Former Residents Mark 50 Years of Marriage

Well known and former long-time residents of Prince Rupert, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest S. Allistone, were feted last night in Vancouver when relatives and friends gathered in the Sylvia Hotel to celebrate their "Golden Wedding" anniversary at a dinner party.

Mr. and Mrs. Allistone were married June 6, 1906 in Montreal and came to Prince Rupert in 1911 where Mr. Allistone was city assessor and tax collector until 1942 when he retired. They then moved to Vancouver and have made their home there ever since.

Attending the anniversary celebrations, along with many friends and relatives were three of their four living children, Mrs. A. H. Iveson (Mary) of this city and Ernest F. Allistone and Donald Allistone, both of Vancouver. Another son, John, lives in Edmonton. Sons John and Donald were born in Prince Rupert.

During their 30-year stay here the Allistones acquired scores of friends and Mr. Allistone was noted as a horticulturist and for his beautiful gardens.

WAR ON RATS

VANCOUVER (C)—Civic authorities are waging war on rats which are estimated to cause damages of perhaps $10,000,000 annually in Greater Vancouver. The campaign against the brown Norwegian rat, most common type here, has been stepped up after the long dry spring season.

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Encouraging Start Made On Teen Club Orchestra

An encouraging start was made last night on a dance orchestra for the Civic Centre Teen Club when 15 young musicians attended an organizational session under the direction of Donald MacDonald, James Cumming and James Carney.

The aggregation spent an hour and a half in both instruction and practicing selections they knew and decided to write to a music company for other orchestrations. More musicians are expected for the next meeting of the orchestra.

Taking part in last night's practice were Michael Wayman, trumpet; Alfred Hunter, clarinet; Brian Roberts, baritone horn; David Clegg, trumpet; Ole Led, clarinet; Dennis Leeman, saxophone; Eric Brown, drums; Lawson Hewitt, trrmpet; Thomas Moorehouse, trumpet; Angus McCracken, clarinet; Robert Ritchie, saxaphone; Robert Mitchell, piano-drums; James Johnson, trumpet; George Pearson, saxaphone; Robert Jensen, trombone.

Anglican Church WA Hold Diocesan Meetings

Delegates from 36 branches of the Woman's auxiliary of the Anglican church of Canada have arrived from all over the northern part of British Columbia to attend the Caledonia Diocesan annual meetings to be held here today and tomorrow.

Sessions began this morning at 9:30 with the Right Rev. H. G. Watts, Bishop of Caledonia as celebrant and preacher at the opening communion service.

Dominion president of the WA Mrs. Britton Osler is guest of honor for the two-day meet.

Guest speaker at the luncheon today was Miss M. E. Rathbone of Miller Bay Indian hospital while Mrs. C. W. Pearce will address the luncheon tomorrow.

Some of the out-of-town delegates attending are Mrs. C. A. Hinchcliffe, representing Telkwa Smithers and Houston; Mrs. N. Atkinson, Vanderhoof; Mrs. P. Irving and Mrs. G. Tucker, Kitimat; Mrs. A. Dell, Fort Nelson; Mrs. A. Hamilton, Fort St. John; Mrs. E. Ungerer, Ocean Falls; Mrs. B. West and Mrs. M. O'Connell, Terrace; Mrs. C. Hall, Fort St. James; Miss M. Rocks, Endako; Mrs. G. Brown, Kitwanga; Mrs. J. Mallen, Hazelton; Mrs. L. Nixon, Burns Lake; Mrs. Wilkinson, Stewart and Mrs. F. Irwin, Fort Fraser.

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. William Glass 1128 Sixth Avenue East, are leaving Prince Rupert tomorrow by car for Vancouver where they will make their home and join their son Barry, who is employed with the city of Vancouver in the town planning department. Mr. Glass, who has been employed with the B.C. Packers Ltd. here for the past four years, will take a new position with B.C. Packers in Vancouver.

RCMP Constable Glen R. Gordon, Mrs. Gordon and their two children, June and Brian, left this morning by Canadian Pacific Airlines plane for Vancouver where they will make their home. Const. Gordon, stationed at Port Edward sub-detachment since 1952, has been transferred to Vancouver in charge of the University of British Columbia detachment.

Mrs. Edward Ashcroft of Tulsequah arrived in the city last night aboard the Union Steamship Coquitlam to join Mr. Ashcroft who arrived in the city several days ago for a brief holiday. Mr. Ashcroft is the custom's officer at Tulsequah.

Magistrate Phillip Pickering of Telkwa arrived in Prince Rupert last night on the Coquitlam from Vancouver where he was attending the magistrates' convention.

Mrs. G. E. Darby, wife of Dr. Darby of Bella Bella, was in the city overnight en route to Sitka, Alaska for a week's holiday.

GABRIOLA, B.C. (C)—Hundreds of Gabriola island residents, led by three RCMP officers and a police dog Monday were hunting 95-year-old Morgan Jenkins who disappeared about 2 p.m. Saturday. He failed to return from a Saturday stroll.

SCOUTING NEWS

Two City Scouts Invited To Attend Camp at Sitka

Two Prince Rupert Boy Scouts have been invited to attend an Alaskan Boy Scout camp near Sitka from June 26 to July 2, it was announced today by the District Boy Scout committee.

The invitation was read at a meeting Tuesday night of the committee which received a letter from the Sitka, Alaska Boy Scout troop.

In accepting the offer the District committee decided that the two lucky boys will be chosen at a combined meeting of the Courts of Honor of all city Scouts. The courts are a type of government body made up of patrol leaders and seconds.

In return Sitka Boy Scout troop will be invited to send two of its Scouts to the Prince Rupert district camp to be held June 30 to July 8 at Lakelse Lake. A visiting Scout will also be invited from troops at Ketchikan, Stewart and Masset. A total of 30 Scouts are expected to attend the camp.

During the recent visit of Scout field commissioner Joseph Turner from Prince George he presented a framed warrant to District Scout Commissioner John M. Robertson. The warrant signed by Governor - General Vincent Massey, chief Scout of Canada, is equivalent to a licence to carry on Scouting activities anywhere in Canada. Regret was also expressed at the news that Commissioner Robertson will be leaving the district shortly. The committee is seeking a successor to him.

The committee also began trict Scouts to play a big part making plans for city and disin the ceremonies later this summer when Chief Scout Massey visits the city.

Also planned by the district committee is a construction program for the Scouts in which a trail will be built around the Salt Lakes park. The program is part of the Scouts conservation activities for this year. It will be directed temporarily by District Commissioner Robertson in connection with the Forest Service. Work will begin as soon as possible.

Many Attend D-Day Party

More than 100 persons gathered at the Club 27 last night to celebrate the Canadian Legion Branch 27's Sixth Anniversary D-Day party.

The social featured dancing, a buffet supper served by members of the Women's auxiliary and gay colored balloons, noise-makers and hats.

President James Nicoll received the guests and general convener for the event was John Laurie.

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Dexter Children Christened At St. Andrew's Cathedral

The last Sunday in May was chosen by Mr. and Mrs. Vernon P. Dexter, 321 Eighth Avenue West, for the baptism of their two children in St. Andrew's Anglican Cathedral with Canon Basil S. Prockter officiating.

Vernon Barron were the names given their three-and-a-half-year-old-son while Deborah Elaine were the names given their one-and-a-half year old daughter at the May 27 afternoon christening ceremony.

Godparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Loucks, Mr. and Mrs. John Tindale and Mr. and Mrs. William McKenzie.

Maternal grandmother is Mrs. Winnifred Barron and paternal grandmother is Mrs. Caroline Dexter, both of Nova Scotia.

Mrs. Dexter and her two children left Saturday night by train for a three-month holiday in Toronto, Nova Scotia and Maine, U.S.A.

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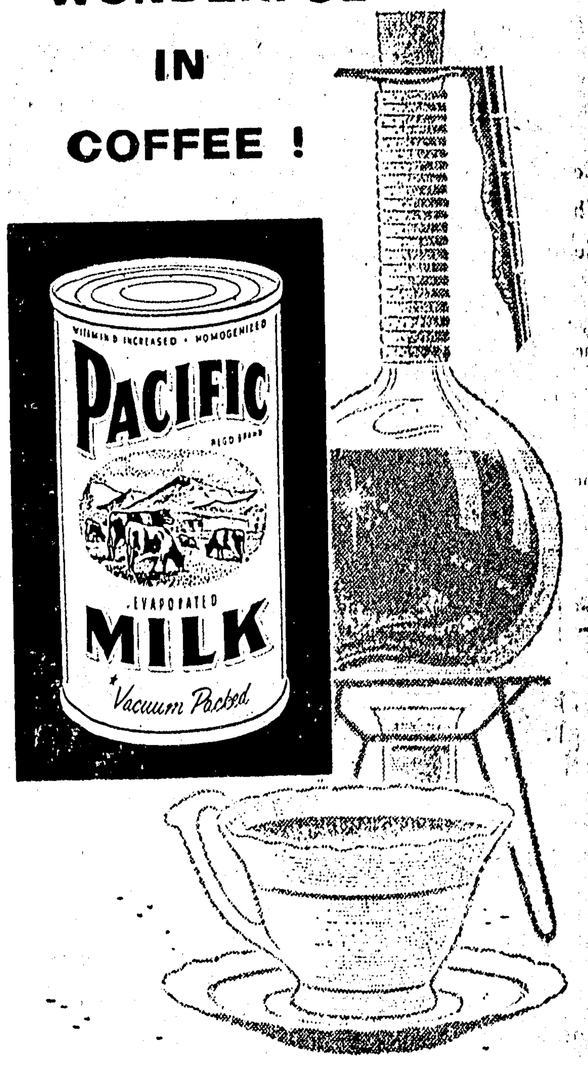

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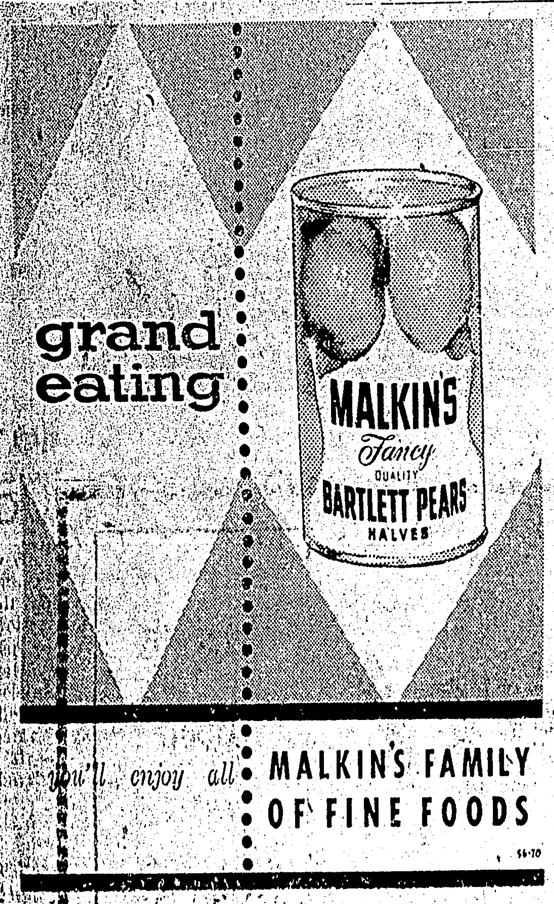

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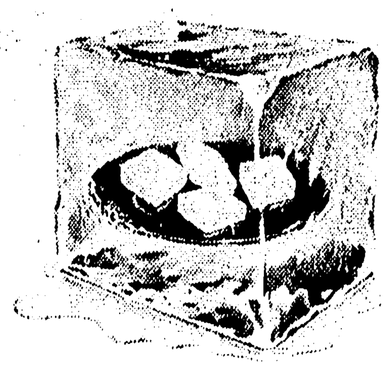
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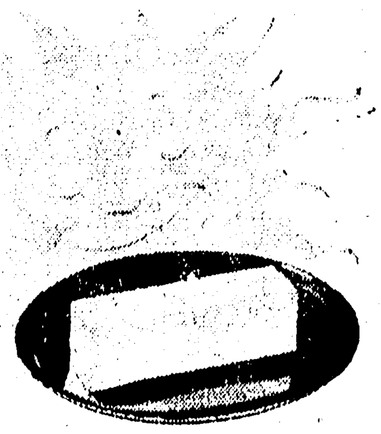
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