

**The Daily News Boys**

**GEORGE GILLIS**

PRINCE RUPERT-BORN BOY IS DOING WELL IN MUSIC

A native son of Prince Rupert is George Gillis who was born here 14 years ago and appears to have thrived in the climate that some southern British Columbia people insist is wet.

For over 3 1/2 years George has been delivering papers for the Daily News in an area that has one street which might rightly be renamed Doctor's Row. His route takes in Fourth and Fifth Avenue West between McBride Street and Fulton.

George attends the Annunciation School where he is in Grade Nine this year. Basketball is his top sport although he isn't a member of an organized team. Reading and the activities connected with the Civic Centre, of which he is a member, take up most of his spare time but



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he does find time to work on his collection of stamps. Music holds great interest for George and he is a smooth operator when it comes to fingering the keyboard of a piano. As to what the future may hold, by way of an occupation, George isn't making any commitments. He still has several years of high school in which to meditate the problem.

**HOTEL ARRIVALS**

Prince Rupert  
L. George, Stewart; S. Joy, Prince George, James Galland, Queen Charlotte City; R. J. Cook, Edmonton; Mrs. N. Barwick, Fort Babine; Mrs. J. Fairbairn, Fort Babine; Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher and family, city; Mr. and Mrs. W. Thompson, Oliver; Miss O. Flanders, Ketchikan; J. McRae, Fort William, Miss J. Lofendo, Terrace; E. Willie, Terrace; A. A. C. Lucas, Vancouver; J. O. Peterson, Endako.

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**ICE HARVESTING IN ALBERTA**—Moose Jaw, Sask., district farmers have come into town to take off another kind of crop—the 1948 ice harvest—in which the yield is measured in tons, not bushels. Ice cutting on the Moose Jaw river began just after Christmas and during February will be taking off the second crop in some spots, where water has frozen again to the required depth of about 20 inches. The health department has taboed the ice for cooling martinis, and has ordered that it be used for refrigeration and wash purposes only. Ice harvesting here bears a strong resemblance to logging, for men float on the huge chunks of ice until it reaches the cutter, and manipulate the frozen water with long-handled sticks with sharp prongs on the ends. Norman Lowe, who is manipulating the ice-cutting machine in the picture is typical of the ice harvesters.

**Reminiscences**  
By W.I. and Reflections

Not infrequently, when a building, the long miles north were someone will say "oh well, screen can bring it all back with gone entirely." But how far correct is he? And how easy it is to say. When cash is tight and material scarce and costly, one is liable to count his coppers and revise the view that it's cheaper to build anew.

Of the making of movies there's no end and the work demands new scenes, fresh backgrounds and novel action. The great northwest has not been entirely neglected. Discoveries have disclosed that more than the mounties have been entrusted with duties there. One need go no farther than Old and New Hazelton and find all the answers. What's the matter with screening the race to lay the Atlantic cable—dramatic expedition to Behring Sea and from the shores of the narrow sea, link up with Europe first. But, it failed. The Atlantic won out. And a variety of equipment was abandoned. The crags of the Rocher de Boule have all the scenic setting needed. Wire, thrown away, helped fashion a bridge made by the Indians across the rush-

There was even more pomp than usual at Victoria last Monday. When Parliament opens, the glitter and richness of pageantry comes as a glad necessity. The legislators have no objection. The lieutenant governor doesn't mind a bit. And as for the general public, they just devour it. As a show, here is something distinctly the highest of high class, and one does not have to pay a penny. Let's go on liking it! Of course! Why not!

One can faithfully attend school and yet have a great deal to learn concerning geography. Many realized this during the war. Thousands discovered how little they actually did know. For example, one afternoon in Prince Rupert, and American Army lieutenant and local folk were chatting about provinces, states, kingdoms, zones and all such subjects. In introducing the young officer, it was stated he came from Virginia. Inno-

**SWIMMING POOL AT HAYS CREEK**

Even the Winged Birds Are Taking Hand

In regard to the winged girls gathering and meeting on the Hays Cove Creek, the eligible bachelor was not all that was discussed, it appears, as there was one that was tapping the wires and listening in on the conversation. Among other things discussed and decided was to get the Canadian National Railways to donate the Hays Creek flats to the city for a swimming pool for the young generation. The winged birds felt that they had the pleasure

and opportunity for many years to roam over the flats but, by this time, they should give up a little of their pleasure for the young ones that are walking the streets and have no place to go swimming in the summer. Last year they invited several youngsters in and had two or three small craft sailing and they enjoyed it very much together. So, the winged birds, together with their elected bachelor, unanimously decided to petition the citizens and city council for immediate action on behalf of the winged birds and the young generation of Prince Rupert to have Hays Cove Flats put in shape for a first class swimming pool as it was intended for in the first place by nature.

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6:30—Three Suns and a Starlet  
6:40—According to Record  
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7:00—CBC News  
7:15—CBC News Roundup  
7:30—These English  
8:00—J.C.C. Trators  
8:30—Boston Pops  
9:00—Dream Time  
9:30—Prairie Schooner.  
10:00—CBC News  
10:10—B. C. News  
10:15—Lister Sinclair  
10:30—Jal Richards Orch.  
11:00—Weather and Sign Off

- SATURDAY—A.M.  
7:30—Musical Clock  
8:00—CBC News  
8:15—Pick of the Hits  
8:30—Morning Devotions  
8:45—Little Concert  
9:00—Lord Coresser  
9:15—Records at Random  
9:30—Melodies for Juniors  
9:50—Time Signal  
10:00—Band Stand  
10:15—World Church News  
10:30—Tunes For Our Times  
10:45—CBC News  
10:55—Weather Forecast  
11:00—Music for Dancing  
11:30—Weather Forecast  
11:31—Message Period  
11:33—Recorded  
11:45—Personal Album  
— P.M. —  
12:00—Mid-day Melodies  
12:15—Recorded Interlude  
12:25—Program Resume  
12:30—Polka Time  
12:45—Serenade for Strings  
1:00—Announcer's Choice  
1:30—Hit Songs of Yesterday  
2:00—Tea and Crumpets  
2:30—Musical Program, Mont.  
3:00—Clearing Up the Weather  
3:15—CBC News  
3:25—Recorded Interlude  
3:30—NBC Symphony Orch.



**... About "Russia's" Europe**

I've been reading a book by a man named Hal Lehmann called "Russia's Europe." Lehmann is a newspaperman who used to write for papers like PM, the New Republic, the Nation and the New Statesman. These papers, I understand, are the journals which some of our pink columnists read to get their inside information on what skunks the people are who run the Western democracies as compared with the sweetness-and-light boys from Moscow.

Well, Lehmann, it seems, went to the Balkans to write a book the leftists would eat up... the kind of thing he'd been doing in his articles before he went to the Balkans. But what he saw behind the Iron Curtain opened his eyes. He sent stories about it to his "liberal" newspapers and they suppressed them. He lost his backers but he had a shocking story to write and he put it in a book.

It isn't a book about how Communism or Socialism would work if we only gave it a chance. It's a book about how Russian Communism or Socialism and variations of it have changed the life of the people of countries like Hungary, Yugoslavia, Czechoslovakia, Austria, Poland, etc. Here is no theory but just what happens when the Kremlin boys and their stooges go to work on the ordinary people of the country. It's a book you ought to read.

**ADULT SOCIALS OPEN TONIGHT**

First of the organized adult mixed card socials which will be a Friday night feature at the Civic Centre will be held tonight, according to Garnet Hull, who has undertaken to act as director and master of ceremonies. The socials are open to all, including no-Civic Centre members, he said, and it is not necessary for foursomes to be formed prior to the social.

**Train Schedule**

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