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PARACHUTING NURSES—Five RCAF nursing sisters, first Canadian women to take the air force's para-rescue training course at Edmonton, try on jumping suits and harness. PO. M. L. Macdonald of Vancouver, centre, smiles as PO. Anne Peden of Victoria hooks up her harness. Others, left to right, are: PO. J. I. Thomson, North Bay, Ont.; PO. M. F. Neilly, Middleton, N.S.; and PO. M. D. E. Beaton of North Bay. (CP from National Defence)

Ketchikan Is Getting Its Big Pulp Mill; Timber Obtained

Ship By Rail Here

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Contract for 1,500,000-cubic feet of Alaska pulp timber was signed today by the United States Forest Service and the Ketchikan Pulp and Paper Co. It is the largest sale of timber ever made by the forest service. A \$400,000 pulp mill will be built at Wacker City on Ward's Cove near Ketchikan. It will employ about 800 persons and must be in operation by August 2, 1954, producing 300 tons daily, the output to be stepped up later to 525 tons. There is timber sufficient to supply a mill of 500-ton capacity for fifty years in Tongass National Forest which covers an extensive area in Southeastern Alaska. The plant will produce high grade rayon, cellophane and nitro-cellulose but no paper. Railroad car ferries may be used to take the pulp to Prince Rupert, thence east by rail.

Hoop Fix Testimony

PEORIA, Illinois — Threat against a player and his wife and a pay-off double-cross by the plot's ringleader were reported Thursday as five bribe-involved Bradley basketball stars were asked to testify about their fix scandal before a New York grand jury. The Peoria Journal printed a bannered story stating that a Bradley player and his wife were threatened with bodily harm if he attempted to back out of a fix arrangement which spanned the last two Bradley basketball seasons.

Communists Build up Strength as Talks on Peace is Proceeding

WASHINGTON, D.C. (CP)—An Army spokesman said today that Communists in Korea have used the time since the original peace proposals of June 23 to "build up troop strength and move supplies and weapons toward the battlefield."

Red Sox Up Again

Brooklyn Makes National League Lead Even Longer
NEW YORK (CP)—Clyde Volmer's three home runs boosted the Boston Red Sox to within two percentage points of the New York Yankees Thursday. Volmer's third homer, coming with two on in the sixth inning, gave Boston a 13-10 victory over Chicago White Sox while the Yankees lost 9 to 4 to Cleveland.

To Fight Inflation

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada and United States made another attempt Thursday to reach common ground on means of controlling the impact of inflation of defence speed-ups. Top officials of both countries conferred at a special meeting in Washington of the revitalized Canada-U.S. Joint Industrial Mobilization Committee. Canada's top representative was Production Minister Howe. Charles Wilson, U.S. defence mobilization director, was chief U.S. representative. The meeting reviewed rearmament programs in the two countries, their effect on prices and means of holding down climbing defence production costs.

Clarify Oil Talk

TEHRAN — A British embassy spokesman said today that a British decision on whether to accept Iran's proposal for reopening of talks on the oil nationalization dispute is expected soon. The British ambassador, Sir Francis Shepherd, conferred with American special envoy, Averell Harriman, seeking further clarification of the Iranian offer as requested by the British government. About all the Iranian government has so far said is that it would co-operate but insisted on complete nationalization. The ambassador and Mr. Harriman were to leave Tehran today for London.

Survey of Metlakatla

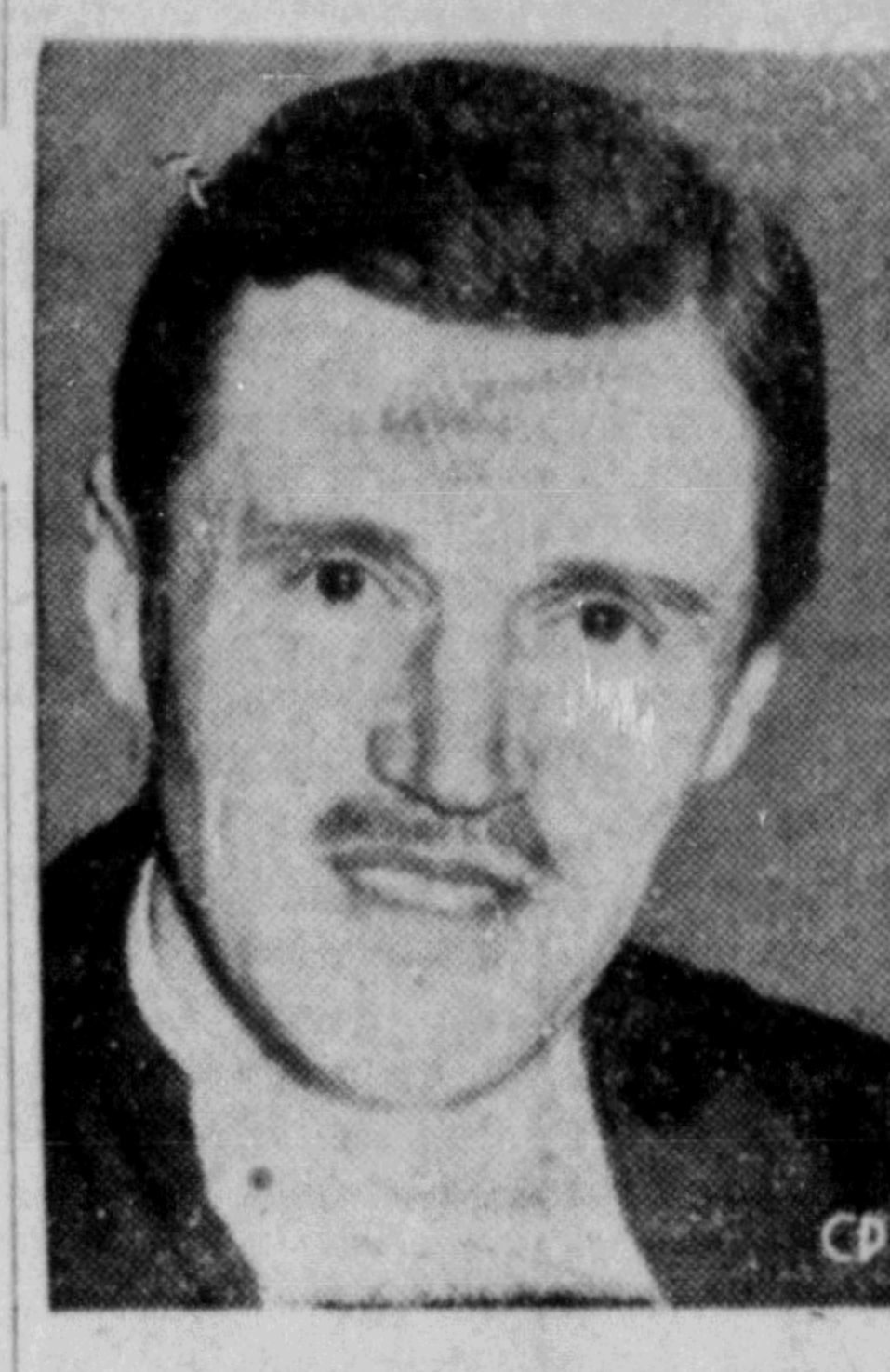
Checking up on a resurvey which is being made of the townsite of Metlakatla native village before it is enfranchised and incorporated under the provisions of the Village Act, C. H. Taggart, inspector general of surveys for the Department of Mines and Surveys has been here in Ottawa. He arrived Tuesday by train and left today on the Princess Norah to the Yukon. While here he was spending most of his time at Metlakatla. The survey at Metlakatla is being carried out by Fred Nash, B.C.L.S. for the new municipality. All lots and streets, water system, park area, school sites are being resurveyed as well as a new subdivision. No changes to existing sites are being made and the main street will still be that which curves along in alignment with the shoreline. New streets are being added to the rear. Names will also be applied to the streets but these have not yet been selected. "We'll have to think about that soon," said Indian Superintendent F. E. Anfield. "Most likely some of the respected pioneer figures in the history of the village will be commemorated such as 'Duncan', 'Hidley', 'Morrison'."

Controls to Be Kept on

WASHINGTON, D.C. — A joint conference committee of Senate and House of Representatives voted tentatively today to permit price rollbacks on non-farm commodities to levels which prevailed just before the war in Korea, provided certain cost increases are taken into account. Decision came near the end of an all-night session of the committee which agreed to extend economic controls legislation until next June. The extension covers wages, price, rent and other emergency curbs.

Judge Enjoys Coast Cruise

Plain Jack Wilson, free from the dignity and austerity of the Supreme Court bench, is around Prince Rupert these days greeting old friends. He is making a coastal trip as guest of Robert E. Walker, production manager of B.C. Packers, on the company boat Friendship, which arrived Wednesday night and will leave tomorrow on the return trip to Vancouver. This afternoon Sunnyside Cannery on Skeena River is being visited.



ENJOYS COAST CRUISE
Mr. Justice J. O. (Jack) Wilson

Boy Fired Apartment

SAN FRANCISCO — Chief Homicide Inspector Frank Ahern said Tuesday that a 17-year-old newsboy had admitted setting an apartment house fire which took the lives of eight persons here Sunday. After several days of investigation, Fire Marshal Frank Kelly said the blaze had been set off by gasoline or some other solvent.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Don Newcombe's 14th win of the season lengthened Brooklyn's lead over the idle New York Giants to 9½ games on a 9 to 1 romp over Chicago Cubs. It was the ninth straight win over Chicago by big Newk and the Dodgers' sixth win in a row. Vern Bickford needed relief held from Bob Chipman with two out in the ninth to pitch Boston Braves into fifth place with a 6 to 2 edge over Cincinnati. The Reds dropped to sixth place, half a game behind the Braves. New York and Pittsburgh were not scheduled. Yesterday's big league scores:
National
Boston 6, Cincinnati 2.
Brooklyn 9, Chicago 1.
Philadelphia 7, St. Louis 0.
American
Chicago 10, Boston 13.
Cleveland 9, New York 4.
Detroit 6, Washington 3.
St. Louis 6, Philadelphia 4.

-BASEBALL-

Pacific Coast
Seattle 2, San Diego 15
Portland 10, Sacramento 5
Oakland 6, Hollywood 4
San Francisco 5, Los Angeles 3
Western International
Tacoma 2, Wenatchee 5
Spokane 9, Tri-City 0
Salem 2, Yakima 3
Victoria 2, Vancouver 3.

Funeral of Lewis Kemp—Thursday

Funeral was held yesterday for Lewis Kemp, 80, who died Monday in Prince Rupert General Hospital. He had been a resident here for 20 years. Rev. Dr. E. A. Wright officiated. Burial was at Fairview Cemetery with B.C. Undertakers in charge.

Defence Bill Enormous

U.S. to Spend \$25 Billion Defending Allies
WASHINGTON, D.C. — Secretary of State Dean Acheson set before Congress Thursday a world-wide aid program which would cost \$25,000,000,000 for defence of American allies in the next three years. That is the price, Acheson said, to counter Russia's designs and bring about "an era of genuine relaxation of tension." Acheson said that Spain would get a share of the money—he did not say how much—but added "considerable time must elapse" before Spain could be admitted into the North Atlantic Treaty Alliance.

Toronto Fire Hits Firemen

TORONTO — Smoke and fumes from a burning plastics warehouse in downtown Toronto knocked out fifty firemen who were fighting the fire that gutted basement and ground floor of the building early today. Two of the firemen are in serious condition. Damage is estimated at between \$100,000 to \$150,000. Loss was to upper floors of the four-storey building.

WEATHER

Synopsis
Skies are clear throughout southern British Columbia again today and in this region it will continue dry and warm tomorrow.

Variable cloudiness is expected in the central and northern interior today and tomorrow with scattered thunderstorms this afternoon.

Skies will remain cloudy along the north coast with showers expected tomorrow from a weather disturbance now moving into the Gulf of Alaska.

Forecast
North coast region — Cloudy with a few sunny intervals today. Cloudy tomorrow with showers in the northern section. Little change in temperature. Winds—northwest today, southerly (15) tomorrow. Lows tonight and highs tomorrow—Port Hardy 50 and 65, Sandspit and Prince Rupert 52 and 65.

SAVED AT SEA
IPSWICH, England — Five youths who escaped from the Borstal institution at Hollesley Bay, near here, were rescued from a small sailing dinghy drifting helplessly 14 miles off Clacton. The lads spent a night in the stolen boat.

Hamburg, Once Graveyard Of Ships, Bright Again

HAMBURG (Reuters)—Six years ago the great German seaport of Hamburg was a graveyard of ships, with almost 3000 hulks lying half-submerged in the harbor. The city itself lay dead under acres of rubble and acres of bombed ruins.

More than 1,000,000 persons had fled panic-stricken during one night stretch of continued Allied bombing which had crippled more than 100,000 buildings. Those who left the city did not return until long after the war ended, and Hamburg remained a semi-deserted, burned-out shell until after the hungry winter of 1946-47. Today, all that is changed. German energy and American Marshall Aid have combined to produce a town centre which, with a few gaps here and there, looks sparkling, fresh and prosperous.

INTERNATIONAL BASEBALL SUNDAY

A Double-header Feature
KETCHIKAN vs. PRINCE RUPERT ALL-STARS
1:30 p.m.
Available at Grotto Store and Bud's Place

Impressive feature of the trip up the coast for the judge was a crossing of Vancouver Island from Port Hardy to Coal Harbor on the West Coast for a day's trip on a whaling ship. The judge witnessed the chase and killing of one of the big mammals—and he did not like it very much. "They are such friendly and innocent big fellows. They never hurt anybody," he said. "And if they were a little smarter those whalers would never be able to get them."

Almost every means of water transportation has been experienced by the judge during the trip on which the cannery officials—Mr. Walker and Ross Nicholson—are making a general inspection of operations along the coast. They have been at Namu and up Rivers and Smith's Inlet including one short airplane jaunt.

"It's great to get away from business cares on a trip like this," His Lordship said appreciatively.

Mr. Justice J. O. Wilson is a well-known former northerner. He practised as a young lawyer at Prince George for several years and was for some time secretary of the Associated Boards of Trade of Central British Columbia. Before being elevated to the Supreme Court bench a few years ago, he was a County Court judge.

Keep Up with the Jones' PHONE 99

Auto Industry Labor Trouble

DETROIT (CP)—Labor unrest in the automotive industry grew Thursday as Ford Motor Co. was threatened with a country-wide shutdown. A wildcat strike at the Chrysler Corporation went into its second day, making idle 22,500 Dodge workers. At the Hudson plant 10,000 workers remained idle. A Ford parts plant at Monroe, Michigan, was hit by a walkout of 1600 workers and forced to close. Ford said in a statement that continued loss of parts from the Monroe plant will force a shutdown of all Ford operations in the country.

Recovering After Crash

Gordon M. Rhodes, 22-year-old son of Mrs. C. S. Viers of Prince Rupert, is doing well in the University Hospital at Edmonton after having sustained fractured arm, face lacerations and split lip in an airplane crash near the Alberta capital. As soon as he is able to travel, he will be returning to his home here to complete his recuperation before going back to his flying course. Rhodes and his Fleet Canuck plane came to grief when a control cable broke and he went into a bank at altitude of 1800 feet, landing in a ploughed field 16 miles northwest of Edmonton. He was rescued by a farmer who saw the crash. The student pilot graduated from Booth Memorial High School here two years ago and had been with the engineering department of Columbia Cellulose Co. until July 1 when he left for Edmonton to attend the flying school.

TODAY'S STOCKS

(Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co. Ltd.)

VANCOUVER		Conwest	
American Standard	14	Donalda	49
Bralorne	6.20	Eldona	20
B R X	.03	East Sullivan	8.75
Cariboo Quartz	1.17	Giant Yellowknife	8.40
Giant Mascot	1.00	God's Lake	.33
Indian Mines	.20½	Hardrock	.36
Pend Oreille	7.20	Harricana	.08½
Pioneer	1.90	Heva	.14
Premier Broder	.30	Jackknife	.08
Privateer	.10	Joliet Quebec	.53
Reeves McDonald	4.10	Little Long Lac	.72
Reno	.03	Lynx	.14
Sheep Creek	1.58	Madsen Red Lake	2.15
Silbak Premier	.38	McKenzie Red Lake	.45
Vananda	.12	McLeod Cockshutt	2.80
Silver Standard	2.40	Moneta	.32
Western Uranium	2.72	Negus	.70
		Noranda	72.50
		Louicourt	1.63
		A P Con	1.60
		Pickle Crow	1.60
		San Antonio	2.50
		Senator Rouyn	.17½
		Sherrit Gordon	2.92
		Steep Rock	6.65
		Silver Miller	1.30
		Upper Canada	1.62
		Golden Manitu	7.10

TIDES
Saturday, July 28, 1951
(Pacific Standard Time)

High	Low
10:00	14.5 feet
21:36	17.7 feet
3:36	6.6 feet
15:14	10.5 feet