

## Speaker Says Road Building to Keep Freight Rates Down 'Not Economical'

W. J. Meagher of the Ship and Rail Association in Ottawa, told members of the Prince Rupert club that road building to keep

freight rates down is "not economical."

Speaking at the association meeting in the Civic Centre, at which W. N. R. Armstrong was installed as president, Mr. Meagher quoted from Saturday Night to back up his contentions.

Other officers installed were: J. F. Bugynka, vice-president; E. L. Taylor, secretary-treasurer and J. E. Bateman, business agent.

Delegates to represent Prince Rupert local for this province are: L. MacKenzie. Alternates—W. N. R. Armstrong, A. E. Carlson.

### Committee Gets Scare In Ontario

TORONTO (C)—"I can certify every one of you fellows and make it stick," an uncomfortable committee of the Ontario legislature was told Monday by one of its members during a discussion of treatment of the mentally ill.

Dr. S. F. Leavine, Progressive Conservative member for Waterloo was illustrating his contention that there should be stricter supervision of how patients are committed to mental institutions.

A quaking select committee on reform institutions received comfort as Allister Johnston, another Progressive Conservative from Parry Sound, disposed of Dr. Leavine's threat.

"I don't think you'll get anywhere with that," said Mr. Johnston. "The institutions are filled up now."

Other members of the executive are: J. Long, F. C. Hill, A. DaRe, W. Spark, C. Berg, T. Jukow.

Mr. Meagher read the following excerpt from Saturday Night: "Tests conducted in Maryland have demonstrated that heavy trucks are the main destroyers of highways, and that as the load increases the amount of damage multiplies."

"In not one province in Canada are license fees charged trucks realistic, in not one province do they make up for the damage the Maryland test have shown they do."

"Trucks have become the main competitors of railways and as long as they do not pay their share of highway costs the provinces are actually bonusing trucking."

"Provincial taxpayers are paying money to create a situation which as dominion taxpayers they pay for in railway deficits. "Trucking is here to stay but provinces should see that it stands on its own feet."

### Job Hunters Get Warning From NES

Large numbers of unskilled laborers seeking work are migrating into the Yukon from all parts of Canada and are coming into a part of the country in which jobs of this kind are fairly limited, National Employment Service officials here said today.

"With little demand for this type of labor at the present time, and with the Yukon normally being unable to absorb any great number of unskilled workers into employment, the unemployment situation that is being created by this influx of job seekers could quickly become serious," NES said in a statement.

It also said: "Apparently the publicity given the Frobisher power and the proposed American pipeline projects, now only in the survey stage, has created the impression that jobs are available in quantity."

Though some jobs are available for skilled tradesmen, mechanics, heavy duty operators, mechanics, etc., the chances for a non-skilled laborer to get a job are not too good, and job-seekers in this category would be wise to look for work closer to home.



With an apprehensive Stewart Granger and Deborah Kerr standing by, Jean Simmons (left) dares the wrath of Charles Laughton, cast as the domineering British monarch, Henry VIII, in "Young Bess." M-G-M's spectacular Technicolor drama of the girl who was to become England's first Queen Elizabeth ends tonight at the Totem Theatre.

## BLACKWOOD on Bridge

By EASLEY BLACKWOOD

Use Opponents' Bidding as Helpful Playing Hint

Sometimes in trying to determine how to play a hand in the safest possible manner, the opponents' bidding is very helpful. The safe way to play today's hand was, or should have been, crystal clear. But Mr. Muzzy, playing true to form, missed the point entirely.

Mr. Dale led his lone club, the deuce, and Mr. Muzzy won it on the board with the ace. He led a trump and Mrs. Keen went in with the ace and returned the queen of clubs. The contract was already doomed and it made no difference what Mr. Muzzy played. Actually, he went up with his king and Mr. Dale ruffed. After this, there was no way to avoid the loss of a club and a diamond.

"What were you doing while the bidding was going on, Muzzy?" asked Mr. Champion.

"Are you blaming me because Mr. Dale had a singleton club?" said Mr. Muzzy angrily.

"In a way, yes," Mr. Champion replied. "At least, I'm blaming you for not knowing it and for not doing something about it."

Mr. Champion was right, Mrs. Keen, a sound bidder, had bid clubs and then rebid them in the face of a pass by her partner and a strength-showing bid

East dealer Both sides vulnerable			
North (Mr. Champion)			
S-7 6 4 2			
H-A 9 5 2			
D-7 6			
C-A 8 3			
West (Mr. Dale)			
S-8 3			
H-J 10 8 6 4			
D-10 8 5 4 2			
C-2			
East (Mrs. Keen)			
S-A J			
H-Q 7			
D-K Q 9			
C-Q J 10 9 7 4			
South (Mr. Muzzy)			
S-K Q 10 9 5			
H-K 3			
D-A J 3			
C-K 6 5			
The bidding:			
East	South	West	North
1 C	1 Dbl.	Pass	1 H
2 C	2 S	Pass	3 S
Pass	4 S	All pass	

by an opponent. Surely she could be figured for six clubs, especially since Mr. Dale had led the deuce of that suit.

She could also be figured for just about all of the outstanding high cards, particularly a card as important as an ace. It could be assumed, then, Mrs. Keen would be able to win the second trick with the ace of spades and return a club for her partner to ruff. However, this would not endanger the contract if Mr. Muzzy won the first trick in his own hand with the king of clubs. In that case, when the club came back at trick three, Mr. Muzzy could play the five. If Mr. Dale ruffed, the eight would, of course, be played from the board. Thus Mr. Dale would be ruffing a low club—a trick which had to be lost in any case.

**Historic Parish**  
PETERBOROUGH, Ont. (CP)—Rev. Robert Macdonald, priest of St. Adolphus parish here for four years, is leaving to become rector of St. Patrick's parish, Quebec City. The latter parish consists of about 1,600 English-speaking Catholic families.

## Alaska Port Inoperative

WHITTIER, Alaska (C)—Damage to the military port of Whittier which virtually was destroyed by fire Wednesday night will be in the vicinity of \$20,000,000, Colonel William H. Bigelow, port commander, estimated Thursday night.

The Colonel and Major-General William Miley of the Alaska Defence Command agreed that the port is totally inoperative. They visited the smoking ruins while engineer officers from the army district engineer headquarters began planning for emergency rebuilding of the port.

Eighteen persons were injured and the main 1,200-foot dock and three 800-foot warehouses filled with vast quantities of supplies were destroyed by the rampaging flames. Railroad facilities on the huge dock also were lost.

A military board was named to determine the cause of the fire and arrangements are being made to shift ships with military cargo to Seward, on the southern shore of Kenai Peninsula, and possibly a few around the peninsula to Anchorage on Cook Inlet.

## Mrs. Macfie Rites Held

Last tributes were paid to Mrs. Helen Macfie at her funeral service on Thursday afternoon at Grenville Court Chapel.

Mrs. Macfie, who died in hospital last Monday, was born in Scotland 60 years ago, and came to Prince Rupert when her husband died in 1928.

Until recently she had been active in church and Red Cross work. Those who knew her were deeply aware of her strong christian character.

She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Frederick (Mary) Peagam of this city; a son, Lieutenant John Macfie, R.C.N. of Montreal and; a granddaughter, Marilyn Peagam.

## BASEBALL SUNDAY

At Prince Rupert  
Commercial Hotel  
vs Esquires

At Terrace  
Doubleheader  
Gordon & Anderson vs  
Terrace  
Game Times—1:45 p.m.

## SAVE MONEY USED CARS

'48 DODGE Sedan	\$1450
Fluid Drive	
'47 MONARCH	\$1250
5-pass. coup.	
'49 FORD	\$1350
Coach	
'46 DODGE 3-1/2-ton	\$950
pickup with box	
'51 AUSTIN	\$1125
A-40 Sedan	
'49 ANGLIA	\$625
Coach	
'41 PACKARD	\$350
120	

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## WOODPECKER INTERRUPTS TV LISTENER'S REST

PITTSFIELD, Ill. (AP)—A bird that imitates a telephone ring. As soon as George gets comfortably planted in front of his television set for an evening of entertainment he hears the telephone ring. He answers it and is asked: "Number, please?" The phone really isn't ringing at all. A woodpecker sharpening his bill on the McGann TV antenna, can duplicate the sound of the telephone bell perfectly.

TODAY 6:50 - 9:00 ROSEMARY CLOONEY - LAURITZ MELCHOR in "THE STARS ARE SINGING"

Sunday Midnight Only  
TWO FEATURES

"BABOONA" and "TORNADO"



No one could call her lily-white... the clinch-and-kill girl they called 'The Blue Gardenia'!

Also  
Cartoon - News  
"Glamour in Tennis"  
WARNER BROS. PRESENTS  
ANNE RICHARD ANN  
BAXTER CONTE SOTHERN  
**THE BLUE GARDENIA**  
Starts Monday  
Shows 7 - 9:00  
A FAMOUS PLAYERS THEATRE

ENDS TODAY 7 - 9:05  
JEAN SIMMONS  
"YOUNG BESS"



AMERICA'S SWEEP TO THE WESTERN SEA!  
COLUMBIA PICTURES PRESENTS  
CORNEL WILDE TERESA WRIGHT  
**CALIFORNIA CONQUEST**  
Extra  
"Who's Huh"  
"Eye Witness No. 37"  
Cartoon  
Playing...  
Monday to Wednesday  
Evenings 7 - 9 p.m.  
**TOTEM**  
A Famous Players Theatre

Prince Rupert  
TO  
Ketchikan  
Wrangell - Petersburg  
Juneau  
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## 5 MEN MAKE 5 MISTAKES

ONE MAN struck a match to see if the gasoline tank in his car was empty...

IT WASN'T

ONE MAN patted a strange bulldog on the head to see if it was affectionate...

IT WASN'T

ONE MAN speeded up to see if he could beat the train to the crossing...

HE COULDN'T

ONE MAN touched an electric wire to see if it was charged...

IT WAS

ONE MAN cut out his advertising to see if he could save money...

HE COULDN'T

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## KINSMEN CORONATION CONTEST

### TIE-BREAKER

Bill Bond Eric Janes Harry Sheardown Doug Jelstad Harold Thomas Jim Mellor

Bill Dyer

Frank Dafoc

Bill Long

Jack Cross

Vince Dodd

Vern Scherk

Gordon Horne

Curley Barbour

Stan Saville

Roy Paulson

George Levas

Carl Sauer

Don Eby

Russell Cameron

### WHAT IS THE TOTAL WEIGHT OF THE KINSMEN CLUB MEMBERS LISTED IN THIS ADVERTISEMENT?

Answers must be in the mail not later than midnight FRIDAY, JUNE 26, 1953. In the case of further ties, speed shall be considered as an element of skill and the first correct answer received, as established by the post mark, will be awarded the prize.

Mail Answers To—Kinsmen Coronation Contest, City. Show your name, address and telephone number.

Winners will be announced in "Trespassing With Sandy" in the July 2nd issue of the Daily News.

Mickey Fudger

Ralph Anderson

Wally Isherwood

Johnny Fitzgerald

Harold Leverette

Ed Garner

George Dibb

George Kearley