

THE DAILY NEWS

PRINCE RUPERT, BRITISH COLUMBIA

Published Every Afternoon Except Sunday by Prince Rupert Daily News Limited, Third Avenue
G. A. HUNTER, MANAGING EDITOR

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

By City Carrier, per week	.15
Per Year	\$7.00
Per Month	.55
By Mail, per Month	.40
Per Year	\$4.00

MEMBER OF THE CANADIAN PRESS

The Canadian Press is exclusively entitled to use for publication of all news despatches credited to it or to the Associated Press in this paper and also the local news published therein. All rights of republication of special despatches therein are also reserved.

ADVERTISING RATES

Death, Funeral, In Memoriam, Engagement and Wedding Notices, Card of Thanks	\$2.00
Birth Notices	.50
Funeral Flowers, per Name	.10
Classified, 2c per word, per insertion, minimum	.50
Transient, per inch	.75
Contract, per inch	.50
Readers, per line	.25
Black Face Readers, per line	.50
Business and Professional Cards inserted daily, per month, per inch	\$3.75
8 Columns, 12 ems. 287 Lines to Column.	

DAILY EDITION Monday, March 13, 1944

A Well Deserved Honor . . .

An event of unusual interest quite unique in the annals of the affairs of the native people on this part of the coast will take place on Wednesday of this week when Indian Agent James Gillett journeys to the native village of Kitkatla down the coast to conduct the investiture of Chief Edward Gamble with the British Empire Medal. Chief Gamble, owing to the state of his health, was unable to go to Ottawa to receive the medal personally from the Earl of Athlone, Governor General, on behalf of the King so the happy alternative was conceived of having the award sent to the coast and conferred at the recipient's own home village. Native delegates from several communities along the coast will proceed to Kitkatla to participate in the ceremonies and events which will be held in connection with the investiture.

It is fitting that our good native friends should be honored in this manner through the medium of Mr. Gamble. It is an appropriate mark of appreciation of their loyalty and service to the Empire which by the way includes the voluntary enlistment of many of them in this war as they did in the last.

While Tsimosean tribe and Kitkatla band may feel particularly gratified that one of their number has been singled out for the honor, it is a timely gesture to all the native people.

Chief Gamble and his family are well known and respected not only in their own village but among the whole community of native people of the coast. The recipient of the King's honor is no stranger in Prince Rupert and he is highly respected to all with whom he has come in contact over the years.

The Daily News is happy to congratulate Mr. Gamble and to concur in the action of the crown in thus honoring a loyal subject.

Argentinean Situation . . .

Apart from any possible Axis influence, the present ferment in Argentina is due to causes dating much farther back than the attack by the Axis on Western Hemisphere security. It is the effect of a long contest between the old land-holding aristocracy and the newer industrial groups which demand national economic policies detrimental to the cattle and cereal growers.

The ousting of the Ramirez regime—a regime closely connected with the Radical Party and thus with the industrial powers—could not have been due wholly to pro-Nazi leanings among the Conservatives. True the reason for their coup does seem to have been that Ramirez was about to declare war on the Axis. But what the Conservatives probably feared more than that was the likelihood that the Ramirez regime, by making itself a war government, could perpetuate its power indefinitely.

When this background of the Argentine spectacle is appreciated it becomes clear that Argentina was most concerned with the internal battle which has raged in there for nearly fifteen years. The Farrell regime must be, not an expression simply of a pro-Nazi attitude but the result of a complex situation, political and economic, within Argentina.

Wales To Fight Lung Diseases

CARDIFF, Mar. 13 (P)—Wales is launching an intensified campaign against lung diseases with a mobile cine-camera x-ray unit installed in a bus.

The unit, said to be an advance on those about to be operated in England, uses ordinary miniature cinema films and can take more than 500 photographs a day. The tiny pictures, each one inch square, are projected on to a screen and the presence of active tuberculosis can be detected.

The Welsh National Memorial Association is playing a prominent

role in the campaign. Selected groups of people will be examined first and later the mobile plant will "mass radiograph" workers in factories and children in schools, reaching the remotest country district.

FILII GENEROUS

SUVA (P)—Before the end of the third year of the war, Fiji had given two bombers, five fighters, and had sent £20,000 (\$88,000) to the Red Cross and St. John of Jerusalem Joint Appeal and other war charities.

LAMP FOR FLIERS

Fliers downed at sea on a rubber raft now are equipped with a small electric lamp which projects a 1,500 candlepower beam to aid in night rescues.

ACTIVITIES OF Y.M.C.A. and Y.W.C.A. (By DOROTHY GARBUTT)

On Friday I had occasion to telephone one of the messes. I got through. The orderly said to wait a moment in the usual way. So I waited and waited. Central kept coming in to see how we were getting along and then an excited voice said "I can't call your party just now, we're on fire!" And by gum, they were! I call that calling up on the psychological moment. I remember recently walking calmly along Second Avenue when an army jeep suddenly leapt up on the sidewalk in front of us and knocked down a hydrant and only a few days before a big electric cable broke on Third Avenue and swung crazily over the pavement, making a couple of soldiers race for their lives. I think I missed my calling. I should have been a war correspondent. You know, sort of Doty-on-the-Dot when anything happens.

We've had one casualty among the furnishings since closing. The glass on our framed map of Prince Rupert has broken. I laid it carefully on the counter and someone laid a hammer equally carefully on it. Result,

a big crack across the C.N.R. station, the Empress "Y", Borden Street and the United Church.

Mr. Currie was up measuring things the other day and he and Breen Melvin have concocted some marvellous changes between them. All sorts of new cupboards and doors, locks put on and taken off and, biggest change of all, the ladies' lounge is going to be made about a third smaller. I suggested that as it will give more room for the ping pong tables and since we only allow boys in the ladies' lounge who are with the girl friends, it seemed only fair to give them more room. We can make our lounge cosy and perhaps keep it warmer now that it is smaller.

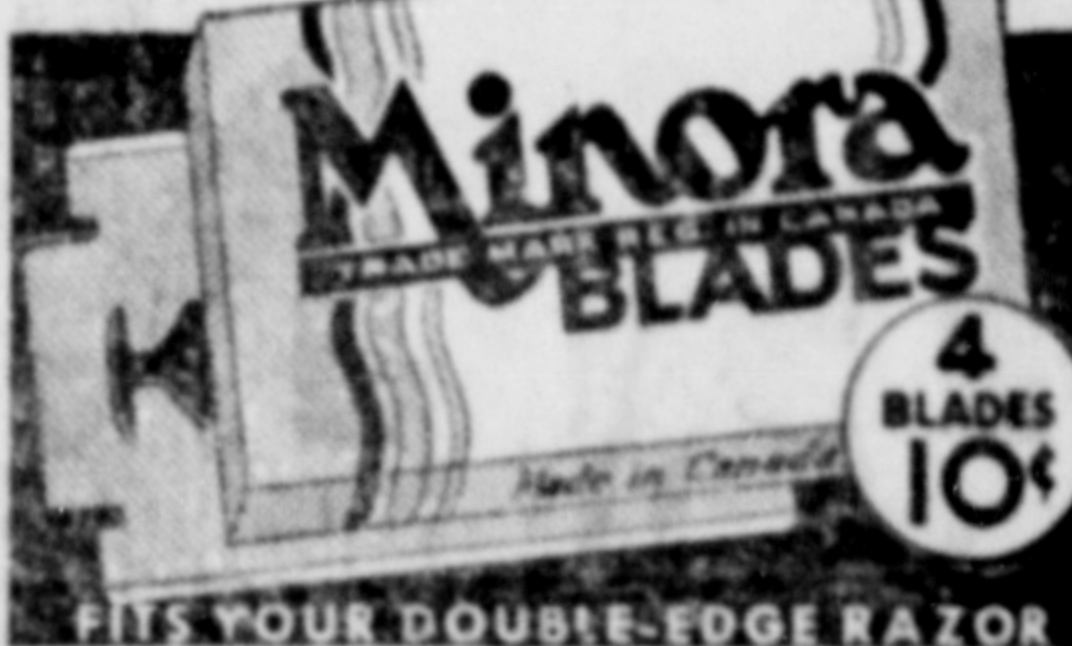
Remember that all the "Y" activities are at the Empress now and that means bingo as well on Friday nights. So make the Empress your meeting place.

BELLINGER AT SIX

LOUGHBOROUGH, Eng. (P)—Nolan Edwards, six, is believed to be the youngest bellinger in Britain. Every Sunday morning he walks 2 1/2 miles to ring the bells of Shapshed Parish Church near here. His father and mother are bellingers. They instructed him when he was five.

THRIFTY SHAVES

With Minora Blades! Minora stands first among low-price blades—the keenest and best double-edge blade in its class. Try it and see for yourself.



Four Years Ago In This War

March 13, 1940—Finland and Russia signed a peace treaty giving Russia the Karelian Isthmus including Viipuri. Assassin killed Sir Michael O'Dwyer, former lieutenant-governor of Punjab, and wounded the Marquess of Zetland at London meeting of East India Association.

HEROES ON CORVETTES

Men of R.C.N.'s Little Ships Like Waskesiu and Summerside Do Big Jobs

By ROSS MUNRO

Canadian Press Correspondent

A PORT IN NORTHERN IRELAND, Mar. 13 (P)—The frigate "Waskesiu" and the corvette "Summerside" are two ships of the Royal Canadian Navy which you probably haven't heard much about recently, if at all.

They haven't just sunk a submarine or two. In fact they haven't done anything spectacular at all. But they have done a steady, skillful escort job bringing convoys over the North Atlantic.

It is rough and dangerous work but it doesn't make headlines when its everyday duty for these crews. However, these ships are representatives of scores of other Canadian frigates and corvettes who may never see action for a year or end but whose constant vigilance enables huge convoys to reach the British Isles.

So this is a little yarn about two "regular" ships and the men who sail in them, who get no great praise but who are helping plenty to win the war.

The Waskesiu was the first frigate built in Canada for the R. C. N. A shipyard turned her out and she was commissioned last June.

The captain is Lt-Cmdr. J. H. S. MacDonald of Liverpool, N.S., who commissioned the first Canadian corvette, the "Windflower" back in 1940 and sailed her first voyage across the Atlantic on her first voyage, with scarcely any armament aboard at all, to be fitted out in Britain.

John Lincoln of Calgary is the first lieutenant and other officers are Lieuts. Ed Williams and Jack Holmes, both of Victoria, A. A. MacLeod of Sydney, N. S., and Courtenay, B.C., Jim Farmer of Windsor, Ont., George Manson of Vancouver, F. J. Renne of Seanichton, B.C., and Sub Lieut. Peter Nares of Winnipeg.

NEW MEDICAL OFFICER NOW

Lieut. Tommy Russell of Toronto was the medical officer since commissioning but he has gone to another appointment and taking his place is Lieut. R. J. McFarlane of Winnipeg. Lieut. Tom McPhee, Bala, Ont., signals officer for the group in which the Waskesiu operates, is sailing in her now too.

On a recent trip the Waskesiu was at sea for 31 days without a break, one of the longest periods any Canadian escort or sub-hunting ship has been constantly at sea. She returned to this port with her larder practically bare. There wasn't even any hardtack left.

The Summerside was commissioned in September, 1941, and has been slogging around the Atlantic and the Mediterranean ever since. For a while she ran from Newfoundland to Iceland and from November, 1942, to April, 1943, was in the Mediterranean where she did more sea time than any other corvette there.

She ran convoys into hot spots like Bone, east of Algiers, when German and Italian bombers were supreme in that area. She worked from Gibraltar to Oran to Algiers and back again many times. It was all heavy work with little glory.

Last spring she joined an all-Canadian escort group in the North Atlantic and hasn't seen a sign of the enemy since.

Lieut. G. St. A. Mongenais, a French-speaking officer from Montreal, is commanding the Summerside now and his officers include Lieuts. G. E. Cross of Montreal, G. C. Carscallen of Hamilton, Ont., H. P. Timmons of Sydney, N.S., and Sub. Lts. B. J. Kennedy of Hamilton, Don McGivern of Saint John, N.B., E. T. Coggins of Weymouth, N. S., and Dave Howden of Vancouver.

NOTE FOR COUGHERS

LONDON, (P)—Rev. J. A. Ainley, writing in Morden parish magazine, says coughing in a church is unnecessary and that many people do it unthinkingly. When he appealed to coughers to stop coughing, he said, "hardly a cough was heard at any service."

Fresh Local Raw and Pasteurized MILK
VALENTIN DAIRY
PHONE 657

ATTENTION EVERYBODY! Public Meeting

- At the Staff House Dining Hall TONIGHT, (Monday, March 13), 8 p.m.
- At the Navy Drill Hall WEDNESDAY (March 15), 8 p.m.

— MOVIE FILMS —

- "WITH THESE WEAPONS"
- "NINE CENTS PER CAPITA"
- "HEALTH IS A VICTORY"
- "FIGHT SYPHILIS"

Learn the Facts about Venereal Disease Sponsored as a Community Service by Junior Chamber of Commerce

This space donated by:— J. BULGER, Jeweler BACON FISHER LOVE ELECTRIC CO.

RUPERT BRAND

SMOKED

Black Cod Smoked Daily

Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co. Ltd. BRITISH COLUMBIA

Cold Wave Coming Soon!

We will be closed for one week while attending demonstration for the new sensational COLD WAVE permanent without heat, pads, or machine. Write for details.

SUNRISE BEAUTY SALON

VIOLET MAH Cor. 6th Ave. and Fulton St.

MUSSALLEM'S ECONOMY STORE

"Where dollars have more cents"

We have a complete variety of available

Groceries, Fresh Fruits and Vegetables, Tobaccos and Confectionery

FREE DELIVERY throughout the City three times a week (Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays) Opposite Canadian Legion

Prescription Headquarters

Down through the years, almost since Pharmacy first existed, we have served the people. The laboratory we have always tried to keep modern, skilled pharmacists, quality drugs, the best of equipment.

As we start a new year, we are proud of our record and grateful for the confidence you have shown us. We continue to serve you.

Ormes Ltd. The Pioneer Druggists

THE REXALL STORE PHONES 116 and 117
Open Daily from 9 a.m. till 9 p.m.
Sundays and Holidays from 12-2 p.m. and 7-9 p.m.

Coal Orders

We can now deliver your coal orders. Give us three days warning before delivery expected.

ALBERT & McCAFFERY LTD.
PHONE 116 and 117



Without PAY or GLORY
the army of
RED CROSS VOLUNTEERS
carries on!

WITHOUT a host of volunteers there could be no Canadian Red Cross—and only the Red Cross can do Red Cross work. Last year, millions of food parcels for prisoners of war were packed by these Red Cross workers. They made tons of surgical dressings for overseas use. They cut and sewed millions of garments and accessories for dressing stations, for hospitals, for civilian relief work. Yet they ask no pay. Their only reward is the grateful prayers that rise from a thousand Red Cross outposts.

The dawn of Victory in Europe has intensified the need for Red Cross supplies. Suffering mounts daily as war spreads. Support the Red Cross volunteers in this unselfish work. Give liberally.

Local Headquarters
CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE
TELEPHONE 16

THE NEED GROWS AS VICTORY NEARS

CANADIAN RED CROSS

