

Weather

light to moderate winds, cloudy and mild with intermittent light rain or drizzle during morning. Today: light to moderate winds, cloudy and mild, becoming overcast with light rain.

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Tides

(Pacific Standard Time)
Friday, March 2, 1945
High 3:16 20.5 feet
15:27 19.7 feet
Low 9:32 5.7 feet
21:42 5.0 feet

President Roosevelt Makes His Report

"ALL SHIP" CONTRACTS
PRESS SHIPYARD COMMITTEE

ant satisfaction with Prince Rupert's share in building contracts reportedly let this week by the City of Transport was expressed last night at a meeting of the Prince Rupert joint shipyard committee which girded itself to continue seeking ways to speed the local dry dock operating at capacity. The committee of two 1,350-ton vessels to the local yard was described as a "brush-off" by John McRae, representing the Boilermakers' Union, and undisputed by any of the twenty delegates. The view was made sharply by N. G. Bird. "I understand Vancouver is getting a new worth of new contracts which we are apparently 'fish boats.' I can't see why we are allowed only 1,350-ton vessels when we have a good dry dock for building 10,000-ton vessels. If we become known as a small boat yard we can bid by to contracts for vessels." A motion was adopted that Black that efforts be made to obtain a contract for a large vessel out of the local yard. A tremendous job in the building ways to a dry dock for small ships. If this is made smaller you will be charged again," Mr. Black said. A suggestion by Paul Taranger that the committee get in touch with the Russian Trade Commission was adopted. (Continued on Page Four)

MAN AND CHILD DEAD AFTER COLLISION AND FIRE ON SKEENA

James McKay, middle-aged Port Simpson Indian, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed several cannery shacks at Cassiar on the Skeena near here yesterday afternoon. Mrs. McKay's three-and-a-half year old granddaughter died this morning in the General Hospital from burns. McKay was already dead when his husband crawled through a hole which he had made through a wall of the shack and brought her out. The child, similarly taken to the Prince Rupert Hospital this morning, died four rows of closely packed residences of cannery houses. McKay was already dead when his husband crawled through a hole which he had made through a wall of the shack and brought her out. The child, similarly taken to the Prince Rupert Hospital this morning, died four rows of closely packed residences of cannery houses.

Appeal For Red Cross

President of Canadian National Bespeaks Support for Campaign
MONTREAL, March 1 — Appealing to all officers and employees of the Canadian National Railways to support the Red Cross campaign for \$10,000,000, R. C. Vaughan, chairman and president, said: "Side by side with barbarism of war goes human heroism and compassion. Mercy shows itself in countless individual acts but, as the destruction of war is organized, as rehabilitation must be planned and organized, so must the works of mercy be planned and organized. The task is heavy and spread wide over time and space and it is most effectively accomplished through such agencies as the Red Cross Society. With the European war driving into its last desperate stages the responsibilities of the Red Cross are multiplied. The need of our forces and their families is still great. The sufferings of our Allies of the United Nations are a challenge to the best that is in us. Millions are destitute."

Resistance Of Germans Weakening

Crerar Says That Canadian Offensive Is Showing "Great Promise"
LONDON, March 1 — Correspondents say that indications are mounting that the Germans are putting up only a rearguard fight in their retreat to the Rhine. Returning Allied aircraft report large numbers of enemy transports and artillery being withdrawn to the Rhine. The First American Army continues to crash through the main defences of Cologne and has made three crossings of the Ertf River. Paris reported that the First Army infantry captured intact a bridge across the Ertf River as it moved swiftly toward Cologne yesterday. That city was then only 5 miles away today and devoid of a last natural defence line. Just to the north German resistance collapsed into a narrow rout at the edge of the Ruhr as the American Ninth Army poured toward the Rhine and a junction with the First Canadian Army which might trap thousands of the enemy's finest troops. A news blackout cloak the movements of the Ninth Army which was last reported within thirteen miles of Duesseldorf and at the gates of the Ruhr industrial and rail centre of Muenchen-Gladbach. Today Muenchen-Gladbach was captured by the Americans. General H. G. T. Crerar, officer commanding the First Canadian Army, said its offensive is showing "very great promise." At least 500 German prisoners were taken Tuesday with more on Wednesday and Canadian casualties are still not heavy in spite of fierce shellings. There does not seem to be any co-ordinated over-all German defence plan on the First Canadian Army front.

Churchill Endorsed

LONDON, March 1 (CP) — The House of Commons gave Prime Minister Churchill a unanimous vote of confidence tonight in support of Big Three decisions at Yalta. The vote was 413 to 0. The action came after three days of Britain's most important foreign policy debate since the war began.

Local Temperature

Local Temperature
Maximum 47
Minimum 36
Rainfall .04 inches

Bulletins

PREMIER TO SPEAK
OTTAWA—At 6 p.m. (P.D.T.) Friday, Prime Minister King will make an important radio address. The speech is expected to clear up some of the uncertainties which have been hanging over the Canadian political situation for weeks.

YALTA IN SPOTLIGHT
LONDON—The Big Three decisions reached at Yalta were under the spotlight today in London and Washington. The British House of Commons, as expected, gave Prime Minister Churchill's government a resounding vote of confidence on the Yalta plans for victory and peace. President Roosevelt, back in Washington, reported on his mission to the Crimea in an address to a joint session of Congress.

CIVIL AVIATION POLICY
HAMILTON—The All-Ontario Air Conference meeting in Hamilton has called upon the federal government to announce its post-war civil aviation policy as soon as possible. The conference delegates particularly want to know what Ottawa intends to do so far as using existing airport facilities is concerned.

"SMOKEY" MEETS FRIEND
VANCOUVER—One of Canada's Victoria Cross winners—Private Smokey Smith—was on hand to greet a friend arriving in Vancouver direct from the European war theatre. He was Private Jimmie Tennant of Lethbridge, Alberta. When Tennant was wounded in Italy last year, Smith almost single-handedly turned back the attacking Germans. Private Tennant says he owes his life to Smokey.

FRANCE AND 'FRISCO
PARIS—France has taken another step towards closer co-operation with the Big Three. The French cabinet has voted to accept the Yalta offer to be a co-sponsor of the San Francisco security conference. The other sponsors are Britain, the United States, Russia and China.

SURVEY POST-WAR PLANS
OTTAWA—The labor department is undertaking a survey to determine post-war plans of a cross-section of Canadian workers — mostly those now employed in war plants. Details of the survey will be announced in a few days.

LOCAL LIQUOR STORE IS ENTERED
Hole Chopped Through Roof—Safe Moved Not Opened—Burglar Being Checked
Burglars entered the government liquor store some time during the night and tampered with the safe in the vendors' private office but did not gain entry thereto. While an investigation under the personal direction of Inspector Ernest Gammann was proceeding today, an inventory was being taken of stock to ascertain if any liquor had been taken. Up to mid-morning this had not been determined. The store is closed all day while stock is being taken.

NEW HOME FOR JEWS IN LIBYA
LONDON, March 1—Proposal for a "Second Palestine" in Libya to provide refuge for hundreds of thousands of Jews was advanced in the House of Commons today in the midst of Britain's most important foreign policy debate of the war.

JAP MINISTER QUILTS
TOKYO — A Japanese admiral has resigned as minister without portfolio in the cabinet. He intends to form a new party to force the government's hand in regard to certain issues pertaining to the war.

BRITISH NEAR MANDALAY
KANDY, Ceylon—The British forces have advanced to within 40 miles of Mandalay on the north and 29 miles on the west.

VANCOUVER STADIUM BURNS
VANCOUVER — The Capilano Stadium and Pro-Reg gym, formerly known as Athletic Park, were destroyed by fire here Wednesday night. The loss is estimated at \$25,000.

URGES AUSTRIA TO BREAK
LONDON — Prime Minister Winston Churchill has warned Austria to break with Germany. The United Nations wish to see Austria "free and progressive," he says.

TIGHTEN ON BUILDING
OTTAWA — There is to be further tightening up of regulations on small building. Permits must be obtained for new construction, alterations or repairs costing more than \$500.

ALLIED SHIP SUNK
WASHINGTON—The Japanese are reported to have sunk an Allied ammunition ship in the South Pacific, all the crew of 200 being lost.

Lloyd George's Condition Same
CRICCIETH, Wales, March 1 —The condition of Earl Lloyd George is reported unchanged today, the ninth day since the first bulletin announcing the gravity of his illness.

CUSTOMS RECEIPTS \$32,000
Customs receipts at the port of Prince Rupert during February were \$32,470.28, almost \$3,000 below the \$36,332 in February 1944. Receipts in January this year were \$27,823.

AIR OFFENSIVE GOES UNHALTED

LONDON, March 1 — The non-stop Allied air offensive against Germany's railway system entered its third week yesterday with another bombardment under way after Berlin was hammered with block-busters for the eighth consecutive night. Mosquitos made two separate raids.

Three Men Executed

"Hot Stove" Murders of Flanders Woman Pay With Lives
FORT FRANCES, Ont., March 1 — Three men tried and found guilty of the hot stove murder of Mrs. Viola Jamieson last July have paid with their lives on the gallows in Fort Frances, Ontario. The three men were executed early this morning. The trio executed included the Skrypnk brothers—38-year old George and 23-year old Anthony, both of Atikokan, Ontario—and 29-year old William Schmidt of Fort Frances. The murder occurred at Flanders near here.

GOV'T DECISIONS TO BE EXPLAINED

Premier King Not to Engage In Controversial Political Matters
OTTAWA, March 1 — Prime Minister King's radio address Friday night is likely to be confined to announcements of government decisions and the reasons for them. The speech is not being made on the time allotted to the Liberal party for political speeches. Therefore it is not expected he will enter into political arguments or controversies.

War News Highlights

No Changes In Italy
ROME—There have been no major changes on the Italian battle front recently. In the sector held by the British-American Fifth Army, the Allies have improved their positions. On the Eighth Army sector where the First Canadian Corps has been operating an increase in artillery fire has been reported in several sectors.

War In Pacific
SAN FRANCISCO—From the Pacific, there are three unconfirmed reports by the Tokyo radio. The first says Allied warships are massing at the British-held port of Akyab and that the American Fourteenth Air Force in China is being strengthened. The Japanese claim that another American invasion is in progress on Palawan Island in the Philippines. Palawan is the westernmost of the Philippine group. The Japanese also talk of an air strike against American warships in the vicinity of Iwo and the Bonin group to the north. There is no confirmation of any of these enemy statements.

Future Peace of World Rests on Collaboration

Chief Executive Places Responsibility Fairly On United States—Unconditional Surrender of Germany and Japan Labeled Essential
WASHINGTON, D.C., March 1 (CP)—President Franklin D. Roosevelt told Congress today that the United States will have to assume responsibility for world collaboration "or we shall have to bear the responsibility for another world conflict." Roosevelt said he had returned home from the Big Three Conference "with firm belief we have made a good start on the road to world peace."

At a joint session of Senate and House of Representatives, Mr. Roosevelt said the Allies will not insist for one moment until unconditional surrender is won. The German people as well as the soldiers must realize, the chief executive said, that the sooner they surrender the sooner their present agony will be over. Unconditional surrender of Japan was also essential. Japanese militarism must be wiped out as thoroughly as German militarism.

Roosevelt described the Big Three meeting as a successful effort to find common ground for peace. The conference spelled the end of unilateral action and executive actions and proposed universal organization in which all peace-loving nations will finally have a chance to join.

President Roosevelt reiterated support of the Curzon Line as the fairest frontier for Poland and Russia. What Poland might lose east of the Curzon Line, which was naturally Russian, she would be compensated for by what she would receive in north and northeast. Unconditional surrender for Germany did not mean, the President said, that she would be completely taken over but it would involve temporary control by the Big Three and France.

Berlin said today that the Russians had resumed their offensive on the Oder River front just east of Berlin but had been unable to penetrate the German defences. Moscow still indicates that, on the eastern front, the major Russian effort is still being made in Pomerania where Marshal Stalin's men are driving to the Baltic.

Cutting Off More Nazis

Russians Approach Baltic Coastal Highway Between Danzig and Stettin
LONDON, March 1 — The Red Army is approaching a Baltic coastal highway which is the last escape route for the Nazis from Danzig and Pomerania. Early yesterday Marshal Joseph Stalin had announced that the Russians had driven 44 miles northwestward into Pomerania in four days from the captured Polish stronghold of Chojnice. The Soviet forces then being 22 miles from the enemy's last escape route hugging the coast between Danzig and Stettin.

Later yesterday the capture of Neustettin, strategic Pomeranian communications centre by the Russians in their push toward the Baltic was announced. This would put the Russians 16 miles from the coastal railway.

MET PIONEER NEWSPAPERMAN

Local Business Man Meets Original Owner of Daily News In Toronto
Visiting in Toronto recently on business, L. M. Felsenthal, general manager of the Rupert People's Store organization here, encountered at one of the wholesale establishments in the eastern metropolis G. R. T. Sawie, one of the founders of the pioneer Optimist newspaper here which is now the Daily News. Mr. Sawie left Prince Rupert some 35 years ago and was keenly interested in hearing from Mr. Felsenthal of what this city was like today.

Mr. Sawie has for years been in business in Welland, Ontario, where he is the owner of a large departmental store which is housed in a fine three-storey building and employs a staff of 30 persons. G. R. T. Sawie is a brother of C. H. Sawie, who was also associated with the News in the old days and who remained in the district, having for many years published the Omineca Herald at New Hazelton.

PARCEL-POST CHURCH
LONDON — A complete church has been sent by parcel-post to a prisoner-of-war camp in Germany. It arrived from Sweden in numbered pre-fabricated sections and was set up in Stalag 383 in time for Christmas worship.

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Newspapers in Great Demand . . .

The unprecedented interest in the news has brought an unprecedented demand for newspapers . . . a demand which in 1944 raised the circulation of newspapers in the United States and Canada to an all-time high . . . in spite of newsprint rationing, higher circulation rates, and the fact that millions of men and women now in the Armed Forces are unable to buy newspapers. For the six months ended September 30, 1944, the circulation of week-day newspapers in the two countries averaged 48,533,790 copies per day. This is a gain of 1,727,723 copies a day over the corresponding period of 1943, 6,851,527 a day over 1930, 12,997,105 a day over 1925, 18,976,553 a day over 1920. Compared with 1939, the year World War II began, the 1944 figure represents a gain of 6,606,100 copies per day.

In view of newsprint rationing and other wartime restrictions the chief circulation problem of the press today is how to meet the huge demand for newspapers. Unquestionably, people would buy even more newspapers if more were available.

To buyers of advertising these new all-time highs in newspaper circulation carry an important message. They show how essential newspapers are to the public, how dependent people are upon newspapers for information and guidance, and how valuable newspapers are for the advertiser with a story to tell or a product to sell.

Smile Until 10 . . .

The executive of a large department store was creating new sales and profits records. His earnings were the largest of his career.

Seemingly, this man had everything to make him happy and contented, but

such was not the case. He was worrying about the customers who were buying from him today—but who would not return to buy on the not-too-distant tomorrow.

He knew that courtesy was essential to build good will and enduring friendships, and he also knew that his sales clerks were not as courteous as they should be. His complaints of discourtesy among clerks had grown and grown, yet with the present scarcity of labor, he could not afford to severely reprimand them. This condition presented both a ticklish and dangerous problem that must be solved in the interest of future business growth.

To combat discourteousness in his sales personnel, he tried several methods. The reprimand method served only to increase turnover in sales clerks. Pep talks and morning meetings failed to better conditions, but finally a simple little idea lessened complaints and brought tangible results.

In washrooms and on locker doors, he placed small placards. The placards pictured the head of a sales clerk wearing a wide, contagious grin. Under the picture was printed "Be pleasant every morning until ten o'clock. The rest of the day will take care of itself."

He also placed a like sign on the desks of executives and enclosed a staffer reproduction of the sign in pay envelopes.

This little card engendered a spirit of cheerfulness and good will among employees—and among customers as well. Getting off to a pleasant start pays big dividends and creates an atmosphere of courtesy.

Five Little Words

There are five little words, we'd have you to know;

They are: "Pardon me," "Thank you," and "Please."

Oh, use them quite often wherever you go;

There are few words more useful than these.

These five little words are filled with a power

That money or fame cannot give.

So commit them to memory this very hour

And use them as long as you live!

LETTERBOX

ALASKA TO OVERSHADOW BRITISH COLUMBIA?

Editor Daily News:

What do you know about the B.C. coast—its opportunities for living, for recreation—that is, aside from your immediate locality? I know you, doubtless, consider what you know is enough, and just possibly it is—from your point of view but have you ever thought of the home hungry millions who will be "on the prowl" after this war? Just now there is a deep and significant interest being displayed in Alaska everywhere one goes. Will you let this opportunity pass to interest these people in settling and developing British Columbia?

British Columbia has everything Alaska has and a lot possibly more useful and fruitful to offer. Why not a soil survey of the more promising coastal areas? There are spots of agricultural promise on many of the B.C. Coast Islands but in most instances there is doubtful record of them and no detailed information about them and no means, except one own or charter a boat, for one to reach them.

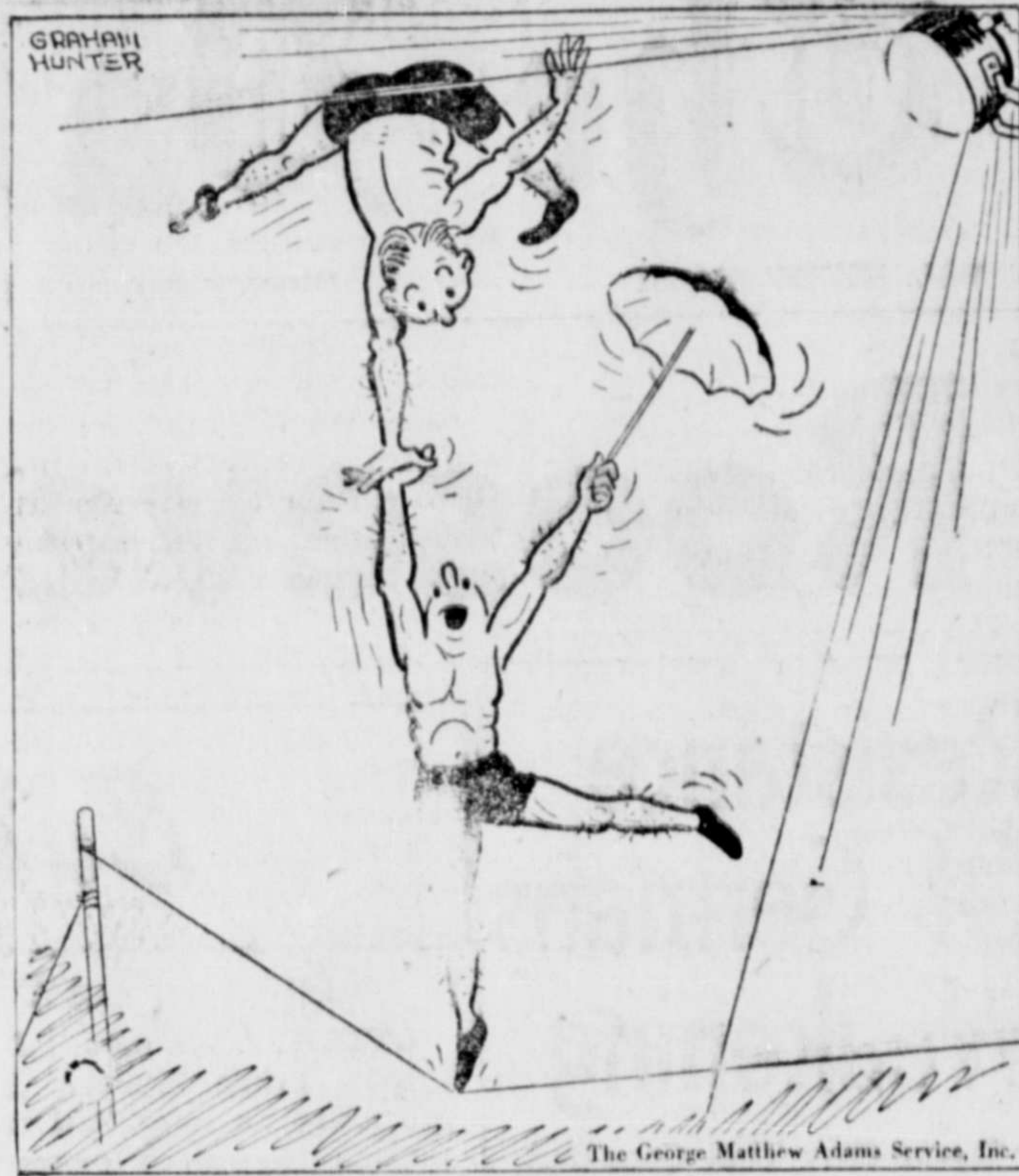
Granted many of these places are small offering only a crofterlike existence, they would afford a home and livelihood for someone. If localities were requested to make initial surveys as a patriotic gesture and to improve their own neighborhood advantages, it is quite likely they would gladly contribute the time. Then confirming parties of qualified experts could make surveys and recommendations rapidly and economically.

The question of pulp mills and sawmills would doubtless be important as affording markets for timber cleared from individual holdings to make practical and economical that clearing.

It seems logical and necessary that the Coast people get away from big ideas to make such mills less remote than is the present practice on the coast. There is no reasonable purpose accomplished by having big mills if the "raw material" has to be handled inordinate distances with attendant risk of loss or damage. Small pulp and sawmills are operated in the east and the products are assembled in car lots and handed to paper and planing mills. It seems that the eastern methods could be studied advantageously in B.C. This might eliminate the promoter who so often profits more from the wreckage of an enterprise than from its economical operation. Why not try "small enterprise"—co-ordination.

If you don't do something out on the coast, first thing you know these boys in the interior are going to control the "Gateway to Alaska." Alaskan opportunities and the Inland Route are going to overshadow not only British Columbia and its potentialities but its shipping industry, the Alaskan coastal shipping, and even compete with the coast fisheries. There are fish in the northern lakes—doubtless also in the Arctic. The prairie has her foot in your door. Mere mention of the Alaskan Highway produces a remarkable

THIS AND THAT



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KENNEY IS PRESIDENT

Annual Meeting of Canadian Legion Held At Smithers

SMITHERS, March 1—Bulkeley Valley Branch No. 63, Canadian Legion, at Smithers, held its annual meeting in the Legion hall recently. There was a good attendance of members from all over the Valley to hear the reports of the President and the Secretary for the activities of the Branch for the past year and these were well received.

The Branch showed considerable progress both financially and in membership and there are now nearly 100 members enrolled.

In the election of officers which took place the following were elected to carry on the work for the coming year:

Honorary President, Alex Walker, President of Dominion Command.

Honorary Vice-President, J. Henderson, President of Provincial Command.

Past President, J. W. Turner, President, L. H. Kenney.

First Vice-President, Fred

CO-OPERATIVE ICE HOUSES BEING FILLED

SMITHERS, March 1—Two large Ice Houses being built at Lake Kathlyn for the Prince Rupert Fishermen's Co-operative have now reached the stage where they can be filled with ice and this operation started Tuesday when a crew of men began cutting and storing the ice. There is a fine crop of heavy clear ice on the lake this winter and the ice that will be stored is of the very best quality.

CARTOONIST BEREAVED

NORTH CHAPEL, Eng. — Mr. T. H. Bairnsfather, 85, father of Capt. Bruce Bairnsfather who became famous for his "Old Bill" cartoons of the First Great War, has died in this Sussex town.

Boyl. Second Vice-President, E. Hoops.

Chaplain, Rev. C. E. Motte.

The executive of six-members elected consists of K. G. Houghton, A. Hinde, N. H. Kilpatrick, Mac Storey, Neil McDonald and James Graham. Five new members joined the Branch during the evening.

The new President, L. H. Kenney, had previously served ten years as secretary of the Branch.

After the close of the meeting the members enjoyed a social hour with singing and refreshments.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

IN THE MATTER OF THE "ADMINISTRATION ACT"

AND **THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ALEXANDER DUNCAN, DECEASED, INTER VIVO.**

TAKE NOTICE that by Order of His Honour Judge Fisher, Local Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, I was on the 15th day of February, A.D. 1945, appointed Administrator of the Estate of Alexander Duncan, who died on the 30th day of November, 1944. All persons indebted to me forthwith and all persons having claims against the said Estate are required to file them with me properly verified on or before the 31st day of March, 1945, failing which distribution will be made having regard only to such claims of which I shall have been notified.

DATED at Prince Rupert, B.C. this 15th day of February, A.D. 1945.
NORMAN A. WATT,
Official Administrator,
Prince Rupert, B.C.

HUMAN EYE IS CAMERA

A most wonderful photographic mechanism but of such accuracy and delicacy that no man-made camera could possibly be compared with it was the way Jack Bulger described the eye in an interesting talk before the Prince Rupert Gyro Club at luncheon yesterday on the subject of optometry. To facilitate his description of the organ, he likened the eye to the mechanical camera. There was the lens, the shutter, the focusing instrument and the impression surface, all regulated and co-ordinated by nerve control. The function of the eye might be easily impaired, said the speaker who described some of the more common eye defects and some means of mechanical correction by optometry.

Dr. J. J. Gibson, president of the club, was in the chair and, besides Gyro members, there were present as guests P. Underhill of Vancouver and L. M. Felsenthal of Prince Rupert.

Lloyd Morris was welcomed as the latest new member of the club.

Buy War Savings Stamps.

OFFICER BORN HERE GETS D

Flying Officer R. O. Harlow is a native of Prince Rupert and has been awarded the distinguished Flying Cross. Harlow was among a group of 38 members of the Royal Canadian Air Force who were awarded the collective citation for gallantry in the course of numerous operations against the enemy in the course of which they invariably displayed most fortitude, courage and devotion to duty. F/O Harlow is a resident of Prince Rupert and lives at Prince George. Harlow is C.N.R. roadman.

POLICE GET RE-NEW DELHI

The police service which is investigating cases of crime and corruption in all contracts and inspections of goods and works for services has obtained victories since its renewal in June, 1941.

STOKE-ON-TRENT

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They are only as far away as your letter box. Have you written to them lately, told them all the news of home, or have your letters fallen off? Brighten up their difficult days—and nights—and shorten the distance between you by letters. Send them news as well as ammunition. Let them know they are not forgotten . . . that the homes and the jobs they are fighting for are still here awaiting their return.

Write your sailor, soldier, airman tonight. An airgraph (5c) or an air letter (10c) will be delivered anywhere overseas in a few days.

*This means women, too . . . all the brave women away from home doing such a vital and splendid job in so many branches of the services.

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NAZI IS SHORN OF BORROWED PLUMAGE—An American soldier guards a German soldier whom he is forcing to remove U.S. Army trousers and shoes he was wearing when captured. There have been many reports of Germans wearing U.S. uniforms, particularly in the area where the Germans made their ill-fated breakthrough in Belgium.



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Utility Costume Fashion Keynote

British Designers Adopt Many Devices to Meet Need for Economy

LONDON, March 1 (AP)—Dress-transforming gadgets intended to make one dress do the work of two or three were features of a fashion show here.

Boleros of flower-printed materials, parti-colored apron panels, and long jackets convertible in a moment into a bolero were among devices shown.

The flowered boleros are intended to enliven plain black dresses. One little black day-frock with a matching bolero, on display at the show, became an almost backless dinner dress by removing the bolero and adding a ground-length overskirt, open down the front and attached to a flexible belt.

Flowered overskirts were used with plain-colored frocks, and a gathered panel made from alternating squares of pale blue and pink georgette served first as an apron front on a black gown and later as a cape.

A rather long jacket worn with a short black day-dress was converted into a bolero by removing the lower part which was fastened at the waistline.

FRANK MORRIS LAID AT REST

Chapel Filled to Overflowing By Mourners For Pioneer Local Mortician

Fine tribute was paid to the memory of the late Frank Morris, mortician of more than a quarter of a century's standing in Prince Rupert, yesterday afternoon when his funeral was held in his own chapel at Grenville Court. The chapel was filled to overflowing with friends and sympathizers desirous of expressing their respect for deceased and their sympathy for the bereaved.

Very Rev. James B. Gibson, dean of St. Andrew's Cathedral, conducted the service, assisted by Rev. W. W. Silverthorn, pastor of First Baptist Church.

"Many people came to know with feelings of deep appreciation of Frank Morris' good works and kind deeds in their hours of extreme sorrow," observed the Dean. "He always did his best in a quiet, unobtrusive way—even to the very last when his personal suffering made the way trying and difficult. His hope and courage was an example to us all. We sorrow to feel that he was not spared long enough to enjoy some of the accomplishments towards which he had strived. We sympathize with the loved ones who mourn the loss of breadwinner and family head."

Mrs. J. H. McLeod sang "Some Day We'll Understand" which was a favorite of deceased and the hymns, also of his own choosing, were "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" and "Sun of My Soul." Mrs. J. C. Gilker presided at the organ.

The altar was simply adorned with a vase containing three large daffodils, the Welsh flower. The casket was banked with the profuse floral offerings of many friends.

Following the service, interment was made in Fairview Cemetery where the committal service was carried out by Dean Gibson.

Honorary pallbearers were George Wilson, S. E. Parker, J. A. Lindsay, H. W. Birch, M. M. Stephens, N. A. Watt, George Hill, G. A. Hunter, Dr. R. G. Large, C. H. Elkins and J. L. McIntosh.

Active pallbearers were Joseph Bell, Sergeant O. L. Hall, William Robertson, Bert Morgan, S. A. Bird and Jack Armstrong.

Local News Items...

PHONE 86 TO CONTRIBUTE PERSONAL AND NEWS ITEMS

D. G. Borland returned this morning from a brief trip to Vancouver.

Meeting of Job's Daughters, Friday, March 2 at 7:30 p.m. Silver March, Bingo and Birthday Movies.

Sons of Norway meeting Thursday March 1 8 o'clock. All members please attend. Initiation. (51)

Mrs. James Forman and son, Allan, returned home yesterday from New Westminster where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Forman's father.

Norton W. Youngs had charge of the program at the regular weekly luncheon of the Prince Rupert Rotary Club today. It took the form of the showing of an interesting moving picture on a war subject. President R. C. St. Clair was in the chair and there was a good attendance of members.

Don Forward, area secretary of Y. M. C. A. War Services for Northern B. C., leaves on tomorrow night's train for a 12-day tour of the area. He will visit Terrace, Smithers, Prince George and the Cariboo, then proceeding to Vancouver and returning by way of the Queen Charlotte islands.

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Modern Etiquette

By ROBERTA LEE

Q. What is the proper length of time for a young woman to wear mourning for her father?

A. This would depend entirely upon your feelings in the matter. The custom of wearing mourning is not as strict as it formerly was. Many people do not consider it necessary at all.

Q. In what way should a woman dispose of her wraps when making a social call in the afternoon?

A. She should retain her coat, hat and gloves?

Q. When giving a mid-afternoon card party, what would be a good menu for a luncheon?

A. Cold sliced meat, a salad, coffee or tea, and pastry.

Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings received from our many friends in Prince Rupert and in other cities during our sad bereavement in the death of a loving husband and father.

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Illustration of a coal truck.

"SMALL SHIP" CONTRACTS
(Continued from Page One)

tion on this continent regarding Soviet plans for shipbuilding on this coast received considerable discussion, finally, with amendments, being wrought into a motion and adopted.

Mr. Taranger said that he understood that the Russian government was eager for new cargo ships and that there was a possibility that they might have them built on the Pacific Coast.

"We might acquaint them with the fact that there is an available shipyard in Prince Rupert," he said.

"I think we should lay the idea before the C.N.R. management first," J. S. Black suggested, "I don't think we should go over their heads."

The meeting adopted a motion by Mr. Love that the Russian Trade Commission in Montreal, purchasing commission in New York, and the Soviet ambassador be written pointing out Prince Rupert's advantages as a shipping port to Russia and that the ambassador be asked for information on Russia's shipbuilding plans on the Pacific Coast, suggesting that there is a shipyard here which might be available. Copies of the letters will be sent to C.N.R. president Vaughan.

A suggestion by Fred Scadden that the committee was taking on work which was within the scope of the Chamber of Commerce was countered by W. E. Denning, Canadian Legion delegate.

"If it was their job, they should have done it," he declared.

A motion by S. Marshall that the Prime Minister be informed that if Prince Rupert does not get shipyard work, it refuses to send a member of Parliament to Ottawa failed to find a seconder and was met with jeering cries of "Secession, Secession!"

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Illustration of a Hartt shoe.

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Sea Cadet Officers In Training

Prince Rupert Represented at Special Courses in Esquimalt

Lieut. John Wilson and Sub-Lieut. John Christenson of Captain Cook Sea Cadet Corps here are now in Esquimalt where 42 Sea Cadet officers from as far east as Winnipeg are now at the Royal Canadian Navy's base, H.M.C.S. "Naden," for a two week course planned for Sea Cadet officers in Western Canada. Lieut. Ned Tobey leaves tonight to take a similar course.

Dressed in khaki trousers and blue monkey jackets while in classes, Sea Cadet officers representing the major Canadian cities from the prairie provinces and 12 officers from interior and coastal B. C. had breakfast in the wardroom of "Naden" on the first day of their arrival and, by 9 o'clock, were on the parade ground to commence the day.

Highlight of this important two week training course is a three day cruise planned under a training syllabus prepared by "Naden's" training officer, Sub-Lieut. D. S. McCann, R.C.N.V.R., one of the Navy's newest officers to receive his commission from the lower deck.

Keen to grasp all phases of naval training in an operational command at Esquimalt, Sea Cadet officers boarded H.M.C.S. corvettes, Bangor - type minesweepers and Fairmiles on patrol in coastal waters. A turn at the wheel of these fighting ships as well as carrying out executive officer's duties, lowering lifeboats while under way and true sea-going routine is practised by the Sea Cadet officers.

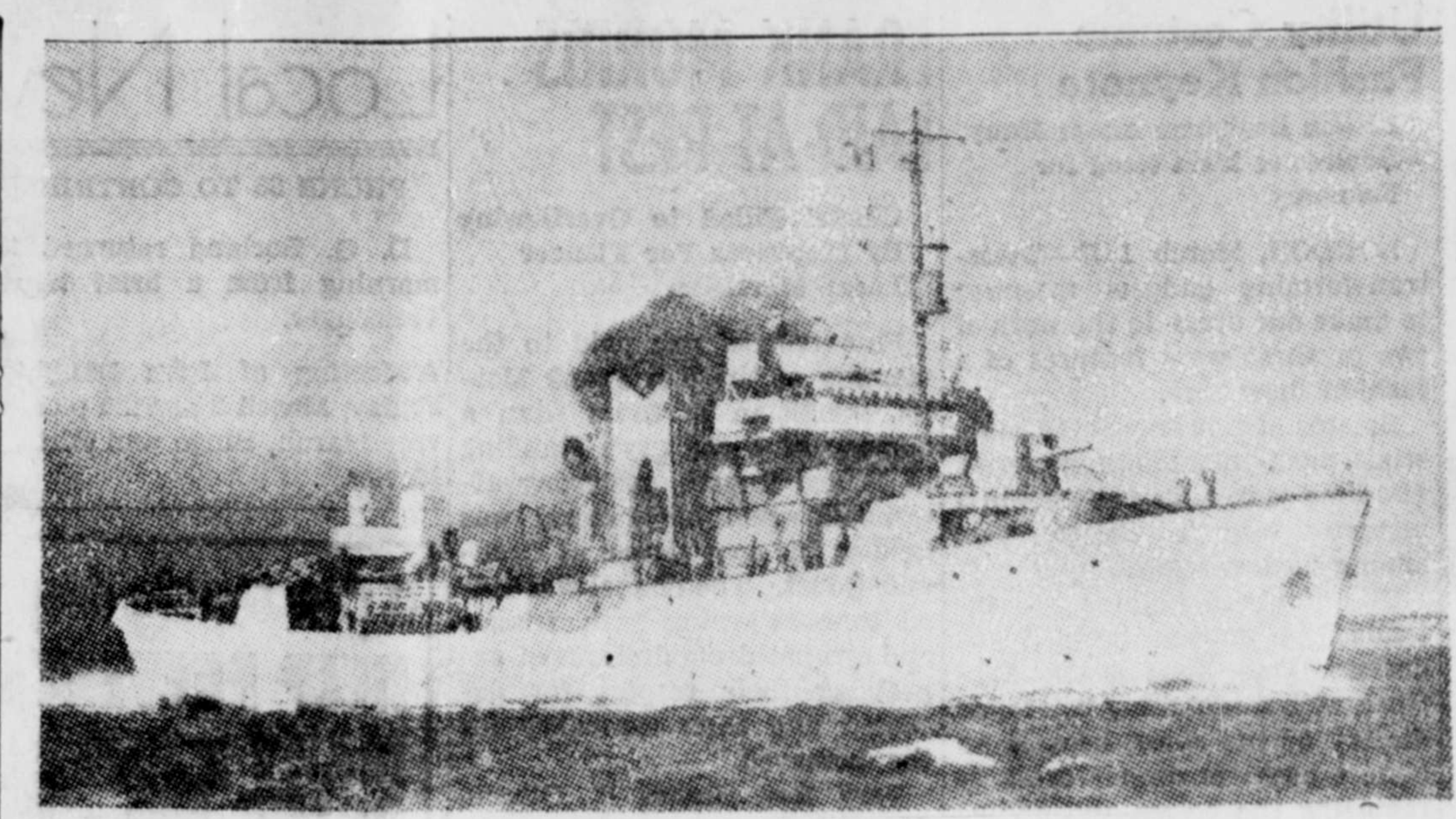
While training at sea is by far the most interesting phase of the curriculum at "Naden," classes ashore are conducted as necessary before Sea Cadet officers can grasp in full the significance of the many duties at sea.

Elementary lessons in the R.C.N. signal school, many taught by Yeoman of Signals George Cole, R.C.N.V.R. of Regina and Vancouver, have proven a popular course. Cole has been in the Volunteer Reserve for many years on the prairies and in 1939 went active. There is never a dull moment when George Cole is in charge. With a grin and a joke, he is one of the R.C.N.'s most popular instructors. Classes are in aid lamp, flag signalling and fleet messages. They are practised ashore, from shore to ship, and afloat.

Lectures by Lieut. Jackson in the Torpedo School and Naval Customs and Traditions by Lieut. Cmdr. Fairweather are important classes Sea Cadet officers attend.

Latest In Sea War Is Learned

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TRAINING SHIPS — One of H.M.C. Corvettes aboard which Prince Rupert Sea Cadet Officers are putting to sea for three-day cruises in the three two-week courses now being offered Cadet Officers in H.M.C.S. "Naden" at Esquimalt.

March Ration Coupon Calendar

March 8—Butter, coupon 98.
March 15—Butter, coupon 99; preserves, coupons 41 to 44; sugar, coupons 54 and 55.
March 22—Butter, coupon 100.
The following coupons are still valid:
Butter, coupons 90 to 97.
Preserves, coupons 33 to 40.
Sugar, coupons 46 to 53.

'Y' DOINGS
By MARGARET WOODWARD

The largest dance crowd since the opening of the new Y Red Triangle was on hand Wednesday evening for the last mid-week dance. Music by Bob Wy-brow and his new combination gave dancing pleasure to fans of both the sweet and jive. Monday's dance is to be a gala affair, the first of a new program of dancing. Music will be supplied by the ever-popular Frank Dutton and his boys.

We regret the postponement of the Music Appreciation Group for this week. However plans are under way and this weekly feature will soon be initiated.

LIQUID LEGACY
GLASGOW — John Grant, a Scot of humble origin who started work for a few shillings a week, has died, leaving £800,000 (\$3,600,000). Most of this sum was in 43,889 gallons of whiskey which sold for £600,000.

TRACTORS TO BOMBAY
POONA, India — Highspeed diesel tractors are arriving in Bombay province from United States and Britain for deep plowing in order to speed up seasonal plowing and increase food production.



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Grow the vegetables your family likes, but also a few of those they ought to like, especially those rich in vitamins, to supply the lack which a rationed diet will produce by cutting off other sources.

Many vegetables taste far better when you grow them in your own garden, and serve them fresh.

The men's "B" League final two out of three series opens tonight at the Navy Drill Hall with a game between the Navy and Soo Suds. The second game of this series will be played at the Y next Thursday.

PROLIFIC LETTER WRITERS
LONDON, — Twenty million postage stamps are sold daily over the counters of 24,000 post offices and from 15,000 stamp-vending machines in the United Kingdom. A year's stamps require 270 tons of special paper.

installations on their three Gay cruises.

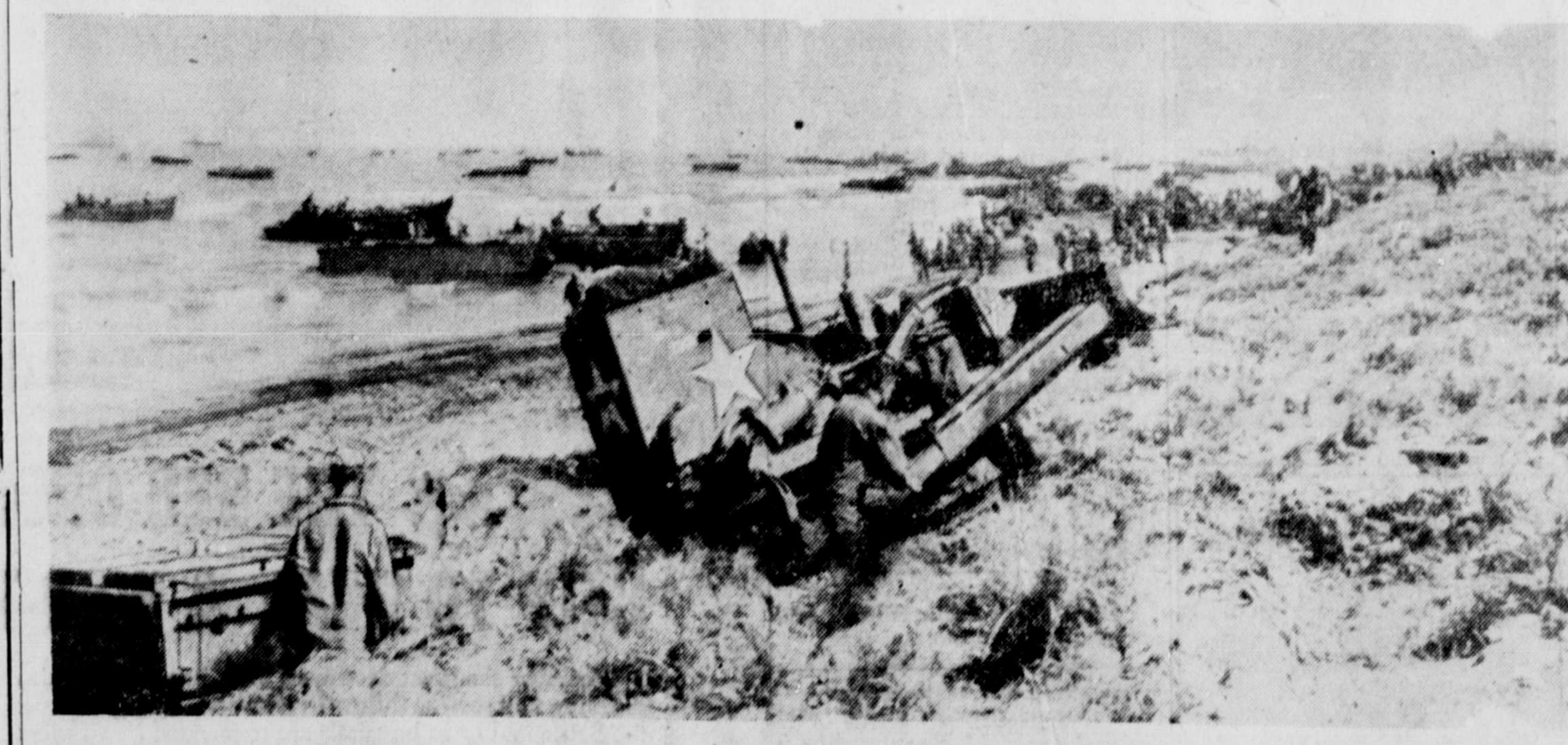
No course would be complete without the necessary squad and rifle drill but many new points are picked up from the R.C.N. instructors who put Sea Cadet Officers straight on points of instruction to pass on to corps in the home town.

When off duty, Sea Cadet officers enjoy the privileges of the "Naden" wardroom where they have their meals and use of the lounge. The beautiful setting of the \$50,000 officers' quarters overlook the main establishment. Bus service, only a hundred yards away, maintains regular service to the city of Victoria.

The course which operates in three two week periods is now preparing to accept the second party on March 5 and the final session on March 19.

This training is similar to that conducted in H.M.C.S. "Cornwallis" on the east coast and follows the officers training course given R.C.N. candidates receiving their commission.

The last two days of instruction which conclude the training for Sea Cadet officers, embraces a route march, power of command on the parade ground, types of ships, seamanship, duties of divisional officers, a formal dinner in the wardroom. The last day sees a two hour written examination by all officers in the morning and in the afternoon preparation for departure to home and R.C.S.C.C. corps waiting for the instruction and help these Sea Cadet officers are now able to extend—first hand.



YANK REINFORCEMENTS LAND ON LUZON—Landing craft with U.S. troops and supplies are shown hitting the beach at Binmaley in Luzon. The dredging machine in centre clears the way for the troops and machines so they can move inland rapidly.

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EXPLOSION AND FIRE
(Continued from Page 1)

Mr. Gillett and provincial police Staff Sergeant G. A. Johnson left on the Indian department boat Naskeena at 8 o'clock last night for Cassiar but were unable to get coherent accounts of the disaster.

In the house with Mrs. McKay and the dead child was a young son of Mrs. McKay known as "sonny." He rushed out of the house when the fire began, escaping unburned. His story has not yet been told to the authorities.

The dead granddaughter was the child of Solomn Spence and the late Mrs. Spence of Port Simpson. Mrs. Spence, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McKay, died several months ago.

Mr. McKay, who crawled into the blazing home through a hole which he had chopped in a wall, attempted the rescue at great risk to himself a few minutes after the fire broke out.

The badly burned child was brought to Prince Rupert on a railway speeder and taken to hospital where she died early this morning.

An inquest will be held into the tragedy, coroner M. M. Stephens announces.

» Smiles «

These you children or is this a picnic?"

Woman: "They're all mine—and it ain't no picnic."

Neck

Bill was driving with his girl friend along a lonely country road. They drove in silence for about 10 miles and then, all of a sudden he stopped the car. He turned to his companion and said: "Miranda, I'm a man of few words, do you neck or don't you?" Miranda turned to him with a coy smile and said, "I'm a girl of few words too. I don't neck, but you talked me into it."

Heard at a Luncheon

Speaker: "How long do I talk?"

Chairman: "I don't know and I don't care, but the rest of us leave here at one-thirty!"

SHEFFIELD, Eng., — John Oakley, editor of The Sheffield Telegraph for 25 years and for the last seven years editor-in-chief, died recently.

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February experienced more sunshine and less rain than January but was colder than the previous month, according to the monthly weather report released by the Dominion Meteorological station at Digby Island. There were 41 hours of bright sunshine and 7.15 inches of precipitation in February, against 30 hours of sunshine and 9.79 inches of rain in January.

February of last year was considerably brighter, drier, and warmer than either January or February of this year. Last February there were 75 hours of bright sunshine, 4.44 inches of rain and the average temperature was 43.3 degrees.

Average temperature last month was 38.5 degrees.

So far this year there have been 71 hours of sunshine and 16.94 inches of rain. Rain fell

PLOW BY MOONLIGHT
DUBLIN — Farmers in County Wexford are plowing by moonlight in an effort to overtake arrears of farm work and bring winter wheat sowings up to normal.

during 15 days in February and there were three days of snow. Barometric pressure reached a maximum of 30.63 inches on February 24 and a low of 28.9 inches on February 7. Highest wind was from the southeast at 40 miles an hour on February 9.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA IN PROBATE IN THE MATTER OF THE "ADMINISTRATION ACT"

IN THE MATTER OF KRISTIAN KNUTSEN, DECEASED, INTESTATE

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

LED at Prince Rupert, B.C., this 17th day of February, A.D. 1945.
W. O. FULTON,
Executor of the Estate of Kristian Knutsen.

Better English

By D. C. WILLIAMS

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "In so far as I know, he told the truth."
2. What is the correct pronunciation of "dictator?"
3. Which one of these words is misspelled? reservoir, residue, resonance.
4. What does the word "propensity" mean?
5. What is a word beginning with mo that means "a fine kind of leather?"

- Answers**
1. Omit in. Say, "So far as I know."
 2. Preferred pronunciation is with accent on second syllable.
 3. Reservoir.
 4. Natural inclination. "Virtue is nothing but a just temper between propensities, any one of which, if indulged in to excess, becomes vice."—Macaulay.
 5. Morocco.

AIR CADET CORPS GROWS
BROMLEY, Eng. — John Webb of Bromley is the 100,000th cadet to join the Air Training Corps, which has just celebrated its fourth birthday.

CANUCKS WANT THEIR SHOWS

Troupe of 21 Entertainers Home After Three Months in France, Belgium and Holland

By R. W. CLARKE
Canadian Press Staff Writer

TORONTO, March 1 — Home after 14 months overseas with a Canadian "Army Show" unit, Pte. Vera Cartwright of Toronto says that Canadian troops on the western front were "so hungry for entertainment" they even enjoyed outdoor performances staged despite rain.

One of five girls in the unit cast of 21, the pretty, 20-year old dancer said that the first time it began to rain during an open-air performance, the members of the show figured that the performance would be halted. "But none of the soldiers gave any indication of leaving," she added, "so we just went on with the show."

"Sometimes we'd feel more like mermaids than dancers when we'd get caught on the stage in the rain. Our hair would be all over the place and our costumes would be a mess, but it made no difference to the boys—they seemed to enjoy it all."

The troupe spent three months on the western front, staging shows in France, Belgium and Holland. Sometimes it would be three shows a day; other days it would be one or two. "We landed in France a month after D-Day and followed the Canadians from Caen on," said Pte. Cartwright. "We played one show at Eindhoven, Holland, only a mile and a half from the enemy lines."

Generally speaking, the unit played from makeshift stages but at Eindhoven it had the pleasure of performing in a theatre with seating capacity for close to 1000 persons. The theatre was a project connected with one of the plants in the town, and some civilians attended the various performances.

Became Expert Ration Traders

The girls became expert traders during their three months on the continent, exchanging their cigarette rations for such things as eggs, bread and fruit. Because they were able to add to their food rations in this manner, the Toronto dancer admits that she

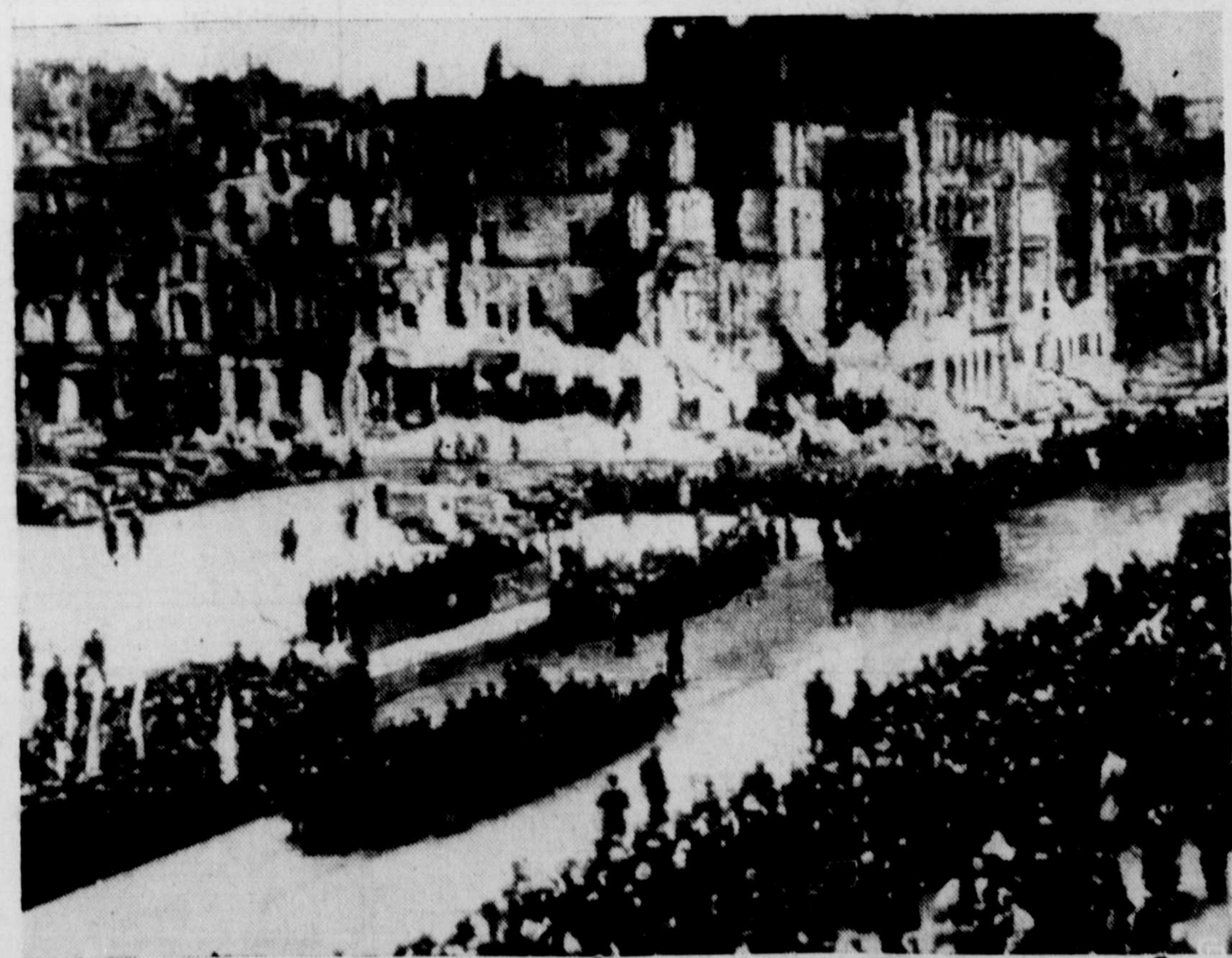
gained 20 pounds — 20 pounds that she lost after leaving the continent.

Mostly, the members of the troupe put up in private dwellings. On one occasion, in Belgium, the girls were billeted in a chateau occupied by a baron and baroness. "Once I was in my shirtsleeves, doing my washing outside the chateau, when the baron said that we'd be having tea," said Pte. Cartwright. "Imagine having tea with a baron and baroness in your shirtsleeves!"

In another Belgian town, the woman at whose home they stayed always locked the door at 11 p.m. on the dot. "If we girls came home one minute after that we'd have to stand outside and pound the door for what seemed like hours before she'd let us in. She

had two sons and she was always afraid that the Germans would enter the house and force her sons to go to Germany as slave labor." One experience she remembers vividly occurred in France when the girls slept in a tent after performing before a Canadian unit. German planes were busy that night, and the entire camp was on the alert. Late that evening, Pte. Cartwright and another girl decided they'd take a look around.

"We were only out a couple of minutes and were just about to go back into the tent when the sentry heard us. He yelled and we were paralyzed; we just couldn't speak and we thought he was going to shoot. Finally, I managed to say, "It's only the girls! The things that sentry called us."



POLISH TROOPS PARADE IN THEIR LIBERATED CAPITAL—It was a great day for Poles everywhere when Polish troops paraded once more through the streets of Warsaw, their liberated capital. Above is a view of the scene with part of the ravaged city in background.

DAILY NEWS HONOR ROLL

Your Assistance Invited

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

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

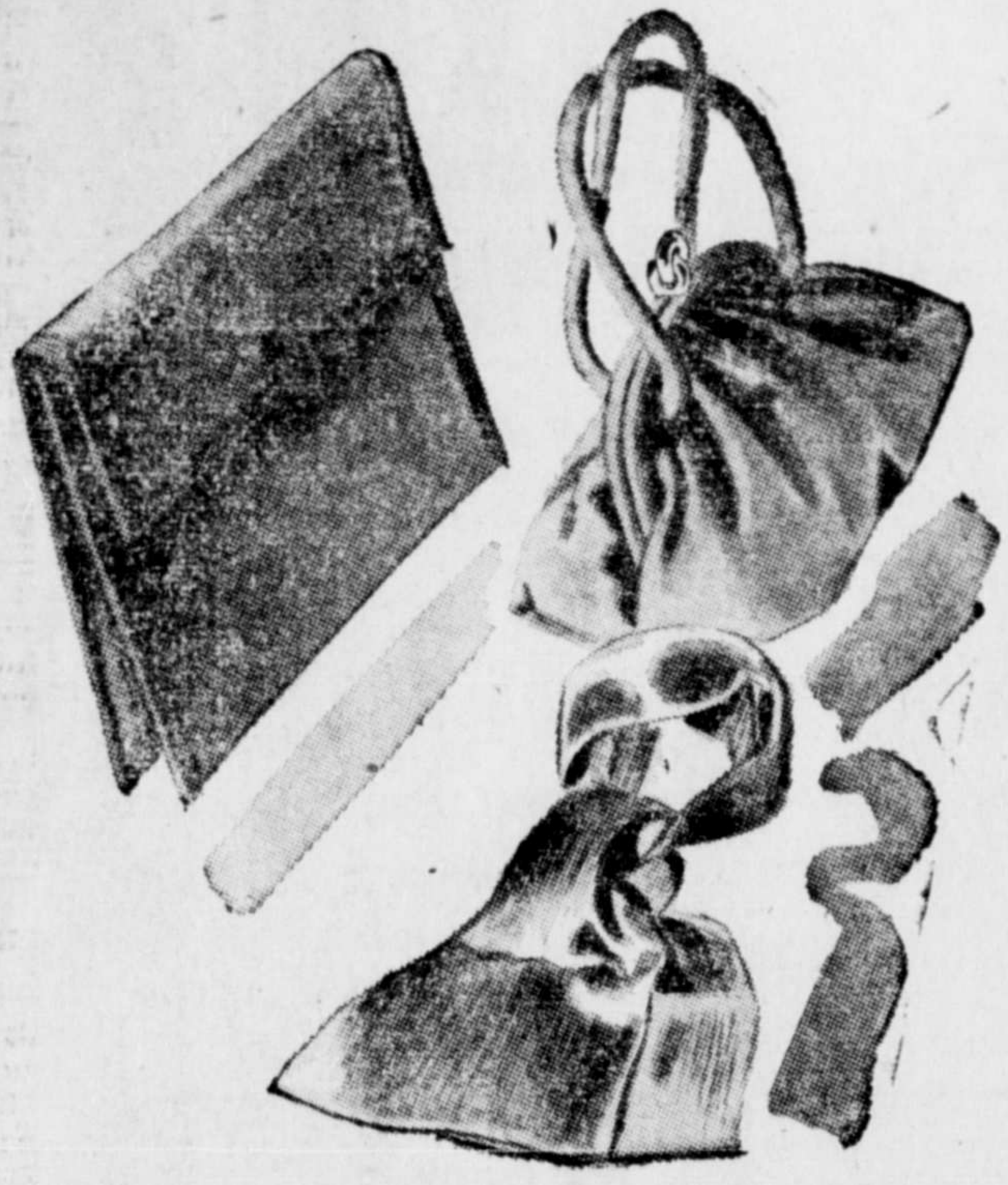
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WANTED — Furnished suite, two rooms or more, for Army Sergeant and wife. Phone Fort-ress 29 ring 2. (52)

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Sport Chat

The 14th British Army in the Far East has sent a hurry-up appeal for sports attractions, so footballers, boxers, hockey players and wrestlers will be included in an all-star sports "circus" to leave London for a tour of battle areas. The fighting boys, both British and Indian, want to see the two most-talked-of footballers in Britain, Tommy Lawton and Stan Matthews, and these two internationals will probably amogms the first to go. The initial tour, lasting about 10 weeks, starts in mid-February with an England-Scotland soccer "international" at New Delhi. The two teams will be made up of players making the tour and players already out there in a service capacity, such as Arsenal's Denis Compton, Scotland's Tommy Walker, Ivor Powell and A. H. Fabian. The tour's high spot will be the "international" soccer match at New Delhi's Irwin Stadium which holds about 50,000. Then the "circus" will entertain men of the Eastern Command and the Southern Army in India, 14th Army men at Imphal and servicemen in Ceylon.

Steeplechasing, hardest hit of any British sport during the war, lost thousands of dollars each week when an almost-unprecedented month of snow and ice settled on Britain during January. The weather forced abandonment of all but a couple of meetings at a time when the sport

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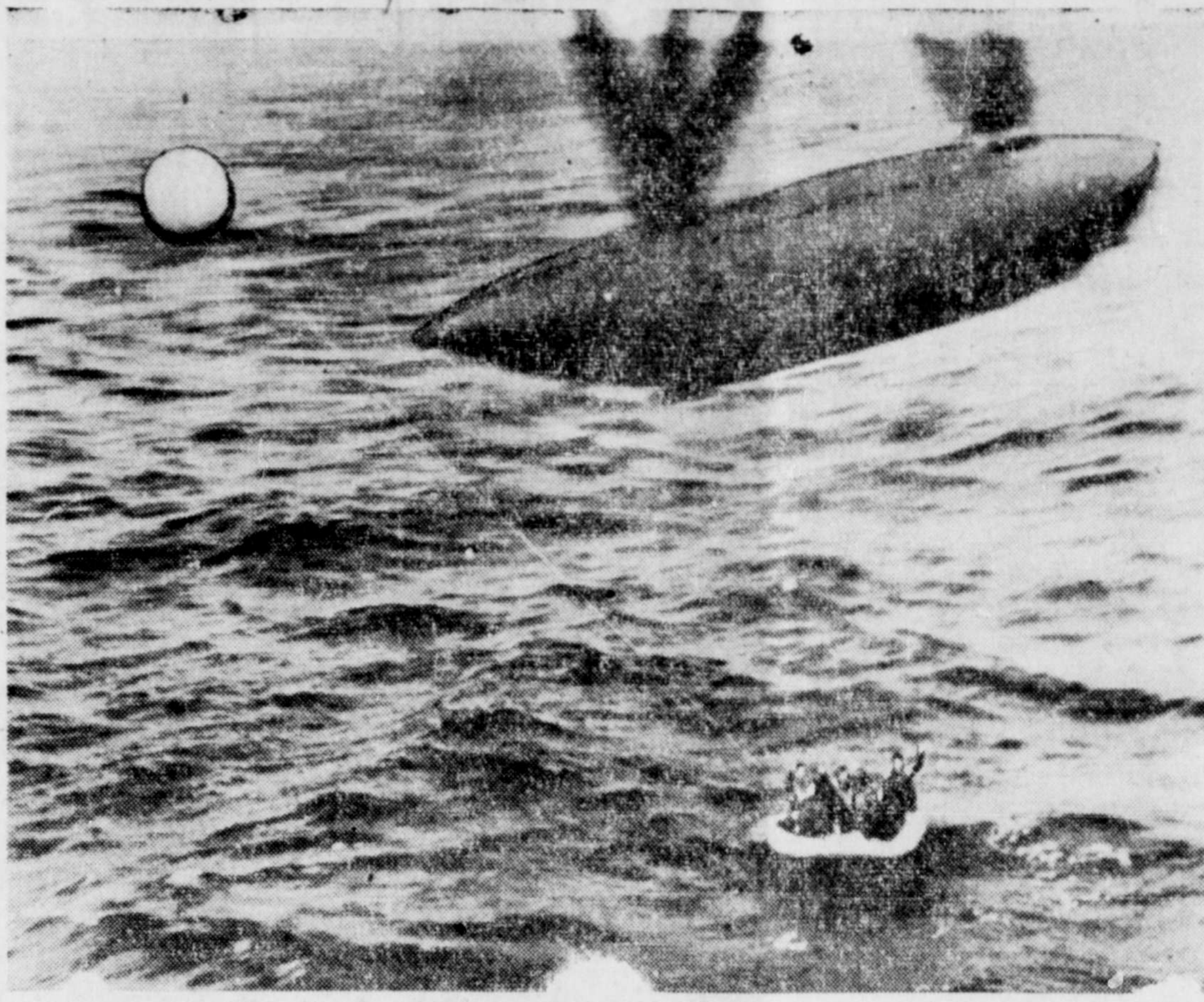
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COAST GUARD FINDS LOST AIRMEN—Five airmen from the 6th Ferrying group, of Long Beach, Cal., are shown aboard their rubber raft as they were spotted by a Coast Guard plane. The men took to the raft after the plane they were ferrying overseas crashed into the ocean some 800 miles off Long Beach, Calif. The seaplane directed surface craft to the rescue of the castaways. That balloon anchored to the raft holds the aerial for sending out distress signals.

Today in Sports

HONORS ARE RETRIEVED

Smithers Wins Two Out of Three Hockey Games At Vanderhoof

SMITHERS, March 1 — The Smithers senior hockey team journeyed to Vanderhoof last Saturday to play a series of three games in the endeavour to retrieve some of their recently lost battle honors. They were quite successful in doing so having two wins and a draw to their credit when they returned home on Monday night. In the first game played on Saturday evening Smithers defeated Vanderhoof 5 to 2. The second game ended in a 5 to 5 draw, and the last game, played on Monday night saw the Smithers team winning by the low score of 1 to 0. They are now quite satisfied that they can still handle the Vanderhoof players, even though they did lose the Steen Cup to them in the games recently played in Smithers.

was attempting to re-establish itself after a two-year government ban. Owners, who risk fortunes in maintaining strings of horses, lost nearly \$40,000 in prize money. Jockeys, who risk their necks each time their mount bears down on a fence or hurdle, lost nearly \$25,000 in riding fees. Billy Hollick, one of Britain's leading National Hunt jockeys, was an example of what happened to scores of other riders, all of whom are either engaged, in one of the services or on farms or in munition work. In riding fees alone, Hollick forfeited approximately \$500 during the month. Bill, discharged from the army after four years' service, will try his hand at flat racing when the season opens in the spring.

Young French boxers who are winning growing reputations in English rings owe much to their trainer and manager, Tony Wilson, one-time French featherweight champion who was known as Kid Tony in his fighting days. Wilson, who beat Emile (Spider) Pladner as well as other top-notch featherweights, is sports organizer at a French naval camp in southern England and two of his best ringmen are Lightweight Marcel Ludovina and Welterweight Freddie Young. Tony, called to the Royal Navy at the outbreak of war, won the Norwegian equivalent of the V.C. in the battle of Narvik. At Dunkerque, where he was awarded the Croix de Guerre and two bars, he shot down two German planes while acting as a naval gunner. Later, his legs were injured and he was discharged.

LONDON, (P)—Ft. Lt. Wilfred Thimblethorpe, turned down as being too old for a pilot soon after the war began, is completing his third tour of operations as an air gunner at the age of 44.

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HOOP SERIES IS TIED UP

The Booth Memorial High School team tied up the Ladies' Basketball League finals by defeating the Canadian Women's Army Corps 22 to 13 in the second game of the series last night in the Y.M.C.A. gym.

Alex Bill's Bo-Me-Hi hoopsters were their usual aggressive hard-working selves as they fashioned a 13 to 7 lead by half-time and never gave it up.

The C.W.A.C.'s, who scored eight out of 13 free throws in their previous game, sank five points out of 11 for an average of .454, while the winners showed their consistency by potting six out of 16, the same as in their last tilt, for a mark of .375.

Edna Sandhals of the High School was the high scorer with nine points. McMullen of the C.W.A.C.'s secured six, while Pavlikis, Berg and Hamilton each counted four in the winners' cause.

The line-ups follow:
Bo-Me-Hi—Grey 1, Sandhals 9, Pavlikis 4, Berg 4, Balagno, Hamilton 4, Thornton, Anderson — 22.

C.W.A.C.—Cooper 1, Mellor, McMullen 6, Bullen 2, Drinkwater 2, Smith, La Porte, Chemko, Grisenthwaite—13.
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Briefs From Britain

By the Canadian Press

GLASGOW, (P)—Two explosions in an oil-cooled transformer at a power station put almost all the south side of Glasgow in darkness for two hours.

BATH, Eng., (P)—In the First Great War the nearby hamlet of Woolley sent 13 men to war and all came back. This war another 13 are serving and all so far are safe.

LONDON, (P)—Victory garden fetes and displays staged by amateur gardeners and allotment cultivators produced \$1,980,000 last year for the Red Cross Agriculture Fund.

LONDON (P)—Mrs. J. D. Lynch, a member of the council in suburban Tottenham, has been granted the freedom of the borough—the first woman to be given the honor.

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Bombing Germany

Flying Officer Bill Wilson Was Not Over Berlin, However—Thinks War Nearly Over

"That is the question that everybody asks you," remarked Flying Officer William Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson, Fifth Avenue East, who is home on leave after a tour of operations over enemy territory with the Royal Canadian Air Force. Bill was not very communicative to a Daily News reporter about his experiences but he did admit that he had not been over Berlin on his thirty one trips aboard a Canadian-made Lancaster bomber of which he was a gunner.

Bill got through his tour in good time of six months. "I was one of the lucky ones," he observed as he disclosed, on being questioned, that he had never been shot down nor his bomber ever badly hit. Nevertheless, they had to fight their way through on occasions against enemy fighters and anti-aircraft fire. His ship specialized in two-ton blockbusters.

The local boy expressed the opinion that Germany has now suffered many times more seriously from aerial warfare than Britain ever did. He is convinced that Germany cannot withstand much longer the intensity of the attacks which it is now undergoing. "It seems to me that it is about over there," he remarked.

Flying Officer Wilson expects to be home until about the middle of March.

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