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## TO CHANGE FREQUENCY

Radio Listeners Will Have To Find New Spots At End Of This Week

April Fool's Day comes three days early to owners of radios this year. When listeners push the usual buttons for their favorite radio programs this week-end, they are likely to get walling whistles, crackling static or at best a strange station.

Sixty-nine of Canada's 86 radio stations will take over new frequencies on March 29 and a similar shuffle is being made on United States air waves.

The shuffle of frequencies is being made under international agreement between radio authorities of the United States, Mexico, Cuba and Canada. Under the new arrangement authorities point out that a great deal of interference will be eliminated because stations sharing the same wave length will be far enough from each other to avoid overlapping of their coverage.

After this week-end C.F.P.R. will be found at 1240 kilocycles instead of 590 kilocycles.

## Canada At War 25 Years Ago

March 26, 1916

The local dry dock situation was under discussion by the Prince Rupert Board of Trade. The president, G. A. Woodland, was in the chair and W. C. C. Mehan, general superintendent, explained the situation. Until the dry dock was finally completed and turned over, it was felt that little could be done. T. D. Pattullo suggested the plant might be used for making munitions until such time as big ship-building started.

Pastor B. H. Barton of Philadelphia lectured on the Judgment Day before a large congregation in the Empress Theatre.

### OLD BONE IS FOUND

Wearmouth's Midden On Island Yields Another Interesting Relic Of Past Life

A rib while there are signs that a similar projection might have been broken off on the other side. It is thought it might have once been part of the spinal column of a whale or shark.

Mr. Wearmouth brought the bone to the city yesterday with a view to having it identified, possibly at the Prince Rupert Fisheries Experimental Station. Meantime, it has been left at G. P. Tinker's office.

### Old Friends Pay Tribute At Rites

Funeral Service For Late John Bergman Prior To Shipment To Vancouver

Numerous old friends assembled at noon yesterday at the chapel of the B. C. Undertakers for the funeral service for the late John Bergman prior to the remains being placed aboard the steamer Catala which is taking them to Vancouver for cremation after which the ashes will be returned to Prince Rupert.

Rev. J. H. Myrwan, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, officiated and Peter Lien presided at the organ. Hymns were "Nearer My God to Thee" and "Abide With Me." Mrs. J. H. McLeod sang "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere."

Acting as pallbearers were Knut Hallberg, Oscar Larsen, O. A. Johnson, Finar Steinfeld, A. O. Morse and C. G. R. Anderson.

There were many beautiful flowers.

E. Erickson is accompanying the remains to Vancouver.

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### Announcements

All advertisements in this column will be charged for a full month at 25c a word.

Rebekah Tea and Sale, April 2.

Little Theatre Plays, April 2, 3.

Hill 60 Dance April 4.

Lutheran Tea, April 5, Metropole.

Queen Mary Tea, Mrs. Parkin's April 14.

Red Cross Dance, April 18. Armories, R.M.R. Orchestra.

L. O. B. A. Spring Sale, April 23.

Presbyterian Spring Sale, April 24.

Gyro Hoedown, April 25.

Mayday Dance, Oddfellows' Hall.

St. Peter's Spring Sale, May 8.

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## LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Used furniture bought for cash or sold on commission. Elio's, Moose Building, Third Avenue. S. O. N. Fishermen's Farewell Dance, Oddfellows' Hall, Friday 28. (tf) Everyone welcome. (74)

M. Goldman of the Goldman Fur Company, Edmonton, is in the city today taking a holiday.

Percy McIntosh returned to the city on the Prince George this morning from a trip to Vancouver.

Miss Leah Basso-Bert returned to the city on the Prince George this morning from a vacation trip to Vancouver.

Albert Stiles, who has been spending a holiday in the south, returned home from Vancouver on the Prince George this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Dickens returned to the city on the Prince George this morning from a trip to Vancouver.

Mrs. R. M. Winslow returned to the city on the Prince George this morning from Vancouver where she has been visiting for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Lee, who have been spending a holiday visiting in New Westminster, returned to the city on the Prince George this morning.

Anyone having salvage material to give to the Red Cross will please telephone Green 962 or Red 441. No article too large or too small. (76)

## Man in the Moon

It's great to be a soldier if you belong to the Rocky Mountain Rangers so they say. Nothing to do but drill and march around and do a little bit of guard duty now and again.

Jake says he'd rather be soldiering than bumming around a newspaper with nothing but kicks to feed on and very little money to spend.

One thing that makes a man lose his hair is to have a lot of desirable women after his scalp.

"Dearie, I hate to tell you this, but your husband is fickle and untrue."

"Heavens, has he thrown you over too?"

Judge: "Who was driving when you collided with that car?"

Drunk (triumphantly): "None of us. We were all in the back seat."

Chicken dinners may be expensive but not as costly as dinners for chickens.

Blonde was told there was a patch on her bathing suit. "Patch? That's no patch," she replied. "That's my bathing suit."

A card sharper is one who holds hands for a living.

In reply to his mother, Johnny said he had had some bad marks that day but they were where they did not show.

## Conquering Ring Heroes Are Home

Rocky Mountain Rangers Band Turns Out in Parade to Greet Returning Gladiators

Boxers of local military units who have been in Vancouver for the finals of the Pacific command championships returned to the city on the Prince George this morning. The Rocky Mountain Rangers band and several companies turned out to meet the representatives of that regiment who won the championship. There was a parade through the streets.

Miss Olga Jardine of Victoria, who is identified with the Young Women's Christian Association, arrived in the city on the Prince George this morning from the south. She is here to look over hotel facilities for the troops stationed at Prince Rupert with a view to making improvements.

## Card of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Head and Sigrid of Smithers wish to thank all those who were so kind to Mrs. Head's father John Bergman, prior to his recent death and especially they wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. K. Laird. They also wish to thank those who sent flowers to the funeral.

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Hand in hand, King George and Queen Elizabeth pick their steps through the debris and charred timbers left after a German bombing raid on Salford, Lancashire. The royal couple make it their business to visit many of the towns punished by Nazi raiders.

## RANGERS' BIRTHDAY

Local Battalion To Celebrate Fifty-Sixth Anniversary Friday

The Rocky Mountain Rangers, locally stationed regiment, will celebrate its fifty-sixth birthday this Friday. There will be a full day of entertainment and ceremony.

It was in the year 1885, March 28, by authority of the Minister of Munitions and Defence, that the first Rocky Mountain Rangers came into being.

On Friday afternoon, the Battalion will parade through the streets of this city at 2 o'clock after which the men will attend a preview moving picture show at the Capitol Theatre, through the courtesy of D. G. Borland, the manager.

In front of the Sixth Avenue Armories at 5:30 p.m. will be a full dress Retreat and Changing of the Guard.

In spite of the war, the annual regimental formal ball, so long an integral part of the social life of the interior of the province, will lose little of its traditional gaiety. Commencing at 9 p.m. in the newly decorated Armories, the men of the Rocky Mountain Rangers and their invited guests will dance to the music of the best military band in Canada. The main feature of the evening will be the cutting of the mammoth birthday cake by Col. J. E. Wood, V. D., officer commanding, in the traditional manner.

Many surprises are planned for the event and, although the picturesque color of the peace-time celebrations will be lacking, the day will be long remembered by all those participating.

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