

BASKETBALL TERRACE

TERRACE—At the Civic Centre Friday evening the Skeena basketball team defeated the Kinsmen 29 to 20. Playing for the Mercantile's were Bud Kirkaldy, Charles de Gommeaux, Kenneth Earl, and David Gillanders, John Kinsmen's team consisted of

Parker Mills, Ronnie Paulson, Lawrence Pratt, Charles Cote, Pat. Johnson and Jimmy Procter. Referee was Alf Yoxall.

GENEROUS GIFT
KELOWNA, B.C. — A total of \$7,359.70 collected in Kelowna and vicinity was spent to buy and ship food parcels to needy people in Britain, as a wedding gift for Princess Elizabeth and Prince Philip. Kelowna's population is more than 5,900.

Timely Topics from Terrace

Well under way is George Little's new residential project in the former army camp area near Atwood and Park Avenues intersection where the old brigade headquarters building is being converted to apartment house purposes. In addition to a residence for Dr. McGillivray, who is coming out from New York in the spring to set up in medical practice here, a set of other modern suites is being provided.

Mr. and Mrs. George McAdams are leaving Terrace on tomorrow evening's train for Prince Rupert enroute to Vancouver. They are planning to spend a month or six weeks in the southern part of the province on vacation.

Mrs. T. Elwood Brooks spent a few days in Prince Rupert last week. She accompanied Mildred Crego who was taken to the coast city for an emergency operation for appendicitis which was performed at the Prince Rupert General Hospital. Mrs. Brooks, who left Thursday, returned on Friday, reporting that the young patient was progressing favorably.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Fuller and family arrived in the city last week from Vanderhoof to take up residence here for the time being at least. Possibly they may decide to remain permanently. They have rented the residence of Mrs. A. Brooks who is spending the winter in Victoria with her son and daughter-in-law, Hon. and Mrs. E. T. Kenney.

Having suffered a broken ankle in an accident at Hanson's pole yard here last week, Frank Tetrauit was taken to the Smithers Hospital for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith returned to Terrace Sunday, having driven home from Vancouver with a new truck. Snow conditions on the highway between Hazelton and here delayed their return a couple of days but they were able to make the trip all the way without chains. The road was very good all the way, the roughest section being just east of Terrace.

James H. Smith was a visitor to Smithers last week in his capacity as district deputy grand master of the Oddfellows' Lodge to conduct the installation of officers there. He was accompanied by Jack Barman. E. A. Davis is the new noble grand of the Smithers lodge.

Francis Seaton and Mrs. John Gordon made a trip to Smithers last week to visit their mother.

CONSOLIDATED TAKES INTEREST IN NEW COPPER RIVER GOLD PROPERTY

TERRACE — Considerable interest has been aroused locally over a new gold property located last summer on the Copper River, some 34 miles up from its mouth, by Arthur Clore and J. W. Llewellyn, veteran local prospectors, and since optioned by the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Co.

After word had been brought out of gold values running up to \$70 per ton, Consolidated engineers were sent in by plane and landed on a lake whence they proceeded to inspect the ground. Samples were taken from vein in a thirty-foot surface lead.

A trail at an estimated cost of \$1200 is being run into the property this winter under direction of the provincial department of public works.

The Clore-Llewellyn property is located twenty miles up the Copper River beyond the Omineca Gold Quartz (Dardanelles) property.

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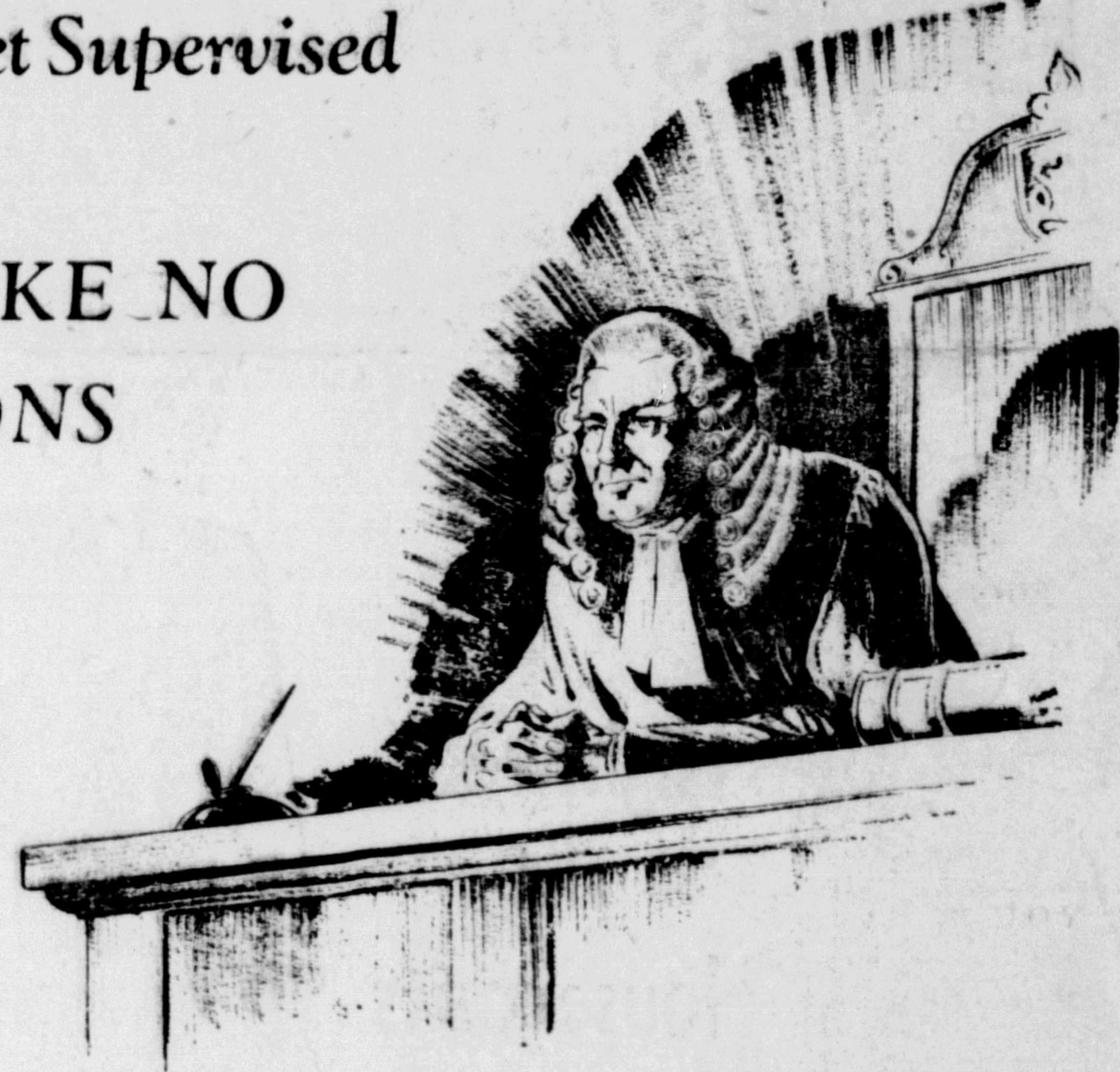
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holden
spent the week-end in Prince Rupert, guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dominato.

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ONE LAW FOR ALL... is the Basis of Good Law

Why the Secret Supervised Strike Ballot MUST MAKE NO EXCEPTIONS



Important new democratic rights given to employees by the British Columbia Legislature last year can be lost if there is not a vigilant defense of the compulsory supervised secret ballot in strike votes. Opponents of the 1947 Labor Law reforms would undermine the Labor Laws by giving the Minister of Labor or the proposed Labor Relations Board the right to say whether secret supervised strike votes shall or shall not be taken in any particular dispute. They claim that some good unions are "insulted" by the new labor laws.



The basis of British law is that all are equal under the law. Laws are made to prevent abuse of established rights. If a government must decide which unions are trustworthy to conduct secret strike votes and which are not trustworthy, the Government would be involved in constant controversy, and the way of least resistance would be to rule against secret strike ballots for employees. A long-overdue reform safeguarding the democratic rights of labor and the public would then be lost.

Note: "Bill 39" is not perfect legislation. No one claims it is. Where necessary it can be improved by orderly and democratic action in the legislature. The public approves its basic provisions.

WHY SHOULD ANYONE OPPOSE THE SECRET BALLOT?

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