

Reminiscences By W.J. and Reflections

To combat the rising cost of living, Canada's consumers are turning to baked beans. It should not be inferred from this that pork is associated with the beans, although it has always been assumed there is a certain affinity. In short, a sort of "two souls with but a single thought, two hearts that beat as one" identity. Today, in considering beans, it must be stated that pork is out. Pork is not only out. It is, in fact, becoming exclusive, if not positively uppish. The price is beyond the average man, and so he falls back on that homey little brown pot, filled to the brim with well cooked "yaller eyed beans," hot and tasty, along with molasses fragrant, steamed brown bread, and plenty of butter and coffee. No one starves on that.

This man found Seattle altogether too swift for him. He prefers to stay up north. His name is Emmett Botelho, and he's an Alaskan territorial patrolman.

Not long ago he took a trip to Seattle for the first time in his life. He had never been further south before, than Ketchikan. Now he is back and he says:

"Things and people move too fast there for me."

In Seattle he was met at the plane gangplank by a horde of photographers and news reporters, for he was a novelty, and therefore, news. But, he did not wish to be photographed or interviewed. He moved for a car as quick as he could.

"I may go south again in 20 or 30 years," he remarked, after his return.

Sir Wilfred Laurier was in Metlakatla once. Aboard a stern wheel steamer he spent part of a busy day, viewing the landscape from the water. Bareheaded, and slowly pacing the deck, the Premier drank in the freshness of the September morning, and beauty of the hills. As much to himself as to those within hearing he said, with a slight accent: "A grand countree. A grand countree." The party strolled from the shore at Metlakatla over to the school and Laurier, bowing to the teacher, remarked that a new pupil had come to her fine little school—and suggested that all have a holiday.

Prince Rupert has seen five theatres come and one remain between 1909 and 1948. First of the lot was a glorified barn on Rupert Road where the late Frank Stevens assaulted the piano and villainy pursued virtue all over the screen. Next, on Second Avenue beyond Seventh Street appeared what looked like a promising little movie house but it first had a fire, then contracted malnutrition and died in real life. The Westholme and Empress theatres on Second Avenue saw years of good—and not so good—business, each giving stage plays as well as pictures. Even musical comedies, with buxom chorus on the pint-size stage of the Empress, remains one of the minor mysteries of the amusement world. The Westholme was roomy, with balcony and boxes.

FUNERAL OF JOSEPH JACK

Many Pay Final Tribute to Memory of Prince Rupert Pioneer

Mount Pleasant Funeral Home in Vancouver was crowded with former Prince Rupert people as well as other friends and a former Prince Rupert clergyman when the funeral took place on Wednesday of last week of the late Joseph E. Jack, who succumbed to serious injuries sustained in an automobile accident a few days previous. In the same accident, Mrs. Jack was also injured and was still confined to hospital, when the funeral was held.

Rev. W. D. Grant Hollingworth of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church officiated, paying high tribute to deceased and alluding to the respect and esteem in which he had been held throughout his long residence in Prince Rupert. Following the service interment was made in Forest Lawn Cemetery. Consisting principally of old Prince Rupert friends, the pallbearers were Joseph Saunders, Ernest Gammon, Malcolm McLeod, Robert Cameron, J. Lowe and E. R. Baker.

Among the many who sent floral offerings were: The Family, Douglas, Grace and Bert, Belist Chapter O.E.S. (Prince Rupert), Tsimpsean Lodge A.F. & A.M. (Prince Rupert), Conestoga Lodge A.F. & A.M. (Drayton, Ont.), the Bothemlys (California), The Boys (California), Bryce, Wanda and

cony and boxes. Around the corner on Third Avenue, another playhouse, the Majestic, for a year or so relieved lives' vexing worries and finally came the Capitol, which immediately became the city's entertainment centre, setting a strictly modern and gratifying standard.

Anna (Moorfield, Ont.), Mr. and Mrs. Adams (Edmonton, Mae and Ross (Anchorage, Alaska), the Purdy family (Ketchikan), the Thompson family (California), Jean, Cyril and Merle (Moorfield, Ont.), the Elevator Staff (Prince Rupert), Mr. and Mrs. John Watson, Mr. and Mrs. William McLeod and John (Prince Rupert), Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Armour, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Black, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Asemissen, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Eby, Mr. and Mrs. James Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Vance, Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis McLeod, Mr. and Mrs. Ned McLeod, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Woodside, Mr. and Mrs. George Eales, George Hooley, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Macey, Mrs. L. B. Lambly (Tranquille), Gladys, Bob and Jerry Rank (Seattle), Lynn Hilton, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sloan, Mrs. H. E. Ross, Bernice and Bill, Mr. and Mrs. B. Kinzie, Kalen Chapter R. A. M. (Prince Rupert), Mr. and Mrs. James Krikevsky, Mr. and Mrs. Hawthorne Dunn, John, Della and Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Phillipson, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Parr, Alex Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gammon and Mrs. Ernest Gammon and Mrs. Gladys, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Prendergast, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Neff, Mr. and Mrs. Percy McIntosh, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Keron, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hughes, Col and Mrs. R. M. Blair, Mr. and

Moose Whist Drive And Dance Enjoyed

The weekly program of card playing and dancing in the Moose Temple under the auspices of the Loyal Order of Moose Saturday night proved to be an enjoyable and successful affair. Card playing, under the direction of William Terry, took up the early part of the evening. Prize-winners for the women were Mrs. D. Bolam and Mrs. A. Moller for the women with Gillis Royer and Joe Ratchford tallying high scores for the men.

Dancing to music provided by Stevens' Orchestra commenced at 10:30. Following the distribution of prizes to the winners at cards during intermission, the gathering was entertained by the talents of Mrs. Nora Thompson at the piano and Stephen Drew with his guitar. Refreshments were served at 11:15 and the balance of the evening was devoted to dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. K. F. Harding left this afternoon by air for a trip to Vancouver.

Mrs. A. McBurn, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sather, Mrs. Whitlow, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Adams (Edmonton), Mr. and Mrs. J. Saunders, Ethel Croll, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McLeod, Catherine and Harold Gent, Margaret and Sid, Kate, Herman and Aunt Lizzie, Frank, Alice, Roy and Lillian, Molly and Dave, Bill and Maddy,

TERRACE OLD TIMER DIES

Joseph McLaren Succumbed to Heart Attack in His Home at End of Week

TERRACE—Having evidently been dead for about a day, probably as a result of a heart seizure, the body of Joseph McLaren, resident of a quarter of a century or more here, was found lying on the floor of the kitchen in his home west of town late Saturday afternoon.

Discovery of Mr. McLaren's death was made by his son-in-law, James O'Brien, who had arrived from Usk to visit him. He walked in and found the body on the floor. Deceased had been seen alive last on Thursday afternoon when he had been in town, or some time he had been in poor health.

The coroner, Will Robinson, and Dr. Stanley Mills were called and satisfied themselves that death was due to natural causes. A native of Scotland, Mr. Mc-

Edna and Ferris Sticker, Milly Brown, Nick Chenoski, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Campbell, Joan and Bob, Betty and Freddy, Gerry Woodside, Betty and Gerry Wynne, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lowe, Juaine and Gordon Lovitt (Victoria), Larry and Wilma, Muriel Skae and Miss Phia Bennett.

Laren was 69 years of age. He came here from the East Kootenay country where he had followed mining. Some years ago he was assistant forest ranger and later engaged in trapping and well digging.

The widow has been spending the winter in Trail where she has married daughters—Sophie and Fanny—reside. Another daughter is Mrs. James (Margaret) O'Brien of Usk.

It's Peoples for Solid Comfort



Nightwear
and
Housecoats

BEDJACKETS
PYJAMAS
HOUSECOATS

Year After Year
the Mecca for
Wise Buyers

Rupert Peoples Store

The Popular
S.S.
PRINCE RUPERT
Sails For
VANCOUVER
AND INTERMEDIATE PORTS
EACH THURSDAY
AT 11:15 P.M.
For KETCHIKAN
WEDNESDAY MIDNIGHT
For information call or write
City or Depot Ticket Offices.
PRINCE RUPERT, B.C.

SEE US ABOUT THE
New "AMTICO" Rubber
FLOOR TILE

- Easily applied
- Lasts a lifetime

Comes in a wide range of colors, solid and shades. Will not break or curl.

PHONES 651 - 652
PHILPOTT, EVITT & CO. LTD.
Coal - Lumber - Building Supplies - Paints

How better radio tubes create employment for Canadians

In the very earliest type of three-electrode radio tubes produced about 1906-7, various metals were tried. Some of these were too expensive. Others corroded, or were difficult to keep clean during the manufacturing process.

Lee DeForest, the inventor of the Audion tube, found that Nickel was strong, easily cleaned, and did not oxidize in the process of making the tube. It was easy to weld to other metals.

So today the metal parts of vacuum tubes are being made almost entirely of Nickel or some alloy of Nickel. The International Nickel Company's research department has co-operated with the radio industry in the development of the best Nickel alloys for use in radio tubes.

Improvements in the vacuum tube have steadily increased its uses. It has become the heart of long distance telephone service. The development of motion picture films with sound tracks, as well as amplifiers for public address systems, have been made possible entirely by vacuum tubes.

Previous to 1906 not a single pound of Canadian Nickel was being used in vacuum tubes. Today hundreds of tons of it are used in millions of radio and telephone receiving and amplifying tubes.

This new market for Canadian Nickel, brought about through scientific research means jobs for hundreds of men in the Canadian Nickel industry. The expansion of the radio industry, in which Nickel has played a part, has also provided employment for thousands of Canadians. This does research develop better products, create more employment.

Flugging a reverberatory furnace in the Nickel smelting plant.

The Romance of Nickel: a 60-page book fully illustrated will be sent free on request to anyone interested.

Canadian Nickel

THE INTERNATIONAL NICKEL COMPANY OF CANADA, LIMITED, 25 KING STREET W., TORONTO