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BOXING DAY AT CIVIC CENTRE

Nearly Two Thousand Persons Crowded Auditorium and Gymnasium

Feature events of the first Christmas season at Prince Rupert's Civic Centre were on Boxing Day when the Sons of Norway occupied the auditorium in the afternoon with their children's Christmas party and in the evening with their adults' dance. Simultaneously in the evening the first of the Kayhi-Bo-Me-Hi international High School basketball series was proceeding. Between the afternoon and evening events it is estimated that some 1800 persons visited the centre.

The children's party of the Sons of Norway in the afternoon was featured by singing of carols in English and Norwegian and dancing around the Christmas tree with Santa Claus paying a visit to distribute gifts. There was a great crowd at the dance in the evening when national dances were interspersed with modern. Buffet refreshments were served. John Fredheim was chairman of the committee in charge.

GULLS KEEP BOWLS LEAD

Although Losing All Games Last Night—Other Results

Although defeated in all three games by the Hell Divers last night, Gulls remained in the lead of the War Assets Bowling League. The win for the Hell Divers put them on even terms with Wasps, defeating Sharpshooters two-to-one, for runner-up position.

The evening's results were as follows:

Hell Divers 3, Gulls 0.
Mosquitoes 3, Spitfires 0.
Wasps 2, Sharpshooters 1.
Wing Dingers 2, Checkers 1.

The standings:

Gulls	25	11	25
Wasps	22	14	22
Hell Divers	22	14	22
Mosquitoes	20	16	20
Sharpshooters	16	19	16
Chickens	15	21	15
Wing Dingers	15	21	15
Spitfires	12	24	12

Frank Comadina arrived home at the first of the week to spend the Christmas and New Year holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Comadina.

SEA CADETS' XMAS PARTY

An enormous tree glinting with tinsel frost and decked with soft lights centred the spacious H.M.C.S. Chatham drill hall last night when Captain Cook Sea Cadets Corps of Prince Rupert staged a delightful formal dance which was attended by 150 patrons including a large proportion of interested adult patrons. Nor was the great tree the only decorative feature but the big hall was decorated throughout—walls and beams—with hundreds of evergreen boughs and festooned lights in Yuletide colors. Such was the scene for several delightful hours dancing to the strains of Bobby Woods' Orchestra with Lt. Cdr. Alex Mitchell, commanding officer of the corps, as a genial master of ceremonies who kept the proceedings moving with lively zest. A number of novelty dances featured the evening's proceedings.

At midnight refreshments were served.

The general committee consisted of Lt. Cdr. Alex Mitchell, Lt. Walter Smith, Lt. Vernon Ciecone, Midshipmen Mel Thompson, C.P.O. Charles Currie, C.P.O. Pat Wilson, Leading Wrenette Maresa Windle and Wrenette Lorraine Youngman.

Committee in charge of the dispensing of refreshments and handling the check room was comprised of L. S. James Hebb, Wrenette Petty Officer Lorraine Barbe, A/B Andy Owens, Bandsman James Hemmons and Bandsman Robert Currie. Looking after program arrangements were Petty Officers Robert McChesney, Lawrence Eddy and John Kennedy.

Among the special guests of the evening were members of the Kayhi basketball team from Ketchikan and of the local Booth Memorial High School team.

Bronson Bussey, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Bussey, arrived in the city on the Prince Rupert Wednesday morning from Vancouver to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season.

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Interesting List for Capitol in January Announced

Several pictures of particular interest are listed for local showing at the Capitol Theatre during the month of January, according to the booking calendar of Manager J. Harry Black. Here is the list:

December 30 and 31 and January 1—Jane Powell and Walter Pigeon in "Holiday in Mexico."

January 2, 3 and 4 — Cary Grant and Alexis Smith in "Night and Day."

January 5 (midnight)— Boris Karloff in "Body Snatchers" and John Loder in "Brighton Strangler."

January 6 and 7—Gail Russell and Diana Lynn in "Our Hearts Are Growing Up."

January 8 and 9—Phyllis Calvert and Stew Granger in "Madonna of the Seven Moons."

January 10 and 11—Edmund Lowe and Brenda Joyce in "The Enchanted Forest."

January 12 and 13 — Johnny Weismuller in "Swamp Fire" and Gary Cooper and Franchot Tone in "Lives of a Bengal Lancer."

January 14 and 15—Dana Andrews and Richard Conte in "A Walk in the Sun."

January 16 and 17—Barbara Stanwyck and Van Heflin in "Strange Love of Martha Ivers."

January 19 (Sunday midnight) —Johnny Mack Brown in "A Gentleman from Texas" and Nina Foch and Jim Bannon in "I Love a Mystery."

January 20 and 21—Joan Davis and Jack Oakie in "She Wrote the Book" and James Warren and Nan Leslie in "Sunset Pass."

January 23, 24 and 25—Alan Ladd and Gerald Fitzgerald in "O.S.S."

January 26 and 27—E. G. Morrison and John Hoy in "The Last Chance" and Kane Richmond and Bernadine Hayes in "Don't Gamble With Strangers."

January 28 and 29—Ann Sheridan and Dennis Morgan in "One More Tomorrow."

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