

### POLICE URGE SPEED LIMIT SIGNS POSTED

Police Sgt. L. A. N. Potterton wants motorists to know that the city's speed limit is 25 miles an hour without having to go to court to find it out. He thinks that the city should post signs warning the driving public to tread lightly on the throttle.

"On more than one occasion," he wrote council last night, "I have been placed in the unhappy position of trying to explain in the police court the reason why an accused person can be prosecuted under Prince Rupert city bylaw No. 968 for driving at a greater rate of speed than 25 miles an hour when there are no signs erected to inform the public that 25 miles per hour is the maximum speed allowed."

"I feel that no further prosecutions should be made until such traffic signs are erected," he suggested, and council agreed, that signs should be erected without further delay at the highway entrance to the city, the top of the C.N.R. ramp, and the Cow Bay bridge. Council, however, could see no reason for placing one at the Morse Creek bridge, as suggested by the police chief.

### C.N.R. LOOK-OUT IS POPULAR

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### SCHEDULE OF MIXED BOWLS

April 18—C.Y.O. vs. Ideal Detergents, B.C. Packers vs. Brownwoods, Triple XXX vs. Miss or Hits, Cougars vs. Islanders.

### MEN'S 'A' FIVE-PINS

Apr. 12—Revelers vs. Ambassadors, Kilowatts vs. Home Oil, Morgans vs. Continentals, Mansons vs. Revellers, Brownwoods vs. North Star.

### MEN'S FIVE PIN 'B' LEAGUE

Apr. 16—Thorncliffes vs. Scotians, Mutts vs. Fish Dock, Army vs. Canfisco, Co-op vs. Moose, Grotto vs. Thom Sheet Metal, Stones vs. Leafs.

### DRIVING ON PLAY FIELD IS FORBIDDEN

A bylaw prohibiting motorists from using the Roosevelt Park playing field as a race track or a training ground for student drivers will be enforced in future, city council decided last night.

Council also authorized the preparation of the grounds for summer sport and the repair of the baseball backstop which was damaged by winter storms.

Signboards forbidding the driving of motor vehicles on the grounds will be erected in various parts of the park.

"People have apparently been using the grounds for a race track and, consequently, it is all chopped up with wheel tracks," Board of Works Chairman Robert McKay said.

### CEPR Radio Dial

- 4:00—Al Harvey Show
4:15—Stock Quotations
4:30—Especially For You
4:45—Shady Bay Stories
5:00—The Looseleaf
5:30—Platter Parade
6:00—Supper Serenade
6:15—Dimah Shore
6:30—Musical Varieties
6:45—Smoke Rings
7:00—CBC News
7:15—CBC News Roundup
7:30—Leicester Square to Broadway

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## Barbara Ann for Films

Has Had Four Offers—Henie Making New Film By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Barbara Ann Scott may follow in Sonja Henie's ice tracks. The Canadian ice queen has had offers from four major studios, says Dance Director Leroy Prinz, who is her advisor on movie matters.

If the Ottawa champion does turn professional, the first order of business would be a United States skating tour.

"Last week Miss Scott said that she would not sign any movie contracts until she has completed her present commitments to appear in amateur skating carnivals. She said she was booked up until May 8. An Ottawa report said that Miss Scott had been offered a chance to appear with dancer Fred Astaire."

Michael Khy, who languished at M.G.M. for two years, is definitely signed as Miss Henie's co-star in "The Countess of Monte Cristo." He's also her current skating partner.

Charles Boyer has recovered enough from his buritis attack to travel and he leaves this week to attend the New York premiere of Arch of Triumph.

María Montez, who has been off the screen too long for the good of her career, will get into action soon. She'll do some added scenes of the long-finished "Atlantis" and then start an independent film, "Last Year's Snow."

Bing Crosby finished his chore in Disney's "Two Fabulous Characters" and heads east. When his boys do their acting jobs for the film next August, they'll be the first to use Walt's new sound stage which he claims is the world's largest. It's the story of a party on a rainy night. Instead of going out, they listen to a radio personality named Crosby recite the Inebriated Crane yarn. After that, they're too scared to go out.

Shirley Temple is another star heading for New York. It will be one of her few trips to the big town.

Red Skelton's "A Southern Yankee" is going back for a couple of weeks' retakes. Meanwhile, Red is spending most of his time with the circus while it is in town.

John Garfield hopes to lure Faye Emerson back to pictures for his "Tucker's People." She's now playing in "The Play's the Thing" with Louis Calhern.

Rita Hayworth took a two-month lease on a Palm Springs house so she'll do no globe-trotting. She's still trying to shake a cold.

Esther Williams is taking vocal lessons. She'll sing a couple of songs in "Neptune's Daughter," in which she'll portray a swim suit manufacturer.

Walter Pidgeon of St. John, N.B., will be a grandpa in two weeks.

## GRAVEL TENDER ACCEPTED BY CITY COUNCIL

10,000 Cubic Yards for Street Program to be Delivered by Highway Construction Co.

A tender by Highway Construction Co. to supply 10,000 cubic yards of gravel for the city's street reconstruction program was accepted by the city council last night. Completed delivery date was given as within 90 days of the signing of the contract.

Highway Construction Co. superintendent L. M. Shannon told council that he "could deliver the first gravel within two weeks—It's just a matter of bringing up barges from Vancouver. The gravel will be hauled from Denise Arm."

His tender specified that the gravel would range in price from \$2.65 to \$3.40 per cubic yard, depending on how finely it is crushed, delivered to any spot within a half-mile of the C.N.R. lumber loading dock.

Beyond the half-mile free-haulage area, 10 cents per cubic yard per mile would be charged. Board of Works Chairman Robert McKay said that he calculated that average cost for the whole quantity would be in the neighborhood of \$3.12 cents a cubic yard.

Mr. Shannon said that his firm is prepared to make delivery to any place in the city the material required and that base gravel could be hauled directly from the barges to the roads under construction without stock piling.

His tender suggested that, in cases where the quality of the gravel might be questioned by the city, it be stock-piled separately and scientific tests as to its usefulness in asphalt road building be conducted. Costs of the tests would be borne equally by the city and the company.

Alderman George Rudderham spoke in favor of acquiring the full 10,000 yards this summer.

"It is better to get the whole works now, even though we may not use it all this summer," he declared. "If we do, we will have it on hand when we need it. If we had it now, our program could be under way."

In ancient times it was a legitimate practice to desert newborn infants.

## Francois Lake News

Jack Rutherford of Tatalrose, B.C. was busily engaged in trying to photograph a bull moose which had invaded the lawn of the spacious Hougén farm residence when a collie dog resented the trespasser and heeled him. The moose charged straight at Rutherford and pursued him round and round the house and through the barnyard, the trail becoming more and more slippery until the moose slipped and fell while Rutherford gained the sanctuary of the kitchen after a narrow escape.

Michael J. Tuohy, widely known as the Poet of the Trails, his masterpiece being entitled "The Hazelton Trail," has left the Lakes District for hospitalization at Prince Rupert where he has numerous friends.

Francois Lake is permanently sealed, the ice thickness increasing steadily and there is no possibility of it going out before April 20. Betting is even that the ice will not break up until after the first of May.

### CANADIAN WAY OF LIFE

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Indication of growing acceptance of the importance of the national body which had as its two principal objects, first, the obtaining of local views on national questions and co-ordination of same for presentation to the federal government and, second, service to increase the efficiency and usefulness of the local organizations at their level.

The speaker congratulated the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce on an enviable record of achievement but he recommended a continuation of the current campaign for more "active and determined" members.

Mr. Eckroyd, who has just completed a tour of the central interior, remarked upon the excellent relations existing between the coast centre and the communities of the interior. This had been apparent to him everywhere he had been.

The visiting national official spoke before a gathering of about fifty persons among whom were special visitors in the persons of J. F. Cooper, general superintendent, Canadian National Railways, Vancouver, and George McAdams of Terrace, immediate past president of the Associated Boards of Trade of Central British Columbia.

President R. G. Large was in the chair and a vote of thanks was offered to Mr. Eckroyd by Vice-President G. R. S. Blackaby.

Following the general session of the Chamber Mr. Eckroyd conferred with the executive when such topics as encouragement of industrial expansion possibilities, immigration and co-operation between the local chamber and the national body on national affairs were discussed.

### Better English

By D. C. WILLIAMS

- 1. What is wrong with this sentence? "He should be called down for his impudence."
2. What is the correct pronunciation of "respice"?
3. Which one of these words is misspelled: Diameter, diaphragm, diagnosis.
4. What does the word "bilingual" mean?
5. What is a word beginning with tu that means "great unrest, or disturbance?"

### Answers

- 1. Say, "He should be reproved for his impudence."
2. Pronounce res-pit, e as in less, i as in pit. 3. Diaphragm.
4. Recorded or expressed in two languages; speaking two languages. Pronounce bi-ling-wal, first i as in bite, accent second syllable. "It is a bilingual dictionary."
5. Turbulence.



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## Civic Centre

- WEDNESDAY Sports
9:00—Bo-me-Hi gym class.
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2:30—King Edward gym class.
3:30—King Edward
3:30—Rup-Rec junior girls class.
7:00—Rup - Rec Intermediate girls
Badminton (Teen-Age)
3:30—Rup-Rec leaders.
Special Events
p.m.
2:00—Ladies bridge club.
7:00—Gyro Dinner
7:30—Little Theatre.
Kinmen Executive.
8:00—Industrial Workers.

## CANUCKS TAKE HOCKEY LEAD

VANCOUVER — Vancouver Canucks last night took a two to one game lead in the Pacific Coast Hockey League finals, downing San Diego Sky Hawks 7 to 5 in a yawn-packed, somewhat dull, but exciting game.

## BRAVE BROTHERS LOST THEIR FEET

VANCOUVER—Three brothers who lost their feet to save their ship-wrecked mother, sister and small nephew from freezing are being fitted with artificial limbs. They plan on being back in Chignik, near Kodiak, for the fishing season. They are William, Daniel and Arthur Skohberg.

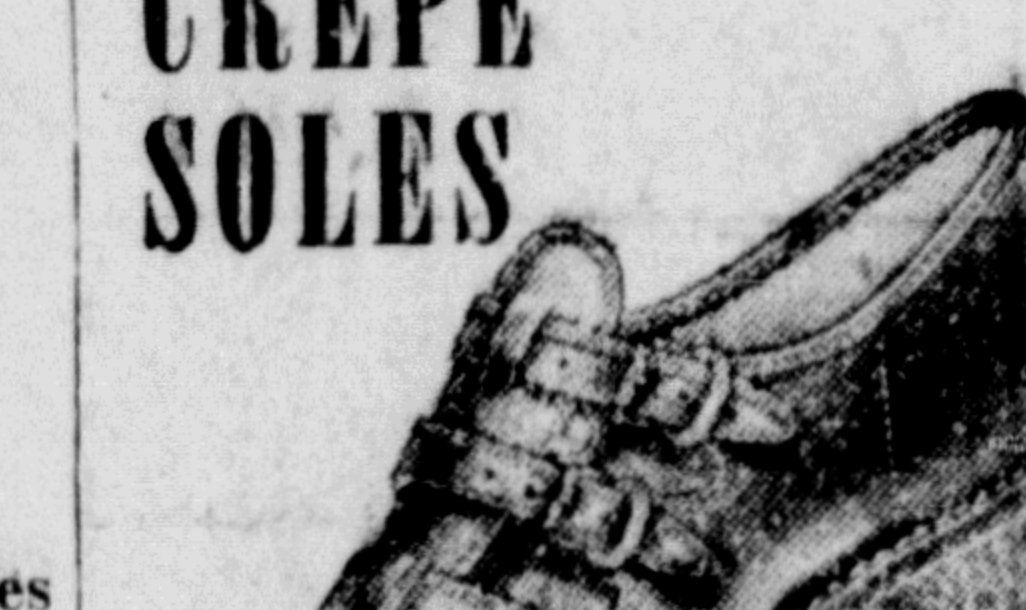
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## PILL BOX OUT IN CANADIAN ARMY

OTTAWA — Cadets of the Royal Military College, Kingston, Ontario, and H.M.C.S. Royal Roads, Esquimalt, will appear next fall in smartly tailored new uniforms common to both colleges. The famous "pill box" will not be included.

## Anchorage Haircuts Now Costing \$2

ANCHORAGE — Haircuts have jumped from \$1.50 to \$2. The Civil Aeronautics Administration recently issued the following directive to employees: "Employees are expected to maintain a neat and sanitary appearance but no question will be raised over the extension of normal periods between haircuts to five or six weeks."



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