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Overprivileged Youth

YOUTH problems arise not only from squalor and poverty but also amid conditions in which life is made easy for youngsters. Enjoyment often appears the main objective. Concern for others is secondary if not forgotten.

Meanwhile, parents who try to set constructive standards for their children, to impose wise safeguards, and require a contribution to family duties are made to appear hardhearted, overly strict, and "old-fashioned" by parents who neglect their responsibilities.

This is not to say that the whole problem of juvenile delinquency is one of "delinquent parents." There are social conditions and family misfortunes that impose heavy handicaps on the most well-meaning.

As I See It

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by Elmore Philpott

Peace Unions Coming

GEN. EISENHOWER says he has been converted to the idea of a single European army.

The American Congressmen, sent to the Council of Europe at Strasbourg as "observers," say they are most deeply disappointed at the slow progress so far made toward a real "United States of Europe."

General Kurt Meyer—the convicted German war criminal whose SS men murdered 18 captured Canadian paratroopers—but whom now spends his weekends at home in Germany—says he will never again serve in a purely German army, but hints strongly he would do so in a "European army."

Ignoring the mystery as to how Meyer knows he is going to be freed to serve in any kind of uniform—all these are straws in the wind.

PEOPLE who want to understand what is rapidly coming to the fore these days should keep clearly in mind that there are three different plans of international union now proposed. These are:

- 1. The United States of Europe plan, in which some of the now separate nations of Europe would form themselves into one federation, roughly comparable with the United States of America.
2. The Atlantic Union plan, in which the U.S.A., British Commonwealth and similar democracies would form one vast federal union.

The World Government plan, which would transform the present UN organization into an actual law making body. Under this plan no nation would retain the veto over police action against aggression. There would be an elected World Parliament to make law, courts to apply it, and a world police force to uphold it.

I THINK some sort of United States of Europe will likely be formed in the next few years. Maybe the big boys in Washington, USA, will have to learn the hard way that the U.S. of Europe idea just won't work.

The difficulties for forming a U.S. of Europe are just as great as those of forming an Atlantic Union. But the benefits from formation of a U.S. of Europe (if any) would be puny as compared with those which would be produced by a federation including the U.S.A., Britain, Canada and all real democracies of western Europe.

In the first place only a small part of western Europe would be free to join a "U.S. of Europe" at this time. Even when formed the organization would be just as dependent on North America as the separate nations of Europe now are.

ALL OF the arguments for the merging of defence forces, trading areas, moneys—and of courts parliaments—of the western European nations apply with even greater force to the combining of the United States, Canada and British Columbia.

The U.S. Congressmen who are telling Europe "you should unite" would be in a much stronger position if they said, "We should unite." They should get Uncle Sam to lead us—not to try to push Europe.

Besides—what is Europe? Is Russia too not part of Europe? Yet the whole drive for a U.S. of Europe is to checkmate Russian expansion.

FOUR hundreds years before the white man came to America the Red Indian Six Nations formed a confederation which for centuries kept the peace, absolutely. Yet formerly those nations had been as hostile as the Big Powers of our own time.

Washington, Jefferson and Co. welded 13 colonies into the mightiest nation the world has yet seen. In Canada Liberals joined with Tories to put through Confederation. Our job in this century is just bigger—not harder.

SPEED LAND CLEARANCE PERTH, Australia (Reuters)—Land clearing in western Australia will be speeded up by a locally-designed seven-ton mechanical rake, towed behind a bulldozer, which cuts a seven-foot swathe through scrub, roots and debris, leaving the land ready for a preliminary sowing.

LETTERBOX

THAT POWER QUESTION

Editor, The News,

It is to be hoped the public will be able to make a reasoned decision on the merits of the forthcoming power referendum by some means, but certainly it won't be from any lead supplied by your editorial of November 28.

The slant of the author of the series, "Who Will Supply Our Power?" is fairly obvious, but what does the Daily News think of the matter? One had been led to believe that a newspaper should take a lead in such public matter and, to a certain extent, provide some guidance in questions of great public interest.

Some weeks ago there appeared an editorial on British Columbia separate schools. There was an example of the kind of editorial we need, it took courage to come out with a definite opinion like that and suggested means of solving the problem.

Reverting to the impending plebiscite, I don't think the citizens are greatly influenced by whether the power will be supplied by private enterprise or by "socialist" B. C. Power Commission. (What a paradox! A "socialist" department of a government which most assuredly is any ever was.)

Were You Missed in 1951 Enumeration?

The Daily News check on the 1951 census, which is being challenged for its short count of 8,465, may prove useful as a basis in any new count which may be made to find city residents who were missed by the enumerators.

People who were missed are being asked to communicate the omission with as little delay as possible so that basis may be established for the contention that there was a serious short count.

DAILY NEWS CENSUS CHECK

A federal census taker did NOT call at my home and I have checked with each member of my family to make sure.

There are ... persons in my family. (signature) (address)

CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT

NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the electors of the Municipality of the City of Prince Rupert that I require the presence of the said electors at the Office of the City Clerk, City Hall, Fulton Street, on the sixth day of December 1951, at ten o'clock a.m., for the purpose of electing persons to represent them as Mayor, Aldermen, School Trustees and Park Commissioners.

The mode of nomination of candidates shall be as follows:

The candidates shall be nominated in writing; the writing shall be subscribed by two electors of the municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and twelve o'clock noon of the day of nomination; the said writing may be in the form numbered 3 in the Schedule of the "Municipal Elections Act," and shall state the names, residence, and occupation or description of each proposed, in such manner as sufficiently to identify such candidate; and in the event of a poll being necessary, such poll shall be opened on the thirteenth day of December 1951, at the Civic Centre, corner of McBride Street and Second Avenue, of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Given under my hand at Prince Rupert this 29th day of November, 1951.

R. W. LONG, Returning Officer.

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Reflects and Reminisces

While it is possible Prince Rupert will experience a beerless Christmas, it does not follow in the slightest that the season will be cheerless.

When King George was permitted to rise, it did not mean HM was through with prescriptions and solemn surgeons. He will inhale ocean air and tread the deck of a battleship. Early in the summer he will go on a cruise. The breezy Atlantic, before this, has been found good medicine, as well as tonic.

FEW SPARED

Prince Rupert, when far smaller than now, had a quickly solved rat plague. There chanced to be an abundance of poison in town and this was lavishly made use of. It worked so well that the disposal of remains was quite a job in itself. Dogs died, as well.

Every British Columbian, if he succeeds in reaching old age, could tell plenty of good stories—tales that are true, unique, informative and each with the rugged background of a land that breeds adventure and hazard. But the trouble is so many are unaware of this. The material is there all right, yet this angle of the situation—perhaps in a lifetime—will not occur to the person possessing it. These



New neckwear for Dobbin

To take a load off horses' shoulders—and their owners' minds—a harnessmaker in Ontario has developed horse-collars with lightweight aluminum frames.

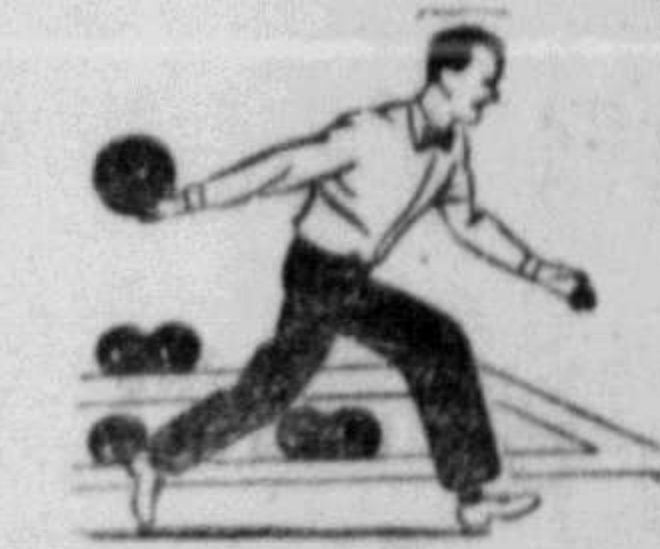
This company is just one of over 1000 in Canada who, by manufacturing aluminum articles, make life easier for everyone who has to carry or clean. Since this is going on all over the world, it means more and more people wanting aluminum. We in Canada are fortunate in having the waterpower to generate electricity to make aluminum for ourselves and the rest of the free world.

old men and women, though becoming fewer, are still everywhere in B.C. Writes Bruce Hutchison in his "The Fraser": GONE FOR AYE! Among them the most notable, until his untimely death, was Louis Le Bourdais, the telegraph operator who became the pains-taking and unpaid historian of Cariboo. He gathered at first hand all the lore of the gold rush but, being elected to the legislature, was too busy to...

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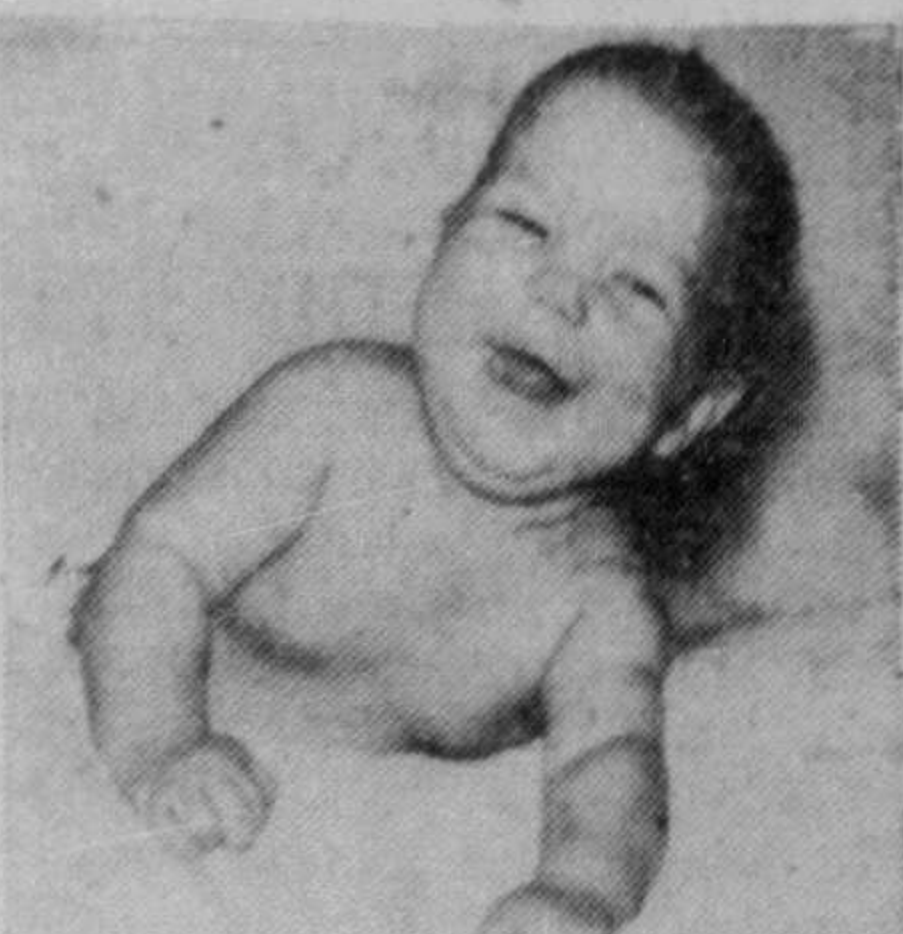
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Social

St. Peter's WA Bazaar Pretty Seasonal Affair

Industrious workers and festive Christmas decorations made St. Peter's Church Hall at Seal Cove a busy and happy scene Thursday afternoon when ladies of the Afternoon Branch of the Women's Auxiliary joined with the ladies of the Evening Branch to present a very successful annual fall bazaar.

Rev. H. G. Bird opened the bazaar and the many guests were received by Mrs. H. G. Bird and Mrs. W. B. Skinner, president of the Afternoon Branch of the Women's Auxiliary.

Members of the Evening Branch were in charge of the program with its attractive tables graced with dainty chrysanthemums. Serving Mrs. F. Longaire, Mrs. J. Gable and Mrs. D. Gomez. Preparing the tea were Mrs. Wm. Leah, Mrs. J. Gable, Mrs. O. Patrick and Mrs. R. B. Howell. Cashier was Mrs. Will McLean.

Serving of children's refreshments was directed by Mrs. George Viereck, while Mrs. M. and Mrs. H. Burrows presided at the variety stall.

Mrs. H. Kellough acted as baby chair.

Members of the Afternoon Branch were in charge of the sewing stall, the home cooking and the candy stall.

At the sewing stall, where was displayed a fine array of lovely practical gift suggestions, Mrs. A. J. Croxford, Mrs. Moorehouse and Mrs. Maud Viereck.

The popular home cooking stall was in charge of Mrs. J. P. Kurdzial and Mrs. W. Davidson, while the candy stall was presided over by Mrs. D. Owens and Mrs. H. V. Tattersall.

LOBA Christmas Party Planned

A Christmas party and a children's Christmas tree are objectives next month of the Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association of Prince Rupert and a meeting this week appointed the following two committees:

Christmas party—Mesdames B. E. Ison, E. Barber, J. Hill, M. Wieb and E. Thomson.

Christmas tree—Mesdames A. E. Evans, W. Hill, E. Heise, W. Field, B. Guyay and W. Thomson.

During the business session, Mrs. M. Viereck and Mrs. C. Wilson reported on the dental clinic meeting which they attended. Letters were read from past members and the meeting was informed a new lodge would be instituted at Port Alberni.

Installation of officers of the Prince Rupert lodge would take place next meeting, announced Mrs. Thomson, in the chair.

BOMBAY (Reuters)—The Hindu Mahasaba, orthodox religious group and India's third largest political party, has called on Hindus to "cast off superstition in killing pests and vermin." The group has sanctioned the killing of monkeys and locusts that destroy food crops.

Card Party at Catholic Hall

Card playing enthusiasts gathered around 17 tables at the Catholic School Hall last night at their regular bi-monthly meeting to enjoy competitions in cribbage, whist and bridge.

Winners were: Cribbage—Mrs. J. Cloutier and J. Currie.

Whist—Mrs. J. Walker and Mr. Chilton.

Bridge—Miss Mary Astoria and G. Fowlie.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. L. Dairon, Mrs. G. R. Brett, Mrs. J. Bugyinka and Mrs. D. Mulroney.

Cashier was Mrs. J. McArthur.

readers

● S.O.N. whist drive and dance, November 30. (1tc)

● Whist drive and tournament, Saturday, December 1, Moose Temple. Everyone welcome. (281c)

● Prince Rupert Fishing Vessel Owners' Association meeting at Civic Centre, Friday, 7 p.m. (280c)

● Buy your cakes for the weekend at Women's Curling Club home bake at Gordon & Anderson's Store, Saturday, December 1, 11:00 to 3:00 p.m. (280p)

● Don't forget "St. Andrew's Night." Celebrate by coming to Job's Daughters' Scotch dance in the Armories, Friday, November 30, at 9 p.m. (280)

● Lutefish and fishcake dinner at the Lutheran Church, Saturday, December 1, from 5 to 8 p.m. Adults \$1, children 50c. Everybody welcome. (280c)

● Parts Service Department closed all day Saturday, December 1, for stocktaking. Gas pumps open at usual hours. Rupert Motors. (280c)

● ATTENTION all members of the Prince Rupert District Boy Scout Association—On Friday, Nov. 30 at 8 p.m., the annual meeting takes place at the Civic Centre. Decide NOW to attend. (280c)

Big Civic Centre Audience Charmed by Operatic Duo

Charm, personality and grace combined last night with intense feeling and a passionate presentation of song as Mme. Tomiko Kanazawa held in rapt attention for two hours a record Alaska Music Trail audience.

With Cesare Curzi, tenor, and Pianist-Composer Richard Cumming, Mme Kanazawa presented a six-act musical at the Civic Centre between boat stops on their way south. It was the second event of Alaska Music Alaska Music Trail audience of 500 persons.

Mme. Kanazawa, the fetching Japanese soprano, led the performance all the way, from the

opening duo with Curzi, a scene from La Traviata, to the final three-time curtain call. The thunderous applause ceased only when the audience knew the trio would not reappear for more encores. It was nearly 11 p.m., and the party had to catch a boat.

Not quite Mme. Kanazawa's equal, either in acting ability or in song, Curzi, nevertheless, presented a capable performance with a gusto that also endeared him to his public, especially with his sole presentation of "La Donna E Mobile" (from Rigoletto)

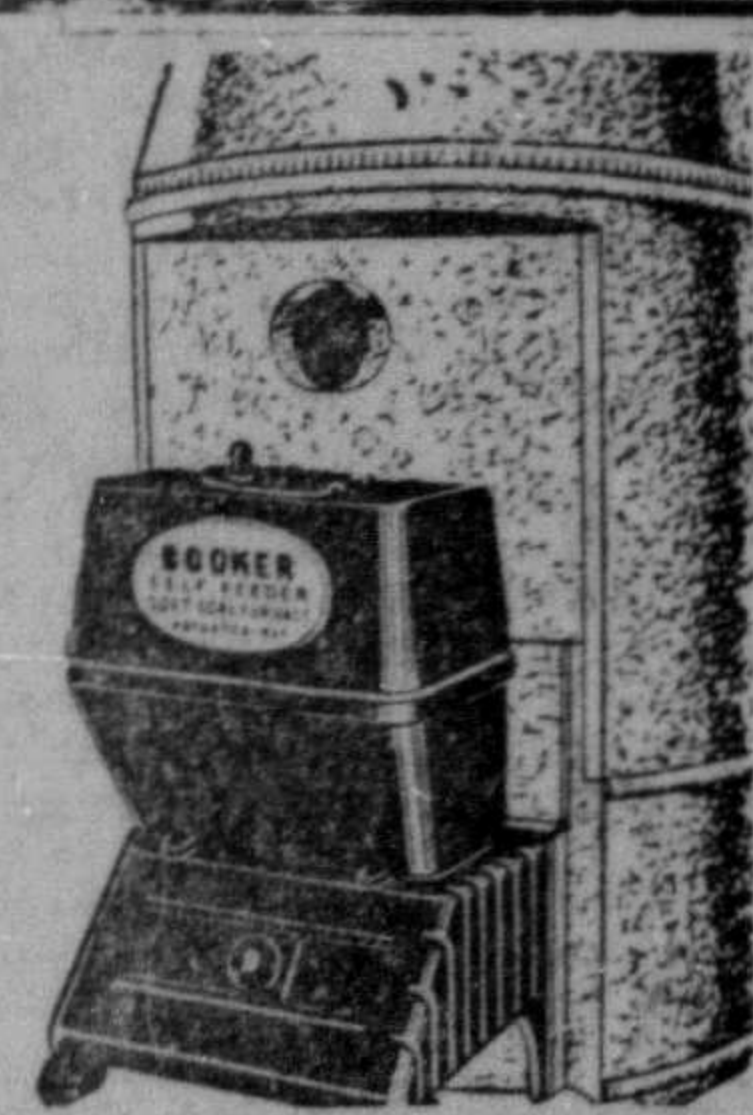
and his encore, "The Lord's Prayer."

Richard Cumming added greatly to his piano presentation of Debussy's "Children's Corner" by verbal explanation of the music. He wore gloves on the stage, he said, to keep his fingers warm. It caused quite a response of mirth from the audience. Later, they spent their energy in applause, for Cummings' fingers indeed had been kept warm—and they grew hot over the ivory keys.

His best was De Falla's "Ritual Fire Dance," which he played with remarkable interpretation of mood. As an encore, he played his own composition, a sonatina, and he dedicated it to Maxine Schapiro, "without whose help we would not be here," he said. In the scene from Madame Butterfly, Mme. Kanazawa was

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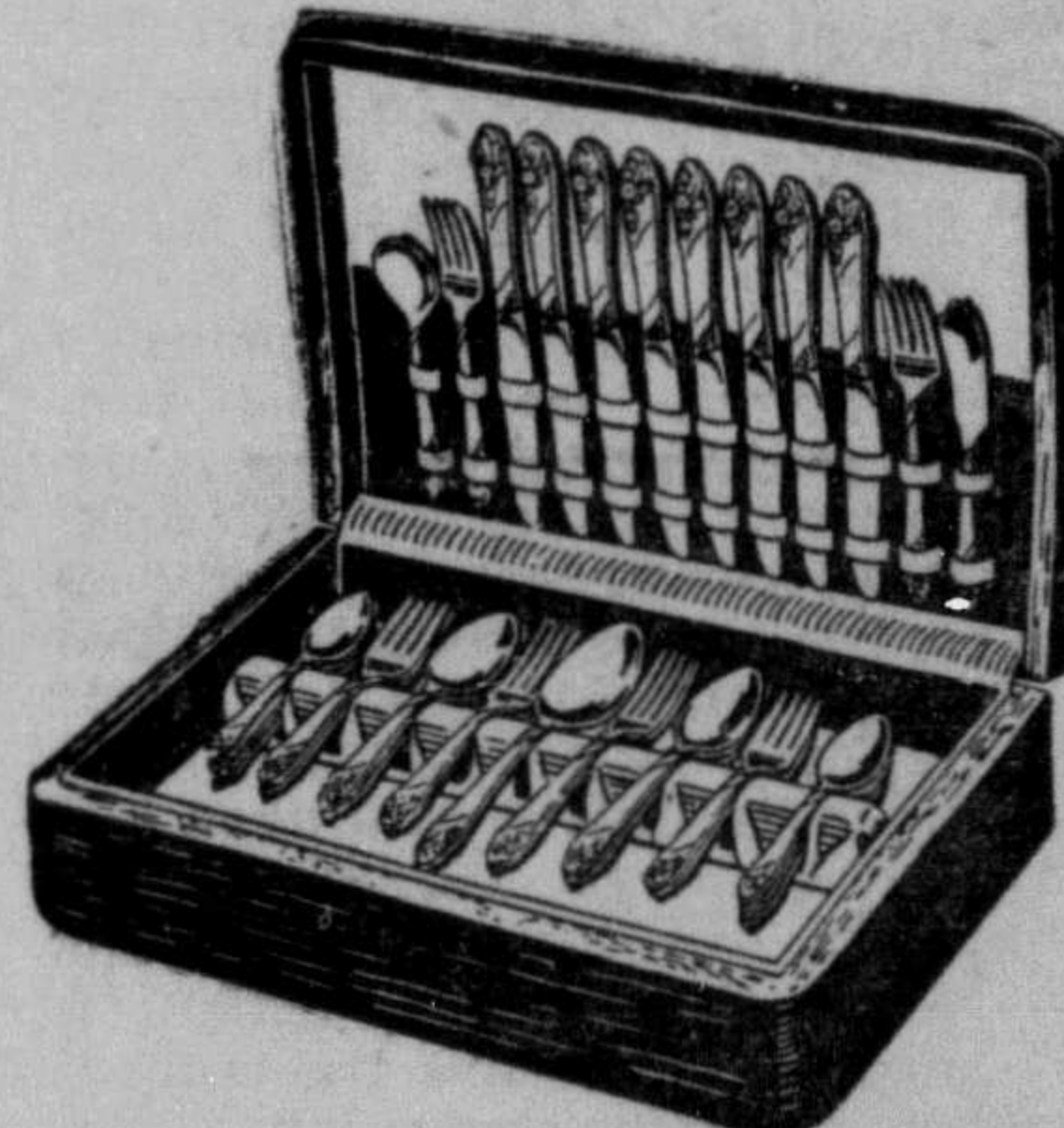
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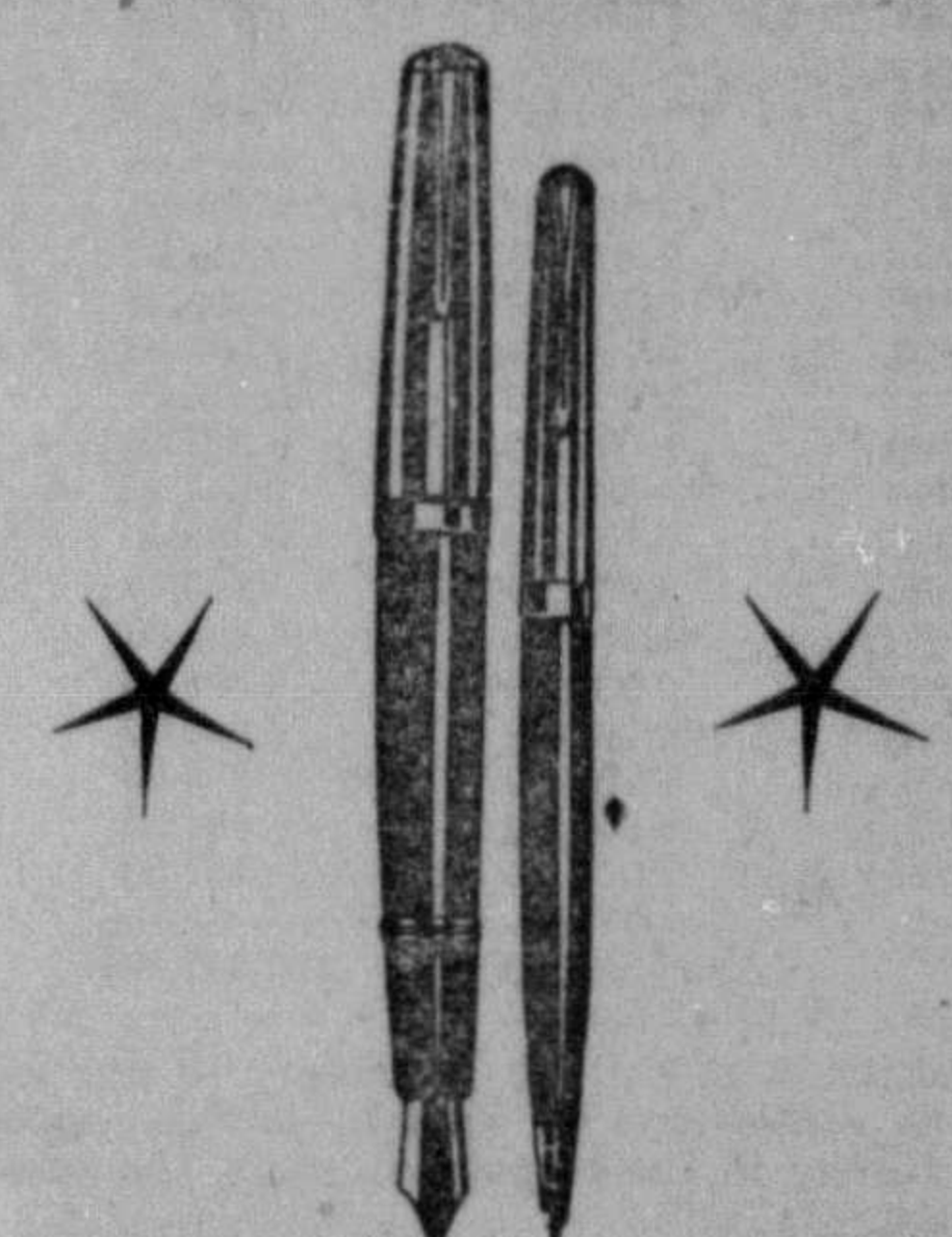
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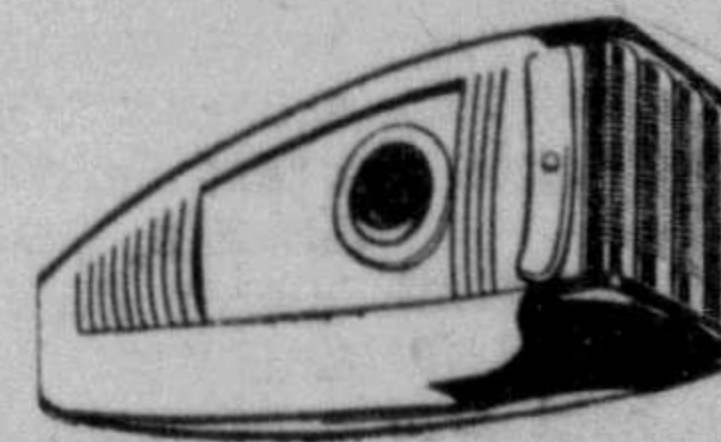


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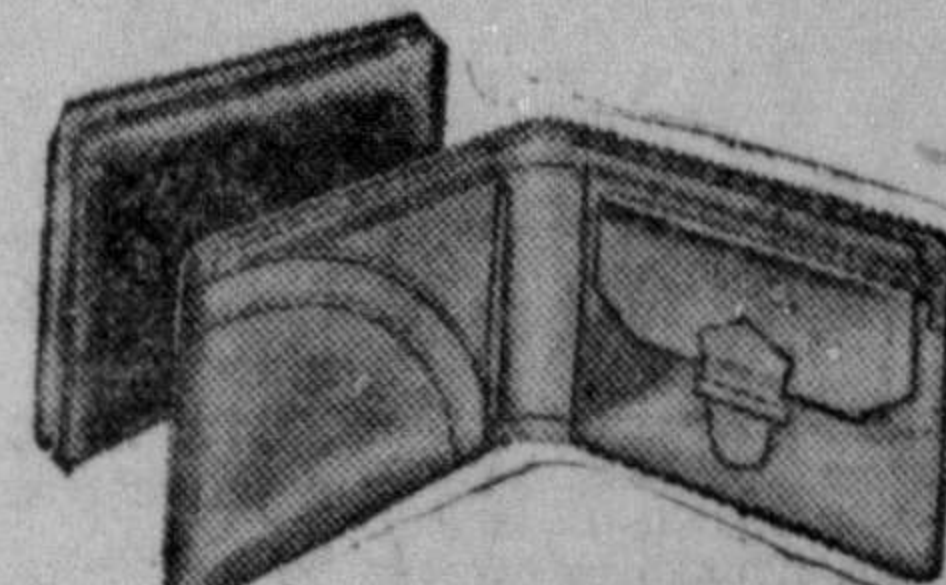
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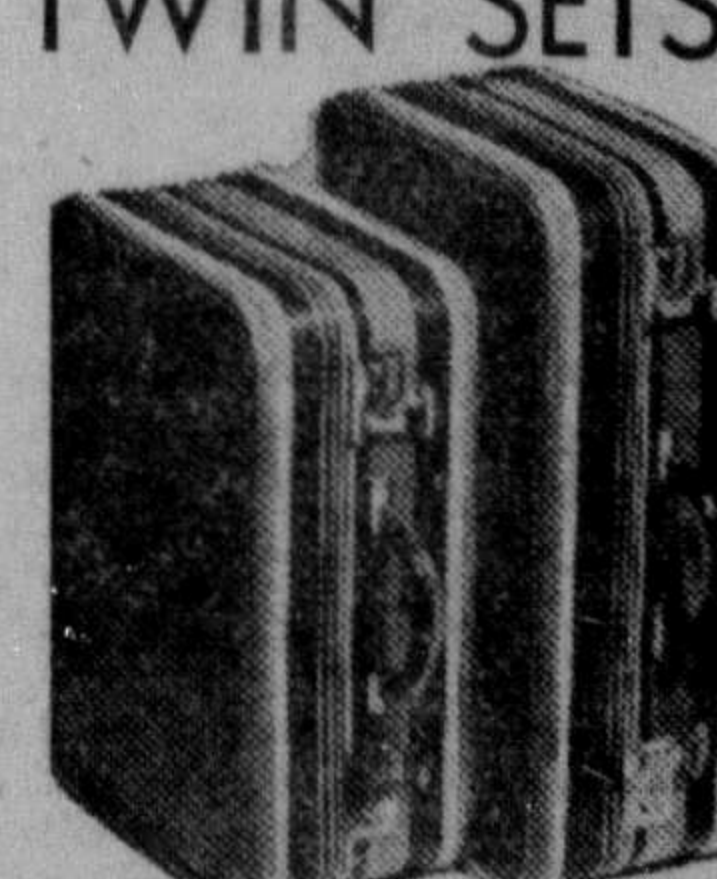
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Rupert All Stars to Meet Top BC Team

Whether or not Prince Rupert will have a Senior basketball team this year may be decided next week when an all-star team is slated to meet Vancouver Eilers here in a two-game exhibition hoop

are now under way to Eilers here shortly after it was announced to Angus Macphee, business manager of Prince Rupert Basketball Association. The Vancouver team is currently tops in Canada Senior A hoop

Prince Rupert cagers, who won the B.C. Senior B title last year by defeating Pentleton, are good showing against the Vancouver team is likely to favor of Senior A ball game. The idea has been discussed for some time.

GIRL TEAM
While another exhibition game may take place early in December if Chicago's all-girl Negro team, the Northern Circuit, Macdonald the girls have been scheduled to play at several All-Centres and would like to see as well.

entertainment troupe of girls and a male concert party will decide this season-up.

Sports in Rupert

the early days in sports in Rupert, Doug Frizzle's luncheon yesterday was the first international contest here when Prince Rupert defeated Ketchikan 1-0 at Market Square grounds.

the same season, Rupert defeated Ketchikan to be by a similar score.

Frizzle also told about soccer playing and open-air rinks for baseball at the late Acting Mayor's throw in the first year, 1917.

the same year, a marathon fight was held here in "Roughhouse" Burns Canadian lightweight championship.

there was the old CNR Club and in 1914 the hockey to be played here open air rink saw Prince Rupert and Hazelton vie for

Frizzle also told the story of a Bay, so named when a herd of cows swam to that area after landing on the beach was prohibited, "quipped a Rotarian."

"The Terrible" was years of age when present ruler of a Russia in

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WELCOME CHAMPIONS—Ottawa Rough Riders, 1951 Grey Cup champions, rode through Ottawa streets in triumph as fans turned out by the thousands to welcome home the victorious squad. Mayor Charlotte Whitton holds the cup high as the million; motorcade, bearing the Riders, moves along Sparks Street. Beside her are James P. McCaffrey, centre, Rider president, and L. K. Emerson, former president. (CP Photo)

Boxing Tonight

Prince Rupert's first fight card featuring nine bouts will be opened tonight at the Civic Centre by Vernon Taylor, district deputy grand exalted ruler of the Elks, of Burns Lake. The boxing match, which features Prince Rupert versus Prince George is sponsored by the Elks Boxing Club here.

Main event is a challenge fight between Mike Ratz and Prince Rupert's Golden Gloves middleweight champion, Bill "Mouse" Morrison.

Officials to supervise the fight are as follows:
Referees—Beny Waddle and Stan Morin.

Judges—Garnet Hau and Sev Dominato.
Timekeepers—Al Mannion and H. Copeland.
Announcer is Art Murray.

Bobby Thompson Disclaims Win

NEW YORK—Seven weeks after his historic home run, Bobby Thompson said today that he "certainly wouldn't want to take any credit for winning the National League pennant."

The tall, shy New York Giant third-baseman, whose three-run ninth inning home run beat the Brooklyn Dodgers in the third game of the post-season playoff, said: "It's hard to make people realize that one thing doesn't win a pennant."

Hockey Scores

National
Toronto 1, Montreal 5.
Boston 1, Detroit 1.

Pacific Coast
N.W. Westminster 2, Saskatoon 2
Western International-Okanagan Trail 4, Fenticton 9.

	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Detroit	12	6	3	58	38	30
Toronto	9	6	6	45	37	24
Montreal	9	3	7	52	52	19
Boston	5	5	7	34	39	18
Chicago	5	3	12	45	53	16
New York	6	5	9	44	64	17

Richard Spurs Canadiens To Third Place Victory

MONTREAL (CP)—Montreal Canadiens snapped out of their slump with a vengeance Thursday night and trimmed Toronto Maple Leafs 5-1 as Maurice (Rocket) Richard paced the winners with two goals.

The night's other National Hockey League fixture ended in a 1-1 saw-off between Detroit Red Wings and Boston Bruins—the 15th tie in 82 league games this season.

A jubilant Montreal crowd of 14,542 saw the Habitants trounce their Canadian rivals and take sole possession of third place in the league.

Dick Gamble, Elmer Lach and Paul Meger scored the Canadiens' other goals and Sid Smith got the Toronto lone tally. Richard's goals sent his season's total to 307, only 17 short of the record by Nels Stewart of the old Montreal Maroons.

Remember when?

Joe Louis, an up and coming young fighter making his 11th professional start, knocked out Charley Massera in three rounds at Detroit, 17 years ago tonight. The Brown Bomber collected \$1100 for that fight, compared to the big gates in which he shared after winning the world heavyweight crown three years later in 1937.

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HOTEL BURNS—Two walls have fallen showing fire still raging through the ruins of the Hotel Burns at St. Thomas, Ont., which was destroyed by fire early Sunday morning. One man is believed to have perished in the fire. This graphic photo shows one corner of the hotel still standing. Damage was estimated at \$300,000. (CP Photo)

Winter Isolates North Country

Navigation Ends for Season On Mackenzie River
HAY RIVER, N.W.T. — Navigation has ended for the year on the great Mackenzie river and deep isolation, disturbed only occasionally by the drone of aircraft, has settled over the northern frontier country.

This year the freeze-up came earlier than usual—in the middle instead of at end of October. The hardy men and women who spend their winters in the far north have already settled down to eight months of isolation.

During this period little goes into the vast, snow-covered region and even less comes out. This land of gold, uranium and furs booms in almost total privacy.

But from about the first week in June until the end of October the Mackenzie normally is free of ice and busy with shipping. Boats and barges move swiftly along its wide surface, carrying food, clothing, machinery and other supplies into the corridor of virgin territory extending from northern Alberta to the Arctic Ocean.

This freight, amounting to about 65,000 tons each summer, is the life blood of the booming communities along the river's 3,000-mile channel. There are no roads or rails along the Mackenzie and in four months the boats must carry provisions enough to last through eight months of winter.

For despite its great straits, aviation has not yet advanced to where it can supply the north-land. Although planes bring in passengers and emergency supplies throughout the year, air traffic is too costly and too uncertain to challenge the supremacy of the river boat.

The terminus of this Arctic communications line is Hay River, a bustling frontier town on the south shore of Great Slave Lake.

Throughout the year Hay River is every bit a boom town. In the winter it is a bulging storehouse of goods bound for the gold and uranium mines, oilfields and trapping and fishing centres, to the north. Its quays are piled

high with freight of every description, brought by road and rail-and-road from Edmonton, 600 miles to the south.

With the first sign of break-up, Hay River becomes as lively as a seaport. Riverboat pilots and engineers arrive in groups from winter homes in the south and half-breeds and Indians swarm in from traplines for a season of comparatively high wages as deckhands and stevedores.

Boats and barges are repaired and cargo is loaded aboard. Everything is prepared for the big push-off. This preparation is important, for with the short season there is barely time for the boats to make two trips to the Arctic Ocean.

Each trip takes nearly two months and delay often means an encounter with early storms that batter Great Slave Lake and its neighbor, Great Bear Lake, 300 miles to the north. Although

Great Slave Lake and Great Bear Lake are only about half the size of Lake Michigan, the storms that sweep the inland seas are fierce and often disastrous.

With the break-up, the boats are on their way, loaded with machinery for the gold fields, uranium operations and oil wells; traps and rifles for the trappers in the bush; medical supplies for the Indian missions and hospitals; and, by far the most important, food for the 15,000 white, Indian and Eskimo inhabitants.

The boats, though small and shallow-bottomed, are strong and well able to carry loads up to 350 tons while towing as many as five barges, each loaded with an equal amount of cargo. The largest in the fleet, the Yellowknife Expediter, is a mere 300 tons.

Of the 30-odd boats and 80 barges operating on the Mack-

enzie, all but a few are operated by two major companies, Northern Transportation, a government undertaking, and the privately-owned Yellowknife Transportation Company. Others are operated by mining and fur-trading concerns.

With the exception of the Expediter, the boats and barges were brought north in sections by caterpillar trains when navigation

was started on a big scale more than 20 years ago. The sections were welded together and launched from improvised skidways.

The Expediter was the first and only ship brought into the Mackenzie Basin through the Bering Sea and upstream on the Mackenzie. It was formerly a United States Navy infantry landing craft.

ays Reds ke Nazis

... Calls Communist regime "Kingdom of Satan"

... The "United Kingdom of Satan" is the name placed on the Communist regime by a local priest who was one of the many displaced persons of the last war.

... 18 months in Canada Rekem now is pastor for a group of Slovaks who hope to return to the first Slovakian church in Winnipeg. Before coming to Canada he helped to plant underground units within Communist nerve centres in his homeland, printing anti-Communist tracts and opinion under every nose of the Russian satellite.

... Rekem says the Russian pattern of aggression is just as that of the Germans. When the Reds overran Czechoslovakia he and his fellow priests lent every possible aid to the anti-Communist underground, known as the "White Legion."

... Rekem himself was sent into a concentration camp with 600 others accused of anti-Soviet activity. The Communists took over the government of Czechoslovakia. On his release, eight months later, he started writing underground tracts for the underground.

... members of the "White Legion" said, not only secured

Greek Dental Survey Surprise

TORONTO (CP) — Because mountain children in Greece have more than the usual number of cavities in their teeth, a long-held dental theory that sweets cause decay may have to be revised.

Dr. Robert E. Moyers, professor of orthodontics at the University of Toronto, found the holes when he made two dental surveys of children in the mountain province of Epirus. One survey was made in 1943-45 when Dr. Moyers parachuted into the midst of the Nazi-occupied country to set up field hospitals for guerrillas, and one in April of this year.

The mountain children had more than the normal number of cavities even with a very low intake of sugar and refined flour which are believed to be one of the prime causes of dental

systematic information on Communist activity but used the Russians' own typewriters and duplicating machines to circulate their material. Some even obtained high posts in Communist secretariats.

By 1947 however arrests were becoming commonplace and many legion workers lost their lives or were thrown into prison. Father Rekem escaped into Austria the day before Russian troops invaded his home. He came to Canada after serving as a chaplain in displaced persons camps in Austria.

caries. He also found the soil and plants very low in fluorine content.

Dr. Moyers isn't prepared to say what these facts may mean until they have been properly assessed, but he hopes to produce findings that will benefit the poverty-stricken mountaineers with whom he worked.

SYDNEY, Australia (Reuters) — Banned by restrictions from building a welfare club six years ago, a local organization now has received permission to go ahead with the job. There's a snag—the tender for the building has increased from \$23,000 to \$64,000 in six years.



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Human Inspector Tends Cats, Dogs

VICTORIA (CP)—Ben Robert Maggs, newly-appointed SPCA inspector here, inherited a fondness for dogs and thinks nothing of getting up in the middle of the night to tend a sick dog or cat.

The 43-year-old former pilot in the Battle of Britain has had a lifetime experience with wild animals in zoos, and this served him well on one of his two escapes from German prison camps in the last war.

When he and three comrades escaped from one camp, Nazi guards set savage dogs on their trail. The men were treed in a forest. As the dogs bayed at his feet, Maggs spoke soothingly, inched down the tree and made friends.

The three dogs came all the way home with him, trotting beside the wheels as he and his companions pedalled stolen bicycles to Calais. Men and dogs scrambled aboard a "borrowed" motorboat. ("Always meant to return that boat, but never got around to it," says Maggs.)

They chugged two-thirds of the way across the channel and rowed home when the gas gave out.

LONG EXPERIENCE

Moving to the United States from his native England, he went to work in the San Diego zoo when 13. Later he went to Belle Island zoo in Detroit in charge of carnivorous animals, and from there to Hollywood as humane inspector charged with preventing cruelty to animals used in movies.

"Generally speaking, nowhere in the world do animals get better treatment than they do in Hollywood," he says.

Five years ago he came to Victoria where he married. He will never "put to sleep" any animal if it can be kept alive and happy.

"I represent the animals in this town," he says. "They can't speak for themselves, so I'm going around speaking for them."



RCR's GENERAL STORE—Just one hour from front-line slit trenches the 2nd Battalion of the Royal Canadian Regiment is operating its own super general store. On sale are most items a combat soldier might need. Salesman behind the counter is Pte. Norm Woods of Verdun, Que., while his customer is Pte. Bill Cozier of Toronto. (CP from National Defence)

Excavate Near Historic Spot

TORONTO (CP)—Water mains and sewer lines are being built in old Fort York, but the historic graves of the fort's first burial ground are not to be disturbed.

For 150 years and more the bodies of British soldiers and early citizens have rested beneath the little park alongside the railway tracks, known as Victoria Memorial Square.

The first interment in the old burying ground was that of Katharine Simcoe, the infant daughter of Sir John Graves Simcoe, who died at Fort York in April, 1794. That was the year after York county was given its name by Simcoe, the first lieutenant of Upper Canada.

A steam shovel is excavating along a northern strip of the square, decided to the city a year ago by the federal government for the extension of Wellington Street.

Civic officials gave assurance that the old graves will not be disturbed. They include the burial place of the three-year-old son of Sir John Colborne, once lieutenant-governor of Upper Canada, and the bodies of British soldiers who garrisoned the fort until 1870.

Only a score or so of grave-stones remain standing over the roughly 400 graves known to exist in the historic plot, and the years have made many of the inscriptions illegible.

At the opposite end from the burial ground are believed to be the bones of the horses of a British officer, Captain Battersby, sent out to command a provincial corps in the War of 1812. On being ordered home at the end of hostilities, he ordered the horses shot and buried, because he was unable to take them home with him.

Terrace Hospital Transfer

TERRACE.—Important event takes place in Terrace today with the formal taking over of this evening of the Red Cross outpost hospital by the local community which has formed the Terrace Hospital Society.

The formality of transfer will be conducted by S. L. Hewer, assistant provincial commissioner of Red Cross for British Columbia. George McAdams, chairman of the local hospital board, will receive the documents.

To start the society off in operation of the hospital, a drive for funds was made and the satisfactory sum of \$4000 raised. This afternoon the local hospital board was in session with Mr. Hewer; E. Musto, representing the British Columbia Hospital Insurance Service, and Gordon Root, public relations officer, Columbia Cellulose, to iron out final problems in connection with the transfer.

Looking Into Newer Fibres

Speaking recently in Vancouver, Harold Bancke, Columbia Cellulose Co. Ltd., said that for years the Cellanese Corporation of America has been conducting research into newer types of chemical fibres.

REMINISCENCES (Continued from page 2)
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Cease fire in Korea! And now, let's hope, comes the happy process of cleaning out the barrel of each rifle and polishing the stock. Later on in life, hang it over the hearth!

There does not seem to be in Prince Rupert today the interest there used to be in St. Andrew's observance. In earlier days a banquet was a favorite form of celebration, attendance taking up all possible accommodation, with feasting and a lengthy list of speeches and song.

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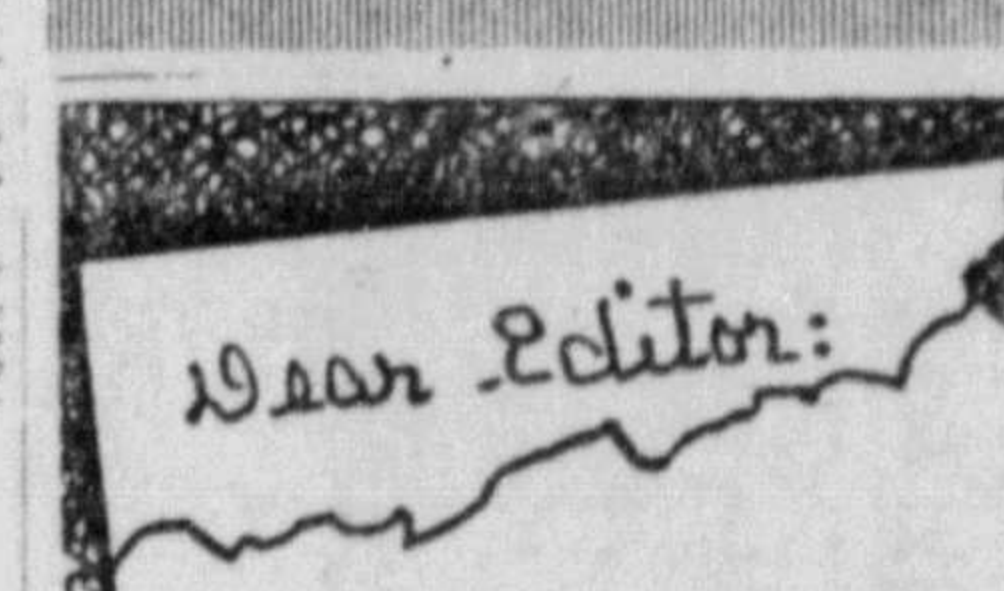


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