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Churches and Sports

TORONTO, known sometimes as "The City of Churches" and often referred to as "Toronto the Good," whose main streets abound with liquor serving restaurants and night clubs, has now voted for Sunday sport in spite of the exhortation to the contrary by most of the churches and the advice of the three big newspapers.

There is no attempt to discuss the merits or demerits of Sunday sport. Toronto people by democratic vote have settled the argument. Now it would seem appropriate for sports managements and the churches to meet the demand for Sunday sport and get together so that the activities of one may not conflict with those of the other. Indeed, it would strengthen both sides if they decided to co-operate rather than quarrel over the matter. Certainly the churches have nothing to gain at this late date by trying to buck the public will. Their case fell when they failed to induce the majority of the people to vote against Sunday sport. Now they had better get along and try to time things that sports may not interfere with church and vice versa. As a matter of fact a lot of Christian goodwill and friendly relationships might be fostered through such co-operation and everyone would be the better for it.

After a while Sunday sports may be expected in Toronto. There has been an expression of public opinion and desire which might as well be gracefully accepted. The churches have lost the round and they should be good sports about it.

It is to be expected that other Canadian cities will also be having plebiscites on Sunday sport now. Just because they should vote for it, however, does not mean it will be immediately forthcoming. Attorneys-general of provinces must be consulted and eventually, amendment to the Lord's Day Alliance Act may be required—all of which takes time and will probably involve a lot of consideration and debate.

MAIL SERVICE

THERE is no criticism of the local Post Office management over the closing of the box lobby to the public on Christmas and New Year's Day. We know it was a general department order that denied to the public a service to which, in Prince Rupert at least, it has long been accustomed and for the discontinuance of which we can see no good reason.

And even if it was a general order which closes the Post office completely on holidays, an exception might well, we think, be made of Prince Rupert where there is comparatively infrequent dispatch and receipt of mails and where we already suffer congestion and inconvenience at the Post Office due to the absence of a street delivery service which everybody concedes is long overdue but about which we never seem to be able to get anything done.

Indeed, it might be a good time now for such bodies as Chambers of Commerce and city council to renew the demand for such a mail service in keeping with the growing-up status of Prince Rupert.

The last excuse we heard why there was no mail delivery service was that some of the houses were not numbered. We are not so sure that there are so many houses not numbered at that. Numbered or not, our Daily News route boys seem to find addresses.

And we are sure that in cases where there are not house numbers, the residents would soon see to that if absence of numbers meant they would not get their mail delivered to the door. And, if it is matter of streets not being marked, there could be block by block get-togethers and the thing could be done in a week-end although a more systematic way of getting Prince Rupert's streets properly signed would be in order.

Week of Prayer Opens In City

The week of prayer meeting held in First United Church last evening was well attended by members from the churches of the city. Archdeacon E. Hodson brought the message of the evening. He spoke from the prophecy of Isaiah using Isaiah's vision as the picture needed to be kept in minds and hearts today in the present world of uncertainty and distress it was necessary to re-

member that God reigns. No matter what happens among men God rules and turns the pages of history. In all the affairs of life God calls to "go with Him," to be his witnesses. "Let us dedicate ourselves to God for 1950," declared the speaker.

Rev. Lawrence G. Sieber was in charge of the meeting and the season of prayer led by several of those present.

The offering was given to The British and Foreign Bible Society.

Tonight Captain W. C. Poulton of the Salvation Army will be the speaker in First Baptist Church.

Victoria Report

by J. K. Nesbitt

Anscomb Exercises Wiles of Retrenchment— Social Doings of Interest

VICTORIA—"Pare to the bone boys." That's Finance Minister Herbert Anscomb's theme song these days. "Cut! Cut! Cut!" he sings to fellow cabinet ministers, and sometimes the tune is raspy. Mr. Anscomb's fellow cabinet ministers think the tune is downright scratchy and harsh.

But Mr. Anscomb, in charge of the provincial treasury, has to keep cautioning the cabinet ministers not to spend too much. He says it's all very well and that sort of thing and B.C. is prosperous enough now but the good times may not last forever. Once let a department get a lot of money, says Mr. Anscomb, and it's pretty tough taking it back. In fact, he says, it's just about impossible.

Every cabinet minister, naturally, wants as much money as he can get. The big spenders are Health and Welfare Minister Pearson; Education Minister W. T. Straith and Public Works Minister E. C. Carson. They deal in millions. Social services, education and roads are costing British Columbians more and more each year. These three would loot the treasury entirely if Mr. Anscomb wasn't a hard boiled penny pincher.

At the Government House state dinners in the coming session the women M.L.A.'s will be separated. The first dinner is for the cabinet and the official precedence list—the Bishops, the judges, representatives of the armed services and the diplomatic corps. The second dinner is for the private M.L.A.'s. In the past Mrs. Nancy Hodges and Mrs. Tilly Rolston have attended the second dinner. Now Mrs. Hodges, as Madame Speaker, will be at the first dinner. Mrs. Rolston at the second. Each, because of this, will shine a little more brightly. But the situation presents a problem for Mrs. Charles Banks the wife of the Lieut.-Governor. Women have never attended the first state dinner. Mrs. Banks has attended the second dinner, because of Mrs. Hodges and Mrs. Rolston. Now the gracious chaperone of Government House is wondering if she should attend the first dinner because of Madame Speaker.

Capital city social and political circles are looking forward, during the session, to the dinner parties and receptions the Premier and Mrs. Johnson will give in their new home on the waterfront. The province's first family of politics moved in just before Christmas and Mrs. Johnson is now busy putting up drapes and arranging furniture. It is a beautiful home and

looks out to the islands of the Gulf, the snow capped Olympic Mountains and the Hills of Sooke. The long living room has floor to ceiling windows its full length. It is a combined living-room dining room. There is a den in lemon yellow, also looking over the water, for the Premier, three bedrooms and three bathrooms. The house is attractive for its simplicity and comfort. As the province's first political hostess, Mrs. Johnson dispenses with formality whenever she can. As a mother of a growing University student she knows people of today like to get into the kitchen whenever they can and help themselves.

The homes of Premiers have always been show places in Victoria. John Hart and his wife entertained in their roomy residence on the brow of Gonzales Hill, amid towering oak trees. The Pattullo's were at home in a stone mansion of the seafront. Before that the Tolmies entertained at Cloverdale, where Premier Tolmie was born. Long ago Premier E. G. Prior had guests at The Priory and after him came Premier James Dunsmuir whose home was Burleigh, on the waters of the Gorge. Premier Johnson, in his gleaming new home of glass, will keep up the hospitable traditions set by his predecessors.

LOOKING BACK

25 Years Ago

January 4, 1925

A local improvement initiative bylaw providing for the paving of Fourth Avenue East from McBride to the easterly junction with Fifth Avenue was given its first reading by city council.

The last camp set up in connection with clearing the road from the city to Galloway Rapids was set up and grading has begun.

The Canadian Fish and Cold Storage received a telegram from Ottawa stating that all halibut fishing must end. Any halibut landed now would be confiscated unless it were proved that they had been caught prior to the closing period.



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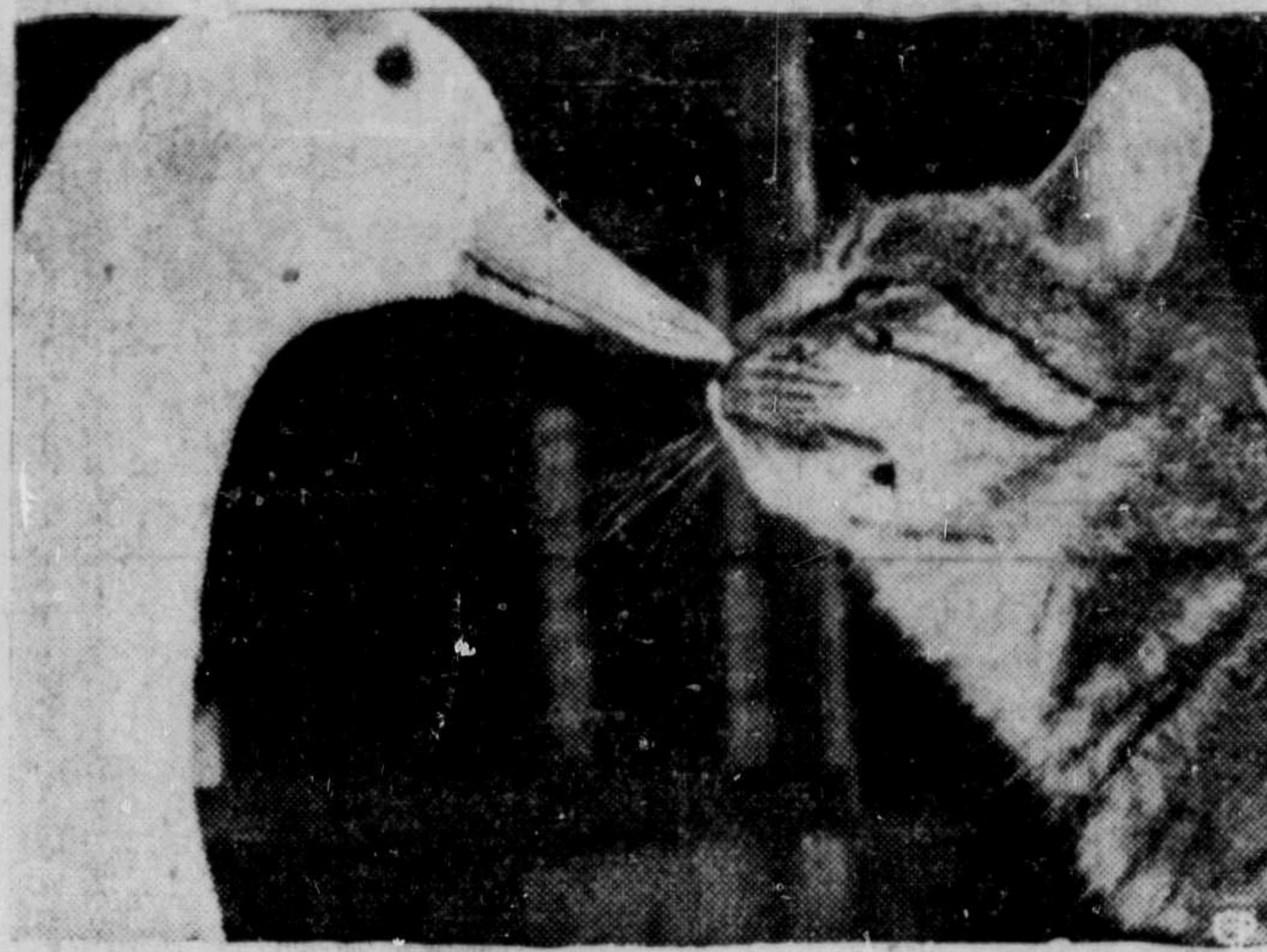
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Ray Reflects and Reminisces

The oil drilling outfit near Skidegate, Queen Charlotte Islands, reported a gusher of water, the other day, at a depth of around 1,400 feet. It is understood none of it had ever been chlorinated.

Cows are being flown from the State of Washington to Anchorage and the Matanuska Valley in Alaska. For one thing, its \$85 cheaper. Some are milked as they fly. Wonder what part of the plane is reserved for pasturage.

It's all quite fine to welcome a holiday but the day will come and sooner than many may think when resuming the job has also its attraction. We may growl, and long for independence, or enjoy indefinite leisure or come and go as our own free will dictates, yet it can bring on a feeling of boredom, or uselessness if accepted as a way of life. There is nothing like doing something—no matter if instructed, or accomplishing something you planned yourself. No action No life!

The Louisville editor who brands the pumpkin pie "a revealing confession" must have gotten hold of a piece of pumpkin pie made of pumpkin instead of sweet potato.—Ex.

The Christmas week thermometer at Juneau registered five above. Had there been a gale blowing off Taku glacier—but then, five above and nothing else will do.

Now that everything is back to daily routine, the only holiday

10 Years Ago

January 4, 1940

Registration of women for war work was begun in the city. Twenty-five women had registered.

Second seasonal meeting of the Ladies' Music Club at the home of Mrs. R. G. Large heard a program of Brahms music and readings on the composer's life. Mrs. Shefford Darton, the president, was chairman.

At the monthly devotional and fellowship meeting of the Nippon Young People's Association in St. Andrew's Japanese Mission, Miss Elsie Heaps gave an address on "Moral Rearmament".

C. E. Starr returned to the city on the Prince George this morning after spending the Christmas and New Year holiday season in Seattle.

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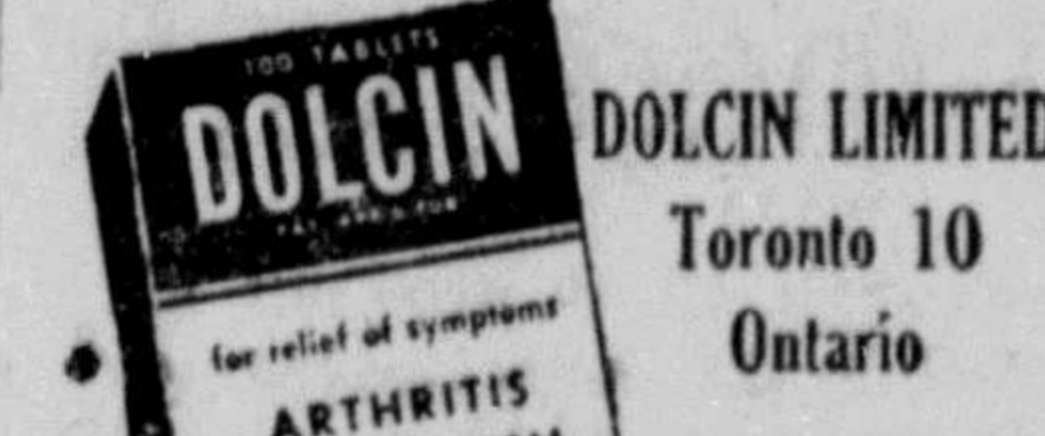
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When Dorothy Paget's good he found the field stripped bare, steeplechaser Prince of Denmark wins a race, chalk up an assist first. Next time the club buys a for the goat. Everywhere the field, its officials plan to look at Prince goes, his little hircine pal it first.

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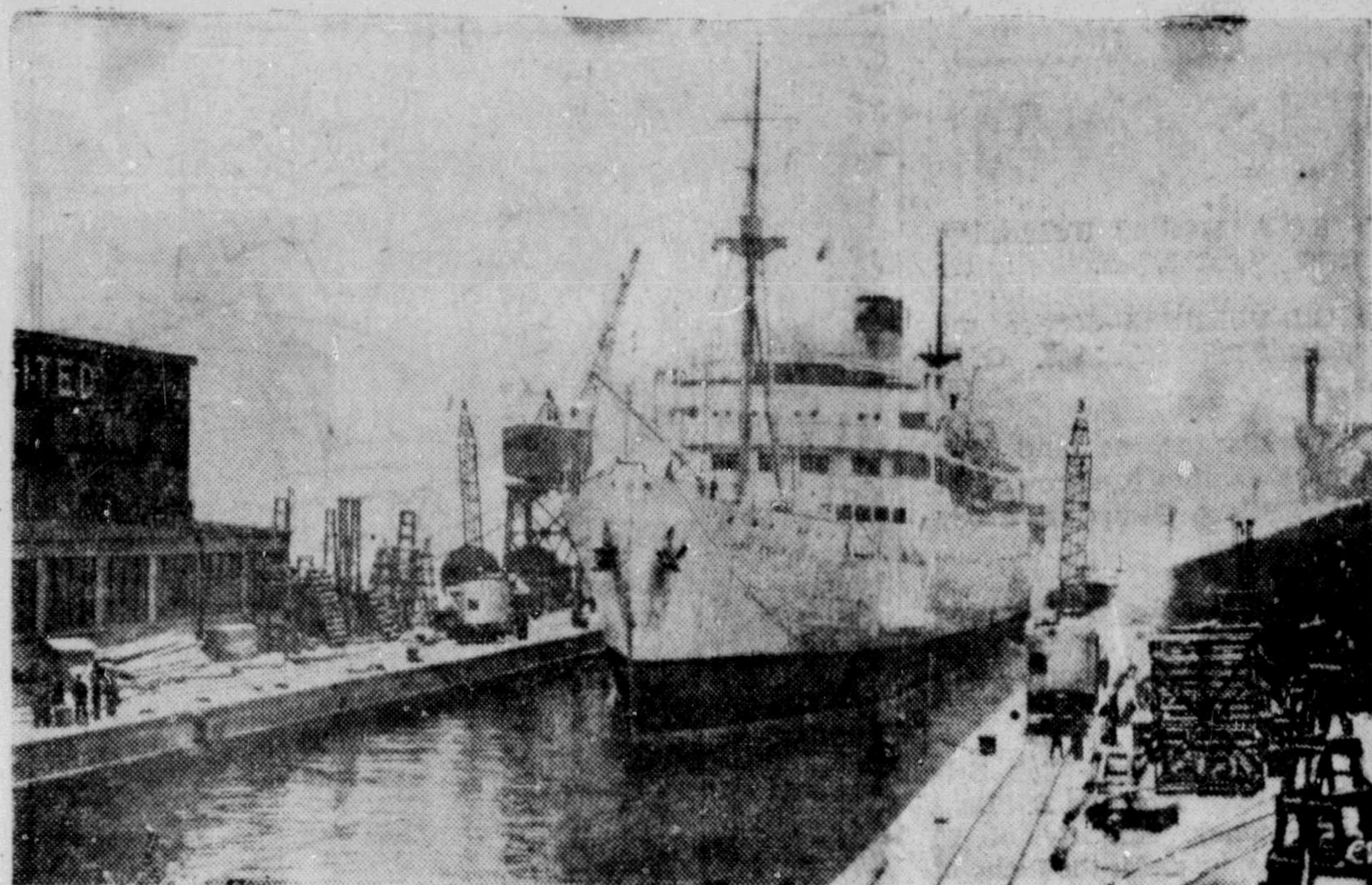
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BURIED BY BLIZZARD—Heavy snow almost buried this car parked on the main street of Hope, 100 miles east of Vancouver, following a raging blizzard which swept the entire west coast province. Nearly 400 persons sought shelter in the town when they were forced to abandon cars and buses on highways in that area as snow blocked all main roads. (C.P. Photo)

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 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. 6—Blain'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.

March 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.

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April 3—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.

April 10—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.

April 17—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.

Better English By D. C. WILLIAMS

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "Whenever I see Robert I always speak to him."
2. What is the correct pronunciation of "azure"?
3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Adamant, adherence, adequate.
4. What does the word "obsequious" mean?
5. What is a word beginning with mal that means "wishing evil"?

Answers
1. Omit always. 2. Pronounce azh-er, a as in at, e as in her, accent first syllable. 3. Adequate 4. Servilely or meanly attentive; cringing; fawning. 5. He was an obsequious flatterer. Malevolent.

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HOW CAN I ??? By ANNE ASHLEY

Q. How can I keep frying pans bright?
A. The frying pans can be kept bright and clean by first rubbing them with a crust of hard bread, then washing them in water that is hot, and washing soda.
Q. How can I easily clean white-painted surfaces?
A. The next time white paint is to be cleaned, try using water in which two or three onions have been boiled, and see how readily the dirt is removed.
Q. How can I get good results when using stove polish?
A. Moisten the polish with a little vinegar instead of water, and it will impart a richer luster with far less effort.



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Craft Class News

An entirely new class for Civic Centre adult members wishing to take leathercraft will be held on Monday nights starting the second Monday in January, 1950.

This class will be for beginners only who should contact the Civic Centre at once.

The new class members are required to provide their own tools which should include a leather punch, a knife and a modeller for design work. These may be purchased at class. It is essential that each person have his or her own tools so that no delay will occur and thus retard the student.

The class which has just completed the beginner's course will not meet on Tuesday evening of each week with the more advanced craft members so that Monday night may be reserved to give individual attention to each new member.

The social leathercraft group will still meet on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons as usual and it is hoped that those who have completed the beginners class will take the added advantage of attending these afternoon gatherings. The social leathercraft group will meet starting the first Wednesday in January while the Tuesday night group will meet on the second Tuesday. There will not be any change in the Junior teenage craft groups.

Modern Etiquette

Q. When presents are given at a birthday party, should they be opened at once or kept until the party is over?

A. They should be opened at once, as this signifies more appreciation and interest in the gifts.

Q. How should a club sandwich be eaten?

A. With a fork, after the toast and other ingredients have been broken. In doing this one uses a knife and fork.

Q. What is the salutation on a letter to the governor of a state?

A. "Your Excellency."



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FIRE KILLS TWO—Anguished fire Captain John Pilkington of the Calgary fire department carried 2 1/2-year-old Darrell Cull from a burning home in which the child and his grandfather

William Laraway, 72, were asphyxiated. The child was still alive when removed from the house by the hatless fireman (right) but died shortly after in hospital. (CP Photo)

Swedish Couple In Pretty Rite

A pretty wedding was solemnized by Rev. L. G. Sieber in the First United Church at 8 o'clock on New Year's Eve, uniting Mrs. Elsa Floss, niece of Mrs. W. Wain, 1144 Ninth Ave. East, and Ervin Lindstrom. Both bride and groom arrived from Sweden in May to make their new home in Canada.

A touch of old European tradition was added to the usual Canadian ceremony when the bride entered the church on the arm of the groom, followed by the matron of honor and groomsmen.

The bride wore an exquisite gown of rose satin with a billowy nineteenth century marquisette skirt. Her costume was enhanced by a shoulder length veil caught in her hair on either side by tiny hair corsages of hyacinth and fern. Her veil partially covered the left side of her face, lending a mystic Arabic air to the costume, and was fastened to her gown at the throat with a tiny gold pin. She carried a colonial bouquet of rose carnations and hacinth.

The matron of honor, Mrs. Helen Marchildon, cousin of the bride, wore a long sleeved gown of pale blue marquisette and carried a colonial bouquet of yellow shrysanthemums and daffodils. Her head dress was of the same flowers.

Groomsmen were John F. Denning, Boutonierres of the groom and groomsmen were miniatures of those of the bride and matron of honor respectively.

Organ music was provided by Henry Pluym.

A reception for a few friends, following the ceremony was held at the home of the bride's aunt, at 1144 Ninth Ave. East, to combine both the opportunity to offer felicitations to the newlyweds and to usher in the New Year.

The home was tastefully decorated with pink and white

streamers and hemlock boughs centered with an archway under which the bride and groom stood to receive the best wishes of the guests.

A toast to the bride was proposed by Edward Denning, whose appropriate remarks were received with hearty thanks from the groom.

Several telegrams from Europe in the Swedish and Estonian languages, were read by the groom and translated by the matron of honor.

A delicious buffet supper was served, which combined the culinary arts of both Europe and Canada. A beautiful double tiered wedding cake, which was duly cut by the bride and groom was the centre of attraction.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindstrom will make their home in Prince Rupert.

Doctors Large Buy Property

Purchase by Dr. R. G. and A. W. Large of the former Parker building on Second Avenue, a two-storey concrete structure between First and Second Streets on the south side, is announced. Vendor was the estate of the late Mrs. Percy Cameron.

A. W. Allaire has already started work of remodeling and renovating the ground floor in which the purchasers will make their offices and headquarters as physicians and surgeons.

28 CHILDREN, HOME HAPPY

LISNASKEA, Northern Ireland. — In 32 years of married life, Mrs. Mabel Murphy has had 28 children—and wants more.

"If I could get any children to adopt I'd take them now," said 51-year-old Mrs. Murphy, whose youngest is six.

"A home, no matter how humble, is empty without children," Mrs. Murphy home is humble.

There is no electric light and water has to be carried from a well 100 yards away. Its three rooms are whitewashed.

Twelve of the children are living, seven at home. Kathleen, 28, is married with six children of her own.

Husband John Murphy is a farm worker, now unemployed. He looks after a flock of hens which provide the family with eggs.

South African Fish Is "Dull"

DUNDEE—Fish called snook from South Africa, instead of salmon from British Columbia, is trying to gain a foothold in Great Britain. The Minister of Food, John Strachey, admits having eaten it, but does not care much for what is placed before him. He calls snook "very dull."

Strachey was defending food ministry purchases of the tinned South African product, which the government can pay for more easily than Canadian salmon. He heard that it takes a lot of fixing to disguise the taste of snook.

CAR TUNES



Masonic Officers Duly Installed

STEWART—Enoch Lodge A. F. A. M. held their installation of Officers for 1950 on December 27 under very trying conditions. With a temperature of 14 below zero, members who travelled the 17 miles from the Premier Mine arrived in town in a half frozen condition. Employees of the Premier who commute between towns also complained of the extreme cold. But notwithstanding the severe weather the New Year was brought in, in the good old fashioned way with the proper spirit.

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FRIENDLY RIVALS—Swimmer Irene Strong, right, gives Sprinter Eleanor McKenzie a face-washing—with snow—in a light-hearted moment at Vancouver. The two girls, members of the Canadian contingent to the British Empire Games, now are en route to Auckland, New Zealand. Just before they left, Eleanor was named Canada's outstanding woman athlete of 1949. She edged Irene by a single vote, it was announced by the Women's Amateur Athletic Federation of Canada. (C.P. Photo)

SHIPS and WATERFRONT

Southbound from Skagway to Vancouver, C.P.R. steamer Princess Norah, Capt. G. Hughes, is due in port at 4 o'clock this afternoon from the north and is making an especially long lay over here until 11 o'clock tonight so the Eugene High School Band party may give another concert here tonight. Passengers sailing from here on the Princess Norah will include Mr. and Mrs. Mack Ford, T. W. Williams and J. Cades.

William Glass of the reduction plant department of B. C. Packers in Vancouver, arrived in Prince Rupert today aboard the Princess George for an inspection trip in connection with installation of new machinery for herring production at Port Edward. Mr. Glass left for Port Edward this afternoon.

Steamship Movement

For Vancouver
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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
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8 p.m.

For Alaska
Wednesday—ss. Prince George
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Cold Hampers Year's Advent

STEWART—Owing to a steady cold wave for the past two weeks with temperatures running from 8 to 22 degrees below zero, arrangements for the New Year's

Eve Dance were cancelled. A few of the more courageous residents went first footing on New Year's Day but for most part they kept at home stoking fires to make the homes habitable and keep the pipes from freezing.

His Funeral At Stewart

STEWART—Samuel Bell, aged 67, who died in the Prince Rupert General Hospital on December 29, a few days after undergoing an operation for an internal ailment, was born in Belfast, Ireland in 1882. He was a veteran of the First World War having served in the First Canadian Field Ambulance. He was an employee of the Silbak Premier Mine for many years and was a well-known and respected citizen of Stewart. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Amelia Bell and a brother Robert Bell, who resides in Nebraska City, Nebraska.

Funeral arrangements are in the hands of Hary Stewart, local undertaker. A service will be held in the Canadian Legion Hall on Thursday and interment will take place in the Stewart Cemetery.

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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—CBC News Roundup
7:30—Vera Benenson, Pianist
8:00—Far From the Land
9:00—Bush Ballads
9:15—Australian Rhapsody
10:00—CBC News
10:10—CBC News
10:15—These Five Writers
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
9:59—Time Signal
10:00—Ellen Harris
10:15—Morning Melodies
10:30—Melody Time
10:45—Scandinavian Melodies
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 Melodies
12:15—CBC News
12:25—Program Resume
12:30—B.C. Farm Broadcast
12:55—Recorded Interlude
1:00—Afternoon Concert
1:30—CBR Presents
1:45—Comty.—Deeds
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3:00—The Music Box
3:15—Western Five
3:30—International Comment

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COUNCIL'S INAUGURAL (Continued from Page 1)

position to proceed. There would be follow-up to be done this year and more gravel would be required.

"These and other matters," said the mayor "will require our attention. If we all put our shoulder to the wheel, I am sure we will be able to put them through."

Standing Committees

In announcing the formation of his standing committees for the year, the mayor said he had endeavored to distribute the work as equitably as possible. The committees were named as follows:

Finance—Ald. T. B. Black (chairman), Ald. W. J. McLean, Ald. H. F. Glassey.
Board of Works—Ald. G. B. Casey (chairman), Ald. D. F. Fitch, Ald. W. A. MacLean.
Utilities—Ald. W. J. McLean (chairman), Ald. J. N. Forman, Ald. D. F. Fitch.
Health, Police and Licensing—Ald. J. N. Forman, (chairman), Ald. G. D. Frizzell, Ald. W. A. MacLean.

Pioneers' Home—Ald. J. N. Forman, Ald. G. D. Frizzell, Ald. W. A. MacLean, W. G. Sheardown, H. E. Faure.

Library Board—Ald. T. B. Black, Mrs. M. M. Roper, A. D. Ritchie, Mrs. B. S. Procter, Mrs. W. S. Kergin, Bruce Stevens.
Parks Board—Ald. G. B. Casey, Ald. W. A. MacLean, Ald. Don Fitch, C. P. Balagno, Don Forward, W. D. Lambie, P. P. Forman, H. S. Whalen, City Engineer.

Wage—All chairmen of standing committees.

Health Unit—All Health Committee.

Civic Centre—Ald. D. F. Fitch, Ald. G. D. Frizzell.

Hospital Board—Ald. W. A. MacLean.

Museum Board—Mrs. N. E. Arnold.

Public Relations Council—Ald. H. F. Glassey.

Housing and Zoning Committee—Ald. W. J. McLean, Ald. G. B. Casey, Ald. T. B. Black.

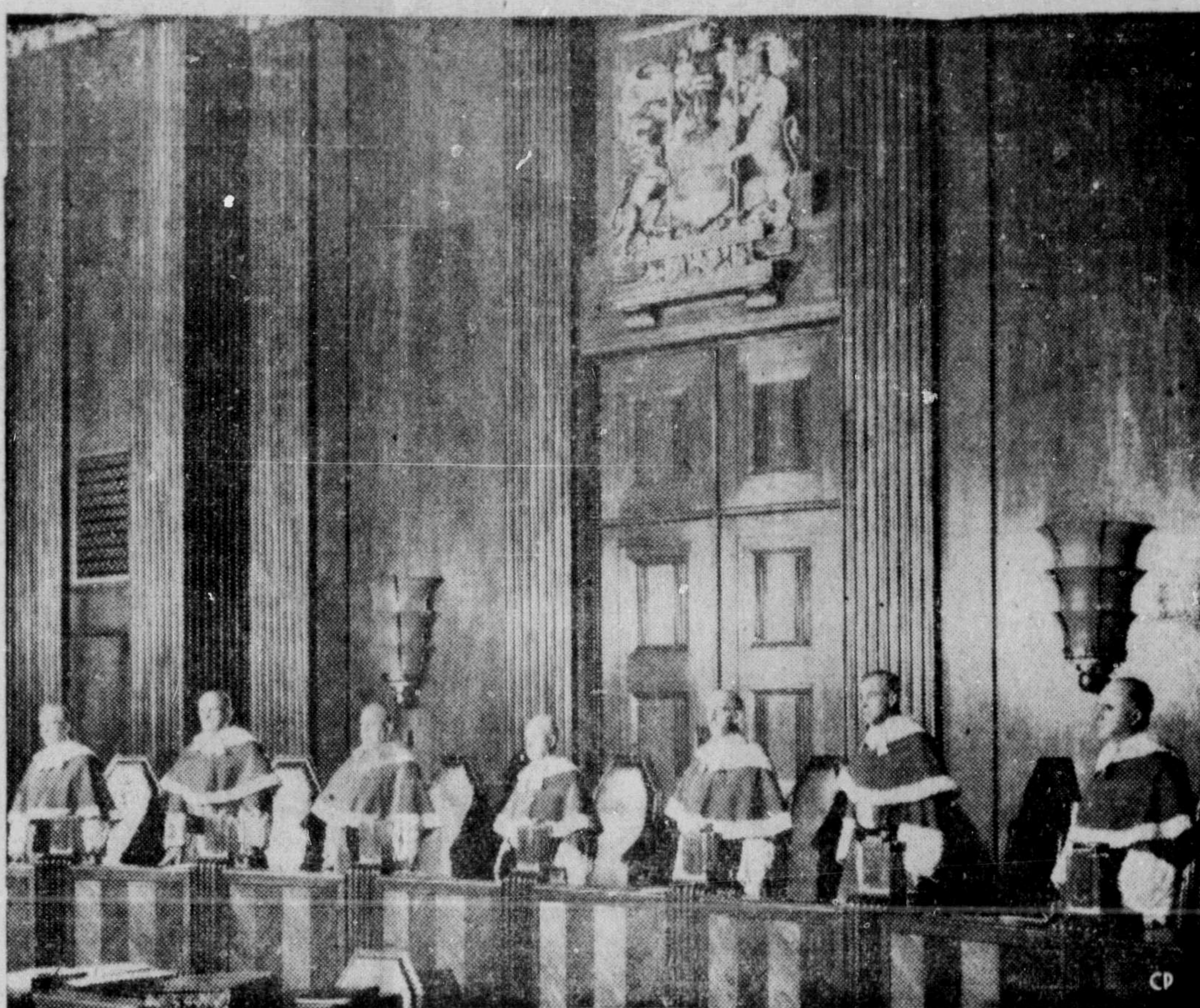
Cliff Ford Fund—Mayor G. W. Rudderham, City Clerk H. D. Thain, Ald. J. N. Forman.

Mayor's Salary Raised

The council raised the annual indemnity of the mayor from \$1,200 to \$2,000. In view of the fact that Mr. Rudderham would have to give of his time and personal sacrifice would be involved, Ald. Black asked if His Worship had any suggestion to make on his own behalf. His (Mr. Rudderham's) case might be different than that of Mrs. Arnold whose services as mayor had not entailed such a great loss to her private business affairs.

At this point Mayor Rudderham told the council that he expected during the first few months to spend practically full time if necessary. "In any case, I figure on not doing a tap of my own work during the year if the city's work requires all the time."

Ald. J. N. Forman thereupon moved that the mayoral in-



FINAL COURT OF APPEAL—Legislation passed last year made the Supreme Court of Canada the Dominion's final court of appeal. This photo by Malak shows the seven judges, in scarlet and ermine robes, taking their seats in the panelled courtroom in Ottawa. Left to right: Mr. Justices J. Wilfred Estey, Ivan C. Rand and Patrick Kerwin. Chief Justice Thibault, Mr. Justice Robert Taschereau, R. L. Kellock and C. H. Locke.

demnity be \$2000. This was seconded by Ald. W. A. McLean and unanimously carried.

The aldermanic indemnities remain at \$300.

Ald. H. F. Glassey was in full accord with the \$2000 stipend for the mayor. "We only got what we pay for," he observed. "Last year's mayor agreed to take \$1200 and we got that amount of service. We expect to get \$2000 worth of service from new mayor and I am sure we will."

At the opening of the meeting, Mayor Rudderham congratulated the aldermen who had been elected and re-elected at the municipal election. He also expressed satisfaction at the continuation of other aldermen. Mutual felicitations continued with the extending by Ald. H. F. Glassey of best wishes to Mayor Rudderham and congratulations at his having attained the high office. The mayor replied he would do his best.

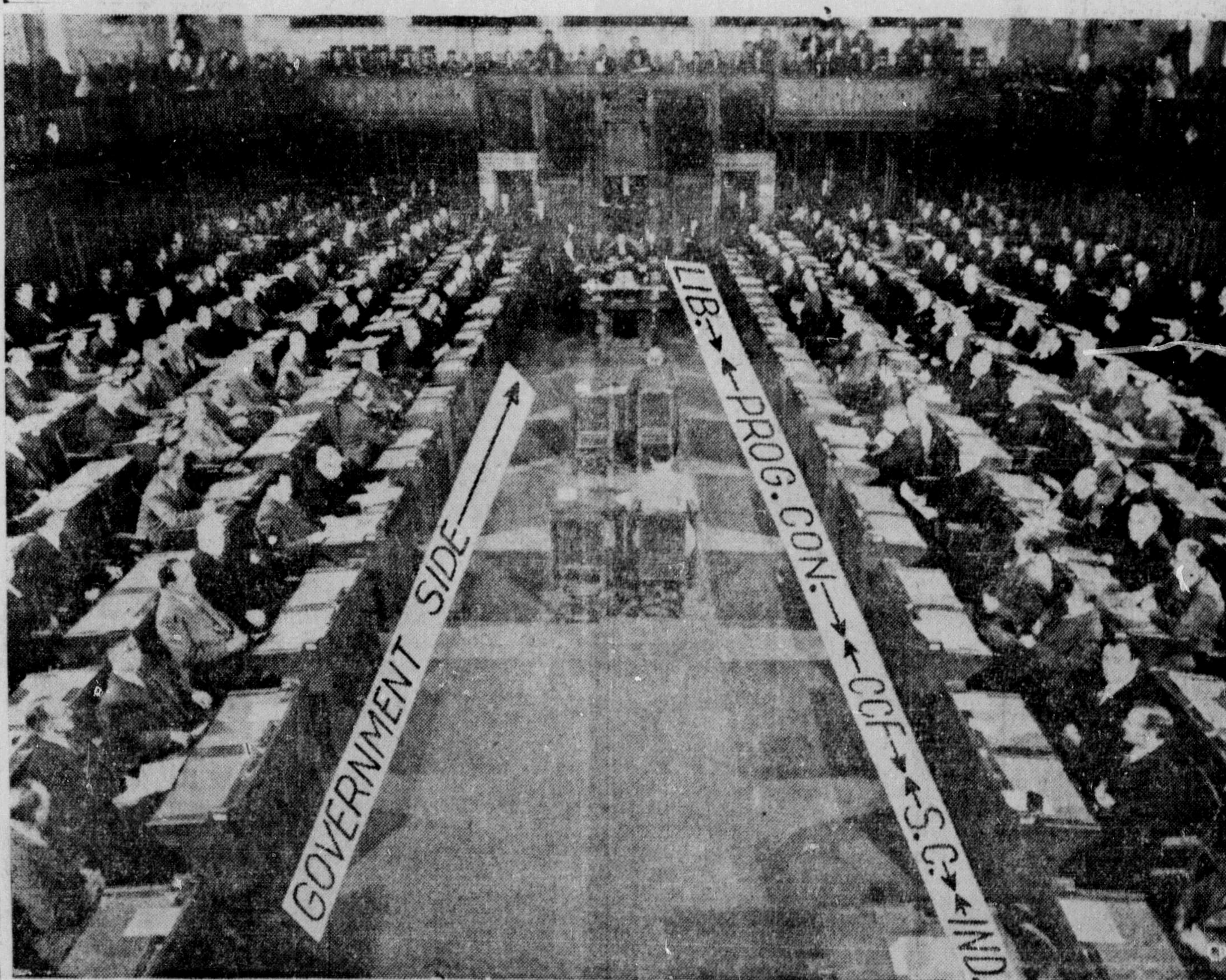
Ald. Casey observed that this was a "unique" council in that it was comprised one-half of young men who were formerly local school boys. (He referred to Ald. Don Fitch, Ald. Wilfrid McLean and Ald. Douglas Frizzell, who were born here, and Ald. T. B. Black, who came to the city as a small boy).

"This is something which I consider worthy of comment," said the venerable Casey. "I think these young men should be especially congratulated on their achievement in being elected to a city council. It has been on the city councils where

great men have had their start in public life."

Ald. Casey commented that Ald. Glassey was also a native son of British Columbia. "Only myself and one or two others may be classed as foreigners," he observed.

Only other action of the inaugural meeting last night was the naming of the court of revision to consider the 1950 assessment roll on February 8. By ballot of the council, Ald. Frizzell, Casey, Glassey and Frazer and friend.



LIBERALS ON BOTH SIDES—This is the seating arrangement in the House of Commons as a result of the Liberals' landslide victory in the June 27 general election. Government supporters fill the left side of the chamber, with Prime Minister St. Laurent sitting opposite the centre table in the middle of the house.

"Overflow" Liberals are at the upper right, on the left of Speaker Ross Macdonald, centre background. George Drew, opposition leader, sits across from Mr. St. Laurent. Arrows show the dividing lines between Progressive Conservative, C.C.F., Social Credit and Independent members of parliament. (C.P. Photo)

TODAY
7 p.m. - 9 p.m.

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Gene Kelly, Frank Sinatra, Jules Munshin are the sailors and Betty Garrett, Ann Miller and Vera-Ellen are the girls who lead them on a scintillating sight-seeing tour of the Big City.

The plot thread hangs on Kelly's search for Vera-Ellen whose picture as the girl of the month he has seen on a subway card and whom he meets briefly and falls in love with at first sight. But he loses her and looks up his pals—Sinatra, Munshin, Betty Garrett, the lady taxi driver, and Ann Miller, a glamorous anthropologist, to scour the town and find her, all of which makes a wild romp punctuated with musical music comprising a number

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