GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY COUPLE
Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Kaardal

100 GUESTS ATTEND CELEBRATION

Golden wedding anniversary fete honors Kaardal couple

The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Kaardal, who came to Canada in 1911 on a honeymoon which lasted 41 years, was celebrated Saturday night in St. Paul's Lutheran church hall with 100 friends and members of their family.

Married in Bergen, Norway, June 26, 1911, the popular couple came to Canada in mid-July of the same year and first homesteaded in southern Saskatchewan before making their home in Prince Rupert in the fall of 1947.

Their first trip back to Norway was made in 1952.

Hosts for the gala anniversary "open house" affair were members of their family, composing nine children and grandchildren.

The family gift was a mantle radio while a purse of money was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Kaardal by Rev. M. B. Odland, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, on behalf of the guests.

Providing many laughs for the guests-of-honor was master of ceremonies, Clarence Adland with his humorous reminiscing.

A delightful entertainment program of vocal and instrumental selections was followed by the serving of refreshments, including the three-tiered wedding cake, made by members of the family and decorated by Mrs. Ben Senum.

Serviteurs assisting were Mrs. Jack Strand, Mrs. Ray Benson, Mrs. Arthur Kristmanson and Mrs. Erling Wick.

The profusion of floral arrangements decorating the attractive decor were gifts of friends and arranged by Mrs. Henry Stangbye.

Telegrams were received from points in Saskatchewan and Nanaimo.

Mr. Odland, on behalf of the church groups, extended congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Kaardal, both active church members, of St. Paul's Lutheran church.

SCALES TIP TO $200 TUNE FOR LITTLE LEAGUE DECOYS

The men among the dance goers at Friday night's hard-time party arranged by D Company Irish Fusiliers of Canada (Vancouver Regiment) tipped the scales to jingle a merry financial tune.

The dance raised $200 to buy uniforms for a Little League baseball team formerly known as The Orphans and now to be known as The Decoys, for whom the Irish Fusiliers are new sponsors.

Men attending the hoedown paid admission on the basis of their weight at the rate of a cent a pound. However, for heavyweights the treatment on the pocketbook was light: the limit for payment was 175 pounds.

Organizers termed the dance "a complete success" both on the attendance and returns. About 200 couples danced to the western music of a four-piece orchestra and sat down to ranch style fare.

Chairman was W. E. Swanson, president of the Composite Mess.

Francois Lake News

By AGNES H. HEAVE

FRANCOIS LAKE—I was surprised and sorry to learn from the June 16 Daily News that Mrs. Grace Brown is leaving the staff of the newspaper and that she and her family will be moving to Califronia. The first time we met was when I was visiting in Prince Rupert in the Daily News office and was completely charmed by her.

It also surprised me to learn that she has only been in the newspaper business for six and a half years, for she has given me lots of useful advice and helped me no end in my writing and I took it for granted that she was an old hand at the game.

Then two summers ago she and her husband and Marlyn and young Murray spent a short holiday here on our ranch where the youngsters enjoyed riding our horses. We certainly join their many friends in Prince Rupert in wishing them all happiness in their new surroundings.

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Folk coming here from Saskatchewan give a very poor report of conditions there, where it has been very hot for weeks on end. Grasshoppers and tent caterpillars are becoming major threats to the crops, and rain is badly needed.

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Our two grandchildren, Richard, 11 years, and Marie, eight, took the small boat and rowed about in front of the store on Saturday morning and proudly came in with six lovely trout strung on a willow branch. They are anxious to take them into their teacher who was taken ill some weeks ago and they feel that eating trout will be good for her health.

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We were happy to have two Prince Rupert couples staying in our cottages last week. Mr. and Mrs. T. P. McBride and their little three months old daughter Kathy, and Mr. and Mrs. William Collins. We were sorry, that 11-year-old Shane and nine-year-old Brady Collins could not come with their parents as of course they were in school, as they would have enjoyed riding the ponies and playing with our puppies.

They stayed at home with their grandmother who kept house for them. Her home is in North Surrey. Strangely enough the Collins and McBrides used to live across the road from each other in Prince Rupert but had not met until they were here on their holidays. Trout fishing was really good and they kept the small smokehouse busy smoking their catches. Wee Kathy McBride enjoyed her stay here and slept and ate and laughed all the time.

Mr. Collins brought his smart red and white 15-foot utility cruiser "Hi Hope" (with 35 h.p. outboard) which he built himeslf a year ago. It travelled well on a trailer behind the car. We all admired her especially when she was in the water. With her help her owners had some excellent fising, and they were able to travel up and down the lake and see the country. Hugh caught up "Smoky" and "Buster" for our visitors and they enjoyed riding over the ranch. We were sorry when our visitors left for home, but we are looking forward to their coming back again some day.

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See—"FRANCOIS LAKE"

N.R. Wright takes up post with Forestry

N. R. Wright, B.C. Forest Service employee for 10 years, has come from Victoria to join the staff of the Prince Rupert district as public working circle officer. He succeeds D. T. Grant, who was recently transferred to the Vancouver district.

In Victoria Mr. Wright was with the surveys and inventory division of the Forest Service.

He is married and has four children.

Ernest Horne meeting delegate for Witnesses

Ernest Horne, 2025 Graham Avenue, has been chosen as special delegate to the district Bible convention of Jehovah's Witnesses, to be held in Vancouver's Empire Stadium July 4 to 9.

Mr. Horne, his wife and their family will be leaving this week as part of a delegation of about 50 going from Prince Rupert.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Louis Amadio, 732 Sixth Avenue West, returned home today aboard the Princess Louise from a seven-week holiday in various points of California visiting her children Victor, Louise and Marie and members of their families.

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Civic Centre manager Jacob Vandenbrink, Mrs. Vandenbrink and family leave Monday by car for a month's holiday in southern B.C., points in United States and members of their family in Red Deer, Alta.

(Staff photo by John Pain)

F. ST. JOHN MADELEY
. . . moving south

Probation officer going to Chilliwack

After 12 years in northern British Columbia, eight of them in Prince Rupert, serving the Social Welfare Department and the provincial Corrections Branch, F. St. John Madeley, district probationer officer leaves July 7 for Chilliwack.

Mr. Madeley has been appointed probationer officer for the Chilliwack area. No word as to a successor or whether the probation office will be kept open here has been received.

Backed by three bachelor degrees in Arts, Commerce and Social Work from th University of British Columbia, Mr. Madeley came north in June, 1949, working as a social worker in the Prince George to Endako area.

He was promoted to social welfare supervisor in Prince George and came to Prince Rupert in 1951 to head the social welfare branch here. He returned to Prince George in 1954 and while there, his first wife, the former Joan Edith Hallett of Nelson died.

TRANSFERS IN 1956

He transferred into the corrections branch and returned here in July, 1956 as probation officer for Prince Rupert, Terrace and Kitimat.

In the meantime he married Mary H. (Molly) McDuffee, a social worker with the Indian Affairs Department.

As probration officer for this district he has served three courts in Prince Rupert, Terrace and Kitimat in preparing presentence reports and supervision of both adult and juvenile, male and female probationers and parolees.

While here he has taken part in youth counselling on delinquency prevention committees and addressed parent - teacher associations, service clubs, student and teacher groups on both welfare and correctional work.

Mr. Madeley is presently engaged in writing a chapter on probation for a textbook on corrections in Canada for the Canadian Corrections Association.

EARLY TRAINING

He received his training in writing early in his career. He worked for the Point Grey New Gazette, was a reporter and later news editor of the Trail Daily Times and in 1940 was the first editor of the Cominco Magazine, employee magazine for the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Co. Ltd. in Trail.

In June, 1940 he joined the 109th Battery, RCA as a gunner, became a captain in June, 1941 and served overseas in England and Italy. After discharge he returned to the University of British Columbia to obtain his BSW and enter social work.

While in Prince Rupert he became a member of the Prince Rupert Rotary club and he and Mrs. Madeley have become ardent square dancers.

They have two children, Sue, 20 and James, 3.

Square dancers hold open air frolic July 1

Square dancers will be getting into the act when Elks Dominion Day celebrations hold sway in Prince Rupert Saturday.

The Muskeg Squares will hold an open air dance in Parkers parking lot from 9 to 10 p.m., president Arthur Sweet announced today. All square dancers are being invited to take part, and proceeds will go towards Elks celebration funds.

Later Saturday night the square dancers will continue their dos-i-do-ing and promenading in Sons of Norway hall with a party night which will include refreshments.

Stunt antics were the order of the night Monday when the Muskeg Squares held a party in the Legion auditorium. Winners of best sets danced a square with boxing gloves on the men dressed as women and the women as men. They received candy suckers. In a balloon blowing contest, the first balloon to burst took the prize for its blower. Callers were Mr. Sweet and Andrew Wann.

Cheryl Kergin gives valedictory address

An outstanding valedictory address written and delivered by young Cheryl Kergin highlighted Grade 6 finishing exercises Monday at King Edward school.

The occasion was notable in that this is the school's first Grade 6 group to be affected by recommendations of the Chant royal commission on education.

As J. M. Phillipson, superintendent of schools, pointed out in his talk to the pupils, under new regulations they will still be elementary school pupils at the start of next term, although their Grade 7 classes will be taught in the junior high school. In the departure from previous practice they will not be taking industrial arts or home economics in 1961-62.

SCHOOLING URGED

He urged the class members to go as far as they can in gaining formal schooling, since education is becoming more and more necessary in today's world.

Mrs. A. L. Bell spoke on behalf of the school board, pointing out that the trustees were principally a group of interested parents who were trying to keep the school system operating smoothly in the Prince Rupert district.

In describing to the pupils what their coming school days would be like, F. A. Dunford, principal of Booth Junior High School, said they would be required to assume greater responsibility both in work and behavior.

They will be changing from classroom to classroom for their classes as do Grade 8 and 9 students, but, as elementary pupils their school day will end half an hour earlier.

King Edward principal R. G. Moore presented promotion certificates, and vice-principal A. O. Erwin called the roll and also made presentations.

GOLD HOUSE TOPS

The Ormes trophy for the house supreme in sports activities through the year was won by Gold house. Susan McDonald, captain, and Donald Hansen, vice-captain, accepted the trophy.

Mr. Erwin also commended the work of the school safety patrol led by Stephen Smith as captain and Joan Mallett and Donald Hansen as lieutenants.

In the traditional manner of the school's outgoing Grade 6ers, a picture was given to the school. The painting, by local artist Ruth Harvey, was presented by class representative Stephen Smith.

MALE MAJORITY

Tokyo, world's largest city, reported a population of 9,857,000 in May, 1961, including 5,090,000 males.

Announcements

● Canadian Legion General Dinner Meeting, Wednesday, June 28th, at 6:30 p.m. Dinner Tickets $1.00. (125)

● Anglican Church kindergarten reopens Sept. 5. Phone 2997. (128)

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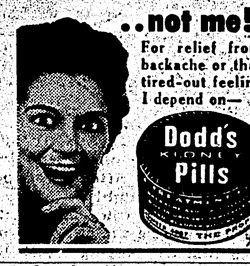

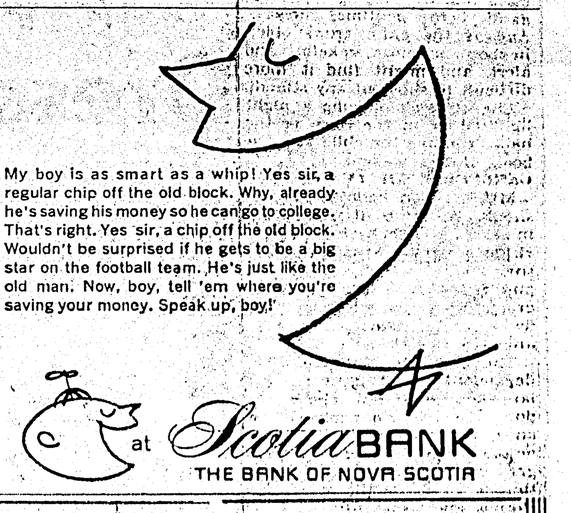

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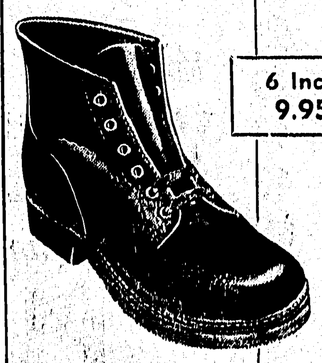

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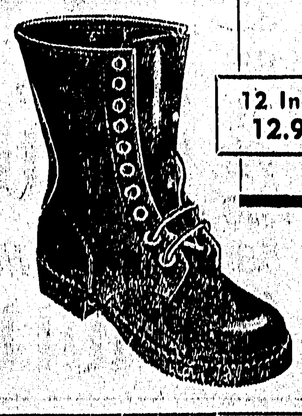

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