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**EDITORIAL**

**C.N.R. Appointments . . .**

Elevation of R. C. Vaughan, president of the Canadian National Railways, to the additional post of chairman of the board of directors will be interesting news to Mr. Vaughan's many friends in Prince Rupert who will be glad to learn of it. He is well known as a friend of Prince Rupert and, now that the local line of the railway has become a much more important factor in the system's traffic, he will have an increasingly more important part to play in the development of the port and line.

S. J. Hungerford, who goes into retirement and is succeeded by Mr. Vaughan, is equally well known here and his local friends will wish him many years to enjoy his retirement although those who are not intimately acquainted with him know that, when the nation needs the advice and help of men of his long practical experience and proven ability, he would not be satisfied to remain idle.

One good friend of Prince Rupert replaced by another we might say of the chief railway executive appointment.

**The Gun-a-Noot Case . . .**

The principles of British justice must be maintained in the old tradition but the trouble and expense the country was put to at the present session of Supreme Court Assizes to try a more or less petty larceny theft case was something that might very well have been handled in some other simpler way. It was an example of the inefficiencies which crop up sometimes in the democratic way of doing things. At that, its invaluable privileges far outweigh its occasional inefficiencies.

Many of those who complain about the inefficiency of the democratic system would not like a dictatorship unless they did the dictating.

**Menace to Health . . .**

From all accounts, a rather serious menace to the public health exists in connection with sewerage disposal from the new Rushbrook Heights industrial residential area. Certainly it is a situation that the responsible interests should clean up without delay. Maintenance of the health of the people, as has often been said, is never more important than it is in war time particularly when medical and nursing services are so much at a premium. Simple sanitary improvements here might well prevent a serious epidemic.

There are more ways than one in which Prince Rupert might well be cleaned up these days.

**The Fuel Situation . . .**

There is a likelihood that some fuel difficulties will be experienced throughout the north country this winter unless some arrangement is made whereby the Collieries are supplied with enough suitable labor to produce it.

It is estimated that there is a demand at present for double the amount of coal that was being used throughout Canada a year ago and the quantity required is continually being increased by the fact that new ships are being equipped for coal burning as well as locomotives and other railway equipment. Domestic oil burners are being put out of business and altogether the demand for coal will likely be three times the requirement for last year.

In the meantime the coal mines are working with short and inexperienced crews and recently one of the Nanaimo mines stated that it would likely be obliged to shut down for lack of competent coal miners to carry on its work.

At two coal mines near Telkwa in the Bulkley Valley the local trucks take the coal away from the mine as fast as it can be produced and frequently the mines have to shut off the local demand while they endeavor to fill outside orders.

Both of these mines can use quite an additional number of men if they can be obtained but, owing to the shortage of competent coal miners, help for the coal mines cannot be obtained and in consequence the country will be faced with a much reduced output and a demand which is three times the normal demand. It does not require much foresight therefore to realize that a lot of people are going to be cold this winter.

The situation is probably more serious than is generally recognized and unless some steps are taken to see that enough competent labor is supplied to the coal mines of the country it is just going to be too bad for a lot of people throughout the whole of Canada this winter.

It looks now like rationing may be the only solution.

Those who filled their coal bins a few months ago are having one less headache now.

**ACTIVITIES OF Y.M.C.A. AND Y.W.C.A.**

By DOROTHY GARBUTT, Hostess

Having a spell of statistics on me this morning I took it upon myself to check up on the number of persons placed in rooms listed on the Y.W.C.A. Rooms Registry since March 4 of this year. The total surprised me, considering the paucity of rooms to be had. A total of 154 persons have been placed in rooms, light house-keeping suites or small houses. Quite a good record if I do say so as I shouldn't.

With the Y's wives whist drives and women's service clubs in full swing at the "Y" for the winter I thought the following little verse which Mrs. C. E. Cullin, a Senior Hostess, gave me would be apropos, especially if the rationing decreases. It is by "Aunt Flo" in the American Red Cross Bulletin:

"Oh shame upon the thoughtless soul,  
"Who in her neighbor's sugar bowl  
"Her greedy spoon doth dig,  
"And who when asked to come and sup,  
"Yet laps her neighbor's ration up,  
"She is a human pig.  
"Let us not emulate the swine,  
"Who little know of thine and mine,  
"But set the good communal fashion  
"Of bringing tea and sugar ration."

We would like to welcome the men of the newest regiment in town and we extend a cordial invitation to them to come up to the "Y," remembering it is a friendly place to meet. I have met Captain Hulin, their padre, and, indeed to goodness, I like him, from Welsh Wales and all though he be, man!

At the opening games of the Navy Bowling League the scores showed that the boys were well out of practice. Top honors for high single went to G. Ohnstad of the Seaman's team with 228. The V.A. team took top honors for team aggregate score.

**JAPS PROPAGANDA IDEA**

LONDON, Sept. 26.—According to the Daily Sketch the Japanese Motion Picture Corporation, re-enacting for propaganda purposes the fall of Hong Kong and Shanghai, is forcing British and Australian prisoners wearing heavy bandages to take part in crowd scenes.

**LIKE OLD TIMES**

DOVER, Eng., Sept. 26.—Scenes, reminiscent of the days when German planes kept a regular rendezvous over this "Hell's Corner" town, were re-enacted when during a severe thunderstorm barrage balloons burst in mid-air and fell to the earth in flame after being struck by lightning.

**SPORT CHAT**

Miss Canada III, driven by Harold Wilson of Ingersoll, Ont., won the 13th annual President's Regatta Gold Cup race at Washington three years ago yesterday. Notre Dame, only other competitor in the final heat, finished a quarter mile behind the winner. Two other boats were forced out earlier by mechanical trouble.

Whitlow Wyatt's five-hit shut-out gave the Brooklyn Dodgers their first National League pennant in 21 years at Boston a year ago today. Climaxing a hard stretch battle with St. Louis Cardinals, the clincher came only two days before the close of the season. Wyatt also pitched Brooklyn's only World Series victory over the New York Yankees.

On Monday night Men's Five Pin Bowling League will tee off in the regular weekly session. The Monarchs will tackle the strong Burns quintette. Stone's Clothiers will meet the steady R.C.A.F. team and Signals play the Dry Dock All Stars. Ordinance will face the Dry Dock Painters, Sav Mor Grocery bowls Chinese Youth, and the Boom Defence mixes with the Woods.

**Smithers Man Is Moving Here**

Jack McEwen Coming to Coast To Take Position

SMITHERS, Sept. 26.—John L. (Jack) McEwen, a well known resident of Smithers for nearly 20 years, will leave this town next week to take up residence in Prince Rupert where he has accepted a position. Smithers has lost a number of good residents to Prince Rupert during the past few years but none will be more missed in the social activities of this town than Mr. McEwen.

Mr. McEwen has been a very active member of the Smithers Curling Club, his team having won the Hanson Cup here last year. He was active also in the Golf Club. He was president of the Canadian Legion branch No. 63 here for several years and did great work in that organization. He managed the Legion hockey team for a number of years and brought it to a winning position in the local league.

Mr. McEwen was formerly accountant for the Duthie Mine and, when the mine was closed down a number of years ago, he remained to look after the property and the interests of the Smithers Mines Ltd. which he has been doing up to the present time.

On Thursday evening a party was given for Mr. McEwen by his many friends and a great number attended to wish him well in his new field of endeavor. He was presented with a fountain pen and pencil set as a token of esteem by his friends.

**TEA PARTY GOING OUT**

Women's Liberal Federation In Old Land Adopts 10-Point Standard

By DOUGLAS AMARON (Canadian Press Staff Writer)  
LONDON, Sept. 26.—A demand that women be given a full share in planning and execution of post-war reconstruction was included in 10-point charter adopted at the annual conference of the Women's Liberal Federation.

A resolution to this effect and many others calling for government action to assist wives and mothers were adopted at the one-day conference during which women members of the Liberal party discussed the problems of their sex.

"When we speak of equality with men sharing rights as well as duties, privileges as well as responsibilities," said Lady Violet Bonham-Carter in her presidential address. Lady Violet emphasized that to inspire great efforts and great sacrifice a great purpose was needed and that purpose must be positive, not negative.

"If we mean to insist, as we must, on national minimum, family allowances, higher old-age pensions—a decent standard of life for all—we must be ready to pay for these things," she said.

**More Effort Needed**  
Mrs. Geoffrey Mander, wife of a Liberal M.P. and a munitions worker in the Midlands, urged equal rates of pay and compensation for women with men, shorter working hours and better shopping arrangements for factory workers, prevention of increase in working hours of children, higher standard among interviewers of women registering, more welfare training for women officers in the auxiliary services, and stricter supervision of health of women in the services and industry. She complained there was still too much "tea party" standard about the war efforts of many women.

The government's handling of the woman-power problem was criticized by Miss Megan Lloyd George who said "the country is suffering from a sense of frustration."

"There is a feeling that the war effort is not yet properly organized," she said, "that there is no adequate return for all the sacrifice made by women in the Services and for all work done in the factories." She urged greater intake of women into part-time employment and reduction in the long hours many women were working in full-time employment.

Need for more Liberal women to stand for parliamentary elections

**CHURCH NOTICES**

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
(5th Avenue and Young Street)

Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.—"THESE THINGS OF GOD"  
Sunday School, 12:15.—  
Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.—"THE SUN OF RIGHTEOUSNESS"  
Weekly Program: Monday Evening, 7:15. C.G.I.T.  
Tuesday Evening, 7:00. Boys' Club.  
Wednesday Evening, 8:00. Prayer Meeting.  
Friday Evening, Church Banquet and Rally.  
"The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not want"  
Rev. John Scott, Pres. B.C. Convention, will be the speaker Oct. 10.  
Rev. C. A. Wright—Pastor.

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH**

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Mrs. Leonard Birch, S.S. Supt.

11 a.m.—"IS BAPTISM BY SPIRIT AND WATER NECESSARY? SALVATION?"  
12:15—Sunday School.  
7:30 p.m.—"MODERN MARTYRDOM." Are we backing down? Is giving in to error today? Is the ancient despot's command of "ship my God or die" coming true? Is Satan satisfied with world order?

**First Presbyterian Church**

Fourth Avenue East  
Rev. A. F. MacSween, B.A. — Minister  
Mrs. E. J. Smith—Choir Leader

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1942**  
Rally Day for the Church School. The Scholars will meet at 11:30 and attend the Morning Service.  
11 a.m.—Public Worship.  
Anthem—"Joybells." The Junior Choir.  
7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship.  
Anthem—"O Bless are they that fear the Lord." The Senior Choir.  
The Minister will preach at both services.  
Strangers and Men in the Services cordially welcome.

and local councils was emphasized by speakers supporting the 10-point charter which, among other things, called for more nurseries for children of factory workers, houses at lower rents for lower-paid wage-earners with priority for large families, opportunities for home-training for girls as an essential part of continued education, and an improved scheme of social insurance to include wives and mothers.

**IRREPARABLE SPITSBERGEN**

LONDON, Sept. 26.—The News Chronicle reports from Stockholm that a German reconnaissance party approached the Spitsbergen Islands last June but found the damage caused by the Canadian, British and Norwegian forces there last year too great to make repairs worth while.

**GLASS COMPONENT**

Glass for bottle-making is composed chiefly of silica, soda and lime.

**NURSES OF CITY DISTRICT**

Culminating Feature of Refresher Course Held Last Night

Culminating feature of the refresher course for retired nurses which has been in progress since the beginning of the year, was a complimentary dinner given by the Prince Rupert branch of the Graduate Nurses' Association of British Columbia for Julia Walters R. N. of Vancouver who came here to conduct the course. Miss Eleanor Graham, president of the local Association, was in the chair and twenty-five nurses were in attendance.

The speaker of the evening was Dr. (Mrs.) Perry whose subject was modern medicines in nursing. Miss P. M. Mooney also spoke briefly of nursing in wartime conditions.

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