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NAVY NEWS

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SEA CADETS—In preparation for their annual inspection some of the latter part of May Sea Cadets have to work hard at it and in the classroom training under the guidance of their officers.

On Thursday night these young boys, aged anywhere from 17 and 34 strong in number, will be inspected by the Assistant Officer, Lieutenant Freeman of the Royal Canadian Navy, who will be accompanied by other officers.

During the week they did a very good job of impressing. Everyone was impressed with their smartness. The Cadet Bugle Band under the direction of Commissioner Huber, R.C.N. (R.), is expected to be busy for regular duty by May.

The Cadets will be issued their hats and fronts by next Thursday and it is hoped that new boots which are on their way from the clothing stores in HMCS Naden will arrive in-time for the inspection.

The enthusiasm and energy displayed by all cadets who participated in the successful Tag Day paid off in the form of prizes for the highest "taggers". The ice cream and cake passed out was very good, too. The prizes were presented to the winners by Lt. Freeman on Thursday night.

WOODSIDE HONORED

The local Branch of the Navy League who sponsor the Sea Cadets, met Friday night in the room of HMCS Chatham to discuss matters concerning the Sea Cadet Corps.

The executive committee learned with regret that S. P. Wood, president of the local branch, had tendered his resignation. Mr. Woodside, a resident of Prince Rupert for 23 years, was actively engaged in Navy League work for seven of those years, has been appointed as a member of the committee, and was presented with a Ronson combination lighter and cigar case by Edward Dawes on behalf of the League members.

Parents of all Cadets are being invited to attend the drills held at the drill shed of HMCS Chatham, each Thursday night. Information has been received that Camp Comox, Sea Cadet training camp, will be available to all cadets during the latter part of the summer.

PERSONAL — After a busy week spent in turning over his duties as Naval Storesman, Leading Seaman Sudak, Leading Seaman George Waddell left for Esquimalt where he

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Final Rites This Afternoon For Esteemed Pioneer Woman

First Presbyterian Church was well filled with many old friends this afternoon for the funeral of Mrs. Mary McLeod, widow of the late Donald McLeod and esteemed pioneer woman of 40 years' standing. Mrs. McLeod passed away Wednesday night in the Prince Rupert General Hospital after a long illness.

Rev. Dr. E. A. Wright, speaking words of tribute to deceased and sympathy to the bereaved, conducted a sympathetic service. John Currie Jr. presided at the organ to accompany the hymns, "The Lord Is My Shepherd" and "Unto the Hills."

Following the church service, the cortege proceeded to Fairview Cemetery where interment was made.

Active pallbearers were Edward Garner, J. A. McRae, Frank Hicks, Murdo McKenzie, Ed Saunders and Robert Rudderham.

Honorary pallbearers were Alex Mackenzie, Angus McIvor, David MacKenzie, J. R. Morrison, Thomas McMeek and Duncan Munro.

Numerous floral offerings testified to the esteem in which deceased was held.

Mrs. McLeod, who made her home at 410 Sixth Avenue West, was born in Lochinver, Scotland. She was the last surviving member of a family of eight. Her principal activity was in church work and she was a faithful Presbyterian. She is survived by three sons—Murdo and John McLeod of Prince Rupert and Alick in Winnipeg—and three daughters—Misses Anne and Netta McLeod in Prince Rupert and Mrs. M. E. (Teenie) Prendegast of Vancouver. There are seven grandchildren.

The New Ship's Writer, Able Seaman Lewis Hagen, arrived by boat Friday to relieve Able Seaman Anthony Chursky who will report to HMCS Discovery.

Ordinary Seaman Sydney Youngman will leave by train on Tuesday night for HMCS Cornwallis to commence New Entry Training. His many friends around Prince Rupert wish him the best of luck in the new career he has chosen.

Funeral Of Fisherman On Monday

Arrangements have been made for the funeral to be held Monday next, Rev. H. O. Olsen of St. Paul's Lutheran Church officiating, of Huga Anderson, 78-year-old fisherman who died on Wednesday at Prince Rupert General Hospital.

Deceased had been an inmate of the Pioneer's Home since January and was removed to hospital recently.

A native of Sweden, he had been in Prince Rupert for thirty-five years. Before going to the Pioneer's Home he lived on Waddington Road. He was single.

Hotel Arrivals

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L. D. Wolford, Selwyn Inlet; Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Leng, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. J. Banner, Portchester Island; R. E. Valpy, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Michiel, R. Baker, H. M. Harper, Terrace; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Nixon, Terrace; T. H. Stevens, Vancouver; H. Kehl, Fort Francis, Ont.; Miss E. Johnson, Cranberry Lake; Mrs. S. Sass and A. Cook, Kwinitsa.

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Credit Women's Breakfast Club

Committees reported on activities when Credit Women's Breakfast Club held their monthly executive meeting at the home of Mrs. Jack Lurie.

Arrangements were finalized to send Mrs. Laurie to the convention of district breakfast clubs next month in Tacoma, May 17, 18 and 19. Mrs. Laurie will fly to Tacoma and back.

The next breakfast meeting will be May 3 and in June it is planned to hold the annual "bosses' breakfast."

Mrs. Jocelyn Bolton, the president, was in the chair and had charge of the serving of refreshments.

Personals

Elgood Stephens, Washington, D.C. barrister, who is home for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Stephens, will be the Gryo Club speaker at next Wednesday's luncheon.

T. Norton Youngs is returning to the city on Monday by plane after attending the British Columbia Liberal convention in Vancouver this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Parsons left on last night's train for Vancouver from which point they will proceed early next week to San Francisco where they will board the Holland America liner Doheddyk on May 5 for passage to England. They will be returning late in the summer by the same route.

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Along the 'FRONT

The hydrographic survey vessel William J. Stewart, well known everywhere along the British Columbia coast, recently completed her annual overhaul and refitting. She is 228 feet in length.

Already the refitted and renamed Nechako is developing quite a traffic between Kitimat and Prince Rupert. Formerly known as the yacht Cora Marie, and owned by W. C. Shelly, she is now in regular service as a passenger and general utility craft. It is at Kitimat the Nechako will be based. She is under direct supervision of Harris M. Whiting, project manager of Kitimat Constructors. She can accommodate a crew of eight and carry fifty day passengers and sleep nine at night. There has been installed a well equipped sick bay as well as a shore style coffee bar. The ship is strictly a company vessel and although not intended for the carrying of freight, can handle as much as fifteen tons. Her master is Capt. James R. McKay and Chief Engineer, William Green.

Because of inability to get Seattle fishermen and vessel owners solidly behind the recent conference in the south respecting halibut matters, the plans for a coastwide minimum halibut price have been shelved for this year. The Seattle deep sea fishermen, however, are hoping to solve the problem of lower prices by delivering one trip per boat.

The owner of the seiner Free-land, George J. Bralich, was elected president of the Vessel Owners' Association of British Columbia at the annual meeting held recently in Vancouver.

Directors, with names of ships, are Mat Neilsen, B.C. Bird; George Bralich, Jessie Island; Morgan Bird, North Pacific; Eric Helmer, R.W.; Nels Nelson, Combat; Sam Peterson, Cape Norman.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wyatt and family are leaving on tonight's train for Prince George to which city Mr. Wyatt is being transferred in the provincial government service.

Indian Superintendent F. E. Anfield left on today's plane for a business trip to Vancouver.

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