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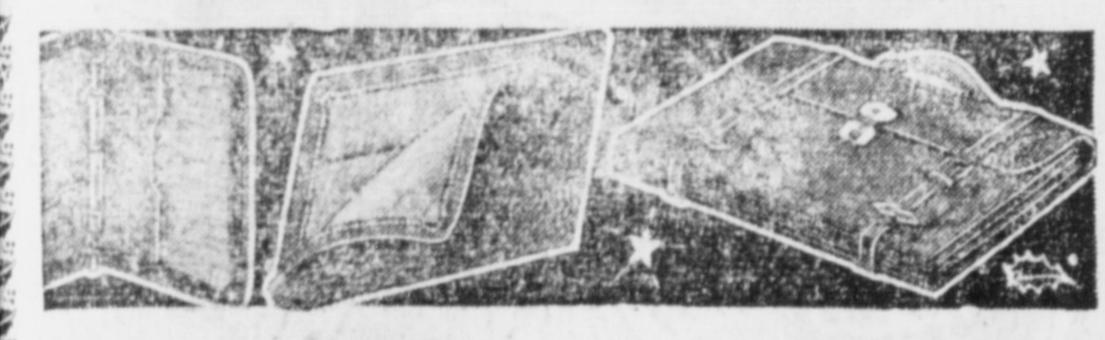
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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

▲ Men's First Aid Examinations Thursday, 7:30 p.m. sharp. (295) from the East at 11 o'clock, was

We still have a good assortment hour late. of toys at the Dollar Store.

a trip to Vancouver.

▲ Carpenters Meeting Postponed until Sunday afternoon, 2:30, Carpenters' Hall, Fraser Street.

James MacKill of Kleena Kleene in the Cassiar district of northern British Columbia has been appointed a coroner.

mines, left on last evening's train morrow at the Peoples Store. for Vanderhoof enroute to the Omineca district on official duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Turnbull sailed on the Catala this afternoon for Vancouver to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday

selected choice, newest styles and their homes in Massett. colors, reasonably priced, at Star's, opposite the Commodore, Third Avenue.

Rev. H. C. Burkholder, who has been here in connection with Re-

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Sun appears a special article by Arthur Mayse describing the defences of Prince Rupert and the civilian protection organization

Hotel Arrivals

Prince Rupert

Massett; D. Gillespie, Dawson; B. A. Whitelaw, Vancouver x-ray spe-Church Creek; L. P. Davies, Skide- the requirements here. gate; E. Anglebloom, J. K. Camp-E. Woodward, G. G. Fife, R. Bar- for itself in two years, moved that ry and Ray Lunningdal, Vancou- the purchase be made. This was ver; Mr. and Mrs. G. Leary and seconded by Dr. R. L. Large who child, Freda C Hall, Port Clem- stressed the value of having more ents; R. J. Furness, Winnipeg; adequate and up-to-date equip-Robert R. Mallory, O. Veide, D. M. ment. Cross, J. B. Barker and Mrs. J. J.

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reported this morning to be one

city at the end of the week from

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> Olof Hanson, M. P. for Skeena, be proceeding to Vancouver to by word of mouth. spend the Christmas and New, Dr. Large felt that the city one side of the street even and on gold were known as forty-niners Year holiday season.

Miss Ida Smith, B. J. Bridden S. L. Simpson and Arthur Rob- seemed to be in full agreement A For that special Dress for the ertson will be passengers by the with this view. holiday season see our personally Cassiar tonight on their return to

> Miss Helen Mathers is sailing on the Cassiar tonight for Sandspit, her home, to spend Christmas and New Year's.

E. V. Whiting, manager of the ligious Education Council rally unemployment and claims office week, sailed by the Catala this here of the Unemployment Insurafternoon on his return to Van- ance Commission of Canada, wil' now in operation.

In last Thursday's Vancouver Prince Rupert General Hospital To Have New and More Up-to-Date Equipment Costing \$7,000

A new x-ray outfit is to be inwhich stand in readiness in the stalled in the Prince Rupert Genevent of attack from without or eral Hospital at an estimated cost sabotage from within following of \$7,000, it was decided at last night's meeting of the board of directors. It will replace the present equipment which is becoming obsolete. After some discussion the board decided to place the order with the Victor X-Ray Corporation. The outfit which is being ob-A. Robertson and Noel Taylor, tained is recommended by Dr. W. Westman, A. Ryan and F. Madson, cialist, as being best adapted for

Arnold Flaten, who estimated bell, E. Vekback, Mr. and Mrs. N. that the new equipment would pay

Hospital Here Being Protected

Emergency Arising at Institution.

The nursing staff of the Prince Rupert General Hospital is being organized against the arising of an emergency, Miss Margaret Jamieson, R.N., lady superintendent, informed the hospital board at its meeting last night. Miss Typewriter, in first- Jamieson asked the board for sand for emergency use and also additional chemical fire extinguishers.

chen Ranges for coal and wood of various Hospital Busier Than Last Year

Number Of Patients Increased By More Than One-Third-Twenty-Three Babies In Month

The Prince Rupert General Hospital is much busier today than it was a year ago, the lady superintendent, Miss Margaret Jamieson R. N., reported to the board at its regular monthly meeting last night. On December 1 this year there were sixty-three patients as compared with forty-eight at the same date last year. During this December there were 132 admissions and twenty-three babies

ISOLATION HOSPITAL

Hospital Board And Medical Association To Meet City Commissioner On Matter

A delegation representing the board of directors of the Prince Mike Obuchina was a passenger be passengers on the Cassiar this Rupert General Hospital and the on the Catala this afternoon for evening returning to their home Prince Rupert Medical Association will interview City Commissioner D. J. Matheson with a view to having isolation hospital facili-Miss Elsie Fry arrived in the ties resumed. This was decided last night at the regular monthly Winnipeg to Join the nursing staff | meeting of the board of directors of the Prince Rupert General Hos- of the Prince Rupert General Hos-

The isolation situation was brought up by Dr. R. G. Large who referred to the additional cost involved by the general hospital having to handle isolation cases to say nothing of the risk of infection. Recently both scarlet fever and diptheria cases had arrived in the city at the end of been handled in the general hosthe week from Smithers for a pital and this had given rise to visit of a few days here. He will some very disagreeable publicity

should assume some responsibility the other side odd. in connection with treatment of isolation cases and

Hospital Maids' Home Given Up

Present Arrangement For Housing To Be Discontinued After First Of Year

After the first of the year the be the speaker at the regular Prince Rupert General Hospital veekly luncheon of the Prince Ru- will discontinue the present arpert Gyro Club on Wednesday of rangement of operating a maids' this week. He will speak on the home and girls in this department subject of unemployment insur- of the hospital service will be reance, particularly with reference quired to find their own accommoto the new federal plan which is dation outside. In lieu of the home, they will be given \$10 a month extra salary.

Recommendation that the maids' home be discontinued was made by President Frank Dibb who told of present unsatisfactory condi-Lease on the house at Hays Cove

Circle and Fifth Avenue at present being used will be relinquished. It was left to the lady superintendent and the managing secretary to make the change.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. S. Bennett, R. Smith and Priscilla wish to thank all the people of the village, the Epworth League, the P.S.A.C. and the Y.P. E.A. for the sympathy shown them during the time of their recent bereavement.

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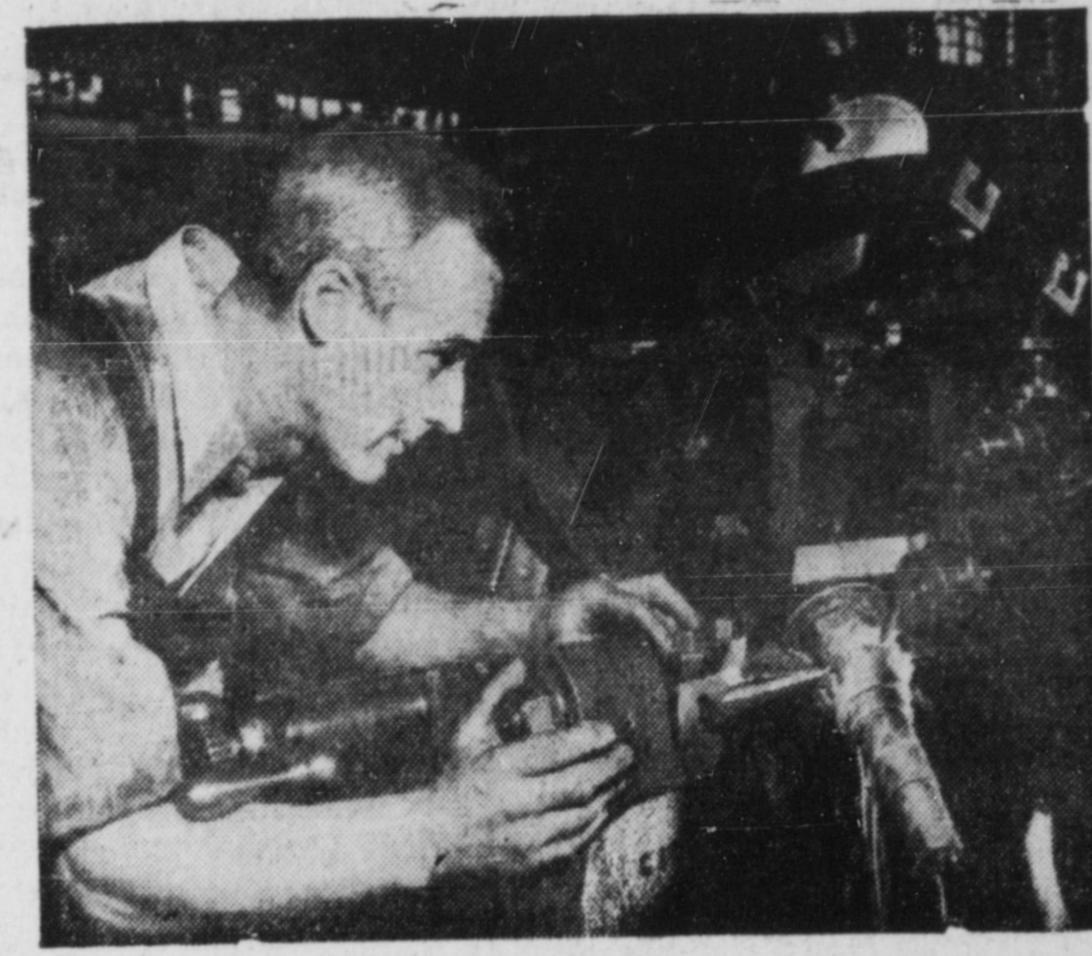
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