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#### Waging Battle With les In Lower Skeena

National Railways offices here late itted they were being faced with a riorating snow situation in the lower Within a ten-mile distance between fall and Telegraph Point no lss than five ne down during the day aggregating

tone thousand feet in length and from six to fifteen feet in depth. It was still snowing heavily and adverse reports were coming in one after the other to Superintendent C. A. Berner from between Terrace and Tyee. Days ago Berner said that such snows s Huge had not been experienced in the in Rome history of the line and since then they have become much

Admitting it was hard to make further predictions as to when the line would be clear again, the railway company made ar-rangements for Canadian Pa- Newtle Union cific Airlines to make a flight tration of all in passengers and essential express and to bring out passenpress and to bring out passengers and express which has been held up there since the line becam blockaded by the snow last at Hungary's Wednesday, However, continuing

> battling its way towards Terrace the Opposition, moved that the down behind the rotary plow provinces had been consulted. TWO ESKIMOS weary crews were to be given to be sent to the United King- BROUGHT OUT weary crews were to be given to be sent to the United Kingrest and equipment serviced fol- dom Parliament asking it to con-

While regular trains have been House of Commons. s in some parts the railway company started re- Preliminary indications are station, here after an epic the balance in students' tuition west Construction Co. for their Shawatlans plant, the company's thousand miles to strike a reduced them routing passengers, mall and ex- that the Drew motion will be flight by two Royal Canadian press for Prince Rupert by way defeated. M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. Air Force mercy planes. of Vancouver and steamer up leader, said his group would join

would face westward again in substantial majority. eatens Governor, felt that the worst of the sides union should not be consumated were over although continuing until after "satisfactory consnowfall made the situation clusion" of such consultations. was once sen- still difficult.

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put at \$350,000

J-OP VS. SAVOY

hot at dawn, to- The train, due from the East place to none in supporting the at 10:45, is eight hours late as union of Newfoundland with says may give re- a result of delayed connections Canada but was concerned with iggest story in at Jasper. Its progress will, of the way that union was to be sis, he says, con- course, depend on the battle brought about. rum and sugar against the snow along the divi- The government was planning ward Islands in sion.

is Governor of fore tomorrow night.

"consultations." Irozen fish from Alaska is an- ish North America Act could be other element which is spurring thus amended without consultporters on arrival the rallway in speeding the re- ing the provinces, it could be opening of the line as rapidly amended the same way for an not resign unless as possible. There are already other purpose. so and, "in that some 15 or 16 cars of such fish here awaiting transport east while the motorship Lucidor is due tomorrow from Alaska with who is the son frigerator cars from the East TO U.S. CENTRE is being awaited to handle this

Twelve passengers were today at Terrace awaiting trans- yesterday of one of its special port into Prince Rupert. It was defence schools to give a group to bring them in that arrange-ments had been made for C.P. of Canadian naval officers the latest in defence-medical train-That Quite City also an accumulation of mail ficers of the Royal Canadian OF DEFENCE and express at Terrace. The de- Naval Reserve will take training layed passengers included a lo- in new but unspecified weapons AUSTRALIA—It is planned to came after Chairman Tom Concal reserve army party which and radioactive isotopes at the spend \$600,000,000 on defence nally for the foreign relations killed and at least teserve army party which and radioactive isotopes at the in Australia over a period of 25 committee and Senator Arthur killed and at least has been training at Wain- United States Naval Medical in Australia over a period of 25 committee and Senator Arthur Cortain factories essent Vanderberg had made it plain killed and at least; wright, Alberta, and a basket- Centre at Bethseda, Maryland. years. Certain factories essen- Vanderberg had made it plain ating against and has been visit- Drawn from various naval tial in planning protection on that the United States will not a large scale will be transferred approve any treaty language aling against an ing Telkwa.

of 175,000 persons owing to the rallway tie-up.

## was called out to JOHN MCINNIS

VICTORIA, () John McInnis, C.C.F. member of the Legisla- ments have been made with U.S. ture for Fort George, charged Naval authorities whereby inauthorized payments of \$228;- ficers may attend. payments, recommended but not authorized, had been made

to seven contractors.



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BLOCKS UNION - George Drew thinks provinces should be consulted about Newfoundland before final acceptance.

Col. Drew Holds Provinces Should Be Consulted

Snow fighting equipment was gressive-Conservative Leader of Col. Drew made his motion as

a bill adopted last week by the

the Liberals in opposing the Superintendens Berner said Drew motion. Soloh Low. Social this morning that, after a few Credit leader, said he will suphours at Pacific for rest of crew port Drew. The Liberal-C.C.F. and reservicing, the rotary plow combination would comprise a

another attempt to reopen the Drew's proposal was containline to Prince Rupert. Ever op- ed in an amendment to the fortimistic, Mr. Berner was hope- mal address. It said there should ful that trains might be able to be immediate consultation with move in and out of Prince Ru- the provinces on Newfoundland's

an amendment to the constitu-There will be no train out be- tion without consulting the prov inces. He said the provinces Delay of United States-bound should realize that, if the Brit-

OTTAWA (7) - The United States threw open the doors and five children.

divisions across Canada, the Re- a large scale, will betransferred approve any treaty language vasion from Mara." Ing Telkwa.

Meat and milk are also run- serve medical officers will atning short at Prince Rupert tend the course in two groups. ha. The first group, consisting of six 7 officers, began the course yesterday. The 14 officers comprising the second group will attend a repetition of the same course scheduled for April 25-30.

The course is held for officers of the United States Naval Medical Reserve Corps and arrange-

LOCAL TIDES

Wednesday, February 16, 1949

# Canada Bank Head Cheerful About Economy Ut Dominion

## BUDGET, HIGEST IN ITS HISTOR

Prince Rupert School Board today submitted the largest budget in its history to city council to co operation of city and district schools for 1949. total budget, exclusive of government grants, is \$208,867.

The final budget figures were approved last night | Port Edward, is now making by a special meeting of the School Board which timexed

Pilotless Plane Flew Three Hours

whipped into line. TACOMA- For three hours one in it circled high over Ta- offset by government grants building which will be used as coma, finally crashing in the totalling \$65,102, which will leave an office and headquarters mountains. The plane had been city and district taxpayers to for Dominion Bridge. The OTTAWA @-Legislation pro- accidentally started in motion find an additional \$143,765 to work started today. snowfall and poor visibility viding for Newfoundland's union when the pilot got out to crank finance school operation. the with Canada hit an unexpected the engine. A passenger climb- City's share of the school cost snag in the House of Commons ed out hurriedly and broke his is 57.44 percent, while the rural

lowing arrival there at 8 o'clock firm terms of Union set out in mos, suffering from a mysterious disease, are being treated today at the Arctic Air Force

Six others, reported seriously ill, were left behind at the Creswell Bay trading post. It is not known why they were left behind or if they are also being

Nine other Eskimos of the village were reported to have died. A ski-equipped Dakota plane left Cambridge Bay, 1440 air and landed near Fort Ross. It pert again by Wednesday. He entry into Confederation. The picked up thetwo and completed the 600-mile return journey.

The eight Eskimos, survivors WOULD EXTEND Col. Drew said he took second settlement, were taken last SUPREME COURT week by Trapper Ernest Lyle to the Fort Ross area on Somerset Island.

#### FAMILY KILLED IN AIR CRASH

MAXVILLE, Ont., @-Trans- Council are to be abolished. He port Department inspectors said that Supreme Court justoday will probe the twisted | tices would get better underburned wreckage of a plane standing of complex Canadian which ceashed six miles north problems if they held sittings in of here, taking the lives of a different parts of the Dominion.

Montreal f amily of seven. single-engined plane explod-ed in mid-air and plumetted MUST HAVE to earth last night. The dead are Wallace C. Siple of Beaconsfield, president of the Siple Aircraft Co., his wife

## GETS STEEL JOB

Dominion Bridge Co. Ltd. having been awarded the contract for erection of steel in connection with the Columbia Cellulose Co. \$25,000,000 celanese mill at Watson Island, active preparations for the commencement of this ima succession of meetings at portant work. The Northwes which costs and revenues were Construction Co. of Prince Rupert has been given The \$208,867 budget will be work of erecting a \$6000 frame

#### strict assumes 12.56 percent. teachers' salaries. WAR BUILDINGS

single item listed is

surplus was recorded.

rate for the coming year.

ich include a recent pay in-Two large H-buildings, which and provision for the teachers' salaries next | Air Force at the Seal Cove a base, have been acquired from ated receipts this year war Assets Corporation by the clude \$61,402 in basic govern- forestry department of Columment grants, approximately bia Cellulose Co. which has \$1,000 in vocational grants and awarded the contract to Northconversion at a cost of \$16,000 secondary hydro unit. However, Last year's budget, which was into workrooms, bungalows and the Falls River plant will be cepted under protest by the bunkhouses in connection with kept operating at minimum ty council, was \$178,309. How- the Watson Island pulp mill capacity so that it will not be er, a somewhat greater project. The alterations will be damaged by ice while inactive. they will be used. The city's share of the school budget will be included in city

#### estimates this year and will be TODAY'S STOCKS a factor in determining the tax

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McLeod Cockshutt

## SCHOOL BOARD SUBMITS \$208,000 DOMINION BRIDGE TOWERS Sees Extreme Inflation Lessening, Credits Being Eased

is unable, because of the current

beyond that time.

if necessary.

the city's water supply in view

of the present emergency.

without comment.

have to be taken.

water shortage, to carry the load

OTTAWA (CP)-Indications that extreme inflationary pressures are lessening today prompted the Bank of Canada to take the brakes off use of general credit for financing of business capital expenditures.

Graham Towers, Governor of the Bank of Canada, coupled publication of the annual report with notice to chartered banks withdrawing the credit conservation "sug-

DRY DOCK POWER the credit conservation "suggestion" issued last February. The report gave a cautiously optimistic picture of Canada's

A V II financial progress but made no Falls River Supply Petering At a press conference Towers Out As Water Level Lowers

said that Canada had fared Northern B.C. Power Co. plans better in postwar years than to put into operation tomorrow many would have believed posthe dry dock steam plant, which sible in 1944. It holds under lease, to maintain

#### the electric power supply for the GUIDE MISSILES city. The Falls River hydro plant FOR 3000 MILES

announced that the United States program of defence w

amount was spent, but because made by the contractors at Seal The water shortage which has A well developed storm over of increased grants and tuition Cove and the structures will t plagued the power situation here the North Pacific will bring fees from rural areas, a slight moved on skids to the site where for the last week, continues to southerly gale-force winds and grow more serious with the cold, rain to the Queen Charlottes rainless weather that prevails, and North Coast today. As this T. B. Black, general manager disturbance continues its eastof the power company, said to- | ward motion, rain is expected (Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co. Ltd.) day that the situation would be to spread to southern Vancouwatched carefully and that any ver Island and the Lower Mainaction required to maintain the land by tomorrow morning. In power supply at a near normal the interior cloudy skies will level would be taken. Monday, persist today while snow is exthe company applied to the B.C. pected in the northern and Power Commission for permis- central districts tonight and tosion to curtail the use of power morrow.

Forecast Queen Charlottes and North At last night's city council Coast-Overcast today with rain meeting Alderman Black asked commencing about noon. Cloudy that the mayor, and chairmen with showers tonight. Cloudy of the board of works and utili- with snow flurries tomorrow. ties committee be given juris- Wind southerly (15 m.p.h.), indiction over street lighting and creasing to southerly (35) this afternoon, becoming westerly (25) this evening, northwesterly The permission was granted (7 m.p.h.) tomorrow. Little change in temperature: Lows The move was seen as an ef- tonight and highs tomorrowfort to streamline procedure in Port Hardy 34 and 38, Massett

### COUNCIL BACKS AUTOMATIC 'PHONE SYSTEM IN ARGUMENT WITH CASEY

case emergency masures may 30 and 36, Prince Rupert 30 and

Latest Assault On Telephone Bylaw Repulsed by Aldermen

Seven of the city's eight aldermen last night spoke, and then voted, against a resolution by Alderman George B. Casey to have Ernest Love, Stewart telephone engineer, brought to Prince Rupert to investigate the proposed new telephone utility, thus reaffirming the support of council to the current plan to instal a modern, automatic

### ANNA STRONG IS NAMED SPY

MOSCOW, (P) The Moscov press today announced that for "less than half" the cost of Anna Louise Strong, well known the time required for delivery of American author and corres- the manual equipment would be pondent, has been arrested on far less. charges of spying and will be deported.

Miss Strong, who has been in .83 Russia most of the time since .121/4 1921 writing books and articles Minstre Show which reflected strong pro-Soviet viewpoint, is one of seven United States correspondents in Moscow. She is listed as rep- Tickets from all Rotarians resenting the Allied Labor

Alderman Casey's resolution was inspired by correspondence with Mr. Love in which it was stated that a satisfactory manual system could be installed here automatic equipment and that (Continued on Page 2)

ROTARY CLUB

## Singing—Dancing—Comedy

FEB. 17TH AND 18TH and at Civic Centre. "conservation to the conservation of

### city was completely MAKES CHARGES well as the radio ch made the broad-

in the House yesterday that un- terested R.C.N. (R) medical of-00 had been made to contractors since 1947. He said that

A. F. McDougall, Coalition, Vancouver-Point Grey, advo- Low cated continuation of coalition.

22.2 feet 21.6 feet 3.8 feet 2.8 feet

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