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A LTHOUGH there is no question that the successful candidates in yesterday's elections won on their individual merits, it is significant that they were all endorsed by the Civic Affairs Association. Despite its ups and downs, this organization has achieved a notable record in its three years of existence, having been successful in all but two instances in its choice of candidates. Whether it is just reflecting public opinion or actually influencing it is hard to say. No doubt there is some of both. At any rate, the CAA will gain recognition and strength from its success which it must be careful not to abuse.

In returning two aldermen and electing two new ones, the public has given the city council an equal division of experience and new blood, a ratio which should prove satisfactory considering the capabilities of those involved. They will function under a mayor who has proved himself sound and conscientious and whose victory by acclamation attests the level of prestige that he has attained.

To them go the congratulations and responsibility. For the others there is the reassuring thought -if any is needed-that they made a real contest of it and that they can now give more attention to their private interests after having done more than most men in the public cause.

But no comment on the elections would be complete without mention of one who chose not to run-George B. Casey. This doughty warrior ranks with the elite of those who are outstanding in community service, and for endurance he is unequalled. Forthright, disdaining compromise without being selfrighteous, unafraid of enemies but never excluding them as friends, George Casey has the native stuff of what can only be described as statesmanship. This "watchdog" whose only real competitor is age, will be missed in the affairs of city council.

On the issue of fluoridation, the electorate gave the city council a firm mandate to go ahead. While the vote was by no means one-sided, it expressed clearly enough the public's wish to have this measure taken in the interests of dental hygiene. Prince Rupert's citizens of tomorrow no doubt will have occasion to remember this as a progressive and rewarding step in the history of the city.



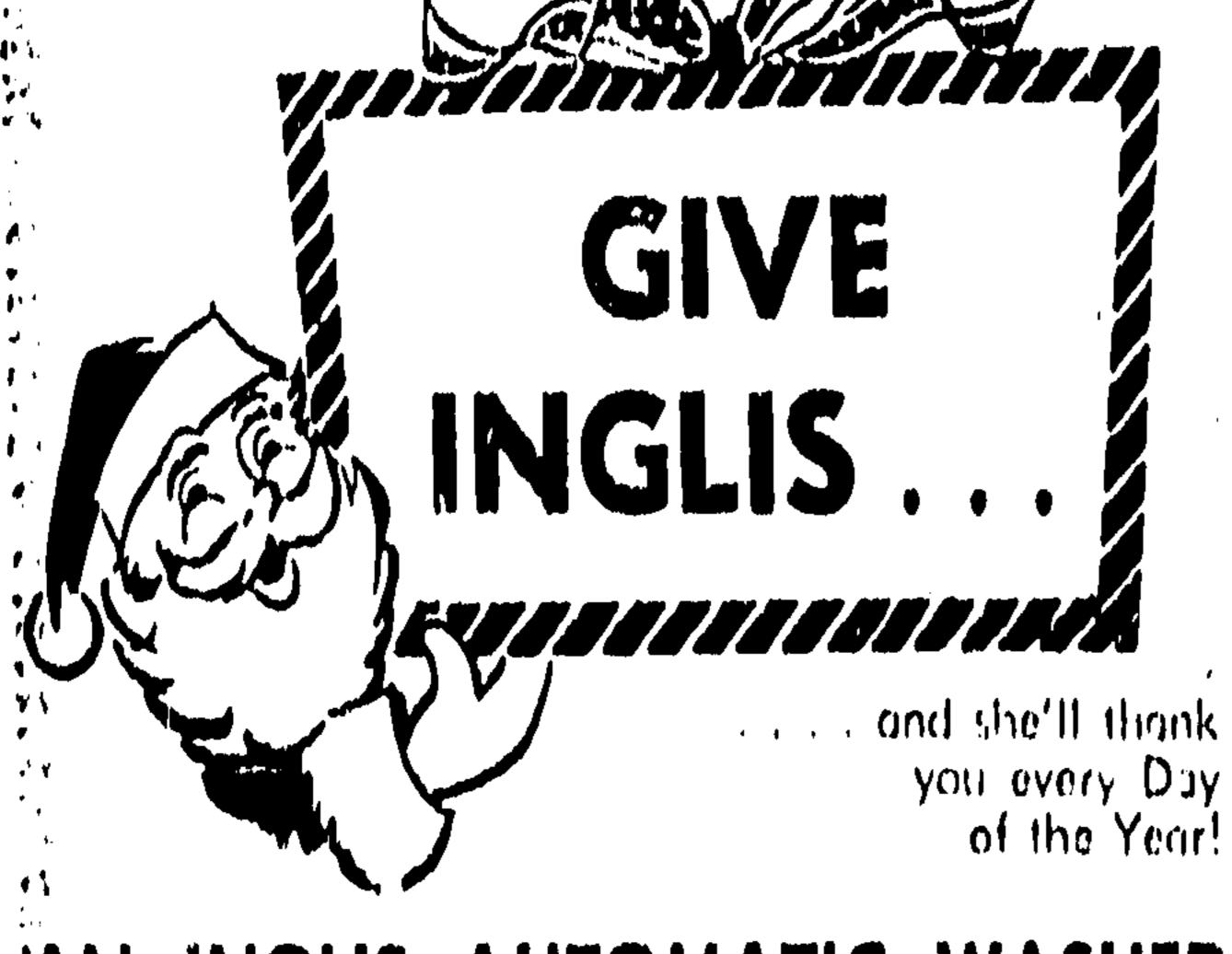


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Beards For 1955

One man came within a single whisker of winning the 1955 Beard of the Prophet.

Mr. H. Skallerud of 512 Rosehill Avenue, Nanaimo, gave only one incorrect answer. He incorrectly guessed that the East would win back the Grey Cup from the West. On all other points he was 100 per cent

HERE are the correct answers to the 1955 quiz:

Will anybody run a mile in less. than four minutes in 1955?

Answer--Yes. Will the War Veterans Allowances be raised from the present \$50 a month?

Answer-Yes, the basic rate was raised from \$50 to \$60. U.S. and Russia or China in

Answer---No. Minister of Britain on December sew entrants sigured that any-C. D. Howe is similarly commit-factor in mind, too, and if the Answer--No.

office in France Between January 1 and December 1, 1955? Answer--Two.

by the Chinese Communists be Minister. The prophets generreleased in 1955?

Answer-Yes. Will South Africa withdraw ployment totals would be higher from the British Commonwealth

Answer-No. Will military forces of West Germany be authorized by all the present members of Nato and actually come into being in 1955?

Answer---Yes. Will the number of unemployed in Canada be higher or low-! er in November 1955 than in November 1954

Answer-Lower. Will total wheat stocks held in

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We always feel sorry for the fellow with a heart of gold. particularly if his relatives the out about it or there is a gretty good chance they will.

Action may not always bring happiness, but there is no happiness without action.

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What are the chances of the the next election comes, the session of Parliament scheduled sooner they will earn their right Birt Showler, 63, veteran inemto begin just about a month to a freedom which, in the light her of city council and well-h from now ending in the fire- of their years, it is reasonable to known trade unionist, eled works of a general election? assume that they foughly desire, his home here Thursday. He

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on December 1, 1954? Will a woman be appointed federal or provincial cabinet minister in Canada in 1955? Will any Canadian airline get permission to establish regular passenger service from Vancou-

ver to Europe via the Arctic tions: short-cut route in 1955? Answer-Yes. All the above questions are in St. Laurent (more familiarly and that the more dramatic they are original number two question "Uncle Loule") is committed to ture and hold the interest of the 220 6th St.

the West. The West won.

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> and not lower. Watch for my Beard of the Prophet quiz for 1956. I hope to make it the best yet.

> the majority thought our unem-

Employment Questions And Answers

In this column are questions about unemployment insurance and employment, together with answers received from the Unemployment Insurance Commission. If you are uncertain about any point do not resitate to send us your question. we will obtain an answer and pub-11sh It in this column. Pollowing are some questions with answers which may be of interest

is merely a victim of this pro-Q. Recently I attended a sit motion and is willing that we all ting of the Court of Referces at "The second count is one of

exactly his first offence. Almost published in the Terrace Her-

A. Necessary expenses incurred ald of June 9 by you in attending a sitting of As the producer of this col- a joint committee decided here g the board of referees are al- umn, I have no objection to pro- Thursday. They previously de- ig towed only it you have been yiding ammunition for debate cided to merge in 1949, but were airected in writing by the chair, but consider that the source sidetracked by a lawsuit brought is man or the board to effected should be duly acknowledged. I by an anti-merger group. The !! before the board. Unless you am against Fluoridation purely committee said the obstacle now if have been so directed, you are upon the grounds of civil rights has been removed, although a ; not entitled to any travelling or and consider that children minority group within the conother allowances for the pur-should be provided with all gregationalist church has threat-

pose of attending the hearing, medical requirements through ened to remain independent. Q. For some years I was em-" formal a more and a management of the contract of ployed as a taxi driver but was ! tribles arrested and charged with duried. TO THOSE WHO VOTED FOR ME that period I was re-employed by my former employer. As I had "When did your child lest paid into memployment insurread a book," a reviewer asks, ance, I applied for benefit, but

they refused it to me on the The chinook type of wind, ground that I lost my job be- I nature, given the weatherman and I was not discharged by him il-

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the order in which they appeared not less respectfully known in their challenge to the govin the quiz, except that in the around Parliamentary lobbies as ernment the more they will canasked whether the Grey Cup leading the Liberal Party public. would be won by the East or through another election. Since: The PC's aren't seriously anhe cannot gracefully quit right xlous that their challenge should. after the votes are counted—un- be taken up by the government Will there be a war involving I SEE that a good many entries less in the case of defeat—that right at the moment. They from Saskatchewan fell down means that he must floure on would like the present boom to because they guessed that Cana-staying in office for at least an-level off to provide a better votda's wheat stocks would be low- other two or three years after ing climate for an opposition Will Churchill still be Prime er and not higher by now. Very the election is held. Rt. Hon. But the government has that

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He accuses Dr. Gordon Bales of

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should be very careful as to acting his form.

VANCOUVER (*) --- Alderman

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the usual channels and in this

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Editors note: Mr. Baxter

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