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Position of Prince Rupert . . .

The officially authorized announcements that came from Ottawa this week and were heavily publicized throughout Canada in regard to the part it is planned for Prince Rupert to play in connection with the war in the Pacific, particularly as a supply base for Alaska, were of no surprise in Prince Rupert itself. For some time we have been hearing about the great plans the United Nations have for using this port and there has been a certain amount of activity with that end in view although not on such a very grand scale as yet—nothing at all like what will be necessary.

People on this coast have been clamoring for some action to be taken not only of an offensive but of a defensive nature and that some reassurance of an official nature be given that such action is being taken. The announcements that have been made of the intention to use British Columbia ports, including Prince Rupert, as bases of supply for Alaska have probably been made in reply to these demands. Now Prince Rupert will be looking for a speedy action to implement these plans.

In passing official O. K. on the announcements, the authorities have probably considered that any information contained therein would probably have been long since obvious to an enemy which there is no indication waits to read in the newspapers the plans that are being made to combat his aggression.

Prince Rupert may very possibly come into the line of action yet. The more speedily that we use our facilities and advantages not only to meet the onslaught of the enemy but to carry the way into his own camp, the less likely will it be that war will actually come here.

One thing that a lot of Prince Rupert people feel somewhat ironic about is that it needed a war to bring recognition to the position of strategy that Prince Rupert occupies in the Pacific theatre, particularly in the way of shipping.

Prior to Pearl Harbor when the crisis with Japan was at its height and the outbreak of war imminent, we had occasion to draw attention to the position of Prince Rupert and the important place it would occupy in connection with war in the Pacific. Things are happening in that regard possibly faster than we had expected. But they cannot happen too fast. And, if on account of our position, we come actually into the firing line, that will be the fortune of war—something that we must be prepared to face and prepared to meet.

A New Turn . . .

The Japanese have turned their attention to the Solomon Islands, lying as a glance at the map of Oceania shows, just to the east of New Guinea and northeast of Australia. The strategy of this move is, of course, towards cutting off aid to Australia. Next might be anticipated attacks on New Hebrides, possibly New Caledonia or the Fijis, and ultimately New Zealand—unless, of course, the enemy over-reach themselves and are, at last, effectively stopped.

All of the moves now being made tend to further encircle Australia and prevent aid being sent to the Commonwealth. For the time being at least, the attention of the enemy seems to be concentrated on Australia.

The problem is to get aid to Australia—and get it there quickly. There is no gainsaying the fact that the situation "down under" is becoming increasingly serious. We may derive some consolation from the assurances of those in high places, particularly in the United States, that something is really being done to meet this crisis and to carry the battle into the enemy's own camp.

KETCHIKAN WINNER IN HOOP PLAY

Nosed Out Prince Rupert By Two Points In Thrilling Opener Of Two-Game Basketball Series

With an excited crowd of fans in attendance, Ketchikan last night nosed out the Savoy's of the local Senior League 39 to 37 in one of the best exhibitions of basketball shown in this city for a long time. Close, even teamwork was shown by both teams.

Prince Rupert got the tip-off but lost the ball. The Alaskans tried to break through but failed in this and their first tally came from Mills. Tillotson who made a free shot followed by a basket from Mills. Stiles countered with a penalty and Taylor with a field shot, followed by Dominato. Mills chalked up two points as did Tomlinson, while Taylor again came through for the locals. During the rest of this first half the play was mostly the way the visitors wanted it. The score at the intermission stood 28 to 15.

In the third quarter the locals started to gather points with MacPhee making six and Adams, a promising newcomer on the local squad, four. MacPhee, with the score at 32 to 25 for the Alaskans, started the last quarter with a field basket. Tillotson chalked up one point and Beynon countered with a lovely long shot from about centre. Another penalty for the visitors, this time by Mills, and again Beynon's eye caught the basket. Mills followed with three points, evening the score at 37-37. Taylor, MacPhee and Dominato tallied up two points each but in the closing seconds of the game Mills broke through and at the final whistle the score stood 39 to 37.

The individual scoring was as follows:

Ketchikan—Bussanich, Mills 20, Farstad 6, Tomlinson 4, Tillotson 9. Total, 39.

Savoy's—MacPhee 10, Taylor 10, Beynon 6, Dominato 6, Adams 4, Stiles 1. Total, 37.

Johnny Comadina called the game. Alek Bill looked after the score and Bob Vuckovitch was time-keeper.

In the opening game of the evening the High School defeated the Dry Dock 42 to 34.

A second game will be held tonight in the Exhibition Hall between the Alaskans and the Savoy's.

Dominoes Win First Game Of Hoop Finals

VICTORIA, March 14.—Victoria Dominoes defeated Vancouver Tookes last night in the first game of a best-out-of-seven playoff series in basketball for the provincial senior championship. The score was 35 to 30. This series will lead to the Dominion senior playoffs.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the "Administration Act"

And in the Matter of Jens Jacob Anderson otherwise known as Jens P. Anderson and Jack Anderson, Deceased.

TAKE NOTICE that by Order of His Honor Judge Fisher dated the 13th day of March 1942 I was appointed Administrator of the Estate of the late Jens Jacob Anderson otherwise known as Jens P. Anderson and Jack Anderson, formerly of Premier, British Columbia, who died on or about the 17th day of January 1942. All persons having claims against the said estate are required to forward them to me on or before April 10th 1942 properly verified and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay to me the amount of their indebtedness forthwith.

DATED at Prince Rupert, B. C. this 14th day of March A. D. 1942.
NORMAN A. WATT
Official Administrator
Prince Rupert, B. C.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA IN PROBATE

In the Matter of the "Administration Act"

And in the Matter of the Estate of Jacob Sauer, Deceased.

TAKE NOTICE that by Order of His Honor Judge Fisher dated the 24th day of February 1942 I was appointed Administrator with the Will annexed of the Estate of the late Jacob Sauer, formerly of Alice Arm, British Columbia, miner, who died on or about the 7th day of February 1940. All persons having claims against the said estate are required to forward them to me on or before March 31st 1942 properly verified and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay to me the amount of their indebtedness forthwith.

DATED at Prince Rupert, B. C. this 25th day of February A. D. 1942.
NORMAN A. WATT
Official Administrator
Prince Rupert, B. C.

BENEFITS PAYABLE

This Phase of Unemployment Insurance Now In Operation

With benefits now payable under the Unemployment Insurance Act, all workers within the scope of the Act should understand the procedure necessary to apply for benefit. E. V. Whiting, manager of the local employment and claims office suggests.

When a worker becomes unemployed he must get his unemployment insurance book from his employer, take it to the employment and claims office and deposit it there. A receipt for it will be given to him and this he must keep as long as his book remains in the local office.

While he is at the office he must complete the required forms to make application for benefit.

The first nine days of unemployment after he makes a claim are waiting days and no benefit is payable for these days. It is not necessary that these days run consecutively. If no work is found for him and he continues to be unemployed and satisfy the conditions, a benefit cheque is to be issued weekly.

The above procedure applies to all workers who might reasonably be expected to call personally at the local office.

For those who do not live within reasonable distance of a local office, a number of towns and villages a special part-time representative will be sent out by the Unemployment Insurance Commission to deal with any benefit claims which may arise. All claimants for benefit of the commission, other than those who register with him and he in turn will refer claims to the nearest office for examination.

Persons living in districts where no office has been established and to which an itinerant representative is not sent will file claim for benefit by mail. Any worker in such an area who becomes unemployed should mail his insurance book to the nearest Employment and Claims Office, state that he is unemployed and that he wishes to register for benefit. A receipt for his insurance book and the necessary forms which every worker who applies for benefit must fill out will be sent to him. These forms must be completed and returned to the local office.

If the claimant is qualified to receive benefit, he must continue to prove his unemployment by mail each week. After the nine waiting days have been completed, if he has no work and the other conditions are satisfied, his benefit will be paid weekly by a cheque mailed to him.

Report On A.R.P. Help Is Coming

Hon. Ian Mackenzie, Minister of Pensions, to Make Statement on Matter Soon.

OTTAWA, March 14.—Hon. Ian Mackenzie, minister of pensions, said yesterday that he would soon make a report on measures to assist A.R.P. work in British Columbia.

Are Rounding Up Fifth Columnists

Two Hundred More Germans and Japanese Are Taken in California.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 14.—Another round-up of two hundred more alleged fifth columnists has been made. Some were Germans and others Japanese Buddhist monks and school teachers.

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- WANTED**—Man for general store in coastal town not far from Prince Rupert. Military exempt. Living quarters above store. State salary expected and experience if any. Apply Box 225, Daily News.
- THOROUGHLY** experienced dry goods sales lady, excellent references, would like position with some reliable firm, work to commence April 16th. Apply Box 223, Daily News. (64)
- WANTED**—To rent, three or four-room unfurnished apartment. Phone Red 752 after 6 p.m. (63)
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Major Bach, former evangelist minister who commanded Axis forces in Halfaya (Hellfire Pass) on the Libya-Egyptian border, is shown with an unidentified British tank corps officer after his surrender to the British Imperials. This is Major Bach's second experience as a British prisoner. He was captured in the War I and spent three years in England, where he learned to speak the language. He was awarded the high order of the Iron Cross for his stand at Halfaya.

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