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Tomorrow's Tides

High 4:59 a.m. 13.0 ft.
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Low 11:40 a.m. 4.8 ft.

War News

GENERAL FREYBERG SAFE

CAIRO—German and Italian invaders of Crete are further consolidating their positions and expected very soon to effect a juncture. British and Greek resistance is continuing although an impending evacuation would appear to be obvious. It was officially announced today that Major General B. C. Freyberg, commander-in-chief of the British forces in Crete was alive and with his troops in Crete. There had been German reports yesterday that he had been killed in a plane crash between Crete and Alexandria.

CANADA IN BOMBING RANGE

LONDON—The magazine "Airplane" urges that Canadian and American cities and factories along the Atlantic coast should look to their anti-aircraft defences. There is no doubt that these cities are now within range of enemy bombing, the magazine suggests.

WEST COAST ATTACKED

LONDON—The Luftaffe attacked the west coast of England during the night including Liverpool, Bristol and Cardiff but the attackers were kept high for the most part and damage was light with casualties few.

ATTACK ON SFAX

VICHY—Another British air attack has been made on Sfax Tunisia, it is stated here. The attack was evidently aimed at two Italian merchant vessels.

FRENCH VS. FRENCH

VICHY—Starting the effort to regain French territory in Africa for the German-controlled government of France, Vichy French forces have attacked the Free French in the vicinity of Lake Chad, it is reported.

USING NEW WEAPON

LONDON—A new weapon, the details of which are undisclosed, is now being used with good effect in the defence against night air raiders on Great Britain.

WAS ENORMOUS SHIP

LONDON—British naval officers who took part in the destruction of the German battleship Bismarck believe she was by far the most powerful warship afloat. Instead of 32,000 tons, it is believed she was more like 50,000 and probably had a crew of three thousand. The destruction of H.M.S. Hood is described as an "unbelievable nightmare" or horror. She appeared to explode all at once a surging mass with fragments being thrown for hundreds of feet.

British Victorious In Iraq

German-Inspired Revolt Of Arabs Collapses; Armistice Is Asked For And Granted

Passes In Exile—

EX-KING OF SIAM IS DEAD

Prajadhipok, Former Ruler of Colorful Oriental Kingdom, Succumbs to Heart Attack in England

VIRGINIA WATER, Surrey, Eng., May 31: (CP)—Former King Prajadhipok of Siam, now Thailand, died early today of a heart attack at his home here. He was forty-seven years of age and had been in ill-health for considerable time. He abdicated his throne in March 1935. Prajadhipok king of Siam for 9 years and three months, was the last absolute ruler of the land of sacred elephants. Progressive in thought and action, he fostered reforms in his government, only to lose his throne when a two-year-old parliament, dominated by politically-minded military commanders, took advantage of his absence from the country to enact laws taking away the last of his royal prerogatives, the right to affirm or set aside death sentences. Threatened with blindness from cataracts of both eyes and frail in health from dental troubles and recurrent attacks of malaria and bronchitis, the king, then sojourning in London after a second optical operation, on March 2, 1935, stepped down from a throne which he had occupied since November 26, 1925. He retired to an estate in Surrey.

His physical ills, rather than his political troubles, made the diminutive potentate widely known to America. He and his queen spent five months in the United States and Canada in 1931, coming for an operation which cleared up his left eye. They were planning another visit, following his second operation in London, but his abdication caused cancellation of this journey.

The thousands who saw him on his 1931 tour remembered him as a slight, brown-skinned man, barely five feet tall, whose silk hat in formal attire accentuated the contrast with the American officials who towered beside him. But they recalled to his precise and fluent English, ready smile and keen interest in things western. America liked his devotion to golf, tennis, baseball and polo, and his preference for bacon and eggs for breakfast.

Prajadhipok was the seventh ruler of the Chakri dynasty which came into power in Siam in 1782. He was born November 8, 1893, the second son of Sowabha Pongsi, one of the numerous consorts of Rama V. That monarch, better known to occidentals as Chulalongkorn, was the last Siamese ruler to maintain a harem. The eldest son of his official queen died and he named the sons of Prajadhipok's mother as his successors.

Ruler by Accident
In 1910, when Chulalongkorn died it was decreed that Prajadhipok was to be heir to the throne provided no son was born to the new monarch.
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Weather Forecast

Prince Rupert and Queen Charlotte Islands—Light winds, mild and cloudy with fog patches near Prince Rupert and over Graham Island. Fair over Moresby Island.

Union Jack is Carried Into Storied Bagdad and Control of Valuable Oil Fields is Once Again Assured

LONDON, May 31: (CP)—Great Britain scored a major victory in the Middle East today when, following the flight of Rashid Ali Al Gailani, the anti-British Premier, the German-inspired Arab revolt collapsed and the committee of four, which has taken charge in Bagdad, asked Britain for an armistice which was immediately granted. Meanwhile, British forces today entered the capital city of Bagdad. Britain is now assured of control of the valuable Iraq oil fields and the pipe line to Haifa. German claims that Rashid Ali, in his flight to Iran, had taken the six-year old boy king Faisal with him, are discounted.

Authoritative sources reported yesterday that British forces had advanced to a point within five miles of Bagdad, the capital of Iraq with Iraqi rebels giving up the attempt to keep control of oil fields from the British. Today the British motorized forces entered Bagdad.

Germans Leave Iraq
CAIRO—German war planes were reported today flying out of Iraq following the request of the Iraqis for an armistice with Britain.

RIBBENTROP TO TURKEY
BERLIN—Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop, it is reported, will journey to Turkey to bring about an agreement with that nation to remain neutral nominally but actual co-operate with the Axis against Great Britain.

ZAMZAM SURVIVORS
LISBON—American survivors of the Egyptian ship ZamZam, which was sunk by a German raider, crossed the frontier from France into Spain today enroute to Lisbon where they will embark for home. There are 140 in all.

CABINET CHANGES
OTTAWA—Premier King states that he hopes to be able to announce cabinet changes before the present session ends. He denied that he was looking outside of Parliament for cabinet material.

SABOTAGE FEARED
WASHINGTON—Special precautions are being taken throughout the nation against possible sabotage of factories and shipping facilities.

CAROL IN CUBA
HAVANA—Former King Carol of Rumania and Madame Magda Lupescu arrived today in Cuba. They will make their home in exile here.

APPEALS FOR FOOD
LONDON—Lord Woolton suggests that people of Canada and United States might curtail on their consumption of certain foods in order that more canned food, cheese and powdered milk might be made available for Britons.

WINS AT INDIANAPOLIS
INDIANAPOLIS—Maury Rose won the Indianapolis Speedway race yesterday.

SHANGHAI ROBBERY
SHANGHAI—There was a daring robbery today of \$2,500,000 in postal cash funds.

NORWAY'S BOMBED AREA
LONDON, May 31: (CP)—Many people at Kristiansund in Norway were obliged to spend the whole winter in fishing boats because of the destruction of their houses by German bombers last summer, the Norwegian Telegraph Agency reports. A correspondent who recently visited the town describes the damage caused by fires as "the most catastrophic that has ever been known in all the Scandinavian countries."

MANION IN UNIFORM



Surrounded by a group of 2nd Division Officers Col. R. J. Manion, former Conservative leader, now in the army, renews old acquaintances among the overseas forces during the opening of a recreation hut for Canadian soldiers overseas.

Flying Y.M.C.A. Would Be "Tops"

R. A. F. Sergeant Writes In The Clouds Of Huts' Work In Britain

TORONTO, May 31: (CP)—Praise for Y. M. C. A. work in war-smitten Britain comes from high places. National headquarters here have the following written by a Royal Air Force sergeant in his machine several thousand feet up to a Y. M. C. A. voluntary worker in Leicestershire:

"The Y. M. C. A. huts that you speak of are by a long, long way the best of their kind. I have been into Y. M. C. A. huts all over the country and they are really 'the goods.'"

"I wish we could let people see what an absolute God-send they are to us on our travels, or as a place where we can go and read and write at night and get a cup of tea and a meal. I myself have been saved many a cold and miserable wait by finding a Y. M. C. A. hut for a hot drink. All the good I've ever had from these places has been really good."

"I have not expressed my opinion as fully as I should like, but think it will clear any doubts that you might have had on the subject. I can say that the gratitude of everyone goes out to the people who run these places. I only wish they had some in the air! I could do with a cup of hot tea now!"

OIL PAYS FOR WATER

Iraq's revenue from oil concessions has paid for extensive irrigation works in the country.

Two Germans Brought Down

Naval Anti-Aircraft Fire Accounts For Couple of Enemy Planes

LONDON May 31.—Naval anti-aircraft fire Thursday accounted for two German bombers, bringing them down at sea.

General's Death Is Not Confirmed

London Has Nothing To Say In Regard To Crash Involving Commander-in-Chief Of Crete

NEW YORK, May 31: (CP)—There was no British confirmation of German radio reports, claiming to be quoting from a Cairo dispatch, which said yesterday that Major General B. C. Freyberg, Imperial commander at Crete, had been killed in an air crash while enroute to Alexandria.

CAMPAIGN UNDER WAY

Six Victory Loan Meetings Held At Schools—Week-End Activities

Six showings of moving pictures at the schools, accompanied by appropriate addresses by Mrs. J. A. Teng and Norton Youngs, have been conducted at the schools of the city during the past two days in connection with the Victory Loan campaign. There were two shows at Borden Street School and four at Booth Memorial School. Moving picture equipment of the Young Men's Christian Association was used and Gunner Green acted as operator.

There will be a radio program tonight with prizes for listeners.

Sunday night there will be a mass meeting at the Capitol Theatre with pictures quiz program and speakers. There will be prizes.

TODAY'S STOCKS

(Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co.) Vancouver

- Big Missouri, .04.
- Bralorne, 9.95 (ask).
- 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, 1.35.
- Pioneer, 2.00.
- Premier, .90.
- Privateer, .48.
- Reeves McDonald, .10.
- Reno, .11.
- Relief Arlington, .01.
- Sheep Creek, .75.

Oils

- A. P. Con., .06.
- Calmont, .12.
- Central Pat., 1.05.
- Home, 1.60.
- Pacalta, .02.
- Royal Canadian, .07.
- Okalta, .50 (ask).
- Mercury, .03 (ask).
- Prairie Royalties, .06 (ask).

Toronto

- Aldermac, .08 1/4.
- Beattie, 1.01.
- Central Pat., 1.66.
- Cons. Smelters, 31.75.
- (ast. Malartic, 2.22.
- Fernland, .01 1/2.
- Franconur, .36.
- Gods Lake, .21.
- Hardrock, .66.
- Int. Nickel, 29.50.
- Kerr Addison, 3.95.
- Little Long Lac, 1.73.
- McLeod Cockshutt, 1.53.
- Madsen Red Lake, .54.
- McKenzie Red Lake, 1.00.
- Moneta, .42.
- Noranda, 49.75.
- Pickle Cok, 2.32.
- Preston East Dome, 2.80.
- San Antonio, 2.20.
- Sherritt Gordon, .62.
- Uchl, .08 1/4.
- Bouseadillac, .03 (ask).
- Mosher, .04 1/2.
- Oklend, .04.
- Smelters Gold, .01.
- Dominion Bridge, 21.25.

LONDON, May 31: (CP)—Because the bells could not be rung the choir of King's Langley parish church mounted the tower and their carols could be heard a mile away.

FIGHT IS NEAR END IN CRETE

Informed London Sources Admit That It Is Entering Last Desperate Stage

LONDON, May 31: (CP)—Informed sources in London acknowledged last night that the defence of the Greek island of Crete appeared to be entering the last desperate stage but there was no comment on a German radio claim that British and Greek troops were seeking to evacuate Crete by sea. The situation was admitted to be confused although fierce fighting was still in progress.

In Cairo it was announced that British troops had been forced to reorganize their lines in Crete because of new German reinforcements and intensive dive bombing. The Nazis and Italians are continuing to land huge reinforcements.

In Berlin it was asserted that the British had already lost in Crete what they had salvaged from Greece and that their defeat was already obvious.

There's Safety in Numbers—Buy more Bonds!

HOME GUARD CHIEFS

LONDON, May 31: (CP)—Of 219 men appointed officers in the reorganization of Britain's Home Guard there are many peers, baronets and generals but also 19 plain "misters."

VICTORY LOAN Program

- May 31—Radio Program 7:00 p.m.
- June 1—Mass Meeting, Capitol 9:00 p.m.
- June 2—Army Retreat Service at Victory Loan Dugout 7:00 p.m.
- June 3—Street Dancing 9:30 p.m.
- June 3—Jitterbug Contest 9:30 p.m.
- June 5—Citizens Parade 7:30 p.m.
- June 8—Victory Loan Church Services
- Garrison Parade — Army Air Defence Demonstration — A.R.P. Demonstration — Boat Parade Time Not Yet Set

DUBLIN IS HEAVILY HIT BY BOMBS

Forty Killed, 100 Injured, Much Damage—Protest To Berlin—Nazis Talk Of Trick

DUBLIN, May 31:—The Eire government protested strongly today to Germany following a heavy bombing raid last night on Dublin when extensive damage was done with an estimated forty persons killed and one hundred injured. Germany made a characteristic statement, denying any knowledge of the raid and suggesting that it may have been a trick of Prime Minister Winston Churchill to bring Eire into the war.

Halibut Sales

Summary
AMERICAN—70,000 pounds, 10.6c and 8c to 11.2c and 8c.
Canadian—28,100 pounds, 10.8c and 7.5c to 11.1c and 7.5c.

American
Shirley J., 24,000, Storage, 10.6c and 8c.
Narra, 27,000, Pacific, 10.9c and 8c.

Martha, 2,500, Booth, 11.2c and 8c.
Arrow, 9,500, Storage, 11.2c and 8c.

Canadian
Morris H., 9,000, Storage, 10.9c and 7.5c.
T. Y., 2,100, Storage, 10.8c and 7.5c.

Robert B., 17,000, Booth, 11.1c and 7.5c.

Preston Wins English Cup

BLACKBURN, May 31: (CP)—Preston Northend defeated Arsenal two to one today to win the war time cup final in the English Football League.
Robert Beattie scored both Preston goals and Gallimore kicked into his own net the goal that was credited to Arsenal.

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EDITORIAL

Counting Noses - - -

The Bank of Nova Scotia, in its Monthly Review points out at considerable length the value of the census to Canada. It says the information gathered by the census takers "forms a standard by which almost all other facts relating to the country must be measured if they are to have real significance." Statistics in regard to agriculture and merchandizing are most important. Vital statistics are not touched upon in the census. However it collects facts about the individual which can be obtained in no other way. The cross-classification of ages with unemployment, literacy, earning and rent payments reveal much about the employment situation. It mentions the housing census under which information is gathered from every tenth dwelling. The review also gives the historical background of the census.

Security of Bond - - -

The difference between the hundred dollar bill and the hundred dollar victory bond is that one is used for currency, that is, it is passed from one person to another rapidly, while the bond is designed to be a more permanent investment. Each has exactly the same security. The bond bears three per cent interest while the bill bears no interest. Attached to the bond is a group of coupons which are the same as cash when clipped from the bond on the day they become due or any time afterwards. These are the interest payments.

Probably Exaggerations - - -

The announcements that emanate from Germany in regard to their air power are probably exaggerations but they are high enough to make us all take notice. In the Washington Merry-go-round we read:

"Though not announced by the White House, two impelling factors were behind the President's sensational letter to Secretary Stimson asking for an immediate increase in the monthly output of bombers.

"One was the obvious need of providing Britain with more and bigger planes to carry the offensive to Germany.

"Second, known only to inside authorities, was intelligence information that the Nazis are increasing the bomber force of their Luftwaffe.

"The reports are that the German air force now consists of the following:

"Six main air fleets, each comprising 1,000 bombers, 625 fighters and 75 reconnaissance planes, a total of 10,200.

"Also there is an independent air unit of 2,750 planes, a naval air service of 1,000, an operational training unit of 650, and a transport organization of 3,500 planes.

"In addition to these first-line ships, is a reserve of 12,000 others, plus 5,000 trainers and transports. Grand total: About 35,000 planes.

"German airplane production capacity is estimated at 3,000 planes a month, including about 500 bombers. Nazi March production is estimated at 2,200 ships of all types, but only 1,600 in April. In May, however, intelligence reports are that Nazi plane production is being stepped up to replace Balkan and North African losses. The undisclosed bomber goal of 1941 to which Roosevelt referred in his letter to Stimson, is 600 a month."

EX-KING OF SIAM IS DEAD

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king, Rama VI., his elder brother. The latter abjured polygamy, but his queen was childless. In October, 1925, Rama VI. divorced her and elevated a lady of the court to the rank of royal consort. A month later the new queen became the mother of a daughter. The next day, November 26, Rama VI. died and Prapadhipok became king.

Both these sons of Chulalongkorn had been educated in England after novitiates as Buddhist monks. Prapadhipok was in a monastery four months, then went to Eton, completing the regular course at that historic English school.

Because he was destined for military command, his next schooling was at the British Royal Military College at Woolwich. He served for a time as an officer of the Royal Horse Artillery at Aldershot.

On his return to Siam he married in 1918 his 14-year-old cousin, Princess Rambabarni. The union was childless. From 1921 to 1924 he and his wife were in Paris where he studied tactics at the Ecole Militaire Supérieure, the staff college of France. En route home he made his first visit to America, landing in New York from the Leviathan on September 21, 1924, and staying six weeks before proceeding to the Orient via the west coast.

On this visit he first consulted Dr. John M. Wheeler, noted eye surgeon, who found incipient cataracts in both eyes and prescribed a course of treatment. Seven years later, Dr. Wheeler discovered that the left eye had not responded.

Meanwhile Prapadhipok had become the benevolent despot of 11,500,000 people, ruling a territory as large as Spain and Portugal combined. He was, in effect, lawyer, judge and administrator and, theoretically, owner of all property.

In November, 1930, it was announced that the king and queen would journey to the United States the following spring for treatment of the monarch's eyes. They left Bangkok March 20, 1931, sailed via China and Japan and debarked at Vancouver, B.C., April 15, after a record crossing in which their steamer, the Empress of Japan,

covered the 4,280 miles from Yokohama in seven days, 19 hours.

To avoid undue strain upon the ill ruler, they traveled incognito as the Prince and Princess of Sukhodaya. But they were the first reigning Oriental monarchs to visit Canada and the United States and both countries received them officially. They entered the United States at Portland, N.D., and arrived at Scarborough-on-Hudson, N.Y., on April 22. Thence they drove to Ophir Hall, the Westchester county estate of Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, which was their official residence for three months.

Royal Salutes

Only once in that period was their incognito dropped. A three-day state visit to Washington, ending May 1, was the occasion for guards of honor, royal salutes, official calls between the king and queen and President and Mrs. Hoover, a state dinner at the White House and bestowal of an LL.D. degree by George Washington University. King Prapadhipok had to delegate part of his activities at the capital to his father-in-law, Prince Svasti, and the latter laid wreaths on the tomb of the unknown soldier at Arlington and on Washington's tomb at Mt. Vernon.

The Washington stay was interrupted on April 30, for a trip to Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore. There it was found that an operation on the king's left eye was imperative. The operation was performed by Dr. Wheeler May 10 at Ophir Hall and after a quick recovery and a round of sightseeing, the royal couple left for home July 23.

For six weeks they toured Canada. They sailed from Victoria on September 12 and retraced their way via Honolulu and China, to Bangkok.

Less than a year later, on June 24, 1932, an army revolt in Siam seized the government. King Prapadhipok and Queen Rambabarni were on vacation when this coup was executed, but were brought back by the revolutionists. The outcome was the end of Siam as an absolute monarchy and substitution of a constitutional system.

In October, 1933, one of the royal princes headed a rebellion against the new order which was put down only after a sharp, bloody battle, on the ground and in the air, on the outskirts of Bangkok.

Late in December that year the king announced plans for another trip to the United States. This started in April, 1934, and was routed via the Mediterranean, France and England. It ended in London where on June 6 Prapadhipok underwent an operation for cataract on his right eye. The king and queen lingered in Europe, planning to proceed to America in September, but political troubles developed at home and after months of negotiations which included visits by special missions from Siam, he abdicated.

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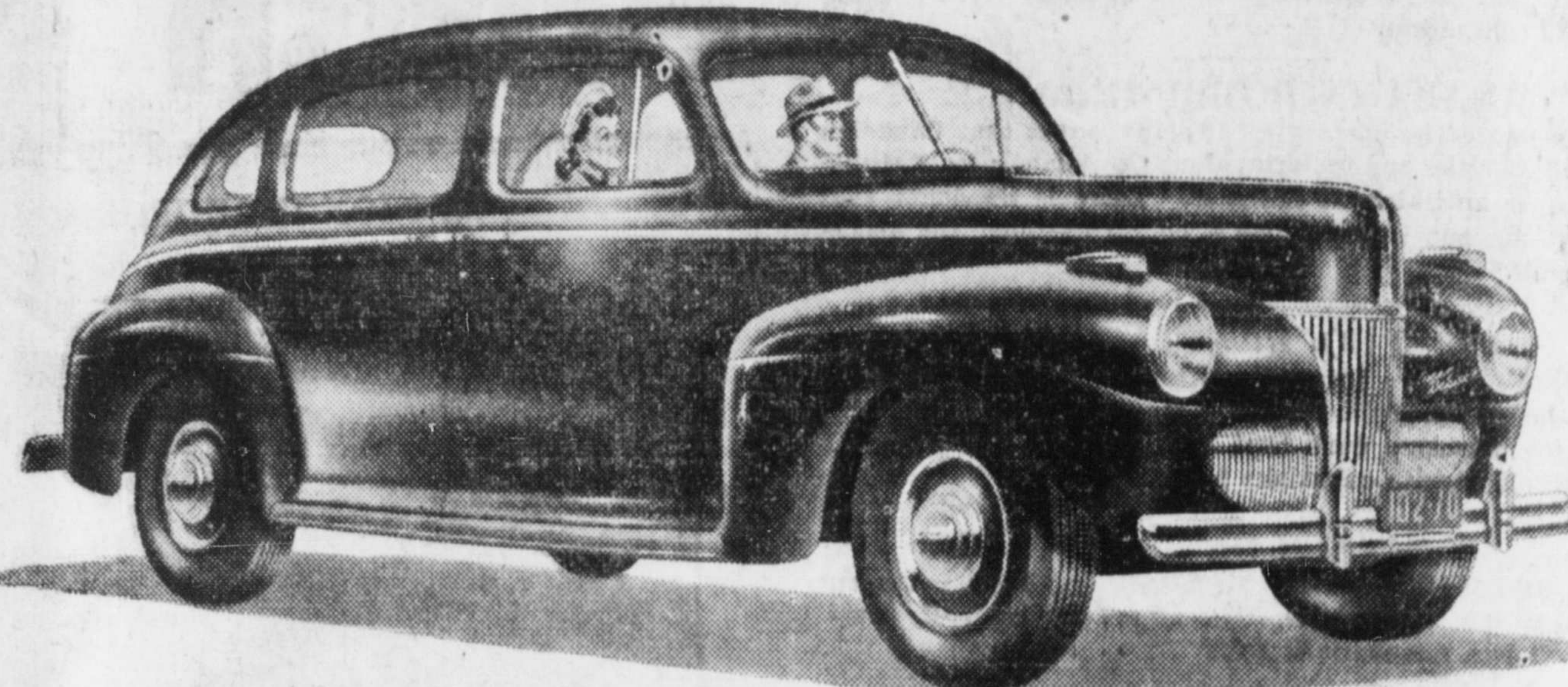
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SOUTHEND, Eng., May 31: (CP)—What would happen to birds and animals in Southend's parks with Park-Keeper Lafflin not there, if and when invasion came, demanded a councillor when Lafflin asked permission to join the Home Guard. Permission refused.

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MASS HOUSING

New York's largest housing development, Parchester, has 17,000 tenants.

SHARED WORRY IN DEATH

LONDON, May 31: (CP)—John Alabaster, 38-year-old architect and his sister Hilda, 29, were found gassed in their car, the police decided it was double suicide because they were worried over the women's health.

CONDEMN BLITZGAZERS

BRISTOL May 31: (CP)—Rescue workers and civic leaders strongly condemned "sightseers who thronged around in cars viewing raid damage" while other people "sweat to recover furniture from wreckage."

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OPENING GROUNDS

Resorts of Gyro Club for Children in Various Parts of City Are Now Equipped for Season

So as the children may have enjoyment of the facilities during this fine weather and into the month of June before the regular supervised activities of the summer vacation months commence, the Prince Rupert Gyro Club has now erected swings and other equipment and opened the various playgrounds in the city. The swimming tank at McClymont Park was filled with water yesterday.

LADIES IN SOFTBALL

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

SCHEDULE OF BOWLS

June 2—Rogers vs. Paul, McPhee vs. Vickers, Murray vs. Frew, McMeekin vs. Preece. June 4—Frew vs. Winslow, McMeekin vs. Tinker, Paul vs. Benson, Murray vs. Vickers. June 6—Rogers vs. Winslow, McPhee vs. Tinker, Preece vs. Benson. June 9—Rogers vs. Frew, McPhee vs. Paul, Murray vs. Preece, McMeekin vs. Vickers. June 11—Rogers vs. Preece, Murray vs. Winslow, McMeekin vs. Benson, Paul vs. Tinker. June 13—McPhee vs. Winslow, Vickers vs. Benson, Frew vs. Tinker. June 16—Rogers vs. McMeekin, McPhee vs. Frew, Murray vs. Tinker, Paul vs. Preece. June 18—McMeekin vs. Frew, McPhee vs. Preece, Winslow vs. Benson, Vickers vs. Tinker. June 20—Murray vs. Benson, Rogers vs. Vickers, Paul vs. Winslow.

SPORT CHAT

Floyd Roberts, 38-year old aviation engineer of Van Nuys, Calif., streaked around the 2 1/2-mile Indianapolis Motor Speedway three years ago yesterday to win the annual 500-mile race by five miles in the 26th running of the famous classic. His average speed of 117 miles an hour was a new record. It eclipsed the previous record of 113 established by Wilbur Shaw of Indianapolis in 1937.

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TODAY IN SPORTS

LADIES IN SOFTBALL

Women's Service Corps Has Close Victory Over Grotto

The Ladies' Softball League got off to a good start last night with the Women's Service Corps coming from behind in the last inning to win a close game from Grotto 15 to 14. The winners outhit the losers 11 to 7.

CARDINALS GO STRONG

Setting Fast Pace in National League—Cleveland Slipping In American

NEW YORK May 31 (CP)—While the St. Louis Cardinals continue their sensational winning streak to build up a margin of leadership in the National League which now stands at three full games over the Brooklyn Dodgers, Cleveland Indians continue to waver in the American and are now only one and a half games to the good over Chicago White Sox.

CLOTHIERS WIN AGAIN

Watts & Nickerson Defeat Co-ops In Intermediate Baseball

In another Intermediate Baseball League game played on Friday night Watts and Nickerson team hustled through to win over Co-operatives by a 12-7 score. Co-op started strong and forced over a run in its half of the first but Vuckovich stemmed the tide by striking out the next three batters. The Co-operatives threatened again in the third by loading the bases with none out but an unassisted double play by Alex Bill, shortstop, stopped the rally.

SCHEDULE

First Half June 1—Co-op vs. Watts & Nickerson. June 6—Watts & Nickerson vs. Dry Dock. June 8—Co-op vs. Dry Dock. June 13—Co-op vs. Watts & Nickerson. June 15—Watts & Nickerson vs. Dry Dock. June 20—Co-op vs. Dry Dock. June 22—Co-op vs. Watts & Nickerson. June 27—Watts & Nickerson vs. Dry Dock. June 29—Co-op vs. Dry Dock. July 4—Co-op vs. Watts & Nickerson. July 6—Watts & Nickerson vs. Dry Dock. July 11—Co-op vs. Dry Dock. Second Half July 13—Watts & Nickerson vs. Co-op. July 18—Watts & Nickerson vs. Dry Dock. July 20—Co-op vs. Dry Dock. July 25—Co-op vs. Watts & Nickerson. July 27—Dry Dock vs. Watts & Nickerson.

STUDENTS COMPETE—BO-ME-HI FIELD DAY SUCCESS

Gamma House Won Decisively In Thursday's Competitions

In perfect weather last Thursday afternoon the entire student body of Booth Memorial High School gathered at Acropolis Hill for its second annual field day. Due largely to Joe Davies' 28 points, Gamma House amassed a total of 114 points, giving it a decisive lead over Beta with 88 points and Alpha with 69. However, a softball series to be played at the school may influence the final standing.

SCHEDULE

Broad Jump, junior girls: (11 ft. 5 in.)—1. Arline Fitzgerald, Gamma; 2. Bea Ritchie, Alpha; 3. Isobel MacKenzie, Alpha. Broad Jump, senior girls: (12 ft. 8 in.)—1. Chrissie MacKenzie, Alpha; 2. June Jewitt, Gamma; 3. Nancy Owens, Beta. Broad Jump, junior boys: (14 ft. 2 in.)—1. Joe Davies, Gamma; 2. Tommy Pilfold, Gamma; 3. Herbert Brown, Gamma and Maurice Teng, Beta. Broad Jump, senior boys: (16 ft. 1 in.)—1. Tom Yamamoto, Beta; 2. Shorty Santurbane, Beta; 3. Bill Hunter, Beta. Sack Race (60 yds.), junior boys—1. Harry Hamilton, Gamma; 2. Joe Davies, Gamma; 3. Archie McLeod, Alpha. Boot and Shoe Race (60 yds.) junior girls—1. Donald Rix, Gamma; 2. Chrissie Montgomery, Beta; 3. Isobel MacKenzie, Alpha. Three-legged Race, senior boys—1. Mills and Alexander, Beta; 2. Santurbane and Hunter, Beta; 3. MacKay and Wearmouth, Gamma. Three-legged Race, junior boys—1. Bartlett and Kadowaki, Beta; 2. Beef and Hamilton, Gamma; 3.

Lawn Bowling Last Evening

Further Play Enjoyed The Weather Conditions

With ideal weather conditions still prevailing, further play was enjoyed last night in the National Railways Lawn League with results as follows: Jack Frew rink, 29; Paul Tinker rink, 27; Fred Roy rink, 20; Frank 15.

CITY LEAGUE FOOTBALL

Composites W D L Dry Dock 1 0 0 R. M. R.'s 0 0 1 Independents 0 0 1

SOFTBALL SCHEDULE

Providing for double games each Tuesday and the evening, the City Softball schedule for the first half of the season was announced Thursday by President W. F. Stone. The schedule is as follows: June 3—Grotto vs. Steel Workers vs. Dry Dock. June 5—Dry Dock vs. Steel Workers vs. Grotto. June 10—Grotto vs. Dry Dock vs. Steel Workers vs. Grotto. June 12—Dry Dock vs. Steel Workers vs. Grotto. June 17—Grotto vs. 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.

SENIOR SOFTBALL

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Memorial Day scores were as follows: National League Brooklyn 8-6, New York 0-2, Chicago 7-4, Pittsburg 6-5, Boston 5-4, Philadelphia 6-1, St. Louis 4-2, Cincinnati 1-1. (Thirteen innings.) American League Cleveland 1-2, Chicago 7-5, New York 4-0, Boston 3-13, Philadelphia 7-14, Washington 4-4. St. Louis 5-6, Detroit 6-10. The league standing to date: National League W L Pts. St. Louis 32 9 780 Brooklyn 29 12 707 New York 20 15 571 Chicago 17 21 447 Cincinnati 17 24 415 Pittsburg 14 21 400 Boston 12 23 343 Philadelphia 11 27 289 American League Cleveland 29 17 630 Chicago 24 15 615 Detroit 23 19 548 New York 22 20 524 Boston 19 19 500 Philadelphia 21 21 500 Washington 14 28 333 St. Louis 14 27 341

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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. OLOF HANSON Prince Rupert, B. C.

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Baseball, Acropolis Hill, 2:30 Sunday, Dry Dock vs. R.M.R.'s Admission 25c.

Mrs. Stanley Saville and child sailed last night on the Princess Adelaide for a holiday visit to Vancouver.

Mrs. Robert Cameron is visiting at Terrace with her daughter, Mrs. Peter Cartwright. With Mrs. Cameron is little Miss Doraleen Olsen.

Harry Gilchrist arrived in the city on the Prince George yesterday from Ocean Falls and proceeded by the evening train to make the triangle tour via Jasper and Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Durham, who have been spending some time at Vancouver and Sechart, arrived in the city on the Cardena last evening from the south and will pay a visit here with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Blackhall, Westview, before proceeding to their home at Usk.

Miss Anna Lundstrom of Oakland, California, arrived in the city on the Princess Adelaide yesterday afternoon from the south and proceeded by the evening train to Smithers where she will spend a month visiting a brother. She will return here to make the round trip to Alaska before going back to Oakland.

Cash for Old Gold, Bulger's.

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

R. C. St. Clair, district forester, left on last evening's train for a trip to Smithers on official business.

Ladies, do not forget that the Red Cross may be needing you. Call at the rooms in the City Hall and find out how you can help.

Miss Virginia Qualls, who arrived in the city on the Prince Rupert Thursday night from Ketchikan, proceeded on last evening's train for a trip to Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Commander Cree, Lieut. Commander Howell and Lieut. Thorsen, United States Navy officers, are visiting in the city, having arrived last evening on the Cardena from the south.

A mobile recruiting officer of the Royal Canadian Air Force will be in Prince Rupert on June 13 and 19. The purpose of the visit is to obtain applications for both air crew and ground crew.

Miss Edith Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Smith, Seventh Avenue East, returned home on the Princess Adelaide yesterday afternoon from Victoria where she has been spending the past three years.

RED CROSS SHIPMENT

Refugee Articles, Knitted Goods for Forces and Hospital Supplies Sent Forward Yesterday

Refugee articles comprised the bulk of another substantial shipment which was made from the Red Cross workroom in Prince Rupert yesterday with some knitted goods for the services and hospital supplies.

The refugee articles made from Red Cross materials were as follows:

- One large quilt.
- Four crib quilts.
- Twenty girls' pajamas.
- Nine wash cloths.
- One khaki scarf.
- One pair child's socks.
- Seven boys' sweaters.
- One girl's sweater and skirt.
- Two girls' dresses.
- Thirty-two baby gowns.
- Eight girls' panties.
- Seven girls' dresses.
- Five women's dresses.
- Twenty-nine girls' dresses.
- Eight children's dresses.
- Three baby wool shirts.
- Seven baby wool jackets.
- Five girls' slippers.
- Nine combinations.
- Five women's gowns.
- Nine boys' singlets.
- Two boys' hatchways.
- Nine child's sleepers.
- Twenty-four boys' pajamas.
- Thirteen women's wollen skirts.
- Fifteen women's wollen dresses.
- Eleven boys' sweaters.
- One girl's sweater.
- One boy's knitted suit.
- Seven children's sweaters.
- One child's cardigan.
- Two men's pullovers.

Donated Refugee Articles

- Seven bed quilts.
- Five crib quilts.
- One cushion.
- Five pairs house slippers.
- Three knitted baby jackets.
- Three knitted baby bonnets.
- Two cotton baby jackets.
- Two cotton dresses.
- Seven women's silk dresses.
- Four women's wool dresses.
- One child's dress.

Knitted Goods

- Seventy-eight pairs of socks.
- Nine pullover sweaters.
- Seven scarves.
- Three helmets.
- Four pairs two-way mitts.
- Thirteen pairs rifle mitts.
- One pair mitts.

Hospital Supplies

- Nine hospital pajamas.
- One bed jacket.
- Four amputation covers.
- Two dozen khaki handkerchiefs.
- Eleven sanitary pads.

GIFTS OVER PACIFIC

LONDON, May 31: (CP)—From Honolulu to Chefoo and from Tientsin to Cawnpore, Pacific and Asiatic centres are sending gifts to bombed Britain, 55,909 having arrived from these areas in a fortnight.

TIMELY WARNING

Poison ivy symptoms appear from within a few hours to five days after exposure.

FAMOUS SHIPS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA



Melanope

The curse of an old witch venging apples marked the amazing career of this three-masted barque—dismasted on her maiden voyage—fights and mutiny ending in the suicide of a depraved skipper and the death of his raging mistress from drink and malaria—mutiny during a record 72-day run from Port Townsend, Wash., to Cape Town—and finally wrecked by a screaming storm on the Columbia River bar in 1906. Captain N. K. Wills, with his family, made a thrilling escape in the boats, but the Melanope, with only a dog aboard, limped over the bar and stayed afloat. Now she is a coalhulk, "C.P. 100"—a grimy, blackened metal doing penance for her past.

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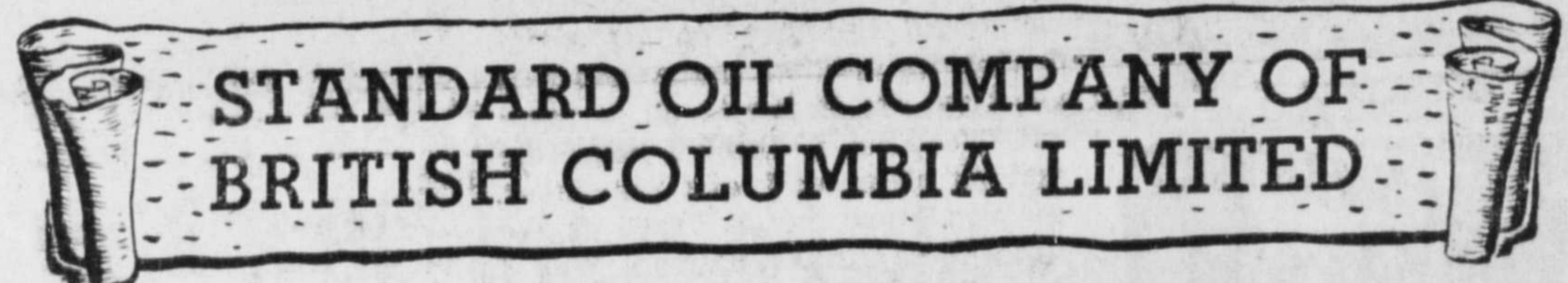
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Goose Bay	Safety Cove	Walters Cove
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WARTIME FISH IS MONEY

NEWCASTLE, Eng., May 31: (CP) Urging the government to "control all fish" a town meeting here was told a basket of fish similar to that bought before the war for six shillings now cost six pounds sterling.

Guns for our Sons to beat the Huns!

Announcements

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

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 Auxillary 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.

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11:00 a.m.—"That Christ Jesus Came Into the World to save Sinners, Is True and Worthy of All Acceptation"

7:30 p.m.—"Men Like Christ in Their Earning, Influence and Power"

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School

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11:00 a.m.—Confirmation Services. Pentecost offering will be brought

7:30 p.m.—Holy Communion Services

All are cordially invited to these Pentecost and Confirmation Services, which will be in the English language.

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Clippings From The Latest Book of Spring Fashions



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AIR RAID NIGHTMARE

Letter Sent From England To Queen's Fund

The following letter has been written to the Queen's Canadian Fund for Air Raid Victims and descriptions for which are being received by the Daily News:

"I should very much like you to tell my story as I have a sister in Weyburn, and I know she would like to hear all about it, she knows we were bombed out but not how. "Well it was like this, there was an air raid on and we had been down in our dugout for several hours, and as it was a cold night, my husband said let's go up in the house and have a warm, there was my husband, my two girls and myself. Well we went into the house for this warm, and just as we were sitting there, the bomb fell, it was a nightmare for a minute or so, for the light went out at once, my husband called to us are you alright, and we answered him yes. Well he said try and get out, I believe it is all right. "Well, we tried to get out at the

back, but the debris was too high, so we tried the front of the house, but had to climb over all the bricks and mortar that had fallen down the stairs, after getting past that we had to throw doors from out of our way that had been blown off and after getting outside we saw all the doors from the opposite side of the road were blown off and lying in the street. Of course there was not a sound window in the street.

"That was not all as we were going to a friend's house to get cleaned up, for we were in a terrible mess, with soot and dust, and one of my girls had her leg cut with flying glass, and the other girl, we found glass down her back, that also had been blown there by the blast but as we were going to this friend's house, the German aeroplane came down and dropped more bombs, that we had to lay down on our faces to escape again. But you know they say "old soldiers never die." This is our experience of one of many bombing raids which we have been through and are still smiling, which is the spirit of all the British people here; it is wonderful the way people are keeping up to it. At first it almost breaks one's heart when you look on your ruined home, but it is wonderful the way we get about setting up another home, which is what we are trying to do at present. Well, Sir, I think I have told you as clear as I can remember, for you know one is dazed at the time these things happen. Well I hope I made it clear and that you will understand it.

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Man in the Moon

We pity those soldiers in their summer suits. Wait until the girls get a good look at them.

Many people think they must be getting away to Egypt pretty soon. It might be a pleasant change to bask in the sunshine of the desert and shoot Germans.

And it's been pretty warm in Prince Rupert only Germans of the kind they shoot do not seem to be around.

Mussolini got a letter from one of his old flames the other day and with it was a beautiful red rose.

"Take this fresh young rose," ran the letter, "and think of our love when it was new. And when the bud unfolds think of the way our love grew and blossomed. And when it is full blown, remember the glory of the fullness of our love. And when it wilts and the petals fall, remember too, the gentle beauty of a love that died sweetly.

"And when there is nothing left but the prickly stem, put it on a chair and sit on it, you fat old windbag!"

Then there was the pilot officer who had to phone an urgent message to the Air Ministry.

For ten minutes they kept him waiting while they switched him from one office to another. Finally he lost his temper and yelled to the bloke at the other end of the line: "For heaven's sake hurry up, you blithering blankety, pimple-faced old twirp."

"Dou you know who I am?" roared the voice at the other end.

"I'm Air Marshal De-Verre Blank."

"Yeah?" gasped the officer, "and do you know who I am?"

"No," said the Air Marshal.

"Thank heaven for that," sighed the officer and hung up.

"There is no sound more cheerful," says a writer, "than that of hens in a farmyard. It's a merry lay."

Came across Jake reading the evening paper.

"Tell, me," I asked this hen-pecked gent, "have you read about the fellow who beat his wife black and blue with a golf club?"

"No," he said, "I haven't come to the sporting page yet!"

Meeting an American acquaintance in New York a German said: "Hell Hitler."

"Hell lobster mayonnaise," said the American.

"What do you mean by that?"

"Well," drawled the Yank, "they both give me a pain!"

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Waterfront Whiffs

Considerable Decrease in Halibut Landings This Year Still Recorded—Prices Firmer—New Service to Ocean Falls

Halibut landings at the port of Prince Rupert for the 1941 season up to and including yesterday totaled 4,786,100 pounds in comparison with 5,997,869 pounds at a corresponding date last year. The Canadian total this year to date is 2,018,700 pounds as compared with 2,460,769 pounds last year while the American landings aggregate 2,767,400 pounds as against 3,537,100 pounds. During the past week landings amounted to 625,200 pounds, 421,200 pounds being from American vessels and 204,000 pounds from Canadian. Prices during the week held at steady and basis steady level, averaging about one cent a pound better than at the same time last year. The high bid of the week for American fish was 11.7c and 8c paid the Foremost and 14c for catches of 39,500 and 25,500 pounds respectively. The low American bid was 9.9c and 8c received by the Excel II. For 23,600 pounds. For Canadian fish the high price of the week was 11.9c and 7.5c paid the Dovre B. for 20,000 pounds and the low 10c and 8c which the Parma received for 15,000 pounds.

May Landings

Halibut landings at Prince Rupert for the month of May, ending today, totaled 2,788,000 pounds, almost one million pounds less than 3,730,500 pounds in the same month last year, according to figures kept by a local waterfront fish handling house. The American landings this May were 1,325,000 pounds as compared with 2,289,000 pounds last May. The Canadian landings this May were 963,000 pounds as against 1,441,500 pounds.

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PICTURES EXCITING

"Girl From Avenue A." With Jane Withers, And "Moon Over Burma," With Dorothy Lamour

"Girl from Avenue A," an hilarious comedy-drama starring Jane Withers, and "Moon Over Burma," another gay and lurid thrill drama with Dorothy Lamour, comprise tonight's double bill program at the Capitol Theatre.

In the starring and fast-moving story of "Girl from Avenue A," Jane Withers portrays a Bowerly spitfire who is discovered by Ken Taylor, a famous Park Avenue author. Baffled by the splendor of her new surroundings, Jane attempts, nevertheless, to be a lady and the result is highly entertaining. The picture is said to be human, appealing and thoroughly enjoyable. Other members of the cast include Katharine Aldridge, Laura Hope Crews and Jessi Ralph. With a tropical locale, "Moon Over Burma" is the story of two handsome fellows, Robert Preston and Preston Farmer, who are partners in the teak business competing for the affections of Mrs. Lamour who is a singer in a Rangoon cafe. The financial doings of the young men involve the story which goes on to a climax—finish with a log jam and forest fire as thrilling episodes in the action.

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JANE WITHERS in
"GIRL FROM AVENUE A"
(At 7:00 and 9:30)

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Alice Faye in
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Canada At War 25 Years Ago

May 31, 1916.—Great naval battle fought off coast of Jutland. British Navy drove German ships from their home ports. Australian New Zealand troops raided German camp at Bir Salmons.

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GUIDES HAD GOOD YEAR

Activity of Girls Shown by Reports at Annual Meeting—Mrs. Eviatt Is Again President

The annual meeting of the Prince Rupert Girl Guides Association was held at the home of Mrs. R. L. McIntosh, Cliffside, fourth Avenue West on Thursday. The President, Mrs. C. V. Eviatt, gave a very splendid report on the year's work and outlined the activities of the Association.

Miss Palm Innes-Brown, Captain of Girl Guides, gave the report of the Guide work and received much praise and commendation for her excellent work with the girls of the city. At present there are 24 Guides enrolled and 10 recruits and five patrols. Nine Second Class badges were earned and 18 Service stars awarded.

In the Brownies there are 26 enrolled with 13 recruits.

A vote of thanks was extended to Mrs. Coultland for her excellent assistance with the Guides.

A sum of \$10 was donated to the Refugee Girl Guides of Britain.

Much regret was expressed at the loss of Miss Brown as Captain of Guides and at the close of the meeting she was presented with a "Thanks Badge" in appreciation of her work.

The officers elected for the en-

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