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DELIVERING THE GOODS

DURING the past several months since the end of war lifted the censorship blackout which completely obscured this city and port while war conditions prevailed for six years Prince Rupert has been receiving a great deal of publicity in one way and another. People throughout the continent and further afield have become interested in the place and know it in a way they never did before. Tourists are already flocking here by rail, ship and car and many more would come were the facilities available to get here. There is reason to believe that industrial interests too are looking this way with more than passing interest and that industrial and commercial possibilities of the port and district are coming under minute scrutiny and investigation.

In other words, we have caught the eye of the world. We have advertised the wares and have succeeded, to considerable extent, in drawing attention to ourselves and what we have or think we have here. Now we have to show that we have the goods about which we have been boasting. We have put ourselves on the spot.

Like the merchant we have been telling the world that we have something to sell. In any case, we now see the people coming to our store. The time has come for us to seriously consider whether our customers are pleased and satisfied with what we have to give them.

Take the tourists, for instance, are they pleased or disappointed? What kind of an impression are we

creating upon them now that they are coming here again in their hundreds? Is Prince Rupert a pleasing and interesting place? Are our places of business—stores, hotels, restaurants—worthy of pride? What about our streets and our sidewalks? Are our homes, our public grounds attractive? Have we interesting features that leave pleasant memories? If we were tourists what would we think of a town like Prince Rupert?

These are questions that we do well to think over. We are getting the visitors and we are always thinking about ways and means of getting more. Possibly, we should be doing some more concentrated thinking on what we should be doing for them now we have them coming our way. There is a real public relations job there.

PEG-TOPS AND BUSTLE

A CORRESPONDENT of a London newspaper deplores the fact that the history of men's dress, unlike that of women's, is not represented in Britain by any comprehensive collection. It is an injustice that the museums might well remedy. But perhaps there is some excuse for their lapse: for whereas former male fashions arouse but a passing, or even a derisive, interest, their feminine counterparts remain a constant source of inspiration.

The mere male contemplates Uncle Albert's "peg-tops" with a shudder of aversion, and would no more dream of adopting them than of cultivating his uncle's Dundreary whiskers. As for taking a hint from any pre-Albert mode, the thing is plainly impossible. On the other hand, mysterious oracles of fashion are apt to see in Great-Aunt Emily's bustle, or in her great-aunt's crinoline, a revelation of perfection that can no longer be ignored.

Nevertheless, an exhibit of men's sartorial past could be worth while. It might even convince the sex that it is wont to preen itself on its stand against the dictatorship of fashion that its pride is scarcely justified and that it has, in fact, fought a losing battle.

CADET STORES ARE IMPORTANT

Accounting and Supply Department Has Big Job

One department that plays an important part in the successful functioning of any corps of the Royal Canadian Sea Cadets and which is not very evident on any parade is the accounting and supply section. This is commonly referred to as the "stores."

A visit to the stores reveals that its responsibilities and duties are many and varied. There are two main sections, the accounting or finance department and the supply department.

The accounting department takes care of all financial operations and the work is carried out in the approved naval manner with every cent received or expended accounted for, often in quadruplicate. At camping time an additional duty is assumed. The lads may leave their spending money with the paymaster and can be assured that it will be carefully guarded and available to them on their request.

In the stores there is the clothing section. Here boots, trousers, jumpers, jerseys, flannel vests, silk scarves, lanyards, blue and white caps, blue jean collars, cap tallies are all on hand and as any are issued an exact record is kept.

Even in the list of badges there is a surprising variety. There are rank badges for officers, chief petty officers, petty officers, and ratings. There are non-substantive badges for signallers, marksmen, sick bay attendants.

Another department is the gunnery section. Rifles, bayonets, slings, seabirds, gaiters, belts, ammunition and targets are all checked. Rounds of ammunition expended are recorded and we betide the unit that cannot account for the expenditure of every round not returned. These lads are taught the need for absolute accuracy in the recording of all items.

Seamanship stores include cutters, whalers and their gear, sailing or rowing. Supplies for instructional purposes are also

CANADA'S CROP OUTLOOK GOOD

WINNIPEG—A better-than-average crop is in prospect for western Canada at present with many Alberta correspondents indicating that the outlook is the best in years, the Winnipeg Tribune's fourth telegraphic crop report said today.

The responsibility of the stores. Knots and splices, rules of the road, anchors and cables, soundings, have their special equipment.

Signal stores contain code flags, semaphore flags, aldis lamps, more buzzers, and instructional code flags.

The band requires drums, bugles, drum sticks, cords and chafes for the side drummers. These are the leg aprons against which the drums constantly rub as the lads march.

The issuing and checking of all this equipment requires a very complete accounting system. The permanent records of the corps are also filed by this department. The officer in charge of the Captain Cook Corps stores is Lieutenant (S) E. S. Tobey, the "S" indicating supplies. Assisting him are P.O. Mel Sandvar and Wrennettes L. Raabe, Joyce MacDonald and Yvonne Bouvette.

CALLS FOR CONFERENCE

Union of B. C. Municipalities Says Failure of Intergovernmental Agreement Having Bad Effect

WINNIPEG—Mayor Garnet Coulter of Winnipeg, president of the Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities, made public yesterday the text of a resolution on Dominion-provincial affairs adopted by the Federation at its meeting in Vancouver in June and forwarded to Hon. C. D. Howe, minister of reconstruction.

The resolution said that the failure of the Dominion and provincial governments to reach an agreement as to future division of fiscal and other responsibilities has "seriously impeded all efforts of Canadian municipalities to co-operate with both public and private agencies in establishment of stabilized peacetime economy and, at the earliest possible date, another conference should be convened."

LIMITED EXPRESSION

The basenji, a breed of hunting dog from Africa, is unable to bark but can growl loudly when irritated.

JEWES BOOSTING BRITISH LOAN

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Chairman Sol Bloom of the House of Representatives foreign affairs committee, in appealing to the House to approve the \$3,750,000,000 British loan, declared that this has nothing to do with the Jewish question in Palestine.

In a move designed to offset possible loss of House votes for the loan because of the British handling of the Jewish problem, Bloom introduced a statement by Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, Zionist leader, saying that, "whatever be wrongdoing of the British government in Palestine, it cannot alter my conviction that the British loan is imperatively needed." House votes on the British loan may come tomorrow and it is expected it will be approved although possibly by a narrow margin.

RAMPAGING KANGAROOS

SCONE, Australia—Hungry kangaroos hopping down from the hills in central New South Wales in large numbers are causing damage to crops but farmers are not permitted to shoot them because of a law prohibiting injury to any marsupial.

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"I did not have much information about Prince Rupert but my friends told me it rained all the time. However, so far I have had good weather on my trip," commented George Roussin, a tourist from Quebec City, who arrived here by train last night. He was impressed with the scenery along the Skeena River. An accountant in Quebec City, Mr. Roussin is making his first trip west. He sailed this afternoon on the Princess Norah for Skagway, planning to make a trip to Lake Bennett and Whitehorse, returning on the Norah to Vancouver on his way home.

WINSLOW, Eng.—A house in market square of this Buckinghamshire town designed by Sir Christopher Wren is being demolished to make way for a road-widening project.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
IN PROBATE
IN THE MATTER OF THE "ADMINISTRATION ACT"

and
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF EDWIN BENSON,
otherwise known as Gerton Edwin Bengtsson and Edwin Benson
TAKE NOTICE that by Order of the Honourable W. E. Fisher, made on the 25th day of June, A.D. 1946, I was appointed Administrator with Will Annexed of the Estate of Edwin Benson, otherwise known as Gerton Edwin Bengtsson and Edwin Benson, deceased, who died on or about July 30, 1945, at Ruby Creek, near Atlin, in the Province of British Columbia; and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or before the 5th day of August, A.D. 1946, 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 26th day of June, A.D. 1946.
GEORGE H. HALLETT,
Official Administrator,
Atlin, B.C. —162

Better English
By D. C. WILLIAMS

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "I have your favor of September 15."
2. What is the correct pronunciation of "protest" (noun and verb)?
3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Occultist, occultist, occurrence.
4. What does the word "recondite" mean?
5. What is a word beginning with pu that means "youthful"?

- Answers**
1. "I have your letter" is preferable. 2. Accent noun on first syllable, verb on last syllable.
 3. Occultist. 4. Hidden from the mental view. "Recondite causes of things." 5. Puerile.

LONDON—Inga Anderson, British Columbia-born singer and star of London night club shows, has left for Paris to appear at the Cabaret des Capucines.

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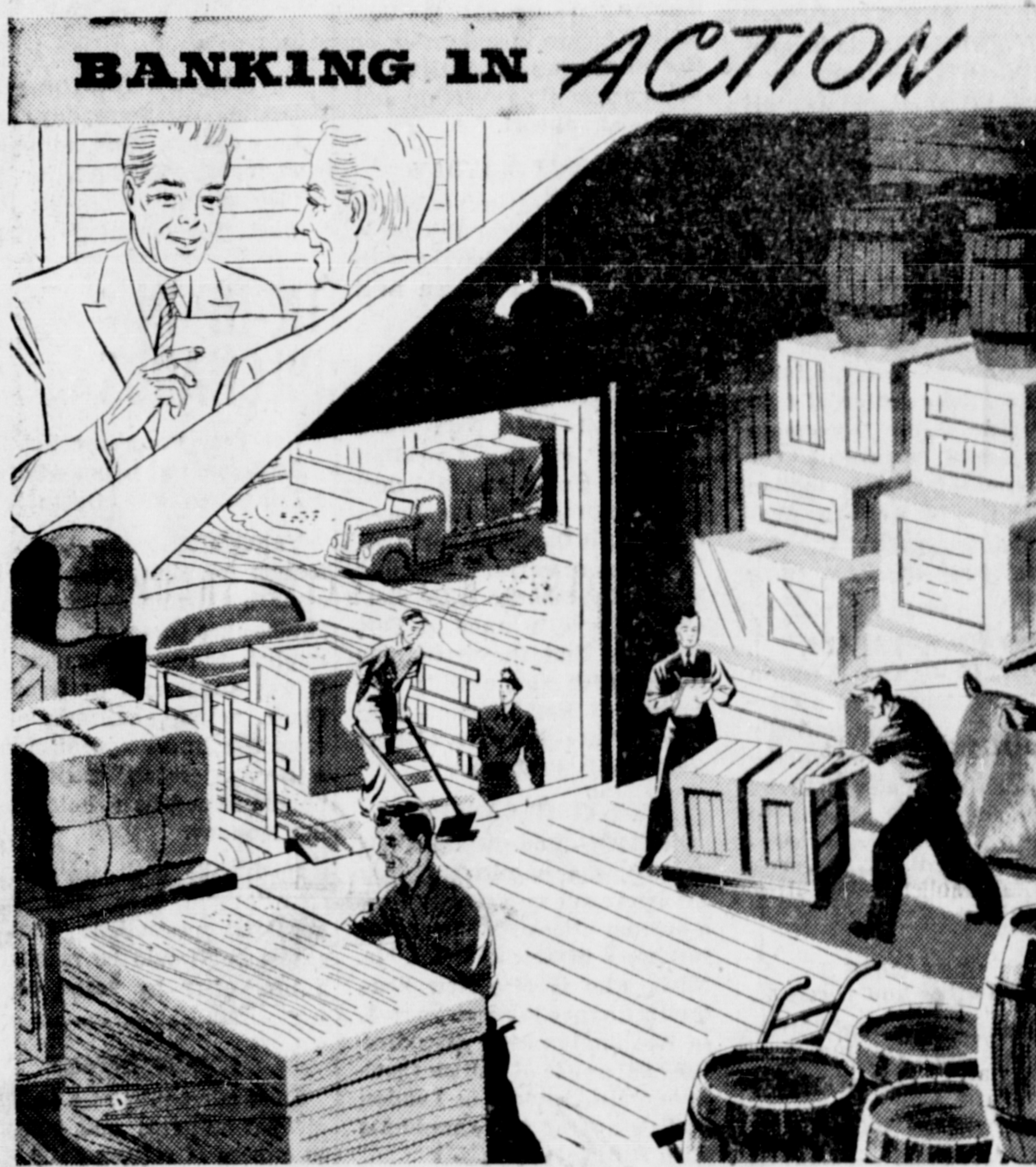
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