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### Early Winter Hits Terrace

TERRACE — Thursday's blizzard had a crippling effect on the district. Snowploughs could not get the main roads cleared of snow at once and cars were snowed in all over the district. Even in the centre of the town, some cars had to be dug out of the snow bank.

Almost two feet of snow fell in two days and there are drifts several feet high.

Thursday's blizzard was something to remember, coming so early. Usually the cold and snow come around Christmas. The lowest temperature was on Thursday, the official reading being 5 below.

One of the effects of the cold weather is that people do more telephoning, especially the youngsters who have been kept home from school, with the result that there has been a certain amount of delay in central answering calls.

The new quarters, which will be in the old Canadian Legion building, will have a larger switch board having 165 lines and 15 cords, but, such is the increase of service here, that it, too, will have times of severe strain and the public are being

### Girls' Softball Dance Enjoyed

TERRACE — The Girls' Softball team held an entertaining party at the I.O.O.F. hall on Friday evening to which almost 150 guests had received invitations. The Boys' Orchestra played for the dancing and refreshments, including turkey sandwiches, were served at midnight. There were three spot dance prizes and these were won by Dwayne Berger and Effie Appledorne, Lola Regan and Cec Baxter, Peter Parmenter and Pearl Haugland. The elimination dance prize was won by Effie Appledorne and Dwayne Berger.

The girls' softball team has been very active this year, playing several games with other teams outside of town. The president is Mrs. George Grant and the secretary, Miss Irene Haugland.

asked not to use the telephone unnecessarily.

Two events were cancelled due to the bad weather and sickness. The Cub "Father and Son" banquet, which was to have been held on Friday, was postponed to next Wednesday evening. The Kin Amateur Concert, which should have been held last Thursday, will be held this Thursday instead.

### School Teas At Terrace

TERRACE — The parents of the children in Mrs. McIntosh's room and Miss Switzer's room were entertained to tea by the teachers last Wednesday and saw through the new school. Next Wednesday, the parents of the children in Miss Semagrad's class and Mrs. Clifford's class will be so entertained. This will be a weekly procedure until all the classes have been visited, to enable all the parents to get to know the teachers and vice versa and to see where and how the children spend their time during their school hours.

### Auxiliary To Buy Incubator

TERRACE — The monthly meeting of the Terrace Hospital Auxiliary was held on Thursday evening in the hospital with a small attendance, due, no doubt, to the stormy weather and the poor conditions of the roads. President, Mrs. D. G. Little, was in the chair.

Since the previous meeting the cost of an incubator had been ascertained and, as this cost was felt to be within the means of the Auxiliary, it was decided to purchase one through the Red Cross for the local hospital.

Christmas cheer for the patients and nurses was discussed. Donations of Christmas cookies, cakes and candies will be welcomed.

The members are asked to knit socks for the children patients, the wool to be supplied by the Red Cross.

Glass for the top of the coffee table purchased by the Auxiliary for the nurses' lounge has been placed on the table and the new drapes, which the members are making, should be ready to brighten the lounge for Christmas.

### Prince George Editor Leaves

PRINCE GEORGE — Harry Gregson, who has been editor of the Prince George Citizen for the past two years, is leaving here, having purchased the West Vancouver News. C. A. Warner takes over the editorship of the Citizen.

### Snow Closes Mill At Ecstall River

Eighteen inches of snow, and probably more since then, brought an end to operations at Brown's Sawmill on the Ecstall River near Port Essington a few days ago. Members of the mill crew have arrived in the city.

### Survivors Improving

EDMONTON — Improvement in the conditions of all survivors of last week's railway wreck at Canoe River west of Jasper Park is reported.

Royal Canadian Mounted Police are still searching the wreckage for the remains of five missing persons—four soldiers and one railroad engineer.

### Liquor For New Store

A quantity of liquor intended for delivery to the new liquor store on Second Avenue arrived in Prince Rupert yesterday. Announcement has already been made that the premises will be open on Friday, December 1, although the doors had not been put in place up to this noon. It will still be some time before the stucco to apply to the front of the building will be put on.

### Devonshire Duke Is Dead

LONDON — The Duke of Devonshire, son of a former Governor General of Canada, died yesterday at the age of 55. His son, the Marquis of Arlington, succeeds to the dukedom.

### Post Office Is Congested

TERRACE — The local post office is undergoing a change again in an endeavor to keep up with the ever expanding volume of business. When the building was first built around 1920 the post office occupied about one-fourth of the lower floor space. At the front, next door to it, was the office of the notary public and, when he left town, the late Charles Gilbert took over the office. Later, for a short time, Mrs. A. Kirkaldy had a dress shop there. Still later, the post office was expanded to cover the front of the building. The late Mrs. Craig, postmistress, and her family had their quarters behind the post office and the second storey of the building. In the succeeding years, however, the once large, comfortable living room, has been sacrificed for more postal space until now nothing remains of it and the lower floor is all office. The next step should be a complete new building.

### SHIPS and WATERFRONT

Advent of ice conditions in the Skeena River has brought the government snagboat Essington into port after her season's activities and the vessel is now being used in connection with the installation of a new log breakwater at the fishermen's floats just east of the dry dock where improvements are being carried out by the Department of Public Works. Some of the Essington's crew are now taking vacation. One of the last missions of the Essington was the picking up and bringing into the marine station at Seal Cove for winter storing of lights which had been installed recently in the lower Skeena River for the benefit of the new log towing activities in connection with the bringing of timber to the new cellulose mill on Watson Island. Eight inches of ice in the Skeena River a couple of weeks ago ended the navigation season, barges of Columbia Cellulose being frozen in. Of recent days, the Skeena River ice has been breaking up owing to the mild weather but that will only be temporary.

Western Producer, Capt. Fred Kohze, arrived in port late Saturday with 20,000 pounds of flatfish from Heate Stralls waters for delivery to the Atlin Fisheries.

Capt. John Boden, commodore of the Union Steamships coastal fleet, is leaving the steamer Camosun at the conclusion of the present voyage for three months to take vacation time which has been accumulating since the first of the year. Capt. J. Halcrow is expected to take over command of the Camosun while Capt. Boden is away. Keeping up her noon arrival time, the Camosun reached port yesterday from Vancouver, Alert Bay, Sointula, Namu, Bella Bella and Butedale and sailed at 11 p.m. for Port Simpson, Kincolith, Alice Arm and Stewart whence she will return here tomorrow morning to sail south at 12 noon.

Second Union steamer of the day, the Chilcotin, Capt. Harry McLean, returned to port at 5:30 yesterday afternoon from Masset Inlet points and sailed at 8 p.m. for Vancouver via Butedale, Namu and Westview.

### Storm Stops U.N. Session

Consideration of Communist China's Charges Deferred

LAKE SUCCESS — United Nations security council session was cancelled Saturday because of a storm which swept the city, officials urging every one to go home as quickly as possible.

The meeting had been called at the request of Jacob Malik, Russian delegate, to consider Communist China charges of United States aggression in Korea and Formosa.

The Communist Chinese special delegation arrived yesterday.

### Queen Wins First Race

KEMPTON PARK — The Queen Friday saw her silks carried successfully for the first time when her five-year-old steeplechaser Manicou won the three-mile Wimbledon Steeplechase by eight lengths. Duke of Norfolk's Possible was second and Printer's Pie third.

### Woman Is Killed—Officer Suspended

VICTORIA — Constable Robert Coleman was suspended following a traffic fatality at the week-end when the car he was driving struck and killed Mrs. Caroline Parkin, 68.

### Auction Sale

Timber Sale X 51955  
There will be offered for sale at Public Auction, at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, January 23rd, 1951, in the office of the District Forester, Prince Rupert, B.C., the Licence X 51955, to cut 6,075,000 lbm of standing and felled Spruce, Cedar, Hemlock and Balsam on an area comprising of part of surveyed timber licence 8016p, Exstew Station, Range 5, Coast Land District.

Three years will be allowed for removal of timber.  
"Provided anyone unable to attend the auction in person may submit tender to be opened at the hour of auction and treated as one bid."

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