

Special **The Daily News** Supplement **WELCOME SHRINERS**

Greetings

To the Citizens of Prince Rupert:

Gizeh Temple was very pleased to accept the invitation to hold our Spring Ceremonial in your City this year, and we trust that we will leave with you fond memories of our visit.

We will initiate into the Shrine over 60 Citizens of Northern British Columbia which we will leave as Shriner to carry on the great philanthropic endeavor of the Shrine in your District.

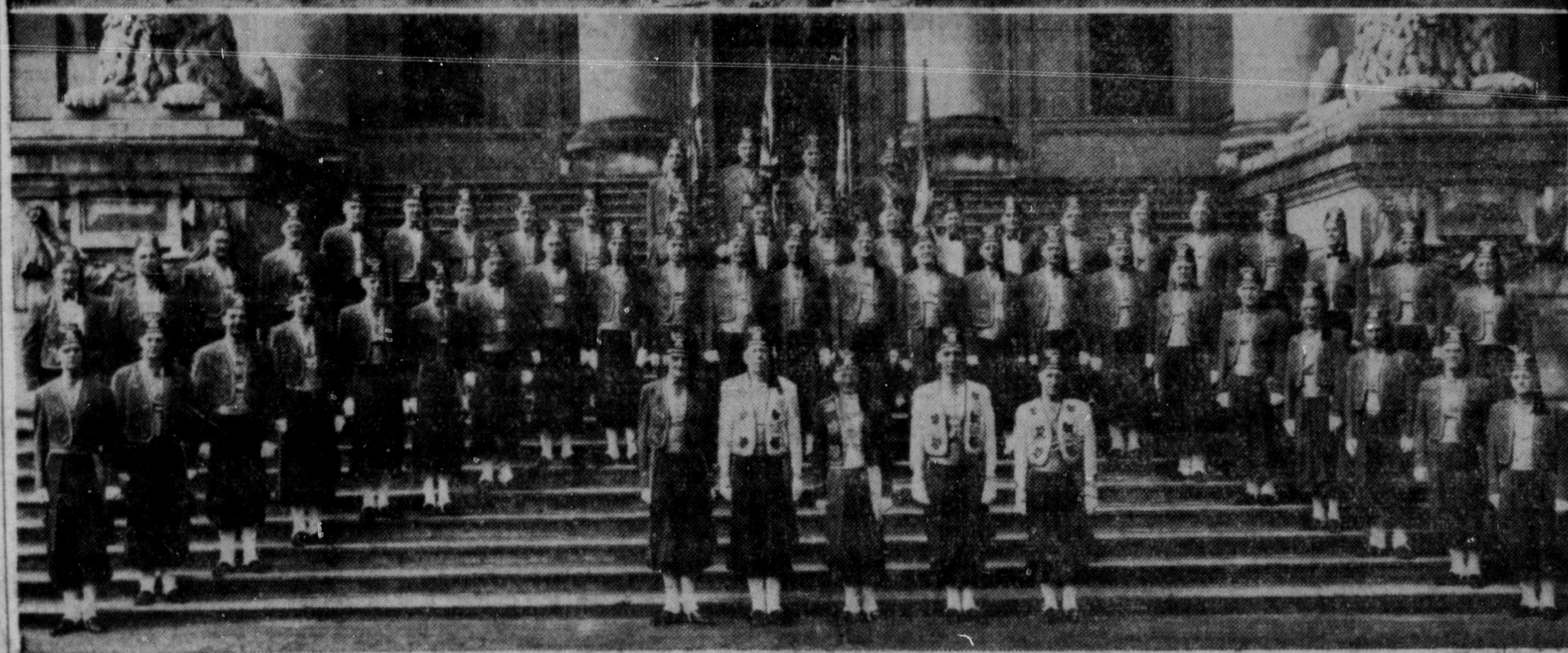
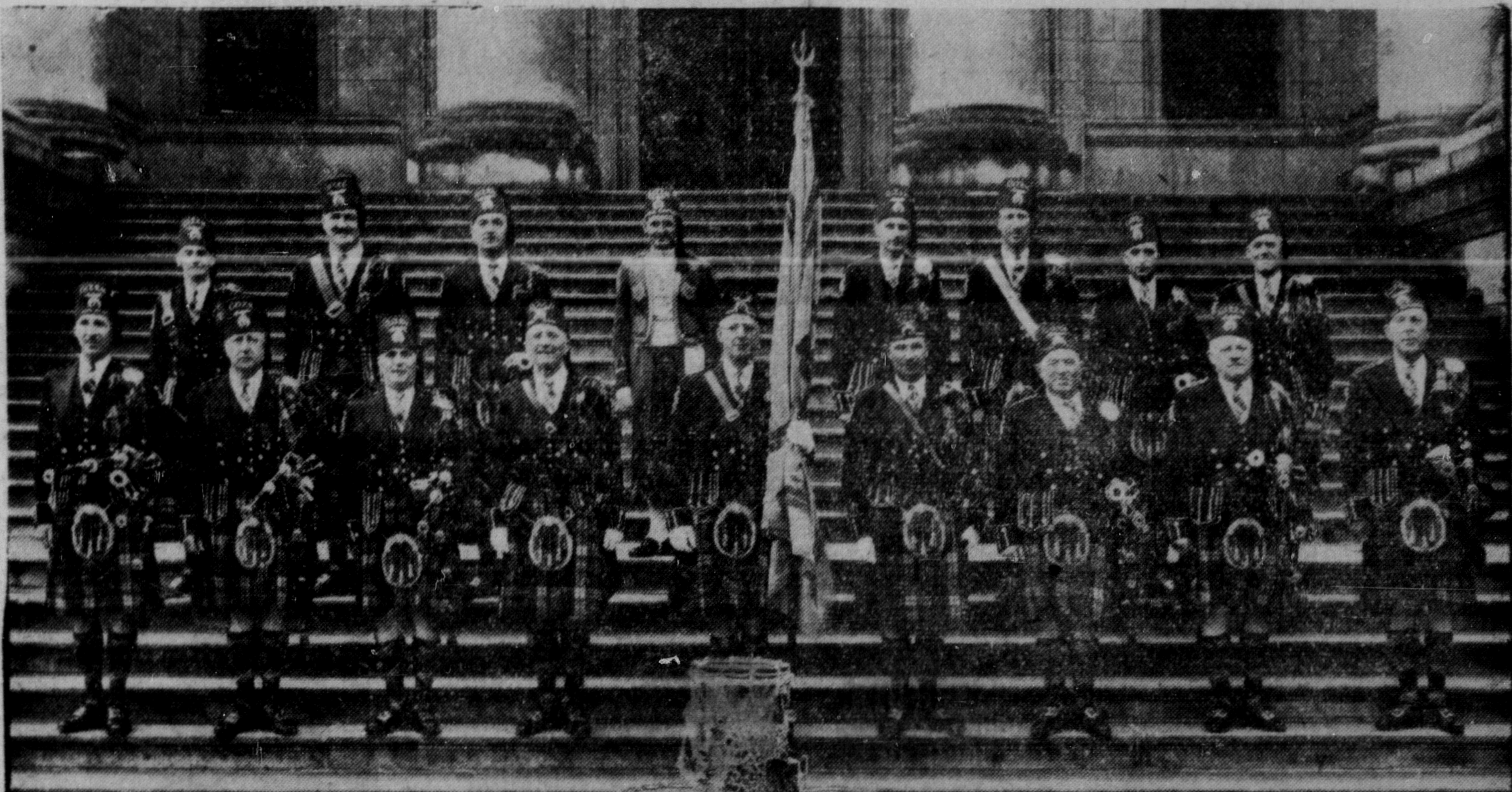
These gentlemen who are privileged to wear the Red Fez are God's disciples of the under-privileged child who cannot obtain help from any other source, regardless of the color of its skin or the religious beliefs of the parents. The only qualifications are that the parents cannot afford medical treatment that the child can be cured or materially benefited.

Our 17 Crippled Children's Hospitals throughout the continent have been truly called the Greatest Philanthropic Organization in the World.

On behalf of the fifteen hundred Nobles of the Shrine in British Columbia and the Yukon, I welcome you, the Citizens of Prince Rupert.

JOHN A. CLARK,
Potentate.

Colorful and Tuneful Array



The Mayor's Greetings

It's a Pleasure . . .

On behalf of the citizens of Prince Rupert to extend to the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, and their ladies, a very hearty and sincere welcome.

We have all been looking forward to this return visit and expect that once again we will enjoy every minute of it.

We all know the very worthy projects which you sponsor and in this regard, wish you every success for the future.

It is our sincere hope that your pilgrimage here will be of benefit to you, as we know it will be to us.

Make yourselves at home and enjoy every minute of your short stay with us.

HAROLD S. WHALEN,
Mayor.



Gizeh Temple Patrol

(LOWER)

Gizeh Temple has a large Patrol for the size of its Temple. Over fifty business men from the Cities of Vancouver and New Westminster take an active part in the drill work and practice weekly.

Two weeks ago this Patrol was greeted with cheers from a packed Stadium in Billings, Montana when it paraded with the Canadian flag before the North West Shrine convention in that American city.

The Patrol, together with Gizeh Temple's Band from Victoria travelled to Billings with

Potentate John A. Clark and his Nobility by special train to honor Past Potentate Richard Nelson (well known in Prince Rupert as one of the brothers associated with Nelson Bros. Fisheries) who was President of the North West Shrine Association.

This Association embraces all the Temples in the Northwest, including Alberta, Montana, Washington, Oregon, Wyoming and North Dakota.

There will only be a portion of the Patrol visiting at Prince Rupert as ship accommodation was limited.

Gizeh Temple Pipe Band

(TOP)

THE TEMPLE Pipe Band . . . above is the famous Gizeh Temple Pipe Band which was formed last year for the big Northwest Shrine Convention. This first-class band, made up of five former Regimental Majors, will be brought in directly to Prince Rupert as a major attraction of the Spring Parade.

Pipers in their Buchanan Tartan kilts is designed to make Gizeh Temple remembered throughout the world of Shrinedom.

The Pipe Major is Noble John T. McHardy of the Vancouver City Police who is also a member of the City Police Pipe Band.

Gizeh Temple Pipe Band has put on performances in Portland, Tacoma, and just a few weeks ago at Billings, Montana.

★ EDITORIAL ★

One of the largest and one of the most distinguished groups of citizens this city is likely to see for the first time. The Prince Rupert Daily News joins in hearty welcome.

This colorful and tuneful array—the Gizeh Temple of Nobles—represents the spectacular branch of Shrinism. Those who recall their last visit to Prince Rupert five years ago will remember the joy and the pleasure derived from the visit of the jolly jolly jolly.

Wherever the Shriners visit, a joyous atmosphere develops immediately, and it lingers to be enjoyed by those with whom it comes in contact.

The Shriners have come to Prince Rupert for these two days to conduct their ceremonial of initiation of novices in this city as well as from the District and other parts of British Columbia.

We know that we will again derive pleasure and enjoyment from their visit and all Prince Rupert spreads the welcome mat before them.

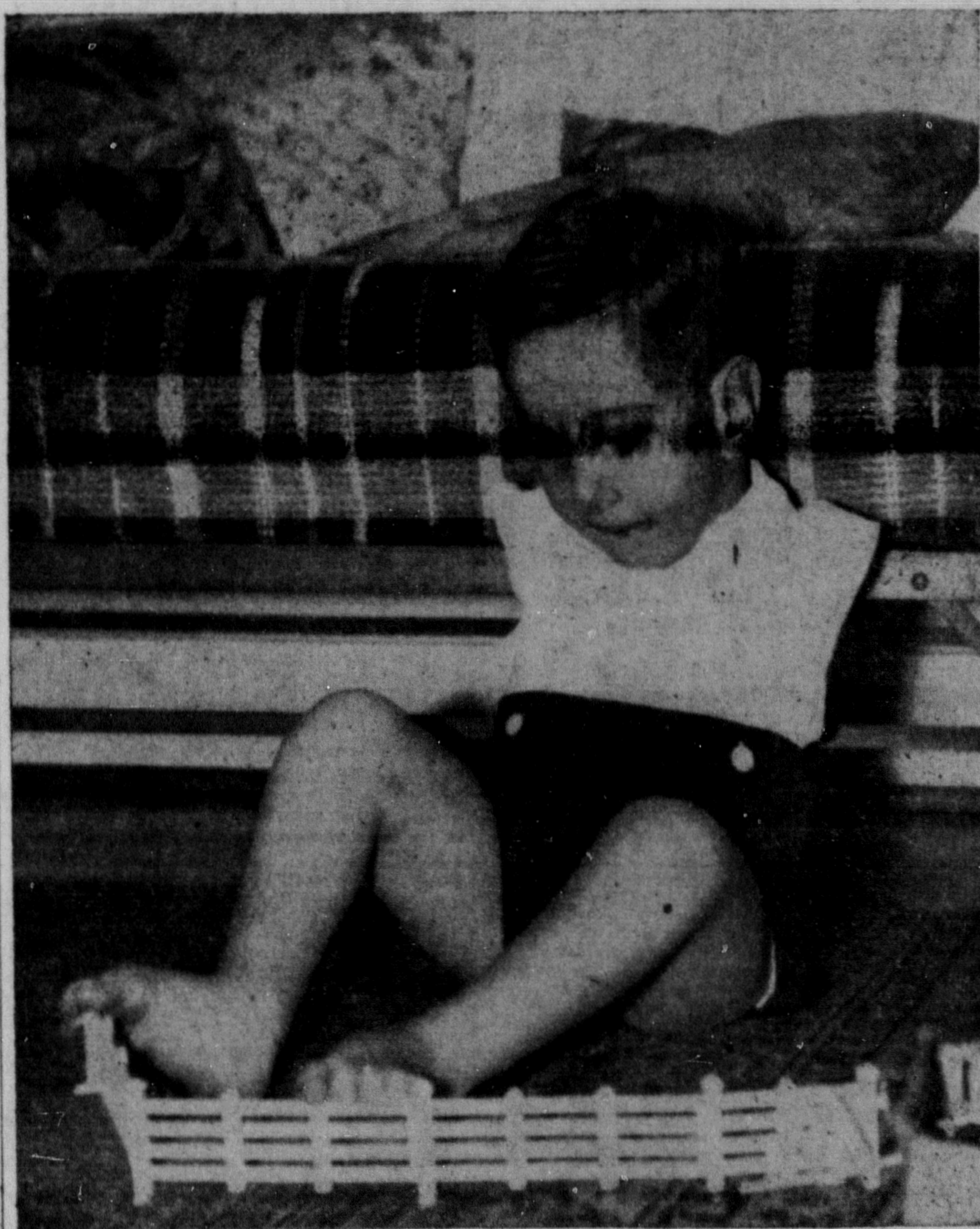
While the Shriners are a happy lot, their motive is not only to stage a gay performance. Their work is practically their life — making possible medical care and treatment in hospitals for crippled children.

Shriners all over North America have contributed to a fund which now operates 17 hospitals for the treatment of crippled children. They give generously and lend a helping hand where they can.

We desire that the Gizeh Temple of Nobles shall find Prince Rupert's doors open to them and that they will derive the same measure of pleasure from their two-day visit that we are certain we shall derive from their stay.

Welcome, Nobles and your Ladies, to Prince Rupert.

For Him A Better Life



This is our little boy, Johnnie. He lives in the City of Vancouver, B.C. Johnnie came into this world with defective feet, a defective spine—and without any arms. His parents did all they could for their little son, but were finally told there was nothing more which could be done for him.

On a New Year's Eve a few years ago, the Great Architect of the Universe intervened in His mysterious way and brought Johnnie to the attention of the Shriner. Today, he is out-playing with the other little boys. His feet were corrected by our

★ PROGRAM ★ PRINCE RUPERT SPRING CEREMONIAL GIZEH TEMPLE, A.A.O.N.M.S. HELD AT PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., JUNE 6 and 7, 1952

FRIDAY, JUNE 6

- 2:00 p.m. —Arrival at Prince Rupert of Vancouver Nobility aboard Union Steamship Cruise Ship S.S. Chilcotin.
- Presentation of Keys to City by His Worship Mayor Whalen.
- Display of Prince Rupert Job's Daughters' Champion Drill Team of North America.
- 2:30 p.m. —Inaugural Parade from pier through city streets—break-off at Bus Depot.
- 7:30-8:00 p.m. —Concert by Gizeh Temple Pipe Band—Court House grounds.
- 8:30-9:30 p.m. —Reception, Canadian Legion Hall, Nobility and Ladies and Candidates and their Ladies.
- 9:30 p.m. —Ceremonial Dance—Armories—6th Avenue West.

SATURDAY, JUNE 7

- 9:00 a.m. —Ladies and Nobility leave Civic Centre by motor caravan for Columbia Cellulose for conducted tour through plant.
- 10:30 a.m. —Concert by Gizeh Temple Pipe Band—Prince Rupert General Hospital.
- 11:00 a.m. —Concert by Gizeh Temple Pipe Band—Miller Bay Indian Hospital.
- 1:00 p.m. —Gizeh Temple meeting—General business, balloting, Civic Centre.
- 1:15 p.m. —Registration of Candidates—Civic Centre.
- 2:00 p.m. —Meeting Candidates; Potentate's address; moving pictures of Hospitals by Noble Norval Mackay Smith; Instruction to Candidates.
- 2:30-4:00 p.m. —Entertainment Ladies of Nobility and Candidates, at the Canadian Legion Hall.
- 4:00 p.m. —Parade leaves Civic Centre through down town streets, stopping at Evans' Oasis enroute to Armories.
- 5:30 p.m. —Ceremonial Dinner—Armories.
- 6:00 p.m. —Ladies of Candidates and Nobility dinner aboard the S.S. Chilcotin.
- 7:00 p.m. —First Section—at Civic Centre.
- 8:00 p.m. —Second Section—at Civic Centre.
- 10:45 p.m. —Get-together Buffet Supper (after Ceremonial) Civic Centre.
- 11:00 p.m. —S.S. Chilcotin leaves for Vancouver.

WELCOME GIZEH TEMPLE NOBLES

