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Nehru May Be Sorry

CHINESE Communists, even with the backing of Soviet Russia, will have their hands full in trying to occupy Tibet and impose a Communist government upon the Tibetans. Genghis Khan invaded the country and formally annexed it to China, but the Tibetans have lived an isolated and self-contained life for centuries, shut in from the outside world by the circle of high mountains. There is everything within that circle to sustain the life of the inhabitants, which is largely primitive. There are two great rivers and extensive chains of fresh and salt water lakes. The inhabitants of the vast barren stretches of central and northern Tibet are nomadic, and those of the fertile southern agricultural valleys are settled in towns and villages, the most important of which is Lhasa, the seat of the Dalai Lama.

The latest news is that India has sent a note to Peiping expressing surprise and regret at the invasion, but the Reds claim that the "liberation" of Tibet is "an internal matter," and declare they will not tolerate any outside interference. It is one thing, however, to take the country by force and another to transform the Tibetans into loyal Communists by the same method. The Chinese Reds no doubt realize this, and they are not so much concerned with converting the people to Communism as they are with what they term the "consolidation of China's own borders for security reasons." Which, in other words, means the securing of a fortress jumping-off place for an invasion of India from the north, while Russia moves in from the west. Mr. Nehru may now regret that he was so insistent upon the British pulling out of India.

NEW HIGHWAY DEAL

SKEENA DISTRICT has a new district engineer and assistant engineer. However, in all fairness to the new officials and the men who they succeed, we think it should be made clear that the deficiencies which have been felt in the district for so long are not due entirely to local circumstance. In fact a very small part of the blame for lack of a comprehensive road program in the Skeena can be placed on works officials of the district.

The head office for the department at Victoria holds the solution to the future of roads in Skeena and the Central Interior. Requests and pleas for some definite program in conjunction with that set out by the Hart government to provide the province with a first class highway system have been to no avail, and Mr. Carson has been adamant in his dictatorial policy of providing Vancouver Island and the southern interior with good roads while doing nothing for the Central Interior.

Taxpayers and organizations in Smithers community have sent brief after brief to Victoria regarding the lack of a highway policy, not only for this area, but for the entire district from Prince George through to Prince Rupert. Apparently they all ended up in the waste basket.

We wonder if the change of officials might possibly mean a changed attitude at Victoria? It would be welcome, especially if the district were to receive the machinery necessary for an adequate road maintenance job. Let us hope the department will at least rectify the ridiculous situation that existed this year, when public works crews had to load gravel trucks by hand to patch up a road because the head office refused to OK the purchase of a new shovel to replace a 25-year-old relic.

We asked for a new deal in public works for this district. We have had the shuffle, it's up to Mr. Carson now for the new deal.—Interior News.

SCRIPTURE PASSAGE FOR TODAY

"For all have sinned and come short of the glory of God."
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By ELMORE PHILPOTT

BOOKS AND ODD BITS

IN THE 28 YEARS I have been writing for Canadian newspapers a lot of books have come my way.

Some have been chores assignments to write about. Many I have bought, with my own hard cash. Others have been gifts, often from readers whom I have never seen.

But the postman never brought a more welcome surprise than three brand new volumes, each containing fifty full color reproductions. They cover the works of Van Gogh, El Greco, and Renoir, respectively.

IT IS NOT POLITE to look for a price tag on a gift. But I can't help passing on the information that these volumes sell for \$10 each. I can't imagine anything that would make a lovelier, more beautiful Christmas gift. For I just can't imagine anybody not keeping these books for a whole lifetime—and getting pleasure out of their beauties year after year.

They are published in Canada by Thomas Allen.

IF YOU REALLY want to know the background of the war in Korea get "Korea Today" by George M. McCune, late of the U.S. State Department.

It is a pretty terrible story it tells—fully backed by facts and statistics. You are left wondering whether the Koreans were worse off under the hard-boiled Communist police state, north of the 38th parallel, or under the harsh, reactionary police state presided over by Syngman Rhee.

One thing stands out clearly in this book. There was nothing remotely resembling democracy in either South or North Korea. Neither part of the country was given the chance to get what the overwhelming majority of the people naturally want—that is unity of their nation and a chance to rebuild the country in peace.

This book is published by the Institute of Pacific Relations. Price \$3.50.

A FULL fledged doctor writes me about recent remarks on pains from "Phantom Limb". He claims that if the amputated limb is cremated the person will suffer no "phantom limb" pains. But if the limb is buried, there may be phantom limb pains for awhile. Don't ask me to explain it.

A quite different comment comes from Frank Storm of North Vancouver who is in the artificial limb business. He says that William Grey is right, and that the amputation cases may escape "phantom limb" pains by proper self-education.

WILLIAM L. LAWTON writes that Defoe's caricature of the Englishman is not to be taken too seriously because "Defoe like all political heifers before and since wrote what his bosses asked for."

"The inhabitants (of England and Southern Scotland) are so mixed, have bred from so many nationalities—they are the same as the rest of Europe. Climate is largely responsible for the characteristics of the English; the insular position of England for others."

A FORMER R.C.A.F. man, for

LETTERBOX

MR. FAURE CORRECTED

Editor, Daily News:

A letter signed by Mr. Faure in the November 18 issue of the Daily News has caused this branch of the Canadian Legion some concern, with particular reference to certain remarks contained in the penultimate paragraph thereof.

Mr. Lien, together with the members of his Band, were invited to join with the parading veterans as guests of the Canadian Legion immediately following the Armistice Service on November 11th, as has been the practice in former years. It was regrettable, indeed that, due to certain restrictive laws which prohibit our Native friends from joining with us in licensed premises, we were unable to extend a similar invitation to Mr. McKay and the members of his Band.

We considered it only right and fitting, therefore, in order to eliminate as far as possible this obvious gesture of discrimination (which policy the Canadian Legion wholeheartedly deplores) to invite Mr. McKay to the banquet held after the Armistice reception of his Band's participation in the Armistice program. Certainly there was no intent to slight Mr. Lien personally, or the members of the Shrine Club Band, whom we hold in the highest regard, and whom we are proud to have financially assisted in its early formation and prior to its present sponsorship. Rather it was our desire to extend as far as possible to Mr. McKay, courtesies commensurate with those offered our local band. Furthermore, we are confident that Mr. Lien did not interpret our actions in the light that was indicated by Mr. Faure's uninformed comments.

In view of these circumstances, we have considered it necessary to reply publicly to these uncalculated remarks in order that the public may be correctly informed as to our course of action in this regard.

May we suggest to Mr. Faure, also, that he confine his criticisms to matters with which he is comparatively familiar, rather than to maliciously mislead, intentionally or otherwise, the public of this City.

W. H. MURRAY,
Manager, Branch 27,
Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L.

Business In South Slow

Speaking of business conditions as he found them in Vancouver, J. D. McRae, M.L.A. for Prince Rupert, who returned to the city at the week-end, states that September and October were good months in the southern city. However, November was not so good and there was some uncertainty as to what the Christmas season would bring. There is a definite tendency to tightening up.

whom I have great respect, partly disagrees with my comment on Korea. He does not believe that it is "a far fetched theory" that the U.S.A. policy more or less invited the attack from the North.

His main argument is that we are striving for something that is impossible of attainment just now—that is, the idea of "more world."

We had better face the fact that the world is divided into two now-irreconcilable blocs, he says. For only if we do so agree to live-and-let-live can we survive without a world destroying war.

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Five Thousand TB Seal Letters

With the rumpus room of Mrs. Alex Mackenzie's home on Fourth Avenue East as dispatching headquarters, Prince Rupert Sorop-timist Club is this week sending out five thousand letters, containing the familiar TB Christmas seals from the proceeds of which the British Columbia Tuberculosis derives much of the revenue for its various good works—including the x-ray facilities at the Prince Rupert General Hospital which are available at all times.

The amount which the recip-

ient of the seals may send back to the Sorop-timist Club for transmission to the Tuberculosis Association is entirely optional but the average is \$2. Some may not feel themselves able to send that much while many send more.

Last year Prince Rupert topped British Columbia for its showing, having obtained a 98 percent return from the seals sent out, raising some \$2500. Special recognition was voiced at the convention of the Association on this accomplishment.

Mrs. C. G. Ham is convener of the effort this year with Mrs. P. M. Ray, Mrs. W. Bushaw, Mrs. J. Edmundson, Mrs. Ralph Smith, Miss Muriel Vance and Mrs. J. G. Alexander other active members of her committee.

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CHELSEA BUN LOAF

Make 3 pans of buns from this one recipe—dough will keep in refrigerator for a week.

Scald $\frac{3}{4}$ c. milk, $\frac{1}{4}$ c. granulated sugar, $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. salt and $\frac{1}{4}$ c. shortening; cool to lukewarm. Meanwhile, measure into a large bowl $\frac{1}{2}$ c. lukewarm water, 1 tsp. granulated sugar; stir until sugar is dissolved. Sprinkle with 1 envelope Fleischmann's Royal Fast Rising Dry Yeast. Let stand 10 mins. THEN stir well. Add cooled milk mixture and stir in 1 well-beaten egg. Stir in 2 c. once-sifted bread flour; beat until smooth. Work in $\frac{1}{2}$ c. once-sifted bread flour. Knead on lightly-floured board until smooth and elastic. Cut off $\frac{1}{2}$ of dough, knead into a smooth ball, place in greased bowl, grease top of dough, cover and store in refrigerator until wanted. Shape remaining $\frac{1}{2}$ of dough into a smooth ball, place in greased bowl and grease top. Cover and set in warm place, free from draught. Let rise until doubled in bulk. Cream 1 lb. butter or margarine and blend in $\frac{1}{2}$ c. brown sugar (lightly pressed down), $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. ground cinnamon and 3 tbs. corn syrup; spread about $\frac{1}{2}$ of this mixture in bottom of a greased loaf pan ($9\frac{1}{2}$ " x $8\frac{1}{2}$ " x 4"). Sprinkle with pecan halves. Punch down risen dough and roll out into an 8" square; loosen dough. Spread with remaining sugar mixture and sprinkle with $\frac{1}{2}$ c. raisins. Loosely roll up like a jelly roll. Cut roll into 6 slices. Place in prepared pan. Grease tops. Cover and let rise until doubled in bulk. Bake in moderate oven, 350°, 25-30 mins. Let stand in pan for 5 mins. before turning out.



CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT

Public notice is hereby given to the electors of the Municipality of the City of Prince Rupert that I require the presence of the said electors at the City Hall, Fulton Street, on the seventh day of December 1950, at ten o'clock a.m., for the purpose of electing persons to represent them as Aldermen, School Trustees and Park Commissioner.

The mode of nomination of candidates shall be as follows:

The candidates shall be nominated in writing; the writing shall be subscribed by two electors of the municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and twelve o'clock noon of the day of nomination; the said writing may be in the form numbered 3 in the Schedule of the "Municipal Elections Act," and shall state the names, residence, and occupation or description of each person proposed, in such manner as sufficiently to identify, such poll shall be opened on the fourteenth day of December, 1950 at the Civic Centre, corner of McBride Street and Second Avenue, of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Given under my hand at Prince Rupert this 21st day of November, 1950.

H. D. THAIN,
Returning Officer.



Jack Elmes

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