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raffic Results for Year Have Been "Fairly Satisfactory," Says Hungerford

MONTREAL, Dec. 30: (CP)resident S. J. Hungreford of the anadian National Railways reportin a year-end review that 1939 raffic results can be considered as reasonably satisfactory."

Preliminary figures indicate that he gross revenues of the railway or the year exceed \$200,000,000 for' he first time since 1931. Net revnue for 1931 is indicated at \$20,-

The outlook for next year, Mr. Rungerford said, was influenced rgely by war conditions but the affic increase might be expected! continue, he thought.

Railway revenues in 1940 would kely be substantially increased wer this year.

MUST HAVE GUARANTEES

Be No Laying Down of Arms Without Full Satisfaction. Declares France

PARIS, Dec. 30: (CP) - France nil not lay down arms in the war with Germany without "material" and positive guarantees," Premier Edouard Daladier told the

Daladier declared that solidarity CANADIANS would extend throughout and after the war. The Premier hinted at ome kind of a European federation

fter the war was finished. France winds up the year 1939 with plans to spend almost \$5,500,-\$0,000, ail to be raised by loans, to! page the war next year.

NAMED

C. N. R. Western Region

ent was made here today by W. captain on the Mannerheim Line. Martial law has been declared Devenish, general manager of e Canadian National Railways, d been appointed chief engineer BAVARIANS the Western Region, succeeding A. Dixon who has been prooted to be chief engineer for the! sten with headquarters at Month 182 and came west in 1902. He Six Hundred Former Germans Enateled railway service as a rodar with the Canadian Northern 1903 and, with the exception of

list In French Army To Fight Against Hitler

o years with the Royal En-, PARIS, Dec. 30: (CP)- Six heers in the Great War, has hundred former Bavarians, shoutent his entire career with the ing "Down With Hitler" have enegineering department of the listed for service in the French ilway in the west. Prior to this Foreign Legion after being carepointment, Mr. Hill was en- fully checked up. They are being heer of construction and right sent to Algeria and will later probably go to the Western Front.

New Year Greeting

To all Old Timers of Prince Rupert who have borne the burdens attendant on making a city out of the wilderness, to all those who have arrived in recent years and to all men in our country's service on land or sea or air and now sojourning with us, I wish Peace of Mind, Strength to carry on and a Happy New Year!

W. J. ALDER,

Commissioner.

War News

REPORTS "RIDICULOUS"

MOSCOW-Soviet authoritities, asked for comment on Scandinavian reports of revolt in the Red Army opposing Finland, said last night that the reports were so ridiculous that there was "no need for us to deny them." The same sources denied rumors abroad of Soviet troop concentrations on the Afghan border or in the Caucasus.

ANOTHER SUB SUNK

PARIS-French naval authorities report the sinking of another German submarine by French destroyers and British aircraft.

ULTIMATUM TO TACOMA

BUENOS AIRES-The Argentinean government has given the German tanker Tacoma, which assisted the scuttled pocket battleship Admiral Graf Spee, twenty-four hours to leave Argentina or submit to internment for the duration of the war.

HITLER AND GOERING

BERLIN-There are continued persistent reports of a rift between Chancellor Adolf Hitler and Vice-Chancellor Herman Georing. Heinrich Himmler, chief of all Nazi police, is said to have discovered that Goering has been secretly attempting to contact Great Britain with a view to peace negotiations.

HITLER SPEAKS

BERLIN-In an address to the Nazi armies today, Chancellor Hitler declared that Germany's forces had stood the test in 1939 and that 1940 would be the most critical year in history for the Reich in which its very existence would be at stake. The passing year. Hitler declared, had removed inside of a few days the injustice of Versailles in regard to Poland. France had not dared to attack the Westwall. Der Feuuhrer expressed his confidence of ultimate victory.

> GERMAN WARCRAFT SINKS LONDON-A Reuters dispatch from Stockholm reports

that a "German naval craft" of 704 tons has sunk in a snowstorm off Sweden with one member of the crew drowned.

IN FINLAND

First contingent of Volunteers Arrive To Join In War Against Latest Estimates Increase Death Russia

Disturbances Are Reported LONDON, Dec. 30: (CP) - A Reuters News Agency dispatch from Stockholm said today that ANKHARA, Dec. 30: (CP) the first contingent of Finnish New and violent earthquake volunteers from Canada for the shocks were reported today in war against Russia arrived in Hel- | the Anantelia area in the vicinsingfors. Among them was a Fin- ity of Tokat where further vilnish miner from the Northwest lages have been destroyed. There M. M. Hill Appointed Chief For Territories who travelled 4200 were deep underground rumbmiles by various modes of trans- lings. The extent of damage portation to embark at Montreal. from the new quakes was not de-WINNIPEG, Dec. 30:-Announce- He will join a brother who is a termined.

death list may run into 100,000 in the worst earthquake disaster in the world since 1923 when 200,000 lives were lost in Japan. Great Britain has sent £100,-000,000 for relief and there have been messages of sympathy from King George and Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain. The American Red Cross has

sent \$10,000 and President Franklin D. Roosevelt has sent a message. Turkish authorities say that

more tremors may be expected to occur within the next few days in the already stricken

List In Anatolia Where Further

throughout northeastern Turkey

and the entire population of the

nation has been mobilized for

Injured are being rushed into

Ankhara by the trainload but

there are countless thousands

to whom it will be impossible to

minister and who will perish

It is now estimated that the

from exposure and starvation.

relief purposes.

Anatolia earthquake area. Fears of additional disaster were brought as officials reported direct from Erzincan Province that deaths there total at least forty thousand. In Erzincan many survivors are huddled in snow-covered fields half-naked. Officials said that women and children particularly were falling victims to the intense cold.

BIG MAN

Government Decided to Call Special Henry George Dalton, "Silent Iron Session to Deal With I.R.P.

for special powers to deal with ac- here. tivities of the outlawed Irish Re- Dalton was as reticent publicly increasingly active of late.

"bust up" in Ireland, this time in words of thanks numbered 24. the Ulster area.

pending civil strife. Leaves for all Corporation and Youngstown Sheet centrated around Dublin.

Improvement of Weather Results In Aerial and Patrol Movements on Western Front

PARIS, Dec. 30: (CP)-Except for a few patrol actions east of the Moselle River, snow and cold halted all military movements yesterday on the Western Front but the weather, however, cleared today and aerial activity was resumed on both sides.

eastern France.

A daring patrol thrust was made death in 1931. into German territory by the 100,000 French and some prisoners were taken.

TODAY'S STOCKS (Courtesy 8 D. Johnston Co.)

Vancouver

Big Missouri, .131/2. Bralorne, 10.70. Cariboo Quartz, 2.15. Dentonia, .011/2. Fairview, .0138. Gold Belt, .24. Hedley Mascot, .521/2. Minto, .011/2. Noble Five, .011/2. Pend Oreille, 2.20. Pioneer, 2.15. Premier, 1.38. Privateer, .92. Rena, .55. Relief Arlington, .12. Salmon Gold, .021/2. Sheep Creek, 1.20. Cariboo Hudson, .031/2.

A. P. Con., .17. Calmont, .40. C. & E., 2.10. Freehold, .0278. Home, 2.80. Pacalta, .041/2. Royal Can., .17. Okalta, 1.15. Mercury, .06. Prairie Royalties, .19.

Toronto Aldermac, .361/2. Beattie, 1.14. Central Pat, 2.50. Con. Smelters, 48.00. East Malartic, 3.95. Francoeur, .50. Gods Lake, .62. Hardrock, 1.36. Int. Nickel, 45.75. Kerr Addison, 2.59. Little Long Lac, 3.15. McLeod Cockshutt, 2.45. Madsen Red Lake, .57. McKenzie Red Lake, 1.37. Moneta, .86. Noranda, 77.00. Pickle Crow, 4.10. Preston East Dome, 2.36. San Antonio, 2.50. Sherritt Gordon, 1.16. Stadacona, .11. Uchi, .94. Bouscadillac, .033/4.

King," Passes Away in Cleveland

DUBLIN, Eire, Dec. 30: (CP)-The CLEVELAND, Dec. 30: (CP)government of Eire has decided to Henry George Dalton, aged 77, milsummon Parliament to meet next lionaire chairman of the Youngs-Wednesday to pass upon a request town Sheet and Tube Co. is dead

publican Army. It is expected fur- as the Dalton-directed mines. ships ther steps will be taken to suppress and steel mills were clamorous. His valued at about \$645,000,000, the organization which has been fellow Clevelanders termed him the "silent iron king." When he re-Observers here are speculating ceived a chamber of commerce pubupon the possibility of another lic service medal in 1938. Dalton's

He rose to business dominance Reports of military measures im- from a job at 16 checking freight on pending at Dublin heightened fears the Lake Eric city's ore docks. As a in informed Belfast quarters of im- director of both Bethlehem Steel officers are reported to have been & Tube Company in 1930. Dalton can elled as the Eire army con- was a leader in the attempt to weld these giant producers. Cyrus S. Fiton, another self-effacing Clevelander who had just formed Republic Steel Corporation, blocked the merger after a spectacular court

While Dalton, a clam, polite man of medium build and height, was perhaps best known for his part in the merger dispute, he held key positions in the industry for many years. He resigned his Bethlehem NO BATTLE directorship in 1931 but on February NO BATTLE Youngstown Sheet & Tube Company, the fourth largest independ-

Dalton was only 20 when in 1883 he left the docks to become office boy for Pickands, Mather & Com-The Germans made extended re- pany. Ten years later he became a connaissance flights over north- nartner and commanded the Cleveland firm after Samuel Mather's

mined, shipped and sold ore and ports were circulated last night coal; manufactured pig iron, haul- that gunning and aircraft activity ed on commission, handled ore min- were noted off a southeastern LONDON, Dec. 30: (CP)- The ing properties for steel concerns coast town but the Air Ministry de- British battleship which suffered and managed boats and docks on nied that any action had taken some damage when torpedoed by a the Great Lakes. It did most of its place in that zone. Gunfire was German submarine off the west Dalton sought to unite.

lions of dollars into frantic stock- attempted to attack a convoy. killed and one was injured. buying operations which culminated in the merger battle. Eaton, dreaming of a mid-western steel empire, planned to merge Youngstown Sheet & Tube, in which he and associates held approximately a 20 1 per cent interest, with Republic and Inland Steel Company. But Dalton

and James A. Campbell, whom Dalton later replaced as Youngstown Sheet & Tube chairman, had other ideas. That was early in 1930. In a stock-buying battle for control of the Youngstown concern, Pickands, Mather & Company alone spent \$7,000,000 and Eaton more

than \$11,000,000. Stockholders approved the merger by a slight margin but Eaton won a court decision which per-

manently restrained it. The "silent iron king" was born in Cleveland October 3, 1862. His early education was scanty.

Dalton had two personal sorrows. (Continued on Page Three)

Noted Utilities Magnate Is Dead

Henry Doherty, Head of City Services Company, Passes in Philadelphia

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 30: (CP)-Henry Doherty, aged 69, head of the far-flung City Services Company, is dead here. He was the victim of pneumonia.

NO PAPER MONDAY Monday, being New Year's Day and a public holiday, the Daily News will not be published. The next regular edition will appear on Tuesday afternoon.

High Spots In Business

By The Canadian Press

Industrial production attains a new Canadian volume in the last quarter of the year, with output one third greater than in the corresponding period of

Heavy field crops of Canada, and the best since 1930, together with persistent prosperity of the mining industry, stimulates Canadian trade apart from the war influence.

pective rise of mining costs.

British Admiralty Denies Reports Of Action Off Southeastern Coast

Pickands, Mather & Company LONDON, Dec. 30: (CP)-Re-

MANY REDS ARE SLAIN IN MUTINY

Finns Claim To Have Killed Six Hundred In Battle Yesterday At Kelja

HELSINGFORS, Dec. 30: (CP)-Killing of six hundred Russians in battle at Kelja was reported by the Finnish command as the Red Army launched new attacks in the vain attempt to regain lost ground.

Meantime, virtual civil war conditions are reported to be prevailing among the Soviet troops to the north as mutiny spreads due Canada's gold production for to starvation and exposure of the the year, estimated at \$183,000,- inadequately fed and clothed 900, increases about 10 percent forces. In the Petsamo area the over last year. Decline of the Russians are reported retreating dollar puts a premium of more in great disorder with entire batthan 10 percent on Canadian talions surrendering to the Finns, gold, assuring producers of ex- giving over tanks and airplanes in tra income to meet the pros- the hope of getting food and shel-

Imports in 10 months of 1939 | Finnish onslaughts drove the indeclined 4.4 percent while the vading Russians across their own favorable balance of exports border north of Leiksa today, the over imports increases by 18 Finnish high command reported. percent. Carloadings for the This is the third point where Finyear increase about five percent nish communiques have reported the Red Army thrown back across the frontier.

The Soviet is throwing crack troops into the Finnish campaign for the dual purpose of dealing with its own mutineers and to stay the Finnish advances.

Four Dead Aboard British War Vessel Which Was Attacked By German Submarine

business with the two steel giants reported to have been heard at coast of Scotland, has reached sea and the putting out of Royal port under her own steam, the Millions At Stake In Merger | Air Force planes led to the belief Admiralty officially announces. Industrial magnates tossed mil- that German aircraft might have Four members of the crew were

FINAL BULLETINS

COMMISSIONERS NAMED

OTTAWA-Hon. John Hall Kelly, member of the Quebec Legislative Council, has been appointed Canadian High Commissioner to Eire and Dr. W. A. Riddell, charge d'affaires of the Canadian legation at Washington, has been named High Commissioner to New Zealand, the Prime Minister's office announces. E. J. Garland, national organizer of the C.C.F., has been appointed secretary to the new high commissioner to Eire and has tendered his resignation as organizer.

BRIDGES NO COMMUNIST

WASHINGTON-James Landis, Harvard Law School dean, has submitted to Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins the finding that Harry Bridges, West Coast C.I.O. leader, is neither a member of or affiliated with the Communist party. The finding is contained in a letter transmitting a report on deportation proceedings against Bridges. The proceedings were on grounds that Bridges was a member of the organization allegedly advocating overthrowing the United States government by force. Whether Bridges, an Australian, will be deported will now depend on Miss Perkins but it is considered unlikely that he will be.

PATTULLO'S MESSAGE

VICTORIA-In a New Year message, Premier Pattullo said that, while people of Canada should do all in their power towards prosecuting the war to a successful conclusion, they should also carry on their daily endeavours to improve conditions of social and economic life of the province.

TORONTO WINS

LOS ANGELES- In the international ice carnival here, University of Toronto, the only Canadian entry, won the international intercollegiate ice hockey championship by defeating Gonzaga of Spokane 5 to 1. Toronto did not suffer a single defeat in the series.

KEEP WHEAT AND FLOUR

WASHINGTON-Against the possibility of a shortage in 1940, Secretary of Agriculture Henry Wallace announces cancellation of wheat and flour exports from the United States to all nations except the Phillipine Islands.

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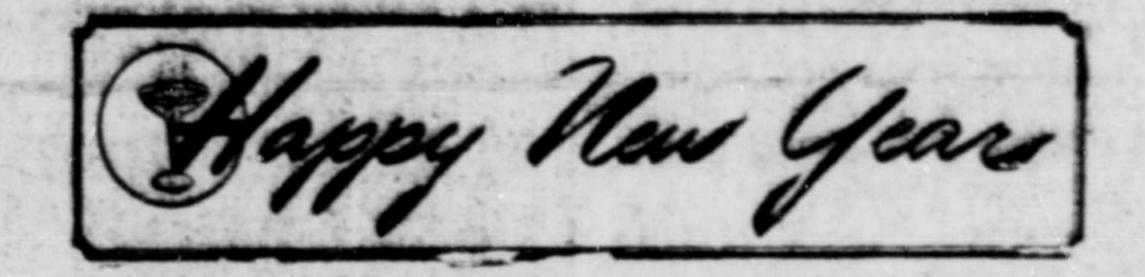
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EDITORIAL



EXIT 1939

Before our next issue the year will have passed. The Old Courtry Soccer outstanding event of 1939 was the entry of Canada into the war in defence of the Empire and of small defenceless nations. It was a momentous step but one which, as a nation, we shall never regret. We could not have done otherwise and at the same time kept our self-respect.

So far as Prince Rupert is concerned, we have so far felt the war stress not at all. We have not been curbed in our eating or drinking or in our wearing apparel. We have much the same opportunities of travel except that travel to Europe is rather dangerous. Even the increased taxes to pay the cost of the war have not yet been levied! except the excise tax on liquor and a few articles of food.

The Prince Rupert merchants have had a good year, most of them making a little money. More people have had steady work this year than for many seasons past. While salmon trolling was pretty much a failure, the river fishing was excellent and the halibut men did reasonably well as far as it went.

With the troops in the city the population has increased and every house has been one of advancement.

WELCOME 1940

In view of the successes in the war area and the prospects at home we may look forward to the year 1940 with confidence. Unless something unforseen occurs, we shall win the war. Germany will be stopped in her agression and Russia will have to get out of the Baltic countries and mind her own affairs, which will be enough for one country to do. If it is not done in the coming year it will in o the next year.

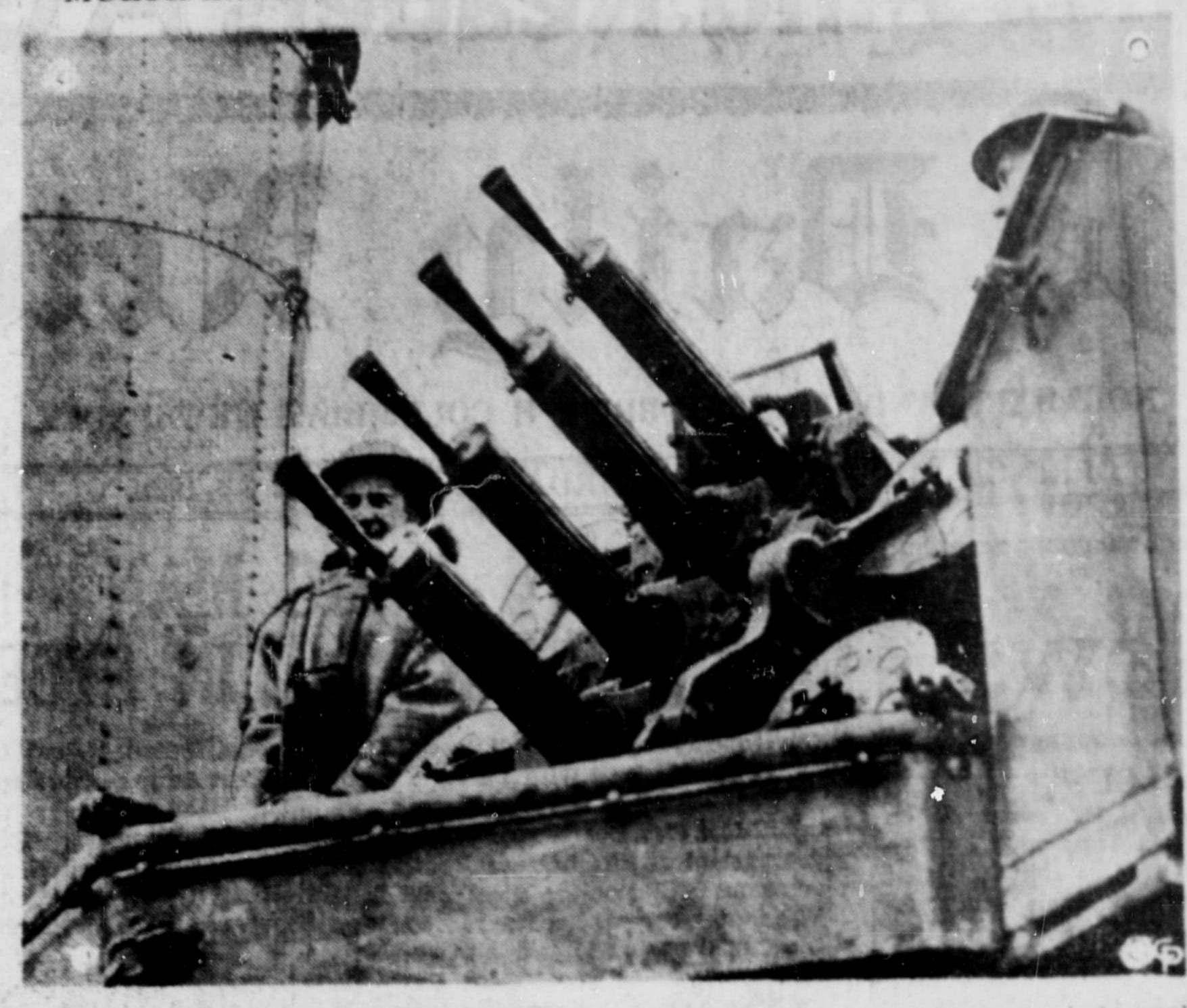
So far as the city is concerned, there is every sign that Albion o. we are only at the beginning of a period of advancement. The work at Seal Cove is to commence soon. A cannery is to be operated in the city next season. The garrison is' to remain permanently. New homes will be needed and, must be erected. Already it is estimated that the population of the city has reached at least seven thousand and, by the time the census is taken in 1941, should be a great deal more. After remaining static in population for something like twenty years, it seems as if Prince Rupert is due for a forward move.

MERRY CHRISTMAS (?)

PEANUTS APLENTY

HOUSTON, Tex., Dec. 30: (CP)-PRAGUE, Dec. 30: (CP)-Christmas Day saw discontinuance by de- Peanuts in Atascosa County were cree of privileges hitherto accorded produced to the tune of 35,000 acres Czechs in food rations and substi- in 1939, with the yield approximatetution of the ration card system ly 15 bushels to the acre. The mar- 2 now operating in Germany proper. ket value was \$500,000.

MULTIPLE ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUN ON WATCH IN NORTH SEA



Aboard the British mine sweepers patrolling the North Sea are powerful armaments to combat enemy airplanes and submarines. Here is a multiple anti-aircraft gun aboard one of the patrol vessels, always manned and ready for instant use once an enemy plane is sighted.

Buffalo Are Available For The Province

02 Commerce has received a reply to Christmas presents. The girls and 25 a communication in regard to the their leader, Mrs. L. Harris, were placing of buffalo in Tweedsmuir in charge. Park or on Graham Island. The

buffalo is a grazing and not a Kennedy. browsing animal

transfer and maintenance.

South A Arsenal 2. Morwich 2. Charlton 5, Crystal Palace 4. Southend N. Clapton Orient 0. Watford . Tottenham 1. West Ham 6, Millwall 2. Midland

Birmingham 2, Coventry 4. Leicester 2, West Bromwich 5, Northampton 6. Walsall 1. Wolverhampton Wanderers Luton Town 1.

South B Brentford 0. Queens Park 7 Brighton 9, Southampton 4, Fulham 5, Bournemouth 2. Portsmouth 4. Aldershot 2 Reading 1. Chelsea 5. Southwest

Bristol-Rovers 4. Bristol City 2. Cardiff 1. Swindon 1. Swansea 1, Plymouth 0. Torquay 6. Newport 2. Exhibition

Accrington 4, New Brighton 2. Bradford City 5, Doncaster 2. Bury 7, Stoke City 6. Carlisle 4, York 2. Chesterfield 2. Rochdale 2. Darlington 1, Newcastle 2. Everton 2, Blackpool 3. Halifax 0, Sheffield Wednesday

Middlesbro. 4, Barnsley 2. Notts City 4, West Bromwich lett and Marshall. -

Port Vale 1, Notts Forest 3. Preston 1, Liverpool 3. Stockport 7, Bradford 4. Rotherham 1, Hull 0. Sheffield United 3, Leeds 0.

Scottish East Alloa 2. Dundee United 1 Dundee 3, Aberdeen 1. East Fife 3, Cowdenbeath 4. Falkirk 3. Arbroath 0. Hearts 8. Stenhousemuir 2. Raith 0. Dunfermline 3 St. Bernards 1, Hibernians 6 St. Johnston 2, Kings Park 1. West. Albion 2. Kilmarnock 3 Ayr 2, Airdrie 1. Celtic 2. Motherwell 2. Hamilton 3, Clyde 2 Morton 3, Rangers 0, Partick Thistle 0, Dumbarton 4. Queens Park 1. Queen of South

St. Mirren 5, Third Lanark 3.

OCEAN FALLS

The Ocean Falls Rangers, assisted by the Girl Guides, held a silver tea and entertainment to raise funds for their organization. A very popular attraction was the selling of novelties made by the Seatth girls, filling a demand for some-The Prince Rupert Chamber of thing different in the way of

controller of the Department of The Women's Auxiliary of the Natural Resources reminds the Ocean Falls Anglican Church, as-Chamber that both these areas sisted by the Anglican Young are under provincial jurisdiction People's Association, held a very If the province wishes to obtain successful bazaar and tea in the a buffalo herd for a suitable range, church hall. The president, Mrs. the department will be glad to Patterson, was in charge. The make stock available from Elk convenors were: Mrs. Robertson Island National Park where there and Mrs. Denholme, fancy work; is a fine herd. The province would Mrs. Hodson, home cooking. The be required to pay all expenses of toy counter was run by the young ladies of the Anglican Young The letter also draws attention People's Association and the Junto the desirability of determining; iors' work and candy stall was in the suitability of ranges as the charge of Mrs. Potterton and Mrs.

> Old Santa made an early appearance in Ocean Falls when 'Mrs. Patrick gave a party in the church hall to a large number of little boys and girls.

Mrs. Robertson's kindergarten closing was much enjoyed by the parents. The tiny tots sang nursery rhymes and put on a very delightful little play.

The Rover Scouts' Christmas sing-song was the best yet. The theatre was packed with an enthusiastic audience. The program of Christmas carols and old-time songs was interspersed with musical solos by Miss P. P. Clarke and Percy Bryant. There were also vocal solos by Margaret Hughes. The "Six Cheers" - Misses R. Clarke, P. Palmer, A. Lee, I. Miller, Edith Benson and N. Adams-"Nazareth" in wonderful "Night Before 'Christmas" was picturized by the Rovers with a very large mouse, a synthetic reindeer and two Santa Clauses, Jack Maxwell read the script. The scenery by Rex Ross, conveyed the Christmas spirit and was much admired. A feature of the program was the presentation of silver cups, won in the recent swimming gala, to Olive Taylor, Freddy Oxenbury, jr., and Lorne Chase. The presentation was made on behalf of the local unions by Messrs. Charleson, Ol-

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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

New Years' Eve dance Moose Hall Cash for Old Gold. Bulger's.

Tonight's train, due from the vice Phone 13 Taxi. East at 11 o'clock, is reported to be thirty minutes late.

Edith will be at home on Sunday, December 31, from 3 until 6 p.m.

ner 2nd. Ave. and 6th. St. After- Hospital since before Christmas. various times he was a director in noons and evenings. Open Satur-

child returned to the city on the couver and Victoria. Princess Norah this morning from a trip to Vancouver.

D. McN. Lowe returned to the city on the Princess Norah this morning from a brief trip to Vancouver and Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Boddie sailed last night on the Princess Adelaide for a trip to Vancouver and elsewhere in the south.

Monty Vineberg left on last evening's train for a holiday trip to 4 tracting Co., and several of the + uation. his home at Sherbrooke, Quebec. Company's key construction He will also visit New York while men arrived in the city on the

in Vancouver.

Mrs. G. I. Smith of Nanaimo ar- + frived in the city on the Princess Adelaide last night to pay a visit here with her husband, Lieut. Delightful 'Xmas Scottish.

Mrs. W. S. Morse, wife of Capt. Morse of the Canadian Corps of Signals here, arrived in the city Mrs. H. B. Rochester Hostess at Afon the Princess Adelaide last night from Vancouver for a visit of a few weeks.

Dominic Elio will sail on the Catala Tuesday afternoon for a two week's business and holiday delightfully on Wednesday night trip to Vancouver. During Mr. with a Christmas dancing party at will have charge of the store.

jured in Train Collision Near Naples

into a troop train at Torre Annun- Delicious refreshments were servziata station, eighteen miles south ed. f here, today. A defective switch, Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell asdue to ice and snow, is blamed for sisted Mrs. Rochester in receiving. the disaster. It was a rear-end!

Hockey Scores

National League Boston 0, Rangers 4.

SPORT CHAT

Flying hooves of a long-limbed pay chestnut colt set an unbeaten pace, proportion of the expenditure required to give consolation to Britons disa- for the years 1937, 1938 and 1939 by pointed by a none too starry year Section in other branches of sport.

But even Blue Peter's turf Mineral Claims, your achievements were not without Mineral Claims shall be forfeited and disappointment for, like everything else in this sport-loving land, they DATED at Prince Rupert, B C. this were affected by the war. The first horse to carry the rose racing silks of the present Lord Rosebery to victory in the Derby, Blue Peter had been conceded the triple classic title on his remarkable re-. cord which included the 2,000 Guineas. But war intervened and the third Classic-The St. Legerhad to be cancelled. He had beaten either his rivals or masters of his rivals named for the race and nobody disagreed with Trainer 'Jack Jarvis' verdict that, unless he up and died, Blue Peter would win going away.

Jarvis also found plenty of support for his claim that the threeyear old was one of the best ever produced in Great Britain. Still a youth, with prospects of unusually big stud fees, the son of Fairway out of Fancy Free has been retired with one season's stake earnings amounting to \$142,239.

For prompt and courteous ser- of their two boys.

Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Kergin and of novelties and noise makers.

G. P. Tinker is making good He was chairman of Interlake

night on the Prince Rupert for a Bell Telephone Company, the Mis-Mr. and Mrs. Len Brewerton and two weeks' hollday visit in Van- souri Pacific and other railroads,

Air Base Work Now

Alec E. Richards, superin- + tendent for the E. J. Ryan Con- to study the American shipping sit-

Party At Hotel

fair on Wednesday Night With Officers of Garrison as Special Guests

Mrs. H. B. Rochester entertained Elio's absence Miss Ruth Gillett the Prince Rupert Hotel, special guests being officers of the local garrison and their ladies. There were about sixty couples in attendlance and all had a highly enjoyable

BAD WRECK orated in Yuletide colors, the arches The rooms were handsomely decwith evergreens and red and silver Forty Persons Killed and 156 In- being a feature while there were festoons of flowers and foliage from

the ceilings. From 10 p.m. until 3 a.m. dancing NAPLES, Dec. 30: (CP)-At least was in full swing with music by forty are dead and 150 injured as a Charlie Balagno's Orchestra. Alex result of an express train crashing Mitchell was master of ceremonies.

MINERAL ACT Notice To Delinquent Co-owners To John W. Alden and Gunder Birketand of Seattle, Washington, U. S. WHEREAS there are owners other on the north side of Porcher Island Chismore Passage about 500 feet Division, Province of British Columbia:

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TROTIER'S DOCK

BIG MAN IN STEEL

(Continued from Page One) One was the death of his wife, the former Julia Kaufholz of Cleveland

tf whom he married January 19, 1886. The other was the childhood deaths! tf., Servants said a plate was laid!

at the family table for his wife long! New Year's Eve Dance, Moose after her death in 1935, and that Hall, Doors open 11:30 p.m. Lots her chair was pulled back at each meal as if she were to be seated, (303) then moved forward.

progress after having been quite Iron Corporation and president of Idora Roller Skating Arena, Cor- ill in the Prince Rupert General Interlake Steamship Company. At such businesses as the Guaranty H. W. Birch sailed Thursday Trust Company of New York, Ohio the New York Trust Company, the National City Bank of Cleveland. and a number of other steel and · iron concerns.

> During the World War he was a member of the War Industries . Board's iron and steel committee. President Coolidge named Dalton in 1925 as his personal arbiter in a dispute on the United States Shipping Board, and for a study of the merchant marine. President Hoover appointed him five years later as the first member of a commission

He gave, in 1925, \$400,000 for a science hall at Kenyon College! + Princess Norah this morning + (Gambier, Ohio), which two years from Vancouver to be engaged flater awarded him an honorary docof both schools.

> C. H. Kennedy, who has been at turning to Skagway. Anyox in connection with the dismantling of the old smelter and mine plant by the A. R. Williams Machinery Co., sailed by the Princess Adelaide last night on his return to Vancouver, accompanied by Mrs. Kennedy, Miss M. McIlwain and H. Kennedy.

THOROUGH SPELLER

LOUISBURG, N.C., Dec. 30: (CP) -A truly great speller was the late J. J. Allen of Louisburg. Not only did he claim to be able to spell any word but he could tell its exact position in an old school speller

Announcements

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FRUIT

Apples, Oranges, Grapes, Assorted Nuts Fruit Cake, Crackers and Cheese TEA, COFFEE or MILK

Rev. H. G. Funston, pastor of in air base construction works torate of law. Western Reserve Uni- of the White Pass & Yukon Route of Vancouver, senior Roman Cath-First Presbyterian Church, and at Seal Cove. Operations will to versity at Cleveland named him to at Skagway, and Mrs. Haan, who olic chaplain for Military District little daughter returned to the set under way with the advent an honory degree of doctor of hu- have been on a trip to Vancouver, No. 11, arrived in the city on the city on the Princess Norah this of the New Year. Machinery manities in 1936. He was a trustee Seattle and elsewhere in the Princess Adelaide last night to south, were passengers aboard the visit the local garrison. He will be Princess Norah this morning re- here for the next two or three

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CULINARY APOLOGIST

MELBOURNE, Australia, Dec. 30;

(CP)-Upholder of Australian cooks

Ralph Richardson in

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On and After Today

"THE EXCLUSIVE"

Ladies' Ready to Wear Mrs. H S. Parker

Moving to Take Up Quarters at 245 Third Avenue New Store Just Completed—Next to Daily News Office

Mrs. H. S. Parker and her staff wish to thank all who have patronized her in the past fifteen years of steady going business in the old location on 6th Street and will welcome all in the new premises. She extends a cordial invitation to her friends and patrons to call and visit the new store and takes this opportunity of wishing one and all a very Happy and Prosperous New Year.

In Various Native Villages Of

District

Christmas parties have been

ments were then served under the

At Kitzegukla

Wesley, the Christmas carols

a Manger" and "Angels Sweetly

Metlakatla Concert

Singing" were rendered by the

chairman.

and Metlakatla.

NEUFCHATEL, Switzerland, Dec. CHRISTMAS

of Alsace in France in Fr of Alsace in France, the Alsatian storks have been frightened away by gunfire and are making new homes in Neufchatel.

KICKING IN

CANBERRA, Dec. 30: (CP)-Direct contributions to the cost of war are being made by many Australhis salary.

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Waterfront Whiffs

Waterfront to Revive After New Year-Men Arrive From Vancouver For Air Base. Work at Seal Cove

With the holiday season now nearing its end, the advent of 1940 next week should see some stir along the Prince Rupert waterfront. Herring seining, after a two weeks' lapse, will be immediately resumed and there are (CP)-A summer offensive against here tonight. reasons to believe that a substantial run of fish may be Australia's crops is apparently encountered by the seiners. At the same time, some of the planned by grasshoppers found

more ambitious of the halibut boat operators will be thinking of getting their craft in readiness for the season. Of course, there will be three months to go yet before the halibut season starts. Boat repair establishments and machine shops are expecting to be quite busy from early in the New Year on.

Northbound from Vancouver to Skagway, C. P. R. steamer Prin- & cess Norah, Capt. William Palmer, S arrived in port at 8:45 this morning from the south, sailing at 10 \$ p.m. in continuation of her voyage to Alaska whence she is due back § Special Entertainments and Parties here next Wednesday afternoon southbound. The vessel had on 3 board forty passengers including some fifteen who disembarked at 9 this port, among them men who o lians. An anonymous businessman held during the festive season for will be employed by the E. J. Ryan contributed \$1,790 and a civil ser- the school children of most of the Contracting Co. on air base work \$ vant has promised five per cent of native villages of the district, at Seal Cove. A couple of passen-Among the villages to have such gers boarded the Princess Norah & parties were Kitselas, Kitzegukla here for the north.

> At Kitselas there was a long Union steamer Cardena, Capt. program of twenty-three numbers John Boden, arrived in port at 6 5 after which prizes and candy were o'clock last evening from the south, | distributed by Edgar Hudson in sailing on time at 10:30 p.m. on her the guise of Santa Claus. Refresh- return to Vancouver and waypoints. o.

> management of Mrs. Joe Hudson. After having spent a week's assisted by several of the ladies. Christmas leave at their homes here of The program, under the direction Peter Husoy, Carl Smith, Walter & of the teacher, Mrs. R. Wilson, as- Smith, Earl Eby, Johnny O'Neill, o sisted by Mr. Wilson, Ben Sey- Arnold Dahl, Emil Blain, Jack Stormour and Edgar Hudson, included rie, Harry Robb, Don Eastman, Bob o choruses, carols, recitations, dia- Armstrong and Bob Elkins sailed by logues, action songs and readings the Princess Adelaide last night on 2 and, as an especial feature, a their return to Esquimalt.

> tableau, "The Story of Christmas." The reader for the tableau was At the recent conference of the Laura Hudson while those taking International Fisheries Commission part in the scenes were Rosie Sey- in Seattle with the boat owners and mour, as the angel; Lillian Bevan fishermen of the coast, L. W. Patas Mary; Raymond Seymour as more K. C., formerly of Prince Ru-Joseph; Phyllis Kennedy. Law- pert, was chairman while E. W. Alrence Hudson and Fredelia Bolton len of Seattle acted as secretary.

> ton, Joe Bolton, Willard Seymour siderably late on account of stormy! and Henry Bolton as shepherds weather, is due at 5:30 tonight from The carols-"First Nowell," "Silent Vancouver via the Queen Charlotte 9 Night" and "O Come All Ye Faith. Islands and will sail tomorrow night; ful" were sung from the wing; on her return south over the same by Laura Hudson, Phyllis Ken- route. nedy, Mrs. R. Wilson and Ben

Seymour. Taking part in the gen- The perpetrators of this departeral program were Lillian Bevan, ment of the Daily News wish all the Laura Hudson, Phyllis Kennedy, folks who interest themselves there-Mildred Bennett. Emsley Bolton, New Year of 1940 commencing on Rita Lawson, Joe Bolton, Ambrose Monday next. They tell us that Bennett, Fredelia Bolton, Willard 1940 is going to be one of the best, ooooooo Seymour, Geoffrey Bevan. Rosie years we folks in little old Prince 2 Seymour and Lawrence Hudson. Rupert have ever had. No doubt., 2 the people of the waterfront will The Kitzegukla school had been share in any better things that may 2 attractively decorated by the be coming our way. At least, it is 2 young people for the children's our hearty wish that such will be Christmas concert. Under the dir- the case. ection of Mr. and Mrs. Walter

"Earliest Christmas Morning." Today's Exchange

United States funds- Buying, 5 pupils. Little Percy Brown mount- spot, 10 percent premium; selling, 2 upon a chair and put some of spot, 11 percent premium. his fellow pupils through a part Sterling funds - Buying, spot, of the Hallelujah Chorus. Along \$4.43; selling, spot, \$4.47. with a number of recitations and

drills, the pupils staged a play entitled "Too Much Candy," with cluding socks, sweaters, mitts, 19 Magnus Turner in the principal baby clothes, runners, table cloths part. The young people also staged and aprons, this work being of a one-act play entitled "A New high standard and reflecting credit Invention." Later Santa Claus ar- upon the girls as well as their inrived on the scene, much to the structress, Mrs. James Prevost. delight of all, and refreshments Mrs. Violet Brown had taught

were served. Bert Russell acted as the children many songs and the program included carols and light melodies. Jimmy's Orchestra sup-At Metlakatla the school child- plied many fine selections during en staged a fine concert and the evening. Action songs were party in the Athletic Hall, practi- also performed well. Games were cally the entire population of the played, Rhoda and Frances Leighvillage being in attendance. | ton tying for first place in the One of the features was a dis-| senior class for musical chairs | play of children's school work in- while the junior winner was Rod-136 cluding drawings, paintings and dy Wilson. Harold Leighton won samples of writing. A manual the prize for cracker eating In the training display consisted of rack, potato race Theodore Erown and

tool box, table, deak, magazine Audrey Ryan were the winners. cack, flower pot stand. Chinese Santa Claus arrived on the scene checker board, fishing reel and re- and every child in the village was volving drawing board. This work remembered.

was excellent and was a credit to Mr. Prevost wound up the gaththe boys as well as to their teach- ering by proposing a vote of er. There was also a girls display thanks to the teacher, T. A. Bryof knitting and needlework in- ant and others.



Prince Rupert N. Langham and G. Burrell, Cal-R. W. Sinclair, Victoria; Mrs. G. Smith, H. McRae, A. R. Manzer, J. M. Allan, P. Thompson, and A. E. Richards, Vancouver; A. E. Saunders, Massett; Capt. and Mrs. Stephenson and Mr. and Mrs. G. Smith, Nanaimo.

'HOPPERS' ATTACK

breeding in great numbers near here. Agriculture Department of-John Knapland left on last eve- ficials have commenced defensive ning's train for a trip to Chicago. measures.

Commodore Cafe

NEW YEAR'S DINNER MONDAY

No. 1. \$1.00 - SPECIAL DINNER - \$1.00 Head Lettuce Fresh Shrimpmeat Cocktail Sliced Tomatoes Soups-Consomme Mock Turtle Clam Chowder Choice of-Roast Young Turkey, Dressing, Cranberry Sauce Roast Stuffed Young Goose, Baked Apple-Baked Oysters en Shell a la Kirkpatrick-Lobster a la Newburg en Casserole-T-Bone Steak, Fresh Mushroom Sauce

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85c — SPECIAL DINNER — 85c

No. 2. Pineapple Juice Combination Salad Soupe- Consomme - or - Clam Chowder Choice of-Roast Stuffed Young Turkey, Cranberry Sauce Roast Young Goose, Celery Dressing, Baked Apple Fried Half Spring Chicken, Rasher Bacon Small Tenderloin Steak, Fried Onions Eastern Oysters, Fancy Pan Roast

Baked, Mashed or Steamed Potatoes Green Beans English Plum Pudding, Hard or Wine Sauce, Apple, Hot Mince or Custard Pie, Jello and Cream

No. 3. -55c — SPECIAL DINNER — 55c

Consomme or Clam Chowder Choice of-Fried Half Dozen Eastern Oysters, Fr. Fried Potatoes Roast Young Turkey, Dressing, Cranberry Sauce Grilled Pork Chops, Green Apple Sauce Roast Young Chicken, Celery Dressing Top Sirloin Steak, Mushroom Sauce Boiled Chicken a la Creole, Green Peas

Green Beans Baked, Mashed or Steamed Potatoes English Plum Pudding, Hard or Wine Sauce, Apple, Hot Mince or Raisin Pie, Ice Cream

45c — SPECIAL DINNER — 45c

Consomme or Clam Chowder Choice of Fried Filet of Sole, Tartar Sauce-Grilled Halibut Steak, Lemon Butter-Fried Chicken Livers and Mushrooms Green Pea Omelette, French Fried Potatoes-Roast Leg of Veal, Red Currant Jelly

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"Fast and Furious," a rollicking modern mystery comedy, featuring Franchot Tone and Ann Sothern, land "Blondie," screen adaptation of a popular comic strip, are presented on an entertaining double bill be-CARWARP, Australia, Dec. 30: ing shown at the Capitol Theatre

Gay comedy is woven into mys-

tery with domestic scenes between in "Fast and Furious" which sees Tone and Miss Sothern as man and wife at a seaside resort where they become involved in a beach contest. Two murders, several attempted ones and an elaborate bathing beauty parade are among the features of the picture. There are colorful backgrounds and elaborate scenes for the action. The supporting cast includes Ruth Hussey, Lee Bowman, Allyn Joslyn, John Miljan and others.

Complications mount in hilarious crescendo in "Blondie" but, after many bumps, both financial and domestic, the troubles are satisfac- Eve midnight matinee for which a tority ironed out and peace reigns apecial program is arranged. again in the happy household. Beof fore this is accomplished, however, the head of the house spends a Rinight in jail, Blondie wrestles with the suspicions of another woman E. L. Morton returned from a 2,400and Baby Dumpling adds a touch of mile four of Victoria to say he had

mischief here and there to confuse "not had one bad the going-on. Penny Singleton time." He deplored the European and Arthur Lake head the cast with idea of pickling kangaroo talls. Larry Simms, an attractive youngster, as Baby Dumpling.

An attractive entertainment fea- A fifty cent classified ad. wh flure at the Capitol Theatre for often make you many dollars.



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