

Sparring With Sandy

made today are not were in the old days, Edgar pioneer resi- carpenter here for 42

ked a cigar on Sunday ate his golden wedding ary. It was the first 25 years that he had

neer couples celebrat- ing anniversaries on

and Mrs. Mark Edgar rried 50 years ago and Mrs. William Wallace own the aisle 35 years

family dinner for the three of their nine attended and presented with a mantel clock.

ldstone, who lives with er and dad, Mrs. Ted Johnson and Mrs. Hazel Augier, were the able to be present.

ns, all out of town, are Agnes and Rita, in George Edgar in and Harry in Klemtu.

Sunday dinner, six of nchildren were also to congratulate the

ar, who is 76 years old, active and has no of retiring for a long

et reception for Mr. Wallace at their Ninth home, five of the six children were and gave them a com- tri-light and ash stand.

allace, who has been Department of Trans- the past 21 years, lived for a short time be- ing to Rupert.

es on the Catherine B. atwise boat. At one and his family lived in ase along the coast.

reception were three Mrs. K. R. Slater, and Blackstone and Mrs. Nilson and two sons, Ernie. The other

er Mrs. Julian Nygaard, Bella Coola, and was to make the trip here celebration.

er well-known couple, Mrs. Louis Edgar, cele- their diamond wedding ary last week

lar figure at W. H. Co Ltd. for the past years has retired and sitting in Vancouver for the grain strike so he up his passage on a lighter-passenger liner today in the "old coun-

George Abbott, veteran rker at the city whole- se who is also well members of the Rod and Club and the Cana- n, in both of which been very active.

is bound for his native which he hasn't seen owing in Canada shortly his coming to Prince and expects to stay for with visit—or longer.

chief stores manager for rkers, Gordon Andrews, basketball coach and in Calgary—was unable here this year but his Bill Warnes, spent here last week be- ing for Namu.

all were Joe Hicks, Lyle and Charlie McKin-

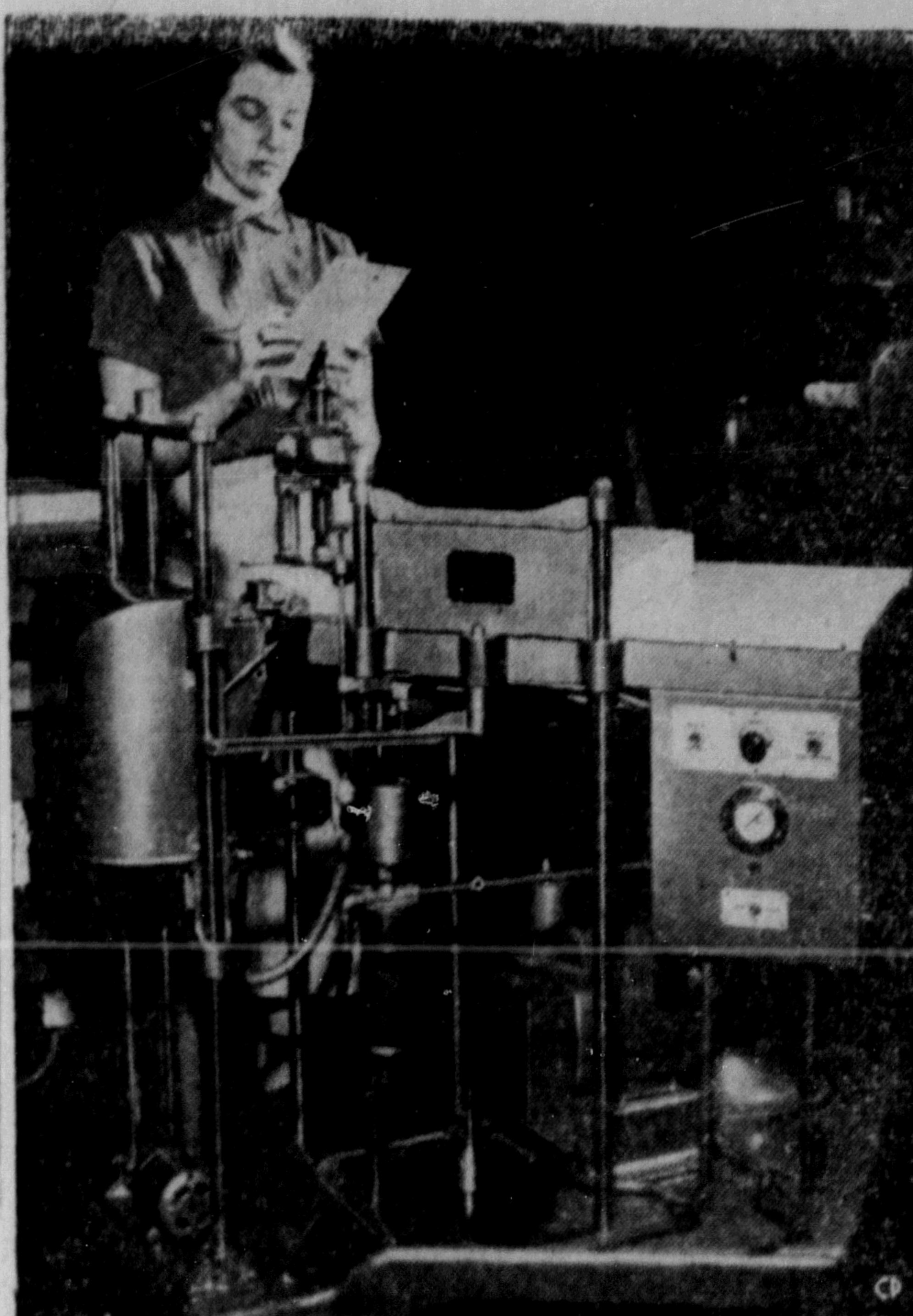
ny base here is losing the popular Wrens. One, Tomlinson has already BMCS Naden where she a five-months admin- writers course, and Youngman plans on de- for other pastures early month.

atulations are still going for Ken Wrathall, father being boy—James Pat- n, skipper on a Federal Department boat, is to the former Mary

and from here to Terrace ... but it isn't good says George Martin, who from a business trip ... There's a lot of snow ... but very little at

Terrace Ski Club is going a ski queen and already nks are seeking the title, Sally Clift, Ada Lou and Joan Gilanders.

Settled CP—Six foreign min- European Army Plan today reached a con- decision, settling bitter ces between France and Germany over the Europe- nce Community Treaty. esman said France had tions of West Germany a tating conditions wants to attach to the establish one uniform west European army. west not disclosed.



THIS ELECTRICALLY-DRIVEN machine counts 500 bills in about 12 seconds, equal to the work of five humans. It is one of the latest gadgets at the Bank of Canada and was purchased in the United Kingdom. Working the \$3,500 counter is L. Johncox of Ottawa.

Margaret Christensen Marries U.S. Navy Officer

Special to The Daily News
PALO ALTO, California—Former Prince Rupert resident, Margaret Christensen is honeymooning in Sun Valley, Idaho.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Christensen, she was married in First Presbyterian church here February 2 to Ludwig A. Heger. She was given in marriage by her father.

Her white wedding gown was styled with a chantilly lace bodice and with a net yoke and seed pearl trim and long lace sleeves. The bouffant lace and tulle over satin skirt fell into a satin train.

Margaret's fingertip length veil was held by a tiara, and she carried a bouquet of white orchids and bouvardia on her prayer book.

Mrs. Henry Natenstedt was

54 Scouts Given Awards For Service

OTTAWA (CP)—Scouts Samuel Melendy, 14, of St. John's Nfld., and Gordon Campbell, 13, of Cardinal, Ont., have been awarded the Silver Cross, second highest award in scouting, for averting drowning tragedies.

The governor-general, Rt. Hon. Vincent Massey, in his capacity as chief scout for Canada, announced today that the two were among 54 who were given awards and honors on the occasion of the anniversary of the birthday February 22 of Lord Baden-Powell of Gilwell, founder of the Boy Scout movement.

The Silver Cross is awarded for gallantry with considerable risk. A member of the First St. Thomas troop, Melendy was honored for his presence of mind in rescuing a boy from drowning in Beaver Pond, and Campbell, a member of the First Cardinal troop, was credited with rescuing a boy from drowning near Cardinal.

Two others were awarded the Gilt Cross, third highest award in scouting. Scout Christopher P. Carr, 14, of the St. Matthias troop, Westmount, Que., rescued two girls from drowning, while scout Dick Greenland of Roblin, Man., rescued a boy from drowning in the icy waters of Goose Lake.

Glass Shower Held For Anne Dumas

An "after five" party and glass shower was held for Mrs. Anne Dumas and Mr. Mel Thompson at the home of Mrs. Joseph Polton in honor of the couple who will be married March 3.

About 20 guests attended and were entertained by showman Pat Bol'on.

THIS WEEK

W.A. of the Hospital meeting Civic Centre, Thursday, Feb. 26.
Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association meeting Oddfellows Hall tomorrow night.

Visitors Will Have to Rise Early To See Queen on Coronation Day

Soldiers in 'Burn' Ward Make Crests

By JOHN STACKHOUSE

SEOUL, Korea (Reuters)—Doctors and nurses from Canada, Britain and Australia are working together to care for wounded and sick Commonwealth soldiers at the British military hospital here.

The hospital, at one time a school, now is run as a joint Commonwealth effort. Its patients are troops who will probably be fit enough to return to duty within a month.

The hospital also handles more serious cases, holding them in a special ward for evacuation by RAAF ambulance planes to the big Commonwealth hospital at Kure, Japan.

Designed originally for 100 beds, the hospital now averages about 120 patients at a time.

Nurses and welfare workers do their best to keep the patients busy and happy and compensate for the greyness of the hospital. The building is the only one they could get since places big enough for a hospital are scarce in a city which war has passed over four times.

Three welfare workers, one each from Canada, Britain and Australia, have the responsibility for keeping the patients from getting bored.

The commanding officer and matron are both Canadians. Maj. Roy Smillie comes from Victoria, and Capt. Elizabeth Pense, the matron, is a native of Kingston, Ont.

Winter has brought the hospital extra casualties, such as cases suffering from burns caused by exploding stoves.

Many suffer from burns to the hands and welfare workers have found that one of the easiest ways to get the men to exercise their muscles is for them to take up embroidery, and now nearly all the patients in the "burn" ward are busy stitching complicated regimental crests.

"They think it would be assie to embroider anything else," one Red Cross worker said.

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MORE PEOPLE IN CANADA USE CARNATION THAN ALL OTHER BRANDS COMBINED

LONDON (Reuters)—Hundreds of thousands of Britons and overseas visitors will have to be early-birds if they want to see the Queen drive in state through London next June 2, her Coronation Day.

That became obvious today when about 100,000 lucky individuals with reserved seats on the three-mile procession route were told to be in their places as early as 6 a.m.—possibly six hours before the parade goes past.

Ten times that number of aspiring spectators without reserved seats will have to camp along the route anything up to 24 hours ahead to get standing room.

Today's instructions to ticket-holders were part of an extensive crowd plan outlined by Coronation organizations.

About 15,000 policemen and at least 8,000 troops will line the flag-draped, crowded streets through which the Queen will pass with her brilliant entourage of ermine and purple-clad nobles, Golden carriages, marching guards in scarlet tunics and prancing cavalry horses with troopers in medieval armor. Several thousand more will control automobile traffic.

More than 3,000 service personnel and 5,000 police will be drafted in from outside London. They will be accommodated in London parks or in military barracks.

Seven miles of steel railing will be put up along the route within a day or two of the Coronation. This—and ram-rod straight "bobbie" and troops standing five yards apart—will hold back the vast crowds.

SOME COVERED Some of the government stands which will accommodate 100,000 in covered and uncovered seats are already under construction.

Police expect thousands to sleep in parks bordering the route, huddle in deckchairs or just squat on the curb the night before the Coronation, just to make sure they're right up there in the front row when the Queen drives by in her state coach.

Some Londoners—invertebrate lovers of pageantry—do that anyway for such annual spectacles as the trooping of the color by the crack Guards Brigade.

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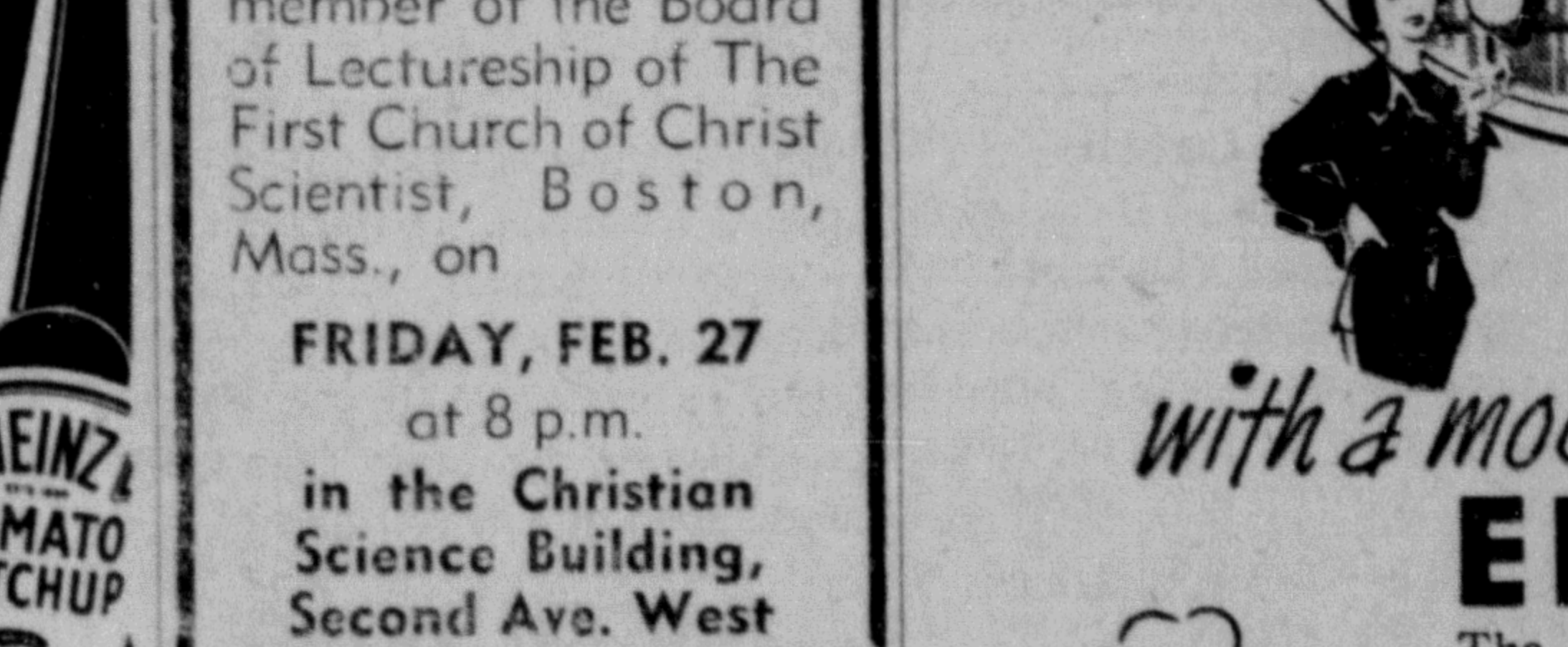
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MERNE PERRY, 19, of Montreal is crowned queen of McGill university's annual carnival. Placing the crown on the second-year commerce student is Mayor Camillien Houde.

Red Cross Seeks Missing Persons

Among missing persons sought by the Red Cross Society, the following are believed to be in British Columbia:

Emil and Oliva Anhorn, reported to have left Balcarres, Sask., for Kelowna and are sought by cousin, Mrs. Elsie Grossberndt (nee Anhorn).

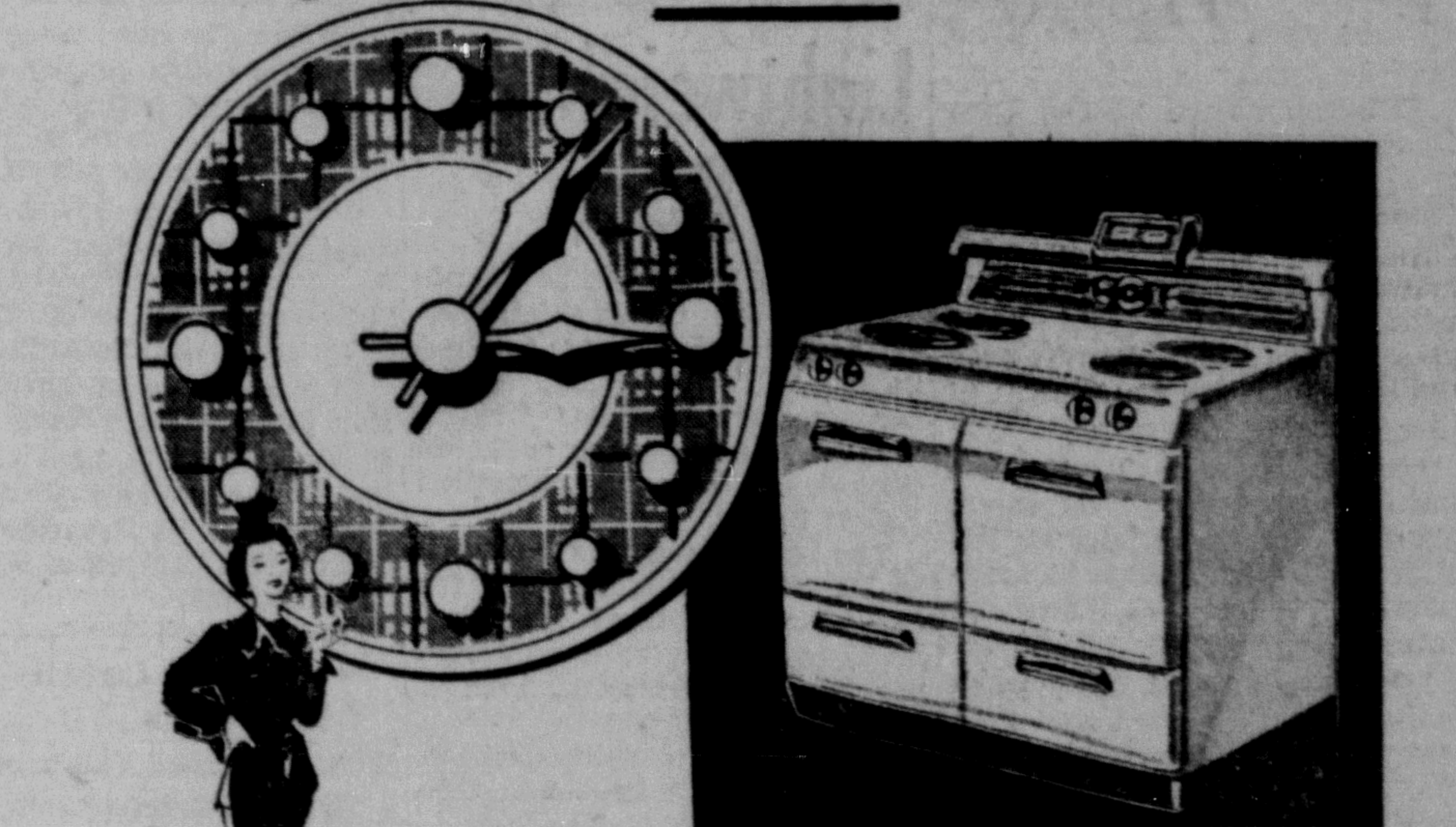
Joseph Lambert, born in 1891 in Grande Riviere, Que., and seen in Vancouver in 1950. He is sought by his sister, Mrs. Bernadette Nicolas.

These persons, or anyone knowing their whereabouts, are asked to contact Stan Saville, president of the Prince Rupert branch of the Red Cross Society.

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