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After Record Year New Zealand
Feels Loss of Refrigerated
Shipping

AUCKLAND, N.Z., Aug. 18: (P)—All business activity in New Zealand was at a high level during the past year, W. F. Bull, Canadian Trade Commissioner, said in a report sent to Ottawa.

"Contracts entered into shortly after the outbreak of war ensured a profitable market for most of the pastoral products of this country," Bull said. "The weather was favorable and growing conditions ideal, with the result that the production of wool, butter, cheese, beef, lamb and mutton all increased."

"Retail trading was brisk and most of the large departmental stores had record turnovers. Sufficient shipping was provided to carry New Zealand's exports overseas and the war appeared to have little effect on the internal economy of the country."

Bull said, however, that early this year New Zealand began to feel the effect of loss and diversion of refrigerated shipping and now is faced with a serious situation. "Unless additional ships can be found for the New Zealand-United Kingdom service, or other markets opened up, trade will be drastically curtailed," he said.

FORGETFUL BRITONS

LONDON, Aug. 18: (P)—A police check-up revealed that 10 per cent of the people of Great Britain forget to carry their identity cards.

HELPED RUSH JOB

MANCHESTER, Aug. 18: (P)—School-children came to the aid of the government in getting the 48,000,000 new food ration books out to the people in Great Britain in record time, writing names, addresses and serial numbers on the books.

CHAPLIN'S PERMISSION

LONDON, Aug. 18: (P)—Charlie Chaplin, in response to a personal request from the Under Secretary for war, has cabled permission to show his film "The Great Dictator" on Army mobile movies.

Hundreds of people try a "spot" in the Daily News classified column and get good results. (11)

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PICTURE OF
OLD FRANCE

"Son of Monte Cristo" is Feature on
Screen of Capitol Theatre for
First of Week

Bold heroism, diplomatic intrigue, thrilling romance and sweeping adventure are elements contained in "The Son of Monte Cristo" which is the feature offering for the first half of this week at the Capitol Theatre here. A stellar cast is headed by Joan Bennett, Louis Hayward and George Sanders. Those in supporting roles include Florence Bates, Lionel Royce, Montagu Love, George Renavent and Jack Mulhall.

The story concerns the young and gallant Count of Monte Cristo, son of France's great swordsman, and the villainous dictator of the little grand ducal principality of Lichtenburg squeezed between the Russia of the Czar and the Germany of Bismark in the late nineteenth century. The nominal ruler, Grand Duchess Zona, played by Joan Bennett, is held a virtual prisoner by the dictator. When Zona secretly departs for Paris to ask help from Louis Napoleon she meets the dashing Count of Monte Cristo whose identity is kept a mystery. The story reaches a thrilling climax when the count becomes interested in the cause of the lovely duchess and plots with the dictator's enemies to overthrow his iron-handed regime.

Spectacular settings, reproducing the France of those, are among the features of the picture.

Miss Hunter Is
Shower Honoree

Miscellaneous Shower Friday Evening for Popular Bride-Elect

Honoring Miss Beatrice Hunter, popular young bride-elect, a miscellaneous shower was held Friday evening, when Mrs. Henry Thrupp and Miss Edna Gillies were joint hostesses at the home of the former.

The rooms were tastefully decorated with red and white and blue streamers. Bridge was played, the prize winners being Mrs. Jack Lautens at auction and Mrs. Ted Smith at contract.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses after which a tastefully decorated wagon was drawn in containing many lovely and useful gifts. Those present were the Mesdames C. Anderson, H. Ward, J. Jack, G. Holmes, P. Byrnes, A. Murray, N. M. MacLean, J. Luthens, A. MacArthur, T. Smith, H. Thrupp and the Misses E. M. Earl, B. Hunter and E. Gillies.

The Markets

EGGS	
B.C. Fresh Extras, Grade A	
Large, carton, doz.	52
Local, new laid, doz.	55
Fruit	
Seedless Grapes, lb.	20
Malaga Grapes, lb.	25
B. C. Peaches, doz. 30c to	50
Cantaloupes, Okanagan, lb.	15-20
Casaba Melons, lb.	11
Honey Dew Melons, lb. 30c to	40
Grapefruit, California, 5c to	10
Lemons, doz. 40c to	50
Oranges, doz., 25c to	70
Bananas, lb.	15
Appres	
Terrace cooking, 4 lbs.	25
Butter	
First Grade, lb.	48
Second Grade, lb.	45
Lard	
Pure, lb.	15
Vegetables	
B. C. Potatoes, 10 lbs.	25
B. C. Onions, lb.	05
Garlic, imported, lb.	20
Parsley, bunch,	10
Field Tomatoes, lb.	10
B. C. Lettuce, head	10
New Green Cabbage, lb.	06
Utah Celery, lb.	08
Bunch Carrots, bunch	05
Yakima Turnips, lb.	05
Terrace Green Beans, 3 lbs.	25
Corn, doz.	50
Cucumbers	08
Vegetable Marrow lb.	10
Green Pepper lb.	35
Terrace Cauliflower, lb. 10c and	15
Hubbard Squash lb.	08
Meats	
Fowl, No. 1, lb.	25
Roasting Chicken, lb.	30
Bacon, side, sliced, best grade	50
Second grade lb.	55
Ham, first grade lb.	45
Picnic Ham, lb.	40

Whifflets
From The Waterfront

Three Seattle power yachts were visitors overnight Saturday at the floats of the Prince Rupert Rowing and Yacht Club while on their way north on Alaska cruises. Arriving Saturday evening and leaving Sunday morning, they were the fine fifty-foot diesel-powered vessel Saturnia, with owner M. V. Harrison and party on board; Elvie, a 45-footer with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Rogers on board, and the Tedjac II, 35-foot vessel owned by Harold Barde. The Saturnia is expected back here from Ketchikan in three days. The Elvie and Tedjac II may also call southbound.

Union steamer Catala, Capt. Ernest, arrived in port at 5:30 this morning from the south and sailed at 10 a.m. for Stewart and other northern points whence she will return here tomorrow afternoon southbound. The vessel had the usual substantial list of passengers and freight cargo.

Southbound from Skagway to Vancouver, C. P. R. steamer Princess Louise, Capt. S. K. Gray, was in port from 4:30 to 6 o'clock Saturday afternoon. She had on board 252 passengers of whom seventeen disembarked here, five going on board at this port for Vancouver.

Bringing in a fine catch of good-sized cutthroat trout, an angling party consisting of William Richards, W. O. Fulton, H. B. Stiles, C. H. Finley, S. J. Hunter and Bill Hunter returned home this morning after a week-end trip to Muddy Creek up the Estclair River. They had left Saturday afternoon on the Richards' boat Grace R.

Filled to capacity with passengers, most of them being round trip tourists, C.N.R. steamer Prince Rupert, Capt. H. E. Neddin, returned to port at 10 o'clock this morning from Skagway and other Alaska points and will sail at 4 o'clock this afternoon for Vancouver via Ocean Falls and Powell River. Twenty-nine persons disembarked from the vessel here.

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Mr. Hanson has been busy of late in connection with the annual pole drive down the Skeena River to the booming grounds at Cedarvale.

The Skeena member reports that a start has been made on the airport that is being established near Smithers.

Send In Your
News Earlier

Due to changed conditions arising from the handling of late war news, the Daily News finds it necessary to set a 10 a.m. deadline for local news contributions. To insure publication it will be necessary for contributors to have their copy in by that time or earlier if possible, preferably the night before. Otherwise it may not be published.

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MOUNTAIN
CONQUERED

Dr. and Mrs. Neal Carter Finally
Succeed in Making Ascent of
Seven Sisters

Having succeeded after three years of trying in making the ascent of the rugged Seven Sisters Mountains south of the Skeena River across from Cedarvale, Dr. and Mrs. Neal M. Carter returned to the city on Saturday afternoon's train from the interior. The climb was an even more thrilling and difficult one than had been anticipated, said Dr. Carter who appeared to be quite proud of the achievement.

The peak of the Seven Sisters is 9150 feet above sea level, the climb being actually 8650 feet since Cedarvale, the starting point, is at an altitude of 500 feet. Base camp was at the old D. W. Mines Limited property, up the mountain 4100 feet. The final ascent took eleven and a half hours from there up and eight hours down. It started at 6 o'clock last Monday morning and return was made about midnight that night. The climb was made by Dr. and Mrs. Carter, George Baker and Jack Cade. The two Carter boys, David and Bruce, remained at the base camp.

So far as could be observed, said Dr. Carter, the Seven Sisters had never been scaled before.

Dr. Carter will tell the story of the Seven Sisters ascent before the Prince Rupert Gryo Club at luncheon on Wednesday.

The entire party returned on Saturday afternoon's train except Jack Cade who is now at Kitwanga with his mother, Mrs. J. P. Cade, who is spending the summer on her farm there.

INTERIOR
VERY HOT

Rain Badly Needed, Says Olof Hanson—Pole Drive On Skeena Is Now On

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Nursery Schools
For "Under Fives"

More Than 45,000 of This Age May
Be Moved From London

LONDON, Aug. 18: (P)—The problem of evacuating children under five years old whose parents cannot leave London may be solved by the establishment of small nursery units in private homes in the country.

The idea of the units resulted when Col. R. W. Fennel took ten little tots from one of the worst-bombed East End districts to Wytham Abbey, near Oxford. London authorities worrying about some 45,000 "under fives" look to similar evacuations to private country homes where trained nurses might care for the babies.

In the country areas to which older children have been taken, the problem of obtaining school rooms is becoming more and more difficult. Many schools are being used to house evacuees and persons who have been bombed out.

BRING HOME THE BRIDES
MELBOURNE, Aug. 18: (P)—The government has announced that free transportation will be provided for wives and families of members of the Australian forces who marry abroad.

ART FOR SPITFIRES
LONDON, Aug. 18: (P)—An exhibition of paintings has been held here for the benefit of the Spitfire fund of Admiral Emile Muselier, commander of the French Navy.

Steamship Sailings

(Daylight Saving Times)

For Vancouver—	
Monday—S.S. Prince Rupert	4 p.m.
Tuesday—S.S. Catala	1:30 p.m.
Wednesday—S.S. Princess Alice	p.m.
Friday—S.S. Prince Adelaide	2 p.m.
S.S. Cardena	10:30 p.m.
Saturday—S.S. Prince George	5 p.m.
S.S. Princess Louise	p.m.
From Vancouver—	
Sunday—S.S. Catala	p.m.
Monday—S.S. Princess Alice	a.m.
Wednesday—S.S. Prince Rupert	11 a.m.
Friday—S.S. Princess Adelaide	a.m.
S.S. Prince George	11 a.m.
S.S. Cardena	p.m.
For Stewart and Premier—	
Sunday—S.S. Catala	8 p.m.
Friday—S.S. Prince George	1 p.m.
From Stewart and Premier—	
Tuesday—S.S. Catala	a.m.

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Cartoon, "Windy Woodpecker"

NOTE
Matinee Prices Prevail
Up to 6 P.M.

Saturday—S.S. Prince George

For Alice Arm,
Naas River and Port Simpson—
Sunday—S.S. Catala

From Alice Arm,
Naas River and Port Simpson—
Tuesday—S.S. Catala

For Ocean Falls—
Monday—S.S. Prince Rupert

Friday—S.S. Princess Adelaide

Saturday—S.S. Prince George

From Ocean Falls—
Wednesday—S.S. Prince Rupert

Friday—S.S. Princess Adelaide

S.S. Prince George

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From Queen Charlotte Islands—
August 19 and 29—
S.S. Camosun

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