

Child Care Services Extended

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VICTORIA—Plans of the Metropolitan Health Committee for extension of infant and child health services in Greater Vancouver have been approved by both the Federal and Provincial Governments. It was announced by Hon. George Pearson, minister of health and welfare.

Hon. Paul Martin, for the Dominion, and his own department for the province had endorsed the committee's efforts to give the children a better chance, Mr. Pearson said.

Plans call for a part-time employment of a consultant in pediatrics. Dr. Donald Peterson, director of the health center for children, has been appointed.

"The prevalence of anaemia is one phase of the child health program which will receive further study," said the minister. "Special equipment will be available for this survey."

Extension of audiometric tests to the second schools of Greater Vancouver has also been approved by Ottawa, Mr. Pearson said.

Miss M. M. Casey, an expert with deaf persons has been conducting audiometric tests in Vancouver schools.

Nisei May Hold Licence To Scale Timber

GREENWOOD — K. Arai, a Nisei previously ordered to return his scale licence to the Provincial Government, has been granted a new licence.

Qualifies for the permit, the B.C. Junior Chamber of Commerce Association reports.

Arai was denied the permit because he lacked a provincial franchise.

According to the Forest Service in Victoria, any resident British subject may hold a scale licence.

Two Girls Strangled In Britain

LONDON (Reuters) — Police are investigating the deaths by strangling of two girls whose bodies were found within hours, one in Devon, the other in Yorkshire.

After the body of a 15-year-old girl had been found in a house at Bagbury, Devon, police from her home in Exeter, Devon, police detained a man in the Plymouth area. The girl was Doreen Messenger.

The body of Marian Forster, 21, was found Sunday on a cricket field at Dewbury, Yorkshire, by a policeman. Death from strangulation was believed to have occurred within the preceding 12 hours.

A glazier's laborer, Dennis Neville, 22, was arrested and charged at Dewbury with the murder of Miss Poole.

15-Year-Old In Gun Fight At U.S. Border

BUFFALO, N.Y. (CP) — A 15-year-old Canadian boy was a regular Saturday night gun-battle in which a United States immigration officer was wounded.

Police identified the boy as Richard Dumais of Bradford, Ont., who escaped last month from St. John's training school.

The boy was sentenced last month on an auto-mobility charge to Charles T. Laur, 58, who was hit in the right thumb.

Today Dumais is charged with first-degree assault, illegal entry into the United States and juvenile delinquency.

Laur and Charles Billock, also of the United States Immigration Service, exchanged shots with Dumais while trying to capture him after he was seen dropping from a coal car of a freight train on the American side of the International Bridge.

Two Rescued From River

FREESTON, Ont. (CP)—George Bradford helped complete a rescue operation which started Saturday when Roger Fischer, nine, fell through thin ice into the Grand River.

The Fischer boy's brother, eight, and a companion, Fred Miller, 12, tried to help the younger boy out of the water but they themselves were in danger when Bradford came along. All three are Boy Scouts.

Pictures are printed on cloth by a process similar to that used in ordinary photography; it consists of passing light through a negative to a cloth sensitive to light by chemical treatment.

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RETIRING RAILWAY VETERANS honored by presentations at a double ceremony Friday at CNR Station were Chief Electrician P. A. (Alex) Madden, 595 West Twenty-third, and Switch Foreman William Pennington, 1717 East Third. Mr. Madden spent 43 years with the railway, coming here in 1919 after two years at Port Mann. Here since 1923, Mr. Pennington started with the CNR in 1913 after 10 years with an English railway. A lodge of Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen is named after him.

LOOKING AHEAD IN CANADA

Will the Boys Be Conscripted?

By ROSS MUNRO

From The Vancouver Daily Province
Ottawa Bureau

OTTAWA—Canadian parents don't have to fear the government is going to get so excited about the international crises that peace-time conscription will take away their sons.

Some leading military authorities in Canada maintain universal military training at this time is absolutely essential. They say it is the only way we can meet our obligations under the proposed North Atlantic alliance.

General H. D. G. Crerar, the former commander of the First Canadian Army now living in retirement in Ottawa, is the strongest champion of compulsory military training. And there are others.

But the government defence chiefs don't listen. It has been decided by the Cabinet there will be no conscription in peacetime under the present circumstances, that is final.

There are a lot of reasons for this decision. Firstly, the government is becoming gradually convinced the chances of open conflict with Soviet Russia are small.

For subsequent years, the cost of running around \$500,000,000. That would be a tremendous burden on the Canadian economy and might be a major factor in bringing about a depression.

The supporters of universal training, however, contend this cost could be shouldered and that it is the price of real security. Without conscription of some sort, this country isn't ever going to be in good shape from a military point of view—at least so long as private business and industry offers so many attractions far better than service pay and opportunities.

But when business levels off a bit, there will probably be an increasing number of young men who will go into the services. It is risky not having conscription. Even small countries such as Belgium and Holland have it.

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remains. So, why introduce conscription, they ask.

Such a project would throw a huge monkey-wrench into the labor market. Young men would be taken out of useful employment, or would be prevented from going from school to jobs.

To hamper industry with conscription might be a blow to Canadian prosperity. The government is thinking politically, too. This year is likely going to produce a general election. It would be suicide for the Liberal Party and government to go to the country after having brought in compulsory military training. It would not go down for a minute in Quebec, and that is where the Liberals have to win seats—and plenty of them—if they are going to be returned to power.

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