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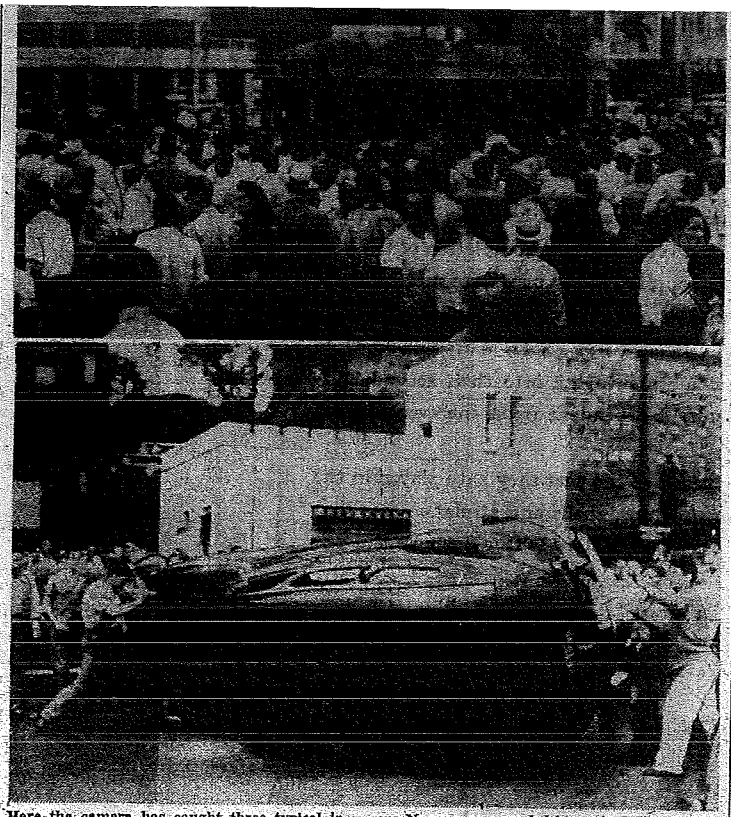

Here the camera has caught three typical incidents in the Monday's Detroit race riots which took 29 lives. In the top photo armed sailors break up crowds and clear the street for traffic. Centre photo shows white rioters stopping a street car and taking off Negro passengers. The mob then beat the Negroes. In the lower Troops sent to Detroit Monday night by Presidential order quelled the worst of the rioting, although they still patrolled streets today and one Negro was wounded in a minor disturbance last night. Negro absenteeism at war plants, which ranged from 50 to 70 percent yesterday, dropped today. Governor Harry Kelley of Michigan today lifted two restrictions in his state of emergency order issued Monday night, to allow a major league baseball game and horse racing. The 10 p.m. curfew is still in effect, however, as is the ban on the sale of liquor.

3123 East Seventh, Vancouver, and AC. Phil Pannell, Midway, B.C., installed the water system.

An oil barrel was placed on ground level outside each of the huts, long semi-circular roofed buildings sunk about four feet into the volcanic ash ground.

The tap is just inside the hut, and each man has a sink and a run-off system.

The running water enables the men to wash and shave without running through a snow or sleet storm to a washroom, and allows them to have such treats as hot midnight lunches in their own quonsets.

LUMBER FORAGED

The writing desks and clothes closets were made from lumber the lads "scrounged" wherever possible on the treeless island.

At first there was little lumber available, and parties from each quonset made "commando" raids at night to get supplies.

There was no paint or varnish available, so the men used a blowtorch to give the furnitude a burnt-grain effect.

The metal-shaping machine was built by Morris and Pannell from a design they saw in a magazine. With it they can turn sheet metal to fit any section of an airplane.

Pannell also constructed a barber's chair from a discarded fighter plane seat and made teapots from abandoned food cans. He soldered to each a spout, handle and strainer.

Demand for Jap Real Estate Light

Demand for Japanese-owned real estate which is being sold by the Dominion Government has been very light so far, a canvass of some of the Vancouver real estate agents handling the Jap properties, revealed today.

Most of those questioned have from six to 12 inquiries on hand, mostly for dwellings, but potential purchasers have shown interest in several stores and one factory.

Quite a number of inquirers are looking at the outside of properties for themselves before asking the agents to arrange for interior inspection. Some people are expecting bargain prices.

Cash terms of sale and the 12-month period before buyers not occupying the premises can take possession, will be a deterrent to quick sale of many of the properties, some agents believe.

One firm has six inquiries on the board for Jap-owned dwellings in the Grandview area and another had inquiries about a factory and two dwellings in Hastings Townsite. A number of potential purchasers are tenants of Japanese property who have been awaiting the opportunity to buy.

There are 167 parcels in the first group of properties offered for sale by the Secretary of State, tenders for which will be accepted up to July 19. In the other two groups there are 167 and 130 parcels respectively and tenders for them will be opened later.

TERMS

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MAKER TO WEARER

Credit Unions Seek Central Bank System

Possibilities of organizing a central bank for credit unions will be among topics discussed at the third annual convention of the B.C. Credit Union League on Friday and Saturday at Victoria.

Delegates from British Columbia's 96 credit unions will attend the convention in the Knights of Pythias hall.

Principal speakers will be E. K. DeBeck, inspector of credit unions; R. F. Williams, president of the Victoria chapter; A. L. Nicholas, president of the B.C. League; and H. G. Pocock, secretary of the league.

Special guests will include Cliff Skorstad, field secretary for Canada of the Credit Unions of North America; E. Dodd, managing director of the Washington Filene League; and C. H. Dredge, director of the Alberta Credit Union League.

Committee chairmen will be: F. G. Lucas, nominating; F. G. Dickinson, constitution; Mrs. D. G. Steeves, legal; E. C. Moore, ways and means; H. E. Griffiths, resolutions; A. S. Trotter, education; E. T. LeDrew, supplies; Miss M. O'Dougherty, publication; and Mrs. C. Merrett, literature.

Serving on their committees are M. McGregor, C. Hauck, A. G. Butcher, F. H. Humphrey, G. Nichols, I. R. Burns, L. W. Fox, C. Bamfield, P. A. Goepel, F. Everett, J. W. Burns, S. F. Newell, J. B. Gaunt, J. H. Urch, W. J. Dunn, J. A. Spick, R. F. Williams, A. Nuttall, Mrs. M. H. O'Brien, Mrs. M. J. Parkins, T. C. Dearlove, W. Hunter, Mrs. T. C. Dearlove, E. S. Scanlon, D. Newell, E. Whitten, L. L. Wilson, F. A. Prior, G. Gallagher, J. W. Burns, G. M. Holtby and Mrs. H. G. Pocock.

Cosmetics Essential As Morale Sustainers

Cosmetics are secure in the realm of essential commodities even in these days of shortages and government restrictions, B.C. druggists were assured at the final session of their summer school in the Medical-Dental auditorium today.

"Psychiatrists have shown the importance of cosmetics in maintaining morale and counteracting fatique," Dr. Allen I White, instructor of pharmacy, State College of Washington, Pullman, told them in a two-hour address on the selling and manufacturing aspects of this subject.

DEMAND MAKE-UP

"When cosmetic stations have been established in war plants, production has increased. Girl workers in England are now not only permitted, but required, to wash and re-apply make-up three times a day, for reasons of morale as much as hygiene."

Curls on company time are a new feature in several factories in the United States, Dr. Allen also reported. Permanent waving machines have been installed to insure the good grooming and happiness of women employees with a minimum loss of time from work.

P. R. Mull of Indianapolis closed the morning session with an address on professional pharmacy. There's a real future for women in this field, he said, quoting as an example the fact that any hospital board would prefer a woman to a man in the dispensary.

REPEAT LECTURES

Tonight at 7:30 o'clock these two lectures will be repeated.

Thursday the annual meeting of the B.C. Pharmaceutical Association will open at 10 a.m. and will continue through the afternoon and evening. The convention will conclude Friday with a social program.

J. A. Roberton Buried Today

Funeral services for James Alexander Roberton, 81, of 303 East Fifty-fourth, who died Sunday, were conducted today in G. W. Hamilton Undertaking Co. chapel by Rev. W. R. Brown; burial, Masonic section, Mountain View Cemetery.

Mr. Roberton was born in Ontario and had lived in Vancouver for 35 years. He was a carpenter by trade.

He leaves one son, Walter James, of Vancouver; four grandsons and one granddaughter.

$3000 Settlement In Auto Accident

The claim of Mitchell McDermott, 33, laborer and ex-soldier, 1261 Granville, for damages for injuries received when he was hit by an auto at Hastings and Abbott last Nov. 7, has been settled for $2500, plus $558 for his expenses while in Shaughnessy Military Hospital.

The settlement was disclosed today when his solicitor, C. R. J. Young, appeared before Mr. Justice Bird in Supreme Court for the trial of the McDermott's suit against Fred Turner, shipyard worker, 936 Hornby, as driver of the car involved in the accident.

No More Lumber in Sight for City Homes

Further expansion of lumber supplies to meet Vancouver's critical wartime housing problem is not in sight just now, John Schofield, construction controller of the department of Munitions and Supply, said on his arrival here this morning.

Unless timber production increases substantially, additional civilian construction will have to be held at its present level, Mr. Schofield said.

NOW IS THE TIME TO STRIKE

It's time to strike! For over three long years the Army has been training . . . impatient . . . straining for action . . . now we're ready to fight like all-hell-broke loose. There's nothing "phoney" about the Army's role . . . THE ARMY MUST FINISH THE JOB!

Don't fool yourself that the enemy will simply fold up . . . we expect heavy casualties . . . we'll need reinforcements. It takes a year to train a soldier. That's why your active help is needed—not next year—BUT RIGHT NOW!

Men and women, if you are of military age and physically fit, volunteer now! Be ready to play your part in order to hasten the glorious final showdown.

For information regarding enlistment in the Canadian Active Army, apply to any Army Recruiting Office or your local Civilian Recruiting Adviser. . . . In Vancouver, apply to Recruiting Offices at Vancouver Barracks, Granville Street (Old Hotel Vancouver).

THE ARMY NEEDS . . .

MEN, 18 to 45 years of age, and physically fit, for the Canadian Active Army.

YOUNG MEN of 17, with Grade VIII schooling, for special trade-training courses.

WOMEN from 18 and under 50 years of age, without dependents, for the CWAC.

VETERANS of the last war, under 55 years of age, for the Veterans' Guard.

CANADIAN ACTIVE ARMY

SPECIAL RECRUITING RALLY PROGRAM

THURSDAY: Precision Drill Platoons from Active Army and CWAC will give special demonstrations accompanied by the No. 11 District Depot Band of 32 pieces. 10th Area Signals' loud-speaker truck will announce the program. 10:30 a.m., Gilmour Ave. (Hastings East Edmonds) parade to Boundary Road; 11:15 a.m., Kamloops and Hastings; 1:30 p.m., Graveley and Commercial, parade to Commercial and 2nd; 2:30 p.m., Fraser and 45th; 3:00 p.m., Main and 25th; 4:00 p.m., Hastings at Post Office, parade to Howe and Georgia.