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INTERNATIONAL WEDDING—Pte. Raymond Lapointe of Ottawa, member of the Canadian Special Force advance party, married Swedish nurse, Lt. Gulli Gunnarson of Gothenburg, on Christmas Eve. A few days later the bridegroom returned to Fort Lewis, Wash., with the rest of the advance party. Mrs. Lapointe will stay with the Swedish Red Cross unit in Korea until Feb. 4. She will then return to her home until arrangements can be made for her to come to Canada. This Army photo shows the happy couple just before Lapointe's departure. (CP PHOTO)

## Warmer Weather In England Promises Epidemic Relief

LONDON (CP)—A lull since the week-end gave hope today that warmer weather has helped stem one of the worst 'flu epidemics in the history of the British Isles. There were also no new cases reported in an outbreak of smallpox in the Brighton area where 28 have fallen ill and eight have died.

## New Building Being Banned

WASHINGTON, D.C. — The government clamped down tight today on construction of new commercial buildings in the United States, prohibiting the starting of virtually all such new projects until February 15.

After the freeze period, each private new commercial building project must be submitted to national production authority for approval.

The ban is necessary to save materials for mobilization, the N.P.A. said.

Work already under way is not affected. Certain wholesale supply facilities, small jobs and repairs are exempted too.

## WEATHER

(Synopsis)  
Active storms continue to batter the coast. For the second consecutive morning strong winds are developing over coast waters. Southeast gales are quite general as a disturbance near Vancouver Island. With the storm moving inland about noon, the winds are expected to shift to strong westerlies in all regions.

Snow is falling at most coastal points although in the extreme south it has turned to rain. This snow will spread into the interior during the day as the storm moves inland. Showers will fall over the coast during the afternoon behind the system but snow flurries are forecast overnight as colder air from the north returns to the coast.

The trend of very unsettled weather seems destined to continue as already another storm is forming in mid-Pacific. This next storm should be nearing the British Columbia coast by Wednesday evening and will be accompanied by more strong winds.

## Gale Warning

North coast region—Gale warning in effect.

Wet snow or rain, becoming cloudy with showers of wet snow or rain late this afternoon. Cloudy with snow flurries tonight and tomorrow. Cold. Winds — easterly, 35 m.p.h., shifting to westerly, 35, by noon and decreasing to light overnight.

Winds becoming southeasterly, 25 m.p.h. tomorrow afternoon. Lows tonight and highs tomorrow—At Fort Hardy, 28 and 38; Sandspit, 25 and 34; Prince Rupert, 28 and 35.

# \$75,000 Storm Damage In Victoria

TRAGEDY OF TUNDRA—

## Four Persons Frozen To Death After Crash Of Plane In North

CORDOVA, Alaska (CP)—Four persons were found frozen to death yesterday in the cabin of a Cordova Air Service transport which crash-landed on Copper River flats 32 miles northeast of here. A rescue party, which was flown to the scene, found the bodies.

The dead are identified as Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Dyson of Albany, Oregon; Fena Ekemo and Ernie Cruz, both of Cordova.

Bus Richardson, the pilot, did everything possible for the comfort of the passengers after making a forced landing when he became lost during a snowstorm Sunday.

Units of the division had advanced 100 yards closer to the vital communications hub from the south against a determined Communist Korean counter-attack.

Wonju was taken by the Reds last Monday after a bitter rearguard action by UN forces.

The situation in the mountain corridor south of Wonju is reported confused.

The pulling out of the Wonju wedge came after the Allied forces had held off massed North Korean attacks for sixteen days. Artillery barrages and punishing air strikes covered the withdrawal to a new defence line.

IN AND OUT  
An Allied combat team, led by tanks, drove into the Communist held town of Suwon, seventeen air miles south of Seoul today, and then withdrew after dark to defensive positions. This had been the largest objective crack-attack by the Eighth Army's reconnaissance in force in the western sector of the Korean front.

The Allied force routed about 100 Red troops in Suwon. The bulk of the Communist garrison had fled Monday under fierce Allied bombing and strafing attacks. Hundreds of Reds were machine-gunned on a road running north of Seoul.

The Allied western drive began Monday south of Seoul.

## Mayor Gives Back Salary

Fred Hume Sells Westminster Team and Will Support Vancouver's Canucks

VANCOUVER. — Mayor Fred Hume announced today that he was not accepting his salary of \$7500 as mayor but would give it back to the city to be used where it was most needed. The mayor said he was, serving as mayor because he wanted to and not because he needed the money. His electrical firm of Hume & Rumble would pay his salary. Mr. Hume also announced he was selling his half-interest in the New Westminster Royals hockey team and in future would support the Vancouver Canucks.

Rape has always been one of the most serious crimes to the tribal African, as well as to the white man. The reason, so far as the natives are concerned, is economic, as well as social and moral. Some native women still are sold as brides, and the laws of many tribes call for the supreme penalty in cases of violation of women.

Courts therefore regard seriously offences by whites against natives when such cases come to trial. A 42-year-old white man convicted of outraging an African girl recently was sentenced to 3½ years in prison, to be followed by deportation to his own country, the United States.

## ATOM BOMBERS SENT TO BRITAIN

Deteriorating World Situation Is Reason

LONDON (CP)—The first group of the world's biggest bombers—10-engined B-36's—ever to fly to Europe landed at Lakenheath Airport today after a secret flight from bases in Texas.

The planes are capable of carrying the atom bomb more than 10,000 miles. The six air giants arrived from Carswell Air Force base at Fort Worth, Texas.

While the planes are scheduled to return to Texas in a few days, there have been persistent rumors that the B-36's will be stationed in England because of the deteriorating world situation.

## Basketball TONIGHT

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# BIGGEST SNOW OF WINTER ARRIVES IN VANCOUVER

## BULLETINS

### NEW WESTERN NOTE

LONDON—Western Powers are sending a new note this week to Moscow on the subject of a possible Four Power conference. It will agree with Russia that Germany is the principal problem but will still propose a wide range of other subjects.

### FRENCH RADIO STATIONS

OTTAWA—The Board of Governors of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation today approved licences for French-speaking radio broadcasting stations in Saskatoon and Gravelbourg.

### SIOUX DUE FEBRUARY 4

ESQUIMALT—H.M.C.S. Sioux is due back in Esquimalt February 4 from Korean waters, being now on her way home after being relieved by the Nootka. The Cayuga and Athabaskan will be returning in the spring.

### IFC Changes Would Provide For Split Season

New powers of the International Halibut Fisheries Commission are proposed in a new draft for the International Halibut Fisheries Treaty discussed by both the Deep Sea Fishermen's Union and the Fishing Vessel Owners' Association meetings on Sunday. The draft came from the Department of Fisheries at Ottawa.

Both local organizations approved the draft.

The new draft would increase representation on the commission from two for each country to three.

It would allow for more than one open season in each year (split season).

Former powers of the commission would be retained.

Capt. Barney Roald was chosen to represent the owners at the international fisheries meeting in Seattle next week. George Anderson will represent the union.

## Tanker Blows Up Killing One

VENICE, Italy — A fisherman was killed and six dockers were injured today when the Italian tanker Louisa, partially loaded with gasoline, blew up with an explosion that shook Venice.

Fifty-eight workers were flung into Giudecca Canala as the explosion split the bow of the 8,271-ton tanker.

ed to 3½ years in prison, to be followed by deportation to his own country, the United States.

## Heaviest Snow Comes to City

Prince Rupert awoke this morning to discover the heaviest snowfall of the winter to date. It started early in the evening and continued throughout the night, being drifted at times by a brisk wind.

Snow was deep enough to provide first-rate sleighing. There were sounds of shovelling from far and near. Walking meant wallowing along sidewalks that had not yet been cleared. Winter had come, beyond a doubt.

About three inches of snow was on the ground.

## Many Members In Seafarers' Union

MONTREAL — Canadian District of the Seafarers' International Union has a membership of 6,180 Canadian seamen, it was announced yesterday. Hal Banks, Canadian district representative, made a report to this effect at the union's first national conference here.

More than forty delegates, representing locals from Halifax to Vancouver, are attending.

Tonight's train, due from the East at 10:15, is reported this afternoon to be on time.

## Desperado Surrenders

TIA JUANA, Mexico — William E. Cook Jr., 23-year-old Missouri desperado, suspected of killing eight persons, surrendered without resistance to Mexican police yesterday.

Virtually at the same time five bodies, identified as members of the Carl Mosser family, whom Cook is charged with murdering, were recovered from an abandoned mine shaft near Joplin, Missouri, the bad man's home town.

Cook's first statement to reporters after his arrest was: "I didn't shoot any one that I know of."

Located with Cook were two missing El Centro, California, prospectors, Forrest Damron, aged 32, and James Burke, 33. They were believed to have been abducted by Cook.

The gruesome finds in the Joplin mine shaft capped the climax of a two weeks' manhunt for Cook himself.

Discovery of the Mossers' blood-soaked family car on the outskirts of Tulsa, Oklahoma, January 3, set off an international chase.

## Three Months, Shop Lifting

Harry Innis was sentenced yesterday afternoon in magistrate's court to three months' imprisonment on a charge of theft. The charge arose from an incident December 23 when E. D. Manson caught Innis with a diamond ring and a set of earrings for which he had not paid in his pocket.

## Unique Elevator On Prairie Farm

MOOSE JAW, Sask. — No railroad tracks lead to George Cooper's grain elevator. The nearest railway is five miles away.

There is no identification sign on the elevator; and no store, either, though the elevator is within a stone's throw of several farm houses, a church and a school in the Davey community, 12 miles northwest of here.

No grain company has a sign on the elevator because farmer Cooper owns it. It was built by his father, I. W. Cooper, who died in 1939. The idea was to save a lot of hand-shovelling in and out of storage bins.

The building is about half the size of a grain company country elevator. It holds about 14,000 bushels.

Mr. Cooper says his father ran a commercial elevator before he turned farmer, and he thinks sentiment had something to do with construction of the private elevator on the farm.

But he says he considers it the best building on the property.

## Ted Applewhaite At Burns Lake

BURNS LAKE—The international situation was the subject of an address by E. T. Applewhaite, M.P. for Skeena, before a meeting of the Burns Lake and District Board of Trade last Wednesday night. Mr. Applewhaite also dealt with the Canadian Indian situation which is a matter of considerable interest in view of the native population hereabouts.

Also discussed with Mr. Applewhaite were the matters of local public building, radio booster station and improved telephone service—both local and long distance.

Mr. Applewhaite also visited Decker Lake and Francois Lake.

## Hanoi Battle Is Looming Up

HANOI—A major battle for this important Indo-China city appears imminent as Vietnam communist forces poised for attack. Some 35 to 40 battalions have started to come out for battle.

While outnumbered the French forces have superiority in mechanized equipment and air power.

Today, it was announced, French troops halted a new attack by 30,000 Communist-led Vietnamese Nationalist troops aimed at Hanoi which is the capital of North Indo-China.

A French Army communique said that the Moscow-trained Vietnam leader, Ho Chi Minh, had thrown ten thousand new troops into the all-out assault to seize Hanoi.

Two French mobile task forces have contained the Vietnam drive extending on a twelve-mile front about thirty miles northwest of Hanoi.

## TODAY'S STOCKS

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Anglo Canadian	5.70	Moneta	.42
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Atlantic	2.55	Noranda	76.75
Calmont	.91	Louvicourt	.24
C & E	10.00	Pickle Crow	1.90
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## The Ottawa Session

PARLIAMENT at Ottawa is to meet again on January 30. It will be a gathering anxious to hear what guidance the government may be able to give to the nation on international affairs as well as on the important matters of domestic policy that touch the country's overseas relations.

Defence is right in front of the members' minds. They will expect to hear as soon as possible of the development of the defence program. And they will be concerned to know what changes the government conceives will be necessary and how soon they will be necessary in the balance of the economy as a whole. The government may reveal what scale the defence program can be expected to reach in a specific period and how much the process of getting to the maximum point can be speeded up.

Until the revised demands of the military, not only for Canada's needs but also for the equipment she is to provide for her partners in the North Atlantic Treaty organization, have been studied in the light of the economy to carry them, it will be speculative to try to put a monetary value on them. The approach indeed is not so much from the angle of how much money is to be spent but rather from the angle of what resources in materials and manpower out of the total available to the nation are needed to be devoted to defence.

There have been some minatory rumblings. The Opposition will no doubt fulfil its duty of challenging and testing the efficiency with which the government is setting about the business. Members of the Opposition, stressing the need for compulsory service for one thing, have already fired some warning shots. They contend that the country has very little to see on realistic defence measures.

In all political likelihood it will be for Mr. St. Laurent's government to continue with the new division of national resources between military and civil purposes, and with doing what it can to see that the needs of both are fed.

The Members of Parliament and the people will hope that such leaders as Mr. St. Laurent, Mr. Claxton, Mr. Pearson and Mr. Abbott will come early to speak in the Commons on the new situation and the dangers which may be ahead and what is being done to meet them.

Meanwhile, Members of Parliament should be busying themselves so as to be ready to spur and encourage the government, without too much deference to party considerations, in the vigor with which it pursues its tasks.

## Wi' Stane and Besom

TONIGHT there will be a meeting of those interested in curling in Prince Rupert. The idea is to start raising funds for a curling rink behind the Civic Centre. On alternate nights the present idea is to have skating and hockey.

Although the whole idea is pretty much of a dream to date, there are a number of men in the city sufficiently interested in curling to bring the dream to reality. The idea of having skating every other night is an interesting one in a city where artificial ice is needed in order to give children an opportunity to indulge in one of winter's most fascinating sports.

The roarin' game is a popular one throughout Canada. Wherever one goes where there is ice he will see men and women of many lands, many of whom speak very broken English, dolled up in tams to put the best of Scotsmen on their mettle. The cry of "Sweep, sweep!" comes bounding down the ice and men whose wives would find it very hard to get a broom in their hands at home are seen sweeping like fury to bring the stone on another inch or two.

Aye, and it's a g-r-r-and game from the lead man to the skip. It is a game of skill that is hard to beat. And it is surprising the number of young men one sees wi' stane and besom.

## Scripture Passage for Today

"We know that he abideth in us, by the Spirit which he hath given us."—1 John 3:24.

LANGIBBY CASTLE, Wales to be pulled down. No one wants it. The castle built here in the home with 50 rooms and the days of the Normans, once used owner can no longer afford its as a stronghold by Cromwell, is upkeep.



As I See It

## By ELMORE PHILPOTT BEER SEES NO WAR

Elmore Philpott is now enroute to Britain, Egypt and India, to write on-the-spot articles for this newspaper. The following was written just before his departure from Canada.

ONE OF THE thrills of going on a big newspaper trip is that you get a big outpouring of friendly wishes from friends you did not know you had.

There is the dear lady (bless her heart) who sends her father's sure preventive for sea-sickness, which is to chew those gummy little candies.

There is the university professor, stationed in Egypt during the war, who gives an eye witness account of what's what in the night clubs of Cairo.

There is the Swedish lady who wonders how I can talk of going to Denmark, but not Sweden. There is the Norwegian friend who is sure I will get to Oslo, Norway, too.

ABOUT THE MOST unusual message from a reader, whom I did not know I had till it came, was from Madame Lys, the famous clairvoyant. In private life the lady is Mrs. Hallett—wife of a likeable Devon-born chap.

Would my wife and I drop in for a friendly chat? There was something important that Madame Lys would like to tell me.

That put me on the spot—for unlike my wife and just about every other female I know—I do NOT like to have my fortune told.

The trouble is that mine always comes true, and I find that it influences my judgment to have been told in advance what is going to happen.

But I was curious to ask Madame Lys about some of the remarkable predictions she made—and about which I had newspaper clippings.

WE DRANK A COUPLE of cups of coffee with the interesting couple. Madame Lys wanted to tell me how to cure my rheumatism. The main idea was that I was to climb Mount Bandra, which is just outside Bombay, India; and atop of which is a famous Catholic shrine. The lady was insistent that I CLIMB the mountain, not ride up it in a car.

Well, who knows, I may climb it at that, that is, if I get to Bombay after visiting the Sikh temple and the Vedanta centre in Calcutta as well as some Protestant missions. But I didn't make any promises—figured I had better wait to see how high that mountain is.

THE RECORDS plainly show that Madame Lys, when in China and Burma, predicted well in advance the abdication of Edward VIII, the outbreak of the Hitler war, the fall of Hong Kong. Coming closer home, she also predicted exactly what is happening in Korea.

I queried her on her emphatic prediction that there will be no world war, at least till 1958. But she says there will be a sharp world crisis in 1953 when Russia's hand will be forced and a near war will result. However, this will be averted by sudden shake-up within Russia itself.

I REMINDED Madame Lys that she had predicted the death of Stalin to take place before 1950. Stalin is dead, she insists. They are using a "stand in" to impersonate him.

Madame Lys foresees the rise of a strong female influence, "a second Catherine The Great," she says. She thinks Molotov's daughter, or some female close to Molotov, is the "tough" element in Kremlin policies.

APART ALTOGETHER from any psychic gifts, she and her husband know China like a book. The irony of the Korean tragedy, she says, is that the Chinese armies now chasing the Americans south were in fact trained and outfitted by U.S.A., when they were Chiang's crack troops, before they switched over.

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## VICTORIA REPORT

by J. K. Nesbitt

### Why Esquimalt Vacancy—Government Afraid of Split

VICTORIA.—One can't help but wonder why the people allow so important a matter as a by-election to be left to the political whims of a government. Wouldn't it be a good idea if the Provincial Elections Act said a by-election must be held, say, three months to the day after a member resigned or died?

The way it is now, there's a lot of make-believe about a by-election.

Take Esquimalt. As this column pointed out last week, Charles T. Beard, a kindly and modest man, died in November, and so his legislative seat became vacant.

There were tributes to this man who'll be missed when the House opens next month. There were flowers from the government. There were stories in the papers. Cabinet ministers were pallbearers.

But, officially, no one in authority in the Legislative Buildings knows that Charles Beard is dead or that the Esquimalt seat is vacant.

How's that for fooling yourself?

The Legislature will meet February 20. The Esquimalt seat will be empty. There will be tributes to Charles Beard from the Premier and the Leader of the Opposition. The members will stand with bowed heads, in memory of this good citizen.

But still no one will know, officially that Charles Beard is dead, or that his seat is vacant. And, as long as no one knows officially, there'll be no by-election.

So, there'll be a full session, with Esquimalt unrepresented. It doesn't seem quite good enough—a government ignoring a House vacancy for political reasons.

Esquimalt, you see, is a thorn in the easily-bruised, not-too-quickly-healed flesh of the Coalition. 'Tis whispered Liberals and Conservatives out there are so sore at each other that they're thinking of fighting each other at the polls—which means, of course, the OCF is very likely to get in. All this is so embarrassing to the Coalition that Messrs. Johnson and Anson are going to ignore the Esquimalt vacancy as long as they possibly can.

The Elections Act says that the powers that-be in this capital may ignore a House vacancy until two members, in writing, or one member, standing in his place on the floor of the House, inform the Speaker that there is a vacancy. Then the Speaker must get going—informed the deputy provincial secretary to get moving—and the by-election must be in six months.

No private government M.L.A. of course, is going to jump into hot water with the government by getting up and drawing at-

tention to a House vacancy. The Opposition, too, usually plays ball with the government in this regard. Unless oppositions are very sure of themselves (and the OCF isn't), they don't like by-elections, any more than governments.

And so it is that a House vacancy could go unnoticed for years.

This reporter is inclined to wonder if any government should be allowed in this manner to thumb its nose at the people—for political reasons, don't forget.

Surely there has been plenty of time to fill the Esquimalt seat. The delaying action in this case, for political reasons, doesn't increase confidence of the public in government. It adds up to contempt for government and legislators. That's too bad—for our system is a good system, if only those in authority don't take advantage of it—in order to gain political advantage.

## POW's Protest Jap Students

A proposal by the British Council to invite Japanese students to complete their education in the United Kingdom, has aroused indignation protests from the Far East Prisoners of War Association. The plan calls for a contribution of £25 (\$75) a month from the council's funds to every student accepting.

The organization represents thousands of former servicemen, captured by the Japanese in the last war, mainly at Singapore and Hong Kong.

"We have been fighting to obtain some sort of compensation for the intolerable conditions we had to endure in the hands of the Japs," said Ronald Hastain, chairman of the association. "So far the government has been unsympathetic. Now we are told it actually wants to help the Japanese. In the circumstances it seems strange that our claims should go unheeded."

A spokesman for the British Council said the financial outlay involved would be small as only a few students were being invited.

## RAY... Reflects and Reminisces

Economists at Ottawa are saying Canadians will find it necessary to tighten their belts some time this year. A rather raw way of putting it. There would be more diplomacy in warning against the dangers of over-consumption of food and drink, and preaching the priceless advantages of reducing now and then.

Historians have never been able to tell, in full, events in Canada between 1754 and the year of the fall of Quebec. But they will now. Letters and documents have been presented to the public archives. They are from descendants of General Montcalm's second in command, Chevalier de Levis. The battle that cost the lives of Wolfe and Montcalm was, in some respects the most important ever fought on the continent. Suppose it had never been won, unless by the United States some years later. Or imagine George Washington soundly beaten by British troops. Or had Wolfe never scaled the cliffs to the Plains of Abraham, occasions that became history might never have been heard of.

A shipload of sulphur from Los Angeles and logs from the Skeena River are about to be delivered at Watson Island for use in the early commencement of the Columbia Cellulose plant. This is the first of six such vessels to come to Skeena within the month. The round-the-year big payrolls, often dreamed of here are changing from visions to realities.

Alexander Muir, who composed "The Maple Leaf Forever," has been dead this many a year and Toronto's Memorial Park, named for him, is to be moved, in order to provide space for a subway. It is not out of place to inquire today, how often "The Maple Leaf" is heard.

Llangibby Castle in Wales, once a Cromwell Army stronghold,

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hold, is to be torn down. It turn with profitable cash might have been all right once They returned, perhaps to live in, but not today. The school became a hospital in only thing to do with a fifty room house in this age would be to convert it into a lodging house or hotel in Prince Rupert. The seventeenth century however, was also a time of wars and the Lord Protector evidently needed a fastness over in Wales.

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**Hotel Arrivals**

(Prince Rupert)

Walter Solnik, P. Allen, R. W. Liversidge, O. W. Philippon, T. Grave and H. Bond, Vancouver; Fred Le Lacheur, Anchorage.

of the program at last night's meeting.

The Association decided to take out a \$50 patron membership in the Civic Centre.

An invitation to attend the Canadian Credit Conference in Windsor, Ontario, next month was received but it is not expected there will be a delegate. However, Mrs. Lawrie said she hoped she would be able to attend a similar convention in Portland in May.

also declared it would help further if they could learn to cut hair, because indications were clear that the time was coming fast when that little job by the barber was going to be too expensive.

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S. L. Rooney left today on the Camosun for a trip to Vancouver.

Armine Boas, sanitarian of the public health unit, has been on a week-end trip to Terrace on official business.

● Carpenters' Union meeting Wednesday, 8 p.m. Special business. (14c)

● Would you approve of a new winter sport for our city? Curling Club meets at the Civic Centre Tuesday night at 7:30. (13c)

● Hear a round table discussion of Curling over CFPF Tuesday night at 6:45 o'clock. Sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce. (13c)

General business was dealt with at the last regular meeting of the Women of the Moose. Mrs. C. H. Collins was in the chair.

● Have you ever done any Curling? Come to the meeting at the Civic Centre, Tuesday, January 16, at 7:30 p.m. to consider a curling rink for Prince Rupert. (13c)

● We are organizing a western swing band and need a piano, bass, guitar, steel guitar player. If anyone is interested, please phone Blue 574. (14p)

● A general meeting of the United Fishermen & Allied Workers Union, Thursday, January 18, in the Metropole Hall, 7:30 p.m. Business: election of officers—be there. (13c)

Wilson Hunt of Penticton is arriving in the city on the Prince George tomorrow morning from the south to act in his capacity as past district governor at the installation of Don Forward, new president, and other 1951 officers of the Prince Rupert Gyo Club. Mrs. Hunt is accompanying him.

**Biz-Pros Hear Of World Trip**

The last meeting of the Business and Professional Women last week heard an interesting address by Mrs. Dorothy Scott of Columbia Cellulose Company who described a trip around the world.

Mrs. Scott told how she boarded a freighter at San Francisco and headed for Malaya. She visited Singapore and from there she travelled up the Chinese coast and over to Japan. Then down to the Philippines, through the Indian Ocean, the Suez Canal to Cairo, Egypt, and other North African ports, across to Italy and by plane from there to Paris. After that, she went to Denmark and Sweden, England and then home. The whole trip took seven months.

Chairman Miss Audrey Wrathall thanked the speaker for her interesting talk. It was a dinner meeting at the Civic Centre.

**Male Nurse Is One of Girls**

VANCOUVER — James Bullen says he's just "one of the girls."

The 32-year-old native of Victoria, B.C., is the first male nurse to graduate from a British Columbia hospital.

Bullen, a member of the Canadian Army Medical Corps during the second world war, recently received his nursing diploma along with 45 girls.

He is the great-grandson of British Columbia's first doctor—Dr. J. S. Helmcken—and studied nursing "because it would have taken me so long to get started as a doctor."

He sums up his occupation thus: "I'm just one of the girls." To the "girls" he's a "real gentleman."

**King, Churchill Magnetic Figures**

By HARRY ECCLES  
Canadian Press Staff Writer

In any list of top radio speakers the names of Winston Churchill and the late President Franklin Roosevelt have an enduring place. Now it's interesting to find that Mr. Churchill in London is ranged second only to King George for radio drawing powers.

It was the powerful oratory of Roosevelt and Churchill that attracted their vast audience as much as their position, Churchill's growls at the "Nazies" in the dark days of the war and President Roosevelt's clear-cut "My friends" aroused the emotions of millions.

Every country of course has its own favorite radio speakers, considering these apart from the professional broadcasters. Now the London Daily Telegraph has placed King George at the top of the list with Mr. Churchill second.

The London radio editor conferred with the British Broadcasting Corporation and found that the BBC considers drawing power first in measuring the qualities of its speakers. By this standard the King is easily the leader. His annual Christmas Day broadcast has the biggest radio audience in the world.

In the political field the London authority ranks Anthony Eden right after Mr. Churchill as the man who can attract immense audiences, but Mr. Eden is less happy in front of a microphone. Prime Minister Attlee is considered the strongest drawing power in the Labor Party so far as radio is concerned.

The London critic believes that the church in Britain has "no really commanding voice" on the air at present. Generally speaking, few great platform or public speakers have troubled to study and master the radio technique.

Incidentally, Britain will have six broadcast radio links for television outside London by the middle of 1951, compared with two at present. This will bring within range of television some events now too far from London for video.

King Gustaf Adolf of Sweden was presented with a magnificent television set by one of the United States experts who flew to Sweden to arrange televising of the Nobel Festival ceremonies last month. But for the time being the 19-inch screen remains blank, because television has not yet been introduced in Sweden.

The wartime singing mascot of troops in Britain, 17-year-old Petula Clark, has become a star of British television and now she has been invited to appear on TV in the United States. She first came into the limelight when she was six years of age and appeared at a concert for the troops.



INTERESTED ONLOOKER—Alice, mascot aboard H.M.C.S. Cayuga, keeps a close eye on parcels when they arrive for men on the Canadian destroyer in Korean waters. One of them might contain dog biscuits. In this Navy photo, she watches L.S. William Roberts of Alexander, Man., sort a new batch of mail from Canada. (CP PHOTO)

**Mrs. Holland is Ladies' Aid Head**

St. Paul's Lutheran Ladies' Aid has chosen the following officers for 1951: chairman, Mrs. H. Holland; vice-chairman, Mrs. A. Husoy; secretary, Mrs. L. Olson; treasurer, Mrs. B. Pederson. Mrs. L. Olson was named delegate to attend the meeting of the British Columbia Ladies' Aids to be held in Vancouver on January 28.

**AIR PASSENGERS**

From Vancouver (yesterday)—T. Bond, T. Groves, D. Liversidge, R. McDonald, A. Johnson, T. Downey, W. McKenzie, W. Solnik, J. P. Allen, Mr. Burns.

From Sandspit (yesterday)—G. Turner.

LONDON — "If I can't have the turkey I'll take the sausages," said a Dutch traveller at London Airport. He pulled two sausages from the centre of a cooked turkey he was forced to return because of customs regulations.

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**Officers of St. Paul's Elected**

Installation of 1951 officers took place at the morning service of St. Paul's Lutheran Church on Sunday. They had been elected at the annual business meeting of the congregation January 9.

The officers include: secretary, B. Pederson; treasurer, C. Adland; financial secretary, I. Fenness; deacon, K. Kjeliboth.

Those chosen for the church council are: E. Sornes, R. Birtch, H. G. Varfeldt, L. Olson, R. Bentzen, T. Fossen and R. Olsen. The committee on nominations for 1951 consisted of M. Valderhaug, G. Mostad, and Mrs. A. Husoy.

Rev. E. Soland was elected Sunday School superintendent and Mrs. L. Olson was elected assistant superintendent.

**Whist Drive By Sons of Norway**

Fourteen tables were in play at the Sons of Norway whist drive Friday night. Winners were: ladies' first, Mrs. Hans Pettersen; ladies' second, Mrs. Louis Larsen; men's first, Roy Johnson; men's second, Julius Johnson.

A good crowd gathered later for the dance which lasted until 3 a.m. Music was by Mike Colussi and his accordion.

Committee in charge of refreshments served at midnight was Mrs. C. Strand (convener), Mr. and Mrs. J. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. G. Gustafson, Hans Knutson, Frank Schroeder, Roy Johansen.

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WINTER MAGIC—Standing in sharp relief as brilliant sunlight followed a heavy snow fall, trees in Calgary's Memorial Park looked for all the world like carefully painted miniature window decorations when this photo was taken. There wasn't a foot print in the fresh snow that turned the park into a decorative but artificial-looking winter setting. (CP PHOTO)

## Blizzard Fails To Stop London Bargain Hunter

By MURIEL NARRAWAY  
Canadian Press Staff Writer

LONDON ©—London's January sales opened during the worst blizzard since 1947, but bargain-hunters refused to be deterred.

This year's sales crowd had determination and purpose—beat the promised 40-per-cent increase in wool prices and buy a store of household linens and kitchen utensils, in case of shortage.

An Oxford Street store official said that, in 50 years, he had never seen a bigger crowd of bargain-seekers.

Biggest disappointment for most householders was the absence of low-priced blankets. These were snapped up before the special sales following announcement of a 65 per cent price-rise scheduled for January.

Many housewives bought pots and pans at normal prices, scared into panic-buying by metal shortages. There was almost a "war rush" on other articles despite the Board of Trade warning that stockpiling was the only thing likely to cause shortage in kitchenware.

## IN BIG DEMAND

In fashion, the call was for heavy coats, suits and woollen dresses. Every type of woollen garment was in big demand due to the present wool crisis.

This was direct reversal of last year's sales when an abnormally mild winter brought a heavy turnover on summer dresses, beachwear and sandals.

Coats, suits and dresses, during the current sales, were cut to half-price or lower and business was brisk up to the £5 (£15) bracket. Front-window "draws"—model coats, suits and dresses at £1 and £2—were snapped up within half-hour of opening time.

Store managers reported that among the shoppers were many Canadian visitors, searching for good bargains in heavy woollens to take back home.

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## Fifty Years In Australia

By LOUIS L. LECK  
Canadian Press Correspondent

SYDNEY, Australia ©—Australia this month starts big celebrations of 50 years of Federation.

The six states of Australia after years of agitation, banded together in a Commonwealth in 1901. They were jealous of each other—for years each state had had customs houses on its borders collecting duties on goods from other states. But they realized that individually they could not tackle problems which could only be solved by a federation.

So after years of conventions and negotiations and referendums they agreed on a Commonwealth based on that of the United States.

The new Commonwealth was to have certain defined powers—defence, customs, navigation, post office, foreign affairs—and all others were to remain with the states.

Originally the Commonwealth was intended to be a minor factor in Australian life. It was to rely on the customs tariff for its revenue but the first world war changed that.

The Commonwealth levied income tax during the war to finance that war and the servicing of the war debt.

After the first world war the states borrowed abroad in the "boom and bust" era of the middle '20s.

At the end of that period the people at a referendum made the first important change in the constitution. Both internal and external borrowing became the function of a loan council in which the Commonwealth acquired a dominating partnership.

During the depression the Commonwealth assumed a growing importance in internal affairs and then came the second world war.

Acting under its defence powers the Commonwealth became

## 400 Dolls In Collection

MONTREAL ©—There's a huge, rambling house in suburban Westmount in which any small girl would be delighted to get lost.

It holds a collection of 400 dolls from more than a score of countries gathered over many years by Mrs. Norah MacDowell.

They vary in size from four nautically-dressed flea dolls to a large earring beauty of the 1880's made of beeswax which must be shielded from both cold and heat at all times.

The collection was gathered by Mrs. MacDowell in travels through Africa, Mexico and other countries and by her friends who added to it.

The collection often goes on exhibition in children's libraries here.

The 400 dolls include many dressed in various religious costumes of different countries. Some, dressed in national costumes of various European

countries, were made up by displaced persons.

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## Barbara Ann Tells Story

Barbara Ann Scott, recently voted second top woman athlete of the half-century by Canadian sports writers, tells her life story intimately and revealingly in her book "Skate With Me." (Double-day). Answers are given to such questions as "Why did Barbara Ann turn professional?" "How much credit is due Mrs. Scott for her daughter's success?" and "What are Barbara's plans for the future?"

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that make the entire procedure seem like child's play.

With expository manner, Barbara Ann allows glimpses of a personality that has helped in achieving ultimate success from the time she received her first pair of skates at the age of six to when she won the world championship in Stockholm.

Photographs throughout the book pass without comment in the main writing, but nevertheless account for a good percentage of the book's merits.

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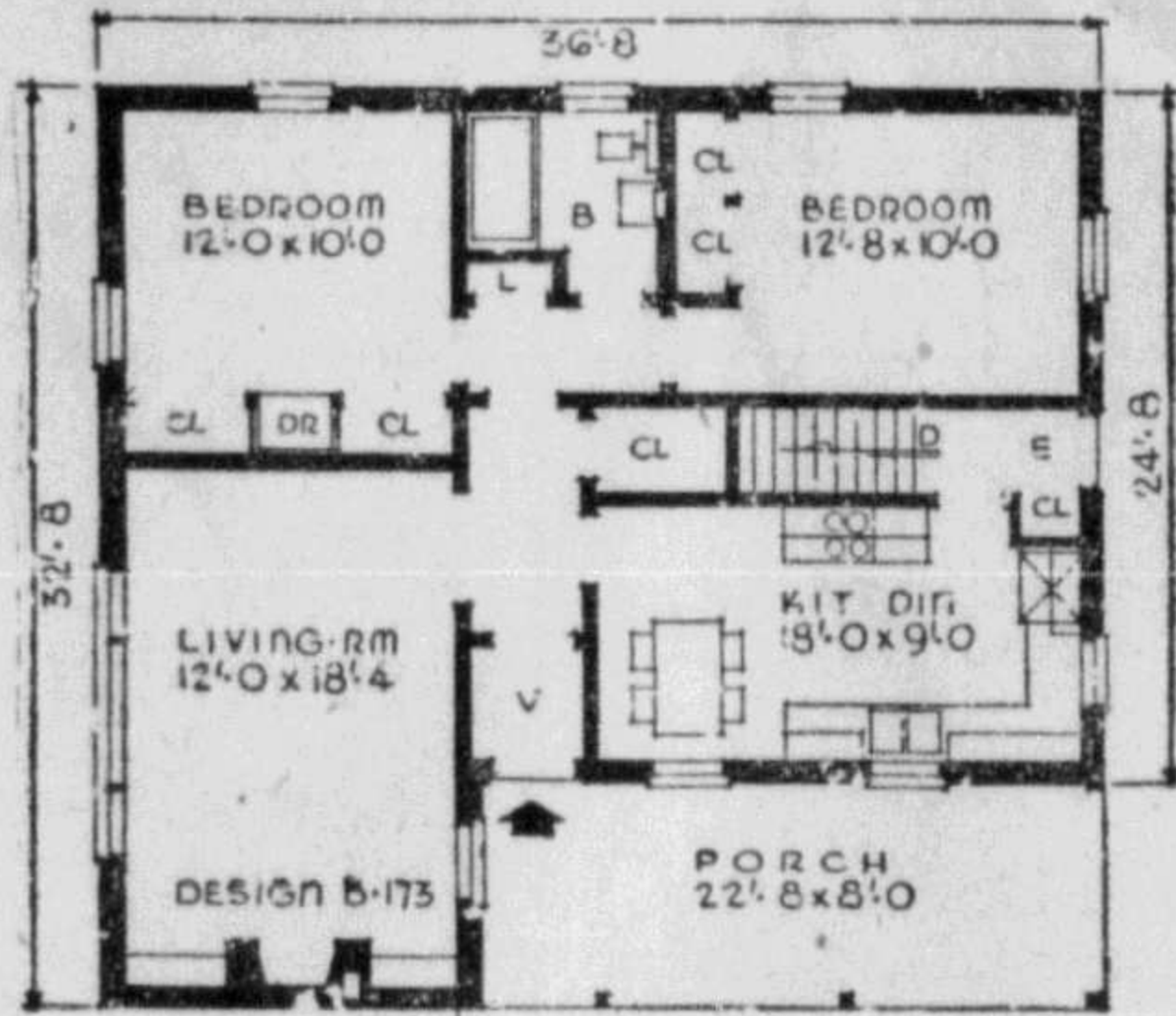
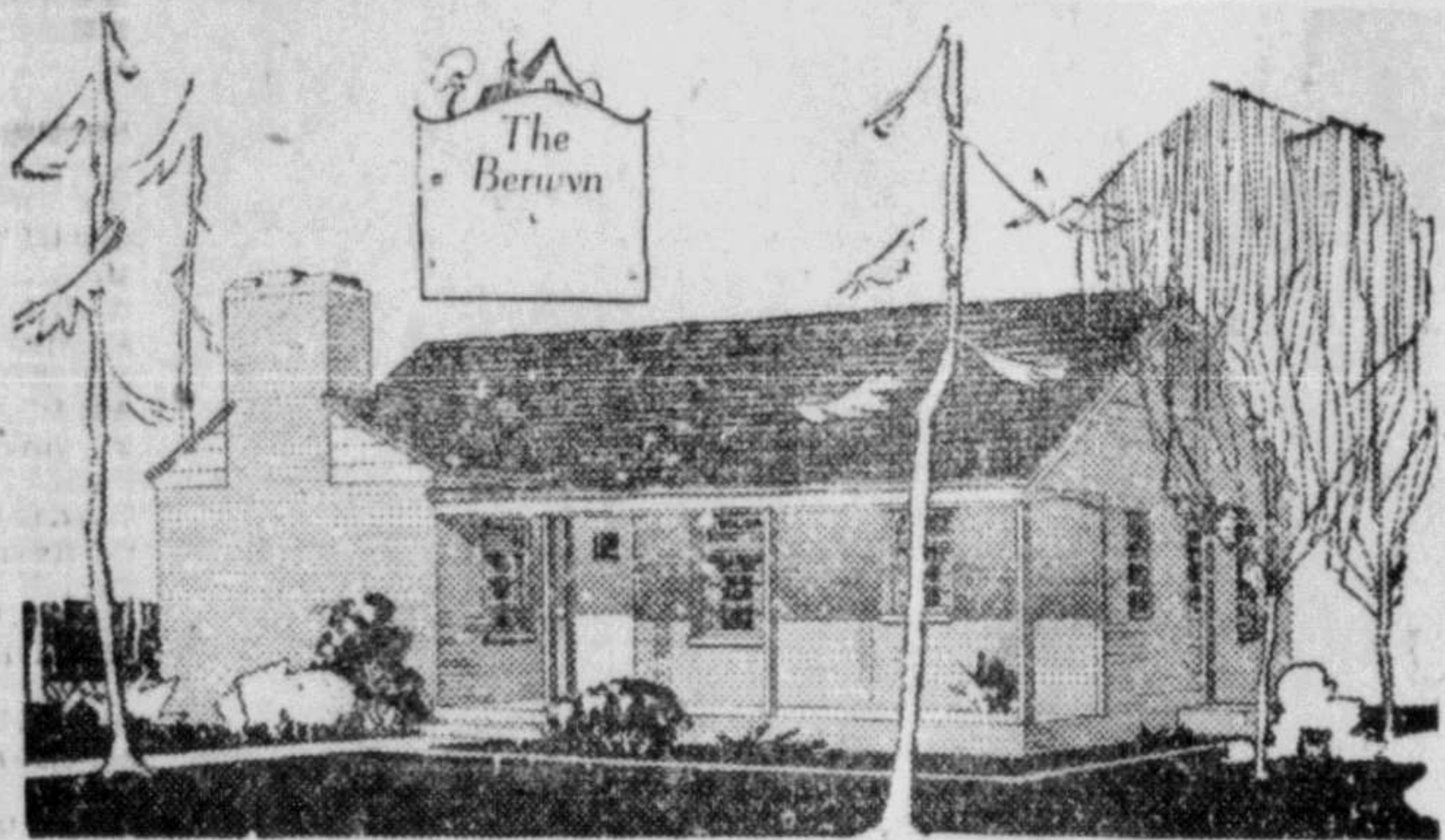
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**THE BERWYN** has brick veneer exterior walls, wide chimney and low lines to give it a sturdy feeling. The front porch adds to its spacious appearance. There are two bedrooms, bath, combination dining-kitchen and living room, all corner rooms. Each can be reached from the entrance hall. One door closes the bedroom area from noise and traffic in front. Closets are placed at both entrances, linen cabinet in the hall and wardrobes in the bedrooms. In addition, one bedroom has a built-in chest of drawers between the wardrobes. The kitchen cabinets occupy two walls, while the sink is in front, work counter under the side window and range and counter on inside wall. The overall dimensions planned for the Berwyn are 36 feet 8 inches by 32 feet 8 inches. The floor area totals 1,009 square feet with the cubage amounting to 20,180 cubic feet.

CFPR RADIO DIAL  
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- TUESDAY - P.M.**  
 4:00 - Sunshine Society  
 4:30 - New Zealand Adventures  
 4:45 - Stock Quotations & Int.  
 4:55 - CBC News  
 5:00 - International Comity.  
 5:10 - Rawhide  
 5:30 - Corn Roast  
 5:40 - Supper Serenade  
 6:15 - Ben Light  
 6:30 - Musical Varieties  
 6:45 - Jr. Chamber of Com.  
 7:00 - CBC News  
 7:15 - CBC News Roundup  
 7:30 - Jake and the Kid  
 8:00 - The Commodores  
 8:15 - The Nation's Business  
 8:30 - Record Album  
 9:00 - Piano Playhouse  
 9:30 - Irish Dramas  
 10:00 - CBC News  
 10:10 - CBC News  
 11:15 - Memoirs of a C.W.A.C.  
 10:30 - Crevasse  
 11:00 - Weather Report  
 11:04 - Sign Off
- WEDNESDAY - A.M.**  
 6:00 - Musical Clock  
 8:00 - CBC News  
 8:10 - Here's Bill Good  
 8:15 - Morning Song  
 8:30 - Morning Devotions  
 9:15 - Little Concert  
 9:00 - BBC News & Comity.  
 9:15 - Music for Moderns  
 9:30 - Morning Concert  
 9:59 - Time Signal  
 10:00 - Morning Visit  
 10:15 - Barry Wood Show  
 10:30 - Melody Time  
 10:45 - Robin Hood's Musical Kitchen  
 11:00 - Kindergarten of the Air  
 11:15 - Roundup Time  
 11:30 - Weather Report  
 11:31 - Message Period  
 1:33 - Recorded Interlude  
 1:45 - Scandinavian Melodies
- P.M.**  
 12:00 - Mid-Day Melodies  
 12:15 - CBC News  
 12:25 - Program Resume  
 12:30 - B.C. Farm Broadcast  
 12:55 - March of Dimes Talk  
 1:00 - The Concert Hour  
 1:30 - Musical Program  
 1:41 - Our Children: Comity.  
 2:00 - B.C. School Bdest.  
 2:30 - Records at Random  
 2:45 - Today's Guest  
 3:00 - The Music Box

GRAND BANK, Nfld. A letter which was almost three years in transit from St. John's to this Newfoundland town arrived finally. Posted on Feb. 20, 1948, the letter was none the worse for its long delay.

"Eve" Best  
1950 Film

HOLLYWOOD — "All About Eve" was tops in the Associated Press poll of the 100 leading Hollywood correspondents on the best movie of 1950.

Judy Holliday, Bette Davis and Gloria Swanson virtually tied for the best actress honors.

"Eve," an incisive backstage drama, received 45 votes. Next were "Sunset Boulevard" with 22, "King Solomon's Mines" with 17, and "The Men" with six.

The sizzling race on the year's best actress showed:

Miss Holliday, as the dumb blonde heroine of "Born Yesterday" — 32 votes.

Miss Davis, Broadway star of "Eve" — 31½.

Miss Swanson, old-time movie star in "Sunset Boulevard" — 30½.

Jose Ferrer, as the big-nosed soldier-poet in "Cyrano de Bergerac," led the starring actor field with 38½ votes. Other contenders included William Holden in "Sunset Boulevard," 19½; James Stewart in "Harvey," 11; Louis Calhern in "The Magnificent Yankee," 8; Marlon Brando in "The Men," 7; and Gregory Peck in "The Gunfighter," 6.

Josephine Hull as Stewart's harried sister in "Harvey" scored the biggest sweep in the poll — 58 votes for the best supporting actress. Miss Hull, 66, originated the role on Broadway.

The supporting actor choice was George Sanders, cynical play critic of "Eve," with 41½ votes.

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Canny Buying of Fruits  
And Vegetables is Thrifty

Just how wise or canny are you when buying canned foods? Suppose you test yourself next time you shop for groceries and find out how you interpret the information on a can of fruit or vegetables.

Home economists remind us that on all cans of fruits and vegetables you'll find the term "Fancy Quality," or "Choice Quality," or "Standard Quality," or occasionally "Sub-Standard Quality." They remind us, too, that when you buy a can of peas for example labelled Fancy Quality, you can depend on getting top quality peas which are very young and tender, uniformly green, relatively free from defects and are packed in a clear liquid. If the can is labelled Choice Quality, the peas are not as perfect as those in a Fancy Quality can but still very good. Logically, peas labelled Standard Quality lack the perfection in quality that you find in the two higher grades. However, Standard Quality peas are just as wholesome and full of food value as peas labelled Fancy or Choice and should cost less.

This system of grading which holds true for all canned fruits and vegetables, grew out of the need for a uniform yardstick to measure the quality of canned food. Packers asked for the standardization, wholesalers wanted it and consumers welcomed it. The result was that within the past forty-three years, the Department of Agriculture, in co-operation with the processors and other interested groups, has developed standards for over seventy different canned fruit and vegetable products.

With hundreds of different names and labels on the canned goods displayed on the grocer's shelves, shopping may not seem a very easy matter. However, by examining labels more closely, you will find descriptive words or phrases, in addition to the grade mark, which should be very helpful to every shopper.

Since the supply of canned corn, peas and beans is good this year, suppose we look at their labels more closely. The label on a tin of corn may carry the words "Cream Style," "Whole Kernel" or "Cut Kernel." "Cream style" means that the corn has been removed from the cob by shallow cutting followed by scraping, which results in corn of a creamy consistency. "Whole" or "Cut Kernel" indicates that the kernels were removed from the cob by cutting in such a way as to leave them practically whole. If the words "Vacuum Packed" are included on the label of a can of whole kernel corn, it means that no water was added to the corn, that the contents were not heated before sealing and that the corn was sealed by use of a vacuum sealing machine. This special processing helps to retain the bright yellow color of the corn.

The label on canned peas or string beans, always carries some information regarding their size — the size increasing with the number from 1 to 6. If all the peas or beans in a tin are not of one size, the label will read "Ungraded as to Size," or "Assorted sizes" or "Mixed Sizes."

There is another bit of information on the label which the wise buyer looks for, namely the size of the can. The two main household sizes of cans used for peas, beans and corn are the fifteen and the twenty fluid ounce. One exception is the

In Puget Sound, three million salmon were landed commercially in 1950 according to latest word from Seattle. The import pack was 196,511 cases, this being largely of Canadian fish.

vacuum packed corn previously mentioned which comes in eight ounce and fourteen ounce cans. Incidentally "Fluid Ounce" refers to the volume of the can, not to the weight of the food in the can. If you remember that eight fluid ounces are equal to one measuring cup and that half a cup of cooked vegetable is considered an average serving, you can choose the size of can which best suits the size of your family.

Home economists suggest that you buy a 14 fluid ounce can of whole kernel corn and try this delicious supper dish which they call "Cheese, Corn and Spaghetti Casserole."

## Cheese, Corn and Spaghetti Casserole

- 4 ounces spaghetti (1/4 16-ounce package)
- 2 tablespoons butter
- 1/4 cup chopped onion
- 1 tablespoon flour
- 1 6-ounce can tomato paste
- 3/4 cup water
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/8 teaspoon pepper
- 1/4 teaspoon spicy meat sauce
- 1 teaspoon sugar
- 1 14-ounce can whole kernel corn
- 1 cup grated Canadian Cheddar cheese (medium or old)

Without breaking spaghetti cook in a large amount of boiling salted water until tender, about 20-30 minutes. Drain and rinse with cold water. Melt butter, add chopped onion and saute until golden brown, about 2 minutes. Blend in flour, tomato paste and water. Add salt, pepper, meat sauce and sugar. Combine spaghetti, corn and cheese with tomato sauce and place in a greased casserole. Bake in a moderate oven, 350° F., about 45 minutes. Serve hot on toast. Yield 5 to 6 servings.

Sailings To  
West Indies

MONTREAL — A schedule of spring, summer and fall sailings by the Canadian National West Indies Steamships from Montreal, Halifax and Boston to Bermuda, the Leeward and Windward Islands and British Guiana was announced here yesterday by V. E. Eke, passenger traffic manager for the company. The new schedule will commence late in April with the sailing of the motor vessel Canadian Constructeur from Montreal.

Throughout the schedule, approximately 10-day passenger and freight service will be maintained from Montreal and Halifax by the Lady Rodney and Lady Nelson and the company's three motor vessels, Canadian Constructeur, Canadian Cruiser and Canadian Challenger.

The Lady Rodney and Lady Nelson also will call at Boston and Halifax on both their south and northbound voyages. Northbound voyages for passengers in the three motor vessels will terminate at Saint John, N.B.

Five-day cruises between Montreal and Boston, via the St. Lawrence River, will begin their third year of operation with the return of the company's "Lady" ships to Montreal next spring. Popular for the last two years, the cruises provide five days of scenic sailing in both directions between Montreal and Boston with a call at Halifax.

The sea-air agreement signed last year by Canadian National Steamships and Trans Canada Air Lines offering alternate routing by ship or plane for travellers to Bermuda and the West Indies will be included as a popular feature in the new schedule, Mr. Eke said. The agreement permits passengers from any point in Canada and the United States served by the two carriers to travel to Bermuda, Barbados and Trinidad by sea or air and return by the alternate service.

Want Ads, Sure Results!

Action Film Of  
Fishing Skipper

An action drama of topical interest here since it pertains to the fishing industry, "The Breaking Point," starring John Garfield and Patricia Neal, comes to the screen of the Capitol Theatre here this Wednesday and Thursday.

John Garfield is a rugged and independent fishing boat skipper in southern waters, just home from the war with a mortgage on his craft, a plain wife and two little girls into this situation comes a beautiful playgirl (Wallace Ford), with a proposition for easy money, and with (Patricia Neal), a shady lawyer them, trouble—which forms the basis of the drama, from a story by famed novelist Ernest Hemingway.

From the point at which the skipper decides to pick up some of that money, the film races along through a series of thrilling episodes until just deserts befall the wrongdoers. Garfield's first excursion in illegal traffic comes with the smuggling of eight Chinese into the country. Forced to kill the leader, he finds himself with a crime on his conscience until he meets lovely Pat Neal.

Again and again he runs the gauntlet of the law until some gunmen kill his friend, the first mate, played by Juano Hernandez. He now plot vengeance and a climatic gun battle ensues at sea, one of the most suspenseful filmed, according to advance word.

Steve Dumas Buys  
Terrace Building

TERRACE — Steve Dumas of Prince Rupert has purchased a two-storey building on Greig Avenue, west of Kalum Street, from L. K. Joe. The building has been occupied by a workshop with Harry LeBlanc living upstairs. The new owner proposes to make improvements to the property. The deal was handled through E. T. Kenney Ltd. of Terrace.

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