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February 28, 1954
(Standard Time)
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22:55 16.1 feet
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16:26 6.1 feet

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BROWNIES grin happily at the camera man before starting their weekly sessions in their hospital ward at the Indian T.B. hospital. They, and their sister Guides around the world, were the object of the "thoughts" of Prince Rupert Guides at their Thinking Day Rally last night. Shown with the hospital pack of leaders Mrs. Lionel Holtby (left) and Mrs. Van Roche (right).



IN THE thoughts of local Guides at their Thinking Day rally were these patients at Miller Bay Indian hospital, busily learning their recruit work to merit as Girl Guides. In this picture they are shown studying the make-up of the Union flag held by leaders Mrs. Harry Winston (left) shows the crosses of St. George, St. Patrick, and St. Andrew, which, when folded together, make the Union Jack.

Pageant Features Girl Guide, Brownie 'Thinking Day' Rally

Prince Rupert Guides and Brownies last night celebrated their annual Thinking Day rally. The rally was held at the Prince Rupert Community Centre and was attended by a large number of Guides and Brownies from all over the world. The evening was a great success and the girls enjoyed every minute of it.

Cross Commissioner Arriving Here For Meet

Scott B.C. Commissioner of the Canadian Red Cross Society will arrive here Tuesday morning for a meeting with the local Red Cross branch. The meeting will be held at the Prince Rupert Community Centre and will be attended by a large number of Red Cross workers from all over the area.

"Blondie" And "Sherlock" News Comic Strips

Monday, two more comic strips will be added to the Daily News. They are "Blondie" and "Sherlock Holmes". These strips are the most popular in the world and are read by millions of people every day. They are a great source of entertainment and are sure to be a hit with our readers.

House Of Parliament Seized By Demonstrators In Damascus

Ousted Dictator In Saudi Arabia

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP)—Thousands of demonstrators supporting the rebel army forces who ousted Syria's dictator-president, Gen. Adib Shishekly, swept through Damascus today and seized the house of parliament, advices reaching here said.

Body Found In Snow

KEMANO—The body of a local workman was dug out of a huge snowslide yesterday, more than 24 hours after the slide had roared off a mountainside and over a roadway five miles north of here.

RCMP today identified the man as Andrianus Rykes, 31, a citizen of Holland who had been in this country only a short time. Only known survivor is his father in Dietrich, Holland.

Rykes, an employee of Morrison-Knudsen, was caught in the slide Thursday when it hurtled down without warning, burying the road near Horetzky Creek Camp.

A police dog was flown in at dawn yesterday to aid in the search through the huge pile of snow, some 400 yards long and 20 to 30 feet wide.

An inquest into the incident will be conducted by Coroner W. C. Proby.

Child Blinded In Accident Regains Sight

CHILLIWACK, B.C. (CP)—Struck down by a bus three months ago, four-year-old Shawn Taylor can see again although medical advisers had said he would be blind for life.

His parents, Sgt. and Mrs. George P. Taylor, termed the return of light to Shawn's world a miracle.

"We were definitely told Shawn would never see again," said Sgt. Taylor. "But we refused to believe it. We just kept on hoping and praying."

Shawn's vision may never be perfect as he lacks ability to focus his eyes on one object, but he can see well by swinging his head from side to side.

WEATHER

Forecast
North Coast Region: Gale warning.

Rain today. Cloudy with showers rain or rain and snow mixed tonight and Sunday. Cold. Winds southeast 30 occasionally 40 exposed areas shifting to southwest 25 this afternoon. Wind westerly 15 Sunday.

Low tonight and high Sunday at Port Hardy 34 and 42; Sandspit and Prince Rupert 30 and 38.



STANLEY KOWOLSKI and Blanche DuBois battle it out in the final act of "A Streetcar Named Desire," the surging drama which opens Monday night at the Civic Centre. Shown above are Nina Youngman as "Blanche" and Gerry Woodside as "Stanley."



TWELVE CITY RESIDENTS who earned their private pilot's licence training at Prince Rupert Aero Club were awarded silver lapel pins at a ceremony in the club hall last Saturday. "Wings" were mailed to 14 other graduates, who were out of town. Pictured here with retiring president and chief instructor Bob Kelsey (standing fourth from left) who presented the wings, are: (standing) John Finley, Doug Hague, Jay Burns, Kelsey, Stewart Shelley, Len Brewerton, Ron Black. Seated: Pat Deane, Ralph Malkin, Joe Goscoe, Vic Grant, Bruce Malcolm and Stan Kaardal.

Failure to Bring in School Finance Legislation Scored by Bruce Brown

VICTORIA (CP)—Rumors that BC Hospital insurance premiums will be exchanged for increases in the sales tax were brought up on the floor of the legislature Friday.

Bruce Brown (L-Prince Rupert) said in the throne speech debate:

"It is rumored that premiums might be done away with and the sales tax might be increased."

He also said it was rumored the increase in cost-of-living

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

LONDON—Results of soccer games played in the United Kingdom today:

- ENGLISH LEAGUE**
Division I
Arsenal 0, Tottenham 3.
Aston Villa 2, Liverpool 1.
Blackpool 3, Charlton 1.
Cardiff 0, Preston 1.
Chelsea 0, Sheffield 1.
Huddersfield 2, W. Bromwich 2.
Manchester 3, Bolton 0.
Preston 2, Burnley 2.
Sheffield 2, Middlesbrough 2.
Sunderland 0, Manchester 2.
Wolverhampton 3, Newcastle 2.
- Division II**
Blackburn 3, Stoke 0.
Brentford 3, West Ham 1.
Bristol 1, Leeds 1.
Bury 3, Rochester 0.
Derby 3, Fulham 3.
Doncaster 0, Leicester 2.
Everton 0, Plymouth 4.
Hull 1, Luton 2.
Lincoln 0, Birmingham 1.
Notts 1, Nottingham 1.
Oldham 2, Swansea 2.
- SCOTTISH CUP**
Third Round
Berwick 3, Dundee 0.
Hamilton 2, Morton 0.
Hibernian 1, Aberdeen 3.
Motherwell 4, Raith 1.
Partick 5, Buckie 3.
Queen of S. 1, Hearts 4.
Stirling 3, Celtic 4.
Third Lanark 0, Rangers 0.
- SCOTTISH LEAGUE**
Division A
Airdrieonians 1, St. Mirren 3.
Falkirk 1, Clyde 1.
- Division B**
Alloa 4, Dunfermline 1.
Cowdenbeath 3, Stenhousemuir 3.
Forfar 0, Ayr 1.
Queens 3, Dundee 1.
St. Johnstone 3, Arbroath 1.

NEW POLICE WAGON GETS CUSTOMER ON FIRST TRIP

Prince Rupert's new police wagon nabbed its first customer yesterday afternoon a few minutes after it hit the streets.

The new robin's egg blue van, which replaces the old "black maria," picked up a man for being drunk on its first official trip out from the Fulton Street RCMP office.

The culprit was given a seven-day jail term, or a \$10 fine, in court this morning.

Kinsmen Make Final Appeal For Donations to Polio Fund

A final appeal was made today to the citizens of Prince Rupert to mail contributions this weekend to the Kinsmen Polio Fund.

All donations go toward aiding polio victims and a vast research program to carry on the search for the cause and cure of the dread disease.

While deaths caused by polio are a very small percentage of the total of all deaths caused by various diseases, hundreds of persons are crippled annually by the "killer" and need help.

"These are the people that arouse the interest of the Kinsmen and the polio fund," said Bill Bond, chairman of the drive which got underway here two weeks ago.

"These are the people on whose behalf you are asked to contribute."

"Your gift to the Polio Fund goes to provide skilled medical care and therapy that may help some polio victim to regain health and happiness."

Last year was the worst polio epidemic in history in B.C. There were more than 800 cases. It is these people that the Kinsmen help.

Send your contributions to:
The B.C. Polio Fund, Box 151, Prince Rupert.