outside the city was 49. had a December enrolment of School and have been subject 459, according to Principal W. W. of complaint by Principal W. W. C. O'Neill, 245 of which were in | C. O'Neill and by the Board for the junior high school, and 214 in the senior. Attendance for the month was 90 per cent.

At Borden Street elementary school the enrolment was 189, was 93, according to the report of Principal John S. Wilson.

Conrad Street School's enrol- | months. ment was 194, of which 110 were boys and 84 girls, Principal T. G. Bateman's report showed. Attendance at the school was 89 per cent.

that King Edward elementary is spread over them. The wax school had an enrolment of 264 will act as a dry lubricant. during December, and that the

Essington had an original and 22 at Digby Island.

STONE SUGGESTS SOLUTION TO SHACK PROBLEM

School Trustee W. F. Stone opened a refreshing approach to the perennial subject of the former Chinese bunkhouses which have been cluttering up Booth Memorial High School grounds and the School Board meetings unnecessarily since their deserschool board last night. Enrol- tion last year by the celestial

The tarpaper shacks occupy Booth Memorial High School ground at the rear of Booth several months. They are owned by War Assets Corporation.

A rumor that the buildings were "alive with vermin" was discredited by Sanitarian M. J and the attendance percentage | Harper who recently told the board that the building had been fumigated in the last few

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percentage of attendance was December enrolment of 20, later reduced to 18, 12 students were In the rural schools, Port enrolled at Port Simpson school

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WILL RE-OPEN SALARY TALKS WITH TEACHERS

Salary negotiations between the School Board and the Prince Rupert Teachers' Association will be re-opened next week in. an effort by both parties to avoid arbitration proceedings which were requested by the teachers at the final meeting of the 1946

board on December 4. The arbitration request, which was followed by the board's apcointment of J. T. Harvey as its representative, was based on a 'misunderstanding," Board President Dr. R. G. Large told last night's meeting after the reading of a letter from the president of the Teachers' Association, J. S. Wilson, in which he expressed willingness to re-open

negotiations. Dr. Large urged speed in setdement of the contention which has hung over the local education horizon for almost three months and suggested January 13 as a tentative date for the representatives of the board and the teachers to get together.

He named a committee of three board members-Mrs. E W. Becker, A. B. Brown and himself—to act as negotiating com-

Dr. Large deprecated a suggestion that last year's board and the teachers had reached a 'deadlock" in their negotiations, saying that the difficulty had arisen because of a "misunderstanding" on the part of the teachers of the board's attitude.

The present salary scale for he teachers ranges from \$1,200 to \$2,200 annually for elementary school teachers, and from riculum and that there are suf-\$1,500 to \$3,000 for high school ficient of them in the city to

The teachers have requested a schedule ranging from \$1,500 to pared to the tuition received for \$2,600 for elementary teachers them from the Indian Departand from \$1,800 to \$3,200 for ment does not justify keeping high school teachers.

them in the city schools," she Acceptance of the scale asked said. "Seal Cove school is ready by the teachers would mean an to be set up again. Maybe they annual payroll increase of \$8,800 | could take it over." above the present salary total.

The board, by way of compro- application for three native mise, has offered to meet the children to enrol at Borden salary schedule set by the B.C. Street School. Two of the chil-Teachers Federation, which fav dren, aged 12 and 10, were in ors salaries at from \$1,300 to Grade One, and the third, aged \$2,400 for elementary school seven, had had no previous teachers and from \$1,600 to \$3,- schooling. 000 for high school teachers.

Seal Cove School Declared Surplus

The old Seal Cove school was declared "surplus" by the School such large children would create Board last night and the ancient, a problem in Grade One, Trustee two-roomed building will be A. B. Brown commented: "Ten turned back to the city in whom and 12-year-old children are a the title is vested. However, in problem in Grade One whether notifying the city that it no they are native or white. If longer has any use for the build- they were white we would have ing, the Board will suggest that to take them, so I see no reason any money raised through its for discrimination." disposal be made available for dren in the city's schools for school purposes.

pays tuition. There are 23 at NEW SHIPS FOR INDIA Borden Street, 15 at Conrad, NEW DELHI (The Royal three at King Edward and nine | Indian Navy is to get three ships of the Leander cruiser class some time in 1947. They are the Archilles, Ajax and Leander.

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"The cost involved as com-

The discussion arose over the

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older children be accepted, but

that the younger child not be

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When it was suggested that

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tention on grounds that native

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of education, has written

chamber in view of the import-

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legislature make the mone

available, we shall be able to ad-

vance along the lines suggested

in your resolution."

Committees for Year Named at Meeting Last Night

Dr. R. G. Large was unanimously named chairman of the 1947 Prince Rupert and District School Board at the board's first meeting last night. Dr. Large resumes the position he held on the board last year. Dr. Large appointed the fol-

lowing committees: New Buildings-Trustees A. B. Brown (chairman), Mrs. E. W. Becker, A. J. Dominato.

Finance—Trustees A. J. Dominato (chairman), and W. F.

Grounds-Trustees W. F. Stone (chairman), Dr. R. G. Large and A. J. Dominato.

Personnel-Trustees Mrs. E. W. Becker (chairman), Dr. R. G.

Large and A. B. Brown. Schools—Booth Memorial High School, W. F. Stone; Conrad Street, Mrs. E. W. Becker; Borden Street, A. B. Brown; King

CONVERT TO OIL

Edward, A. J. Dominato.

LONDON (P)—The Neasdon generating station which supplies the entire London under-Hon. George M. Weir, minister ground railway system with current now is to be converted to A motion by Trustee Mrs. Earl the Prince Rupert Chamber of Becker that the Indian Depart- Commerce, replying to a recent oil-burning, the London Passenger Transport Board announced ment be asked to establish a request that a considerable inrecently. The conversion will separate native school in Prince crease be made in the grant of mean a saving of 70,000 tons of Rupert failed to find a seconder \$50,000 for recreation and phylast night's school board sical education in British Colummeeting, despite the fact that bia, a grant which was described

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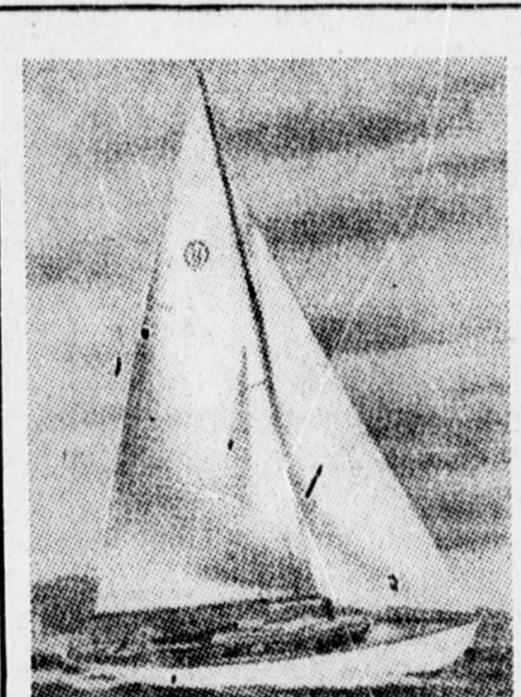
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