

Terrace Plans Trap Shooting Championships

A northern B.C. trap shooting championship contest will be held by the Terrace Rod and Gun Club Sept. 28 and an invitation has gone out to all persons interested in competing.

Two trophies will be at stake: one for individual championship and, second, for club championship.

Special invitation has been received by the Prince Rupert Rod & Gun Club and the Port Edward Club. In charge of arrangements here are Jim Bacon and George Horvik, president and secretary respectively of the city club. All sharpshooters interested in joining a Prince Rupert team are asked to contact them.

Alberta Men Praise Heart Operation By Montreal Surgeon

MONTREAL (C)—Three Alberta heart sufferers, who owe their lives to a unique heart operation developed and performed at the Royal Victoria Hospital here, now are writing to their doctors telling of their wonderful improvement.

The three, all middle-aged men who suffered from coronary thrombosis, were the first successful cases in the placing of a third artery into the heart. The operation was performed by Dr. Arthur Vineberg of the Royal Victoria Hospital.

The operation made headlines recently when it was described by Dr. D. W. Gordon Murray of Toronto at a meeting of the international college of surgeons in Chicago.

It is the result of several years of research carried out from 1946 at McGill University's Department of Experimental Surgery and later at the Department of Surgery at Royal Victoria Hospital under the direction of Dr. Gavin Miller.

This is what it has done for Douglas Machon, 54-year-old Calgary oilman, who "came to Montreal to die."

"At that time I could only eat liquids," says Machon. "I couldn't walk more than half a block without pain. I could not work. I came to Montreal against everyone's advice."

Although he was warned that the operation had only been performed once before and that the patient, a desperate case, had died, he was eager for the risky honor of being the first man to survive the "third artery" graft.

Machon was out of bed four weeks after the operation. He flew home to Calgary a week later. Today he reports he has gained 20 pounds, can walk five miles through the bush, eats anything he likes, and is now working on the production of 11 new oil wells.

ALL IMPROVING
Machon was operated on by Dr. Vineberg in November, 1950. Two other Alberta men, Arthur Manes, 55, and S. A. Emerson, 57, flew here in June, 1951, and March, 1952, for the operation. Today both are showing similar good progress.

The total number of persons who have undergone the operation is seven. Of these, four are working again and feel no pain. One still suffers pain and two cases — both at death's door when accepted — died. Now the hospital will not accept cases for operation if the patient cannot walk.

The operation, first tried out on dogs here, has been successfully performed on humans in Montreal and more recently in Toronto and in the United States.

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HARVEST . . . FOR DUCKS—Harvest time in Alberta also means bumper meals for ducks. Migrating ducks are leaving a swath of ruined grain fields in their wake throughout southern Alberta and farmers say their losses will run into many thousands of dollars. A typical big flight is shown in a field a few miles from Lethbridge after feeding on the swathed crops. It's a hunter's boon but a farmer's bane. (CP PHOTO)

Air Cadets Hold First Parade Sept. 29th at City Armories

Date for the first parade of the new 559 Prince Rupert Air Cadet Squadron has been set for September 29 in the Armories. The sponsoring committee will visit the boys on opening night.

At a meeting in the Legion Hall last night, Ned McNeil was appointed adjutant, Bill Bryant, supply officer, Dr. A. W. Large, medical officer; Father Rayner, O.M.I., Roman Catholic Chaplain, and Rev. L. G. Sieber, Protestant Chaplain. Commanding officer of the squadron is Dick Garrett.

The new adjutant, Mr. McNeil, said recruiting is progressing favorably and "boys at the high school are very keen on being in the first squadron."

An equipment officer is expected to arrive here next week. F. E. Anfield, Boy Scout Commissioner in Prince Rupert, and one of the strong supporters of the squadron, and Jack Laurie, submitted a list of names to Commanding Officer Garrett as probable instructors.

INSTRUCTION
The boys will receive 200 hours instruction during the year coupled with considerable recreational activity.

Air Commodore R. G. Gordon, OBE, CD, who spoke here last week, said an RCAF Canso will come to Rupert to give the cadets flights for map reading and navigational instruction after the squadron is well under way.

Murray Johnston and Norm Haywood were appointed by chairman Jim Taylor to handle

Grain Handlers Settle Dispute In Night-Long Final Session

PORT ARTHUR (C)—A strike that would have halted shipment of a large part of Western Canada's huge grain crop was called off early today, barely three hours before the deadline for a walkout.

Representatives of 15 elevator companies and union officials for 1,500 Lakehead grain handlers met all night with Deputy Labor Minister Arthur MacNamara, chief conciliator, to reach an agreement in wage dispute.

MacNamara announced a settlement acceptable to both parties had been reached. No details were immediately disclosed.

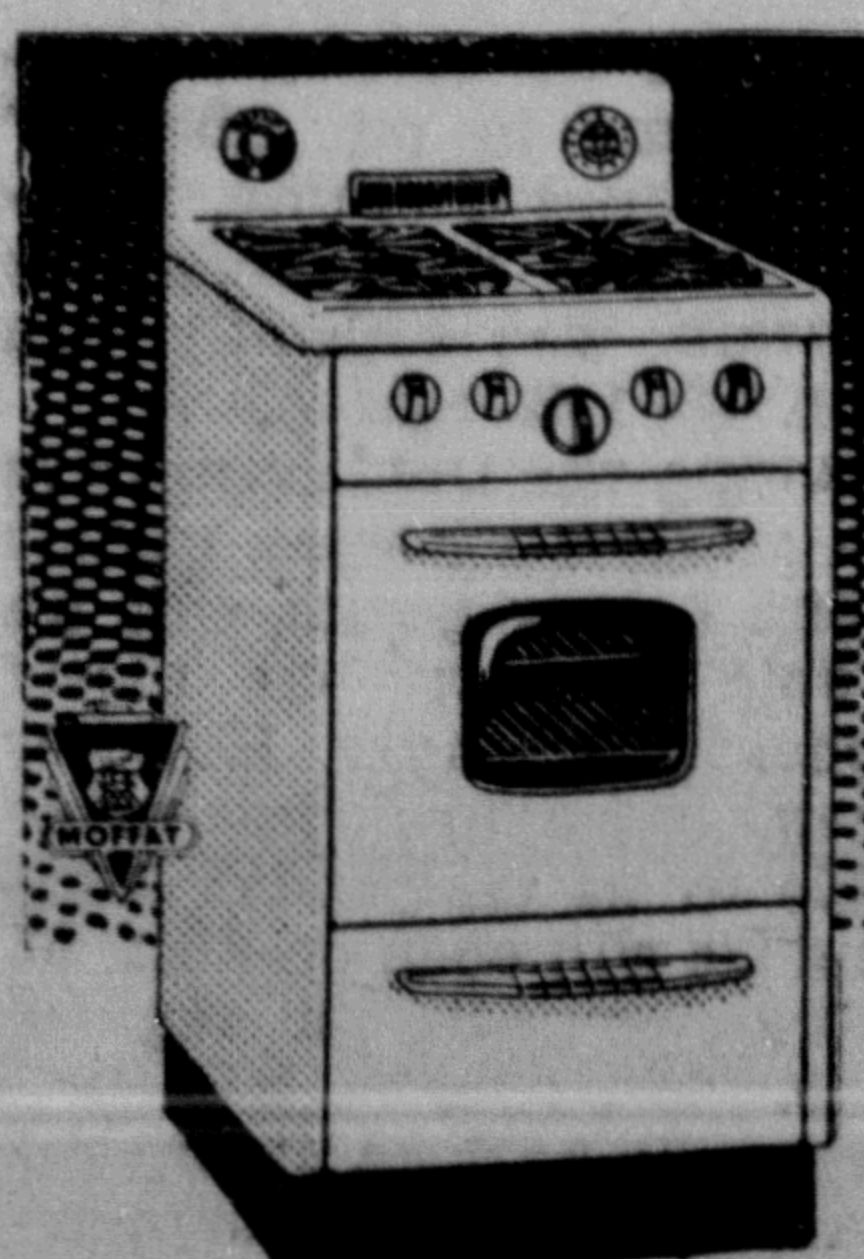


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Court Hears Plea

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the living room, breaking several windows.

Evidence disclosed that after Miss White and her friends left, Byrne went to sleep on the chesterfield and did not wake up until "about 10:30."

Under questioning by prosecutor Gilbert Hogg he said he did not know how a knife, submitted as evidence, got underneath Mrs. Beynon's bed nor did he remember talking with any other members of the party after he was struck with a bottle.

Angelo Branca, Vancouver lawyer, defended Byrne.

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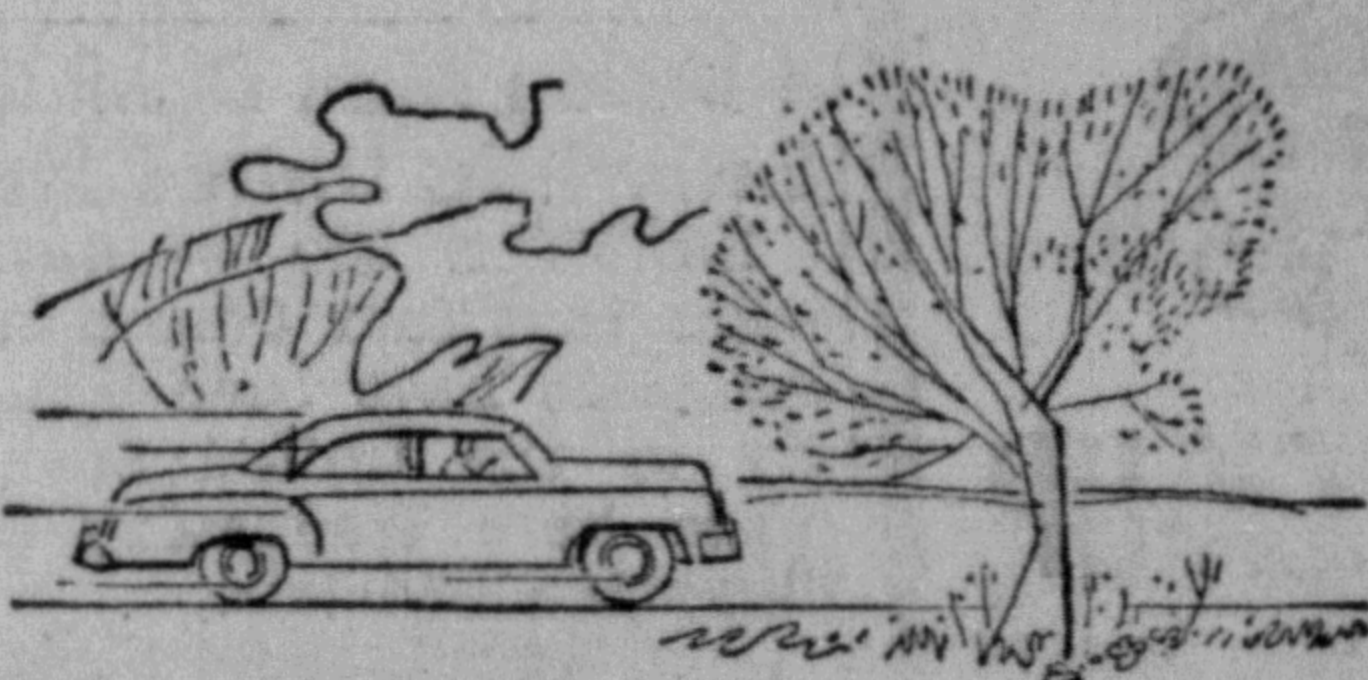
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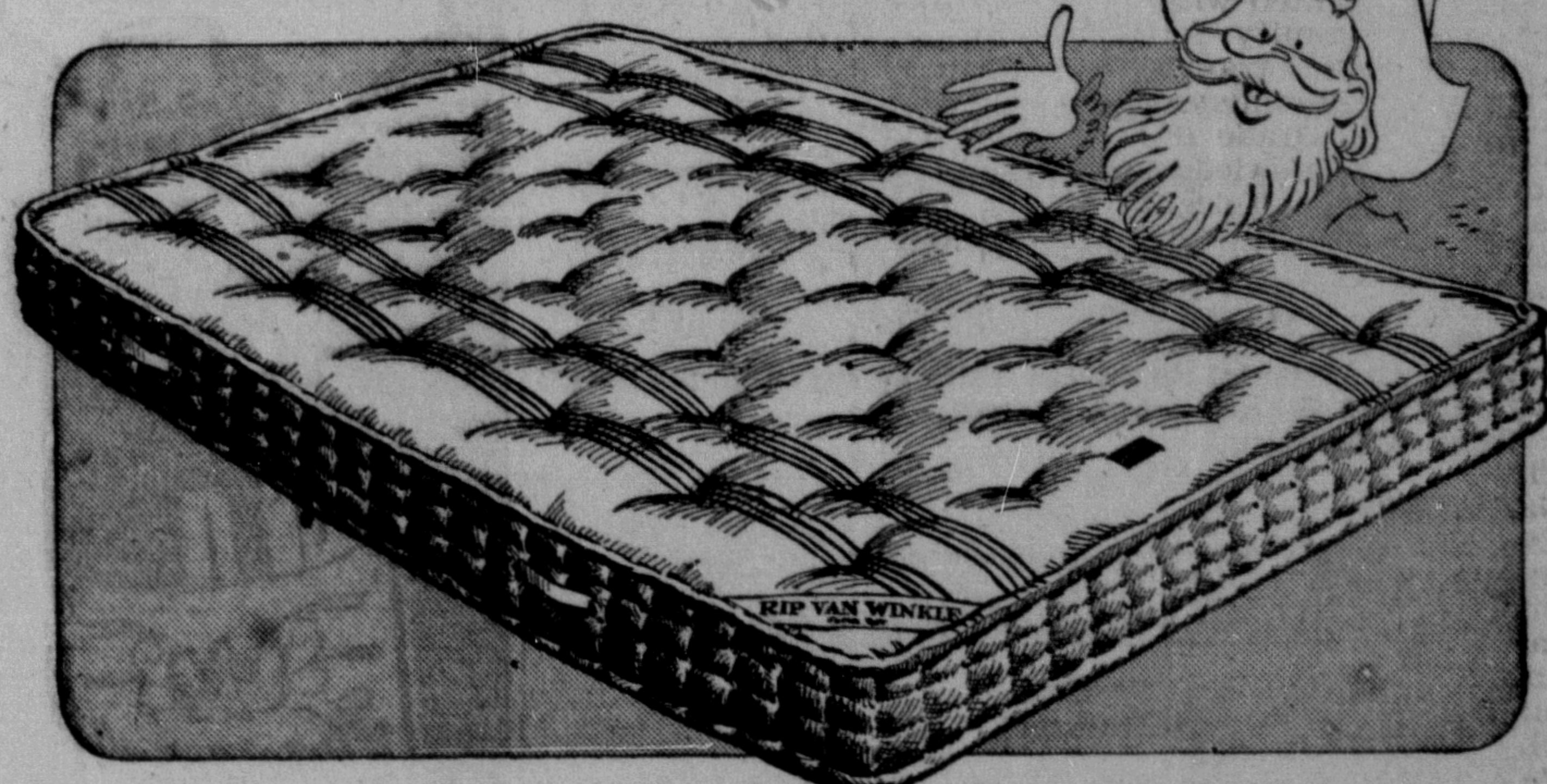
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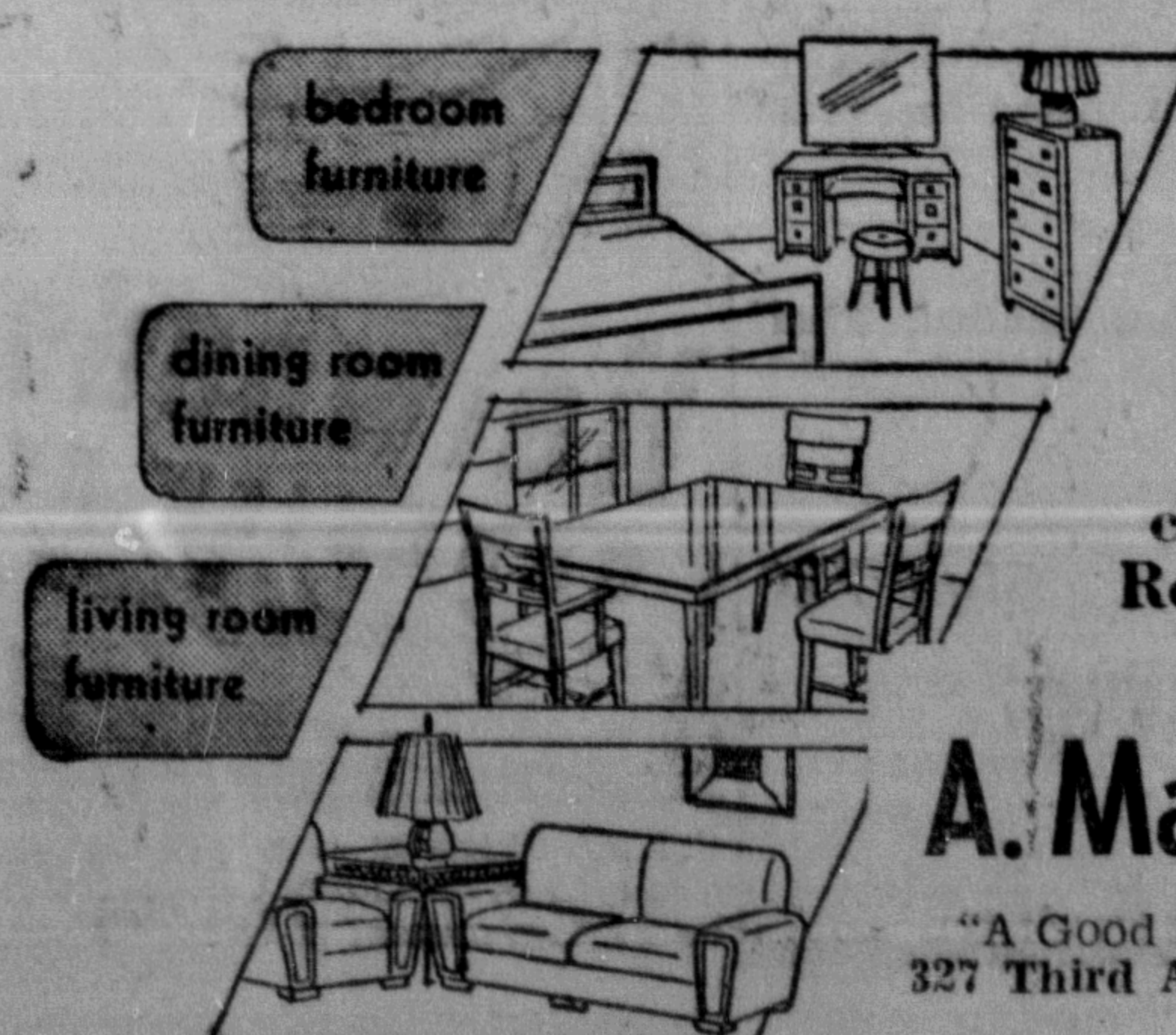
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Hoop to Hold Meeting

Basketball plans will be next Tuesday night, led by R. H. Davidson, of Prince Rupert. Basketball Association season's first meeting. Discussions will number of teams to be in the senior league as placing of intermediate teams.

It is almost certain to whether or not a city team will be entered in Senior B or other amateur competition. Selection of players also continued.

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