

local and PERSONAL

● Saint John First Aid exams, Tuesday, May 15, 7:30 p.m., Fire Hall. (114c)

● Reduced prices on odd lines of skirts, blouses and dresses at Star's Stylewear. (11c)

● Norman Nelson of Nelson Bros. Fisheries Ltd. left by today's plane on his return to Vancouver after one of his periodical visits here on company business.

● Women of the Moose will hold their regular meeting on Wednesday, May 16. (115p)

In the civil action of Saanich Plumbing & Heating vs. Charles K. Ytreberg, \$158.05 and costs was awarded the plaintiff in County Court. Judge W. O. Fulton heard the case.

Mrs. L. W. Kergin left on today's plane for Vancouver to attend the graduation of her daughter, Miss Dorothy Kergin, from Vancouver General Hospital nurses' training school next week.

The Clyde, Scotiana's principal river and one of the world's most important waterways, is only 106 miles long.

Two Buses Condemned

Two Arrow Bus Lines vehicles have been "temporarily condemned" by M. Deblaquiere, inspector of motor vehicles, Aid. Douglas Frizzell, police and licensing committee, reported to city council last night.

Mechanical conditions as to brakes, front and rear ends of the other buses, however, were considered "good." Bus operators have promised to clean up the interior of the buses. A further report from the inspector will be received during the first week in June, said Ald. Frizzell.

Fee for the Shrine Club carnival was set at \$25 a day, on recommendation of Ald. Frizzell. He said the club had given assurance it would be wholly responsible for operation of the carnival.

Policing from January 1 to March 31 had cost the city \$4800 he said.

Anglican Synod Here This Week

The twenty-third synod of the Anglican Diocese of Caledonia will meet in St. Andrew's Cathedral on Wednesday and Thursday of this week. Delegates will be in attendance from as far east as the Peace River district and west as the Queen Charlotte Islands.

The proceedings will open with a synod service in St. Andrew's Cathedral at which the preacher will be the Ven. Archdeacon E. Hodson.

Following the service luncheon will be served by the Women's Auxiliary after which the business session will commence.

In the evening the service will be conducted by the native lay readers from the various Indian villages assisted by St. Peter's Church Choir from Aiyansh. The preacher will be Peter Hill of Masset.

Afterwards there will be a reception for all delegates and friends at Bishop's Lodge.

Business sessions will continue on Thursday.

Rt. Rev. James B. Gibson, Bishop of Caledonia, will preside and clergy delegates will be: Archdeacon E. Hodson, Terrace; Canon Basil S. Procter, Prince Rupert; Canon C. A. Hinchliffe, Smithers; Rev. S. Kinley, Aiyansh; Rev. Montagu Young, Masset; Rev. M. A. Stephens, Ocean Falls; Rev. H. G. Bird, Seal Cove; Rev. J. Hayhurst, Kitwanga; Rev. E. V. Bird, Hazelton; Rev. W. Atkinson, Burns Lake; Rev. K. M. Collison, Vanderhoof; Rev. O. L. Sergeant, Dawson Creek; Rev. W. H. Blackstock, Fort St. John.

LAY DELEGATES

Lay delegates are Mrs. Bird of Telegraph Creek; Mrs. D. D. Thomson, Fort Fraser; J. S. Brown, Burns Lake; Peter Hill, Masset; Mrs. W. J. Nelson, Ocean Falls; Nathan Shaw, Kitkatla; Solomon Doolin and William Stevens, Kincoith and T. E. Anfield and G. S. Reade, Prince Rupert.



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City Wages Not Satisfied With Housing

Employees Get Twelve Percent More—Official Salaries Upped

Civic Employees' Union No. 5 (including inside and outside employees of the city) and the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Union (maintenance crew and telephone operators) have accepted a 12 per cent increase in salary and wages offered by the city.

Ald. T. B. Black, reporting to council last night for the wage committee, also said the salary of the assistant fire chief had been increased to \$302 a month and that of the fire chief to \$307 a month with living quarters.

Salaries of city clerk, treasurer, superintendent of works and telephone superintendent had been increased by \$25 a month, Ald. Black said.

All increases are retroactive to January 1, 1951.

City Will Have to Get Better Housing Deal From Ottawa

What the federal government and Central Housing and Mortgage Corporation have done so far in getting housing for Prince Rupert "certainly is not satisfactory and they will have to do better than that," Mayor G. W. Rudderham said last night at council meeting.

He referred to a letter from T. B. Pickersgill, B.C. region superintendent of CMHC, which said there was "nothing definite" so far.

A letter was also received from E. T. Applewhite, MP for Skeena, who had talked with the housing minister but had nothing further to report. Mr. Applewhite had admitted the situation was "not too optimistic."

Council had previously written Mr. Pickersgill saying most of the materials to construct 50 homes in Prince Rupert were expected to be available locally. In answer to that letter, Mr. Pickersgill said he had forwarded this information to Ottawa, but there was still "nothing definite."

Ald. T. B. Black moved Mr. Applewhite be sent a copy of this letter and that he be wired to "pursue the matter (housing) to the utmost."

Sons of Norway WA Tea-Sale

Narcissi and daffodils were the spring-like floral setting for a successful tea and sale Saturday by the Sonja Ladies' Aid in the Sons of Norway Hall.

The president, Mrs. George Morgan, welcomed many guests. Serviteurs were Miss Ellen Waseng, Mrs. John Pederson, Mrs. Jack Ritchie and Mrs. Hans Knutson. In charge of the kitchen were Mrs. Hans Petterson, Mrs. Olof Skog and Mrs. Peter Anderson. The cashier was Mrs. Harold Helland.

The home cooking sale was conducted by Mrs. Reg Webber, assisted by Mrs. Jack Strand and Mrs. Carl Strand.

Mrs. Oscar Giske and Mrs. Julia Slatta looked after the sale of fancy-work.

Mrs. Walter Ballinger conducted the raffle of a three-pound jar of coffee which was donated by Mrs. Hans Petterson and won by Miss Irene Hansen.

No Money For Hospital

Prince Rupert General Hospital Association will have to go somewhere else for financial assistance, city council indicated at its meeting last night.

A further request from the hospital that financial aid be reconsidered by the city was referred to the finance committee but Ald. T. B. Black assured council there was "nothing we can do."

Ald. Harry Dagget suggested the hospital start a campaign of its own funds.

"Perhaps local citizens would buy bonds," he said, citing a former example where funds had been raised in a similar manner to erect the first nurses' home.

Ald. Harold Whalen, council representative on the hospital board, said the hospital "certainly is in a bad spot," but he knew, too that the city was in no position to help.

Figures Are Not Jibing

Mitchell & Currie at Variance With City Over Sewers

Although the Cow Bay sewer project is completed, city figures and figures of the contractors, Mitchell & Currie, do not "jibe." The contractors' bill for the job is \$153,604.76 while the city maintains the cost should be \$127,445.

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Further investigation of this matter will proceed upon return of Mr. Stewart, who is in Vancouver at an engineers' convention.

Purchases of City Property

One dozen sales of city property were reported by Ald. T. B. Black, chairman of finance committee, at last night's council meeting. The following lots were sold:

Lots 1 and 2, Block 11, Section 5, for \$1250 to Mrs. Anna E. Johnson.

Lots 33 to 38, Block 7, Section 7, and Lots 9, 12, 13 and 14, Block 24, Section 7, for \$1075 to Wilfred McLean.

Lot 7, Block 23, Section 7, to Olaf Dudsvick for \$100.

Lots 15 and 16, Block 44, Section 5, for \$550 to Marie Stanko.

Lot 11, Block 22, Section 6, for \$167 to Laurence Stanwood.

Lots 37, 38 and 39, Block 7, Section 1, for \$750 to Otto Breimo.

Lot 9, Block 41, Section 7, for \$75 to F. B. Quinn.

Easterly half of lot 33, Block 28, Section 8, for \$70 to Mrs. M. Fox and that her previous offer for the westerly half of the same lot be cancelled.

The following properties were sold subject to veterans' rebate:

Lots 17 and 18, Block 22, Section 8, for \$150 to Robert D. Mitchell.

Easterly half of Lot 4, Block 26, Section 5, for \$125 to Mac Gagnon.

Lot 5 and westerly half of Lot 6, Block 26, Section 5, for \$325 to John H. Atkins.

Lots 40 and 41, Block 9, Section 5, for \$820 to Vernon F. Carpenter.

Finance committee also recommended that Miss A. A. Wrathall be appointed acting city clerk during absence of City Clerk R. W. Long.

Council Grants Trade Licences

Ten new trade licences were granted by city council last night. They are to the following:

Benjamin Windle—messenger service.

Kirby Clean Co. Ltd.—vacuum cleaners.

Armstrong & Monteith—Construction Co. Ltd.—building contractors.

Henry J. Whiteside—agent for Shores Credit Jewellers.

Thomas M. Christie—auctioneer.

A. F. Williams—electro-plating baby shoes.

Mrs. Mae G. Anton—taxi operator.

William E. Haight—painting and decorating.

Adee & Son Construction—building contractors.

J. Fitzgerald—messenger service.

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● Stir in cooled sugar-shortening mixture. Combine 5 c. once-sifted bread flour and 5 c. whole wheat or graham flour. Stir about half of the flours into yeast mixture; beat until smooth. Work in remaining flours and add additional bread flour, if necessary, to

make a soft dough. Knead on lightly-floured board until smooth and elastic. Place in greased bowl and grease top of dough. Cover and set in a warm place, free from draught. Let rise until doubled in bulk. Punch down dough, grease top and again let rise until doubled in bulk. Punch down dough; turn out on lightly-floured board and divide into 4 equal portions; form into smooth balls. Cover lightly with cloth and let rest for 15 mins. Shape into loaves; place in greased loaf pans (4½" x 8½"). Grease tops, cover and let rise until doubled in bulk. Bake in hot oven, 400°, for 20 mins., then reduce oven heat to moderate, 350°, and bake about 20 minutes longer.

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Announcements
Presbyterian-Missionary Tea, church hall, May 16.
Tea, Home cooking and White Elephant sale, Catholic School Hall, May 16.
Eastern Star Tea, Masonic Temple, May 17.
S.O.N. Smorgasbord, May 18.
Canadian Legion card party, May 22.
Lutheran tea, May 26.
Card Party Catholic Hall, May 31.
Job's Daughters Jamboree, May 31, June 1, 2.
Queen Mary I.O.E. tea, June 21, Mrs. F. Thornton's, 400 4th West, 2-5.
Tea and Home cooking sale, Catholic Hall, June 14.

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