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THE AIR BASE

T IS SATISFACTORY TO KNOW from an official of the Department of Transport who is here in connection with the disposition of the Seal Cove air base which is now in the hands of the Department of Transport and the War Assets Corporation that the intention of the Department of Transport is to retain intact sufficient of the facilities to ensure the maintenance of a permanent air station here for the use and convenience of aircraft operating in commercial and civilian flying on the coast. The hope of the Department is that the city or private interests will eventually take over but, meantime, it will be held by the Department so that it may be available for flying and servicing purposes here.

While there may be some issue as to whether the air base should be publicly or privately operated, the important thing is that there should be adequate landing and servicing facilities maintained at Prince Rupert. The government appreciates the importance of this in withholding the whole establishment from immediate disposal by War Assets. Meantime, the city will have to make up its mind as to what, if anything, it desires or is able to do in keeping the facilities permanently in public control. Failing that, other interestseither commercial aviation concerns or servicing companies-might assume control.

Acquire a Hobby

AS ALWAYS, there are those who become bored because of the strain imposed by the performance of certain duties. One of the ways by which nervousness and ill temper can be overcome for many persons is the acquisition of some hobby. It is the cultivation of a hobby that has made is possible for many to enjoy the diversity of thought that prevents the brain from becoming sluggish and provides an outlet for the strenuous work of the average citizen.

The development of a hobby or an outside interest entirely separate from that of the daily task may serve as a sort of escape. It does not really matter what the hobby may be, provided it is interesting to the person concerned. It may, or may not, be expensive; it may, or may not, be elevating.

A person who finds some channel for the creative energy is happy. Nobody with a hobby is ever lonely for a long

If you aren't interested in a hobby of material form, then why not start a mental hobby? Have something interesting on your mind. The handsomest man will soon be dull without an active interest in something outside of himself. The prettiest woman has an empty face that cannot hold attention long unless she has an active continuity of interest in your mind.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA IN PROBATE IN THE MATTER OF THE "ADMINISTRATION ACT"

OF NOEL LAVERDIERE, DECEASED appointed administrator of the estate TESTATE TAKE NOTICE that by Order of His Honour W. E. Fisher, made on the said estate are hereby required the 17th day of January, A.D. 1947, to furnish same, properly verified, to I was appointed Administrator with me on or before the 15th day of Will annexed of the estate of Noel March, A.D. 1947, after which claims Laverdiere, deceased, and all parties filed may be paid without reference having claims against the said estate to any claims of which I then had are hereby required to furnish same, no knowledge. properly verified, to me on or before the 15th day of March, A.D. 1947, and estate are required to pay the amount all parties indebted to the estate are of their indebtedness to me forthrequired to pay the amount of their with. indebtedness to me forthwith. DATED at Prince Rupert, B.C., this A.D. 1947. 23rd day of January, A.D. 1947.

GEORGE H. HALLETT,

Official Administrator,

Atlin, B.C.

Little Long Lac Madsen Red Lake McLeod Cockshutt Moneta Omega Pickle Crow San Antonio Senator Rouyn Sherritt Gordon Steep Rock . Sturgeon River Lynx Lapaska Gods Lake Negus Aubelle Harricana

"WHO'S WHO" AT ROTARY CLUB

Autobiographies by C. H. Elkins and Robert Cameron pro- ing grounds and test new gear. vided the program feature at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Prince Rupert Rotary Club in the Commodore Cafe Thursday afternoon. During the meeting President L. W. Kergin wished godspeed to two members, C. A. Brind and Frank Howarth, who left last night to take up residence in the south. Fred Gorrie of Vancouver was a visiting Rotarian and guests were Bruce McCallum of Vancouver, W. C. Little, Woodcock, and Fire Chief H. T. Lock.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA IN PROBATE IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE

OF GILBERT CHARLES RUS-SELL, DECEASED. IN THE MATTER OF THE "ADMIN-

ISTRATION ACT." TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honour Judge W. E. Fisher, made the IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE 3rd day of February, A.D. 1947, I was of Gilbert Charles Russell, deceased All parties having claims against

And all parties indebted to the

Dated this 3rd day of February, GORDON FRASER FORBES Official Administrator. Prince Rupert, B.C.

LIQUOR OR LIGHT SO PEOPLE OF KITIMAAT SETTLED UPON LATTER

The spirit of enterprise being shown by the native people in their attempts to advance spiritually and materially was particularly noted by Rev. Peter Kelly who used Kitimaat as an example. Mr. Kelly spoke at the United Church Presbytery here yesterday. The people of that native village decided they should have the best part of our lives but which have been made by Trans-

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FRIDAY-P.M.

4:45 Sleepy Time Story Teller

4:00-Carl Trevoes

5:00-T.B.A.

5:30-T.B.A.

4:15-Mid-Day Melodies

4:30—Carolyn Gilbert

5:45—Supper Serenade

6:30—Community Calendar

6:45—Sense Spreads from

6:50—Recorded Interlude

7:30—Heritage of Music

8:00-Prairie Schooner

10:30—Dal Richards Orch.

7:30-Musical Clock

8:15-Pick of the Hits

9:15—Pops On Parade

10:15-World Church News

11:33—Recorded Interlude

12:00-Musical Program

12:25—Program Resume

1:00—Richard Crooks

1:15—English Favorites

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JANUARY 17

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12:45—Serenade for Strings

1:30—Hit Songs of Yesterday

- P.M. -

11:45—Personal Album

12:30-Polka Time

3:15—CBC News

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8:45—Little Concert

8:30-Morning Devotions

8:00—CBC News

9:00—BBC News

Cristo

9:59—Time Signal

10:00-Medley Time

SATURDAY -- A.M.

9:30-The Adventures of Mont

7:15-CBC News Roundup

9:00—Continental Varieties

6:00—Alan and Me

Sifton

7:00-CBC News

modern lighting in their homes but how to finance such a pro- ****************** ject was the subject of many discussions. To lay worker Timothy Starr, himself a native of the village, the problem was not insurmountable. If the money usually spent on liquor and potlaches was diverted to a sinking fund they would soon have enough capital to invest in the needed electrical equipment. To Mr Starr the question was simply-liquor or lights. With the choice squarely before them many able young men and women followed Mr. Starr's lead and today thanks largely to this energetic group Kitimaat has

Rev. W. P. Bunt, superintendent of Home Missions in British Columbia, added a sequel to 8:30-Winnipeg Drama Rev. Kelly's story when he related how Mr. Starr convinced 9:30-Three Suns Trio his followers that, only through 9:45 Lee Sims closer relations with the church, 9:55-Solo Spotlight could they hope to maintain the 10:00—CBC News determination that would enable 10:10-B. C. News them to build a better life in 10:15—Says Who? Kitimaat.

more members in the church

and more dollars in the sinking

A number of other cases 11:00-Weather and Sign Off where natives were taking the initiative in an effort to help themselves were cited by Mr. Bunt. He also commented on the very good work being done by ministers, teachers, hospital staffs and laymen in missions throughout the whole Presby-

At the conclusion of his report on Home Missions, Mr. Kelly announced the impending retirement of Rev. R. Wilding of Port Simpson and Rev. 10:30-Hits of the Shows T. W. Johnson of Bella Bella. , 10:45-CBC News Rev. Bunt, Rev. Kelly and 10:55-Weather Forecast Rev. More each paid tribute 11:00-Music For Dancing to the fine work done by these | 11:30-Message Period two men and wished them good luck and good health in the years to come.

A question evoking considerable discussion among the delegates involved the status of ministers in the native missions General feeling among the members indicated that special con sideration must be given to the questions of salary, length of service, holidays, schooling for the missionarys' children, accommodations for families and the isolation of some missions if qualified workers are expected to seek work in the native

Optimism was in the air as delegates of the Prince Rupert Presbytery of the United Church ticked off the last items on their lengthy agenda late yesterday afternoon and prepared to return to their various charges.

FOR RENT - Two-room cabin, Upon adjournment of the business meeting, members and visitors to the Presbytery joined the delegates to the Presbyterial of the Women's Missionary Society at a dinner in a downtown cafe. Later members of both organizations held a joint concecration service in the Manse.

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OLD AGE PENSIONS Editor, Daily News:

I would like to write a few lines after seeing an item in the Commerce will endeavour to be local paper concerning old age represented at Vancouver on pensions and the plight of those February 25 when a hearing of over 70. It is too bad for we old the Air Transport Board will fellows who have been useful for be held to consider applications for whom the present system of Canada Airlines and Queen society has no use because we Charlotte Airlines for licence to are too old. I think it would be operate scheduled airline sera good thing if, when we get to vice between Vancouver and be a burden on the country after Prince Rupert. A number of aphaving given good service, we plications for other scheduled were taken out and done away and non-scheduled air lines ser with like old horses. Maybe they vices will be dealt with at the could make some money out of our carcasses. At least they The local Chamber has already might do for fertilizer.

year without the consent of the scheduled service between here people but they cannot give the and Vancouver. old age pensioners a little more to help them along in their declining years. Then there is also all kinds of money spent on men and women holding down jobs at big salaries who retire on a big pension and don't have to be 70 either.

Of course, we can go to the Pioneers' Home and get good treatment but I see the city council wants the Salvation Army to take charge of that.

O yes, we are living in a great age. It's hard enough to get along on the miserable pension but they try to make it even more miserable. I would like to ask some of these people if they could feed and clothe themselves and pay rent on \$30 a month.

A little while ago they put a notice on the door of my shack saying that, if I did not get out by a certain date, they would put the law on me. Maybe that's what they call freedom and democracy.

Now you can see, the old timers waiting for their pension checks The last ones they received were before Christmas. That is the way they treat the old fellows. Maybe the Communists had something to do with this. They get the blame for almost everything. They may be called a menace to society but to my idea, they like to see people live as they should live-not in mis ery and poverty.

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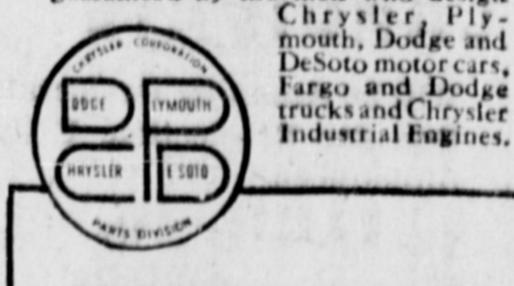


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