

The Public Library will close 5 o'clock Monday, December (299c)
Annual Old Sweats Pre-Christmas party in the Legion Auditorium on December 24 at 8 p.m. (300c)
Prepared Lutefish for sale at Prince Rupert Fishermen's Co-operative Store commencing today, December 21. (299c)

Whether you are a SUPER-VALU customer or not, you will find prices on foods coming down in Rupert. For this you can thank SUPER-VALU (11c)

Bring Your Missus Night at the Legion Auditorium, Friday, December 21. Admittance by membership card. Members, wives and guests are welcome. (298c)

You are invited to a choir concert at the Lutheran Church on evening at 8 o'clock. (11c)
Whist drive and tournament Saturday, December 22, Moose Temple. Everyone welcome. (299c)

Church of the Annunciation Please consult church page for Christmas Masses. Confessions Saturday, Sunday and Monday from 3 to 6, also on Saturday and Sunday from 7:30 to 9. (299c)

Notice—The well-baby clinic will be cancelled Wednesday, December 26, at the Prince Rupert Health Unit, and Thursday, December 27, at Conrad School. (11c)

Attention, Northland Dairy Customers—There will be no milk delivery on Christmas Day or Boxing Day, so please have your extra milk delivered on Monday, December 24. —Northland Dairy. (299c)

One walking doll Christmas cards, miniature animals, china figurines, Christmas candles at the Peter Pan Gift Shop. (299c)
Bulger's carry Wallace and International Sterling flatware in open stock. Various patterns. Also we have the well-known Louis XV pattern in sterling. (11c)

ANNOUNCEMENT—FRASER & PAYNE wish to announce that their store will adhere to regular business hours during the Christmas shopping season. The season has been a busy one and, in fairness to the staff, who have been working hard to give service to the public, our regular hours will apply, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Friday, Saturday and Monday (Christmas Eve). FRASER & PAYNE. (300c)

Flowers
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Social

Old-Timers Foregather At Over Seventy Dinner

Some were close to being over eighty at the Christmas party and dinner held last evening under the auspices of the Women's Co-ordinating Council. The occasion, in the United Church Hall and known as the "Over Seventy" event, can be said to have been an outstanding success.

Residents of Prince Rupert here since before incorporation, and many others who came a little later, rejoiced to meet one another and chat and laugh as they munched one of the finest Yuletide feasts ever prepared. The rooms were bright with seasonable lighting, including a large Christmas tree in a corner of the stage. The premises were adorned with the national colors, as well as greenery trimmings. It all looked most effective. A feature of the program was the presence of young people, several of whom contributed to the musical entertainment, these including a violin solo by Jeanette Sparks, and accordion solos by Eddie Cicoone. Mrs. Peggy Andrew and Mrs. Ralph Smith gave songs. The piano accompanist was Mrs. J. S. Black.

Calling the gathering to order, the president of the Old Timers' Club, M. M. Stephens, introduced Mrs. T. Norton Youngs, president of the Women's Co-ordinating Council, who extended a welcome. It was a pleasure to have them and to one and all, best wishes and compliments of the season were cordially expressed. Mr. Stephens on behalf of the club, fittingly acknowledged how all appreciated the hospitality and kindness it was their good fortune to share. It was indeed a privilege to once again assemble as Christmas drew near and once more realize the goodwill of the Women's Co-ordinating Council.

Alderman John Currie, who first came to Prince Rupert in the early days, remaining in the city for many a year, and who, after an absence in Vancouver, had returned here, Mr. Stephens invited to speak. "I sat in the city council with Alderman Currie, in early days, and can recall no one who was more conscientious, or possessed

more sound judgment," he said. Mr. Currie made a brief and timely acknowledgment. It was pleasant as well as interesting to meet so many friends of the pioneer times.

Alderman George B. Casey made reference to the satisfaction one felt in being again surrounded by so many of those who had lived here since the commencement of Prince Rupert. It was good to see these familiar faces. He mentioned Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gillis. Since retirement, they had been living in Victoria and were now visiting their former home city. As for himself, he had two more years to sit as an alderman, and wished to emphasize that questions of outstanding importance to the community were certain to arise in the days to come. All entrusted with the duties of conducting affairs could not but be fully aware of this.

In a few words of appropriate comment Mayor H. F. Glassey spoke of the enjoyment he felt in being among those present. It was, he could say, a happy association. Mrs. Gillis, who was first president of the Women's Co-ordinating Council, was heard in a few words suitable to the occasion.

The dinner convenor was Mrs. T. J. Boulter, and committee members Mrs. Thor Sollen, Mrs. M. Waksdale, Mrs. Leo Doiron, Mrs. M. J. Keays, Mrs. W. C. Poulton, Mrs. Heige Erikson, Mrs. J. Garon, Mrs. M. Haines, Mrs. Harold Helland. Decoration convenor was Mrs. H. V. Tattersall. Mrs. W. B. Skinner, Mrs. Carl Strand and Miss Joyce Tattersall gave valuable assistance.

The program convenor was Mrs. J. S. Black, assisted by Mrs. G. Cicoone. Election of officers of the "Over Seventy" Club resulted in (Continued on page 4)

Atlin Fish Xmas Tree

Employees and children of Atlin Fisheries Ltd. and Canadian Fishing Co. Ltd. assembled Wednesday night for a gay Christmas party which featured Art Williamson of Atlin as Santa Claus, centre of attraction. More than 170 people attended the evening party at the Sons of Norway Hall which was suitably decorated—including a Christmas tree—by Atlin Fisheries staff. Comedy films were shown to the children by T. G. Bateman. Santa then handed out bags of treats and gifts from two oversized stuffed mailbags. Further refreshments of ice-cream, soft drinks and coffee were served. Following the company party, employees conducted a dance to the music of Mike Colussi, greatly enjoyed by everyone.

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Typos Elect New Officers

William Priest of the Prince Rupert Daily News was elected president of Prince Rupert Typographical Union last night. He heads a slate of new officers. Other officers are: Vice-President—Herbert Morgan. Secretary-Treasurer—J. Doug. Standing. Sergeant-at-Arms—Vincent J. Daly.

Stan Pullen, who has joined the staff of Regal Printers, was introduced to the members. His wife and child are expected early in the New Year from Regina.

Clifford E. Jenkins, now in the employ of the Dibb Printing Co., was initiated as a new member.

Conrad Street Closing Exercises

At both Conrad Street School and Seal Cove School, the closing exercises for the holiday season consisted of happy class parties held in each room. The class rooms were beautifully decorated for the Christmas season. The children played games and provided programs of entertainment consisting of recitations, musical numbers, and Christmas carols. Refreshments were enjoyed in true party spirit.

A highlight of the festivities was a visit by Santa Claus to some of the primary classes. Santa distributed presents and gave each child in the school a gift from the Parent-Teacher Association.

Do You Wish To Have Space In Christmas Eve Edition?

Advertisers desirous of having space in the annual Christmas Eve edition of The Daily News are requested to have their orders and copy in the hands of the advertising department without further delay as space is now limited.

Bishop Instals Six Rotarians

Six new members were officially inducted into Prince Rupert Rotary Club by Bishop J. B. Gibson at Thursday's luncheon meeting. They were:

Jim Bruce, Harold Thom, Ernie Paulding, Keith DeWitt, R. W. Gardiner and Eddie Gladding. Bishop Gibson charged the new members with their responsibility in carrying out the duty prescribed by Rotary: friendship and goodwill to others, and "service above self."

Mr. DeWitt was appointed as official pianist for the club, filling a long standing need since the departure of Rotarian G. R. S. Blackaby.

T. Norton Youngs reported \$315 had been netted from the recent Rotary Sunday concert and would be turned over to the Canadian National Institute for the Blind. Mr. Youngs suggested that Rotary should sponsor at least two such concerts each year, both as a means to raise money for charitable purposes and as a means to give local talent an opportunity to be heard.

A vote of thanks was offered Mr. Youngs and Walter Smith for their effort in arranging the concert. Thanks also were voted to the management of Broadway Cafe for an "extra bountiful" luncheon, consisting of hot turkey.

AIR BREAKS
An Orlando, Fla., radio announcer, plugging a drugstore's prescription department, wound up: "This is typical of the scare and kill shown by the Strauss Drug Store."

Farewell Party Aboard Steamer

Gyros farewelled Mr. and Mrs. Grant Stewart at a party last night in the recreation room of the steamer Prince George aboard which they sailed for Vancouver to make their future home.

Feature of the proceedings was the presentation by Gyro President Don Forward of a handsome silver serving tray. Regret was expressed by Mr. Forward at the departure of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart. At the same time satisfaction was voiced at Mr. Stewart's distinct promotion in the banking service. (He has been appointed manager of the Robson and Granville Street branch of the Royal Bank.)

Moose Women's Christmas Party

Regular meeting of the Women of the Moose was held Wednesday in the Moose Temple, a Christmas party featuring the exchange of gifts and being enjoyed by a good attendance of members. Winner in a lucky box drawing was Ida Paulsen. Mrs. D. Tweed was the winner of a raffle of pillow cases.

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