

Francois Lake News

W. E. Funnell has been ill for two weeks but is now fit again.

Francois Lake members of the Tweedsmuir Park Rod and Gun Club drove to Burns Lake for a meeting there on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Joe Roberts' daughter, Mrs. June Curran, has just arrived from the United States to join her three small children who came up with Mrs. Roberts some months ago.

Six members of the Fair Committee attended the meeting at the store on Thursday evening. The lists were again revised. Secretary Mrs. Reg Partington read a list of prizes donated.

The Beagle drive sponsored by the Women's Institute held at the store on Saturday evening went off well. Mrs. Claude Lord superintended the game of beetle which was amusing and exciting. Winner of the ladies' prize was Pat Partington, and John Keefe Jr. won the gentlemen's prize. A covered glass dish filled with candies was raffled and was won by Miss Ruby Kirkbride.

RIDING CLUB AT FRANCOIS LAKE

FRANCOIS LAKE—The Francois Lake riding club was organized on Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reed. Hugh Neave was elected president and William Titcomb, secretary treasurer. Sam Shaffer will be riding master for the first ride on May 18. Mrs. Reed served delicious refreshments after the meeting.

Hotel...

arrivals

Prince Rupert
W. S. Hefner, Victoria; V. Youncey, Vancouver; S. H. McLeod, Vancouver; H. Singleton, Vancouver; W. Agassiz, Kelowna; R. London, Vancouver; Capt. A. Esdalle, Vancouver; R. Johnson, Powell River; D. Foster, Vancouver; B. C. Downey, Winnipeg; H. Frances, Winnipeg; Mr. and Mrs. J. Mathis, Everett, Wash.; R. Van Winkle, Ketchikan.

CITY OF TOMBS*
Kerch is called Russia's Pompeii because of its many tombs and relics.

WED QUIETLY AT THE MANSE

At a quiet ceremony in First United Church manse Saturday evening, Miss Isla Helen Keppik, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keppik, Neepawa, Manitoba, became the bride of George Douglas Hague, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hague, 216 Ninth Avenue West. The rite was performed by Rev. R. A. Wilson.

Wearing a suit of pale blue wool with corsage of red roses, the bride was attended by Mrs. Charles Ormiston as matron of honor. Mrs. Ormiston wore a suit of pale yellow with white carnation corsage.

Groomsman was Charles Ormiston, and witnesses were Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hardy.

Following the ceremony, 50 guests congratulated the newly married couple at a reception held in Valhalla hall. The bride and groom received the guests. Toast to the bride was proposed by Mr. Ormiston, and was responded to by the groom. A three-tier wedding cake, centred on the bride's table which was covered by a lace cloth. The rooms were decorated with pink and white bridal streamers.

The guests enjoyed a buffet luncheon and dancing during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hague have taken up residence in Prince Rupert, where Mr. Hague is employed by Lindsay Motors.

1121 PUPILS AT CITY SCHOOLS

Prince Rupert's school population during February was 1,121 pupils, according to the monthly principals' reports presented to last night's meeting of the School Board. February enrolment was greater by 11 pupils than the enrolment in January. Comparison reveals:

Enrolment at 100th Memorial High School was 452, according to Principal W. W. C. O'Neill's report. There were 241 in junior high and 212 in the senior high. Attendance percentage for the month was 93.

At Dorden Street elementary school, enrolment was 195, Principal J. S. Wilson's report revealed. Attendance was 92 per cent.

Conrad Street school had an enrolment of 82, and an attendance percentage of 83, according to the report of Principal T. C. Estman.

At King Edward elementary, enrolment was 265 and the attendance percentage 92, Principal R. G. Moore's report said. Enrolment in the district's rural schools as reported by the teachers, was as follows: Dobby Island, 29; Port Essington, 16; Port Edward, 15; Port Simpson, 11.

INDIA'S COAL

India ranks ninth among the coal producing countries of the world.

FOOD INSPECTION SERVICE SOUGHT

Suggestion of the Smithers and District Chamber of Commerce that machinery of export food inspection be set up at Prince Rupert to facilitate shipment of foodstuffs from Central British Columbia to southeastern Alaska is before the trade and commerce committee of the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce for attention. There could be a much more substantial export of produce to southeastern Alaska, it is held, if such inspection service was available here.

HUGE DESERT AREA

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