

HOT DEBATE AT OTTAWA ON PRICE FIXING

Big Herring Harvest Ends

Quotas Finished For First Time Before Christmas

One of the largest runs in any years has for the first time ended the herring quota of the northern sub-division before Christmas and a 10,000-ton extension of the 30,000-ton quota was filled Monday, 20 hours after was granted.

What is more outstanding, according to Department of Fisheries divisional office here, is that the herring have been found one spot—Gasboat Pass, an area of less than four square miles. Location is on the southern tip of Porcher Island, just off the Channel.

Original set quota was filled at 11 p.m. December 12, when 9,000 tons of herring were reported seized. Sunday the extension was granted but was capped the next day when 33 netmen in the Gasboat Pass all exceeded the extended quota within a few hours.

A sidekick of the huge herring run, according to Department of Fisheries, is that majority of the fish are of the same year class as that of the big run last year—fish that got away.

Strike Closes N.Y. Restaurants

NEW YORK — Famous New York restaurants and night clubs, including Jack Dempsey's, are closed because of a strike of waiters and bartenders.

WEATHER

More than two-and-a-half inches of rain fell on the west coast and more than one-and-a-half inches over the lower mainland as a result of the storm which moved southward over the British Columbia coast during the night. Mixed rain and snow in the lower mainland areas produced unpleasant conditions throughout. Fresh snow is reported in much of the interior. Strong southwest winds have developed along the coast and are expected to move south over the coast and partial clearing will program freezing conditions over Vancouver Island and the lower mainland tonight.

Forecast

North coast region — Cloudy with widely scattered snow flurries, clearing toward evening. A few clouds overnight and Wednesday morning. Cloudy Wednesday afternoon. Colder. Winds northwest (35) in the exposed areas near the Queen Charlottes and northwest (20) along the mainland, decreasing to light tonight. Lows tonight and highs Wednesday at Port Hardy and Sandspit, 25 and 35; at Prince Rupert, 20 and 32.

Building Road Along Wild Skeena to Save Fishery

Youthful Engineer Leading Tough Winter Task

To protect one of British Columbia's largest industries from further ravages by nature, a handful of men, led by a youthful engineer, is penetrating this province's wildest territory, bucking muskeg, slush, ice, snow and low temperatures.

Final Appeal In Union Case

VANCOUVER — Myron Kuzych, welder, who has fought eight years for union membership, may make another appeal for recognition.

Kuzych lost an appeal before Privy Council in London Monday for reconsideration of his case but he was not dismayed.

"I may appeal to the Shipyard General Workers' Federation," he said. "I will decide when I see a transcript of the latest proceedings."

Eight years ago Kuzych was expelled from Local No. 1 of the British Columbia Boilermakers' Union for allegedly arguing publicly against the principle of a closed shop.

The Shipyard Federation is the parent body of the Boilermakers' Union.

In an earlier judgment, the Privy Council, recognizing the right of a union to expel one of its members, ruled Kuzych should have appealed to the Federation.

Victim of Frostbite

Young Man Succumbs After Being Found Frozibitten In Car Near Burns Lake

A young man, who was found badly frozen in his car 42 miles south of Burns Lake Sunday morning, died of pneumonia in hospital at Burns Lake yesterday.

RCMP report George Scheck, 25, of Dawson Creek, apparently had been motoring toward Francois Lake. He was discovered by a passing motorist Sunday morning and rushed to Burns Lake Hospital, but did not regain consciousness.

Scheck's car is believed to have stalled Saturday night in sub-zero temperatures. His relatives live at Dawson Creek.

51st Vancouver Traffic Death

VANCOUVER—Vancouver had its fifty-first traffic fatality of the year when Herbert Fleischman, aged 24, died on his way to hospital after being struck by a car during poor visibility on Kingsway.

Dean has been missing since the fall of Taejon in July 1950.

It is also reported that Associated Press Photographer Frank Noel, missing many months, is a prisoner.



WAR ACE KIN—Baron W. Richtofen, cousin of Baron von Richtofen, German ace of the First World War, has bought a farm in Nassagaweya Township near Guelph, Ont. The 42-year-old German, recently arrived in Canada, is shown with his wife and two of the imported trotting horses which he brought with him from his native Germany. He intends to breed standard bred offspring of a famous trotter, King Harvester. The Richtofens plan to construct a small training farm when they get settled. (CP PHOTO)

Pipe Line Contracts

Comstock-Midwestern and Mannix Awarded Big Oil Carrying Job

TORONTO (CP)—Construction of a pipe line which will carry Alberta oil to the Pacific Coast will start in February.

The 693-mile line from Edmonton to Vancouver will be built by the Trans-Mountain Oil Pipe Line Co. by two companies—470 miles of it by Comstock-Midwestern Limited, subsidiary of the Canadian Comstock Co. Ltd. and the balance by Mannix Limited of Calgary.

Headquarters for the project will be in Vancouver and Edmonton.

Between 1000 and 1250 men will be employed clearing and leveling the rockbound right-of-way.

Pipe laying will be done by four "spreads" of equipment, one working east from Vancouver, two working in both directions from Red Pass Junction and one from Kamloops.

C. C. Rathgeb, president of Comstock-Midwestern, announced construction details yesterday.

Britain Asks Quiet in Suez

CAIRO (CP)—Britain's military commander in the Suez Canal zone asked Egypt Monday for a "period of silence," accompanied by talks on settling the bloody Anglo-Egyptian crisis.

General Sir George Erskine urged the Egyptians to stop encouraging guerrilla "terrorists" and imposing actions against Britain as a step toward building up defence of the Middle East.

"If we have to continue in the present fashion," his statement said, "a situation of such gravity would be created that nobody can plan the limit of its repercussions throughout the Middle East."

But there was no let-up in attacks on British forces.

Big Blizzard Hits Alberta

CALGARY — First big blizzard of the season hit Southern Alberta today and is expected to reach full intensity tonight over Lethbridge, Calgary and passing on into Moose Jaw and south Saskatchewan.

Heavy snow was accompanied by high winds and sub-zero temperatures.

General Prisoner

Exchange of Lists Reveals Mystery of U.S. 24th Division Chief

MUNSAN — It was reported today that the list of Communist prisoners in the Korean war turned over by Communists to United Nations today includes the name of Major General William F. Dean, lost commander of the United States Twenty-Fourth Division.

Dean has been missing since the fall of Taejon in July 1950.

It is also reported that Associated Press Photographer Frank Noel, missing many months, is a prisoner.

Loggers Want Pay Guarantee

VANCOUVER (CP)—A group of buckers and fallers Monday indicated that they will press for guaranteed daily wage of \$22 at the annual convention next month of the International Woodworkers of America.

At the present time the fallers' and buckers' only guarantee is two hours' call time pay.

They estimate they earn about \$25 a day under favorable conditions.

Fallers and buckers work on contract basis and are paid on a piecework rating.

TIDES

Wednesday, December 19, 1951	
High	5:12 18.0 feet
	16:51 17.5 feet
Low	11:04 9.7 feet
	23:25 6.3 feet

Four Children Burn to Death

ANCHORAGE, Alaska — Four children were burned to death in their cabin at nearby Spenard Monday as their grandmother tried to get through a window to rescue them.

The dead are children of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Fleming—Rosie, aged two; Verann, 4, and Pricella and Patricia, ten-month old twins.

Their grandmother, Mrs. Vera Shaw, caring for them in a small cabin, had gone out for a minute when the fire started.

Steel Strike Set for Jan. 1

Philip Murray Tells United States Industry It Must Have Agreement

PITTSBURGH (CP)—CIO United Steel Workers of America served notice on the steel industry Monday that they will strike New Year's Day unless they get a 15c hourly pay boost and other benefits.

"We will not work without a contract," declared Philip Murray, president of both CIO and the United Steel Workers.

Murray reported that the union's executive board and wage policy committee directed him to call a special international convention of the United Steel Workers January 3—"because of the seriousness of the situation which confronts the union."

The convention, Murray said, will have the power to accept or reject any proposed settlement worked out by the government.

Death Leaps at Hospital

VGH to Thoroughly Investigate Parallel Incidents

VANCOUVER — Frederick William Thompson, 62-year-old resident of Dawson Creek, died Monday of injuries received earlier in the week when he jumped from a second-storey window at the Vancouver General Hospital.

On Sunday, Hector Fitzgerald, aged 80, Vancouver, died a few hours after he plunged from a window of a third-storey washroom at the hospital.

Leon N. Hinkernell, hospital supervisor, said a "very thorough" investigation had been started into both deaths.

Both patients had undergone surgical operations.

Former Calgary Member Passes

CALGARY — A. L. Smith, K.C., aged 65, former Progressive Conservative member of the House of Commons for Calgary West, died Monday night.

Mr. Smith died in hospital of a cerebral hemorrhage. His physician said the attack was the summation of illness that had forced him to resign his seat earlier this year.

Elected during the 1945 general election, Mr. Smith injected wit and wisdom into many House debates. He was succeeded by C. O. Nickle in a December 10 by-election.

United States Air Force Harnessing Atomic Energy—Let Engine Contract

WASHINGTON, D.C. (CP)—The Air Force announced Monday night that it has let a new contract for development of an atomic aircraft engine in what was described as another approach to finding a way to harness atomic power to flying.

The contract was awarded to Pratt & Whitney Aircraft Corporation of East Hartford, Connecticut.

Last March the Atomic Energy Commission announced it had authorized negotiation of a contract with a General Electric Co. division "for further development of a nuclear reactor for aircraft."

The reactor converts atomic energy.

The Air Force shrouded most phrases of the development program in mystery.

Twenty-Eight Days To Get Back on Job

VANCOUVER—The men who left the Torbrit silver mine at Alice Arm when the strike was called October 30 will be rehired should they report for work within 28 days.

Opposition Hits Maintenance Ban

OTTAWA (CP)—The government's proposal to ban resale price maintenance has developed into a hot parliamentary issue and threatens to delay the hoped-for Christmas adjournment.

Justice Minister Garson yesterday introduced legislation, saying it would help the small consumer, but the Progressive Conservative party promptly proposed it be killed on the grounds it would destroy the small business man.

E. D. Fulton (Progressive Conservative, Kamloops), contending the bill would help the government's "friends in big business," proposed its consideration be deferred for six months—a parliamentary device for killing legislation.

The bill would prohibit resale price maintenance—a business practice by which manufacturers set the prices at which retailers sell their merchandise.

Garson told the House that prices are higher with price maintenance than they would be without it and the "poorer" purchaser is deprived of the right to buy more cheaply in minimum service stores. He also said that the system helps to promote price-fixing combines.

Reopening Pub Business Brisk

At the door of their favorite "pubs" this morning, several hundred patrons waited to get their first drink of beer on the dot as the portals swung open at 10:30.

Most hotels reported "brisk" morning business and by early afternoon beer quaffers moved around easily as though the source of their enjoyment had never been stilled.

An extra supply ordered by most hotels is expected to arrive before Christmas.

Boat Found But Man Still Lost

The fate of Edward A. Pratt, a North Vancouver fishbuyer, was still unknown up to the first of the week, although his boat, the Voyager, had been found, after being missing for over a week off the northern end of Vancouver Island.

Pratt, in the employ of the Canadian Fishing Co. Ltd., had left Bull Harbor for Winter Harbor, at the extreme northern tip of Vancouver Island, aboard a recently purchased trailer.

Dredge Delkatla, Deepen Skidegate

Early dredging of Delkatla Slough near Masset, an ideal place of shelter for vessels operating off the north Queen Charlotte Islands, is being asked of the federal department of public works by Prince Rupert Fishermen's Co-operative Association, a resolution to this effect being passed at the semi-annual meeting here at the week-end. A Co-op spokesman said that the nature of Delkatla bottom was such that dredging would not be a very big problem.

The public works department is also being asked to deepen Skidegate Inlet, tortuous shortcut between Graham and Moresby Island leading to the west coast fishing grounds. This work would eliminate dangerous rocks in mid-channel.

A suggestion that the radio beacon at Dead Tree Point be moved to Lawn Hill Point where it would be more effective is also being forwarded.

Callousness—Fantastic Lie

In a radio broadcast to his constituents last night, E. T. Applewhite, MP for Skeena, dubbed as "fantastic lies," suggestions of callousness of Canadian soldiers in the Korean war. As an example to the contrary, Mr. Applewhite cited the case of one Canadian unit whose men had put up \$1000 for a Korean orphanage.

Mr. Applewhite, who recently visited the Korean front, assured relatives of the high morale, good health and spirits and fine "tough" physical form of the Canadian soldiers.

Mrs. Applewhite also spoke on the same broadcast.

Brazilian Train Wreck Toll 53

RIO DE JANEIRO — The death toll from yesterday's passenger train derailment near Fortaleza rose to 53 today. Nearly 200 were injured, fifty seriously.

Prisoner Lists Are Exchanged

Sudden Move in Truce Negotiations

MUNSAN—Chinese Communists last night suddenly agreed to an exchange of lists of prisoners of war, a point for which the United Nations has been holding out as a basis of arranging actual exchange.

Following their sudden capitulation to U.N. demands, the Communist negotiators today turned over to the United Nations a list of 11,550 prisoners, including 3,198 Americans and one Canadian.

It also listed 919 Britishers. They said the list includes all prisoners of the Korean war in their hands.

The United Nations gave the Reds a list of 132,474 Chinese and North Korean prisoners.

Winter Hits Air Travel

Vancouver-Prince Rupert Flying Handicapped for Second Straight Day

Air traffic between Prince Rupert and Vancouver was handicapped again—this time because of icy runway conditions at the Sandspit junction strip. Yesterday a 60-mile-an-hour gale had held up flights.

Meanwhile, upwards of 50 passengers planning to go south by air were turning today to the steamships as a sure way of getting transport—providing they can be accommodated.

The regular northward flight from Vancouver today got as far as Port Hardy when it turned back to Vancouver after being advised that it could not land at Sandspit owing to the strip being iced over.

Yesterday's flight from Sandspit or Port Hardy on account of high wind and, turning back, came down at Comox for the night as Vancouver was also by that time stormbound for flying.

One flight got through from here to Sandspit yesterday before the gale came up and left her passengers there, returning here.

Only flight through to Vancouver yesterday was a direct hop by the Landsear which returned here direct early this afternoon and hopped off at 2:30 p.m. to go back to Vancouver for the only southbound flight of the day.

Vancouver and Sandspit are not alone in being plagued by unfavorable flying conditions. Prince George, Calgary, Edmonton all have grounded aircraft today.

Prince Rupert, however, was having fine, sunny, calm weather although ice conditions at various district points were preventing the other local air line—QCA—from taking off.

Victoria Civil Defence Practice

VICTORIA—Victoria will have a full scale civilian defence exercise here next spring. It will be fashioned after the model of that held a few weeks ago in New York. The exact date will be kept a secret.

Big Blaze in Newfoundland

CORONER BROOK, Newfoundland—A million dollars damage was done when fire destroyed a warehouse here containing rubber tires, cigarettes and beer. A nearby office building was also destroyed and the Canadian National Railways station was threatened.

NATIVE MUSIC

MONTREAL — West Indian students at McGill University staged their own concert in aid of the Jamaican hurricane relief fund, featuring colorful calypso music in a Caribbean setting with authentic costumes of the students' native lands.

TODAY'S STOCKS

(Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co. Ltd.)

VANCOUVER		TORONTO	
American Standard	25	Athona	08½
Bralorne	6.10	Aumaque	22
B R X	03	Beattle	19
Cariboo Quartz	1.10	Bevcourt	72
Congress	06	Buffalo Canadian	18¾
Cronin Babine	50	Consol. Smelters	179.00
Giant Mascot	85	Conwest	37.00
Indian Mines	25	Dondala	53
Pend Orelle	8.95	Eldona	23½
Pioneer	2.00	East Sullivan	9.15
Premier Border	33	Giant Yellowknife	10¼
Privateer	08	God's Lake	36½
Reeves McDonald	6.00	Hardrock	13
Reno	04	Harricana	08
Sheep Creek	1.70	Heva	10½
Silbak Premier	63	Joliet Quebec	45
Taku River	08	Little Long Lac	76
Vananda	16	Lynx	12½
Salmon Gold	01½	Madsen Red Lake	2.20
Spud Valley	17	McKenzie Red Lake	45
Silver Standard	2.50	McLeod Cockshutt	2.98
Western Uranium	4.25	Moneta	35
		Noranda	80
		Louvicourt	33
		Pickle Crow	1.69
		San Antonio	2.65
		Senator Rouyn	16
		Sherrit Gordon	3.95
		Steep Rock	6.85
		Silver Miller	1.35
		Upper Canada	1.64

An independent daily newspaper devoted to the upbuilding of Prince Rupert and Northern and Central British Columbia.

British Bastion Vital

ONCE again, the British economy faces a crisis, from which rescue does not appear propitious except by a further substantial loan from the United States, observes George Ericson, Christian Science Monitor financial editor.

Even a big American loan is not regarded as a solution, since it will be merely a heavier drain on future national income. It would, however, afford America's ally a breathing spell, during which the new government might implement the measures being undertaken to cure its trade imbalance and to meet its financial obligations.

Britain and the United States are partners along with others in a worldwide struggle to preserve human dignity and a free society. That demands adherence to a mutual program calling for strength to deter aggression; it demands allies willing to sacrifice for a common purpose, and it demands assistance to weaker members of the alliance, since United States would be going it alone if these members succumbed because their own resources were inadequate.

Britain, though weakened economically, is the strongest of four allies. It is a bastion of the free West, and it is only realistic to assert that its maintenance is in American self-interest. The trend away from socialism there and the Conservative party's announcement that it adheres to the belief in free enterprise and capitalism arouses the hope that the nation will the sooner begin to live within its income.

Whether or not Prime Minister Churchill will ask for an American loan when he visits President Truman in January, it is held a foregone conclusion that Britain will need \$300,000,000 to \$500,000,000 in the next six months to tide her over.

In view of the British drop in gold and dollar reserves, its shortages of steel and other critical materials necessary for defense, its tightening economy and long-enforced austerity, its further restrictions of imports and curtailing of credit, its raising of production by 50 per cent above prewar, it would look as if some further aid to the hard-pressed British people could furnish the impetus that would help them put their house in order.

The last World War destroyed much of Britain's productive facilities, while those of the United States were untouched and expanded. Mutuality of goal and program, as well as self-interest, bespeak the logic of proffering of sufficient economic aid to bridge a financial crevasse. It is true that the American taxpayer will have to shoulder some more of the cold-war burden, but the quid pro quo is the integration of defence and the strengthening of the ramparts of a free people.

Scripture Passage for Today

"It is required in stewards, that a man be found faithful." —1. Cor. 4:2.

NO CONTEST WINNIPEG — Suburban Tuxedo has not had a civic election since its incorporation in 1913. Every councillor and mayor has been elected by acclamation after receiving support of the Town Meeting Association.

Advertisement for General Electric G.E. Steam Iron, featuring the GE logo and the text 'Nothing finer for the home this Christmas than a G.E. Steam Iron'.

Advertisement for Savoy Hotel, stating 'UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT SAVOY HOTEL Prince Rupert's only modern rooms with bath Fraser Street Phone 37'.

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Reflects and Reminisces

There is much uncertainty in human affairs and life during Yuletide comes as no exception. The average male, sure of another necktie will not be disappointed but then arises the question of possessing sufficient courage to wear it.

FROM DIXIE LAND! Something vanished from the press of America, Sunday, when Dorothy Dix, 81, wrote "30." To say this woman, for generations a never tiresome feature of the New Orleans Picayune will be missed is to utter the flattest kind of platitude. Millions never saw her but none could escape the feeling that they had long been well acquainted. She knew life and her column served as counsel to trust and a guide to follow.

It's just as well to have youth on your side should you dwell in England where the housing shortage list may mean a three years' wait. And Prince Rupert has been guilty of impatience!

SOMETHING LEFT! Assuming, for the sake of argument, that movies are better than ever, that still leaves us with the problem of improving them.—Ex.

IT WAS ALL THERE

The Empress theatre has been called historic and so it is, from the local, rather than general point of view. This building, at Second Avenue and Sixth Street, was Prince Rupert's first place of entertainment, all of forty years ago. The first public meeting ever conducted was when Richard McBride was the speaker. Other early day luminaries included Sir George Foster, seasoned federal statesman, and orator, and Dr. Wm. Pugsley, Laurier's minister of public works. There were plays—professional and amateur—musical comedies, with large chorus and small stage, hot politics, prize fights, songsters, years of motion pictures, sermons, speeches and Heaven only knows what else. Yes, it is a place with a history.

"Over Seventy" dinner and concert this week. But there is something about this annual occasion that makes one think of, and feel under seventy—and quite a long way under.

A battle between a full grown rat and puppy dog was witnessed in Prince Rupert not long ago. It was a better show than what we usually pay to see. Puppy failed to finish the foe but he was all pluck. If a shade slow.

Whitehorse to Have Housing

WHITEHORSE, Y.T. — Local contractor General Enterprise Construction Company, has taken plans and specifications and will likely bid on the erection and completion here of 38 prefabricated buildings (75 housing units) for Central Mortgage & Housing Corporation.



DEFEATED—Veteran educationist Dr. Frank Gordon Buchanan, about 65, was unsuccessful Liberal standard-bearer in the Calgary West federal by-election Dec. 10. The by-election was made necessary by the resignation last summer of A. L. Smith, Calgary lawyer who quit due to ill health after holding the seat for the Progressive Conservatives since 1945. The Conservatives retained the seat. (CP Photo)

THE LETTERBOX

LIKES DAILY NEWS

Editor, Daily News: Will you please extend our publication to your interesting Daily News.

Your publication is unusually good, and friends to whom I have loaned copies asked for more of them. This shows they are truly interested.

Your concise handling of news is refreshing. The writer years ago worked for the A.P. and for various metropolitan newspapers in New Orleans and St. Louis. And once for a country weekly, that great Camas Prairie Courier at Soldier, Idaho. Soldier is now a ghost town, Fairfield having taken its place when the Oregon Short Line's Hill City branch placed its tracks a mile south of the good old town of Soldier. That was about 40-odd years ago.

We are all looking forward to receiving your paper and its interesting news.

With the season's greetings to you and your staff.

THE BALDWIN STUDIO, F. E. Buerlot.

Police Court Fines Lower

Crime in Prince Rupert, as reflected in police court, saw a decided drop during November from the preceding month as 164 persons, convicted in court, paid in fines and costs \$2140. October's total was \$3,976, a near record.

Breakdown of the fines showed offenders paying \$1,610 to the municipality, of which \$275 was imposed for contravention of city bylaws. Costs totalled \$220. The Federal government came in for \$55 from fines and \$155 in costs.

VALUABLE METAL Molybdenum is a light, malleable, chromium-type metal used to strengthen steel.

YEAR-END REVIEW—

North Leads Province in Staggering Development

Kitimat Aluminum Smelter and Prince Rupert Pulp Mill Cited

By DAVE MCINTOSH, Canadian Press Staff Writer

VANCOUVER (CP)—"Staggering" is the word for British Columbia development. Finance Minister Herbert Anscomb used that word the other day in saying that gross production in B.C.—now a good deal more than \$1,000,000,000 a year—will eventually outstrip Ontario's and Quebec's.

The minister went on to say: "We are in a position today that B.C.'s resources are in such demand that if a depression came elsewhere, it couldn't apply here because of the demand for those resources."

By developments came thick and fast in 1951. Aluminum Company of Canada started its \$550,000,000 project in the north. First step was construction of a diversion tunnel to carry the Nechako River around the site where a power dam will be built.

The dam, when completed, will back up lakes and rivers against the eastern face of the Coast Range. Work has started on a tunnel through the mountains which will build up a powerhouse for a hydro-electric plant at Kemano. Transmission lines will carry the power 50 miles over the mountains to Kitimat where the aluminum plant will be built.

It will be another three years before aluminum production starts.

HUGE POWER PLANT Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company at Trail started preliminary work on a \$30,000,000 hydro-electric plant on the Pund d'Oreille River, 12 miles from Trail.

Brought into production this year were a \$35,000,000 cellulose plant near Prince Rupert, a \$19,000,000 sulphate mill near Nanaimo on Vancouver Island.

Still under construction is a \$40,000,000 newsprint mill at Duncan Bay on Vancouver Island. This month the two companies building the mill announced a new \$21,000,000 pulp plant is planned for the same area. Another \$11,000,000 is being spent for newsprint plant expansion at Powell River.

On November 1 the first oil was discovered in B.C., near Fort St. John in the Peace River district. Other wells are being drilled.

A few weeks later, Premier Johnson announced Trans-Mountain Oil Pipe Line Company will build a 693-mile pipe line from Edmonton to Vancouver. It will cost \$82,000,000 and be completed by the end of 1953. Vancouver refineries are plan-

ning to increase plant capacities. Besides the dam, Consolidated started spending \$35,000,000 for plant extension as the world demand for base metals and chemicals increased. The company, biggest lead-zinc-chemicals producer in the world, appeared ready to start a basic steel industry in B.C.

RAILWAY EXTENSION

Extension of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway to Prince George continued. The work is expected to be completed by next spring. At the same time, the new Hart Highway connecting Prince George with the Peace River district was almost ready to take traffic.

BUS SERVICE

Passenger Train Schedule No. 2 For Passenger and Parcel Express Service between Prince Rupert and Smithers Route: Trans-Provincial Highway

NOTE: This company is not licensed for local business between points Prince Rupert - Terrace inclusive. Passengers will be picked up and set down at these stops only for or from points east of Terrace.

EASTBOUND Fridays and Sundays, 8:00 a.m. from Prince Rupert to Smithers

WESTBOUND Saturdays and Mondays, 8:00 a.m. SMITHERS to PRINCE RUPERT WAY POINTS

Tyee, Skeena, Kwinitla, Selkirk, Eskow, Shames, Amabury, Terrace, Skeena Crossing, New Hazelton (Hotel), Hazelton, New Hazelton (Station), Moricetown.

CANADIAN NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION LTD.

Advertisement for Chevron Gas Station, featuring the Chevron logo and the text 'HAPPY DAYS TO YOU AND YOURS'.

EARTHLY RESOURCES

Natural gas was first commercially in North America about 1824, when piped in by logs to a village in New York State.

Forest production last year was worth \$468,000,000. This year the figure will be around \$525,000,000. Total value of the four industries will approach \$935,000,000 compared to \$821,745,000 in 1950.

Also up were construction contracts, electric power consumption, gasoline consumption, salaries and wages car loadings, bank clearings and retail sales.

Millions of dollars were thrown into the harnessing of water power by Alcan, B.C. Electric Company, Consolidated and the B.C. Power Commission.

Large advertisement for Gillette gift sets, featuring images of razors and gift sets, and the text 'Something Extra Special For That Special Man!'.

Advertisement for Aluminum Company of Canada, Ltd., featuring the text 'HOSPITALS know Aluminum is friendly to food' and 'Aluminum is friendly to health'.

Tournament for Holidays

Moose whist tournament before New Year saw three places tied last Saturday. With 13 tables in play, Dumas won ladies' first. Cutting for other prizes.

Helen Tweed and Miss Nelson, for ladies' second, Nelson winning.

Chilton and O. K. Olsen's first, Mr. Chilton winning.

Mostad and Mrs. A. Major prize, Mr. Mostad winning.

The Christmas season, will be held on whist but the tournament will be held until after the New Year.

Hotel Arrivals

Prince Rupert

Hyding, Sandspit; J. Hanson, E. M. Duncan and Cuminsky, Vancouver; Canning, Kemano; O. Kilimat, O. Thorsen, Kitimat; J. R. Lavature, W. N. R. Kelsey, H. G. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. H. Yake, Sweet, Vancouver; B. Lynmore, B.C.; T. Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Macdonald, R. Hanson, Humphreys, Kelowna; E. son, Nash; J. V. Hopkins, Burnaby; D. Swann, Sask; D. Thompson and Estle, Cedarvale; F. L. Victoria; R. G. Owen and Mrs. L. D. Owen, Har- Oregon; William Kutch Shalapy, Edmonton; Giguere and Mrs. J. and Edith, Kitwanga; Taylor, Masset.

Readers

card party Wednesday, 8 sharp. (296c)

Christmas tree under head- Thursday, 19th. Call 649. (295c)

at the Bus Depot- cent off on knives, Wed- Ten per cent off on (1tc)

meeting of the Prince R- Vessel Owners' As- will be held in the Centre on Wednesday, De- 19 3 p.m. (296c)

whether you are a SUPER- customer or not, you will see on food's coming down. For this you can SUPER-VALU (1tc)

from your jeweller are their best. Bulger's fine are never better or more. Many new items this you'll find our prices right. (1tc)

and Nickerson announce store will be closed as Thursday afternoon but open Friday and Satur- days, December 21 and 22 10 o'clock. (296c)

general meeting Shorework- al, United Fishermen and Workers' Union, Thurs- December 20, 7:30 p.m., atropole Hall. All members to attend. (296c)

lace's Dept. Store wish to ce store hours for the before Christmas as fol- low, Dec. 17; Tues., Dec. 18, Dec. 19; Fri., Dec. 21; Dec. 22, till 3 p.m. We will as usual at 1 o'clock every day. (296c)

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Rune Johanson sailed on the Camosun today for a vacation trip to Vancouver.

Mrs. W. R. Kennedy and Mrs. N. McGlashan were members of the Moose Christmas Tree committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ormiston sailed last night on the Princess Louise for a holiday visit to Vancouver and Victoria.

Mrs. Sheila Chater left by train today for Edmonton and Winnipeg to spend Christmas and New Year holidays with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen L. Murray sailed today on the Camosun to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season visiting in Victoria.

Len Cochlan, recently at the Harrison Hot Springs Hotel, has arrived in the city to take over operation of the dining room at the Prince Rupert Hotel here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bennett and two children sailed on the Camosun today for Victoria to spend the Christmas holiday season.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Lawrence and Mrs. G. Fraser and son were passengers sailing last night on the Princess Louise for Vancouver.

A. V. Hill, director of membership relations of the Co-operative Federation of British Columbia and editor of the co-operative magazine, left by plane today on his return to Vancouver after attending the semi-annual meeting of the Prince Rupert Fishermen's Co-operative Association here at the week-end.

T. H. Sorensen, general manager of the Co-operative Federation of British Columbia, and Robert Davidson of the extension department of the University of British Columbia sailed by the Coquitlam Sunday night on their return to Vancouver after attending the semi-annual meeting of the Prince Rupert Fishermen's Co-operative Federation here at the end of the week.

Sid Thomson Has Had It

Len Brewerton had a long distance call Sunday night from Vancouver.

On the other end was Sid Thomson, pioneer city business man, who left here a couple of months ago saying he was going to spend the rest of his days in native England.

"I've had enough," Sid is quoted as saying. "I'm fed up with England. It's Canada for me."

Sid expects to be back in Prince Rupert after the New Year but it is not known whether he intends to resume residence here.

School Play to Be Aired Again

For the benefit of those who missed hearing a former broadcast, the King Edward student-produced play, "Columbus of Persia" will be aired again locally Wednesday evening.

The play, written, directed, produced and recorded by Joe Goscoe, Grade IV teacher, is a farcical comedy which features some 20 play-acting students. The 15-minute production is complete with background music and shows high class acting by Jerry Jensen, lead role as the Calif.

Setting is in various Persian atmospheres which include a wedding and the main contention in which it is decided that the world is round not flat as "the pancakes" made by the Calif's new wife.

EASIER METHOD

The ancient flint and steel, or tinder-box method of producing a flame, began to be superseded by matches about 1803.

Do You Wish To Have Space In Christmas Eve Edition?

Advertisers desirous of having space in the annual Christmas Eve edition of The Daily News are requested to have their orders and copy in the hands of the advertising department without further delay as space is now limited.

Co-op Education Being Changed

Speaking for the University of British Columbia Extension Department, Robert Donaldson told the semi-annual meeting of the Prince Rupert Fishermen's Co-operative Association that his department felt that the fishing co-ops and credit unions had outgrown the type of assistance which the extension department had given to them in their earlier years.

While still continuing what work was necessary, the emphasis will be shifted to education in fisheries conservation. The spreading of fundamental co-

Talented BC Actor Takes London Role

LONDON (CP)—Bernard Braden, versatile stage, screen, radio and television actor from Vancouver, has taken over the role of an undertaker in one of this season's stage hits, "The Biggest Thief in Town." Braden succeeds J. Edward Bromberg, United States character actor who came to Britain on special invitation to play the part. Bromberg, 49, was found dead in his room Dec. 6. Death was believed due to natural causes.

operative knowledge among native fishermen will also be a major project.

Appreciation of this change of program was expressed by the meeting.

Another visiting speaker, Robert Simpson of the B.C. Co-operative Wholesale Society, reported continued progress of that organization.

New Doctor Coming Here

Dr. W. R. S. Wilson, who practised medicine at Smithers a few years ago, is coming to Prince Rupert about mid-January to join the clinic of Dr. L. M. Greene and Dr. John MacDonald.

For the past few years Dr. Wilson has been in Vancouver and since 1948 was associate pediatrician at Vancouver General Hospital, assistant psychiatrist for the city of Vancouver, acting director of the division of mental hygiene as well as being with the metropolitan health committee.

Dr. Wilson is a 1941 graduate of University of Toronto and was licensed to practice in British Columbia in 1946 after interning in Vancouver General Hospital.

He was a medical officer with Royal Canadian Air Force during the war. He came out of the Air Force in 1946 and for a couple of years was in general practice before starting the institutional work in Vancouver in which he has been engaged of recent years.

This year the degree of Doctor of Psychoiatry was conferred on Dr. Wilson by University of Toronto.

He is a married man and has two children. They will reside at Eby Court, Fifth Avenue, East.

Prized Fur Values



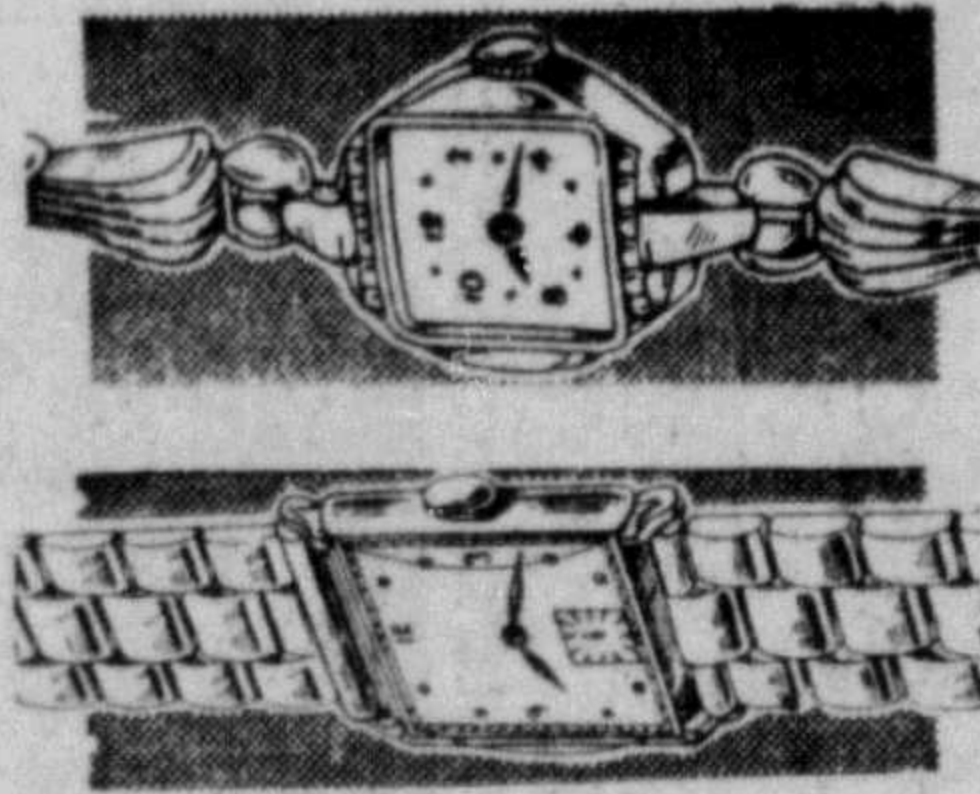
Just in time for holiday giving we offer our most precious fur coat fashions at substantial reductions in price... From the group... a self tuxedo front and bordered short coat of let-out muskrat.

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OPEN EVERY NIGHT 'TIL CHRISTMAS

GEORGE COOK Jeweller
PRINCE RUPERT and TERRACE

No Tenders on Essington Job

No bids were received for replacement of approach, floats and ice shield at Port Essington, it was disclosed following a call for tenders by the department of public works.

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Phone 46



As the Carols Ring Out...

Christmas, in all its radiant splendour, is with us again, and our land, from sea to sea, rejoices at its coming.

As the carols ring out and the candles glow brightly... as we look around at the faces of our loved ones... we know that we have much to be thankful for; and we know, too, that Christmas, with its message of Peace on Earth will live forever so long as there are Men of Good Will to carry it in their hearts.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Concert, Booth Memorial High School auditorium, Wednesday, December 19, 8 p.m.

Rebekah and Oddfellows Christmas Tree, Oddfellows Hall, December 21, 2:30. Mothers welcome.

S.O.N. Christmas Tree, December 28.

BIRTH NOTICE

GRIMBLE—Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. Grimble, in the Prince Rupert General Hospital, December 14, a daughter, Anne Elizabeth, a sister for Ross. (1p)

PERSONAL

EVA: Leaving Wednesday the 19th. Dolly. (1p)

ATTRACTIVE educated divorcee sense of humor, would like to meet unattached, well balanced gentleman, American or Canadian 38 to 45 with means intending visiting Vancouver with same qualifications. Friendship matrimony if suited. Box 259 Daily News (295)

NOTICE

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Open 'till 9 p.m. Saturday

(297c)

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

MAIDS required for a tuberculosis sanatorium near Prince Rupert, B.C. Salary \$106.00 per month less \$39.00 for room, board and laundry. Apply Matron, Miller Bay Indian Hospital, Box 1248, Prince Rupert, B.C. (297c)

BOOKKEEPER-TYPIST for accountant's office. Full time preferred, but short days can be arranged if necessary. Apply in writing, stating age and experience, to Box 237, Daily News. (296c)

HELP WANTED, MALE-FEMALE

BOYS OR GIRLS—Openings for boys or girls on Daily News routes in various parts of city. Apply at office. Special bonuses for good service. (1f)

FOR SALE

FURNITURE for sale—Bedroom rugs, radios, chest of drawers, upright heaters, chesterfield beds complete, cribs, etc. Lowest possible prices. B. C. Furniture Co. Third Ave. (1f)

FOR SALE—5-tube G. E. radio with record player; one Quebec heater, cheap. Apply 813 Fraser St. or phone Red 548. (1f)

BOYS' and girls' sweaters and ski pants—Boys' pullover V-neck sweaters, attractive shades, all sizes, \$1.75. Also boys' and girls' ski pants at reasonable prices. B. C. Clothiers, Third Ave. (1f)

FOR SALE—Boy's bicycle in good condition, 812 6th East. (296p)

FOR SALE AT VERY REASONABLE PRICES

Two D6 and one D4 Caterpillar Tractors in tip-top condition and completely outfitted for logging with dozer and winch. Contact P.O. Box 1895, Prince George, or Phone 171-L1

We have a few more Tractors arriving shortly of different makes and models and we would be pleased to hear from you if you require this type of equipment. (295c)

FOR SALE—4 piece bedroom suite, also Astral refrigerator. Can be seen between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. daily except Sunday, Canadian Legion Apartment. Use back door. (299p)

FOR SALE—Cedar kindling, coal. Daily delivery. Call 640, T.M.C. (299p)

CLEARANCE 1 000 TYPEWRITERS—All standard models. Regular price to \$225.00. To clear only \$39.50. Later models with all features, only \$49.50. Excellent condition—fully guaranteed. Also portables and adding machines. We ship C.O.D. promptly. Write Capitol Equipment Co., 2998 St. Catherine W., Montreal, Canada. (296c)

FOR SALE—One double bed with coil spring, 2 Silent-Glo oil stoves, studio couch. Blue 415. (296b)

FOR SALE—New motorcycle: new bicycle, French model, 238 6th West. (296p)

FOR SALE—Moffat-Roner propane gas stove, four burner table top model, all white porcelain, automatic oven, pilot light. Going for half price or will swap for good oil burning range. Phone Black 578, 6 to 9 p.m. (296p)

FOR SALE—Radio Bareain. Phone or call at Daily News office. (297-nc)

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Heavy Dewalt electric power saw complete with two 15-inch, two 10-inch saws and 8 gougers. 100 amps 3 pole solid neutral 110-220 single phase, magnetic switch. This machine in A-1 condition. Price \$350.00. Write or wire Kamloops Growers Co-operative Exchange, P.O. Box 510, Kamloops, B.C. (299c)

FOR SALE—127 26-in. P.M. new guide bar; standard P.M. new chain; Royal Chinook 6-ft. falling saw; 35 Remington auto rifle; several car batteries as new and used, Chrysler and Ford A motors. Apply W. D. Milton Skeena Crossing, B.C. (1tp)

FOR SALE—30 canaries, also breeding cages. Owner selling out because of ill health. Star Shoe Repair, Fulton St. (300p)

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Sleeping rooms, close in. Only young men need apply. Phone Blue 602. (296p)

FOR RENT—Sleeping room, 221 1st Street. (296p)

FOR RENT—Room to share. Phone Red 471. (1f)

FOR RENT—General Electric floor polishers, \$1 per day. Phone Blue 992, Pacific Electric. (1f)

41 U-DRIVE CARS, Phone 41, 711 Grenville Court. (1f)

BOARD and room for working man. Black 660. (1f)

FOR RENT—Sleeping room, quiet gentleman. Box 258, Daily News. (295c)

FOR RENT—Room in private home for woman or girl. Meals to be arranged. Phone Red 879. (299c)

WANTED TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT—Four room suite or house, furnished or unfurnished, \$10.00 reward. Green 252. (302p)

REAL ESTATE

LARGE house, fully modern, near McBride, Good district. Living and Dining rooms, kitchen, 3 bedrooms on ground floor. Large attic, basement. \$3000 down. Immediate possession. See H. G. Helgerson Ltd. (295c)

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WANTED—TOP MARKET PRICES PAID for scrap iron, steel, brass, copper, lead, etc. Honest grading. Prompt payment made. Atlas Iron & Metals Ltd., 250 Prior St., Vancouver, B. C. Phone Pacific 6357. (1f)

CASH for scrap cast, brass, copper, batteries and radiators. Phone 543, Call 629 6th Avenue West, City. (1f)

WANTED—Chesterfield suite, dining room suite, other furniture. Must be in good condition. Oil burner stoves for sale, reasonable. Phone Green 400, J. H. Mair. (1f)

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EXPERT fur repairs and re-modelling. Fast service and low cost. Fowle & Ruttle Ltd. Phone 522. (1f)

LOST AND FOUND

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ACCOUNTANTS

PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT Income Tax specialist. S. G. Park, Stone Building, Red 593. (20m)

CFPR RADIO DIAL 1240 Kilocycles (Subject to Change)

TUESDAY

5:00 Tony the Troubador
5:15 John Fisher
5:20 International Comy.
5:30 Musical Varieties
6:00 Mr. Glennan
6:30 Musical Program
6:45 Junior Chamber of Commerce
7:00 CBC News
7:15 CBC News Roundup
7:30 Leicester Square to Broadway
8:00 Wally Wickens, pianist
8:15 The Commodores
8:30 Record Album
9:00 Duffy's Tavern
9:30 Here's Juliette
10:00 CBC News
10:10 CBC News
10:15 Half-Brown Speaking
10:30 Nocturne
11:00 Weather Report and Sign-off

WEDNESDAY

7:00 Musical Clock
8:00 CBC News
8:10 Here's Bill Good
8:15 Morning Show
8:30 Morning Devotions
8:45 Little Concert
9:00 BBC News and Commentary
9:15 Music for Moderns
9:30 Roundup Time
9:50 Dorothy Douglas Show
9:15 Recorded Interlude
9:59 Time Signal
10:00 Morning Show
10:15 Barry Wood Show
10:30 This Week's Artist
10:45 Musical Kitchen
11:00 Kindergarten of the Air
11:15 Roundup Time
11:30 Weather Report
11:31 Message Period
11:33 Recorded Interlude
11:45 Scandinavian Melodies

12:00 Mid-day Melodies
12:15 CBC News
12:25 Program Resume
12:30 B.C. Farm Broadcast
12:35 Recorded Interlude
1:00 Afternoon Concert
1:45 Our Chief Problem: Comy.
2:00 The Festive Season
2:30 Records at Random
3:00 Tea Time with the Stars
3:15 Musical Program
3:30 Betty Marsh Speaks
3:45 Novel Time
4:00 Jimmy Shields Sings
4:15 Piano Pops
4:30 Maggie Muggins
4:45 Stock Quotations; Interlude
4:55 CBC News

LOST

LOST—December 16 man's upper plate, two of front teeth broken, along way between Conrad and McBride. Finder please leave at Daily News office. Reward. (295p)

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GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT (Section 27)

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CONSENT TO TRANSFER OF BEER LICENSE

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 3rd day of December next, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for consent to transfer of Beer Licence number 9270, issued in respect of premises being part of a building known as Savoy Hotel, situate at 618 Fraser Street, in the City of Prince Rupert, in the Province of British Columbia, upon the lands described as Lots 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15, Block 33, Section 1, City of Prince Rupert, Map number 923, Prince Rupert Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia, from Willis L. Woods to Hart Investments Ltd., of 426 Hastings Street, Vancouver, British Columbia, the transferee. DATED at Prince Rupert, British Columbia, this 5th day of November, A.D. 1951.

HART INVESTMENTS LTD. Applicant and Transferee.

By: Max Osten, Esq., 426 Hastings Building, Vancouver, B.C. Its Solicitor. (1f)

WAREHOUSEMEN'S LIEN ACT

The sum of \$213.25 owing by R. A. Bagnall for storage charges, in respect of which a Warehousemen's Lien exists, not having been paid by December 14th, 1951, pursuant to demand, there will be sold by public auction at Bob Parker's Garage, Third Avenue East, Prince Rupert, B.C., on January 3rd, 1952, at 10:30 a.m., one 1935 Ford Sedan, Model 48, Serial Number C18Q-8578, Engine Number C18Q-8578, 1950 Licence Number 176-449.

BOB PARKER LIMITED. (D18.24)

Turkeys In Good Supply

Christmas turkeys will be in good supply this year, city butchers and meat dealers report, with prices in the 60 and 70-cent range for birds over and under 18 pounds.

No hard and fast prices, however, have been marked yet, as the birds are just beginning to arrive. Some stores say they will again feature "economy" birds—turkeys with slightly malformed bone structures—which are expected to sell in the 50-cent-a-pound class.

Other Christmas season supplies, such as used for baking, gift packages and general gift merchandise is in good supply in all city stores.

Says Jeep Still Spartan Chariot But More Humane

By DOUGLAS HOW
Canadian Press Staff Writer

WITH THE CANADIANS IN GERMANY (CP)
—A jeep is a jeep is a jeep, as Gertrude Stein might have said, particularly after a jeep ride, and the new jeeps are just as guilty as the old ones. But they are at least jeeps with humane and heartening differences.

The new version is coming into use with the 27th Brigade and is stimulating considerable comment as well as profane fond recollections, particularly among that elderly element which survived the sweetness and blight of this form of transportation in the last war.

The new jeep may be said to have more distinction more power, more gadgets, more versatility and—undoubtedly out of a guilty conscience—more comforts than its predecessor.

It remains, however, essentially, the same unabashed and indecate vehicle, the same old get-up-and-go, bell-for-leather creature which defied hills, fields, crags and human denunciations to make a profound contribution to both the winning and the suffering of the Second World War.

Its improvements are both numerous and varied. Its motor purrs with enormous self-satisfaction, reminding one of a Dead-End Kid engaged in the arts of wilful deception. It handles better. It isn't so cramped inside. Its technical improvements are extensive.

MATTER OF WONDER
But, at least from the standpoint of its relationship to mankind, one wonders at the advisability of broadening the jeep's powers of atrocity to take in such features as complete immersion of its engine in water without harm and the ability to scale a 75-degree slope.

To balance these, however, are at least two advancements of the most excellent merit, as anyone will see who has bounced and accented and half-perished raw with wind and dust and back-side callouses, across the Europe of the war years.

One is the new, rubber-cushioned seat, indeed a tender and a sympathetic heir to an egregious predecessor. The other consists of the protective and wind-dosed sides which are buttoned on to shield the inhabitant from the elements.

Progress of this sort will be greeted by the majority without

the slightest regret at signs of melowing in the jeep's Spartan character. But not by everybody, for there still remain those who are loyal to a rugged past when neither jeep nor man asked for or gave quarter.

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NEWS ADS get RESULTS

By CHIC YOUNG

Pacific Coast
 Vancouver 2, Saskatoon 2
 Western International
 Kelowna 1, Kelowna 4

HOCKEY STANDINGS
 National League

W	D	L	F	Pts.
17	7	4	76	41
13	7	9	70	33
9	8	11	57	26
11	4	13	67	26
10	3	16	64	23
8	5	15	69	21

Remember when?

McSpaden of Winches-
 Mass. in a rousing finish
 the \$10,000 Miami Open golf
 tournament 13 years ago today.
 finished the 72-hole grind in
 10 strokes, five under par, but
 he stroke better than Henry
 Hershey, Pa.

BASKETBALL
TONIGHT

6:00 p.m.
 SENIOR—
 Annunciation vs
 Maple Leafs

8:45 p.m.
 INTERMEDIATE—
 Merchants vs Fashion

7:45 p.m.
 SENIOR—
 Rainmakers vs Elks

The DAILY NEWS
SPORTS

on the
ALLEYS

Clean sweeps were the order
 of the night as ten teams in the
 Mixed Bowling League last week
 each took away four points, cli-
 maxed by a high score of 322 by
 St. Shenton.


Men's high three game score
 of 751 was rolled by Benny
 Windle, while L. Keays rolled 284
 for ladies' high single, and B.
 Dunbar took all honors with a
 high three of 753.

High team single of 1364 was
 bowled by Shenton's Sheet Metal;
 high three, of 3873, by Pushovers.

RESULTS
 A Division — Canada Life 4,
 Fashion Footwear 4, Shenton's 4,
 Penguin Hobby 4, Pushovers 4,
 Cook's Jewellers 4, Great West
 Life, Headpinners, Wallace's
 Cantels, Hill's, Canadian General 3.

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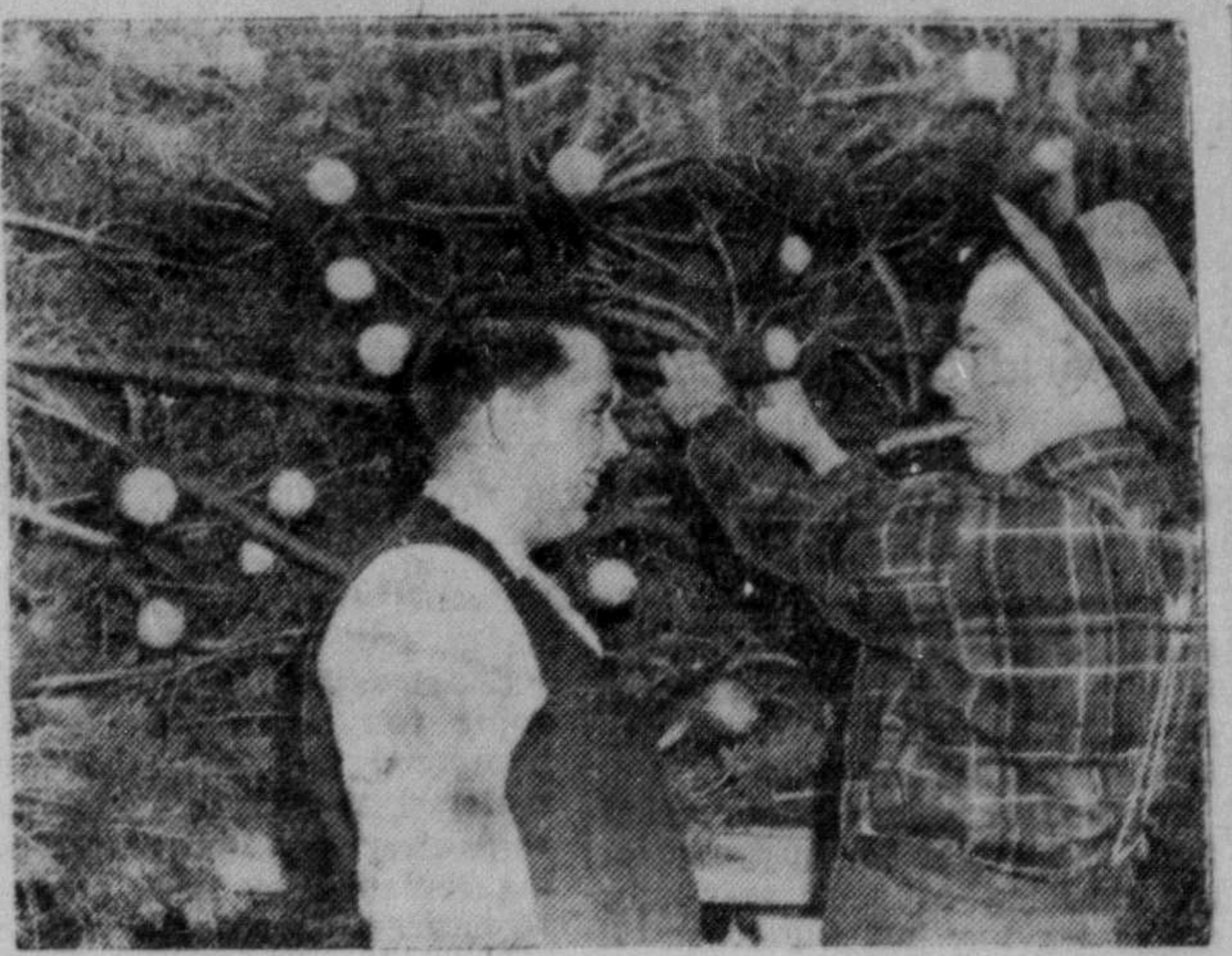
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CHRISTMAS TREE HARVEST—Near the village of Orono, Durham county, Ont., the five-mile Pine Ridge is producing dollars in tobacco and dollars from reforestation thinnings. The thinnings are Christmas trees and is big business. Shown here are Floyd and Egin Budd of Simcoe, son and father who own a 200-acre stretch in the district. An estimated 1,000,000 trees will be shipped from the district this year to markets as far as the southern United States and Detroit. Orono is the home of Col. J. R. Gamey who will be remembered as officer commanding Midlands Regiment here during the war. (CP Photo)

Taxes, Incomes

OTTAWA — Taxation figures just released by the Department of National Revenue show that 2,231,970 people paid income taxes in Canada in 1949. Their average income was \$2,881 as compared with \$2,513 in 1948. They paid an average tax of \$224.

Engineers and architects topped the list with an average income of \$10,428, of which the tax collectors took \$2,460. They edged out lawyers, who had held first place the year before. Lawyers averaged \$5,533 in 1949 and paid an average tax of \$2,019. Doctors were in third place with an average income of \$9,009 and an average tax of \$1,660.

One of the biggest percentage gains was made by farmers, whose average income jumped from \$2,887 in 1948 to \$3,801 in 1949. Their tax in 1949 averaged \$346. Nurses were in last place with an income of \$1,604. Employees averaged \$2,589, and their combined incomes

made up 78 per cent of the national total. They paid an average tax of \$159.

The 1949 report contains an interesting statistical sidelight: In addition to their regular earnings from wages and salaries, employees received \$71,501,000 from investments.

Geographically, the revenue men found that taxpayers in Leithbridge, Alberta, had the highest average income—\$3,477. Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario was second with \$3,143 and St. John's, Newfoundland was tied for third place with St. Thomas, Ontario with an average of \$3,131. Toronto had 344,000 taxpayers with an average income of \$2,949. Montreal 299,360 taxpayers with an average of \$3,078 and Vancouver 121,450 taxpayers averaging \$2,893.

Although 1949 was considered a good year for business, only 69.9 per cent of the companies listed in the report made a profit on their operations. The remaining 30.4 per cent suffered losses, as compared with 27.5 per cent in 1948.

Another Cup Soccer Tie

LONDON — Southport and Reading played to a one-all draw today in a replay of an English Association Cup second round match. Extra time failed to settle the match and it will be replayed again.

Tech; Joe Palumbo, Virginia. Line backers—Keith Flowers, Texas Christian; Les Richter, California.

Backs—Bobby Dillon, Texas; Al Brosky, Illinois, and Ollie Matson, San Francisco. The team was picked in consultation with 11 prominent sportswriters. They had the benefit of reports from hundreds of writers and broadcasters throughout the country.

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BUILDING ROADS
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ject is directed from the Vancouver fisheries office.

Since November, when the project was started, 26 miles of gravel road has been graded along the banks of the Skeena's north arm. And this has been the easiest part of the job, with a few interruptions by musketry flats, creeks which need bridging and by several feet of snow.

The men work with two bulldozers, live in sled-drawn moveable camps and have a jeep and truck with which to get their supplies, most of which are purchased locally at Hazelton.

Dyson began with nine men but now has seven. The toughest job he expects to find follows another 20 miles where the river narrows into a canyon-faced gorge and he can no longer follow the banks. Surveying just ahead of the construction gang, the young engineer hopes to cut through a pass which will bring him near the site of the blockade. The whole area is mountainous, capped by towering alacial peaks.

The first few miles were comparatively easy. Dyson reports, because the party followed the Silver Standard mines road. This has since run out and the gang is on its own, swathing through the timbered area and using plenty of corduroy and gravel.

A short rest is in store for the road gang during the Christmas season, but it is doubtful whether all men will get out. Dyson expects to complete the road in January.

While the eyes of the fishing industry are intent on this and future developments to safeguard the most important salmon specie, this new road is viewed by others also as a toe-hold in further development of the North. It is the first time such a road has penetrated north of the Skeena River into a country rich in fur, game, fish and animals, scenic grandeur—and possibly minerals.

FAMOUS TOWER
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BURNS LAKE — C. J. Oliver Ltd., Vancouver, has been awarded contract, and work has nicely started on erection of a new station for the CNR here. Contract is valued at approximately \$70,000.

Plans call for modern building with a frontage of 97 feet and a platform extending 800 feet. It will contain a ticket office, large waiting room, express department, telegraph office, baggage department and living quarters for the staff. The frame superstructure will be erected on pile foundations and concrete to grade.

When completed, it will be the largest CNR station between Prince Rupert and Jasper.

ISLAND PIONEER

First attempt at permanent settlement in Newfoundland was made in 1610 by John Guay, merchant from Bristol.

Looking More Like Christmas

In the fast approaching Yuletide season each day adds to the festive appearance of the city as merchants vie with each other in adding finishing touches to window displays and season's decorations.

The "Christmassy" touch was added to the Court House and Post Office grounds when a group of Junior Chamber of Commerce members erected and decorated two full-size trees Sunday. Stu Furk was in charge of the working committee.

Meanwhile, the season's first snow to stay for any length is giving nature's touch to the picture and the weatherman predicts it will stay a little longer, forecasting cool temperatures. Last night's low of 19.1 degrees was this winter's coldest.

Establishing Proof of Age

Essential to obtaining the old age security pension, for which people of Canada over 70 become eligible after January 1, is the proof of age. Presentation of birth certificates is the simplest way but sometimes these cannot be found.

There are other methods by which proof of age may be established to the satisfaction of the authorities, including reference to baptismal certificates, marriage certificates, church records, passports and naturalization documents, immigrant records, pension and superannuation records, employment records, educational documents, newspaper and magazine clippings, letters, photographs, medical documents, public records, military service records, home-visit records, membership records, family Bibles and other private records or even census records.

Holland's first train in 1839 from London to Amsterdam, to Haarlem, a distance of 1,100 miles in 35 minutes.

Local Globe Trotters Saw Australia, Africa, Britain

Back nearly a year to the day from a round-the-world cruise, Arthur Silversides, Prince Rupert pioneer, is back at his shop filling orders of cut plate glass. And he's made up his mind he won't wander any more.

"Prince Rupert is still the best spot," he avers after comparing it with cities in such countries as Australia, South Africa, England, the West Indies.

Mr. and Mrs. Silversides sailed from Vancouver for Australia on the first leg of their year-long cruise, leaving last December 17. A general condition they found everywhere was "lots of work and not enough people to do it."

In Australia, for instance, there are signposts listing employment opportunities and asking for applications.

"Money seems to be made easily there, but it's spent just as fast," Mr. Silversides found. Australians a people who live for today, spending most of their money on pleasure.

"We have fun today—who cares about tomorrow?" he quoted the "down-under" philosophy.

Neither did there seem to be any unemployment problem in South Africa although conditions there have a two-fold influence. Natives—"the blacks"—work for white men and do the menial labor jobs.

"There always seems to be work for them and they appear content and happy." Meanwhile, many opportunities exist for enterprising whites who want to work. The Silversides spent two months there, visiting the fabulously publicized city of the diamonds, Johannesburg, "but it appears just like any other lively city."

From South Africa, the globe trotters left for England, landing there in high gear time of the Festival of Britain.

LONDON CROWDS

"Crowds? Never saw anything like it. Just a mass of moving people all the time." Describing the tourist crowded city of London, Mr. Silversides said that it was hard to find any type of accommodation in the least permanent. Two or three days in one hotel, then move on to another—was the way the couple spent their stay in the world's largest city, where 137,000 festival goers craned their necks daily to see the sights.

The Silversides were in England during King George's recent lung operation.

"Yes, we were part of the huge crowd that kept near Buckingham Palace during the operation, waiting for the medical bulletins. Most of the people were tourists."

The visitors left just before the British election but they were not surprised at the results when they heard them on shipboard.

"It seemed a foregone conclusion that Churchill would win.

SHIPS AND WATERFRONT

Southbound from various Alaska ports and having also made a call at Stewart to pick up 500 tons of Silbak-Premier concentrates for delivery to smelter in the south, Frank Waterhouse freighter, Cassiar, Capt. William Gleason, was in port this morning to enter and clear and leave off mail and express from the north. The vessel proceeded to Port Edward to load 24,000 gallons of herring oil from Nelson Bros. Ltd. reduction plant. She will also call at Butedale to load fish meal.



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Considerable increase in dogfish since collapse of the Vitamin A market two or three years ago prompted a resolution at the semi-annual meeting of the Prince Rupert Fishermen's Co-operative Association at the end of the week asking that the Fisheries Research Board of Canada undertake an investigation to relate the increase of dogfish with possible changes in population.

COROURG, Ont., Dec. 17.—As it was nearing Christmas temperature was like spring rain falling when the St. Army started its Christmas program in the streets here. Bandsmen sat in a covered with the back open.

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