

# Heavy Snows In Interior Isolate Vancouver

## Crackers Busy Here ing Holiday Week-end

Every Store Safe Blown and Between \$300 and \$400 Taken—Another “Soup” Job Fails

A third safe “job” came to the attention of the police at 9 o'clock this morning when Gordon anderson reported that their store had been entered some time since 7 o'clock Saturday evening and safe ransacked but nothing of value taken. Contents of the safe had been strewn about but there had been no money left therein and it was evident that was being sought. The safe had been unlocked. The cash register was also opened and a few pennies which it contained had been scorned. Entry and exit, evidently, had been made through a fire escape door on the second floor.

While Prince Rupert settled down at the week-end for the long Christmas holiday, professional crackers went into action and applied their talents to soap and nitroglycerine to two Prince Rupert places of business. From one—Rance and Hargreaves grocery store on Third Avenue—they made away with cash estimated between \$300 and \$400.

## East Getting Warm Weather

NEW YORK—New York City had an all time warm December 27 with the temperature registering 62 above but what was greatly welcomed was a drenching rain which went a long way to relieving the water shortage from which the metropolis has been suffering.

In Eastern Canada weather also continued warm over the Christmas season with three days of heavy rain which power company officials said would make contemplated electric power cuts unnecessary.

contained only a small amount of cash.

**House Entries**

There were at least two house entries on Christmas Day and in one the entrants were caught red-handed. Returning to his home at 725 Fraser Street at 5 o'clock Monday morning after Christmas visiting, Reg Crozier found two natives engaged in drinking. Police Constable Horne and Hornell, called to the house, took Oscar White and Jimmy McIntosh into custody. They are being charged with house-breaking.

Christmas night the residence of Benny Windle, 332 Seventh Avenue East, was entered while the family was out visiting and Christmas presents, including cash, taken. Entry is believed to have been made by simply unlocking a door with a key which had been taken from the place where it was concealed and then returned thereto. The affair was discovered about midnight when Annette Windle, returning home from a family gathering, discovered the place had been ransacked.

**HOCKEY SCORES**

National	SUNDAY
1. Detroit 4	
2. New York 3	
3. Boston 4, (tie)	
SATURDAY	
1. Toronto 4	
2. Pacific Coast	
3. San Francisco 1	
4. Seattle 2, San Diego 2	
5. Seattle 5, Victoria 0	

**Holiday --- Civic Centre --- Calendar**

Wed. Dec. 28th—Eugene Oregon Band

Thurs. Dec. 29th—Ketchikan Basketball Series

Fri. Dec. 30th—Ketchikan Basketball Series

Sat. Jan. 6th—Metlakatla, Alaska Choir

Sun. Jan. 7th—Basketball League Re-opening

## Yule Brings Coldest Snap

Very little change in the present biting weather is anticipated. The weatherman on Digby Island, in a 24-hour forecast, predicts temperatures to remain around 16 above today and drop to 11 above or lower again tonight.

This morning between 4 and 10 a.m. the mercury slid to 11 above, the lowest mark here so far this season.

Clear and very cold is the outlook for Thursday with temperatures expected to rise to only 20 above during the day. The mercury may drop lower than 11 above tonight and early tomorrow morning. Winds will be northeasterly at 15 miles per hour.

Christmas eve began with a heavy snowfall, which later turned to rain, and from 7 a.m. Saturday to 4 a.m. Sunday 1.12 inches of precipitation was recorded. Christmas Day was wet and miserable. A combination of rain, snow and sleet fell during the day making roads both slippery and slushy. In the evening colder air moved in and has remained so up to the present time.

The heavy wet snow in the lower Skeena Valley followed by the sudden cold weather caused a complete breakdown in telegraph service for the most of Christmas Day and radio network service as well as long distance telephone were out of commission. Many Christmas messages and conversations had to be cancelled.

Railway service is being maintained although the Skeena River Highway is now blocked with snow for the winter.

## TODAY'S STOCKS

(Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co. Ltd.)

Vancouver	
Bralorne	9.40
B. R. Con	.03
B. R. X	.05 1/2
Cariboo Quart	1.30
Congress	.04
Hedley Mascot	.30
Pacific Eastern	.07
Pend Oreille	5.90
Pioneer	3.15
Premier Border	.03 3/4
Privateer	.14
Reeves McDonald	2.29
Reno	.03
Sheep Creek	1.15
Silbak Premier	.38
Taku River	.12
Salmon Gold	.07
Spud Valley	.05
Oils	
Anglo Canadian	4.65
A. P. Con	.23
Atlantic	1.25
C. & E.	8.10
Central Leduc	1.45
Home Oil	13.75
Mercury	.11
Pacific Pete	4.50
Princess	.33
Royalite	9.85



**STARTS 2ND YEAR, PLUMP AND HAPPY**—Plump and healthy Prince Charles Philip Arthur George of Edinburgh poses in London with his mother, Princess Elizabeth, on the anniversary of his first birthday. In keeping with King George's desire, the celebration was kept as private as possible.

## Pulletins

**C.N.R. CUTTING SERVICES**

MONTREAL—Canadian National Railways today announced a 25 percent system-wide reduction in steam-operated passenger trains effective January 9 because of “serious depletion of coal reserves of the company.” The announcement said the curtailment results from “work stoppages and shortened working hours in United States mines upon which the company relies for huge quantities of fuel.”

**HONG KONG EMERGENCY**

HONG KONG—Truckloads of armed commando troops moved into Hong Kong police headquarters “on routine security exercise” as a general strike loomed in the Communist-inspired transport dispute.

**OLYMPIC RUNNER KILLED**

NEW YORK—Dr. John E. (Jack) Lovelock, 39 New Zealand-born Olympic runner, was killed today by a subway train in Brooklyn. Police said Lovelock, apparently, suffered an attack of dizziness and fell from a station platform in front of a train. He ran his record mile at Princeton, New Jersey, in July 1933.

TORONTO—Police clashed with about 40 men who picketed the National Selective Service building today. Several pickets were arrested. The group had appeared earlier at a Board of Control meeting and demanded continuous cash relief for unemployment. Controller David Balfour charges that the group was inspired by Communists.

## Maresa Windle Seriously Hurt

Popular Local Girl Victim of Worst Christmas Traffic Accident

Most serious of the Christmas traffic accidents on Prince Rupert's slippery streets sent popular Maresa Windle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benny Windle, to Prince Rupert General Hospital suffering from a fractured pelvis and shock, her condition being since further complicated by the setting in of pneumonia. However, morning report from the hospital today was that she was doing well, although she will have to remain in a cast for several weeks.

Early Monday morning, Miss Windle was struck by a taxicab driven by Louis Janze as she stood in front of her home at 332 Seventh Avenue East. Her mother was also struck but suffered no serious injuries.

The accident was indirectly the result of a breaking and entering incident. Young Annette Windle had left a family Christmas night gathering to bring her young brother home and discovered the home had been entered and Christmas presents and some money taken. She telephoned her parents who came home with Maresa. At 1:30 a.m. the mother and father and Maresa were leaving to return to the party which they had left and mother and daughter were waiting in the street for the father to start their car.

Janze was driving east along Seventh Avenue and swerved his car to avoid being struck by another car approaching westbound with blinding headlights. Both Mrs. Windle and her daughter were struck and thrown into the ditch. Janze immediately stopped and assisted in removing the injured girl to the hospital. At least one witness told the police that Janze could not be held to blame.

Numerous cars went off the icy streets in various parts of the city on Boxing Day, a result of the freeze-up which followed the soft Christmas morning and early afternoon. Some damage was also done in collisions but there were no other serious injuries.

## Real Pioneer Of Westminster Dies

NEW WESTMINSTER — Mrs. Alexander Mathewson, one of the real old timers of New Westminster, died yesterday. Eighty-one years of age, she had lived in the Royal City for sixty-six years.

## LOCAL TIDES

Thursday, December 29, 1949

High	8:53	18.4 feet
	21:51	15.2 feet
Low	2:23	9.6 feet
	15:47	8.1 feet

## Winter Comes With a Vengeance to South B.C.

VANCOUVER—All roads and railways leading into Vancouver were blocked today by heavy snow which fell since Monday, attaining maximum precipitation yesterday. Telegraphic and telephone communications were also seriously hampered.

The railways, with all snow plowing equipment pressed into continuous and frantic effort, were hoping to get trains moving several hours late today.

The snow, averaging from 1 1/2 to 2 feet throughout the southern interior, had attained a maximum depth of three feet at such points as Princeton and Kelowna.

Low temperature readings in the northern interior were reported with 30 below at Prince George and 42 below at Dawson Creek and Telegraph Creek. Here in Vancouver it was raining this morning, the rain later turning to snow.

The record snowfall sealed mountain passes in the interior to isolate the coast from Eastern Canada.

## Motor Vehicle “Missing”

Heavy packed snow blocked the \$12,000,000 Hope-Princeton Highway where slides tumbled down mountainsides. Scores of motorists are reported marooned between Hope and Princeton. Along the 183-mile road link to the interior, seven buses and 150 cars are reported on the missing list but many, it was thought, would be able to take shelter in road camps during the night. Others were stranded in their cars as giant rotary plows battled to clear roadways.

Princeton, with thirty inches of snow having fallen in 24 hours, was packed with travelers. Hotels, rooming houses and

Three nurses of the Miller Bay Hospital staff, Miss A. E. Gien, Miss A. Schultz and Miss C. Fockner, leave for Ketchikan tonight aboard the Prince George on a holiday trip.

## Combine In Glass Trade

OTTAWA — That a combine operated for twenty years to fix prices and restrain competition in Canada's multi-million dollar flat glass trade was charged in a report from F. A. McGregor, combines commissioner, which was made public yesterday by Hon. Stewart Garson, minister of justice.

The alleged combine of Ontario and Quebec companies, two of whose members are described as having “substantially controlled” the trade in all of Canada, was linked in the report with an international glass cartel stretching into Canada before the war but broken up since then.

Specifically named in the report as implicated in a combine “detrimental to the public interest” were nine Ontario and Quebec jobbing companies engaged in wholesaling, installation of plate windows and other types of glass.

The secretary of their trade association, W. O. Matthews of Toronto was also named personally.

Making public the 40,000-word report fifteen days after receiving it from the combines commissioner, Justice Minister Garson said, as soon as he had studied it and received the opinion of legal counsel, he would announce whether prosecutions would be launched against alleged combine members under the Combines Investigation Act.

Glass company officials expressed astounded amazement that the report should have been made public before they had the opportunity to know details of its contents.

## THE WEATHER

**Synopsis**

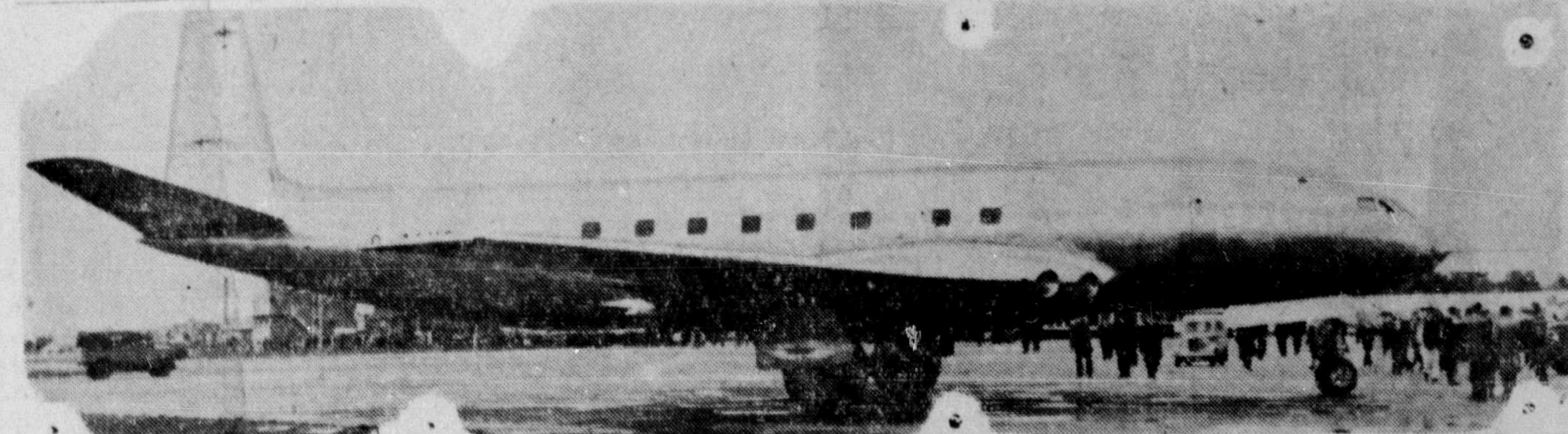
British Columbia is experiencing a wide variety of weather today. Temperatures in the northern portion of the province are 40 below zero while those along the southern coast are 40 above. A further one to two inches of rain have fallen in the past twenty four hours over southern Vancouver Island and Lower mainland districts while in the southern interior the heaviest snowfall of the season has left one to two feet of snow.

Over the southern portion of the province the precipitation is expected to stop tonight with cloudy colder weather tomorrow. Clear cold weather will continue throughout the northern districts.

**Forecast**

Prince Rupert Region—Clear and cold today and tomorrow. Wind, north, 15 miles per hour. Lows tonight and high tomorrow at Prince Rupert 15 and 25.

Remainder of Region—Cloudy with snow flurries today and tomorrow. Continuing cold. Wind northerly, 15 miles per hour. Lows tonight and highs tomorrow at Port Hardy, 25 and 32; Sandspit, 20 and 25.



CANADIAN JET AIRLINER PERFORMANCE PROVED BY 450 M.P.H. OF BRITAIN'S COMET—Britain's de Havilland Comet, similar to Canada's jet bomber, is shown at London airport after it made a flight to Tripoli, North Africa, and return in six and a half hours to shatter all airliner records. The jet airliner, flown by Group Capt. John Cunningham, averaged 450 miles an hour for the flight. On landing at the London airport, the plane had enough fuel to fly another 1,500 miles. It carried no passengers on the two-way hop.



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## Canada as a Nation

CANADA, both enlarged and growing, committed herself to her first formal international alliance and talked a little louder, a little firmer as a world power in 1949.

In historical perspective, the year ranked large. Newfoundland, defence bastion, major air base, source of iron ore, famous fishing field, became the 10th province. That absorption and the influx of immigrants drove the national population towards 14,000,000, some 80 percent larger than at the start of the First World War.

The North Atlantic Pact lined the world up in two hostile files, east against west, and Canada was an unabashed and energetic factor in the process.

In world councils, she spoke harshly against an acceleration of Russian aggression in eastern Europe, was accepted as an equal and far-from-mute partner in crucial currency talks with the United States and United Kingdom, proclaimed her refusal to be a mere "camp follower" of U.S. in world policy, and participated in the paramount decision which kept India, Pakistan and Ceylon within the framework of the Commonwealth.

At the year's end, the embassies of Ottawa were watching with interest the newest phase of the peace-with-friction relations between Canada and the United States—an American delegation coming to Ottawa to try to hammer out difficulties over an air agreement signed June 4.

The governmental negotiations and the Air Transport Board's challenge to Colonial Air Lines for bucking the agreement were evidences of an independence enunciated by External Affairs Minister Pearson in a Commons speech that raised six specific issues for settlement between the two countries and said neither should take the other too much for granted.

Mr. Pearson's year was his first full year as the political head of the department he served for years as a career diplomat. It brought his department to the full flush of post-war expansion and tapered it off at a staff of between 1,200 and 1,300, half of them abroad, as compared with 174 in 1939.

The minister represented Canada at the Commonwealth conference on India and was elected chairman of the first (political and security) committee of the United Nations General Assembly, one of the two most important posts the assembly has to offer. As the year concluded, he was off again, to a Commonwealth conference in Colombo, Ceylon.

Internally, the department came under a new under secretary or deputy minister in A. D. P. Heeney, former secretary to the cabinet; named Dana Wilgress high commissioner to London; announced high commissioners would go to India and Pakistan; shuffled a number of diplomats around the globe.

The shifting scenes of ideological struggle and post-war development brought a request from Communist China for recognition, one that remained in abeyance; encouragement for the new West German Republic and a recognition that sent Lt. Gen. Maurice Pope to Bonn from his military mission in Berlin; a call by Mr. Pearson for a new attempt to write a peace treaty with Japan.

Into Ottawa came a procession of big world names to underline Canada's advancement, including Prime Minister Nehru of India, Defence Secretary Johnson of the United States, Foreign Ministers Bevin of the United Kingdom, Count Sforza of Italy, Schuman of France, Van Zeeland of Belgium, Sir Mohammed Zafrullah Khan of Pakistan.

Out of Ottawa went a much larger procession, delegates to no less than 130 international conferences. Statistics alone indicated national growth and the world complexities that were growing with it.

City ambulance rushed John H. Brown of Kitkatla to General post office at Seal Cove suffering from injuries to his arm.

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## Supreme Gift At Xmas Love

Preaching before a capacity congregation at First United Church on Sunday forenoon, Rev. Lawrence G. Sieber, in a sermon on the topic, "Christmas Comes All Wrapped Up," stressed the importance of the gift rather than the wrapping. The true Christmas came wrapped up in hearts. The gift of God, His Son Jesus Christ, was the supreme gift of love. People, in turn, should give their love.

In addition to well-known carols, sung wholeheartedly by the large congregation, the junior choir of twenty-three voices sang two special numbers: "We would see Jesus," and "The First Nowell," the latter with a very effective descant. The children's story, the story of the writing of the words and music of "Holy Night," as narrated by the minister was appreciated, the melody played as a background by organist Henry Pluym, being finely done.

In the evening Mr. Sieber spoke on God's Gift Unspeakable. The celebration of Christmas was a day of childhood and home life. It was one of the great days of the year. It was full of hope and the dawn of life. The birth of Christ had a greater influence on the spiritual and moral life of the world than any other event. Yet at the time the idea of peace to the subject Jewish people had seemed a mockery. Now it was seen that the event was indeed the beginning of peace among men of good will. So now people might take heart and believe that peace will come. It was coming, but its coming depends upon the good will in the hearts of men.

Special music was provided by the solo, "Star of Bethlehem," splendidly sung by John E. Davey, and the Christmas Carol, "Shepherds, Shake Off Your Drowsy Sleep," by the senior choir with the descant taken effectively by Mrs. R. G. Large. J. S. Wilson was in charge of the choirs. In addition to the usual organ selections, the playing of the "Gloria" from Mozart's "Twelfth Mass," in the morning, and the "Hallelujah" Chorus from Handel's Messiah by organist Henry Pluym in the evening was most impressive.

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**NATION-WIDE STRIKE FIZZLES IN FRANCE**—A nation-wide general strike called in Paris, France recently, fell short when hundreds of thousands of workers, defying the unions, worked as usual. The strike, however, halted all Paris subway, bus and commuter train service. Here, at one of the main stations in Paris, striking workers watch shipments which didn't get under way until the following day.

## Ray Reflects . . . . . . and Reminisces

Comfortable fortunes passed through the liquor vendor's store usually appears well in advance in Prince Rupert last week. The transfer of cash, on Saturday alone, must have been sizeable, although Friday is sometimes thought of as the most important of the two days just before the twenty-fifth. The city's sales, as a general rule, are impressive, seen in the annual reports and 1949 should be no exception. Distilling and brewing can be classified as big business.

The annual flood of calendars usually appears well in advance of the New Year but there will be some waiting this season alone. There has been a long drawn out strike of lithographers in Eastern Canada. Hence the walls, for another few weeks, may not be adorned with so much scenery, smiling faces, wild and tame animals and innumerable other subjects. Without the calendars, sharp on time, it does not quite seem to be New Years.

## AIR PASSENGERS

To Vancouver (today)—R. D. Cleland, Miss D. McDonald, G. Skokum, F. McKay, R. McLeod, Miss Dorothy Kergin, R. Telford.  
From Vancouver (Tuesday)—Miss M. Steeves, W. Ross, H. Hampton, W. Dale, H. Gale.  
From Vancouver (Monday)—Mr. Rowsed, Mrs. Clark.  
From Sandspit (Monday)—Mr. and Mrs. Lasette, Mrs. M. Helin and child, G. Larchell.  
For Vancouver (Tuesday)—Miss Betty Payne, W. H. Rogers, Mrs. J. Boulton, Miss S. Stevens, G. L. Evans, R. Lindner and Miss C. Montgomery.

For Vancouver (Monday)—W. L. McAtee and Miss R. Weir.  
From Vancouver (Saturday)—A. Hill, Miss L. Montgomery, W. H. Rogers, Miss D. Macdonald, Mrs. J. Boulton, Miss E. Johnston, Miss Dorothy Kergin, Miss J. Thornton and Mrs. H. Richardson.

From Sandspit (Saturday)—Mr. Jefferies.

For Vancouver (Saturday)—Harold Hampton, S. G. Furk, N. Haywood, Mr. Landreville, Miss J. Fraser, F. Nelson, E. W. Hoover, G. Toop, W. Moritt, J. Dorgie, and J. Flynn.

For Skidegate (Saturday)—Mr. and Mrs. W. Price.

From Vancouver (Friday)—J. Wick, Miss Payne, Miss F. Stevens, H. N. MacTier, Miss K. Wallace and J. W. Macri.  
From Sandspit—Mr. and Mrs. Demchuk and child.

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### ASSETS

Notes of and deposits with Bank of Canada . . . . .	\$ 186,494,747.76
Other cash and bank balances . . . . .	158,198,042.87
Notes of and cheques on other banks . . . . .	88,220,196.05
Government and other public securities, not exceeding market value . . . . .	1,058,661,626.62
Other bonds and stocks, not exceeding market value . . . . .	116,817,041.92
Call and short loans, fully secured . . . . .	69,097,830.05

Total quick assets . . . . . \$1,677,489,485.27

Other loans and discounts, after full provision for bad and doubtful debts . . . . .	\$84,168,935.78
Bank premises . . . . .	13,601,961.99
Liabilities of customers under acceptances and letters of credit . . . . .	51,790,695.28
Other assets . . . . .	7,934,275.82

\$2,334,985,354.14

### LIABILITIES

Notes in circulation . . . . .	\$ 3,703,729.56
Deposits . . . . .	2,192,140,578.62
Acceptances and letters of credit outstanding . . . . .	51,790,695.28
Other liabilities . . . . .	3,558,112.20

Total liabilities to the public . . . . . \$2,251,193,115.66

Capital . . . . .	35,000,000.00
Reserve Fund . . . . .	44,000,000.00
Dividends payable . . . . .	931,924.55
Balance of Profit and Loss Account . . . . .	3,860,313.93

\$2,334,985,354.14

### PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

Profits for the year ended 30th November, 1949, before Dominion and provincial government taxes, but after contribution to Staff Pension Fund, and after appropriations to Contingency Reserves, out of which Reserves provision for all bad and doubtful debts has been made . . . . .	\$10,918,243.18
Less provision for Dominion and provincial government taxes . . . . .	\$4,435,000.00
Less provision for depreciation of bank premises . . . . .	655,721.31
	\$5,900,721.31
Dividends at the rate of \$1.00 per share . . . . .	\$ 5,827,521.87
Amount carried forward . . . . .	3,500,000.00
Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 30th November 1948 . . . . .	2,327,521.87
Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 30th November, 1949 . . . . .	1,532,792.06
	\$ 3,860,313.93

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## SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Final meeting of the 1949 city council will be held tonight. After the first of the year the new 1950 council will take over.

● Music and Drama Festival Ass'n. Executive meeting—held fourth Wednesday—December meeting cancelled. (301)

The fire department had a call at 4:20 Monday morning to the Rupert General Hospital where smell of rubber burning on the third floor had caused alarm.

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Dennis Rouse arrived in the city by Saturday's plane to spend the Christmas and New Year season here. He was formerly with the International Fisheries Commission here but is now located in Seattle.

● Announcing that Dick Sylvester, Jack Caron and E. "Deacon" Linney formerly of 65 Cabs are now under the name of 53 Cabs. For fast, courteous and efficient day and night service phone 53. (11)

### Women Flown To Hospital

Special flights by aircraft of Queen Charlotte Air Lines brought two women patients to Prince Rupert General Hospital Tuesday afternoon.

From Butedale Pilot Bill McLeod brought in Mrs. Paul Pryce of Kitimaat who was seized with convulsions. McLeod took his Norseman out at 1 p.m. and was back with the patient at 4:30 p.m.

Pilot Roy Berryman, regularly based at Aliford Bay, came over at 4 o'clock from Juskatla Inlet with his DeHaviland Rapide with Mrs. George Tauber as his passenger for hospital.

### Daughter For Rita

LAUSANNE, Switzerland—A baby princess was born today to Rita Hayworth, glamorous red-headed movie star, who married the Moslem prince, Aly Khan, last spring.

The baby, weighing 5½ pounds, was born eight hours after Rita made a pre-dawn rush to a clinic. Her name will be Yasmin, Arabic for jasmine, a flower used in Southern France for making perfume.

Prince Aly said: Rita had a very rough time" and added: "It has gone off all right. She is very tired."

### Announcements

Canadian Legion Ladies' Auxiliary bridge, cribbage and whist, January 4.

Regular Cards, Catholic Hall, January 5.

W.O.T.M. Card Tournament, January 12. All Welcome.

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● Wednesday, Dec. 28. Valt-halla Christmas Tree 2.30. Dance in the evening for members and friends. (301)

Miss Jean Fraser is in the city from Vancouver to spend the Christmas and New Year Holiday season visiting with her mother, Mrs. J. D. Fraser.

● S.O.N. Christmas Tree and Dance, Oddfellows' hall, Thursday, December 29. Xmas Tree 2 p.m. Dance 10 p.m. Mike Colussi Orchestra. Refreshments. Everybody Welcome. (302)

Mrs. J. Hoban of Vancouver is a visitor in the city over the holiday season, the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lahti, Borden Street.

Miss Betty Payne returned by yesterday's plane to Victoria, where she is in the service of the Royal Bank, after a brief visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Payne, for the

### Hospital Well Filled—Quiet

Although there was a record number of patients for any Christmas season, the Prince Rupert General Hospital reported a quiet holiday. In all 45 patients spent Yuletide in the institution, five being children.

Christmas trees adorned all the wards and there were gifts for all the patients. The Kinsmen's Club sent gifts as did pupils of Borden Street School.

For the second straight year there were no Christmas Day births in hospital.

### Island Gusher But It's Water

Gusher of water was struck by Royalite Oil Co. at the first of this week at depth of 1800 feet in the well it is drilling just north of Skidegate Mission on Graham Island of the Queen Charlottes. At last reports, equipment was being placed over the hole in the effort to shut the water off. The drill had been working into sandstone with oil characteristics.

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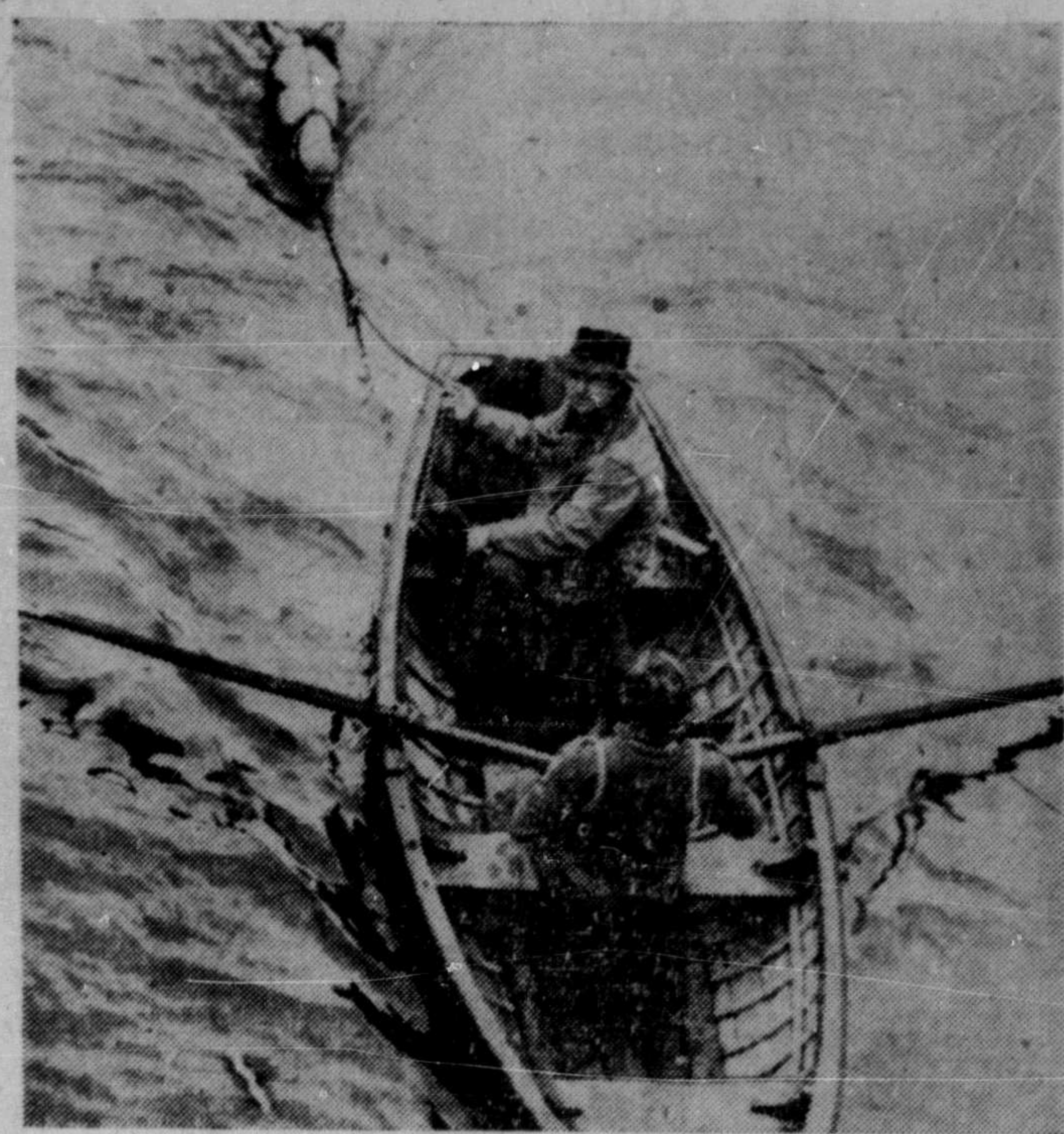
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AT HOME ON LAND OR SEA—Keeping his nose "dry," Australian turf star, Our Land, happens to be as much at home whether his track is wet, muddy or dry. Famous track star, who is training at Melbourn for the Caulfield Cup race, has a swim in the Mary-bong river after a fast morning session over a two-mile course.

### PARTY HELD FOR SCOUTS AND CUBS

A party, organized by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Second Prince Rupert Scouts and Cubs, was held for the Scouts Friday in Conrad Street School.

A large gathering of Scouts, Cubs, parents and friends of the scouting movement were present. Games, community singing and a visit from Santa Claus were featured.

Mrs. Johansen, president of the auxiliary was convener.

The Cubs at Conrad are under the leadership of R. Ferguson assisted by Dick Farmer while the Scouts are led by Harry Quick with O. Thorsteinson as assistant.

### Terrace Man Army Recruit

Recent enlistment in the Canadian Army from this area includes Joseph Tetreault of Terrace.

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## Murray Sez-

Whip-cracking sans Vaughan Munroe, is the order of the day at the Civic Centre these days as Angus Macphie whips his all-stars into shape for what is understood to be the greatest team ever from Ketchikan. Mind you, we have heard these stories before and have found our lads more than willing to handle the situation but this year there seems to be something more coming along. Speaking to Harold Blanton in Vancouver just a short while ago I was warned that Ketchikan is at least the boss. We have been having things pretty well our own way for the past few years even though we have dropped the odd one, and Americans aren't that way—most of their athletic efforts prove just that. This year we may not see Johnny Mills, we may not see Al Phillips. As a matter of fact we may see nothing but youth to match this team, however, and we are keeping our fingers crossed that this youth of ours proves sufficient. With but Herb Morgan from the old contemplables that have held sway over visiting teams for many years, this year's edition carries seven lads that have learned everything they know right here on Kaien Island and they are certainly willing to mix what they know with what fight they've got which makes for a formidable squad.

I was doing a little thinking last night as all of us interested in the game do at times like this and am going to make a suggestion. I am going to put our Angus on the spot and suggest he strip big Art Olsen for these games. Art has been playing first string with Art Chapman's Y.M.C.A. outfit in Victoria which is a senior "A" club that is ranked no lower than second to the national champions the Vancouver Clover Leafs. Art is doing well down there and with his size might prove a great help to our cause. I will give you a complete line-up and sketch of our team tomorrow fans. There is a deadline in this business which I find must be kept so its from here to the linotype and to you for today.

David Ritchie returned to the city on the Coquitlam Sunday from a trip to Vancouver and elsewhere in the south.

MAYBE HE SHOULD TAKE UP GOLF—Who said hockey wasn't a rough game? Leafs' Cal Gardner (seen with Joe Klukay) is sporting a double fracture of the jaw, these days, to prove it. Maintaining he got the injury via an elbow smash from Kenny Reardon, in recent Canadian-Leaf clash, Leaf centre said he would be six weeks taking nourishment through a straw, and figured it would be 2½ months before he was back on skates. Well, look at the rest and relaxation he'll get!

## Mens' Bowling League Schedule

Jan. 23—Ambassadors vs W.I. Stages, Oddfellows vs Grand Cafe, Blain's vs C.P.A., Stones vs D & S, Manson's vs Thom Sheet Metal, Crescents vs Rupert Motors, Scotians vs Brownwoods, Philpott Evitt vs Triple C's, Mallets vs Cold Storage, Undesirables vs Can. Legion, J.C.'s No. 1 vs Commercial, J.C.'s No. 2 vs Home Oil.

Jan. 30—Scotians vs Cold Storage, Undesirables vs Ambassadors, J.C.'s No. 1 vs Can. Legion, J.C.'s No. 2 vs Commercial, Crescents vs Home Oil, Thom Sheet Metal vs Brownwoods, Manson's vs D & S, Philpott Evitt vs Rupert Motors, Mallets vs Triple C's, Oddfellows vs W.I. Stages, Blain's vs Grand Cafe, Stones vs C.P.A.

Feb. 6—Blain's vs W.I. Stages, Stones vs Grand Cafe, D & S vs C.P.A., Mallets vs Rupert Motors, Scotians vs Triple C's, Thom Sheet Metal vs Cold Storage, J.C.'s No. 1 vs Ambassadors, J.C.'s No. 2 vs Can. Legion, Crescents vs Commercial, Philpott Evitt vs Home Oil, Brownwoods vs Manson's, Undesirables vs Oddfellows.

Feb. 13—J.C.'s No. 1 vs Oddfellows, J.C.'s No. 2 vs Ambassadors, Crescents vs Can. Legion, Philpott Evitt vs Commercial, Mallets vs Home Oil, Brownwoods vs Cold Storage, D & S vs Grand Cafe, Manson's vs C.P.A., Scotians vs Rupert Motors, Thom Sheet Metal vs Triple C's, Undesirables vs Blain's, Stones vs W.I. Stages.

Feb. 20—D & S vs W.I. Stages, C.P.A. vs Grand Cafe, Manson's vs Cold Storage, Thom Sheet Metal vs Rupert Motors, Undesirables vs Stones, J.C.'s No. 1 vs Blain's, Mallets vs Commercial, Scotians vs Home Oil, Brownwoods vs Triple C's, J.C.'s No. 2 vs Oddfellows, Crescents vs Ambassadors, Philpott Evitt vs Can. Legion.

Feb. 27—Crescents vs Oddfellows, Philpott Evitt vs Ambassadors, Mallets vs Can. Legion, Scotians vs Commercial, Thom Sheet Metal vs Home Oil, Cold Storage vs Triple C's, J.C.'s No. 2 vs Blain's, C.P.A. vs W.I. Stages, Manson's vs Grand Cafe, Brownwoods vs Rupert Motors, Undesirables vs D & S, J.C.'s No. 1 vs Stones.

March 6—Grand Cafe vs W.I. Stages, Manson's vs Triple C's, Undesirables vs C.P.A., J.C.'s No. 1 vs D & S, J.C.'s No. 2 vs Stones, Crescents vs Blain's, Cold Storage vs Rupert Motors, Philpott Evitt vs Oddfellows, Mallets vs Ambassadors, Scotians vs Can. Legion, Thom Sheet Metal vs Commercial, Brownwoods vs Home Oil.

Ralph Lindner of Masset arrived in the city on the Camosun Sunday afternoon from the Queen Charlotte Islands and left on Tuesday's plane for Vancouver.

## Certificate of Merit—Col. Dixon Is Honored

Lt. Col Keith Dixon of Victoria, assistant provincial commissioner of the Boy Scouts Association for the coastal area and former Commissioner at Prince Rupert, has been awarded a special certificate of merit by His Excellency Viscount Alexander, the Governor General, in his capacity as Chief Scout for Canada.

The award is in recognition of Col. Dixon's services as leader of the B. C. Contingent of 450 Scouts and Leaders to the first Canadian Jamboree held near Ottawa in 1949.

Presentation of the Certificate will be made to Col. Dixon at the Annual Meeting of the Boy Scouts Association of B. C. to be held in the Hotel Vancouver next March.

Col. Dixon became District Commissioner of the Prince Rupert District on its formation in 1946 and under his leadership the Scout Movement in Prince Rupert was revived from a post war standstill to total of five active Scout Groups.

On moving to Victoria in early 1949, Colonel Dixon interested himself in Scouting on Vancouver Island. Just prior to the Jamboree, he was appointed Assistant Provincial Commissioner, for the coastal area of the Province.

In his appointment as leader of the British Columbia contingent to the Jamboree, Colonel Dixon was responsible for the program and welfare of 450 British Columbia boys and leaders. This was the largest proportionate contingent to attend the Jamboree.

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## Ambrose Ryan Still Missing

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One of the many Christmas "At Homes" in the city was at the Prince Rupert Club Tuesday afternoon. President W. D. Lambie, assisted by the club officers, received a large number of members between 4 and 6 o'clock. Delicious refreshments were served.

## Armour Salvage Tender Lowest

Having submitted the lowest tender, it is expected that Armour Salvage Co. will be awarded the contract by the federal department of public works for the constructing of a new wharf at Dodge Cove, Digby Island, replacing the old quarantine wharf and serving the Digby Island wireless station. Armour Salvage tender was \$27,198.

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George after a Christmas home here. The Misses Jean and Smith returned home morning's train after spent the Christmas on Terrace.



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Japanese Oranges	25
Apples, cooking, 3lb.	25
Pineapples, 3 lbs.	25
Oranges, large Cal. doz.	25
Grapefruit, 3 for	25
Oranges (Navel)	22
Dates, lb.	35
Vegetables	
Celery, lb.	10-13
Brussels, 2 lb.	10-13
Beets, bunch	10-13
Parsley, bunch	05-15
Turnips	05
Spinach, 2 lb. cello	19
Broth, bunch	08
Mushrooms, lb.	05
Head Lettuce	13-18
Cooking Onions, 3 lbs.	13
Cauliflower, lb.	15
Tomatoes, Calif. 2 lbs.	33
Cabbage, lb.	17
Tomatoes, No. 1 lb.	33-38
Potatoes, 10 lb.	17
Cucumbers, lb.	27
Vegetable Marrow, lb.	07
Squash, lb.	16 1/2
Canned Vegetables	
Dill Pickles, gal.	1 65
Cut Green Beans, 4 lb.	18
No. 5 Peas, fancy	19
Mixed Vegetables	23
Diced Beets, per tin	16
Wax Beans, choice	14
Mixed Peas and Carrots	14
Pumpkin, 2 for	25
Baked Beans, 20-oz. tin	28
Baked Beans, 15-oz. tin ea.	14
Potatoes, 28-oz.	23
Fruit, 10 lb.	
Short	22
Pink	12
Cream, 1/2 pint	22
Eggs	
Medium, cartons	50
Pullets, cartons	52
Butter	
First Grade, lb.	37
Margarine, lb.	33
Cheese	
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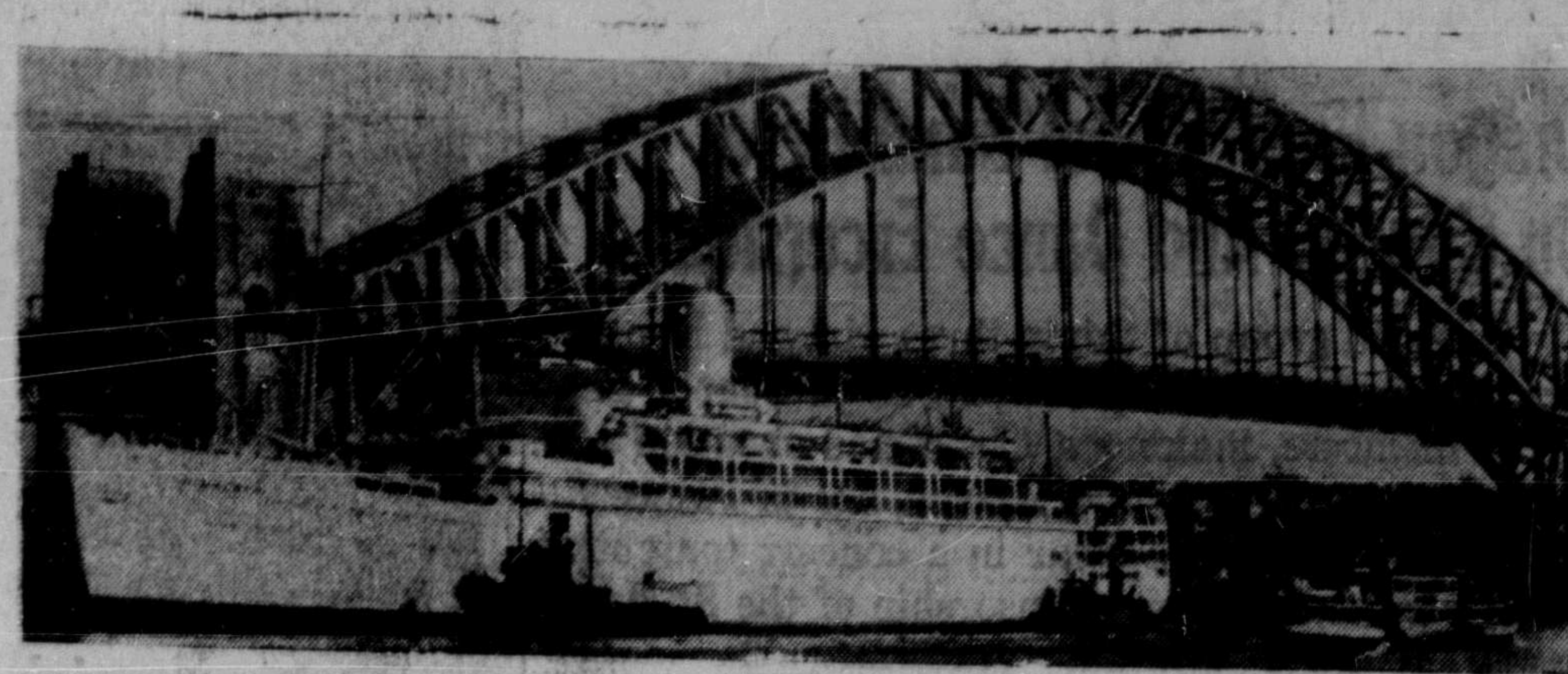
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Mr. and Mrs. William Bussey returned to the city on the Prince George this morning from a trip to Vancouver.

Miss Joyce Watts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Watts, 435 Fourth Avenue West, will leave on the Prince George tomorrow night for Vancouver to resume training at the Royal Jubilee Hospital. She has been here for a holiday visit with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Holland, Massett, were passengers aboard the Camosun Sunday enroute to California where they will spend holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Faught of this city, will be passengers aboard the Prince George tomorrow for Vancouver. They are going for a vacation in California.

Harry Basil Menzies, son of Harry Menzies, 552 Eighth Avenue East, will be a Prince George passenger tomorrow night enroute for Vancouver. After having been in the city for a Christmas visit with his family, Mr. Menzies will return to duties aboard the Canadian Fisheries packer Cape Perry working out of Vancouver.



"Take your time—I think I've got to shave again."

## Steamship Movements

**For Vancouver**  
Sunday—ss. Camosun, 9 p.m.  
Tuesday—ss. Catala, 1:30 p.m.  
Thursday—ss. Prince George

**From Vancouver**  
Sunday—ss. Catala, p.m.  
Wednesday—ss. Prince George  
Friday—ss. Camosun, 2 p.m.

**For Alice Arm and Stewart**  
Sunday—ss. Catala, 11 p.m.  
**From Alice Arm and Stewart**  
Tuesday—ss. Catala, a.m.

**For Ocean Falls**  
Thursday—ss. Prince George 11:15 p.m.  
**From Ocean Falls**  
Wednesday—ss. Prince George  
**From Alaska**  
Thursday—ss. Prince George 8 p.m.  
**For Alaska**  
Wednesday—ss. Prince George p.m.

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**WEDNESDAY—P.M.**  
4:00—Bernie Braden Tells a Story  
4:15—Stock Quotations and Interlude  
4:30—Maggie Muggins  
4:45—Young Man With a Song  
4:55—CBC News  
5:00—Rendezvous Room  
5:30—The Question Box  
5:45—Keyboard and Console  
6:00—Supper Serenade  
6:15—English Favourites  
6:30—Musical Varieties  
6:45—"Saddle Rockin' Rhythm"  
7:00—CBC News  
7:15—"The Messiah"  
10:00—CBC News  
10:10—CBC News  
10:15—Painters in Profile  
10:30—Collector's Items  
11:00—Weather and Sign Off

**THURSDAY—A.M.**  
7:00—Musical Clock  
8:00—CBC News  
8:10—Here's Bill Good  
8:15—Morning Song  
8:30—Music for Moderns  
8:45—Little Concert  
9:00—BBC News and Com'y  
9:15—Morning Devotions  
9:30—Morning Concert  
9:50—Time Signal  
10:00—Ellen Harris  
10:15—Morning Melodies  
10:30—Melody Time  
10:45—Scandinavian Melodie  
11:00—Air Kindergarten  
11:15—Roundup Time  
11:30—Weather Report  
11:31—Message Period  
11:35—Recorded Interlude  
11:45—Personal Album

**—P.M.—**  
12:00—Mid-Day Merodiss  
12:15—CBC News  
12:25—Program Resume  
12:30—B. C. Farm Broadcast  
12:55—Recorded Interlude  
1:00—Afternoon Concert  
1:45—Parents' School  
2:00—Festive Season  
2:30—Records at Random  
2:45—Behind the Scenes  
3:00—The Music Box  
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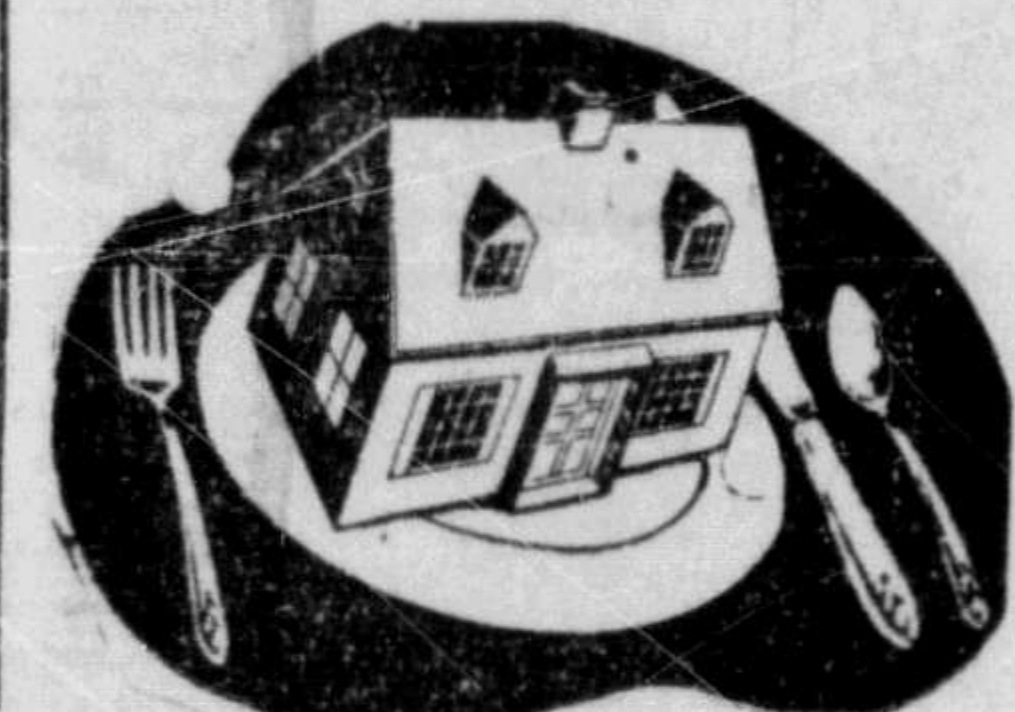
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## Two Dead In Crash

Coastal Plane Comes to Grief  
at Belize Inlet Near Alert Bay  
VANCOUVER — A Queen  
Charlotte Air Lines flying boat  
cart-wheeled Saturday while  
landing at Belize Inlet near Alert  
Bay and two passengers, trapped  
on board, perished when the two-  
engine plane sank.

Thrown clear, three crew mem-  
bers and two other passengers  
were rescued by a fisherman, Os-  
kar Johnson, with a power boat.  
Killed were Ralph McBride, aged  
26, of Vancouver and John  
Buckley of Victoria.

Capt. William Peters of Van-  
couver, the pilot, said he was un-  
able to explain the crash at 70  
miles an hour.

## Observance In Home, Church

Prince Rupert enjoyed a friend-  
ly Christmas with family gather-  
ings featuring the observance of  
the great Christian holiday. Three  
straight days of holidays were  
taken by practically all places of  
business with the exception of the  
Post Office and some federal offices  
which were open Tuesday.

Special Church services drew  
large congregations, the religious  
observance of the season commencing  
with the midnight mass Saturday  
in the Church of the Annunciation  
when Bishop Jordan O.M.I., said the  
mass and Father F. Rayner, O.M.I.,  
delivered an inspiring Christmas  
sermon to a crowded congregation  
which joined in the singing of carols.

## SHIPS and— WATERFRONT

Change of plans by Canadian  
National Steamships will keep the  
steamer Prince George in service  
beyond the New Year until a  
further notice instead of being  
replaced by the steamer Prince  
Rupert next week. The Prince  
George arrived in port at 11 o'clock  
this morning on her weekly voyage  
and will sail at midnight for  
Ketchikan whence she will return  
here tomorrow evening southbound.

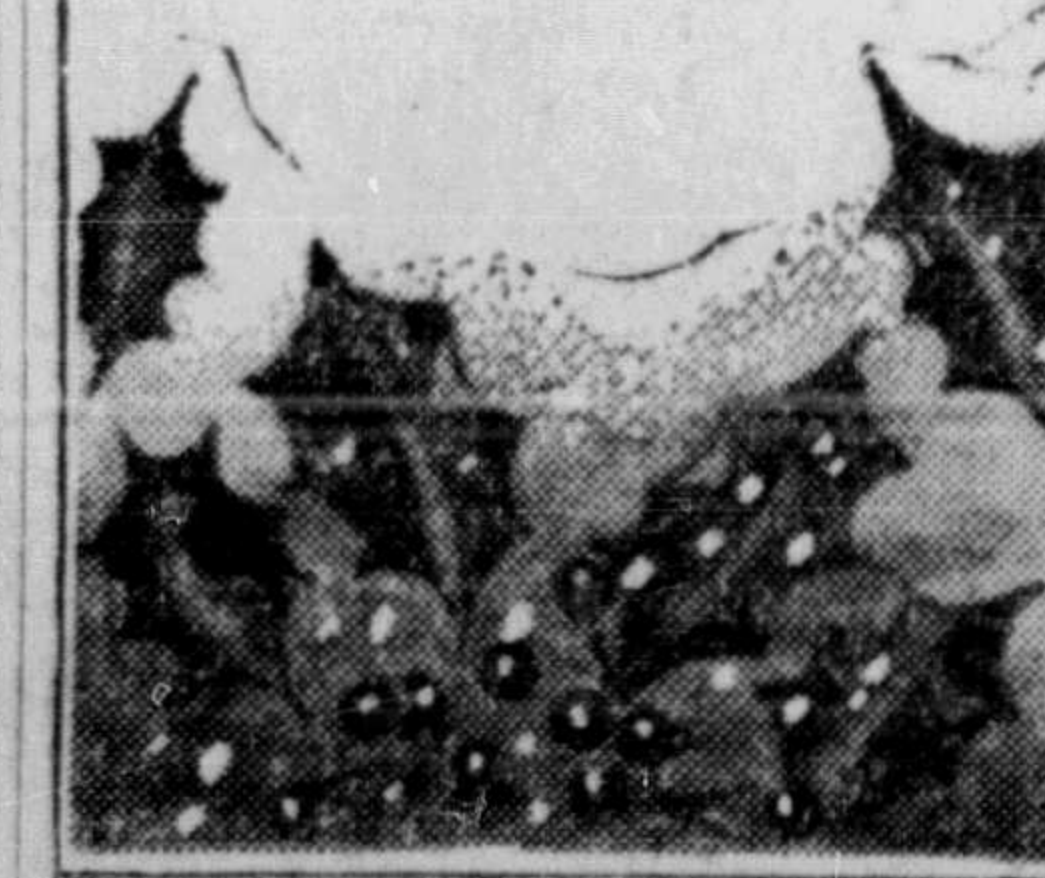
Union steamer Coquitlam, Capt.  
William McCombe, returned to port  
at 10:30 yesterday morning from  
her weekly voyage to Alice Arm,  
Stewart and other points north of  
here and sailed at 1:30 p.m. for  
Vancouver and waypoints. The vessel  
had been here from 4 to 11 p.m. on  
Sunday northbound.



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## Oregon High School Band Here On Concert And Dance Excursion

Selected group of thirty-three girl and boy players from the Eugene, Oregon, High School Band of 75 members, making a Christmas vacation concert tour of south-eastern Alaska, are in Prince Rupert today and will appear in a concert tonight at the Civic Centre under sponsorship of the Student's Council of Booth Memorial High School, thus providing an unusual musical treat along popular lines for the people of Prince Rupert. The party is going through to Ketchikan aboard the steamer Prince George and northward from Ketchikan will visit Petersburg, Juneau, Skagway and Wrangell.

Director of the band and leader of the Alaska excursion is Byron Miller, one time band teacher in Juneau who has long had the ambition of bringing his proteges on such a trip as this. "The enthusiastic response from Canadian and Alaskan towns to this tour has been a real thrill," Miller said "and we are expecting to have the experience of a lifetime. It is certainly a pleasure to be in Prince Rupert."

Accompanying the band, consisting of seventeen girls and sixteen boys is also Dean W. Mickelwait, principal of the Eugene High School, Mrs. Mickelwait and Mrs. Miller.

Giving a preview of the program which will be presented here tonight, Mr. Miller promises that it would range from classic overtures to popular and novelty music. A special feature of each program is called "sightreading" in which the band attempts to play a completely unrehearsed number selected by a local musician, the purpose of this being to challenge the student musicians and their director as well as developing audience appeal.

Feature soloist will be Larry Maves, senior at Eugene High School, who some rate the finest high school musician in the entire United States today. Young Maves plays both violin and piano solos with band accompaniment and is prepared to substitute for director Miller if it becomes necessary. He was honored at the famous Interlochen National Music Camp last summer as the "outstanding camper" of the 8-week session. In addition he won the Concerto Audition in violin which entitles him free tuition at the music camp next year. He was rated "First Chair" of the All Northwest High School Orchestra in Portland last April during the Biennial Conference of Northwest Music Educators. This orchestra included the best selected student violinist from the five Northwest States.

The Eugene Band has its own 9-piece dance orchestra, and a swing trio, which together furnish music for dances.

**Personnel of Band**  
Cornets—Bob Warren, Doug Ruhlman, Mari Griffiths, Gloria Lee, Larry Coons, Clayton Lundy and Glendene Knutsen.  
Clarinets—John Peterson, Elena Horn, Arlene Gunbrud, Dolores Petersen, Rita Page, Nadine Mickelsen, Veral Petersen.

French Horns—Marian Cass, Floyd Wilkes and Barbara Cook.  
Trombones—Rosella Collins, Lee Trippett and Paul Keefe.

Saxophones—Jack Weinstein and Elaine Beier  
Flute—Carol Eldridge  
Oboe—Jean Spicer  
Baritone—Don Mickelwait  
Basses—Don LaBare and Maurice Read

Percussion—Marilyn Aydeott, Jim Colburn, Sally Hayden and Patricia Fenley.  
Violin and Piano Soloist—Larry Maves

The dance orchestra is drawn from this personnel. Bob Burcker is service manager.

## Close Call For Ambulance

A close call was experienced Christmas Day by Jack Furness, city fireman, while rushing a city woman Mrs. A. MacFarland to hospital. Driving the ambulance over the hill on 6th Avenue, he met a car coming from the opposite direction. Although the ambulance siren was in operation, the other driver, apparently, failed to hear the sound. With three cars parked in a row on Mr. Furness' side, he had no alternate but to apply brakes and attempt to bring his vehicle to a halt.

The brakes failed to hold on the icy surface and the ambulance careened to the side of the road and into the ditch. The ambulance was unable to move under its own power so the patient was transferred to a panel truck and in turn rushed to the hospital.

No damage was caused to the vehicle but if breaking had been increased, Furness said, the ambulance would have toppled on its side.

The fireman stated something should be done about a row of cars being parked along a narrow street. His accident was slight but a more dangerous mishap might easily occur under similar conditions.

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Ben Sampson, who left here recently to spend the holidays with his sister living near Los Angeles, flew from Vancouver to the house last week, sustaining the California city. Mr. Sampson spent a pleasant Christmas, with himself up, however, and made all the trimmings, including corn aged 89 and in good form for his feast.

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