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A Timely Move

IT IS AN OBVIOUS FACT that the world cannot live half slave and half free. This is an important angle to be considered in connection with the creation, which has just been announced by the acting Prime Minister and Secretary of State, Mr. St. Laurent, of a Canadian Council for Reconstruction through the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) to assist in the educational reconstruction of war devastated countries.

Education is the best instrument to develop our own freedom and opportunities and to offset propaganda that is being widely and effectively disseminated on behalf of such totalitarian and dictatorial regimes as that of Soviet Russia.

The federal authorities are to be commended on the move in this direction. It has been long enough deferred but, at that, it should be effective in offsetting some of the influences subversive of true democracy and freedom which are now at work.

NOT 'OFF' PRINCE RUPERT

PRINCE RUPERT welcomes advertising but not the wrong kind. Quite frequently publicity of the latter description finds its way here. For example, the following appears in a Vancouver daily in the form of a despatch from Seattle—"If 49 crew members lost their lives in the grounding of the army transport Clarksdale Victory off Prince Rupert, B.C., it becomes the worst shipping disaster along the Alaska shipping lanes in 29 years."

An island off the west coast of the Queen Charlottes is not exactly off Prince Rupert. Only one port is mentioned and that's here. The reading public, much of which knows nothing of the north, cannot but gain a misleading impression. It is certainly not a short sail from here to the west coast of Queen Charlotte Islands.

JAP ORANGES BACK

JAPANESE ORANGES are coming back and soon should be available in local stores. It is seven years now since Japanese oranges have been sold in this country. Tangerines from the southern states and the West Indies have been offered but there have never been any to equal in quality, flavor and general popularity the original fruit from the once Flowery Kingdom. So they will be welcomed back and, under the circumstances by which they come, we do not need to have any qualms or compunction about buying and enjoying them.

BOYS AND GUNS

A SEVENTEEN-YEAR-OLD BOY was sentenced to death some time ago in Vancouver. He had been involved in a shooting.

Every day in British Columbia boys in their teens or younger, play together and frequently they handle toy revolvers. The toy can, with startling realism, look like the real thing. It has that black, deadly appearance. If boys played with a toy double-barrelled shotgun instead of with pistols, the situation might be different. One suggests a holdup, or a murder, or both. The other starts one thinking of grouse or duck hunting. But a toy weapon of any description, as a plaything, is wrong in principle and should have no place in the general field of diversion.

It is not to be expected that juveniles will not be insensible to "the feel" of a revolver or the allure of certain types of pictures and reading matter and not dwell on them, more or less. Soon enough will they reach maturity with all that this implies.

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PLEASE PLACE YOUR ORDERS EARLY



CBC'S "LEICESTER SQUARE" SHOW—Favorites of Canadians from coast to coast are the three stars of the program "Leicester Square to Broadway," popular CB show featuring the musical hits of the gay nineties. Conductor Harry Pryce offers a gallant arm to winsome songstress Belle McEwan, while Eric Vale as The Old Stager shows that he still has an eye for feminine beauty. Besides its Canadian fans, the show boasts a huge American audience, with letters coming from states as far apart as New England and California. So far has its fame spread that one letter addressed to "Leicester Square, Broadway, New York, U.S.A." was rerouted by the post office and was delivered at CBC studios in Vancouver after only a few days delay.

Reminiscences and Reflections

By W.J.

It is perhaps not general knowledge that once upon a time a homelike little bar room could be found in what is today and has for years been the building used as the C. N. R. general offices across from the railway station. One wet morning before daybreak the fire-

SHIPS and WATERFRONT

Relieving the steamer Princess Adelaide, which has been transferred temporarily to the Vancouver-Victoria-Seattle run, C.P.R. steamer Princess Louise is due in port at 8 o'clock this evening from Vancouver and Ocean Falls and will sail at 10 p.m. on her return south.

Limited amounts of herring are still being caught in the Butedale area and going to the Canadian Fishing Co's cannery there. Otherwise, the run has hardly developed as yet in this area. Larger catches are being reported from the West Coast of Vancouver Island and Alert Bay waters.

With a fair-sized list of passengers, Union steamer Coquitlam, Capt. J. Halerow, arrived in port at 7:30 last evening from Vancouver and waypoints, sailing at 12 midnight for Alice Arm, Stewart and other northern points whence she will return here tomorrow to sail at 1:30 p.m. on her return to Vancouver.

Loggers heading for Vancouver comprised the most of the passenger list aboard Union steamer Cassiar, Capt. Alex McLennan, which arrived in port at 10:20 yesterday morning from her regular fortnightly voyage to Massett Inlet points, sailing at 12 midnight for Vancouver via south end of the Islands.

MAYOR' FUND IS BENEFITED

Moose Temple was filled to capacity Saturday night when the regular weekly whist party and dance of the Moose Temple Lodge drew out the largest record crowd so far. From the proceeds of the evening a donation is being made to the Mayor's Fund to help pay for canned salmon being sent from this city to the city of Poole, England. Prize-winners at whist were Mrs. Barney Kristmanson, Mrs. Les Hilton, J. Mostad and L. Weatherly. Carl Brechin was master of ceremonies and Stevens Orchestra provided the music for dancing.



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EDUCATION IS LACKING

That Is Main Reason For Rejection of Applicants For Canadian Army

EDMONTON (C)—Western Command of the Canadian Army reported tonight that lack of sufficient education is the biggest stumbling block confronting Alberta and British Columbia applicants for enlistment.

"The highest percentage of rejections of applications has been on candidates who are below the specified educational standards and fail to pass the selection tests," Western Command said.

CANON TURNER IS GETTING BETTER

WINNIPEG, (C)—The condition of Canon John H. Turner, seriously wounded Church of England missionary from northern Moffet Inlet, 400 miles within the Arctic Circle, today showed a trace of improvement, a medical report revealed.

Mrs. Violet Seaman city is the author of "Land Glens" appearing October issue of British Digest. The story is interest, it's setting, an al action being not more twelve miles away from Rupert. Descriptive of house life in the north the spice of adventure

What You Should Know about TRAVEL RATIONING

Why?

Canada's supply of U.S. dollars will no longer stretch far enough to permit all the purchases of goods and services or all the travel in the United States that has taken place in the past. It is, therefore, necessary to reduce our expenditures of U.S. dollars in many different ways. As one of these steps, the Government has decided that the use of U.S. dollars for pleasure travel spending must be reduced. To ensure this reduction in a way that is fair to all, an annual "travel ration" has been established. As in the past—a Form H permit is required by anyone taking out of Canada more than \$10 U.S. or more than a total of \$25 in Canadian and foreign currencies.

Pleasure Travel

Regulations now provide that the maximum amount of U.S. dollars which any Canadian resident may obtain for pleasure travel purposes is \$150 per year. In the case of children of eleven years and under, the amount is \$100. There is no restriction on the number of trips as long as this annual allotment is not exceeded. Any U.S. dollars obtained for one trip and not used on that trip must be brought back to Canada and exchanged for Canadian dollars at a bank immediately on return. No credit for these funds can be allowed against the annual ration for subsequent trips.

Business Travel

Applications for U.S. dollars for business travel must include a certification by the employer that the travel is required in his business interests. Reasonable amounts of U.S. dollars may be obtained for this purpose.

Travel for Health or Education

Applications for U.S. dollars for travel for health or educational reasons are to be made on special forms available at chartered banks. These applications will be forwarded by banks to the Foreign Exchange Control Board for consideration. Applications for health travel must be accompanied by a medical report on forms which can also be obtained at chartered banks. The Department of National Health and Welfare will act as advisor to the Board in reviewing these medical reports.

Border Travel

A Canadian resident wishing to make visits on which he will not be taking out of Canada more than a total of \$25 of which not more than \$10 is in U.S. dollars, may purchase from his bank for this purpose up to a total of \$10 in any calendar month. This is in addition to the annual travel ration.

Personal Purchases of U.S. Goods

A Canadian tourist should remember that the new restrictions applying to imports from the United States govern his personal purchases there. He may not bring back any merchandise which has now been prohibited or which may now only be imported on a quota basis. The list of goods covered by the new import restrictions is an extensive one. Tourists contemplating any particular purchase in the United States would be wise, before leaving the country, to ask Canadian Customs Officials if this purchase will be admitted.

Travel Requiring Sterling Funds

Applications for sterling funds for travel in sterling area countries are normally approved for any reasonable amounts.

FURTHER INFORMATION AVAILABLE AT ANY BANK

or from

FOREIGN EXCHANGE CONTROL BOARD

OTTAWA

or its offices at

MONTREAL, TORONTO, WINDSOR and VANCOUVER

CANADA NEEDS U.S. DOLLARS