Luxurious carpeting toned to match the freshness of the pastel colored walls of the newly-renovated Prince Rupert Hotel, are just a few of the features adding a "new look" recently given one of the city's oldest hotels.

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Large glass double doors greet cious lounge furnished in a semimodern decor. Shades of Chartreuse, primrose red, canary yellow, are all cleverly blended togther to cheer the weary travel-

In a more subduued and colonial theme, tones of royal-blue offset with yellow panelling and folds of scarlet red drapes, is designed to relax the dinner guest in the roomy Centennial dining room.

In keeping with the 18th cencocktail lounge, boasts pale-blue from Mrs. Agnes Rochester, Hotel at Bowen Island. panel curtaining over-draped widow of a former Prince Rupert ing drapes, deep toned blue car- \$50,000 on renovations and alterpeting and deep-red cushioned ations. lounge chairs.

The cozy bar, set to one side, will spend another \$50,000 and is in mushroom brown, Nile blue his continued renovation plans walls and high stools to match for the next three years will the chairs. make the Prince Rupert Hotel

"Beauty with service" is the one of the most modern stopping! keynote for the five-storey build- | places north of Vancouver . ing, new proprietor Hazen Bon- The hotel, with elevator servhis recent efforts.

> necting all rooms. In the basement, which leads directly from the entrance, the travellers' sample rooms, are now brightly lit spacious rooms and the mirrored banquet room to accommodate 100 people will soon be open for public use.

HAZEN BONSER

making further plans

Within the next 12 months he

Born in Detroit, Michigan, in 1915, Mr. Bonser received his formal education in Saskatoon. While the hotel business is now his sole interest, he first worked for the Quaker Oats Company for 15 years. During the first 10 years on the road, Mr. Bonser became interested in ! hotel work. During the last five years he received valuable knowledge in administration, working in the office in Saskatoon. Mr. Bonser recalls when in 1943 he had his first hotel the

"Franklin" in Assinaboia, Saskatchewan. Since then he has had hotels at Maple Creek, Saskatchewan,

"El Prado," now known as the

and in Kamloops. For four years he was general manager for the Parker Estates

Big contributor The Prince Rupert Hotel has one of the largest payrolls in the city and is one of the city's largest independent taxpayers. It turns over \$75,000 a year, payroll, paid to local and said that he makes out over 300 cheques each month to local

Some \$5,000 is paid to the icty firms. intaxes each year, maknig it taxpayers to Prince Rupert. The amounts for light and power run to \$400 each month and the telephone service amounts to \$600 paid each month baths, spotless. to the City Telephone Company. users of city laundry utilities paying over \$700 a motnh

for laundry service. Hazen Bonser, new owner o the newly-renovated building

ant manager at Harrison Hot Springs for one year in 1950 and Since purchasing the city's also for one year he was mantury motif the Rupert room, the highest building in January, ager for the Union Steamships'

with more matching red sweep- mayor, Mr. Bonser has spent Marjorie Naylor of Saskatoon. His wife and 13-year-old twin daughters, arrived to take up residence in the Elizabeth Apartments in July. Almost identical twins, his daughters are attending Annunciation school.

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Porter is Song Sing, who has The hotel is one of the larg- been with the hotel since it

Harry Rochester, son of Mrs. Agnes Rochester, former owner, is the desk clerk.

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thing for your Low mileage. A relatively few months ago, the Prince Rupert Hotel was purchased by Mr. Hazen Bonser! from Mrs. Agnes Rochester. In this short space of time, Mr. Bonser has undertaken a mostil

Today, the "Rupert Room," a bright new! lounge is at the disposal of the travelling public and the people of Prince Rupert. Also, the new "Centennial Room" has been added for increased dining pleasure. The lobby has been completely renovated and decorated to add to i the pleasant surroundings.

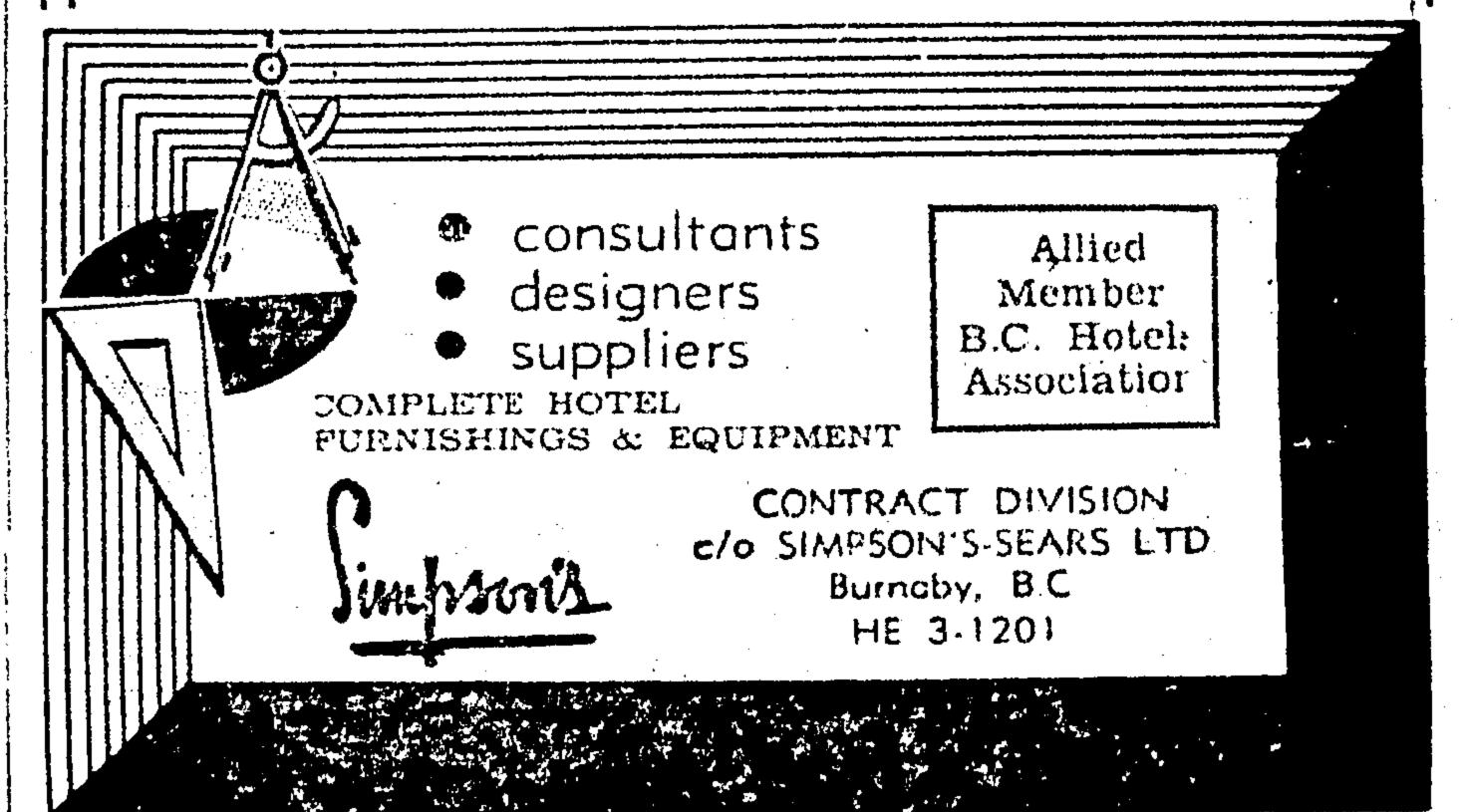
progressive modernization program.

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Simpson's Installation

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Our most hearty congratulations are extended; to hotel owner Hazen Bonser for his outstanding contribution to the hotel industry in Prince in Rupert and British Columbia.



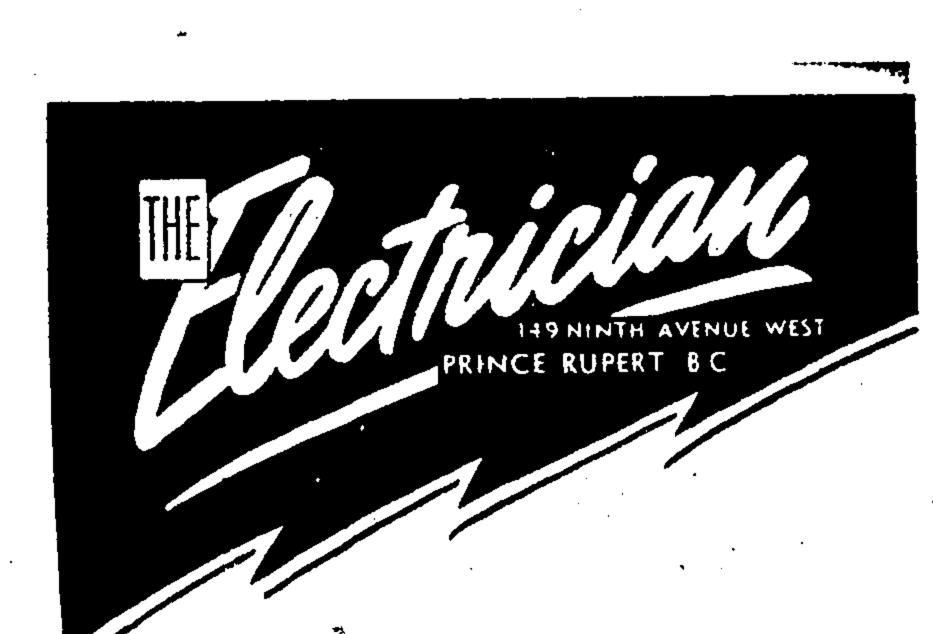
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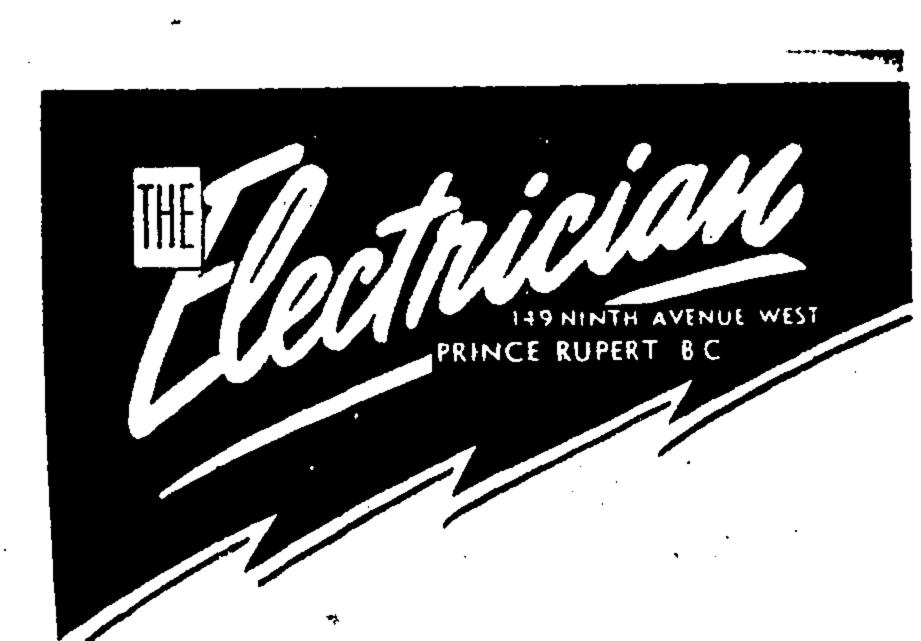
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Owner-Manager H. F. Bonser and dask receptionist Mrs., Yvonne Stephen

ure in announcing the completion of the first stage of renovations designed to bring Prince Rupert one of the most up-to-date hotels in A most cordial invitation is extended to people of this city to view the hotel at their pleasure. The hope is expressed that the pride that is felt by the owners will also be felt by . British Columbia.