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## ENNL NOT IN RACE FOR LIBERAL LEADERSHIP

### Each Develops Between Soviet and France

### Trade Talks Suspended; S. Delegation Expelled

PARIS (CP)—Constituting what is considered a precedent breaking off of relations, twelve members of the Soviet repatriation mission to France were expelled tonight for "subversive activities in France," a Foreign Ministry spokesman said.

Meanwhile Soviet Russia called off her trade talks with France today and accused the French government of acts "hostile and contrary to the spirit of alliance and mutual assistance" between the two countries.

The Moscow radio broadcast contents of a note which had been handed to the French charge d'affaires in Moscow by the Soviet foreign minister, Andrei Goussiev, in which the Russian decision on trade talks was disclosed.

Russia's note charged the French government with "unilaterally annulling" the two-year-old repatriation agreement for the return of each other's nationals, ordered the Russian repatriation mission home from France and announced expulsion of the French mission from Russia.

The Soviet embassy in Paris announced earlier that the French repatriation mission had been ordered to leave Russian territory at once.



LONDONERS QUEUE FOR POTATOES NOW ON RATION—While London's gentry were waiting to queue before the royal family on Elizabeth's wedding day, the workaday Londoner, mainly the housewife, was queuing up for what was once England's most common commodity—the lowly potato. England's stringent rationing had reached the spud market and this line is looked upon as the first of more to come as Britain tightens its belt for a long hard winter.

### Skeena Member Desires To Carry On As Minister

#### Resolutions Being Considered Today At Vancouver Liberal Convention—Chieftain To Be Elected Tomorrow

VANCOUVER (CP)—Hon. E. T. Kenney, minister of lands and forests, today announced that he would not be a candidate for leadership of the provincial Liberal party. "I do not propose to allow my name to go before the convention," Mr. Kenney said shortly before the opening today of the province-wide convention to select a successor to Premier John Hart as leader of the Liberal party in British Columbia. He was reported to have had the general support of delegates from northern constituencies who now become free agents at the convention with the right to vote into the leadership one of the two top candidates—Attorney-General Gordon S. Wismer or Byron (Boss) Johnson, M.L.A. for New Westminster.

"If I had the choice, bearing in mind the industrial development of the province for the next few years, I would prefer being mines, lands and forests minister rather than leader of the Liberal party," said Mr. Kenney.

Six hundred delegates registered this morning and later in the day will deal with two score resolutions and hear a brief speech from Premier Hart.

The new leader will be elected tomorrow.



COULDN'T FORM CABINET—Wartime Premier Paul Reynaud, failed to form a new middle-of-the-road government.

### BEER PARLOR TAX BYLAW IS APPROVED

City council last night gave final approval to a bylaw authorizing the taxation of beer parlors and introduced several other bylaws, some of them routine land sale documents, at its second-last meeting of the year last night. The bylaws which were introduced last night will be given final approval at the next meeting on December 22.

The beer parlor bylaw allows the city to levy taxes on beer parlors on the basis of the amount of the license paid by the parlor operators to the provincial government. This, in turn, is based on the amount of beer sold.

The maximum license fee which the city can charge is controlled by the provincial government.

A "taxi-fare bylaw" regulating the maximum amount taxis can charge for various trips within the city was given its first reading. The bylaw divides the city into eleven zones and names the maximum fees which can be charged within each zone or between zones.

A "tax sale land reserve account" bylaw required to be passed by recent provincial legislation, was given its first reading. This bylaw requires that moneys derived from the sale of city-owned lots be placed in a reserve fund which can be used only for specific purposes as outlined by the Municipal Act.

According to the Act the money can be used only to bring the sinking fund up to proper level where an actual deficit exists; payment of debentures or for capital expenditures. The use of the money is subject to the approval of the Department of Municipal Affairs.

Actually, the city has had such a land sale reserve account for the last four years but up to the present time, it was strictly municipal regulation. Now it is on a province-wide basis and is administered by the provincial government.

Council also passed three land sale bylaws approving sales of city-owned property made earlier in the year. Funds from these sales, however, do not come under the authority of the above land sale trust account bylaw, since they were approved before the bylaw became effective.

The land sale trust account bylaw will receive its final reading on December 22 and will become effective at the first of the new year.

### SNOW ALL ALONG LINE OF RAILWAY

Snow conditions are general along the line of the Canadian National Railways from the lower Skeena Valley to the Alberta border, according to word received at divisional headquarters here today. The snow is at its greatest depth east of Prince George where snow plows have gone into action.

vehicle was found about 50 feet out in the river and 25 feet below the level of the railway grade and highway.

The car was a 1941 Plymouth. Sheremata was a veteran of the recent war and had been located in Prince Rupert for six or seven months before the fatal ride.

### Skeena River Gives Up Dead

#### Body of Peter Sheremata and Station Wagon Recovered After Six Months

More than six months after the tragedy, seasonally low waters of the lower Skeena River last night yielded up the remains of Peter Conrad Sheremata of Edmonton, 36-year old employee of the War Assets Corporation, and a service wagon with which he plunged from the Prince Rupert Highway into swirling waters of the river on May 31 last year near Salvus station.

Having been sighted by Gordon Little, East Kwinitza sawmill operator, in the river about 100 yards below where it was believed to have left the highway, the vehicle was pulled out last night by means of lines, a boat and auto wrecking equipment from Parker's Garage here.

The vehicle was found to contain the body with one leg and one arm outside a rear window. Whether or not the unfortunate man may have been attempting to get out of the vehicle after it landed in the river or whether the remains floated to the position in which they were found appears uncertain.

Coroner Will Robinson and provincial police officers of Terrace came down late yesterday and took the body back to Terrace where an inquest is expected to be held.

The car was found standing right side up on the rocky river bottom. It was facing upriver. The motor hood was gone, probably having become detached in the impact of the plunge into the river. A spare tire which had been in the back of the car was up against the windshield. The

## Premier Hints at Early Election

### GOV'T OFFERS LOTS FOR SALE

Crown Land Available, War Assets Announced

MONTREAL — Crown owned land situated approximately in the central area of the city of Prince Rupert, British Columbia, is in possession of War Assets Corporation for disposal and the Lands and Buildings Department of the Corporation at Montreal is now inviting offers for the property. The land consists of four lots in Block 34, Section 1, of Prince Rupert and offers will be considered for one or all of the lots.

This land was not used for important war purposes, being occupied only by the temporary military post office but was acquired some years ago long prior to the war. It had been intended to erect a building but the original plans were left in abeyance and the land has been vacant while in possession of the Crown.

### May Come Sooner Than Expected, House Is Told

OTTAWA (CP) — Hint of a possible general election sooner than the Opposition expected was dangled by Prime Minister Mackenzie King in the House of Commons yesterday after John Bracken, Progressive Conservative leader, called for a vote of non-confidence in the government. Mr. King gave the cautiously-worded hint after Mr. Bracken had concluded an address in the Throne Speech debate by urging that the Governor-General be advised that his "advisers" do not possess the confidence of the Canadian people." Mr. King said that there was no better test of the people's confidence than an election and recalled that the government had won the last five by-elections.

"What about the sixth?" Mr. Bracken asked.

"The sixth may be a general election and may come sooner than my honorable friend expects," retorted the Prime Minister.

Mr. King's election hint revived speculation today that a general election might be called some time in 1948 with Mr. King retiring as leader of the party.

Normally Canada would not have to hold an election until the fall of 1950.

### TODAY'S STOCKS

Vancouver	
Bralorne	10.50
B.R. Con.	0.49
B.R.X.	0.09
Cariboo Quartz	2.75
Dentonia	16
Grull Wilksne	0.51 1/2
Hedley Mascot	.95
Minto	0.2 1/2
Pend Oreille	2.01
Pioneer	3.60
Premier Border	0.34
Privateer	0.33
Reeves McDonald	1.05
Reno	.14
Salmon Gold	20 1/2
Sheep Creek	1.10
Taylor Bridge	.50
Vananda	.21
Congress	.03
Hedley Amalgamated	.03
Spud Valley	.17
Central Zeballos	0.1 1/4
Silbak Premier	.60
Oils—	
A.P. Con.	.12
Calmont	.35
C. & E.	2.60
Foothills	2.60
Home	4.55
Toronto	
Athona	.10
Aumaque	.23
Beattie	.83
Bevcourt	.53
Bobjo	.15
Buffalo Canadian	16 3/4
Conwest	1.22
Donalds	.90
Eldona	.93
Elder	.68
Giant Yellowknife	6.20
God's Lake	.86
Hardrock	.33
Harricana	0.8 1/2
Heva	.25
Hosco	43 1/4
Jacknife	0.7 1/2
Joliet Quebec	.44
Lake Rowan	.15
Lapaska	.18
Little Long Lac	1.57
Lynx	.09
Madsen Red Lake	3.10
McKenzie Red Lake	.60
McLeod Cockshutt	1.50
Moneta	.35
Negus	2.05
Noranda	45.50
Louvicoart	1.50
Pickle Crow	2.45
Regcourt	.08
San Antonio	4.20
Senator Rouyn	.60
Sheriff Gordon	2.97
Steep Rock	2.10
Sturgeon River	.20

### WITHDRAWAL OF ALASKA VESSEL

Taking of Camosun Off Run Seen as Blow to Move for Relaxation of Jones Act

VANCOUVER.—Union Steamship Ltd. officials, pointing out that Canadian National and Canadian Pacific Steamships were continuing in the Alaska trade, made statements discounting comment by some shipping men that their withdrawal from the Alaska service was a blow to the proposed relaxation of American shipping laws which they hoped would be amended to permit Canadian vessels to carry United States freight to Alaska.

The steamer Camosun will be withdrawn by Union Steamships from the run to Prince Rupert and Ketchikan for the winter season tomorrow on her arrival here from a regular voyage north. Light shipping business during the winter is said to be the reason for the withdrawal although it was a surprise that the vessel was being taken off the run before Christmas as there had been heavy passenger bookings from Alaska points during the next couple of weeks.

### YOUNG SENATOR HEART VICTIM

ST. CATHERINES, Ont. — Hon. John Joseph Bench, K.C., aged 42, one of Canada's youngest senators, died today of a heart attack. Senator for Lincoln, he had been ill about a week.

### RENT CONTROLS BEING EXTENDED

OTTAWA — Rent controls on domestic dwellings are expected to be extended by Parliament, either at the current sitting or when it resumes next month, to end March, 1949, informed sources said today.

CHELMSFORD, Essex, Eng. — Walter Deacon, who claimed to have invented the "Stop-Go" traffic lights died aged 73.

### BULLETINS

#### FRENCH STRIKE OFF

PARIS—The French Confederation General du Travail (CGT) tonight ended the general strike, which at one time had two million men off their jobs, ordering its members to resume work. The government yesterday, after offering a \$13 a month cost of living premium, had ordered the strikers back to work by tomorrow.

#### CANON TURNER DIES

WINNIPEG—Canon John Turner, 42-year-old Anglican missionary, who was rescued from his lonely mission outpost at Moffett Inlet within the Arctic Circle after he had been accidentally shot, died in hospital today.

#### FIGHT FOR TEL AVIV

JERUSALEM—Arabs attempted to storm Tel Aviv last night but were driven back with casualties. Communal strike broke out anew this morning and first reports said three Jews had been slain.

#### SNOW IN VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER — Vancouver people woke up today to see snow on the ground and on the roof tops. However, it was expected to clear today with possibly more snow tomorrow.

#### EXCISE TAX LIFTED

OTTAWA—Finance Minister Douglas Abbott announces the lifting of the 25 percent excise tax on gas stoves, electric ranges and heaters, electric and gas refrigerators and organs for churches.

#### THE WEATHER

Forecast  
Prince Rupert, Queen Charlottes and North Coast—Variable cloudiness and widely scattered showers, clearing early this afternoon. Increasing cloudiness tonight, becoming overcast Wednesday forenoon. Intermittent rain beginning Wednesday afternoon. Winds northwest (15 m.p.h.) today, decreasing to light tonight and increasing to southerly (20) Wednesday afternoon. Little change in temperature. Lows tonight and highs Wednesday—At Port Hardy 35 and 44, Massett 32 and 44, Prince Rupert 35 and 44.

#### Voters!

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AT SESSION'S OPENING—Minus the pre-war scarlet tunics and bearskins of the Governor General's Footguards but with the usual pageantry and traditional formality of custom His Excellency Viscount Alexander, last Friday afternoon, presided at the opening of the fourth session of the Twentieth Parliament in Ottawa. The Governor General is shown above with Lady Alexander, taking the salute from a composite guard of honor, on his arrival at the Parliament Buildings. (Canadian Army Photo)

#### LOCAL TIDES

	Wednesday, December 10, 1947	
High	11:45	21.6 feet
Low	5:39	7.8 feet
	18:25	3.3 feet

NAMED FOR LIBERATOR  
Bolivia takes its name from Simon Bolivar, its liberator, and hero of South America's fight for independence.

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## Municipal Election

PRINCE RUPERT civic electors have a clear-cut field for expression of their preferences at the election to be held this Thursday. On the one hand they have the Labor slate for mayor and four aldermanic seats, on the other the independents. There is a good offering of able candidates any of whom are capable of satisfactory service. They are to be thanked for their public spiritedness in coming forward and offering themselves.

As for the mayoralty, both candidates have been tested. Mrs. Arnold, during the past year, has made a good impression. She has been as capable and hard-working a chief magistrate as many of her male predecessors. During her term of office she has made many new friends to add to those she had before. Mr. Daggett, who served three years prior to this year, has his record of conscientious service to submit and the voters can compare his and that of Mrs. Arnold. He has the official Labor blessing and, apart from that, may have some outside support.

Half of the aldermanic candidates have had previous experience on the council. The others are well known and provide a good block of talent. It may be that some new blood might be considered desirable.

As we have so often before reminded the electorate, the city is a large and important business organization. The electors would do well not to be blindly partisan in their preferences but to consider seriously who are best fitted to be entrusted with the responsibility of carrying on the management of their business.

Above all, there should not be indifference but all those who have the vote should show their interest by getting out and voting. It is not only their democratic privilege but is also a duty. Certainly those who do not even take the trouble to vote have no right to criticize loudly as they sometimes do.

## FARE INCREASES

COASTAL steamship lines, which increased their freight tariffs a few months ago, have found it necessary now to advance their passenger fares and thus contribute further to the inflationary spiral. People living on this part of the coast, from the point of financial outlay, found it difficult enough to make the odd trip to Vancouver even under the old fares. Now it is that much harder and the increase will, no doubt, have the tendency of further curtailing travel. Anything that may be gained from the increase in fares may quite possibly be lost in a shrinkage of volume with little decrease in the general overhead.

When operating costs in every line of business are increasing and prices are advancing all along the line, it is difficult to criticize the steamship companies for their action. However, these increased prices are not the answer to the economic maladjustment which is becoming greater. There is no doubt that those who are forced to increase charges for goods and services do so reluctantly and even with a feeling of futility. The levelling off must come soon so that stability may be brought about.

## TWILIGHT FOR LOUIS?

THIS MAY BE twilight time for Joe Louis as world's heavyweight boxing champion. He was close to defeat in New York last Friday.

A huge crowd of fans watched the unfolding of surprise after surprise. They were astounded. An obscure boxer, it seemed painfully plain that the brown bomber was on the way out. Louis was no longer the calm, masterful man who for years had the fight world at his feet. Within a few rounds he betrayed signs that all was not well and, not long after, he was battling for his professional life.

The reason? Some say the increase of years, soft and all that. These could contribute.

There is now an active controversy as to whether Louis actually won. Whether or not the bomber will attempt a comeback is open to question. He has certainly been robbed of prestige. And when a celebrity suffers that, the general outlook is far from cheerful. The world loves a winner. What happened on Friday will stand as one of the outstanding stories of ring history—a rare event in the cauliflower industry.



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## PRINCE RUPERT YEARS AGO

December 9, 1922  
The Prince Rupert Liberal Conservative Association was formed with Hon. Arthur Meighan as honorary president and Hon. W. J. Bowser as honorary vice-president. Active officers were R. W. Cameron, president; W. W. Wright, secretary-treasurer; W. E. Fisher, first vice-president; Miss E. M. Earl, second vice-president. Executive members were D. C. Stuart, William Reid, A. W. Edge, Mrs. J. Howe, Mrs. M. M. Stephens and W. R. Love.

The destroyer H.M.C.S. Patricia reported by wireless that she would arrive in port at 3:50 p.m. Mayor Rochester, Fred Stork, M.P. and Major J. H. McMullen were to meet her on arrival. The vessel was scheduled for a two-day visit.

Three names were struck off the civic voters' list by the Court of Revision. The list stood at 2,113 as revised. The Court of Revision consisted of Mayor Rochester, Aldermen Dybhavn, Collart and City Clerk E. A. Woods.

December 9, 1912  
The Canadian Bank of Commerce was installed in its permanent quarters on Second Avenue. The establishment was moved from its former Third Avenue site.

The court of revision held its first sitting in preparation for the next municipal election.

The News carried a story saying that the government would be asked to purchase the official bonds of the G.T.P.

The B.C. Gazette, which arrived in the city, carried notice of incorporation of a company being organized to build a \$10,000 hotel at Granby Bay.



Betty Joyce White, 16-year-old Winnipeg high school girl, who sent Princess Elizabeth a pair of nylons when they were scarce, and who received an invitation to a royal wedding reception party in London but missed it because the plane was four hours late. Her trip was sponsored by the Winnipeg Free Press.

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## THIS AND THAT



"Gosh, honey, cigars are getting expensive!"

## What City Council Did

Approved the following land sales as reported by the finance committee:

- Lots 26, 27 and 28, block 9, section 1 (Second Avenue at Ninth Street) to Clifford L. McDonald for \$1,900.
- Lot 7, block 19, section 1 to W. A. Armstrong (Second Avenue at Second Street) for \$850.
- Lot 47, block 34, Section 1 to W. A. Armstrong (Third Avenue near First Street) for \$1,750.
- Lot 13, block 4, section 8 (Ninth Avenue East) to Helen M. Marchildon for \$75.
- Lot 26, block 33, section 8 (Eleventh Avenue East) to George B. Casey for \$95.

Decided to replace the sidewalk on the south side of Third Avenue between McBride and First Streets with wood planking at an approximate cost of \$800.

Confirmed the action of the licensing committee in granting the following trade licences:

- E. H. Lattery, F. Sokoraky and E. LaSota, roofing contractors;
- T. M. Christie, retail licence;
- Fred Moller and A. Anderson, manufacture toys and novelties;
- Michael Moslenski, building contractor.

Referred to the incoming council a request by the Prince Rupert Public Relations Council for information on the city zoning bylaw and a town planning commission.

## Terrace Sawmill Changes Hands

Ernest Sande recently took over control of the Giggey mill at Terrace. C. L. M. Giggey the owner and operator for a good many years is retiring.

COCOA'S BIRTHPLACE  
The cacao tree was first known in Latin America.

## AGED INTERIOR PIONEER DIES

John Meagher, who will be remembered by old timers in Central B.C. died recently in Haney. He had reached the great age of 96 years. He passed away in Alleo Infirmary.

## NOVEL FLOWER CLOCK

The famed Swedish botanist Linnaeus built a flower clock that told the time by the opening and closing of the flowers.



"You know," said the Old Timer this morning, "it is a little funny to read some of the expressions of labor leaders and politicians in the Old Country just now."

"Everybody is scolding the workers for what they call 'the universal reluctance to do a hard day's work.' Yet I wonder if some of that universal reluctance doesn't stem from the things the same labor leaders and politicians have been telling them in the past?"

"In the past they were told that they were the victims of the pliancy and exploitation by monopoly capitalism. All they had to do to attain ease and luxury was to put the socialists in power, so that everything could be planned and there would be no more exploitation. And now when they tell them they have to work harder and longer hours and do without more than ever, it doesn't sound much like the pie in the sky they were promised so often."

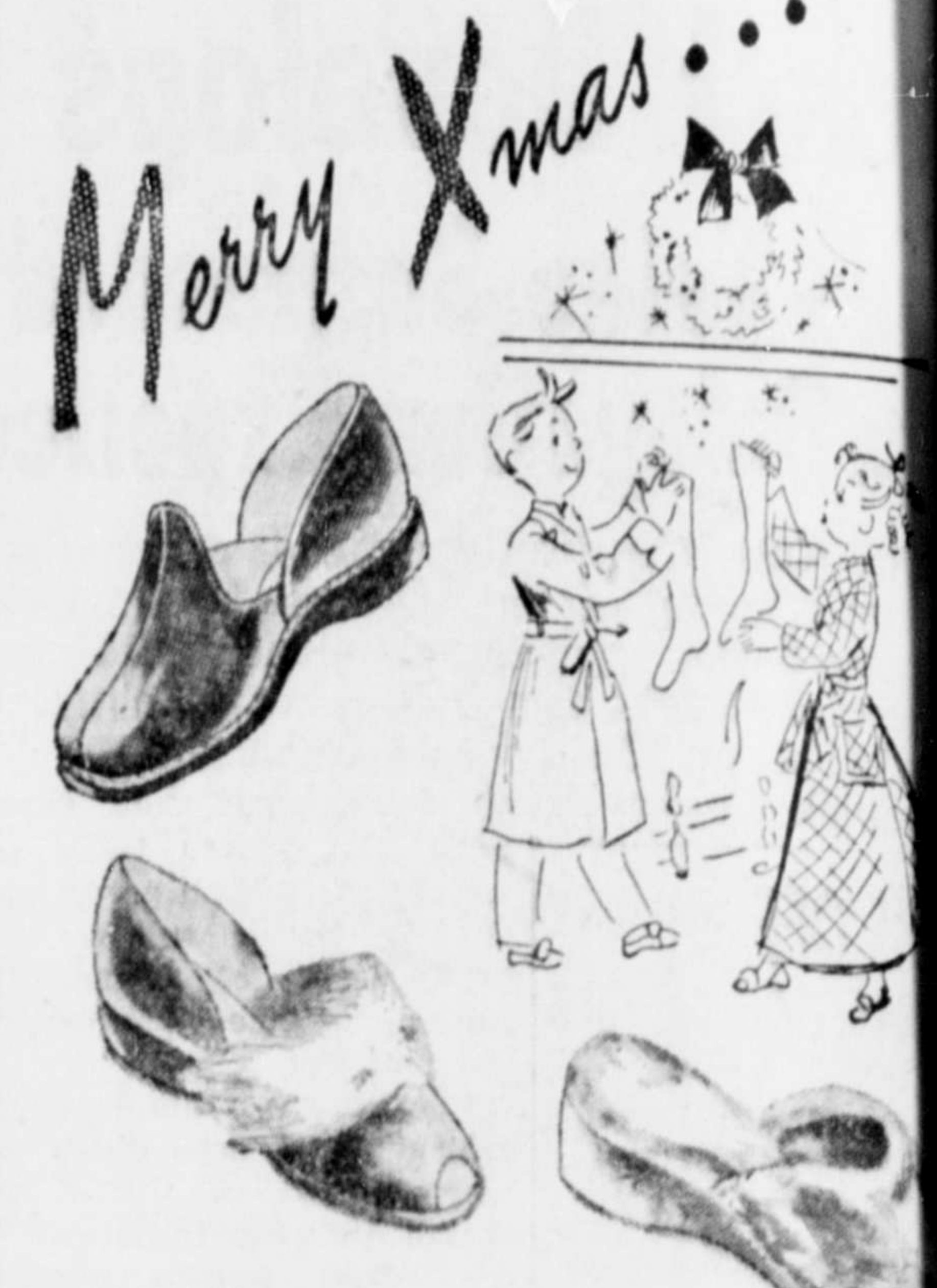
"Maybe our present system isn't perfect. I'm not saying it is, and I think the government, and industry, and labor unions, should be working together all the time to improve it and make it work better and produce more and give everybody a better share of what is produced. But I think it is a better system than anything the planners can dream up, and if you keep your eyes open to what is going on around the world you are not likely to come to any other conclusion."

(The views of the Old Timer are presented weekly in this newspaper under the sponsorship of the British Columbia Federation of Trade and Industry) F-21

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**SANTA'S BIRTHPLACE**  
Saint Nicholas, whose festival survives in the Sant Claus Christmas rejoicings, is the saint of Russia and was the patron of Patara in Lycia.

**WAR HEROINE** — National heroine at the age of 11, Marguerite Vansteenberghe, now 15 years old, stands at attention in Nice, France, after being decorated with the Croix de Guerre, her country's highest honor. A member of the resistance movement during the war, Marguerite won the award for saving the lives of two chiefs of the underground army from the dreaded Gestapo.

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## "Work and Wait," John Bull Is Uged as Year Draws to Close

BRITAIN LOOKS TO MARSHALL PLAN FOR FINANCIAL LIFT IN CRITICAL MONTHS AHEAD

By JOHN DAUPHINEE, Canadian Press Staff Writer  
LONDON (CP)—Shortage of dollars has replaced shortage of coal as Britain's most urgent problem. That is the most significant change in the country's economic position as 1947 ends. Last February the coal shortage, coupled with the worst winter weather in half a century, temporarily wiped out half England's production. This winter the outlook is more favorable, with stocks in good shape and mine output higher.

But now the dollar shortage has brought austerity which, in some respects is worse than during the worst days of the war. Rations have been cut, goods diverted from home to export markets, new taxation imposed on individuals and business, private motoring and foreign travel for pleasure banned, and capital expenditure—such as home and factory construction—severely limited.

Slow recovery of British export trade, rising costs of essential imports, and a rush by some foreign countries to change sterling for dollars during the short-lived summer period of free convertibility caused a frightening drain on the Canadian and American loans.

**Limited Resources of Dollar Problem**  
Today Britain's dollar resources are limited, in effect, to about \$350,000,000 of the Canadian loan, the treasury reserves and whatever can be earned by direct and indirect exports to the dollar area.

It is not enough. The British government, while seeking sources of supply in the Commonwealth and Empire and soft-currency countries, relies on the Marshall Plan for a financial lift during the next critical months.

Sir Stafford Cripps, minister for economic affairs and chancellor of the exchequer, has warned there must be sharp new cuts of dollar imports unless there is some "new dollar availability" within the quite near future.

And that, he said, would be the beginning of a process which unless rapidly arrested, would lead to gradual economic strangulation.

The February fuel crisis set back export trade by at least six months. The government's aim to boost exports to 140 per cent of pre-war by the year-end. The target date had to be set back to mid-1948. Sales abroad during October, latest available, were £108,200,000 (\$432,800,000) or 120 per cent of 1938. Import cuts announced in September had not taken full effect in October when purchases abroad totalled £161,400,000—leaving a visible trade gap of £53,200,000.

**Serious Shortages of Men and Materials**  
While the coal is improved and the 1948 target of 200,000,000 tons appears in sight, electricity output is far below requirements because of shortage of generating plants.

And there are other serious shortages, too:—  
Shortage of manpower, which has compelled the government to reintroduce limited direction of labor in an effort to find more staff for undermanned, vital industries such as mining and textiles.

Shortage of materials for industry, requiring strict priority allocation of steel and fuel.

Shortage of transport, caused by insufficient merchant shipping tonnage, too few aircraft which can be operated at a profit, and lack of railway rolling stock following six years of war and two years of peace during which maintenance and replacement were below par.

Despite these problems, government spokesmen are moderately optimistic when they speak of Britain's long-term economic prospects. They warn the immediate future is dark.

"Our people must endure some austerity and still raise the level of production," said Herbert Morrison, lord president of the council.

"We must work and wait."



WHERE ROYAL WEDDING TOOK PLACE—Westminster Abbey, where Princess Elizabeth and Lieut. Philip Mountbatten took their marriage vows, is one of the best examples of early English architecture, and contains some of the best Gothic work extant. This new picture of the abbey shows the west front.



A royal bedspread for Princess Elizabeth provided "open sesame" to St. James' Palace, Eng., for Mrs. Robert Bracey, Galt, Ont. Mrs. Bracey took eight years to make the spread. The trip was made possible by the generosity of neighbors.

**Modern Etiquette**  
By ROBERTA LEE  
Q. Is it proper for a man to offer his hand when being introduced to a woman?  
A. It is the woman's privilege to offer her hand, the man should not presume to offer his. The woman is not obliged to extend this courtesy and when she does, it is because of sincere pleasure at the introduction.

Q. When declining an invitation, is it well to give several plausible reasons?  
A. No. One good reason is often more convincing than several.

Q. Is it all right to use artificial flowers on the dinner table?  
A. It is done, when the flowers are really nice and decorative. Of course, natural flowers are preferable.

**Briefs from Britain**  
LONDON (CP)—West Ham district residents temporarily vacated their homes while a 500-pound bomb, dropped in 1940, was located and detonated.

FAWLEY, Hampshire, Eng. (CP)—Approval for a £20,000,000 (\$80,000,000) scheme for the extension of Agwi Petroleum Corporation's refinery here will make it one of the largest in Europe.

MORECAMBE, Eng. (CP)—Oldest surviving member of The King's Own Royal Regiment is 94-year old William Harvey.

**SHIPS AND WATERFRONT**  
It was a busy evening last night at the C.P.R. dock with two of the company's coastal liners in port—the Princess Norah from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. and the Princess Louise from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. The Princess Norah, with Capt. Graham Hughes in command, was southbound from Skagway and other Alaska points to Vancouver. The Princess Louise, Capt. Fred McGraw, came from Vancouver and waypoints and returned south over the same route.

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6:30—Inside Story  
6:45—According to Record  
7:00—Recorded Interlude  
7:00—CBC News  
7:15—CBC News Roundup  
7:30—Leicester Square to Broadway  
8:00—Alberta Ranch House  
8:30—Record Album  
9:00—Tuesday Evening Recital Wpg.  
9:15—Points of View  
9:30—Design for Listening NBC  
10:00—CBC News  
10:10—B.C. News  
10:15—Neighbourly News  
10:30—Pacific Pianoforte  
11:00—Weather and Sign Off

WEDNESDAY—A.M.  
7:30—Musical Clock  
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8:15—Morning Song  
8:30—Music for Moderns  
8:45—Little Concert  
9:00—CBC News  
9:15—Morning Devotions  
9:30—Morning Concert  
9:50—Time Signal  
10:00—Morning visit  
10:15—Morning Melodies  
10:30—Roundup Time  
10:45—Scandinavian Melodies  
11:00—Gospel Songs  
11:15—Reminiscences  
11:30—Weather Forecast  
11:31—Message Period  
11:33—Recorded Interlude  
11:45—Ethel and Albert P.M.  
12:00—Mid-day Melodies  
12:15—CBC News  
12:25—Program Resume  
12:30—B.C. Farm Broadcast  
12:55—Recorded Int.  
1:00—The Concert Hour  
1:30—Recital, Quebec  
1:45—Commentary—"And His Mother"  
2:00—B.C. School Broadcast  
2:30—Men and Music

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**STREETS WILL BE DECORATED**  
Junior Chamber Receives Permission From City Council  
Prince Rupert's downtown streets will be brightened during the Christmas season by greenery which will be placed on Third Avenue lamp standards by the Junior Chamber of Commerce. Permission to place evergreens on the lamp standards was granted by city council last night but in a roundabout way. The Junior Chamber made the request to the city which offered no opposition. Then Alderman Black, who is also manager of the Northern B.C. Power Co. arose.

"I would like to point out that the lamp standards are owned by the Northern B.C. Power Co." he said. "But we have no objection providing they do not obstruct traffic. However, the Junior Chamber must remove them after the season is over."

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- Municipal ownership of all public utilities.
- Extension of water and sewer systems as funds permit, based on a definite, co-ordinated plan.
- Press for a revision of and extension of Municipal Franchise to all Canadian citizens.
- Improved harbor facilities for fishermen.
- Continuance of Park and Cemetery improvements.
- Costs of Education, Relief, and Social Services to be borne by the Senior Governments.
- Continued building up of Reserves for future extensions to the Telephone and Water Systems.
- Co-operate with any organization or interested parties in an endeavour to have the Government construct or aid in the construction of an Airport.

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## Easier This Year To Pick Christmas Gifts For Men

Brighter colors, sportier and more casual apparel constitute the trend in men's clothing today.

Christmas buying for any man is greatly simplified this year by the wide, attractive range of up-to-the-minute clothing and accessories being featured by Prince Rupert stores.

The old cry "Men are so hard to buy presents for" will be discarded by any woman who takes a little time to look around the men's shops.

Why, the merchandise—while still short in many lines—is more attractive than ever. And most men's wardrobes are short of so many things.

If you are shopping around for a present for a man—regardless of age—you will not make a mistake by selecting something he can wear. Today wearing apparel is something that most

men want and need. Clothes sense reveals a man's disposition. Even his selection of a tie in the morning will indicate his feeling. Where a man's wardrobe will permit, he will don a suit to match his mood. Judging from the brighter colors, much in evidence today, in the gay Christmas-decorated stores of this city, the general mental condition of our men is happier. It's a good sign. Nature meant the male bird to be bright and gay—not drab as the human

male has sought to be for too long a period now.

In suits, the trend is to loose-fitting drape effect with straight back. Trousers, too, are draped with pleats to give comfort and conceal extra poundage around the middle. Of course the bottoms of trousers are narrower—to catch less dust and mud.

### SPORTY APPAREL WELCOMED GENERALLY

Men have always suited sports apparel and the sporty trend of jacket and odd slacks meets with general approval.

"This combination is economical, too," points out one clothier. "It gives the wearer variety, as he can wear different slacks with the same coat, and the one jacket will stand up even after three or more slacks have been worn out."

What about color schemes? Lighter colors are in demand—grays and light brown. Tweeds are becoming more popular every day. Double-breasted suit coats are still on the way up in popularity, the percentage of call for them now being about 40 percent. In double-breasted models the three-button has enjoyed a run but the long roll two-button—one button to button style—is coming up very fast. Single-breasted models are most popular in the three-button style.

British suiting is in big demand, but the supply at the moment is negligible and the prospects are not bright for many months. Canadian tweed is rising in popularity because of the shortage of Old Country gabardine, gabardine twill, and covert cloth.

BETTER BUY SHIRTS WHILE AVAILABLE  
Shirts, too, are on the scarce list. Better not hold off buying them for your own wear or as presents for family members or friends.

Plainer shades are coming to the fore again—and stripes that are not too bold also are easing back into favor. Collars are softer. Windsor collars are in demand—but few are in stock at the moment.

As you have noticed, sport shirts are the thing today. On holidays and in the evenings they are worn with pleasure, open and with tie. They are easing their way into business offices, too. Their sale at the moment equals that of the dress shirts.

Now for neckwear. The move is definitely to bold patterns. Knitted and crocheted ties in plain colors are strong sellers. Belts, too, have made a remarkable comeback. This return to favor, together with the clips and bar pins, is accounted for by the fact that sports jackets and slacks, minus vests, give the wearers greater opportunity to accent these accessories.

WATCH FOR RETURN OF BOW TIE POPULARITY  
Oh yes. The old sport of pre-depression days, the bow tie, is back on display. In the United States bow ties are being given a gay whirl, but Prince Rupert men are still a bit hesitant to go all-out for the smaller tie. Latest style in the bow tie is the clip-on model, fitted with a collar clip that eliminates the old elastic band.

What about socks? Big Argyle diamonds are still mighty pleasing to the male, but plain shades matching plain shade ties are enjoying a big run. Silver, gold and leather tie

bars, many surmounted with birds, dogs, fish, steers' heads, boots, spurs and other figures should prove popular Christmas gifts this year. Key chains in large numbers will be hanging from the gift tree this Yuletide. Penknives for these chains also are attractive.

For those who like to give Old Country woollen goods, city haberdasheries are offering smart socks and sweaters.

Yes, women will find it much easier to shop for men's presents this Christmas. As one proprietor declared, "The men are enjoying brighter colors now. They even pick out for themselves ties like those they used to receive at Christmas from their mothers, sisters, girl friends and daughters. Only now they wear them instead of hiding them under a pile of papers in the top drawer of their dresser."

The general conclusion is, of course, that men are getting smart—as far as clothes are concerned.

### Commander Agnew Goes to England

OTTAWA—Commodore R. I. Agnew P.B.E. has been appointed senior naval liaison officer. He is succeeded in Washington, where he served as a member of the Canadian Joint Staff, by Capt. V. S. Godfrey O.B.E. holding the rank of acting Commodore. Commands of both officers, during the war included H.M.C.S. Prince Henry and carrier H. M. S. "Atheling" and H.M.C.S. Prince David.

### CITY RESIGNED TO PASSENGER FARE INCREASES

Prince Rupert citizens today took a generally unhappy view of the boost in steamship passenger fares that added 15 per cent to the cost of travel on coast steamships. Their displeasure was tinged with a degree of resignation at their inability to do anything about the upward sweep.

The increase raises single passage fares between Prince Rupert and Vancouver to \$34.50 and round trip fares to \$62.10. Fares to other ports are correspondingly increased.

To one young businessman whose parents live in Vancouver the boost means a Christmas away from home. He is going to remain in Prince Rupert for the holiday season.

"It's partly a matter of budget and partly a matter of principle," he declared. "I have to strain my purse to make the trip under any conditions, and this increase seems to be timed to take advantage of Christmas travel. I am staying here."

Others recognized it as a "trend of the times" but deplored that Prince Rupert, as the "end of the line" should be hit the heaviest.

"Costs have risen in just about everything else," one said. "There is no reason why we should expect that they should not increase for travel also. Being so far from Vancouver, it naturally hits us the most."



"We finally got him to stop biting his nails."

Just how Christmas travel generally will be affected by the boost remains to be seen. Steamship line agents seemed to think that it would not be reduced much.

"We are having a slow time now but I think that the pre-Christmas run will be about normal despite the increase," one said. "People like to get home for Christmas and I don't think that \$7 or \$8 difference in boat fares will stop them."

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### SAVED BY PLANE FROM BOAT FIRE

JUNEAU—Through quick cooperation with a sea plane the lives of two men and two women and a small boy were saved in Chatham Straits not long ago. A seiner they were on caught fire. Sighted from the air they were picked up within an hour. The owner of the boat was Jimmy Marks of Hoonah. The boat was called North Pass.

### DUTCH FARMERS COMING HERE

OTTAWA—Arriving in March the first of ten thousand Dutch agriculturists will reach Canada. The Netherlands government has chartered two vessels, the Tabinta and Kotabaroe, and these will make thirteen voyages. The families will first accept employment, to eventually take up land themselves.

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MEDIAEVAL ADS  
Medieval entertainers, having no newspapers in which to advertise themselves, used a "word" or herald accompanied by parade.

### TO THE ELECTORS:

As a candidate for the mayoralty of the City of Prince Rupert, I respectfully ask for your endorsement at the polls on Thursday, December 11.

My record as mayor during the years 1944, 1945 and 1946 is well known to you.

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# Local News Items...

**Magazine Foursome**  
 current number of the National Magazine following caption under picture:  
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**FOR SALE**—Girls' bicycle. Red 926. Call after 6 p.m. (289)  
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● **BASKETBALL** tonight, Senior League—9:30 p.m., Co-op vs Savoy. (1t)

● **Conrad School Card Party**, Dec. 12.

● **Vote Edith A. Black**, (Mrs. J.S.) for Alderman. (288)  
 Mrs. N. Headrick sailed this afternoon on the Coquitlam on a trip to Vancouver.

Arnold Flaten, following an operation a week ago in the Prince Rupert General Hospital, has made such satisfactory recovery that it is expected he will be able to leave for home today or tomorrow.

● **Arrow Bus Route No. 4**. Owing to winter conditions, until further notice inbound buses will not turn west on 8th Avenue but will continue on McBride to 2nd Avenue and the Depot. (289)

Mr. and Mrs. Francis K. Richardson and son, Kenneth, of Tlell, after spending a few days here for medical advice, left by air Monday on their return to their home on the Queen Charlotte Islands.

Miss Joyce Leslie, former public health nurse attached to the local health unit and now making her home at Hazelton, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon by car from the interior and expects to be here until after Christmas. She is the guest of Miss Olive Johnson, Angus Apartments.

● **CANADIAN LEGION XMAS TREE SAT., DEC. 20**. Children of War Veterans (12 yrs and under) eligible to attend. Names, ages and addresses should be forwarded promptly in writing either to Secretary, Women's Auxiliary Canadian Legion, P.O. Box 473, or Secretary-Manager, Legion, P.O. Box 628. List closes Dec. 10. (288)

Edward Bolton, vice-president of the Native Brotherhood of B. C. for the lower Skeena region, sailed this afternoon on the Coquitlam for Vancouver to attend a conference of Brotherhood directors.

In place of the regular weekly luncheon this week, the Prince Rupert Rotary Club will have a ladies' night on Thursday after which the club's Christmas Ball, feature of which will be the drawing for an automobile, will take place.

Dr. James M. Hershey, assistant provincial health officer with headquarters in Victoria, arrived in the city by car yesterday afternoon in the course of a trip through the district on official duties and will be here for a few days on business at the local health unit.

Mrs. B. R. Rice and daughter, Miss Joyce Rice, have returned to their home at Cape North, Cape Breton, after spending several months here visiting with Mrs. Rice's son, Lloyd Rice. Mrs. Rice is the widow of Ben Rice, one of Prince Rupert's pioneers and for many years employed by the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co.

Eyolf Stockland, son of Einar Stockland of this city and wireless operator of the British freighter Langlescrag, which recently stranded in the Straits of Bell Isle and broke up a total loss, is now in St. John's, Newfoundland, according to word received by his father and expects soon to be on his way to Prince Rupert where it is his intention to make his future home.

**Hotel... arrivals**  
 Prince Rupert  
 K. Meek, Calgary; D. G. Stenstrom, Vancouver; C. Vlassoff, Montreal; G. A. Thompson, New Westminster; Robert Gordon, Vancouver; E. J. Jonah, Montreal; Dr. J. M. Hershey, Victoria; P. Underhill, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. Olsen, Juneau; Mrs. E. Lonergan, city; Mr. and Mrs. T. Brue, city.



## SAMUEL BEATON PASSES AWAY

Samuel Joseph Beaton, a resident of Prince Rupert for 30 years and a former railway employee, died last night enroute to Prince Rupert General Hospital from the Pioneer Home, where he had been living for the last week.

Born in Prince Edward Island in 1868, he came to Prince Rupert in 1917 and was employed for a number of years by the bridge and building department of Canadian National Railways.

During his later years he lived in a cabin near the grain elevator. He entered the Pioneer Home six days ago.

He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Theresa Bradley of Charlottetown.

**AHEAD OF TIME**  
 Nicholas Appert, a French chef, in 1810 found that food would keep if it were properly heated and placed in hermetically sealed containers.

**HOLY THURSDAY**  
 Maundy-Thursdays, the Thursday of Holy Week, was a day for pilgrims to wash their feet and is derived from "mandatum" first word of the service chanted at the ceremony.

**ETON, Eng. ©—Richard Holton**, known as "Cherries" to the ton, known as "Cherries" to thousands of Eton College boys, because for more than 40 years he sold fruit from a barrow, died aged 70.

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