

# American Gunboat Sunk By Japs

## The Daily News

NORTHERN AND CENTRAL BRITISH COLUMBIA'S NEWSPAPER

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., MONDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1937.

### Today's Weather

(8 A.M.)  
Prince Rupert — raining, south-east wind, 18 miles per hour; barometer, 29.64 (falling); temperature, 42; choppy sea.

### Tomorrow's Tides

High ..... 10:03 a.m. 21.0 ft.  
23:00 p.m. 18.0 ft.  
Low ..... 3:27 a.m. 8.3 ft.  
16:46 p.m. 4.6 ft.

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### BUSINESS IS BETTER

Condition in Canada At End of October Not Excelled Since August 1930—Public Revenue Up

OTTAWA, December 13 (Canadian Press)—Business conditions up to the end of October in Canada were better than at any time since August 1930, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reports in a review covering the first ten months of the year. The Canadian Treasury issues a statement showing total revenue for the first eight months of the current fiscal year at 260,000,000 an increase of \$57,000,000 over the corresponding period last year.

### ARE NOW RESCUED

Passengers of President Hoover At Manila—Salvage Being Attempted

MANILA, Dec. 13: (CP)—The liner President McKinley arrived here today from the Island of Formosa with between 380 and 400 passengers of the stranded liner President Hoover. They had spent a couple of days on Formosa after being landed.

A skeleton crew had been left on board the President Hoover which is reported to be leaking badly. Salvage tugs from Manila are at the scene of the stranding and will endeavor to pull the Hoover from the reef. Divers were today endeavoring to ascertain extent of damage.

The Hoover was enroute from San Francisco to the Philippines and the stranding occurred during the run from Yokohama to Manila. To keep clear of the Oriental war zone, she was using the "outside" instead of the "inside" passage.

Two American destroyers, Alden and Baker, are standing by.

### Tell-Tale Dead Men

Old Jamaicans Deported Creditor's Corpse On Debtor's Dorstep

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Dec. 13 (CP)—Dead men may tell no tales but in the late 80's before slavery was abolished in Jamaica they frequently "dunned" their creditors. It was the custom, then, for the relatives to deposit the corpse of the erstwhile creditor on the step of the unhappy debtor and to leave it there until a satisfactory settlement had been arranged.

### Vancouver Wheat

VANCOUVER, December 13 (Canadian Press)—Wheat was trading at \$1.28 on the Vancouver market Friday, advancing to \$1.29 Saturday and to \$1.29½ today.

### AN OLD MISTAKE

BROCKVILLE, Ont., Dec. 13: (CP) It can—and did—happen here. An elderly rural visitor attempted to mail a letter in the fire alarm box here during a Saturday noon hour traffic rush.

Dr. Neal Carter, director of the Prince Rupert Fisheries Experimental Station, returned to the city on the Catala Sunday evening from a trip to Vancouver and Vancouver Island. Dr. Carter was accompanied by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carter who will spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season here.

### Aberhart Not Discouraged

OTTAWA, Dec. 13: (CP)—Subordinate legislation will be passed if the Supreme Court of Canada and the Privy Council decide unfavorably on the three acts upon which assent was withheld by the Lieutenant Governor, Premier William Aberhart said in an address at the week-end.

### BULLETINS

#### XTMAS RELIEF BONUS

Persons on relief in Prince Rupert will receive a Christmas bonus, as authorized recently by the provincial government, it was announced today by City Commissioner W. J. Alder. Families will get \$3.20 extra and single persons, \$1.20.

#### RUSS ELECTION

MOSCOW—Ninety million Russians yesterday voted in the first general election to be held with secret ballots in the Soviet Republic. The result was but a mere ratification of the government's hand-picked nomination. There were only government nominees with no real opposition candidate, for 1133 seats in the two chambers. Dictator Joseph Stalin was the unanimous choice for one of the seats. Polling booths were fitted up like clubs with chess games, lunch counters and orchestras.

#### MUSSOLINI ACCLAIMED

ROME—Addressing a hysterical assemblage of thousands of Roman citizens from the balcony of his official residence, Palazzo Venezia, following a meeting of the Fascist Grand Council, Premier Benito Mussolini Saturday night made the expected announcement of Italy's resignation from the League of Nations.

#### FLOODS IN CALIFORNIA

SAN FRANCISCO—Three days of torrential rains in Northern California have resulted in 5000 persons being rendered homeless, four deaths, thousands of acres of fertile farm lands inundated and millions of dollars damage.

#### SCHMELING VS. THOMAS

NEW YORK—Max Schmeling, former world's heavyweight boxing champion, tipped the scales at 196 pounds even today and Harry Thomas of Chicago was one-quarter of a pound more when they weighed in for their fifteen round bout at Madison Square Garden tonight. The 32-year-old German is a heavy favorite to beat the westerner and expects himself to win by knockout.

#### SESSION NEXT MONTH

OTTAWA—Announcement of the date of the next session of Parliament is expected to be made this week. It will probably open on the third or fourth Thursday in January. Premier King is due back from Florida this week. Opposition Leader Bennett returned Saturday from the west.

#### ARGOS WIN OVER PEG

TORONTO—Toronto Argonauts won the Canadian senior rugby football championship on Saturday by defeating Winnipeg Blue Bombers by a score of four to three in a hard fought game on the frozen field of University of Toronto Stadium.

### REGULATING OF FISHING

Local Halibut Boat Owners' Hear What Was Asked at Recent Commission Meeting in Seattle

The Canadian Halibut Vessel Owners' Association held a meeting yesterday to receive a report from its delegates, Capt. J. M. Morrison and Capt. Charles Giske, to the recent conference in Seattle with the international Fisheries Commission. All the fleets were agreed on the following representations to the Commission in regard to future regulations:

1. That the yearly quota be raised to 54,000 pounds.
2. That Commission be asked to handle curtailment providing that it be subject to an advisory board of boat owners and fishermen and that control by the commission may be terminated by the request of the majority of boats fishing five trips or more the preceding year.
3. That all halibut boats, regardless of size, be registered. (Now only boats of five tons or over are registered.)
4. That the landing of all halibut under five pounds in weight with the head off be prohibited.
5. That the use of hooks smaller than 62-83 and 62-84 be prohibited.
6. That there be only a clearance date for Area No. 3. (This year there was also a date for closing of fishing.)
7. That the Commission be requested to take steps to exterminate sea lions.

Other recommendations by individual fleets were placed before the Commission which promised to take the representations into consideration in the drawing up of future regulations. Capt. Giske returned last Wednesday from Seattle, Capt. Morrison getting back on Friday.

### Revenues Rise In Australia

Substantial Increase In Customs Collections Down Under

CANBERRA, Dec. 13 (CP)—Customs figures issued here indicate the buoyancy of Australian revenue.

Customs revenue for the four months ended October 31 amounted to £15,892,000 (\$63,568,000) an increase of £1,015,000 (\$4,060,000) on the amount collected in the corresponding period last year, and £512,500 (\$2,060,000) more than the budget estimate for the period. Revenue in October amounted to £3,975,000 (\$15,900,000)—an increase of £292,000 (\$808,000) over October 1936.

### Franco Stamps Not Accepted

International Incident Occurs At Costa Rica—Letters Marked "Postage Due"

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica, Dec. 13 (CP)—Postage stamps caused an international incident here when Spanish insurgents protested because letters bearing stamps of the Franco Government were marked "postage due" and the postage collected before delivery. The government of Costa Rica says the stamps are not recognized by the International Postal Union.

Mrs. Richard Woods returned to the city on the Catala last night from a trip to Vancouver.

# British War Vessel Is Struck Four Times In Yangste River; Constitute Serious Incidents

## French Plotter Canadian Born

PARIS, Dec. 13: (CP)—A man born in Saskatchewan, Charles Tenaille, has been arrested as French police continue their investigation of Les Cagoulards, secret hooded men, who are accused of plotting to set up a monarchy and dictatorship in France. Born in Maple Creek, Saskatchewan, in 1905, Tenaille is now an engineer in Paris. He is a brother of Andre Tenaille who was arrested on December 4 as the alleged leader of the armament section of the conspiracy.

## CARNEGIE BENEFITS

Steel Magnate's Legacies Continue To Assist Canadian Social Enterprises

NEW YORK, Dec. 13 (CP)—The income of the huge fortune accumulated by Andrew Carnegie who rose from lowly birth in Scotland to a steel empire in the United States, still is being poured year by year on the educational projects dear to his heart.

In his annual report, just published, Frederick P. Keppel, president of the Carnegie Corporation of New York, announced organization of the Canadian Association for Adult Education and reviewed the progress of the work in Eastern Canada. He said:

"The unique program in adult education and in rural economy centering in the Roman Catholic College of St. Francis Xavier in Nova Scotia and supported by the corporation since 1932 has now spread to Prince Edward Island. "There the work is being directed from St. Dunstan's College, also Roman Catholic, and more recently word has come that the government of Newfoundland has called a group of men trained at St. Francis Xavier's to spread the movement in that island."

Contributions from Canadian sources to the newly-formed council give solid evidence of Canadian interest in the work, Mr. Keppel added.

In the past five years the corporation has contributed \$180,000 toward the expenses of a comprehensive study of the relations between Canada and the United States, now being prepared by the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace.

Though the study is not yet completed, Mr. Keppel said, the four volumes so far published at last summer's conference on Canadian-American Affairs at Queen's University, Kingston, Ont., in which many leaders in both countries participated, have proved the value of the enterprise.

The work is being supervised by Prof. James T. Shotwell, Canadian-born director of the foundation.

WARNING GIVEN THAT ALL SHIPPING MUST REMAIN STATIONARY ON PAIN OF BEING FIRED UPON WITHOUT REGARD TO NATIONALITY

## Three American Tankers, Refugee Laden, Also Sunk

AT LEAST SIX ARE KILLED ON UNITED STATES VESSEL AND ONE ON BRITISH—NANKING OBJECT OF FIERCE ASSAULT

SHANGHAI, Dec. 13: (CP)—Constituting what are regarded as the most serious international incidents which have so far arisen out of the Sino-Japanese conflict, the United States gunboat Panay was bombed and sunk in the Yangste River by Japanese war planes today with feared loss of at least six lives, two Standard Oil Co. tankers were sunk at the same time while shortly previous the British gunboat Lady Bird had been struck four times by Japanese artillery projectiles, one seaman being killed and other members of the crew injured. Japanese diplomatic and naval authorities, on behalf of the government, communicated with the American naval command in Shanghai, assuming full responsibility for the attacks on the Panay and tankers and offering official apologies. In Tokyo Foreign Minister Hirota expressed "profound apologies" for sinking of the United States gun boat. Japanese naval authorities, however, reiterated a previous warning for all shipping to remain stationary in the Yangste River as orders had been issued to fire on all ships no matter what their nationality.

United States naval officials in Shanghai were informed later today by the British gunboat that twelve Europeans, possibly survivors from the Panay, had been sighted on the Yangste River shore. The report alleviated early fears that at least eighteen lives might have been lost in the sinking of the gunboat, and the two Standard Oil craft.

There was no excuse for the bombing of the Panay, it was declared in American quarters. The incident occurred between Nanking and Wuhu in broad daylight and the vessel was flying American flags both fore and aft as the diving Japanese planes swooped down and attacked her. At the same time as the Panay was blasted out of the water, the tankers were also struck. All four vessels were engaged in transporting refugees from Nanking to points further up river for safety. On board were Americans, British, Italians and French. Fifty-four persons are known to have been rescued from the gunboat but it was not immediately known how many had perished in the destruction of the tankers. Lieut. Commander J. J. Hughes, skipper of the Panay, suffered a broken arm and the first officer was also injured. The rescued were landed at Huchien, which has now been declared a safety zone by the Japanese.

Near Shanghai United States warships are reported concentrating today in the Yangste River stripped for action. A flotilla is ready to proceed up the Yangste at a moment's notice. At Washington President Franklin D. Roosevelt and Secretary of State Hull are keeping in constant touch with the situation. An official protest will undoubtedly be made at the sinking of the Panay.

The British Incident Yesterday the British gunboat Lady Bird was hit four times by Japanese land battery shells, one seaman being killed and one officer and one seaman injured. The Lady Bird was in the Yangste River at Wuhu, sixty miles above Shanghai, which is one of the objectives of Japanese attack.

Vigorous protest having been made by the British to Japanese naval officers on the spot as well as at Shanghai, Col. Hol. Hashimoto, senior Japanese officer, said he had received orders to fire on every vessel in the river. This is believed to be the reason for indiscriminate strafing of all craft twenty-five miles above Nanking.

Japs Being Halted In a telephone message to Hankow, the new provisional capital of Nanking's defense against the Japanese invaders was reported Saturday night to have declared that his forces were holding on effectively against the Japanese onslaught and that their morale was still high. The Japanese, the general is purported to have announced, had captured the southeast gate of the abandoned capital but had been unable to make further headway.

Bitter fighting continues with heavy casualties on both sides. The Chinese claim 6000 Japanese have been slain.

Meanwhile the Japanese military command officially announced the occupation of Nanking. Troops completed the occupation at sunset today, the announcement said. There was bloody street fighting with the Chinese contesting every foot of the Japanese advance, the Japanese said.

## VICTORIA REGRETS

Passing of Lady McBride Mourned In Capital Where She Was Long Prominent

VICTORIA, December 13 (Canadian Press)—Passing in Vancouver at the week-end of Lady Margaret McBride, widow of the late Sir Richard McBride, former Premier of British Columbia, brought expressions of regret from numerous friends in this capital city where Lady McBride had resided for so many years and where she was so highly esteemed by all. Lady McBride was born in Bruce County, Ontario, sixty-seven years ago, the daughter of Neil McGillivray. Educated at Anna Wright Seminary and Tacoma Public School in Bruce County, Lady McBride came west as a girl and in 1896 was married to the then Richard McBride of New Westminster. She is survived by six daughters, four of whom are married.

Lady McBride was a honorary regent of the Imperial Order, Daughters of the Empire, and of the Women's Canadian Club. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church.

## Funeral Of Fred Reich Held Today

Requiem Mass in Church of Annunciation Followed By Burial in Fairview Cemetery

Following requiem mass this morning in the Church of the Annunciation, at which the celebrant was Rev. Father Moriarty, interment was made in Fairview Cemetery of Frederick W. Reich, whose death occurred last Thursday night after an illness of considerable length. Many friends were in attendance to pay their final tributes of respect to the memory of deceased.

Pallbearers were O. Martinson, G. Brochu, W. A. Pilfold, J. Shields, B. Carlson and George Holmes.

Those sending flowers were: His loving sons, Fred and Carl, William Miller, Rance and Hardy, officers and staff of Northern B.C. Power Co., Canadian Longshoremen's Association, Pauline and Walter Anderson, (Portland, Ore.), W. M. Watts, Yvonne and Bill, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Jenner, Reta and Eileen Taft, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Schubert and family, John Schild and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Vandersluis, the staff of Kelly Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pilfold and family, Mr. Mulhern, Tommy Mulhern, John Klitz, Victor Miller, Frank Comadina and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gordon and family.

## Card of Thanks

The bereaved family wish to express their deep appreciation of the attention and care given by the staff of the General Hospital and the doctors to the late Frederick Reich.

Fred and Carl Reich and Family.

Sunday was a dull, murky day in Prince Rupert with low clouds. It was mild and there was no rain until night fall.

## HOCKEY SCORES

### Saturday

Americans, 3; Canadians, 4 (overtime).  
Rangers, 6; Toronto, 3.

### Sunday

Canadiens, 4; Americans, 4 (overtime).  
Rangers, 5; Detroit, 2.

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### MUCH TOO TALL

A tall story comes from Egypt. It seems that there is a young man in Cairo who is nine feet eight inches tall and, because he is growing so fast, is weak and unable to care for himself. His family is poor so an appeal was made for him to enter an Egyptian hospital and be properly cared for.

If the young giant manages to get through his weakness he might come to this continent and make a pile of money in the movies or on the stage. Possibly he does not realize what an asset his size might be. All he knows is that he cannot live comfortably in the home of his parents because the house is not large enough to accommodate him and the beds are too short.

### ORIENTALS IN B.C.

Some of the farmers of British Columbia, through their institutes, have petitioned the British Columbia government to take some action to curb the activities of the Orientals in this province, particularly in connection with their competition in the raising of potatoes and vegetables.

The petition, a copy of which has been received from the Vancouver Island farmers, sets out that Orientals grow 75 per cent of the potatoes raised in the province for the early market and 50 per cent of all potatoes, that they have gained a monopoly of the truck gardening; rent land, deplete the fertility of the soil and then move on; have become large growers of fruits; have secured a large share of the hothouse industry; participate extensively in the egg and poultry industry; they cultivate 300 out of 400 acres of tomatoes in the Okanagan and under sell the white grower of spring and summer flowers.

It further points out that one eleventh of all the population of the province is Oriental and this is an alarmingly high proportion when it is realized that this is part of the foundation stock for British Columbia's future population.

This Oriental question has been a live topic of discussion for the past thirty years and several British Columbia legislatures have passed legislation to give effect to the grievances of white farmers and others. All these laws have been found to be contrary to the constitution of the country or other wise objectionable so that they have been disallowed at Ottawa or set aside by the courts. The men against which complaint is made are citizens of the country and as such have all the rights and privileges of citizens except the right to vote, denial of which is part of the constitution.

It has already been decided that all the government can do is to see that the Orientals obey the laws in regard to hours of work, minimum wages, sanitary and housing conditions.

## Confident of Canada's Capacity for Recovery

BANK OF MONTREAL'S 120th ANNUAL MEETING

Sir Charles Gordon Sees Continuance of Better Times If Dominion Not Unduly Affected By International Disturbances

Jackson Dodds, General Manager, Presents Strong Financial Statement, Showing Substantial Increases in Loans, Deposits and Assets

Declaring that Canada had been demonstrating in the past year a remarkable resiliency in productive enterprise, Sir Charles Gordon, in his presidential address to shareholders at the recent annual meeting of the Bank of Montreal, expressed confident belief in Canada's ability to carry on with success the recovery that had been in progress for the last twelve months.

The meeting also received the financial report of the bank, presented by Jackson Dodds on behalf of himself and his fellow general manager, G. W. Spinney. The statement showed substantial increases in commercial loans, in deposits, and in total assets, which latter stood at \$829,600,000, the highest figure since 1929.

In reviewing business conditions over the wide territory in which the bank operates, Sir Charles said that these had much improved and were a happy contrast with the conditions of but two years ago. The one really serious handicap was in those portions of the Prairie Provinces where drought caused total or partial loss of the crop.

Canada, he said, had been demonstrating in the past year a remarkable resiliency in productive enterprise.

As instances of the latter he referred to the remarkable growth of gold production and of the output of industrial metals, remarking that with the exception of iron Canada was now the world's largest exporter of base metals. He spoke also of the growth of the exports of lumber, asbestos and gypsum, of newsprint and of bleached sulphite pulp, saying it was this resiliency in industrial enterprise which endowed Canada with so great a capacity for recuperation.

#### Canada's Manufactures Worth Three Billions

He further pointed out that whereas Canada was until quite recently regarded as a country devoted almost entirely to agriculture, today agriculture provided 35 per cent of the exports and other forms of industry the balance. Canada now employs 600,000 people in 30,000 workshops, mills and factories, and the annual value of its manufactured products amounts to more than \$3,000,000,000.

Canada's foreign trade, he said, had grown by leaps and bounds and for the calendar year would attain a total approaching two billion dollars, of which some \$320,000,000 would represent a favourable balance.

#### Biggest Trade With U. S.

He pointed out that four-fifths of this total trade was with Great Britain and the United States, adding that due to the fact that Canada bought more largely from the United States than Great Britain the trade with the United States for the 12 months ended September 30 last was around \$395,000,000 greater than the trade with Great Britain.

At the same time he noted with satisfaction that neither the Government nor the business men neglected opportunities to further trade with other countries. In the past two years formal trade agreements had been concluded with no less than 15 countries, and today Canada was one of the few countries in the world which employed no trade quotas, no exchange restrictions and no embargoes other than those associated with the traffic in arms.

"If the remedy for world-wide civil and international strife," he said, "lies in international economic co-operation, as I believe it does, then Canada, I think it can be said, is doing its full share along that line."

#### Heavy Drains on National Revenue

He spoke of continuing losses on national railway account and of excessive taxation as two factors draining too large a proportion of the national revenue into unproductive channels. He found some hope in the greater general understanding of the railway problem as bringing nearer the inevitable remedial measures, and regarding taxation said the national finances had so greatly improved that Treasury officials now hoped for a balanced budget at the end of the fiscal year in March next.

"We may hope," he remarked "that in due time the improvement will be reflected in a decrease in taxation; it certainly will be reflected in the strengthening of the whole credit structure of this country."

In concluding his remarks, Sir Charles, while not attempting a forecast on the Canadian business outlook, expressed his confidence in Canada's remarkable capacity for recovery, which, if not unduly affected by international disturbances, would, he felt, mean a continuance of the better times which Canadians had experienced during the past year.

**Commercial Loans Show Increase**

One of the most important features of the financial statement presented by Mr. Dodds was the increase shown in current loans in Canada of more than \$23,000,000 to \$182,500,000. For the year ended September 30, the current loans of all the banks had increased by \$75,500,000. While the increase was welcome, he said, it was not commensurate with the growth in the volume of business and the improvement in commodity prices.

Pointing out that the ratio of the Bank's investments to deposits was 60 per cent., Mr. Dodds said: "This is much higher than we would like it to be; we would prefer to have a larger proportion of our funds out in loans for productive and business purposes. But it is beyond the power of a commercial bank to increase at will its total of safe loans; the initiative lies with the borrowers. A commercial bank cannot afford to have idle money on its hands beyond the amount required to meet ordinary withdrawals and for cash reserve purposes."

**Many Factors in Loans Situation**

Not Temporary

In considering the various factors which had contributed to the reduced demand for banking accommodation, Mr. Dodds said that it must be recognized that many of them are not of a passing nature.

"On the other hand," he pointed out, "thanks to invention and scientific research, new industries are always coming into being, resulting in new sources of business for the banks."

"During the past 120 years the Bank of Montreal has kept abreast of the changing times, consistently taking its full part in aiding basic productive pursuits, old and new industries, trade and commerce. Banking is an essential part of the intricate machinery of industry and business—in addition to supplementing capital employed, commercial banks provide many other necessary facilities and services, at a cost to clients which represents relatively their smallest item in operating expense."

#### Bank's Assets 79.58% Liquid

The assets of the bank, standing at \$829,600,000 were the highest since 1929. Of this amount \$599,000,000 represented quickly available resources, equal to 79.58% of liabilities to the public, amounting to \$752,736,000.

"This extremely strong position," said Mr. Dodds, "is beyond ordinary needs and reflects the fact that the demand of our customers for loans for commercial purposes is still considerably below normal."

**Profits Show Moderate Increase**

The profit and loss account showed net earnings, after deducting Dominion and Provincial taxes at \$3,403,328, as compared with \$3,181,501 in 1936—an increase of \$226,827.

In commenting on profits, Mr. Dodds pointed out that Dominion and Provincial taxes for the year, without taking into consideration taxes paid to municipalities, amounted to over 27 per cent. of the



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## LOCAL NEWS

Cash for Old Gold. Bulger's. Mrs. R. Scherk returned to the city on the Catala last night from Vancouver.

Something new! Two pairs of fancy panties nicely boxed for \$1.00 at the Dollar Store.

Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L. Christmas Tree. Members will please leave names of children at club-rooms at once.

Union steamer Catala, Capt. John Muir, bringing in a fair-sized list of passengers, arrived in port at 10:40 last night from the south, and sailed at midnight for Stewart. Anyox and other northern points whence she will return here tomorrow southbound. H. A. Hughes is relieving as purser of the Catala now while A. H. Robinson is on holidays.

## Bernice Palmer says . . .

A favorite topic of conversation among ex-Britishers here is still the Coronation.

Mrs. Kingery (Aida Davidson) was in England for the event. There she met her husband who is in the Foreign Service of Standard Oil. Now they have gone to Persia. This is one more Rupertite to have left California.

By the way, did you know that Oakland schools (and I presume many others in this country) broadcast the speech of King Edward, now Duke of Windsor, to the pupils. Everyone brought his own hankie.

Oakland. CHEERIO!

## The Letter Box

FIRST AVENUE

Editor, Daily News: I read in a recent edition of your excellent paper an editorial calling on the people of Prince Rupert to beautify their city.

I am a visitor to this city and on getting off a boat inquired my way to a good hotel and was told there were several on First Avenue. I wended my way to First Avenue and came to what I took to be a broad roadway in a deplorable state of disrepair with bare stones and rocks all over the road, hills and hollows to hurt one's ankle and blister one's feet. I found four first class hotels and one fine apartment house and many substantial looking dwellings but not the semblance of a sidewalk and this was First Avenue. God knows what the other avenues are like.

Your city desires tourists? Yes? And you leave First Avenue to the hotels without a sidewalk. Does this encourage visitors to come here? Beautify your city by all means. It may be beautiful in spots but please make a start and beautify First Avenue with a sidewalk, even a cinder one.

Your city is lucky to have a valuable paper like yours to draw attention to what is badly needed. Keep up your good work Mr. Editor, and Happy Christmas.

HENRY A. BEVAN.

James Morgan arrived in town Saturday afternoon from Surf Point mine to receive treatment for his eye into which a piece of rock had flown. He will be returning to Forcher Island on Thursday.

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- VEAL STEAK—Per lb. 20c
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## BAR SILVER

NEW YORK: (CP) —Bar silver was unchanged at 44 1/2¢ per fine ounce on the New York metal market today.

## DIDN'T MOVE

SIMCOE, Ont., Dec. 13: (CP) —Roland Gilbert didn't even have to leave his motor car after it somersaulted following a collision. He remained in the vehicle until it was tipped back on its wheels. Neither driver was injured.

## LAND ACT

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of British Columbia, and situated on Zayas Island on the N. W. point on west side of Zayas on a reef off Aranzazu Point. Take notice that Frank Waterman of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation Miner, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:—all of the reef off Aranzazu Point. Commencing at a post planted on the high grassy point on the South Side of the reef thence 1800 feet Northeast; thence 1500 feet Northwest; thence 1500 feet Southeast and containing 35 acres, more or less. FRANK WATERMAN

## Announcements

All advertisements in this column will be charged for a full month at 25c a word.

S.O.N. Christmas Tree December 27.

C.Y.S. Holiday Dance Dec. 28th, Oddfellows' Hall.

Norkap Christmas Tree December 29.

Oddfellows' Old Time Hogmanay Dance, December 31.

# TOYS TOYS and More Toys

Christmas is the Time for Toys and We Have an Exceptional Variety—Prices Are Way Down to Clear at Christmas. Come in and See Our Large Display—All Plainly Marked at Lowest Prices.

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- NABOB CORN—Fancy White. 2 tins. **23c**
- COCOA—Cowans. 1/2-lb. tin **14c**
- OXYDOL—Large pkg. 2 Bars Calay **FREE**
- LIFEBUOY SOAP—Bar **7c**
- PITTED DATES—New stock. 3 lbs. **29c**
- NABOB TOMATOES—No. 2 tins. Each **10c**
- CANDY—Xmas mixed. 2 lbs. **35c**
- FINEST INTERIOR VEGETABLES
- CARROTS—5 lbs. **14c**
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- BUTTER—First Grade 3 lbs. **95c** Tuesday and Wednesday Only
- OLD DUTCH CLEAN-SER—3 tins. **25c**
- CATSUP—Libby's Gentle Press. 2 bts. **33c**
- NUTS—No. 1 Mixed. 2 lbs. **45c**
- TOMATO SOUP—Campbell's. Per tin **7c** Limit 6
- BACON—Diamond "A" Sliced. Lb. **25c**
- Swift's Premium Sliced. 1/2-lb. **21c**
- Cello **21c**
- STRAWBERRY JAM—Empress Pure. 4-lb. tin **57c**
- QUAKER OATS—Large Package **23c**
- PEAS—Royal City. Sieve 4. 2 tins **27c**
- ASPARAGUS—Calif. White Tips. 10 1/2-oz. tins. ea. **21c**

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British Columbia has produced minerals of an aggregate value of \$1,515,728,149.00.

The gross value of the industry for the first six months of 1937 is estimated to be \$36,383,540.00. This is an increase of 53.4% over the value for the corresponding period in 1936.

Indications are that this year's production will exceed that of any previous year in value, which is a splendid commentary upon the stability of the mining industry in this province. New properties are being brought into production, and with the reopening of old properties, mill capacity will be considerably increased over last year.



For Authoritative Information Regarding the Mining Industry  
Apply to  
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# RANGERS WINNERS TAXI TAKES OVER LEAD

### Hold Their Lead in Ladies' Bowling League With Blue Birds Still in Second Place

Rangers maintained their margin of supremacy in the Ladies' Bowling League standing yesterday by defeating Big Sisters two games to one. The second place Blue Birds downed Merchantettes two to one. Annette's won over Knox Hotel two to one while Telephone Girls took the measure of Our Gang by a similar margin. High average scorer was Mrs. Harold Raybone of Rangers with 242.

Individual scoring was as follows:

ANNETTES	1	2	3
Owen	193	311	106
Johnson	140	152	181
Basso Bert	178	180	234
P. Dickens	158	133	115
Skattebol	170	116	179
Handicap	23	23	23

KNOX HOTEL	852	915	896
Peterson	127	148	192
Brasell	166	178	245
Scharff	135	142	116
Selig	162	68	142
Larson	73	98	82
Handicap	125	125	125

RANGERS	788	759	900
Raybone	1	2	3
Yager	216	263	246
Hallberg	158	199	223
Ballinger	122	135	183
Berg	169	133	174
Handicap	125	144	162

BIG SISTERS	797	881	1005
Mrs. Rothwell	134	91	81
M. Bon	146	96	115
B. Dickens	160	121	141
E. Dickens	136	196	124
V. Alexander	97		
Mrs. Dickens, sr.	156	86	
Handicap	152	152	152

BLUE BIRDS	825	812	701
Pierce	105	111	180
Turgeon	148	187	205
Boulter	114	82	124
Croxford	140		191
Keron	145	168	199
Hartwig	170		
Handicap	6	20	6

MERCHANTETTES	658	738	905
Colussi	202	138	182
Madill	142	107	131
Halliday	121	133	159
La Belle	159	95	107
Viereck	152	127	145
Handicap	41	41	41

OUR GANG	817	641	765
Fitch	142	162	138
Gurvich	171	151	125
Ingram	82	140	121
Smith	212	190	214
Low Score	92	96	87
Handicap	49	49	49

TELEPHONES	748	788	734
Nelson	92	142	148
McLeod	150	98	117
Eastman	96	121	87
Peachy	93	121	87
Anderson	164	103	147
Handicap	211	211	211

Handicap	806	771	821
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Handicap	49	49	49
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Handicap	211	211	211
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The first half standing to date

### Royal Hotel Loses Supremacy in City Bowling League As Result of Yesterday's Play

By scoring a three game to nil clean sweep victory over Moose last night, Three Five Taxi moved out on top in the City Ten Pin Bowling League standing with a one game margin over Royal Hotel which was losing one game to two to Grotto. The Moose are now in the basement, one game below the Grotto. High average scorer last night was Neils Gunderson with 172.

Individual Scoring

GROTTO	1	2	3
Joy	143	127	140
Comadina	140	163	172
Arney	159	152	201
Morin	153	158	145
Bury	156	166	170
Total	751	766	828
ROYAL	1	2	3
Donald	154	177	135
Todd	133		
Zarelli	172	103	132
Shriaber	135	161	176
Smith	172	156	163
J. Comadina	126	134	
Total	766	733	734

35 TAXI	1	2	3
Gurvich	167	151	122
Ceccone	174	179	158
Kinslor	141	134	174
French	124	193	169
Paul	155	135	150
Total	761	790	773

MOOSE	1	2	3
Stiles	113	103	136
Taylor	119	127	161
Assemissen	140	117	121
Gunderson	159	153	155
Total	701	673	745

The City League bowling standing to date is now as follows:

Won	Lost	Pts	
Three Five	20	13	20
Royal Hotel	19	14	19
Grotto	14	19	14
Moose	13	20	13

## Bowling Standings

C.N.R.A.	23	10	23
Pioneer Laundry	18	15	18
Gyro Club	13	20	13
Old Empress	12	21	12

is as follows:

Rangers	27	9	27
Blue Birds	23	13	23
Annette's	22	14	22
Our Gang	19	17	19
Merchantettes	17	19	17
Big Sisters	15	21	15
Knox Hotel	14	22	14
Telephone Girls	7	29	7

### ATTENTION!

Customers of Hollywood Studio, formerly of 220 6th Street, may secure re-orders at any time by sending same to P.O. Box 25, Vancouver, B. C.

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## Christmas Gift Suggestions

Hankies, Compacts, Coats, Knitted Wear, Skirts, Scarves, Ski Pants and Sets, Gloves, Dresses, Shoes, Slippers, Slacks, Blouses, Lingerie, Hosiery, Bathrobes, Cards and Calendars.

The above at real bargain prices, come and look and compare.

## SPORT CHAT

Brentford stayed in the lead of the English League, First Division, football as a result of a one all draw with Leeds United Saturday. Arsenal, beating Preston North End two to one, is in second place. In the Scottish League, First Division, Hearts of Midlothian defeated Arbroath 4 to 1 to increase their margin of leadership.

Elderly people attracted to winter sports by the enthusiasm of skiing youngsters turn to snowshoes quite often after finding the ski pace a bit strenuous. At least, that is the experience of one salesman in Boston who notes with surprise that sales of snowshoes have tripled the past two years. "Where we used to sell perhaps 30 pairs of snowshoes several winters back," he says, "we sold nearly 300 last season even though the weather was so bad."

"Kid" Chocolate, flashy negro battler, retained his featherweight title at New York five years ago Thursday night with a close 15-round verdict over Fidel Barba. He relinquished his crown two years later to compete as lightweight and now is staging a comeback.



The Morning After Taking Carter's Little Liver Pills

## Sterling Silver Toilet Sets

We have six beautiful designs in ladies' sterling sets this year. Some are all over engraved, some are engine turned and some are nearly plain.

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## White Hair Goes To Deep Purple

Dutch Consul's Wife in Melbourne Goes Americans and English One Better

MELBOURNE Dec. 13 (CP)—The fashion in America and in London of white-haired women dyeing their locks a delicate shade of mauve has a devotee among well-known women in Sydney, N.S.W. She is Mrs. Hans Fay, wife of the Consul for the Netherlands. Her hair is cut very short, almost in the manner of an Eton crop and on a recent ladies' day at Randwick it was dyed a deep purple shading to mauve at the sides.

### CHRISTMAS LIGHTS

BELLEVILLE, nt., Dec. 13 (CP)—Officials of the Cheesemen's Association, in convention here, turned on the power for the new multi-colored downtown lighting system. The new lights will flicker until Christmas.

Smithers a few days ago with a large supply of provisions and went back to the mine with the intention of making another shipment.

Joe Felber, well known Terrace prospector, ran into trouble recently as he was coming out from his mineral claims on the east side of Thornhill Mountain. He had gone in without snowshoes and was caught after a fall of five feet. On the way out he got into a 25-foot snowslide and it was only with considerable difficulty that he finally got safely to Copper River post office.

## NEW ROYAL HOTEL

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"A HOME AWAY FROM HOME"  
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## "TOAST OF NEW YORK"

Colorful Period Picture at Capitol Theatre—Capitolians on Stage

"The Toast of New York," featuring Frances Farmer, Cary Grant and Edward Arnold, comes to the screen of the Capitol Theatre here at the first of this week. It is a throbbing drama of that colorful period in the history of New York around 1865 when horse cars, gas lights, iron hitching posts, wooden cigar store Indians, buggies and traps, hoop skirts, bustles and bonnets were the order of the day.

Edward Arnold plays the part of Jim Fisk who started out as a peddler and made a fortune procuring cotton from the south and transporting it to the markets of the north during the Civil War, later becoming one of the most powerful men on Wall Street. His one weakness is his burning affection for Josie Mansfield, played by Frances Farmer, upon whom he spent a fortune to make her a theatrical star. Cary Grant is Fisk's more handsome and successful rival.

An added attraction on this program will be the monthly appearance of the Capitolians, under direction of Dr. H. N. Brocklesby, featuring selections from "New Moon."

## FOOTBALL BANQUET

Mrs. H.B. Rochester Presents Junior League Shield to High School—Interesting and Enjoyable Affair

The annual Junior Football Association banquet held Saturday evening was one of the most successful functions of its kind. The banqueting room of the Canadian Legion, kindly loaned for the occasion, looked very attractive and, with the guests and fifty boys assembled, the event was one of real enjoyment.

After a very satisfactory supper, an interesting program of short talks followed. The feature was the presentation of the Rochester Shield to Jack Ritchie, captain of the King Edward High School team. The presentation was made by Mrs. Rochester whose delightful talk was thoroughly enjoyed. Mrs. Rochester referred to the pleasure her late husband had derived from knowledge that the trophy had been such a help to sporting activities of the youth of the city. Jack Ritchie replied neatly.

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FOR SALE—Full size steel crib. Phone Black 322. (289)

FOR SALE—Upright piano. Apply Box 25, Daily News. (292)

### LOST

LOST—Rowboat 14 feet long, painted grey. Claus Peterson, Hump-back Bay, Porcher Island. Reward. 286

LOST—Bunch of keys in leather case. Finder please return Daily News. Reward. (290)

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GIRL wanted for housework. Apply 309 2nd Ave. (291)

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Finest Pink Salmon

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### LAND ACT

#### Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of British Columbia, and situate East of Prince Lehou Island in Hudson Bay Pass, south of Dundas Island—a conspicuous white rock 85 feet (marked on chart) high.

Take notice that Frank Waterman of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation Miner intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:—all of a conspicuous white rock 85 feet high and its surroundings (Rock marked on chart).

Commencing at a post planted on a grassy rock 200 feet S. E. of N. W. Corner on Northeast side thence 600 feet Southeast; thence 800 feet south-west thence 800 feet Northwest; thence 800 feet Northeast and containing 16 acres, more or less.

FRANK WATERMAN,  
Dated October 4, 1937.  
LAND REGISTRY ACT  
Re: Certificate of Title Nos. 19999-1, to Lot Four Hundred and Thirty-four (134), Range Five (5), Coast District, said to contain One Hundred and Fifty-three (153), acres, more or less WHEREAS proof of loss of the above Certificate of Title issued in the Dated October 4, 1937, name of Thomas A. Conroy has been filed in this office, notice is hereby given that I shall, at the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication hereof, issue a provisional Certificate of Title in lieu of said lost certificate, unless in the meantime valid objection be made to me in writing DATED at the Land Registry Office Prince Rupert, B. C., this 9th day of November, A.D., 1937.  
ANDREW THOMPSON,  
Deputy Registrar of Titles

### LAND ACT

#### Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease Land

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of British Columbia, and situate on White Sand Island.

Take notice that Frank Waterman of Prince Rupert, occupation Miner, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:— Commencing at a post planted on one of the high cliffs on White Sand Island and being 300 feet from the S. E. corner of White Sand Island, and thence 800 feet N. W. thence 800 feet N. E.; thence 800 feet S. E. and containing 12 acres, more or less.

FRANK WATERMAN  
Dated August 28, 1937.

### IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

#### IN PROBATE

In the Matter of the "Administration, Act, and

And

In the Matter of the Estate of Peter Merkle, Deceased, Intestate

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor, W. E. Fisher, the 17th day of November, A. D. 1937, I was appointed Administrator of the estate of Peter Merkle, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or before the 19th day of December, A.D. 1937, and all parties indebted to the estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

NORMAN A. WATT,  
Official Administrator,  
Prince Rupert, B.C.  
Dated the 19th day of November, A.D. 1937.

### "GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT"

Notice of Application for Beer Licence NOTICE is hereby given that on the Thirty-Fifth day of December next, the undersigned intends to apply for a licence in respect of the premises, being part of the building known as Port Clements Hotel, situate upon the lands described as Lots No. 7, 8 and 9, Block 47, District Lot 746, Plan 1079, in the Prince Rupert Land Registration District in the province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or the bottle for consumption on the premises or elsewhere. Dated this 3rd day of December, A.D. 1937.  
ADAM FYPER,  
Applicant.

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- Gowns—Assorted colors and patterns, some lace trimmed. Values to \$2.50 for **\$1.45**
- Gowns—In finest quality. Values to \$2.95 for **\$1.75**
- Pure Silk Dance Sets—Some lace trimmed and others daintily embroidered in white or tea rose. Values to \$2.35 for, set **\$1.45**
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## NEWS OF THE MINES

### Silver Values On Topley Claims—Silver King Gives Good Returns—Prospector Tangled in Deep Snow

Alex Chisholm has returned to Smithers from the group of mineral claims at Topley in which he is interested with L. H. Kenney and others, bringing news of extremely high silver value in the ore encountered as a result of recent work in a tunnel driven from the Finley canyon. Mr. Chisholm has been persistent in following the showing being worked

in the tunnel and the assays indicate that he is following a rich track in opening up this mineralized zone. Assay results just received show a silver content of 1100 ounces of silver to ton. Equipment has been secured to haul ore and an early shipment is planned.

Returns have recently been received by R. Baker on a large shipment of ore he recently made from

his properties in the Babine mountains north of Smithers. Mr. Baker has acquired much property formerly held by A. T. Harter and B. F. Messner including the old Silver King ground and other claims. Since coming into possession he has been working hard and has taken out a lot of ore in the development of the holdings. While the exact figures are not made public, Mr. Baker admits that they were very satisfactory. He stocked up at

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## WHIFFLETS From the Waterfront

Armour Salvage Co.'s big service boat Algie, still under packing charter to the B. C. Packers, is at present running into Port Edward with herring for the reduction plant there. For some months the Algie, of which Capt. Henry Hansen is in command, had been running out of Namu. Recently she was in Vancouver. The vessel was in port Friday night last when the bride of the skipper, the former Miss Myra Kinsler, disembarked here. They were married recently at Ocean Falls.

Sailing from here on Thursday night of next week, the steamer Prince George will arrive in Vancouver on Christmas Day. In order to give her passengers from the north an opportunity to keep holiday engagements, it is announced that the vessel will arrive at Vancouver at 12 noon on that day instead of 2:30 in the afternoon, the regularly scheduled time.

## Twenty-Five Years Ago

The seventy-foot boat Rosine has arrived from Vancouver to engage in herring fishing for the saltery at Dominion cannery on the Skeena River. The Rosine is a handsome vessel which was originally built at Oakland, California, as a pleasure yacht.

J. A. Meeker and D. Clarke were awarded a contract by the school board yesterday for the erection of a two-room school house at Seal Cove. The cost will be \$4,635. Meeker and Clarke being the lowest of three tenderers.

The steamer Prince Rupert sailed for the south this morning with 120 passengers on board, many being local people going south for the Christmas holidays. Among them were J. E. Merryfield, Alfred Carss, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Perry, H. P. Wilson, Mrs. J. P. Cade, J. Y. Rochester, H. B. Rochester and Mitchell Albert.

Mrs. M. T. Lee returned to the city on the Catala last night from a trip to Vancouver.

## Exhibits For Museum Here

Interesting Gifts Received During Month of November For Local Institution

During the month of November gifts received by the Prince Rupert Museum included a stone anchor from Chief Walter Wright of Kitseas, an Indian stone mirror from William Hogan of Copper River through Charles Gilbert of Terrace and collections of beetles, butterflies and mice from Mrs. Clark of Terrace.

## RECITAL AT CATHEDRAL

Choir Excelled Itself in Program Last Night

A program of selected numbers was excellently rendered by the popular choir of St. Andrew's Cathedral under the able direction of A. J. Lancaster on Sunday evening before a large and appreciative congregation. This was the second of the series of musical services planned by the Cathedral choir for this season.

"Lead Kindly Light" by Pugh-Evans, beautifully sung by the full choir, was the opening number being followed by two delightful gems—"Brother James' Air", arranged by Gordon Jacob. The congregation, assisted by the choir then sang the Hymn "Hark, Hark My Soul". This was followed by Kipling's inspiring "Recessional" by Vincent, the singing of which revealed the choir at its best. The solo part in this anthem was taken by Len. Cripps which brought out the high standard of his brilliant technique in tone and color. The closing number selected was the great chorus from Mozart's Twelfth Mass "Glorious Is Thy Name" the rendering of which characterized the choir as being one of the best singing choruses on the coast.

Peter Lien was also heard at his best at the Consol organ, particularly in his performance of the "Bach Chorale" as an offertory number.

A pleasing feature introduced by Mr. Lancaster at these musical services is the interspersing of hymns selected and sung by the congregation.

## PEACE RIVER

Considerable improvements have recently been made around the entrance of the Carlonia Theatre here.

Building operations now under way in Dawson Creek include a new lumber shed for the Frontier Lumber Co., new funeral parlor for Joe Dill, new flour storehouse for Paul Descheid and new dwellings for A. S. Chamberlain, James Bond, William Charles and Jack McLeughlin.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cummins have arrived in Dawson Creek from LaFleche, Saskatchewan, to take up residence. Mr. Cummins is manager of the new power plant here.

J. A. Grant and family have moved into a new dwelling recently built by E. J. Spinney.

A successful dance was held by the Dawson Creek Hockey Club in the Carlonia Theatre last Friday evening.

Dr. W. N. McKee is driving the first new 1933 car to be observed around Dawson Creek.

George Lloyd is building a new house on his homestead in the Erinlea district.

An excellent concert and dance was recently put on by the North Pine Women's Institute at the Transpine school.

Severe colds are affecting many residents throughout the Peace River Block these days.

Willis Currie of Erinlea has gone out to his traplines for the winter. He will be joined later by his nephew, Robert Groger.

Miss Skinner of Seven Mile Corner has taken up residence in Dawson Creek.

Rev. R. Foster has arrived at Dawson Creek to become Anglican Church rector, succeeding Rev. Roy Durnford who has been transferred to Seal Cove at Prince Rupert.

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