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CLEAN FACES IN KOREA PROMISED BY THESE GIFTS

MOOSE JAW, Sask. (C)—There should be a lot of clean faces among young South Korean children at the start of 1953. Children of the kindergarten and first three grades at Moose Jaw's William Grayson School hope so, anyway.

The children decided to forego the Christmas gifts they generally exchanged with each other at their annual party. They arranged instead to send a large gift parcel to youngsters of war-scarred Korea.

When all the packages had been collected, it was found there had been donated 208 bars of soap, 42 wash cloths and two towels. There also were two tooth brushes and six combs.



WINNIE CHURCHILL ... sees no war.

'Winnie' Sees Little Danger Of World War

NEW YORK (C)—Prime Minister Churchill said today that resisting Communism in Korea has "done more to improve the chances of world peace than anything else."

The British leader, arriving here for talks with President-elect Eisenhower, said the danger of a third world war "has receded during the last year."

He told a press conference aboard the liner Queen Mary that the Korean war means "that Soviet aggression has been resolutely and fully confronted."

"That has been the greatest event of the past five years," he said.

Taxi Operators Protest Law Of Minute-Loading In Rupert

Premature Enforcement By Police Causes Stir

Premature enforcement of a bylaw to amend the Street Traffic and Parking Bylaw in this city is causing a stir of protest from taxi operators.

This morning a "parade" of taxis circled the downtown section because, operators said, they are forbidden the right to park on Third Avenue longer than one minute.

Merchants, however, favor enforcement of the bylaw, pointing out that taxis occupy space on Third Avenue which should be reserved for customers' autos. They contend that citizens without cars may telephone for a cab and be picked up within a matter of minutes.

Owner of the largest fleet of cabs in the city said a member of the city detachment, RCMP, handed him a typewritten notice Saturday night informing him of the new "law."

NEW "LAW"

"It said: 'No taxi, whether or not it is being operated as a taxi, or for hire at the time, shall park anywhere on Third Avenue West between McBride and Seventh Street between 8 a.m. and 12 midnight for more than 60 seconds, and it shall be the responsibility of the owner as well as the driver or any person in possession of any taxi to comply with the provisions of this subsection.'

This is the identical wording of a bylaw passed by city council at its December 22 meeting and which is scheduled to come before the next regular meeting of council on Jan. 12 for re-consideration and final adoption.

400 Ft. Drop By Car Kills 6 Occupants

YREKA, Calif. (C)—An auto crammed with 11 persons missed a turn in the rugged mountain country Saturday and plunged over a 400-foot bluff into the icy Klamath River, killing six and injuring the other five.

After swerving off the curve, the car rolled into the river, spilling out some occupants as it fell.

It sank with five persons, including two children still inside. The body of the sixth victim was found on the river bank.



A 'United Nations' Family

IT'S LIKE a United Nations assembly in miniature at the suburban Toronto home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Woodbury. The Woodburys have taken seven children, representing four races, to bring up as their own. Playing ringmaster to the dog Susan is Michael, 4, Negro. Watching the show, left to right, are Gary, 3, Negro, and Norman, 7 (behind him), white. Hidden by the dog is John, 6, part Chinese, while Patsy, 6, Chinese, laughs. At right is Dennis, 5, part Indian. Not shown is Joanne, 7, half Indian. The couple accepted the children from the Children's Aid and Infants Homes' Association of Toronto. Mr. Woodbury is an evangelical preacher.

November Blast in Pacific Described as H-Bomb Test

CHICAGO.—A bulletin of atomic scientists concluded Sunday that the devastating blast at Eniwetok last November was caused by a second-stage hydrogen type bomb more than twice as powerful as the improved A-bomb.

The bulletin said the U.S. may have exploded its first H-bomb material in tests at Eniwetok months ago, and that the November detonation must have been a follow-up experiment in which the amount of H-bomb material was increased somewhat.

More Rain, Less Sunshine In Past Year

Prince Rupert had more rain in 1952 than it did the previous year according to the Daily News records, and there was less sunshine.

Throughout the 12-month period 88.45 inches of rain fell over the city, compared with 79.20 inches in 1951, and Old Sol shone for 848.7 hours as against 972 hours in the previous 12 months.

The weatherman recorded 5.47 inches of rain in December and 17.1 hours of sunshine. Rain fell on 22 of the 31 days. Warmest day of the month was on the 13th when the mercury shot up to 52 degrees above, and coldest morning was on the 17th at 27.1 degrees.

Only half an inch of snow has fallen over the area this winter and the weatherman sees no sign of the white stuff in the offing.

WEATHERMAN Says

An outbreak of Arctic air swept southward over Alberta and northern B.C. during the night accompanied by rapidly falling temperatures and this morning the thermometer at Prince George registered 32 degrees lower than yesterday morning.

The mass of cold air will move slowly southward over B.C. and tomorrow morning will cover sections of the interior.

Forecast

Clear warning cancelled. Variable cloudiness today; cloudy tomorrow. Colder along the northern mainland tonight. Winds northeast 20 in exposed areas. Partly tonight and high Tuesday. Port Hardy and Sandspit, 38 and 45; Prince Rupert, 28 and 35.

Former Ontario Premier Dies

ST. THOMAS, Ont. (C)—Mitchell F. Hepburn, 56-year-old stormy petrel of Ontario politics a decade ago, died today of a heart attack.

Liberal premier of Ontario from 1934 to 1942, he passed away in his sleep about 3:30 a.m. following an illness of about two days from a cold.

He was the second former Liberal premier of Ontario to die within a week. Gordon D. Conant, 67, who served for eight months in 1942-43, died last Friday.

Mr. Hepburn had been in poor health since leaving public life in 1945 and underwent several operations in the last few years.

In eight turbulent years, he won international prominence. His flair for showmanship and his feud with the late Prime Minister Mackenzie King made his stay in office one that attracted the eyes of all Canada.

Christmas Trip Lands Youth Far Away in 'Snow-Land'

ALBANY, California (C)—A 15-year-old boy who borrowed the family car two days before Christmas has been located on Alaska Highway near Whitehorse.

Anthony Guarascio, San Jose dealer, is trying north to bring back his son, John, who got off in the family car Dec. 24 after collecting his Christmas presents and drawing \$200 from a savings account. The boy is at Watson Lake, in the Yukon.

Saturday night came a cold-telephone call from the boy: "My car is broke, I'm broke, and snowing," he told his mother.

Arctic Bush Pilot Marooned for Week

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 Canadian Press Correspondent

CHURCHILL, Man.—A story of a man and grit in the bitter cold of a sub-Arctic night was told by bush pilot Gunnar Laurmarooned with his plane a week in the Barren Lands, 1,000 miles north of Winnipeg.

RCAP search plane found him on Saturday.

Freight from Ferguson's to Baker lake, 375 miles west of here, on Dec. 13, fell said the weather closed and he could see no landmarks. Radar blacked-out. He continued on course but later figured a strong tail wind had driven him past his destination.

"When the reserve of gas dropped to 45 minutes, I changed course to southeast," said Laurmarooned. "Still no luck. When only 20 minutes' gas remained, I decided to land."

LUCKY LANDING

"Visibility was poor. I had to fly 25 to 50 feet above the ground. At sight of an open spot I landed. In spite of the 13th, I was lucky. This was the only lake within a radius of 30 miles."

The radio blackout persisted and he could not raise Baker lake. "It was 30 below zero and the

Financial Adviser Appointed

OTTAWA (C)—Gordon W. Hunter, 38-year-old Winnipeg-born accountant, today was appointed financial adviser to scrutinize spending in the defence production department.

In his hands will be the financial policy-making affecting hundreds of millions of dollars worth of defence contracts likely to be awarded by the department in 1953.

His appointment dovetails with the new line of thought in the department: It's time the government stopped pouring millions of dollars as investments into new defence plants and encouraged private investment to undertake the risk with greater depreciation allowances for income tax purposes.

Rescuer Rescued

LONDON (C)—A man in the Maida Vale district added a switch to the tale of climbing trees to rescue cats. After 20 minutes of branch-to-branch swinging in an effort to catch a wayward family pet, he was unable to get down again. Firemen were called to rescue him.

Record Traffic in '52 Reported Over CNR Northern Main Line

Special to The Daily News

SMITHERS—An all-time record in traffic movement over the Smithers Division between Prince Rupert and Red Pass Junction was established by the Canadian National Railways in 1952.

Records show more than 26,000 loads moved off the Division eastward.

During the 12 months, almost 6,000 carloads of grain moved into Prince Rupert and grain deliveries are continuing at a good rate.

It was disclosed in Prince Rupert two weeks ago that between 30 and 40 carloads of grain per day are needed to fulfill orders for a 1,350,000-bushel shipment of barley to Korea.

In addition to the grain, records here indicate more than 4,500 carloads of other commodities were handled over the Smithers Division westbound. This consisted largely of heavy shipments of coal to the Columbia Cellulose Company plant on Watson Island.

On top of this, hundreds of carloads of logs were handled between the Terrace camp and Watson Island mill.

The mild weather experienced so far this winter has greatly aided free movement of heavy traffic in both directions and no major tie-ups have occurred.

New Aldermen Take Office In Ceremony

A statutory meeting of city council will be held tonight at which Mayor Harold Whalen will appoint committees and members of the Court of Revision will be elected.

Four aldermen and the mayor make up the court, which will hear any appeals against assessments now being mailed to property owners.

Two new members of the city council will take their seats for the first time. They are Mrs. W. D. (Kay) Smith and Bill Bremner, who were elected at the municipal elections last Dec. 11. Darrow Gomez and Ray McLean were re-elected.

Group Formed To Save Couple From Gallows

OTTAWA (C)—A group describing itself as a national committee to save the Rosenbergs will start a round-the-clock vigil at the United States embassy today to urge clemency for Julius and Ethel Rosenberg.

The Rosenbergs were convicted in the United States of conspiracy to pass information to the Soviet Union. They are scheduled to be put to death the week of Jan. 12.

Rev. Glendon F. Partridge of Montreal, chairman of the committee, said the vigil will be kept as long as necessary.

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MRS. EDITH BROWN, 39-year-old housewife, is Manitoba's first woman mayor. She is mayor of her native village of Lac Du Bonnet. A graduate in home economics of the University of Manitoba, Mrs. Brown has two children, both in school. Her husband is a merchant. (CP Photo)