

Francois Lake News

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. McClure (nee Eleanor Corliss) stayed a short time with Mrs. McClure's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Corliss, while on their way to Vancouver by car from Prince Rupert. They expect to live in Vancouver for a time.

The John Thompson family of Prince Rupert has been staying with Mrs. Thompson's sister, Mrs. Seymour Loveth, at the Co-op Sawmills for a month. The Abilt family returned to Vancouver by car this week.

Miss Jane Millar returned to North Battleford, Saskatchewan on Saturday. She teaches school near there and has been spending several weeks here with her brother Charles Millar and family.

Jack Walker and his wife and small daughter Sharon are now living on the ranch where Mr. Walker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Walker, formerly lived.

George Corliss has a badly lacerated face which he sustained when he was thrown from his bicycle on the Tweed Ranch driveway. Fortunately his eye was not damaged.

On Tuesday evening M. Bedford and C. Carter of the Shantymen's Christian Association showed the film "Voices of the Deep" in the Institute Hall here. About eighty people were present and all appreciated very much having the privilege of seeing this wonderful film.

Wayman Weldon's nieces, Mrs. Cotterell and Mrs. Metcalfe, are staying at Southbank with him, having come up by car from Beverley Hills, California. They gave an interesting "Chalk Talk" before the picture show. While Mrs. Cotterell talked, Mrs. Metcalfe did pastel drawings to illustrate the talk.

On Friday afternoon more than thirty gathered in Mrs. Earle Hanke's home at the Co-op Settlement for the Women's Christian Association meeting. Mrs. Cotterell and Mrs. Metcalfe offered their services, and spoke on "Women of the Bible." Mrs. Cotterell wore a beautiful Jewish dress and head-dress which gave weight to her talk and made it seem more real. Several hymns were sung and, after a short social period, the hostess served a delicious lunch assisted by her sister, Mrs. Watt.

More than thirty gathered at the Calder home on Sunday afternoon at the weekly service and Sunday School.

Continued rains are making a serious situation as regards the hay crop. Very little has been hauled in, and that cut in the fields is rotting.

New Zealand Fears McMenace of Hamsters

WELLINGTON, N.Z. (C)—New Zealand has placed a rigorous ban on the importation of the hamster, the mouse-like little animal widely raised as a pet in England and North America. Giving warning that he would press for a very heavy penalty on anyone trying to smuggle any of the animals into New Zealand, Minister of Internal Affairs, W. E. Parry declared that the hamster could become a worse menace than the rabbit in New Zealand. "Indications are that a hamster couple head an army 25,000,000 strong before 1952," he added. "Each hamster eats up to 100 lbs of food a year and the ravages they could inflict will be readily appreciated."

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VETERAN OF RIEL UPRISING DIES IN CITY

Alfred S. Carter, pioneer of Alberta, died in the Prince Rupert General Hospital Tuesday in his eighty-ninth year.

He had been a patient there, since the autumn of 1948.

Surviving members of the family are a son and daughter, Charles Carter of Dewdney, B. C., and Miss May Carter, residing in Edmonton. Both are now in the city. The funeral will take place tomorrow in the chapel of the B. C. Undertakers with interment at Fairview Cemetery. The hour will be 10 a.m.

The long career of Mr. Carter spans the growth and development of Alberta since the era of the frontier, and during the period when small settlements grew into flourishing cities.

He was in Calgary when the northwest rebellion flamed into hostilities, and served in the units directed by General Strang in the spring of 1885.

It was an anxious time for everybody and his recollections were of deep interest and unique value. He was frequently heard to say when commenting on the early days and the revolt launched by Reil, that had the Blackfeet gone on the warpath, the outcome in the thinly populated regions of Alberta might indeed have been doubtful.

However, the influence of the Crowfoot, noted Blackfoot chief, and Father Lacombe, long resident of the Canadian west in the early days went far in helping preserve peace so far as the Blackfeet were concerned.

Mr. Carter was born near Niagara in 1860. His father was prominent in the expansion of shipping and steam navigation on the Great Lakes.

Mr. Carter could remember, as a child, the visits to Canadian farms of agents of the American government. Their business was to buy horses for the Union Army, then engaged in the American Civil War.

The building of the C.P.R. attracted many thousands westward, and among them was Mr. Carter. He spent a while in Manitoba. He was aboard the first passenger train to enter Calgary, and he had not been there long before he made the

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acquaintance of two other young men—founders of a newspaper that has long been one of the outstanding dailies of Western Canada, the Calgary Herald.

He was in the employ of the C.P.R. around Banff for a while and later started a stage service between Calgary and Edmonton, conducting it for years and gaining, in this way, considerable knowledge of the country, and the incoming population.

It was after this that he became a rancher, operating a fine property at Innisfail, between Red Deer and Edmonton.

This, he eventually sold and moved to Edmonton where he engaged in business until he decided to make another move, this time to Prince Rupert, a city in which he had unbounded confidence. This was around twenty years ago.

He was in the service of the C.N.R. at Prince Rupert, subsequently taking a position with the city, until advancing years made retirement necessary. Mr. Carter was a familiar figure on the streets. He was well known and esteemed, and there was nothing he liked better than to tell his friends about the old west, and stirring times before

Alberta and Saskatchewan were provinces.

FROM SHOES TO RADIO
LONDON (C)—Stewart MacPherson, 40-year-old Winnipeg-born former shoe salesman, has voted British radio's top broadcaster in a newspaper poll.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF
BRITISH COLUMBIA
IN PROBATE

In the Matter of the Estate of
George Porter
and
In the Matter of the "Administration Act"

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honour Judge W. O. Fulton, made the 12th day of August, A.D. 1949, I was appointed Administrator of the Estate of George Porter, deceased, late of Terrace, in the Province of British Columbia.

ALL PARTIES having claims against the said Estate are hereby required to furnish same properly verified to me on or before the 30th day of September, A.D. 1949, after which date claims filed may be paid without reference to any claims of which I then had no knowledge.

DATED at the City of Prince Rupert, in the Province of British Columbia, this 12th day of August, A.D. 1949.

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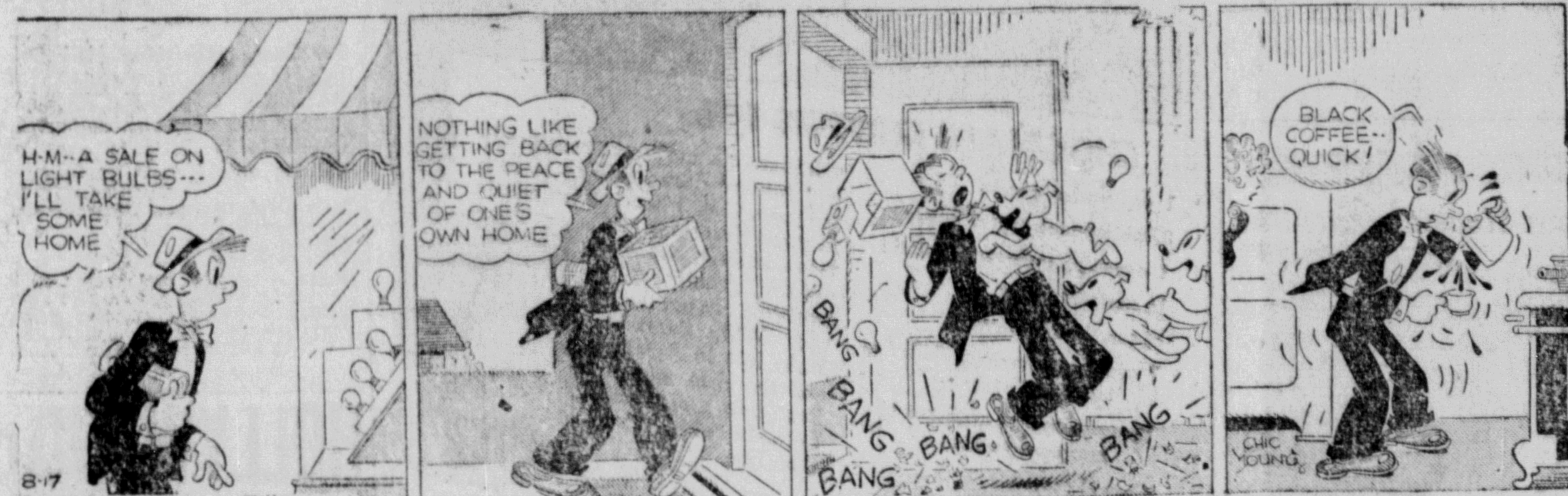
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