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#### A Northern Senator . . .

If ever this part of the country central and northern British Columbia—could well do with some friendly and earnest representation at Ottawa now is the time. There is a senatorial vacancy from British Columbia and these parts have a good claim to having the appointment made from this area. We have men of talent and experience eminently fitted for the post and men, too, if long and faithful, although not necessarily hidebound, partly allegiance is to be taken into account, who are amply qualified. In fact, we have men with all the attributes required to grace the Upper Chamber and to add to its talents.

It is to be recalled that the nearest this part of the country ever attained to senatorial representation was many years ago when the late A. E. Planta of Nanaimo, who had once sat as Member of Parliament for Comox-Atlin, was later made a senator. As far as actual residence is concerned, we have never had a senator.

To have British Columbia's new senator a man identified with the north would be both timely and appropriate and would be a matter for particular appreciation just now when we appear to be somewhat detached from inner councils of the powers that be.

Since the north country is at last coming into its own, a senator from this area might well prove beneficial from a national standpoint.

#### The Balkans . . .

What moral right Soviet Russia SCHOOL HEALTH has to dominate 70 million Balkan people is questioned. The Moscow commissars claim that the present puppet governments of the Balkans, sponsored by them, are truly "democratic." However, London, Washington and Paris, after investigation, do the school board last night by not agree with this claim. The truth is that the majority of the Balkan provincial health director, in peoples is against Soviet rule. Greeks speaking at the board's monthly and YugoSlavs say, "We fought work of the public health docagainst Hitler's and Mussolini's new order to be free, not to be enslaved "only a part of the community by another 'new order' of Commu-

The victory was accomplished by ing a great amount of time in have their part to play but they reports to the Union Board of the combined efforts of great na- the schools is no longer neces- are in favor of seeing the par- Health, the controlling local tions and small, who fought for the same cause: to stop the spreading of rest of the time they are sub- should look after the health of trends. Nazism Fascism and the Japanese ject to the general conditions of the school child." menace, and to uproot from the the community. world such mediaval tyrannies in order to restore peace to the nations and assure them freedom in choosing their own way of life. News from Greece, YugoSlavia, Rumania and Bulgaria is today, however, that the tyranny is only being replaced by a new totalitarian regime.

The Balkans is still the most troublesome area of the continent as it has been intermittently throughout the last century. One of the ostensible causes of the failure of the conference of Foreign Ministers in London was the question of the Balkans. This question is of prime importance to the future peace of Europe, the Mediterranean and the Near East. It seems clear that Soviet Russia's intention is to take control over all the Balkans thus giving her a position which will provide the basis for fulfilling her dream of establishing control over the Mediterranean as well as the Middle East through which runs the road to India.

The present tragic crisis which is threatening the Balkan nations is not just a local problem. It is also the problem of the British Commonwealth of Nations. Already Canada has had to join in two wars which started in the Balkans and Central Europe.

Complete independence and unity of the Balkan Nations is essential to the realization of a permanent peace and future security of the Mediterranean and Europe and the world.

Responsibility of Parents

Emphasized by Dr. Hershey The part which local Health Units play in relation to the school system was outlined to Dr. James M. Hershey, assistant meeting. Dr. Hershey saw the tor and nurses in the schools as health service."

"It is obvious," he said, "that the old idea of the nurses spend-

nutrition and others-but the Fined \$1,000 For spend all their time at the Price Infraction community health service and trate W. D. Vance to a charge the teachers in most cases can of selling men's clothing articles assume responsibility for the at a price higher than that minor accidents and ought to be authorized by the Wartime Prices able to render first aid in case and Trade Board. The charge of more serious accidents."

The provincial public health Board investigator. service, Dr. Hershey said, recognizes the importance of parental responsibility for children's provincial health officer, who health and is aware of the im- has been in the city for the past portant place of the private few days on official duties, will medical practitioner in the pub- sail tonight by the Prince Rulic health set-up.

"The public health authorities sary. Children spend only a part ents take more responsibility in body, so that representatives on of their day in school and the seeing that the family doctor the board can keep posted on the

"There are specific programs ored the idea of the Health Unit to read. Interim reports are short

schools just to be present when A. W. Lipsin of Acme Importan accident occurs is a wasteful ers, was fined \$1,000 and \$3.75 procedure. The school health costs in city police court when program is only a part of the he pleaded guilty before Magiswas laid by C. W. Rimmer, Prices

> Dr. J. M. Hershey, assistant pert on his return to Nanaimo.

Annual reports are necessary Dr. Hershey said that he fav- but they are long and tiresome in the schools-immunization, authorities submitting interim and more timely," he said.

#### ROYAL BANK APPOINTMENTS



Sydney G. Dobson, Vice-President and General Manager of The Royal Bank of Canada, whose appointment as Executive Vice - President is announced.



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#### Announcements

United Church Bazaar, Decem-

W. A. Canadian Legion Tea and raffle Dec. 6 from 3 to 6.

East End Child Health Centre moving to Conrad Street School, Thursday, Dec. 6, 3 p.m. (1t)

Eastern Star Tea, Dec. 12, Mrs. C. A. Berner's.

Canadian Legion Christmas Tree, Dec. 22. Legion and Auxiliary members with children 12 and under, please phone Mrs. Morrow, Black 752 before Nov.

L.O.B.A. Dance, Oddfellows' Hall, Dec. 27. Refreshments. De Carlo's Orchestra.

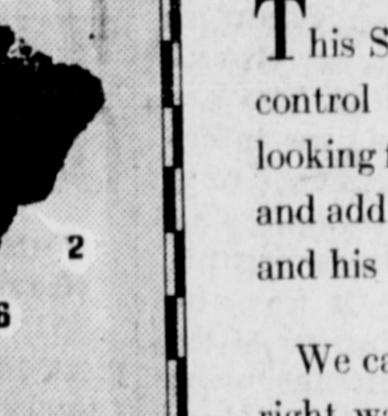
Canadian Legion and Prince Rupert Regiment (M.G.) New Year's Eve Party and Dance 6th Avenue Armouries. Ad mission by invitation only.

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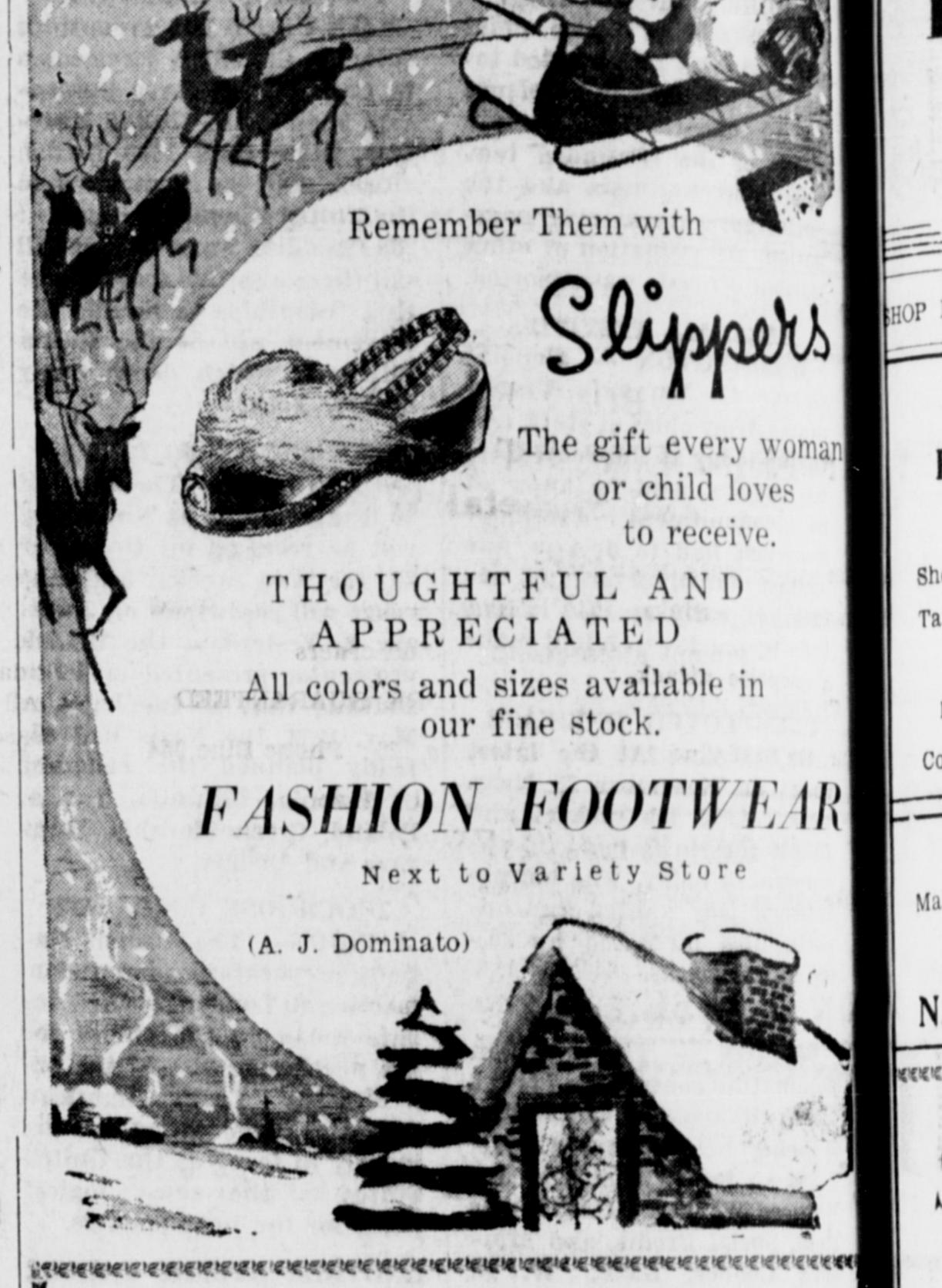
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