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As Family

Flees Blaze

In Two Fires

Prince Rupert.

enth Avenue East.

at the time.

enue and another, four and a

half hours later caused \$3.500

damage to a new house on Elev-

At 1633 Eleventh Avenue East.

children scrambled to safety

through a back bedroom window

through a back bedroom window

through the front room. Fire-

men state the blaze which start-

ed near the oil burner in the

front room of the Eyre home.

According to Fire Chief Earl

end of Comox Avenue where

Two Killed As Plane Crashes

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The read was so bad! that for several months :

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ad on the Islands this basis.

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omassion was appoint-; ar to study the escapesockeye salmon from volve methods to imrun, which suffered a j

leye fishing on the 8ke-

100 F. Accidents in the lowest total since 1980. It com- \ Ilis companions and co-com-Plates last year took a pared with the All-time record plainants are his wife, Dolorest' toll killing 91,000 high of 39,969 in 1941.

the needdents enused about 1,- Isburgh reporter. 10. I aceldent killer, n.s. 250,000 non-fatal injuries.

Miseveral years, was the The 1984 over-all accident death toll-compared to 05,000 in his death Midlonal Safety Council, 1953, a decrease of four per cent. Pany reported the various The 1984 death rate for accidents 3 In 1951, and that of the of all types was 50.0 per 100,000 [] and in all types of acci- population-lowest rate on record \$300 lost their lives in and 26 per cent under the 1941

Teent from the 38,300 However, the council said one if milities in 1983 and the out of every 17 Americans suf-

The estimated economic loss of \$9,700,000,000 for minimps in futul needdonts. The total inpenses and overhous costs of intishing prospects in surance, production delays, dudue known were described mage to equipment in work mistoo bright" today by the hills and property damage from

the northern, control The value of properly destroy. on Churlotte sub-dis- ed and damaked by 1054 motor ed and damaked by 1054 motor at vehicle grashes was estimated at th of 134 tons of herring \$1,000,000,000. Tolal costs, inborted from the Kitkatha cluding modical expanse, ever-The northern sub-district, hond costs of insurance and mot-

Charlotte area reported | Accidents in the home claimed the House of Companies for a relicion B. Boott Me-sale of beer, ale, stout and wine | Only one of the 18 places vot. | Deborah Kerr arrives in Tor- | Ltd., has been elected presidents long cought yesterday, the second largest number of posted federal expenditures to communication security and proposity of proposity of proposity of proposity of proposity of posted federal expenditures to communication security. a total of 20,005 tons for lives, 28,000, which was a de-Whet and Laredo Sound oroms of 1,000 over 1953. The cample and the council, which said all figures en caught 480 tons to are estimates, sold 14,000 were We central sub-district killed in mishaps at work, a de- cent compared with sponding might. Grane of 1,000 over 1953.



EMIL MAZEY, (left) United Auto Workers international scerelary-treasurer, shakes hands with T. J. Emmert, executive vicepresident of Ford of Canada, in Toronto after negotiating basis for a settlement of the 109-day old strike at Ford plants. The strike, lasting 109 days, was the longest in the company's history. The settlement gives Ford employees an extra 7.25 cents an hour in fringe benefits immediately and a four-cent ap hour incrae effective June 15.

Free Drug Distribution For B.C. Addicts Urcjed

He also suggested the govern- ability to pay. He said the fedment send a representative to eral government has the ma-England for up to four months to chinery for taxation and a porstudy the system of free distri-ition of its income tax in the

province could be turned back to soon spread, blocking the door-The present system of dealing B.C. with B.C.'s narcotics problem is! Rac Eddie (CCF-New Westmess. Mr. Matthew said. As minster) said unemployment has long as there is a large profit in become a political football. He illegal sale of drugs, addiction regretted not seeing a mention will increase.

ossumity will be given. Mr. Matthew said their is one tion in the throne speech ral public tomorrow to addlet for about every 100,000 while of work planned persons in Great Britain comparterna River by the Ske-jed to one in about 250 in Van-

"These figures cry aloud from lons and two other the housetops that our system is,

Tony Gargave (CCF-Macken-(ale) suggested the money the Rovernment makes from the sale of water power to the United States interests be used to pro-

Bruce Brown (Lib,-Prince thuck in the Babine's Rupert) charged that for every dollar of reduced taxation flist acceting in Nov- there has been \$20 of increased

with added restrictions; five per cent sales tax from all vice, and refused comment on the department was called to the I lishing efficiency in-| meals and students supplies, re-| the suit. y the use of nylon nets, duction of the amusement tax. Tatum is asking \$3,000 dam- flames had almost consumed a a few students."

Files Suit SAN FRANCISCO of - The heat damage. The fire depart-

of some unemployment legisla-

fused service because he is a The fire department returned

Russell Snow manager of the keep a watchful eye on smolder-Beverly Plaza Hotel which oper-ling furniture which was removed futes the Pan American bar, den- from the house last night. He called for removal of the led that Tatum was refused ser- Earlier, shortly after midnight,

Panying Mr. Whithler to five from 15 per cent, removal ages, and four companions who wooden shack owned by J Whitmore and Dr. of \$1-a-day hospital co-insur- joined him in the suit are asking Sankey. The three-room buildance, and a 10 per cent reduction a total of \$10,000 more. The ing located approximately two operators called police and ac-|hydrant.

a request to arrest Tatum. ! reports,

Lowis Clemons, the team's bus young mothers, were sent to the Sunrise boys and the Golds importance of holding out the and injuring 9,200,000. In addition to the fatalities driver: Leon Hillard, another prison here Tuesday for stug. girls. It is uncertain whether trips as a "phim" to stimulate change in temperature. Wind flows more quietly through this hated economic loss was on the highways last year, traf- player; and William Tate, a Pit- ging a storekeeper in an at- the teams would travel by train, students to their best efforts in . Brett, 24, was juiled for 30 by boat, which would take three, that scholastic showing would be and high Thursday at Port Lardy | floods still is present. | 10, for 24 months. |



THIS IS AN ARTIST'S conception of a \$6,300,000 face-lifting planned for Victoria bridge, linking Montreal and the south shore of the St. Lawrence in connection with the St. Lawrence Seaway. Electric railway tracks will be removed from one side of the bridge to make way for a new highway: a lift span will be installed to permit passage of ships using the seaway; and cutoffs will be provide to permit motor traffic to flow uninterrupted along the seaway canal embankment when the lift span is in operation.

Outside Sports Trips Incentive For Students

Becker, Mrs. Eyre said that if her "A plan to enable Booth Mem-110 to 19, with the Rainmakers little girl hadn't awakened with orial high school teams to com-representing the school. a toothache they would probably pete with other school teams in Pointing out that although trips.

couldn't remember the number to scholastic achievement.

of her house. Mr. Eyre, a CNR locomotive engineer, was at work schedules trips to Terrace. Ocean vel available to as many as pos-Firemen report the front room orial principal R. H. Davidson TO PRESENT OPERA Falls and Kitimat, Booth Mem-sible. is badly burned and other rooms, said:

principally the kitchen suffered ketball centre, Recce (Goose) Ta- assist in quelling the blaze, but there is inter-school participa- race on March 10. Mr. Davidson months ago. to the scene this morning to of activities for students to be- that it calls for special care and they were loggers. that the opportunities are available to a large number of stu-

JOC, TERRACE THIS MONTH

First events on the program race. complaint says the Incident oc- blocks beyond the end of Comox are volleyball and basketball at. A badminton tournament be- 11, Man, curred Saturday night, alleging Avenue, was completely qutted, Terrace for boys and girls, Feb. tween Torrace and Prince Ruthat after refusing service to some 650 feet of hose was need, runry 18 and 19, and a basketball pert is scheduled for March 25, Tatum and his party the bar's ed to lay-in from the nearest vame at Ocean Falls for the and a track meet and soltball, Frizzell's boys team on Febru- contest at Kitimat for junior and eused him of being drunk. The No one was home at the time ary 18. The girls' Greens are senior boys and girls are set for

·basketball at Terrace. Tentatively scheduled for Kiti- | Before approving the plan, LONDON (Reuters) - Two mat on March 3 is basketball for board members emphasized the tempted robbery. Mrs. Phyllis which would take four days, of class. Mr. Davidson confirmed otherwise light. Low tonight julty today but the danger of

have not woken in time to es-the northern B.C. area was ap-those trips would involve some The RCMR sub-division in that ships of the U.S. 7th Fleet cape. Mrs. Eyre who phoned pos proved by the school board last less in school time. Mr. David Prince Rupert disputched a plane were escorting Nationalists ships lice from a home across the night on the condition that the son said that in each case a dif- to the scene and the department evacuating civillans from the street was so upset that she trips be held out as an incentive ferent team would be involved, of transport officials are also on Tachens. thus furthering the policy of the scene investigating the Reuters news agency quoted In explaining the plan, which making the opportunities to tra-crush.

"It is desired to increase the Also on the program is present where he resided until recently, off-shore Islands. The sources, tunities being made available to sum of \$300 had been guaranteed ver. the school for the production but. The second plane was an RC-

suit says police officers refused of the blaze, the fire department listed to represent the school in May 23 as the final items on the miles north of here.

months and Mrs. Ethel Cooper, Fourth event is the provincial kept as a standard in Judging 35 and 45, Sandspil, and Prince | Twice in two weeks water, ibusketball tournament. March jeligibility for the trips,

Five Injured Rescued, Flown South by RCAF

Five injured loggers were flown to Vancouver. this morning aboard an RCAF Dakota after being rescued from a fatal crash of a B.C. Air Lines Ltd. plane on the Queen Charlotte Islands yesterday af-

of two men occurred in a remote wooded section near Skidegate Lake on the north eastern tip of

gers in a de Havilland Beaver Open II.e flight to Aero Camp at 1:30 p.m. On Evacuees
yesterday. It was reported missing an hour later when it falled to complete the 15-mile cross island journey.

A Queen Charlotte Atrlines Chinese gunboats have at-

ouver landed at Sandspit on the The sources said the ship's areast coast of Moresby island at rival at the north Formosan port 2 a.m. today. An air force medi- of Keesung, where she was due cal office, and two nurses were this afternoon, would be delayed. aboard to bring the victims to It was attacked by four Com-Vancouver. The plane took off munist vessels. at 10:30 this morning.

B.C. Air Lines Ltd. said the pi- ces as saying an American deslot of their Beaver was 27-year- | troyer was cruising Tuesday old Bill Bellam of Alliford Buy, I night near Nationalist landing

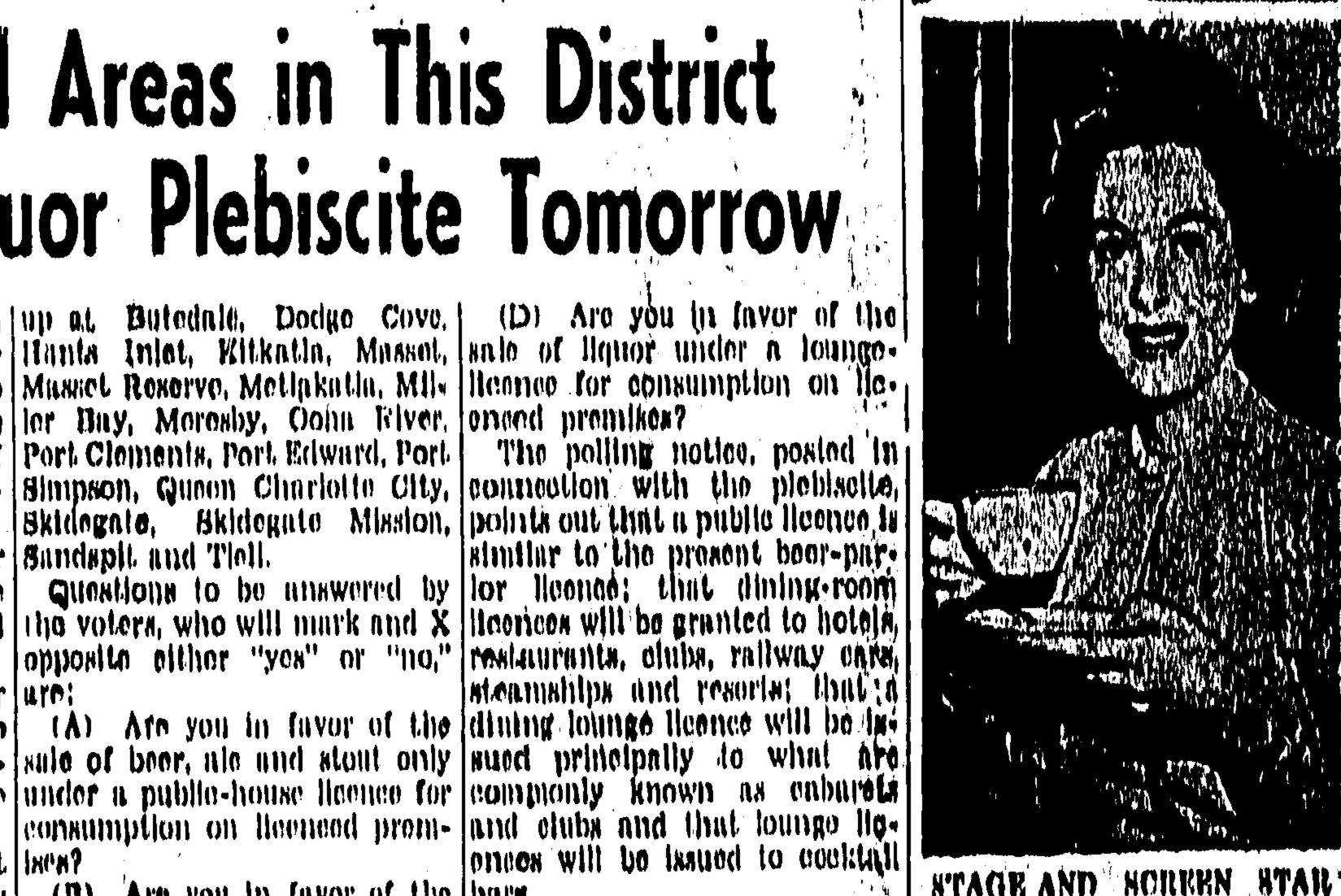
B.C. His parents live in Victoria | craft carrying civilians from the

tum, filed suit Tuesday against it was brought under control tion. Our primary purpose in so said there were two purposes in still did not know the names of Nationalist ships because of the a local bar, charging he was re- from the one tank, firemen state, doing is to increase the number choosing this production—one the six passengers, but assumed v.s. ship's presence.

northern area in such a manner a large cast which would make it ready to resume search for a sec- avoid clashes with units of the open to a wide section of the sufficiently from coastal moun- cover the expected evacuation of dents rather than many oppor- student body. He added that the tains 90 miles north of Vancou- Nationalist stroops from the

> that this may be reduced in view AF T-33 let trainer which disap- [lils repork. The only word toof the Civic Centre fire at Tor- poured with its crow of two Sat- day from Vice-Admiral Alfred urday on a flight here from Aim- | Pride, commander of the 7th

WEATHER FORECAST' rain today and Thursday. Little The lee-clogged Nechako river



ATAGE AND HORKEN STAR of the Senboard Shipping Co.," this Canadian National Railway photo she sips a cup of tea. lounge Results of the plablacte are not in her drawing room abourd

TAIPEH. Formosa,

usually reliable Nationalist sour-

hoats patrolling the East China

It appeared, they added, that

There was no confirmation of

PRINCE GEORGE, n.c. O.

|backing up behind broken floe

lico, has apilled over into low-

As the level fell Monday, resi-

Bix mills shut down, with dam-

ago at the worst lift, estimated

\$8,000 worth of lumber from the

"Plooding and evacuation of 'u

dozon houses and a traller court.

Trundrads of porsons in the area

were margonal when the only

ROCORN road was covered by was

Near shut-down of the city, po-

wor plant as water rose to within

two fact of the floor of the build-

ing. The offy's water supply, do-

bandont on electrically-driven

lying arons, of the city...

dents assessed the damage:

yurds of a lumber company.

Tachen group.

(Reuters) — Communist

Norseman spotted the downed tacked Nationalist ships plane during the afternoon—bringing civilian evacuees about eight miles from its des-from Nan Chin Shan istination. Search parties were from Nan Chin Shan isorganized at three logging camps land, eight miles south of and one, accompanied by a doc-the beleaguered. Tachen ed the crash scene about 6 p.m. group, Nationalist navy An RCAF Dakota from Van- Sources reported today.

A 3,000-ton Nationalist evacua-The five injured men were tion ship which arrived in Fortaken by stretcher to Morseby mosa this morning was reported camp and flown from there to to have sighted four Commun-Sandspit by a Queen Charlotte list gunboats about 100 miles from Airlines plane which made two the Tachens during the night.

Harlem Globetrotters' star bas- ment called for another truck to number of activities in which tation of the "Mikado" at Ter- Bellam was married only six added that four Communist gun-Company officials early loday sea did not interfere with the

come better acquainted with this cifort, and two that it requires Meanwhile RCAF crews word the Communists work trying to

lond aircraft if low clouds lifted oth Fleet, which is proparing to

Bearen aircraft, humpered by rumors that one of his ships had

low hanging cloud the last four been sunk. days, still have not found the jet trainer believed to have hit a mountain in Garlbaldi patk, 90 Quieter Today

North const region: Mostly overcust with intermittent light i southwest 20 in exposed parts morth central British Columbia Rupert 38 and 45.

Unorganized Areas in This District Vote on Liquor Plebiscite Tomorrow

Volors in 18 settlements in an at Butedale, Dodgo Cove, (D) Are you in favor of the Prince Ruport District and the Hants Inlet, Kitkatla, Massal, sale of Ilquor under a lounge-' Queen Charlotte Islands will go Masset Reserve, Metlakatla, Mil. Reence for consumption on Reto the polls temerrow to decide ler Bay, Moresby, Ocha River, lenged premikes? | whother they want the sale of | Port Clements, Port Edward, Port | The polling notice, posted in 1 winer, beer and spirits in licen- Simpson, Queen Charlette City, connection with the plebisoite,

The voters'will decide whether Sundapit and Tiell. they want one, some or all of the | Questions to be answered by for fleened; that dining-room | W | In' the Liquor Aut.

Residents will vote on four ure:

The amount to \$4,860,266,000 in the orating adequately, the results itemend premises? then your beginning April 1. of the vote should be known by (O) Are you in favor of the a hotel, holding a beer-parlor

with the 1955-50 estimates in | Ballot boxes have been sent been? his hands, panses as he enters to each of the polling stations by (B) Are you in favor of the bars.

That mount a bill of 3.3 per shortly after 0 p.m. tomorrow sule of liquor under a dining- licence.

| four types of Heences provided | the voters, who will mark and X | Heences will be granted to hotels, | opposite either "yes" or "no," resisturants, clubs, rallway cars, Intermetibe and resorted that id I questions asked on the bullet, to [(A) Are you in favor of the dining lounge licence will be in [Allow the feelings of the bullet, to take of beer, the und stout only sued principally to what are monts on how liquor should be under a public-house licence for commonly known as enbuists

| consumption on Reenced prem- and clubs and that lounge lie- | oneon will be issued to cockuill

That is Port Cloments which has show "Ton and Sympathy," In

blimps, would have been out, too. "Thoro at III are no indications the danger has mused, olly angineer George Hunford and Mon-VANCOUVER A.M. M. Mathir

Inritian Columbia. W. L. Hurford, Anglo Canadian Ahlpping Co. Litd., was humod

| vice-president and T. G. Phillips: | Countwise Plor Ltd., secretary.

The state of the s

ded into six sections of each and that 15 miles neted in each section bwn also called for a t te on the Queen Char-Inds He said a bottle; VICTORIA (CP) -- Alexander in motor vehicle licences. bosts \$1.05 to mail from i st liquor store at Prince Matthew (SC-Vancouver Centro) He and Mr. Gargave attacked Mrs. W. H. Eyre and her three nd \$2.80 extra to be Tuesday said in the legislature the government claims of reducfree narcotics should be admin- ing the provincial debt. y plane ed the government to istered to drug addicts by phy- William Moore (CCF-Comox) when flames cut off escape the Masset-Port Cle-, sicians on a "legal, accountable" called for a return to income taxation—the only tax based on when flames cut off escape

bution there-

r Salmon Commission | couver, C Whithler, director of ! kemembers will speak at all wrong." meeting at the Civica

na and Babine Rivers vide rural electrification. ≰ral years ago. -

the commission decided taxation.

lidents Fatal to 91,000

That was a reduction of rate. ing Catch

ntinued to be small.

United States Last Year

fored a disabling injury last year.

Lent of theherless as land- truffic accidents and fires.

the total landing to 20,- or volitole property damage, were



FINANCE MINISTER HARRIS, made available. in the current year, (OP Photo) | Polling booths have been set with meals on lleoned promises? binding on the government.

the second