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## EDITORIAL

### COMMANDER CREE...

There will be many to regret the departure from Prince Rupert next week of Commander Charles M. Cree, R.C.N., who has been naval officer in charge here for the past year. He has become highly esteemed in the community during his brief tenure at this port but the outstanding feature of his stay here has been the building up and improvement of the local naval establishment and the morale thereof. He had the qualities of geniality and control and the faculty of being able to maintain discipline and esprit de corps among his men. He has played a part in the development of the base and its personnel and has won many admirers and friends who will wish him well for the future.

### THE MERCHANT SEAMEN...

No class of men has given more willing or more distinguished service to the Dominion or to the cause of the United Nations since the war began than the men of our merchant fleet. They have been in all disagreeable and dangerous theatres of war. They have endured, they have dared. They have triumphed often against overwhelming odds. Many of them have given their lives. Others have endured months in enemy prisons.

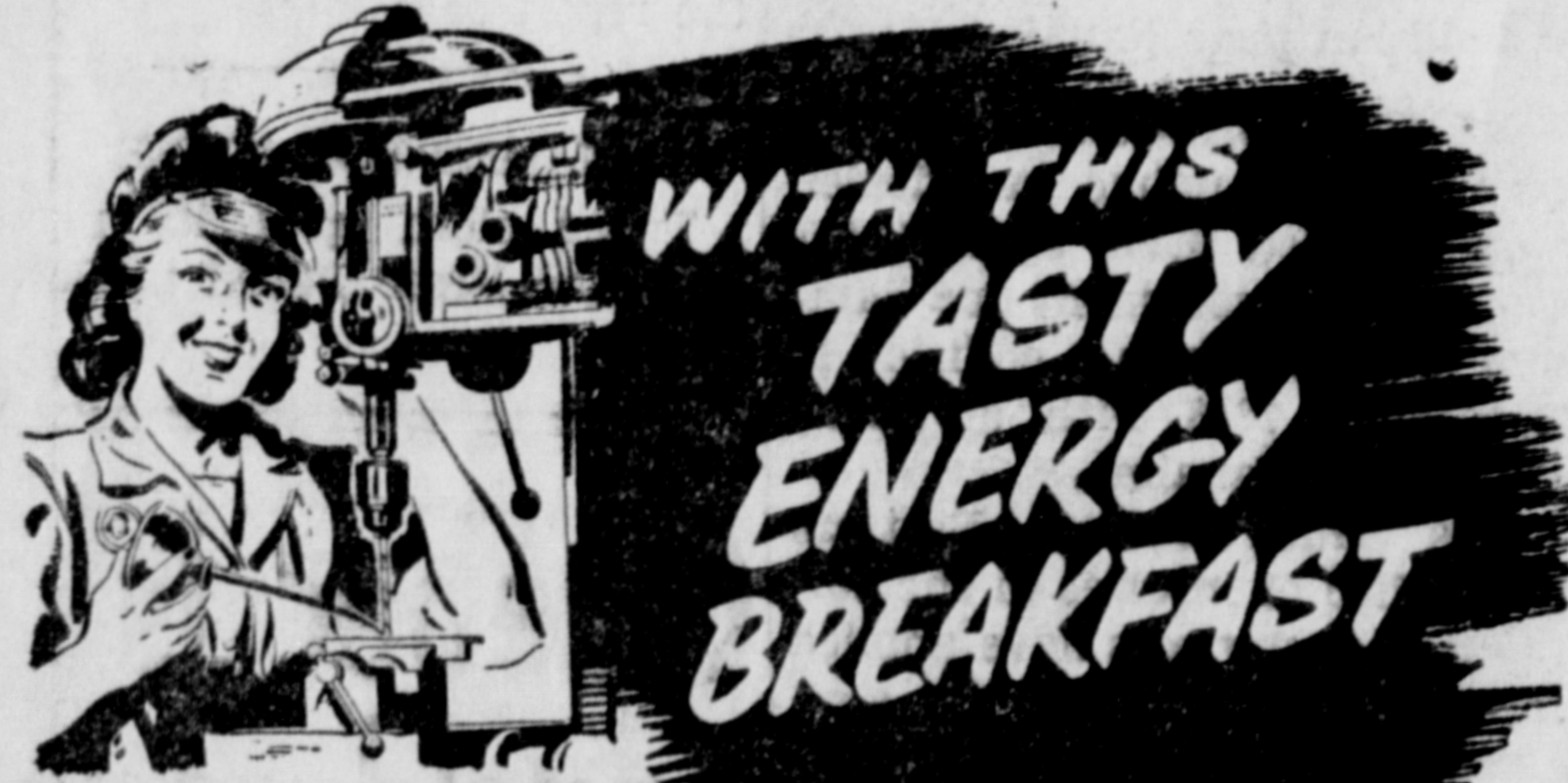
These merchant sailors have been gallant soldiers in the battle of supply. Yet they are not treated like the country's other soldiers, like its naval personnel or like its airmen. They are discriminated against and they resent this discrimination—rightly so, too.

When a member of one of the armed services goes outside Canada in the way of duty, he pays no income tax. The merchant seaman pays his on a basic pay, wherever he is. If a member of the armed services is taken prisoner, his pay continues and his freedom from income tax continues. If a merchant seaman is taken prisoner, his pay may or may not continue—it all depends on whether he is a regular employee of a steamship line or is signed on for a single voyage. But, if his pay continues, his income tax continues, too.

It is a fine way Canada has of welcoming home a man who has played his part at sea and spent months in a prison camp to present him, on arrival or soon after, with a demand for income tax. The procedure is one which should make the country blush.

But apparently there are no blushes left in the department of national revenue. According to the rules of that department, a merchant seaman is a civilian and civilians pay income tax. So merchant seamen are liable. It is as simple as that. As simple and as outrageous!—Vancouver Province.

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## LETTERBOX

Editor, Daily News:

### APPRECIATIVE

I shall shortly be relinquishing my duties as Naval Officer-in-Charge, Prince Rupert area, to another and, prior to my departure, I would like to express to you my sincere thanks for the many courtesies and considerations given to me.

The goodwill expressed by the press of Prince Rupert towards the Naval Service generally has been a great satisfaction to me and to all members of the Naval Service here present and I am quite sure that the high standards achieved at this base are largely predicted upon a determination that a standard of goodwill accomplished cannot and must not be lowered.

May I again thank you for the co-operation extended to me in the past, and might I ask that, through the mediums of your columns, you would communicate to the citizens of Prince Rupert my high appreciation of their kindness and consideration during my tenure of office at this base.

C. M. CREE, Commander, R.C.N.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to noon of Monday, October 16, 1944, for the purchase of the gasboat "Hector," 28' by 8' by 3', 12 H.P. Vivian. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Terms strictly cash. Norman A. Watt, Administrator of the estate of Fred Stepko, deceased, Court House, Prince Rupert. (242)

21 Years Old—

## BIRTHDAY OF GYRO CLUB IS CELEBRATED

The Prince Rupert Gyro Club celebrated its twenty-first birthday last night with a memorable party in the staff house dining hall at Hays Cove. There were some 150 persons at the function which took the form of a delightful dinner dance. Members of the club were present in good number, accompanied by their ladies and friends.

The tables had been attractively prepared for the occasion and there was a brief but appropriate program following the full enjoyment of a fine meal. President Frank Skinner and Mrs. Skinner welcomed the guests and the former acted as chairman. Dr. R. G. Large was master of ceremonies and, in a fitting address, told of the inauguration of the club in the old St. Regis Cafe on August 25, 1923, by Rowe Holland of Vancouver. Each of the charter members, telling where each was now located, was named. Two—J. Lorne MacLaren and Norris Pringle—had passed away. Charter members still in Prince Rupert but no longer members of the club were welcomed in honored places at the dinner in the persons of E. N. Valentine, A. R. Nichols and A. R. Holtby.

One of the features of the program was the presentation to each of four chartered members who still remained active in the club of a handsome wallet gilded with Gyro emblem, the years 1923-44 and the names of the members. The recipients were C. P. Balagno, C. C. Mills, William Cruickshank and G. A. Hunter, each of whom spoke briefly in appreciative acknowledgement.

There were greetings for the occasion from Jack Graham, governor of Gyro District No. 4, and Chris Wright, secretary of the Nanaimo Gyro Club. Pictures were taken of the charter members and their wives and of the current executive and their wives.

The remainder of the evening was happily spent in dancing with music by Andy McNaughton's Orchestra.

## Burns Lake Soldiers Feted by Friends

BURNS LAKE, Oct. 12 — Two district soldiers, Pte. Rodney Sundin, of Southbank, and Pte. Cato Loveng of Grasseys Plains who have been spending leaves at their homes were feted by their friends before leaving to return to their training camp at Calgary. On the eve of their departure a farewell dance was held at Dankin Community hall from where many of their friends accompanied them to the station to see them safely off on the eastbound train.

Presiding at the table which was attractively decorated with fall flowers were Mrs. J. A. Hinton and Mrs. R. C. Bamford. The tea room was in the capable hands of Mrs. A. L. Holtby, her serviteurs being Mrs. W. M. Watts, Mrs. G. P. Tinker, Mrs. R. G. Birch, Mrs. R. E. Mortimer and Mrs. H. F. Pullen. Ice cream was sold by Mrs. C. H. Orme, home cooking by Mrs. W. Hall and Mrs. J. T. Langridge.

The sale of aprons and bags was conducted by Mrs. H. Cowie. Mrs. K. Greer was cashier.

OF SAME FAMILY: Tomatoes, eggplant and peppers belong to the same family.

## CATHEDRAL W.A. TEA AND SALE

Delightful Affair at Home of Mrs. C. C. Mills

On a perfectly beautiful afternoon many friends of St. Andrew's Cathedral met at the home of Mrs. C. C. Mills on Wednesday at a highly successful tea and sale of home cooking. Guests were received by the hostess and Miss Nora Bird, president of the senior branch of the Woman's Auxilliary.

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## KINSMEN'S CLUB SPONSORS SALE

Prince Rupert's newest service club—the Kinsmen's—has taken on, as its initial endeavour, the sponsorship of the sale of "T.B." Christmas seals in Prince Rupert and has an active committee at work getting the campaign organized.

With the rush of the Christmas parcel season already on in the dispatching of gifts and remembrances to the boys serving abroad in the various forces, many people are solving the problem of scarcity of choice in Christmas seals this year by using quantities of the gay T. B. seals on the outside of their parcels and letters.

These attractive stamp-size stickers are now available at the sales office of the Northern British Columbia Power Co.

### CHEETAH HUNTER

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WILL ROBINSON, late of the County of Vancouver, British Columbia, deceased. PURSUANT to the Order of the Court under the above Act I DO hereby APPOINT the hour of 10 o'clock on the forenoon of Tuesday, the 14th day of November 1944 and the House at Vancouver, British Columbia, as the place for the hearing of the said application for the appointment of a Notary Public with authority to practise as such at Terrace, British Columbia, before the 20th day of October 1944, a copy of this appointment to be published at least once a week in the Daily News of Prince Rupert, British Columbia, DATED at Vancouver, B.C. 4th day of October, 1944. J. P. MANN District Registrar at Vancouver of the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

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