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## WHITEHORSE C. C. F. CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING.

(Contributed)

The annual meeting of the Whitehorse Local of the C. C. F. was held with an enthusiastic membership in attendance. Nomination of Officers was held with the following members being appointed to the executive for the coming year: Chairman, Alex. Smith; Sec.-Treas. James Saborne, Jr.; Vice-Chairman Walter Cross. A campaign Fund Committee was appointed to raise funds for the forthcoming Council Election in support of Mr. Alex. Smith the Party candidate. Also appointed was an Education Committee comprised of six members. It was decided that the Election Committee appointed at a previous meeting, carry on to the conclusion of the campaign. After some discussion it was deemed expedient to appoint a Territorial Co-ordinator. Mr. J. McDonald was appointed to act pro tem. Many points of Policy were discussed and much interest was evidenced by all members concerning the many pressing problems of the times pertaining to local as well as Federal field. Every one agreed that the Political and Social structure is much in need of a general overhauling if we as a nation are not to revert to the deplorable conditions existent during the decade that came before the war, when the war is over. All felt that the time is now to act in order to forestall such a calamity.

We hope to see many new faces at our next meeting which will be announced shortly.

## LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. George Ivey of the B. Y. N. Co., commissary department left this morning for the coast on a well-earned vacation trip.

Mr. Alec. McIntosh, foreman at the local shipyard, and Mrs. McIntosh, left this morning for Skagway en route to the coast.

The annual Christ Church congregational meeting will be held next Thursday, January 20, in the parish hall at 8 p. m.

Whitehorse lost one of its most popular members of the younger set last week when Miss Jean McLean, who has been in charge of reservations at the local office of the C.P.A. for the past two years, left for Edmonton. She has a host of friends here all of whom wish her the best of luck and every happiness in the future.

## TWO CANDIDATES ARE NOMINATED FOR THE TERRITORIAL COUNCIL ELECTION IN FEBRUARY.

On Monday two candidates filed their nomination papers to represent the southern end of the Territory on the Yukon Council. This necessitates the holding of an election which will be held on Wednesday, February 9th, from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. in the 98 Ballroom with Richard A. Carswell as the returning officer. The two contestants are R. G. Lee and Alexander A. Smith. Mr. Lee who has served on the council, as the representative for the Mayo division, since 1940, is now a resident of Whitehorse. His nomination papers were signed by J. H. Barber, Edward Maddocks; Fred Langholtz, Ole Erickson, John Sewell, John Stenbraten, G. R. Bidlake, H. Sutilovich, Paul DsBrisay and Homer Meers. Mr. Smith's papers were signed by Odin B. Hougen, John H. MacDonald, Ernest N. Bailler, Maurice Lambert, Alex. B. Craig, Arthur B. Gay, Robert V. Hastie, Mike McCallion, J. Saborne, Sr., and W. S. Cross. Mr. Smith was formerly a resident of Mayo for several years and, for a time, was also located in Dawson. He is therefore well known in the Territory.

## LOCAL C. C. F. CLUB WRITES GENERAL JAMES A. O'CONNOR NORTHWEST SERVICE COM'D.

The following is culled from the January 8 issue of "C. C. F. News" which is the official organ of the C. C. F. party in British Columbia with headquarters in Vancouver:

"The Whitehorse CCF Club recently wrote to General J. A. O'Connor, Officer Commanding, Northwest Service Command, Whitehorse, Y.T., pledging the Club's goodwill and co-operation to the armed and civilian forces of the USA in Whitehorse and adjoining districts.

"We, as a political and labor union, are determined that labor will have more voice and direction in the affairs and destiny of the Yukon Territory than in the past," the letter asserted.

## U. S WAR DEPARTMENT TO DECIDE FATE OF CANOL PROJECT.

Whether or not the Canol project will be carried through to its completion and operation as originally planned is a matter left to the discretion of the U. S. War Department which was responsible for the undertaking in the first instance. This, it is stated, is the recommendation contained in the report of the Truman committee after its investigation into the project.

## PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT REQUESTS LEGISLATION FOR NATIONAL SERVICE.

President Roosevelt has requested enactment of national service legislation under which all men in the United States between the ages of 18 and 65 and all women, with certain exceptions, between the ages of 18 to 50 will be subject to government call. A cross-section of sentiment in both the Senate and House of Representatives foreshadowed one of the most bitter fights in this election year. In any event the President's recommendation for a national service law may bring about a final decision as to whether or not sports are essential to the war effort—a verdict long sought in the sports world.

## DEWEY AND WILLKIE ARE FAVORITES FOR REPUBLICAN NOMINATION.

In a poll taken among members of the party's national committee Governor Thomas E. Dewey and Wendell Willkie headed the list of all others for the Republican presidential nomination. The poll also disclosed that a large number canvassed had not yet definitely made up their minds which candidate they would support.

## OVER TWO HUNDRED CARGO VESSELS BUILT IN CANADA SINCE OUTBREAK OF WAR.

Munitions department officials disclose that since the outbreak of war to December 31 last Canadian shipyards have delivered 232 cargo vessels. Of these 219 were in the 10,000-ton class of which 152 were built in western shipyards and 67 in eastern yards. Thirteen 4,700-ton ships were also delivered from eastern yards.

## EMPLOYERS TO CHECK STATUS OF MALES IN THEIR EMPLOY.

Labour Minister Humphrey Mitchell has announced that under authority of an order-in-council passed recently he expects to issue within a few weeks an order requiring all employers of male workers to examine the standing of employees of military call-up age to make sure that they have complied with mobilization regulations.

Jack Wise, former employee of the N. C. at Whitehorse and Dawson is going to Bethel to work under Don Barrett with the idea of relieving the earlier part of 1944. Jack was recently with the N. C. cat department at Anchorage.—Dawson News.

## B. C. & YUKON CHAMBER OF MINES UNANIMOUSLY IN FAVOUR IN CHANGE OF YUKON MINING LAWS.

The following resolution was unanimously passed at the annual meeting of the British Columbia and Yukon Chamber of Mines at its annual meeting held in Vancouver on Tuesday, January 11th:

WHEREAS, the existing mining laws in the Yukon Territory only permit the staking of one mineral claim in the same mining district during a period of 20 days by each individual prospector, and,

WHEREAS, it is felt by many prospectors operating in the Yukon Territory that the area of ground contained in one mineral claim does not permit proper coverage of any mineral discoveries that they may make, and

WHEREAS, Yukon prospectors feel that they will have great difficulty in interesting mining companies in properties that consist of only one claim, and

WHEREAS, it is believed that the mining laws as they now stand are discouraging prospectors and operating companies from going into the Yukon Territory, and

WHEREAS, the Dawson City Branch of the British Columbia & Yukon Chamber of Mines has already requested that the present act be amended to permit the staking of 8 mineral claims in each area of a radius of 10 miles, THEREFORE

BE IT RESOLVED that this meeting go on record as favoring amendments of the Yukon mining laws to permit the staking of a group of 8 mineral claims by an individual prospector in each area of a radius of 10 miles, the same as is now provided by the "Mineral Act" of British Columbia.

## MAJOR-GENERAL W. W. FOSTER AND PARTY IN WHITEHORSE.

WHITEHORSE, Y.T., Jan. 13.—Major-General W. W. Foster, special commissioner for defence projects in Western Canada, left today for Fairbanks via the Alaska Highway. Included in his party were Col. F. E. Leach and Lt. Col. A. K. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Aubrey Simmons entertained the general's party at their home Wednesday evening. Col. K. B. Bush and Col. C. R. Hazeltine of the U. S. Army's Northwest Service Command were also present.

## WEATHER REPORT

|               | Max. | Min. |
|---------------|------|------|
| January, 1944 |      |      |
| 7 Friday      | 31   | 13   |
| 8 Saturday    | 32   | 21   |
| 9 Sunday      | 32   | 23   |
| 10 Monday     | 36   | 27   |
| 11 Tuesday    | 34   | 27   |
| 12 Wednesday  | 33   | 24   |
| 13 Thursday   | 16   | 7    |

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might; and in that faith let us to  
the end dare to do our duty as we  
understand it. —Lincoln.

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### TERRITORIAL ELECTION

Hitherto, at least for some years past, the Territorial elections, as far as the southern end of the Territory is concerned, were not of a political character. For the most part those elected to office were chosen more for their fitness and qualifications than for their political affiliations. The forthcoming election, however, will assume quite a different aspect and, in all probability, will be one of the most important held in years. This has been brought about by the nomination of a candidate sponsored by the C. C. F. party.

In entering their own candidate in the forthcoming Territorial election the C. C. F. party has publicly announced, through the medium of the daily press, that its objective is to secure for the Yukon Council many of the rights and prerogatives which properly belong to the duly elected representatives of the people but which, up to the present, have been vested in or exercised by the Controller as the appointed representative of the Dominion government. Such an objective, however instituted, is bound to meet with approval and support of a large majority of the electorate many of whom are fully cognizant of the disadvantages accruing from autocratic rule.

It is generally taken for granted that under a Democratic form of government, such as pertains in Canada, the people are entitled, as a matter of course as well as a matter of right, to govern their own affairs. This is yet to be exemplified as far as the Yukon is concerned.

It should be noted that the forthcoming Territorial election will tend to serve a dual purpose. On the one hand the electorate, by their votes, will decide whom they wish to represent them on the Yukon Council. On the other hand they will, at the same time, disclose whether or not they favor National Socialism. At all events it is more than likely that this is the way the voting will be construed by the C. C. F. party.

To most people "National Socialism" and "State Control" are synonymous terms. Is it not about time that the C. C. F. party clearly and concisely defined their own in-

terpretation of National Socialism and so remove the confusion which they are wholly responsible for creating in the public mind?

### BRIEFS FROM BRITAIN

The Royal Society has awarded the Copley Medal to Sir Joseph Barcroft for his scientific experiments. On one occasion, he tested prussic acid by rearing in a gas-filled chamber with a dog. The dog died in less than a minute: Sir Joseph took notes and, nine minutes later, walked out. Before the war, he tested the force of blast by sitting in air raid shelters while bombs were dropped close by.

Germany's three "secret weapons" in this war have been the magnetic mine, the acoustic mine and the newest one, the magnetic torpedo. The first two were quickly defeated by British scientists—it is reasonable to expect that Allied scientists will as quickly deal with the new weapon.

In the six months ended October 29th, Mosquito bombers made about a thousand "nuisance raids" on some thirty German industrial cities. They attacked Cologne 33 times, Berlin 27 times, Duisburg 26 times and Dusseldorf 15 times. Of the Mosquitoes taking part in the attacks, only eleven are missing.

Although the Mosquito's speed has never been officially made known, it is reckoned the fastest bomber in the world. A Swiss report puts its speed at 430 miles an hour, or just over seven miles a minute.

The first Mosquito beat a world's record by flying twenty-two months after her designer began work on the drawing-board.

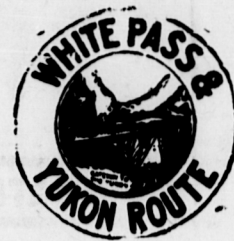
In January, 1943, a handful of "Malta pirates" flew Mosquitoes nearly 200,000 miles, destroying enemy aircraft, trains, road convoys and ships. After that, a Malta pilot's "Excuse me, I have a train to catch" began to have a different meaning from that of the same

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words used by a traveller.

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Because of Lend-Lease in reverse the total expenditure in Great Britain of United States forces, for official purposes, was only \$25,000 in December, 1942.

## WATCHES

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A well-equipped completely modern laundry and dry cleaning plant now stands on the banks of the Lewes River near McCrae. This project is operated by the Quartermaster Corps.

The plant has two seventy-five horsepower boilers. At present only one is in operation, burning coal. The other is being equipped to burn oil.

"Factory-style" planning is in effect throughout. Wide entry doors through which trucks bring their loads of laundry are next to the marking machines. A battery of six of these machines provide quick (12 to 15 bundles per hour, each) permanent stamping of all garments received.

Wheeled QMC laundry baskets roll from the receiving and marking departments to the nearby series of four wash wheels. Three of these washers are belt-driven from the common power source, while the fourth has a separate motor. One hundred and seventy-five sheets may be put into one of these wash wheels at a time.

A unit of four extractors rough-dries the clean laundry. Close by is a battery of eight driers which complete the transition from a pile of dirty laundry of sparkling white clothing.

Three check-out men handle the laundry from here. Their department is in almost the same spot the laundry was received. The articles to be washed make a complete circuit of the building and end up ready to be returned to their owners. There is no waste-motion or non-essential movement of laundry—it is essentially an "assembly line" process.

The dry cleaning plant is housed in a separate building a short distance from the laundry.

Two complete "wash" units, but in series, comprise the first step in the cleaning process. Lt. H. E. Heron, QMC officer directly in charge of this plant, explained that the washers are connected in series for the purpose of pumping cleaning solvent back and forth, in and out etc.

Four tumblers or driers form the next unit. Here the freshly cleaned garments are partially dried. An imposing array of pressers completes the dry cleaning operation.

When field jackets are cleaned, a special wash wheel replaces the water-repellant solution. This process restores the garments to their original state.

Specially built dust-proof boxes are used to ship the cleaned and pressed garments to units many miles up and down the Alaska Highway.

Three-score men of the laundry detachment live in new barracks nestled on the river bank. Everything in the barracks and mess hall is as ship-shape as the plant the men work in.

"On The Banks of The Yukon" might well be the theme song for

this unit. Their new home is the most scenic of all the stations in the Whitehorse area.

**American Red Cross**

The most recent addition to the featured - studied American Red Cross Recreation Center is a colorful war-map poster project entitled daily publication of the Post of Whitehorse, the Newscast, the popular project is sponsored by the Post Special Services Office and conducted by Sgt. Francis J. Ross of Post Headquarters.

Upon a large bulletin board is a huge map of Europe, surrounded by detailed maps of the present world conflict, Russia, the Gilberts, the Solomons, New Britain, etc. Accurate locations of the battlelines in both Russia and Italy, as well as the latest targets of the RAF, RCAF and USAAF in western Europe, are shown by the use of colored pins and thread on the European map.

The significance of the capture of obscure towns, strategic targets of Allied planes, and the potential strategy of the war, all unfold before one's eyes. As the battlefronts shift, the pins and thread are moved accordingly to show the changes. Explanatory captions are attached to the board with ribbons leading to the area dealt with by the exhibitions.

Plans at present call for a complete changing of the board once each week with the battlefront holding the world spotlight more prominently displayed. Later, leaflets containing feature stories, add facts, little known items of interest about the United Nations, etc., will be made available to the soldiers.

The basic reason behind the project is to enable the soldiers of the United Nations stationed around Whitehorse to know and understand what is going on in the various war zones—to make them information conscious.

The facilities of the American Red Cross Recreation Center, located in the log cabin near Post Headquarters, are open to all branches of the armed forces of the United Nations.

**ESTATE OF RACINE O. HAUGE Whitehorse, Y. T. DECEASED**

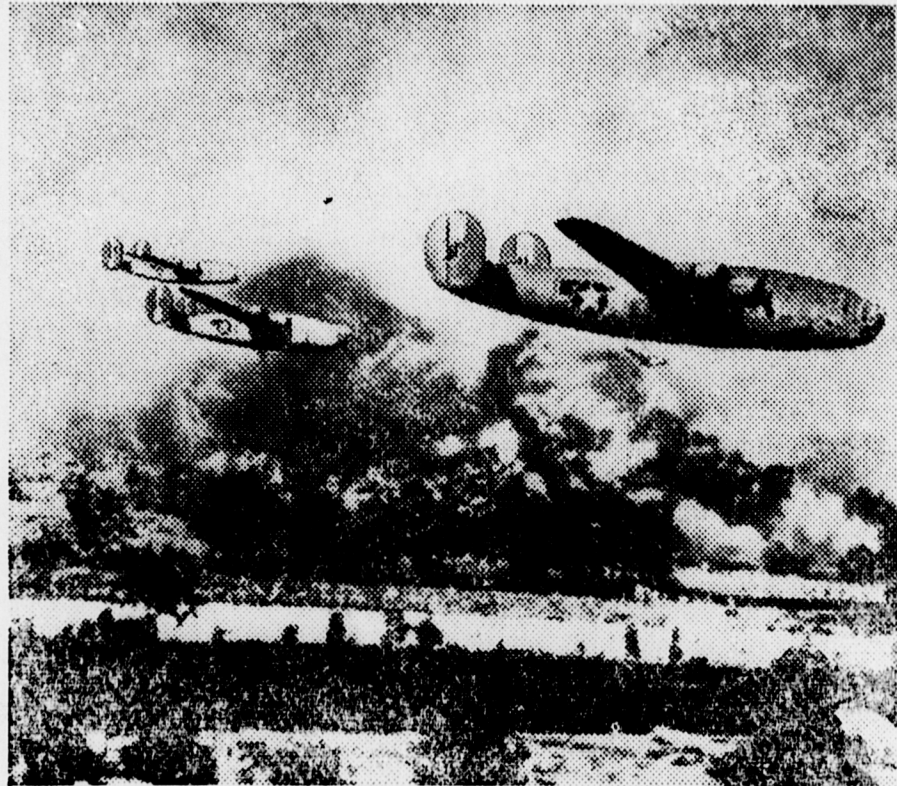
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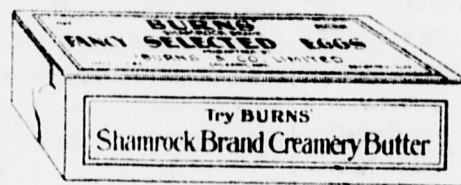
If all the good intentions in the world were put end to end they would still get us nowhere. But if half of them were put to work they would reach to a new era.



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U. S. Liberators carry out a mass low-level attack on the Rumanian oilfields and refineries. Direct hits were scored on installations, plants, and boiler houses. During the attack on the Picești oil refineries—Liberators sweep in low against a blackcloth of smoke and flames.

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**DR. DAFOE, DOYEN OF CANADIAN JOURNALISTS DIES SUDDENLY ON WAY TO WINNIPEG HOSPITAL.**

The 77-year old dean of Canadian journalist, Dr. John W. Dafoe, passed away suddenly Sunday whilst en route to a Winnipeg hospital due to a heart attack. As president and editor-in-chief of the Winnipeg Free Press he was at his desk as usual on Saturday. His last editorial dealt with the limitations of control and what he termed "the bosses of the new tyranny." During his sixty years in journalism he carved out for himself a niche in the history of this country which few equalled and none excelled. As a token of appreciation of the services he rendered to his country and in the best interests of his fellow-man, honorary degrees of four universities were bestowed upon him. He was a dynamic force his influence on Canadian thought and feeling being both deep and far-reaching. Throughout the British Commonwealth of Nations and in the United States of America the greatest respect was invariably paid to his views on Canadian, Empire and international affairs. On various occasions he was called upon to perform yeoman service for the state and, to his honour be it stated, that all such work was not only stamped with his personality but always resulted in major benefits to the Canadian people. Always a staunch supporter of the Liberal party he wielded an influence which falls to the lot of but few in the political arena. He was a veritable "power behind the throne" and both his pen and his voice were ever employed in improving international relations. Starting as a cub reporter at \$6 a week he reached the highest pinnacle in his profession. His passing is a distinct loss to the educational and cultural life of this country.

Some of us are afraid to search our souls, for fear that we will find a heel.

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Morning Prayer ..... 11.00 a.m.  
Evening Prayer ..... 7.30 p.m.

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**SUNDAY**  
Low Mass 7 and 8.30 a. m.  
High Mass 10 a. m.  
Rosar and Benediction 7.30 p.m.  
**FRIDAY**  
Rosary and Benediction 7.30 p.m.  
**SATURDAY**  
Confession from 7.30 to 9.30 p.m.

**COUNT CIANO SENTENCED TO DEATH BY NAZIS.**

On Monday Count Ciano, son-in-law of Mussolini, was sentenced to death for high treason by an Axis tribunal. The 40-year old member of the Fascist grand council and 14 others who voted to over-throw Mussolini last July were tried and convicted by a special tribunal sitting in Verona, northern Italy, and is reported to have been shot. Only four of them however had been arrested, the others being tried in absentia. The 77-year-old Marshal DeBono, one time leader of the Italian armies that invaded Ethiopia, was among those who had been arrested.

**ESTATE OF EDMUND J. MANNIX Whitehorse, Y. T.**

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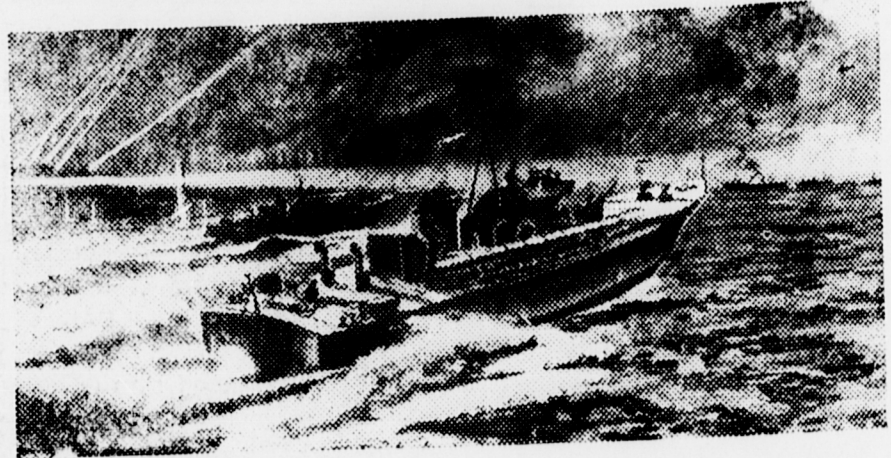
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"The eyes of the Lord are in every place, beholding the evil and the good."

—Proverbs 15:3.



The following is a copy of the letter addressed by the Dowager Marshionerss of Readng, D.B.E., of London, England, to all members of I O D E

1st November, 1943.

"Although this is the Fifth Christmas letter I have written to the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire, I am still at a loss to know what to say. The evidences of your generosity rise before me in every corner of the United Kingdom, in the great wounded cities and the quiet country villges, from the isles of Scotland to the battered hamlets of Cornwall.

Both our organizations have had a hard year and are starting on an even harder one, so let us pause for one brief moment and think with happiness on the ties that bind our two great countries so strongly together. Though the future must necessarily be uncertain, one thing, I feel, is secure—that is the knowledge that neither you nor we can live and breathe without each other, and that on our mutual trust must the foundation of the new world be laid.

"The whole of the W.V.S. send you their very best wishes for a happy Christmas, with many, many thanks to you for all you have done and are doing for the war-distressed people over here."

**Literary Competition**

The annual literary competition, sponsored by the Women's Canadian Club of Toronto, will take the form this year of a short story of approximately 2500 words with present day Canadian life or thought as its theme. All manuscripts must be typed on one side of the paper and double spaced. They must be sent by registered mail to the Secretary-Treasurer, Women's Canadian Club of Toronto, 69 Bloor Street East, Toronto, Ont., and delivered by February 15th, 1944. Those entering the contest are advised to retain a copy of their manuscript. The prize is \$100 but the distinction of being the successful contestant will, most assuredly, be more highly prized by the winner.

**ESTATE OF ROBERT H. WALKER Whitehorse, Y. T. DECEASED**

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MILES CANYON. WHITEHORSE, Y. T.

One of the most popular beauty spots in the Yukon. Its turbulent waters have fascinated thousands of tourists who have stood spell-bound on the river's rocky ledges wtching the maddening scene in all its grandeur. And with its beauty there has stalked tragedy for atthis spot many lost their lives during the Gold Rush Days of '98 when thir rafts or boats fouled the oft-times hidden rocks in the bed of the river.

**DAWSON**

J. A. West, who left Dawson about a month ago for Moose Creek via the Glacier road, has returned to town.

J. A. Nelson, gold room employec of the Y. C. G. Corp. Ltd., at Bear Creek, has left by CPA plane en route to Mayo Bros. clinic at Rochester, Mnn., to secure medical treatment for an injured foot.

Fred Nugent, a former resident here, is now resident in California. He sends hs kindest regards to his old-time friends in the north.

Mrs. Jack Andison arrived by CPA plane recently from her home in Mayo to enter St. Mary's Hospital.

Ken McIntosh and Doug Williamson have arrived in town making the trip with Jack Colbourne from Bonanza and Quartz Creek.

Dr. Monty Franks, the popular dentist, has arrived back in town from Whitehorse where he has been for the past few weeks. He made the trip by CPA plane.

**ESTATE ROBERT H. WALKER**

Tenders will be received by the Public Administrator up to noon of Saturday, 22nd of January, 1944, for the purchase of the following property of the above estate:

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**U. S. PLANES RAID NAZI ASSEMBLY PLANTS IN ONE OF BIGGEST AIR BATTLES OVER GERMANY**

More than 700 Flying Fortresses and Liberators, escorted by hundreds of Thunderbolts, Lightnings and long-range fighters of a new type attacked German fighter assembly plants on Tuesday "with excellent results." It was one of the biggest air battles of the war over Germany in which U. S. gunners alone shot down more than 100 Nazi interceptor planes. Sixty-four American planes—59 bombers and 5 fighters—were lost in the attack.

**NATIONAL LIBERAL FEDERATION ISSUES CALL TO ORGANIZE**

From the new headquarters of the National Liberal Federation in Ottawa a call has been sent out to all provincial Liberal organizations to organize their province and constituencies without delay in order that the Liberal party may proceed at once with plans to maintain production in the post-war period as near to that of the war period as is humanly possible.

**HITLER NOW URGING JAPAN TO LAUNCH ATTACK ON RUSSIA.**

When a rat is cornered—well you know the rest. Well-informed circles state from Cairo that Hitler is doing his utmost to persuade Japan to attack Russia at once in order to avert a Nazi disaster on the Soviet front. In a series of conferences Hitler had recently with the Japanese ambassador he proposed a Russian "Pearl Harbor" as a diversionary measure and insisted that Japan launch a surprise attack on Vladivostok and the Manchurian border, especially at Changkufeng, the scene of a "border" incident in July 1938. Hitler is reported to have based his proposal on the contention that war between Russia and Japan is inevitable and urged that the Japanese should seize the advantage of a surprise attack.

**MASS EVACUATION OF SOFIA, BULGARIA NOW UNDER WAY.**

From Cairo comes the report that evacuation of Sofia, the much-bombed capital of Bulgaria, is now under way on a large scale. The latest raids on Monday by the United Nations are stated to have inflicted heavy damage in the industrial area of the city and the Bulgarian government is moving elsewhere.

**GERMANS LOSE LAST OUTPOST NEAR CASSINO KEY TO ROME HIGHWAY.**

The Anglo-American Fifth Army, by the capture of Cervaro, have driven the Germans from their last outpost near Cassino, key to the Rome highway. Latest reports are that the Fifth Army is still making steady progress.

**YUKON TERRITORY NOW "PROHIBITED AREA" UNDER DEFENCE AIR REGULATIONS.**

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**HIMMLER IS AFTER VON PAPAN'S SCALP.**

Turkish diplomatic sources report that Heinrich Himmler, chief of the Gestapo and Minister of the Interior in the Nazi government, has charged Franz Von Papan, German ambassador to Turkey, with having conducted an "exchange of views" with enemy powers. Von Papan is Germany's ace diplomatic trouble shooter and, it is reported, will be recalled to Germany to face the charge. It's dollars to doughnuts that if Von Papan accepts Himmler's "invitation" his goose is cooked.

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