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Concerning The Blind

THROUGHOUT THE YEAR this community responds generously to the many calls made upon it to support the needs of others less fortunate. The request for our practical concern and interest for the welfare of the blind is one call which knowingly we never overlook. We find it difficult to understand how life might continue to be complete without sight.

To us blindness is puzzling, bewildering, almost without understanding. We do not know how we could continue our family and community relations, our employment, our full life with respect to recreation, social and cultural activities. We do not know how we would meet blindness if it came to us tomorrow. It is good therefore, to know that something is being done about all this for our blind fellow citizens throughout this province.

The Canadian National Institute for the Blind is constantly assisting many hundreds of our blind friends to understand blindness and all that it means. The staff of the Institute counsel and teach in all things which will be supplementary and helpful to those who are without sight.

We may well ask ourselves "What would we do if we were to lose our sight tomorrow?" The obvious answer would be for us to seek the service and advice of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind in order to help us to a fuller understanding of life without sight and the method by which we might become adjusted to it.

Our consideration of the needs of the blind and of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind which provides the answer will prompt us to be more generous than ever as we respond to the current appeal on behalf of the blind. Opportunity in this regard will be forthcoming tomorrow when the I.O.D.E. sponsors its annual tag day in behalf of the C.N.I.B. Give generously.

TO KILL A RUMOR

A KETCHIKAN MERCHANT was surprised the other day to have a Filipino cannery worker, just in from his season's work, remark that he couldn't buy anything in Ketchikan "because the Canadians will take it away from me when we go through Canada."

He assured the Filipino and his friend that this is not true. Under an old agreement, Canadian and American grant equal access to the ships and planes of each other in their adjoining waters and allow free passage to travelers on ordinary business and pleasure travel, including their usual baggage.

Where the Filipino was given his information he did not say. It is a rumor that should be nailed at once because it could hurt business in Ketchikan and build international ill will if allowed to spread.

—Ketchikan Chronicle.

HARDER ON IRON
Snow water contains a greater proportion of oxygen than in New York State, which accounts for its greater rusting 20, 1778, and has been continuously used since then.

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WINNIPEG — The airplanes and radio have become routine in Manitoba's lonely northland but many thousands of Indians and a few white people have yet to see a motion picture.

The Canadian Forestry Association, as part of its educational program of forest fire prevention, recently undertook to send sound movies to northern inhabitants.

The images that move and talk are to many of the natives one of the most amazing types of "black magic" to come out of the white man's cities.

In several communities 1,000 miles north of here, Indian audiences packed churches, schools and halls to witness their first movie. They travelled for many miles by canoe to see the show which was advertised by poster and moccasin telegraph. Whole families came, from the smallest paposes to tribal patriarchs.

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PRESIDENT AGAIN — Percy Bengough of Vancouver, for more than 4 years associated with labor unions, was again elected president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada at its annual meeting in Calgary. (C. P. Photo)

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CHICAGO — The fact that Canadians are different from what Americans often look upon them as being, plus the fact that they differ as well from each other, provides the citizens of the United States with many interesting experiences when they are visitors of Canada. A. A. Gardiner, General Passenger Traffic Manager, Canadian National Railways, told members of the downtown Kiwanis Club of Chicago at their luncheon meeting Thursday.

The difference between Canadians are as marked as are those of Americans, he said. "In the case of Canadians, however, there is a distinctive and attractive difference arising from the fact that most of the 30 per cent of Canadians are French speaking reside in the province of Quebec. This, quite naturally results in that province presenting much more than ordinary amount of interest and in many respects a foreign atmosphere right at your door."

"French speaking and English speaking Canadians alike are one in the realization that they live in a good neighborhood," he continued. "This has regard for the fact that they are next door to the United States. Exemplary in all respects in our present world of distrust and uncertainty are United States-Canadian relations."

RE-ARMING FORTS NEAR VICTORIA

VICTORIA — Coastal forts here, largely dismantled and idle since the war, are to be rehabilitated and manned again shortly by local reserve army units, it was learned today. Some 500 additional reservists will be required to man the forts, compared with a wartime strength of 1,000. The forts command vital coastal defences.

LABOR-SAVING SHRIMP SORTER DEMONSTRATED

A. W. Lance, Associate Research Engineer, of the Pacific Fisheries Experimental Station in Vancouver is visiting Prince Rupert this week in connection with the development of a new equipment which has been designed and built in this Province. The new shrimp sorter that will be demonstrated by Mr. Lance is at the Fishermen's Co-operative. This apparatus sorts shrimps into three commercial grades of prawns, giant reds, size stripes or pinks, right on board the boat and can be operated manually or by the boats drive mechanism. Besides saving labor in sorting shrimp it also returns the under commercial size shrimps to the sea undamaged thus conserving them for future catches.

Another operation to be demonstrated is the use of a washer screen attachment which when used as a washer prior to filleting operations reduces bacterial count very substantially.

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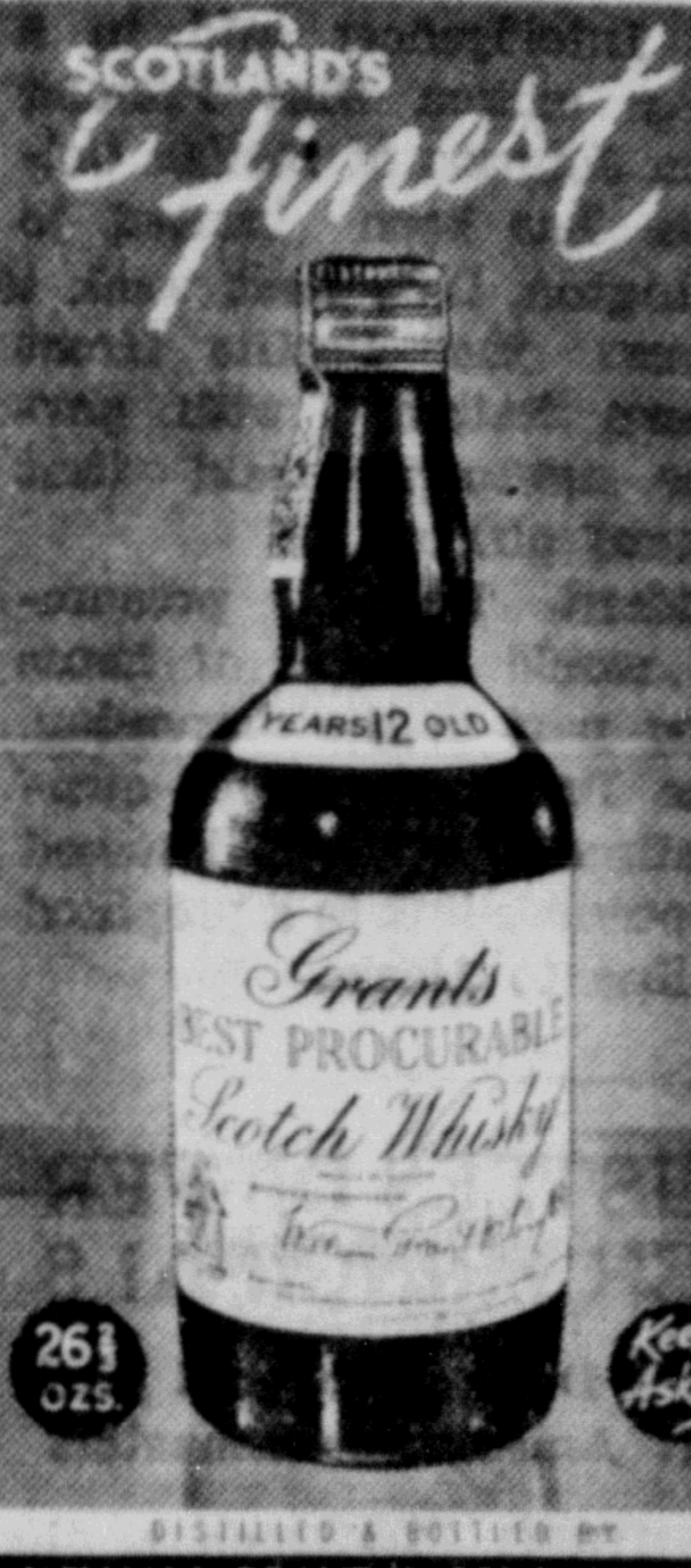
The Panama Canal was first designed by Ferdinand de Lesseps, who constructed the Suez Canal as a tide-level waterway in 1879.



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A POINTED-REMINDER — VANCOUVER — Bees had the last laugh in a recent beekeepers' competition. Two beekeepers were stung.

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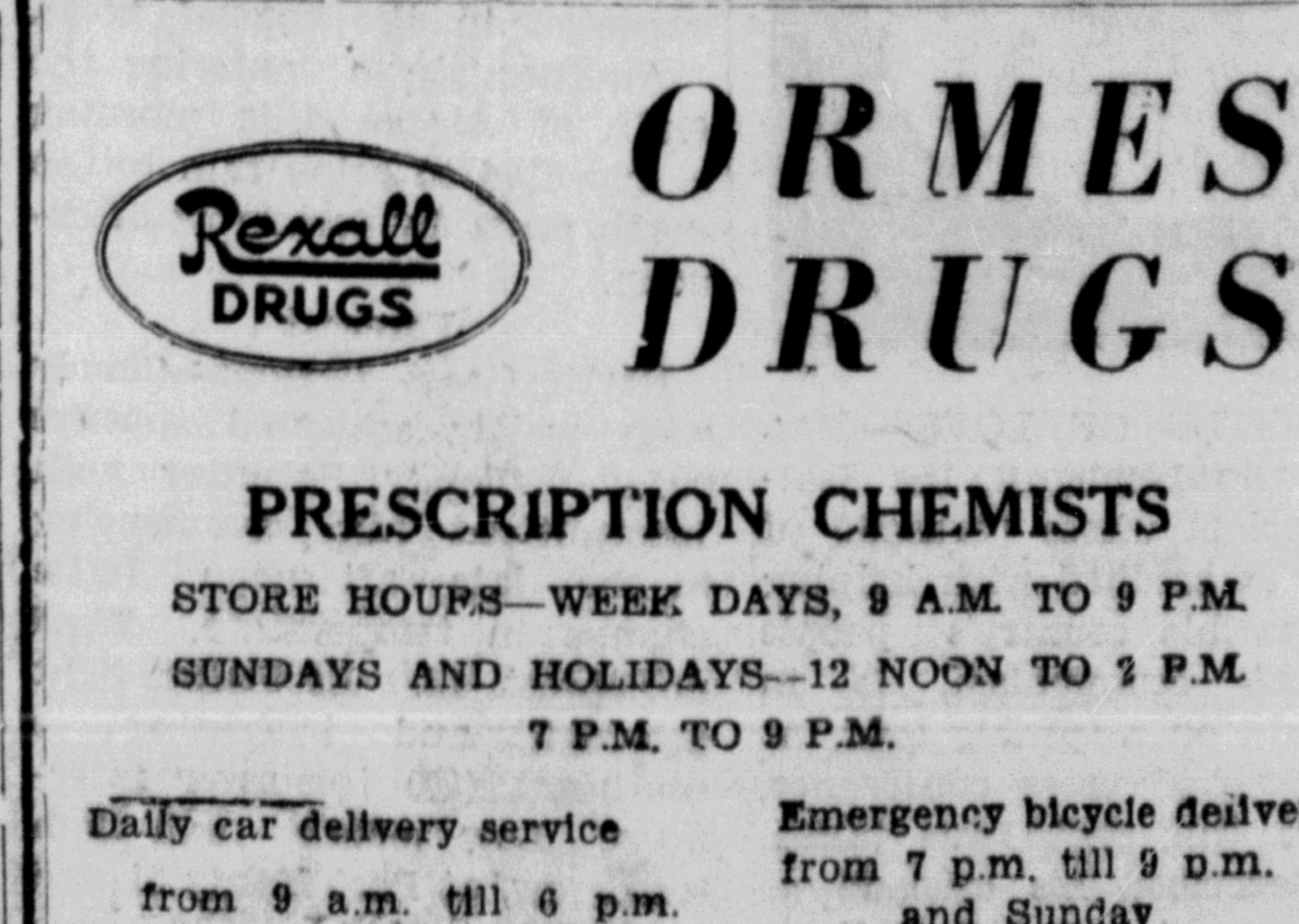
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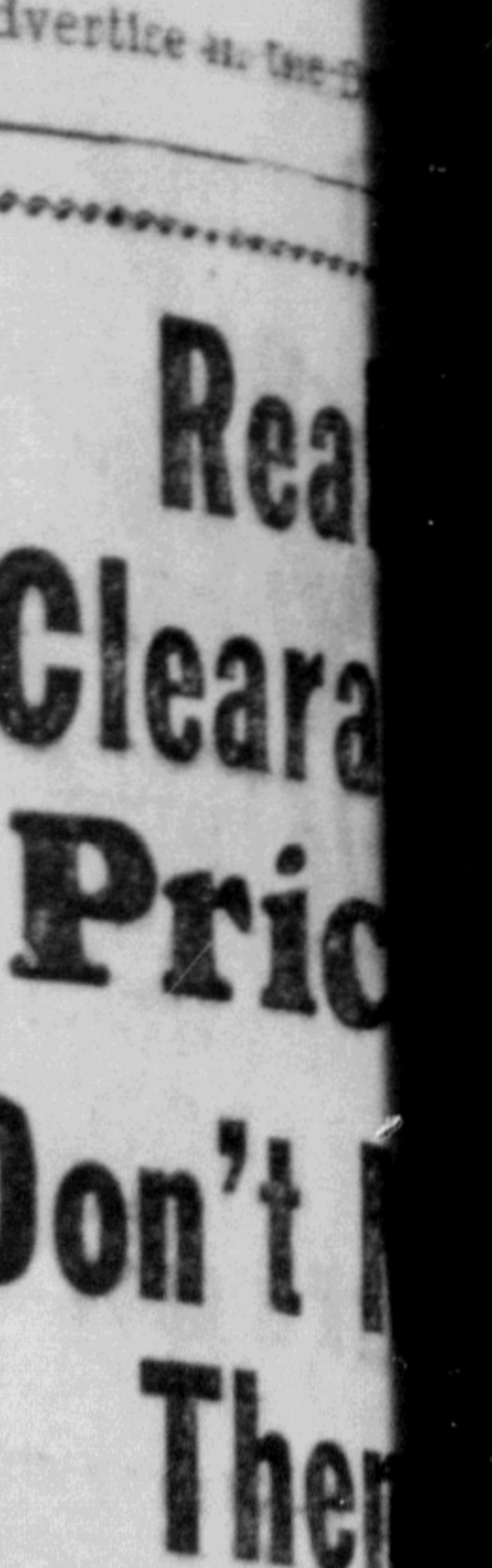
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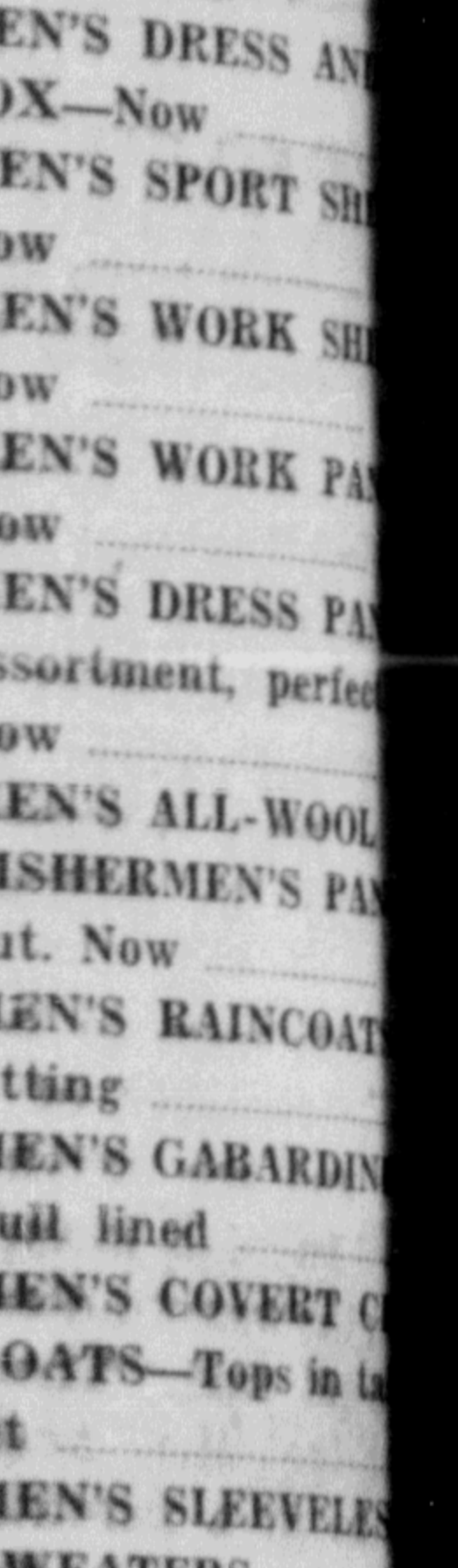
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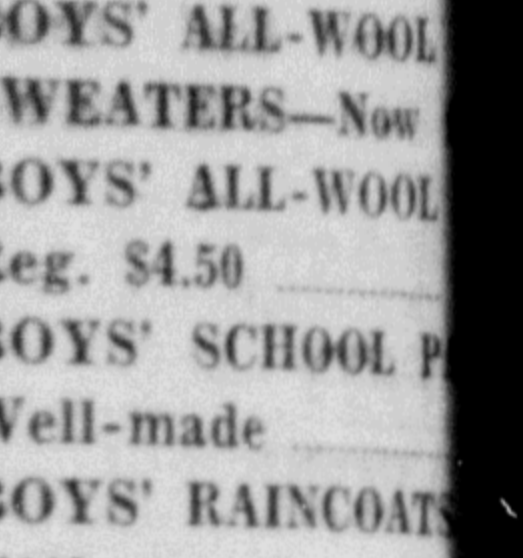
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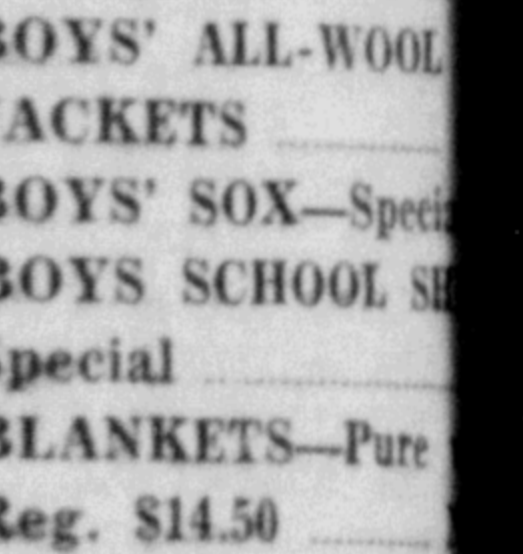
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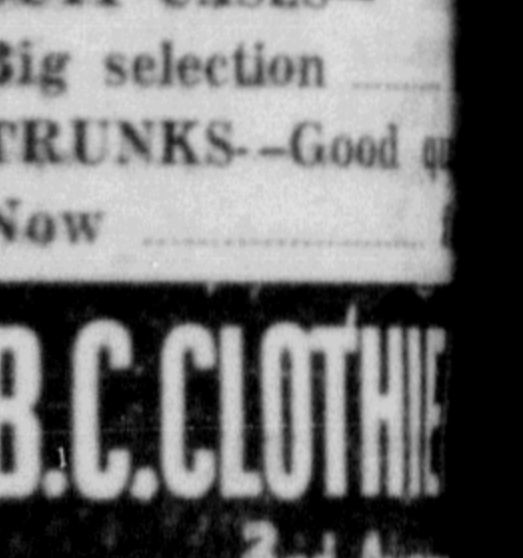
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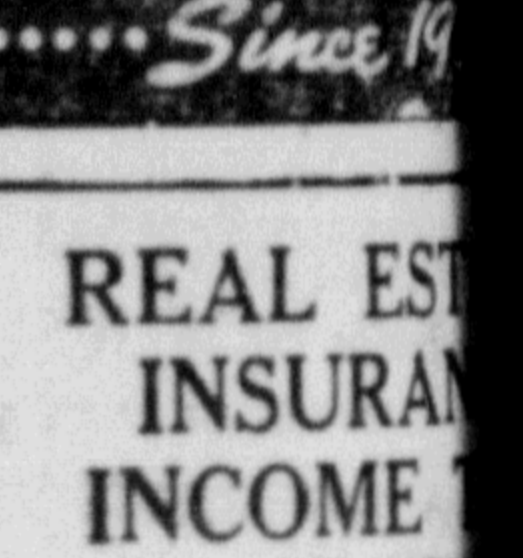
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