Social Doings

(Contributions to this section will be welcomed)

BRIDE FROM SASKATCHEWAN

Members of the family of the bridegroom and friends were present at the wedding in St. Andrew's Cathedral Wednesday evening of Miss Clara Theresa Tosezak, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tosczak of Woodrow Sask., to Spiro Gurvich of Prince Rupert. The rite was performed by Canon W. F. Rushbrook.

The bride was given in marriage by John Gurvich, brother of the bridegroom. She wore a floor-length gown of turquoise sheer with matching net veil, and carried a large bouquet of red roses. Her attendant was Mrs. Peter Richards whose floor-length gown of white was gold-trimmed. Her bouquet was of white and yellow carnations.

Groomsman was E. P. Smith, and Peter Lien was organist.

At the reception in Valhalla hall, 150 friends paid their despects to the newly married couple. The bride's table was centered with a three-tier wedding cake before which the bride was toasted by the groomsman. James Ham responded to the bride's toast. The evening was spent in dancing to music by Andy McNaughton at the piano.

Mr. and Mrs. Gurvich will reside at 749 Fraser Street. Mr. Gurvich has been employed with the provincial Public Works department here for a number of years.

PREPARE HANDY MAP OF CITY

A handy tourist map, only slightly larger than a post card, will soon be made availale to tourists by the Public Relations Council, Secretary E. T. Applewhaite reported. The card will contain a map of the city with 16 points of interest numbered. Drawing of the small map was done by Donald McKay, local draughtsman. More than 5,000 maps will be published in the near future.

Internal committee chairman Al Manson reported that work on the new tourist headquarters in the Museum is progressing, and that "there will be a pretty good tourist bureau at the end of the month." C. F. Cullin, museum curator, will also be in charge of the tourist office.

The meeting voted to send C. H. Orme a letter of encouragement on his project of compiling a history of Prince Rupert and surrounding district.

The meeting authorized the publication of a half-page advertisement in the annual edition of the B.C. Journal of Commerce, a publication that contained several columns about Prince Rupert in its 1946 edition.

Present at the meeting were Alderman Arthur Brooksbank, E. T. Applewhaite, Miss Honora Silversides, Rudolph Olsen, Oscar Haverov, Al Manson and J. K. McLeod.

MISS LOIS HOWE SHOWER HONOREE

Mrs. W. J. Richards and Mrs. Frank Ellison were co-hostesses last night at the home of the former when a pre-nuptial party was held in honor of Miss Lois Howe whose marriage to Oliver Keays takes place on Saturday.

Sprays of pink hawthorn, white streamers and bells decorated the rooms. A pink and white basket laden with gifts was carried in by Mrs. Richards and Miss Irene Larsen who will be the bridesmaid. Many lovely and useful gifts were disclosed and admired.

Party games, court whist, Chinese checkers and group singing with Mrs. J. R. Carr at the piano were enjoyed during the evening. Mrs. John McLeod was winner of a game contest while Mrs. George Howe won first prize and Mrs. Fred Hunter, second, playing court whist.

The evening was complete when delicious refreshments were served. A "shower" cake made and decorated specially for the occasion was cut by Miss Howe after which all drank a toast to the bride-elect.

Guests included the Misses Lois Howe, Lorna Howe, Irene Larsen, Mary Hunter, Mrs. J. R. Carr, Mrs. Fred Hunter, Mrs. M. J. Keays, Mrs. William Rothwell, Mrs. George Rudderham, Mrs. John McLeod, Mrs. Vic Menzies, Mrs. W. H. Hill, Mrs. Harry Poulsen, Mrs. Gordon Moller, Mrs. John Johansen, Mrs. W. J. Richards and Mrs. Frank Ellison.

Hotel... arrivals

Prince Rupert

Mr. and Mrs. R. Williams, Toledo, Ohio; Robert Williams, jr., Toledo, Ohio; Gordon Little, East Kwinitsa; Ray Coburn, Prince George; M. Reynolds, Terrace; Lt. M. Kavanaugh, Carson City, Nev.; R. A. Ingray, Edmonton; Dick Burns, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. Osborne, Terrace; H. O. Lawrence, Vancouver; Rita Gaines, Pensacola, Florida; Evelyn Heitsch, Pensacola, Florida; Mrs. D. Cramer and family, Ketchikan; Margaret Spencer, Ketchikan; Mr. and Mrs. H. McDermott, Valdez, Alaska.

J. D. Rand, Vancouver; W. A. Lowe, Vancouver; H. J. Webb, Vancouver; J. D. Crowther, Victoria; S. F. May, Vancouver; Mrs. Horwill, Dorreen; Mrs. Malloy, Dorreen; G. N. Streetton, Anyox; S. Simons, Hazelton; C. D. Morris, Smithers; A. Tait, Smithers; W. J. Petrie, Vancouver; G. J. E. Dorser, Toronto; L. Baillie, Port Hardy; L. G. Murray, Vancouver; F. E. Cornwall, Long Beach, Calif.; Mrs. N. R. Barwick, Fort Babine; G. L. Bowden, Hazelton; E. W. Burridge, Vancouver; C. F. Solwell, Vancouver.

For Better Radio Here

Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce Sends Brief to Parliamentary Committee

Emmission from station CFPR of Prince Rupert of all Canadian Broadcasting Corporation network programs and construction of "booster" or "repeater" broadcasting units at such points as Terrace, Hazelton, Smithers, Burns Lake and Vanderhoof are requested in a two-point plan for improvement of radio broadcasting service in Prince Rupert and Central British Columbia which has been dispatched by the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce to Ottawa for consideration of the Parliamentary committee on radio broadcasting. The radio committee and secretary of the chamber, E. T. Applewhaite, have been active lately in efforts to bring about better broadcasting service here, particularly as far as the making available of more popular network programs is concerned.

The Chamber, quoting from its own communication, is asking that the Parliamentary committee consider the following two general proposals:

"First—The granting of full use of radio facilities now actually in existence and operation at Prince Rupert but put to a restricted use only. This has particular reference to the land-line on which network programs are fed into the local station CFPR. At the present time, of programs actually available, the local listening public cannot get those it wants to hear, but only those permitted by existing CBC decisions. The desired programs are commercially sponsored. In so far as the hockey programs are concerned we know that they reach CFPR but are not permitted to go on the air. We also know that this is due to negotiations between various governmental departments over the use and revenue of the land-line. However when the Canadian Government Telegraphs, Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, Canadian National Telegraphs, etc., are all supposed to be publicly owned and all have their capital expenditures and deficits (if any) footed by the public we feel we have an interest. Further we feel that facilities originally constructed at public expense, as war needs dictated, should be operated for public benefit now, i.e., for those who helped to pay for them in the first place. Your committee can demand and get authentic information upon all features and angles of this matter which are not available to us.

"Second—Construction of low power 'booster' or 'repeater' broadcasting units upon the line now carrying CBC programs at such points as Terrace, Hazelton, Smithers, Burns Lake and Vanderhoof. According to our information these points get no daylight reception of standard wave at all although each town has the land-line which carries CBC service passing through it. At a public convention the Canadian National offered to have their personnel throw switches and do such other operational chores as may be involved, so that there would be no operating expense. This covers a large area of British Columbia which never hears CFPR and only gets CBR, Vancouver, after dark and then with no certainty.

"We feel that both these pointters can properly be discussed by your Committee as matters of a more than purely local interest. Some slight investigation of the area covered by the small towns listed will confirm this."

The Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce is also in communication with W. J. Sheridan, manager of the economic development department of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, Montreal, on the matter of better radio broadcasting service in this area.

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Travel North and Become Stranded

More reports continue to drift back south about people from the larger cities in both Canada and the U.S., confident of sure jobs and flush wages in Alaska, going there to be greatly disappointed. Sometimes whole families go together, only to find there is no work, and the cost of living is sky high. And by the time they have paid for the journey, their funds are next thing to being exhausted. The Salvation Army continues to give a great deal of assistance.

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PRINCE GEORGE IS VERY BUSY

"Everybody busy" seems to sum up the situation in Prince George. The many mills have all the orders they can handle and in all other respects the people have their hands full. About the only development that can be called new is a possibility of a strike over the question of wage scale but it is not considered improbable that there may be an adjustment. However, strike talk is being heard.

These are some of the impressions gathered by Superintendent C. A. Berner, Canadian National Railways, who has just returned from a visit to the interior city and central British Columbia.

Mr. Berner mentions also that warmer weather has set in, in the Rockies, and to some extent, has led to high water.

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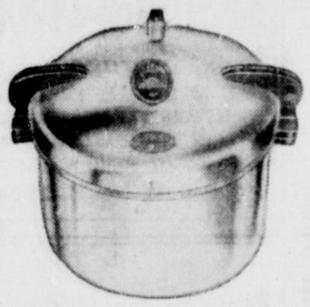

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