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# Train Collision Near Cranbrook Is Fatal

# To Two Railwaymen Of Canadian Pacific WORK PICTURE GOOD-Prince Rupert Is Bothered With Few Workless; Prospects Bright

While increased unemployment is reported general in other parts of Canada, a review of the employment situation in Prince Rupert area at the present time discloses a very satisfactory picture here, ac-· cording to E. V. Whiting, superintendent of National Employment Service. Claims at the local employ-

ment office are considerably below the number filed in the Americans Leavingsame period a year ago and the prospects for employment in the construction industry in the community in the near future is brighter than commosa is has been the case for several years, "There is reason for op-timism in regard to employ-timism prospects in 1950," Mr. GETTING Whiting says.

.021/2 schools, new nurses' home, con- to remain, it was learned last into apartment block and the an individual basis without genwaterfront.

The work on the Prince Rupert- Port Edward Highway will extend well into the sum-

These are projects which will provide employment beyond on the island of Hainan and a normal expectations in this ar- full scale assault is now expected

There have been some layoffs at the Columbia Cellulose Co. construction on Watson Is- Affempied land due to weather conditions and the fact that a large proportion of the foundation work is now completed. The next few months will see fewer new hirings in the common labor catgories as the work has progressed to a point where the various skilled craftsmen will be the major need until completion.

Tells of Warsaw--

A great deal of prejudice is in their war ravaged country by the British Columbia coast and States and British Columbia to the world, as a program typical a gun and demanding that he .141/2 eating the poorest of food.

quist, distinguished planist, in a gratures tonight. Club Thursday afternoon of her climbed considerably in most of Laborites for vivid description to the Rotary recent trip to Warsaw where she the interior regions during the competed as an American entry past 24 hours another polar air Jungay in the Chopin Centennial in the mass threatens the central and Polish capital last fall.

in Prince Rupert with her par- those areas during the next 24 ents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Balagno, and 36 hours. will be featured in a piano recital

Among major building pro- WASHINGTON, D.C. ()-Amerjeets which should offer em- icans in Formosa are being told ployment during 1950 are listed quietly but officially to quit the a new hotel, new theatre new Communist - threatened island newspaper building, new unless they have urgent reasons version of the former United night. Diplomatic authorities States administration building said the advice had been given on renabilitation for indusrial use eral warning to evacuate such as of the large warehouse on the was issued in advance of Communist conquests of Shanghai and other mainland areas.

Meanwhile it has been reported that the communists have already made two attempts to land to be essayed.

To Murder

convicted of attempting to murder the woman he "loved wery much." Mr. Justice A. M. Metlakatla, Alaska is recognized

bich lived.

# THE WEATHER

the Russians and if citizens of the over the lower mainland during be heard in concert recitals. It of the people of the Northwest be driven downtown. The officountry are not members of the the past few nours. Shower ac- sang to large crowds in each Station CFPR will broad ast part cers started to drive him around Communist Party, they have to tivity is expected to continue into city and the national radio net- of the program and Tsimmean a block and Constable Eburne shift for themselves as well as the afternoon in most of these works carried the voices across people within the range of local fired blind over the back of his they can which includes living areas. Cloudy skies should per- the continent. Tonight the choir radio will tonight hear the memin rubble heaped buildings and sist over Vancouver Island but will give a sacred recital in Prince bers of their own tribe in a reclearing in the lower mainland Rupert from the stage of the cital. A full house is expected at So said Marie Balagno Lund- will be followed by freezing tem- Civic Centre. Their program in- the Civic Centre Auditorium.

Although temperatures have southeastern regions. Colder wea-Mrs. Lundquist, who is visiting ther is expected to return to

Forecast at the Civic Centre January 13. North Coast — Cloudy with Trades and Labor Council (CC Her trip to the old country, she snow flurries along the mainland, L) at a meeting Wednesday. related, began in Seattle Sep- clearing this afternoon. Few The resolution, brought fortember 4, and stops, before arriv- clouds and colder tonight and ward by Victor Midgley, intering at Warsaw, were at Gander, Saturday. Wines light, increas- national representative of the Newfoundland and Prestwick, ing to northeast, 15 mph, during United Brotherhood of Carpen-Scotland, and Copenhagen. Met the afternoon. Lows tonight and ters, also called for the petiat the Warsaw airport by Russ- highs Saturday—at Port Hardy tioning of the city council to ian troops, all seven passengers and Sandspit, 25 and 35; Prince hold a plebiscite over the is-Rupert, 20 and 26.



from Pembroke, Ont., is Ontario's biggest post-war hydro development-and the biggest since Niagara Falls was harnessed. Through these huge pipes on the downstream side will pour enough water to generate almost 480,000 horsepower of electrical energy. Some 2,500 men have worked for three years on the Des Joachims project; its first units are scheduled to go into operation in

## Noted Alaska Choir From Model Native Community Visits City

Fifty United States citizens came back to their hereditary home today not to reside but to sing to their neighbors in Prince Rupert. It is over half a century ago that Father William Duncan led his peo-Pribich, aged 55, was yesterday ple from Metlakatla, to a new settlement in Southeastern Alaska, also known as Metlakatla. Today

Charge against Pribich was children to Universities in the last May 14 of Mrs. Gespara and their canneries, have fine "Worthy is the Lamb" and the Knezevich, land lady of a skid- fishing boats, and are, by a spe- "Hallelujah Chorus." road rooming house where Pri- cial act of congress, full-fledged The Canadian Broadcasting

citizens of the United States.

Manson remanded him to the as one of that territory's most cludes many numbers from the end of the winter assizes for prosperous villages. The people "Messiah" and music fovers will zen attempt to hold up a police are well educated ,send their hear Handers 'And the Glory of prowler car, laid following the wounding States, they own their sawmill the Lord," "Lift Up Your Heads,"

> Corporation has attached such The Metlakatla choir is hailed significance to the program that read: I am going to leave this as the finest in Alaska, and it has it is recording many of the nur .- world." won renown, all over the Pacific bers for broadcast over their Hamod was shot after he had

> > AND THE PARTY OF T

Communists

Recognized VICTORIA (CP)-Opening up of all sport and other good clean forms of recreation on Sunday was urged in a resolution endorsed by the Victoria

Vancouver Youth Comes to Untimely End After Holding Up Officers

ceath here early today in a bra-

Raymond Stanley Hamod, laborer, died after he had been shot three times by Constable M. A. Eburne.

Shortly after his death, note was found in his room, I

Coast. Two years ago it travelled short-wave station at Sackville, hailed the police and entered Rain has been general along to all major cities in the Western New Brunswick, to all parts of their car, covering them with

Chief Constable Walter Mulligan praised the officer for nis coolness and presence of mind, "That is why we arm our officers," he said.

EXPLOSIVE DISCOVERY Some scientific writers hold that Friar Bacon discovered an explosive ingredient by accident in 1248 A.D. LONDON (P) - Great Britain



HOCKEY SCORES	Saturday, January 7, 1950  High
N.H.L.	Low 9:16 7.6 fee
Montreal 5, Boston 3	21:49 2.8 fee

# Passenger Crashes Head-on Into Freight; Others Injured And Are Being Hospitalized CRANBROOK (CP)-An engineer and a brake-

man were killed five miles west of here early today when an eastbound Canadian Pacific Railway passenger train rammed head-on into a westbound freight train.

The accident occurred at 3:40 a.m. at Little Junc-

### Charges To Be Probed

asked Hungary and Rumania to are reported seriously hurt. name their representatives to to many of their citizens.

The dead are Peter Linton, of Cranbrook, engineer on the freight train, and James W. Myles, brakeman on the freight. Half a dozen other men were

OTTAWA (1) - Canada has brook Hospital. None of these commissions to investigate Can- Mr. and Mrs. James Brown

injured and three are in Cran-

adian allegations that the two returned to the city by train Communist-led countries have Wednesday night after a three broken their peace treaties by months' trip to heir native denying fundamental civil rights Scotland. They visited in Winnipeg on their way home.

WINNING RADIO FIGHT-

# Prince Rupert To Get Network Programs And Weekly Puck Broadcast

It looks like station CFPR of Prince Rupert is soon to get the green light for the broadcasting of all D - A hand- Canadian Broadcasting network programs. Emissome 21-year old youth, who detectives say they believe sion of the Saturday night National Hockey broad-"wanted to die," was shot to cast should be authorized almost immediately. This

> sage to E. T. Applewhaite, M. P. for Skeena, from Hon. Lionel enthusiasm of local sports foi-Chevrier, minister of trans- lowers to get the hockey broadport, on the subject.

> now the Skeena member has Ottawa. been advised that, "pending C. H. Insulander, manager of been completed with CBC for cast from his station. the Saturday night broadcast to be carried over CFPR as soon as CBC receives the sponsor's formal permission to use the

> Broadcasting of full CBC network programs from CFPR would mark the culmination of | Civic Centre, 8 Tonight a long campaign led by the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce and Mr. Applewhaite, often sparked by the

program." Mr. Chevrier adds

welcome news is to be gathered from the latest mes-

On December 31 Mr. Apple- Mr. Applewhaite brought the whaite communicated last with campaign to a head while at-Mr. Chevrier on the matter and tending the recent session at

agreement with the CBC re- CFPR, had no instructions up garding full CBC service for this to this afternoon as to releasarea, arrangements have today ing the National Hockey broad-

Metlakatla, Alaska encouragingly: "No difficulty is DUNCAN MEMORIAL CHURCH CHOIR Tickets \$1.00 - Students 50c

At Ormes and Civic Centre

### Gassed By Monoxide

the city ambulance inhalator ported since the recent cole squad rushed to the scene and snap There have been no deaths attempted to revive the couple. Temperatures dropped as lov Put into the ambulance, the woman gained consciousness before arriving at the hospital but the man received further treatment before he was revived.

pair are in good condition.

# Pneumonia In Prince George

Two people were admitted to PRINCE GEORGE. 9-An epi-General Hospital early this demic of pneumonia has hit this morning after they were found Central British Columbia city unconscious in the rear seat of jamming hospitals and forcing an automobile parked in a gar- an around-the-clock emergency age at 812-Second Avenue W. routine for doctors and staff After receiving an urgent call, Forty-nine cases have been re

> as 58 below zero and authoritie trace the outbreak to the cole wave which hit the area two weeks ago but is now ameliorat ing. Residents, unprepared for the cold, became overheated with the result that they contracted

The number of cases is highe

### (continued page 3) Elimination Of All Poverty Is Foreseen By Truman week-end laid against George McKnight, Thompson and The two were found slumped

WASHINGTON D. C. (1) - President Truman said today that the United States can offer its people 61,000,000 jobs this year, 64,000,000 in five years and, in the end, "complete elimination of

In his annual economic message to Congress, Mr. Truman said the country's economy has emerged strong and stable and with reborn confidence from its post-war crisis. He called on business, labor and farmers—as well as the government—to rise to the "magnificent challenge" ahead.

Case Adjourned

charge over the Christmas lice court this morning.

Montreal 5, Boston 3

McKnight, former Columbia Wallden were picked up at the in the rear seat of the vehicle. Cellulose employee, has been King George Hotel December, The motor was running and, extended to next Friday. The 28. Police have linked McKnight apparently, wind gusts had car- virus, doctors say. accused and two suspects, Stew- with the Gordon and Anderson ried the carbon monoxide fumes Adjournment of the hearing art Thompson and John Wall- burglary. Thompson and Wall- into the rear of the automo- than at any time in the history den, were brought before Mag- den, although not charged with bile. The doors of the garage of Prince George. There are safon a breaking and entering istrate W. D. Vance in city po- aiding McKnight, are held on were opened. This morning the ficient medical supplies available. vagrancy counts.