself.

As a blustering, fuming uncle from India, G. R. S. Blackaby had the second most important part and his ponderous and apologetic goings on were also an important part of the general merriment. Mr. Blackaby is another local histrionic find which will undoubtedly be made good use of.

Mrs. Nora Arnold as the landlady was in her usual good form and did much to keep the fun going on. Also important was Len Griffiths as a socially ambitious Bond Street tailor with the double objective of collecting an account and "soaring" into society. Mrs. F. N. Good as a fluttery devotee of spiritualism was also good in a character part.

More conventional roles were those of the two nephews ably carried out by Bruce Stevens and Corp. B. W. Bruecking and Mrs. H. L. A. Tarr and Mrs. Douglas Kerr as two completely charming young ladies who fitted into the romantic interest.

Capt. F. H. Allwood in addition to acting as director was able to take the part of a country host and master of hounds.

Completing the cast were Sapper N. Parkhouse as a writ server and A. M. Borland as a manservant.

The executive branch of the production included Len Cripps as stage manager, Sapper Parkhouse in charge of properties and Mrs. T. A. McWaters as wardrobe mistress. Usherettes were Miss Margaret McLachlan, Miss Marion McLachlan, Miss Coral Rogers and Miss Muriel Vance and Mrs. James Simpson and Miss Credle Morgan had charge of the candy sale.

Appeals for War Loan
Between the first and second acts, Col. J. W. Nicholls appeared on the stage to make an appeal for support of the Victory Loan drive. He referred to the freedom and pleasure which people of Canada were able to enjoy contrasting the picture with that in England today. The job of Canadians should be to see that the fighting forces were provided with the best of equipment so that the enemy might be met on even terms and victory assured. Col. Nicholls read from a letter which had been received in his own family, showing how people of England were united in the active and arduous jobs of defending the Motherland. It was up to Canadians to support the effort by putting all possible into purchase of war loan bonds.

We need your co-operation to give you better service. Please put out our milk bottles daily as we need them for tomorrow.

Dominion Dairy
PHONE 10

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Used Furniture bought for cash or sold on commission. Elio's, Moose Building, Third Avenue. (14)

John Thompson of Stewart, following a brief visit to the city, sailed by the Prince Rupert yesterday afternoon on his return north.

Patrons of the stage play "The Private Secretary" showing tonight at the Capitol Theatre are advised that the curtain will rise promptly at 8:15. Please be in your seat at that time. (124)

Canada's Leading Cookery Experts Recommend Magic



Thomas Smurthwaite, who has been paying a visit to the city, sailed by the Prince Rupert yesterday afternoon on his return to Premier.

E. T. Appiewhaite of Stewart, after a brief business visit to the city, sailed by the Prince Rupert yesterday afternoon on his return north.

LADIES IN SOFTBALL

Schedule for First Half of Season is Announced—Starts Tonight

Schedule for the first half of the season in the Ladies Softball League is announced as follows:

- May 30—Service Club vs. Grotto.
- June 2—Gordon & Anderson vs. Grotto.
- June 6—Service Club vs. Fraser Street.
- June 9—Fraser Street vs. Grotto.
- June 13—Gordon & Anderson vs. Service Club.
- June 16—Gordon & Anderson vs. Fraser Street.
- June 20—Grotto vs. Service Club.
- June 23—Grotto vs. Gordon & Anderson.
- June 27—Fraser Street vs. Service Club.

GASOLINE RATION
England's gasoline ration now permits the ordinary driver to travel approximately 200 miles a month.

GRENADIERS AWHEEL
The famous King's Household Regiment, the Grenadier Guards, now mechanized, ride on motorcycles equipped with quick-firing Tommyguns.

Announcements

All advertisements in this column will be charged for a full month at 25c a word.

Catholic tea, Mrs. Blain's, May 29.

Battle of Jutland Tea, May 31, Canadian Legion, Bundles to Britain.

Hill 60 Dance, June 6.

Presbyterian Missionary tea, Mrs. Duncan McRae's, June 4.

Strawberry Tea, St. Peter's Evening Branch, Mrs. Thomas, June 5.

Parent Teachers' Tea, June 6.

Queen Mary tea, Legion Hall, June 14 for soldiers' graves.

102nd Auxiliary Tea, Canadian Legion, June 19.

United Church Tea, Mrs. O. C. Young, June 19.

Boy Scout Tea, Mrs. J. Clark, June 21.

Anglican Tea, Mrs. Evitt's, June 26.

PAINTING

Decorative Kalsomining
LORNE CORNELL
Gordon and Anderson's
Phone 46

Fred Nash B.C.L.S. of Terrace sailed yesterday afternoon on the Prince Rupert for Stewart.

Tonight's train, due from the east at 11 o'clock, was reported this morning to be on time.

Calling all Oddfellows and Rebekahs, to bring all their friends to the big dime show on Friday, May 30, 8 p.m. Oddfellows' Hall. (126)

G. W. Cripps, provincial assessor, is sailing on the Prince Rupert tomorrow afternoon for a trip to Stewart and Premier on official business.

Capt. G. W. Marsdan of the Royal Canadian Engineers was the speaker today at the regular weekly luncheon of the Prince Rupert Rotary Club, telling interestingly of his travels in Asia and Europe. President Dr. Neal Carter was in the chair and there was a good attendance of members with a few guests.

Kitkatla Man Enjoyed Trip

Willie Gladstone On Way Home To Naas River After Visiting Kitkatla And Other Points

Among the passengers arriving on Tuesday night's train was Willie Gladstone of Kitkatla who returned after spending Victoria Day at Kitkatla as the guest of Chief Councillor Wallace Morgan, and his family, who proved very hospitable.

On May 23 Mr. Gladstone was hired by the sports committee to referee two games of football. The teams were well satisfied with his services and the games were played harmoniously. On May 24 he was asked to umpire the girls' championship softball game between the cup holders, Cedarvale and the challengers, Hazelton. He was also asked to umpire the men's final baseball game but he was too busy at the time.

On Sunday, the day after the celebration, Mr. and Mrs. David Williams took the visitor out for a picnic on the highway. They were stopped, however, by a slide and had to walk part of the way to Skeena Crossing where they rented another car from Fred Sampare to continue their journey. They stopped for delicious refreshments at Hazelton and finished their picnic eighty miles up the highway at the Moricetown Falls and playground.

On May 26 Stephen Morgan, chief of Skeena Crossing, hired Philip Ryan's car for a ride from Kitkatla to Hazelton and back in honor of their visitor.

Mr. Gladstone enjoyed his visit to the Skeena River villages.

Timely Recipes

VEAL CUTLETS
1 1/2 lbs. veal steak or chops cut one inch thick
3 tablespoons fat
3 tablespoons flour
2 cups water
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 tablespoon chili sauce
Cut meat in pieces suitable for serving. Dredge with flour. Brown in hot fat. Cover with boiling water. Add salt. Cook 45 minutes. Just before serving stir chili sauce into gravy.

SIP OF RUM FATAL
LONDON, May 29: (CP)—Exhausted after fighting fires all night during a heavy air-raid, an auxiliary fireman drank some rum, became ill and died.

PEEPHOLE FOR CURB
A patent has been granted on an automobile door with a peephole near the bottom so the driver can see how close he is parking to the curb.

AT THE VARIETY STORE
They are selling small tools including Chisels Screwdrivers, Files, Tack Hammers, Hack Saws, Blades, Screws, Rivets, Tacks, Bolts, Curtain Rods, Curtain Rings, Hinges, Brackets, Padlock, and other shelf hardware lines. Call at the **VARIETY STORE** "Where Your Dimes Are Little Dollars"
Phone Red 120 P.O. Box 757
330 3rd Ave. West



ROYAL CITY PORK and BEANS

When the name ROYAL CITY is on the can—the product is bound to be good. These Pork & Beans have the popular rich flavor and appearance.

KELOWNA MEMENTO

Namesake City Will Make Presentation to Mine Sweeper Launched Here Yesterday Afternoon

Capt. J. H. Horne, adjutant of the Rocky Mountain Rangers, who, in civil life, was an alderman at Kelowna, represented the mayor of that Okanagan city, G. A. McKay, at the launching here yesterday of the new Canadian minesweeper Kelowna. Capt. Horn, in reply to a toast to the namesake city, conveyed the regrets of Mayor McKay at being unable to be present and announced that it was the intention of the city of Kelowna to send a suitable memento to be placed aboard the vessel before she was placed in commission.

Like other speakers at the reception which followed a very successful launch in every way including the weather factor Capt. Horn expressed best wishes for the success of H. M. C. S. Kelowna in her endeavours particularly in the war cause.

Mrs. D. J. Matheson wife of the city commissioner made a neat speech in reply to a toast to herself, adding her good wishes to the

new vessel and expressing that it would play its part in removing of the cause of the world.

T. J. Boulter dry dock tender, was toastmaster. Successive ship it was endeavored to do better work, he said, to do better craft for the naval service.

Commander Geoffrey Bival officer in charge at Port, deputizing again for commanding officer on the appreciatively of the dry dock Refreshments were served.

MAHOMET'S CHILD

Although the great Mohammedanism can be among the 40,000,000 speaking peoples living in the world, the faith has mated 250,000,000 followers.

SHORT OF DIAMONDS

The nuptial crown of Russia, now in the United States, contains 1,529 good-sized diamonds.

FOOTBALL

TONIGHT 6:45 P.M. DRY DOCK VS. INDEPENDENTS

A. MacKenzie Furniture Ltd.

A GOOD PLACE TO BUY

6 Dressers—With four drawers. Large swing mirror. Walnut finished **\$22.50**

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Clean-Up Paint-Up

Make Repairs, Build



We can supply all the materials for a new home or for adding to the old one. Call in and talk it over

Albert & McCaffery, Ltd.
PHONE 116

ICE

Just Completed!

New Ice Storage Method

Ensuring only low temperature ice throughout the fishing season

Fishermen are Invited to Inspect Our Reconstructed Ice Storage

Low Temperature Dry Ice Now on Sale by

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Prince Rupert British Columbia

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CRYSTALS
1 lb. Tin ----- 50c

Moth Proof
BAGS

Price --- 50c

Ormes Ltd.
The Pioneer Druggists

The Retail Store Phones 81 & 83
Open Daily from 8 a.m. till 10 p.m.
Sundays and Holidays from 12 to 2 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.

If you lose anything, advertise for it.

FIRST VISIT OF CANADIAN TO ENGLAND

Officer Just Arrived Writes His First Impressions Of Country As He Sees It

LONDON STREET TRAFFIC Many Things Different From Canada But Visitor Says He Thinks He'll Like It

A relative of a local lady, who holds the rank of captain in a Canadian unit, crossed to England recently and on the day they left "Lord Ha Ha" broadcast from Germany the fact that they were leaving. However, nothing happened. The day was calm all the way. They had a good escort and the trip proved most enjoyable with plenty to eat and drink and good accommodation. It was the first visit of a Canadian to that country.

After arrival the officer says: "We caught on of those cuckoo English trains to a camp and, although they look like the clear McCoy for a family, much like a coach in the automobile line—that is little compartments holding six apiece that the kids could not get out of. We ran through a couple of air raids on the way here but did not even hear anything drop although the lad had dropped a few in one of the towns we came through about an hour before we got there.

"One thing I can say, these trains are far from comfortable to sleep in and we didn't have a diner on the train. Various organizations along the road, however, were very decent and served buns and coffee. Why anyone in England should drink or serve coffee I don't know because in the first place it isn't remotely related to coffee and while tea is served scalding hot they always serve coffee lukewarm. They think these Canadians are funny fellows. They have real coffee, all the "liar brands, but it certainly does not taste the same. Must be especially put up for export. Their Scotch does not taste like ours either or must have been made up for export, as this is much smoother, so perhaps it all evens up.

I got quite a kick out of the freight cars here. They are about ten feet long, about five feet high and run on four wheels with hand brake. They go like a bat out of hell like their trains but I haven't been able to fathom how they move large pieces of machinery around. Perhaps they have larger cars but I didn't see them. They could teach our engineers how to start and stop a train and their roadbeds are certainly smooth. Not a ripple and their trains run at about 65 to 70 miles per hour. They have one train, they tell me, the Flying Scotsman, which makes

the trip from London to Glasgow at the rate of 72 miles an hour with only two stops, which means that they must be hitting about the even hundred part of the time.

Rationing
"We have not noticed any great shortages. The food is rationed. 4 ounces butter, 16 ounces bread, etc. per day but the bread has vitamin B in it. I'm not fussy about it but it is said to be exceptionally good for one. We have no fruit juices, no fruit, and very little canned goods but the garden stuff is just coming on the market and, no doubt, with the States where they are now, we will soon have lots of transport and be away to the races.

"We are quartered in a beautiful part of England and it is just the right season of the year. Everything is green just around our quarters, where they tell me soldiers have been quartered since the Crimean war. There are some beautiful flower gardens and in our rooms and mess we have fresh daffodils every day with a lot of flowers whose names I couldn't tell you, parking their heads up the night. It is damned cool at night, at least we think so, and this English system of heating a room about the size of our old parlor has a little fireplace about 8 inches wide and they don't know the meaning of the word "Insulation." However, it warms up nicely during the day time and we will, like the rest of them, get used to it as time goes on.

"We had quite a long train trip and saw no signs whatsoever of damage by bomb. I had occasion to take a trip into London yesterday and did see a large number of bombed areas but nowhere near as bad as one would have imagined. There might be in London and no doubt are areas of a few blocks square completely gutted but I was down past Hyde Park, Regent Street, Trafalgar Square, Piccadilly but in no place were there more than two or three buildings to a block at all badly damaged. Perhaps the corner of a three storey building and the windows broken across the street and next door. Selfridge's store was badly hit at one corner and most of the windows along one side were broken but business went along as usual. It appeared to me that the Hun would have to keep up for about fifteen years at the rate he has been going to make much of an impression. One officer was telling me he saw what was called one of the worst blitz yet when 146 bombs dropped in an area about the size of a small prairie town. It did wreck a lot of houses and shook the people up a bit but the total casualties after a four hour raid was one two-year old calf which had in some manner or other wandered in. Admittedly not a pleasant sight to see bombed buildings of any kind but a great waste of time, men, money and machines.

Driving In London

"Although driving in Chicago was tough to start with it is mild compared to this. Motor cycles, baby Austins and many even smaller cars, huge lorries, bicycles and pedestrians all on what I would say was the wrong side of the road and all going to beat hell. It's tough on the nerves and any people who can drive through traffic like that wouldn't be bothered by a mere air raid. They tell me that licenses are issued on the basis of horsepower not wheel base. That is why 99 percent of the cars are in the baby class from 8-12 horsepower and with a wheel base of 60-80 inches mostly on motorcycle wheels. My Nash with 110 horse power would cost me \$400 a year for license and besides that petrol is rather on the expensive side even in peace time.

"The Indians must have learned from the English in the matter of trails and roads. They never go over or through anything that they can go around in this man's country and in no place known to man is there any roadway in the British Isles with a straightaway of over 150 yards. Beautiful trees line the roads which probably average eighteen feet in width with cross roads, farm entrances, here, there and everywhere. These bicycles would drive you nuts. Still it's a great country and worth coming to.

"We are to get five days landing leave but I'm broke and won't be taking mine for some time. When I do I expect to go to Ireland or northern Scotland. A nice quiet rest in some country inn looks good to me after working for the past ten months.

"Well I haven't told you much outside the fact that I think I am going to like England. We are starting to work next week. A couple of air raid alarms so far but no noise."

SERVICE IS COMPULSORY

Canada Had Provision for Conscription in Country's Defence Nearly 300 Years Ago

By Gladys Arnold Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA, May 29; (CP)—Canada again is at war and is enforcing compulsory military service for defence of the Dominion but actually this power to conscript defence forces has been on the statute books since 1669. It came into being under the French regime and is fully described in documents recently acquired and which now may be seen in the public archives.

Copies of correspondence, regulations and laws governing Canada's first military history, beginning in 1651 and carrying through to the beginnings of the British Period when in 1777 it was ordained that every citizen from 20 to 60 years of age was obliged to serve in the militia of the parish in which he lived under pain of fine, are part of the 1940 report issued by Dominion Archivist Gustave Lanctot. On June 6, 1651, Canada's first

militia regulations were sent out by Governor d'Alleboust to "Pierre Boucher, captain of the inhabitants of Three Rivers." He was told to see to it that drill took place as often as possible including target practice and to "see that each one keeps his arms in good condition and well charged with ball and shot." To ensure that the inhabitants did not sell or otherwise dispose of their arms, Capt. Boucher was further instructed to visit each home regularly and check up on the arms.

Orders from Louis

In 1669 a letter from King Louis of France instructed compulsory service. He ordered that the whole population be divided into companies and captains, lieutenants and subalterns be appointed to command them. Those easily assembled were to meet once a month in their own districts for drill in handling arms. Wrote the king: "I leave it to your judgment to assemble only those who can do it and return home in two days time in order that more time is not lost which should be devoted to their business or cultivation of their lands."

In order that those who had no money might buy arms Aubert de la Chesnaye, merchant of Quebec

was commanded to sell arms to them and "take in payment good genuine wheat at the rate of 50 sous the bushel and in salt port at the regular price."

In 1758, after the change of regime, the British government passed an act establishing and regulating the militia. "All male persons, planters, inhabitants and their servants between the ages of 16 and 60 residing in this province (Nova Scotia) shall bear arms and duly attend all musters and military exercises of their respective companies . . . three months time shall be allowed to every son after coming to 16 years and to every servant to provide themselves with arms and ammunition," the act read.

Arm Themselves

The act provided that "every enlisted soldier be provided with a musket gun or fuzil' not less than three feet long in the barrel two square flints 12 charges of powder and ball on penalty of 40 shillings fine . . . or one month imprisonment with hard labor for want of such arms."

Citizens were obliged to provide their own firearms and ammunition as well as serve without remuneration while residents of both town and country were obliged to

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billet the soldiers free of charge. Penalties for not attending military exercises included fines and imprisonment. In 1777 Quebec came under similar military regulations.

BEST HALF TOO
Canada makes up half of the North American continent.

FAVORS NO PAY
LONDON, May 29; (CP)—Secretary for War Margeson is not in favor of paying Home Guard commanding officers, even though they devote their whole time to their duties.

OPTIMISTIC ANYWAY
Italy has announced plans for colonizing 80,000 families in Libya during 1942.



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BOYS SNUFF OUT BOMBS

LONDON, May 29: (CP)—Sixteen-year-old Mickey O'Connor comes from the little streets of the East End where there's no room for grass to grow between the tightly packed houses and where the sun scarcely ever penetrates.

Youngsters of the East End, who have to make their own way early in life, grow up self-reliant and sharp-witted. Mickey is no exception. He saved a church from destruction in one of the German "reprise" raids on London and

helped put out eight other fires the same night. The rest of that night he bicycled and walked through bomb-riddled streets delivering messages between A.R.P. stations.

"I just had to save the church," he said, "because I sleep in the crypt there with my father. He slept for months in a 500-year-old coffin in the crypt, but it has been taken away." Two fires were blazing on the roof. Mickey with water and a stirrup pump climbed a narrow stairway. He tackled the fires so efficiently they were easily brought under control. About 350 people were sheltering in the crypt.

A Billet Doux for the Boche!



FIGHT TO KEEP THE NAZIS AWAY

All trade unions in Canada would be dissolved under Nazi domination.

Collective bargaining, which workers have secured after years of struggle, would be wiped out over-night.

Canadian parents would be deprived of the right to decide what their children should be taught.

Christianity would be censored and teachers instructed by Nazi authorities as to what they should and should not teach.

All Canadian business would come under the thumb of Germany.

Workers would no longer be able to choose their own trade, nor would they be allowed to select a living place of their own fancy.

There would be butterless days for all citizens if butter were needed for export to Germany.

Old age pensions would be a thing of the past.

Widows' and Mothers' allowances would be stopped.

Developed sections of the country would be cleared of Canadians to make room for German immigrants.

There would be no more minimum wage act.

Canadians would step from the sidewalk to the roadway to allow German officers to pass. Canadian citizens would be forced to give the Nazi salute or court imprisonment.

Canadian newspapers would no longer express the opinion of Canadians and would submit all news items and editorials to the Nazi censor.

Radio programs would be produced to suit the purpose of the aggressor.

Public meetings, when allowed, would be watched by the Gestapo.

Taxation to provide indemnities to Germany would be heavier than Canada's present taxation.

Masonic lodges and all fraternal orders and organizations would be dissolved.

Theatres would be pampered with Nazi Propaganda material and moving pictures would be subject to rigid Nazi censorship.

Books which would fail to meet the pleasure of the Nazi authorities would be burned or banned.

Private telephones if permitted, would be subject to "tapping" by Nazi agents.

Travel from one section of the country to another, if only for a visit, would be subject to permission from the Nazis.

BABEL OF WAR TALK

By LOUIS V. HUNTER
Canadian Press Staff Writer
LONDON, May 29: (CP) — The battle of the airways, un spectacular but nonetheless vital to the outcome of the war, goes on ceaselessly in wartime Europe.

From the Axis countries alone emanate daily more than 1,000,000 words of propaganda.

One of the biggest jobs of the British Broadcasting Corporation now is listening to this flow of words through the ether. From the mass is picked a daily digest of 50,000 words of items considered significant and which may provide material for Britain's specialists in the analysis of enemy propaganda.

Hidden away at a reception station somewhere in England, the BBC Monitoring Service is on the job night and day. More than 100 men and women of a score of nationalities sit with headphones glued to their ears recording the broadcasts of 40 countries in 30 languages, including Berber and Albanian. The "report" is recorded mechanically and double-checked for accuracy.

To Suit the Field
Propaganda specialists sift the digest to reveal the inconsistencies of argument and supposed facts used in Axis propaganda. They are able to show—and the B.B.C. demonstrates nightly in its Listening Post broadcast to North America—that what the Nazis say to the Americans may be vastly different from what they say to Britain, to France, to the Arabs and to India.

The monitoring staff includes a former member of the Austrian diplomatic corps, a Russian zoologist, experts in politics and economics, a Finnish sea captain and a Russian Prince. It is upon the work of these monitors that the many government departments depend for much of their knowledge of what is going on all over the world.

The BBC has practically taken over a rural town in one of the most beautiful parts of England and this wartime community is filled with all kinds of people doing all kinds of jobs. There is a hut for the Middle Eastern service, another where Indians prepare broadcasts for that vast continent. The monitors occupy a couple and the editorial staff of the monitoring service has one that resembles the city room of a newspaper.

In a nearby mansion are offices and studios. In one studio Spanish nationalists may be broadcasting a play to their country. On one floor news letters will be in progress of preparation for Burma, the Malay States, Thai or Ceylon. A couple of miles away is another impressive house where programs for Canada and the United States originate.



LOUIS V. HUNTER
of the British

SEDUCTIVE DIETRICH

Plays Part of Cafe Singer of South Seas in "Seven Sinners" At Capitol Theatre

Marlene Dietrich heads the cast of "Seven Sinners," a South Sea romance at the Capitol Theatre tonight and Friday.

John Wayne plays opposite Miss Dietrich at the head of an imposing cast that includes Albert Dekker, Broderick Crawford, Mischa Auer, Billy Gilbert, Anna Lee and Oscar Homolka.

As a lovely cafe singer who goes laughingly from one tropical island to another, leaving tropical romance trouble in her wake, Miss Dietrich says the type of role that has made her famous.

Wayne is seen as a young naval officer attached to an American island base, and the course of his infatuation for the beautiful and mysterious entertainer brings the story to its dramatic climax.

Crawford, as a bearded navy man who worships Miss Dietrich, and Auer, as a magician who prefers pocket-picking, move through the picture with her as a welder triumvirate. Also filling an important role is Albert Dekker as a dissolute young ship-doctor who is reformed by his love for the singer.

Anna Lee, young British star, makes her debut in American films in the role of the island governor's winsome daughter, and the governor is portrayed by Samuel S. Hinds.

Billy Gilbert is seen in a typical comedy role as the ineffectual cafe owner, while others in the cast include Reginald Denny, Antonio Moreno, Herbert Rawlinson, Vince Barnett and James Craig.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA IN PROBATE

In the Matter of the Estate of John William McKinley, Deceased, late of the City of Prince Rupert, British Columbia, who died on December 1st 1940.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 28 of the Trustee Act of the Province of British Columbia I hereby give notice that on the 25th day of April 1941 my appointment as Executor of the Estate of the late John William McKinley, Deceased, was confirmed by Letters Probate issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, and that all persons indebted to the said Estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith and all persons having claims against the said estate are required to file them properly verified with me on or before June 15th 1941 failing which distribution shall be made having regard only to claims which are in my hands.

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HITLER TO FAIL ALSO

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a continental system of no trade with Britain. With a war of nerves, the like of which had not been known since, not even in the present war so far, Napoleon had been the first to plan an invasion of Britain by flat-bottomed boats containing large numbers of troops and heavy guns. However, Pitt's coalition with Russia, Sweden and Austria had resulted in the drawing away of Napoleon's troop concentrations from the invasion coast and Nelson's victory at Trafalgar finally broke up the "invasion" scare.

Wilhelm II, as another aspirant for world power, had probably been not much more than the tool of the German general staff. Obviously, in his four years' war, he had not been the actual moving spirit as had been Phillip II, Louis XIV, and Napoleon in their campaigns. He had been a poor judge of character and had picked the wrong people.

Adolf Hitler, the speaker said, would sacrifice any principle, use any ruse or artifice, resort to any unholy alliance. He was bombastic like the Kaiser but lacked his kindness. He was cruel, vindictive, for seven miles.

possessed no culture. Subject to bursts of creation and destruction his energy was followed by long spells of indecision. His furious outbursts were undoubtedly often feigned. He too failed to understand British character and in the lack of understanding would cost his ultimate defeat.

At the conclusion of his address Capt. Durnford was thanked by the president, W. F. Stone, who was the chair. F. J. Skinner of Vancouver was a luncheon guest. The winner of the luncheon raffle was the president.

It was announced that T. R. Brown had been appointed to make arrangements for a Gyro Club to be staged at the Capitol Theatre next Tuesday night in connection with the Victory Loan drive.

SAVETAIL AS IS

NEW YORK, May 29: (CP)—The United States Army a "savetail" is a second lieutenant and "bobtail" is a dishonorable discharge.

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