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# Jap Surrender Reply Being Delivered Today

PROVINCIAL

ottonwood Moving -- CITY

First Consignment of Twelve-Million-Foot Order on Way To Vancouver

After many years, Skeena iver cottonwood logs are rain moving to the south ast for manufacture into vwood. The first raft left lmor last Friday for delivto the Western Plywood Ltd. at Vancouver. Consting of approximately 500,feet, it was towed by the Robert Preston.

The cottonwood is being loged in the Terrace district by L. M. Giggey, well-known terior timber operator. It is pecially equipped log cars upplied by the Canadian Naonal Railways. At Bilmor it unloaded and rafted.

The first shipment consisted 73 carloads of approximate-

500,000 feet. Loaded on to a spruce botm, the cottonwood logs are ade into a seagoing crib at

Bilmor mill.

The week-end consignment the first of an expected 12,-00,000 feet to start with.

# OKOHAMA DOCK OMB TARGET

GUAM, Aug. 14—Admiral Hal-'s powerful Third Fleet guardagainst possible banzai atcks by the Japanese air force onday as his carrier planes led His Worship. blasted Yokohama docks and Mr. Brydges sought bands to bration. from the Tokyo area.

carrier planes.

### Weather Forecast

Tuesday and Wednesday loudy during morning, becomcooler with intermittent meeting. nt rain, increasing winds, stly fresh southwesterly.

# LIVELY PROGRAM OF CELEBRATION

Demonstration

At Post Office

prosecutor.

negotiating with Magistrate

W. D. Vance to act as presiding

judge with T. W. Brown as

"With Sergeant O. L. Hall

Later the effigies will be puri-

The morning Thansgiving ser-

House green with Bishop J. B.

Gibson and members of the

Prince Rupert Ministerial Asso-

The public morning service

torium should weather be unfa-

vorable for outdoor ceremonies.

Navy, Army and Air Force are

arranging for their own thanks

giving services on the morning

the Canadian Legion and all

veterans will take place at 11

Thanksgiving services in mili-

are also part of the Victory cele-

celebration have been Mayor H.

M. Daggett, Ald. W. H. Brett, Ald.

of the Empire, Hugh Killin,

gion, Bishop J. B. Gibson, presi-

dent of the Prince Ruper Minis-

terial Association, with the co-

president of the Canadian Le-

of V-J Day.

having custody of the prisoners,"

With the punch-drunk Jap-1anese finally throwing in the first, second and third prize will towel and admiting defeat, be given to the children having Prince Rupert is poised for a the best decorated vehicles. first class V-J Day celebration on the day officially proclaimed as the holiday.

The citizens' committee organized by Mayor Daggett at the week-end has outlined a celebration program which will begin with a thanksgiving service at 10 a.m. on V-J Day and terminate late that night as crowds watch a victory bonfire consume effigies of Hitler, Mussolini and Hirohito in Fraser Park.

In the interval between, there will be a military parade, baseball games at the Acropolis Hill and Gyro Park ball grounds, a citizens' parade and an open

The finance sub-committee of he added. the V-J celebration committee eing delivered to Bilmor in met with an open hand in their fied in the Victory bonfire at solicitations to raise a \$250 fund to cover the cost of the celebration, Alderman W. H. Brett vice will be held at the Court reported to a caucus of committee heads Monday after-

Maurice Brydges, chairman of ciation officiating. Mayor Dagthe parade committee, was gett said that he hoped to have striving to make the citizens' T. D. Pattullo, M.L.A. for Prince parade a memorable demonstra- Rupert, take part in the Thankstion and was asking that in giving service. dividuals and organizations in the city and surrounding vil- will be held in the Y.M.C.A. audilages join in.

The parade will begin at the Court House at 6:30 p.m., proceed west on Third Avenue to the Second Avenue intersection, then back along Second Avenue to the Court House. At conclusion of the parade there will be a period of community singing on the Court House green.

Leading the parade will be Hill and Gyro Park grounds. Mayor Daggett riding in a jeep. "I want it decorated," chuck- tary camps throughout the Area

submarine pens after being take part in the parade and turned back by heavy weather issued invitations for all bands in the city and native villages Six enemy planes, attempting to take up position when the eak attacks, were shot down marching starts. Entries floats and decorated vehicles are solicited and organizations wishing to put in floats are asked to communicate with Mr. Brydges immediately.

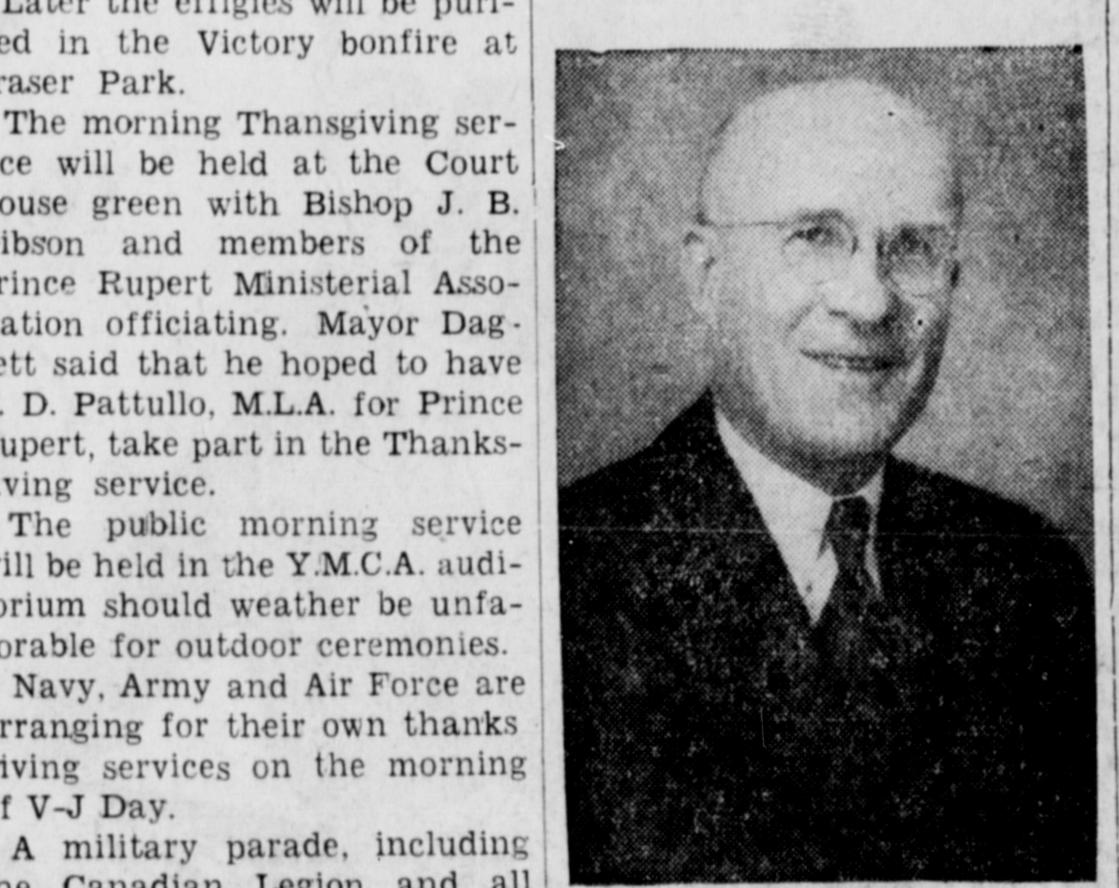
"I've arranged to get 2,500 g mostly fair during afternoon. small flags and am trying to oderate north winds, cloudy get noisemakers," he told the Force officers and other ranks.

While no prizes will be award-ed for adult float entries, a SIGNAL OF

### Toronto Plans to Make Day of It

troller Balfour — says that the POST-WAR USES celebrate V-J Day until tomorrow-at least not officially. The acting mayor says that the official announcement probably will not come in time to have At the conclusion of the par- the celebration today so that ade and community singing an the official ceremonies will take open air dance will begin on place tomorrow. However, it is the study of chemical and bio-Third Avenue in front of the not expected that Toronto's citi- logical processes and for applipost office. The dance will be zens will draw any imaginary interrupted by a satisfactory line between official and uninterlude when effigies of Hit- official celebrations and that, ler, Mussolini and Hirohito will if definite news comes today will be tried, convicted and hanged. be a holiday whether the muni-Dance committee chairman cipal authorities want it that Bill Jarmson said that he was way or not.

## IS VISITING ROTARY HERE



C. Albert Oulton

o'clock and during the after-Club will have an interesting of- contest last week, may have House definitely expects Japan's at Cow Bay. noon baseball and softball games will be played at the Acropolis ficial visitor tomorrow in the per- been a close second choice of surrender reply during the day. son of C. Albert Oulton, past the perplexed judges in selecting Presidential Secretary Ross compresident of the Saskatoon Ro- "Miss Northern British Colum- mented: "it looks as if we were tary Club and active in Rotary bia" but, for good sportsman- at least nearing the end of our International as director, dis-ship, she most certainly was long vigil." trict governor and committee "tops." Taking a leading part in the chairman and organizer. In One might have expected Virarrangements for the V-J Day view of Mr. Oulton's visit, the ginia to have been somewhat local club is holding its weekly disappointed at not being the luncheon on Wednesday instead winner. When asked by a re-N. E. Arnold, Mrs. D. C. Stuart of Thursday. C. Albert Oulton porter if she was, she merely of the Imperial Order Daughters has been superintendent of the smiled, her big eyes shining and Saskatoon school district since pearly teeth glistening, and said: 1927. He was educated at Mount Allison University and Harvard (Patterson) tried hard; she has University. He is director of the what it takes and deserved to Playgrounds Association and the win." operation of Navy, Army and Air Saskatchewan Musical Association, secretary of the local com- Virginia attended school tomittee of the National Council gether at Prince George and are of Education, and director of the the best of friends—a friendship Canadian Institute for the Blind | that was not one whit diminish-(Northern Saskatchewan sec- ed because they happened to be tion),

Will Be Proclaimed-Ques-

ing of air raid sirens will proclaim V-J Day in British Colsoon as official word has been

will be a full holiday.

will close on V-J Day.

### Baseball Scores American

New York 4-9, Detroit 15-11. Washington 2-11, St. Louis 4-3. Boston 0, Cleveland 10. Philadelphia 3, Chicago 4.

Cincinnati 0, New York 2. St. Louis 11, Brooklyn 10. (15 innings). Pittsburg 4, Boston 6.

Chicago 4, Philadelphia 1. International Baltimore 1-9, Montreal 2-8. Newark 3-9, Toronto 6-10. Syracuse 2, Rochester 10.

American Association Columbus 5, St. Paul 6. (Second game postponed). Toledo at Minneapolis post-

Indianapolis 10, Milwaukee 4. Louisville 2, Kansas City 8.

# TORONTO, Aug. 14 (P) — The ATOMIC ENERGY

OTTAWA, Aug. 13-The Chalk River, Ont., pilot plant under construction for the production of atomic bomb materials will be a source of new radio-active material which will be valuable for cation in medicine, Reconstruction Minister Howe has revealed in a statement on Canada'c role in atomic research. Mr. Howe reviewed the contribution of Canadian scientists to the development of the atomic bomb.

opment involved substantial expenditures and was the most extensive research program ever undertaken in the Dominion, he

Mr. Howe made public the names of Canadian laboratories Swiss political department issued KAMIKAZES HIT National Research Council, and Dr. J. D. Cockroft, formerly of Cambridge University, England.

## Is lops as Good Sport

Was "Miss Tweedsmuir Park" Disappointed?-Of Course Not

as "Miss Tweedsmuir Park" at lied terms of surrender." The Prince Rupert Rotary the Civic Centre Carnival beauty At Washington the White they say they seized in a house

"Of course not. Georgina

Incidentally, Georgina and competitors in the beauty con-

Following her week's visit in the city, Virginia left Saturday to complete a leave from the decoded. OTTAWA, Aug. 14 (P)—Official Royal Canadian Air Force visitin slumber when the Domei She has bid for her discharge there was no immediate re- job to go to at Portland. She is

# TEACHING HERE

James Clark, who has been in the Royal Canadian Naval service since 1940, having attained the rank of lieutenant-commander, is returning to Prince Rupert at the commencement of the forthcoming fall term to resume his teaching duties on the staff of Booth Memorial High School. He is now on his way back to the coast to be dis charged following service on the Atlantic. Nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Finlayson, Fourth Ave. W. Lieut. Cmdr. Clark is now married and his wife and family will be arriving later.

## Vancouver Thugs

Grundy, merchant seaman, was said at 2:07 a.m. (EDT) that Commodore James Vardaman, be subservient to the Allied subeaten and robbed of \$110 early Domei News Agency said the were around. There was no in- preme commander had been dis-Sunday by three men after be- Japanese government had ac- dication that President Truman patched to Japan Saturday Senate, 18,000 lbs., to Pacific | ing lured to the beach in Stanley | cepted the Allied surrender for- | had been awakened during the | through a legation in Washing-Park by a girl he met downtown. mula. Almost simultaneously, night.

# Momentous Document Reaches Washington

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14 (P)

-Radio Tokyo claimed without

confirmation today that five

into an aircraft carrier during

Admiral Chester W. Nimitz

announced that a major United

States warship was hit by an

aerial-borne torpedo Sunday.

Press dispatches said damage

The city police office was frag

rant with fumes of a 10-gallon

keg of home-brewed wine which

fined \$25 or an alternative of

W. D. Vance in city police court

MAKING WINE

was minor.

coming soon.

lied surrender terms.

SURRENDER IN WASHINGTON

NEW YORK, Aug. 14 (CP) — An American radio correspondent, in a broadcast from Basle, Declaration Switzerland, says it has been announced there that the Japanese surrender will be at the White House of Potsdam in Washington within two hours. The correspondent declared the Japanese have accepted the Allied terms in principle.

The Japanese minister to Switzerland delivered a note at the Swiss federal building in Berne at 12:05 Canada's part in bomb devel- noon Pacific Time today, possibly the Japanese reply to the Allied surrender terms for transmission to London, Washington and Moscow. Shortly after the United States minister to Berne arrived at the Swiss federal building. A short time

on the radio activity research a communique declaring no Japprogram instituted in Canada in lanese note had been received. DIANE CADDIED 1942. Heading the list were Dr. Tokyo at noon broadcast that C. J. MacKenzie, director of the an announcement of "unprecedented importance" would be made at 8 p.m. Pacific Daylight Japanese suicide planes crashed

The Tokyo radio also said today that "it is learned that an Imperial message accepting the an air attack on Allied vessels Potsdam proclamations will be near Okinawa yesterday. forthcoming soon" and later announced the Japanese government's answer to the four Allied powers was on its way to Switzerland. In London Prime Minister

Attlee's office has issued a statement saying that "no official FINED FOR Pretty Leading Airwoman Vir- confirmation has yet been reginia Keefe of Francois Lake, ceived of the many rumors at who appeared with bewitching present circulating about the and unaffected natural charm acceptance by Japan of the Al-

one month in jail by Magistrate

The Domei News Agency said in a broadcast recorded by Federal Communications Commission that "on August 14, 1945, the Imperial decision was granted" and that weeping people had gathered before the Emperor's Palace and "bowed to the very ground in their shame that their efforts were not enough." The broadcast did not say what the Emperor's decision was.

The Swiss radio had announcepted the Allied note.

American broadcasting com-

pany monitors reported early to- tem carried a flash quoting its A crowd of several thousand day that Japanese radio stations | San Francisco monitor to the ef- | civilians and sailors were dishad begun contacting all Jap- fect that Japan had accepted Al- persed by the police and shore anese ships at sea.

### Another Night Of Suspense

-"the text of an imperial mes- signed off a routine English- fore the mob gained any ensage accepting the Potsdam language news broadcast with- trance to the store. The mob, proclamations will be forthcom- out further reference to the sub- however, moved to the main ing soon" electrified Allied capi- ject. Later, word came from Johnson Street store where they tals last night. However, hours Berne purporting the receipt of were met by a heavy guard later, monitors reported that the a message there from Japan. The brandishing truncheons. The forecast message still had not Allied surrender terms were crowd kept at a safe distance. been heard. The American Com- transmitted to Tokyo on Satur- This demonstration followed munications Commission at 3 day through Berne. o'clock this morning (Toronto | Monitors throughout the world | nouncement that Japan had ac-Time) said Domei News Agency | were remaining alert for direct | cepted Allied surrender terms. predicted that it would have word from the Tokyo radio something important to an- which might come at any mothat is, 8 a.m. Toronto time. Another Tokyo transmission placed The National Broadcasting TOKYO RECEIVES other Tokyo transmission placed Company's listening post in New the time at 10 p.m., Tokyo time, York reported Tokyo Domei ALLIES' REPLY. which is 9 a.m., Toronto time. Morse transmitters signed off at There was nothing definite then 3:38 a.m. (EDT) after transmitalthough it was prematurely ting coded international mes- Tokyo radio broadcast a Domei stated that the Japanese reply sages. This channel presumably dispatch Monday saying that the to the Allies' surrender terms would be used by the Japanese official text of the Allied reply was at Berne.

Early reports had indicated render dictates to Berne for re- message offering surrender was that the Japanese government lay to the Allied powers. has agreed to the surrender for- In Washington all was quiet the Swiss legation. mula of the British, United throughout the night at the The Allied reply to the Jap-States, Chinese and Russian gov- White House. Only newsmen and lanese making it clear that Em-VANCOUVER, Aug. 14-Ernest ernments. Reuters News Agency | President Truman's naval aide, peror Hirohito would have to

Here are the terms of the Potsdam declaration accepted by the Japanese Imperial government as the basis of their surrender:

1-Elimination for all time of those who led the Japanese nation into its era of conquest. 2—Occupation of points in Japanese territory by allied forces until an accentable form of democratic government is set up.

3—Limitation of Japanese authority to the four home islands of Hokkaido, Honshu, Shikoku and Kyushu. 4—Implementation of the

terms of the Cairo declaration stripping Japan of all areas that she has conquered. 5—Complete disarmament

of Japanese armed forces. 6-Stern justice for war criminals.

7—Removal by the Japanese government of all obstacles to the revival of democracy. 8-Granting of permission

for the Japanese to retain necessary peace industries. 9-Regulation of access of

the Japanese to raw materials

and world trade. 10-An Allied promise to withdraw Allied forces from

Japan when the Japanese have established a government by free will of the people. Henry Bradley, a native, was

## for manufacturing a quantity of AT VICTOD A wine at his home at 247 First A

VICTORIA, Aug. 14 (P)—Early news that the Japanese governthe United States Office of War ment had accepted the Allied Information carried a report on governments' surrender terms its domestic circuit quoting the was the signal for a wild vic-Federal Communications Com- tory celebration in Victoria, last mission report of what appar- night. Dockyard workers, sailors ently was the same broadcast. and residents of the huge naval An Associated Press dispatch base of Esquimalt started the from Guam shortly after said riotous celebration by cheering the communications room of the and milling through the streets. United States Pacific fleet head- The celebration was picked up quarters had flashed word over quickly in downtown Victoria ced earlier that Japan had ac- the Guam radio that a Tokyo and the streets rang with cheers broadcast had said that Japan- and the honking of automobile Paris radio reported from ese had accepted the Potsdam horns. One celebrant appeared Berne that the answer to Allied surrender ultimatum. Later this in his underwear—another in a surrender terms had been re- dispatch was amended to say C.W.A.C. uniform. Servicemen ceived in code by Swiss authori- that the navy had flashed that mingled arm and arm with cities and was in process of being an imperial message was forth- vilians and marched through the streets. The din subsided short-Columbia Broadcasting Sys- ly after midnight.

patrol early today after they The Associated Press listening had converged on the downtown post in New York—the one which | Humboldt Street liquor store and also recorded the original an- hurled rocks through the front A Tokyo radio announcement nouncement—said that at 3:30 windows. The police called for saying that—in their own words a.m. (EDT) the Tokyo radio reinforcements who arrived be-

an earlier celebration after an-

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 14for their reply to the Allied sur- to the Japanese government's received today in Tokyo through

# V.-J. DAY PROGRAM

10 A.M.—Thanksgiving Service at Court

11 A.M.—Grand Military Parade, all services.

AFTERNOON

2 P.M.—Doubleheader Ball Games at Acropolis Hill annd Gyro Ball Parks. 6:30 P.M.—Monster Civilian Parade assembles at Court House. Floats by various

civic organizations. All children will be given flags; prizes for best children's decorated bicycle, wagon, buggy, etc.

P.M.—Parade starts. Will proceed up Third Ave. to junction of Third Ave. and Second St., continue down Second back to Court House.

7:45 P.M.—Community Singing at Court House. Song sheets given out.

8:30 P.M.—Huge Street Dance and other attractions on Third Ave. in front of Post Office.

11 P.M.—Bonfire, Fraser Street Park—Burning of Hirohito, Hitler, Mussolini.

V.-J. Day Committee invites the Native Broth-

erhood and all members, also bands that are able to come in to participate in the V.-J. Day program. All organizations arranging floats to advise Committee by

calling 209.

Victoria Announces How It tion of Holiday Observance

VICTORIA, Aug. 14-Sound-

National

Jersey City 4, Buffalo 18.

poned. and Booth.

### Ottawa Is Cautious On Peace Statement

and unofficial Ottawa was deep ing her home at Francois Lake. Agency report of Japanese peace from the Air Force and confided umbia. They will be set off as acceptance came through so that she had the offer of a good received that Japan has given action. A secretary at the Prime an accountant. Minister's office told a newsman Vancouver will observe V-J that there will be no statement Day as a half holiday if the official signal is given before news is official. The secretary NAVAL OFFICER said he did not expect such an TO RESUME HIS noon. Otherwise, the next day said he did not expect such an If the signal should come is expected that the Prime Minbefore noon liquor stores will lister will have an official stateclose for the rest of the day. | ment later in the day. He prob-All taverns in Vancouver ably will set next Sunday as Canada's official day of prayer and thanksgiving.

### Improvements to Road Are Needed

"It must be improved," marked T. D. Pattullo, M.L.A. for Prince Rupert, in commenting on the condition of the Prince Rupert Highway between here and Terrace after making his first trip over the road by motor. Mr. Pattullo made the trip with G. W. Nickerson. Their ca left at 10:30 in the morning and was back at 7 p.m. Mr. Pattullo was impressed with the beauty of the drive and promised that he would do all in his power to see that it was properly main- Beat, Rob Seaman

FISH SALES (American-15c and 13½c)