

## BENEFITS OF CONVENTION ARE REALIZED IN PRINCE GEORGE

### Old Prejudices Removed — Local Delegates Interested In Music Festival — See New Homes

PRINCE GEORGE, May 9, (Special to Daily News)—Beneficial effect of the reviving of the annual conventions of the Associated Boards of Trade of Northern British Columbia is already being felt in Prince George.

Business men from this community who attended the Vanderhoof convention were pleased with the spirit of good fellowship that permeated the entire proceedings and the understanding each delegate had for the others.

Enthusiasm of Prince Rupert delegates for the laying of plans toward a North and Central B.C. prosperity program did much toward making the convention a success.

Prince George business men are hopeful that out of the Vanderhoof gathering will come a strong enough force to shatter for all time the walls of provincialism that have existed between communities along the C.N.R. line—walls of mistrust and jealousy that have tended to retard development and greater prosperity for the entire country.

The largest drama and music festival in the province, with some 600 competitors, was held Thursday, Friday and Saturday in Prince George. Standard of talent shown by the school children and adults brought praise from Major L. Bullock Webster, Victoria, Department of Education, Adjudicator of the Drama, and Mrs. Florence Gunn, Victoria, who judged the music section, praised the first annual drama and music festival to be held in Prince George.

Prince Rupert delegates to Vanderhoof convention, who paid a side call to Prince George after the session Friday evening, found themselves dwelling on possibility of Prince Rupert.

He has been our strength and our salvation. Let us thank God for His mercies and in the hour of Victory commit ourselves and our new task to the guidance of the same strong hand."

very existence as a people. Our causes was not this nation's only, not this Empire's and this Commonwealth's only but that of every land where freedom is cherished and where law and liberty go hand in hand. In our darkest hours we knew that the oppressed people of Europe looked to us. Their hopes were our hopes. Their confidence confirms our faith.

"They knew that if we failed, the last barriers against world wide tyranny would have fallen in ruins. But we did not fail. We kept faith with ourselves and one another and unity with our great allies, which carried us to victory through dangers which seemed at times so overwhelming.

"So let us resolve to bring to the tasks which lie ahead the same confidence in our mission. Much hard work awaits us both in the restoration of our own country and in helping to bring peace and sanity to a shattered world. This comes at a time when we have given of our best, after heart and brain, nerve and muscle are directed at the overthrow of Nazi tyranny. Now we turn, fortified by our success to deal with the last remaining foe.

"The Queen and I know the ordeals you have endured throughout the Commonwealth and Empire. We are proud to have shared some of these ordeals with you and know that together we shall all face the future with stern resolve and prove that our reserves of will-power and vitality are inexhaustible.

"The days of darkness and danger for our children are over, please God, forever. We shall have failed those who died and their blood will have flown in vain if the struggle does not lead to a lasting peace founded on justice and goodwill.

"Then let us take up our work again and resolve as a people to do nothing unworthy of those who died to make such a world as they would have desired for their children and ours. This is the task to which honor now binds us.

"In danger we committed our faith into the hands of God and

the half holiday, Mayor H. M. Daggett announced that the regular meeting of City Council to be held Monday night, had been cancelled, and would be held later this week.

The Prince Rupert Ministerial Association met at 10 o'clock in the morning to lay plans for the observance of the Allied victory. Initial feature was a community service of thanksgiving, held in the YMCA Red Triangle centre at 2:30 in the afternoon when Very Rev. J. B. Gibson, president, and other clergymen led a service attended by hundreds.

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#### IN MEMORIAM

LEE—In beloved memory of Mrs. Charlie Hew Lee, who passed away on May 9, 1943. There is no time that we could set For parting. We who must remain Are never ready for such pain. Even our prayer would be: "Not Yet!"

Not yet, dear God—another day With us let our beloved stay. We must believe, when falls the blow That wisely God has willed it so. —Ever sadly missed by her loving husband, Kam, June and Margaret.

#### CARD OF THANKS

The Old Time Dance Club wishes to extend to the Board of School Trustees and Edward Wahl, principal of Conrad Street School, our appreciation of the use of the school for the old time dances which were much enjoyed by everyone. We are looking forward to next season. W. Davidson, Chairman. J. Davidson, Treasurer. W. McKenzie, Secretary.

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