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# Madagascar Is Occupied By British

## Action Taken To Forestall Japanese Move Against Base Island Of Strategic Value

### War-Wise Commandos Lead Invasion—Full Approval Of United States—Axis Nations Are Indignant—French Submarine Sunk

LONDON, May 5: (CP)—War-wise British commandos led British occupational forces into France's vital Indian Ocean stronghold of Madagascar in the face of mild opposition, it was disclosed today. The commandos landed at Courier Bay at 6 o'clock Pacific Daylight Time last evening and appeared headed for the island's naval base at Diego Suarez, ten miles across an isthmus. The impression here was that French resistance would be brief although a Reuter's dispatch from Vichy said that Marshal Petain and Admiral Darlan, chief of Vichy's armed forces, have sent a message to Madagascar advising troops there to "resist the attack and defend the honor of the French flag."

## SEAL COVE ROAD PLAN

### Chamber of Commerce Approves \$20,000 Plan To Make Traffic Artery More Adequate

The Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce, at its regular monthly meeting last night, endorsed the action of its executive council in approving of a city scheme for the improvement of the traffic artery leading from Hays Creek Bridge to Seal Cove. There will be a sidewalk from Hays Creek to the new Rushbrook Heights wartime housing area costing \$5000 as well as widening of the road at some points which will involve a total estimated expenditure of \$15,000. The opening up of Fifth Avenue around the north side of Hays Cove Circle to the Hays Creek Bridge approach is also being sought.

## Asking More Gas In Winter Here

### Chamber of Commerce Asking Federal Fuel Controller To Make Change

At the suggestion of W. R. McAfee, the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce last night decided to ask the federal authorities to make a change in the matter of issuance of gasoline ration coupons whereby in the case of Prince Rupert the larger allowances of gas would come here in fall and winter, when the weather is unfavorable, rather than in midsummer. The suggestion will be conveyed to the federal fuel controller.

## Better Train Service Here Being Asked

In view of greatly increased passenger and freight traffic between Prince Rupert and Jasper Park, the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce is asking the Canadian National Railways to provide a more adequate passenger train service on this line. Request to this effect has already been made by the council of the Chamber, the action being endorsed at the regular monthly meeting last night.

## Baseball Scores

**American League**  
Detroit 6, Philadelphia 4.  
Cleveland 8, Boston 11.  
Chicago 1, New York 6.  
St. Louis at Washington, postponed.  
**National League**  
New York 4, Cincinnati 15.  
Boston 1, Pittsburgh 2.  
Only games scheduled.

## BULLETINS

### TRAGEDY NEAR VERNON

VERNON — J. E. Montague, president of the Vernon Board of Trade, and a companion are believed drowned in a lake near here. They had gone there by horseback, their horses being found.

### SWEDISH SHIP TAKEN

NEW YORK — The Swedish American liner Gripsholm has been taken over by the United States Maritime Commission which will use her at first for the repatriation of enemy diplomatic representatives home to Europe.

## DROWNS AT ESSINGTON

### Edward Scott, 21 Year Old Native of Simpson, Loses His Life at Skeena River Village

Edward Scott, 21-year old native of Port Simpson, who was employed in the city, fell overboard from a gasboat at the Port Essington floats about 2 o'clock Sunday morning and was drowned. Dragging operations have since been under way but so far the body has not been recovered. Indian Agent James Gillett was at Port Essington at the time and brought word of the tragedy to the city. Scott, who was paying a week-end visit to Port Essington, was the eldest child of a Port Simpson widow. There are five younger children in the family.

## Collecting Income Tax At Its Source

### This Proposal Referred To Special Committee By Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce

Members of the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce, at the meeting last night, appeared to be favorably disposed towards a suggestion from the Canadian Chamber of Commerce that federal income tax might be collected at the source as was the national defence tax. However, it was decided to refer the matter to the finance committee to go into the working of such a plan in more detail. One advantage of collecting income tax at the source, it was felt, was that casual workers who now escape paying income tax would not be able to do so.

## Graduate Nurses Are In Session

### Miss Priestly Reports On Annual Meeting of Provincial Association in Victoria

The regular monthly meeting of the Prince Rupert branch of the Graduate Nurses' Association of British Columbia was held last night at the Nurses' Home with Miss Jeanette Foster R.N., the president, in the chair. The feature of the evening was a report by Miss E. D. Priestly R.N. on the recent annual meeting of the British Columbia Graduate Nurses' Association in Victoria. Miss Foster and Miss Beatrice Berner, president and secretary respectively, who are leaving the city shortly, tendered their resignations. Refreshments were served.

Word was received in the city this morning of the safe arrival in Vancouver yesterday of H. F. Pullen who was taken south for further treatment at the hands of specialists. Mr. Pullen is now a patient at the Private Ward Pavilion of the Vancouver General Hospital after having withstood the trip very well.

## Dies



G. A. McNICHOLL

His legion of friends in Prince Rupert will learn with feelings of extreme regret of the sudden death in Vancouver at 11:30 last night of G. A. McNicholl, former general passenger agent for the Canadian National Railways and for many years in the earlier days one of the railway company's most prominent and popular officials at Prince Rupert. He had retired last summer at the age of sixty-five years from the railway company's service and had since been residing quietly at Vancouver. He paid his last visit to Prince Rupert in June of last year prior to retirement in August. Besides his widow, Mr. McNicholl is survived by his aged mother and two sons—Allan and Frank. They will have the deep sympathy of many local friends.

## Better At Hong Kong

LONDON, May 5 (Canadian Press)—Latest reports from unofficial sources suggest the position of prisoners in Hong Kong camps is "somewhat improved and the prisoners are receiving more food although living conditions still remain far from satisfactory." Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden told the House of Commons today.

## BUILDING PROJECTS ENDORSED

### Chamber of Commerce Backs Applications For Federal Permits For Store-Apartment And Theatre

After a good deal of discussion, which became rather sharp and candid at times, the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce, at its regular monthly dinner meeting last night, decided to endorse applications being made to the federal priorities board by Famous Players Canadian Corporation for the erection of a new theatre in Prince Rupert and by Killas & Christopher for the building of a combined business and apartment block. In each case amendments that the applications be referred to committees were rejected on majority votes after which motions concurring in the applications were passed by the meeting.

The matter of the proposed Killas & Christopher building on Third Avenue across from the Post Office came up first. It was explained how permission had been refused for a building which would have consisted of stores and offices. Now the plans had been changed whereby the two-storey 50 by 100 foot building would include eight apartments, the cost of construction being estimated at about \$35,000. Further there would be mass concrete walls of twelve-inch thickness whereby much of the steel reinforcing would be eliminated. It was further explained that Killas & Christopher had purchased this property from the city on the explicit understanding that it would be built upon. Already the former building which stood upon it had been removed and there had been considerable expenditure on excavation in preparation for building. It was moved by Theo Collart and seconded by Olier Besner that the permit be granted, the second admitting that he too might be seeking a permit for a building. It was moved in amendment by W. M. Watts and R. M. Winslow that the matter be referred to a special committee to judge the proposition on its merits. The view was taken by some members that backing of an application for a permit at this time might lead to complications later as there would undoubtedly be applications for such backing from other interests later. City Commissioner D. J. Matheson expressed himself as being fully in sympathy with this application and suggested that the Chamber should endorse (Continued on Page Four)

## County Court List Is Rather Light

The County Court list for the month of May, as presented to Judge W. E. Fisher when Court was in regular monthly session yesterday, consisted of but one case—a new action in which Charles E. Hansen is suing Gunnar Selvig for \$194.13 in connection with a promissory note. Settlement of the date for the case was laid over. W. O. Fulton is counsel for the plaintiff and T. W. Brown for defendant.

The only other business before the court yesterday was in the form of four applications for naturalization which were approved.

## German Generals Tell Hitler They May Institute Alternate Plan If Russ Campaign Fails

LONDON, May 5: (CP)—A group of Chancellor Adolf Hitler's generals, headed by Field Marshal Walther von Brauchitsch, are reported today to have told the Fuehrer bluntly that, if his 1942 campaign in Russian fails, they will try to institute for Germany an alternative plan of their own, calling for the "abolition of the Nazi system," a responsible source reported here.

Russian attacks in Kursk, Kharkov and Taganrog regions of the southern front were reported today in circumstances which suggested that a major Soviet offensive might have started before the Germans were able to launch one of their own.

## Planes Fly Over Vichy

VICHY, May 5: (CP)—Planes of which has not been announced, flew over the seat of unoccupied France and over Clermont-Ferrand early today, dropping observation flares and propaganda leaflets despite resistance of anti-aircraft defenses.

## BATTLE IN S. PACIFIC

### Is Invaded From Burma—Army Being Checked North of Australia—Corregidor Is Pounded

CHUNGKING, May 5: (CP)—Japanese troops invaded China's Yunnan Province today after driving on the Burma Road and crossing the shallow Wanting River, 670 miles from this capital, a military spokesman said. Meanwhile Allied Air forces smashed ferociously at Japanese island bases above Australia and beat off another enemy raid on Port Moresby, a communique announced today. Five Japanese planes were hit by Allied fighters in the Moresby battle. The overland drive of the Japanese down the Markham Valley towards Port Moresby has been headed off by Allied troops which went out to meet the enemy. The Japanese aerial assault on Corregidor is proceeding with increased ferocity and intensity.

## CAPT. PARK TORPEDOED

### Well Known British Columbia Coast Mariner Has Ship Sunk From Under Him

WASHINGTON, May 5: (Canadian Press)—A medium-sized United Nations merchantman and a British merchant ship have been torpedoed off the Atlantic Coast, the United States Navy Department announced today. Eighty-eight survivors, including Canadians, were landed at Cocoa, Florida. One of the survivors from the British ship was Capt. John Park, senior pilot of Vancouver and one of the best known pioneer master mariners of the British Columbia coast, who gave orders to abandon ship. He was a former master of Union Steamship Co. vessels.

Rev. C. D. Clarke, former pastor of First United Church here and for the past few years located in Victoria, returned to the city at the first of the week to assume a position with the Prince Rupert Fishermen's Co-operative Association.

## ASSAULT KEPT UP

### Pilsen, Stuttgart and Nantes Are Targets—Canadians Strike At Nazi Ships Off Frisian Isles

LONDON, May 5: (CP)—Great new Royal Air Force bombers, ranging as far as six hundred miles over enemy territory, attacked the huge Skoda armament works at Pilsen last night for the second time in ten days, struck in force at Stuttgart, major manufacturing city in southwest Germany and raided docks at German-occupied Nantes. Day sweeps were resumed this afternoon with scores of fighters sweeping high over the Straits towards the French Coast.

A Canadian "demon squadron" of the coastal command hit two ships and scored a near miss on a third in an early morning attack on Nazi supply vessels off the Frisian Islands. The Luftwaffe attacked Norwich and Eastbourne last night.

## RUN OWN AFFAIRS

### City Commissioner Agrees That Return of Mayor and Aldermen Is Logical Thing Here Now

"There is no reason in the world now why the city of Prince Rupert should not elect a mayor and aldermen and carry on its own affairs without reference to Victoria," City Commissioner D. J. Matheson told the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce last night in commenting on the announcement that this city would be reverting to municipal autonomy at the first of next year. "You should be able to elect competent men to run the city along sound lines. Experience learned in the past should be of much value in future civic administration."

Mr. Matheson, stating that to return to mayor and council was the logical thing to do, said that the city was now in good shape financially. It had a surplus of over \$300,000 in sinking fund. All bills were paid, also bond maturities and interests and there were still a few thousands to spare.

The revised city traffic bylaw is still in the hands of T. W. Brown, acting as solicitor for the city, it was reported last night at the regular monthly meeting of the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Brown has had certain points to take up with the military authorities but hopes to have the bylaw ready for consideration by the board at its next meeting.

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### EDITORIAL

#### Spring and War...

May is here and summer looms in the northern part of the world. These are the days when we may expect new developments in the war. Mighty events may be impending. We may anticipate surprises and shocks. But we need not be fearful that they are all going to turn out badly for us. There will be good news as well as bad.

We have suffered heavy losses. We have some critical situations on our hands right now. But, taking it by and large, there are many reasons to believe that, in a general way at least we have come through a good deal of the worst of it. Although we may be called upon to make sacrifices and change our ways, the scales should be about to turn in our favor.

It might be safe to risk the opinion that blitz warfare and war of nerves are elements of the enemy's technique that are wearing out their effectiveness. There may be some terrible things yet and we in this favored land, which suffered little enough from the war, may feel it more keenly soon but there seems to be good reason for the belief that our turn is coming.

Not a few feel that the enemy on all fronts has shot his bolt or has nearly done so and that, while there may still be some real unpleasantness for us, we should soon be taking the offensive and the ascendancy.

What is more, the enemy himself seems to be commencing to really worry. There may be some propaganda designed to lull us in some of the things we hear. We should not be deluded by everything we hear along the line of trouble within the enemy's own camp for, if there were, he would undoubtedly be trying to conceal it. We can at least, however, hearten ourselves with the belief that the war is hitting the enemy just as hard as it is our side and that, if worse things come, we are now in much better shape to "take it" and win through than we were before.

So, with high courage and firm resolve, let summer and the long days come.

#### Settling War Problems...

Those of us who recall the last war can remember how in its third year public feeling here in Canada was running much the same as it is today in regard to the mobilization of our manpower and our resources.

Men were being button-holed on the streets and asked, if they were not in uniform, why they were not. There has not been very much of that sort of thing at least in Prince Rupert this war. Yet many people are thinking and, undoubtedly, there is much soul-searching. There are many things to becloud the personal issue as to whether personally we are doing all that we might do. Are we personally "all out" for victory? If not, what is stopping us? Is it because we do not want to change, because we want to go on being comfortable, doing the things we want to do, because the other fellow is not doing his part and we know it—because what?

Fortunately, the government is now in an undisputed position to settle a lot of the question which, for various reasons, individuals may not have been settling for themselves as their conscience might dictate.

By exercising fully and fairly the mandate which it was so unmistakably given last week, the government can push along the war effort efficiently, effectively and in a way that none can validly complain about.

#### Meeting Of Searchlight Auxiliary

An overseas parcel each month to twenty-six men of the Searchlight Battery is the very worthy aim of this band of women who form the local Searchlights' Auxiliary. Many methods to earn money to keep these parcels going in a steady flow have been adopted. A raffle of an elderdown on May 20, the drawing to be held at the 'Y' rooms is the current money raiser. All those who contribute to this fund will have the happiness and satisfaction of knowing that they are really doing something to help the boys overseas. That these lads are appreciative of this help is very apparent in the following extracts from letters of thanks they have sent to the Auxiliary—

"Cigarettes are hard to get over here. Thanks for sending." Nesbitt.  
"Thank you most kindly for the parcel received. The other boys received theirs all right and may I also thank you for theirs if they happen to be a little slack in answering. Sure is nice to know we are still thought of by our friends." R. Sewell, Sergeant.  
"Thanks for lovely parcel it was a very delightful surprise." D. Lindsay.

"Thanks a million." L. Bdr. Poissant.

"I just came back from seven days leave to find a parcel waiting for me. It arrived in very good condition. I thank you and all the W. A. very much." Trpr. F. Hill-Tout.

"Parcel received, many thanks. Greetings from us all." Winder.  
The next meeting of the Searchlights Auxiliary will be held in the Ladies' Quiet Room at the 'Y' on May 18.

#### Interservices Bowling Close

With Seal Cove No. 2 and Anti-Aircraft No. 2 tied for first place honors in the standing and Seal Cove No. 1 and Dry Dock deadlocked only one point behind, it is an interesting contest indeed in the Interservices Bowling League. Medicals are only one point behind the runners-up but they seem to be weakening. Fusiliers, who entered three teams, have been gumming up the works lately by regularly defaulting their games.

	W	L	Pts.
Seal Cove No. 2	15	3	15
Anti-Aircraft No. 2	15	3	15
Seal Cove No. 1	14	4	14
Dry Dock	14	4	14
Medicals	13	5	13
Engineers	10	8	10
Navy	9	9	9
Anti-Aircraft No. 1	8	10	8
Area Headquarters	7	11	7
Fusiliers No. 2	2	16	2
Fusiliers No. 1	1	17	1
Fusiliers No. 3	0	18	0

#### Badminton Match Was Successful

Competition At K. of C. Hut Was Enjoyable and Interesting

On Saturday evening the Knights of Columbus held an American badminton tournament which proved to be very enjoyable and interesting. There were six couples in play. It is hoped that more badminton enthusiasts in the armed forces will enter in the next tournament which will be held in the near future.

The winners Saturday were Mary Astoria and Alf Ball, Edmonton Fusiliers, with 55 points. Runners-up for second place were Delphine Balagno and Kay O'Neill with 49 points and Thelma Doiron and Jerry Hanson, Anti-Aircraft Battery, with 49 points.

William Schriaberg is on a business trip to Stewart, having sailed for the north on the Catala yesterday morning.

#### Whifflets From The Waterfront

Sam Simpson's clam cannery at Massett, Queen Charlotte Islands, is working full blast these days, according to word received from the Islands. Between four hundred and five hundred cases are being packed daily, work in the cannery as well as clam digging operations on the North Beach gives employment to many people. Practically all the natives who are able to are working. There is a good supply of clams.

The Armour Salvage tug Hyak has arrived in port with two scow loads of lumber for the Ryan Construction Company.

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Gordon Gosse came north from Vancouver to Queen Charlotte City on the Camosun at the end of the week.

Norman Nelson returned to the city on the Camosun yesterday from a trip to the Queen Charlotte Islands on cannery business.

Mrs. E. C Stevens returned to her home at Skidegate on the Camosun at the end of the week after a trip to Vancouver.

Miss Dorritt Pullen, following a brief visit to the city, sailed by the Prince George Saturday night on her return to Vancouver.

There will be a meeting of the C.N.R. Tennis Club, ladies waiting room, C.N.R. station at 3 p.m., Thursday, May 7. (106)

J. B. Scott, forest ranger for the Queen Charlotte Islands, arrived in the city on the Camosun yesterday from the Islands, being here on official business.

Mrs. Pearson returned to her home at Massett on the Camosun Sunday after a three-months' visit at Esquimalt where her husband is in the naval service.

Father Racetti, local priest of the Roman Catholic Church, returned to the city on the Camosun yesterday from a trip to the Queen Charlotte Islands on ecclesiastical duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rennie of Port Clements are paying a brief visit to the city. They arrived from the Queen Charlotte Islands on the Camosun yesterday and will be returning home tonight.

George Price and Brian White, the latter a small boy, arrived in the city on the Camosun yesterday from Massett. Both have broken legs and came here to enter the Prince Rupert General Hospital for treatment.

Advance copy of a chart which will appear in the magazine "Canadian Business" dealing with the computation of cost of living bonuses was enclosed in a letter to the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce read at last night's meeting and was referred to the legislative committee.

The necessity of playgrounds for children in the new Rushbrook Heights residential section is being brought to the attention of Wartime Housing by the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce, action along this line by the executive council having been approved by the Chamber at its regular monthly meeting last night.

A suggestion from the Canadian Chamber of Commerce that a campaign be instituted through retail outlets for the sale of war savings certificates was received at last night's meeting of the local chamber. The matter was referred to the retail trade committee with a view to looking into the possibility of local organization of such sales.

A new organization known as the Navy and Air Force Woman's Club was recently formed at the Y.W.C.A. Hostess Hut. The election of officers took place. This club will work to render service and entertainment to the men of the Navy and Air Force.

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W. G. Reyner left on last night's train after arriving in the city on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Adams and family sailed by the Catala this afternoon for Vancouver.

Miss G. Gillis sailed by the Catala this afternoon for a trip to Vancouver.

Paul Humphrey, from Ketchikan, was a passenger leaving on last evening's train for Columbus, Ohio.

G. G. Fife, H. G. Cove, G. F. Wagner and H. Carlson were passengers on the Catala this afternoon for Vancouver.

Miss E. Pettigrew and Miss Haigh were passengers on the ss. Catala this afternoon sailing for Vancouver.

A Lanning and A. C. Lumsden will sail by the Camosun this evening enroute to Vancouver via the Queen Charlotte Islands.

There was a house of about five hundred in attendance for the inauguration by the Capitol Theatre of the new Sunday midnight show feature. The picture was "East of the River" with Brenda Marshall and John Garfield.

Bruce Deildal, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Deildal, arrived home on the Catala Sunday night from his studies at the University of British Columbia in Vancouver. He has been accepted for enlistment in air crew of the Royal Canadian Air Force and will report at Edmonton manning depot on July 6.

A letter from Hon. H. G. Perry, chairman of the special committee of the Legislature on post-war rehabilitation, asking for co-operation in connection with the investigations and studies of the committee, was read at the regular monthly meeting of the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce last night and filed.

There was a meeting of the local civilian protection committee.

Whist drive, Saturday, Commercial Hotel.

W. A. Can. Legion Spring Sale, May 6.

Presbyterian Choir Tea, May 20.

I. O. O. F. Victoria Day Ball, May 22.

Little Norway Tea May 21.

Auxiliary Tea, Nurses' Home, May 28.

Red Cross Tea, June 3.

Parent Teachers' Tea, Oddfellows' Hall, June 5.

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it. On the amendment for reference to a committee being put, it was defeated on a vote of eight to thirteen, the motion to approve the permit to Killas & Christopher then being passed.

**New Theatre**  
 Under the heading of new business, D. G. Borland requested, on behalf of his company, Famous Players - Canadian Corporation, endorsement of an application for priority permit to build a new theatre. Mr. Borland explained that he had been called in by the military authorities and asked what could be done about the entertainment of the armed forces in Prince Rupert. The outcome had been that he had made certain arrangements whereby a theatre of not less than eight hundred seats would be built, providing entertainment primarily for the armed services at a price within their means but also being available for civilian patronage. A site (Third Avenue and First Street) had been selected and arrangements had been made for equipment. Mr. Borland submitted that his company, in business here for fifteen years and already having taken preliminary steps, was in the best position to meet the situation and was entitled to support in its application for a permit. It was moved by Theo Coltart, seconded by Bert Morgan, that the Famous Players application be approved. W. J. Scott and T. J. Williams moved an amendment to refer the matter to a committee which would consider various applications and then make a decision as to the one meriting support of the Chamber. After some discussion, in the course of which there was talk about the failure or otherwise of the Chamber to make a stand under certain circumstances, the amendment was defeated 8 to 10 and the motion endorsing the Famous Players application endorsed, the decision being wired direct to the priorities board at Mr. Borland's suggestion.

**Liquor Situation  
 In Prince Rupert**

Chamber of Commerce Hears From Attorney General in Regard To Matter

Hon. R. L. Maitland, attorney-general, writing to the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce at the monthly meeting last night, acknowledged receipt of the Chamber's endorsement of the Prince Rupert Rotary Club regarding the liquor situation in Prince Rupert. Mr. Maitland said that representations had also been received from other organizations. Complaints had been laid before W. F. Kennedy, chairman of the Liquor Control Board, and the military authorities. The Attorney General gave assurance that every effort would be made to see that the law was enforced. Already an increase in the size of the city police force had been arranged for.

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 Celebration**

**Victory Day To Be Duly Observed  
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PORT SIMPSON, May 5.—This village is planning for a celebration of Victoria Day this May 25 in the usual fitting style with sports during the day and big dance in the evening. The celebration will really start on Saturday, May 23. There is expected to be representation from Prince Rupert, the Naas River and elsewhere.

On the Saturday afternoon there will be local sports. In the evening a carnival and jitney dance will be held.

The proceedings on Monday will start with a parade in the morning, the parade to be led by the Port Simpson Concert Band. Then there will be children's sports followed by main events such as softball, baseball, football and water sports. A novelty dance in the Port Simpson Athletic Club Hall in the evening will round out the day's proceedings.

Joshua McKay is celebration chairman with Cecil Ross financial secretary and Joseph Morse, treasurer.

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Stan and Oliver, of course, have their usual nitwit roles with a lot of novelties and new turns introduced.

D. G. Borland, manager of the Capitol Theatre, in a letter to the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce last night, expressed willingness to co-operate by providing use of the theatre for Sunday night meetings on May 17 in connection with the visit here of President Carl J. Hambro, of Norway. Appreciation of the Chamber to Mr. Borland was expressed.

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**Chamber of Commerce Disposed to  
 Favor Deferred Pay to Eliminate  
 Demoralizing Effect  
 Upon Youth**

The demoralizing effect of high wages being paid boys who are being dragged out of High School was referred to at the meeting last night of the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce and the suggestion was made that some scheme of deferred payment might be instituted in their case so that they will not be left an irresponsible and unprovided for charge upon the country after present conditions have passed. The matter was brought before the Chamber by G. R. S. Blackaby who said it was a well known fact that the majority of such boys were not saving their money but were falling down on the installments of their Victory Bond purchases. It might be well if some sort of discipline was applied to them such as was exercised on men in the services.

J. J. Little agreed with Mr. Blackaby, mentioning that the payment of Alaska wages here in United States funds was also having a demoralizing effect.

On motion of Mr. Blackaby, seconded by Mr. Little, it was decided to have a committee go into the matter with a view to formulating a plan of deferred wages to be submitted to the Canadian Chamber of Commerce. President Arnold Flaten named this committee to assist Mr. Blackaby, Mr. Little and R. M. Winslow.

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