

d lines, backed by jet fighter planes and ft weapons, are being set up around major in the United

precautions aimed as commander-in-chief of the sible one-way at- armed forces to see to it that ng taken to guard our country is able to defend sea off the Atlantic itself against any possible ag-Maine to Norfolk, gressor."

In Europe President Truman's d States, pressing order to build a super-bomb rms race with Rusted to be hopeful today for international control explode the first of atomic energy. mb next year if not

which Should Keep tomic weapons including Russia, nt system of inter-ntrols, can now Laborites In rospective hydrogen

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from United

go ahead with the appealed to all British workers an the original Congress, which claims 8,000,000 In that midsummer month on January 31, 1947. was announced members, said in a 700-word there was .92 inches. President Truman. statement aimed at getting out a ad reached his conbig Labor vote in the February r his "responsibility anything to gain from a change 1943, when Old Sol was out for lowest on record. "S STOCKS of government in' Britain. The 67.8 hours, last month the sun Johnston Co Ltd. shone brightly for 113.7 hours working people have a great deal ancouver which, by the way, is the usual .031/2 to lose."

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The President of the Board of mer months. Trade charged that the Conserv-



THIS SEA MONSTER IS NO FAIRY TALE-Subject of debate for centuries, sea monsters have finally been proven to exist. This photo shows 40-foot creature left by tide on Akaba beach of Red Sea. In many respects it resembles a whale, but has pointed snout, two nine-foot elephantlike tusks.

brought a wave of new pleas Records Made For Fine January Weather; Lavish Sun, Rain Absent

Prince Rupert in the month just ended had the lightest precipitation total on record for a January when only .96 inches of combined rain and snow was recorded. Of this total .2 inches was rain, which LONDON @ - The powerful dropped in one day, and 7.6 inches was snow on four obtain money through the use Trades Union Congress last night days. (Ten inches of snow equals one of rain.)

Only in August 1945 was lower

hydrogen bomb, ex- to "vote labor at this crucial precipitation than last month's for any month since 1938 (Daily vastly more des- moment." The Trades Union total recorded in Prince Rupert. News records) was three below

23 election, that "few people in shine hours for January totalled lower than last year's 32 de- December 21, the offender disthis country or in the world have from 10 to 35 hours except in grees and probably one of the patched two other children un-

> HOCKEY SCORES total for late spring and sum-**Pacific Coast**

> > Seattle 1, Tacoma 4

Fresno 7, Los Angeles 4

Crime Comics Gave Ideas

Finding his ideas between the covers of crime comics. a city juvenile attempted to execute a plot by which he hoped to of threatening letters.

On December 17, four city businessmen each received letter threatening his family and business unless \$1,000 was passed through the Post Office. Mean temperature for the A dummy parcel representing While during other years sun- month was 18.7 degrees, much the money was mailed. On aware of the facts to call for the parcel. Followed by police, they delivered the contents at which time the juvenile was ap-

> Four charges of sending let ters to obtain money were Vancouver 8, San Francisco pressed and the offender was given a 12 months' suspended sentence on each charge to run concurrently. When evidence MacARTHUR ASKS AID was produced in court, the juvenile stated he has obtained TOKYO - General MacArthe ideas from reading crime thur's top commanders today comics. asked United States joint chiefs

prehended.

Water level drop at Woodworth Lake has been reduced to .1 inch with only 20 percent of the hydro output being taken from under a federal government plan there in order to protect the city's water supply. With a for keeping Canada's merchant minimum of power take from dom has now contracted to take Falls River, water level there on an additional 58 ships. has been almost balanced and everything there now depends on the weather and the runoff.

WHITEHORSE-More planes are carrying expert radio men to monitor signals in the area where another plane picked up a weak short wave signal in working for lower wages). wireless code at 11:16 p.m. Yukon Time last night. Its contents were not disclosed but officials were inclined to doubt DIVUNUUU if the signals came from the big United States Army plane which has been missing almost a week. However, ten Air Force search planes have been dispatched to the Smith River area, 300 miles east of here, to investigate the signals.

ALASKA WATER SHORTAGE for a short time from the west which led to the institution of JUNEAU-Water shortages at to Berlin, for the first time in federal rent controls. Chief Just- -Douglas and Sitka were report- ten days. Soviet guards, obviously ice Thibaudeau Rinfret declined ed here today. Half the town of acting on higher orders are again to accept the document as filed. Douglas ,across Gastineau passing all trucks through the Mr. Varcoe said a short history Channel from Juneau, was frontier posts at Berlin and of conditions was accepted by without water after partial Helmstedt, 100 miles to the west, the court in the margarine case freezing of mains and lowered with exacting checks. The Soviets in October 1948.

ment of government cont. ol: ada in dollars. Besides an origcould engender "very seriou: inal 65 vessels, which she has acdisaster." cepted for transfer of registry

The statement was made by Mr. Justice I. C. Rand while insmarine afloat, the United King- tening to argument in support of contentions that federal rent controls were valid.

The Supreme Court , complet-(At Vancouver, it was stated ing its second day of hearings in that the transfer of ten ships the rental case, heard a plea from from the British Columbia coast Attorney General Dana Porter of to British registry for operation Ontario that it finds controls on a sterling basis would mean that four hundred officers and valid.

The government has indicated seamen would lose their jobs to be replaced by British crews that, if the court rules federal rent controls are valid, it will

vacate the field.

Unusually involved argument broke out Monday as the Supreme Court of Canada opened its hearing into the validity of Federal rent control. V. P. Varcoe, Deputy Minister of Justice, attempted to file with the court a short history of economic fac-.

BERLIN- The Russians re- tors during and after the war. sumed their "little blockade" tac-This document was written for tics yesterday after having allow- Finance Minister Abbott and ed truck traffic to flow normally covered economic conditions

chill to ride into power and recalled that Churchill had been mark. "scorned and rejected" by the par's prior to the war.



WASHINGTON D. C. @-Senator Millard Tydings, chairman of BASKETBALLthe Senate armed services comit could invite attack. "There is every reason to suppose, now Russia is building atomic bombs, she would soon begin experiments and attempt to perfect mechanisms to build a bomb similar to the so-called hydrogen bomb," Tydings said.



game, Now they'll regret that Nick Bloom, the Indiana star. they missed one of the finest collected six in the afternoon games ever seen in this north and doubled it in the evening with 12. The fans had plenty country. All these figures added to- of laughs and certainly will noon Bo-Me-Hi played a driv- The Jets seemed to overcome tion. The Davids need agres- the fans-that they too knew sive competition and both High some of the tricks of the game. School and Jets provided plen- Sonny Beynon did a ball-spinty of spark in yesterday's en- ning number that brought down "OH, MARY, CALL THE CATTLE HOME . . . "-An artifice to in-LOCAL TIDES counters. At both sessions the the house ad Bill Sunberg crease the milk yield of cows may soon be in general usage, if civilfans were rolling in the aisles caught the comic bug in the last ization learns the lesson taught by Nora Johnston, shown here at Thursday, February 2, 1950 18.8 feet after some of the comedy, and quarter to cut a few capers of the consols of her portable "carillon"-her own invention and the 1:30 21.6 feet were more than pleased with his own. The Jets petted some only one in existence-at Manor Farm, Middlesex, Eng. Miss John-13:04 8.1 feet the basketball thrills dished up mighty fine ones during the ston frequently plays her carillon at the milking hour, and since 7:07 evening and came in for some 1.9 feet in copious quantities. her arrival at the farm, the yield of milk has increased enormous-19:44 Once again Wegner's hook- real applause from the apprecly in the sheds which are within sound of her bells. Bertram Stone, shots were sensational. He lative fans. owner of Manor Farm , has this explanation for the phenomenon : (29) encounter, all of them with (Continued on Page Four)

As for temperature readings, ative party was exploiting the the inercury rose to 37 degrees wartime glory of Winston Chur- January 6, and at present readings are hovering around that

> During other years, maximum readings have averaged 45 above.

New Year's Day was brought in with the lowest temperature of the month-three above. In January 1949 the lowest reading of staff for more air, sea and was 17.2 above. The mercury land strength to hold defence dropped to one above in January lines in tumultuous Asia. 1943 but the lowest on record

mittee, agrees that the United House of David Wins Games And States should go ahead with the House of David Wins Games And development of the hydrogen Admiration of Rupert's Crowds bomb, saying that failure to have

> Bo-Me-Hi 42-House of Davids 61 Rupert Jets 54-House of Davids 69

Five Hundred Prince Rupert kids, who proudly carry autographs of one or more of the touring House of David team, swear that they can lick any team in Canada, United States and assorted coun- France, Norway, Italy, Greece, ground army, air force and with rents. but would either be tries, any time, any place.

Also 700 fans share somewhat the same opinion as the kids after seeing last

night's sparkling basketball ex- deadly precision. He snagged Convention hibition at the Civic Centre. the rebounds at both baskets Also 25 or more fans, who and scored whenever the spirit OTTAWA (CP)-The Canadian Congress of Labor said Tuesday that it hopes to soon call a na- watched the first game, came heard from too, and Pottenger tional convention of unemployed. to the conclusion that the Da- sank nine beauties in the after-The national council of the 300,- vids were not of the same cal- noon game to lead the scoring 000-member C.C.L. decided Janu- ibre as the Globetrotters, and with 18 points, repeating his ary 19 to organize unemployed immediately cancelled their performance in the evening for workers and bring them into af- ticket orders for the last night's 18 more. filation with the Congress. Yesterday Pat Conroy, C.C.L. secretary, said that organization .061/2 of the new group was proceeding rapidly and appointment of a gether make the final score for welcome the Davids back to this .051/2 national director and associate yesterdays field day at the Ci- Northwestern corner of B.C. any .041/2 director would be announced in vic Centre. In the early after- time they care to make the trip. .461/2 a few days. The basic function of the or- ing game, which showed the their awe of the previous night ganization, Conroy said, would be Davids to a decided advantage and even pulled a few comedy to try and get work for the mem- after Monday night's attrac- numbers out of the hat to show · bers. .341/2 High • Jerry's Barber Shop open scored 17 in the student game Bo-me-hi, also played a pleas-9 a. m. to 6 p. m. Our own power. and a smart 27 in the evening ing game in the afternoon and



OTTAWA ()-Thousands of Commonwealth fighting men who died and found no graves in World War II, are going to have joint memorials both in the lands where they fought. and elsewhere.

water shortage.

VICTORIA TRAGEDY VICTORIA - Mr. and Mrs. William C. Bradshaw, aged 56 and 58, were suffocated today when fire destroyed their home. a duplex dwelling, here today. Three children were saved when their mother tossed them Many Would out of an upstairs window.

RUSSIA SUPERIOR

WACO, Texas-In a speech prepared for delivery at Baylor University mid-year exercises. United States Air Secrethey defended and the lands tary W. Stuart Symington said group surveyed by the Canadian that Russia is capable of Welfare Council face eviction if Imperial War Graves Commis- launching a surprise atomic housing controls are lifted. This sion announced today that two attack on any part of the Unit- was reported today in a council of a proposed series of memorials ed States against which we study of 1,058 families known to undersea fleet.

"Any farmer knows that a whistling herdsman gets a better yield

-- it seems to make the beasts more contented somehow."

water pressure. Some homes in did not give any reason for the Sitka are reported to be with- armistice nor for the renewal, Nova Scotia Motor out water. Petersburg and just as they never gave any offi- Vessel Safe in Port Ketchikan are also suffering cial reason for starting their highway heckling. The truce on road traffic

across the Russian zone frontiers was thus ended after one day, a voyage from Halifax, entered the Russians resuming their slow and thorough inspections which, it is contended , are meant only to slow up traffic.

LIVERPOOL, Nova Scotia The motor vessel Atlantic Salvage, with five men aboard and more than 24 hours overdue on this south shore harbor port yesterday, reporting all hands safe. Capt. Albert Lloyd said he put into a cove to wait out a gale. Air and search had already been launched for the missing 50-fool vessel.

Be Evicted OTTAWA-About 4 in 10 families in a lower and middle-class

will be erected in Canada and have no sure defence. He said Canadian Welfare agencies. Main others in United Kingdom, New that the Communist dictators reason for eviction, the report Zealand, Malta, Hong Kong, new have the world's largest said, would not be connected because landlords want to regain possession of shared'accommodation or because new owners want to get possession of houses they have bought. However, increases in rent would no doubt result in further evictions, since almost 40 percent of the families surveyed are already paying more than one fifth of their income in rent. THE WEATHER

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Synopsis

Warmer air lies over the Queen Charlotte Islands and along the west coast of Vancouver Island. Minimums in the warm air ranged between 25 and 30. The remainder of the province lies under a blanket of cold air which shows no indication of receding in the next 48 hours. There will be variable cloudiness ASCENDS 19 MILES - The and a few snow flurries in most "skyhook," a plastic balloon coastal areas while in the inter- only 1-1,000 of an inch thick, is ior skies will remain generally shown as it was released at an clear. Tonight is expected to be airport in St Louis, Mo., during very cold in most regions of the | a demonstration by the Ameriprovince.

Forecast

North Coast Region-Variable cloudiness and a few snow flurries today and Thursday. Little change in temperature. Light winds. Lows tonight and highs tomorrow-at Port Hardy 20 and weather data to the scientists 32, Sandspit, 28 and 38, Prince Rupert, 25 and 35.



can Meteorological society. The balloon rose at the rate of 1,000 feet per minute and reached an altitude of 100,000 feet. At that altitude it automatically released scientific instruments, which broadcast below. The instruments then parachuted to earth.



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Møre Sober Reading

CHANGE TO more sober reading in the liter-Vary tastes of the public of Prince Rupert are indicated in the annual report of the Prince Rupert Public Library to which many new "worthwhile" books were added during the year. While general circulation for the year was down, an increase was shown in each division of the adult non-fiction section, the report shows. Another gratifying development at the library is the institution of the Young People's Section which the librarian s'ays it to be given further attention during the coming year.

All of which is a solid trend which indicates that Prince Rupert people are becoming more seriousminded and are endeavouring to improve themselves in the quality if not the quantity of their reading.



ON TRAIL OF SYNTHETIC BLOOD-Through atomic research at the California Institute of Technology it may soon become possible to find a substitute for human blood, according to Dr. Shields Warren, centre, director of the division of Biology and Medicine for the U.S. atomic energy commission. Dr. Warren is pictured with Dr. John Derry, left, and Dr. John Bowers in Portland, Ore., where the trio are inspecting research facilities.

Former Local Man Passes

Walter Thompson, formerly of Prince Rupert and residing at Oliver for the past seven years, passed away at his home in Oliver recently. He is survived by his wife, three daughters and two sons. The burial tok place Forest Lawn, Vancouver.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

Prince Rupert

Stan McClay, Vancouver, F. C. Penny, Digby Island. V. R. Clerihue, Vancouver; B. Hallesty, N. Bloom, H. Witte, Bob Wegner, V. Stanewitz, B. Pottenger, K. Larsh, Benton Harbor, Mich.

MINERAL ACT FORM F (Section 58 (d).) NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENT Mineral Claims:-Big Bull; Bull No. 1; Bull No. 6; Bull No. 5; Jean Hugh.

Situate in: Atlin Mining Division Where situated: On the north ide of the Taku River, near Tulsequah. B. C.

Mrs. E. King of the White Apartments sailed by the Coquitlam yesterday afternoon for a visit to Port Coquitlam.

LAND REGISTRY ACT RE: Certificate of Title No. 32110-I to Lot One (1), Block Thirtyseven (37), Section Seven (7), City of Prince Rupert, Map 923 WHEREAS satisfactory proof of loss of the above Certificate of Title

issued in the name of Levi Freestad, has been filed in this office, notice is hereby given that I shall at the expiration of one month from the date of th first publication hereof, issue a Provisional Certificate of Title in lieu of said lost Certificate, unless in the meantime valid objection be made to me in writing. DATED at the Land Registry Office, Prince Rupert, B. C., this 18th day of January, 1950, A. D. Andrew Thompson Deputy Registrar of Titles

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