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Churchill Is Anxious But Still Confident

Prime Minister Winston Churchill, a restive House of Commons in London formed the members that he shares their about operations in the Pacific but has "growing confidence" in eventual victory there.

Russians Are Still Smashing Hitler Line

Russian armies, executing a gigantic crack-the-whip movement, were reported today to have further narrowed the escape corridor of 100,000 German troops at Moshaisk and smashed Chancellor Adolf Hitler's winter defence line at two points.

Sixty Miles North Of Singapore Now

With Reuters saying tonight that the Indian radio at Madras reported another enemy penetration of southern Burma, this time by Thai forces fighting for Japan, Japanese invasion troops, attacking only sixty miles north of Singapore, were reported exerting "heavy pressure on the entire front" in western Malaya today.

REMOVAL OF JAPS

This Is Asked by Local Youth Committee—A. R. P. Importance Stressed. The Youth Committee of Prince Rupert decided unanimously last night to petition the government to remove coast Japanese to inland points where they can be employed at decent standards in work of national importance.

COUNCIL AT METLAKATLA

Nominations Taken Yesterday and Election to Be Held on Monday Next. There were eleven nominations at Metlakatla yesterday for six seats on the village council in 1942. The election will take place on Monday next.

International War Production

Committee To Meet in Ottawa After Inspecting Toronto Factories. OTTAWA, Jan. 20.—The joint Canadian-American war production committee will meet here on January 26 after spending a day in Toronto inspecting factories there which are working on American war orders.

BATTLING IN CITIES

Moshaisk, Orel, Kharkov and Kerch Are Now Centres of Russo-German Conflict.

MOSCOW, Jan. 20.—Fierce fighting for three important Russian cities continues. They are Moshaisk, Orel, Kharkov and Kerch. The next week or ten days may be decisive in the whole Russo-German war.

Cruiser Of Japanese Is Sunk

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—It is announced here that six United States bombers have sunk a Japanese cruiser and set a tanker afire one hundred miles off Jolo in the Philippine Islands.

BULLETINS

LOCAL GIRL APPOINTED Miss Margaret Palmer, daughter of Mrs. P. I. Palmer, Fourth Avenue East, has been appointed provincial organizer for Junior Red Cross with headquarters at Vancouver.

SEIZURE IS DENIED LONDON — The British Admiralty officially denies the seizure of three Axis ships in the Spanish island of Fernando Poo off the west coast of Africa. It was said, however, that naval patrols had been sent to the area to investigate the presence of a large ship seen in that vicinity.

BATTLE OF NEAR EAST

Air Raids Exchanged Between Malta and Sicily—Conflict Resuming in Cirenaica.

CAIRO, Jan. 20.—Further heavy air attacks have been made by Axis bombers on the British Island stronghold of Malta while the Royal Air Force responded with raids on bases in Sicily.

RETURNING ITALIAN BOOTY



An Australian soldier who obviously has not lost any weight as a result of being penned up in Tobruk for the long siege, is shown carrying an armful of 75-mm shells captured from the Italians.

ACCIDENT WAS ODD

Prairie Chicken Flies Through Cab Window of Railway Engine

MELFURT, Sask., Jan. 20.—An accident, unique in the annals of railroading, happened a few miles from here yesterday and might have been written up in two ways—as a serious accident or as a prelude to a good dinner.

Travelers At Eastern Port

AT AN ATLANTIC PORT, Jan. 20.—A large group of Atlantic wartime travellers arrived yesterday. They included men returning from service overseas, transatlantic pilots, men for the Commonwealth air training schools, nurses and officials.

TODAY'S STOCKS

Table of stock prices for Vancouver and Toronto, including Grandview, Bralorne, Cariboo Quartz, etc.

FALL BACK CONTINUES

British Drop Back Further In Malaya—Air Base in Burma Lost Americans More Active Now

SINGAPORE, Jan. 20.—With a final test of Singapore defences expected soon, British lines on Malay Peninsula have dropped back further as the Japanese strengthen their positions on the west coast. However, on the railway line leading to Singapore, the position has become stabilized with the Japanese halted.

More Airmen From Canada

AT A BRITISH PORT, Jan. 20:—Thousands of Canadian airmen, one of the largest groups to reach Great Britain since the start of the war, disembarked today at this port where they arrived in a convoy which brought further reinforcements of Canadian troops.

Red Cross Had Active Year in 1941; Looks Forward to Larger Measure of Work Coming Up

Following a year of much useful activity under the leadership of the retiring president, Dr. H. L. A. Tarr, the Prince Rupert branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society anticipates that extending war conditions will in 1942 make its functions more vital and important than ever.

RED CROSS OFFICERS

- Honorary President—T. D. Pattullo, M.L.A. President—W. R. McAfee. First Vice-President—O. C. Young. Second Vice-President—Mrs. J. R. Low. Secretary—H. A. Breen. Treasurer—Arnold Flaten. Executive—Dr. B. E. Bailey, Mrs. J. D. Fraser, Mrs. C. H. Elkins, Mrs. J. B. Gibson, Mrs. E. J. Fitzpatrick and Mrs. Sheldford Darton.

All Manpower To Be Checked

Australian Government To Take Over Direct Control and Have New Registration

MELBOURNE, Australia, Jan. 20.—The Australian government is to take over direct control of all manpower of the Commonwealth and there will be a new registration.

TANKER IS TORPEDOED

Fourth Vessel is Attacked Off Atlantic Coast of United States

NEWPORT NEWS, Virginia, Jan. 20.—Shelled and torpedoed by a lurking Axis submarine off the North Carolina coast where the tanker Allan Jackson was sunk Sunday, the 8,206-ton tanker Malay reached port under her own power late last night. Five members of the crew were killed.

CHURCHILL STATEMENT

Prime Minister Churchill Speaks to Commons on Far East Situation. LONDON, Jan. 20.—Prime Minister Winston Churchill today made a brief statement to the House of Commons on the situation in the Far East. He admitted his anxiety over it but expressed confidence in eventual victory there.

Local Temperature

Maximum 60 Minimum 44

Mrs. J. Thomason and daughter, Miss Averilla Thomason, sailed this afternoon on the Cardena for Vancouver with the intention of taking up future residence in the south.

MEDICAL AID ASSOCIATION

Dry Dock Branch of C.N.R. Organization in Session.

The first annual meeting of the Prince Rupert Dry Dock section of the Canadian National Railways Employees' Medical Aid Association of British Columbia was held Sunday afternoon in the Metropole Hall. John Davidson was in the chair and Lewis Hilder acted as secretary.

Hugh Forrest, after having acted as secretary for the Prince Rupert district and representative on the board of management for several years, gave an interesting and educational talk on the history, management and experiences of the association since its inauguration about fifteen years ago.

At the conclusion of Mr. Forrest's talk, members were invited to ask questions and there followed considerable discussion during which time many helpful suggestions were offered to the local committee for the ensuing term.

The following members were elected for the local committee: John Davidson, chairman; Lewis Hilder, secretary; George Lawson, William Bray and Harry Aurlie. For representative to the board of management Hugh Forrest was nominated with John Davidson as alternate. Lewis Hilder was nominated as returning officer.

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DAILY EDITION

TUESDAY, JAN. 20, 1942

Merchandising Problems . . .

When buying food supplies from grocers the average person gets just about what he or she pays for. If a housewife gets free deliveries of small amounts somebody has to pay for it, either the person who asks for the service or some other customers. If someone gets long credits, the cash customers have to pay for it.

The government, acting supposedly on behalf of the customer, has pegged prices for many groceries but has not set the price at which the goods can be purchased from the wholesalers, nor has it set the price the wholesale grocer must pay the manufacturer. This leaves the whole situation very unsettled. Some articles are exempt from the regulation such as seasonal vegetable and dairy products that cost more to produce in the winter than in the spring or summer.

Under these conditions it is necessary for the grocers to protect themselves to the best of their ability and, if they are anxious to do their part, in winning the war they must avoid the waste of oil, gasoline, and rubber. For this they are generally commended although people who have been in the habit of asking for exacting services object to the changes which recently have been imposed.

Very soon undoubtedly we shall find more severe restrictions imposed. Tires will be more difficult to obtain. Gasoline will be almost prohibited and more articles of food will be taken off the menu. Considering that we have been at war for over two years our condition is excellent. We hardly know that we are at war except for the blackout impositions and the newspaper headlines.

We have not heard of any Prince Rupert grocers who have retired with a fortune and we do not think there are any who are making more than a fair return on their investment. Different merchants have different methods of doing business. If some give their customers valuable presents at Christmas it may be taken for granted that they save it from those same customers during the year.

It is no hardship for a woman to order the whole week's groceries at one time instead of ordering from day to day and thus enable the grocer to back up the war effort. It will have to be done sooner or later anyway. The grocers have to work out these problems for themselves but we feel it the duty of every patriotic citizen to back them up in any movement that is in line with the war effort.

RED CROSS HAD ACTIVE YEAR

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members in Prince Rupert, 58 at Massett and 18 at Port Simpson.

The financial report, presented by the treasurer, Arnold Flaten, showed total revenue for the year of \$2914.96 of which \$2605 had been remitted to provincial headquarters. Expenses of the branch for the year had amounted to \$172.01, the sum of \$185.54 having been received from headquarters for expenses. The report of the auditor, D. G. Borland, confirmed the report of the treasurer.

Mr. Flaten also reported on Red Cross support of the Air Raid Protection organization in providing a complete hospital unit containing equipment capable of dealing with 1200 casualties, if necessary, further material would be forthcoming from the Red Cross.

The secretary, P. C. Miller, reported that there had been eleven executive meetings during the year with average attendance of nine. Nineteen letters had been delivered from prisoners of war in Germany to local relatives and friends.

The detailed report of Mrs. J. R. Low, chairman of the work-room committee, was a document of outstanding interest. It revealed that no less than 9303 articles had been produced during the past year. The report drew a large measure of applause from the meeting with special acknowledgment of the fine work of Mrs. Low and all the other ladies.

Miss Hartin's report on Junior Red Cross activity described how five hundred school girls were organized and carrying on work for the Red Cross as well as receiving instruction in health and citizenship. Afghans, handkerchiefs, face cloths and scarves were the principal articles produced by the girls who raised money among themselves for the wool they used.

Mrs. J. B. Gibson reported on the hospital visiting committee's activities. Visits had been paid to patients both in military and general hospitals. Magazines had been distributed and flowers taken.

Salvage Campaign

Dr. E. E. Bailey told of good response now developing to the salvage campaign, the groundwork for which had been so ably laid by Mr. Miller. Ninety calls had been received and seventy had so far been attended to. Last Saturday had been the biggest day when some three or four tons had been brought in. Army Service Corps and private trucks were assisting in connection with the collection of materials. Scrap iron was sent direct to the Canadian National wharf while other materials were assembled at the Clapp Block. Frank Waterhouse and Union steamship lines had undertaken to deliver to Vancouver without charge fifty tons of salvage material when it became available. Mr. Bailey stressed the need for much more assistance in connection with collection, sorting and packing. Mr. Miller added that the aluminum drive in November had resulted in 920 pounds of this material being gathered.

Miss E. D. Priestley's report on home nursing stated that there had been two classes last year with enrolment of 50 of whom twenty-three had taken examinations. Now there were three classes in progress—two in the evenings with twenty-three enrolments each and one in the afternoon with twenty. Local graduate nurses, doctors and dentists had collaborated in the giving of instruction to the classes.

In addition to electing officers, last night's meeting heard the reading of and adopted a revised constitution and set of bylaws.

Mr. McAfee, Mr. Flaten and Mrs. Low were appointed delegates to the annual provincial Red Cross meeting in Vancouver next month.

The New President

In assuming the presidency, Mr. McAfee expressed appreciation for the confidence which had been placed in him, something he would endeavour to measure up to. He congratulated Dr. Tarr on the success of the last year. There was nothing more important than Red Cross work, Mr. McAfee said, and he was fully cognizant of the fact that there was a big job ahead. He counted on the support of an able executive and the help of every member of the Society. "With the war on our very doorstep, there should be a much greater interest in this work," declared Mr. McAfee.

A hearty vote of thanks was accorded the retiring officers and executive.

Mrs. T. J. Boulter appealed for assistance in connection with the sale of tickets for the model engine which was being raffled for the Red Cross.

Letter Box

ANTI-PROFITEER AGAIN

Editor, Daily News:

May I again encroach on your space and good nature to comment on the letters re-delivery charges on groceries appearing in your paper last night?

First I would like to refer to the very altruistic "A Grocer." Judging by his letter mentioning 1400 deliveries per month for which he will now collect 10c each, making a monthly income of \$140, which will pay his driver's wages with a little over for gas, this saving in overhead will, no doubt, help him to make the excess profit which he evidently expects and hopes to make, judging by his remarks re the Excess Profit Tax.

Mr. Deane's letter is more informative and instructive and, when he suggests that the extra charge be given to the Red Cross he is making a gesture in the right direction, but is it necessary to make this extra charge at all? I contend that it is not and is just a means to get ahead of the Price Control Law. Otherwise why do the grocers object to paying a discount for cash and carry goods? They save money by not delivering why not pass that on to the customers? No, they want to save money, charge the customer more and the fact still remains that just because the customer pays this extra it does not save either gasoline or tires.

Again Mr. Deane says meat is not covered by this delivery charge, therefore I order a steak costing say 45c. The grocer delivers this free. At the same time and from the same firm I order \$1.50 of groceries. According to the agreement among the grocers they must charge me 10c for delivering these groceries delivered at the same time, same place and by the same car. Not a racket, eh? Well, it comes back to what I said before. We see this delivery charge as a means to overcome the Price Control Law and therefore making the public pay more than they should for goods with a price ceiling and as much comes under the heading of profiteering.

Let the grocers make one delivery per day, keep strictly to this, refuse to deliver any order under \$1. Do not have favored customers for whom you break the instructions. Tie your car up over week-ends and so save tires and gasoline. As an alternative pool your cars put on a general delivery service with say three cars in service only between all the grocers. Collect all orders from all grocers every morning and make one delivery in each district per day and insist that all orders must be in the store by closing time on the previous day. By doing this get away from any suspicion of being in any way connected with the No. 1 Public Enemy—Mr. Profiteer.

Thank you Mr. Editor. ONE OF THE ANTI-PROFITEERS.

GROCERY DELIVERIES

It is stated in Mr. Deane's letter published in the News that, "until more drastic curtailment of delivery service will be necessary our deliveries of meat are not affected by this notice." This being the case a customer may order, say, a few chops or a steak costing around 45c for which no delivery charge is made, at the same time ordering 50c worth of groceries.

Is it reasonable to expect the customer to pay 10c for delivering the groceries which, mark you, would be delivered with the meat in any event and, if no charge is made for grocery delivery in this case, it simply means that the customer who does not get his or her meat at the same store, is discriminated against.

It is worthy of note that, under the present set-up of two deliveries daily, practically the same routes would have to be covered. One fails to see that there would be much saving in gasoline or tires. It seems to the writer, that the grocers concerned are unduly stressing their war effort in this matter and are using it as an excuse to charge the public a few thousand nickles and dimes extra each month. But, if, on the other hand the money so collected were to be handed over to the Red Cross, I think the public would say "that's a great idea."

CONSUMER.

SWEDES STAND FIRM

German proposals that Sweden grant outright state credit for Germany's 1942 purchases in Sweden was not accepted by the Swedes in their new trade agreement.

SPORT NEWS

Cribbage League Play Last Night

Eagles and Smiles Cafe Win—Savoy, Empress, Legion and Operators Tie.

Prince Rupert Cribbage League results last night were as follows: Savoy Hotel 9, Old Empress 9, Canadian Legion 9, Operators 9, Eagles 8, Pioneers 10, Snigles Cafe 11, Falcons 7. The league standing:

Table with 4 columns: Team, For, Agst., Pts. Smiles Cafe 22 14 22, Canadian Legion 20 16 20, Operators 19 17 19, Old Empress 19 17 19, Pioneers 17 19 17, Eagles 16 20 16, Savoy Hotel 16 20 16, Falcons 15 21 15.

Hockey Standings

Table with 5 columns: Team, W, D, L, Pts. Boston 17 3 5 81 50 37, New York 18 1 8 92 77 37, Toronto 16 1 9 92 77 37, Chicago 12 3 12 77 81 27, Brooklyn 10 1 20 81 113 21, Detroit 9 2 17 76 86 20, Montreal 8 1 19 66 101 17.

C.N.R. Trains

For the East—Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays 6 p.m. From the East—Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays 11 a.m.

SCOTTISH WINS OUT

Eliminates 102nd Battery From Area Championship Basketball

Last night in the second game of the Army eliminations for area championship basketball the Second Canadian Scottish Regiment won from the 102nd Battery Royal Canadian Artillery, at the Exhibition Hall with a score of 23 to 21. This, undoubtedly, was the best contested game that has been played. The score, at the end of the first half, was 10 to 9 and, with half a minute to go, was tied 21-21. At the last minute Bileski came through for the Canadian Scottish with a long shot that entered the basket. The Artillery made a desperate attempt to even the score again but to no avail. Johnson, of the 102nd, was the star of the evening with 12 points to his credit. The boys played a fast clean game. It was certainly a credit to both teams.

The second game, between the Navy and the Savoys, was won by the Savoys.

The schedule of games still to be played is as follows: January 21—R. C. C. S. vs. C. S. R., Exhibition, 8 p.m. January 24—C. S. R. vs. R. C. A., Frederick, 2 p.m.

January 26—R. C. A. vs. R. C. C. S., Exhibition, 8 p.m. Postponed game—C. S. R. vs. R. C. C. S., Exhibition.



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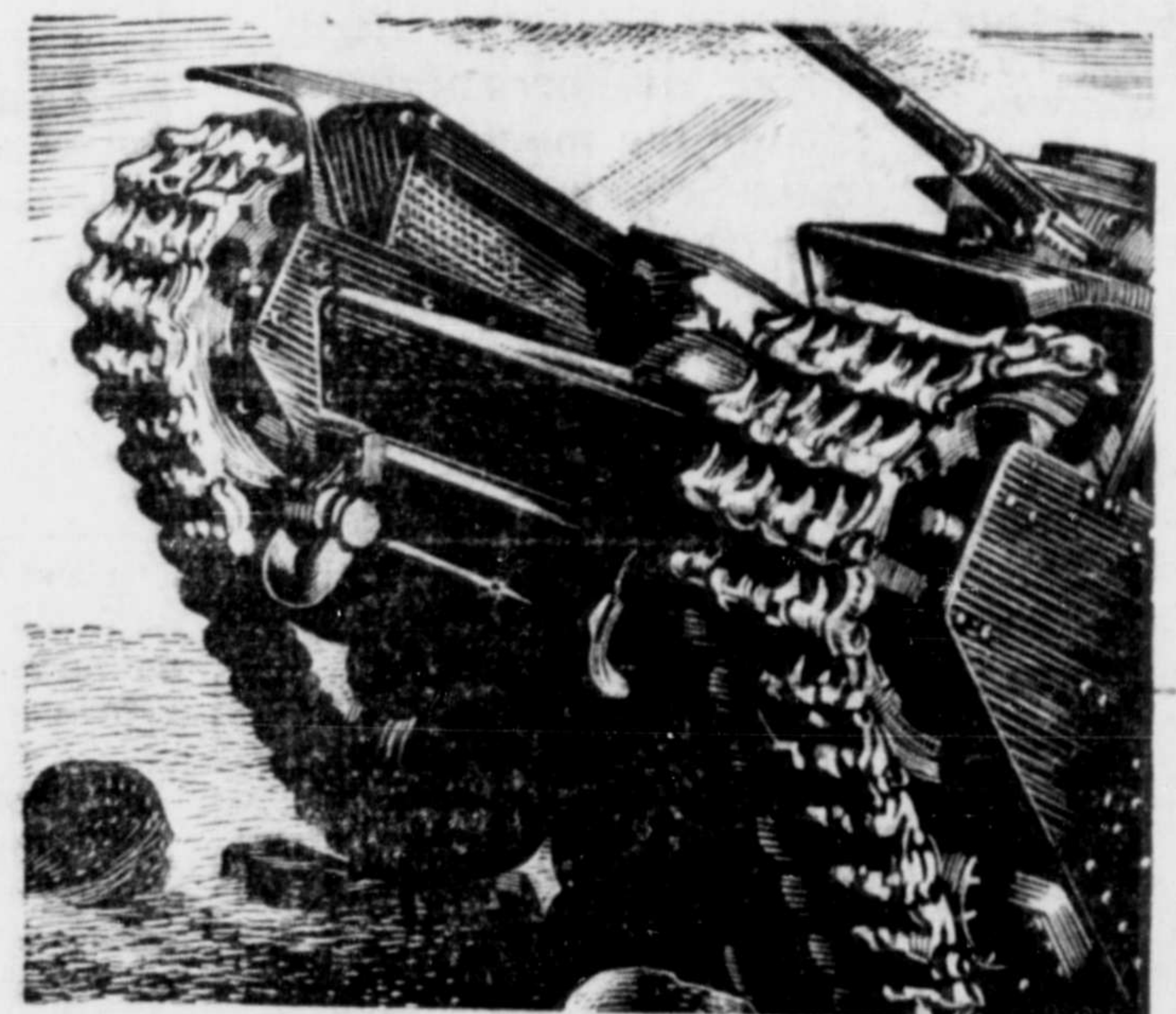
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# LOCAL NEWS NOTES

S. O. N. Dance, January 23.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Gray sailed this afternoon on the Cardena for Victoria.

Carpenters' special meeting, Wednesday 8 p.m. Carpenters' Hall, Fraser St. Business important.

Tonight's train, due to arrive from the East at 11 o'clock, was reported this morning to be on time.

Several new provincial election commissioners for Prince Rupert have been appointed, the British Columbia Gazette announces. They are O. L. Bendiksen, Stanley Bjornson, G. W. Rudderham, Mr. and Mrs. Allison Haines, George Howe, Joseph Howe, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Sinclair, Mrs. M. W. Roper, George Lawson, David Crocker, Mrs. J. S. Black, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Evans, R. E. Valpy, Oscar Larsen, A. O. Morse, John Roberts and Mrs. Margaret Berg.

Spending a week here on his way from Stewart to Vancouver where he will join the ordnance department of the army for active service, William D. Smith is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Mitchell, Atlin Avenue, Westview. On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell, Fifth Avenue East, entertained at a party in his honor. Mr. Smith will leave Thursday night on the Prince George for Vancouver.

## Lutheran Church In Good Shape

**Finances Dealt With at Meeting of Council Monday Night.**

Principally financial matters were dealt with at a meeting Monday night of the council of St. Paul's Lutheran Church with the pastor, Rev. J. H. Myrwan, in the chair. The church ended the year without indebtedness on running expenses. There is no certainty yet as to when the new church at Fifth Avenue and McBride Street will be ready for occupancy.

## New Officers For Sons of Norway

Officers for the Sons of Norway for the year 1942 are as follows: President, Nels Gunderson. Vice-President, Harold Helland. Regent, Thorolf Murvold. Dommer, Knut Slatta. Secretary, Mrs. H. Helland. Financial Secretary, John Storseth. Treasurer, Reynold Hundiede. Marshall, Mrs. K. Slatta. Assistant Marshall, Mrs. A. Dybavn. Inter Guard, Nels Vaseng. Outer Guard, Irling Grandstrand. Trustees—Claus Aune, Hans Peterson and John Fredheim.

**AUSSIES POSTAGE**

Australia has issued seven new stamps several of which are for increased postage resulting from war costs.

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# ECONOMIC RELATIONS

## Cordell Hull Sees Even Closer Co-Operation Between Canada and United States

WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan. 20.—At his press conference yesterday, Secretary of State Cordell Hull said he looked forward after the war to a broadening and increase of economic relations between Canada and the United States and the possible extension to all the Americas. Mr. Hull had been asked if he thought it possible that tariffs might be abolished like was being done as a war co-operation measure between Canada and the United States.

# MRS. JOHNS PRESIDENT

## St. Andrew's Woman's Auxiliary Elects Officers For Coming Year

Mrs. J. G. Johns was elected president of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. Andrew's Anglican Cathedral at the annual meeting last week. She succeeds Mrs. H. S. Meadows who has retired owing to ill health.

The complete list of officers for the ensuing year is as follows: Honorary President, Mrs. G. A. Rix. Honorary Vice-President, Mrs. R. L. McIntosh. President, Mrs. J. G. Johns. First Vice-President, Mrs. C. V. Evtitt. Second Vice-President, Mrs. Thomas Andrews. Secretaries — Mrs. Charles Dodimead and Mrs. A. L. Holby. Treasurer, Mrs. George Cripps. Little Helpers' Secretary, Mrs. P. A. T. Ellis. United Thank Offering Secretary, Mrs. Charles Ellison. Living Message Secretary, Mrs. H. F. Pullen. Prayer Partners Secretary, Mrs. Priestley. Sick Visiting Committee—Mrs. J. A. Hinton, chairman, Mrs. A. L. Holby and Mrs. S. A. Kielback. Church Committee, Mrs. J. G. Johns.

The meeting was opened by Very Rev. James B. Gibson, dean of the Cathedral, who, after prayers, gave a short address of appreciation and encouragement.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS

Prince Rupert  
Capt. Selkirk, city; A. Reid, Port Simpson.

**Announcements**

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

Presbyterian Burns' Banquet, Jan. 23.

Vardens' Tea, Metropole Hall, Jan. 24.

Oddfellows Fortnightly Scotch Dance, January 24. Admission 50c.

Anglican Tea Mrs. Johns, Jan. 29.

102nd Auxiliary Dance, Oddfellows Hall, January 30.

Queen Mary Tea January 31.

Annual Masonic Ball, February 6.

St. Peter's Evening Branch Handkerchief Tea, Parish Hall, Feb. 12.

United Church Valentine Tea, Mrs. W. L. Armstrong's, Feb. 12.

Valhalla Dance, Metropole Hall, February 13.

Catholic, Shrove Tuesday Tea, Mrs. J. Zarelli, Feb. 17.

S.O.N. Masquerade, February 20.

Cathedral Easter Sale, April 9.

# RED CROSS WORKROOM

## No Less Than 9303 Articles Were Turned Out During Past Year, Annual Meeting Hears.

During the past year the local Red Cross workroom, under the direction of Mrs. J. R. Low, turned out no less than 9303 articles, it was reported last night in connection with the annual meeting of the Prince Rupert branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society. This included hospital and services made from Red Cross materials only, supplies for women's auxiliary services, garments for women's civilian defence, garments for refugees and civilians and donated garments and materials.

The detailed list as presented by Mrs. Low was as follows:

**Hospital Supplies**  
Army, navy and air force socks, 911 pairs; seamen's long stockings, 34 pairs; mitts, 449 pairs; sweaters, 249; scarves, 80; helmets, 92; body belts, 5; face cloths, 139; pyjamas, 41 suits; bed gowns, 2; pillow cases, 71; towels, 52; amputation covers, 27; dressing gowns, 14; bed jackets, 3; pads, 714; handkerchiefs, 666.

**Women's Auxiliary Services**  
Knitted knickers, 21 pairs; ankle socks, 5 pairs; laundry bags, 19; sweaters, 1.

**Women's Civilian Defence**  
Fawn flannel dresses, 33; fawn flannel skirts and black flannel skirts, 41; fawn flannel slacks, 9; long sleeve sweaters, 21; pullover sweaters, 3; ankle socks, 2 pairs.

**Refugee-Civilian Garments**  
Women's cloth skirts, 56; women's cloth suits, 11; women's print dresses, 50; women's pyjamas, 43; women's bloomers, 33; women's nightgowns, 311; women's blouse, 1; girls' cloth dresses, 79; girls' print dresses, 140; girls' sweaters, 139; girls' cloth skirts, 20; girls' cloth jackets, 1; girls' pyjamas, 272; girls' bloomers, 260; girls' slips, 124; girls' panties, 37; boys' sweaters, 138; boys' singlets, 100; boys' hatchways, 98; boys' pyjamas, 284; boys' scarves, 2; boys' shirts, 727; boys' suits, 4; boys' pants, 1; children's caps, 2; children's combinations, 317; children's wool shirts, 56; children's sleepers, 129; baby jackets, 44; diapers, 1233; crib quilts, 86; baby bonnets, 4; baby coat, 1; baby nightgowns, 440; baby soakers, 7; baby booties, 3; baby animal toys, 30; baby mittens, 3; large quilts, 68; afghan, 1; children's socks, 17; men's socks, 15; men's sweaters, 2; pillow cases, 162 large quilts, 72; crib quilts, 44; afghans, 26; girls' skirts, 7; girls' sweaters, 6; girls' hood, 1; girls' aprons, 5; girls' dresses, 30; girls' blouse, 1; girls' shoes, 1; girls' hat, 1; children's sleepers, 3; children's combinations, 28; children's fur caps, 8; children's scarves, 4; children's long stockings, 5; children's helmets, 2; boys' sweaters, 6; boys' suits, 3; boys' shirts, 3; children's house shoes, 53 pairs; baby's booties, 18 pairs; baby's woolen vests,

# Cousin of Local Man at Hong Kong

## Robert A. Brass Was at Captured Asiatic Port With Winnipeg Rifles

William Brass of this city has received word that his cousin, Robert A. Brass of Punichy, Saskatchewan, was with the Winnipeg Rifles in Hong Kong. No word has been received of his fate following the capture of the port by the Japanese.

17; baby's cotton vests, 11; baby's jackets, 18; baby's bonnets, 27; baby's mitts, 2 pairs; baby's soakers, 8; baby's bibs, 6; afghans, 28; bed jackets, 3; pillow cases, 4; bed sox, 1 pair; men's sox, 16 pairs; women's cloth coats, 8; women's cloth dresses, 14; women's cloth suits, 2; women's underwear, 2; baby nightgowns, 6; gloves, 7 pairs.

**Materials Received**  
Amount of Red Cross materials received by the local branch at Prince Rupert during 1941 were as follows:  
Woolen dress materials, 625 1/4 yards; flannelette, 4577 3/4 yards; Canton flannel, 1559 3/4 yards; pillow case tubing, 292 yards; handkerchief nainsook, 372 yards; print, 1037 1/4 yards; broadcloth, 1483 3/4 yards; satin, 41 3/4 yards; elastic, 1320 yards; thread, 1334 spools; service wool, 856 lbs.; refugeewool, 253 lbs.; cotton string, 50; tags and labels, 11200; blue twill, 104 yards; quilt lining, 107 yards; absorbent cotton, 160 lbs.; non-absorbent cotton, 32 yards; gauze, 400 yards.

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DATED at Prince Rupert, B.C. this 17th day of January, A. D. 1942.  
NORMAN A. WATT  
Official Administrator,  
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24-Hour Service at Regular Rates

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For complete year-round satisfaction burn the one and only

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**FANCY SOAPS**

Magnum Bath Soap, "English", per cake . . . 35c  
3 for . . . \$1.00  
Cusson's Apple Blossom Soap, per cake . . . 25c  
Cusson's Lime Blossom Soap, per cake . . . 25c  
Cusson's Cold Cream Soap, per cake . . . 20c  
Imperial Leather Soap, per cake . . . 40c  
Gerrard Fancy Toilet Soap, per cake . . . 10c  
Odors: Lily, Jasmine, Violet and Honeysuckle  
Eau de Cologne Soap, per cake . . . 15c  
Lanolin Soap, per cake . . . 10c  
Vinolia Boracic and Cold Cream Soap, cake 20c  
Yardley Lavender Bath Soap, per cake . . . 55c  
Castile Soap, French Formula, per cake . . . 10c  
per bar . . . 25c

**Ormes Ltd.**  
The Pioneer Druggists  
THE REXALL STORE PHONES 81 AND 82  
Open Daily from 8 a.m. till 10 p.m.  
Sundays and Holidays from 12 - 2 p.m. and 7 - 9 p.m.

## \$50.00 REWARD

For information leading to the recovery of two wooden totem poles taken from the front of my store, and for information that will lead to the conviction of the parties who took them.

**MAX HEILBRONER**  
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The Greatest Sales  
Of The Year  
Continue At

**RUPERT PEOPLES STORE**  
AND  
**Cut Rate Shoe Store**  
ALL SALES FINAL

Hundreds of Unusual Values That  
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**\$54.95**

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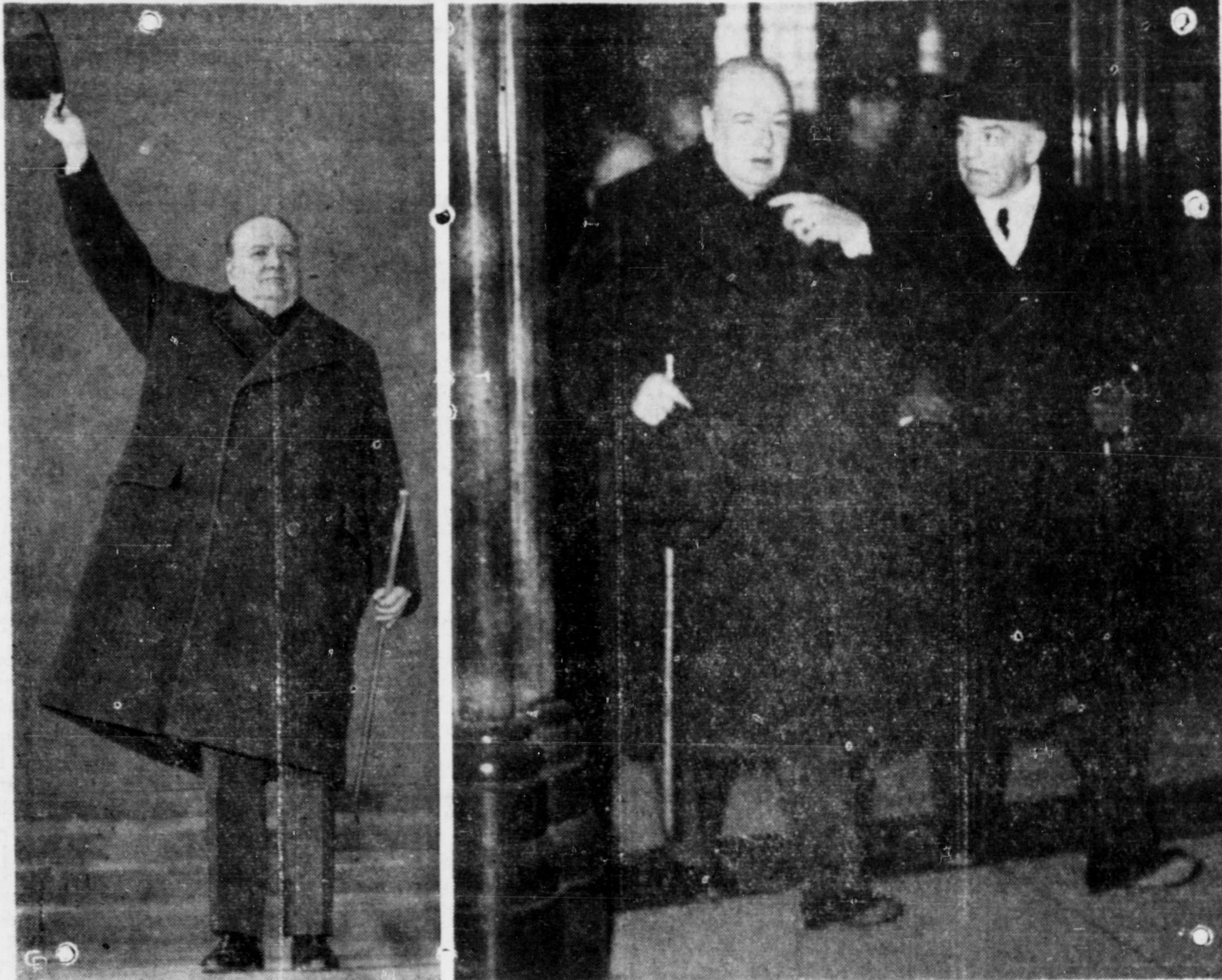
NO WASTE

READY TO COOK

**Canadian Fish & Cold Storage**

PRINCE RUPERT Co. Ltd. BRITISH COLUMBIA

### CHURCHILL GREET'S CHEERING THROG ON PARLIAMENT HILL



Waving his hat aloft in one of his many now famous gestures, Prime Minister Churchill (left), waves to the cheering throng that greeted him on Parliament Hill in Ottawa. The British prime minister shown (right), with Prime Minister King following his historic address before the Canadian parliament.

## CONJECTURE NOVEL IS ON CEILING ON SCREEN

Government Control of Prices Subject of Discussion on Retail Market.

Ceiling prices, as far as a number of lines are concerned, are still a matter of much conjecture in the retail market. New exemptions are coming through from time to time. Canned sardines, herrings, clams and haddock are the latest items to be exempted. Contrary to some belief, fruits and vegetables, butter and eggs are exempt and have been from the start. Canners are endeavouring to have canned fruits and vegetables exempted from price control but this is still under advisement. Wholesalers and manufacturers are allowed to raise their prices but not the retailer. The latter, throughout the country, are endeavouring to have this changed.

All imports from the Far East such as tea, spices, sago, tapioca, pineapple, coconut, walnuts, etc., are becoming scarce and higher prices seem inevitable despite government control. Tea is also among the commodities normal supplies of which are becoming scarce and the price is expected to be pegged at 95c per pound.

Oranges are much lower in price today as the duty has been removed and the quality is very good.

Bananas are higher in price as banana boats are no longer banana boats exclusively, now carrying other cargoes owing to demands on space.

Lettuce is lower in price these days. Apples are scarce with only extra large sizes available. The famous Spitsbergen apple is not obtainable this year.

The egg market remains the same. Retail prices current here today are as follows:

Eggs	
B.C. Fresh Extras, Grade A	.....42
Large, cartoned, doz.	.....42
Local, new laid, doz.	.....45
Fruit	
Anjou Pears, doz.	40 and 50
Emperor Grapes, lb.	.....18
Cranberries, lb.	.....35
Grapefruit, Calif.	6 for 25
Lemons, doz. 35c to	.....45
Navel Oranges, doz. 25c to	.....50
Bananas, lb.	.....17
Apples	
Rome Beauties, box	.....3.00
Delicious, fancy wrapped, box	.....3.00
Yellow Newtowns, box	.....3.25
Butter	
First Grade, lb.	.....42
Second Grade, lb.	.....40
Lard	
Pure, lb.	.....20
Vegetables	
B. C. Potatoes, 7 lb.	.....25
Sweet Potatoes, lb.	.....11
B. C. Onions, lb.	.....07
Garlic, imported, lb.	.....20

"Back Street," With Charles Boyer And Margaret Sullivan Here This Mid-Week

Charles Boyer and Margaret Sullivan, two of the screen's most popular dramatic stars, are teamed in the picturization of Fannie Hurst's famous novel "Back Street" which is showing this Wednesday and Thursday at the Capitol Theatre here.

The boldness of its theme, its candid handling of situations and the excellence of its writing made "Back Street," as a novel, one of the most talked-of stories of the day. Translated into many languages, it enjoyed a greater reader audience than any popular novel published up to the time of its appearance.

"Back Street" is the story of a girl who was content to live in the back street of a successful man's life, demanding nothing but that he love her—helping him to a world recognized success while she herself remained in the shadows.

Miss Sullivan is seen as the girl and Boyer as the man. Others taking important parts in the cast are Frank McHugh, Richard Carlson, Tim Holt, Samuel S. Hinds and Frank Jenks.

The picture is a highly dramatic one and gives all those taking part ample opportunity to exercise their fine talents.

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### THE SEAL OF QUALITY

GOLD SEAL



Sockeye Salmon  
Fancy Red

Herring  
in Tomato Sauce

Sandwich Spreads  
Spiced Salmon  
Smoked Salmon  
BLOATER

## Whifflets

From The Waterfront

While no announcements in regard to summer schedules of steamship sailings on the coast have as yet been made, the expectation is that tourist travel to Alaska this year will be at a minimum if it does not disappear altogether due, of course, to war conditions in the Pacific. There will be little disposition to holiday steamship travel on the coast, it is believed. In any case, due to special demands, such ships as are available will probably be required for purposes other than Alaska tourist traffic. The coming summer may see some drastic changes in runs and services generally.

Union steamer Cardena, Capt. Ernest Sheppard, returned to port at 12:30 noon today from Stewart and other northern points and sailed at 1:30 this afternoon in continuation of her voyage to Vancouver and waypoints.

Special Offer in . . .  
**MEN'S SUITS**  
with extra pair of Pants Free for every order. January only.  
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- 12 Reconditioned Kitchen Ranges — for coal and wood.
- 3 Chesterfield Beds — with Occasional Chair.
- 18 Mattresses—all cotton; sizes 3-3, 4-0, 4-6, at \$12.00
- 3 Pull-Out Couches—with heavy pad . . . each \$18.75
- 4 Typewriters — Remingtons, No. 12.

Phone Black 324  
THIRD AVENUE

## Lamp Falls and Fire Is Started

Unusual Accident in Home of Stanley Brooks at Terrace.

TERRACE, Jan. 20.—An unusual accident occurred at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brooks on Wednesday last when a gasoline lamp fell from the ceiling and a fire started in the room. Only the prompt arrival of a neighbor with fire extinguished averted what might have been a calamity.

## CAPITOL

ENDS TONIGHT  
Complete Shows  
at 7:05 and 9:10  
**MARX BROS.** in  
"THE BIG STORE"  
(at 7:45 and 9:50)

BEGINS WED.  
FANNIE HURST'S  
GREAT STORY

## "BACK STREET"

with  
**Charles Boyer**  
Margaret  
Sullivan

(at 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30)

—ADDED—  
Pete Smith's  
"Fancy Answers"  
Merry Melodie  
"Bug Parade"  
WORLD NEWS EVENTS

WINE TO HER FEET  
Women's new footwear shades include colors of burgundy, port, herry, muscatel, malaga and claret.

**STOP THAT HEADACHE INSTANTLY!**  
Take ASPIRIN  
One of the safest of all pain relievers

THIS CROSS is on every fast-acting Aspirin Tablet. Look for it.

## Chesterfield Suites

GREATLY REDUCED—Watch Our Windows!

### Elio's Furniture Store

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Representing—HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY  
Ship to J. E. ORMHEIM, Cow Bay, Prince Rupert, B.C.

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The Best Quality Coal is Needed at a Time Like This

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Winter Excursion Fare, Vancouver and Return  
**\$36.00** Tickets on sale Nov. 15th, 1941, to Feb. 15th, 1942. Final return limit March 15th, 1942.  
Plus Tax

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Air-Conditioned Sleeping and Dining Cars

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