

Fifty-Fifty Proposition

Bill-Elizabeth Kirkpatrick

By RON BAIRD in Victoria Times
William and Elizabeth Kirkpatrick, formerly of Rupert, now of Victoria, celebrated a wedding anniversary Saturday with a bit of advice for newly-weds: "Take the rough with the smooth and everything fifty-fifty."

Ladies Birthday

celebrated the birthday of the Sons of Clabby, Ireland. An enjoyable night at Sons of Clabby, Ireland. The five couples attended the party. The party was given by the president, George Morgan.

Bill was with the old Grand Trunk Pacific Railway but moved in with the Canadian customs department from which he retired in 1930. They've lived in Victoria ever since.

Mrs. Kirkpatrick believes in "young marriages" and Mr. K. thinks wedlock is helped by living a life that is "smokeless and drinkless."

A life-long member of the Oddfellows, he can also count membership in the St. John Ambulance Corps for a period of 63 years.

During the Boer War, he was approached "seven times" to volunteer for duty as a corps member but Elizabeth put her foot down.

"She wouldn't let me go," he said. Today, Elizabeth is glad she put her foot down.

As for marriage, Bill says: "It's a fifty-fifty proposition."

Mercury Drops In Sudden Cold

Coldest night for several weeks in Prince Rupert sent the mercury down to 19.2, a level maintained until early this morning. Temperature at 1:30 p.m. today was 32. A number of citizens are again plagued with frozen water pipes.

Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McMurdie, Mr. and Mrs. A. Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Frazer, Mr. and Mrs. George McKee, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Porton, Mr. and Mrs. T. Galloway and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bute, Mr. and Mrs. G. McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Whillis, Kitimat.

Readers

Club meeting Tuesday, Metropole Hall. (42c)

is off to a good start. Lytle Essentials from the Shropshire. Baby Week March 8th inclusive. (46c)

penders Union meeting, today, 9 p.m., Union Hall. Members requested to attend. (43c)

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Saville Red Cross Head

To Play Part in Civil Defence Organization

Red Cross will be having a more active year in 1952 owing to the part it will be playing in connection with the organization of civilian defence, Stan Saville, president re-elected, forecast at the annual meeting last night of the Prince Rupert branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society.

Final Rites for Haakon Selfjord

Many friends gathered Saturday afternoon in St. Paul's Lutheran Church where Rev. H. O. Olsen officiated at the final rites for Haakon Selfjord, well known local salmon fisherman and resident of Prince Rupert for twenty-two years, who passed away last week.

Peter Lien presided at the organ to accompany the hymns which were "Nearer My God to Thee" and "Abide With Me."

After the service interment was made in Fairview Cemetery.

Palbearers were Olof Mostad, John Clausen, Ivar Eidsvik, Louise Petersen, Anton and Carl Strand.

Those sending flowers were Mr. and Mrs. Haakon Selfjord (Vancouver), Mr. and Mrs. Harold Selfjord (Vancouver), Mr. and Mrs. Harold Simonsen (Vancouver), Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Nelson and family (Vancouver), Mrs. Johanna Selfjord (Norway), Mrs. Gunhild Johnson (Sweden), Mrs. Haldis Wold (Norway), Mrs. Thina Moller (Norway), Alfred Selfjord (Norway), Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rensvold and family, Mr. and Mrs. Olof Selfjord and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Strand, Anton Strand, Mr. and Mrs. John Strand, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Strand and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alf Jensen and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. Holstad, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Petersen, Mr. and Mrs. Ingvald Feness, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Roald, Peter Wold, Jack Molver, Hans Langholm, Mrs. M. Johansen, Mr. and Mrs. Elvar Johansen, John Mostad, Mr. and Mrs. Jens Husvik, Mr. and Mrs. O. Stole, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Giske and Margaret Giske, Nels and Ellen Wasseng, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Petersen, Ole Valderhaug, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Valderhaug, Louis Petersen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arne Husoy, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. Helge Holstad, Mr. and Mrs. Erling Wick, Mr. and Mrs. Einar Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Reg Webber, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Olsen, Mr. and Mrs. Ivald Johansen, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Petersen, Mr. and Mrs. Ivar Eidsvik, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Berg, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Giske and family, Mr. and Mrs. Einar Telseth, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Hagen and Harold, Louis Larsen, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Mostad and Christine, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Wikdal, Mr. and Mrs. George Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Gunnar Selvig, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Holtby, Mr. and Mrs. Verne Fossum, Olof Mostad and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Helland, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Berge, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Sandvar and Melvin, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Knutsen, Mr. and Mrs. John Clausen, A. Anderson, Einar Sornes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. Bernhoff Pedersen and Rolf, B. Bakken, Mr. and Mrs. Rudo'ph Olsen and Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Berg and family.

vice, would be to feed and clothe refugees, transport the injured away and dispose of the dead should disaster, strike, Mr. Saville disclosed.

During the past year, the principal activity of the local branch was the raising of \$6395.85 in the annual campaign for funds. This year the objective of \$5500 has been set for Prince Rupert. The campaign starts March 8 with T. Norton Youngs as campaign manager.

Officers were elected as follows at last night's meeting: Honorary President—Rt. Rev. James B. Gibson, Bishop of Cathedral.

Honorary Vice-President—Mayor H. S. Whalen.

President—Stan Saville. Vice-President—Mrs. C. H. Elkins.

Secretary—Donald Darling. Treasurer—T. Norton Youngs. Executive—F. E. Anfield, E. D. Forward, Mrs. O. L. Murray, Mrs. J. H. McLeod, G. A. Hunter and Miss Helene Boehme, P.H.N.

Donald Darling was named delegate to the annual meeting of the British Columbia Red Cross Association to be held in Vancouver February 26.

A brief report was presented by the President on the last year's work which included case tracing and some assistance in welfare.

T. Norton Youngs made suggestions with a view to a more effective blood bank drive this year. For one thing it should be better timed than last year when it had been held in midsummer.

Assistance of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, which organization has been making noteworthy success in Kamloops in organizing blood donor clinics, will be invited.

Mr. Youngs saw no reason why, if it was properly organized, one thousand pints of blood should not be given in Prince Rupert.

The meeting gave recognition to the good work of last year of Mr. Saville in leading the Red Cross work here and to T. Norton Youngs for his efforts in connection with the blood donor

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Personals

K. E. Bosworth left on today's plane for Vancouver after a brief business trip here.

J. A. Lindsay returned on the Princess Louise yesterday after a short trip to Kamano Bay.

W. Osborne of Alfred Street left on yesterday's plane for a trip to Vancouver.

Don McKerricher returned to the city yesterday by boat following a business trip to Vancouver.

Dr. Jens Munthe arrived in the city on the Princess Louise yesterday following a trip to Vancouver.

Fred Scadden, pioneer painting contractor and Rotary Club president, was taken ill Saturday night while visiting with friends. He was removed to Prince Rupert General Hospital and was recovered sufficiently today to leave for home.

Jack Edmundsen arrived in the city by air yesterday afternoon from Kitimat, where he is foreman carpenter in connection with Alcan construction, and left by plane today for Vancouver to join Mrs. Edmundsen who left yesterday, having been called south on account of the sudden death of her brother, J. P. McLean. Also leaving yesterday was Mrs. C. McLean, who had been visiting here with her daughter, Mrs. Edmundsen. Mrs. McLean is the mother of deceased.

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Many Pictures For Art Show

Numerous Interesting Subjects Being Prepared

The Art Club is working hard to provide many pictures of local interest for the art display on April 5 to 7. On Thursday nights each member brings unfinished drawings and paintings for helpful criticism. On the last Thursday of each month a drawing is made for a prize, the winner last month being L. Freestad.

The work is varied. Mrs. Priest has an oil painting of a winter sunset and one of St. Peter's church. Margaret McLeod has sketches of children, pastels of flowers and a familiar street scene. Mrs. Lindseth has a row-boat and Mrs. Harvey one of people going in and out of the Post Office. Miss Magee is working on a portrait of Mrs. Daugherty, while Mrs. Hill has a pastel harbor scene with sea gulls in every position as well as an oil in soft greens and browns of the North Fork of Shawatians.

On the last Thursday of this month the topic of the Art Appreciation discussion and slides will be Canadian painting and it will be held in the ladies' lounge on the first evening of Mrs. Priest's display of shellwork.



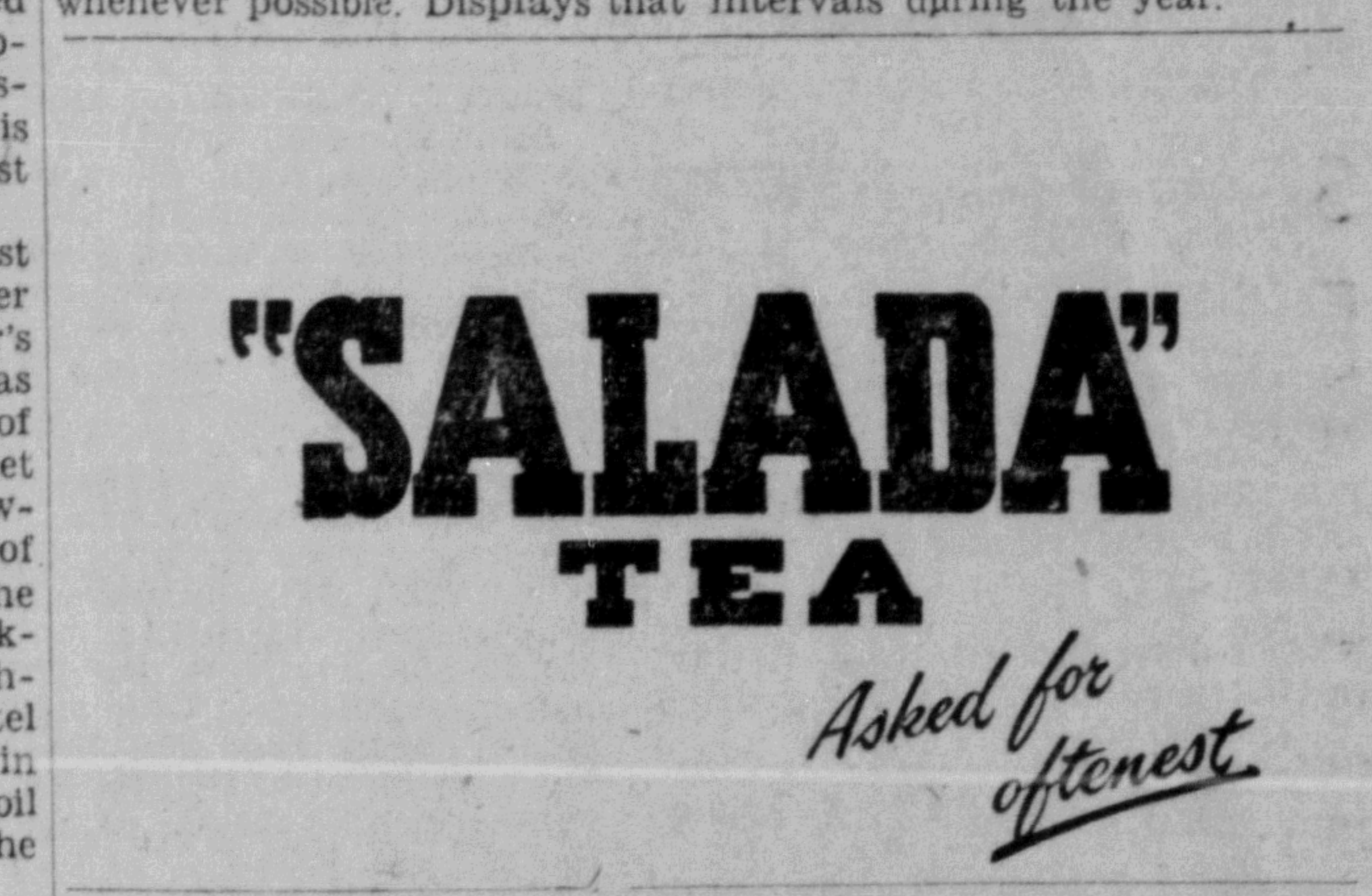
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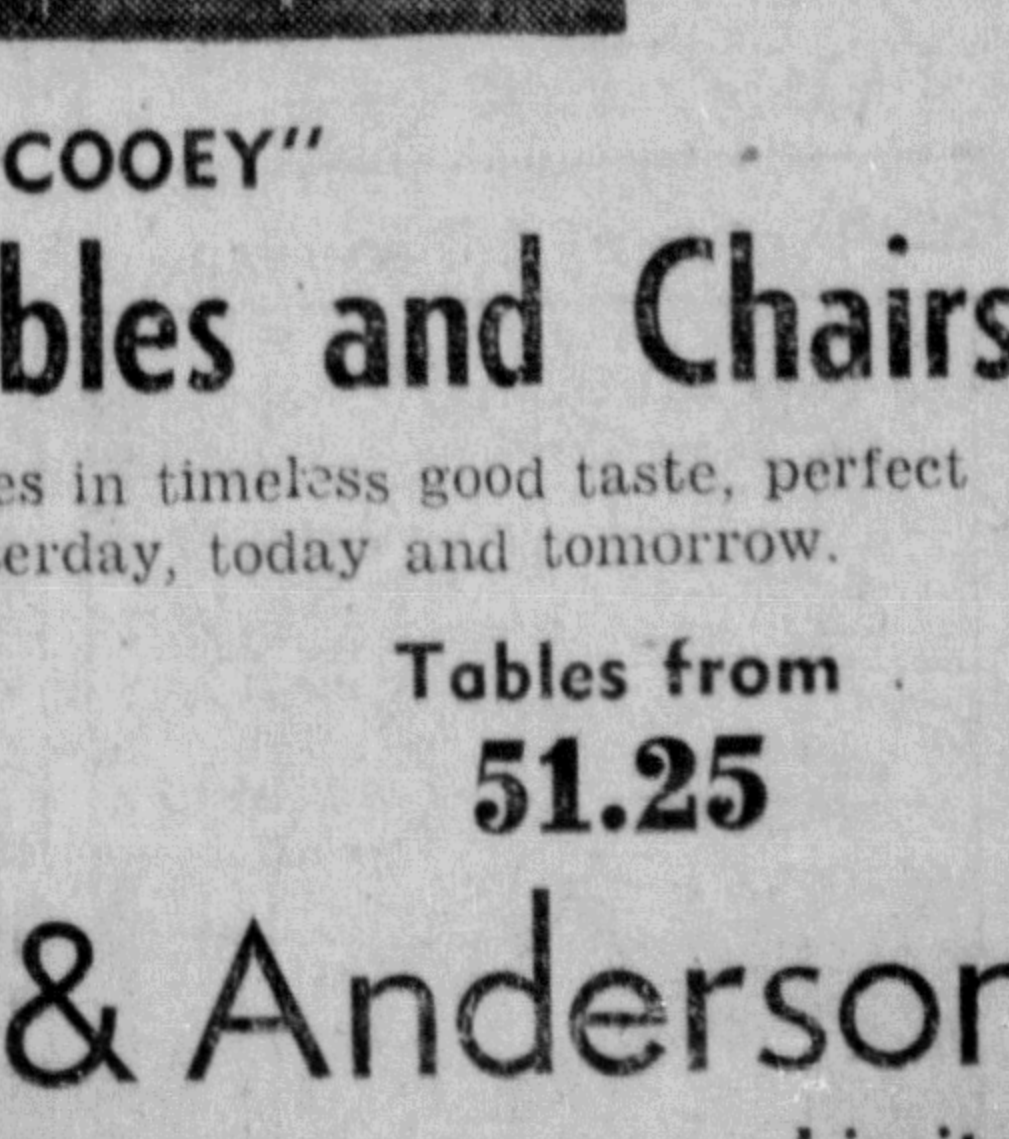


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