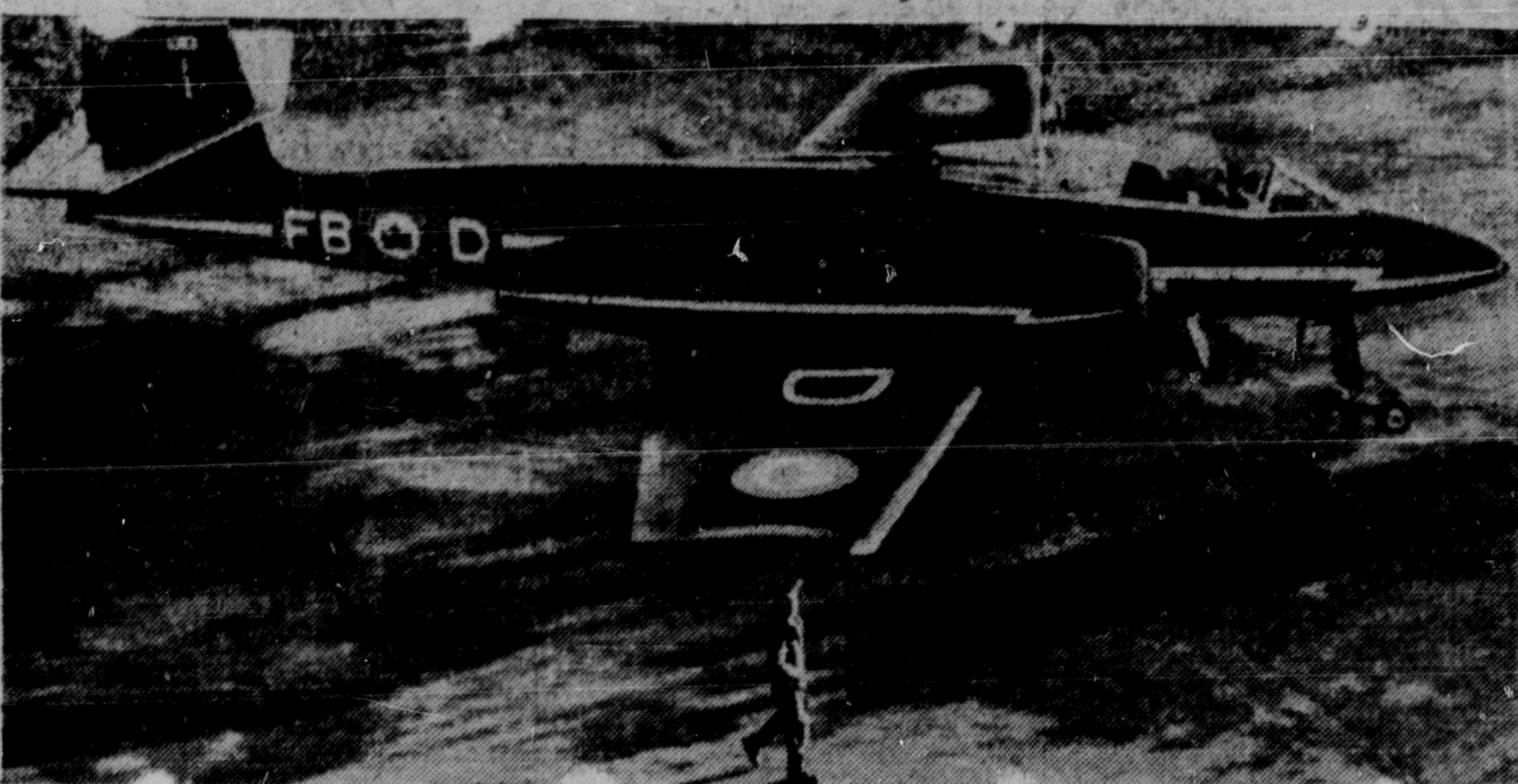


# SOCIAL and PERSONAL

- S. O. N. Whist and Dance Friday, Jan. 20. Cancelled. (16)
- **GOLDFISH:** New shipment just arrived at Balagno Florists! (16)
- All Scouts and Cubs invited by Fifth Prince Rupert troop to film show, Catholic Hall, 7:30 sharp tonight. (11)
- A general special meeting of the U. F. A. W. U. Prince Rupert Local to be held Sun. Jan. 22nd, 2:30 p.m. in the Metropole Hall, Business-1950 agreement. All members requested to attend. (17)
- Annual general meeting of the Prince Rupert Fishing Vessel Owners' Mutual Protective Fund will be held in the Common Lounge of Civic Centre, Prince Rupert, B. C., Jan. 23, 7:30 p.m. All members especially urged to attend this very important meeting. (18)
- Burns Scotch Dance Odd-fellows Hall January 20, Admission 75c. Refreshment including Oatles An' A' That. (16)
- St. John Ambulance Association annual meeting Sunday Jan. 22, at 2:30 p.m. at City Hall. All members please attend. (17)
- **IT'S HERE!** The new improved **DELMAR MARGARINE**, Now contains fresh pasteurized **WHOLE MILK** (not skimmed milk). Try a pound at your grocers to-day. Buy by brand Delmar. (18)



CANADA'S JET FIGHTER READY FOR FIRST TRIALS—Canada's first jet fighter plane, the VF-100, has started its taxi-trials at Malton airport, near Toronto, preparatory to its first flight. The aircraft, built by Avro Canada for the R.C.A.F., is the first long-range all-weather fighter of its type. It is also the first front-line fighter to be designed in Canada and has a speed estimated to be higher than 600 m.p.h.

## Five Dead In Toronto Fire

TORONTO—Three men and two women were fatally burned and several others suffered burns today in a fire that raged through the Phillips Garment building near the intersection of Queen Street west and Spadina Avenue in Central Toronto. Four badly burned persons were taken to hospital where they died. First reports said that a number of other persons were lying under blankets in a nearby laneway.

Fire trapped the workers in the basement premises of Phillips Garments Limited in Toronto's downtown garment district. Firemen, who donned masks to grope through heavy smoke, said they found at least eight persons overcome by smoke in the basement.

Origin of the fire was not immediately determined. An employee said work had been resumed after lunch. Power was turned on when flames seemed to shoot from the ceiling. "I only had enough time to shout fire when the flames spread all over," he said.

**GAY AT 100**  
BAT'JAY, Eng. —Theodore Taylor, 99, head of a firm of woollen manufacturers here, sang the "Wassail Song" for reporters. The reporters were interviewing him as his 100th Christmas approached.

## Good Citizen Accorded Honor

Chamber of Commerce Farewells Brooksbank—Message From Pattullo  
Forty-one years of good citizenship in Prince Rupert and twenty-one years of effective service as secretary of the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce were appreciatively acknowledged at the Prince Rupert Club yesterday afternoon when members of the Chamber of Commerce gathered for an official farewell to Arthur Brooksbank.

The proceedings climaxed when J. T. Harvey, past president of the Associated Boards of Trade of Central British Columbia and another No. 1 Chamber worker, presented Mr. Brooksbank with a handsomely inscribed wallet as a tangible token of kind sentiments which were ably expressed. Mr. Harvey referred to Mr. Brooksbank's fine record as citizen and Chamber secretary, expressed regret that he was leaving, confidence that he would return and best wishes for an enjoyable vacation and happy future life.

"Forty-one years is a long part of anybody's lifetime and it will be impossible for me to ever disassociate myself with Prince Rupert even though I may make my future home somewhere else," replied Mr. Brooksbank in acknowledging what he felt was an "over honor." No doubt he would be back here at frequent intervals. He reminisced briefly on Prince Rupert's progress since the early days and voiced continuation of the confidence which he had always held in this place and which had actuated him to stake all his resources here. As for Chamber of Commerce work it had always been a pleasure attended with consistent harmony. He felt that he had got as much out of the Chamber as he had ever put in it.

One of the highlights of the proceedings was the reading of a telegram from Premier T. D. Pattullo who paid high tribute to Mr. Brooksbank's qualities of good citizenship and public service. He sent his good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Brooksbank and their family and wished the Chamber continued success in its efforts.

The gathering was arranged for the Chamber by W. F. Stone and G. C. Mitchell.

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## Flashes From Moose Temple

(By W.J.R.)  
It was not until well along in the forenoon yesterday that all of Prince Rupert's people knew there had been a fire. It was news to learn that an old landmark—the Moose Temple—had been utterly destroyed hours previously.

Throughout the day, as well as early evening, the site had many visitors who rambled over the wet, debris-strewn surface of the spacious rock high above the street level, where the temple had stood. What was left of the ruins kept smouldering for hours. The stairway, leading up from Second Avenue, was hardly touched by the flames and it was not long before every step had become iced, with row after row of icicles extending across the whole face of the cliff. There was the constant drip of water from the flooded top.

The fire, discovered around 5:45 must have been working toward the outburst of flames. Some citizens who walked by the temple close to that time, saw no smoke, or sign of anything being wrong. Some were out in the avenue, where the going was smoother. One man hiked along the sidewalk, passing right by the temple stairway, but he had not gone far before he had reason to glance back and what he saw then was plenty.

## Legion L.A. Card Party

Five tables were at play at a Ladies Auxiliary of the Canadian Legion card party in the Legion hall Wednesday night. The tournament of whist, crib and bridge was conveted by Mrs. W. Rothwell assisted by Mrs. Ray Bean, Mrs. A. Croxford and Mrs. B. Kerr.

First in women's whist was Mrs. T. Carter while Miss Marjorie Peachy took first men's honors. T. Fortune was winner in the women's division in crib and O. K. Olsen, first in the men's class. In bridge, Mrs. S. L. Peachy took high women's honors and men's division winner was Mrs. C. Herreit.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS

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W. Tocker, Port Edward; M. L. Clark, Prince Rupert; A. De Wein, Ketchikan; William Ross, Skeena River; Mrs. C. A. Chapman, Smithers; F. C. Penny, Digby Island.

## AIR PASSENGERS

To Vancouver (today)—L. G. G. G. J. Manson, Mrs. G. J. Richards  
To Sandspit (today)—J. B. Bartholomew, C. Robertson, J. H. Hitchcock, Mrs. M. Holbrook.

## Hold Aloof From Spain

LONDON—Britain is still holding aloof from Franco Spain a foreign office spokesman indicated today. He commented at a regular press conference on states secretary Dean Acheson's announcement that the United States is ready to vote for a United States resolution leaving member governments of the United Nations free to send back their ambassadors to Spain. The spokesman said Britain was not consulted by the United States before Acheson's announcement.

## Three Children Burn to Death

KENTVILLE, N.S.—Three children were burned to death today in a fire in the home of Cecil Veniot of nearby Dalhousie. Few details were available. The children ranged in age from one and one-half years to six.

## Pinks Dropped From Politboro

SOFIA, Bulgaria—Dabbi Terpeshev, minister of labor in the new cabinet and a former vice premier, has been dropped from the Communist party politburo, 'Robetnichesko Delo', newspaper of the party announced that six members of the party central committee have been ousted. In both cases, the paper says the reason was that those dropped were not coping with their work and dulled vigilance.

## BOXER IS SENT TO HOSPITAL

PITTSBURG —Henry Jones, Detroit heavyweight, is in good condition today after being taken to hospital from a bout with Bob Baker of Pittsburgh. Jones was knocked out in 1 minute, 42 seconds of the first round and, apparently, suffered concussion when his head struck the floor of the ring.

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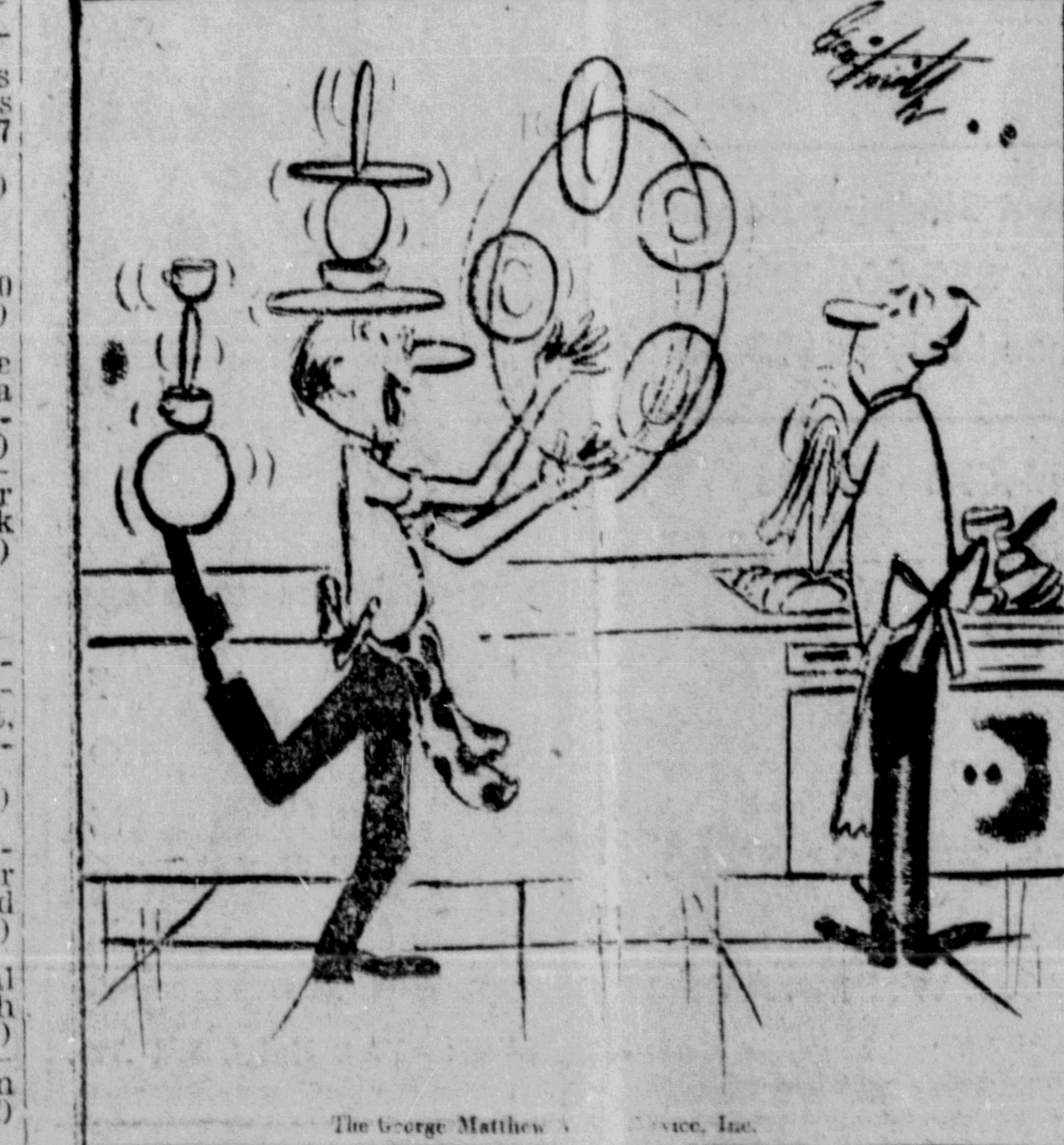
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