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Story Hour Commences

Sixty-One Children Are Entertained This Morning

The fifth season of the Children's Story Hour got away to a good start this morning with about sixty-one in attendance. After welcoming the children, Mrs. Robert Cameron introduced the new members of the staff, then read a letter from the author of the new serial story, "The Box Car Adventure," the first chapter of which was told by Kitty Cameron who later delighted the children with the amusing tale of "Bertram and His Giraffe, Rudolph."

The remaining part of the hour was in the hands of Dr. J. T. Mandy who related an interesting Indian legend, "Falling Stars," and entertained with lantern slides of Indian life.

Next week the Story Hour will be in charge of Mrs. Cameron assisted by Isabel McCrimmon and Jean Cameron and is for children from four to eight years.

A. J. Prudhomme left on last evening's train for Telkwa where he plans on spending the next two weeks or so.

City Commissioner W. J. Alder will be in session Monday morning in his capacity as a city council to ratify transfer of various properties and conduct other business requiring his attention.

SMITHERS

R. E. Munro and C. Williams have been visiting in Smithers, looking into the possibility of the Shell Oil Co. becoming located here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Dando have arrived at Smithers from Victoria. Mr. Dando succeeds L. G. Calder as manager of the Smithers branch of the Royal Bank of Canada.

A school under the Dominion-provincial youth training plan has just concluded at Telkwa. There was a large attendance and the instruction given proved of much value to the many young people who took advantage of it.

Robert Moore, Smithers representative of W. H. Malkin Co. who is well known in Prince Rupert had a narrow escape at the end of last week when his car skidded and toppled over a high bank in the vicinity of Fort Fraser. The car was considerably damaged but Mr. Moore was unhurt.

Morris Dahlquist of Cedarvale was a business visitor to Smithers during the past week.

Many commercial travellers have been visiting Smithers during the past week, making their final calls before Christmas.

Cecil Fitzgerald of Prince Rupert has been a business visitor to Smithers during the past week.

Miss Genevieve Middleton of Smithers is making a good recovery following a recent operation.

George Raymond, well known Canadian National Railways conductor, has been a patient in the Smithers Hospital suffering from a painful ear condition which is now clearing up.

Mrs. Jarvis McLeod of Prince Rupert is paying a visit at Smithers as the guest of Mrs. Olof Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Bahler left Smithers this week for Drumheller, Alberta, where Mr. Bahler will be in the railway service until next spring when he expects to return to Smithers.

Mrs. Fred Castell, who until recently has been on the staff of the Hazelton Hospital, left last week for Vancouver.

F. S. Tordiffe, A. S. Tordiffe and Miss Pauline Tordiffe of Cedarvale have arrived in Smithers and will make their home in Smithers for the time being at least.

Mrs. James Silver of Brexton is paying a visit to Smithers with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Warner. A round of social affairs is going on in her honor. Among the hostesses have been A. F. Godenough, Miss Myrtle McIntyre, Miss Margaret Dunlop, Mrs. W. V. Tomlinson, Mrs. W. R. Eby and Mrs. H. B. Campbell.

George Wall is making good recovery at his home following an operation occasioned by an abscess on his leg.

C. L. Dimock of Smithers, writing to the Interior News, recommends against going into bee keeping in this district if one expects to get rich quick.

Waterfront Whiffs

Herring Run Spotty So Far—Waterfront Quiet These Days—Promise of Boatbuilding Activity—Capt. Holberg's Death is Shock

A "spotty" run of herring developed in Prince Rupert Harbor since the end of last week and, while a few scattered catches have been taken by seineboats which enabled the reduction plants at Tucks Inlet and Port Edward to make a start, the quantity was of by no means sufficient volume to permit of continuous operation. A close watch is being kept not only in the harbor but in other adjacent waters for a run of material proportions developing and the reduction plants are ready to operate on a full scale just as soon as the fish are available.

Usk-Hazelton Road Subject Of Questions

Colin Cameron, C.C.F. member for Comox, has been interesting himself in the progress of construction of the transcontinental highway between Usk and Hazelton and had some questions concerning same to ask in the Legislature recently. So far, \$82,792.26 has been expended on this road. Mr. Cameron was informed by Hon. F. M. McPherson, minister of public works. Construction was to standard trunk highway specifications through difficult country, one mile having been built in 1936, two miles in 1937 and one mile in 1938.

Man in the Moon

Mrs. Madge MacBeth says that Canada is known in South America as the country of the Dionne quintuplets.

And yet how many Canadians in this part of the country seem to be trying to emulate the Dionnes?

Perhaps it is because some of our French Canadian residents are failing in their duty to their country.

Jake suggests that prayers might be effective in securing another complete set similar to the Dionnes.

Lord, give us a full set of quintts. How to get them just give a few hints. For such great fame is theirs. Who do better than pairs. No matter what gender or tints.

"Cook, I don't like to mention it, but the food disappears rather quickly in the kitchen!"

"Well, mum, I admits I eats early, but no one could call me gorgeous."

"Will you please signal to me in the gallery when Mr. — begins to speak!" asked a constituent of a member.

"Certainly, sir, certainly," replied the senator.

"Well, what shall the signal be?" asked the constituent.

"I'll leave," answered the the senator, with much enthusiasm.

"I went back to my old job the other day."

"Been out of work long?"

"Thirty-six years."

"Hadn't you forgotten how to do it?"

"I managed it all right."

"What is your line?"

"I'm a Coronation program seller."

General Synopsis—Pressure continues high over British Columbia and appears moderately low southwest of Vancouver Island. The weather has been fair in all parts of this province, mild on the coast and moderately cold in the interior.

Prince Rupert and Queen Charlotte Island—Fresh to strong, southeast to east winds, cloudy and mild with a few scattered showers.

West Coast of Vancouver Island—Fresh easterly winds, becoming strong, mostly fair, much the same temperature.

SIMCOE, Ont., Nov. 26: (CP)—Archie Mellanby, Simcoe's outstanding bowler, posted the highest official triple score ever made here, a total of 951 pins. He also won high single frame with a 3970 score.

NEW HAZELTON

Rev. Mr. Gollightly of Hazelton was a visitor to Cedarvale this week to conduct services.

A hard times dance is being held this evening in the New Hazelton Hall under the auspices of the Catholic Ladies' Aid. The Klispix Wildwood Orchestra is providing the music.

Last Saturday night a very successful dance was held in the Horticultural Hall at Hazelton.

A Friendly Group has been organized in connection with the Hazelton United Church, the membership now being twenty-five. The group held a meeting this Wednesday night at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Austin.

S. H. Senkpiel, foreman of road work east of Usk on the northern transprovincial highway, as a visitor to his home at New Hazelton last week-end. Mr. Senkpiel expects that road work will continue until the end of December.

Mrs. Green, wife of the school teacher at Kitwancool, is returning to her home there this week-end after having been a patient in the Hazelton Hospital where an operation was performed.

Mrs. Hooley of Hazelton is recovering from the effects of another operation which was performed recently.

Phillip Martin, son of George Martin of Hazelton, is making good recovery following a recent operation for appendicitis.

Dr. W. E. Austin of Hazelton paid a visit to Kitwancool last week and examined the school children as well as giving medical attention to other people in that village.

Mrs. S. Tordiffe, well known pioneer woman of Cedarvale and daughter of the late Mr. Tomlin-

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"Having A Wonderful Time"

son, prominent as a missionary in the lower Skeena Valley in the early days, succumbed at Cedarvale last week to a heart attack at the age of sixty-seven years. The funeral was held at Cedarvale with P. C. A. Hinchliffe of Terrace officiating.

Monkman Pass Pathfinder To Get Welcome

DAWSON CREEK, Nov. 26.—A banquet is being arranged by the Peace River Block branch of the Monkman Pass Highway Association in honor of Frank Murphy, president of the branch, on his return from a trip south with the Pathfinder car. Mrs. Dumont, secretary of the local branch, and inquiries are coming in showing over-growing interest in Monkman Pass road building.

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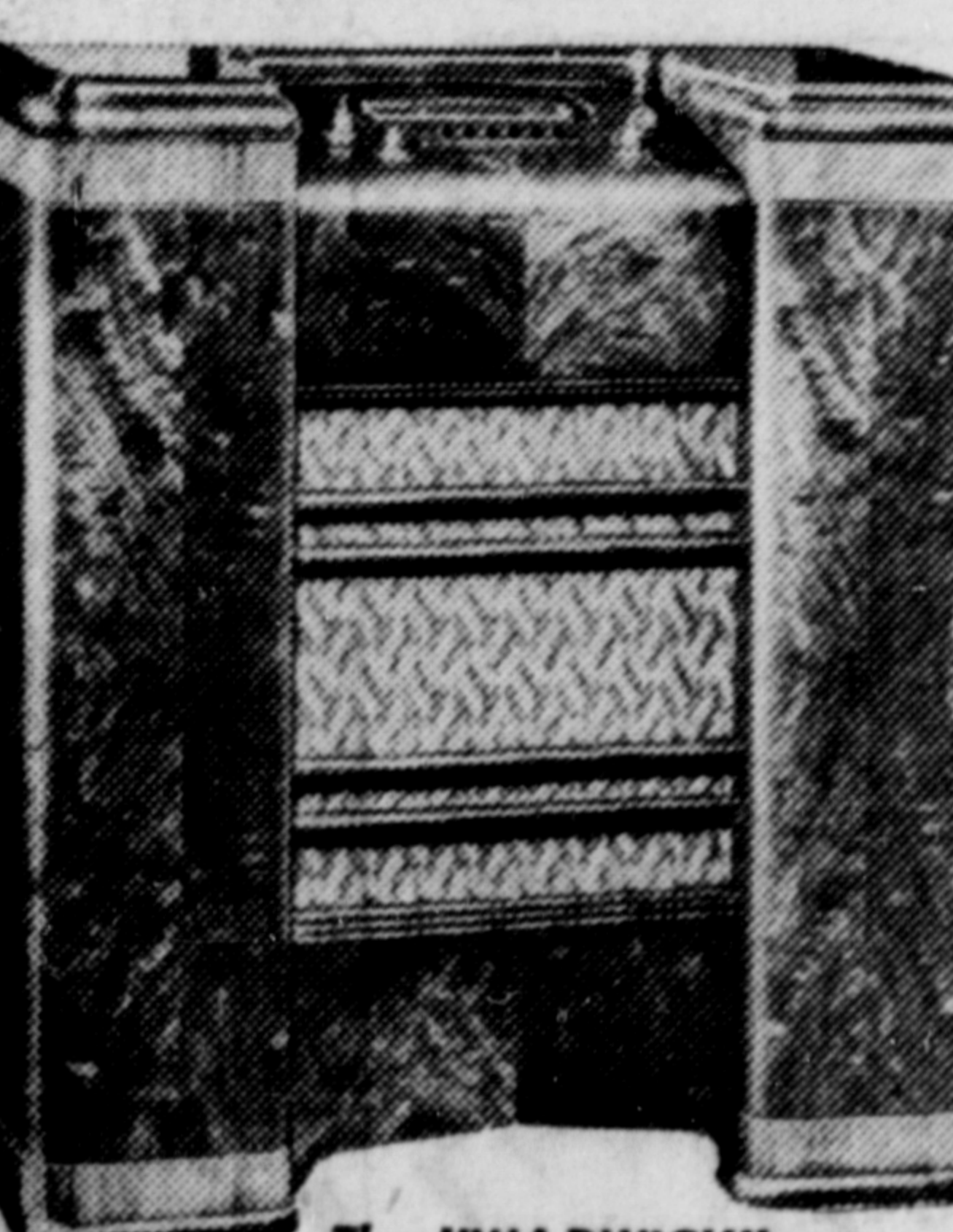
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