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J.H. Nordan and J.S. Wilson Speakers at Meeting of Trades and Labor Council

At the regular meeting of the Prince Rupert Trades and Labor Council on Thursday evening J. H. Nordan, manual training instructor and J. S. Wilson, well known local teacher, presented addresses of exceptional interest to an appreciative gathering of delegates and visitors presided over by T. B. Black, president of the Council.

Mr. Nordan chose as his subject, "The Value of Technical Education in the Training of Boys from School Grades 7 to 10." Technical education, starting from a basic understanding of the natural tendency of manipulation of simple tools by boys, endeavored to take care of leisure time and provide some hobby or form of usefulness. It also gave respect for honest labor and an understanding of its social significance. The speaker felt that in many instances boys today got things too easily. The function of primary technical training was to give an exploratory experience of possible vocational fields. The aims of education of this nature were to give the pupil some appreciation of the complex industrial society of the modern world through participation in such prospective processes as he was able to perform.

Mr. Nordan gave a display of the models made in the local manual training classes, including plans drawn up and used by pupils in making projects and described the processes by which the boy becomes acquainted with the progressive use of tools and elementary drafting. Simple design was given to pupils in grade 10, the aim being to develop thought regarding artistic values and appreciation of such in the home and the outside world.

The technical high school provided specialization in the various trades. This was not a function of any of the elementary schools.

The speaker concluded by stating that art and industry should go together and that school subjects taught should link up with future needs of the pupil to provide a broad general education.

J. S. Wilson

Mr. Wilson, who was asked to speak on the work of the Home Economics department and also on the Junior High School, expressed his pleasure in being asked to address the meeting and stated his appreciation of the assistance which had always been given by the local Trades Council in the field of education.

The aim of home economics was to develop in girls a true conception of domestic arts. It was not the intention to develop fancy cooks but to provide the fundamentals. Foods used and cooked were inexpensive and everything was being

done on an economical basis as possible to meet existing conditions. By progressive stages, girls were taught the preparation and serving of meals, notably luncheon and dinner. Serving, meal planning, housework and budgeting of home finances were important items in the course. Home economics was a very real contribution to practical education.

Turning to the Junior High School, Mr. Wilson thought that teachers had more abiding interest in education than anyone. The teachers as yet had not been asked to voice any official opinion on the Junior High School question so no commitment could be made.

Education should not prepare for university only or for jobs only but must also provide for culture, home life and health. Elementary education must provide a foundation on which each child must build a future life. Things should not be made too easy for the pupil. Hard work was essential in learning worthwhile subjects.

All school grades were equally important although possibly Grade 1 might be regarded as being of special significance. The old educational system of eight years elementary and four years high school was generally felt to be obsolete and was being replaced by the new system of six years elementary, three years junior high and three years senior high school.

It was emphasized that under the new system elementary and junior high schools needed more room space, more teachers, fewer pupils per class, more equipment and more libraries. Segregation of older and younger children was desirable.

The speaker referred to games played in the schools and the need for better recreational facilities. A comprehensive outline on how the town of Kimberley in the Kootenays solved its school problem concluded the address.

The speakers of the evening were accorded a hearty vote of thanks by the Council at the conclusion of their well thought out informative discourses.

Fearful Of Grasshoppers

United States Congress Votes Two Million Dollars For Pest Control in Midwest

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 11 (CP)—Midwest farmers are fearing even greater grasshopper damage this year than in 1937 when the loss from this cause was estimated at \$66,000,000. Every sign points to a great abundance of the pest this year and so serious is the situation regarded by the government that \$2,000,000 has been appropriated by Congress for use in efforts to control them.

A man who was operated on, telling about it afterwards, said he was not sure whether it was a case of appendicitis or professional curiosity.

Museum Annual Meeting Theme Is Erection Of New Building For Collection Of Exhibits

Gathering Decides to Ask City Commissioner to Appoint Building Committee to Prepare for Drive

The outstanding theme of the annual dinner last night of the Museum of Northern British Columbia was the need of a new fireproof building to house the valuable collection and the passing of a resolution asking the City Commissioner to appoint a building committee to formulate a plan and to prepare the way for a vigorous campaign for a new building. It was pointed out that already a site had been secured from the city on the Totem Park on Fraser Street and it had been decided that the new building must be of concrete and that it might probably be patterned along native community house lines. The cost, it was thought, would be about \$6,000 but this was only approximate as no plans and specifications had yet been prepared.

The dinner was particularly well attended, very close to eighty persons being seated at the tables in the Boston Hall with Rev. Canon Rushbrook presiding in the absence of the President, R. L. McIntosh. The walls of the hall were decorated with Indian work and the tables with totems. The guests of honor found their names inscribed on birchbark place cards and the bill of fare was written in the Chinook jargon, such delightful edibles being served as "Lukutee Chuck" or "Lilip Oh-yiu." This bill of fare and program, place cards and decorations were the work of Mrs. J. T. Mandy assisted by Miss Lois McRae.

The program was as follows: Invocation, Rev. W. H. Pierce. "The King," chairman. Presentation of prizes by Mrs. J. B. Gibson to May Skinner, Margaret Smith and Marie Boulter. Musical Selection "A Group of Descriptive Indian Selections," Mrs. W. L. Stamford.

Toast "Museum of Northern British Columbia," Dr. N. M. Carter. Response to toast, W. J. Alder. Songs: (a)—"Indian Love Call" (Friml) and (b) "Hiawatha's Melody of Love" (Meyer), David Jones. Address, "Indian Culture," Canon W. F. Rushbrook. Annual report, Robert H. W. Bartlett.

"Hiyu Wahwah," Tillicum. "O Canada." "Klahowya!"

Annual Report
The annual report was in part as follows:

"It is most gratifying to be able to report a large increase in both the number of visitors during the past year, and in the number of exhibits on display.

"Last year fifty-three exhibits were added to our collection, some of the more important being as follows:

A series of specimens showing different stages in the manufacture of paper from wood pulp, Pacific Mills Paper Co.

Wolf Tribe ceremonial dress, O. Besner.

Water-worn amphibolite stone, B. E. Bailey.

Indian stone anchor, Chief Walter Wright.

Indian stone mirror, Wm. Hogan.

Indian ceremonial spoon and dish, George Wallis.

Starfish specimens, Fisheries Experimental Station.

Indian stone sinker, Constable Potterton.

Large collection of beetles and insects, Mrs. Clark.

"The rapid growth in the num-

ber of exhibits on display was arranged, a great many more would take up the work.

Canon Rushbrook gave an address on native customs in which he spoke of the value of the Indian arts which were rapidly passing. He mentioned the code of ethics of the natives which was not generally understood and how the code was illustrated in their teachings to the young people by means of stories. The first wife of the Indian was chosen for him by his uncles and she was looked upon as the most precious thing he could possess. He might take other wives later and might divorce them but the first wife was his forever.

He explained the various native foods and remedies and the use of sphagnum moss for wrapping babies. This was the moss hundreds of tons of which were shipped from Prince Rupert during the war to be used for soldier's dressings. The mythology of the natives was varied and all centered around natural events and places with which they came in contact.

Those Present

Those who took part in the discussions included Dr. Neal Carter, Dr. J. T. Mandy, F. A. MacCallum, Rev. W. H. Pierce, James Steen and Mrs. N. L. Jones. Those present at the dinner included: City Commissioner W. J. Alder, Mrs. R. L. McIntosh, Canon Rushbrook, Mrs. J. B. Gibson, Dr. Neal Carter, Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Mandy, Rev. W. H. Pierce, Miss Phyllis Taylor, Mrs. W. J. Alder, J. G. Steen, L. S. Arrol, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Boddie, E. C. Cullin, Mrs. W. B. Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Fitzpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. N. Fraser, Mrs. O. Smith, Misses May Skinner, Margaret Smith and Marie Boulter, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Minns, D. Elio, H. F. McLeod, Theo. Collart, Dr. H. M. Morrison, Richmond Mortimer, I. J. Williams, Hugo Kraupner, Mrs. J. W. McKinley, Mrs. F. W. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Boulter, Miss Jean Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McRae, N. Mussallem, H. F. Pullen, Miss Lois McRae, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dobb, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thompson, W. Jones, Rev. J. B. Gibson, John Bulger, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Evelt, Mr. and Mrs. Max Heilbronner, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Cripps, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. MacCallum, N. L. Jones, Mrs. W. L. Stamford, Robert H. W. Bartlett, Mrs. N. M. Carter, Phillip Ray, Mr. and Mrs. E. Evensen, Miss E. M. Earl, Miss Dorothy Stiles and W. O. Vigar.

FAIRBANKS CARNIVAL

Big Winter Sports Meet Opens In Central Alaska City

FAIRBANKS, March 11: (CP)—Drawing visitors by plane and special trains from all parts of Alaska and the Yukon, the annual three-day Fairbanks Ice Carnival opened today. An outstanding event will be the \$1000 Dog Derby in which there are eleven entries. One of the drivers in this race will be Mary Joyce, Takurua house operator.

WHEAT PRICES HIT LOWEST 1938 MARK

WINNIPEG, March 11: (CP)—Winnipeg wheat prices dropped to the lowest levels in 1938 yesterday with declines of 3/8c to 2c. May closed at \$1.18 1/2.

MINK FARMS POPULAR

CALGARY, March 11: (CP)—Mink farming in southern Alberta is becoming as popular as silver-fox farming reports the Calgary office of the provincial game commission.

'SPORT'

BRIDGE SCORERS

A. A. McEwen of Musketeers is High Man of League

Individual scores in the Prince Rupert Bridge League for the season 1937-38 are announced as follows:

A. McEwen, Musketeers, 54932.
G. Howe, Grotto, 54184.
L. Richardson, Musketeers, 52502.
G. Krause, Ramblers, 52150.
J. D. Allen, Brackman & Ker, 50977.
F. E. Wermig, Musketeers, 50531.
C. Strand, Sons of Norway, 49361.
G. Rudderham, Grotto, 47495.
A. French, Musketeers, 47126.
R. Hundelde, Sons of Norway, 47064.

S. Jurmain, C.N.R.A., 46758.
K. Slatta, Sons of Norway, 46754.
H. Love, Ramblers, 46213.
H. Wanamaker, C.N.R.A., 45648.
E. Johnson, Sons of Norway, 45086.
A. L. Holtby, C.N.R.A., 44625.
J. McLeod, Prince Rupert Dairy, 44314.
L. Tusvik, Prince Rupert Dairy, 44261.

J. K. Murray, Ramblers, 43607.
F. M. Davis, C.N.R.A., 43403.
W. D. Vance, Prince Rupert Dairy, 43075.
C. Aune, Sons of Norway, 43073.
D. Donald, Musketeers, 42697.
A Hill-Tout, Brackman & Ker, 42627.

A. W. McLean, Ramblers, 42377.
N. Jensen, Sons of Norway, 42144.
J. E. Jack, Prince Rupert Dairy, 41894.
D. McPhee, Ramblers, 41320.
H. Breen, Canadian Legion, 41165.
R. W. Keenleyside, Brackman & Ker, 40922.

H. Arney, Grotto, 40148.
J. W. Eastwood, Brackman & Ker, 39625.
R. McKay, Prince Rupert Dairy, 38466.
T. Collart, Canadian Legion, 37967.
G. Tocher, Prince Rupert Dairy, 37430.

A. Thompson, Brackman & Ker, 36048.
C. H. Elkins, Brackman & Ker, 35074.
G. Dawes, Canadian Legion, 32141.
J. Bremner, Canadian Legion, 29235.

RED WINGS' HOPES FADE

Suffer Set Back on Play-off Trail As Result of Defeat by Montreal Maroons

MONTREAL, March 11: (CP)—Play-off hopes of the Detroit Red Wings became dimmer last night when they were defeated here by the Montreal Maroons while the Chicago Black Hawks were winning a fairly easy victory over the Canadiens at Chicago. In the third scheduled game last night Boston Bruins and New York Americans battled through overtime without being able to break a deadlock. Last night's National League scores:

Detroit, 2; Montreal, 3.
Boston, 2; Americans, 2.
Canadiens, 1; Chicago, 4.

The league standings to date:

International Division					
	W	D	L	F	P
Toronto	19	8	12	113	101
Canadiens	16	11	17	110	119
Americans	16	11	16	93	94
Maroons	13	7	27	99	148

American Division					
	W	D	L	F	P
Boston	28	6	11	130	83
Rangers	22	5	12	122	74
Chicago	13	9	23	88	132
Detroit	10	11	23	85	113

CLAIMS VICTORY OVER COYOTE

WAPPELLA, Sask., March 11: (CP)—Billy Dean, 18, claims he rode horseback after a coyote until it was exhausted. Then he dismounted, chased the animal on foot and threw his heavy overcoat over it.

FORESTRY PLAN

VICTORIA, March 11: (CP)—British Columbia starts its forestry control program this summer, disposing of slash properly to reduce fire hazard and ensuring seed trees are left after cutting a tract.

Pacific Coast Puck Schedule Is Concluded

PORTLAND, March 11: (CP)—

The final scheduled game in the Pacific Coast Hockey League for the present season was played in Portland last night with the Spokane Clippers winning over Portland Buckaroos by a score of three to nothing. The result had no bearing on the relative standing of teams.

The play-off series between second place Vancouver Lions and third place Buckaroos for the right to meet the league leading Seattle Sea Hawks in the league championship finals will commence at Vancouver on Monday.



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