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

By DOROTHY GARBUTT, Hostess

There has been a sound of hammering and sawing and general confusion at the "Y" the past two days with Mrs. Woodside's canteen the subject of an overhauling. It is being moved forward so that stock rooms and a small office for the manager can be made at the back of it. Right now it looks like a grotto of sorts with its low roof and electric lights.

Electric light? What is it? Something that invariably goes off when I'm trying to write this column. It's more fun holding a flashlight in one hand and doing a sort of two fingered victory type of typing with the other. At least it's a good excuse for any poor spelling that may crop up.

Another big concert week-end is coming up with the Seaforth Follies from Vancouver playing twice at the Capitol Theatre. This fine little concert group was here last month. This time there are more girls with them. Mrs. Firkins is the manager again.

For the Sunday shows a slightly different arrangement is in effect this time. Until 3:00 p.m. the theatre is reserved for the Navy personnel. It is not expected that they will entirely fill the theatre so, after three o'clock, the theatre will be opened to the other services. No tickets are needed for the afternoon performance. In the evening the theatre is reserved until 9 p.m. for the Army. After nine o'clock the theatre is open to the other services. Tickets are needed for this performance and may be had from the various units.

Sorry folks, but it's too dark now for even my flashlight to be of any help. So good night, and I mean night.

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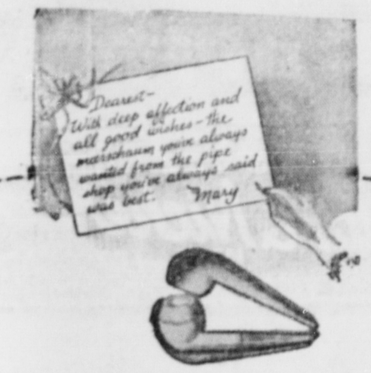

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The Experts Say . . .

By ISABEL ALLAN
(Caadian Press Staff Writer)
Hints for wartime living from folk who ought to know

HATS—Byrne Sanders, Mrs. Consumer" of the Prices Board, says matching hats are out for the duration. As well as using up material, she explains that they are a waste of labor and time as the clerk has to take extra time to find out how the hat is made, the clerk has to explain the idea to the designers, those in the workroom have to step out of their routine procedure to do this job—which throws a monkey wrench into their whole schedule.

WALLS AND CEILINGS — The consumer section of the Prices Board has these tips to offer for cleaning walls and ceilings. Go over them periodically with a soft cloth, always rub in the direction of the pattern, if they are painted wash with lukewarm water, if there are cracks in the plaster, repair them after sandpapering and planing off the surface. If you have a grease spot on your paper, a bit of white talcum on it will absorb the grease.

BUTTER—Here are some suggestions to save that extra bit of butter, from Laura Peper, chief of the consumer section, Department of Agriculture. Cutting the butter into individual squares for table use is one way, using grated cheese instead of butter on vegetables is another. Dripping or other fats can be substituted in cream sauces. Softened butter mixed with filling for sandwiches saves time as well.

"QUICKIE" LUNCH—Here is a delicious easy way to prepare a lunch or supper dish for the busy housewife suggested by the consumer section of the Department of Agriculture. Take 24 hot cooked sausages, 12 slices hot french toast, 1½ cups apple sauce, powdered sugar, ground cinnamon and arrange the toast on hot platter, spread with apple sauce, top with remaining slices of toast, sprinkle with sugar and cinnamon and arrange sausages on top.

ELECTRICITY — Cutting down that 20 percent in electricity isn't any too simple but here are some tips from the experts that should be helpful. Use your small radio for most broadcasts and save the large one for musical and other programs that need a larger speaker. This should cut down about 25 to 100 watts. Use a pilot light on the kitchen wall to tell you when the basement light is out. Automatically controlled devices such as a refrigerator must be watched, for if they aren't properly adjusted they waste electricity.

LINEN—If your husband is on a war job and you are storing your belongings for the duration and moving to another city here is a hint for storing your fine linen. Wrap it in blue paper or an old sheet that has been previously dipped in deep blue water to prevent it from becoming yellow. This is also a good way to keep baby's white things snow-white.

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FINE DANCE ON ISLANDS

Over $100 Raised to Buy Comforts For Men on H.M.S. Haida

SKIDEGATE, Dec. 12—The natives of Skidegate Mission recently put on a dance to go towards the to raise funds to go towards the purchasing of comforts for personnel of H.M.S. Haida in England. With the coo-operation of the Navy, Army and Royal Canadian Air Force from Aliford Bay, the affair was a great success. The total cleared was about $100 which amount has been forwarded to A. M. D. Fairbairn of Victoria with the request that he purchase what he considers most appropriate.

Music was by the famous Royal Canadian Air Force orchestra from Patricia Bay under the leadership of Joe Miceli, playing with the permission of Wing Commander Winney. This music was a rare treat for all in attendance. Officers and men from Aliford Bay were among those in attendance.

Mrs. D. T. McColl of Queen Charlotte City and H. Green and G. Brown of Skidegate were among those who gave valuable assistance.

In addition to the amount of $100 raised at the dance a collection made at Massett for the same purpose was sent to Mr. Fairbairn who is the secretary to the Lieutenant Governor and himself an honorary chief of the Haidas.

During the evening there was a brief address by Henry Green of Skidegate Mission who mentioned the recent launching of H.M.S. Haida in England, explaining that it had been named after the famed tribe of Haidas of the Queen Charlotte Islands, an honor of which the natives of the Islands were deeply appreciative. Mr. Green acknowledged the assistance of Wing Commander Winney and all others who had given so much assistance in making the dance a success.

Peace River Is On Coast Time

Set Timepieces Back One Hour to More Efficiently Use Daylight

EDMONTON, Dec. 12—In order to permit the fullest use of daylight during the winter, the Peace River district is moving its clocks back for one hour from mountain to Pacific time.

PIG ISLAND

Djerba, off Tunisia, is the largest island on the Mediterranean Barbary coast.

Toc H Lamp Is Lit Here

Round the World Ceremony Is Observed in Prince Rupert

A "chain of light," starting in a darkened temple in Jerusalem and going completely around the world, marked the twenty-seventh anniversary of the forming of the Toc H organization last night.

At 9 p.m. an oil lamp was lit in the Holy City and, as the hands of the clock swung around to 9 p.m. in every other country in the world where Toc H groups are organized, other hundreds of lamps were lit.

One by one as the earth turned on its course, a chain of lamps, symbolic of Toc H work, went on in darkened club quarters, until after twenty-four hours the chain was completely forged.

This unique ceremony of light took place in Toc H rooms in Prince Rupert on Friday night at 9 p.m. when the lamp was lit by Harold L. Hampton, president of the Prince Rupert group of Toc H.

Capt. Durnford, the padre of Toc H Prince Rupert group, now serving overseas with the 16th Canadian Highlanders, was particularly mentioned in the ceremony along with other members of Toc H who are serving overseas.

Canada at War 25 Years Ago

Dec. 12, 1917 — Destroyer Partridge and 10 neutral and British ships in convoy sunk by superior force of German destroyers. Italian chamber voted confidence in Premier V. E. Orlando. British repulsed strong German attack near Bullecourt.

SHEEP IN SNOWDRIFTS

Sheep have been known to exist for weeks while buried in snowdrifts.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA IN PROBATE
In the Matter of the "Administration Act" and
In the Matter of the Estate of Ethel Lillian Gourd

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor Judge Fisher, local Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, I was on the 27th day of November A.D. 1942 appointed Administrator of the Estate of Ethel Lillian Gourd formerly of Bella Bella, British Columbia, Deceased, who died on or about the 18th day of April 1942. All persons indebted to the said Estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith and all persons having claims against the said Estate are required to file them with me properly verified on or before the 31st day of December A.D. 1942 failing which distribution will be made having regard only to such claims of which I shall have been notified.

DATED at Prince Rupert, B.C. this 27th day of November 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 Alexander Ebenezer Whidden Deceased—Intestate

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor W. E. Fisher, made on the 2nd day of December, A.D. 1942, I was appointed Administrator of the Estate of Alexander Ebenezer Whidden, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or about the 4th day of January, A.D. 1943, and all parties indebted to the estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

DATED at Prince Rupert, B.C., this 4th day of December, A.D. 1942.

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