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WHITEHORSE AREA IN VICTORY LOAN SO FAR GOOD-KEEP AT IT!

The Whitehorse march towards the quota of \$230,000 continued its steady progress through the latter part of last week but showed a tendancy to drop off the early part of this week. At press time the total is now \$160,150 with a total of 485 applications.

Last Thursday's returns were featured by the Royal Canadian Signals Corps who went over the top with 200% subscription of their quota. Added to this they were able to secure 100% participation from their staff. The Whitehorse Grill and the White Pass & Yukon Route also went over the top with 105% subscriptions of their quotas.

Monday the Whitehorse area reached the halfway mark with subscriptions totalling \$115,800, the number of subscriptions recorded totalled 393.

Standard Oil and Northwest Service Command reached the halfway mark on their quotas of \$60,000 and \$35,000 on Tuesday with totals of \$30.650 and \$17,550 being recorded respectively.

The co-operation the local Committee has been receiving from Standard Oil and Northwest Service Command has made it possible for these areas to do so well. We hope they will be able to keep up the good work during the last part of the loan and not only subscribe then quotas but go well OVER THE TOP.

vassed as yet and if you have been ver Suburban 75%; Vancouver city overlooked kindly notify the local 70%; Fraser Valley 60%; Vancouver Committee and they will have a Island 58%; Okanagan 51%; Northsalesman call on you.

of Victory Bonds has made it pos- smith 126%; Ocean Falls 115%; mander, stepped from the plane and sible for Canada to train 250,000 Bridge River-Howe Sound 91%; was welcomed b Lt. Col. Ralph J. third of all the Royal Air Force Dawson leads with 67% of quota; crews are Canadians.

has also made it possible for the plications in the Whitehorse area Canadian Navy to do 100% of the over the last campaign in the best convoy work in the Atlantic.

has also made it possible for the so far achieved locally the provin-Canadian Army to fight on the cial finance committee extends by Western Front, the Italian Front and telegraph its congratulations soon against the Japanese.

We must back them up to the seas to get back home again soon. greatest extent possible. It is not just enough to reach our quota we just at press time: Carcross has gone must oversubscribe it by as large an amount as possible.

This can only be done by the continued support of every member of our community.

HAVE YOU DONE YOUR PART? Have you purchased your Victory

Remember you are investing in Victory and helping the men over-

Our Quota \$230,000 Secured to date \$160,150

VACILLATION AT OTTAWA CAUSES CABINET BREACH AND INTOLERABLE SITUATION WHICH MAY READILY BECOME A NATIONAL CRISIS.

the man-power problem. The crux of the whole matter, of course, is the have remained in Canada ever since various ministers mentioned above. he outbreak of war. The ministers non and Power. This puts the mater fairly and squarely up to the

It is reported that a crisis has Prime Minister. And, having rearisen in the Cabinet at Ottawa over gard to the heavy casualties which are reported this week to have been suffered both in the Canadian and British ranks in Europe, there can disposition of the Home Defence be little doubt that the great maforces, numbering approximately jority of Canadians are fully in ac-275,000, a large number of whom cord with the stand taken by the

This is a national issue and any demanding that these be sent over- attempt at this critical time to apseas without delay, in order to re- pease any particular section of the lieve the critical situation in Europe, people for political reasons could ere stated to be Ralston, Macdonaid, only be construed as a blot on the Crerar, Gibson, McLarty, McKin- escutcheon of Canada and a derelicion of duty on the part of our government.

LATEST TELEGRAPH VICTORY BOND NEWS INCLUDING NOVEMBER 1.

Total Dominion sales amount to \$661,057,756.

B. C .-- Yukon

Ttotal sales to and including November 1, \$36,633,000 or 66% of quota. By divisions Armed Forces Some areas have not been can-lead by 105%; Coast 76%; Vancouern B. C. 49% Yukon 47%; Koot-Did you know that your purchase enay 45%. Leading units: Lady-At the present time one Vancouver South 86%. In the north Whitehorse 56%; Peace River 41% Your purchase of Victory Bonds and Atlin 35%. The increase in apshowing in all forty-four units. For Your purchase of Victory Bonds the good work and excellent results

We received the following flash over the top of their quota o \$10,000 with \$1,850 to spare. Well done Carcross keep those bond applications rolling in.

The efforts of the small community of Carcross should be an inspiration to the rest of us to put our shoulders to the wheel and see if we can't get Whitehorse over the top in the near future.

FIRST UNITED STATES WAC'S ARRIVE IN WHITEHORSE.

Recently a detachment of the U. S. Women's Army Corps arrived in Whitehorse to take up their duties at the Air Transport Command's Alaskan Division. They have the distinction of being the first WAC's to be assigned to service outside the United States. They arrived here by plane from Great Falls, Montana, making the 1300 miles trip in C-47 Douglas Skytrains. Upon arrival a: the local airport 1st Lt. Gladys Bauer of Chicago, detachment com- STATES CHURCHILL. Gibbons of Portland, Oregon, and informed the British House of Com-Wing Commander Gordon T. Steves mons Friday that "a very good of the R. C. A. F. "Sir, I am Lt. working agreement" had been reach-Bauer reporting for duty" stated the ed on the problem of south-eastern detachment commander as she sal. Europe, as the result of his confecher Thereupon she executive officer 1st Lt. Kathleen J. sound.' He admitted, however, that Curtin. "It's a pleasure to have you his efforts to end the Russo-Polish here and I hoye your stay will be a dispute had not proved successful. pleasant one" replied Colonel Gib- He summed up his conferences with

by the WAC's at the Whitehorse Air with President Roosevelt attending Base will be those of typists, radio, same, should be held before the end telephone and teletype operators, of the current year. postal clerks, car drivers, Link Trainer operators and air operation pecialists.

Mr. Allan Gordon of the B. Y. N. Co., staff leaves on the next Princess boat for the coast where he will remain for the winter.

GENERAL F. S. STRONG'S RADIO APPEAL ON BEHALF SEVENTH VICTORY LOAN.

Canada is now in its sixth year of war. It has been a long and difficult struggle, and while the final end of the conflict is not yet in sight, the promise of ultimate Victory looms brighter today upon the horizon than at any time.

We of the United Nations are all in this war together. The burden of the winning of that war rests not alone upon the shoulders of the boys who go out day after day and night after night to fight, to suffer grievous wounds and to die. That burden rests with equal weight squarely on the shoulders of every man, woman and child in every community of our lands, whether they are in uniform or not.

I can think of no better way in which a civilian man or woman can share our mutual burden than by purchasing to the absolute limit of his ability the bonds which now are being offered in Canada's Seventh Victory Loan.

I therefore urge every Canadian employee of the Northwest Service Command and its allied projects 'o share that burden through the purchase of Victory Bonds. In the years of peace that lie ahead, such sharing of the common cause will be of inestimable satisfaction to each and every one of you.

In this present crucial period of our united destiny, it will help m :terially to bring home the men and women who are doing so much to protect you.

VERY GOOD WORKING AGREEMENT REACHED

Prime Minister Winston Churchill commanding officer, ences with Marshal Stalin and deintroduced her clared that "all is solid, sure and Stalin as "highly satisfactory" but Among the duties to be performed advocated a further conference,

> Mr. A. E. James, acting port steward this season, is leaving next Wednesday for his home at the

Bad weather conditions has put "travel by air" on the "blink" this week.

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NOVEMBER 3, 1944

WE CAN NEVER REPAY.

Throughout the history of civilization are scattered the names of men and women whose contributions to human knowledge, to the alleviation of human suffering, toward the cause of human freedom, and for the up-lift and benefit of the human race, the world can never repay. Blessed be their memory and may we all ever and always be grateful and appreciative of the inestimable benefits which we have derived as the results of their labours so ungrudingly given and so graciously bestowed. They constitute the real moulders of our civilization

The human race is fortunate in that in times of crisis, in epidemics or other wide-spread disruption, there have always been found among us those who have been ready and willing to make whatever sacrifices have been necessary in the common cause. And in this respect the youth of Canada has rightfully answered the call for service and taken their place among those of the United Nations in combatting not only the greatest war but also the most fiendish one in human history. At all hours of the day and night they stand on guard to protect their country and their loved ones from annihilation or something worse.

It should not be necessary therefore to point the direction in which our own duty lies at this time and at this stage of the tragedy. We all know it only too well. Those in the front line of action will not shirk their responsibility. We must not shirk ours. Their very lives depend upon our efforts and sacrifices. Whatever these may be they cannot bear comparison with those who have placed their faith and trust in us. So let's keep up the good work and serve by saving. No better evidence can be adduced of our determination

to back the boys at the front to our last dollar than by investing every cent we can in Seventh Victory Bonds. They are gilt-edged security for us and the very best means we have for displaying our appreciation of what is being accomplished in the various branches of the Armed Forces by those now on active service. Let's help them to finish the job.

Buy More Than Before LOOKING FORWARD

Bomber-fighter formations for the air, landing boats and paratroops for the invasion, tank crews for the break through. Men of vision long foresaw the need to train these striking forces. Some people said it would not be necessary. They were wrong. Our thoroughly trained and well equipped troops have answered the need of the hour.

Now another honr may soon strike. Canada will need homes fit for her men to come back to, inmight; and in that faith let us to the dustry stepped up to win the peace, end dare to do our duty as we a people alert and united. Men of vision see the need to train fresh troops to fight and win this battle of reconstruction. And there are those who think this won't be necessary — that ordinary men equipped only with an engineer's transit or a road machine can win the peace.

But the greater need in reconstruction is the reconstruction of



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after the war will require a new of selfish and sectional interests. sense of purpose. Lassitude and They will rise a standard to which apathy can't carry out our post-war the wise and honest can repair. They plans. We need a striking force of will rally the nation behind them in men who know how to rebuild hu- the fight to serve. man character, men morally tough themselves, men trained and ready to fly to the nation's danger spots a few that will lead the millions.

personal or party axe to grind and man's spirit. The new situation who are proof against the beckoning and the ordinary man.

These trained troops for reconstruction are essential to Canada. With such a force the sacrifices of the battlefield will not be in vain. They must be men who have no They can make effective the deepest longings of both the statesman



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OUR BRITISH COLUMBIA

WEEKLY NEWS LETTER

In keeping with the policy of past years, the Provincial Government has dispatched more than 300 -000 cigarettes to British Columbia House in London for Christmas disin the armed forces serving Overseas, it was jointly announced by Premier John Hart and the Honourand Industry.

shipment as a gift on behalf of the people of British Columbia, the Government also has sent 12 gross, or 1728 packs of playing cards for distribution to recreational centres used by B. C. men and women.

It is interesting to note that since January 19 of this year, and including the Christmas shipments just sent, the Government has shipped as a gift to men and women Overseas a total of 1,487,600 cigarettes. This is exclusive of shipments made by personal orders and through organizations. These shipments, together with the gift shipments from the Povincial Government have 5,000,**0**00 cigarettes averaged month.

Victory Loan

Premier John Hart announced the investment of \$7,000,000 in the 7tn Victory Loan by the Government through the medium of the Workmen's Compensation Board and the Government's various trust accounts, sinking fund, and general accounts. This brings to a total of \$50,000,000 the Government's investments in the various Victory Loans. This sum is believed to be the largest investment of any Province in the Dominion in the nation's war effort.

In making the announcement, the Premier called upon all Pritish Columbians to support the 7th Victory Loan as they had those in the past and to redouble their efforts so that the increased guota might be met.

NOTE FOR TODAY

Their gift is not in golden coin: In higher values must we measure Lives offered up in Freedom's cause While we but lend an earthly treasure.

With all we have we must support Our men and women in this fight, That peace may come again to Earth And all the world be ruled by right. —J. N. Stephenson.

Willson E. Knowlton

OPTOMETRIST

823 Birks Building Vancouver, B. C.

LABRADOR AIR BASE LEASED TO CANADA FOR NINETY-NINE YEARS.

OTTAWA, Oct. 23.—Canada has obtained a 99-year lease for defense purposes on the site of the \$25,000,-000 Goose Bay air base in Labrador. Prime Minister King announced.

tribution to B. C. men and women manufactured in North America to been constructed at the base. the fighting areas overseas.

The new agreement between Canada and Newfoundland leaves the Supplementing this Christmas fic to be disposed of by discussions between Canada, Newfoundland and

the United Kingdom within 12 months after the end of hostilities.

By reason of its location and facilities, the base is considered likely to be a pivotal point in international air transport after the war and also in any chain of air services set up to link the parts of the British Commonwealth.

runways and Great concrete The air base was built in 1941 to hangers, barracks, power stations, permit the transport of aircraft repair shops and a hospital have

The air base is operated by the Royal Canadian Air Force, and its facilities are made available to the able E. C. Carson, Minister of Trade question of the postwar use of the United States Army air transport base for civilian or commercial traf- and the Royal Air Force transport command for the duration of the war.

ESTATE OF **HUGO SCHNEIDER** DECEASED

ALL PERSONS having any claims against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are required to file the same with the Public Administrator at Dawson on or before the 12th day January, 1945, supported by statutary declaration, after which date the estate will be distributed having reference only to claims which have been so filed.

ALL PERSONS indebted to the Administrator.

said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the Public DATED AT DAWSON this 20th day of October, 1944.

C. GRANT,

Public Administrator. 42-3



INVEST IN VICTORY

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PAN AMERICAN ORDERS FLEET OF 26 GIANT DC-7 DOUGLAS CLIPPERS AT COST OF \$40,000,000.

SANTA MONICA, Cal., Oct. 23.-Details of a great post-war transport project in which Douglas Aircraft company, in co-operation with Pan American World Airways engineers, has developed an advanced type of giant sub-stratosphere clippers were revealed here today by Donald W. Douglas, president of the aircraft company.

The project, the largest and most significant in the history of commercial aviation, calls for delivery to Pan American of a fleet of 26 four-engined clippers, designed is DC-7's at a cost of \$40,000,000.

Carrying 108 passengers and a crew of 13 and capable of speeds of more than three hundred miles an hour these giant clippers will make possible Pan American's program of mass transportation, bringing swift, economical travel within the reach of the average man.

Spacious pressurized cabins in these huge new clippers will provide for comfortable travel at an altitude of 20,000 feet.

The immensity of these new Douglas clippers is emphasized by the fact that their wings will be longer, from tip to tip, than a 16and repairing engines in flight

They will be twice as large as the giant clippers now flying Pan American's trans-oceanic routes and seven times larger than the standard DC-3 transports in operation all over the world They will have many accommodations and conveniences never before attempted in commercial air transportation.

The huge new planes, it was re- PLEDGE OF 1943 TO vealed, would be used by Pan American in its great Latin American expansion program and possibly in other long-distance services. The pioneer airline would operate these big clippers directly to Latin Amer-

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ica from New York, as well as from Miami, New Orleans, and Los Angeles at fares as low as 31/2 cents a

The mammoth planes would carry passengers from New York to Buenos Aires in 22 hous, to Rio de Janeiro in 19 hours and span the Pacific from Los Angeles and San Francisco to Honolulu in about 8 hours, making it possible for the everyday citiizen to spend 12 days of his two weeks' vacation abroad.

Although dates of delivery to Pan American will depend upon progress of the war and government decisions in production and manpower priorities, most of the engineering has been completed and the basic airplane of this size is actually under construction at the Long Beach California plant of the Douglas company.

The new California-built clipper will be powered by four Pratt & Whitney engines of even greater displacement than the 2100-horsepower Double Wasps. Details of this new engine are still heavily guarded military secret. The great plane also is equipped with the superhydromatic Hamilton Standard propellor, a new design representing distinct advances in airplane propulsion.

The new million and a half dollar Douglas clippers will have two spacious cabins, one accommodating 72 passengers and the other 36, beside a modern galley equipped for serving full course meals, dressing rooms, toilets, cargo compartment, story building and large enough for flight deck and compartment for interior passageways for servicing pilots. There will also be large storage compartments for food and electrically operated stoves and refrigerators will be included in the modern equipment.

> Thermal de-icing systems, built into the wings and other surfaces. will make comfortable all-weather flight possible at high altitudes.

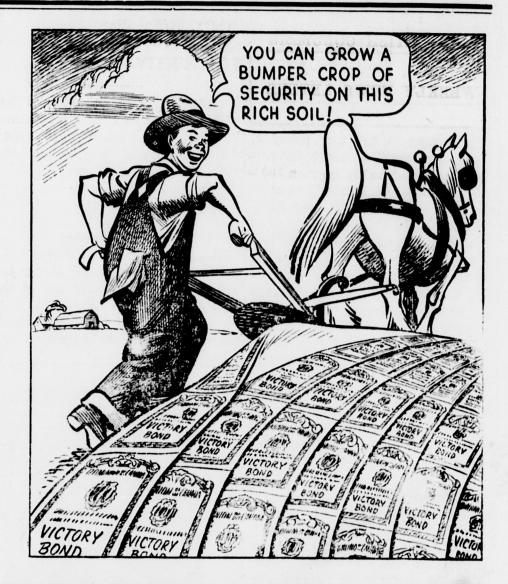
TLC RE-AFFIRMS BAN STRIKES.

TORONTO, Oct. 24.—The Trades and Labor Congress of Canada today reaffirmed its "no strike" pledge, made at the 1943 convention, and went on record as approviing the principle of family allowances.

The "no strike" resolution was adopted by the delegates to the 60th annual convention of the Congress without discussion. On the question of family allowances there was a difference of opinion with some speakers expressing a fear that such a measure might be used as a substitute for adequate wages.

In another resolution the convention pledged full support to the armed forces until final victory is attained.

The convention approved in principle the payment of family allowances "while emphatically declaring that such allowances must not take the place of adequate wage rates", a rider to the resolution added a recommendation that any family allowance scheme be kept under close scrutiny by the congress to check any trend which might adversely effect efforts to achieve a proper wage level.



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ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY DIES SUDDENLY.

The Most Rev. William Temple, age of 63 following a heart attack.

Appointed to his exalted position don Daily Mail. in April 1942, Dr. Temple was a sopher than a theologian. Liberal and somewhat radical in his political responsibilities his expressed political opinions often ran counter to those held by others in high places but this did not deter him from carrying out the duties and responsibilities of his exalted position as he understood them. His father, the late Archbishop Frederick Temple, who died in 1902, was also a storm centre throughout his career, so much so that when Gladstone created him Bishop of Exter in 1869, a leading churchman held that "the choice was the most frightful enormity ever perpetrated by a prime minister." But when, in 1896. Lord Salisbury advanced him to the See of Canterbury no serious objections were raised. The attitude of the church regarding social reforms has indergone a decided change since hose times.

The world is sorely in reed nowadays of men of the calibre of the late Archbishop and his untimely passing is not only a great shock but also a great loss to us all.

RESTRICTIONS ON HIGHER BRACKET SALARIES TO BE REMOVED SHORTLY.

OTAWA, Oct. 21.—Modification of the wartime salaries control order to be announced shortly will benefit senior civil servants as well as employees in private enterprise.

Restrictions of the order, which outlawed pay increases unless approved by a revenue department controller, are being eased to eliminate cases of "gross inequality."

In effect since 1941, the order "froze" salaries of those above the rank of foreman.

FACTS FOR CANADIANS

According to the September issue of Canada at War Canada's war expenditures since 1939, including the estimates for the fiscal year 1943-44 and the budget forecast for 1944-45. total more than \$15,000,000,000, an average of more than \$1,300 for every Canadian. The total war expenditures for the five fiscal years ended March 31, 1944, were \$10,-550,000,000, and the ratio of revenues to these war expenditures was: all income taxes- 38.2%, all tax revenues 69.5%, total revenue 76.7%.

In the last five years, while the nation's funded debt has increased slightly more than three times, the share of the debt payable outside Canada has fallen from 26% to scarcely more than 3%. The wartime borrowing has been distributed so widely that the interest on the public debt is paid probably not less than 60% of the income-earners of the country.

CANADIAN FORCES HIGHLY PRAISED IN CRUCIAL BATTLE.

LONDON.—"Britain should be as 96th Archbishop of Canterbury and proud of the Canadians fighting for Primate of the Church of England, the Schelde estuary as of her own died suddenly last Thursday at the sons,' War Correspondent Noel Monks wrote Thursday in the Lon-

"I don't think the people of Britdynamic force and more of a philo- ain or of the empire, for that matter fully realize the magnificent job the Canadians have done and are doing views he held strong convictions on in France, Belgium and Holland, or the need for social betterment of the the significance of the task the Almasses. Taking a broad view of his lied command has assigned to them -the opening up of the port of Antwerp," said Monks, recently assigned to the 1st Canadian Army.

"There will be no Berlin for us this winter, militarily speaking, if the Canadians' present operations are not successful. It is a great tribute to the Dominion of Canada that her sons should be given the key role in this operation.

"From the day the first convoy sails into Antwerp, I believe you can really start reckoning when the war will end."

The Trades and Labor Congress has gone on record asking for the establishment of a minimum wage of \$1500 a year for Canadian work-



WHITEHORSE LODGE No. 46 A. F. & A. M

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R. L. GREENSLADE,

Secretary

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The Future After Discharge -

A MESSAGE TO RELATIVES OF THOSE IN THE ARMED FORCES

When your boys and your girls come home, when they lay aside the uniform, when they go out into the world as normal peace-loving Canadians, what lies ahead? Can they pick up their lives as civilians, where they laid them down, months or long years ago? Are there plans to help them do the things they wanted to do before the war? Will they have security? Can they continue education, or receive needed training? Will they be assisted in home owning, or to establish their own business, and will they be enabled to pick up their family life once again?

These are questions which concern all those Canadians who have loved ones in the services. They are questions which this series of advertisements is designed to answer.

OPPORTURITY IS THE OBJECTIVE

Canada has been making plans for your boy's and your girl's return to civilian life since early in 1940. These plans are in effect and operating now. The aim is that every person who has served shall have opportunity. Thousands, already back in civilian life, have benefitted by training, by maintenance grants, by advice of departmental officials, and by the social security provisions. There is ample help for those men and women who want to help themselves.

ASSISTANCE ON DISCHARGE

When your boys and girls are discharged from the services, they will be given:

- A clothing allowance of \$100.00 (if discharged after August 1, 1944).
- 2. Their pay to date of discharge.
- 3. One month's additional pay, if they have 183 'days' continuous service, as a rehabilitation grant.
- 4. A railway warrant home or to the place of enlistment.

Dependents will receive:

- 1. Their normal dependents' allowance to date of discharge, with assigned pay.
- An additional month's dependents' allowance, with assigned pay, if there has been 183 days' continuous service.

Your boy or girl will be allowed to retain certain items of uniform. They will be given a complete medical and dental examination and will be eligible for free needed treatment for a year after discharge. Those discharged not physically fit, in need of continuing treatment and unable to work, will have their pay and allowances of rank continued for at least a year if necessary and, if the disability is pensionable, for as long as curative treatment is beneficial. All are interviewed by Veterans' Welfare Officers and told of the re-establishment programme.

WAR SERVICE GRATUITY

On discharge, those enlisted to serve outside Canada, or those who served in the Aleutian Islands, are eligible for a war service gratuity. It provides \$7.50 for each thirty days' service in Canada and the Western Hemisphere and \$15.00 for each thirty days' service overseas or in the Aleutian Islands. For those with overseas service or with service in the Aleutian Islands, there is an additional seven days' pay and allowances for each six months of such service. Payments will be made at the end of each month in the months following discharge. Complete details of the war service gratuity will be given in a later advertisement.

RE-ESTABLISHMENT CREDIT

In addition to the war service gratuity, there is a re-establishment credit of \$7.50 for each thirty days' service in the Western Hemisphere and \$15.00 for each thirty days' service overseas. This is for things such as the purchase or repair of a home, the buying of furniture, a business, or government life insurance, and for certain other purposes which will assist your boy or your girl in becoming reestablished. This credit, which is reduced by grants given for training or education, or under the Veterans' Land Act, is primarily for those who do not wish assistance under these three plans.

RETURN TO FORMER JOBS

If your boy or girl held a civilian position before enlisting, and was not engaged to replace somebody already in the forces, and if the position still exists, and your boy or girl is capable of filling it, it is the employer's duty, under the law of Canada, to reinstate him or her in that position with seniority. Application for reinstatement must be made to the former employer within three months of discharge from the forces or from hospital

Veterans' Welfare Officers are stationed in key centres throughout Canada. They are the friends of Ex-Service men and women. It is their duty to advise and assist all Ex-Service personnel with their re-establishment problems. If there is anything about the Rehabilitation programme which you do not understand, consult your nearest Veterans' Welfare Officer.

TRAINING AND EDUCATION

The surest way to permanent employment—the thing your boy or girl will want—is a skill to get and to hold a job Canada's plans give opportunity to acquire needed skill either at university or in preparation for a business or industrial career Fees are paid by the state, along with living allowances, while training or continuing education.

WHILE ILL OR UNEMPLOYED

There is protection against illness or unemployment by maintenance allowances which can be drawn against in the first eighteen months after discharge. There is also protection under the Unemployment Insurance Act for those who enter insured employment and remain in it fifteen weeks.

HOME OWNING AND FARMING

There is provision to assist city and other workers to have homes of their own, either on small acreages of land outside the high taxation area, or in town, under the National Housing Act Full-time farmers can be given financial assistance in full-time farming, while commercial fishermen may secure financial help in getting their own homes, on small acreages of land, and in buying needed fishing equipment.

FREE TREATMENT

In the year following discharge, service men and women are eligible for free treatment, hospitalization and allowances for any condition, even if not the result of service. Pensioners are entitled to this for life for their pensioned disability.

THE POLICY ON PENSIONS

Canada's Pension Act is administered by an independent commission, all former members of the services. Any permanent disability suffered overseas, not a result of misconduct, is pensionable. Where service is in Canada only, the disability must be a result of service.

Published under the authority of Hon. Ian A Mackenzie, Minister of

PENSIONS AND NATIONAL HEALTH



Your pay envelope may hold some soldier's ticket home!

Wait! That pay envelope you get so regularly, can mean a great deal to our Canadian fighting men at the front. Think about it for a minute! If your own boy were overseas, as he may be right now, and he earnestly needed a loan, you would manage it somehow, wouldn't you?

Today, more than half a million Canadian boys are at the battlefronts, anxious to get this war over with and to get home again. How soon they achieve this depends in part on you, and on the size of the loan you are willing to extend to them. That money in your pay envelope is money you can put to a vital, urgent use. Buy Victory Bonds and every dollar of it will return to you in full at maturity, with interest, guaranteed by the Dominion of Canada.

Extra Victory Bonds are needed now to provide supplies to help Canadian fighting men push this war to a finish, without a day's delay, so they may soon be ready to board the transports that will bring them home in triumph.

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ELABORATE GERMAN MAPS FOR INVASION OF ENGLAND DISCOVERED.

A complete collection of maps which the German Army had prepared for the invasion of Great Britain and Ireland has been discovered in a big garage on the outskirts of Brussels. It reveals a good deal about the strategy which the Germans planned to employ.

One or two of the items in the immense dossier of maps, plans, photographs and explanatory notes had already been found in various German billets in the city but no complete sets had been discovered before this big haul.

The documents are an imposing sight. Each dossier, and there are United Kingdom and Eire.

There are reproductions of the in Kent and Sussex. best British maps; street plans of all towns and villages on important was to get into the Weald and thus try, from tin mines in Cornwall to whole landing was to attract what reproduced picture postcards of the field arm Britain possessed at the Lake District. There are maps of time to the defence of London the entire coast, with sketches en- against an attack coming from the abling any sketch of the coast to south. Then it seems that the secbe identified at once; and aerial ond attack was to be put in-a landphotographs of the defences of the ing in the vicinity of Portsmouth south coast hurriedly thrown up and Weymouth-with the intention during the spring and summer of of getting the armour into the adtours of inspection of these defences ches from the border of Devon up to

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by prominent persons are included whenever they contain details of weapons or of defensive positions.

Accompanying the maps is a kind of invasion "Baedeker" giving details of Britain and Ireland as a whole, and discussing each area from the point of view of military operations. From this it is possible to make some general deductions as to the plan of the campaign which the German Army at one time planned to adopt.

The first phase of the actual invasion, after the battle for air supremacy had been won, apparently included attempts to sink blockships at the entrance to the principal east coast estuaries and harbours, with the intention of impeding the deployment of our naval forces. Then it appears that there were .o hundreds of thousands of them is at have been two main landings in the least 18 inches thick and a foot south of Enngland, with airborne square, and they contain all the data landings in the Midlands and behind relating to every district of the the east coast. The first of the southern attacks was to have been

The object of the Kentish attack traffic arteries; photographs of turn the line of the South Downs. every conceivable part of the coun- but the general purpose of this 1940. Newspaper pictures of the mirable tank country which stret-Salisbury Plan and the Cotswolds. From this position the best way into London was, according to the German notes, south-eastward through Bicester, so that while the British field arm was fighting on the North Downs facing south, London would be taken in the rear by armoured forces. Apparently also, the Germans envisaged the final stage of the invasion of England would be a last ditch stand by the remnants of the British forces pushedback into North Wales

> This guidebook, in addition to outlining the military potentialities comments in general terms on England as a whole, permitting itself to observe that the condition of the slums is due not only to "the Industrial Revolution but also to the inefficiency of the Englishwoman as a housekeeper." Notes on Ireland include the judgment that the coast as a whole is almost always favourable to a landing, but adds a special warning on the existence of the stone walls which divide fields, apparently as being an obstacle to airborne landings.

> Other maps prepared fc. the invasion of England were discovered in France in July last,, also planned in great detail. Willow House, near Peterborough, was suggested as being suitable for Headquarters and mention was made of every forest. park, waterwork, hospital, school, farm and hotel in the area of the likely centres for invasion forces.

A striking thing about the documents found in Belgium is that the first of them were not ready until the middle of August, 1940 and were kept up to date and some revised even in 1943.



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CHARTER GRANTED WHITEHORSE AND DISTRICT WORKERS' UNION.

Labor in the Yukon set up a new milestone in the Parish Hall, Whitehorse, on Oct. 27th, when a capacity meeting of Whitehorse workers participated in the formal installation of the Charter for Local 815, Whitehorse & District Workers' Union, an affiliate of the International Union of Mine Mill and Smelter Workers. The installation ceremony was conducted by Tom McEwan, veteran member of Local 289 of Vancouver and well-known labor organizer.

A new local executive was elected and duly sworn in; these are as follows: President, J. O. Jones; Vice-President, J. Westergaard; Financial Secretary, Garfield Bolton; Recording-Secretary, A. Vars; Warden, Carl Grey. Trustees, Clive Cunningham and Hugo Seaholm. The personnel of the new executive are representative of the many industries and camps in the Whitehorse area, and men with considerable experience in labor circles.

A committee to aid the local executive in preparing a Brief and supplementary materials to present to the Western Labor Board which will hold hearing early in November was struck off. This Committee personnel are Geo. Stevens, A. C. McCarter, Chas. Caddy and Fred Webber. Considerable material is already documented, stressing the need of eliminating wage differentials between Canadian and U.S. workers on N. W. S. C. projects; the higher living costs in the Yukon, and the need for upping and unifying Canadian wage levels in the Yukon.

Jointly with the Hotel & Restaurant Workers' Union (A.F.L.) the Whitehorse & District Workers' Union will open offices and a Labor Hall in the White Pass Hotel icecream parlor on First Ave. Local 815 decided to meet regularly on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month. Many new members were enrolled at the inagural meeting, and union recruiting in the camps is steadily increasing.

The executive of Local 815 has already under consideration the setting up of a Womens' Auxiliary of the Union.



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BRITISH COLUMBIA'S HEALTH AND WELFARE PROGRAMME

PROBABLY no province in Canada has developed a better foundation for an over-all Social Service programme than British Columbia, expressing in a practical way its faith in the truism that the people's well-being is a nation's most valuable asset.

Experience gained during the depression of the 1930's when governments (Dominion Provincial and Municipal) were catapulted into the complicated field of social services, has been used as a basis for more studied and comprehensive plans, and steady, consistent progress has been made.

In the above-mentioned emergency, when legislation, policies and administration were admittedly haphazard, little or no co-ordination of social welfare activities was undertaken. But it was during these pioneer days that the necessity for a permanent planned programme was realized. Gradually plans have been evolved to ensure against a recurrence of the want, suffering and deterioration of health prevalent during periods of economic depression.

Apart from activities primarily concerned with education and prevention, here are some measures adopted by the Provincial Government of British Columbia to cope with social welfare problems:

- 1. The Legislature has recognized the need to provide for the welfare of the people of this province by increasing its appropriation for health and other welfare services from approximately \$2,500,000 in 1933 to about \$4,500,000 in 1943. These figures do not include old age pensions, but as the Old Age Pensions Act is now administered by the Provincial Secretary, these pensions are included in 1944-45 health and welfare estimates amounting to \$12,000,000.
- 2. Throughout the province, five health units have been developed in addition to the Greater Vancouver Metropolitan Area, staffed by Public Health Physicians and Nurses, Sanitary Inspectors and Statistical Clerks. The Central Vancouver Island and Prince Rupert units were fortunately organized in time to cope with problems arising out of war conditions in these areas. After the war the complete programme will be put into effect as quickly as personnel can be obtained. The function of such personnel is to co-ordinate all medical and other resources of a community with the technical and specialized services of the Provincial Board of Health.
- 3. For the administration of Social Assistance the province has been divided into five regions, in which have been established nineteen District Offices, so that rural as well as urban residents may be served by Social Workers when needed.
- 4. Social assistance is available to help families or individuals who through illness or other exigency are unable to maintain a standard of living compatible with health needs. Such help may be in the form of financial assistance in the home; boarding, foster home or institutional care; hospitalization.
- 5. There is authority and personnel to protect children without adequate guardianship, and funds to provide foster home care.

This summarized and incomplete description of the services available will nevertheless indicate that a health and welfare programme broad in scope is being developed that will place British Columbia in a position to take full advantage without delay of any Federal action to implement a Social Security plan.

Further announcements on this subject, containing more detailed information, will be issued in the near future,

HON. G. S. PEARSON, Minister. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

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LOCAL ITEMS

The regular meeting of Whitehorse Chapter, I. O. D. E will be held at the home of Mrs. J. Porter, the new Regent, on Monday, November 6th, at 8 p. m.

His many friends in the Yukon will be interested to learn that Mr. F. N. Gisborne formerly manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce both here and in Dawson, has been recently transferred from Salmon Arm, B. C., to the Kelowna branch of the bank.

The local shipyard will be closing down this week-end having completed its work for the season. The crew will be leaving Wednesday 44-3 FOR SALE-Completely furnished morning for the coast where the five-room house, with bathroom, most of them will rusticate for the city running water, cellar, hot air winter. Cheerio and good luck to furnace. Enquire of Lt. and Mrs. all of them. Shall be looking for-

On Thursday, October 26th, Eleanor Jane, only daughter of our local Fire Chief and Mrs. Dunbrack, was married to Sgt. Pilot Herbert Spence, R.C.A.F., younger son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Spence of Vancouver, B. C. The ceremony was held at 8 p. m. at St. Paul's Presbyterian 44-1 Church the Rev. J. C. McLean-Bell officiating. The bride's parent left by C.P.A. for the coast and returned last Saturday.

A reception was held at the Eagle's Hall, corner of Fraser and Kingsway and was attended by a large number of the friends and relatives of the contracting parties. May be seen at R. C. M. Police The groom graduated only a few days before his marriage. He and residence at 57 East 40th Avenue, Vancouver, B. C., and will be reporting for duty on November 20th next in readiness for overseas ser-44-1 vice.

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