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Weather

Queen Charlotte Islands and North Coast: Light to moderate winds, cloudy and little change in temperature.

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Tuesday, Dec...

High	15
Low	9
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Germans Are Launching Big Counter - Offensive

Most Decisive Battle of War May Be Joined on West Front

Situation Is Very Liquid — Americans Being Driven Back Into Luxembourg and Belgium—Luftwaffe in Action Again

PARIS, Dec. 18 (CP) — The American First Army struck back advancing Germans in Belgium and Luxembourg today in a fierce battle which may prove to be one of the most decisive of the war. The situation at the front was reported to be extremely fluid and for this reason Supreme headquarters decided upon a strict blackout on detailed information concerning the extent of enemy advances and counter-moves of the Americans.

Berlin claimed that the Germans had crossed the northern port of Luxembourg on a broad front and were nearing the Luxembourg-Belgian border.

The Allied-controlled radio station at Eindhoven, Holland, went abruptly off the air without explanation.

The Germans have temporarily thrown the fighting along the western front into revers. Counter-attacking along an eighty-mile front, the Nazis have dented the American First Army lines and have re-invaded Belgium and Luxembourg. In one sector, the Nazis have pushed the Americans back four miles.

In his order of the day to his troops, German Field Marshal Karl Von Rundstedt declares: "Strong attacking armies are advancing against the Anglo-Americans. I don't need to say more to you. Bear in yourselves a holy duty to give everything and achieve the superhuman for our Fatherland and our Fuehrer. Everything is at stake. Your hour has struck." It was suggested the Germans would be back in Paris by Christmas.

The exact location of this enemy counter thrust has not been disclosed. But it is known that the German drive extends along the eighty-mile front southward from the key base of Dueren on the Roer River. What appears to be the main German thrust has carried to within ten miles of the Belgian city of Malmedy.

For supporting their ground troops, the German Air Force is paying a heavy price. In the first thirty-six hours of their counter-attack, the enemy is known to have lost one hundred and ninety-four planes. Allied aircraft losses up to nightfall last night totalled thirty-three fighter planes.

Elsewhere on the western front, the Third Army continues to advance into the Saar Basin, and the Seventh Army has reached the Siegfried Line beyond the captured town of Wissembourg.

Reports from the British Second Army front said that German fliers in the greatest strength since D-Day had appeared along the Aachen sector with many reconnaissance aircraft.

While the enemy counter-offensive appears to be spreading to other sectors, an Allied statement today said that necessary steps were being taken to deal with it and there was no cause for alarm.

WAR NEWS

Nazi Counter-Offensive

LONDON — Strong Ge... ttacks have been made against the American ... d Armies which have been driven back several ... irty-mile front south of Aachen. Several fre... s have been thrown into the fight and the ... e is back in action again. In Luxembourg t... have been forced back for three miles. To th... nth Army has had better success and has ad... of miles further into Germany, taking a few

Siege of Budapest

MOSCOW—The Battle of Budapest has entered into the phase of a siege. The Soviets are attacking very heavily but the Nazis have been able to balance the scale and the Russian High Command announces that no further progress has been made.

New Zealanders Take Faenza

ROME—New Zealand forces, after several days of bitter fighting, have captured the important German stronghold of Faenza on the Italian front and have advanced three miles on towards Bologna.

Supply Road Cleared

ATHENS—British attacks have resulted in clearing the supply road between the port of Piraeus and Athens. Fighting continues although on a reduced scale following rejection by the British of the Leftist offer to withdraw from Athens and Pireaus if they are not required to lay down their arms.

New Landing Progresses

WASHINGTON — United States forces, following their landings on Mindoro Island in the Philippines, have driven seven miles inland to capture the town of San Jose. The American air force has destroyed 440 Japanese planes. Eight Japanese ships have been sunk and seven damaged.

Ulm and Munich Bombed

LONDON—British night-shift bombers worked overtime last night. In their first assault, the British heavyweights struck at the industrial centre of Ulm. The second blow was aimed at Munich.

Still Fighting in Greece

ATHENS—Fighting in Greece continues today. British troops are engaging in a house-to-house drive against Left Wing elements in the eastern sector of the Greek capital of Athens. Armored forces as well as infantry are being used in this new drive to wipe out E.L.A.S. resistance.

Nagoya Is Again Target

WASHINGTON—The Japanese radio this morning has announced sighting more B-29 superfortresses over the Japanese homeland. According to the Japanese, Nipponese fighters and anti-aircraft defences swung into action when the big planes were sighted. There has as yet been no indication where the big bombers are operating but there are signs that the industrial city of Nagoya has been picked as a target once again. This city was blasted yesterday during one of two raids carried out by the B-29's. The other attack was carried out in the area of Hankow, China.

The Situation in Burma

CALCUTTA — The Allies are consolidating positions in North Burma. A juncture between the Royal Scottish Fusiliers and the British Fourteenth Army is near. United States infantry and artillery is also there.

More Jap Ships Sunk

WASHINGTON—The Department of the Navy announced today that American submarines have sunk 33 more Japanese vessels—12 of them warships—in the Pacific.

...low French Canucks In Italy Feel

...think that Soldiers in Canada should go Overseas

MONTREAL, Dec. 18 (CP)— A ...ss-section of the French-Canadian soldiers going home on ...e from Italy has been interviewed by a Canadian Press war correspondent, Doug How, who is ... on his way back from the ... front. Speaking seriously ... with much thought, they expressed regret that the Canadians of two races at home can... carry on their share of the ... effort with the same unity ...ich Canadians of two races ...e achieved overseas.

Battery Sergeant-Major Jos... Armand Boucher of Montreal spoke for his comrades when ...said none of the boys want to ... called French-Canadians or ...glish-Canadians. They are all ...adians. As far as conscription is concerned, he knows there ...e to be reinforcements. When ... and his fellows started for ...ristmas leave at home, they ...t behind them many others ...o had not been home since ...39. Boucher said, and those ...th him agreed, that soldiers in ...nada should go overseas, ...ether they're drafted or volunteers.

...EARSON NEW AMBASSY HEAD AT WASHINGTON

OTTAWA, Dec. 18 (CP)—Appointment of Hon. L. B. Pearson as ...anadian Ambassador to the ...nited States was announced ...aturday by Prime Minister Mac...enzie King. The new ambassador at present holds the post ...minister at the Canadian embassy in Washington. He succeeds the Hon. Leighton McCarthy, 75, who has resigned.

...ONG SERVICE MEN ARE HOME

Canadian Soldiers from Overseas Here for First Christmas in Five Years

TORONTO, Dec. 18 (CP)— Many of the Canadian soldiers who returned to Canada at the end of the week from overseas on special leave have been overseas for more than five years and the furlough means for many of them that they will be spending the first Christmas at home since the war started.

Many of the men will return to the battle lines when their 30 day furlough is completed.

Some of them had fought with the Canadians in Sicily, Italy and France and a few in all major Canadian campaigns.

Local Temperature

Maximum	40
Minimum	31

Hockey Scores

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Saturday

Detroit 1, Toronto 1.
Boston 5, Montreal 8.

Sunday

New York 1, Montreal 4.
Chicago 2, Detroit 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Saturday

Pittsburgh 6, Buffalo 3.
Cleveland 3, Hershey 3.

Sunday

Buffalo 4, Hershey 2.
Cleveland 6, Providence 5.

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SEATTLE MAN FINED HERE ON CUSTOMS CHARGE

Leland D. Kish of Seattle was fined $50 and costs under the Customs Act in police court Friday when he pleaded guilty to a charge of being in illegal possession of American liquor. He was also assessed $108.73, the appraised value of 13 bottles of whiskey found on his yacht when it was visited by R.C.M.P. officers on November 20. The boat, the 50-foot yacht Mystery of Seattle, was seized by customs authorities.

Police said they searched Kish's boat after they learned that it had been in port from Ketchikan 36 hours without being declared at customs.

Premier Churchill To Speak Thursday

LONDON, Dec. 18—Prime Minister Winston Churchill did not make his expected radio speech to the nation yesterday. He will make a statement to the House of Commons Thursday on foreign affairs.

New Westminster Greets Mahoney

NEW WESTMINSTER, Dec. 18—Major Jack Mahoney, New Westminster's Victoria Cross winner, returned home yesterday from overseas to receive a great welcome. Streets were specially decorated. A civic welcome was formally tendered today.

No Early Conference

WASHINGTON, D.C., Dec. 18 (CP)—There wil be no Churchill-Roosevelt-Stalin conference before the end of January, it was learned at the week-end. Despite reports to the contrary and problems in need of adjustment, February is probably the closest that the big thre eof the United Nations can assemble. This is the present judgment of the State Department and British spokesmen in Washington. It contrasts with London talk of an immediate meeting.

The possibility of a Churchill-Roosevelt-Stalin conference looms after a speech in the British House of Commons yesterday when Prime Minister Churchill stressed its desirability as he enunciated new British policy in regard to Russo-Polish negotiations.

The Prime Minister expressed disappointment that it had been found impossible to arrange any meeting of the three great powers.

Churchill's address brought from Henry Raikes, Conservative, comment that the Atlantic Charter has become a ghost.

The Prime Minister, critical of American failure to be as precise as Britain on the Polish problem, said that President Roosevelt had been informed of Russo-British decisions on Poland but "find great difficulty in discussing these matters because the attitude of the United States has not been defined" with precision. However, he added, "the President is aware of everything that has passed."

Mr. Churchill said that Poland would be compensated for the sacrifice of Lwow and territory near the Ukraine by tacts of East Prussia and Danzig to be wrested from Germany.

TRADES COUNCIL SCORES BRITISH GREEK POLICY

The Prince Rupert Trades and Labor Council met in regular business session last Thursday with a fair turnout of members. President A. Wallin was in the chair.

Among correspondence dealt with was a letter received from Olof Hanson, M.P., reporting that arrangements had now been made whereby wartime houses would be rented to the general public in Prince Rupert. This information was received by the delegates with satisfaction but it was still felt that for single men and women in this city there was a serious lack of suitable accommodation and consideration is being given this question.

J. S. Black, delegate to the recent Trades and Labor Congress convention held in Toronto, gave his report. Arising out of this report a motion was passed deploring the use of British troops against the natives of liberated countries. It was ordered sent to Congress headquarters in Ottawa, hoping that by so doing the strength of organized labor would be able to avert conditions similar to what happened in Russia after the last war and that the liberated countries would be left free to elect democratic governments without ouside interference.

The executive was instructed to again take up the question of future dry dock shipbuilding, as previous answers to communications sent could not be accepted as satisfactory.

Wartime Prices and Trade Board announces the following ceiling prices for turkeys:

Grade A, 45c.
Grade B, 43½c.
Grade C, 39c.

Bulletins

PREMIER KING'S BIRTHDAY

OTTAWA — Prime Minister King was 70 yesterday and he was honored last night at a dinner given him by the correspondents of the parliamentary press gallery. At one time Mr. King was a reporter himself. Yesterday members of the cabinet presented Mr. King with a silver framed photograph of the Earl of Athlone, President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Churchill and Mr. King. It was taken during the Quebec conference.

ELEVEN MILES INLAND

ORMOC, Leyte—Allied troops are making good progress in their invasion of Mindoro Island in the Philippines. The Allies now are eleven miles from the beachhead which they established at dawn last Friday. Up to now only scant enemy resistance has been encountered.

IS FULL UNIVERSITY

TORONTO — The Ontario Agricultural College is going to be given the status of a full univesity and will be removed from political control Ontario Agriculture Minister T. L. Kennedy says that legislation to this effect will be introduced at the next session of the Provincial Legislature. O.A.C. will thus become the first agricultural university in the Dominion and the sixth university in Ontario, the others being the universities of Toronto, Western Ontario, McMaster, Queen's, Victoria and Ottawa. The new higher learning institution may be called the University of Ontario. Dr. G. I. Christie, principal of O.A.C., will be made president of the new university.

HELP SERVICEMEN TRAVEL

OTTAWA—The federal government has eased its restrictions on inter-urban bus travel for the Christmas holidays. The new ruling is to help servicemen and women get home for the Yuletide season. The Defence Department said that but operators on routes still in operation may suspend the curtailment regulations from December 21 to January 4 for any navy, army or air force personnel as well as properly identified merchant seamen and members of the R.C.M.P.

MANY VETS HOME

TORONTO — The largest contingent of Canadian veterans to return to the Dominion since the start of the war have poured into the Toronto district on Christmas leave. For some of the eight hundred men who came home, it was the first time home in five years. Some of the soldiers paid two visits to Europe—in 1940 when they were pushed off and again this year after D-Day. Under the rotation leave plan, men who have served five years are given thirty days furlough.

LIKE VOICE FROM PAST

LONDON, Dec. 18 (CP) — The familiar but now subdued voice of Benito Mussolini was heard Sunday speaking from Milan. He complained bitterly at the "unbelievable and ever-increasing difficulties" facing his regime and begged support for his Fascist puppet government.

SHOULD HAVE GREATER SAY

C.C.F. Leader not Satisfied With Dumbarton Oaks Conference

NEW YORK, Dec. 18 (CP)—M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. leader, told the American Labor Conference on International Affairs here Saturday that Canada and other peace-loving nations of her status should be given greater authority on the world security council proposed at the recent Dumbarton Conference.

Coldwell said under present proposals, Canada might be directed to sever trading relations with or supply armed forces to fight against some future aggressor without having had the opportunity of participating in the decisions reached.

C. C. Ketchum, well known local logging operator, has been in the Prince Rupert General Hospital for the past few days.

NEW WEAPON BEING USED BY GERMANS

WITH THE AMERICAN NINTH ARMY IN GERMANY, Dec. 18 (CP)—The Germans have launched a new "V" weapon on the western front and are bombarding rear areas with it night and day. A dispatch gave no details concerning the weapon. The Germans have already used weapons V-1 and V-2 against troops behind the front.

Premier Douglas Back In Regina

REGINA, Dec. 18—Premier T. C. Douglas, after having been ill for several weeks in hospital in Ottawa, has returned to Regina but it will be another month before he will be able to return to work.

ATHENS SIEGE NEARLY OVER

ATHENS, Dec. 18 (CP)—The British launched a full-scale drive against leftist forces in Athens today and it appeared to be only a matter of hours before the siege of the capital is lifted.

General Mark Clark In Italy Command

ROME, Dec. 18 —Lieut. Gen. Mark Clark has assumed command of all Allied land forces in Italy succeeding Lieut. Gen. Sir Harold Alexander who is now Allied commander-in-chief in the Mediterranean area.

VANCOUVER FOG LIFTS

Downtown Has First Clear Night in Eight—Higher Parts Still Misty

VANCOUVER, Dec. 18 (CP)—The second fogbound week started for New Westminster, Burnaby and other suburban points while the downtown Vancouver area with the lower levels escaped and had their first bright night in eight. A pall of fog hung five hundred feet over the city, affecting only high ground in Vancouver proper.

At least four week-end marine accidents were reported in the harbor in spite of the fact that marine traffic has been cut to only essential vessels being allowed in and out of the port.

Traffic accidents were so numerous that police have not been able to sort out the record of them. There have been at least 100 minor accidents. Traffic had been clowed to a snail's pace.

TransCanada Air Lines planes continue to by-pass Vancouver and land at Victoria instead. Vancouver passengers are carried between here and Victoria by boat.

Bootleg Booze Is Dangerous

OTTAWA, Dec. 18— Commissioner S. T. Wood of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police has issued a warning against purchases of alcoholic beverages at other than government liquor stores. There had been many deaths last year from bootleggers' liquor. There was particular danger from industrial alcohol.

INSIDE WORK ON INVASION

Valuable Tasks Performed in Enemy Territory Before D-Day by French Speaking Officers

Toronto, Dec. 18 (CP)—Scores of young French-speaking officers of the Canadian Army parachuted into France before D-Day on June 6 to lead groups of maquis in special tasks which the High Command required to be perfected before the main invasion blow was struck, it was disclosed Saturday. The men were all volunteers and were picked by inspection of battle records. Some had spent months in enemy-occupied country before the invasion.

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the French-Canadian minority
Quebec. It says:

"Prime Minister Mackenzie King's victory in Canada's overseas conscription crisis adds another significant link to the chain of compromise by which the Dominion has maintained its unity during the war.

"Canada's troops on the Continent will get their needed 16,000 reinforcements. Mr. King has won a 143-70 mandate in the House. But the issue was not precisely joined. A separate motion showed French-speaking Canada's disapproval of the Government conscription of home-army draftees to make up the losses in volunteer overseas divisions. Mr. King obtained his vote of confidence by an appeal to the safer issue of general support of the national war effort.

"The fundamental issue between French and English-speaking Canada has been little reconciled. The problem is not, as at times assumed, that Canada's French-Canadians think of themselves as Frenchmen. It is, rather, that they have not yet come to think of themselves internationally as Canadians.

"The situation was aptly illustrated by a public opinion study made during the middle of the present war. Canadians were asked, "Do you think of

Canada as an independent country?" The majority of the English-speaking Canadians answered "yes." A majority of French-speaking Canadians answered "no." For French-Canadians generally have not perceived the implications of the progress which the Dominion has made toward genuine independence within the British Commonwealth.

"After the war, that independence from London will undoubtedly increase without endangering the final bonds which link the Empire. Then it will be the task of Canadian statesmanship to address itself to the deeper integration of the two racial groups which comprise the Dominion."

What Decides Wars .

In military language the objective of all operations is destruction of the enemy's will to resist. We need to be reminded of this as much when our forces are making spectacular advances as during a period of heavy fighting.

War is not just an immense football game, with progress toward the goal measured in yardage. In war, territory is important only insofar as it bears on the weakening and ultimate destruction of the enemy's armed power. This is not said to gloss over the fact that just now the Allies on several fronts are fighting grim and costly battles. It is said to help draw attention away from the miles to Tokyo and to Berlin, and to focus it on the real factors in military success.

Recent encouraging advances of the Allied armies on the western front may be correctly weighed not in the miles of ground gained, but in the resources denied to the Germans and in the units of the enemy's army put out of action in the process.

CLOSING CONCERT AT KING EDWARD

King Edward School closed for the Christmas holidays with its usual Christmas concert given on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons for the pupils and on Thursday afternoon for the parents. The music room had been gaily decorated for the occasion and one item of the program was presented by each of the eight divisions of the school. The program consisted mainly of Christmas plays, folk dances and carols. It was as follows.

Grade I — Indian War Dance. Dance of Greeting, A Christmas Song.

Grade II—Two folk songs and dances, two plays "Three Blind Mice" and "Santa's Workshop."

Grade III—A play "Christmas in the Bassett Home."

Grade IV — Christmas carols, "Christian Men Rejoice and "God Rest You, Merry Gentlemen."

Grade IV—A play, "Christmas Storyland."

Grade V— Recitation, "Where Santa Lives," a play "Christmas Through the Year."

Grade VI—Two plays, "The Complaining Dolls," "The Colored Santa."

Grade VI—A play based on an old legend "The Greatest Gift."

At the close of the enjoyable program the parents visited the classrooms to see the Christmas decorations and displays.

EARLY WOOD CARVING

The earliest examples of wood carving are some remnants of Scandinavian carving dated from the ninth and 10th centuries.

LONDON, (AP)—Bus queues will have to continue in London until after the war because of a shortage of fuel, tires and buses. There is no manpower shortage.

THESE NAZIS FIGHTING IN GERMANY HAVE HAD ENOUGH—These German soldiers were ready to surrender to Allied forces approaching them in Geilenkirchen, Germany. Here, hands raised and with white flag denoting surrender, the Nazis say they've had enough.

CONVICTIONS, FINES LOW

Report for November Presented By Chief to Committee

The number of cases dealt with in police court in November was considerably less than in the previous month and entailed a corresponding drop in fines, according to the monthly city police report presented by Sgt. O. L. Hall to the police committee at the week-end.

Forty-one cases came up in court, resulting in 40 convictions. Total of fines collected was $775, bringing the 11-month total this year to $19,350. In October there were 129 convictions and $1,960 collected in fines.

Two of the cases presented last month were summary trials of indictable offenses, and the remaining 39 were Dominion and provincial statutes, and city by-laws.

The report stated that the police department received 79 complaints, 51 of which were under the criminal code, and 28 under provincial statutes. These complaints included those of money losses totalling $946, of which $97 was later recovered.

One was from a dry dock worker who reported that he had been attacked by two men who appeared out of the bush on Fifth Ave. E. at 11 p.m., struck him down, and robbed him of $50. He was later found unconscious by two soldiers who took him to his room. He was unable to describe his assailants.

The force performed 285 miscellaneous duties during the month. These included a broad variety of activity.

The report stated that an "unsatisfactory" condition exists concerning unemployed and casually employed girls and women in the city. It added that "some agency should maintain a preventative and protective service in this field," but agreed that this was not a direct city responsibility.

Co-operation between city police and Canadian and American military police resulted in the conviction of a Canadian serviceman for keeping liquor for sale on the street, the report stated.

Cost of maintaining the city jail was $416, of which $77 was charged against other departments, leaving a net cost to the city of $339.

Buy for Victory—Buy War Savings Stamps.

FUNERAL OF MRS. DIXON

Many friends and sympathizers comprised the congregation Friday afternoon at Grenville Court Chapel of the B.C. Undertakers for the funeral of the late Mrs. Chris Dixon. Rev. John Linney, pastor of the Gospel Tabernacle, officiated, and Mrs. Linney presided at the organ to accompany the hymns which were "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," "The Last Mile of the Way" and "Softly and Tenderly." Mrs. C. Carter sang as a vocal solo "In the Upper Garden" and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Scherk sang the duet "Does Jesus Care?"

Interment followed in Fairview Cemetery with George Cook, James Rogerson, Henry Skinner, Henry Friesen, Ray Scherk and Howard Toftager acting as pallbearers.

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"I must warn the House and Country against any indulgence in the feeling that the war will soon be over"
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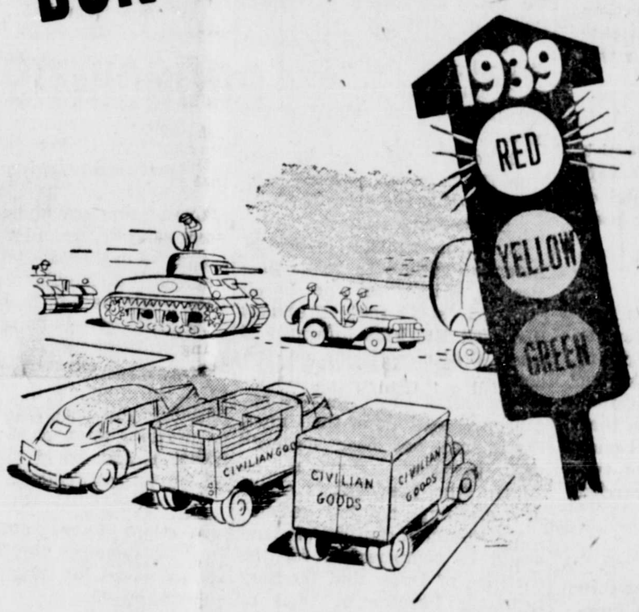

War came. The manufacture of most civilian goods had to be cut down or stopped to make way for war production. That caused shortages of civilian goods—*that was the RED LIGHT*

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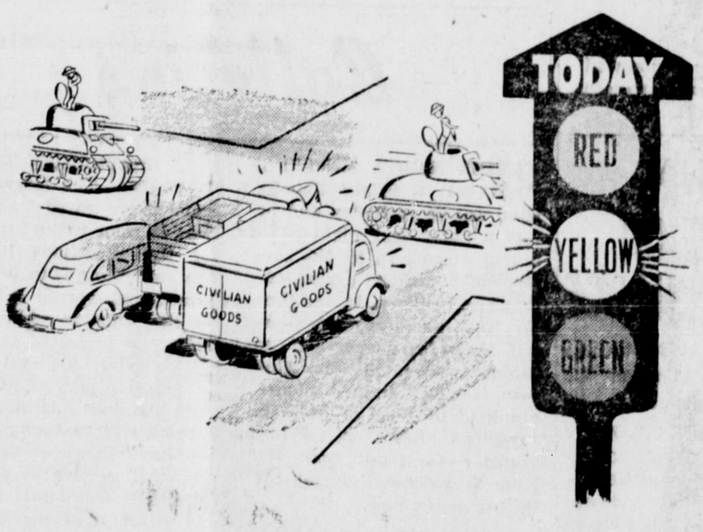


Some restrictions are now being lifted, but it does not mean lots of goods right away. War's demands are still huge and must come first. We can't neglect them just so that some of us here at home can get a little more.

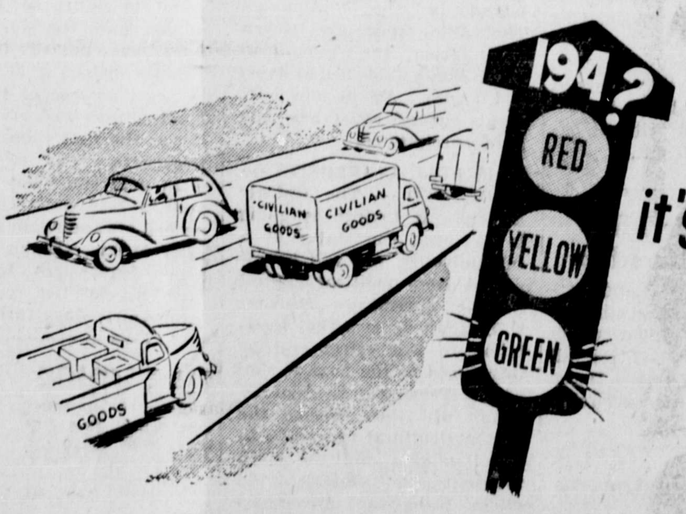
Don't confuse the signals—(*This is the YELLOW LIGHT ONLY*).

It means a little more of some things and it helps business men get ready for the time when there will be more materials and workers available.

It does not mean the end of shortages!

Getting back to peacetime production will necessarily be piecemeal and gradual.

"Patience" is the word.



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Only after Victory over both enemies can the Green Light be switched on, and the road cleared for enough production to meet all our civilian needs.

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Local News Items...

PHONE 86 TO CONTRIBUTE PERSONAL AND NEWS ITEMS

Sergeant and Mrs. Charles Mayo left yesterday afternoon on their return to Terrace after a week-end visit to the city.

Dan McKenzie, Vancouver contractor, left Saturday night to return south after a brief business visit to the city.

Constable J. R. McAllister, of the city police detachment, returned this morning from a holiday spent at his home in Vernon.

▲ Moose, Women of the Moose and their families are invited to a social tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in I.O.O.F. Hall.

Miss Dorothy Creech is sailing tonight on the Princess Adelaide to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season in Vancouver.

Miss Gladys Gammon is arriving in the city on the Princess Adelaide tonight from Kamloops to spend the Christmas and New Year holidays with her parents, Inspector and Mrs. Ernest Gammon, McBride Street.

▲GIVE THEM FOR CHRISTMAS —Books of Theatre Tickets, for Adults, Children, Men and Women in the Services. Priced $1.00 to $2.25. Now Selling, Capitol. (300)

Mayor H. M. Daggett will be the speaker this Wednesday at the regular weekly luncheon of the Prince Rupert Gyro Club. He will discuss civic affairs.

Capt. J. B. Scott, of the B.C. Forest Service made a brief call at Skidegate on official business recently and then proceeded to Prince Rupert.

Capt. G. P. Lyons arrived in the city this afternoon on the Princess Adelaide from Vancouver to spend Christmas leave at his home on Green St.

Miss Phyllis Hill-Tout arrived home this afternoon on the Princess Adelaide to spend the Christmas and New Year holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hill-Tout, Fourth Ave. E.

Announcements

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

C.W.L. Bridge, Whist and Cribbage, K. of C. hut, January 10, 8 p.m.

Dance every Saturday night. Oddfellows' Hall. De Carlo's orchestra. 9-12.

C.C.F. Bridge Drive every Saturday.

Miss Joyce Gillett left Saturday night on a trip to Vancouver.

▲ If you know someone that is in need and may be overlooked at Christmas please drop a note with their name, address, and other particulars to the Salvation Army, Box 236, Prince Rupert.

Capt. W. J. Boyce and Capt. J. A. Campbell, who have been stationed here as pilots, are sailing by the Princess Adelaide tonight on their return to Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cowie sailed Saturday night on the Prince George for Vancouver to which city Mr. Cowie has been transferred in the service of the B. C. Packers.

Mrs. M. A. Myros and two children of Hazelton arrived in the city on last night's train from the interior and are sailing tonight on the Princess Adelaide for a visit in Vancouver.

Mrs. C. C. Smith and grandson, Percy Tinker, jr., are arriving in the city on the Princess Adelaide this afternoon from Naramata on Okanagan Lake to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season with Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Tinker, Fifth Avenue East.

Mrs. J. A. Hinton sailed Saturday night on the Prince George for Vancouver enroute to Kamloops where she will spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season visiting with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. MacCallum, formerly of this city.

Mrs. B. Walker, Miss Irene Peatt, Miss Margaret Dodimead, Miss Dorothy Kovak, Miss Betty Vaughan and Bruce Mickleburgh were among local school teachers leaving Saturday night on the Prince George for Vancouver to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season in the south.

Sea Cadet Orders

R.C.S.C.C. "CAPTAIN COOK"

Parade Schedule

7:10—Band and markers to muster.
7:15—Hands fall in.
7:20—Prayers, colors and divisions.
7:30—Entertainment as arranged by sports officer.
8:10—Stand easy.
8:20—Sports as arranged by sports officer.
9:00—Secure.
9:15—Evening quarters.
9:30—Sunset.

THIS AND THAT

"I'm afraid you're neglecting your work, Eton. This is the third accident you've had this week!"

GERRY HANLEY SHOWER GUEST

Mrs. W. Murdoch and Mrs. May Pihera were joint hostesses at a miscellaneous shower held Thursday evening at the home of the former on Alfred Street in honor of Miss Gerry Hanley.

The evening was spent playing Rumoli, prize winners being Miss Vivian Wrathall and Mrs. K. Chappell.

The guest of honor was the recipient of many lovely gifts presented to her in a nicely decorated basket, following which delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Those present were Mrs. Helen Speer, Mrs. Kay Chappell, Mrs. Edna Bequette, Mrs. C. Gordon, Mrs. May Pihera, Mrs. J. Murdoch, Mrs. G. V. Hanley, and Miss Vivian Wrathall, Miss Evelyn McNab, Miss Tomy Krause, Miss Gerry Hanley and Miss Jean Krause.

DOGFISHING ON ISLANDS IS POOR NOW

SKIDEGATE, Dec. 18—A few boats are still out fishing dogfish, but recent catches have ben poor. During the past season some boats operated profitably, but others did not make expenses. A large fleet of beam trawlers operating in the straits during the past season has caused concern among local fishermen. They say that the trawlers destroy all flat fish and crabs with their beam trawls. They also claim that the practice of dumping the dogfish carcasses overboard after the livers have been extracted destroys that area for dogfishing.

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5:30—Sports Reviews
5:45—Raymond Scott
6:00—Your Radio Theatre
7:00—CBC News
7:15—Canadian Roundup
7:45—Recital Time
7:45—A Western Voice
8:00—Night Music
8:30—Great Gildersleve
9:00—Bob Hope
9:30—Globe Theatre
10:00—CBC News
10:10—Elmore Philpott
10:15—CBC News Roundup
10:30—Double Feature
11:00—Silent

TUESDAY—A.M.
7:30—Musical Clock
8:00—CBC News
8:15—Front Line Family
8:30—Morning Concert
9:00—BBC News
9:15—Morning Devotions
9:30—Transcribed Varieties
9:45—March Time
10:00—Salon Musicale
10:30—Roundup Time
10:45—Morning Visit
11:00—Scandinavian Melodies
11:15—Studio Scrapbook
11:33—Message Period
11:35—Weather Forecast
11:36—Recorded
11:45—Personal Album
12:00—Melody Hour

P.M.
12:30—CBC News
12:45—Band Wagon
1:00—One Night Stand
1:30—Junior Music
2:00—Silent

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Japs Returning To Pacific Coast

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18—Japanese, whose loyalty is proven, will be permitted to return to the coast next month from the interior, the War Department has decided.

C.C.F. BRIDGE

Eight tables were in play at the C.C.F. weekly bridge drive Saturday night. Winners were Mrs. Millen, Mrs. Traquair, D. A. MacPhee and George Scott.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE "ADMINISTRATION ACT"
and
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF AXEL JOHANSEN, DECEASED, INTESTATE

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor, W. E. Fisher, made on the 6th day of December, A.D. 1944, I was appointed Administrator of the Estate of Axel Johansen, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said Estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or about the 8th day of January, A.D. 1945, and all parties indebted to the said Estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

DATED at Prince Rupert, B.C., this 7th day of December, A.D. 1944.

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

IN THE SUPREME CORT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
IN PROBATE
IN THE MATTER OF THE "ADMINISTRATION ACT"
AND
IN TH MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ROBERT HYLAND, DECEASED.

TAKE NOTICE that by Order of His Honour Judge Fisher, Local Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, I was on the 11th day of December, A.D. 1944, appointed Administrator of the estate of Robert Hyland, who died on the 27th day of August, 1941. 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 15th day of January, 1944, 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 11th day of December, A.D. 1944.

ALBERT EDWARD RODDIS,
Official Administrator,
Telegraph Creek, B.C.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
IN PROBATE
IN THE MATTER OF THE "ADMINISTRATION ACT"
AND
IN THE MATTER OF THOMPSON DUFF, DECEASED, INTESTATE.

TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honour W. E. Fisher, made on the 11th day of December, A.D. 1944, I was appointed Executor of the estate of Thompson Duff, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said Estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or before the 15th day of January, A.D. 1945, and all parties indebted to the Estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

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PARIS AT CHRISTMAS—This photograph shows Canadians on short leave in Paris doing their Christmas shopping for the folks back home. The place is the Gift Shop in the Palais d'Orsay Hotel. Left to right, front row, are: Pte. W. Smith, Royal Army Service Corps, London, Eng., C.S.M. L. W. Randall, Killarney, Man.; Sgt. F. G. Doan, St. Thomas, Ont.; Cfn. J. H. Petterson, R.C.E.M.E., Gull Lake, Sask.; Pte. S. W. Stefiszyn, R.C.A.S.C., Deville, Alta. Front row, Rfn. J. C. Stoneman, Portage La Prairie, Man.; Tpr. A. C. Witty, Toronto, Ont.; Pte. G. R. Christopher, R.C.E.M.E., Belleville, Ont., and Mlle. Simone Boulongne, saleslady at the shop.

Returned Flier Is Honored By Skidegate Friends

SKIDEGATE, Dec. 18 — Pilot Officer Percy Gladstone, R.C.AF., who returned recently from service overseas, was presented with a gold ring at a gathering held in his honor in Skidegate Mission town hall last week. The ring, a gift of the people of Skigate Mission, was presented by Miss Pauline Jones after PO. Gladstone had been introduced by Henry Green. Wing Commander McKnee, of Alliford Bay made a brief speech of welcome.

The hall was filled with visitors from all parts of the Islands, and members of the R.C.A.F. PO. Gladstone, who has made 30 flights over Germany and flew patrol flights over the Normandy beaches on D-day, expressed his appreciation at the fine gesture his people had made for him. The latter part of the evening was given over to dancing, with music supplied by the Harmony Boys' orchestra.

The percentage of fixed carbon, created by Paleozoic sunshine, determines the value of coal as a fuel.

Timely Topics from Terrace

SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS IS ABROAD; COMMUNITY ENTERTAINMENT

TERRACE, Dec. 18—The spirit of Christmas is abroad and is making his presence felt everywhere. People seem gayer, more friendly and more cordial in their greetings than they have been for many a long day. The children, out of school for the holidays, are having a rollicking good time. Even the weather man has been co-operating and Terrace is being favored with a succession of clear, sunny, cold days. There is no snow on the ground but obvious signs of Yuletide are to be seen. Red and green trimmings, wreaths and beautifully decorated Christmas trees are appearing as if by magic in homes, stores, halls and restaurants. Events are in keeping with the general atmosphere.

On Thursday afternoon, Divisions 1, 2, 3 and 5 of the Terrace Elementary School had Christmas trees and parties. The entire school had been appropriately decorated for the occasion, even the hallway being hung with pretty red and green streamers centred with a large red bell. The following visited the school: Mrs. C. Haugland, Mrs. F. Kirby, Mrs. C. King, Mrs. T. Cote, Mrs. J. Haaland, Mrs. G. Kerr, Mrs. J. Normandeau, Mrs. A. Harris, Mrs. S. Guggins, Mrs. F. Llewellyn, Mrs. Watts, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. L. Thomas, Mrs. Richmond, and Mrs. Farquam. The programs consisted of impromptu songs, recitations or piano selections rendered by the pupils themselves. These were followed by games, the giving out of Christmas presents and refreshments. Many pre-school children were in attendance and were delighted when Santa paid his visit.

Division 5, in the Legion Hall, did not have its party and Christmas tree until the following afternoon. This classroom had also been suitably decorated for the occasion. Mrs. Hubble, the teacher, welcomed those who came to visit and all present had a very enjoyable afternoon.

On the same afternoon, Divisions 1, 2, 3 and 4 teachers took their pupils up to the Military Hospital and put on part of their original Christmas concert for the patients and staff. The pupils and teachers were made very welcome and every courtesy was extended to them by Colonel R. H. Hughes and Nursing Sister Pacem. The pupils were permitted to see the different parts of the hospital and many, who had never been there before, marvelled at the cleanliness and order. The concert was put on in the canteen. A large audience had been expected but many of the patients had been moved out the previous week. Those able to watch the performance were the following: Pte. Martinisk, Pte. Freiberg, Pte. Marchand, Pte. Habiniski, Pte. Martineau, Pte. Porter, Pte. Roberts, Bdr. Halisky, Bdr. Horuing, Pte. Selinger, Pte. Markwart, Pte. Vauier, Pte. Syubalko, Mr. Stevenson and Mr. Tharriew. Following the presentation of the concert, Pte. Habiniski played several selections on his accordion for the pupils. The patients and staff were very appreciative of the efforts of the children, talked to them and treated them to ice cream and candy.

Friday evening, the pupils of the Terrace High School had a very enjoyable Christmas party.

In accord with the general idea of Christmas, there is going to be a Community Christmas tree in the lower army drill hall next Thursday evening. This will be the first of a series of Community Christmas Trees to perpetuate the memory of the late W. H. Johnstone who left $500 to the Legion, the Orange and the Oddfellows' Lodges to be used as the basis of a perpetual Community Christmas Tree Fund. Committees were appointed by the Lodges to take care of this fund. M. Dubeau, F. Hall and S. Kirkaldy for the Legion; R. Beecher, E. Haugland and G. Lambly for the Oddfellows'; R. Matthews, C. Haugland and B. West for the Orange Lodge.

Of this group, the chairman is R. Beecher, the secretary is S. Kirkaldy and the treasurer is E. Haugland. The committees held a meeting on Friday evening and invited the teachers to attend. Certain plans were drawn up and Miss Lips and Miss Riley were put in charge of purchasing and preparing a Christmas package for each child in the district.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
IN PROBATE
IN THE MATTER OF THE "ADMINISTRATION ACT"
AND
IN TH MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DANIEL McKINLEY KEAN, DECEASER.

TAKE NOTICE that by Order of His Honour Judge Fisher, Local Judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, I was on the 11th day of December, A.D. 1944, appointed Administrator with the Will annexed, of the Estate of Daniel McKinley Kean, who died on the 20th day of January, 1939. 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 15th day of January, 1944, failing which distribution will be made having regard only to such claims of which I have been notified.

DATED at Prince Rupert, B.C., this 11th day of December, A.D. 1944.

ALBERT EDWARD RODDIS,
Official Administrator,
Telegraph Creek, B.C.

On Earth Peace to Men of Good Will

With the advent of Christmas this year,
these words hold for us an added significance:
"Peace to men of good will!"

WE Canadians, whether we fight in the factory or on the farm—in industry or in the armed services, wish peace on earth to men of good will the world over. We are fighting that the spirit of Christmas shall endure. And we rejoice that this Christmas brings with it the definite promise of freedom for all mankind.

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Draw your window shades or curtains at night. Helps keep radiator heat from taking a walk outside your window. It's cosier anyhow.

Signal For Greens

Nearly time to be gathering the Christmas greenery. It you love pine and cedar as we do, don't strip the trees. Gather carefully . . . doesn't it make you mad to see enthusiatically hacked-at little evergreens that will never live to see the spring? Put boughs in water in a cool place until the Day of Decoration dawns.

"I'm Baked"

Said one apple, bursting with pride. "So am I," said the other. "Naturally," say we, being extra partial to such, even at breakfast time. Keep apples from splitting by pricking the skin with a fork before putting in the oven.

Last Call for Shoppers

Chances are that you've polished off the last item on your list and you're now needling the man of the house for what in the end you know will be an appendix to your list. Unless of course he's the kind that likes to do his own shopping, in which case we retire in amazement. This is the time to be agreeable but firm. Stores are no place for the likes of anybody from now on. You won't find what you want and you won't want what you find. Show this to that Man.

Cranberries Tart

Make cranberry sauce this year instead of cranberry jelly. Reason one: The distinctive tartness of the cranberry tastes good with the bird.

Reason two: Can be made with half as much sugar.

Reason three: Vitamin C diminishes in quantity when exposed to air. This is true of any fruit. Sieving it reduces the amount of this vitamin that reaches the finishing line intact.

RAIL TARGETS ARE HAMMERED

American Heavy Bombers, with Fighter Escorts, Smash at Hanover and Kassel

LONDON, Dec. 18 (AP) — Six hundred and fifty heavy American bombers hammered at western Germany rail and industrial centres of Hanover and Kassel Friday with more than 2000 tons of bombs. The British-based bombers were accompanied by 550 fighters.

Daily News Classified Ads bring quick results.

Smooth Organization in the Kitchen Makes for Happy Christmas Meals

Get organized in the kitchen now for a happy Christmas which won't find you worn to a frazzle with the rush of last minute preparations.

Plan the menus now for the week from the 21 to the 27, making the pre-Christmas meals of the easy to prepare variety. Make a shopping list and order all staples and non-perishables right away. Then get busy with advance preparations. Mincemeat, Christmas pudding and fruit cake have first call on your attention if not already made. Cranberry sauce (store it in an airtight sealer), a supply of salad dressings and cookies come next. Don't overlook the possibilities and convenience of icebox cookie dough which will keep for a week before baking.

Final shopping for the Christmas week-end had best be completed by Friday. There will be more choice and shops will be less crowded.

For the Christmas dinner itself we suggest two menus. The first is for a family dinner in the traditional style, the second can be served semi-buffet style and is manageable in an apartment with limited kitchen facilities and no dining room.

FAMILY CHRISTMAS DINNER

Cranberry Apple Ice*,
Roast Turkey, Savory Stuffing
Brown Gravy
Mashed Potatoes, Diced Turnips,
Honey Onions*
Red Currant Jelly
Sliced Head Lettuce
Russian Dressing, Rolls
Individual Christmas Puddings
Holiday Sauce*, Beverage

SEMI-BUFFET CHRISTMAS DINNER

Tomato Juice garnished with
Chopped Parsley
Roast Chicken, Celery Stuffing*
Roast Potatoes, Peas
Harvard Beets, Cranberry Sauce
Relish tray of Carrot Sticks
Celery Curls, Watercress
Buttered Hot Rolls
Individual Hot Mince Pies
Beverage

Cranberry Apple Ice

2-3 cup sweetened cranberry sauce
1 1-3 cups grated apple
Few grains salt

Crush the cranberry sauce with a fork, mixing with the apple and add salt. Mix thoroughly, place in freezing tray and freeze to a much or until firm if preferred. Six servings as an appetizer; if desired as dessert increase recipe to 1 cup cranberry sauce and 2 cups grated apple.

Honey Onions

4 medium onions cut in ¼ inch slices
Salt and pepper to taste
2 tablespoons water
1 tablespoon honey
2 teaspoons butter

Place onion slices in a large greased casserole or pan, sprinkle with salt and pepper and add water. Cover and bake in a moderate oven, 350 degrees F., for 15 minutes or until tender. Remove from oven, dribble with honey and dot with butter. Return to oven for 10 minutes to glaze and brown slightly, basting at lease once. Six servings.

Holiday Sauce

2 tablespoons sugar
1 teaspoon cornstarch.
Pinch of salt
1½ cups milk
2 egg yolks or 1 whole egg
½ teaspoon vanilla
1-3 cup chopped maraschino cherries

Mix sugar, cornstarch and salt with 1 cup of the milk. Heat in double boiler. Beat egg yolks or whole egg slightly with remaining milk and add slowly to the hot mixture. Cook, stirring constantly until the mixture is thickened enough to coat the spoon, about 10 minutes. Remove from heat, add vanilla and cherries. Six servings.

Celery Stuffing

2 cups finely diced celery
1 cup boiling water
¼ cup minced onion
1½ tablespoons butter
¼ cup mild-flavored fat
8 cups lightly packed soft stale bread crumbs
4 teaspoons poultry seasoning or sage
1½ teaspoons salt
½ teaspoon pepper

Simmer celery in the boiling water for 15 to 20 minutes or until tender. Drain, measuring liquid and adding water if necessary to make ½ cup. Cook onion in butter and fat over low heat until tender but not brown. Mix crumbs and seasonings together. Add celery, celery water, fat and onions and mix thoroughly with a fork. Sufficient to stuff a six to seven pound chicken. Part of the dressing may be baked in individual muffin tins if desired.

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Of General Interest

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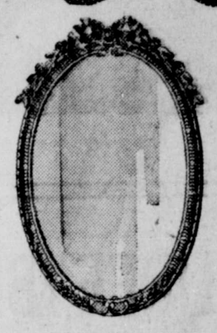

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RUPERT'S THREE BIG STORES

Local Visitors To Vancouver Asked for Blood

Prince Rupert Senior Chamber of Commerce has received a request from the Canadian Red Cross in Vancouver requesting that Prince Rupert visitors to Vancouver call at the blood donor clinic while they are in the southern city and make a contribution. The request was passed on to the Junior Chamber at its meeting last night by Arnold Flaten who attended as representative of the senior body.

Thus, although Prince Rupert may not have a blood donor clinic of its own, local citizens may still have a chance to give an occasional pint of blood which is badly needed by the men overseas.

"In making the request, the Red Cross has emphasized that the fighting in Europe is taxing the supply of blood plasma. It is badly needed to save the lives of our men, and stocks at the Vancouver clinic are getting low," Mr. Flaten said. "I think it would be a fine thing if Prince Rupert people who visit Vancouver would stop in and give a pint of blood."

An attempt by the junior Chamber to have a blood donor clinic established in Prince Rupert proved unsuccessful because proper equipment is not available. The junior Chamber moved to give strong support to the Red Cross appeal.

ISLAND MAN IS MISSING

SKIDEGATE, Dec. 18 — Pte. Joseph Haan, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Haan of Skidegate Mission, has been announced missing in action with the Canadian army overseas. He was serving in Belgium with a B.C. regiment. He is the second casualty from the Queen Charlotte Islands. Arnold Pallant, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pallant, Sandspit, has been lost at sea while serving with the merchant marine.

Other Skidegate and Massett men serving overseas include:

Maj. H. Kelley, son of Rev. and Mrs. Peter Kelly, of the United Church mission boat Thomas Crosby.

Edmund Stevens, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Stevens, Skidegate, who is with the tank corps.

Tom Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Green of Skidegate Mission.

George Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Green, Massett.

Ivan Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Adams, Massett.

Will Mathers, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Mathers, Sandspit.

WINCHMORE HILL, Eng., (?)—Although nearly 90, Mrs. A. Rees of this Middlesex village knits scarves for the merchant seamen.

News & Views of the District

SMITHERS HAS ITS ELECTION

Stanley Gould Elected to Board of Commissioners

SMITHERS, Dec. 18—In what proved to be one of the most listless civic elections ever held in Smithers Stanley W. Gould was elected to fill the vacancy on the board of commissioners for the next three years. The election was held Saturday.

G. H. (Sandy) Gazeley had completed his term of three years and he was the only other contestant in the election.

Gould polled 78 votes and Gazeley had 49 votes. There were six spoiled ballots.

There were 354 names on the voters' list so the poll was a very light one. Little interest had been manifested in the election.

A. Tordiffe was the returning officer and C. L. Dimock was poll clerk.

Mr. Gould will join O. H. Hoskins and Dr. L. M. Greene on the board of commissioners for the coming year.

SMITHERS

Smithers library association plans a drive for funds to extend and modernize the children's section of the public library.

With a drop in temperature, the familiar sound of the pumping engine at the local rink, indications are that skating should begin within the next week or two. Hockey players from midgets to seniors are waiting impatiently to don their blades and get out on the ice.

Tommy Brewer, 22, formerly of Telkwa, has been reported killed in active service with the R.C.A.F. overseas. Killed last March, he was buried in Holland along with other members of his airplane crew, of which he was tail gunner.

PRINCE GEORGE

Pte. Stanley Myhon, eldest son of Mrs. A. Cyr, of Prince George, has been killed in action on the western front, according to word received by relatives. Pte. Myhon, who was well known in Prince George and Quesnel, joined the army about a year ago. His death on October 28 occurred soon after his nineteenth birthday.

Skating opened at the civic arena on Friday. Hockey schedules of the Prince George Hockey Club and the Community Youth Council will be drawn up this week.

An Anonymous donor, who for the last four years has been sending similar gifts, has presented the Prince George Hospital with four Australian Government bonds, each worth $22.50 in United States funds.

SMITHERS GETS ZERO WEATHER

SMITHERS, Dec. 18—For the first time this winter the thermometer dipped below the zero mark on Friday night when it reached 2 below. The weather is clear and bright and is very seasonable and enjoyable for this time of the year. As it is quite usual for the Bulkley Valley to have its coldest weather of the winter between Christmas and New Year and as the nights have been getting progressively colder for the past week it would look like it may continue to do so for the next week or 10 days.

SOO-SUD NOTES

A Catholic nun, Sister Mary Catherine of Sault Ste. Marie, arrived in Toronto recently from China, ending a 10,000 mile trip in a two and a half year flight from the relentless pursuit of the Japanese.

The "wonderful financial position" of Sault Ste. Marie was praised by the Hon. G. H. Dunbar, minister of municipal affairs and provincial secretary, at a dinner in the Sault recently.

At Sudbury, C. V. Gauthier, brakeman of a C.P.R. freight train was killed instantly when he fell as he stepped from a moving train at Chelmsford station.

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