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CUT DOWN UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF

CANADA TO END TRADE TREATY WITH FRANCE IN JUNE

Commercial Pacts With Other Nations Involved in Government Decision

Ottawa, In Giving Six Months' Notice, Announces It Is Willing to Negotiate New Agreement

OTTAWA, Dec. 18:—Canada has given the foreign affairs department of France six months' notice that the trade treaty between the two countries will be terminated next June.

Canada is ready to negotiate for a new treaty, it is announced.

AUTO CRASH LAST NIGHT

Jack Garrett and Miss Mabel Ivarson Hurt in Plunge Over Section Two Bridge

Jack Garrett of the Court House staff here suffered badly strained leg ligaments and bruises and Miss Mabel Ivarson severe cuts and bruises about the face but no broken bones.

The car was proceeding west across the bridge when the accident occurred. The impact was so great that the vehicle carried away some twenty-five or thirty feet of railing as it plunged over the side.

British Troops For Gandhi's Country



Sixth Field Brigade, Royal Artillery, are off to Mr. Gandhi's country. They are seen here embarking at Southampton for Lucknow, Fyzabad and Cawnpore, India.

Ottawa Tells Victoria It Must Not Overspend Money Already Allotted

Will Mean That Cost of Municipal Programs Must Be Scaled Down to Keep Within Limit, Cabinet Committee Explains

VICTORIA, Dec. 18:—Dominion unemployment relief authorities yesterday notified the provincial government that the sum of \$2,750,000 authorized for expenditure on municipal programs in British Columbia could not be exceeded.

GOVERNMENT NOT SECURE

Still Talk of Early Election at Victoria But Just Now Campaigning at Columbia

VICTORIA, Dec. 18:—In spite of the recent optimistic announcement of Premier Tolmie at Nanaimo, it is a practical certainty that the coming session here will be the last and that an election will be held before very long.

Just now most of the politicians are in the Columbia riding electioneering. Every possible effort is being made to win this election for the government as a defeat, even in a former Liberal seat, would weaken it tremendously.

T. D. Pattullo, has been in Columbia campaigning for the Liberal candidate. The election is taking place today.

Edward Arthur Carew-Gibson Passes Away

WEST VANCOUVER, Dec. 18:—Edward Arthur Carew-Gibson, well known figure in the social and business life of Vancouver and Victoria for many years, died Wednesday night at the age of 63.

EVITT NEW PRESIDENT

Conservative Association Passes Resolution Asking For Abolition of Game Board

Charles V. Evitt was elected president of the Prince Rupert Conservative Association at the annual meeting which was held in the Eagles' Hall last night.

The meeting passed a resolution, which was introduced by George Kane, asking the provincial government to abolish the Game Conservation Board in the interests of economy.

The retiring president, D. C. Stuart, presented an executive report to the meeting and the secretary-treasurer, R. L. McLennan, also made his report.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Honorary Presidents, Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett and Hon. Dr. S. F. Tolmie.

Honorary Vice-President, J. H. Thompson. President, C. V. Evitt. First Vice-President, Robert Blance.

Second Vice-President, W. E. Fisher. Secretary-Treasurer, R. L. McLennan.

Executive—Mayor C. H. Orme, W. R. Love, James Sturgeon, J. H. Preece, William Sullivan, William Murray, R. W. Cameron, A. J. Matheson and G. P. Tinker.

GANGSTER MURDERED

ALBANY, N.Y., Dec. 18:—Jack "Legs" Diamond, 36-year old gangster chief, was mysteriously shot to death in a rooming house here today. Three bullets were fired into his brain at close range.

British Peer Weds Actress In East

Miss Kathleen Dawes Becomes Bride of Duke of Manchester In Connecticut

HARTFORD, Conn., Dec. 18:—The Duke of Manchester and Miss Kathleen Dawes, an actress, were married in this state yesterday.

The couple had previously been denied a marriage licence in New York owing to the nature of the Duke's divorce.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, Dec. 18:—Wheat was quoted at 61 1/4c on the local exchange today.

WAGE CUT CANNOT BE RETROACTIVE

MONTREAL, Dec. 18:—The Department of Labor at Ottawa has ruled that the 10% cut in wages of the railway running trades must not be made retroactive as had been planned by the railway companies following the finding of a board of conciliation in favor of the cut.

Premier Bennett's Estimate of Empire Wheat Quota Makes Corn Men of Liverpool Ask About It

LONDON, Dec. 18:—Premier R. B. Bennett's statement that the British government is considering the fixing of a quota of seventy-five percent as the Empire's share of the British wheat market was no less a surprise to himself than to the deputation.

Mr. Thomas added that Premier Bennett had made it clear that the percentage he had mentioned was purely his own estimate.

PASSING OF OLD TIMER

Patrik John Gibbons, Retired, Had Lived in Prince Rupert for Many Years

Patrik John Gibbons, retired, a resident of Prince Rupert for eighteen years or more, passed away at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the Prince Rupert General Hospital after an illness of about a month. He had been a patient in the hospital for just two days.

Born in Ontario of Irish descent, the late Mr. Gibbons would have been 71 years of age on January 4 next. Before coming to Prince Rupert he was engaged in farming in Ontario. At one time he had heavy real estate interests in the city.

Deceased is survived by a sister, Mrs. Mary Hartney, in Ottawa. Word is being awaited from her before funeral arrangements, which are in the hands of the B. C. Undertakers, are made. The late Mr. Gibbons was brought up a Roman Catholic.

T. J. Shenton, inspector of mines returned to the city on the Prince Rupert this morning from a trip to Stewart on official duties.

Gasoline Tax To Be Raised

Provincial Government of Quebec to Assess Six Instead of Five Cents on Fuel

QUEBEC, Dec. 18:—It is the intention of the provincial government of Quebec to increase the gasoline tax from five to six cents per gallon.

PIONEER IS DEAD

Jason Allard of New Westminster Was Colorful Figure in B. C. Early Life

NEW WESTMINSTER, Dec. 18:—Jason Allard, aged 84, one of the most noted of British Columbia pioneers, died at his home here yesterday.

Eric Gee, manual training instructor in the local schools, will sail this evening on the Prince Rupert for Vancouver where he will spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season at his home.

Alderman Sees Bread Combine

Ald. W. C. Atherton Critical of Action of Master Bakers in Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Dec. 18:—The decision of the Master Bakers' Association of Vancouver looks like a combine to raise prices in the opinion of Ald. W. C. Atherton, chairman of the civic relief committee, as expressed yesterday.

Jumped From Span On Granville St.

Vancouver Police Dragging For Body of Unidentified Man Who Took Plunge Tuesday

VANCOUVER, Dec. 18:—Dragging operations are continuing with a view to recovering the body of an unidentified man who was seen to jump off Granville Street bridge on Tuesday.

CULBERTSON AND NEW PARTNER NOW AHEAD

NEW YORK, Dec. 18:—Ely Culbertson and his new partner, Theo A. Lightner, were 4,965 points ahead of Sidney S. Lenz and Oswald Jacoby following last night's play in their bridge contest.

FEBRUARY SESSION

Parliament to Be Called Together On Fourth of That Month, Premier Announces

OTTAWA, Dec. 18:—Parliament will meet on February 4 it was announced by Premier Bennett last night.

While there is no official intimation, political signs portend that legislation to be brought down during the coming session will not be heavy.

The feeling is that the session will end about the third week in May.

CEDAR POLE INDUSTRY

Visitor From Spokane Addresses Rotary Club at Its Weekly Luncheon

Fifteen percent of the cedar poles in British Columbia have already been taken out and the remaining 35% are yet to be cut, according to J. E. Seaman of Spokane, representing the Red Cedarmen's Association, who has been in the city in connection with purchases of poles from the Hanson Timber and Tie Company and who has also been making a survey of the supplies still remaining cut in this part of the world.

Mr. Seaman addressed the Rotary Club at its weekly luncheon yesterday. He mentioned that his firm had been in the pole business about 26 years, operating with headquarters in Minneapolis. There were but four large stands of cedar poles on the continent and one of these was in British Columbia. The others were in Washington State and farther east.

Telling of the substitutes being used for red cedar, Mr. Seaman marked that, in spite of this, the use of cedarwood was increasing. Southern yellow pine at one time was of little use for poles but, when treated, it had been found to last just as well as cedar. In order to avoid being backed out, it was necessary for the cedarmen to keep a research department experimenting on the uses and improvements to cedarwood.

President G. H. Munro thanked the speaker on behalf of the club.

BIG FLOODS DOWN SOUTH

Roads Are Inundated as Result of Torrential Rains in Mississippi and Alabama

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 18:—Roads have been inundated and automobile traffic has been seriously interfered with as a result of the inroads of swollen streams following torrential rains of the past few days in the states of Mississippi and Alabama.

DOLLAR IS ON UPTURN

Showed Improvement at 82c in New York Market Yesterday—Pound Sterling at \$3.43

NEW YORK, Dec. 18:—The Canadian dollar showed further improvement on the local foreign exchange market yesterday when it was quoted at 82c. The British pound sterling was selling at \$3.43.

Tomorrow's Tides

Table with tide information for Saturday, December 19, 1931. Columns include High, Low, and time.

MAKING BETTER PROGRESS WITH FUND FOR RELIEF

- List of names and amounts contributed to the relief fund, including T. D. Pattullo, Marion and Patty, Hemlock, Miss Jean Harrison, Mrs. J. M. Campbell, G. R., Rose Marie Kilpatrick, Mrs. D. H. McDonald, and sugar.

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BRITAIN'S FAVORABLE POSITION

The favorable position of Great Britain as compared with that of the United States is emphasized in a recent editorial article in the Vancouver Star as follows:

"The British Parliament stands adjourned until February unless sooner called together again in case of emergency. The members disperse for the Christmas recess with the knowledge that industrial conditions are better than when they met to take measures to deal with a very critical situation.

They know today that the budget is certain to be balanced and they have been told on the authority of Mr. Neville Chamberlain that not only will the government meet all its obligations out of current revenue but a substantial contribution to the sinking fund will also be made. It should not be forgotten that when the budget deficit, to avert which such drastic steps were taken, was held to be impending, the figures mentioned invariably included the customary payment to sinking fund account.

Taking it for all in all the financial position of Great Britain is probably sounder than that of any other country with which it may reasonably be compared. Assuredly it is far better than that of the United States, which, while accumulating the larger portion of the world's gold supply, has also achieved a deficit which, by the end of the financial year, will exceed three billion dollars.

Nor should the comparison between the two countries end here. Unemployment, according to the ascertainable statistics, is proportionately much less in Great Britain than in the United States and is decreasing there while it is increasing in the republic.

It may be added that Great Britain always states things at their worst; in the United States it is almost a criminal offence to acknowledge facts that are unfavorable. French governmental finance, too, like American unemployment figures, avoids unpleasant revelations as long as possible. For this reason, while it is known that France has a deficit the full amount of it is not easily ascertainable.

It is unfortunate that, while, on the whole, the British ministry was able to strike a hopeful note, it was compelled to announce the suspension of work on the new giant Cunarder.

There was, however, no attempt to blink the facts. Mr. Runciman was almost blunt in his declaration that, owing to a falling off in earnings, the Cunard Company had not sufficient funds available in its depreciated coverage account to go on with the work and that the government could not provide the money. The best he could say was that he trusted circumstances would permit the resumption of work before long.

It may be taken for granted that this latter depends on a general improvement in world trade, which, again, is held back by Germany's inability to meet her foreign obligations.

The solution of the problem thus created is to be found in part in Paris and in part in Washington. Paris, however, resolutely blinds herself to the urgency of the case, while the capital of the United States can think of world politics and world crises only in terms of a presidential election that is almost a year away.

HAZELTON HAS SHOW

Variety Concert Staged by Hospital
W. A. is Greatly Enjoyed

HAZELTON, Dec. 18.—The fact that the mercury took a sudden notion to drop down to the point where a noticeable drain on the woodpile becomes evident did in no way hinder the residents of Hazelton and the surrounding districts from attending the variety show given under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary to the Hazelton Hospital in aid of the hospital, on Saturday, December 12. The show, which was very ably directed by Miss E. Rock, was indeed a success. Long before the hour scheduled for the start of the show, every available seat was taken, showing that the quality of the concert of Flower-Show Day had not been forgotten and that the patrons were expecting a duplication of just such a performance.

The first number on the program proved to be one worth hearing when the Little Symphony Orchestra offered that ever popular number "Anchors Aweigh" and, as their encore, sang the refrain rounding it off with some very clever orchestration. Following the opening number, Mrs. Redman and Mrs. Falconer were well received when they offered a vocal duet for the approval of a very appreciative audience. They were ably accompanied at the piano by Mr. Redman. A violin solo by Mrs. Redman, accompanied by Mr. Redman at the piano, was one that in the opinion of music lovers was very good indeed.

Miss Vandermere appeared next and made the hit of the evening when she suddenly changed from a falsetto to a very masculine tenor. This young lady, who has caused many wondering residents a little loss of sleep, proved to be none other than Verne Hawkin, one of the young men about town. He was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. A. D. Chappell.

The Hazelton Glee Club followed and proved just what can be accomplished with a little effort. The first public appearance of this recently organized group proved to be a success and Mr. Redman, the director, is deserving of a great deal of credit for his work in this connection.

The program took a slight change when Professor Kookoo, the talkative proprietor of a travelling medicine show and his trusty assistant Ferlando, a Hindu Prince, with all the appearances of a rube, endeavored to sell or give away their panacea for all ills and sure cure to the blues. The audience was held spellbound when Jimmie Adams, as the professor, proceeded to stick a sword into a large box containing his assistant, Jimmie Cox, when loud cries were cause for the box to be opened, revealing that escape was impossible due to the fact that his trousers were caught on a nail.

A touch of opera was added when selections from "The Mikado" were presented as a closing for the first part of the evening's entertainment. The first number, "Three Little Maids From School," offered by Misses Cox, Chappell and Sutherland, was followed with a solo "The Sun Whose Rays" by Miss Rock, followed with the ensemble singing the final number from "Act Two" of "The Mikado."

The ten-minute intermission which followed proved to be a colorful one indeed when two members of the cast, Art Irvine and Bill Lloyd, arrayed in comedy costume, endeavored to pry the patrons loose from their small change in exchange for chewing gum, chocolate bars, etc., which they loudly offered for sale.

Second Half
The second half of the program opened with a Hawaiian guitar duet offered by Mr. Bannister and Verne Hawken and was well received.

This number was followed by a vaudeville skit entitled "Cupid is Speedy," being well handled by Miss Mabel Cox and Bud Bell proving to be a real hit.

Miss Rock followed with a vocal solo accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Chappell. Verne Hawken assisted with the Hawaiian guitar during the encore.

The one-act comedy entitled "Crossed Wires" held the audience spellbound until the final curtain. The scene opened in the home of Stanley Arnold, with Betty, the maid, arranging the living room when the door bell rings. On answering it, she finds that it is a telegram for herself telling of her sis-

ter's arrival. She leaves to arrange her room and the master of the house enters and picks up the telegram thinking that it is for himself and from a girl that he had met previously. From this time on the messenger boy is kept quite busy with telegrams for different members of the household and all from people whose identity they wish to keep a secret. The climax comes when the door bell rings and the maid is heard welcoming Lucy, Jack and Charlotte with the household fainting from the shock. The visitors turn out to be friends of the maid, and, while they are being introduced, the messenger arrives with cops who proves to be the butler's dog. The show was a success and went a long way to prove that it isn't always wise to read other person's telegrams.

The cast as they appeared were Betty, the maid, Ralphena Wrinch; Stanley Arnold, the husband, Verne Hawken; Clara Arnold, the wife, Mrs. Cox; Briggs, the butler, Frank Wheatley; Uncle Will, Stanley's brother, Harold Wrinch; Lucy, Lois Anderson; Jack, Bud Bell; Charlotte, Thelma Cox, and the messenger, Happy Cox.

Immediately following the play, Mr. Redman offered two splendid piano selections which were well received by the audience and certainly left an air of satisfaction and feeling that the evening had been

a huge success. The closing song by the entire company brought to a close a good two and a half hours' entertainment.

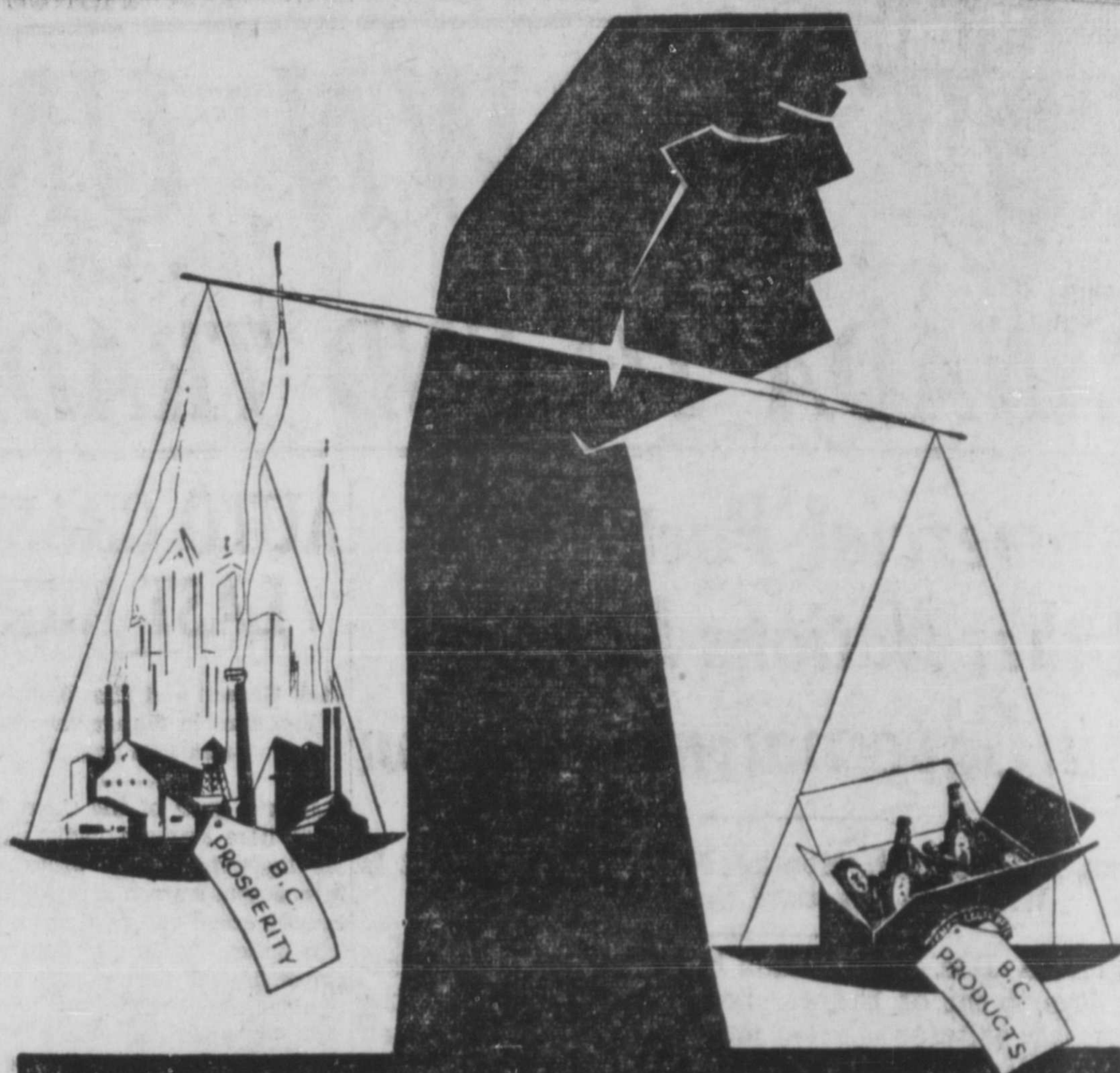
Inspector John Macdonald, provincial police, is sailing this evening for Vancouver where he will spend the Christmas holidays.

RETURNED TO PORT

C. N. R. steamer Prince Rupert, Capt. Dan Donald, returned to port at 8:45 this morning from Anxox and Stewart and will sail at 6 o'clock this evening for Vancouver via Ocean Falls and Powell River. She is making a specially scheduled Christmas sailing south.

SAILS THIS EVENING

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Col. and Mrs. J. W. Nicholls and family will sail this evening on the Prince Rupert for Vancouver where they will spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season.

F. A. Russell, chief engineer of the lighthouse tender Newington, will sail tonight on the Cardena for Vancouver where he will spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season.

William Tolin, who has been on a brief trip to Stewart on business in connection with Portland Canal mining interests, is a passenger on board the Prince Rupert today returning to Vancouver.

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25 Dozen garments, non-run rayon silk fabric, in a variety of styles and trims; 5 shades; for Dollar Day only—
Vest & Bloomer Sets—Nightgowns—Princess Slips, assorted styles—French Combinations—Saturday only; All at \$1

Ladies' Boxed Handkerchiefs

250 Boxes hand embroidered Handkerchiefs; plain white and colored Swiss lawn; boxed, 3 handkerchiefs in box; reg. value \$1.00 50c and 75c per box; 3 boxes for \$1.00
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Ladies' Georgette and Crepe-de-Chine Scarfs

Extra heavy georgette Scarfs assorted colors; full size oblong shape; the very newest styles and printing; reg. \$1.95 each \$1.00 Dollar Day, each

Ladies' Silk and Wool Hose

Pure wool and silk mixed Hose; seamless; in 4 shades; extra good wearing \$1.00 stocking; all sizes; 2 pair for \$1.00

Ladies' Non-Run Bloomers

10 Dozen finest quality non-run Bloomers, 7 shades, all sizes, 2 pair Vests to match bloomers \$1.00 2 for \$1.00

Toys, Books, Dolls, Games

All made up in one group for quick selling; values up to \$1.00 Any two articles in group for \$1.00

Rayon Silk Curtain Nets

Four patterns, English rayon net double tailored edge, 2 yds for \$1.00

Kayser and Orient Chiffon and Semi Service Hose

50 Dozen Kayser and Orient Chiffon and service weight hose; full fashioned; chiffon silk to top with new cradle foot; all entirely new shades; Saturday only \$1.00 per pair

May-Belle De Luxe Lingerie

Vest & Bloomer Sets—Nightgowns—Pyjamas—Princess Slips, Assorted styles; \$2.95 val. 1.79

Rayon Brocade

375 Yards best quality rayon Brocade in five shades; Dollar Day 3 1/2 yards for \$1.00

Towel Sets Cellophane Wrapped Ribbon Tied

Neatly made up in gift package; assorted colors; one large bath towel and \$1.00 face cloth; 2 packages for \$1.00 A better grade larger bath towel and 2 face cloths for \$1.00

Nova Silk Non-Run Panties

New style and designs; assorted shades and sizes \$1.00

Universal Sweaters

A complete range of samples; men's, boys', girls' and ladies'; 150 sweaters, all in perfect condition, marked at 33 1-3% off regular price.

Dainty Frilled Curtain Sets

Full size, assorted trims, curtains, valens and tie backs, per set \$1.00

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Samples in various styles and colors, squares and oblong shapes; values to \$2.50 each; For \$1.00

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25 Dozen pairs Silk and Wool Socks, in all the very newest designs; regular value 75c and \$1.00 pair; Dollar Day 2 pairs for \$1.00

Hotel Arrivals

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Prince Rupert's leading family hotel. Hot and cold water in all rooms.
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Dan S. Hill, field engineer for the Timmins interests, arrived in town yesterday afternoon from Porcher Island where he has been inspecting properties for his principals.

W. E. Ballie of the Canadian National Steamships engineering department will sail by the ss. Prince Rupert this evening on his return to Vancouver after a brief visit here on official duties.

UNION STEAMSHIPS

SPECIAL WINTER EXCURSION FARES. Effective November 1st (Good to February 29, 1932).
REDUCED FIRST-CLASS RETURN FARES. From PRINCE RUPERT (including Meals and Berth) To Vancouver and Victoria \$40.00 ret. TO PRINCE RUPERT (Including Meals and Berth) From OCEAN FALLS \$21.35 ret. From ANYOK ...\$13.35 ret. From STEWART ... \$16.70 ret.
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BALL IS SUCCESS

Gyro Club Holds Colorful Affair For Purpose of Aiding in Winter Relief Work

The charity ball held by the Gyro Club in the Moose Hall last night for the purpose of raising funds for winter relief work was a very colorful, happy and enjoyable affair. A generous measure of patronage was accorded the function and quite a large crowd was in attendance.

Handsome seasonal decorations, arranged by a committee headed by President C. C. Mills, made a pretty feature. Charles P. Balagno and his Venetian Orchestra played from a veritable grove of evergreens illuminated by pretty colored lights. Evergreens and Christmas adornments were much in evidence and Gyro emblems were also to be seen. There was an attractive ceiling of pink and white tissue streamers from end to end of the hall. Many beautiful costumes worn by the ladies fittingly matched the scene. Dancing commenced at 9 p.m. and concluded at 3 a.m. Card tables had been provided for those not raring to dance. William Mitchell was a genial master of ceremonies.

At midnight delicious refreshments provided by the Gyrettes and other friends were served. Members of the club had charge of the serving.

General chairman for the ball was L. W. Waugh. H. A. Breen, M. M. McLachlan and S. J. Jabour presided at the door.

Committee heads were: Decorations—C. C. Mills. Publicity—Sam Jabour. Program—William Mitchell. Treasurer—H. A. Breen. Refreshments—Mrs. L. W. Waugh. Mayor and Mrs. C. H. Orme were patrons of the affair.

TELLS ABOUT RELIEF WORK

Slight Addition to Taxes But Benefit Was Great in Several Respects, Says Alderman

While the unemployment relief work being done in the city will add somewhat to the city debt and cost one mill on the dollar in fixed charges, it is also of very considerable benefit to the city, according to Alderman H. F. Pullen, who spoke briefly at the Rotary Club luncheon yesterday on the subject. He stated that, of the \$100,000 being expended here, approximately \$50,000 was being borne by the Dominion Government, \$20,000 by the Provincial Government and \$30,000 by the city and the annual payments on the city's share would amount to about \$2,500.

At the present time 328 men were employed and the number was still increasing. It was hoped, however, that very soon the number would begin to decrease as the men began to get ready for fishing. The present provision for unemployment relief would last until about the end of March, according to present estimates, but, after that time, the men would have to rustle for themselves, as it seemed just now as if there would be no means of raising further funds for relief purposes.

As a result of the expenditure of \$100,000 in the city the merchants benefitted very considerably. Work of a permanent nature was done under the scheme which would have had to be done eventually by the city and would have cost more. As one instance, there was the big fill near the Booth Memorial School which would otherwise have had to be done some day from general revenue. Also on the cross streets, the city usually assumed 75% of the cost. Under this scheme the cost to the city was only 30% of the whole and the property owners paid nothing. This was a decided advantage.

Hockey Standings

International Division				
	W.	D.	L.	P.
Canadiens	6	2	5	14
Americans	5	3	4	13
Toronto	4	3	4	11
Maroons	4	1	8	9
American Division				
	W.	D.	L.	P.
Rangers	8	2	2	18
Boston	5	1	5	11
Detroit	4	2	6	10
Chicago	3	4	5	10

FALCONS BEAT BLACK HAWKS

Canadiens Take First Place in International Section of National Hockey League

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Detroit Falcons defeated Chicago Black Hawks by a score of four to one here last night and went into third place in the American section of the National Hockey League, even with the Hawks.

Montreal Canadiens defeated the New York Americans at Montreal and displaced the Gotham team from first place in the international section. The score was one to nil.

New York Rangers won out 5 to 4 over Montreal Maroons in a keenly contested overtime battle at New York.

Fulham Advances To Third Round In English Cup

LONDON, Dec. 18.—Fulham eliminated Yeovil Petters yesterday in a replay in the second round of the English Football Cup competition. The score was 5 to 2.

J. E. Seaman, western representative of Page & Hill Co., Minneapolis pole buying concern, who has been on a visit to the city and central interior district, will sail on the Prince Rupert this evening en route back to Spokane.

C.P.R. steamer Princess Mary, Capt. S. K. Gray, arrived in port at 1:15 this afternoon from the south and will sail at 10 p.m. on her return to Vancouver and waypoints.

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FRESH PASTEURIZED MILK AND CREAM DAILY
Early Delivery Throughout the City

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In Special Christmas Packages

All these brands are nationally known, of unquestionable merit and always give the utmost in satisfaction and enjoyment.

	TINS OF 50	TINS OF 100
WINCHESTER CIGARETTES	60c	\$1.20
4 packs of 20 each		\$1.00
TURRET CIGARETTES	60c	\$1.20
DIXIE CIGARETTES	60c	\$1.20
MILLBANK CIGARETTES	70c	\$1.40
PLAYER'S CIGARETTES	85c	\$1.70

Tobaccos
In Attractive Christmas Wrappings

Choose any of these tobaccos... they will satisfy the smoker who is a keen judge of tobacco.

	PRICE	PACKED IN
OLD CHUM TOBACCO	90c	1/2 pound tins
OLD CHUM FINE CUT	90c	1/2 pound tins
TURRET PIPE TOBACCO	80c	1/2 pound tins
PICCADILLY SMOKING MIXTURE	\$1.50	1/2 pound glass jars
PICOBAC SMOKING TOBACCO	75c	1/2 pound tins

Cigars
In Attractive Christmas Packs and Boxes

Give any of these cigars... their proved merit is a guarantee that your Christmas present will be enjoyed.

WILSON'S BACHELOR CIGARS	10c each (Packs of 10, Box of 25)
ROBERT BURNS INVINCIBLES	15c each (Box of 25)
ROBERT BURNS PANETELAS	10c each (Packs of 10, Box of 25)
LA PALINA LILIES	15c each (Box of 25)
STONEWALL JACKSON	5c each (Packs of 10, Box of 25)
ARABELA CIGARS	5c each (Packs of 10, Box of 25)
COLUMBIA LITTLE CIGARS	4 packs of 10 \$1.00

Give CIGARS, CIGARETTES and TOBACCOS
Tastefully Wrapped for the Holiday Season

IMPERIAL TOBACCO COMPANY OF CANADA, LIMITED

Joe Brown's Confectionery
For Neilson's Fine Chocolates
From 25c to \$4.00
These prices are one-third lower than ever before
CHRISTMAS CRACKERS
Everything for the Smokers Christmas Gift and comfort.
Come in and inspect our stock

The Grotto Cigar Store
Carries a full line of all kinds of Cigarettes, Cigars, Tobaccos, Pipes, Pouches, Lighters and all other Smokers' Accessories.
Lowney's Choice Chocolates
Fresh stock in Christmas Presentation Boxes. If leaving town, place your order now and we will deliver it on Christmas Eve.

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

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FOR SALE
FOR SALE — Cary Safe. Apply Daily News.

FOR SALE — Good used cars at right prices. Kaen Motors Ltd. tf

FOR SALE — Ladies' Navy Chin-chilla Coat; Colman Lamp; double hot plate. Phone Red 687. tf

FOR SALE — For your family's Christmas present, a player piano in excellent condition, modern 82 note with 15 rolls, \$175. Walker's Music Store. 298

FOR RENT
FOR RENT — Furnished 4 room flat with bath. Phone 547. tf

FOUR and five-room apartments for rent. Mussallem Grocery. (11)

WANTED
WANTED — Money to loan on First Mortgage. Revenue producing property. Apply by letter to P. O. Box 890, City. 298

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CAPABLE educated woman, experienced cook, requires position housekeeper to business couple or several men. Apply Box 117 Daily News or Phone 37. 293

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Doll Carriages, from \$1.35
Baby Blankets 75c
Walnut End Tables, from \$2.50
Nest of Tables, Solid Walnut extra special \$26.50
Cherry Wood Table, a beauty \$14.00
We appreciate your support and we would welcome you to our store.
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Apply T. Glenn and R. Viereck
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Typewriters for Rent
by day, week or month
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TRANSFERS
B. & R. TRANSFER. Cartage and Furniture Moving. Phone 204. tf
CAMERON'S Transfer Phone 177 for Dry Birch, Cedar and Jack Pine. tf

SHOE REPAIRS
MAC SHOE HOSPITAL. Shoes repaired. Second Avenue West. tf
SHOE REPAIRS—Best materials—finest work—prices reasonable. Sharman Co., opposite Post Office. tf

BOARD AND ROOM
ROOM AND BOARD. Phone Red 129. tf
PALMISTRY
MRS. JAMES CLARK, Palmistry and Crystal Reading. Federal Block. Phone Green 701.

Mail Schedule
CLOSES AT POST OFFICE:
For the East—
Monday, Wednesday and Friday 2 p.m.
From the East—
Saturday, Tuesday and Thursday 10:40 a.m.
For Vancouver—
Tuesday 12:30 noon
Thursday 9 p.m.
Friday 11 p.m.
December 2 p.m.
Dec. 20 p.m.
From Vancouver—
Sunday p.m.
Wednesday 10:30 a.m.
Friday p.m.
Dec. 16 a.m.
Dec. 30 a.m.

For Stewart and Anyox—
Sunday 8 p.m.
Wednesday 4 p.m.
From Stewart and Anyox—
Tuesday 11:30 a.m.
Thursday 8 p.m.
For Naas River and Port Simpson—
Sunday 8 p.m.
From Naas River and Port Simpson—
Tuesday 11:30 a.m.
For Queen Charlotte Islands—
Dec. 19 9 p.m.
From Queen Charlotte Islands—
Dec. 17 9 p.m.
For Alaska—
Dec. 16 a.m.
Dec. 30 a.m.
Dec. 30—ss. Princess Norah a.m.
From Alaska—
Dec. 20—ss. Princess Norah p.m.
From Skeena River—
Friday—ss. Cardena p.m.
From Alaska—
December 2 p.m.
Dec. 20 p.m.

+ The following is the scale of charges made for reading notices:
+ Marriage and Engagement announcements \$2.
+ Birth Notices 50c.
+ Funeral Notices \$1.
+ Cards of Thanks, \$2.
+ Funeral Flowers 10c per name.

Pupils of East End School Gave Delightful Entertainment on Thursday Evening

Having been trained by their teachers, Miss Margaret Palmer and Miss Hester Wright, pupils of Seal Cove School gave a delightful closing concert Thursday evening. There was a large and appreciative audience in attendance at the entertainment. The program was as follows:
O Canada.
Christmas Carol, Grades 1 and 2.
Recitation, Ruby Gomez.
Clapping Song, Grades 1 and 2.
Recitation, "Bruce and the Spider," Kazi Nishio.
Dance, "Gavotte," Helen Leslie and Marie Sorenson.
Recitation, David Baillie.
Christmas Carol, Grades 3 and 4.
Recitation, Flora Leslie.
Recitation, Patricia Anderson.
Song Playlet, "The Birds," Grades 3 and 4.
Snow Frolic, Grades 1 and 2.
Recitation, Norman Sievert.
Lullaby, "Sweet and Low," Grades 3 and 4.
"Upside-Down" Drill, Grade 2.
Duet, "Christmas for Two," Eileen Hemmons and Margaret Wallace.
Japanese Fan Dance, Yoli Hirano and Yoshiko Nagasuye.
Singing Dialogue, Marie Sorenson and Fletcher Hemmons.
Recitation, Shigimi Nagasuye.
Play, "Care of the Teeth," Grades 3 and 4.
Recitation, Ian Macdonald.
Chorus, "Up in the Housetop," Grade 1 and 2.
Dance, "Irish Jig," Dorothy and Margaret Fowler.
"How We Caught Santa," Grades 3 and 4.
"God Save the King."

STORM ON PUGET SD.

Seattle Visited By 70-Mile Gale—No Serious Damage Reported
SEATTLE, Dec. 18.—A 70-mile gale swept over Puget Sound yesterday. Storm warning had been issued before the tempest and little serious damage is reported as a result of the gale.

WINS FIRST HALF WHIST

Grotto Victorious By Margin of One Point Over Moose and Sons of Norway
By defeating Oddfellows last night, Grotto emerged winners of the first half of the Fraternal Whist League season with a margin of one point over Moose and Sons of Norway who were runners-up. Last night's scores were as follows:
Legion 7, Seal Cove 2.
Sons of Norway 6, Fish Packers 3.
Moose 6, Totem Park 3.
Empress 6, Musketeers 3.
Grotto 5, I. O. O. F. 4.
Mr. and Mrs. William Cruikshank and son will sail this evening on the Prince Rupert for a vacation trip to Vancouver. Mr. Cruikshank is city ticket agent for the Canadian National Railways here.

Cheapest and Best Christmas Present Offered this Season

The Daily News is co-operating with those who wish to give a Christmas present to a friend anywhere in British Columbia outside the city of Prince Rupert. All that is necessary is to cut out the appended coupon, fill it in, wrap a fifty cent piece in it and we do the rest. We send the paper to any person who is not already a subscriber.

Fill out the coupon at once and we see that the paper is sent to commence at Christmas.

The value of a six months subscription to the paper is \$1.50 which we give for this purpose for fifty cents. That is our co-operation to your Christmas present.

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To Circulation Manager, Daily News,
Prince Rupert, B.C.

Please send the Daily News for 6 months to—

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Name

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Cut out this coupon. Fill in the blanks. Wrap it around half a dollar and mail.

A GIFT THAT KEEPS COMING FOR SIX FULL MONTHS

Keep your friend posted on Prince Rupert and its future activities.

THE DAILY NEWS

PHONE — 98



Auction SALE of Household Goods

ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19 at 2 p.m. on the premises 440-6th Avenue West

Instructed by the owner I will sell without reserve contents of apartment consisting—

CHANCELLOR GURNEY OXFORD RANGE; Dining Room Suite; Victor Gramophone and Records; large carpet; cedar chest; Davenport; small reversible rug; hall mirror; pictures; glassware; smoker stands; two card tables; 2 parlor lamps; Trays; magazine stand; (wall) books; kitchen table; 4 chairs; rocker; tools; beds; dressers; dishes, pots and pans and miscellaneous articles.

Goods on view Sat. morning.

G. J. Dawes

THE AUCTIONEER
Phone Red 633

Guide to Correspondents

The Daily News welcomes correspondence on live topics of the day or any other subject of public interest, but letters must be brief and to the point. The long-winded correspondent has no place in modern journalism.

Every letter must be signed by the writer, not necessarily for publication but as a matter of good faith and courtesy. All unsigned documents go to the waste paper basket. Letters of a caustic character must have the signature appended for publication.

Letter should be written on one side of the paper only. Correspondents must avoid personalities and the language should be such as would be allowed in the ordinary rules of debate.

"TILLIE THE TOILER"

Easily Influenced —By Westover.



Panel 1: "I MUST ASK YOU TO LEAVE NOW, MISS JONES - IT'S TIME FOR MR. MACDOUGALL TO TAKE HIS NAP." "YES, I KNOW"

Panel 2: "OH, I CAME TO SEE DR. CHISELWELL ABOUT HAVING MR. MACDOUGALL'S NURSE CHANGED." "I'M DR. CLARK HIS ASSISTANT HAVE A CHAIR WHAT SEEMS TO BE THE TROUBLE WITH MISS HAYES"

Panel 3: "I THINK MAC SHOULD HAVE A MORE MATRONLY TYPE IF YOU KNOW WHAT I MEAN." "I THINK MISS HAYES IS A GOOD NURSE FOR HIM BUT IF I WERE IN HIS PLACE I'D PREFER A TYPE MORE LIKE MORE"

Panel 4: "MISS JONES - AND MAYBE YOU'RE RIGHT ABOUT WHAT YOU SAID." "I KNOW I'M RIGHT MISS JONES"

Our Down-Stairs Store

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Brassware From India and China	Aeropacks, Suit Cases & Club Bags	Floor Lamps and Fancy Table Lamps
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Sterling Silver & Hollow Ware

Reduced prices on Community Plate and extra special value in our new Monterey Pattern. Don't overlook this wonderful value. Carving Sets.

Pipes, Cigarette and Cigar Holders, Cigarette and Cigar Cases. Bargain prices on Ladies' Hand Bags and Umbrellas. Also Ivory, Pearl-Tone and Sterling Toilet Ware.

There is a Thrill in Giving and Receiving the Best that Money Can Buy in Any Gift

Hamilton, Waltham and Elgin Watches **Sheaffer and Waterman Pens and Pencils**

For Ladies and Gents, are the finest and most reliable time-keepers made. All kinds of Clocks, including the New Electric.



Your name counter-sunk in 22-K Gold free on any Pen or Pencil over \$2.00.

We cordially invite you to come in and inspect our store. Friendly service. No obligation to buy.

STORE OPEN EVENINGS

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Third Avenue

CONCERT IS PRESENTED

Pupils of Booth Memorial School Give Entertainment

The Booth Memorial School Christmas concert was held in the auditorium yesterday afternoon in the presence of the scholars, Miss E. A. Mercer, principal, being chairman. The program included a very fine sketch, "Broken Toys" by the pupils of Grade 2. In this the part of the Fairy Queen was taken by Edith Ritchie, Santa Claus by Jack Carson and the mother by Helen Doctor. In addition, there were pretty fairies and elves as well as four "broken toys." An action song "French Dolls" was well acted and sweetly sung by pupils of Grade 1 with Betty Wilkinson, and Elsie Mervold taking the leading parts.

A stocking drill by the boys of Grades 3 and 4 and a pretty wand dance by the girls from the same divisions were good numbers. Pupils from Grades 5 and 6 staged a very colorful Indian play called the "Passing of the Red Men," with Beryl Birch making a typical chief, Tony Christianson a worthy son and Mairie Matheson a realistic Indian squaw. Pupils of Grades 7 and 8 sang the Christmas Carols, "Good King Wenceslas," in which solo parts were taken by Betty Elison and Allan Kergin, and a dainty French carol "Bring a Torch, Jeanette, Isabella." Later in two humorous songs "The Owl and the Pussycat" and a dramatized version of "The Camel's Hump," with Bob Elkins and Allan Kergin the principal parts, the Senior grades again sang sweetly.

Choruses by the whole school included "Deck the Hall," "Good Christian Men, Rejoice" and "The First Noel." Miss E. P. Grassie was accompanist with Miss E. A. Mercer and Miss Phyllis Lamb assisting. The program began with the singing of "O Canada" and was concluded by the singing of the National Anthem.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. S. Wilkinson of Terrace is paying a brief visit to town, having arrived from the interior on yesterday's train.

C. R. Cocks, James J. Donaldson and Miss Mae Donaldson were overnight visitors in town from Port Essington.

Ben Sampson is sailing this evening on the Prince Rupert for a holiday trip to Vancouver and elsewhere in the south.

R. G. Ford, who has been on a brief business trip to Ocean Falls, returned home from the paper town on the Princess Mary this afternoon.

W. Cavaller and D. Cavaller arrived in the city on the Prince Rupert this morning from Anyox to spend the Christmas holiday at their home here.

Inspector A. S. Cooper, R.C.M.P., who has been on an inspection tour of this district, will sail by the Prince Rupert this evening on his return to Vancouver.

WEATHER REPORT

Dead Tree Point—Part cloudy, fresh southwest wind; barometer, 29.34; temperature, 32; heavy swell.

Triple Island—Part cloudy, strong southeast wind; heavy swell.

Christmas

Christmas time is an eventful time in life for young and old. The grown-ups as well as the children look for good things to eat and make merry. Mussallem's stores are prepared to cater to your needs and have priced everything down to rock bottom.

WE HAVE THE FOLLOWING SPECIALS TO OFFER OUR PATRONS FOR THIS WEEK

Australian Raisins—Seedless, 7 lbs.	\$1.00
Cluster Table Raisins—1-lb. box	25c
Table Figs—per lb.	20c
Fresh Hallowei Dates—3 lbs. for	25c
7 lbs.	50c
for	
Shelled Walnuts—3 lbs. for	\$1.00
Mixed Nuts—Fresh arrival	25c
per lb.	
5 lbs.	\$1.00
for	
Eggs—Storage Extras	\$1.00
3 doz. for	
Butter—Forestdale and Home Glen, per lb.	25c
Gainer's Bacon—per lb.	23c
Gainer's Cottage Roll—Boneles ham, per lb.	18c
Blue Ribbon Tea—A standard for years, 1's, per lb.	45c
Blue Ribon Tea—per 2 1/2-lb. pkg.	\$1.10
Canned Raspberries—2's per tin	25c
Pineapple Pure Marmalade 4-lb. tins	60c
Robertson's Imported Marmalade, per 4-lb. tin	60c
Peas—No. 3 Sieve, good and tender, 3 tins for	40c
Aylmer Spinach—2 2 1/2-lb. tins	35c
Heinz Tomato Catsup—2 large bottles	45c
Campbell's Tomato Soup—3 tins for	25c

EXTRA SPECIAL

Chocolate Bars—Reg. 5c seller, 8 bars for	25c
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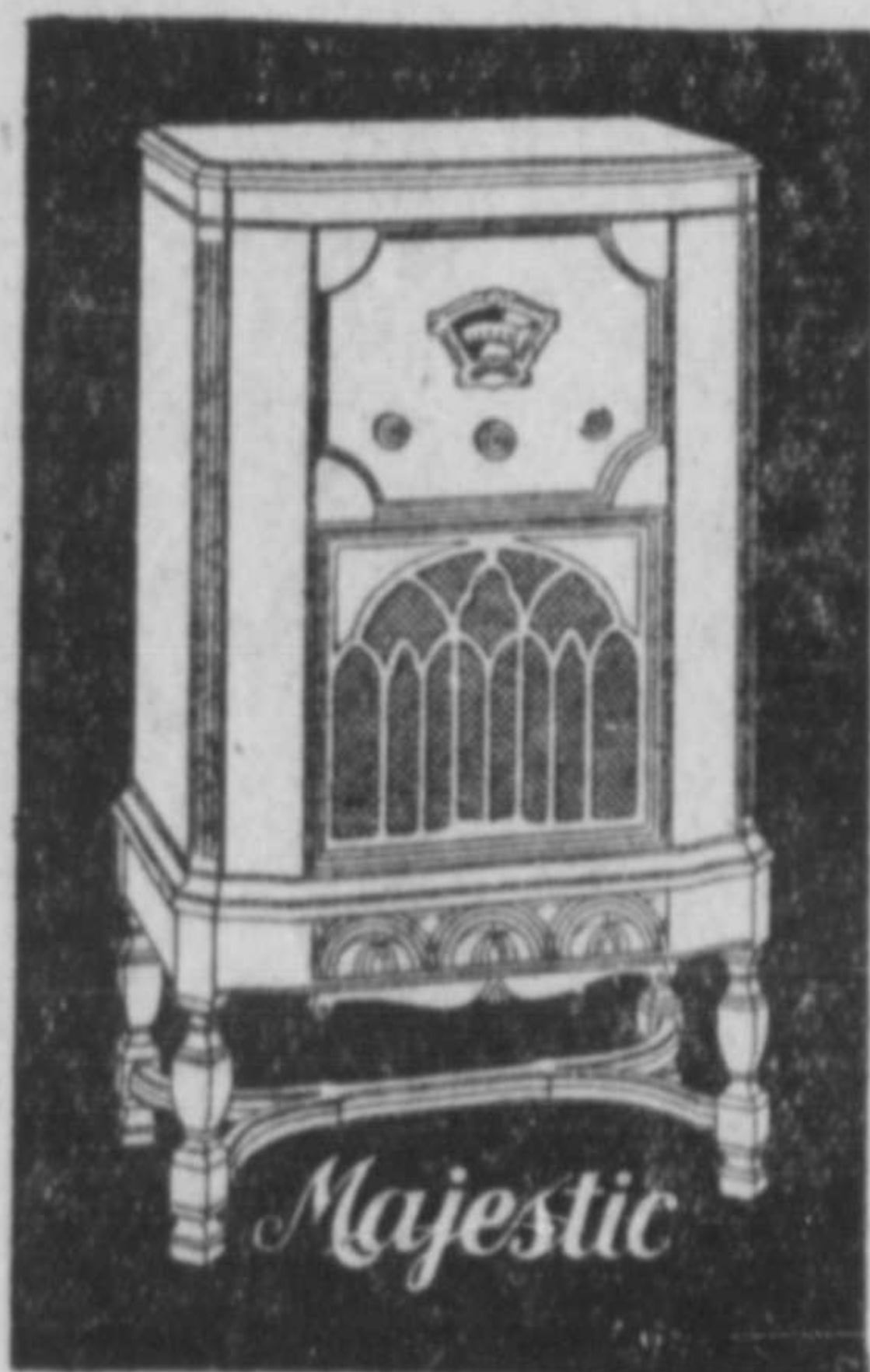
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