

North Coast and Queen Charlottes — Light winds, mostly cloudy and cool with occasional light rain or drizzle today, clearing this evening. Thursday—Light to moderate winds.

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Thursday, January 25, 1945
High 11:14 20.9 feet
Low 5:05 8.6 feet
18:02 3.0 feet

Germanians Withdrawing From Western Front

Nazis Evidently Endeavouring To Bolster Up Sagging East Defences

Tremendous Movement of Transport Taking Place Even By Daylight — Badly Mauled From Air — Allies Resuming Offensive

PARIS, Jan. 24 (CP)—Indications are mounting today that the Germans have begun a mass withdrawal of troops and armor from the western front, perhaps to bolster their sagging defences in the east. Royal Air Force bomber pilots tell of a tremendous movement of German road and rail transport—

streaming back into Germany from the Ardennes battle zone. On roads and rail lines they are attempting to move in broad daylight in spite of terrible punishment from the air. Allied airmen have lost no time pounding those German supply trains, now crawling along the three main railways leading to Hanover and Dusseldorf. One hundred and sixty-five German trains have been bombed and strafed in the past forty-eight hours.

With the enemy moving out of the Ardennes salient, American First Army troops have resumed the offensive, striking out from the captured Belgian town of Saint Vith. British troops continue on the move north of Aachen. Two more towns—Saint Joost and Obstringen—have fallen to the British forces which now are nine miles inside Germany, near the Cologne Plain. In Alsace, resurgent French troops have uncorked a new offensive, aimed at relieving German pressure in the Strasbourg sector.

McNaughton Indignant

Opposition Is Accused

Accuses Conservatives and C.C.F. of Blocking Reinforcements

OWEN SOUND, Ont., Jan. 24.—Defence Minister McNaughton has accused the opposition parties of blocking the government's plan to provide overseas reinforcements on a strictly voluntary basis. In a campaign speech in Owen Sound, Ontario, General McNaughton declared that if it had not been for the campaign by the opposition political parties, the reinforcement problem would have been solved by men volunteering in reply to appeals by himself and Prime Minister King.

The Liberal candidate in the Grey North by-election said that, when he agreed to become Minister of National Defence, he realized the most important task was to get reinforcements overseas. But he said that as soon as appeals were made to the men of the Home Defence Army, the opposition political parties began to campaign against the government's efforts.

Apparently referring to disorders in Home Defence camps after the government's conscription policy was announced last November, General McNaughton said there was a time a few months ago when he feared for the peace and security of the country. Now, he said, the hard core of men who caused the trouble among the draftees are fugitives from justice. He added that the government believes it has public opinion behind it to deal firmly with these men who are absent without leave. He said that any member of the Home Defence Army who, being warned for overseas service, overstayed his leave for more than twenty-four days, would be classed as a deserter and dealt accordingly.

Cutting Off East Prussia

Russians Moving Steadily Closer to Heart of Reich—Advance is Unchecked

ADVANCE IN SILESIA

LONDON, Jan. 24 (CP)—The Russians battled today through the streets of the prize Silesian cities of Oppeln and Gleiwitz and hacked out advances near Brieg and Gossel, Oder River towns north and south of Oppeln, a late Moscow dispatch said. Reuters News Agency said the Russians had "established at least one bridgehead across the Oder." The Germans have thrown People's Army into the battles to stop the Soviet push on Breslau but the Russians were massing along fifty miles of the Oder and were heavily shelling a wide area. In addition to further victories in East Prussia and Poland, Premier Stalin reported today that the Russians had scored a new breakthrough of 25 miles in Czechoslovakia, capturing Rozsnyo, 33 miles southwest of Kassa.

LONDON, Jan. 24 (CP)—The Russians are rapidly completing a gigantic cut-off of all East Prussia which will perhaps trap some 30 German divisions, Premier Joseph Stalin disclosed. This announcement came after reports from Berlin had said the Russians had burst into Poznan, 137 miles from Berlin on the direct route.

Stalin also announced the capture of Bydgoszcz, southern guardian of the Polish corridor, after Russian forces have added to the peril facing German East Prussia by stabbing to within 22 miles of the Baltic coast. Biting half way across the western end of East Prussia, the Russians also seized Saalfeld, only 20 miles below Eibing, Baltic coastal town and last land escape route for the Germans in East Prussia. Soviet troops there are about 50 miles southeast of Danzig.

Berlin, in announcing that Hitler had sent Heinrich Himmler to the eastern front, said that he had been clothed with blanket powers "to make drastic decisions and to guarantee their execution."

The Russians have unlimbered their heavy guns today in a new threat to imperilled German Silesia with a breakthrough to the Oder River. Soviet artillery has opened fire on German defences west of the Oder River which is the last natural barrier before Berlin.

The Russians now have massed their shock troops along 50 miles of the Oder's east bank. The city of Breslau is threatened with envelopment. The latest word from Berlin is that the Russians have reached Oppeln, the capital of Southern Silesia. According to the Germans the Red Army has reached the outskirts of the city on the Oder River 51 miles southeast of Breslau. Tank battles are in progress.

Moscow dispatches indicate that the Oder may be frozen solid with the ice thick enough to support infantry but not yet strong enough for tanks. In any event, the Russians are ready to cross that river and do battle with German home guard units on the other side.

Meanwhile, other Russian forces have added to the peril facing German East Prussia, stabbing to within 22 miles of the Baltic coast.

NAZI GENERALS QUIT

STOCKHOLM—Sixteen German generals are reported to be planning the setting up of a "free" German government in Koenigsberg to co-operate with the Russians when they capture the city.

ARE INVITED TO TEHRAN

TEHRAN, Iran, Jan. 24.—Prime Minister Franklin D. Roosevelt and Premier Joseph Stalin have been invited to hold their next conference here as they did their last a couple of years ago.

Bulletins

PRISON CAMP FALLS

MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS—The former Japanese prison camp of Camp O'Donnell on Luzon Island has been captured and bodies of thousands of Filipinos and Americans—veterans of Bataan—who died of disease, starvation and maltreatment, found. The Americans are threatening Clark Field, 50 miles from Manila.

NEW JAPANESE GOVERNMENT TOKIO—The Premier of Japan is setting up a new totalitarian government.

MANDALAY NEAR FALL

KANDY—The fall of Mandalay, Burma, from the Japanese to Allied forces within two weeks is predicted.

WON \$7000 HOUSE

VANCOUVER — Janet Robinson, Vancouver nurse, has won a \$7000 house in an Edmonton raffle.

EXPECTS GENERAL ELECTION WOODSTOCK, Ont.—C.C.F. leader M. J. Coldwell predicts that there may be a general election before the Grey North by-election is held on February 5. The C.C.F. leader said he based his opinion on a statement issued to the electors of Grey North yesterday in which Prime Minister King hinted that Parliament might be dissolved before the by-election takes place.

TRAINING SCHOOL CLOSED ST. THOMAS, Ont.—Operational training at Number Four Bombing and Gunnery School at Fingal, Ontario, will cease on February 2. Most of the personnel on the station will be posted either before or shortly after that date.

NEARING MANDALAY NEW DELHI — One British force in Burma is within 25 miles of Mandalay from the west and another within 40 miles from the north.

AIRMEN RETURN MONTREAL — The largest group of Royal Canadian Air Force personnel to return from overseas is now on its way west across Canada after passing through here.

Local Temperature Maximum 49
Minimum 36
Rainfall for the 24-hour period to 5 o'clock this morning was 146 inches.

HOUSING LOANS DUE NEXT WEEK OTTAWA, Jan. 24.—Loans under the new federal housing act will become available next week, it is announced.

OTTAWA IS NOT GIVING DETAILS OTTAWA, Jan. 24.—For security reasons, a spokesman of the Department of National Defence declined to give detailed information regarding absenteeism and desertion in the Canadian Army. From the Regina military district comes word that 50 men have been apprehended. In Vancouver 15 men gave themselves up yesterday.

NORWEGIAN TREES The trees of Norway include pine, spruce, birch, willow, aspen, rowan, ash, elm, lime, oak, beech and black alder.



A MARIANA CHRISTMAS FROM THE BOYS DOWN THERE—Aviation engineers working on a B-29 base in the Marianas, pause in their work long enough to wish folks back home a Merry Christmas. Left to right are T/4 Charles Fischer, of Clayton, Mo.; Pfc. William K. Visner, of Rochester, Mich.; T/5 Dale Peterson, Boy River, Minn.; and Cpl. Angel Delago, of San Francisco, California.



BROTHER'S GRAVE—Attending a service for fallen Canadians in a Dutch town, Pte. E. Bastie, Montreal, finds his brother's grave in the cemetery where the service was held.

Agents Executed

Sabotage Alleged by Nazis

Eighteen "Anglo-Americans" Put to Death in Slovakia

LONDON, Jan. 24 (CP)—The Germans reported today the execution of eighteen "Anglo-American" agents charged with having been sent to Slovakia to carry out sabotage.

The Berlin radio said the men were captured in the rear of the German front, sentenced to death by a military tribunal and executed by shooting.

The statement said that "investigation showed they had given the task of organizing sabotage in Slovakia and spying in economic and political interests. When caught the agents were wearing civilian dress."

ENEMY PATROLS OUT IN ITALY

ROME, Jan. 24 (CP)—Enemy patrols continuing active along Senio river in the British Army's Adriatic sector. Allied Fifth Army patrolling increasing their activity as snow ceased falling, have moved up against strong German defences, particularly south of Bologna. Allied Headquarters announced today.

Edmonton Fair For July 16

EDMONTON, Jan. 24.—The date of the annual Edmonton fair has been set for July 16, it is announced.

AV PREMIER EVIES KING

LONDON, Jan. 24 (CP)—A high ranking Yugoslav official said yesterday that Premier Sucevic and his cabinet, refusing to recognize King Peter's son in dismissing them, would depart for Belgrade to join Marshal Tito in new fusion government.

FEMALES ARE DEADLY

SCRA, Gold Coast, (CP)—Malaria transmitted from one person to another by the bite of the female mosquito. But it is the female of the species that is deadly—the male mosquito leads a harmless life and restricts his life to fruit juices.

Warns Against Fruit Growing

KELOWNA, Jan. 24 — Albert Miller, president of the British Columbia Fruit Growers' Association, in annual convention here warned against encouraging service men to take up fruit growing after the war.

CLOSE ON MANDALAY

British Moving in from Two Directions on Important City of Burma

KANDY, Ceylon, Jan. 24 (CP)—British forces, closing in on Mandalay, have driven to within 25 miles of the city on the west and 40 miles on the north, a communique announced yesterday. Despite heavy Japanese counter-attacks on bridgeheads east of the Irrawaddy River and about 40 miles north of Mandalay, the attackers enlarged footholds and moved in more troops and equipment.

Highlights OF WAR NEWS and Daily Happenings

Canadians In Air Fight

LONDON—Canadian fighter pilots were out over the continent yesterday. By daylight R.C.A.F. fighter craft shot down at least eight Nazi planes and destroyed an additional eight in aerial combat. Eleven of the enemy planes destroyed or damaged were twin jet-propelled fighters. Canadian fighter squadrons also attacked ground targets in Germany. One locomotive was destroyed and four others damaged in daylight raids and fifteen freight cars were shot up. At night Canadian Mosquitos destroyed a Nazi bomber over the mouth of the Schelde and another east of Brussels.

New Burma Landing

KANDY, Ceylon—A new Allied landing has been made on the west coast of Burma southeast of Akyab. The landing, announced by the Southeast Asia Command, was made north-east of Meybon and southwest of Kangaw. British troops landed in Meybon Peninsula earlier this month shortly after the occupation of Akyab. It is also announced that British troops have invaded Ramree Island, fifty miles south of Meybon Peninsula. Indian troops have captured a town, Kyaukpou, at the northern edge of the island and have advanced more than three miles inland.

Raids On Jap Islands

WASHINGTON—American B-29 superfortresses have landed another punch on the nerve centres of Japan's air power. In a follow-up to yesterday's raid on Nagoya, B-29's from the Marianas today bombed two islands in the Volcano Group. The Japanese have been using Iwo Island as a springboard for air attacks on B-29 airfields in the Marianas. Unconfirmed Japanese broadcasts indicate that American carrier plain raids on Formosa and the Ryukyu Islands have been carried into the third day. Enemy broadcast claim that six warships of the American Third Fleet were damaged in battles off the islands on Tuesday, Japanese Time.

Nearing Clark Field

MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS—American patrols on Luzon Island are feeling out Japanese strength today near Clark Field. The barracks, hangars, and thirteen airstrips of the field are some of the prize objectives of the Philippine campaign. The main American force is driving on the town of Bamban, only six miles from Clark Field. A flaming artillery duel has been raging in the Bamban sector, and many of the enemy's big guns have been silenced. Meanwhile, a fierce battle may be shaping up along the Bamban River—the last natural defence barrier guarding Clark Field.

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So This Is Chlorination! . . .

The revolting taste which has been injected into Prince Rupert's formerly delightfully clear and pure drinking water is becoming the subject of much complaint. While the most of the complaint is about the taste of the water, some people are saying that there is difficulty in raising a lather with soap while others report that there is a deposit which leaves a ring around tubs and baths which is very difficult to remove.

We at long last submitted rather unwillingly to chlorination but if what we are getting now is the result of chlorination we feel that we should have persisted in our objections to governmental tinkering with our previously good and acceptable water supply.

If this is chlorination, it is even worse than we had ever thought it would be and the most vigorous protest is due. It looks very much like a case of the cure being worse than the disease although we are still loath to admit that the previous condition of our water had warranted the name of disease being associated with it. Let's see what can be done about getting our good old drinking water back again.

If this is chlorination, then roll out the barrel—rain water for washing and beer for drinking.

What Makes Morale? . . .

What makes for strong morale—for the man in uniform for instance? He wants to know that what he does is worth the effort, and that his efforts are recognized and appreciated. He needs to feel that he plays on the team, that the team sticks with him, and that it is reasonably well led. All he asks for dangers, hardships and deprivations is that they be part of putting the ball over the goal line.

Entertainment, refreshment, recreation, all are needed lubricants to smooth the way and useful fillers for

the otherwise vacuous hours off duty and the long waiting for wheels to turn. But they cannot of themselves build morale or even preserve what there is of it. They can occupy and divert the mind but they cannot supply the dynamic of a sense of purpose. And this sense of purpose, of getting somewhere and doing something worth while, forms the indispensable ingredient.

What is true for the war fronts holds good for the home front.

Grim news does not shake morale. But the suspicion that the people are excluded from the confidence of their leaders in matters that do not affect military security—that they are not participating members of the team—jolts it badly. And no amount of movie-going, night-clubbing, and holidays can substitute for the sustaining satisfactions of getting on with the war, shoulder to shoulder.

What the people need and want is not coddling but the harnessing and channelling of their will to work and fight. That is the stuff morale is made of.

Lawlessness Inexcusable . . .

In spite of representations which have been made by the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce and general discontent over the condition of lawlessness which is growing in Prince Rupert, burglaries are occurring each week and violent robberies are becoming increasingly frequent. The crime wave mounts and the authorities seem quite helpless. It is nothing to be smugly complacent about, saying that nothing can be done to remedy matters.

We have already proposed it and we repeat the proposal that some sort of an expert criminal investigation department should be set up in Prince Rupert. The citizens are demanding it and would, no doubt, be glad to pay for it. If the city has not moved in this direction, there should be no further delay in taking the necessary action. The situation is becoming quite intolerable and the majority of citizens, doubtless, feel that they should not have to put up with it. Saving that nothing can be done it is a feeble excuse for inaction.

Burglary and safe cracking appear to present the latest industrial or business opportunities in Prince Rupert.

THIS AND THAT



"Homer, what a marvelous left hook he had! Who is that man?"

William Irvine's Son Is Missing

WETASKIWIN, Jan. 24—William Irvine, C.C.F. candidate for Cariboo in the federal election, has been advised that his son, Flying Officer Harold Irvine, is missing overseas with the Royal Canadian Air Force. The younger Irvine was to have been candidate for Edson in the federal election.

Recreation Centres For War Memorials

WETASKIWIN, Jan. 24—Premier T. C. Douglas advocates recreation centres as war memorials instead of such structures as cold cenotaphs in honor of the war dead.

NOTABLE RECORD

DUBLIN, 24—Frank Devine, Dublin mail sorter, was killed in a train accident and at the inquest company counsel said that in 20 years the Great Southern Railway has carried millions of passengers with no accident involving the death of a fare-paying passenger.

FIRST PAWNSHOPS

The first pawnshop was opened in Paris in 1624 and was closed a year later because the French couldn't reconcile themselves to the lawfulness of interest.

OLD NEWS MAN GREW WITH WEST

Eighty-Year-Old George Measham Held Variety of Jobs In Pioneer Days

WINNIPEG, Jan. 24—George Measham, dean of Winnipeg newspapermen, who celebrated his 80th birthday recently, has mastered what few accomplish—the art of growing old gracefully.

Active in mind and body, he keeps well informed on world affairs and has so many hobbies he scarcely has time to reminisce. He believes in keeping busy but has made it a rule never to hustle.

There is a story behind this. Some 40 years ago, George Measham suffered from a heart ailment and his doctor gave him only a short time to live. He was advised to take things easy and ever since no one has seen him in a hurry. As for the heart ailment, he is convinced that it has prolonged his life.

Like so many western pioneers Mr. Measham followed a wide variety of occupations before drifting into newspaper work. He worked on the C.P.R. when the road was being built through the mountains, he drove a mail coach for a while and worked in lumber camps. He is a veteran of the Northwest Rebellion.

Actress Loses Arm, To Continue Career

BIRMINGHAM, Eng., Jan. 24—Eunice Rogers, 24-year-old Birmingham actress who lost her right arm in a recent railway accident, will continue her career with a special "dress arm" for the stage. She won't, however, wear an artificial arm off-stage.

Miss Rogers, described by an assize court justice as "a lady of apparent wit and vivacity" in awarding her \$16,000 damages against the railway, intends to devote part of the money to a drama guild here. Proceeds from the guild's plays will go to a Birmingham hospital where Miss Rogers was treated and which, she says, "saved my life."

"The loss of my arm has been a marvelous experience," she told reporters. "It has developed my mind spiritually and this will help me in my plays."

Miss Rogers' liking for the stage began when she played in a show at the age of four. In 1940 she won a scholarship to the Royal Academy of Dramatic Art. She played a part in "L'Enfant Prodigieux" at the Mercury Theatre here but war interrupted her career.

After a spell as a nurse, she became advance manager for a touring theatrical company and in that capacity was stepping from a train compartment when she was hit by a freight train and lost the arm. She expects to be back on the stage by next Easter in a play to be produced by herself.

FOUR YEARS IN THIS WAR

Jan. 24, 1941—New council of nearly 200 created by Vichy Premier India arranged to account 38,000 Italian prisoners R.A.F. attacked British count Halifax, British ambassador to Washington, Annapolis, Md., on new battleship King George

FORTUNE TO MAN

SKINBURNERS, Eng. Sixteen years ago Cumberland town, Ann went to work as a Dr. Charles William Today she is the possessor £33,000 (about \$150,000) and a palatial home the left her when he died of \$1. Miss Hutchinson

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LONDON, Eng., 24—Cost of the Home Guard during 1944-45 is estimated at \$75,000,000 and the capital value of its stores, clothing and equipment at £60,854,000.

CFPR Radio Dial 1240 Kilocycles

(Subject to change)

WEDNESDAY—P.M. 4:00—Words With Music 4:15—G. I. Jive 4:30—Alouette Quartet 5:00—Music America Loves Best

5:30—Sports Roundup 5:45—Recorded 5:55—Capt. W. R. McAfee 6:00—Comrades in Arms 6:30—Information Please 7:00—CBC News 7:15—The Soldier's Return 7:30—Political Broadcast 8:00—Sweethearts 8:30—Music from the Pacific 9:00—Kay Kyser 9:15—Leicester Square 10:00—CBC News 10:10—Elmore Philippott 10:15—CBC News Roundup 10:30—Hit Parade 11:00—Silent

THURSDAY—A.M.

7:30—Musical Clock 8:00—CBC News 8:15—Front Line Family 8:30—Morning Concert 9:00—BBC News 9:15—Morning Devotions 9:30—Transcribed Varieties 9:45—March Time 10:00—Recorded 10:15—Consumer Service 10:30—Melody Roundup 10:45—Morning Visit 11:00—Scandinavian Melodies 11:15—To be announced 11:33—Message Period 11:35—Weather Forecast 11:36—Recorded 11:45—Personal Album

P.M.

12:00—CBR Concert Orchestra 12:30—CBC News 12:45—Lynne Murray 1:00—One Night Stand 1:30—Intermediate Music 2:00—Silent



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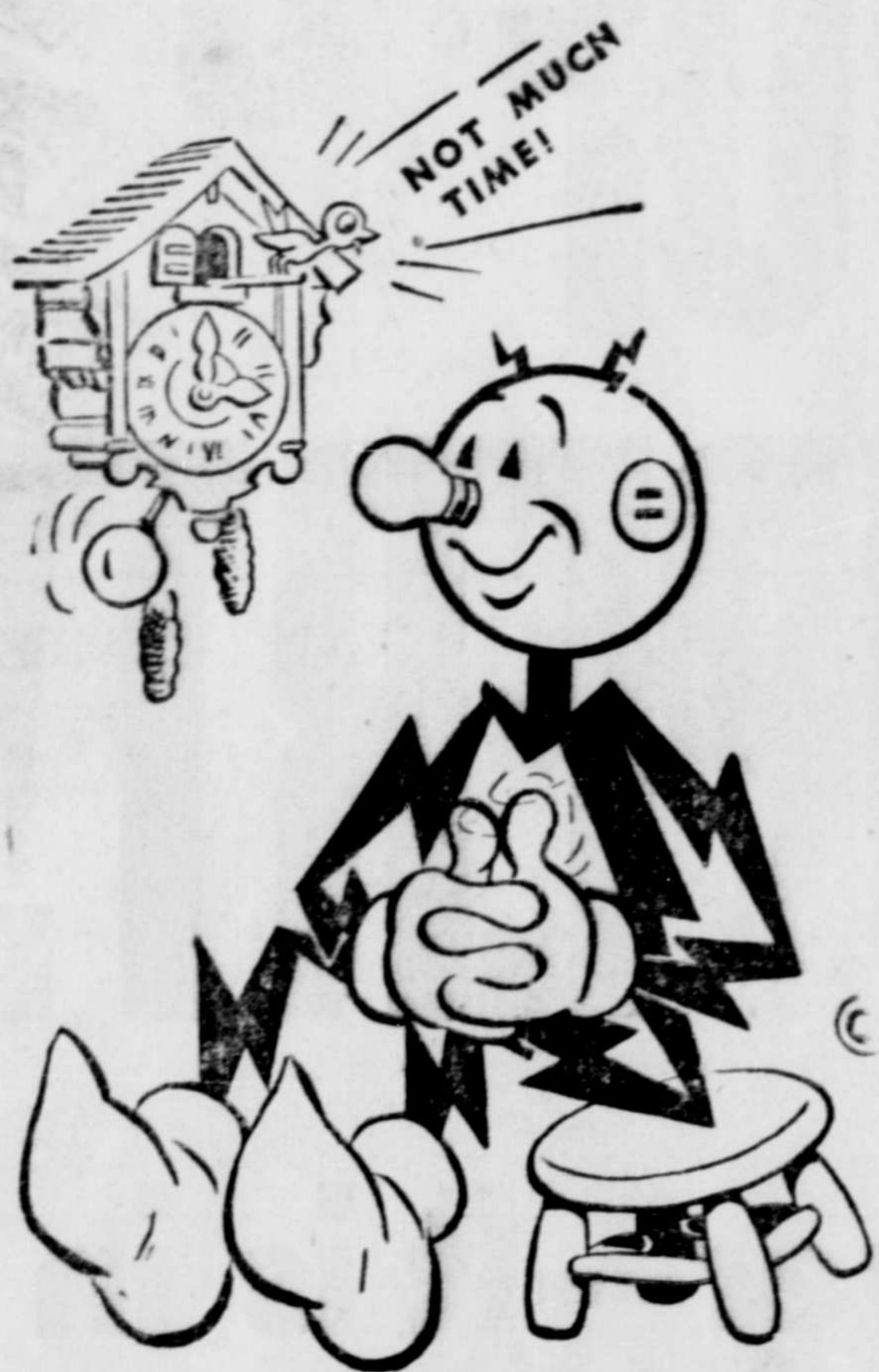
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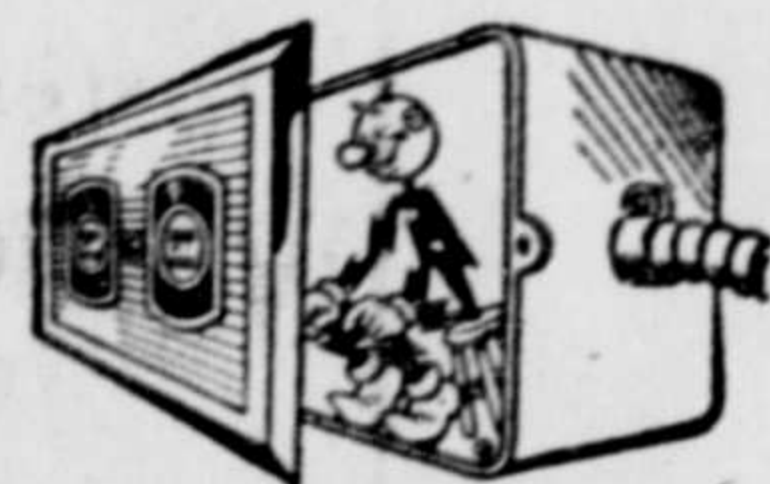
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Local News Items...

PHONE 86 TO CONTRIBUTE PERSONAL AND NEWS ITEMS

▲ Presbyterian Burns' Banquet, Thursday. Ticket holders only can be accommodated. (21)

Col. E. R. Paulin returned this morning from a trip to Vancouver.

Alderman W. H. Brett returned to the city this morning on the Prince Rupert from a business trip to Vancouver.

Olof Hanson M.P. arrived in the city on last night's train from Smithers and will be here for the next few days.

Robert Seal, advertising manager of the Alaska Fishing News, Ketchikan, is in the city today enroute to the Alaska town after a business trip to Seattle.

▲ St. Peter's Church annual meeting will be held in the hall on Wednesday, January 24, at 8 p.m. All church members invited to attend. (20)

D. W. McLeod, legal officer for the Royal Canadian Air Force in British Columbia, will be the speaker tomorrow at the weekly luncheon of the Prince Rupert Rotary Club.

▲ Applications for enrolment in St. John's First Aid course and Industrial First Aid course will be received in the Health Unit building, 2nd Ave., Friday January 26 at 8 p.m. (21)

Richard Nelson of Nelson Brothers Fisheries arrived in the city this morning from Vancouver. Norman Nelson, who has been in the district since the beginning of the year, is at present on a hunting trip.

▲ Burns Day Tomorrow — We have on hand haggis, white oatmeal pudding, blood pudding, Inglis Reid Ayrshire bacon, oat cake. We stock fresh-killed fowl, roasting chicken. Scott's Meat Market, Rand Block, Fulton Street, opposite Catholic School, phone Black 301. (11)

James Currie, well known local man who recently received a medical discharge from the R.C.A.F., arrived back in the city this morning accompanied by Mrs. Currie who went to Vancouver to meet her husband a short time ago. They were met at the wharf by Mr. Currie's mother, Mrs. Sam Currie, and their small daughter.

Don Forward, Y.M.C. war services supervisor, returned this morning from Vancouver.

Henry Friesen returned to the city this morning from a trip to Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Comer returned to the city this morning on the Prince Rupert from a trip to Vancouver.

Mayor H. M. Daggett is suffering from a cold which kept him away from his official duties today.

Miss Florence Johnston left on Monday night for a trip to Eastern Canada. Since the start of the war, Miss Johnston has been in Prince Rupert in charge of the brokerage business of her brother, Col. S. D. Johnston, who has just resigned from the Army.

▲ Support the I.O.D.E. campaign for MONEY FOR BOOKS for the ARMED FORCES. Campaign now on. Leave your donation at the Victory Loan Hut. The Hut will be open every afternoon this week. (20)

H. M. Shockley, who lived in Prince Rupert as a boy, attending school here, has been transferred from the apparatus sales department of Canadian General Electric Co. Ltd. in Toronto to the Vancouver district where he will serve as central station engineer.

Entertainment At W.O.T.M. Meeting

At the regular meeting of the Women of the Moose, Prince Rupert Chapter 211, Mrs. D. Barnes of Ketchikan Chapter 769 was a visitor. An entertaining social evening followed the business meeting. This was in charge of Francis Morrison and her committee. Contest winners were, "Song Titles," Cathie Armstrong; "Anagrams," Mrs. Browski; "It pays to be ignorant," Mrs. Murray; "Rupert Quiz," Mrs. Viereck. During refreshments, Mrs. Viereck, a pioneer of Prince Rupert for 37 years, gave an interesting talk on the early days of the city.

Newspaperman Took Highway Pictures

Pictures of the Skeena River Highway opening to be shown here next week were taken on 16 millimeter film by Al Williamson of the Vancouver News-Herald and show phases of the journey of the official caravan to Terrace on Labor Day and the road opening ceremony.

Minister of Lands Hon. E. T. Kenney has arranged to have them shown at Terrace this week and has advised Mayor Daggett that they will be available here next week.

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Briefs From Britain

By the Canadian Press

WATFORD, Eng. (P) — Watford's new mayor, Alderman Herbert Beall, 65, collapsed and died three minutes after taking the chair for the first time at a council meeting.

LONDON—Peter Freuchen, 60-year old Dane seven-foot tall who is an Arctic explorer despite a wooden leg, has left for Greenland to spend the rest of his life. "The Arctic has always been by real home and always will be," he said.

LONDON, (P)—To offset utility fashions, New Year styles in men's shirts are bright and cheering, with colors ranging from tomato, privet green and jasmine yellow to delphinium blue and slate grey.

Among some tribes of American Indians, sticks given to witnesses of a marriage are broken in case of divorce.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—Savage high-powered 22 calibre rifle, in good condition; reasonable price. Phone Black 251 after 6 p.m. (22)

SMITHERS MAN IS MAGISTRATE

VICTORIA, Jan. 24 (P) — An order-in-council approved Monday included the appointment of F. W. Boyd of Smithers to be a stipendiary magistrate.

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3 tsp. Magic Baking Powder
Sift together flour, baking powder, ½ tsp. salt, celery salt and pepper; add 3 tablespoons shortening; mix in thoroughly with fork. Add milk and stir until blended. Melt remaining two tablespoons shortening in 9" frying pan, and cook onions until soft. Add tomato soup, remaining ½ teaspoon salt and ground meat; bring to boil. Spread baking powder mixture on top of meat mixture and bake at 425°F. for about 20 minutes. Turn out upside down on large plate. Serves 8.

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The Experts

the Canadian Press

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AIR FORCE

- Ronald Allen Mike Hudema ...

PRISONERS IN GOOD SPIRITS

VATICAN CITY, Jan. 24.—American, Canadian and British ...

Having resigned this week ...

It pays to use the Classified Ad columns in the Daily News.

- *Wm. M. Brown Harold Leverett ...

U.S. ARMY

- Chester B. Clapp Terence Orme ...

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U.S. ARMY

- Mary McCaffery U.S. NAVY ...

U.S. ARMY

- Betty Barber Isobel Mackenzie ...

U.S. ARMY

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SAVE! SHOVELFUL IN 5 When you have counted Up to four Stop right there And shut the door DEPARTMENT OF MUNITIONS AND SUPPLY

RED CROSS ANNUAL MEETING Annual general meeting of the Prince Rupert Branch ...

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COLLECTIVE BARGAINING IS REQUIRED

REGINA, Jan. 24.—All employees of one or more union members ...

LISTED INJURED WHILE OVERSEAS

A Canadian Army casualty list released today lists the name of Pte. Albert Warner Judd ...

NORTHERN FLIERS PRESUMED DEAD

Royal Canadian Air Force casualty lists contain the names of two northern men—one from Ocean Falls ...

OTHER DISTRICT CASUALTIES

Other district casualties include the following: Seriously wounded—Lance Sergeant William George Tedford ...

TODAY'S STOCKS

Table with columns for Stock Name and Price. Includes Vancouver and Toronto sections.

The World's News Seen Through THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR An International Daily Newspaper

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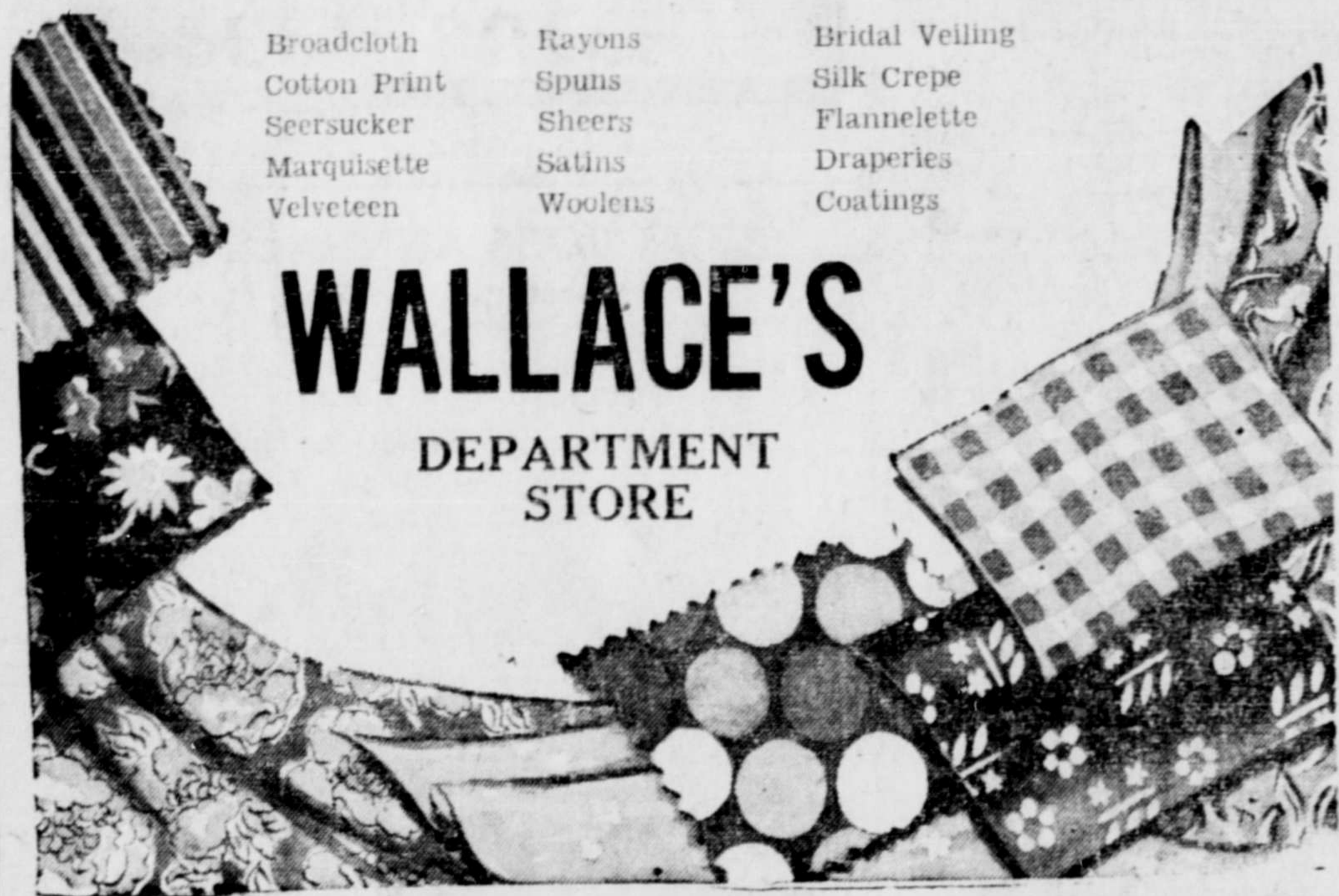
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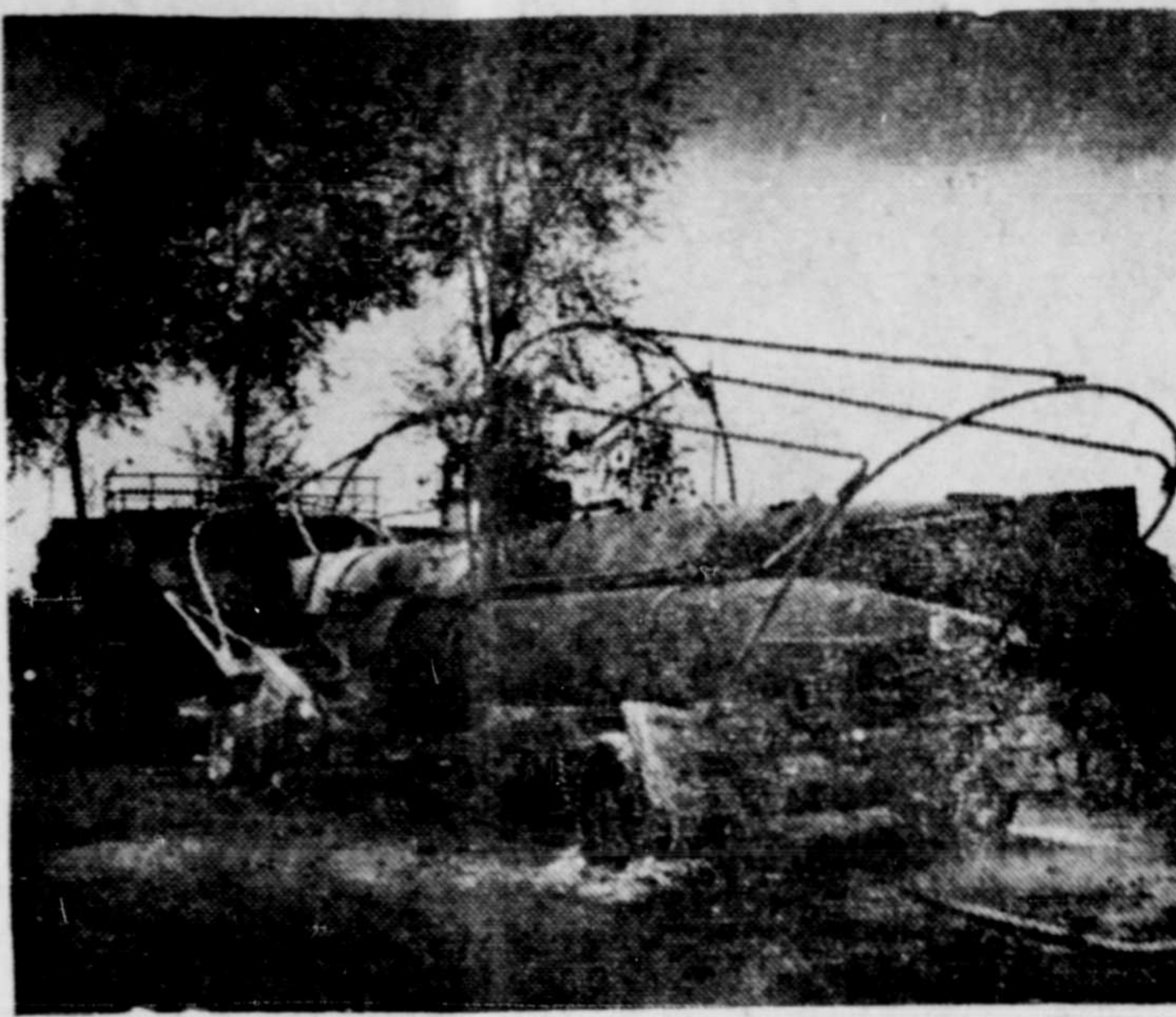
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QUIZZES TO BE BROADCAST

Gyros vs. Kinsmen On Tonight—High School Teams to Appear Thursday

Two "Capitol Quiz" programs will be broadcast from the theatre at 9 o'clock tonight and again at the same time tomorrow.

Tickets to the Capitol will be awarded as prizes and those endeavoring to cash in on the quiz tonight will be Mrs. Neva Asemisen, Mrs. Audrey Kellett, Maurice Brydges and Frank Skinner.

When the Booth Memorial High School teams meet on Thursday's quiz it will be a battle of the sexes—Vera Smith, Betty Pullen, Janet Rochester, Betty Hutchison for the girls, and John Kennedy, Pat Thorsen, Melvin Thompson and Hal Rogers for the boys.

SUCCUMBS IN ARMY HOSPITAL

This morning at 6 o'clock in the United States Army station hospital, Ernest Sarrell, employed by the Engineering Division of the U.S. Army as a steam engineer, succumbed to a heart attack.

Witchcraft Act Is Not Invoked

LONDON, Jan. 24.—A suggestion that the Witchcraft Act of 1735 and the Vagrancy Act of 1824 are being used for the persecution of spiritualistic mediums and are harsh and unjust in their operation has been refuted by Attorney-General Sir Donald Somervell.

In a reply in the Commons, Sir Donald said: "Prosecuting authorities do not institute proceedings except where they are satisfied that there is evidence of fraud or imposture."

Hockey Scores table with columns for National League and American League, listing teams and scores.

Hockey Standings table with columns for National League and American League, listing teams and their records.

Weather No Check To Princess Alice

OTTAWA, Jan. 24.—Leading Photographer Harry Scott, R.C.N.V.R., of Toronto, has just added Princess Alice to the list of notables he has snapped.

"She's the answer to the photographer's prayer, and she's just plain tops," he said after he had photographed her visit during sub-zero weather.

"For about 20 minutes she stood there watching the Wrens march past and in that time she not only never touched her ears, but she didn't move a muscle."

The British Boxing Board of Control lifted the color bar 13 years ago today, clearing the most anomalous position that ever existed in the British ring history.

Sport Chat

Gene Tunney, who retired undefeated after taking the heavyweight boxing crown from Jack Dempsey in 1926, gained his first championship 23 years ago last night by outpointing Battling Levinsky in 12 rounds for the U.S. light heavyweight title.

Tunney, who entered heavyweight ranks a few years later, now is in the U.S. navy.

The Japanese variety of peppermint has a much higher menthol content and a less fragrant odor than native American peppermint.

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

TAKE NOTICE that by Order of His Honor, W. E. Fisher, made on the 5th day of January, A.D. 1945, I was appointed Administrator of the Estate of Christopher William Andrew Neville Deceased.

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ON THE ROAD TO BRUSSELS—British troops blast the enemy in the backyard of a modest home in Western Europe while a few inches from them, the family crouches in a hole in the ground. No wonder civilians over there showered caresses and blessings on the soldiers as they advanced up the coast from Normandy to Brussels, a tortuous and heroic route recorded on film for the people of Canada in the production, "Left of the Line," being shown in theatres across the Dominion. "MONTY" VISITS U.S. SECTOR—Field Marshal Sir Bernard L. Montgomery, Allied commander on the northern flank of the German bulge, and Gen. Simpson, looking over the "dragon's teeth" forming part of the German Siegfried line, during a recent visit to the U.S. sector.