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MAGIC Peach Layer Cake

2 1/2 cups sifted cake flour
2 1/2 tsp. Magic Baking Powder
1/2 tsp. salt
1/2 cup shortening

1 cup white corn syrup
2 eggs, unbeaten
1/2 cup milk
1 tsp. vanilla
1/2 tsp. almond extract

Sift dry ingredients together 3 times. Cream shortening. Add syrup gradually, beating well after each addition. Add 1/2 of flour mixture. Blend well. Add eggs, one at a time; beat well after each. Add remaining flour mixture in thirds, alternating with milk in halves, beating well after each addition. Add flavoured oil. Bake in 2 greased lightly floured 8" layer cake pans at 375°F. until done. Top and fill layers with peach-halves and whipped cream.

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Local News Items...

▲ For a reliable taxi, Phone 32. Open 7 a.m. to 3 a.m. (1f)

▲ St. Paul's Lutheran Church Sunday School Christmas Tree Tonight 7:30.

J. S. Wilson sailed Tuesday afternoon on the Catala for a trip to Vancouver.

▲ Oddfellows' and Rebekahs Christmas Tree, December 27, 2 to 5. Members and children come along. (297)

▲ **PRE STOCK TAKING SALE**
—We are closing next week for stock taking. Everything selling this week at cost—Wee Tots' Shoppe. (300)

Miss Helen Douglas, daughter of David Douglas, arrived in the city at the first of the week from Vancouver to spend the Christmas holiday season here.

Richard Mills, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Mills, who served in the Royal Canadian Air Force and later in the Canadian Army, returned home at the first of the week.

Miss Jean Fraser arrived in the city on the Princess Adelaide Monday afternoon to spend the Christmas and New Year season with her mother, Mrs. J. D. Fraser, Brooksbank Apartments.

Kosta Killas arrived in the city Monday on the Princess Adelaide from Portland, Oregon, to spend Christmas and New Year with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Killas. Kosta is studying dentistry at Portland.

Mrs. Harry Ormiston and family are sailing tonight on the Prince Rupert for Victoria where they will take up residence, joining Capt. Ormiston who was transferred to that city recently in the Dominion lighthouse service.

Lieut. Beatrice Berner is returning on the Prince Rupert tonight to her duties as a nursing sister at the Vancouver Military Hospital after having been home for the past few days to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Berner.

Miss Mary Hartin, for years a local school teacher and now in Vancouver, arrived Monday afternoon on the Princess Adelaide from the south to be the Christmas and New Year holiday guest here of Miss E. A. Mercer.

D. C. Tumilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Tumilson, 1140 Hays Cove Ave., arrived home on the Princess Adelaide Monday afternoon to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents. He was recently discharged from the Royal Canadian Air Force and is now attending vocational school in Vancouver.

Capt. Al Mah Visiting Here
Capt. Al Mah, former Chinese Aviation Corporation pilot and at present associated with a newly formed American transport company, arrived unexpectedly Sunday night on the Catala to spend Christmas at his home here. Formerly a transport pilot in China, Capt. Mah is now a partner in the National Skyways Corporation, "The Flying Tiger Line," which was recently incorporated in the United States. He returned from San Francisco where he has been on a business visit to the company's headquarters.

KITIMAAIT COUPLE MARRIED HERE
A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized Saturday afternoon when Rev. R. A. Wilson of First United Church united in marriage Lila, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Hall, and Wilfred, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson. Both are residents of Kitimaat.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and was attended by her cousin, Miss Marjorie Walker. Groomsman was Harry Amos.

The bride wore a floor length gown of ivory satin with tulle veil flowing in soft drapes to the floor, the cap and halo being shirred of the same material. The bridesmaid wore a floor length gown of pink georgette.

Later a reception was held at the Boston Cafe and was attended by the out of town guests.

The couple sailed for home at midnight. A large reception in the community hall awaited them on their arrival at Kitimaat.

YULE HAMPERS SENT OUT TO 30 FAMILIES
Deliveries of between 25 and 30 Christmas hampers were made by the local Salvation Army to brighten the spirits of people who would not have fared so well at the Yule festival. Adjutant Peter Gorrie, local Salvation Army commander, said the deliveries were made Monday afternoon by messenger truck and, in some "last minute" cases, by taxi.

The practice is an annual one for the Salvation Army which, in addition to its continuing work throughout the year, makes a special effort to brighten needy homes at Christmas time by sending out hampers with food and toys.

The Army's work this year was materially assisted by funds raised by the Junior Chamber of Commerce's radio auction.

In addition to sending out hampers, the Salvation Army was host to about 50 children Monday evening when a full Christmas dinner with all trimmings was served at the Citadel. The feast was followed by the showing of films by Major Wells of the Salvation Army.

Power Company Ladies Entertain
Lady employees of the Northern B. C. Power Co. were hostesses to ladies of other offices of the Besner Block and to wives of the male employees of the company in their lunch room Monday afternoon. The lunch room was later the scene of a party for the staff of the power company.

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OLD HOTEL IS TO BE PULLED DOWN
OTTAWA (C)—The old Hotel Vancouver, which has been used as a military barracks and headquarters of Pacific Command, is being turned back by the military authorities to the Canadian Pacific Railway and will be pulled down in the spring.

Temperature
Maximum 45
Minimum 31

FUNERAL NOTICE
Funeral services for the late Jack Garland will be held at the Grenville Court Chapel at 2 p.m. Saturday, December 29. Interment will follow in Fairview Cemetery. (299)

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

Hogmanay Dance, under auspices of I.O.O.F. Lodge, Oddfellows' Hall, Dec. 31. Dancing 9 p.m. till 1 a.m. John Bremner's Orchestra.

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

Welcome Home Dance for Naval veterans, January 11, Oddfellows' Hall.

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