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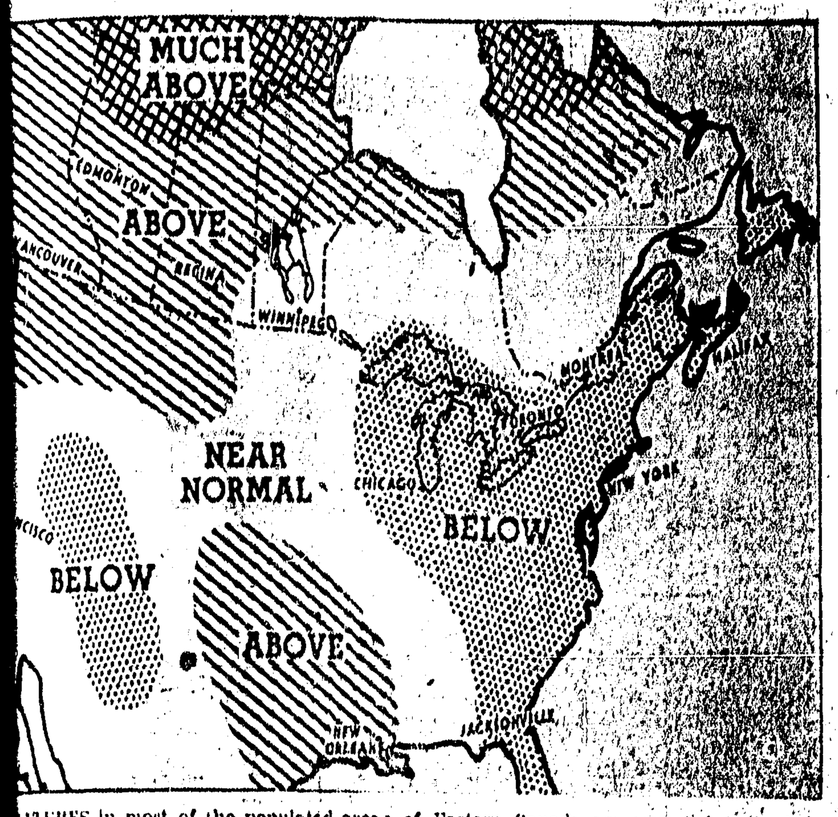

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Rupert Civic Workers Heading Towards Conciliation On Wages

City To Stand Pat; Report Urges Boost

Negotiations between the city and its civic employees including firemen appeared headed for conciliation today with a statement from Mayor George E. Hills that the city's wage committee feels this year there is no justification for a wage increase.

The city's stand is an answer to demands by Local No. 5 of the Civic Employees Federal Union for a wage boost of 10 cents an hour across the board plus other benefits and Local 559 of the International Association of Fire Fighters for a 3 per cent wage increase and fringe benefits.

Mayor Hills said that the wage committee, composed of the chairman of the city council's standing committees was going to stand pat by its decision.

Next step would be application for a provincial government conciliation officer.

"Under the new government school formula there will be no gift money coming from anywhere," the mayor said.

To increase wages it would be necessary to increase taxation or cut down on services, either in manpower or in some other way, the mayor pointed out.

REPORT ON WAGES

To support their claim for a wage increase, the firemen have a preliminary report of wage trends in the province contained in a letter from Hector Wright, president of the Vancouver local of the firemen's union and vice president of the IAFF (western district).

The statement from Mr. Wright indicates that Burnaby firefighters have been unofficially offered a 3 per cent wage boost and that settlement on the contract is expected today. All civic employees in New Westminster will receive a 3 per cent hike automatically, the report continues, and West Vancouver has given both inside and outside employees a 3 per cent increase, with the firemen's wages not yet settled.

Vancouver is the only city to suggest a cut, the report says, adding that the metropolitan centre had suggested a 5 per cent decrease. The outside Vancouver city workers deadlock is going before conciliation board today.

TREND STILL UPWARD

However, Mr. Wright pointed out that the wage trend is still upward in B.C. and that the Vancouver council's suggestion to cut wages 5 per cent would have to be changed.

In a letter to council February 17, the firefighters said that the B.C. industrial wage average had increased far beyond the three per cent requested.

"The 3 per cent asked must be considered a minimum to bring firemen's wages up to the living standards enjoyed by others," the firefighters letter stated.

Mayor Hills said this morning that the wage structure of civic employees here was very good.

"Wages paid civic employees are comparable to wages paid in similar jobs," Mayor Hills said.

Wage Offer Said Part of Campaign

VANCOUVER (CP)— Canadian Congress of Labor charged Monday a 2½ cent hourly wage boost offered striking Burrard Drydock electricians is part of a management campaign to force wage demands down throughout British Columbia.

In a letter to 87 local unions throughout the province, B.C. officers of the CCL warned that a wage pattern set for eight out of nine unions at the shipyard would vitally affect other unions.

All unions except the striking Electrical Trades Union (CCL) have settled for a pay hike of 2½ cents this year and 2½ cents next year.

"This issue is important . . . for the fact that a 26-cent wage pattern established now while B.C. companies are still making exorbitant profits make your chances less of getting the wage increases to which you're entitled," the letter said.

The letter added that 300 ETU men would be needed for $75,000,000 worth of naval contracts awarded Burrard Drydock.

"This will be a most difficult task if a 35-cent per hour differential between the construction industry and the marine industry is maintained."

Union had asked for a 15-per-cent wage boost and went on strike Jan. 13 to back up its demand.

All other unions now are back at the yard after respecting ETU picket lines for more than a month.

LARRY AND GARY STALLEY, six-month-old twins, have mixed reactions to comedian Danny Kay's celebrated charm as they squirm in his arms during a recess in the filming of "The Court Jester" at Paramount. Though both twins will appear in the film with Kaye, they will not be on screen simultaneously. Playing the role of the Infant King of England in the 12th Century, they will alternate as principal and stand-in to satisfy the California law which allows children to remain under the glaring Klieg lights only a few minutes a day.

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...ay, Reed's rink trounced ...otia 12-7 in the first ...lost to Saskatchewan ...score in the second. ...h round play tonight the Kelowna rink will be matched with Prince Edward Island who have a 2-1 record, gaining one win in a thrilling extra end game 7-6 with Northern Ontario yesterday.

Saskatchewan and Ontario retain the lead in the 'spiel going through to the third round without a defeat. Saskatchewan and Nova Scotia tangled today in a thriller which saw the westerners break up the game with a three on the eighth end and going on to take a 6-4 decision.

In other third round play, Quebec eked out a 9-8 win over New Brunswick. Other rinks with a 2 and 1 record in the 'spiel are Alberta, Quebec, Northern Ontario and Prince Edward Island. New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Manitoba have lost three.

Other fourth-round play will see Nova Scotia pitted against Manitoba, Northern Ontario against New Brunswick, Quebec against Alberta and Saskatchewan meets Ontario.

Invasion Scare Given Nationalists

TAIPEI, Formosa (AP) — China threw an invasion scare against tiny Nanchishan today, but apparently backed off just as it appeared the Communists were ready to launch their long-expected assault.

Chinese Nationalist reports said Communist warships headed toward the, three-quarter-mile island and Nationalist planes and ships rushed to engage them.

But no attack developed.

From the little information available here, it appeared the Red ships changed their course to mainland harbors.

Official reports said two Communist planes flew over Nanchishan today but there was no contact with any Nationalist planes.

Meanwhile, Nationalist president Chiang Kai-shek's warplanes kept the civil war alive against, New Brunswick, Quebec with the fifth straight day of attacks against China's buildup base on the Taishan Islands

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Cancer in Second Place As Killer of Children

CLEVELAND (AP) -- More children die from cancer than from any other cause except accidents, Dr. C. Everett Koop of Philadelphia said Monday.

Mr. Koop, associate professor of surgery at the University of Pennsylvania, spoke at a convention session of the American College of Surgeons.

He said half the cases of cancer in children were on the central nervous system or eye, or in the circulatory system as leukemia and lymphoma.

In the remaining half of cancer incidence, abdominal cancer is the chief killer of children, Dr. Koop said.

WEATHER

North Coast Region— Cloudy with a few sunny periods today. Cloudy tonight and Wednesday. Rain Wednesday afternoon and evening. Little change in temperature. Light winds increasing to southerly 25 in exposed waters Wednesday afternoon. Low tonight and high Wednesday at Port Hardy, Sandspit and Prince Rupert 35 and 45.

Federal, Provincial, U.S. Parley Urged on Dam Deal

VICTORIA (AP) — British Columbia, in disagreement with Ottawa over the building of the proposed Kaiser dam in the Kootenay district, favors a conference of federal, provincial and United States officials to resolve the issue.

Premier Bennett said in the legislature yesterday such a conference could aid B.C. in planning for the development of power resources to the province's best interest.

He made the statement in answer to Vincent Segur (CCF-Revelstoke) who suggested during the budget debate that the province defer construction of the Kaiser dam. He suggested two plans for construction of the Mica creek head on the Columbia.

Mr. Segur said he was against private development of the Columbia water resources — the proposed plan calls for Kaiser aluminum of the U.S. to build the dam — and called on the government to defer construction.

He asked the government to find out from Ottawa if the senior government would contribute toward the building and said if that failed, then B.C. should make an agreement with the Bonneville Power Authority in the state of Washington for them to build the dam.

B.C. could pay for the job, he said, by exporting 50 per cent of the power generated for a certain length of time.

Today, Liberal leader Arthur Laing, who follows George Moxham (SC-Vancouver Centre,) may add to the fiery forests debate over which Mr. Gibson was suspended.

Education Minister Ray Williston will wind up the debate Wednesday.

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — Reveling thousands and a tripled police cordon greeted Mardi Gras in a downpour today, watching expectantly for the big parades and uneasily for further rioting.

Mardi Gras, a special kingdom of frivolity and masquerading, is ruled by three madcap kings in Rex, lord of misrule and king of carnival; Comus, god of gaiety and oldest of the mardi gras monarchs; and Zulu happy-go-lucky king of the Negroes.

Mystery Plan To Combat Crime Wave in Vancouver

VANCOUVER (AP) — Vancouver police are carrying the fight against crime to the criminals — behind a wall of secrecy.

Chief Walter Mulligan, walking out of a police commission meeting Monday night, told reporters his force of 725 men is working on a "mystery plan."

He said full information on all addicts and drug pushers had been given to every man on the force and a constant drive is under way.

"Of course, there are certain other confidential steps being taken which may be divulged later," he added.

Chief Mulligan has said that 70 per cent of Vancouver's crimes of violence stem from the illegal sale of narcotics.

LOTS OF WORK ON

Crimes under investigation include last weekend's slaying of an East Indian truck driver and the wounding of his wife, a gangland style bombing and a skid road throat-slashing.

The new police drive is headed by Det. Sgt. Archie Plummer, former RCMP officer who will co-ordinate the fight against drug peddlers and distributors. Plummer, 20 years on the city force, previously served with the RCMP in Alberta.

Vancouver has 2,000 known addicts and scores of peddlers working along skid road and in Chinatown.

In last weekend's shooting, a 14-year-old boy, stepson of a police officer, was arrested. The shooting was believed done with the policeman's service revolver, found at the scene with five spent shells.

Jacob Leonhard, thought to be the victim of an underworld bombing, lies with a broken back and a fractured leg, speechless, in hospital under police guard.

NOTES NO HELP

He is regaining his speech slowly and on Monday scribbled his first notes to officers — the word "Good" repeated over and over and the initials "J.W." police said they did not know what Leonhard was trying to tell them.

In the skid road stabbing, Albert Gagne was slashed through the throat with a butcher knife. Charged with attempted murder in the inflicting of the 60-stitch wound was John Chilton.

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...GAS, Nev. (AP) — The ...of the 1955 atomic ...was fired at 5:45 a.m. ...CST today ...h lighted up the desert ...plainly visible in Las ...miles southeast, and ...cles 275 miles south...

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...however, was strong ...rattle buildings in ...about seven minutes ...re was no initial report ...nage.

Need For Fire-Proof Accommodation Points Up Necessity of New Museum

Fire-proof accommodation is necessary before the local museum can operate to the greatest benefit of the city, Dr. R. G. Large said in his president's report for 1954 at the annual meeting of the museum last night. He stressed that this made it imperative to make every effort to obtain a new building.

"The long range problem is the procuring of a new building, and this should not be lost sight of in the pressure of immediate financing," he said.

"Our building fund is still small but we must leave no stone unturned to keep it growing. Only when we have fire-proof accommodations can we hope to make the museum contribute its proper share to the culture and education of the community. We are slowly accumulating certain valuable historical documents and these require storage in fire-proof archives."

Dr. Large pointed out, however, that considerable work was done during the year to improve the present structure both inside and out. He reported that a volunteer group under W. C. R. Jones had, at no cost to the museum, made extensive repairs of the building's foundation and that interior decoration had been carried out, with the Junior Chamber of Commerce supplying the labor. He also spoke of the improvement in displays accomplished under the direction of Jack Scott, and of the installation of large glass cases provided by Lindsay Carriage Company through Bert Field.

LITTLE ROOM FOR DISPLAYS

"Room for displays has always been at a premium," he said, "and during the summer we moved the Indian canoe outdoors to give more space on the ground floor. The public works department of the city very kindly built a shelter over the canoe which now becomes a permanent exhibit in front of the museum."

Reporting for the new building committee, Mr. Jones said there appears to be no suitable privately held property that can be procured by the museum board. He added, however, that parks board areas were available and that his committee recommended Totem Park as the best site.

He said the maximum estimated cost of putting up a new building was $71,000. If plans were made to include a new library, as has been suggested, the cost would be increased by approximately $15,000.

Mr. Jones reported that during the year several Canadian and American organizations had been approached on the possibility of giving financial assistance to the project, without success.

"The committee is of the opinion that the most hopeful course towards success in securing proper housing for the museum and other cultural activities of the community would be to have the program ready for action when the city will undertake the building of new civic buildings," he said. "To this end it is recommended that a continuing and increased effort be made by the board to augment the building fund."

DESIGN FOR BUILDING

The committee's report included a suggested design for the new building which was pictured as an Indian "Great House" blended with a modern functional structure. It was visualized as measuring 96 feet long and 50 feet wide and containing the two-tier platform predominant in the Haida "Great House." Mr. Jones expressed thanks to Charles Dudoward, Port Simpson, and Karl Andren for their help in preparing the design.

As secretary - curator, Mrs. Jocelyn Bolton reported that 5,000 guests had registered at the museum in 1954, compared to 2,850 in 1953.

"Many guests in the tourist season do not sign the book, which makes the average even higher," she said. "I am glad to report that many more local people are enjoying the museum and that the children have patronized the premises during the past six months and are still coming during the winter months."

ANOTHER MILESTONE in a colorful career was marked today by veteran alderman George R. Casey who today celebrates his 70th birthday. Born in Chatham, Ont., the self-styled "watch-dog of the city council" came out west before the turn of the century to California and Oregon. In Rossland during the gold boom there, he met and married Clara Ellen Judfield on July 1, 1902. He arrived in Prince Rupert in 1910 and has been active in civic politics for 40 years. Today a host of friends dropped in to congratulate him at his home at 1122 Eleventh Avenue East.

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CMHC HOUSING EXHIBITION DISPLAYED AT CIVIC CENTRE

A series of 12 panels prepared by Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation to assist Canadian families "plan more efficient and attractive homes," has been hung in the lobby of the Civic Centre.

Brought to Prince Rupert Art Club, the diagrams are intended to show prospective home builders how they may plan their homes from the original size desired down to the most convenient storage space suitable to the home chosen.

The diagrams and explanations show the small home builder how cooking, laundry, dining room, living room and bedroom space can be laid out to the best advantage.

The panels will be on display for about two weeks, Mrs. J. T. Harvey, Art Club secretary said.

Dr. R. G. Large Re-Elected To Head Museum

Dr. R. G. Large was re-elected president at the museum's annual meeting last night. J. H. Scott was named vice-president and Mrs. Jocelyn Bolton was returned as secretary-treasurer.

Directors elected were Rev. Canon Basil Proctor, Bert Field, J. F. Magor, Mrs. Peter Bird, J. G. Lewis and R. H. S. Sampson.

Masons Arrive From Ketchikan

About 40 members of the Ketchikan Masonic lodge No. 169 arrived in Prince Rupert this morning and afternoon to pay a visit to the two Prince Rupert lodges.

The Alaskan Masons arrived aboard five planes chartered from Ellis Air Lines. Host to the Americans will be Prince Rupert Lyon and Tsimpsean lodges AF & AM. The visitors will work with the local lodges for two nights and leave by boat tomorrow evening.

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Paving Way For Airport.

ONE of the smoothest jobs on a major issue seen around here in a long time has been that of the city airport committee in presenting its brief to the federal government.

The two delegates who made the trip to Ottawa, J. T. Harvey and Dr. L. M. Greene, did so with a thorough knowledge of their subject and a supporting case that would stand up under the closest examination. Equally important was that they went with the backing of a city which had shown sufficient good faith to spend some money in getting professional advice to make sure this was no fool's errand.

No one expected the delegates would exact an immediate promise that an airport would be built, and no such promise was given. But it is clear from their report that the officials they saw went far beyond the formalities which would have served if there was no intent to consider the matter further. Technicians were called in to study the brief and the impression was created generally that interest had moved safely past the principle involved and into the details.

It must be remembered, of course, that there is something more to the case than the city's conviction such an airport is necessary. Canadian Pacific Air Lines has long felt the strain of serving this district via Sandspit and is giving its full support to the proposal. It is a factor that the federal government must consider carefully, for with shipping companies evidently finding it difficult to maintain their northern passenger service the need for adequate air facilities is greater than ever.

On occasions it has been suggested that Terrace might provide such facilities, but fortunately the air now seems to be clear of this strange idea. Transport Minister Marler, in his first look at the case, immediately agreed that the intervening distance of 100 miles was too great. In the time required to make such a trip, a traveller could fly from Prince Rupert direct to Vancouver and back again. Moreover he would have greater certainty of making the flight since the minimum requirements for aircraft landings at Terrace are a 1,500-foot ceiling with three-mile visibility, while those at Prince Rupert are a 600-foot ceiling with one-mile visibility.

Although the outlook is promising at this point, it is reassuring to know that the airport committee will continue to function as an active body. Its presence is necessary up to the very point when equipment moves in to start digging.

Those Who Enlist

CANADA's forces today are getting youths who, having sampled civilian life with its ease, freedom, comfort, and relative safety, have deliberately chosen a sterner way.

However much conditions of service have improved, there still remain the regimentation, discipline and occasional hardship inseparable from military training.

The aspiring recruit knows this quite as well as he knows that in the Navy, Army or Air Force he will find comradeship, good food, recreational facilities and the chance for travel, adventure and advancement.

He is also aware that if trouble comes he will be in it at the risk of life and limb.

Every Canadian who fought in, over or around Korea made this choice when he walked into the recruiting office or entered a service college long before Korea became a battleground.

—Brantford Expositor.

POLICE DISCOVER DRUGS HIDDEN IN LIGHT FIXTURE

VANCOUVER (CP) — Members of Vancouver's drug squad never know where the evidence will be found.

Police witness a testified in court Monday they found two balloons containing nine capsules of heroin cached in a light fixture in the room of 37-year-old John Lee.

He was sentenced to five years for possessing drugs.

"What do you do for a living," asked the court.

"I deal in junk," replied Lee, who hastily added: "I mean cast iron and steel."

Junk is a common underworld term for narcotics.

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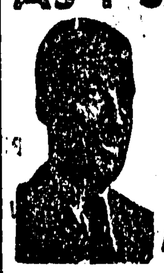

by Elmore Philpott

Strasser Danger

DR. OTTO STRASSER has left Canada, on his way back to Germany, from which he escaped 20-odd years ago.

Hitler's former pal seems to have absorbed very little of the spirit of democracy during the ten years in which he lived as an exile in Paradise, Nova Scotia.

Consider this parting statement, made by Strasser in Montreal:

"For 12 of those terrible years, I can thank Adolph Hitler. For the other 10, Mr. Henry Morgenthau and his blacklist."

Strasser added comment about Margenthau being "the symbol of powers greater than governments." In other words, Strasser intends to pick up the pieces exactly where he left off when he broke with Hitler.

It is worth remembering that Strasser broke with Hitler only because Hitler put more stress on nationalism whereas he (Strasser) put the stress on what he miscalled "socialism."

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STRASSER says he intends to try to unify Germany behind a Solidarity party.

The economic system would be based on what he calls three-way partnership between the state, the employers and the workers.

That sounds innocent enough. But in his previous writings, Strasser has given a clear hint of what he intends to try to do. Writing in a U.S. German language paper, Nord-Amerika, on October 28, 1948 Strasser said that in the event of a third world war the Germans would help "to arrest the 200,000 British and Americans in a single night without any struggle."

Strasser reasoned that this task would be ridiculously easy because Germans would have "exact knowledge of the private quarters of every officer and the location of every tank and airplane."

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ONE of Strasser's close associates is Bruno Fricke, also a Blank Front leader. Fricke addressed a direct appeal to Stalin in 1949 for a straight military alliance between Communist Russia and a revived nationalist Germany.

It was published in the highly respected Buerger Zeitung of Chicago and begins: "Your intelligence service will tell you who I am."

The key paragraph of the remarkable message is this:

"We Germans do not want anything to do with the West, with the Yankees, with their capitalistic exploitation and their political, arrogance. We Prussians have always been closely associated with the Russians; we Germans glory in the traditions of Bismark, Freiher von Stein and Maria Theresa, and we as a politically trained people have never forgotten Lenine's intelligent words about the desire for co-operation between Germany and Russia. We are actually predestined for an alliance with Moscow . . ."

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IT IS as clear as anything can be in this confused world that Dr. Otto Strasser's new Solidarity party will make its real bid for a tie-up with Russia.

It could be that the pending inclusion of a free and democratic Germany in NATO will be the device which will defeat Strasser and those other evil leaders who think like him.

But nobody in the west should be under any illusions. Strasser's return to Germany is a bad sign.

Legally, of course, there was no way that Canada could have prevented his return.

But the battle is one for the mind, the heart, the soul of Germany.

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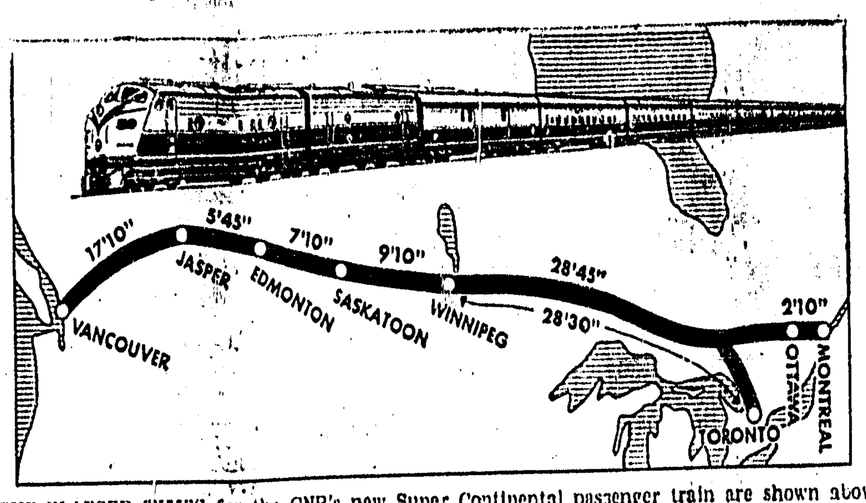

THE ELAPSED TIMES for the CNR's new Super Continental passenger train are shown above. The accent is on convenient arrival and departure times at main centres along the 2,930-mile route, but 14 hours and 5 minutes will be chopped off the run from Montreal to Vancouver, and a new fast record time established for train travel between the east and Winnipeg. The Super Continental will go into service on April 24 and be made up of new equipment, both first class and tourist.

THE LETTERBOX

MAY BE TOO TOLERENT

The Editor,
The Daily News:

The Committee on Education Week is to be congratulated in having fired an opening gun by raising the subject of Dr. Hilda Neatby's "Temperate Dispute." I can think of no way in which more interest could be raised in the true function of Education in our time.

May I tell your readers what I think this dispute is about?

On the one hand we have the vast multi-million dollar education industry engaged in doing a job which is demanded of it, namely the integration of the children into our very complicated industrial and technical society.

On the other hand we have people like Miss Neatby . . . lots of people . . . who are worried lest the educational system does such a good job of integration that they destroy what, after all, is essential in a democratic society, and that is not only the right to think and to criticise, but the will to think and to criticise.

Our educational system can very easily lead to the production of a new generation which can be led around by the nose and whipped into line because they have never been taught or encouraged to think.

Mr. Sutton admires the present generation of students because they are "tolerant." Some of us are disturbed lest they be too tolerant, for tolerance could be mental laziness, especially in the young.

The problem that I see in this dispute is that I doubt if you can ask secular education to provide students with the will to think. The canons of judgment which make true criticism valid come not from inside but from outside the society — in other words from our religious faith. I am quite sure that you cannot guarantee to produce thinkers in a university, and on this point, I am sure both Dr. Neatby and Mr. Sutton would also agree.

BASIL S. PROCKTER,
Prince Rupert.

Home Building Proves Threat To Apartments

VANCOUVER (CP) — The Vancouver Herald says construction of ultra - modern high - rise apartment blocks in Vancouver may be reaching the saturation point and could lead to the first rental drop in this area in 15 years.

The Herald, quoting results of a survey it conducted, says there is, however, no sign of a slackening of the construction rate. Latest reports show there are close to $750,000 in apartments under construction.

Apartment owners, the story said, were faced with increasing competition from home construction.

Pope, Cardinals Hold Meeting

VATICAN CITY (Reuters) — The Pope today presided over a meeting of cardinals for the first time since his illness last December.

The pontiff, who will be 79 next week, has been slowly regaining strength after the crisis which caused grave fears for his life.

Ten cardinals of the Roman curia, the central government of the Roman Catholic church, attended today's meeting in the Vatican Palace.

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Ray REFLECTS and REMINISCES

George Drew is back home as leader of the Opposition and some of his friends are trying to make him fancy he's far stronger than he actually is. For some time it is thought his proper course should be a life of leisure. But that is precisely what he does not wish. That's what he is hoping to escape from. At least for the present.

Atmosphere, a restaurant official tells a group of cafe operators is the most important factor at dinner. A tender steak can help.

A hair in the head is worth two in the brush.

John Fisher receives about 3300 invitations annually to speak at dinner meetings and banquets in all parts of the United States and Canada. He was on the air last week and in boosting Canada has won wide recognition. Born in Sackville, N.B., he is called Canada's best commentator by the nation's editors and radio broadcasters.

From the Erie, Pa., Times: Four rooms, bath, laundry. Everything reasonable but the landlord.

Princess Margaret was picking her way through the crowds at Barbadoes less than a week ago. There chanced to be an extra special display of rum but one of the heirs to the throne declined the invitation to accept a drop. Had she sipped the distinguished beverage she would, in effect have given her personal endorsement to the rum and sugar industries. And perhaps its just as well something else was consumed.

The peaceful province of New Brunswick had a whale of a storm last week. Blown outside his barn, the farmer found the gale so severe he was prevented from being blown back and was still clinging to his cows tail when the barn was found in a state of collapse.

John Hodgson is the sort of man who feels he is needed as much in Edmonton as ever. He will tell you that plenty of fresh little problems accompanied the arrival of oil in Alberta soil.

A man who robbed a cafe the other day was very surprised to be hit over the head with a broom by one of the waitresses. And yet, what else could he have expected but a brush-off.—Whig Standard.

COSTLY INTERFERENCE

NORTHAMPTON, England (CP) Soccer player Robert Patterson went to hospital after a spectator hit him on the head during a match. Club chairman E. C. Hawtin said "It might well be we could claim the match void." Playing a man short after the incident, Northampton Town lost 2-1 to Leyton Orient.

AFRICAN URANIUM

World's richest uranium deposits are in the southern part of the Belgian Congo.

NEW SAAR STAMP — Evidently believing that charity begins at home, the Saar Post Office officials recently issued this stamp honoring a postman. In the "Stamp Day, 1955" commemoration issue, a rural letter carrier is shown with the Tillingen, a Saar parochial church, in the background.

SHERBROOKE, Que. (CP)—Fire losses in Sherbrooke last year reached $222,000, almost four times higher than property damage in 1953. Death toll in fires however was reduced from four to two.

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OTTAWA DIARY By M. W.

What some mischievous minds on the Opposition side of the House would like to see happen is for some provincial government — or, preferably, all provincial governments — outside Quebec to enact a one percent provincial income tax.

For automatically the residents of such a province or provinces would be entitled to deduct 10 per cent from their federal income tax payments. The province would gain the one percent revenue. But its taxpayers would have a net of nine percent in their income tax payments.

That's one of the loopholes which eagle-eyed opposition critics are finding in the federal government's income tax deal with Quebec province. Ostensibly it is a deal open to any province which decides to impose an income tax — regardless of the height of its levy. In other words, the imposition of a one-percent provincial income tax would entitle the province's residents to the across-the-board deduction of 10 percent from their Federal payments now being conceded to Quebec taxpayers.

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While not too much is being heard these days about the Quebec-Ottawa income tax deal, MP's on both sides of the House are doing a lot of quiet home-work on it. Indications are it is going to emerge most explosive feature of budget debate a week hence.

Opposition MP's are demonstrating that the 10 per cent across-the-board deduction leaves Quebec income earners better off than their low victims in other provinces.

The aim of Liberals, on the other hand, is to do the opposite, namely, instead of being left in a worse position by the Ottawa concession, taxpayers still are worse off.

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Curiously enough, Ottawa is able to prove its point with facts and figures. It is only for them to be careful to use the right figures for the respective purposes.

For example, no man with an income of $2,000 a year or less pays any income tax in Quebec. He is unabled, despite this agreement, to deduct 10 per cent of his federal tax, which is imputed on all incomes in excess of $2,000. Similar deductions in favor of single taxpayers also exist in the 10 per cent deal in other brackets.

But once the Quebec taxpayer enters the higher brackets such favoritism speeches. Hence Liberals can argue some force that on balance Quebec taxpayer is better off than his fellow-Canadian despite the 10 per cent concession which the Province has given him.

BACK TO WORK — Hon. George Drew waves as he enters the House of Commons to resume his duties as opposition leader after being out of action since meningitis hit him last November 11. The 60-year-old leader of the Progressive Conservative party was greeted by applause from Commons members (CP Photo)

Indian Woman Suffers Burns

PORT ALBERNI, B.C. — Sophie Williams, aged [illegible] man, was in only fair condition in Westcoast General hospital here Monday, undergoing treatment for serious burns.

She is believed more than [illegible] years old.

Mrs. Williams was found Sunday by mercy plane at Bamfield, 30 miles south of the mouth of Alberni inlet.

She was burned when her house caught fire in her Indian village bin.

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found by Mrs. "Cloisters," among sincere thrush occupants, plus the in the path unwary children of the best ment the Little the opinion of produced to date.

Bernice Cooper, high school Festival to play moved and smoothly noticeable

PERFORMANCE role as Mrs. Robertson turned and polished and other mem- family." Ken McIn- the senator of Bob Chidwick as who had reversed than and Marilyn divorces behind be desired in Mrs. Savage's chil- dren.

Basil Prockter as Dr. Emmett and Shirley Hill as Miss Willie, both members of the staff of The Cloisters, also turned in excellent performances.

But the bulk of any praise must go to those who portrayed "the guests" an erratic quintet who had, each in his own way, shut out the world of reality but who individually and collectively rise to aid their newest member, Mrs. Savage.

BETTER ON INSIDE

Pat Gordon as the tragically thwarted Florence, Keith Faught as Hannibal the would-be musician, Joy Reed as Fairy May, the "plain Jane," Pat Bolton as Jeffrey, the war victim and Georgiana McNay as the sullen Mrs. Paddy turned in first-rate characterizations, leaving the audience to wonder if, perhaps, things weren't really better "on the inside."

The stage setting was well done and the lighting, while a trifle dim, helped create the correct atmosphere of unreality.

Stage manager was Roy Wicks, while others behind the scenes were Bob Hill, Robin Bird, Noreen Renshaw, Gayle Leeman, Jim Cumming, Dave Yule, Helen Kontratiuk and Bob Irving, stage hands; Verna Faught, Nina Youngman, Bernice Woodside and Gerry Woodside, make-up; Jim Cumming, lights.

Ushers at the Civic Centre were members of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion.

Publicity was handled by John Robertson and promotion by Ruth Foster.

The play will be presented for its final performance tonight, with curtain time at 8:30 p.m. —GOBA.

...nship Council Planning ...ges To Its Constitution

...made in the ...of the Prince Rupert ...Council, a well-at- ...ess and social meet- ...Civic Centre was told

...president, ...constitution limits the scope of the council without giving it any definite plan of action. The next meeting of the council will vote on the revised constitution to remedy the situation Mr. Hankinson said.

A question panel followed with questions on citizenship asked by the general meeting and answered by Chief Immigration Inspector Harry Macnaughton, Miss E. Rivett, council director and Mr. Hankinson.

Questions were also answered in foreign languages by W. Scholten, who spoke in Dutch and J. Barazúol, who spoke in Italian.

Two films "Citizen Varek" and "Holiday in Nova Scotia" supplied by the Prince Rupert Film Council were shown.

John Niccoli provided European and popular accordian music during the serving of the refreshments arranged by the Ladies Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion under the direction of president, Mrs. Fred Barber.

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Corned Beef Spices Spaghetti. For a new version of spaghetti (the kind from cans), spice it off with corned beef. Pour 1 can of spaghetti with tomato sauce into a pan. Add 1 cup chopped corned beef. The corned beef can be the canned kind . . . use about half of one of the 12 ounce cans. Season it if you like with a teaspoon of horseradish or some prepared mustard. Arrange the spaghetti on a platter with broccoli at each end. Pass hot French bread to go with it. This whole meal is a breeze to fix, a pleasure to eat.

Cook Sauerbraten Simple Way. International celebrity among foods is sharp-sweet beef Sauerbraten. You can stir it up in your own kitchen with hardly any effort, thanks to today's handy grocery specialties. Start with a can of rich, brown beef gravy and 4 minute steaks (1 package frozen steaks). Proceed like so: brown steaks and a small sliced onion in 2 tablespoons butter or margarine until steaks can be easily pulled apart and onion is tender. Add 1 can of beef gravy (1½ cups) 2 tablespoons lemon juice or vinegar, 6 crumbled gingersnaps, and ½ teaspoon salt. Simmer together, stirring occasionally, until sauce is thickened. This makes 4 grand-tasting servings.

THIS CHECKED DRESS is designed for casual wear. The semi-full circular skirt, complete with self crinoline, falls gently from below the knotched cuff, which encircles the hip. Deep shoulder darts give added fullness to the short, dolman sleeve with crisp white cuffs. (CP Photo)

City Resident Off To Europe

A six month tour of Europe will start for William Toderas, 21, of 1428 Piggott Place, this Thursday when he leaves New York aboard the Cunard liner Samaria.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harrison, of Prince Rupert, Mr. Toderas will land at Southampton and travel to Chepstow, in south Wales to visit his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harrison.

His tour of the continent will include a trip to Paris and other parts of France as well as cities in Germany. Mr. Toderas may also include Norway and Denmark on his itinerary.

He is a law student at the University of British Columbia and during the summer holidays has worked in the chemical division of the Columbia Cellulose Company.

While in Europe he may find work at chemical plants on the continent. On his return, Mr. Toderas intends resuming his third-year law studies at UBC.

Ten-Year Old Gains Honors

An "outstanding achievement" was scored by Prince Rupert girl Ruth Telford, who recently took Royal Conservatory of Music examinations here, her music teacher, Miss M. A. Way said today. Not mentioned in the brief report from the conservatory was the fact that she passed with first class honors in two theory exams and Grade 6 practical although only 10 years old.

PERSONALS

Mrs. William Brenner, 226 Sixth Avenue East, left this morning by plane for Vancouver to visit with her parents, Captain and Mrs. James Ferguson. Captain Ferguson is in poor health.

Mrs. Alma Millikin left by plane this morning for her home in North Vancouver. While here for the past six months she has been the guest of her cousin, Mrs. E. J. Blain and Mr. Blain, 715 Fifth Avenue West.

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Sanford A. Hamilton Wed To Joan Muriel Geddes

In a setting of tulips and daffodils, Miss Joan Muriel Geddes, daughter of Mrs. Muriel Geddes and the late Mr. John Geddes, 218 Sixth Avenue West, became the bride of Mr. Sanford Allen Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hamilton, 940 Ambrose Avenue in an evening wedding ceremony, February 18, at First United Church. Rev. L. G. Sieber officiated.

The bride, given in marriage by her grandfather, Mr. George Geddes sr., wore a white strapless ballerina taffeta gown with lace overskirt and matching net bolero edged with lace. She wore a Juliet cap adorned with seed pearls and lily of the valley with a fingertip veil of misty illusion net. Completing her outfit was a double strand pearl neckpiece, gift of the groom and she carried a bouquet of garnet rosebuds.

As maid of honor, Miss Lenore Nilson chose a ballerina strapless shell-pink taffeta gown with net overskirt and matching bolero. Her headdress was a halo trimmed with lily of the valley.

Miss Colleen Sklapsky, as bridesmaid, chose a blue ballerina gown with tiered overskirt and lace peplum, matching lace bolero and net halo.

Best man was Mr. Charles Graham and ushers Mr. Allen Sklapsky, Mr. Dallas Sklapsky. Organist was Miss Olive Strand.

Following the wedding ceremony a reception was held in the Canadian Legion auditorium and Mrs. George Geddes sr., grandmother of the bride, wore a navy blue crepe gown, matching accessories and a corsage of red rosebuds. The groom's mother wore a turquoise-blue taffeta gown, yellow accessories and corsage of yellow rosebuds.

The bridal table was centred with a three-tiered wedding cake topped with hearts, doves, orange blossoms and two gold wedding bands was flanked by white tapered candles.

Mr. Roy Boychuck proposed the toast to the bride and Mr. Graham the toast to the bride's attendants. Mr. Maurice Bishop, as master of ceremonies, read the congratulatory telegrams.

Mrs. J. R. Carr played the wedding march at the reception.

Serving were: Mrs. F. Warne, Mrs. R. Holkestad, Mrs. R. Carthwright, Miss Gay Holt, Miss Margaret Youngman, Miss Dorothy Hibbard, Miss Joan Grimble and Miss Drue Patrick.

Gifts were given the bridesmaids, best man and ushers by the bridal couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton are taking up residence at 337 Seventh Avenue West.

Conrad Scouts, Cubs Auxiliary Plans Banquet

Conrad Boy Scouts and Cubs father and son banquet will be held Friday evening at Conrad Street school, it was decided last night when the Ladies Auxiliary to the group committee held a special meeting at the home of Mrs. William McLean, 1994 Seal Cove Circle.

Members discussed organization of the banquet and Mrs. Bert Cameron was placed in charge of decorating to be assisted by Mrs. D. Main, Mrs. M. Girardet and Mrs. Fred Murray.

Mrs. McLean will be in the kitchen and will be aided by Mrs. Lawrence Stevens, Mrs. N. Nelson and Mrs. S. Maki.

Mrs. Harold Thom, Mrs. Art Ogilvie and Mrs. Harold Kellough will prepare the food.

Arne Krogstad Captures Prize

With Mr. Arne Krogstad and Mr. A. E. Chilton tying for men's pool prize, a draw saw Mr. Krogstad the winner Friday night when the Sons of Norway held their regular whist drive and dance with 12 tables in play.

Ladies whist first prize winner was Mrs. G. Neilson and second winner was Mrs. R. Skog.

Men's first whist winner was Mr. Chilton and Mr. A. Hendrikson second prize winner.

Mrs. Jean Muma won the women's pool prize.

Committee in charge of refreshments and evening's entertainment were: Mrs. Alf Jensen, Mr. Nels Waseng, Mrs. H. Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lyshaug, Mr. Gunnar Selvig, Mrs. J. Ritchie, Miss Aasta Fossheim, Mr. Barney Kristmanson, Mrs. P. L. Peterson and Mr. Oscar Haveroy.

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- Borden Street School Rummage Sale, 2 p.m. February 24. (45)
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OPPOSITE TRENDS

FREDERICTON (CP)—A survey at the University of New Brunswick shows that students' earnings in summer months dropped by two or three per cent in 1953 and 1954, while college costs rose by 2.4 and 6.1 per cent.

Church, School Groups Stage Four Successful Bake Sales

Four successful bake sales and one rummage sale were held Saturday by church and school organizations.

Among the number of bake sales held was the Catholic Women's League convened by Mrs. Oscar Wingham and assisted by Mrs. S. Dickens. Held in McLaren's Music store, the sale realized $47.80.

Almost $200 was realized by the Ladies Aid of St. Paul's Lutheran church when it held their rummage and home-cooking sale Saturday in the church hall.

The proceeds of $35 made at the bake sale held by the Booth Memorial high school senior girls basketball team will go to assist basketball expenses.

Money from the sale is to help send the Golds and Sunrise basketball teams to an inter-school tournament at Kitimat March 7.

Two teachers, Miss Misso Arai and Miss Dorothy Baker, attended the sale and were assisted by students Marilyn MacDonald, Marian Barfeldt, Sonja Selvig, Ann Wick and Sally Morrison.

The Ladies Auxiliary to the group committee of the Conrad Boy Scouts and Cubs, realized $34.80 from the bake sale held at Gordon and Anderson's, Saturday.

This amount of money is to assist the Boy Scouts in their expenses in travelling to the World Jamboree to be held this year at Niagara-On-The-Lake, Ont.

EDNA ROSE HITCHINGS became Mother Divine when she was married to Father Divine, leader of a religious cult in the United States in April, 1946. Photo of former Vancouver girl was taken at the celebration of her eighth wedding anniversary in Philadelphia.

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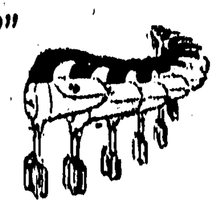

The following names and addresses were the first fifty correct entries drawn by Mrs. Winnie McLear, Home Economics Editor, of the Vancouver Province, in the "WHO WAS THE MONARCH?" CONTEST which closed January 31st, 1955. Each of these entrants won a Sunbeam Mixmaster Junior.

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MRS. N. FORD, 1508 Mahon Ave., North Vancouver
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MRS. F. HUNT, 27th Road, Hanny
MRS. A. M. LAMMER, 162 East 19th St., North Vancouver
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MRS. L. MILLER, 1040 Pioneer Ave., Prince Rupert
MRS. M. MITCHELL, 1633 Bolton Ave., Victoria
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Red Wings Tie Habs For Lead On 2-2 Sawoff With Bruins

MONTREAL (CP) — Detroit Red Wings pulled into a National Hockey League first place tie with Montreal Canadiens Monday night by sawing off to a 2-2 tie with Boston Bruins.

The tie, which left league scoring leaders unchanged, gave the Red Wings one point, enough to catch up with Montreal's pace-setting 76. Canadiens have 13 more games to play in the schedule compared with 10 for the Wings. The fourth-place Bruins narrowed the gap between them and Toronto Maple Leafs to three points. The Bruins and Leafs each have 11 games left.

Canadiens saw action only twice since the official statistics were released last Tuesday and came up with two victories, the only club with a perfect record for the week.

FOUR HABS LEAD

The Big Five of Montreal Canadiens headed the scoring leaders a week ago but was broken up and only four were left. But in two games this power quartet collected 21 points.

Jean Beliveau still tops the list, adding two goals and four assists last week, to run his point-total to 76. Bernie (Boom Boom) Geoffrion, breaking loose for five goals against New York, became the leading goal-getter with 32. He also had two assists and the seven points in the week moved him into second place ahead of Maurice Rocket Richard, who tallied one goal and gathered in three assists. The Rocket now is in third place with 60 points.

Bert Olmstead held fourth place safely. He is the league's most prolific relay man, with 43 assists, picking up three last week and tallying a goal to give him a total of 52 points.

MOVE MOSDELL

Sid Smith of Toronto and Gord Howe of the Red Wings shoved Montreal's Ken Mosdell from fifth place down to seventh. Smith had two assists, giving him 48 points, while Howe has 48 points. Mosdell also has 47 but takes secondary ranking because he has scored fewer goals, 21 to Howe's 23. George (Red) Sullivan of Chicago is also in the 47 bracket on 15 goals and 32 assists, scoring two of each last week.

Harry Lumley of Toronto now finds himself in a more comfortable position in his bid for the Vezina Trophy. Lumley's goals-against count is 113 compared with 119 for Terry Sawchuk of Detroit. A week ago Lumley had a margin of only three. Lumley will be under fire in 11 more games and Sawchuk in 10 before the trophy and $1,000 prize money are handed out.

The leaders:

	G	A	Pts	Pim
Beliveau, Mont.	32	34	66	50
Geoffrion, Mont.	34	27	61	43
Richard, Mont.	33	27	60	103
Olmstead, Mont.	9	43	52	81
Smith, Toronto	28	30	48	66
Howe, Detroit	24	23	47	60
Mosdell, Mont.	21	26	47	54
Sullivan, Chicago	15	32	47	43
Lewicki, Rangers	27	18	45	0
Reibel, Detroit	17	28	45	15

NHL Standings

	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Montreal	34	15	8	192	128	76
Detroit	33	17	10	162	119	76
Toronto	22	19	18	128	113	62
Boston	20	20	19	143	157	59
Rangers	14	29	16	129	178	44
Chicago	11	34	13	135	194	35

Stamps Chance For Tie Spoiled By Bucyk Goal

EDMONTON (CP) — Vancouver Canucks run head-on into a group of unhappy and decidedly angry Calgary Stampeders when they travel to the Corral for the start of their Western Hockey League Prairie tour tonight.

Stampeders are tough enough opposition for Canucks at any time, even tougher on home ice, and tougher again when smarting from a narrow, 7-6 defeat at the hands of Edmonton Flyers.

Particularly high on the Stampeder list is John Bucyk, who smashed home the final and winning goal at 15:12 of the final frame, after Stamps had fought their way up to a 6-6 tie from a two-goal deficit in the opening period.

The Calgary-Vancouver tilt is only WHL action tonight.

Norm Ullman and Bucyk were the big guns on the Flyer attack with two goals each. Bronco Horvath, currently topping the league scoring list with a total of 83 points scored a singleton. Ed Stanklewicz and Don Polle also skated into the scoring circle with singles.

TWO GOALS EACH

George Pargeter and Archie Scott counted with two goals each for Stamps, and Ray Barry and Pat Lundy with one each.

Horvath had been on the ice for only 36 seconds before he drove home the first goal, smashing it past Doug Stevenson on a double relay from Stanklewicz and Bucyk.

Bucyk plowed through the Stamp defence for the second Flyer goal at 7:08, working a pass from Larry Zeidel and Horvath. Pargeter replied for Calgary two minutes later, but Ullman and Stanklewicz kept Edmonton's lead with two goals in next four minutes.

Scott and Lundy kept working through the late minutes of the period totally twice for Calgary, but the frame ended with Flyers ahead 4-3.

Stamps went into the final frame trailing 5-4, but a goal by Barry at 3:15 brought them even and another a scant 20 seconds later boosted them into the lead.

Don Polle parlayed a pass from Steve Hrymnak and Harry Melnyk to bring Flyers back into contention at the 7:10 mark. Bucyk waited until 15:12 before he finally got a clear shot on Stevenson, for the winning goal.

Narrow Victories Feature Playoffs

Nelson Maple Leafs and Vernon Canadians continue their best-of-seven interior hockey leagues playoff schedule tonight, both dogged by the all-too-fresh memories of narrow escapes.

Nelson had to come from a 4-1 deficit to squeak past Kimberley Dynamiters in the Western International loop Monday edging them 6-5 to take the first game of the series.

Canadians won their second straight from the host Kamloops Elks 2-1, sweating it out through 28 minutes of scoreless hockey while tied 1-1.

Art Davison picked up a pass from former Vancouver Canuck Chuck McCullough with three minutes to go in the opener and slid it past Boomer Rodzinyak to keep Vernon in contention.

Teams slugged their way through a scoreless second period.

Defenceman Don McLeod moved up to the blue line during the third period, picked up a pass from Odie Lowe and golfed a deflected shot past Rodzinyak to give Vernon the game.

Nelson was struggling under a three-goal debit when they went into the second, but got enough steam up to fire three goals in four minutes near the end of the frame.

They came bouncing out for the third period with the same steam, slamming home two unanswered goals before Kimberley managed to start their comeback. The rally failed, and the one-goal edge held until the whistle.

Fans who watched the Leafs-Dynamiters clash were also watching the complete WIHL all-star team, as selected by interior sports writers.

The writers chose Kimberley's Earl Betker for the net-minder job, and protected him with team-mate Gordon Andre and Leafs' Vic Lofvendahl on defence.

Forward line of the all-star crew was 100 per cent Nelson, with Joe Bell, Herb Jeffrey and Ray Kinasewich getting the nod.

Red Sox Sign Three Players

BOSTON (AP) — Veteran right-hander Sid Hudson, rookie southpaw Bob Smith and young catcher Pete Daley have signed their 1955 Boston Red Sox baseball contracts.

Hudson had a 3-4 record a year ago. Smith was bought from Shreveport in the Texas League, which he led last season with a 2.80 earned run average.

Daley, from Grass Valley, Calif. batted .275 last year for the Louisville Colonels of the American Association.

CONN SMYTHE (right) who has spent nearly 30 years building the Toronto Maple Leafs hockey club, receives a 10-carat gold miniature of the Stanley Cup from Hap Day who succeeded Smythe as Leaf General manager February 1. The two-foot-high trophy was presented on behalf of the National Hockey League club at a dinner meeting of Leafs and press and radio representatives. (CP Photo)

Junior Loop Cage Race Tightens

The race for league leadership in the Junior Boys basketball loop tightened yesterday when Ormes moved up into a three-way tie for first place with Manson's and Sport Shop on the strength of a 30-23 win over Fraser and Payne in a fixture played at the Booth high school gym.

Manson's get a chance to move out in front again as they are slated to meet Fraser and Payne today in another game at the school.

In intermediate boys' action, Sunrise and second place North Star are scheduled to play off one of their postponed games at the school at noon today. The bottlers with 12 points, trail the league leading Frizzell's by four points.

Friday's schedule of games has been cancelled as the Association missed booking the Civic Centre gym in time. Whether or not Saturday games will go ahead as scheduled remains to be seen, pending the return of Frizzell's and Rainmakers coach Don Hartwig from Ocean Falls

Standings:

Intermediates	W	L	Pts
Frizzell's	8	4	16
North Star	6	6	12
Sunrise	3	7	6
Junior			
Manson's	6	3	12
Ormes	6	4	12
Sport Shop	6	5	12
Annunciation	5	7	10
Fraser & Payne	3	7	6

STUDENT EYESIGHT

AYLMER, Que. (CP) Optometrist Andrew Bogin reports that of 250 students whose eyes were checked in a public school survey here 30 per cent required corrective treatment.

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CANADIAN and American champions, the Peterborough Ornamental Swimming club will represent Canada at the Pan-American Games in Mexico City March 12-26. Left row, top to bottom: Jean Gallagher, Shirley Moldaver, Jean Brown, Elaine Tucker, Pat Nickles and Joan Craig; right row: Norma Douglas, Iris Reilly, Betty Walsh, Dorothy Russelle, Donna Bristow and Joan Lynch. (CP Photo)

Roster Of Canadian Athletes For Mexico "Games" Increases

MONTREAL (CP) — Plans for Canada's first representation in the Pan-American Games went forward today, with a possible maximum of 80 athletes competing in nine sports.

As with the set-up for the British Empire Games last summer, a separate organization has been established for the Pan-American Games, to be held in Mexico City March 12-26. It is headed by Fred R. Whittall of Montreal who will also act as manager of the swimming team.

Various sports organizations have named competitors now numbering more than 30 but the number who can make the trip is still uncertain. Some may miss it for business or personal reasons; other groups and individuals are still trying to raise the necessary funds.

SOME FINANCIAL HELP

The expense problem is a matter for sports bodies or the competitors themselves. Some groups have received financial help through civic organizations, individuals and by putting on exhibition affairs or other public attractions to raise funds. Some sports organizations have been able to contribute a limited amount.

Many of Canada's entrants, including a girls' basketball team, are from the west coast. They will fly direct to Mexico from Vancouver.

The eastern section, from Ontario and Quebec, will leave from Toronto by plane March 11. Whittall said the return trip by plane will cost $235. He said the United States government has invited the Canadians to share their quarters on the University of Mexico grounds. He said meal costs are estimated at $3 to $4 a day.

IN TRACK SQUAD

Among those named to the track and field squad are Harry Nelson and C. B. Springbett of Vancouver and Doug Clement of Montreal and, in the women's section Jackie Macdonald, shot-put and javelin specialist from Toronto. All competed in the British Empire Games.

The swimming nominations include Gary McNamee, Ted Simpson and Allen Gilchrist from the west coast; Bill Patrick, diver, from Calgary; and the outstanding girl swimmers in the east Virginia Gaad of Toronto, Beth Whittall of Montreal and 16-year-old Gladys Priestley of Verdun, Que. along with a strong representation from British Columbia.

Fred Rowell of Vancouver will be manager of the track and field team and Lloyd Swindell of Vancouver, coach. Tommy Walker of Toronto will coach the swimming team, and Gordon McDonald of Vancouver will manage and coach the girls' basketball team. Mrs. Pansy Forbes of Peterborough, Ont., from which city comes the lowest entry in the synchronized swimming section, will coach that team.

In most of the other sports with few entries, a competitor will also serve as manager.

Last Night's Fights

By The Associated Press

BROOKLYN — Carmelo Costa 130¾, Brooklyn, outpointed Bobby Bell, 123, Youngstown, Ohio, (10).

SAN FRANCISCO — Max Harper, 140½, San Francisco, outpointed Italo Scortichini, 153½, Italy, (10).

DENVER — Ernie Red Martinez, 121, Denver, outpointed Henry Papoy Gault, 125, Spartanburg, S.C. (10).

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Communist Write-Up Only Sour No[te] As Vs Finish Czechoslovakian Visit

PRAGUE (AP) — Penticton Vs, who gained a win and a tie in two warmup games against Czech teams before proceeding to the world hockey tournament, have completed their Czechoslovakian tour in an atmosphere of goodwill. The only jarring note was struck by a Prague correspondent for London's Communist Daily Worker.

Writing before the Canadians closed out their visit Monday with a 6-0 victory over the Czech B team, Armour Milne said "the name of Canadian ice hockey stinks in Czechoslovakia."

Milne's story in The Daily Worker followed Penticton's 3-3 tie Sunday against the national team they will meet in the round-robin world championships which start Friday in West Germany. There were some fisticuffs as tempers flared in the third period of the encounter.

CROWD CHEERED

But Monday's game was played in a milder atmosphere and the crowd cheered the Vs as they out-played the Czech second-stringers with little apparent effort.

And on reflection, officials of both sides decided the referees were as much to blame as anyone for Sunday's rough stuff, which drew spirited booing from the crowd.

The Daily Worker correspondent saw it differently. He accused the Canadians of "incredibly vicious and unruly behavior . . . Several times the entire Canadian team waded into the Czechs with sticks held threateningly high, jabbing elbows into the faces and necks of the opposing players."

At a luncheon for the two teams Monday, there was general agreement as to the blindness of the referes, but both Canadian and Czech officials said the calls were more severe against the visiting players than the Czechs, who received penalties to Penticton's [illegible]

The emphasis [illegible] speed and clean play [illegible] the visitors received [illegible] ties and the Czechs [illegible] Kilburn scored twice [illegible] ners, who fired three [illegible] eight-minute burst [illegible] period, adding a [illegible] the second and two [illegible] third.

Ed Kassian, Bill [illegible] Shabaga and [illegible] Grant Warwick were Penticton scorers.

Sugar Ray Signs For 10-Rounder

BOSTON (AP) — Sugar Ray Robinson, whose boxing comeback hit a roadblock in the person of Ralph (Tiger) Jones, has signed to meet George Small of Brooklyn in a 10-rounder at Boston Garden March 5.

A spokesman said Monday night there will be no television or broadcast of the bout.

Robinson, onetime middleweight champion, opened his ring comeback by stopping Joe Rindone of Boston, but then took a solid pasting from Jones in a TV clash. Jones won the 10-round decision unanimously.

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Stanky Sees Four-Way Ba[ttle] For National League Penn[ant]

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) — Manager Eddie Stanky today predicted a four-team battle for the National League pennant involving the defending champion New York Giants, Brooklyn, Milwaukee and his own St. Louis Cardinals.

The pepery little pilot, who arrived here well in advance of the start of the training season, predicted his club will be greatly improved over last year because of added pitching strength and a more fortified bench.

"It was plainly evident that we lacked pitching last year," Stanky said. "Especially second-line pitching. The bullpen was extremely weak. Pitching, or lack of it, was the reason for the trade that sent Ray Jablonski, one of our best hitters, to the Cincinnati Reds for relief pitcher Frank Smith."

Stanky regards the Giants as the team to beat but he is conceding nothing to Leo Durocher's club.

"You've always got to respect the champion," he said. "Giants are a sound club with good [illegible] hitting, a fine defence, bullpen and a strong [illegible] they'll need one or [illegible] younger pitchers [illegible] through if they are [illegible] peal."

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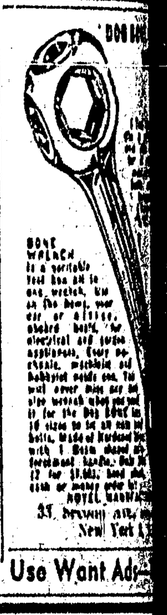

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SYDNEY (Reuters)—A touring English cricket team lost to an Australian state side today for the first time since the war. They were beaten by 45 runs by New South Wales, Australian Sheffield champions.

Final scores: New South Wales 172 and 314 for eight declared: the Marylebone Cricket Club tourists 172 and 269.

The tourists had a chance of winning the match until the tea interval. They then needed 95 runs in 100 minutes, with five wickets still standing. Resistance crumbled when Colin Cowdrey was out soon after the interval. The last three wickets fell for 19 runs.

The MCC had not been defeated by a state side in Australia since the 1936-37 tour.

FLYING COWBOYS

CLINTON, B.C. (CP)—Cariboo area cowboys now "ride herd" by airplane, spotting cattle on winter ranges from the air. Cruising at 500 feet in light, slow planes, they spot small groups of animals which have wandered into isolated valleys, saving many days on horseback.

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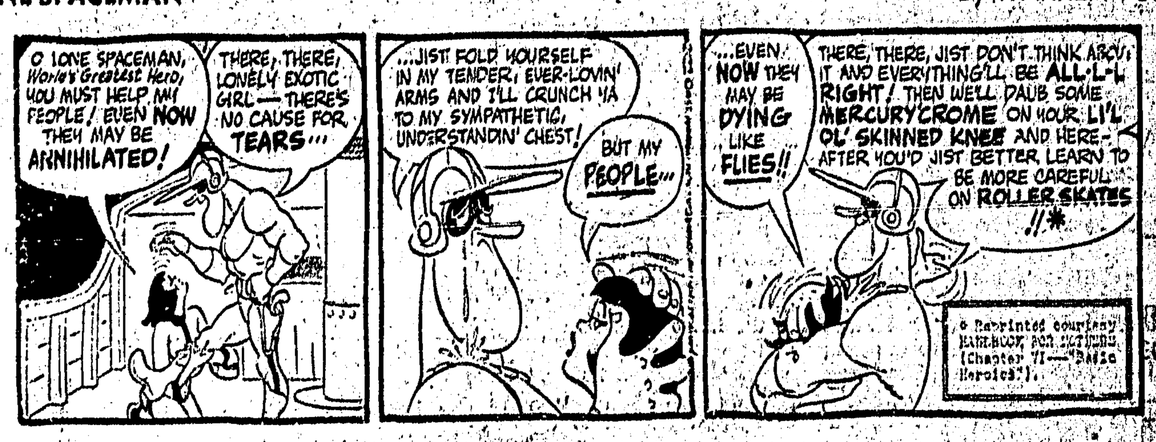

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B.C. Forests Remain Best Source of Wealth

VICTORIA (CP)—B.C.'s forests are the "greatest source of potential continuing wealth and under proper forest management an ever-lasting resource," the royal commission into the forest industry was told here today.

Sittings will be held here, in Vancouver, and elsewhere. Chief Justice Gordon Sloan is the sole commissioner.

First witness was J. T. Kingston, research assistant in the bureau of economics and statistics, department of trade and industry. He pointed out that the forest industry is the most important industry in the province accounting for 40 per cent of B.C.'s net production.

Of this, logging acounted for 13½ per cent; the lumber industry itself 14 per cent, and pulp and paper 7½ per cent, while wood and various paper industries made up the remaining five per cent.

In 1951 B.C. stood third among the provinces in net production accounting for 9.37 per cent of total production valued at $1,212,253,561. This was an increase from $228,572,747 in 1938.

Today the industry employs 60,000 people with an annual payroll of $195,000,000.

Mr. Kingston said that in December, 1952, the B.C. Forest Service reported 667,000,000,000 board feet of standing timber throughout the province.

In 1951 the cut was 4,696,347 board feet with a gross value of $214,051,202.

Hearings are continuing.

Gibson Presses Government For Information

VICTORIA (CP) — Liberal Gordon Gibson said Monday unless the government gives him some information, the Lord commission investigating issuance of forest management licences cannot proceed.

The member from Lillooet, whose charges last week resulted in the naming of Judge Arthur Lord as a one-man Royal Commission into the issuing of the licences, has two motions and one question on the legislature's order paper.

He said yesterday he will have more.

One question asks how much the government received last year for timber removed from forest management licences: how much timber was cut from the licences; how much was paid for timber cut other than in licences; what was the amount of all allowances deductible from the gross stumpage yield on licences; what money was paid for timber taken off public working circles; what timber was logged off working circles; and what money was spent by the department of lands for roads in working circles.

If the information is not given, said Mr. Gordon, "I am quite sure that Judge Lord cannot proceed with his case."

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Woods Output $316,723,587 Says Witness

VICTORIA (CP) — Gross value of the production of British Columbia's lumber industry jumped from $104,927,850 to $316,723,587 in the seven years after the 1945 inquiry by Chief Justice Gordon Sloan into the forest resources.

These figures were given Monday during the first day of Mr. Sloan's second inquiry.

They were supplied by J. T. Kingston, research assistant in the Bureau of Economics and Statistics, Department of Trade and Industry.

But Mr. Kingston's statistical evidence showed production costs increased similarly between 1945 and 1952.

Net value of production climbed from $50,752,936 to $154,069,375.

Lumber production alone; excluding shingles, ties, lath and other products, rose from 2,055,082,000 board feet to 3,696,459,000 board feet.

Mr. Kingston gave evidence during Monday's session, and will continue to give a detailed picture of the pulp and paper industry and other wood and paper using industries. Indications are that the presentation of statistical evidence will continue through this week.

Drag Dock Area For U.K. Seaman

PORT ALBERNI, B.C. (CP) — Dragging operations continued near the Somass division dock here Monday night for the body of Michael Rossilong, 19-year-old British seaman missing since Sunday night.

Rossilong was believed to have fallen from the S.S. Temple Inn and RCMP officers, working off the police launch PML 16, were called in to aid the dragging operations Monday.

A Temple Inn fireman reported hearing a shout about the time the seaman was believed to have disappeared.

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FIREMEN POUR WATER on the remains of a Montreal apartment house where 11 persons lost their lives in a three-hour blaze. The fire swept through the top two stories of the building. Twelve others were injured. (CP Photo)

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11-Year Old Starts Journey With Car, Shotgun and Food

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP)—"Oh, no, not my boy!" exclaimed Pedro Tamayo when state highway patrolmen telephoned that his son had been intercepted at Hunter, Tex., in the father's automobile.

Hunter is 50 miles on a back road to San Antonio. "My boy is only 11 and not old enough to drive," Papa Pedro explained to the police. "Why, he could barely see over the dashboard."

Whereupon papa Pedro hung up the telephone.

The police called right back. "We do have your boy," they insisted. "Look around and see if you can find him at home."

Papa Pedro found the boy and his car both gone.

The boy, Robert Tomoya, wanted to attend a play at St. Mary's University in San Antonio, where a brother is in school, but his parents had decided the weather was too cold for the trip, papa Pedro said later.

Robert was made of sterner stuff. He couldn't back the automobile out of the family garage so he pushed it out, he told officers.

Then he loaded into the car a shotgun and shells for protection against perils of the road, two apples, a loaf of bread and a jug of water.

At Hunter, highway patrolman Don Breslin wasn't sure, he said, that the car, stopped in a radar trap, had a driver.

But officers said Robert came to a smooth stop, turned off the ignition and set the emergency brake with the aplomb of a veteran when they signalled him to stop.

Robert said he had never driven before but had known how a long time.

"I just watch my father," he told officers before his father arrived to bring him and the car back home.

Chiefs Seeking Apology From Yale MLA

HOPE, B.C. (CP)—Nine chiefs, representing bands throughout southern British Columbia, met here during the weekend and decided to demand an apology from a member of the legislature on behalf of their people.

The apology will be asked of L. F. Corbett (SC-Yale) who said in the legislature last week that Indians in his district were "committing suicide" by falling in drunken stupors onto the railroad tracks in his constituency.

Robert Clifton, president of the Native Brotherhood of B.C., representing 31,000 Indians, told the chiefs he had conducted a secret investigation of conditions and found Mr. Corbett's charges unfounded. Under British Columbia liquor laws, Indians are permitted to drink in beer parlors.

JOHNNY MACFARLANE, 5, contemplates the separation from his parents after he, a brother and two sisters, drew straws to see who would remain at home in Burlington, Ont. His father, William MacFarlane, was crippled in a motor accident and was out of work because of the recent strike at the Ford Motor Company. Johnny, Betty, 3, and Margaret, 1, will live with friends of the family. Iris, 4, will stay with her family. The family had to be broken up because "there wasn't enough money." (CP Photo)

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AN UNIDENTIFIED resident is helped down ladder by firemen at the height of a three-alarm blaze that took the lives of 11 persons in a midtown Montreal apartment house. Many of the survivors said only a matter of minutes saved them. Twelve persons were injured.

Big Fight in "Spoilers" Being Staged Fifth Time

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—A bunch of the boys were whooping it up in the Northern Saloon.

Matter of fact, this is the fifth time the boys have whooped it up, and that's a lot of whooping. They're doing it in "The Spoilers," which must rank as the most remade of all movies.

"The Spoilers" is a fabled film because of its terrific fight scene. The history goes back to 1913, when William Farnum and Tom Santschi fought over the affections of Kathlyn Williams. It was a battle such as the infant movie industry had never seen before. The story went that it was actually a grudge match and the two actors really hurt each other.

The fight was recreated in 1923 with Milton Sills and Noah Beery battling over Anna Q. Nilsson. In 1930, Gary Cooper and the late William Boyd (not Hopalong Cassidy) had a go at it with Betty Compson as the female interest. Marlene Dietrich was the cause of the fisticuffs when John Wayne and Randolph Scott slugged it out in 1942.

LONG BATTLE

Now Jeff Chandler and Rory Calhoun are the contenders with Anne Baxter as the prize. I dropped out to Universal to watch the struggle.

I found the Northern Saloon teeming with picturesque Yukon types. The place was askew, since the fight had been going on for a day and would be another two days in shooting. Total time on the screen: Four minutes.

"There have been so many different gimmicks in film fights—eye-gougings, using chairs, etc.," explained director Jess Hibbs, "that we thought we would do this one as just a straight, old-fashioned stand-up fight. No breakaway chairs or things like that. The only thing we have is a thrown spittoon.

"I'm trying to get a little humor into it by having a girl show continue on the stage all during the fight. I plan to cut to one of the girls doing a bump just as you hear the sound of a fist hitting."

Directing such a monumental fight is not easy. Hibbs was using two cameras, but wouldn't be able to tell whether the battle was realistic until he saw it on the screen. "The hit may seem good," he remarked, "but on film you might see that tell-tale daylight between fist and chin."

The trick is in having the hitter come close enough and the receiver react at the split second when he is supposed to have been struck.

Says Promises By Candidates Bribe To Voter

VANCOUVER (CP)—Too many political candidates are trying to bribe the voters with the tax payers' money, W. J. Sheridan of Montreal assistant general manager of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, said Monday.

Mr. Sheridan, addressing a luncheon meeting of the Advertising and Sales Bureau here, increased government spending and government-controlled business ventures threaten Canadian prosperity, jobs and freedom.

Elected representatives must be imbued with "the principles of freedom, with honesty and integrity."

They must realize the need for individual initiative.

"There are today too many people offering themselves for public office with a platform of promises and increased spending," he said.

"Their promises include the disbursement of monies which come from your pocket and mine in the form of bribes, to those whom they hope will be fooled into electing them."

Stressing the danger of Communist aggression, he conceded the need for heavy defence spending. It was not an "emergency need, but a permanent part of living in the twentieth century."

R. HOWARD WEBSTER, the Montreal financier who bought the Toronto Globe and Mail for a price said to be more than $10,000,000, arrives in Toronto to confer with the newspaper's executives. This photo was taken as the 45-year-old bachelor business man arrived in Toronto after a New York business trip.

MORE SCOUTS

FREDERICTON (CP) — New Brunswick now has about 10,000 Boy Scouts, about double the number of 10 years ago, provincial headquarters reports.

Chilliwack Judge Named For Probe

VICTORIA (CP) — Judge F. K. Grimmett of Chilliwack has been appointed a sole commissioner to investigate the possible mistreatment of a patient at the provincial mental hospital at Essondale.

An order in council today said Frank Frederick Palenchuk suffered a black eye and a broken jaw at the hospital Feb. 1 and that he collapsed Feb. 7 while being x-rayed and a tentative diagnosis showed the cause to be a coronary thrombosis.

Palenchuk was transferred from Oakalla prison to Essondale after appearing before Magistrate R. C. Palmer at Richmond on a charge of causing a disturbance and on two charges of attempted murder.

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By EASLEY BLACKWOOD

Bluff Play is Successful After 'Disinterested' Start

Mr. Dale had a very difficult choice of play to make on this hand and I think his final decision will surprise you.

Mrs. Keen got off to her best lead, the seven of spades. Dummy's ace won and Mr. Dale looked the hand over. He could have counted all night and his winners still would have totalled just eight—that is, five hearts and the three side aces. The only possible chance for a ninth trick by straight-forward play was to find a singleton king in either clubs or diamonds. Which king did he try to drop?

The answer is neither. He figured he had a better chance by trying some kind of monkey business which might talk the enemy out of cashing their spade.

CHANCE TO BLUFF

The chance for the success of a bluff play was increased by the fact that Mr. Muzzy had carelessly played the five of spades on the first trick thereby showing no particular interest in the continuation of the suit.

So Mr. Dale cashed the ace and queen of hearts and then boldly led the jack of spades. Mrs. Keen won with the queen and Mr. Muzzy played the six.

Now, to Mrs. Keen it looked as if Mr. Dale still had the ten and another spades and was trying to establish the ten. She wasn't going to be silly enough to cash her king of spades at this point and help him accomplish his purpose.

GUESS LEFT

After some thought she returned the seven of clubs. Mr. Dale still had a guess—but that was more than he'd had before. He finally elected to play the jack from the board.

It made no difference if Mr. Muzzy played the ten he had his nine tricks. Actually Muzzy went up with the king and the ace won. The queen of clubs, three more hearts and the ace of diamonds made enough for game.

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♠ A
♥ K J 8 6 2
♦ A 8 5 4
♣ Q 4 3

WEST
Mrs. Keen
♠ K Q 8 7 2
♥ 9 4
♦ K 10 2
♣ J 7 6

EAST
Mr. Muzzy
♠ 10 6 4
♥ 10 7 3
♦ J 9
♣ K 9 2

SOUTH
Mr. Dale
♠ J 4 3
♥ A Q
♦ Q 7 6 3
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