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## Chamberlain Issues War Warning

### MRS. MOE ACQUITTED

Verdict of Not Guilty in Interior Manslaughter Case—Warning Issued by Judge

### Mistaken Target

Accused Establishes Satisfaction of Jury That There Was No Criminal Neglect

Mrs. Tilda Moe, 50-year-old Lapland woman, was acquitted at the Supreme Court Assizes in Prince Rupert last night on a charge of manslaughter in connection with the shooting of Martin Mostue, a neighbor, in a swamp at Decker Lake on October 9 last. It was established to the satisfaction of the jury that Mrs. Moe had shot Mostue dead at a distance of two hundred yards in mistake for a moose and that she had not been criminally negligent as the crown alleged. The jury deliberated for nearly two hours after an all-day hearing before Mr. Justice A. I. Fisher who warned the woman as he discharged her.

The session of the Supreme Court Assizes is proceeding here with a murder and attempted murder case still to be dealt with. The murder case is proceeding today.

**Evidence in Moe Case**  
At the resumption of Mrs. Moe's trial yesterday afternoon Haakon Magdal, Decker Lake merchant, told of seeing the body of Mostue lying on the ground, evidently dead. He told of the accused saying: "I shot at what I thought was a moose and it was Martin Mostue." Mrs. Moe was not living with her husband. She had a trap line and also killed game for her own use. She also went out cooking for a living.

Honor Eide, living at Decker Lake, said he knew the accused. She told him she had shot Mostue in mistake for a moose. He went with her and found the body near the swamp. There was also part of a pair of cranberries close by it. Mrs. Moe had told him several years ago that her eyesight was not very good, especially at a distance.

Ervin Bjornson, farmer and logger, also told of meeting Mrs. Moe and going with her to Burns Lake to report the accident to the police. She said she first sighted the moose and then went back and got a rifle and shot the man in mistake.

Dr. T. C. Holmes of Burns Lake told of making an autopsy. The bullet had gone through the man's body, in one side and out the other, cutting the diaphragm twice. On the day of the tragedy he had gone to Decker Lake and found the body lying in the swamp. It was getting dark when he arrived and the man was quite dead.

John Seymour Clarke, provincial constable who had been sent to investigate, said he found no trace of any moose having been in the swamp for a long time past. He had lived a long time in moose country and knew their habits well. He had been game warden for ten years. Mrs. Moe took him to the place where the man was shot and the hat and cranberry pail were still there. He identified photographs of the site taken at the time by Constable Smith.

Constable P. B. Smith, who checked up the swamp with Constable Clarke, also told of finding no new moose tracks. He identified the clothing of the deceased.

This completed the case for the crown.

**Mrs. Moe's Evidence**  
W. O. Fulton, defence counsel, stated that the defence was that the fatality was nothing more than an accident. The only defence witness would be the accused herself. Her story would simply be that she had

### Eire Boosts Income Tax

DUBLIN, May 11: (CP)—The income tax of Eire was increased yesterday by one shilling to five shillings and six pence to the pound or 27½ per cent, the same as in Great Britain. Taxes on tea and gasoline are increased and other special taxes are also being levied.

### WHEAT BILL IS THROUGH

Acreege Bonus Measure Gets Third Reading in House of Commons—Relief Made More Generous

OTTAWA, May 11: (CP)—The acreage bonus bill received its third reading in the House of Commons yesterday without dissenting vote after the Minister of Agriculture, Hon. James G. Gardiner, had agreed to a number of amendments based on suggestions by various groups of the House. Special assistance has been agreed upon in the event of a complete crop failure, the provisions under which relief is granted being extended.

### Killing Of Propaganda

Nazis Establish One Station At Danzig And Poles Neutralize It

WARSAW, May 11: (CP)—It has been revealed here of how two powerful radio stations at Danzig neutralized each other in the dissemination of propaganda. First the Nazis started a station and then the Poles started another which made it ineffective.

### Federal Building Fittings Are Due In City Next Week

According to word received in the city the Interior Hardware Co. Ltd. of Kitchener, Ontario, which has the contract for interior fittings for the new Federal Building here, expects to have the goods delivered to Prince Rupert by May 18 or 19. At the same time the company's representative will be here to superintend the installation. The work itself is not expected to take much more than a few days.

### Next Tuesday Is Deadline

OTTAWA, May 11: (CP)—Unless the business of the session can be completed by next Tuesday, there will be no royal prorogation of Parliament by the King during his visit to Ottawa, Prime Minister William Lyon Mackenzie King announced yesterday. There would be a five-day adjournment instead, the Premier stated. Originally it had been planned that an adjournment would be during the entire time of the King's visit to Canada.

### WILL HELP WITH DEAL AT MOSCOW

London Circles More Hopeful Of Pact With Russia Being Concluded—Berlin Is Scornful

UTTERLY UNACCEPTABLE MOSCOW, May 11: (CP)—The government newspaper Izvestia declared today that the British security proposals were utterly unacceptable in their present form and said that Russia insisted on the formation of a "united front of mutual assistance" by Great Britain, France, Russia and Poland or at least by the first three. The editorial is taken as an indication of Soviet government attitude.

LONDON, May 11: (CP)—The statement yesterday of Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain giving Russia assurance that she would not be left in the lurch under the proposed tri-partite non-aggression pact is expected to facilitate negotiations with the Soviet and clear the air in regard to conversations in Moscow. Official circles are now more hopeful of the pact being concluded.

Guarantees which Great Britain and France have made to Poland and Roumania are believed to have actually had the effect of making Russia less anxious to commit herself to any agreement with Britain, such being less necessary now in her own interests owing to the pledges of Polish and Roumanian security.

In Germany Premier Chamberlain's statement of assurance to Russia was scorned and there was repetition of charges of mistreatment of Germans in Poland.

### SEAS ARE SMOOTHER

King and Queen Now in Iceberg Area Near Newfoundland—Being Flooded with Greetings

ABOARD EMPRESS OF AUSTRALIA, May 11: (CP)—Seas became considerably calmer yesterday as the Empress of Australia, carrying the King and Queen to Canada, entered the iceberg area in approaching Cape Race, most easterly point of Newfoundland. Today a dense fog settled over the Empress and the convoying cruisers, forcing them to heave to 350 miles off Cape Race.

Yesterday, H.M.S. Southampton, one of the convoying cruisers, staged a demonstration of gunnery marksmanship at sea for the benefit of the King.

During the day each member of the crew was presented to Their Majesties.

As the royal flotilla nears the American continent numerous messages of greeting and welcome are being received.

### Halibut Sales

Summary	
Canadian—104,500 pounds,	6c and 5c to 7c and 5c.
American—None.	
Canadian	
Covenant, 21,000, Atlin, 7c and 5c.	
Lois N., 20,000, Cold Storage,	6.4c and 5c.
Oslo, 17,000, Cold Storage, 6.4c and 5c.	
Cape Race, 7,000, Atlin, 6.3c and 5c.	
Cape Spear, 14,500, Pacific, 6.2c and 5c.	
A. K., 2,000, Booth, 6c and 5c.	
Marguerite, 28,000, Cold Storage,	6.1c and 5c.

### Tokyo Breaks Out Against Axis Powers

TOKYO, May 11: (CP)—A sudden burst of hostility against Germany and Italy yesterday in a prominent Tokyo newspaper created a sensation. Japan can get along without the axis powers, the newspaper said, and it is not under the domination of either. The comment is believed to have been inspired by the army faction.

### CHANGCHOW ATTACKED

Important South China Seaport Victim of Intensive Japanese Air Raiding

AMOY, May 11: (CP)—Changchow, important southern China seaport, has been made the objective of an intensive attack by Japanese air raiding planes. According to word received here direct hits on the port yesterday caused thousands to be killed and injured. Families living on junks suffered heavy casualties.

### Portland May Be Closed Up

Shipping Interests Threaten Dramatic Action Unless There Is An End To Walk-out

PORTLAND, Oregon, May 11: (CP)—Shipping companies have threatened to close the port of Portland unless there is an immediate end of the longshoremen's strike. The walk-out took place as a protest against the dismissal by the Luckenbach Line of three workers.

### Case Traversed To Fall Assize

Attempted Rape Trial Deferred On Application of Defence Counsel

In the assize court this morning Mr. Justice Fisher granted an application of Reid McLennan, counsel for Atwell Dan of Babine, to traverse the case until the fall assizes. Mr. McLennan submitted an affidavit to the court stating that Dan, who is accused of attempted rape, is subnormal in intelligence and stating that two material witnesses are not present and cannot be brought here in time for the present court to hear their evidence. One of these witnesses is the husband of the woman who it is alleged was the victim of the offense.

### Baseball Scores

National League	
Pittsburg 5, New York nil.	
Cincinnati 5, Brooklyn 10.	
St. Louis 4, Philadelphia 3.	
Chicago 2, Boston 6.	
American League	
New York 7, St. Louis 1.	
Boston-Chicago, postponed on account of cold.	
Philadelphit 4, Cleveland 7.	
Washington 1, Detroit 5.	

### MILLER IS IN COUNCIL

Former Mayor of Vancouver defeats C.C.F. Candidate in Civic By-Election

VANCOUVER, May 11: (CP)—Ex-Mayor George C. Miller won the civic by-election yesterday necessitated by the death of Ald. Fred Crone. Miller polled 12,452 votes to 11,432 for former Alderman Alfred Hurry who ran as a Co-operative Commonwealth Federation candidate. Hurry said he would contest the result on the ground that some four hundred votes had been unable to ballot owing to shortage of ballot papers in three polling booths. As a result, the possibility of a second aldermanic by-election looms.

Early in the counting Hurry had a substantial lead and it appeared likely for some time that he would win. Returns from later divisions, however, reversed the result. Alexander Fordyce and Peter McAllister, two other candidates, were far behind. Fordyce getting 915 votes and McAllister, 722. The winner will have a term on the council for nearly two years, the late Ald. Crone having been elected for a two-year term last December.

Daylight saving time was favored by a plurality of eight votes 12660 to 12652 but unofficially it was indicated that the council would not act in changing the time owing to the undecided majority. Early counting showed a large majority against daylight saving but gradually this was reduced.

Deputy returning officers reported that there were "near riots" at some of the polling booths when ballots became exhausted.

### TODAY'S STOCKS

Vancouver	
Big Missouri, 15.	
Bralorne, 11.00.	
Cariboo Quartz, 2.16.	
Dentonia, .02½.	
Fairview, .05.	
Gold Belt, .44.	
Hedley Mascot, .93.	
Minto, .01½.	
Noble Five, .02.	
Pacific Nickel, .16.	
Pend Oreille, 1.40.	
Premier, 1.92.	
Privateer, 1.12.	
Reeves McDonald, .21.	
Renov, .43.	
Salmon Gold, .10¼.	
Sheep Creek, 1.05.	
Cariboo Hudson, .23.	
Oils	
A. P. Con., .15.	
Calmont, .33.	
C. & E., 2.00.	
Freehold, .02½ ask.	
Home, 2.20.	
Pacalta, .05¼.	
Royal Canadian, .17½.	
Okalta, 1.05.	
Mercury, .06.	
Prerie Royalties, .21.	
Toronto	
Aldermac, .30.	
Beattie, 1.19.	
Central Patricia, 2.37.	
Con. Smelters, 44.50.	
East Malartic, 2.35.	
Fernland, .04.	
Francoeur, .18.	
Gods Lake, .35.	
Hardrock, 1.08.	
Int. Nickel, 48.50.	
Kerr Addison, 1.63.	
Little Long Lac, 2.75.	
McLeod Cocksbutt, 1.97.	
Madsen, .37.	
McKenzie Red Lake, 1.23.	
Moneta, 1.05.	
Noranda, 78.50.	
Pickle Crow, 4.95.	
Preston E. Dome, 1.38.	
San Antonio, 1.55.	
Sherritt Gordon, 1.00.	
Stadacona, 48½.	
Uchi, 1.29.	
Bouscadillac, .06.	
Moshier, .14.	
Oklend, .07.	

### Attempt To Change Danzig Status Will Precipitate Conflict

Prime Minister Reiterates That British Government Has No Desire to Encircle Germany

LONDON, May 11: (CP)—Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain today gave warning that any attempt to change the status of Danzig by force in such a way as to threaten Polish independence would inevitably start a general war in which the British would be involved. At the same time, Premier Chamberlain, addressing women Conservatives, reiterated that the government had no desire to encircle Germany.

### Bulletins

**LOAN IS APPROVED**  
A message received this afternoon by City Commissioner W. J. Alder from G. H. Hanson, M.P. for Skeena, announced the passage of an order-in-council at Ottawa authorizing the loan of \$40,000 applied for by the City of Prince Rupert under the self-liquidating public works program. The money will be used for replacing wooden water mains.

**DIED ON STREET**  
Knute Olsen, who arrived in the city only Tuesday night from Saskatchewan with a view to buying a boat and going salmon fishing with a partner, collapsed and died on Third Avenue not far from the Daily News office at 10 o'clock last night. With him at the time was his partner and Reuben Scherk. When the man collapsed he was lifted into a car and taken to the office of Dr. E. B. Pugsley who pronounced him dead. Deceased is believed to have a widow in Saskatchewan. Little else is known about him at this time.

**VANCOUVER HOLD-UP**  
VANCOUVER—Two masked and armed bandits escaped with \$300 in jewelry from a suburban jewelry store in a daylight robbery today after tying up and gagging the proprietor, H. J. Baxter.

**ANGLO-ROUMANIAN PACT**  
LONDON—Great Britain and Roumania have signed a trade agreement, Rt. Hon. Oliver Stanley, President of the Board of Trade, told the House of Commons today. Britain advances credits of £5,000,000 to Roumania under the terms of the agreement.

**CO-OPERATION APPROVED**  
OTTAWA—By a vote of 7 to 6 a special committee of the Senate investigating railway conditions today adopted a report of Government Leader Dandurand urging a greater measure of co-operation between the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific Railways with the appointment of a referee to enforce that co-operation in case of disagreement.

**CHICAGO ELEVATORS BURN**  
CHICAGO—Five large grain elevators on the far south side were ravaged by fire which left ten missing and feared dead. The loss is estimated at \$2,000,000. Four workmen and half a dozen firemen were hurt.

**Weather Forecast**  
General Synopsis—The pressure continues high off the coast and a moderate depression is approaching the Queen Charlotte Islands from the southwest. The weather has been fine and warm. Prince Rupert and Queen Charlotte Islands—Fresh northeast winds, shifting to east and becoming strong. Part cloudy with showers at night.

West Coast of Vancouver Island—Moderate to northeast wind shifting to east and becoming fresh. Part cloudy and moderately warm.

The city council, W. J. Alder, city commissioner, will be in session this afternoon to further consider the rates bylaw for the year, there being certain formalities to comply with.

E. W. Allaire and several other local men left on last evening's train for Haysport enroute to the Northern Pyrites mine on which they will be employed. About forty men are now working at the property.

Lloyd Collin McKenzie, miner, aged 30, was arrested late yesterday by provincial police at Arrandale in connection with the hold-up of the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Co.'s general store at Anxox last Thursday when an armed and masked man made his getaway with \$800 in cash. Inspector C. G. Barber was advised of the arrest last night by Staff Sergeant Ernest Gammon who has been leading the search.

McKenzie had in his possession at the time of the arrest part of the money. He is stated to have told the police that he had cached the remainder of it near Anxox. When captured, McKenzie was unarmed, having previously cached a rifle.

McKenzie is believed to have rowed from Anxox to Arrandale in a rowboat which he stole from Anxox last Tuesday night. Police and prisoner returned to Anxox aboard the police boat. The prisoner will be brought to Prince Rupert for preliminary trial, probably arriving tonight.

McKenzie had not been at Anxox long. He is known to have been in Prince Rupert early in April. He is also known as Stewart.

**Murder Trial Is Proceeding**  
Defence Counsel Appointed for James Anderson of Atlin  
At the Supreme Court Assizes this morning W. O. Fulton was appointed as defence counsel for James Sangster Anderson of Atlin on application of T. W. Brown, crown counsel. The Anderson case is proceeding this afternoon. Accused is charged with murder of Knute Olsen.

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## EDITORIAL

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### LET THE FLAGS WAVE

The King and Queen are expected to arrive at Quebec on Monday and it is suggested that, on that day and while they are in Canada, there should be a generous display of flags and bunting.

On Tuesday there will be in Prince Rupert a shipload of members of Rotary Clubs from Washington, Oregon and a part of Idaho as well as some from British Columbia points. They will be arriving in the city on the steamer Aleutian. As they will be here throughout the afternoon and evening, local merchants are being asked to decorate their shop windows.

In view of the desirability of letting the visitors know that this is a Canadian city and not Alaska, it is very desirable that as many Canadian and British flags as possible be flying that day.

The Rotary Club is asking the co-operation of all citizens in making the day a memorable one.

### WOULD TAKE RAILWAY

Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, leader of the Conservative party in the Senate, comes out wholeheartedly in favor of taking the Canadian National Railway away from the people of Canada and operating it under Canadian Pacific management. He calls it unification.

This seems to be the first time a prominent political leader has declared himself openly in favor of uniting the management of the two systems. It will be anything but popular in Prince Rupert where the people realize what kind of a show this part of the country would get under a management of that kind. Sale of the railway to the C.P.R. would be much to be preferred to joint management.

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### MRS. MOE ACQUITTED

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seen a moose and thought she would like to have it to help out herarder. She proceeded to get a gun, telling several persons of her intention. She had become "moose-minded" and, due to an unfortunate set of circumstances, had got into an unfortunate mess.

Mrs. Moe, who stated she lived alone at Palling and supported herself, told of having gone to the old homestead at Decker Lake on the day in question. Returning home she saw a moose in Gregerson's Swamp and decided that she would like to have it. Accordingly, she went to get the rifle and shells and, returning to the swamp by a shorter trail, again saw an object which she believed was the moose she had spotted before. She shot and, on running around the swamp to the spot, found it was the man who appeared to be dead. She immediately went to report the matter. It was from a distance of about 150 yards that she first saw the moose. She was about 200 yards away when she shot.

Under cross-examination, Mrs. Moe said she believed the moose was not very large. She had been unable to tell whether it was male or female or how old it was. She thought it was feeding and that the motions were those of a moose. She had never shot a moose or deer in this country but had shot moose in Norway.

In addressing the jury, Mr. Fulton admitted that all would agree there were too many fatalities from shooting and automobile accidents but he did not think this was a case where the crown should attempt to make an example. In fact, he thought it was unchivalrous to lay the first charge of this kind against a woman. The jury should have no difficulty in determining that this was a simple accident and that no blame was to be attached to any person. This was known to be a good moose country and accused was "moose-minded."

All circumstances were such as to make her believe that it had been a moose at which she shot. She never dreamed that the gyrations of the object in the swamp were those of a man picking berries. He contended that the crown had not established Mrs. Moe to have been criminally careless.

T. W. Brown, crown counsel, said that it was his painful duty to lay the facts before the jury and to

point out the factors on which the crown submitted that there had been negligence. Accused admitted that her eyesight was bad at a distance. Yet she had shot, meaning to kill the object at which she aimed. Was it not her duty to take care. The fact that she was an experienced woman of the woods made her even the more responsible for carelessness. It was for the jury to determine whether or not she had taken the care she should have. All he asked of the jury was to do its duty.

#### Judge's Charge

The judge's charge to the jury lasted over an hour. At length he outlined the definitions of the law in regard to manslaughter and the elements constituting culpable homicide through negligence or otherwise. The jury should have no difficulty in deciding that accused had killed deceased. It was another thing, however, that the killing had been caused by negligence. It was the duty of any person in control of a thing which, in the absence of precaution, would endanger human life to take such measures as would remove that danger. Failure to do so constituted culpability. A loaded rifle, handled without care, was a danger to human life and it was the duty of any person handling such a weapon to take reasonable precautions. His Lordship reviewed the evidence to which he applied the interpretation of the law. The duty of the jury to determine whether the accused under the circumstances had performed her legal duty.

At 6:50 the jury retired, returning at 8:35 with its verdict of not guilty.

In discharging the prisoner, the judge asked her to remember the next time she had a rifle in her hands that she had killed a man.

### Greenville Boy Is Dead Here

Eight-Year Old Son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Russ Passes Away in Hospital

Wesley Joseph Russ, aged eight, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Russ of Greenville on the Naas River, passed away at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon in the Prince Rupert General Hospital where he had been a patient for ten days, being brought here from his home village after having contracted a severe cold. Funeral arrangements are in the hands of the B. C. Undertakers.

Besides his parents, who are at Sunnyside cannery on the Skeena River for the summer the boy is survived by four sisters—Mrs. Anthony Calder of Greenville, Addie and Mildred, at present attending Crosby Girls' School at Port Simpson, and Pearl at home.

Rev. D. W. More of Kisplox and Rev. Bishop Black of Kitsegukla will arrive in the city from the interior on tonight's train and sail aboard the Prince Rupert for New Westminster to attend the British Columbia Conference of the United Church of Canada next week.

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### Gamma Wins In Softball

Trevor Johnston left on last evening's train for a brief business trip to Hazelton. He is expected back tonight.

The case of Captain Dan Wedge of the fishing boat Bayview, an appeal against a conviction under the International Fisheries regulations, will come up on Wednesday of next week at the session of the Supreme Court Assizes. Several divorce cases will be tried Tuesday.

The second game of the Junior High School Softball League was played Wednesday and Gamma defeated Beta 10 to 5. Gamma played hard from the start but Beta held the lead in the third inning. Although Bird placed some nice hits for Beta, Gamma had the upper hand and soon had a 6-0 lead over Beta. Mr. Leighs was umpire and scorekeeper was Melbourn Sey. Players were: Beta — Ray O'Neil, Captain Simundson, Bird, Peter Boyd, Sylvester, Bond, Hayakan, Woodward. Gamma — Gomez, Suter, Keays, Jones, Pavlikis, M. B. Avich, Hingston, Astoria.

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**LOCAL NEWS NOTES**

**GIRLS!** It's your treat at Cambrai Spinster's Spree, Oddfellow's Hall 9:30 tomorrow night. Adm. 50c-1.10.

Sergeant Sperry Cline of the provincial police at Smithers is in the city for the assizes in connection with interior cases.

Dr. T. C. Holmes of Burns Lake, after a brief visit to the city as a witness at the Supreme Court Assizes, left by last evening's train on his return to the interior.

Miss Ivy Anderson, who has been paying a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Anderson, will sail tonight by the Prince Rupert on her return to Vancouver.

This morning, on application of T. W. Brown, crown prosecutor, Mr. Justice Fisher at the Assize Court released Robert Bartlett from jury duty because he is a member of the active militia and is not subject to be called.

Decree absolute was granted last night in Supreme Court by Mr. Justice A. I. Fisher in the divorce petition of Lena Amelia Lindseth vs. Conrad Berg Lindseth. The couple were married in Prince Rupert October 5, 1916. The husband left his wife in 1931. There is a twenty-one-year-old son. T. W. Brown was counsel for petitioner.

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John Bremner was excused from jury service at the Supreme Court Assizes yesterday because he was over age and hard of hearing. Irwin names were called for jury service this morning.

- Announcements**
- All advertisements in this column will be charged for a full month at 25c a word.
- Presbyterian Tea, Mrs. Lakie's May 11.
  - Cambrai Spinster's Spree, May 12.
  - Orange Spring Sale, Metropole Hall, May 17, Bridge Drive 8:30 p.m.
  - Norwegian Independence Dance, Oddfellow's Hall, May 17.
  - Hospital Tea, Nurses' Home, May 18.
  - Navy League Ball May 19.
  - Victoria Day Dance, Moose Hall, May 24.
  - Boys' Band bridge drive Legion Hall May 26.
  - May Queen Festival, Dance, St. Peter's Hall May 29.
  - Women's Auxiliary Canadian Legion Spring Sale June 2.
  - High School Tea and Display June 3.
  - Presbyterian Missionary Tea, Mrs. Calderwood's June 7.
  - Anglican Tea Mrs. Good, June 8.

**AUXILIARY SESSIONS**

**Young People's Work Discussed**

Diocesan Women's Auxiliary Having Full Day's Business—Reception Last Night

Sessions of the annual meetings of the Caledonia diocesan board of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Anglican Church are continuing today and will extend into tomorrow. Today is being devoted entirely to business sessions which started at 10 o'clock this morning. Tomorrow the delegates will visit the mission boat Northern Cross, the Ridley Home and St. Andrew's Japanese Mission.

Following the celebration of Holy Communion yesterday at the opening, Mrs. H. S. Meadows, president of St. Andrew's Woman's Auxiliary, welcomed the delegates to Prince Rupert. Mrs. Henderson of Seal Cove replied. Mrs. C. V. Eviit was made a diocesan life member. In the afternoon Miss M. Foerstal, missionary from Japan who is home on furlough, spoke of work in Japan. Tea was served.

Last evening there was a reception by Dean and Mrs. Gibson at the Cathedral Hall. Miss Foerstal gave an interesting address on "Home and Dress of the Japanese." She wore Japanese costume and showed many souvenirs. Rev. W. E. Collison spoke interestingly on the subject of "Caledonia Sixty Years Ago." A musical program included vocal duets by Miss Irene

In an interesting and informal manner, Rev. H. C. Burkholder, young people's secretary for the United Church of Canada in British Columbia, gave a most enjoyable talk to a goodly number of young people at the Baptist Church last night. His topic was: "What is the Purpose of Young People's Work?" During the evening he discussed the needs, goals and programs of young people's groups. The talk was of an illustrative and humorous nature and was much appreciated by the audience.

Mr. Burkholder will speak again this evening to the young people when he will give demonstrations of worship and recreation. After the meeting tonight, the Religious Education Council will gather to elect permanent officers and to make future plans.

Norman Blackhall has been appointed to the staff of the Canadian National Telegraphs messenger service here.

Hodgson and Mrs. H. T. Lock, vocal solos by Mrs. H. N. Brocklesby, Miss E. D. Priestly and Leonard Cripps and piano duets by the Misses Jean MacLean and Ruth Nelson, Peter Lien and Mrs. C. E. Cullin were accompanists. Refreshments were served.

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taining numerous and lovely gifts was presented to Miss Wilkinson who is soon to become the bride of Clifford Madill. During the course of the evening Misses Ruth Nelson, Jean MacLean and Venetia Feero rendered piano selections. Dainty refreshments were served at the close of the evening. Guests present were Misses Lorraine Brockway, Isobel Connery, Winnie Cameron, Thelma Davies, Betty and Mollie Ellison, Elsie Finlay, Venetia Feero, Eileen and Phyllis Hamblin, Edith Johnstone, Mary Macfie, Ruth Nelson, Florence Parker, Florence Rose, Helen Stamp-Vincent, Marybelle Styles, Betty Wilkinson, Jean Wilson, Audrey Wrathall, Mrs. Wilkinson and Mrs. Wrathall.

## GAVE TALK TO LEGION

Chief Petty Officer Instructor Bird Interesting Speaker—Impressive Initiation

The Prince Rupert branch of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League was in regular session last evening when, in addition to routine business, there was the initiation of new members followed by an interesting talk by Chief Petty Officer Instructor A. G. Bird of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve. President Jack Preece reported on the result of the plan sponsored by the Canadian Legion to send children representing the city to Victoria. Final arrangements were well in hand. Photographs of the fortunate six were being taken and would appear in the Victoria and Vancouver papers. With reference to the equipping of a Canadian Legion ward in the hospital complete fittings had been ordered and the ward would be fully furnished by the time the opening of the hospital took place. The Women's Auxiliary of the Legion was co-operating in fitting out the ward.

The impressive initiation was carried out with H. A. Breen and G. J. Dawes in charge. Three new applications were approved. It was also decided that the annual picnic would be held with Digby Island and the place and June 23 the date. G. J. Dawes was appointed a representative to attend the meeting called in Toc H hall to consider a local celebration of the royal visit.

C. P. O. Bird

Chief Petty Officer Bird gave an

unusually interesting address and one that was particularly enjoyed by the members most of whom served with the land forces during the Great War. The speaker contrasted the filthy surroundings of trench life, the lack of regular meals there and the absence of the most common conveniences with the more favorable surroundings prevailing in the forces of His Majesty's Navy in wartime. With many an apt story to add point to an illustration Mr. Bird told of the splendid part the navy played in international relations, in the great centres as well as in the uttermost parts of the Empire. No less important was the work done in the local units of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve and the Sea Cadets. On behalf of the members, President Jack Preece thanked Mr. Bird for a talk that had held the listeners' complete interest and which served to bind together the various arms of His Majesty's forces.

General disappointment was expressed at the action of the Dominion government in failing to implement the recommendations of the Veterans' Assistance Commission with regard to the Dominion responsibility for providing a provisional economic allowance for unemployed ex-service men. While governments squabble about whose responsibility the needy ex-service man was, the "forgotten man," whom Sir Robert Borden assured in Canada's name "noth-

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ing is too good for you," must take his place in the line of those on relief. Organized action was planned to have a more satisfactory solution found. To date, it was reported, upwards of 45,000 ex-service men have registered in the National Survey, a total that is being rapidly increased and which demonstrates that those who served are still willing to serve.

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