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POSSIBLY A FEDERAL PROJECT

The connection of Prince Rupert with Terrace by Highway may possibly turn out to be a federal project carried out as part of the defense scheme for Northern British Columbia. Its strategic importance has already been recognized but whether it will be carried out is for the future to decide.

Prince Rupert has the key position in Northern British Columbia and, if there should be war, this would be one of the first places to be attacked by an enemy. With Northern British Columbia in the hands of an enemy, an effort would undoubtedly be made to take and keep all the country north of the railway including Alaska. This would include a country that is rich in minerals, timber, fish and agricultural land such as an overcrowded country would need. For this reason the defense of Prince Rupert is of paramount importance to Canada. It is very much to be desired that work on the defense should commence as soon as possible after the meeting of Parliament or even before that.

PROJECTS THAT INTEREST PRINCE RUPERT

The outstanding projects that interest Prince Rupert just now are adequate defense of the port, completion of the highway, erection of a pulp mill, construction of an airplane and seaplane base, direct connection by rail with the Peace River country and improvement of tourist facilities at Prince Rupert including the establishment of a tourist hotel either by the improvement of an existing one or the erection of a new one. Last but not least comes city beautification by the co-operation of the city, the railway company, the provincial government and the citizens. This seems to be rather a large order but none of the items mentioned are impossible of achievement and to bring them to fruition all the energies of the citizens should be centred.

THE NEXT MOVE

Presuming that the Chinese allow Japan to take Nanking, the interesting thing will be to note what will be the next move on the part of the invaders. Canton is the most important city in the south and the most accessible. Situated not far from Hong Kong, the invading armies and fleet will be within reach of the guns of Hong Kong, an island that is British territory. Across the harbor from Hong Kong is the British naval station of Kowloon on the mainland of China, which is also fortified. It is the headquarters for the British China squadron which, presumably is not very strong just now, most of the ships of the British navy being quartered in home waters of the Mediterranean.

So far the Chinese generals have followed the program laid down before the war commenced. They have retired in an orderly manner before the highly mechanized Japanese with the evidently object of making the big fight on the most favorable ground. Whether the Japanese will allow the Chinese to lure them on or will simply hold what they have and turn their attention to some other part of the country remains now to be seen.

Scotland Wins Soccer Match

Dazzling Offensive Contributes to Five to Nothing Defeat of Czecho-Slovakia

IBROX PARK, GLASGOW, Dec. 8: (CP)—Dazzling offensive enabled Scotland to blank Czecho-Slovakia five to nothing in an international soccer match today. The Scotsmen piled up a three to nothing first half margin.

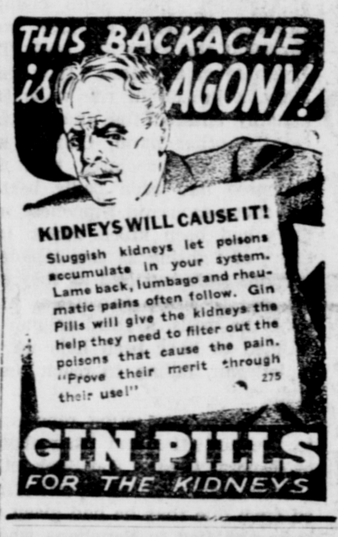
LOCAL NEWS

George Eales sailed yesterday afternoon on the Catala for his home in Vancouver where he will spend the Christmas holiday season.

Alfred Miller, manager of the Interior Creamery at Prince George, arrived in the city last night in connection with the marketing of his product. He will be returning home Friday evening.

Mrs. Mellon of Terrace was brought to the city on Saturday night's train for treatment in the Prince Rupert General Hospital. She was taken from train to hospital in the ambulance.

J. C. K. Sealy, pioneer of the Bulkley Valley, arrived in the city on last night's train from his ranch near Smithers and expects to be here until Friday evening when he will return home. Mr. Sealy reports a fall of about ten inches of snow recently around Smithers. It has since become cold and has packed down nicely.



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LAND ACT

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FRANK WATERMAN

Dated August 28, 1937

"GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT"

Notice of Application for Beer Licence

NOTICE is hereby given that on the Thirty-First day of December next, the undersigned intends to apply for a licence in respect of the premises, being part of the building known as Port Clements Hotel, situate upon the lands described as Lots No. 7, 8 and 9, Block 47, District Lot 746, Plan 1679, in the Prince Rupert Land Registration District in the province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or the bottle for consumption on the premises or elsewhere.

Dated this 3rd day of December, A.D. 1937.

ADAM PYPER,
Applicant.

Schmeling Will Kayo Joe Louis

NEW YORK, Dec. 8: — Gene Tunney, former world's heavyweight boxing champion, yesterday ventured the prediction that Max Schmeling will defeat Joe Louis by a knock-out in their projected title bout for the world's heavyweight championship next year.

Annual Banquet Moose Ladies'

Enjoyable Affair Held Last Night With Twenty-Six Ladies Present

The Moose Ladies held their annual banquet last night in the Boston Cafe. There were twenty-eight members present and the affair proved delightful to all. Mrs. W. F. Bussey, senior regent, was in the chair and gave the address of the evening. Community singing was enjoyed and, after the banquet, court whist was played with Mrs. W. V. Tattersal, Mrs. Sam Hougan and Mrs. F. J. Feasby, the prize-winners.

The committee in charge consisted of Mrs. T. O. Morgan, Mrs. W. B. McCallum and Mrs. Richard Long.

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