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Reminiscences By W.J. and Reflections

The late John Houston was the first man ever to stake a claim at Prince Rupert but the last thing he thought of was prospecting. He had quite different matters in mind. What old John never, never dreamed of was the coming of a time when, with Prince Rupert a sizeable city, dozens of citizens would be staking claims right in town. Hang it, man, hadn't they seen gold and silver right underneath their rubbers? What were they waiting for?

A year or so ago an odd mortal won free newspaper space when he kept telling children that Santa Claus does not exist. He strengthened his arguments, mainly for the consideration of maturity, by emphasizing that it is harmful to impress on

expanding minds that which is so absolutely false. No one hears of him, today—and rightly so. The youngsters would have none of it, and their parents felt the same way. Santa Claus! Generosity! Kindness and laughter! A little nonsense now and then! Perhaps if we had had more of it, and less solemnity and deadly serious attitude today's world would not be in the mess that it is.

Eastern Canada is full of persons whose ideas of the coast are grotesque. And it is doubtless true enough that in British Columbia can be found many whose knowledge of the older provinces can invite criticism. And this, when there was never a time that the art of publicity had attained, in so many different ways such a pinnacle of skill and resources or when travel was more comfortable. The war sent the sons and daughters of Canada overseas—and to the ends of the earth. They were removed from countless ruts, and old home scenes with a vengeance. But to tens of thousands more, much of their native land remains an unknown country—or practically so.

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SATURDAY—P.M.

- 3:30—NBC Symphony Orch.
- 4:30—Here's to Romance
- 5:00—Music of the Americas
- 5:30—Platter Chatter
- 5:45—Sports College
- 6:00—CBC News
- 6:05—Recorded
- 6:15—Musette Time
- 6:30—Comedy On Parade
- 6:45—According to Record
- 7:00—Song Festival
- 7:30—Organ Music
- 7:45—This week, Wpg.
- 8:00—Sat. Night Serenade
- 8:30—Old Time Rhythm
- 9:00—Saturday Night Dancing Party
- 9:30—Chamber Music Trio
- 10:00—CBC News
- 10:10—B.C. News
- 10:15—Dance Orch.
- 10:30—Harry James
- 11:00—Weather Forecast and Sign Off

SUNDAY—A.M.

- 8:30—Concert Album
- 9:00—BBC News and Commentary
- 9:15—Songs and Singers
- 9:30—Harmony Harbour, Hal.
- 9:59—Time Signal
- 10:00—B.C. Gardener
- 10:15—Just Mary
- 10:30—The Way of the Spirit
- 11:00—CBC News
- 11:03—Capitol Reports—Ott.
- 11:30—Religious Period—Tor.

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- 12:00—CBS Symphony Orch.
- 1:30—Church of the Air
- 2:00—Musical Program
- 2:30—CBC News
- 2:33—John Fisher Reports
- 2:45—Weed-end Review
- 3:00—Music for Sunday
- 3:30—Weather Forecast
- 3:35—T.B.A.
- 4:30—English Favorites
- 5:00—Record Album
- 5:30—Music In Three Quarter Time
- 6:00—CBC News
- 6:10—The Old Songs
- 6:30—Familiar Music
- 7:00—Stage 48
- 8:00—Readers Take Over
- 8:30—Music by Eric Wild
- 9:00—Classics for Today
- 9:30—Vesper Hour
- 10:00—CBC News
- 10:10—B.C. News
- 10:15—Canadian Place Names
- 10:30—Prelude to Midnight
- 11:00—Weather and sign off ann.

MONDAY—A.M.

- 7:30—Musical Clock
- 8:00—CBC News
- 8:15—Morning Song
- 8:30—Music for Moderns
- 8:45—Little Concert
- 9:00—BBC News
- 9:15—Morning Devotions
- 9:30—Morning Concert
- 9:59—Time Signal
- 10:00—Morning Visit
- 10:15—Morning Melodies
- 10:30—Roundup Time
- 10:45—Scandinavian Melodies
- 11:00—Elevenses
- 11:15—Reminiscen
- 11:30—Weather Forecast
- 11:31—Message Period
- 11:33—Recorded Interlude
- 11:45—Ethel and Albert

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- 12:00—Recorded Program
- 12:15—CBC News
- 12:25—Program Resume
- 12:30—B.C. Farm Broadcast
- 12:55—Recorded Int.
- 1:00—The Concert Hour
- 1:30—Afternoon Recital
- 1:45—Commentary and Club Clinic
- 2:00—B.C. School Broadcast
- 2:30—Songs to Remember
- 2:45—Don Messer's Islanders
- 3:00—Varieties in Music
- 3:15—Mirror for Women
- 3:30—Divertimento

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Moonlight waltzes and novelty dances were featured at the dance held Friday night in the Civic Centre auditorium under sponsorship of the Eastern Star lodge. A large crowd attended the function, dancing to music by the Four Dukes orchestra.

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Rivett, Worthy Matron of the Eastern Star chapter.

A popular sidelight was the singing by Mrs. Ralph Smith of the songs "Alice Blue Gown" and "When Apples Grow on Lilac Trees." She was accompanied by Andy McNaughton at the piano. Master of ceremonies was Alex Mitchell. George Dawes was in charge of the door.

Buffet refreshments were served during the evening. The committee in charge consisted of Mrs. George Peters, convener; Mrs. F. M. Kempton, Mrs. Robert Gordon, Mrs. A. D. Ritchie, Mrs. Dan Parent, Mrs. L. Alexander, Mrs. B. Cowgill and Mrs. A. J. Dominato.



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