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New Deal For Canadian Soldiers

SEVENTEEN ARE DEAD IN CRASH

Western Air Lines Transport Plane Meets With Disaster Near Salt Lake City

FAIRFIELD, Utah, Dec. 16 (CP)—Seventeen persons, including four members of the crew, were killed in the crash of a Western Air Lines transport plane yesterday near this town which is twenty-five miles southwest of Salt Lake City. There were only two survivors, they being taken to hospital seriously injured. These two men saved their lives because they had fastened their safety belts.

Four of the victims were women.

The plane left Salt Lake City at five minutes after 12 o'clock noon and the crash occurred twenty minutes later.

BETTER GO EASY, BOYS

LONDON, Dec. 16 (CP)—Somebody should tell British airmen that Italy's art treasures inspired Shakespeare, Milton, Tennyson and Keats, said Italian Minister of Education Bottai, complaining that their bombs had damaged art buildings and statuary.

POUNDING JAPANESE

Enemy Reinforcements Landed on New Guinea Having no Easy Time

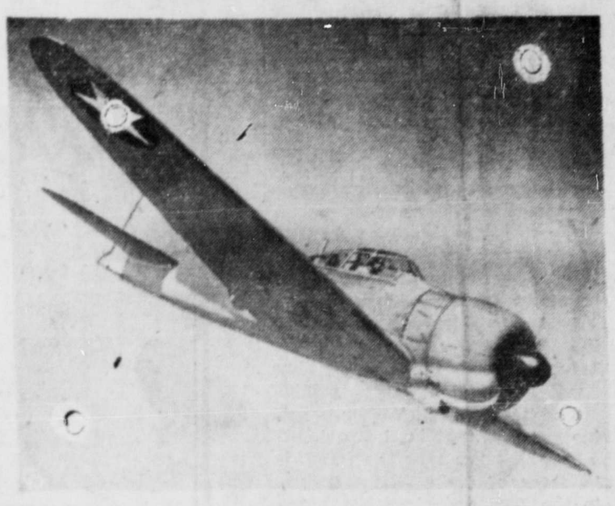
MELBOURNE, Dec. 16 — The United Nations aircraft are pounding hard at Japanese reinforcements which were landed by two enemy cruisers and three destroyers forty-four miles northwest of Buna on the New Guinea coast yesterday. Many of the Japs were unable to make landings at all and others were wiped out soon after getting ashore.

ATTACK ON CONTINENT

Air Blows Between British and Nazis Are Exchanged

LONDON, Dec. 16 — Enemy-held railway centres in France and Belgium were the objective of Royal Air Force bombing attacks on the continent yesterday. Single enemy planes attacked points on the east coast of Britain yesterday doing some damage.

STAR-SPANGLED ZERO



Bearing United States Stars in place of its original red discs, a Japanese Zero fighter, downed with but slight damage in the Aleutian islands, is shown during one of its test flights conducted by U.S. naval authorities. Most of its fast, manoeuvrable features are copied from American aircraft but its sacrifice of protective armor make it highly vulnerable to the concentrated machine-gun and cannon fire of U.S. fighters.

More Dead At Dieppe

OTTAWA, Dec. 16 (CP) — The night announced the names of night annohnced the names of another seventy-eight Canadian soldiers, including eleven officers and sixty-seven other ranks, previously reported as missing, now reported killed in the Dieppe raid. No British Columbians are included in the latest list.

REICH IS WORRIED

Nazi Uneasy Over Aliens in Their Midst

LONDON, Dec. 16 — Schwarze Korps, official publication of the S.S. Elite Guards, gave the first indication that Nazi officials were becoming uneasy over the presence in Germany of millions of foreign workers drafted from occupied European countries.

The paper, according to the London radio, pointed out that the foreign workers owe no allegiance to Hitler, and therefore not every crack in Germany's borders is sealed against enemy countries.

The despatch coincided with reports of new unrest and further restrictions in occupied Europe.

In Poland a German troop train was derailed, causing more than 200 casualties, while guerrilla forces cut the railway line to Zagreb, YugoSlavia, and blew up stations in the line.

In Danzig and Gdynia, inhabitants were asked to surrender small arms and sporting guns as well as ammunition. A similar order has been issued in France.

The Nazi-controlled Norwegian newspaper Arbetaren reported that a new wave of anti-Nazi demonstrations in Oslo suburban trains, resulted in an order that civilian policemen would inspect all trains.

The Stockholm newspaper Nya Dagligt Allehanda claimed that German secret police were blacknailing inhabitants of Aksim, Norway, on the pretext they were reading illegal newspapers.

No Word Of Peace Asked By Finland

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 16—There is denial in official circles here that Finland has requested the Swedish government to act as an intermediary in peace negotiations between Finland and Russia. Nothing is known here of such overtures on behalf of Finland.

ITALY IS IN CHAOS

But U.S. Director of Information Does Not Expect Revolution

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16— Elmer Davis, director of the office of war information, said, today, that chaos in increasing in Italy, but that advices to this government indicate there are no immediate prospects of a revolution by the Italian people against their German war allies.

He said at a press conference tht the United States in its broadcasts to the Italian people was urging passive resistance, but not revolution.

"Things are going to pieces, but there is no prospect of any immediate revolution," he said. "There may be local riots, however. War weariness and lack of sympathy for the Germans will play an important part in the whole picture."

He said he was confident that the government is receiving accurate information about internal conditions in Italy. He added that he could not shed light on reports that Mussolini is seriously ill.

BACK HOME TO LEARN

PRETORIA, Dec. 16 (CP) — Many young officers and men who have had grim experience in the desert fighting of North Africa have returned here to take specialized tank-training courses.

LAVAL SEES NAZI CHIEF

French Quisling Off to Berlin to Receive Further Orders From Hitler

VICHY, France, Dec. 16—Pierre Laval is off to see his master, Adolf Hitler, in Berlin as well as Joachim von Ribbentrop. Laval is expected to concur in further humiliating demands from the Fuehrer. One of these demands is said to be for the mobilization of a German-controlled French army, another for the appointment of Nazi civil advisers for all French departments.

Lavall is said to be very anxious to please Hitler who is said to be not entirely satisfied with the measure of collaboration of France and may replace him.

MOSTLY WATER

Cabbage contains from 10 to 15 pounds of water for each pound of dry matter.

RAPID RETREAT—

AXIS ARMY FALLS BACK PELL-MELL

Question Whether Rommel Will Make Stand at Tripoli or Tunisia—Allied Bombers Hitting Hard

LONDON, Dec. 16 (CP)—Britain's Eighth Army, paced by Allied air fleets which littered the road to Tripoli with wrecks of Marshal Erwin Rommel's transport, was reported today as probably approaching Zauta en Nofilia, one hundred airline miles west of El Aghelia and three hundred miles east of Tripoli. This report indicated that the rate of advance was exceeding that of the army after it cracked Rommel's El Alamein line in Egypt.

On the opposite side of the Allied squeeze in North Africa other strong forces of British and United States planes struck heavily at the enemy in Tunisia while winter rains and mud mired the land front into relative quiet. The country is a virtual quagmire, making it practically impossible to move mechanized equipment. The stepped up air attacks of the Allies have included heavy blows at Bizerte, Tunis, Sfax and Gabat.

For the British forces in Libya it is a desperate race to clear out mine fields in order to get at the rearguard of the fleeing enemy forces which are evidently running for Tripoli with the weakest of resistance, the mine fields being evidently largely depended upon for defence.

Some observers are of the opinion that Rommel may endeavour to pass up Tripoli altogether and withdraw into Tunisia for a last fight to the death stand. There are already reports of heavy Axis troop movements into Tunisia.

TRAPPED IN HALL

Exits Were Locked in Knights of Columbus Hostel at St. John's Where Disastrous Fire Occurred

ST. JOHN'S, Newfoundland, Dec. 16 (CP)—Trapped merrymakers in the blazing Knights of Columbus hostel here Saturday night had to batter down locked exits in order to reach safety from the dance hall fire that took ninety-nine lives, two young survivors related today.

Hedley Tuff jr. and Douglas Furneaux, both of St. John's, said that one group smashed through the ballroom door to get outside while another crowd broke through a second door in another part of the auditorium only to find another exit that had to be hammered down.

WATER PROBLEM

The chief health problem in the North African war zone is the procurement of water.

British Sub Bags Twenty

LONDON, Dec. 16—The British submarine, H.M.S. Truant, has returned to England after a lengthy and adventurous voyage during which she sank no less than twenty Axis ships.

Higher Rates of Pay, Living Cost Bonuses, Increased Allowances

Important Announcements Are Made by Department of Defence—Privates to Get $1.50 Per Day—Features of New Plan

OTTAWA, Dec. 16 (CP) — Higher rates of pay for Canadian soldiers, payment of cost-of-living bonuses to families of all Canadian service men and boosting of dependents' allowances to the highest scale in the world are announced today by the Department of Natonal Defence. Increases lifting the pay of private soldiers to $1.50 per day were announced by Hon. J. L. Ralston, minister of national defence, while payment of the bonus and allowance increases were disclosed in a joint service statement.

Features of the announcements are:

(1) Mothers and other dependent relatives will be allowed to earn up to $40 monthly without loss of their allowance instead of $20 as at present.

(2) A dependents' board of trustees is being requested to investigate the possibility of assisting service men's families who wish to move from high rent to low rent areas.

(3) Allowances will be provided for as many as six children instead of four for men and two for officers as at present.

(4) The new allowances and cost of living bonus will start January 1 with assigned pay increases effective February 1.

The rate of pay for privates will be increased from $1.30 daily to $1.40 after four months' service and $1.50 after six months' with pay of lance corporals and bombardiers raised from $1.50 to $1.60.

Japs Have No Chance On Kiska?

ANCHORAGE, Dec. 16—The Anchorage Daily Times says that the only reason Japanese forces still remain on Kiska Island is that they have been cut off by the effectiveness of the United States naval and air patrol. If they could get a few boats they would evacuate in a hurry, says the paper, but the garrison is actually without transportation.

WILL CALL MORE MEN

Those Between Nineteen and Twenty-five to be Liable for Compulsory Service

OTTAWA, Dec. 16 (CP) — Married men between the ages of nineteen and twenty-five have been made subject to call for compulsory military service, it was announced officially yesterray by the Department of Labor. At the same time all single men in age classes previously subject to call who have not received call-up notices or who have received such notices and have not reported are notified by proclamation to report by filling out special forms which will be available in all post offices.

It is not expected the married men will be called out for service for a couple of months yet. Notices are expected to be issued after the first of the year.

RUSSIANS SLOWED UP

Stronger Resistance Being Shown By Germans West of Stalingrad—Elsewhere Reds Advance

MOSCOW, Dec. 16 (CP)— German units, slashing at the left wing of the Red Army southwest of Stalingrad, were reported today to have driven an armored wedge into Russian lines after mounting full-scale attacks had been bolstered by tanks and planes. The Russian counter-offensive was considerably slowed up.

Red Star newspaper said the Germans struck heavily and repeatedly at positions occupied only recently by the Russians who had no time to consolidate them.

Front line dispatches indicated the enemy had advanced toward a water line and along an important road.

On the central front, however, the Soviet offensive rolled steadily through snow-covered forests. Two towns west of Rzhev have been recaptured by the Russians in fierce fighting in freezing weather.

SMITHERS HAS FIRE

Damage of $1,000 Done to Canadian Legion Building

SMITHERS, Dec. 16—Fire broke out in the Canadian Legion Club building in Smithers at about 10 o'clock yesterday morning. Considerable damage was done to the building and furniture before the fire was finally extinguished by the chemical engine and a bucket brigade. Damage was confined to the lower floor.

The Canadian National Railways fire hose, together with the forestry hose, was strung to the premises but was not required as the fire had been put under control by the time it reached there.

Loss will reach nearly a thousand dollars but is covered by insurance.

The premises had not yet been opened and there was no fire in the furnace. Yesterday from the location of the seat of the fire it would appear that a cigarette butt had been dopped in an upholstered couch the evening before which had smouldered all night.

Mayor-Elect Is Congratulated

Gyro Club Takes Cognizance of Honor Conferred on Member—Lieut. Stuart Speaker

President W. J. Scott, at today's luncheon of the Prince Rupert Gyro Club, congratulated W. M. Watts, prominent member and past president of the club, on having been elected mayor of Prince Rupert, Mr. Watts replied briefly.

The luncheon speaker was Lieut. Orme Stuart, another of the club members, who is home on leave from the naval wars abroad.

EDITORIAL

Get Out and Vote . . .

We would urge all who are qualified to do so to turn out and vote at the civic election tomorrow. It is the auspicious occasion of the first time in ten years that the people of Prince Rupert have had the privilege of voting for their civic government. It would well behoove them that they exercise this democratic privilege. If for no other reason than that they are interested in demonstrating their favor for the protection in perpetuity of this privilege they should make an effort to vote.

There has been a deplorable apathy as regards affairs municipal of late and we do not think it speaks well for the people. True there is a great war going on and many world-shaking events command a large modicum of our attention. Nevertheless, we have a duty to keep our homes in order as long as we maintain them and Prince Rupert is our community home.

Those who fail to vote now will have little valid reason for complaint if things municipal do not go to their liking later. They will morally have no right to complain about the work of those who they were not even interested enough to help to choose.

It is a long time since we have had the opportunity to vote municipally and have a say in choosing those who are to govern us in this sphere. We should be pleased and anxious to vote rather than have to be admonished to do so.

Unity in Civic Affairs . . .

It is gratifying to see that there was sufficient unanimity in civic affairs to permit of the election by acclamation on Monday of William M. Watts as mayor of Prince Rupert. While directly sponsored by the Prince Rupert Ratepayers' Association, Mr. Watts enjoyed confidence of Labor in measure sufficient enough that that organization should not find it necessary to oppose him. We are confident that the young mayor-elect well merits the acclamation that has been accorded him and that the record he may achieve will justify the confidence.

While there has been agreement in the choice of mayor, a contest develops for control of the council between the Prince Rupert Ratepayers' Association and an organization representing the labor bodies of the city. Only on one point is there any definite difference of opinion. That is on the question of city managership — a plan to which the ratepayers' candidates are committed and to which the Labor men are as positively opposed. In the matter of similar general aims otherwise both sides concede that only financial limits will restrict the carrying out of necessary undertakings.

The campaign for control of the city council has permitted of a healthy discussion of municipal affairs with we hope no rancorous repercussions. After election day on Thursday, the elected representatives from among the ranks of the two factions should be able to get together in the important job of advancing the city's interests to the best of their abilities.

TO THE VOTERS of Prince Rupert

The city plebiscite, on the question of the appointment of a City Manager, was held at the joint request of the Trades & Labor Council and the Chamber of Commerce. Ninety-five percent of those casting a vote were in favor of such an appointment being made.

The plan at that time was such as to allow complete control of civic administration by a manager. An elected mayor and small council would have had nominal power only.

We believe that conditions now demand the utmost efficiency in the operation of civic affairs and, to this end, are in favor of the appointment of an Executive Officer—but with this difference: that he be at all times subordinate to the elected council. We repeat that the Mayor and Council will determine all matters relating to policy, finance, contracts and bylaws.

Realities must be faced. The war effort is making tremendous demands on everyone's time. No member of the city council, from any walk of life, will have sufficient spare time to properly supervise the many overloaded city services.

We therefor reaffirm our intention of appointing a capable official to attend to the details of the operation of the city's affairs. The tenure of his office will depend on the efficiency of his services.

The city in the past has had many competent officials and employees who have given years of satisfactory service without being under contract or agreement of any description. Is it unreasonable to suppose that a superintendent or manager could not be employed on the same basis? We leave the answer to your own common sense.

Vote the Straight Ratepayers' Ticket and Give Watts the Efficient Support of His Own Group

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Candidates for the Council.

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"Bo-Me-High," published by the journalism class of Booth Memorial High School, has made its first appearance this term, the pre-Christmas number now being out. This is an extra special number of eight pages, excellently produced on a better quality stock than usual.

There is much news concerning the school and its pupils, all being prepared in a creditable and very presentable manner. The various organizations of the school come in for a full measure of attention.

With Mark Hill as staff advisor, Gwynn Holtby is editor-in-chief of Bo-Me-Hi with Dorothy McLeod as managing editor; Vernon Ciccone, news editor; Barbara Moran, literary editor; Hugh Taylor, junior editor; John Moore, sports editor; Gerry Woodside, clubs editor; Olga Sather, personal editor; Gladys Foster, Harry Calderwood, Tom Collins and Gordon Dell, reporters; Fred Stevens, photographer; Betty Greig, business manager; Jack Breen, advertising manager; Molly Frew, Jack Franks, Peter Postuk and Boyo Gurvich, advertising solicitors; Hemsby King, chief reporter; George Hankinson, circulation manager, and Zora Vuckovich, secretary.

Students' Council At High School

Miss May Skinner President For Coming Year and Sidney Alexander, Vice-President

Miss May Skinner is the president of the Students' Council of Booth Memorial High School this year with Sidney Alexander as vice-president and Janet Rochester as secretary. Other class representatives are Jack Breen, June Berg, Utla Arnsen, Emmy Schild, Harry Menzies, Georgina Rudderham, David Murray, Bessie Lee, Lois Thompson and Morton Skog.

Funeral Of "Pinky" Ross

Last Rites Yesterday Afternoon For Well Known Railwayman

Relatives and friends turned out in goodly number at the Grenville Court chapel of B. C. Undertakers yesterday afternoon for the funeral of the late Brice McGill "Pinky" Ross, well known former local railwayman, whose death occurred Sunday night.

Rev. C. A. Wright, pastor of First Baptist Church, conducted the service and Mrs. Lois Vaughan presided at the organ to accompany the singing of the hymn "Lead Kindly Light."

Interment was made in the family plot in Fairview Cemetery. Pallbearers were Barney Turbitt, Hugh Hamilton, A. Atkinson, P. Bateman, G. E. Phillipson and David Milne.

There were a number of beautiful floral tributes.

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Letter Box

WARNING TO VOTERS

Editor, Daily News:

Will you allow me a little space in your columns to give a few facts for the benefit of the electors in the coming municipal election.

The unwise spending by the former city councils was done mainly between the year 1925 to 1932 when the City went into the hands of the receiver. Although the aldermen had been warned time and time again of the danger of spending too much money at a time when lots were reverting back to the city for unpaid taxes in growing numbers, they kept on spending. If we had had a city manager at the time such things would not have happened. Neither would money have been wasted as it was when the sewerage system was put in Section 5 on account of aldermen wanting to know more about engineering than the city's engineer!

I wish to warn the electors of the wolf with a sheepskin. This Labor movement is simply the C.C.F. in disguise. Keep politics out of the Council. We have had too much of that in the past.

You all know that the C.C.F. is in favor of giving the franchise to the Japs and bringing them back to the coast. Is that why the Vancouver electors have left the C.C.F. candidates at home this year? Only one of them was elected on the Park Board!

The Labor platform sounds as if no consideration had been given to the war conditions in this city with lack of material and labor as well.

The Labor candidates evidently do not read the newspapers, so they don't know that the contractors using the city streets have to put the damaged streets back in just as good condition as they were.

THEO COLLART

CHEERY WAR-TIME THOUGHTS

"Christmas is the time to forget our troubles and to remember old scenes, old friends, old happinesses."
Sir Arthur Helps

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In the Matter of the "Administration Act" and

In the Matter of the Estate of Ethel Lillian Gourd

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor Judge Fisher, local Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, I was on the 27th day of November A.D. 1942 appointed Administrator of the Estate of Ethel Lillian Gourd formerly of Bella Bella, British Columbia, Deceased, who died on or about the 18th day of April 1942. All persons indebted to the said Estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith and all persons having claims against the said Estate are required to file them with me properly verified on or before the 31st day of December A.D. 1942 failing which distribution will be made having regard only to such claims of which I shall have been notified.

DATED at Prince Rupert, B.C. this 27th day of November 1942.

NORMAN A. WATT
Official Administrator
Prince Rupert, B.C.

"GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT"
(Section 28)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 29th day of December 1942 next the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for consent to transfer of Beer Licence No. 5836 issued in respect of premises being part of a building known as Knox Hotel situate on First Avenue upon the lands described as Lots 13 and 14, of Block 2, Section 1, Map 923, City of Prince Rupert, Prince Rupert Land Registration District in the Province of British Columbia, from George L. Rorie, Trustee of the property of Knox Hotel Company Limited, Authorized Assignor, of Prince Rupert, British Columbia, to Knox Hotel Co. Ltd. of Prince Rupert, British Columbia, the transferee.

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Avoid violent boiling. With accurate, controlled electric heat you can easily avoid this vitamin-destroying action.

Cover utensils and don't stir—it is not necessary because even, electric heat prevents the "hot spots" that cause scorching.

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Glove silk pantie and brassiere sets for those who prefer sleekly tailored underthings. Several smart styles to choose from. Sets,

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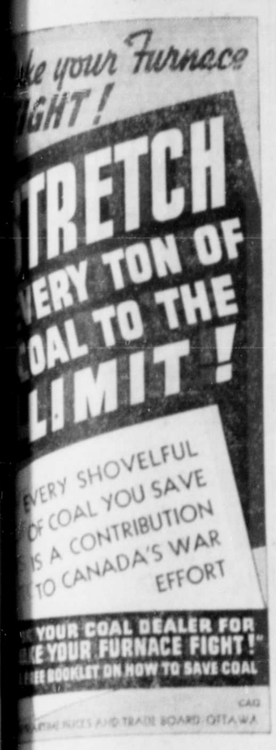

ptism Is Celebrated

ening of Little Daughter of Petty Officer and Mrs. George Dibb

United Church was the of an interesting event at g service on Sunday when ames A. Donnell conducted ptism of Winifred May Dibb, little six-month old daugh- Petty Officer and Mrs. Dibb. The child wore the nal robe of her maternal father, Arthur Hall of Nel- the dress and cape being of h silk with blue trimming Donnell spoke appropriately to casion and the godparents Sub-Lieutenant Don Mac- d and Mrs. Anne Baillie.

lowing the service the god- s were entertained at lun- at the home of Petty Officer Mrs. Dibb, 1611 Atlin Avenue, later in the afternoon there reception at the home of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank when the baptismal occasion the birthday of the grand- r were jointly celebrated. friends called. Mrs. L. W. n poured and the serviteurs Mrs. Alex Baillie and Mrs. MacDonald.

PLEASE SAVE THE BOTTLE
Your Salvage Committee will collect.

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LETTERBOX

HELPING NORWAY

Editor, Daily News:

In my last letter I gave you an idea of the aims and doings of the "Help Norway Committee." This time, instead of giving you only dry figures, I will give you a short resume of our doing and net proceeds from same.

On April 9 the Varden Singers held a successful church concert. Entire net proceeds of $105 were handed over to this committee. April 9 being the invasion date of Norway, this date was proclaimed the "Sailor's Day" by the Norwegian government. For this reason, this amount of $105 was sent to the Norwegian Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society which is working for our merchant navy and rendering assistance to the sailors in need.

Our books for the month of April showed a cash balance of nil.

We had a good start, and it encouraged us to go on. A telephone bridge was organized which lasted close to three weeks. After having paid for score cards and prizes this affair netted us $90.10. We needed stamps, files, cash books, etc. This gave us an added expenditure of $2.75. Left from this amount was $87.35.

We had the pleasure of having Dr. Hambro visit us for our Seventeenth of May celebration. Although this event did not net us much, owing to large expenses, it nevertheless built up our cash balance for the month of May to $105.

We knew that the following summer months would be rather quiet but something had to be done in order to keep the dollars rolling in. A raffle was started, lasting from the middle of June until October 30. Prizes and printing of raffle books amounted to $56.35 and the net proceeds of $262.15 were added to our cash balance of the previous month. This raffle had to come to a climax and it did. For that reason an invitation dance was arranged October 30. With all the necessary expenses deducted, the neat sum of $103.05 was added to our already growing cash balance. Let us now add the cash balance from May which was $105 to the above mentioned net proceeds. Our cash balance for the month of November was $470.45.

We were getting rich. We had to keep it up so we did not wait. On December 4 an invitation dance was again enjoyed by our supporters. Around 200 guests danced to the music of Mrs. Black and her orchestra and the proceeds of $101 were added to our fast growing bank roll which had reached $571.45.

Christmas is just around the corner. It is time to rob our bankroll but not for selfish use. To our forces in Canada—Camp Norway, Little Norway and the Norwegian Merchant Marine was sent respectively $100, $100 and $150. It does not amount to much when we have to divide it between so many but we feel, if the same thing was done all over Canada, it would after all amount to something. Let us, therefore pull together and for the coming year even do better, and with only one thought that the year of 1943 will be the year of liberation for dear old Norway and our dear ones at home.

We have today cash on hand of $221.56 with small expenses for the remainder of the year to be deducted and small donations to be added.

RUDOLPH OLSEN,
Chairman.

FOR QUICK RESULTS TRY A NEWS WANT ADD.

BRUINS ARE MOVING UP

Now Have One-and-a-half Game Lead in National Hockey League

BOSTON, Dec. 16 (AP)— Eking out a three to two victory over Detroit Red Wings in the only game scheduled for last night in the National Hockey League, Boston Bruins increased their margin of leadership in the National Hockey League to one-and-a-half games over the Chicago Black Hawks and Toronto Maple Leafs who are still tied for second place.

Tomorrow night three games will be played—Toronto at Montreal, Boston at New York and Detroit at Chicago.

C.N.R. Trains

For the East—
Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays ..... 7:00 p.m.
Wednesdays and Fridays ..... 10:30 a.m.

From the East—
Sundays, Tuesdays and Fridays ..... 10:30 p.m.

CURLING IS ORGANIZED

Len Evans Elected President of Smithers Club—Season Under Way

SMITHERS, Dec. 16— The Smithers Curling Club held its annual meeting here recently for the election of officers and to arrange for the current season's activities.

Many of the old officers and players have departed from the district during the past year and it required practically a re-organization of the club to get going again.

There were about twenty-five members present and the following officers were elected to carry on this year:

President, Len Evans.
Vice-President, William Dobson.
Secretary, L. H. Kenney.
Executive Committee — Frank Newbery, R. C. Davidson and W. H. Lewis.

Mr. Newbery was appointed as chairman of the ice committee and Pete Eby chairman of the bonspiel committee.

This year the Ladies' Club, which has eight rinks of its own, will handle its own affairs separately from the parent organization and they will carry on their own bonspiels and schedule.

The Ham and Egg Bonspiel, which is always the opening contest of the season, get away to a good start with fourteen rinks participating, two of these rinks being composed entirely of ladies. By the end of the week it had reached the semi-finals but old man weather intervened and it was too mild to continue play so the players are resting up for a few days to resume play with renewed vigor as soon as weather conditions have settled back to normal.

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They team up to rip through the skies at hundreds of miles an hour—Bombers, Navigators, Pilots, Gunners, Wireless Operators—clicking together to score hit after hit. They team up with fighter pilots and eagle-eyed reconnaissance fliers to smash through enemy defences and pile up superb records for Victory.

The expanded Air Training Plan has room for more men who want to join these fighting comrades of the skies in their great deeds of today and their great prospects for tomorrow. Right now applications are being accepted for air crew duties, at R.C.A.F. Recruiting Centres throughout Canada

If you are physically fit, mentally alert, over 17½ and not yet 33, you are eligible. If you are over 33, but have exceptional qualifications, you may still be considered. Lack of formal education is no longer a bar to enlistment.

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William Nelson jr., son of W. J. Nelson, arrived in the city this morning from Vancouver. He is to be stationed with the Royal Canadian Air Force here.

Announcements

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

L. O. L. meeting every Monday, Oddfellows' Hall. All Orangemen are welcome.

Women of Moose invitational Christmas dancing party. Oddfellows' Hall December 16. Refreshments.

Canadian Legion Christmas Tree Dec. 21, 3 p.m. New members with children 12 and under Phone Green 736 or Green 626.

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CONGRESS ADJOURNS

Most Important Session in History Of United States Concludes Today

WASHINGTON, D.C., Dec. 16—After having been in session for two years, the SeventySeventh Congress of the United States adjourned today following agreement yesterday by House and Senate to do so. The session was probably the most important momentous in the history of the country. It was marked by the formal declaration of war against the Axis powers and the biggest tax bill the nation has ever known.

The Seventy-Eighth Congress will open January 6 and on the following day President Franklin D. Roosevelt will give a "state of the nation" address.

AUCTION SALE
Timber Sale X20484

There will be offered for sale at Public Auction, at noon on the 22nd December, 1942, in the office of the District Forester, Marine Building, Vancouver, B. C., the Licence X20484, to cut 9,789,000 f. b. m of spruce, cedar and hemlock on three areas covering part of Timber Licences 11607P and 11608P and unsurveyed Crown land situated at the north end of Burnaby Island, Queen Charlotte Islands Land District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

"Provided anyone unable to attend the auction in person may submit tender to be opened at the hour of auction and treated as one bid."

Further particulars may be obtained from the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or the District Foresters, Prince Rupert or Vancouver, B.C.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

▲ Vote the Labor slate.

Air raid alarm sirens were growling for a while about mid-morning but it was no alert. A short circuit was the cause.

Mrs. Robieson of Fraser Street returned to the city this morning from a brief trip to Vancouver.

▲ Labor votes speed victory.

Jack Bulger, who has been spending several months at Tranquille Sanitarium, returned home this morning.

▲ If you are satisfied with Prince Rupert vote for an unknown city manager.

Hector McKenzie of the local Young Men's Christian Association war services and Mrs. McKenzie returned to the city this morning from a vacation trip to Vancouver.

▲ Break through Prince Rupert bottlenecks—vote Labor.

Crawford Moore, officer manager of the B.C. Bridge and Dredging Co., returned to the city Monday afternoon from a brief trip to Vancouver.
Vancouver.

▲ Labor offers you Jack Deane and J. T. Langridge for School Board.

Mrs. Jean Wait has been appointed stengrapher of radio station CFPR.

▲ S.O.N. meeting, Friday, Dec. 18. All members requested to attend. (2t)

▲ For decent community life vote solid Labor.

▲ FAIR WARNING — Your ONLY GUARANTEE to have your dry cleaning returned on or before Christmas is to send it to Pioneer Canadian Dry Cleaners now. Do not put it off any longer. We call and deliver. Phone 8 or 118. (295)

▲ For democratic council of action, vote solid Labor.

▲ Carpenters' Union Meeting tonight at 8 o'clock. Fraser St. William Page, General Office Representative in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Cairns left yesterday for Victoria.

▲ For adequate water and sewage systems, vote Labor.

Passengers leaving for Vancouver included William Weddes, R. Kisseck, Roger Bradshaw, L. West, Mr. and Mrs. A. Olsen, L. Harding, H. Keefe, C. W. Bird and Joe Williams

▲ London always has a Labor council. Vote Labor.

One year's suspended sentence was imposed in city police court yesterday on John Kurulok who was charged with permitting a minor to consume liquor.

▲ We pay cash for furniture, stoves, tools, musical instruments. Call or write Ello's, Prince Rupert.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Alder, from whom Christmas greetings are being received by old friends here, are to spend the holiday season in Seattle with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Alder are now residing in Victoria.

▲ Vote Sorensen, Black, Brett, Elliott, Daggett, Hills and Morgan for a Council that is not afraid of work.

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FOR SALE—Electric cash register with two totals. Bulger's Jewelry Store. (296)

FOR SALE—Wood and coal range. Good condition. Phone Blue 691. (295)

PIANO for sale—Apply 218 Eighth West. (293)

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GOOD opportunity for right kind of man or woman to get into newspaper work in Prince Rupert. Ability to write and use typewriter desirable. Apply Unemployment Insurance Commission AM 16.

WANTED — Teacher wanted for Digby Island Rural School. Twenty minutes by boat from Prince Rupert. Salary $780. Apply Secretary, Digby Island School, Dodge Cove, via Prince Rupert, B.C. (294)

WANTED

WANTED—Good cook stove with water jacket, oil preferred. Phone Red 480. (295)

WANTED — Secondhand Singer Sewing machine. Phone Red 609. (295)

WANTED TO RENT—Lodgings for two. What have you? Box 404, Daily News. (295)

WANTED—Room and board, would give work in return. Phone 231.

WANTED—Immediately, 2 or 3 furnished rooms for young couple. Price no object. Box 409 Daily News.

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WANTED—Immediately by reliable party, 2 or 3-room house, furnished; or furnished bedroom with use of kitchen stove. Box 407 Daily News. (292)

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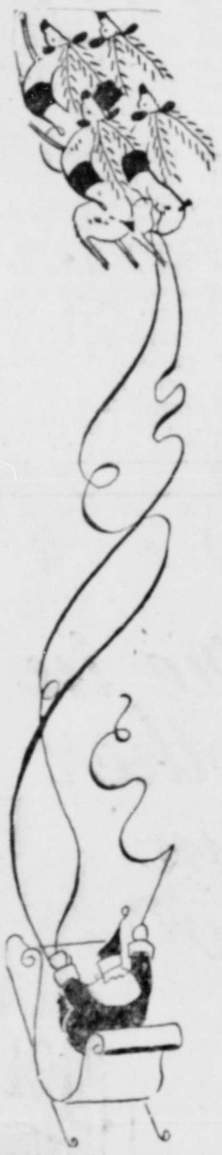
ROOM AND BOARD for two. 1651 Herman Place. (292)

LOST

LOST—Bulova watch between 'Y' restaurant and bus stop. Return to Daily News. Reward. (292)

ATTENTION: Christmas "Eves"



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BLUE RIBBONS NOW

LONDON, Dec. 16 (CP)—There have been so many Royal Humane Society awards to heroes during the first three years of war the supply of medals has been exhausted and the Society will issue simply the blue ribbon from now on, metal's scarce.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA IN PROBATE

In the Matter of the "Administration Act" and

In the Matter of the Estate of Alexander Ebenezer Whidden Deceased—Intestate

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor W. E. Fisher, made on the 2nd day of December, A.D. 1942, I was appointed Administrator of the Estate of Alexander Ezenezer Whidden, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or about the 4th day of January, A.D. 1943, and all parties indebted to the estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

DATED at Prince Rupert, B.C., this 4th day of December, A.D. 1942.

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Gloves — She's proud of her hands, she'll appreciate Gloves and they'll add a dashing note to her costume.

Men's Ties — If you're in doubt about gifts, see our selection, boxed and displayed to help you buy.

Accessories — With only a limited number of shopping days until Christmas, be wise, choose your "just right" accessories now.

Hosiery — Hosiery will be much more appreciated this year than ever before.

Blouses — If you know she has a suit, she'll surely love a Blouse or two. Tailored and dressy which ever you choose.

Toiletries — What is more elegant than fine Toiletry.

Lingerie — We're ready with lovely New Lingerie to make Christmas dreams come true.

Dresses — Dresses for gala evenings. Could anyone ask for a nicer gift.

Satin Housecoats — If you'd like a new Housecoat, a hint to Santa and a trip to our complete selection and you can choose it today.

Sweaters — For your more collegiate friends, you'll find our lovely Sweater collection more than complete.

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CURTAIL RACING

PRETORIA, Dec. 16 (CP)—The principal racing interests in the Transvaal have agreed to curtail racing in deference to Prime Minister Smuts' appeal. The first major casualty is Dingaan's Day Handicap, the Union's biggest Galloway race.

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ACTIVITIES OF Y.M.C.A. AND Y.W.C.A.

By DOROTHY GARBUTT, Hostess

The Service Wives Club, which will be meeting in the family lounge at the "Y" on Thursday afternoon, urgently needs helpers to fill the ditty bags for the boys in the hospital and make final arrangements for the children's party on Saturday.

In view of the two terrible catastrophes in the East recently I would ask all servicemen—in fact all who smoke—to please be careful of how you dispose of your cigarette ends. Do see that they are out! We are having fewer Christmas decorations this year and what we are putting up are to be treated with a solution sprayed on to make them non-inflammable. Fire Chief Lock gave us the recipe for the solution and I think it would be a good idea to pass it on:

Mix 9 oz. borax and 4 oz. boric acid in a gallon of water and spray.

Simple isn't it? Yet what trouble it may save.

I see they have a Christmas hospitality committee in operation in Prince George.

Invitations are on the way for the big Navy dance on Boxing Day when the chiefs, petty officers and ratings of H.M.C.S. Chatham hold their Christmas party and dance. Make it a date, girls! And don't plan anything for Tuesday because the Ontario regiment have it all planned for you for that night. It looks like a bright Christmas.

I'd like to welcome Gordon Webb to the fold. He has just joined the local Y.M.C.A. forces. Wherever he goes, whether it's to Aliford or the Forts to take Jock's place, plenty of entertainment goes with him because he is a wizard at the piano.

Ivan and Mrs. Mallett have returned home for the Christmas holidays to Batho, Alberta. Some people have all the luck.

GOLD SEAL

Fancy Red Sockeye Salmon

and

Herring in Tomato Sauce

are both on active service but will be back on your grocer's shelf soon as conditions permit.

CLOTHING OF WOOD

London's First "Fibro" Utility Frocks Pass Scrutiny of Experts

LONDON, Dec. 16 (CP)—Well, girls, you can get a "wooden overcoat" now (no, no, it's not a coffin) and look handsome indeed. New collections of "wooden" clothing went on view here and drew acclaim from the fashion experts.

They were utility frocks made of "fibro"—a synthetic material manufactured mainly from wood, a fabric with many variations and which the government is anxious to popularize to save wool.

Fibro is hard-wearing, supple and washable. One model made of it was of black and white check with a smart scarlet overcheck. Another was in a "tweed" with an effect like shot silk.

Few women would detect the models displayed as "utility" if the government labels were removed. Colors aplenty are to be had—turquoise, rose, gold and a beautiful shade of rust-red along with French plaids in gay and becoming variety.

Buttons were dyed especially to tone or match each model. Belts were smart and sometimes allied with leather or grosgrain ribbons. Collars often are detachable for washing.

Skirts were not skimpy but cut with plenty of fullness and detail yet still conforming to Board of Trade regulations.

Welcome news for the matron is that youthful styles are made for her as well as for the stock-size woman and—the majority of the models were priced around $9.

Canada at War 25 Years Ago

Dec. 16, 1917—Soviet-German armistice, arranged at Brest-Litovsks, extended to January 14. Austrian troops captured Monte Calarolo and Col Caprile on the Italian front. Gen. M. Guillaumat succeeded Gen. M. P. E. Sarrail as commander of Allied Balkan force.

CUT THIS OUT

HOW TO VOTE THE LABOR SLATE

For Council:

ARNOLD, NORAH E.	
BLACK, J. S.	X
BRETT, WILLIAM H.	X
DAGGETT, HARRY M.	X
ELLIOTT, THOMAS H.	X
MILLS, GEORGE E.	X
JACK, J. E.	
MORGAN, THOMAS O.	X
MORTIMER, R. E.	
McKAY, ROBERT	
McLEOD, R. A.	
RITCHIE, A. D.	
SORENSEN, TAGE	X

For School Board:

DEANE, W. J. H.	X
HAM, CLIFFORD G.	
HILL, KATHLEEN M.	
LANGRIDGE, J. T.	X
MADISON, GORDON E.	
SMITH, EDWARD J.	

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MORTIMER, R. E.	X
McKAY, ROBERT	X
McLEOD, R. A.	X
RITCHIE, A. D.	X

For School Board:

HAM, CLIFFORD G.	X
HILL, KATHLEEN M.	X
MADISON, GORDON E.	X
SMITH, EDWARD J.	X

Voting at The City Hall, Thursday Next
8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

PRINCE RUPERT RATEPAYERS' ASSOCIATION

RETIRES AS CAPTAIN

LONDON, Dec. 16 (CP)—Cmdr. L. H. Bell, O.B.E., saved when the Prince of Wales and Repulse were sunk, has been retired with the rank of Captain. He had served on the battleship Royal Sovereign and was formerly on the staff of the Home Fleet Commander-in-Chief.

POLICED THREE KINGS

LONDON, Dec. 16 (CP)—Veteran Inspector William Hill has retired after 16 years as resident police inspector at Buckingham Palace. He has held up traffic for a royal car to pass many times during the three reigns of his service, George V, Edward VIII and George VI.

THERE'S AN URGENT NEED TO

Save Coal

in

HOMES • APARTMENTS • HOTELS
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The demand for coal is becoming increasingly urgent. Civilian and domestic consumption of coal must be curtailed. Owners of apartment houses, stores, hotels and theatres are urged to co-operate in this conservation plan. Heating systems kept operating at top efficiency and temperatures maintained at steady level save coal.

CHURCHES - HALLS
and OTHER PUBLIC BUILDINGS

The superintendents of these types of public buildings are also asked to get behind this drive to cut down coal consumption. The situation is critical and can only be met by the serious and energetic co-operation of every coal-user.

MAXIMUM TEMPERATURES RECOMMENDED

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Apartments, hotels, and other places of a residential nature; offices, public buildings, schools and educational buildings 68° F.
During non-occupancy or after 12 midnight . . . . . 65° F.

Theatres, churches and other places of assembly; factories and store (merchandising) buildings . . . . . 65° F.
During non-occupancy . . . . . 60° F.

The heating system should not be operated to maintain the temperatures shown above if any of the windows are open to outside air.

USE LESS COAL • USE IT EFFICIENTLY
WEAR WARMER CLOTHING

Be prepared, not only to save coal yourself, by operating your furnace economically and by wearing warmer clothing . . . but be ready to accept lower temperatures in public buildings, where owners are doing their part to conserve coal. Take an active part in Canada's war effort — by helping to conserve the country's coal supply.

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DAY AND NIGHT

SPRINGTIME OF ROCKIES

Famous Mountain Resort of Lake Louise is Locale of Picture Now Coming to Capitol Theatre

A rollicking musical extravaganza, much of the action of which takes place at Lake Louise in the Canadian Rockies, "Springtime in the Rockies," with a cast which includes such favorites as Betty Grable, John Payne, Carmen Miranda, Harry James and his Music Makers, Cesar Romero, Charlotte Greenwood, Edward Everett Horton, Frank Orth and Jackie Gleason, comes to the screen of the Capitol Theatre here for an extra day run this Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

This dancing and singing extravaganza is featured by a number of new hit tunes such as "Run, Little Raindrop, Run," "I Had the Craziest Dream," "A Poem Set to Music," "Panu Americana Jubilee." Carmen Miranda sings a Portuguese version of "Chattanooga Choo Choo" while Harry James and His Band do "Chiri Chiri Bin," "Trumpet Rhapsody" and "You Made Me Love You."

1,000-ACRE MEMORIAL

LONDON, Dec. 16 (CP)—Dame Margaret Greville, famous society hostess who died last September, left her 1,000-acre estate at Polesden Lacey in Surrey, where the King and Queen spent the first days of their honeymoon, to the National Trust as a memorial for her father.

Portland Canal War Fund Keeps Up Its Activity

STEWART, Dec. 16—At the regular meeting of the council of the Portland Canal War Fund held in the Court House last Wednesday evening, plans were laid for the usual entertainment and dance to be held on New Year's Eve for the purpose of raising funds for war charities. Committees were appointed to handle all the various lines of work involved in an undertaking of this nature and the public of Stewart is assured of a snappy entertainment and a good rollicking dance to welcome the New Year.

At the meeting it was decided to send $100 to the fund for aid to Russia.

The secretary reported that renewal registration for a further year under the War Charities Act had been received.

Member of High School Teaching Staff Leaving

T. L. Davies, who has been for eight years a member of the local High School teaching staff, has submitted his resignation, effective at the conclusion of this term, and will be leaving shortly with Mrs. Davies and son for Vancouver. Mr. Davies, before coming to Prince Rupert, was located at Anyox.

What Is The Essence of This City Manager Question?

The Civic Labor Federation, representing hundreds of ratepayers, strives for a form of city government controlled by the voters. They have fought against minority interests who wanted a one-man government, susceptible to selfish influences. But, as one of the Labor candidates clearly pointed out to you in his radio speech—"if a system of co-ordination can be worked out in the affairs of the city by the appointment of a co-ordinator, or supervisor, a system that would tend to give greater efficiency in the administration, that is altogether different."

The Ratepayers' candidates now tell us that this is all they want after all. If this is so, why make an issue of it?

The real issue is much deeper.

By their printed statements the Ratepayers' candidates have shown they simply do not understand the salient factor of the election, which is simply this:

The proper administration of the City of Prince Rupert is vital to war work

And the candidates of the Civic Labor Federation ask your votes because they are fully prepared to give their time and energy to running this city.

The Ratepayer's candidates are speaking strictly for themselves when they say "no member of the Council will have sufficient spare time to properly supervise."

Everybody in Prince Rupert knows that the Axis is being right here by dilapidated civic services, inadequate recreation facilities and other factors which hamstring war efficiency and which it has been humanly impossible for the one-man form of city government to remove.

If the Labor candidates saw the Council merely as a spare time job which people nowadays haven't time for, and if they did not speak for hundreds of ratepayers who want action, then all they would have to offer you in this election is a city manager.

You may be sure that any officials appointed by a Labor council will never manage the Council. They will be responsible, in fact, to a Council which takes seriously the problem of straightening out Prince Rupert, not after the war, but now, so as to help win the war.

VOTE SOLID LABOR

CIVIC LABOR FEDERATION — For information on Voting, Phone 570 after 8 p.m.

Announcement

Restrictions placed upon us by the Wartime Prices & Trade Board compel us to announce we shall be unable to put on our "Christmas Special" this year.

This practice of sending a small box of smoked fish, typical of the dominant industry of Prince Rupert, has become increasingly popular and we are very sorry we shall have to disappoint our many customers this year.

After the war, we hope we shall again be able to make this special Christmas offer available to our many friends.

Canadian Fish & Co'd Storage Co. Ltd.
Prince Rupert British Columbia

CFPR

SCHEDULE
(Affiliated with CBC)

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

7 p.m.—For young and old alike, CFPR will present the familiar Yule tide drama by the immortal Charles Dickens —"A Christmas Carol."

9 p.m.—Pacific Playhouse — a half-hour play in the new series produced in the CBC's Vancouver studios, under the direction of Andrew Alan.

9:30 p.m. — From the new World. Jean de Rimanoczy conducts his 27-piece concert-orchestra in a program of modern works, for lovers of fine music.

WEDNESDAY

4:00 p.m.—Anytime is String-time
4:30 p.m.—Shall We Dance?
5:00 p.m.—Blue Shadows
5:30 p.m.—Latin-American Syncopation
6:00 p.m.—CBC News
6:05 p.m.—Down Lower Basin-Street Way
6:30 p.m.—Let's All March Together
6:45 p.m.—Kiddies Only! And You!
7:00 p.m.—A Christmas Carol—Drama
7:30 p.m.—Stirling Young's Orchestra
8:00 p.m.—Front-Line Family
8:15 p.m.—Belle McEwan Sings
8:30 p.m.—Victor Record Album
9:00 p.m.—Pacific Playhouse
9:30 p.m.—From the New World
10:00 p.m.—CBC News, rebroadcast
10:05 p.m.—Organ Interlude
10:15 p.m.—Special A.R.P. Program
10:30 p.m.—Silent.

THURSDAY

7:30 a.m.—Strictly Informal
7:45 a.m.—CBC News
7:50 a.m.—Strictly Informal
8:00 a.m.—Musical Minutes
8:30 a.m.—Morning Meditations
8:45 a.m.—Composers' Corner
9:00 a.m.—John Charles Thomas
9:15 a.m.—Novelty aPrade
9:30 a.m.—Alvino Rey and Four King Sisters
10:00 a.m.—A Morning Visit
10:15 a.m.—Boston "Pops" Orchestra
10:30 a.m.—Carnation Bouquet
10:45 a.m.—They Tell Me
11:00 a.m.—Hawaiian Echoes
11:15 a.m.—Broadcast of Messages
11:17 a.m.—Piano Stylings
11:30 a.m.—Let's Go Modern
12:00 noon—Mid-Day Melodies
12:50 p.m.—CBC News
1:00 p.m.—One O'clock Musicale
1:30 p.m.—B.C. School Broadcast
2:00 p.m.—Silent

SUGAR SUBSTITUTE

Sorghum cane, readily grown in many parts of the United States, is being used as a sugar substitute.

FOR 3 DAYS

THE IDEAL XMAS OR NEW YEAR GIFT!
A snappy Booklet of Theatre Tickets in gay holiday envelope for Children and Adults, Priced $1.00 to $2.25

SMITHERS

With a recent change in weather a very mild spell came over this area with light rain in showers falling for several days, interspersed with warm sunshine.

The death occurred here on Sunday morning of David Jones who had been seriously ill for only a short time. Mr. Jones was quite an old resident of Smithers, having come here from Wales some years ago. He carried on the undertaking business for fourteen years. His wife and four sons and two daughters are all at home in Smithers at the present time, his sons having come from various points throughout the province on account of his illness. Burial took place in the Smithers Cemetery.

Sergeant William Cameron, Stewart, Is Overseas Now

STEWART, Dec. 16—Mrs. E. T. Applewhaite has received a cable from her son, Sgt. William C. (Billy) Cameron announcing his safe arrival in India. He is a wireless operator and air gunner with the R.C.A.F.

Danny Wade, another local boy is reported now training with the Canadian paratroops in Georgia.

MURMANSK CLIMATE

Though Russian lakes and rivers are often frozen to the bottom in winter, the port of Murmansk is open the year round, because of the Gulf Stream.

TOYS

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Little tots will laugh, shout and clap thir pudgy hands with glee over these jolly and amusing toys that Santa has left in truckloads at this popular Christmas toy shop. Toys that move, sqwauck, talk—and what not—are all here in grand array. And, parents, you'll be mighty happy over the values!

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