PRICE FIVE CENTS

ity Industry On Drydock Site

Output Estimated

of a sawmill to Prince Rupert's industry.

Mayor George E. Hills today

ar project "seemed to be assur-

F. J. G. Johnson, told the

meeting, on behalf of his as

yet un-named principals, that

he was confident that all the

conditions "would be met early

Mr. Johnson, head of a firm of

consulting forestry engineers in

Vancouver, told the committee

that negotiations with Cana-

dian National Railways have

been "successfully completed"

mittee last night.

in January."

in January".

25,000,000 FBM

Location of less than half of the required avail-

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1957

income Tax

Immediate Cut in Excise Tax From 10 to 71/2 Per Cent Slated

By ALAN DONNELLY

Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada's income tax payers will benefit next year, and buyers of new cars wil gain immediately, from a thinly-spread cut of \$178,-000,000 a year in federal taxes.

Finance Minister Donald Flem-

tion ledges and bitterly attacked other dependents. the 52-year-old minister for not NOT A FORMAL BUDGET

he didn't claim to be a formal with an \$80,000,000 surplus. budget speech, contained these main proposals:

 Personal income tax reducother dependents. This will cost 14. the treasury \$146,000,000 a year.

earning over \$20,000. • An immediate cut to 7½

a year. There is no change in 1957 in- saving on the average estate.

come taxes, for which taxpayers will sile returns next spring.

PERSONAL TAXES DROP

\$2,000 of taxable income — the paid. amount on which the levy is MANUFACTURERS AGREE to some extent.

with taxable incomes of less \$2,500 automobile. than \$1,000 and an 11-per-cent | The alteration in the corporasaving for those in the \$1,000- tion income tax will widen the \$2,000 bracket. A flat \$30-a-year range of incomes on which the comes over \$2,000.

ing presented this tax-change The other change in personal program in the Commons Friday income taxes will boost the night as the realization of a basic exemption for children and Progressive Conservative elec- other dependents by \$100. It will tion promise of tax reductions. rise to \$250 from \$150 for "fam-Opposition spokesmen immedi- ily allowance" children to age ately charged that it fell far 18, and to \$500 from \$400 for short of the government's elec- other dependent children and

The minister said his reducpresenting a full-fledged budget. tions will cost the treasury \$26,-000,000 in the current fiscal year Mr. Fleming's statement which ending March 31, and leave him

SMALLER SURPLUS

This compares with the foretions starting January 1 and cast of a \$152,000,000 surplus ranging up to a maximum \$30 made by former Liberal finance. for some taxpayers, and more minister Walter Harris in his for those with children and pre-election budget last March many

Mr. Fleming also announced ● A \$12,000,000-a-year paring future plans to reduce taxes on 🎉 down of corporation tax rev- estates by replacing the present enues by reductions ranging to Succession Duty Act with a new a maximum \$1,350 for companies statute called the Estate Tax 'Act, to be introduced this session for consideration next sesper cent in the 10 per cent ex- sion. By increasing the basic excise tax on new automobiles, emption on estates left to wid-The change will total \$20,000.000 ows and children he estimated it will mean a 70-per-cent tax

of the reduction in auto excise tax was coupled with a new deal parture in federal policy — the More than half the drop in reduction will be passed on to personal income tax comes from dealers holding new cars on reducing tax rates on the first which the tax has already been

made after all exemptions and A spokesman for auto manudeductions are counted. All facturers said they have given 4,500,000 taxpayers will benefit commitments that the tax savsome extent.

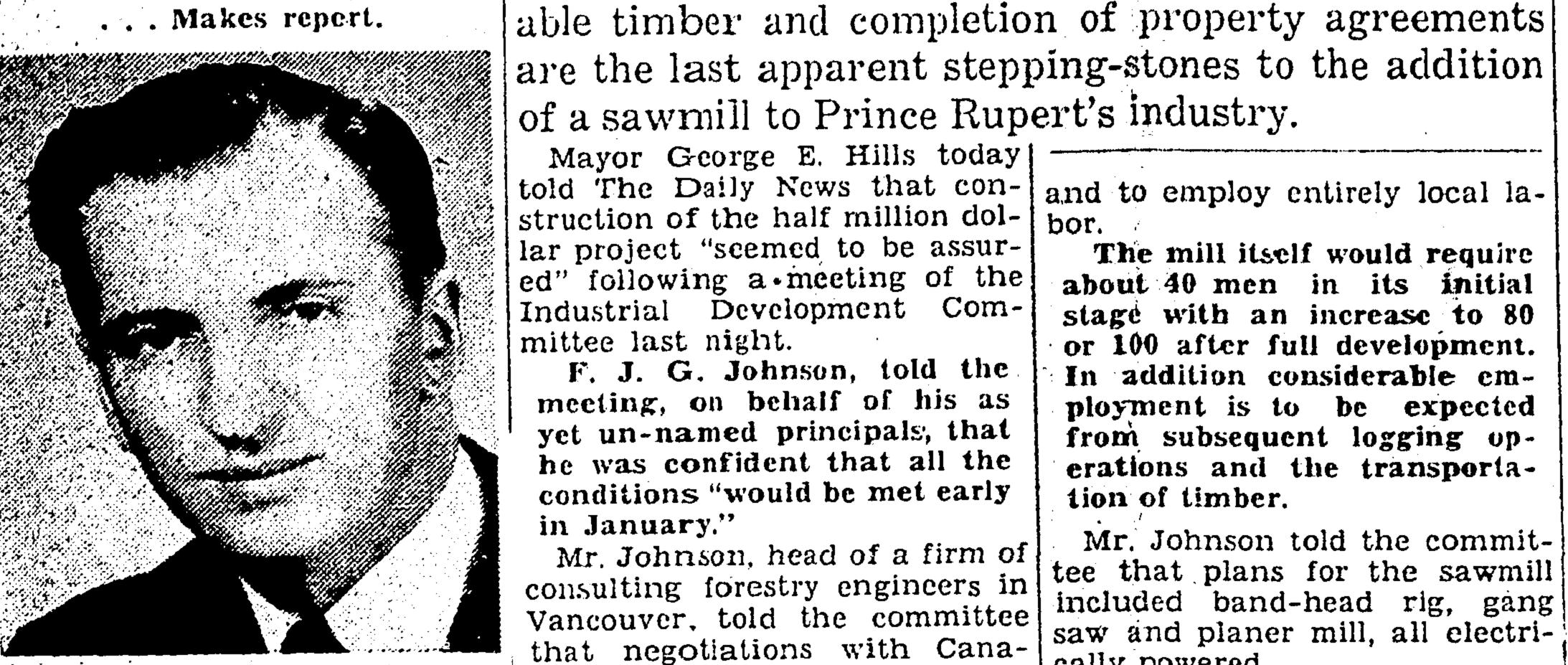
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Table

Table per-cent tax saving for persons tion will amount to \$42.50 on a

V \$500,000 Sawmill Will

FRANK HOWARD, MP



WILLIAM H. MURRAY, MLA ... Says land available.



MAYOR GEORGE E. HILLS . . . Big announcement.

Expenses Exempt

OTTAWA (CP)—Travand living expenses paid to construction workcome tax this year.

ment to the Income Tax Act to; introduced before the end of the

tax in 1957.

RESTORE PRACTICE

site is so distant that the worker house. [ennnot reasonably be expected] It is understood that if the to return daily to his normal city decides to make the city! place of residence where he hall a public safety building and maintains a home in which he include the RCMP offices and a dependent, that construction nancial ald will be forthcoming. employee will not be required to Mr. Murray said that he had include in his income tax pur-|conferred with Labor Minister|| poses the value of the free board Lyle Wicks on the subject of the no of travelling expenses paid PLAN PROTECTION

MONTREAL (0) -- The East third annual Shrine All-Star | the slaying Wednesday of store | across Francols Lake. mudbath and evening the se- | fourth | Chinese grocer to be ing a child.

BULLETIN

told The Daily News that con- and to employ entirely local lastruction of the half million dol- bor.

The mill itself would require about 40 men in its initial stage with an increase to 80 or 100 after full development. In addition considerable employment is to be expected from subsequent logging operations and the transportation of timber.

Mr. Johnson told the committee that plans for the sawmill included band-head rig, gang saw and planer mill, all electri-

Capacity of the mill was estimated at 100,000 board feet per shift or about 25 million board feet per year, based on single shift operation.

KILNS, CHIPPING PLANT

Ultimate plans include the addition of dry kilns and pulp; He referred also to the stipula- chipping plant, as well as doubltion that some 100 million feet ing the initial output of the of timber "must be available to mill. justify the enterprise". He said Mayor Hills, the city office and

that half of this amount has the Industrial Development already been located and that Committee, assisted by William the balance was not expected H. Murray, MLA, have been attempting for some time to bring Both Mr. Johnson and Marc about the realization of the Gormeley, also a consulting long-proposed sawmill project. forestry engineer who the city | Mr. Johnson tola the commit-

fident that the timber "is was "astounding," and that pert industry is from \$350,000 to in Prince Rupert. \$400,000 for the initial stage with! The Industrial Development

a final investment of from half Committee was appointed some lowing a resolution introduced Minister John Diefenbaker-knew the exact date Mr. Johnston stressed that the in City Council by Alderman T. sawmill operator "did not intend N. Youngs. Chairman of the committee. to go into the logging business"

and hoped to aquire all their logs Orme G. Stuart, who presided at from independent local operat- last night's meeting. Other members are Mayor Hills, Aller-He emphasized also that the man N. Bellis, City Clerk-Comppolicy of his principals would be troller R. W. Long, J. S. Black to make all purchases locally and E. T. Applewhaite, secretary.

-Cartoon by Tom Nicoll hired two years ago for a forest survey, said they were confident that the timber "is "astounding" and that Conservatives Seek Election The estimated capital cost of this proposed new Prince Ruwould have been made to locate pert industry is from \$250,000 to Prince Ru-

Frank Howard, MP Skeena, said last night the Progressive Conservative months ago by Mayor Hills fol- government would like to call an election as soon as possible, but only Prime

> Speaking before the Prince siest possible" excuses for an early election, and that it actually would have preferred an election before this date in order to obtain a majority in the House of Commons.

Date of polling day, however, was known to the prime minis-, ter only, he said.

"Mr. Diefenbaker doesn't take his cabinet too much into his confidence," Mr. Howard said.

liament for a two-week tour of him that in the IWA strike, the his three-day visit in Prince Ru-

| Street and Fourth | Street | has | ment of Labor had offered its | Rupert members of the Interbeen reserved "in the public in- services and received no reply. | national Brotherhood of Pulp, B.C. NEWS ROUNDUP Mr. Murray said that he had Sulphite and Paper Mill Work-

I sume talks in order to settle the gency. strike which for four weeks now | In its annual brief presented Orr Friday to five months at print supply.

REDUCE ARMAMENT

Commenting on national and BURNS LAKE, B.C., - School International Issues, Mr. Howard ance paid to him to cover expen- ed Mr. Wicks why he had inter- teacher Martin Epp and his asked a halt to the "keep up diately to alleviate unemploy- harm with intent to wound foln total of 33 numbers had see of meals and lodging, or valhospital here today after they in the armament race to allow other meeting with the cabinet a truck-driver from Guelph, by the employer in transporting | VANCOUVER @ -- The lead- were found suffering the effects channelling of greater sums of him to the site and back home ers of Vancouver's Chinese of escaping propane gas in Epp's money into housing and build-

Ho also expressed himself employment insurance benefits.

The meeting was called Fri-|called for Epp, They were taken| "Trading with a market of trounced the West 20-2 in the | day by Mayor Fred Hume after to hospital via a special ferry 600,000,000 people doesn't mean we are endorsing or recognizing unemployed employables ad-

Rupert CCF Club in the Canad- Hills reported that on his recent sentative of his constituency not ian Legion Auditorium, Mr. How- visit to Ottawa, Mr. Howard had only by his own party members ard said the government would been described to him as an but also by cabinet ministers of not refrain from using the "flim- efficent and respected repre- the Conservative government."

STRIKERS FACING INJUNCTION ON BUILDING INTERFERENCE

VANCOUVER (P) - Mr. Justice A. M. Manson has issued an injunction against interference by striking pulp and paper workers with construction of a mill at Port Alice, in northcentral Vancouver Island.

The injunction will remain in effect until hearing of an action brought against the International Brotherhood of Pulp, Sulphite and Paper Mill Workers, lacol 514, by Cerro Construction Ltd. and Industrial Piping and Controls Ltd. The mill is owned by Alaska Pine and Cellulose Co.

The building companies at Port Alice claim that pulpsulphite union pickets have stopped construction workers from; entering their premises and that this obstruction costs them \$3,450 a day.

The injunction, besides prohibiting interference with construction workers, also forbids the union to "threaten or coerce" them into leaving their jobs.

ing said, "to restore the practice ment decide to buy the lots from tional representative of the Invalid provided prior to 1957. In order to but this matter beyond way will be cleared for the city Paper Mill Workers and D B doubt I intend to introduce an appropriate amendment to the Such a project will mean re Income Tax Act, effective from the strike form the services to help bring and end in the strike vote was services to help bring and end in the services to help bring an e

"This amendment ... will British Columbia and the pro- saying that the companies would continue negotiations eration of Labor Friday called federal works program. depth charge explosions will be provide that if the construction vincial government agent's would consider his offer should "each side giving in a little." on the provincial cabinet to de-Mr. Howard called on unions clare that the unemployment and companies likewise to re-situation constitutes an emer-old Prince Rupert youth was

I soon to don't with the problem. Ont. It proposed:

■ Immediate increase in un4 Extension of sonsonal bono-

• Increase in allowances for i

| sentenced by Magistrate Oscar

The youth, Wesley Kelly, an

VANCOUVER (P) --- Mickey ner of the Victoria Cross, died at the home of a sister here Friday following a longthy

IIIXON, B.C. (P) --- ROMP said

cut goes to all with taxable in- basic 20-per-cent tax rate ap-Tax Reduction Benefits Not Evident Until 1958

OTTAWA (CP)—Canadian taxpayers will not homes and dependents get the benefit of Finance Minister Fleming's person-will be exempt from inal income tax cuts until Jan. 1, 1958.

This means, in turn, that taxpayers will apply the income tax changes when filling out—in early 1959—their income tax forms for 1958.

This is how the tax for 1957 and 1958 works out for persons who are single, married with no dependents and married with two children: 1958 Income

SINGLE

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\$ 1,500	52	44
\$ 2,000	117	99
\$ 2,500	100	166
\$ 3,000	265	236
\$ 3,500	348	318
\$ 4,000	433	403
\$ 5,000	603	573
\$ 7,500	1,110	1,080
\$10,000	1,1752	1,722
\$15,000	3,442	3,412
\$20,000	5,537	5,507
\$30,000	10,032	10,002
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\$ 5,000	433	403
\$ 7,500	000	870
\$10,000	1,470	1,446
\$15,000	3,062	3,032
\$20,000	5,107	5,077
	0,552	0,522
\$30,000	47 ₁ 1717 <i>4</i> 4	00.001

DIAL 2151

MARRIED WITH TWO CHILDREN 16 OR UNDER

\$ 2,600	26	*********
\$ 2,800	52	22
\$ 3,000	78	44
\$ 4,000	220	166
\$ 5,000	382	318
\$ 7,500	840	770
\$10,000	1,404	1,326
\$15,000	2,948	2,842
\$20,000	4,978	4,862
\$30,000	0,408	9,282
\$50,000	20,092	19,048

Blast Slated

District Marine Agent N. A. Jan. 1, 1957. Reketov has announced that set off December 12 in North Bentick Arm, off Green Bay, near Bella Coola.

The charges will be fired between the hours of 10:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. **********************

Skeena and William H. Murbeen placed on the Elks Ledge 342 House Blingo for Crippled Children master-card.

Today's numbers are 1-24 and T-19.

Numbers previously drawn nre: 18-13; G-51; N-43; 18-1; O-00; G-50; J-23; N-33; N-44; ()-74; 11-4; ()-53; N-39; N-40; 11-7; O-71; N-45; G-50; O-63; N-35; ()-75; (1-22; (1-55; (1-54; 13-9; 1-25; N-36; O-65; O-63 O-73 and W-15.

Land Made Available ers living away from their homes and dependents For Federal Building

a million to \$650,000.

NOT LOGGING BUSINESS

The provincial government has vened in the International ON LEAVE Finance Minister Donald government can erect a new fed-workers strike. Fleming said in the Commons eral building, William H. Murray, He said that Mr. Wicks told his constituency. He will end Friday night that an amend-MLA announced today.

provide this exemption will be from Victoria last night, from to mediate the issue by both before returning to Ottawa De-He recalled that the former a price has not been fixed for strike Mr. Wicks told the Prince 6,000 B.C. pulp and paper work-Liberal government started the the land, the lots between Third Rupert MLA that the Depart-ers, including about 560 Prince

lives with his wife or some other [inil, then further provincial fi-

with police commissioners to ing. | discuss possible protection for | The dazed pair were discover- | strongly in favor of unrestricted | grocery store operators.

made available land on Second Woodworkers of America strike | The Skeena MP is on leave Avenue west so that the federal and refused to do so in the pulp- from the current session of Par-

Mr. Murray, who returned department of labor was asked pert tomorrow to go to Terrace conferring with provincial gov-parties involved in the dispute. cember 15. ernment officials said that while in the case of the pulpworkers. Commenting on the strike of

order to put this matter beyond way will be cleared for the city Paper Mill Workers and D. R. ed strike action took the union Income Tax Act effective from moval of the Skeena Health to the strike, Mr. Murray said the companies, "according to Unit, the Museum of Northern that only Mr. Blair had replied a long-established pattern," VICTORIA (b) - The B.C. Fed- A stepped-up provincial and the need arise.

Special to The Daily News | population will meet Monday | home at Cheslatta Friday morn- | ing programs.

ed when the school bus driver trade with China.

ries at a victory apiece and murdored in less than three Cheslatta school, where Mr. In introducing Mr. Howard to ments accepting 100 per cent with gunshot wounds in the ene tie.

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has stopped production of 10 to the cabinet, federation said Oakalla Prison Farm for stabper cent of the world's news B.C. should call on the federal bing an Ontario man here Nogovernment to John in the de- vember 4. claration. The federation said plans apprentice carpenter, was 'should be implemented immo- charged with causing bodily

O'Rourke, 82. Dublin-horn win-

game today, winning in a owner Lo Yung San, 62, the Mrs. Epp is in hospital expect- their type of government," he ministered by the city, with the Friday 14 year old Hugh Doug-| federal and provincial govern- las Vaughan was found doad