For a spice cake filling that nuts and dates with cream cheese

different, combine chopped softened with cream.

WORLD CRISIS SILVER DOLLAR SHORTAGE is reported this year. Wilbur Leking, who shows off his silver dollar, is luck because most banks have run out of the coins, a collectors' favorite. This year the Royal Canadian Mint produced 1,750,000 silver dollars but banks ran out since many people like to give the coins as Christmas

all the blessings

MACEY'S

COFFEE

SHOP

against fire

the department:

Keep the Christmas tree away not always enjoyed its sentimenfrom sources of heat; check el- tal dominion over the hearts of ectrical fixtures against danger Christian nations. Other peoand turn off all tree lighting ples, in antiquity, owed allegiwhen leaving the house; don't ance to trees, but they lived in



NEW YORK (A) — Once upon every country were called into has been a long time since any- fathers were pleased to see they

Moral of this story: Nobody can spoil Christmas

rich in customs

throughout the country

He was late taking off from the north pole. When he landed sled by the chimney atop the home on his route, he impatiently.

He was late taking off from the sled by the chimney atop the impatiently.

He was late taking off from the something no one had sent them cufflinks and grown-up ties like thrilled.

Little boys were delighted to something no one had sent them in ther own childhood.

Little girls thrilled to something no one had sent them in ther own childhood.

Little girls thrilled the cufflinks and grown-up ties like thrilled the country of the mailmen to correct the errors. , he And meanwhile Christmas would Hungarian Yuletide shoes and lacy ingeries

pectacles to see which packages The statesmen debated and de-"I must have dropped them," Nations and piped up:

"Why don't we just keep what Christian and pagan tradition, of joy.
Santa did bring us? As long as are still observed by Hungar- Moral: said Santa. "I'll have to do the So over the roofs of every land you get to open a package, it's lans celebrating Christmas. he flew, dropping off at each still Christmas." home packages he pulled from ALL AGREE celebrations is Christmas Eve,

The diplomats hesitated a mo- when schoolchildren go from Morning came, and the great- ment, then leaped to their feet house to house in the afternoon est uproar mankind had ever and cheered. Why, of course singing Christmas carols. arose. Nobody in the that was the only possible an- At the Christmas Eve dinner whole world had received his swer. Everybody at heart wants an old tradition demands that own gift. Everybody had receiv- something that belongs to some- the host spread straw and hay scenes of aircraft accidents, body else. That's only human under the table—to show that nature. the animals are not forgotten.

So around the world the word Fish and "begli," a special effect next March 20. Telephones everywhere jangled was flashed: "Everybody has everyone else's walnuts and poppy-seed, are the

present—and keep it or trade menu for this meal literally DOLL FOR GRANDMA

body else's present. And were into the streets to ask the first tive J. C. Smith said the man they surprised

belonged there.

But his spectacles were gone: up in the gallery of the United BUDAPEST (Reuters) — Cen- was just what he had wanted all turies-old customs, a mixture of his life. Every heart was a bell

up Christmas.

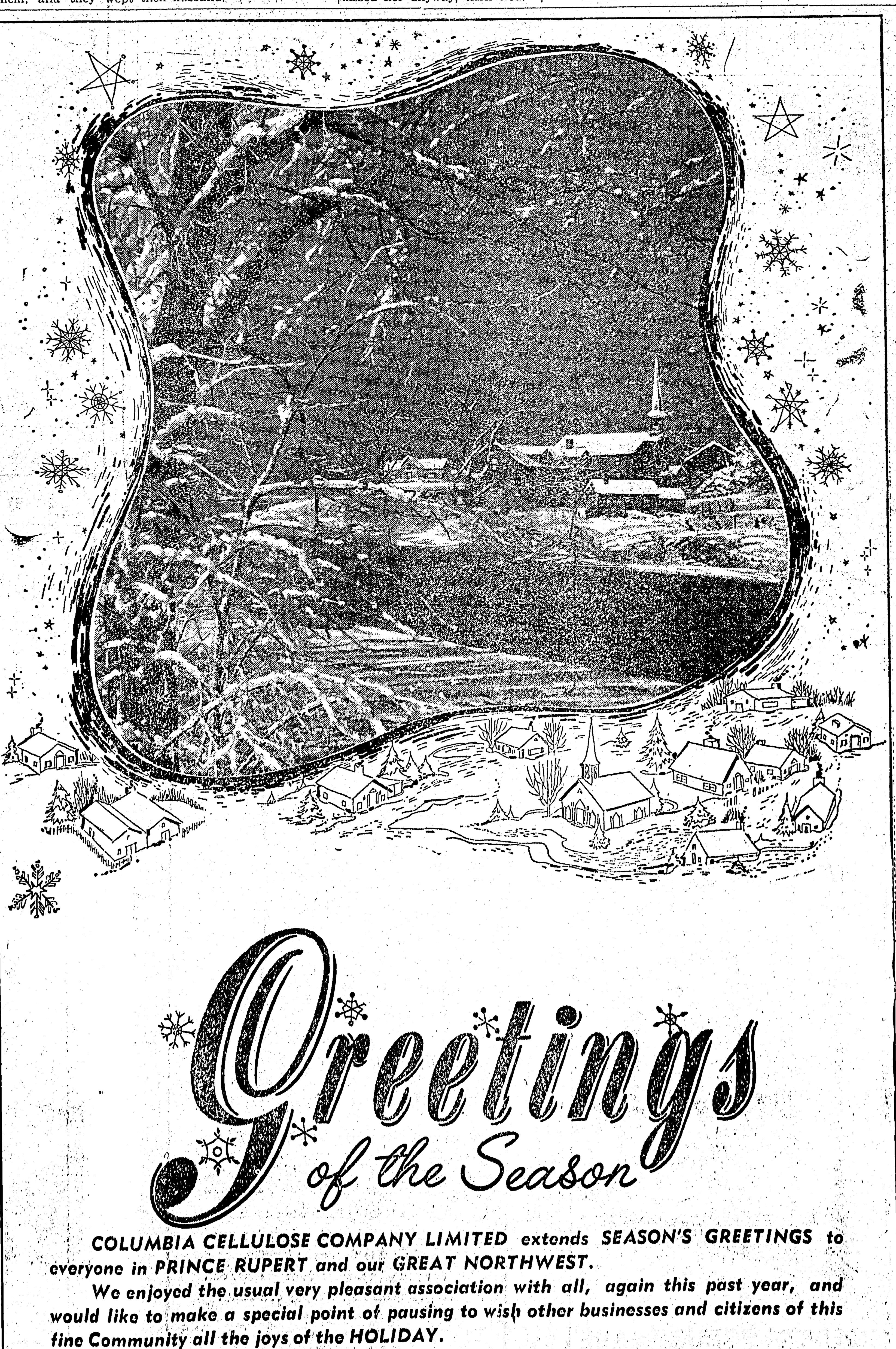
The most important day in the TO BAR FLIGHTS WASHINGTON (A) - The Federal Aviation Agency said today it will bar "non-essential flights" by sightseers and others over areas. The new rule will go into

cake filled with minced meat, GETS KISS ATLANTA, Ga. (A) - A burglar who broke into an Alianta After taking a bite of "begli" apartment stole three pocketso everybody did open every- the girls in the party rush out books, \$15 — and a kiss. Detecman they meet his Christian held a knife to a young woman's Grandmas and old maids name. Popular legend has it throat and demanded a kiss. The Christmas tree, to mil-opened their packages and found that that will be the name of When she refused, the man

Moral: Nobody can really mess







Be on alert

Prince Rupert's fire depart- rope and America, is the symbol ment has urged residents to of rejoicing. No other altar of make this a fire-safe Christmas. youth commands such instinc-Here are a few pointers from tive or loving adoration.

cigarets burning unattended, brations in the month correand keep matches and lighters sponding to our December, but away from children.



Rupert Bakery and Staff

symbol of rejoicing

Yule tree

his bag by guess-work.

ed somebody else's present.

lions of children in Western Eu- dolls in them, and they wept their husband. kissed her anyway, then fled.

By HAL BOYLE

But the Christmas tree has gift wrappings start a big lands where the spruce and hemlock were unknown. The And to smokers: don't leave Egyptians held mammoth celethey centered their devotions upon the palm. The palms of Egypt gave birth to a leaf each month, and the tree with its 12 leaves suggested the completed year. Maybe the palm was the forerunner of the Christmas tree as we in Canada know it. SEED OF JOY

Three thousand years later, the Romans, celebrating their Saturnalia, raised aloft a conifer as the sign of their joy over the winter solstice. Thousands of such trees, garlanded with vivid decorations, set loose a flood riotous rejoicing. But Santa Claus was not of the Roman era, and the children of that great empire knew nothing of the glorious old fellow, who, with all his ponderous girth, can suspend the laws of gravity, and every other natural law, crawl through, tortuous chimneys, lay his own tracks across the clouds and make personal visitations in a single night to perhaps a hundred million children, every one of whom he cleverly identifies

It seems likely that the Italian tree custom was carried to Gaul by the legions of Drusus in his campaign against the Germans, about 15 B.C. Certainly about this time the Teutonic St. Nicholas made his appearance and has remained with us ever since.

