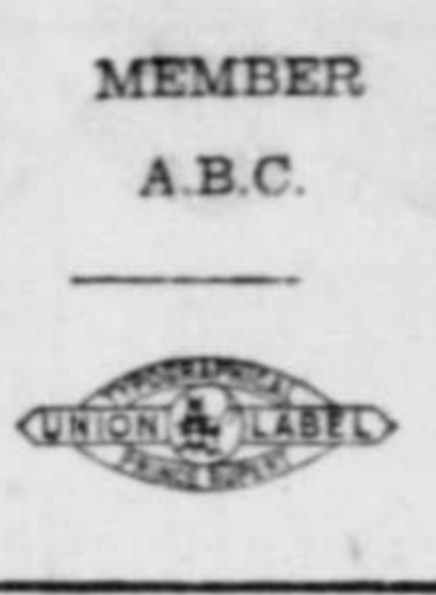


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Christmas Eve . . .

Again we greet you on the eve of Christmas. As we extend the time-honored wishes for full gladness at the Yuletide season, we can do so with words fuller and more spontaneous than we felt it appropriate to do during those long and anxious years of war. But that is over now so we can truly and without hesitation wish for peace and goodwill on this war-torn old earth of ours.

Certainly, although the fighting is over, the peace and the goodwill are not completely with us yet but they are on the way, we confidently trust, and will be speeded the much quicker if during this Christmas we can be one and all catch just a little of the spirit which fundamentally pervades the anniversary we observe in order that we may maintain it in the days to come.

While there may be many contradictory and paradoxical evidences, there is reason to believe that the world and its people are coming around to the acceptance of the

fact that the principles of doing living as inculcated in the Christian doctrines and teachings are essential to bring about the real and lasting peace. We fought for the right to establish these principles. The baneful influence of the enemy have been brought under our subjection. Now we would do well to bring our own actions and our own beliefs under similar subjection. In our victory, won since the last Yuletide, we have assumed a great responsibility—the responsibility of maintaining civilization and all the precious privileges which constitute it. And Peace and Goodwill we call the most precious, the most primary attributes of them all.

So we have good reason to be happy and hopeful at this Christmas of 1945. Let us keep our observance of the great festival appropriate to the original spirit and mindful of the fact that our celebration should be couched in true and thoughtful dedication to the true meaning of the occasion. We might also be sobered by the thought that for many this Christmas will still be far from a merry one. There are the millions who live in desolation, tagedy and privation in many parts of the world. There are those among us for whom Christmas will awaken memories of associations and events of happier days which can never be completely renewed.

In all these considerations the Daily News extends its greetings on this hallowed Eve.

J. C. C. THANKS

Editor, Daily News:
On behalf of the Junior Chamber of Commerce may I encroach once more upon your columns to express my appreciation to the public at large for its splendid support of Radio Auction. Its success signifies in no small way the finest spirit of co-operation and sportsmanship of which we are capable and proves beyond a doubt that Prince Rupert people have what it takes to make any worthwhile civic undertaking a success.
May I express appreciation and thanks to the many artists and pseudo-artists without whose help it would have been impossible to do. Thanks to C.P.R., the Daily News, Evening Empire, R.C. Signals, the City Telephone department and staff and to all business houses that donated or contributed in any way. Many contributors and many bids of appreciation as well as numerous bids for talent went unannounced due to lack of time and to them we sincerely apologize. Likewise many artists who thronged the studio in the closing moments of each program had to be disappointed. We offer them apologies along with our thanks no less sincere.
Special thanks are due 13 Taxi for their valuable service and very special thanks to Andy McNaughton who was tireless at the piano. Also special mention for Yvonne Schaeffer, Doug Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith, Mr. and Mrs. George Rorie, Mrs. Sid Elkins, Mrs. T. Fraser, Mrs. Jack McRae, Mrs. Ray Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Fortune, Stuart Johnston, Bob Parker, George Dawes and Don McEwen, and any others inadvertently overlooked.
As president of J.C.C. I thank the committee members who organized and carried out this project—H. Kraupner, chairman, Dick Birch, Lloyd Morris, Duncan McRae, A. F. MacSween, Jack McLeod, Bruce Stevens and A. Dominato. It was an excellent job and opens the way to a bigger and better one next year. I hope that much added enjoyment may accrue to both givers and receivers as a result—a genuine and tangible expression for a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.
Yours truly,
CLIFF HAM.

P.S.—It will be appreciated if all bids are paid in to Mr. R. B. Birch at Bank of Montreal not later than Wednesday. *****
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Better English
By D. C. WILLIAMS

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "We saw them in New York some weeks since."
2. What is the correct pronunciation of "permit" (noun and verb)?
3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Hilarity, higeen, hieroelyphic.
4. What does the word "despicable" mean?
5. What is a word beginning with sc that means "to examine closely"?

- Answers**
1. Say, "some weeks ago."
 2. Accent noun on first syllable, verb on last syllable.
 3. Hygiene.
 4. Fit or deservling to be despised; contemptible. "He was a man of despicable character."
 5. Scrutinize.

Flying Officer George Currie arrived in the city on the Catala last evening from Vancouver.

NIGHT OUT IN VICTORIA

By RUDYARD KIPLING

Bruce McKelvie, Vancouver newsman, has unearthed an hitherto unpublished poem by Rudyard Kipling written following a "night out" with the late John Virtue, proprietor of the Oak Bay Hotel:

A gilded mirror, and a polished bar,
Myriads of glasses strewn ajar,
A kind faced man all dressed in white,
That's my recollection of last night.

The streets were narrow and far too long,
Sidewalks slippery, policemen strong,
The slamming door, the sea-going hack,
That's my recollection of getting back.

A rickety staircase and hard to climb,
But I rested often, I'd lots of time,
An awkward keyhole and a misplaced chair,
Informed my wife that I was there.

A heated interior and a revolving bed,
A sea-sick man with an awful head,
Cocktails, Scotch and booze galore,
Were all introduced to the cuspidor.

And in the morning came that jug of ice;
Which is necessary to men of vice,
And when it stilled my aching brain,
Did I swear off?—I got drunk again.

Sailor Takes Crack At Beauty Problems

REGINA. (C)—Old salts will hardly believe it, but a former Royal Canadian Navy man—and a drill instructor at that, is going to take a whirl at the beauty supply business. He is Dave Dion, 28, of Regina, who is using his service gratuities to help finance his undertaking here. More than that, another tar, Norman Birkett, also of Regina, and 21 years of age, is going to work with Dion. The two are having a little trouble finding a location for an office, but they are going right ahead. Already, Mile Jeanette Dorion of Montreal has

been here to demonstrate their products at a display. Said a newspaper office wag when this news came out: "The boys were probably members of the permanent and wavy navy."

POPULAR TYPO XMAS FATHER

It was nearly a Christmas baby for Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collins to whom arrived at the Prince Rupert General Hospital at 10:30 last evening a girl, Lynn Patricia. Mr. Collins is a popular member of the Daily News staff and secretary of the Prince Rupert Typographical Union as well as an active Kinsman.

Come to

The COMMODORE

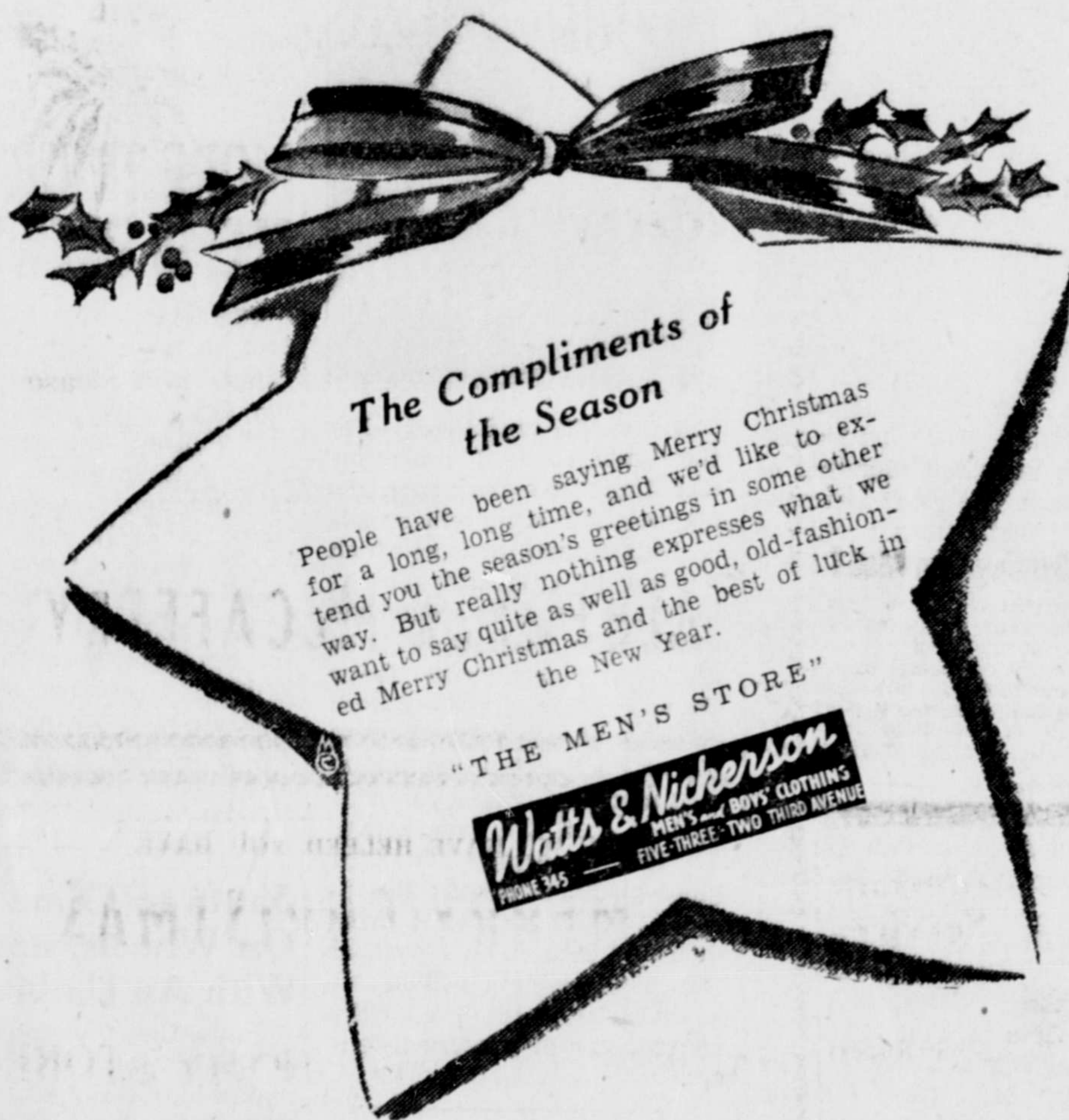
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- FISH
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- Stuffed Choice Young Turkey, Cranberry Sauce
- Roast Young Duck, Apple Sauce
- VEGETABLES
- Creamed Potatoes or Stuffed Potatoes
- Brussels Sprouts or Creamed Cauliflower
- DESSERT
- Christmas Pudding and Happy Sauce
- Christmas Cake
- Ice Cream
- Fresh Fruit

No. 2 — Christmas Dinner — \$1.00

- SOUP
- Consomme a la Royale
- SALAD
- Stuffed Tomatoes
- ENTREES
- Stuffed Young Turkey and Cranberry Sauce
- Roast Young Duck and Apple Sauce
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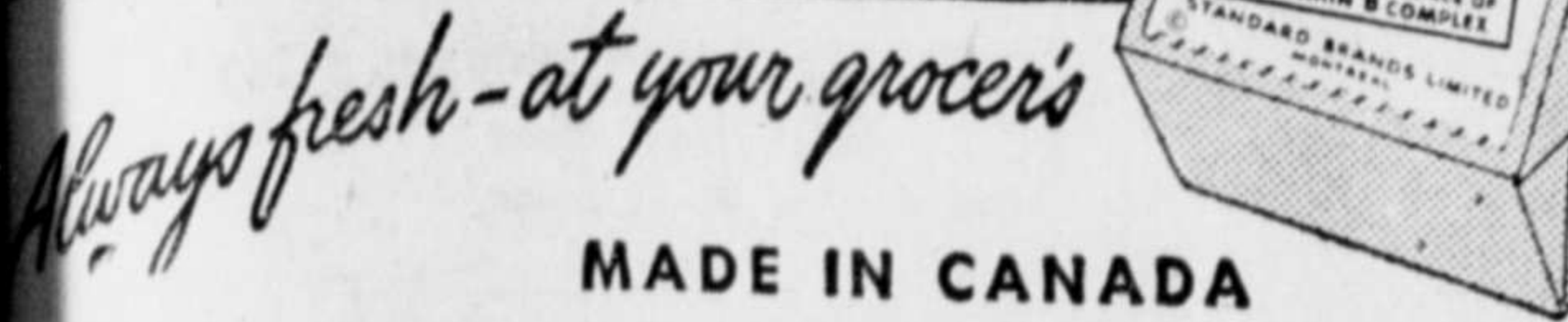
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▲ Oddfellows' and Rebekahs Christmas Tree, December 27, 2 to 5. Members and children come along.

Miss Pearl Wiley of Masset is a visitor in the city, having arrived on the Cassiar yesterday from the Queen Charlotte Islands.

Miss Joan Larsen sailed last night on the Catala for Alice Arm to spend the Christmas and New Year season visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jens Larsen.

Spencer Davies, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Davies of Queen Charlotte City, sailed by the Cassiar last night on his return to the Islands after a brief visit to the city.

George D. Beattie, pioneer druggist and general merchant of Queen Charlotte City, is a visitor in the city, having arrived at the end of the week from the Islands.

Miss Enid McKee arrived in the city on the Catala last evening to spend the Christmas and New Year season visiting with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Platen.

Miss Pat Moore arrived in the city at the week-end to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Priest, Graham Avenue, Westview.

A. J. Ingraham, well known mining engineer, came north from Vancouver to Skidegate on the Cassiar at the end of last week to spend the Christmas season visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Stevens.

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS
To my friends in Prince Rupert, may I take this opportunity to wish you one and all a very Merry Christmas and the best of everything for the New Year.
BILL DAVIS, ex-B.C. Police, 2124 London Street, New Westminster, B.C.

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

L. O. B. A. Dance, Oddfellows' Hall, Dec. 27. Refreshments. De Carlo's Orchestra.

Hogmanay Dance, under auspices of I.O.O.F. Lodge, Oddfellows' Hall, Dec. 31. Dancing 9 p.m. till 1 a.m. John Bremner's Orchestra.

Canadian Legion and Prince Rupert Regiment (M.G.) New Year's Eve Party and Dance 6th Avenue Armouries. Admission by invitation only.

Welcome Home Dance for Naval veterans, January 11, Oddfellows' Hall.

▲ Wallace's Department store will be closed Thursday, December 27 for inventory. (297)

J. E. Ormheim sailed last night on the Catala for a fur buying trip to Stewart.

Mrs. E. Turbitt returned to the city last evening on the Catala from Vancouver.

▲ Rupert Men's and Boys' store will be closed Thursday December 27th for inventory. (297)

Mrs. Ernest Ratchford, who has been on a holiday visit to Vancouver, returned home on the Catala last evening.

Harry Astoria jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Angel Astoria, was an arrival in the city on the Catala last evening from Vancouver.

Miss Irene Paulsen sailed last night on the Catala for her home at Stewart to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season.

▲ Black and White Taxi (Phone 13, twenty-four hours service) wishes all patrons and friends the heartiest compliments of the season.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. MacIntyre of Skidegate were in the city at the end of the week bound from the Queen Charlotte Islands for a visit to Vancouver.

Miss Jean McAfee, who is attending York House at Vancouver, arrived home on the Catala last evening to spend Christmas and New Year with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McAfee, Vanarsdol St., Westview.

Gwyn Holtby arrived in the city at the end of the week from his studies at the University of British Columbia in Vancouver to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Holtby, Dunsmuir Street.

Able Seaman Gordon Calderwood, home on discharge leave after having served with the Navy on the Atlantic coast, arrived in the city on the Catala last evening. He had been in Vancouver for the past couple of weeks.

Jack Macey, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Macey, arrived in the city on the Catala last evening from Vancouver to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season with his parents. He is attending the University of British Columbia.

Miss Mary Margaret Bulger arrived in the city on the Catala last evening from Vancouver, where she is attending private school, to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bulger.

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Frank Montesano arrived in the city on the Catala last evening from Vancouver.

H. V. Morehouse, district manager for B. C. Packers at Namu, came north from Vancouver to Namu on the Catala at the end of the week.

Mrs. Skinner arrived in the city on the Catala last evening from Vancouver to pay a visit here with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Skinner.

Jack Breen arrived in the city on the Catala last evening from Vancouver to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season.

Marcel Blain arrived in the city on the Catala last evening to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Blain.

Miss Marie Lock arrived in the city on the Catala last evening from Vancouver to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season with her parents, Fire Chief and Mrs. H. T. Lock.

Miss Geraldine Cade arrived in the city on the Catala last evening from Vancouver to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Cade.

Chief Petty Officer and Mrs. K. L. Kinch arrived in the city on the Catala last evening from Vancouver. Years ago C.P.O. Kinch was instructor of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Williams arrived in the city on the Cassiar yesterday from Port Clements, Queen Charlotte Islands, to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season here.

Mrs. C. C. Smith, mother of Mrs. G. P. Tinker, and Percy Tinker jr., arrived in the city last evening on the Catala from Naramata to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season here.

Hugh MacKenzie arrived in the city on the Catala last evening from his studies at the University of British Columbia to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex MacKenzie.

D. W. Burnip arrived in the city on the Catala last evening from Vancouver. The son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burnip of this city, it was not long ago that he was discharged from the Royal Canadian Air Force with which he served overseas.

Miss Janet Rochester, who is attending the University of British Columbia in Vancouver, and Harry Rochester, who is studying at a boys' school on Vancouver Island, arrived in the city on the Catala last evening from the south to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season here with their mother, Mrs. H. B. Rochester.

George McAfee, recently discharged from the Army and now attending the University of British Columbia, arrived in the city on the Catala last evening from Vancouver to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McAfee. He was accompanied by Alistair Crerar, formerly of this city, who was recently discharged from the Navy.

CHRISTMAS FOR CAPITOL STAFF
Delightful Party Held Saturday night — Announcements and Presentations
Manager Harry Black of the Capitol Theatre entertained his staff of 22 at a delightful "family" Christmas Famous Players twenty-fifth anniversary party in the Commodore Cafe following Saturday night's show. In addition to the members of the staff, guests at the affair included Mayor H. M. Daggett and Mrs. Daggett.

The tables were tastefully decorated with huge red and green crepe novelties and favors with matching tapers. Even the punch was in matching colors.

After full justice had been done to a fine turkey dinner with all the trimmings, Mr. Black spoke briefly, announcing some interesting changes in company policy such as the institution of a free hospitalization and medical scheme for all employees. He also told of plans to install television equipment in theatres within the next year and a half. Extensive improvements for the local theatre such as new seating and installation of a confectionery and soft drink bar were contemplated. Mr. Black made the presentation to the mayor of a year's pass to the theatre and surprised the members of the staff with substantial Christmas bonus checks.

Mayor Daggett, in replying briefly, expressed appreciation of the privilege of being present and acknowledged the good service that the theatre was rendering to the community. Later in the evening, His Worship gave a recitation.

Louis Amadio, senior member of the theatre staff, extemporaneously expressed appreciation not only for the fine dinner but for the gifts which had been made.

Dancing rounded out a completely happy evening.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Black and daughter, Wanda, Mayor and Mrs. H. M.

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TAKE NOTICE that by Order of His Honour Judge Fisher dated the 17th day of December, 1945, I was appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Richard H. Halvarson, deceased, late of Portland, Oregon, who died at Portland, Oregon, on the 17th day of October, 1944. All persons having any claim against the estate are required to submit them to me properly verified on or before the 31st day of January, 1946, and all persons indebted to the estate are required to pay to me the amount of their indebtedness forthwith.
NORMAN A. WATT,
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BIRTH NOTICE
COLLINS—Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Collins, a baby daughter (Lynn Patricia) 8 lbs., in the Prince Rupert General Hospital, on Sunday, Dec. 23. All three doing well.

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CHILDREN ENJOY LEGION PARTY

More than 130 youngsters were treated to a lively and enjoyable afternoon on Saturday at the Canadian Legion Christmas tree party in the Legion rooms. Santa Claus, whom adult unbelievers reported to be Reg. Kings in disguise, dispensed bags of candy, apples, oranges and a good deal of laughter. Convener of the party was Mrs. C. E. Morrow.

A highlight of the program was a play uniting patriotic and Christmas themes as the Christmas Star, played by Elvina Oden, conducted Donna, played by Margaret Wide and Ralph Bobby Harvey, across Canada to see how the different provinces were celebrating Christmas.

Children representing the different provinces were: British Columbia, Evelyn Oden; Nova Scotia, Glenis Owens; New Brunswick, David Owens; Quebec, Margaret Youngman; Ontario, Howard Johanson; Saskatchewan, Betty Lou Harvey; Alberta, Molly Petersen; Prince Edward Island, Betty Smith; Manitoba, Arthur Parent.

The play was directed by Mrs.

Dan Parent.

Other entertainment features were a piano solo by Betty Wide and a song, "Don't Fence Me In" by Tommy Graham. The children joined in singing Christmas carols during the afternoon, and Mrs. J. S. Black and Mrs. G. V. Hanley, Legion W.A. President were accompanists.

Refreshments consisting of hot dogs, pop, ice cream, apples and candy were served to the children. Ladies of the committee in charge were Mrs. C. E. Morrow, convener, Mrs. Dan Parent, Mrs. R. Robertson, Mrs. G. A. Hebb, Mrs. W. Murdoch, Mrs. Dirk and Mrs. Yellow.

DISCOVER NEW DRUG
LONDON (C)—Scientists of Imperial Chemical Industries have developed a new and revolutionary anti-malaria drug from coal tar. It is known as "Paludrine" and is far more powerful and effective than any other anti-malaria drug. It is ten times more powerful than quinine and three times more powerful than meparcine.

LONDON (C)—London County Council will hold as trustee, at his request, a marble bust of George Bernard Shaw sculptured by Sigmund Strobl.

National Hockey— Montreal and Toronto Win

Each Picked Up Points Across Line Last Night

NEW YORK — Three games were played in the National Hockey League last night. Toronto and Montreal crossed the line, each to pick up a victory in their tussle in New York and Boston, respectively.

In the New York encounter, Toronto's big Babe Pratt put in the winning goal late in the third period to give the Leafs a 4-3 win over their New York opponents. With the victory, the Leafs pulled to within striking distance of the fourth place Detroit Red Wings. Only two points now separate the Leafs from the Wings. From the Rangers angle, the Sunday result put the New York club deep in the N.H.L. cellar, seven points behind the Leafs.

Sweeney Schriner tallied for the Leafs half way through the opening stanza on a pass from Billy Taylor. Ab de Marco tied the count less than two minutes later, but Taylor put Toronto ahead once again inside three minutes. Again New York tied the count, this time Ott Heller doing the honors for the Rangers. Gaye Stewart made it 3-2 for the Leafs in the middle frame. But the score was tied in the third period on a marker by Edgar Laprade. Both teams were playing rather sloppy hockey and it looked like the game would end in a tie. But Babe Pratt's goal before the curtain gave the game to the visitors.

Canadiens Walk All Over Boston

In Boston, meantime, the league leading Montreal Canadiens walked over the Boston Bruins for a 4-1 victory. The Canadiens were in very good form, giving Goalie Bill Durnan

such good support that the gentleman did not have a shot to handle until after 19 minutes of play. Durnan's hopes for a shutout were scuttled by Bill Shill half way through the final period. Veteran Elmer Leach scored Montreal's first goal in the opener. The Canadiens increased their tempo in the second period, scoring three goals. Murph Chamberlain, Maurice Richard and Buddy O'Connor did the scoring.

Detroit and Chicago Tie

A three goal spurt by Detroit in the last period of the Detroit-Chicago game accounted for a 4-4 tie and knocked the Hawks out of a tie with Montreal for first place in the league race.

The Red Wings were trailing badly through the first two periods and they were at the wrong end of a 4-1 score at the end of four minutes of play in the final frame. Suddenly, however, they came to life and in little more than eight minutes rapped in three goals to deadlock the game.

Red Hamill with an assist from Don Grosso put Chicago in the lead after 35 seconds of play in the game. Then Doug Bentley, with Max Bentley and Bill Moskanko giving help, scored another goal at the 16-27 mark. Murray Armstrong scored Detroit's first goal in the second period, but the picture darkened for the visitors when five and one-half minutes later Doug Bentley slammed home another goal. Doug Bentley put his name down for another marker after four minutes of play in the final period. It was following this that the Red Wings put on a demonstration of power. In quick succession Fern Gauthier scored with an assist from Syd Howe. Bill Quackenbush slammed one home unassisted, and Ted Lindsay tallied a long shot with Howe and Gauthier getting assists.

Saturday Night, Toronto Plays Draw

The two tail-ender clubs in the National Hockey League Saturday night battled to a draw in Toronto. The Toronto Maple Leafs had to come from behind to tie up their contest with the New York Rangers. The final score was 5-5. Gaye Stewart was highpoint man for the Leafs with two goals while Neil Colville registered to assist for the Rangers.

The Detroit Red Wings went down to defeat Saturday night 6-4 at the hands of Chicago's rampant Black Hawks. On the strength of the victory, the Windy City club moves up into a first-place tie in the league standings with the Montreal Canadiens who were idle. Highpointers for Chicago were Doug Bentley with one goal and two assists, Max Bentley scored two goals, and Clint Smith was responsible for one goal and one assist. On Detroit's scoring ledger, the high men were Eddie Bruneteau with two goals, Flash Bollett with one goal and two assists, Joe Carveth with two assists.

LONDON (C)—Percy H. Fearnley, Yorkshire crime reporter, has been appointed first public information officer at Scotland Yard.

Whifflets From The Waterfront

Two Union Steamship Co. coastal vessels were in port Sunday. The Cassiar, Capt. Lorne Godfrey, arrived at 10:30 a.m. from Massett Inlet points and sailed at midnight for Vancouver via the south end of the Queen Charlotte Islands. The Catala, with Capt. Halcrow, relieving Capt. Ernest Sheppard, who is on vacation, arrived at 6:30 last evening from Vancouver and way points, sailing at 11 p.m. for Stewart and other northern points whence she will return here early tomorrow morning southbound.

The first week in the New Year is expected to see the herring sealing fleet arriving in full strength in waters contiguous to Prince Rupert. Already there are signs of the fish in waters around the mouth of the Naas River and Portland Inlet. There are large orders for canned herring for shipment abroad and the industry will concentrate on these, the big plant of Nelson Bros. Fisheries Ltd. at Port Edward planning heavy production.

Capt. Albert Mah arrived in the city on the Catala last evening from Los Angeles for a Christmas visit to his home here.

Classified Ads bring results.

WORLD GIVES CHRIST ROOM

Presbyterian Pastor Sees Encouraging Signs Today in Acceptance of Higher Principles

"The world is making room for Christ today. Let us do likewise in our hearts," exhorted Rev. A. F. MacSween in his Christmas Sunday morning service at First Presbyterian Church yesterday. The pastor found encouragement and hope in the apparent trend of the day to take Christian principles into account in the affairs of state and the arranging of the affairs of man. Too long, in the pursuit of Mammon, had the tendency been one of "No Room" but this appeared to be changing now. The Christmas morning music at First Presbyterian Church featured the Junior choir which sang "The King is Born, Hallelujah." Little Georgina Mitchell and Shirley Hougan sang a duet, "We May Find Him Still." The church was beautifully decorated and the congregation was large, adults and children joining in a "family service."

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Quietly Married At United Manse

The marriage took place quietly Saturday evening at the United Church Manse, Rev. R. A. Wilson officiating, of Miss Doreign Hall and Jack J. Bergen, both of Prince Rupert. The

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The Bahamas consist of about 20 inhabited islands and more than 3,000 islets, keys or rocks. A bridal couple were attended by the brother-in-law and sister of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Tyndall. Mr. and Mrs. Bergen will reside in Prince Rupert.

Christmas Dinner December 25

- Shrimp Cocktail
- Consomme Soup
- Combination Salad
- Celery and Olives
- Cream of Tomato
- Starter: Boiled Salmon Egg Sauce
- Roast Young Turkey with Cranberry Sauce
- Roast Goose and Apple Sauce
- Mashed Potatoes
- Brussels Sprouts
- DESSERT
- English Plum Pudding — Hot Sauce
- Fruit Cake
- Ice Cream
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5:00—Local Varieties
5:30—Remember
5:45—Platter Parade
6:00—Supper Serenade
6:15—Dick Todd
6:30—March Time
6:45—The Big Ditch
7:00—Recorded Interlude
7:00—CBC News
7:15—Canadian Roundup
7:30—"Civvy Street, B.C."
7:45—Recital Time
8:00—Varden Singers
8:30—Christmas Carols
8:45—F.R. Reserve Regiment Band
9:00—Christmas Program
10:00—CBC News
10:15—Neighboring News
10:30—The People Next Door
10:45—Don Swan's Orchestra
11:30—Biltmore Hotel Orch.
11:30—Christmas Eve Readings by Ira Dilworth
12:00—Silent

- TUESDAY—A.M.
5:30—Carillon
5:45—CBC News
6:00—The Empire Show
7:00—H.M. The King
7:15—Organ Music
7:30—Christmas Eve and Morning
8:00—Mohawk Chapel Christmas Service
8:30—Christmas Card
9:00—BBC News
9:15—British Children's Party
9:30—Design for Listening
10:00—CBC News and Greetings
10:15—Just Mary
10:30—Christmas Carols
11:00—Christmas Stocking
11:30—Dances of the Nation
12:00—Canadian Christmas 1945

- P.M.
1:00—The Messiah
2:00—Beaver Club
2:15—Messier Islanders
2:30—Tale of the Lonesome Pine
3:00—John Fisher
3:15—OJCVL and Mathew Halton
3:30—Old Time Quartette
3:45—BBC News
4:00—The First Christmas
4:30—Christmas Music of French Canada
5:00—Christmas Party
6:00—Christmas Music Box
7:00—CBC News
7:15—Broadcast of H.M. The King
7:30—Reminiscing
8:00—Christmas Night Music
8:30—Music from the Pacific
9:00—Broadcast Empire Show
10:00—CBC News
10:15—Swing Low
10:30—Family Party
11:00—Beggars Opera
11:55—CBC News
12:00—Silent

- WEDNESDAY
7:30—Musical Clock
8:00—CBC News
8:15—Breakfast Club
8:30—Music for Moderns

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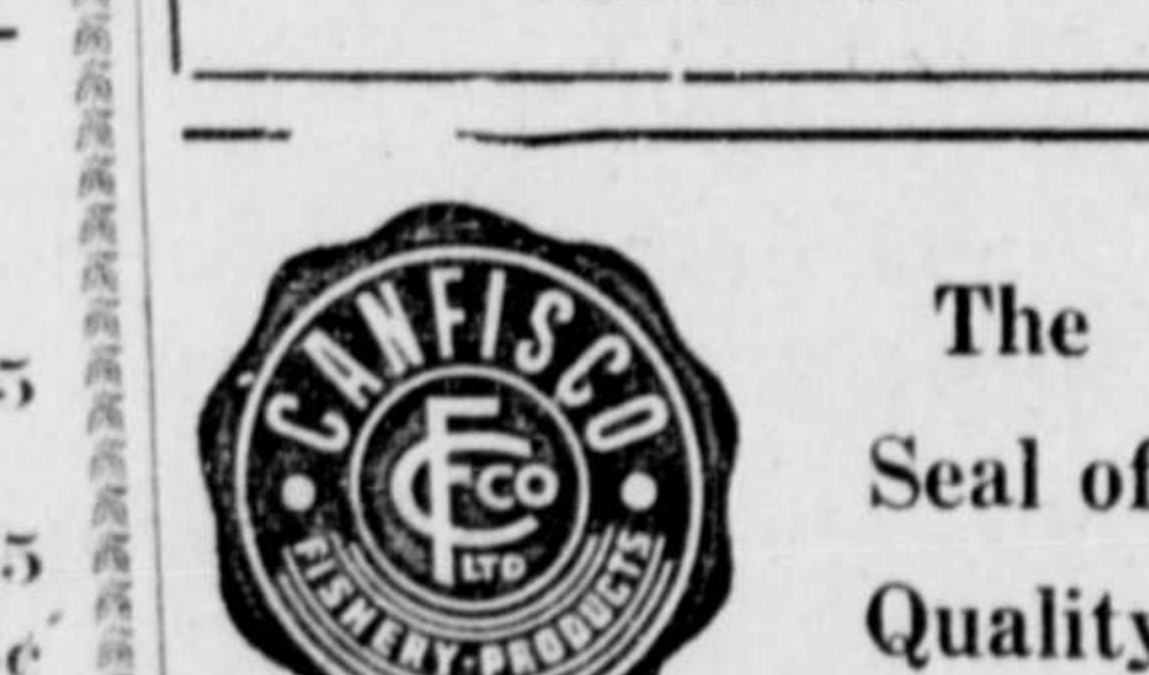


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5:45—Transcribed Varieties
6:00—Songs of Today
6:30—Roundup Time
6:45—To be announced
7:00—Scandinavian Melodies
7:15—Thoughts for Today
7:30—Weather Forecast
7:45—Message Period
7:55—Recorded Interlude
8:00—Persona. Album

- P.M.
12:00—Downbeat
12:15—The Novochord
12:30—CBC News
12:45—CBR Presents
1:00—Modern Minstrels
1:15—Musical Memories
1:30—Announcer's Choice
2:00—Silent

- WEDNESDAY—P.M.
4:00—Victor Symphony Orch.
4:30—Music by Sigmund Romberg
5:00—Vocal Varieties
5:30—Remember
5:45—Platter Parade
6:00—Supper Serenade
6:15—Kenny Baker
6:30—Music a la Carter
6:45—Behind My Apple Pie
6:50—Recorded Interlude
6:55—Ideal Hints
7:00—CBC News
7:15—CBC News Round-up
7:30—White Empire
8:00—Let's Play Charades
8:30—Norman Harris' Orch.
9:00—Remember
9:30—CBC News
10:15—Favourite Stories
10:30—Tony Pastor's Orch.
11:00—Silent

- THURSDAY—A.M.
7:00—Musical Clock
8:00—CBC News
8:15—Breakfast Club
8:30—Music for Moderns
9:00—Morning Song
9:15—BBC News
9:30—Morning Devotions
9:45—Paul Whitman
9:55—Transcribed Varieties
10:00—Guy Lombardo
10:15—Roundup Time
10:30—Scandinavian Melodies
10:45—Thoughts for Today
11:00—Weather Forecast
11:15—Message Period
11:30—Recorded Interlude
11:45—Personal Album

- P.M.
12:00—Charles Magnante
12:15—Jack Hilton's Orch.
12:30—CBC News
12:45—Matinee Memories
1:00—Modern Minstrels

CHRISTMAS HERE WILL BE TRULY A "HOME DAY"

Christmas this year will be truly a "home day" in Prince Rupert.

This first peacetime Christmas after six years of war will see scores of Prince Rupert's sons and daughters at their homes for the first time in long periods. For some it will be as long as five years. For others, shorter periods. But for all, this year the Christmas spirit will be fortified by the feeling of accomplishment. In finishing the fight for victory they have done a good job well. During the last several weeks young men in uniform, or recently discharged from the services, have been arriving in the city on boats and trains. Their welcome will find its real fulfillment in Christmas at home.

However, other agencies too, have been laying plans for entertaining service personnel, both discharged and on active service. Among them are the Y.M.C.A. War Services, the Canadian Legion, Knights of Columbus War Services.

At the Y.M.C.A. this evening (Christmas Eve) the Khatada Girls' Club is sponsoring a tea dance from 6 o'clock to 9 o'clock for servicemen, ex-servicemen and their wives and lady friends. Music will be by Andy McNaughton at the piano. There will be refreshments. On Christmas Day there will be two movies at the "Y", one at 2:30 and the second at 7:30. Between 4 o'clock and 7 o'clock Christmas "goodies" will be served free to servicemen in uniform at the canteen. Boxing Day at the "Y" will be featured by a dance in the evening.

BUY WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

Atomic Energy Brings New Era

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ed with the United States fleet in the Pacific, culminating with the shelling by warships and bombing by carrier-borne planes of targets in the Tokyo area in July.

Russia declared war on Japan August 8, two days after the first atomic bomb was dropped on Hiroshima, and six days later Japan surrendered unconditionally.

But the war left turmoil in its wake in many lands. British forces entered Java in September to disarm the Japanese garrison and liberate Allied prisoners and internees. Armed Indonesian nationalists declared their independence of the Dutch and forcibly resisted British troops on the grounds they were restoring Dutch authority.

Fighting continued while British commanders sought to bring the Dutch and Indonesians together to settle their differences. A similar situation developed in Indo-China where Chinese and British forces sought to restore order.

Greece was torn by civil war in January and British forces there sided with rightest government in quelling the insurrection by the left-wing national liberation front.

Chinese central government forces and Chinese Communists clashed as the Japanese threat was removed and the country was in the grip of undeclared civil war, as the year ended.

India and Palestine Still Irksome In India the Nationalists demanded immediate independence and Britain's Labor government promised independence once the Indians themselves could agree on a constitution.

There were riots in Palestine over the Jewish problem and Britain and the United States set up a joint committee charged

with seeking a solution for the problem of Europe's Jews and of the future of Palestine.

The Big Three conferred twice during the year—at Yalta in February and at Potsdam in July.

At Yalta Prime Minister Churchill, President Roosevelt and Premier Stalin agreed on a four-power occupation of Germany when she was defeated and resolved to disarm all German forces, break up her general staff and eliminate or control German industry that could be used for war purposes.

Death of Roosevelt Shocked World President Roosevelt died April 12 and Vice-President Harry Truman, who succeeded the man who had just begun his fourth term in office, went to Potsdam for the United States. A general election in Britain in which the Churchill government was overthrown caused the replacement of Mr. Churchill by Clement Attlee, the new prime minister, midway through the Potsdam talks.

At Potsdam agreement was reached on the division of German assets for reparations. Poland was given the part of Germany east of the Oder and Neisse rivers. East Prussia was divided between Russia and Poland, with Russia getting Königsberg.

But the end of the war saw a deterioration in the international harmony that held the great powers together. A meeting of the foreign ministers of Britain, the United States, Russia, France and China, called in September to consider post-war problems, broke up in failure to reach agreement on any major issue.

Retribution overtook two Axis leaders in the dying days of the war. Mussolini was executed by

Italian patriots near Milan on April 29, along with his mistress, Clara Petacci. Though positive proof was lacking, there was every indication that Hitler and his mistress, Eva Braun, committed suicide in the ruins of the Berlin chancellery just before the city fell to the Russians. Meanwhile the Allies set an international tribunal at Nuernberg, Germany, to try notorious collaborators in Germany, Pierre Laval of France and Vidkun Quisling of Norway were executed after trials.

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