

## CITY FIREMEN TO TAKE OVER THE AMBULANCE

Operation of the city ambulance is to be placed in the hands of the Fire Department in an economy move that city council hopes will eliminate past operating deficits which have cost the city as much as \$1,000 annually.

The reorganization follows the withdrawal last year of the Hospital Board from the partnership basis on which the ambulance was operated and is the result of an investigation by the city utilities committee which has spread over several months.

The committee's recommendations were approved by council last night. They authorized that the present operating system, under which Mr. and Mrs. Richard Woods are salaried ambulance attendants, be terminated within 30 days and that in future the ambulance be operated by employees of the city Fire Department.

According to City Clerk H. D. Thain the city firemen have tentatively agreed to the agreement which the city has offered. Under it, the firemen would receive \$5 for each trip made

## Hotel... arrivals

Prince Rupert  
N. Campbell, Vancouver; J. R. Woods, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. H. Reid, Port Essington; Brig. E. C. Plow, Vancouver; Capt. L. Moore, Vancouver; J. Hossie, Vancouver; Mrs. F. Hink, Smithers.

within the city limits; \$7.50 for each trip to the Miller Bay Hospital and \$10 for each trip to Port Edward. The city would pay the cost of gasoline, oil, repairs and handle collections.

**HEAVY AIR TRAFFIC**  
STOCKHOLM (AP)—Air traffic between Sweden and foreign countries during 1946 was more than double that of 1945. The number of airplanes cleared in 1946 totalled 7,157 as compared with 2,765 in 1945. The peak was reached in August when 856 planes were cleared.

**INDIA BOOSTS PRODUCTION**  
Ranked among the eight leading industrial countries even before the war, India is rapidly developing industrial production.

## PIONEER HOME ACTION URGED

Special Report to City Council By Health Committee

Immediate employment of a strong, capable couple to supervise the Pioneers' Home, and equal urgency in completing the new Pioneers' Home building were recommended in a special report by the civic health committee presented to last night's meeting of city council.

The report was submitted after the committee, consisting of Aldermen Ham, Brooksbank and Alderson, had inspected the elderly men's present quarters in a former army barracks hut on Sixth Avenue West. It touched on phases of administration criticized two weeks ago in a letter sent to council by Ross Richardson.

Outstanding points of criticism in Mr. Richardson's letter were alleged uncleanness in the men's quarters and the quantity of food served.

The committee's report is as follows:

"The building inside has a very gloomy atmosphere, aggravated by the fact that the floors are very difficult to keep clean. While the services of Mr. and Mrs. Calder were of a satisfactory nature while Mr. Calder

was on the job, we find now that the work is too much for Mrs. Calder to carry on alone without male help.

"She admitted she could not undertake to scrub the floors. "In view of the circumstances, we recommend applications for a caretaker and his wife be called for immediately to take charge of the home.

"Also we urge that the contractor constructing the new home be requested to expedite the matter as much as possible.

"In choosing a new supervisor and his wife we suggest that very close attention be given as it is essential that both parties be in the best physical condition.

"We have made arrangements with the chief of police to have the floors of the present quarters scrubbed.

"Food on the table and in preparation for supper appeared to be satisfactory (during the visit)."

City Clerk Thain explained to council that Mr. Calder, who had asked to resign in May, had been called out of the city recently on private business and that Mrs. Calder is now supervising the Pioneers' Home alone.

Alderman Youngs moved that temporary help for Mrs. Calder be employed immediately.

You saw it in The News!

## GOLDENBERG REPORT TO BE STUDIED

The recently issued Goldenberg report on provincial-municipal relations is going to be "required" reading for the city's eight aldermen who, after absorbing the weighty document, will try to determine how its recommendations affect the future economy of the city.

Mayor Nora Arnold, who admitted last night to giving considerable attention to one of the two copies which have so far reached the city, read a list of recommendations which she considered most pertinent to Prince Rupert. Most of the other aldermen were equally frank in admitting that they had given the document no thought but would like the opportunity to do so.

In their zeal they overrode a motion by Alderman George Casey that a small committee be appointed to consider the report and bring its recommendations to council. The aldermen decided that the whole council should constitute the committee, that all should read and all should report.

Alderman Youngs moved an amendment that the whole council should become such a committee and City Clerk Thain was instructed to get off a message to the King's Printer for more copies of the report.

Result of this study will be a series of resolutions which will be forwarded to the Union of B.C. Municipalities.

## Northern Ireland Checks Car Racket

BELFAST, Northern Ireland (AP)—Clamping down on an automobile re-sale racket, the Royal Ulster Constabulary has been ordered to seize all unregistered cars crossing from Eire into Northern Ireland. Until now, persons who eluded Eire customs authorities were allowed to pay a compromise penalty for importing the car by an unapproved route, in addition to purchase tax and import duty. The vehicles then were re-exported to England where they could be sold at prices considerably higher than that originally paid for them. The first car seized by the R.U.C. was a 25-horsepower car driven from Eire by a Belfastman.

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10:10—B. C. News  
10:15—Milton Charles  
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WEDNESDAY—A.M.

7:30—Musical Clock  
8:00—CBC News  
8:15—Morning Song  
8:30—Music for Moderns  
8:45—Little Concert  
9:00—BBC News  
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10:30—Roundup Time  
10:45—Scandinavian Melodies  
11:00—Keyboard and Console  
11:15—Songs of Today  
11:30—Weather Forecast  
11:31—Message Period  
11:33—Recorded Interlude  
11:45—Ethel and Albert

P.M.

12:00—B. C. Farm Broadcast  
12:25—Program Resume  
12:30—CBC News  
12:45—Easy Listening  
1:00—The Concert Hour  
1:30—Music Styled for Strings  
1:45—Commentary  
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2:00—B.C. School Broadcast  
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MOSCOW (Reuters)—Plans are to be drawn up for the building of two skyscrapers in Moscow—a 38-storey building to house ministries of the Soviet government and a 20-storey hotel.

Moscow's highest building at present is the 15-storey Moscow Hotel where delegations to the four-power foreign ministers conference next month will be accommodated. Since it was built, all new buildings have been limited to 10 stories.

With the erection of a skyscraper for Soviet ministries a

large number of buildings present occupied by ministries would be freed by relieving the pressure of space in the Soviet Union. The site for the new building is understood to be on the opposite side of the Moscow from the Kremlin. The British embassy now occupies a turreted location and the skyscrapers will demand the best view of the Kremlin buildings ed on a ridge across the city.

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