

Chinese Yuan Would Give Up Struggle

AND PAPER PRODUCTION SEEN SOLUTION TO TIMBER INDUSTRY

VICTORIA — Hon. E. T. Kenney, minister of forests, speaking last night, devoting much address to forests of British Columbia and what natural wealth, properly handled and controlled could mean to the industrial and economic life of the province, the nation and Empire.

No small part of the unprecedented prosperity of British Columbia, Mr. Kenney declared, had been due to the timber industry. The minister admitted, however, that the market this year was neither as wide or as profitable as it had been in recent years due to the loss of the British market to which forty per cent of British Columbia lumber had been exported.

A stimulated domestic demand might be a temporary stop gap but, with the problem of continuing accumulation of lower grades, Mr. Kenney saw as the most likely permanent solution, the development of the pulp and paper industry, the 1947 production of which had been the greatest on record. In this industry, the minister felt that British Columbia was in a favored position. One new pulp mill had started production, two more were under construction and another was being started.

The Department, Mr. Kenney said, was constantly receiving applications for sales of timber and was continually sending out information.

The minister alluded to the possible threat of expropriation in the event of a political change. Possible investors desired protection in this regard.

A primary problem, the minister declared, was that of maintenance and continuity of production of timber on a permanent basis to meet which this province had adopted the system of management leases for sustained yield.

British Columbia occupied a strategic position in a world which was hungry for wood products. His department was devoting every effort toward assisting in bringing the gap between the phases of seller's and buyer's market.

Canada's Aid Imposing

AND EUROPEAN HELP

OTTAWA, — Canada in 1948

received a European aid program of her own which, on a comparative basis, ranked favorably with and possibly surpassed the towering statistics of the United States Marshall plan.

Canada's aid program, which ran between \$15,000,000 and \$20,000,000, was exceeded by 18, the relative figure of the United States figure of \$15,000,000. Added to this figure should be the aid from Britain under the Marshall plan which had got on the market.

PRICE IS GOING DOWN

Will Be Seven Cents Per Dozen Less Next Week

VANCOUVER — Housewives

will pay seven cents a dozen less for eggs January 25 when poultry producers start shipments to retail under the 1949 contract. Consumers will receive 35c per dozen and domestic prices must be higher.

Lighting Operation Relieves Load on Portland Canal Town

Essential Foods, Passengers and Mail Transferred Over Hyder, Alaska, Dock

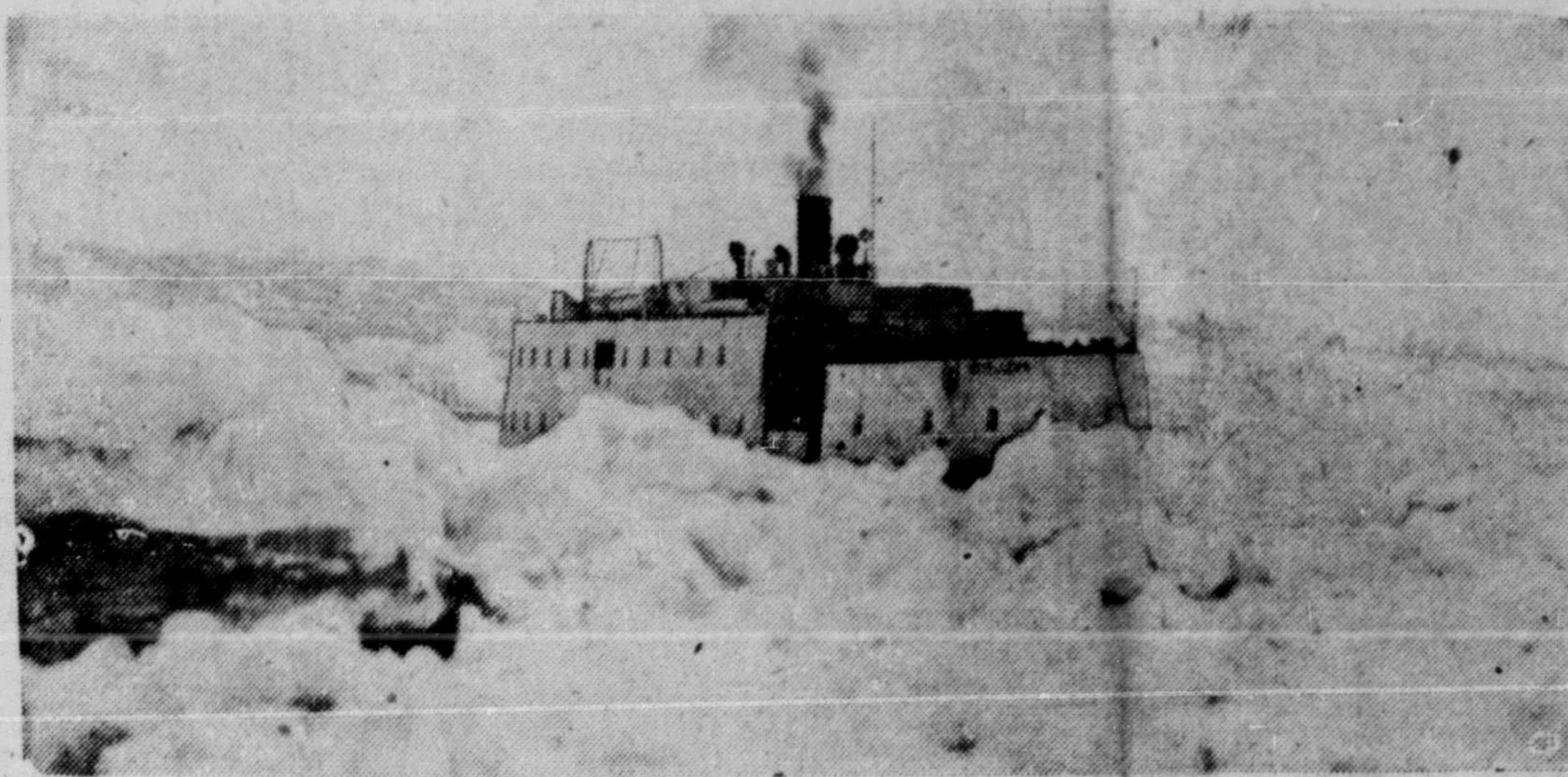
Six inches of solid ice blocks the head of Portland Canal, 120 miles north of Prince Rupert, and the Steamship Co.'s coastal liner Camosun was unable to reach the Stewart wharf late Monday to make her weekly call. In order to deliver essential supplies of meat and bread to that north coast mining town, an international transportation operation had to be initiated. A ship's lifeboat made way through a quarter-mile channel in the ice to reach the dock at nearby Hyder, Alaska, over which passengers and mail were also handled to and from the steamer.

The emergency lighting operation was under the personal supervision of the Camosun's master, John Boden, and the passengers and mail were transferred to the charge of Second Officer Morrison and Third Officer Lewis.

States and Canadian officials kept a watch over the transfer which lasted about an hour and a half and was smoothly carried out. Boden also reported ice on the coast of Chillywak having been broken before, he was able to bring the Camosun into the port for the regular call.

Basketball TONIGHT

BO-M-HI vs. SAVOY



ICE-FILLED HARBOR—Snow and sleet storms that ushered out the old year, left Quebec harbor crammed with ice, disrupting ferry schedules to Levis, on the opposite side of the St. Lawrence river. The ferry Clite de Levis is shown here battling its way to docks. (CP Photo)

FROZEN STEERING GEAR, TRAGEDY

VICTORIA, — Frozen steering gear aboard the smaller craft is blamed for the collision mishap at the week-end when the steamer Princess Maquina struck the gasboat Lorraine in Esperanza Inlet and three Tahsli Canal Indians were drowned as they were enroute to a wedding at Nootka Sound on the West Coast of Vancouver Island. Four survivors were picked up by the steamship and taken to Esperanza Mission Hospital.

TODAY'S STOCKS

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

Vancouver	
Bayonne	.05 3/4
Bralorne	9.25
B.R. Con.	.02 1/2
B.R.X.	.08
Cariboo Quartz	1.40
Congress	.05
Hedley Mascot	.48
Pacific Eastern	.07
Pend Oreille	5.80
Pioneer	3.65
Premier Border	.03 1/2
Privateer	.17
Reeves McDonald	3.05
Reno	.07
Sheep Creek	1.60
Silbak Premier	.37 1/2
Taku River	.32
Vananda	.37
Salmon Gold	.13
Spud Valley	.07
Oils—	
Anglo Canadian	4.60
A.P. Con.	.23
Atlantic	.86
Calmont	.48
C. & E.	.85
Central Leduc	1.50
Home Oil	12.75
Mercury	.16
Okaita	1.60
Pacific Pete	2.75
Princess	.39
Royal Canadian	.11 1/2
South Brazeau	.21
Toronto	
Athens	15 1/2
Aumaque	19 1/2
Beattie	.62
Bevcourt	.28
Bobjo	.13
Buffalo Canadian	.19
Consol. Smelters	121.00
Conwest	1.40
Donalda	.58
Eldona	.70
East Sullivan	3.15
Giant Yellowknife	5.70
God's Lake	.50
Hardrock	.21
Harricana	.08
Heva	.13
Hosco	.30
Jacknife	.04 1/2
Joliet Quebec	.46
Lake Rowan	.06
Lapaska	.10 1/2
Little Long Lac	1.05
Lynx	.16
Madsen Red Lake	2.79
McKenzie Red Lake	.42
McLeod Cockshutt	1.15
Moneta	.52
Negus	2.40
Noranda	56.00
Louvicourt	.41 3/4
Pickle Crow	2.30
Regcourt	.05 1/4
San Antonio	4.30
Senator Rouyn	.47
Sherrit Gordon	2.40
Steep Rock	1.60
Sturgeon River	.17
Silver Miller	.35

Bulletins

NO INTERIM INCREASE

OTTAWA—The Board of Transport Commissioners today refused to hear an application of the railway companies for an immediate interim ten per cent increase in railway freight rates. The railways' application for an increase will be dealt with in the way of a review of the increase granted last spring. The Board suspended an increase of freight rates on farm implements which was imposed in December.

MacMILLAN PROFITS

VANCOUVER—A net profit of \$8,500,000 on operations of the H. R. MacMillan Co. enterprises last year is announced. A new \$8,750,000 expansion program will be applied mostly to the company's new sulphate pulp plant near Nanaimo. Company sales for the year totalled \$80,000,000. The sum of \$21,000,000 was paid out in wages, benefits, taxes and dividends. Wages amounted to \$13,250,000.

WINTRY IN CALIFORNIA

LOS ANGELES—What probably is the worst snowstorm in southern California's history today blanketed several suburban Los Angeles communities with up to six inches of snow. Pasadena's Colorado Boulevard, the scene ten days ago of the Tournament of Roses floral parade, is carpeted with two inches of snow. San Francisco had 14 above. (Prince Rupert's minimum temperature reading last night was 32.3 above).

FIGHTING NEARS CLIMAX

NANKING—While the Yuan appealed for an immediate cease-fire in the war with the Communists, powerful Communist armies were reported battering down government resistance in Tientsin and on the northern approaches to Nanking. Fighting north of Nanking is described by returning pilots as "the heaviest we have ever seen at any time in China." Some reports say the Reds either have occupied the great northern industrial city of Tientsin or that terms have been arranged for its surrender.

NO BRITISH PROTEST

LONDON—Great Britain will not make a formal protest at the United Nations at the shooting down of five British planes by the Israeli government.

INDUSTRY IN CANADA BOOMS

Going Ahead on Scale Not Equalled by Any Other World Trade Nation

OTTAWA, — Industrialization of Canada is proceeding at a rate hardly matched "by any other country in world trade," Rt. Hon. C. D. Howe, minister of trade and industry, said Sunday. "As a result of this expansionist process and other favorable conditions," Mr. Howe added "our manufacturing industry has been able to more than treble its output in dollar terms and about double it in real terms in the short space of 10 years."

LOCAL TIDES

Wednesday, January 12, 1949
High 11:16 20.6 feet
Low 5:11 10.1 feet
18:12 3.8 feet

IS ACQUITTED OF BRIBERY

Charges by Detective Against Mrs. Elsie Chan of Vancouver Dismissed

VANCOUVER, —Elsie Chan, Vancouver Chinese woman, charged with offering bribes totalling \$15,000 monthly to a Vancouver police officer, was last night acquitted of the charge.

Detective Sergeant Percy A. Hoare had charged that the woman came to his home and offered him a rake-off of from \$600 to \$800 per month from each of 11 houses. She was alleged to have said that old places were having trouble with new competition. Hoare also said that the woman offered to organize six lotteries to pay him \$250 a month each.

Mrs. Chan said she visited Hoare's home for advice about recently-raided premises in which she was a partner.

Defence counsel said the charges were ridiculous in view of Mrs. Chan's financial condition.

PROPAGANDA OF SOVIET BANNED

BERLIN, — General Sir Brian Robertson, British military governor, yesterday banned importation of any Soviet licensed newspaper, film, book or any other such German language propaganda into the British zone of Germany.

ACTOR IS CONVICTED

Robert Mitchum Found Guilty on Marijuana Charge

LOS ANGELES, — Robert Mitchum, idol of bobbie soxers, was convicted yesterday of conspiracy to possess marijuana in a 45-minute trial in Superior Court.

The end of the trial came with suddenness as a result of a surprising manoeuvre by Jerry Giesler, Mitchum's counsel. When the trial opened Giesler waived jury trial on the conspiracy count only and agreed to submit the case solely on transcript of earlier testimony before grand jury.

Convicted with the 31 year Mitchum were Lila Leeds, 25-year old actress, and Robert Ford, 31. The trio had been having a marijuana party.

The other count in the indictment, possession of narcotics, has a mandatory sentence of 90 days at least.

Giesler applied for probation and the judge set hearing for February 9. Until then action on the first count will be held in abeyance.

THE WEATHER

Synopsis

The weather along the west coast of North America reversed itself today. Warm winds of the ocean sent temperatures in northern British Columbia and southern Yukon up to the pleasant forties. Meanwhile icy winds from the interior kept a grip on the coast from Washington to California. Snow was reported as having occasionally occurred in the Los Angeles area. Burbank had 3 inches of snow on the ground. Fortunately the moderating weather will reach to most sections of the province during the day. There is still no indication of rain along the southern British Columbia coast for the next few days.

SAWDUST IS RATIONED

VANCOUVER — a system of sawdust rationing was agreed upon yesterday at a meeting between the fuel committee of the city council and the mill operators. One unit to a customer will be delivered direct from the mills on a first come, first served basis. The city fuel director today described the sawdust situation as hopeless and said that many local furnaces would have to reconvert to coal or wood.

Appeal for Peace Being Made to Communists

YUAN'S APPEAL

NANKING (CP)—The Chinese-controlled Yuan (council) today decided to appeal for an immediate cease-fire to end the war with the Communists. The Yuan, highest supervisory body of the Chinese government, issued a 5000-word declaration urging the Communists to "adopt the same attitude to peace" as President Chiang Kai-Shek did in his New Year message and to respect the people's desire to end the war's suffering. With the military picture darkening, government officials have stepped up their fight from Nanking. Peace rumors continue to flow in every direction.

NANKING, — Chinese legislators, still in this capital today, joined in peace demands at an informal meeting in which several Kuomintang (government) party members insisted on immediate end of the Chinese civil war.

The meeting was held as unofficial but usually reliable sources reported that the Nationalists had asked for Big Four mediation of the war, now extending the bid to Soviet Russia, Tientsin and Peking, it is predicted here, may fall to the Communists within a week.

Li Pu-Stang, whose proposals for an end of the civil war won him the title of "peace monger," demanded that members of the Legislature go to Yenan and Manchuria to talk directly to the Communists. He told the legislators that they have a responsibility toward the nation and should carry them out instead of "just sitting on the sofa awaiting orders."

Meantime, the fall of Tientsin to the Communists is expected momentarily. The inner defences have been reached and the Communists are so confident that they have refused to meet a peace mission from the city authorities.

Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek denies that he is moving the government to Formosa although he has sent considerable of his property there, including six automobiles.

COUNTERFEIT GANG CHAINS MAN IN HOUSE

VANCOUVER, — A province-wide search for a gang of counterfeiters was touched off Monday night with the finding of a 71-year old engraver chained to a large metal box in the basement of a Dunbar district home.

Police said he had been chained for five days. They said they were certain the captive was being "softened up" for use in the preparation of plates for printing bogus currency.

The man, now in hospital, told the police he was not mistreated. He was given food and water. Neighbors called the police when they had not seen anyone enter or leave the house for some time.

Teen-Agers Guilty Of Bank Robbery

VANCOUVER—Two teen-age boys pleaded guilty here yesterday to charges of holding up the Granville and Robson Street branch of the Royal Bank of Canada. They had been brought back from Toronto. Previously a local youth, arrested while baby-sitting, had been found guilty.

NEW SHIPS ARE BEING BUILT

VANCOUVER — Proceeds of the \$3,377,000 sale of five ships of the Lake class to Greek and Panamanian flag companies will be used to finance the construction of an undisclosed number of modern freighters for Canada's merchant marine, it is announced by John Rosene, president of Western Canada Steamships.

The sale made Saturday is said to be the largest in the history of Vancouver shipping. The ships, sold at \$675,000 each, were not able to compete with other ships of faster speeds.

ONTARIO WOMAN KILLED BY TRAIN

LILLOOET — Mrs. B. C. Harrington, 64, of Brantford, Ont., was killed Monday when struck by a freight train. She is survived by her husband in Brantford and a son at nearby Salth, B.C.

Women Hurt In Vancouver Fire

VANCOUVER — Two women are in hospital with injuries and four are homeless following a fire late yesterday afternoon in the 1100 block on Pacific Street. One of the women sustained a broken ankle in a 16-foot jump. Another suffered cuts to hands and legs.

FIRST MONEY MINT

The first money mint probably was established in Lydia toward the end of the eighth century B. C.

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Building Warships

THE BUILDING of more warships in Canada is just around the corner and it is reasonable to expect Prince Rupert will have opportunity to share in the program.

The Dominion's 1949 defence decision is about to be put into effect and this involves construction of anti-submarine escort vessels. Right now, consideration is being given details of contracts. According to Ottawa, shipbuilding concerns located in the Maritime Provinces, Quebec and British Columbia will be invited to bid. An announcement is looked for late this month. The general design of these ships is British, modified to Canadian needs.

IMPROVING C.N.R. GROUNDS

THAT PART of the railway reserve, between the fountain and Sixth Street, has been cleared of the drab, unpainted little buildings put up during the war and is now just the same as it was prior to 1940. It probably will not remain that way, indefinitely? In the opposite direction, between the fountain and the high lookout, there is at least, the commencement of a park system, while a fine big hotel is definitely on the tapis for the site extending towards Sixth Street.

There are already some attractive walks and pathways, flower beds and shrubbery where the yellow blooms of broom flourish through the long days of early summer. If the railway could see fit to change the rest of the reserve from the dreary looking muskeg it now is, into smooth turf, with walks and occasional seat, Prince Rupert would have a pleasing front door instead of a half completed job. And city co-operation, in the shape of moving the bandstand there, and regular summer concerts would make it that much better.

HALIFAX NEWSPAPERS

THE FOUR Halifax daily papers that recently merged into two and are now publishing as one morning and one evening journal, are housed in the Herald's plant on Argyle Street. Both are independent. Under the former set-up, the combined circulation of the Herald and Mail was 91,831, while that of the Chronicle and Star was 28,390. There had not been the slightest hint of what was pending. The new publications aim "to combine the best features of the original four papers and to extend and further widen the news content."

Thousands of good stories could be told originating in or about those colorful old dailies. Some were never published.

It is probably correct to say that in every newspaper office in Canada, once news of the merger became known, the deal was discussed or commented on either briefly or at length.

The history of the Herald-Chronicle could be said to be the history of the Maritimes for a century. It was once owned by Joseph Howe, son of a New England Loyalist and father of responsible government.

It was Howe who became defendant in what was one of the first libel actions in Canada's journalistic history, and possibly the most far-reaching. He published a letter accusing the magistrates—then Halifax's governing body—of misappropriation of public funds. Howe's six hour speech in his own defence led to his acquittal and made legal history. More than that it led to the downfall of the magistrates, the coming of responsible government, and the wider freedom of the press. Howe went on to become the Premier and finally Lieutenant Governor of his province.

Among Howe's successors, in control of the paper, was W. S. Fielding, who served as Minister of Finance in the Laurier Government. Incidentally, while actively engaged in journalism, he scored a notable feat in publishing news of a shipwreck near Halifax. Deaths were numerous.

Halifax, with her background of the army and navy, hot political campaigns and long and dramatic history, has been a fertile field for important and readable stories. But the greatest of all happened one bright winter morning during the first great war when a ship exploded in the busy harbor. Part of the city was literally destroyed and thousands killed, casualties including members of the newspaper staffs.

A fifth daily, the Recorder, once flourished in Halifax. It was old-fashioned and, because of this, some subscribers loved it, for they were not up to date themselves. The Recorder never changed. It had wide columns, changeless make-up ideas, much the same kind of headlines, and general pattern in the setting of advertisements. Illustrations were few, if any. The paper was eminently solid, accurate and respectable. It had a solemnity and, as if to relieve the pervading correctness, it printed a fine sporting page that got along without the use of slang. The Recorder was a shade wide, for comfort or convenience in reading, but that was the subscribers' concern.



LIBERAL NOMINEE—Paul A. Trahan, 40-year old Nicolet lawyer who will represent the Liberal party in the February 7 by-election in the Quebec riding of Nicolet-Yamaska. The vacancy was caused by the death of Lucien Dubois, Liberal. So far Mr. Trahan is the sole candidate.

CITY PONDERES NEW WELFARE, HEALTH PLAN

A proposal by the provincial Department of Health and Welfare for a "new deal" in the apportionment of costs for medical services to social welfare cases is being considered by city council.

The new plan calls for an arrangement between the Department of Health and Welfare and the British Columbia College of Physicians and Surgeons under which the latter would undertake to provide medical care for all persons in receipt of social assistance at a cost of \$14.50 a year.

Under the current plan, minimum medical attention, consisting of office and home visits, has been given by doctors for \$6 a year of which the municipality pays 20 percent and the province 80 percent.

Municipalities, however, are required to pay for surgical and other costs beyond the minimum service which often amounts to considerable sums.

The new plan, the department points out, would include specialist services, oculists and others and payments would be made on a monthly basis to the College of Physicians and Surgeons based on the total number in receipt of social assistance from month to month. It is desired that the scheme should take effect from March 1.

In apportioning costs, it is proposed that the municipal share of the gross total be reduced by the ratio of population in organized territory to the total population of the province. After this deduction, the balance indicates the payment to be made for social assistance cases residing in municipalities.

It is proposed that the municipal share of 20 percent be assessed on a per capita basis, dividing the total population in municipalities according to the 1941 census to arrive at the per capita rate and to assess the individual municipalities on a basis of the 1941 census.

In this regard, Prince Rupert stands to gain, it was pointed out in council, because the 1941 census lists this city's population at about 6,100 whereas now it is much greater.

It is roughly estimated at present that the per capita rate of cost would be about 15 cents.

If a municipality does not desire to enter into the plan of complete medical service for social assistance cases, it will

What City Council Did

Decided to continue its annual grant of \$100 a month to the Civic Centre Association. The grant was approved on a temporary basis, pending consideration of estimates, at which time it will be considered again.

Referred to the finance committee a request of the Prince Rupert General Hospital Association that the city release to it three lots on Fourth Avenue East near the Nurses' Home on grounds that they may be needed in view of increasing need for hospital facilities. The most likely use they would be put to is a site for a nurses' home.

Placed in the hands of the Board of Works construction of a sidewalk on the west side of McBride Street between Second and Third Avenues, a matter which was referred from the 1948 council.

Referred to the Board of Works for study and recommendation a petition by the proprietors of the Ocean View and Commercial Hotels for construction of sidewalks on First Avenue to their premises.

Placed in the hands of

the wage committee requests by the Civic Employees' Union, Fire Fighters' Union and the Electricians' Union for amendments to their 1948 working agreements with the city. The committee will contact representatives of the unions regarding meeting dates for negotiations.

Referred to the utilities committee the matter of appointing a successor to Fire Chief H. T. Lock who plans to retire next March.

The matter of constructing a fence around the newly-built Gyro swimming pool at McClymont Park was referred to the Board of Works. Last year's council left the matter until this year because of lack of funds. Estimated cost is \$450.

Approved the action of the licensing committee in granting trade licenses to H. A. Nelson, cafe operator, and R. A. McLean and M. C. Brydges as public accountants.

Approved a report by the Board of Works that a drainage nuisance on McBride Street between Fifth and Third Avenues is being investigated by the City Engineer's department.

Steamship Movements

For Vancouver
Sunday—ss. Coquitlam, 11 p.m.
Tuesday—ss. Camosun, 1:30 p.m.
Thursday—ss. Prince Rupert, 11:15 p.m.
Feb. 5 and 20—ss. Princess Norah, a.m.

From Vancouver
Sunday—ss. Camosun, 11 p.m.
Wednesday—ss. Prince George 10 a.m.

Friday—ss. Coquitlam, 1 p.m.
January 15 and 29—ss. Princess Norah, a.m.

For Alice Arm and Stewart
Sunday—ss. Cardena, 11 p.m.

From Alice Arm and Stewart
Tuesday—ss. Camosun, a.m.

From Ocean Falls
Wednesday—ss. Prince Rupert 10 a.m.

Wednesday—ss. Prince Rupert
January 15 and 29—ss. Princess Norah, a.m.

For Alaska
Thursday—ss. Prince Rupert, 11:15 p.m.

January 5 and 20—ss. Princess Norah, p.m.

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Wednesday—ss. Prince Rupert midnight.

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then be responsible for making its own arrangements with physicians at its own cost without aid from the province.

"This is a step in the right direction," Mayor Arnold commented. "We have urged a scheme similar to this in a brief to the Union of B.C. Municipalities some time ago."

Alderman T. B. Black moved that the matter be referred to the social assistance committee with instructions to bring in a comparison of costs between the proposed plan and actual costs of 1948.

Sugar is used in the treatment of stomach ulcers because it furnishes energy without irritating the lesion.

Here's News—They Love Paying Taxes

PETERSHAM, Mass. — Harry Bates, tax collector in this little town, says the people just love to pay their taxes. Every year, he states, collections are 100 percent total away before the coming on New Year's Day. He declared that to him it feels like a Christmas gift.



CARDINAL ARRESTED—Zoltano Ludovics Cardinal Minszenty, Roman Catholic prelate of Hungary, who has been arrested on charges of betraying his country, was one of the hierarchy present for the Marian Congress in Ottawa last summer. This National Film Board photo shows Cardinal Minszenty as he left one of the services at Lansdowne Park. (CP Photo)

'Phone Questions Are Answered

Answers to 60 questions concerning technical and financial matters connected with the proposed \$550,000 telephone loan were handed down last night in council by Utilities Chairman H. M. Daggett and copies of the document circulated among the aldermen for study. The questions were placed before council last week by Alderman George B. Casey for the purpose, he said, of informing them of conditions on the present and proposed set-ups and stimulating enlightening discussion. Answers to the questions were provided by the city telephone department.

Youth Hostels In National Parks

OTTAWA—The National Parks Service is adding several youth hostels to accommodation in the Banff and Jasper National Parks, the Minister of Resources, Hon. J. A. McKinnon announces. One of the new hostels is near Lake Louise, another near Mount Eisenhower. Four others are being erected near Mount Edith Cavell, Geikie Station, Maligne Canyon and Athabaska Falls.

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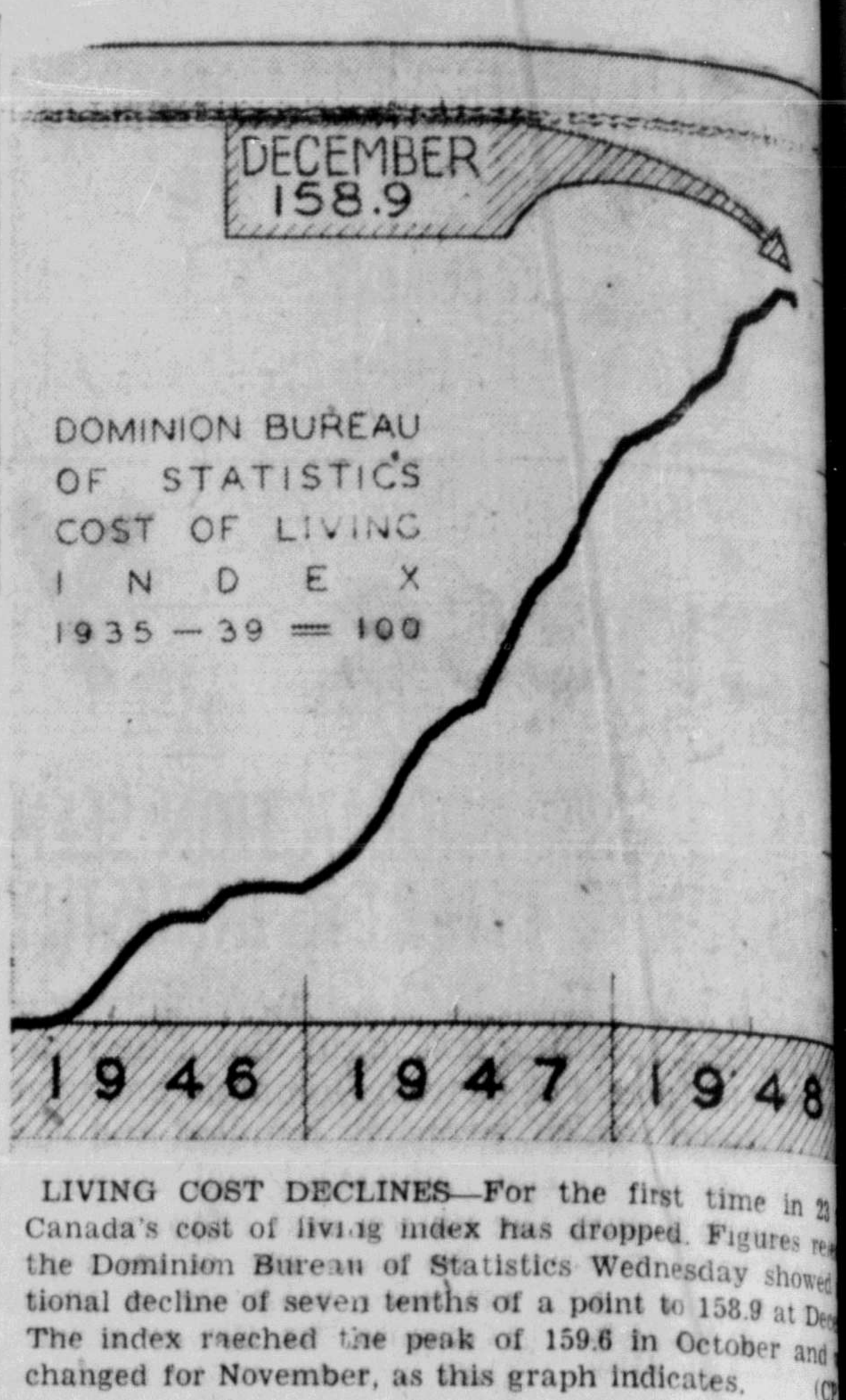
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WINTER ARRIVES—Southern Ontario is digging out from one of the worst New Year's storms in many years. Traffic was paralyzed in most parts of the province over last week-end and secondary roads blocked. Even the snowplows found it difficult to battle in Toronto's suburbs. This photo shows a road in Elobiecke Township which stalled two plows and a grader attempted to free a bus and four automobiles. A third plow and another grader were necessary to clear the road. (CP Photo)

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WEDDING COUPLE

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SILVER WEDDING DAY OBSERVED

Mr. and Mrs. George Ciccone Ahe Honored
Honoring Mr. and Mrs. George Ciccone on their silver wedding anniversary a group of friends gathered in a surprise party on Saturday night at their home, 531 Sixth Avenue West.

During the evening, in the centre of a circle formed by the company, the bride and groom of a quarter of a century ago were honored with wedding regalia. Will Murdoch, with well chosen words, presented them with a beautiful silver flower bowl. The gift of a beautiful bouquet of flowers from Miss Irma McKinnon followed. Mr. and Mrs. Ciccone replied suitably. Mrs. G. V. Hanley then played "I Love You Truly" which was sung by the group.

Dainty refreshments were served and the evening was pleasantly spent with singing and dancing to music provided by Mrs. G. V. Hanley at the piano and Eddie Ciccone with his accordion.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Hanley, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Doiron, Mr. and Mrs. Will Murdoch, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Twaites, Mr. and Mrs. O. Martinson, Louis Forsyth, Mr. and Mrs. Art Holbrook, Mr. and Mrs. J. Yalloway, Victor Hanley, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Brain, Mr. and Mrs. D. Santurbane, V. Calderone, Miss Margie Brain, Miss Irma McKinnon, Miss Ruth Jerstad, Carl Johnson, Oliver Santurbane, Vernon, Eddie and Ronnie Ciccone.

Mr. and Mrs. Ciccone, well known pioneers of this city, were married January 10 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. Ciccone, who then resided in Anner.

At a family dinner held in their home on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. G. Ciccone were recipients of a beautiful silver tray, a silver cream and sugar set with tray, from Mr. and Mrs. P. Santurbane and Oliver. Those present were Mr. V. Calderone, Mr. and Mrs. Santurbane and Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Calderone with Beverly and Gary, Miss Margie Brain, Vernon, Eddie and Ronnie Ciccone.

Weekly Saturday night whist drives and dances have been resumed by the local Moose Lodge and the winners last week-end were Mrs. Hugh Killin and Mrs. B. J. Bacon, for the ladies, and A. Turnovoy and Carl Brechin for the men. Following the serving of refreshments and distribution of prizes, dancing was enjoyed to the strains of tune-some music by the Moose Orchestra under the direction of Gunnar Varfeldt.

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ON HIS FEET after two years abed is smiling Ronny Hurry, formerly of Summerland, one of B.C.'s children to be nursed back to health and happiness at the Children's Hospital, located in Vancouver but serving sick and crippled children all over the province, including Prince Rupert which the travelling clinic will visit this year. Now underway is the second annual March of Dimes campaign, seeking to raise over \$50,000 for the Children's Hospital so that its work can go on. Local Board of Trades have charge of the distribution of collection tins at business places.



NURSES DISMISSED—Two Canadian nurses of King Edward VII Memorial Hospital, Hamilton, Bermuda, have been dismissed as "a matter of principle" for overstaying leave after a naval party. The two nurses, Velma Stewart, right, of Galt, and Rita Sylvester, left, of Penoka, Alta., have returned to Canada and are now in Galt. (CP Photo)

Local News Items...

Ben Sampson of Little's News Stand, who left for Vancouver a few weeks ago on private business, is expected back on Friday.

Regular Monthly Meeting (with initiation of new members) Canadian Legion Hall, 8 p.m., Wed., Jan. 12. (7)

Lutheran Church business meeting Tuesday, Jan. 11 at 7:30 p.m. (8)

Make it a Must! Visit Northland Dairy today. We will show you around. (12)

SALE—Special Sale of Used Fir Flooring, Northwest Construction, general contractors. Four doors west of Prince Rupert Hotel. Phone 563. (12)

NOTICE—From January 10 to Jan. 22, the Pioneer Canadian Laundries offer you \$2.50 worth of dry cleaning for \$2.00. Anything over \$2.50, 20% off. Water proofing and moth proofing at a small extra charge. (12)

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE Suits, Overcoats, Shoes, miscellaneous items. All sale goods at cost. Sale commences Monday, January 10, Prince Rupert Fishermen's Co-op. (11)

ANNETTE MANSELL'S January Clearance of Dresses. 75 Dresses to clear at 2 for the price of 1. You buy one and get one free. This season's dresses, newest styles and fabrics. Call early for a better selection at 525 3rd Ave. West. (11)

Howard Green, who has been relieving for the past six weeks at the Government Telegraphs office at Alice Arm, was a passenger aboard the Camosun today returning to Vancouver. Mike Diduck, from Atlin, recently arrived at Alice Arm to take over the duties of operator there, succeeding William Heath who is being transferred to Hazelton next week.

QUIET ROCKIES
The Rocky Mountains include no active volcanoes.

Stockpiling at Watson Island

Cement, Gravel and Steel Being Delivered Prior to Starting of Construction

With construction work expected to begin early this year, a variety of materials are being stockpiled at Watson Island for the celanese mill project. These include a large quantity of reinforcing steel as well as building gravel. About 7,000 cubic yards of a total of 25,000 yards of gravel has already been delivered from Hastings Arm.

The time when actual construction work will begin is apparently dependent on when the contract is awarded by the company. It is understood that the contract will be for labor, the materials being supplied by the company.

Preparatory work for the construction has been going on for months and has now reached a condition where the building program can begin.

Three hundred and fifty tons of cement were unloaded last night at Watson Island from the Frank Waterhouse coastal steamer Chilliwack, the first large shipment of that type of material to be made.

The Chilliwack, Capt. G. Pengelly, left for Sandspit and Port Alice after unloading her cargo at Watson Island.

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BELIEVED TO HAVE DROWNED

There appears to be little further question about the fate of Henry Jensen, who disappeared some hours after reporting at the dry dock yards to begin the day's regular work. Although there is no absolute certainty, the impression is that he was drowned.

CRESCENT SHOW DATES CHANGED

An application by the Prince Rupert Shrine Club to sponsor Crescent Shows here between August 27 and September 5, instead of in July as formerly requested, was granted by council last night. The dates were changed so that the Shrine Club project, which is in aid of the Shrine Club Band, would not interfere with the Civic Centre carnival.

A letter from the Civic Centre Association asked for the dates August 13 to 20 for the Civic Centre carnival. It received approval of council.

The Shrine Club petitioned that no permission be granted for shows, other than the Civic Centre carnival, to appear here for two months prior to the dates asked by themselves for Crescent Shows. Matter of license fees for the Crescent Shows was referred to the licensing committee.

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KINSMEN STAGE HALIBUT SWEEP

Four New Members Initiated into Local Service Club

Kinsmen are busy working out details for a halibut sweep-stake whier, if their plans go through, will take into account the halibut landings on the entire British Columbia Coast. As well as providing funds for Club projects the event is expected to bring considerable publicity to Prince Rupert and might eventually reach the same class as the Nipawin Bonspiel or the Yukon ice sweep.

During last night's Kinsmen's meeting in the Commodore Cafe four new members—John Christensen, James Meijor, Bud Timmermeister and James Ham—were initiated and officially welcomed to the Club.

Guest of the meeting was Cecil McWhinney of Vancouver.

In order to get back on the regular schedule the members approved a motion calling for the next regular meeting to be held next Monday, January 17.

AIR PASSENGERS

To Vancouver—C. McNeal, A. M. M. Watt, G. Craig, J. T. Irvine, R. B. Phillips, C. McIntyre, J. Wolstenholme, C. S. Ethier, R. Smith.

LOBSTERS ON THIS COAST

OTTAWA — The Fisheries Research Board was asked today to continue on its present project of attempting to start a lobster industry on the Pacific Coast.

A recommendation was placed before the annual meeting of the Board at its annual meeting by Dr. R. E. Foerster, director of the Pacific Biological Station at Nanaimo, who said that experiments have proven that the Canadian lobster, heretofore confined exclusively to Atlantic coastal waters can live on the Pacific Coast.

The first oil well in Quebec's Gaspé Peninsula was dug in 1861.

PADDY PALMER IS LIEUTENANT

OTTAWA—Promotion to the rank of Lieutenant, R.C.N., of Warrant Communications Officer Patrick E. Palmer, 32, of Prince Rupert and Bedford, Nova Scotia, is announced today at Naval Headquarters.

A native of Prince Rupert, Lieut. Palmer joined the Royal Canadian Navy in 1927 as an ordinary seaman. He obtained his early training with the R.C.N. and the Royal Navy, specializing in communications. His wartime service included duty on the destroyers "Ottawa" and "Restigouche."

Lieut. Palmer is presently attached to the staff of H.M.C. Communications School, Halifax. He is married and makes his home at Bedford. His mother is Mrs. P. I. Palmer, Fourth Avenue East, Prince Rupert.

Capt. Herbert Bird Of Nelson Succumbs

NELSON — Captain Herbert Franklin Bird, who had been chief officer of the Kootenay Lake ferry boat Ansbomb for the past year, died at Balfour yesterday of a sudden heart attack.



TWO EXTREMES—The big and small of the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry, Canada's airborne regiment now stationed at Calgary, is illustrated here. At left is Lt. Donald Brochu, formerly of Quebec City, who tips the scales at a mere 153 pounds completely equipped with 35 pounds of pumping equipment. Towering above him is Major D. L. Clarke who hails from Yarmouth, N.S. Maj. Clarke is six feet three and a half inches tall and weighs 215 pounds without his equipment. As company commander Lt. Brochu is the first to jump but the last to land because of his weight. As a result all his men salute him as they drift past him earthward-bound. (CP Photo)

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 - 5:00—The Looseleaf
 - 5:30—Platter Parade
 - 5:45—Tommy Dorsey and Orch.
 - 6:00—Supper Serenade
 - 6:15—Dinah Shore
 - 6:30—Musical Varieties
 - 6:45—Smoke Rings
 - 7:00—CBC News
 - 7:15—CBC Roundup
 - 7:30—Leicester Square to Broadway
 - 8:00—Music by Eric Wild
 - 8:30—Record Album
 - 9:00—Points of View
 - 9:15—Fiano Melodies
 - 9:30—Heritage of Music
 - 10:00—CBC News
 - 10:10—CBC News
 - 10:15—Les Way
 - 10:30—Biltmore Hotel Orch.
 - 11:00—Weather and Sign Off
- WEDNESDAY—A.M.**
- 7:00—Musical Clock
 - 7:45—Singing Sam
 - 8:00—CBC News
 - 8:15—Morning Song
 - 8:30—Music for Moderns
 - 8:45—Little Concert
 - 9:00—BBC News and Comty
 - 9:15—Morning Devotions
 - 9:30—Morning Concert
 - 9:50—Time Signal
 - 10:00—Ellen Harris
 - 10:15—Morning Melodies
 - 10:30—Roundup Time
 - 10:45—Scandinavian Melodie.
 - 11:00—Musical Varieties
 - 11:15—Songs of Yesterday
 - 11:30—Weather Forecast
 - 11:31—Message Period
 - 11:33—Recorded Interlude
 - 11:45—Famous Voices
- 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—Concert Hour
 - 1:30—Bernie Braden Tells a Story
 - 1:45—Women in Science
 - 2:00—B.C. School Bdct.
 - 2:30—Musical Program
 - 2:45—Don Messer's Islanders

3:00—Ethel and Abner
3:15—What's News
3:30—Divertimento
3:45—BBC News
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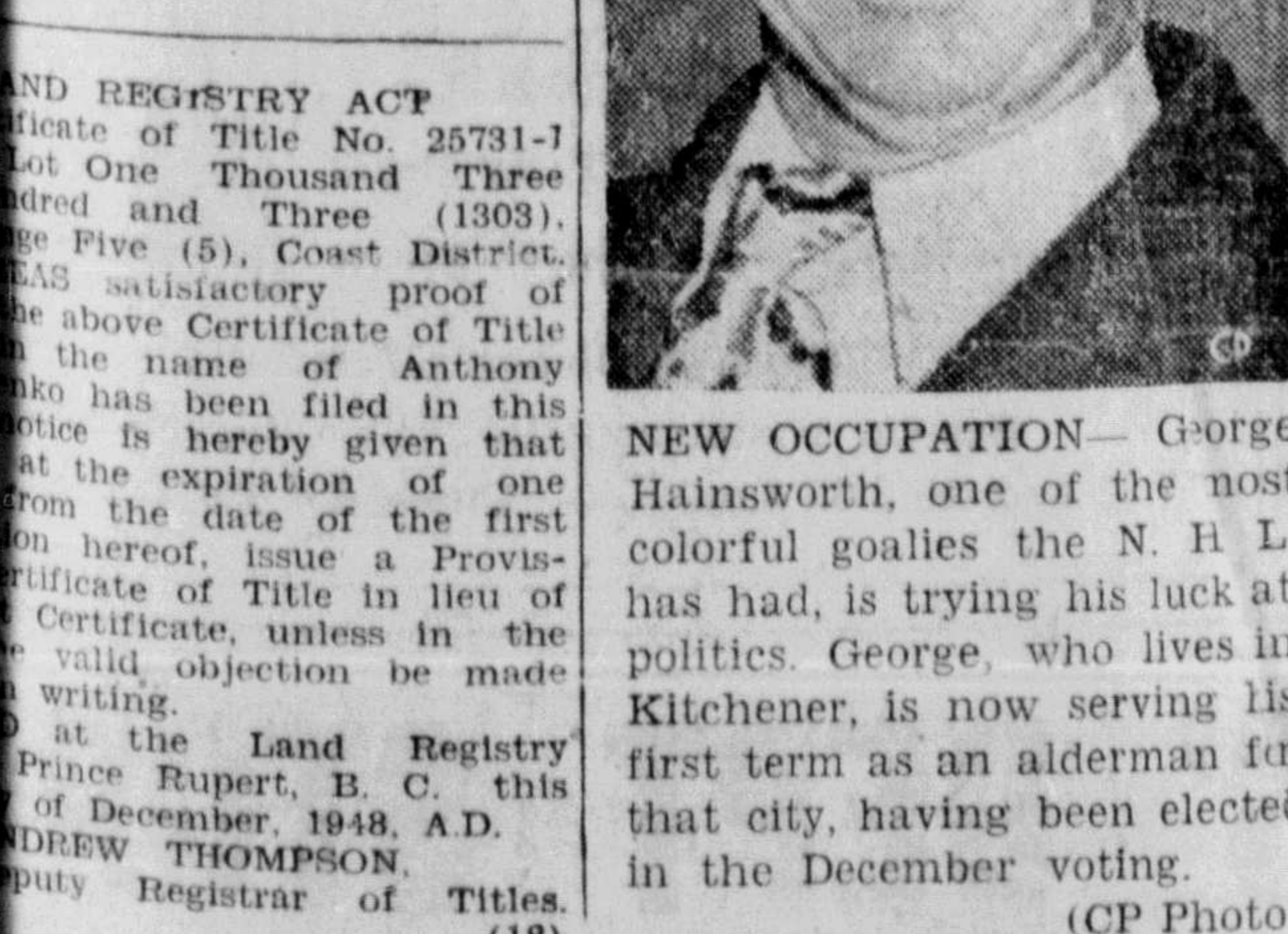
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Love Leading In Hockey Scoring
 SEATTLE—Far in front of the field of Pacific Coast Hockey League scorers is Bob Love of the New Westminster Royals. He went on a 10-point scoring rampage last week to boost his total to 67 on 23 goals and 44 assists. Love succeeds Tacoma's Fern Perrault who was top scorer a week ago. Perrault now trails by six points with 61.

LIQUOR ACT
 Application for a Club Licence
 I hereby give notice that on the 27th day of January, 1949, the undersigned, a member of the British Columbia Liquor Control Board, has received from the Liquor Control Board a Licence in respect of premises at 312 Third Avenue, Prince Rupert, B.C., described as Lot Number 20, Section 1, Map number 1949, and the undersigned, as Registrar of the Province of British Columbia, hereby certifies that the above premises are the property of the undersigned and that the undersigned is a member of the Liquor Control Board and is qualified to issue a Licence in respect of the above premises in accordance with the provisions of the Liquor Act, R.S.B.C. 1948, Chapter 148.

REGISTRY ACT
 Certificate of Title No. 25731-1
 Lot One Thousand Three Hundred and Three (1303).
 The undersigned, Registrar of Titles, has received from the Registrar of Titles (5), Coast District, a Certificate of Title in the name of Anthony J. Hainsworth, who has been filed in this office on the expiration of one year from the date of the first registration hereof, and a Provisional Certificate of Title in lieu of the above Certificate, unless in the meantime objection be made in writing to the Land Registry Office, Prince Rupert, B.C., this 1st day of December, 1948. A.D.
 DREW THOMPSON,
 Deputy Registrar of Titles. (18)



NEW OCCUPATION—George Hainsworth, one of the most colorful goalies the N.H.L. has had, is trying his luck at politics. George, who lives in Kitchener, is now serving his first term as an alderman for that city, having been elected in the December voting. (CP Photo)



INTER-CITY GOODWILL—A fighting Irishman, Kenny Reardon and a red-head, Cal Gardner, produced this scene at Maple Leaf Gardens Saturday night when Montreal Canadiens and Toronto's Leafs met in the first game of 19-9. This was the second act-to-a-stick-swinging session which ended when Gardner broke his stick and the two traded punches. The Leafs won 5-3.

TRIPLE THREAT IN MIXED FIVE PIN PLAYOFFS

Following the latest session of the mixed five-pin league, Pushovers, Kingpinners and Overwaita dropped out of the contention for league leadership in the first half of the schedule, leaving the top spots to Headpinners, Macey's and Pioneer Laundry, whose leadership, with only one session to go, is pretty well decisive. Overwaita lost to Headpinners and Kingpinners dropped before Macey's XXX. Pushovers, while winning two games from Brownwoods, were eliminated through their failure to gain on the leaders. Pioneer Laundry continued to keep abreast of Macey's XXX in a second-place tie by taking two games from High School.

Cloverleafs, while not in the battle for league leadership, continued their winning streak by stopping Malkin's two games to one. In other fixtures, Silver Streaks blanked Bo's, Maple Leafs took the measure of B.C. Messenger 2 to 1, Wingers blanked Pin Busters and Dodgers kept their faintly glimmering hopes alive by halting Hotshots 3 to 0.

Dodgers, whole two points behind King Pinners, have one postponed game to play in addition to their regular schedule next Thursday. On the final night of play in the first half, Head Pinners will face Clover Leafs, who have been riding the crest of a six-weeks' winning streak. Macey's XXX will tangle with Wingers and Pioneer Laundry meets Brownwoods. Dodgers still retain a mathematical chance of overtaking the leaders since they have one postponed game to play against Brownwoods. Following that, they will meet Bo's in regular schedule.

The scoring:
SILVER STREAKS—L. Smith 114 177 177
 G. Smith 174 165 192
 P. Roberts 109 107 148
 R. Roberts 241 142 148
 M. Smith 123 117 145
 F. Moore 127 139 190
 Handicap 86 88 86
 Totals 1020 975 1016

BO'S—E. Sweeney 130 141 94
 F. Wright 146 124 249
 A. Fetherston 68 105 138
 F. Moore 138 91 127
 H. Plum 81 146 86
 Low score 109 107 145
 Handicap 165 165 165
 Totals 837 879 1004

PIONEER—E. Knutson 98 163 104
 B. Windle 172 239 224
 P. Menzies 123 140 170
 B. Moxie 243 150 118
 L. Erickson 183 115 183
 C. Erickson 127 139 190
 Handicap 46 46 46
 Totals 992 992 1035

HIGH SCHOOL—J. Urquhart 108 129 70
 W. Garbutt 148 124 115
 M. Knutson 123 118 97
 G. Bateman 134 112 115
 I. Dunn 155 91 156
 J. Jenkins 150 126 128
 Handicap 210 210 210
 Totals 1083 910 891

OVERWAITA—K. Paul 119 105 157
 R. Tubb 178 134 279
 M. Kuzik 163 190 153
 F. Comadina 201 216 231
 J. North 123 182 131
 L. Vanetta 171 130 204
 Handicap 30 30 30

HEADPINNERS—985 987 1185
 A. McMeekin 200 220 155
 T. McMeekin 175 204 177
 N. Withers 154 175 173
 E. Withers 193 205 186
 V. Watson 163 192 154
 J. Comadina 175 256 221
 Handicap 10 10 10
 Totals 1075 1262 1076

MACEY'S XX—Ian Durrbar 245 204 319
 B. Uzick 241 265 179
 B. Vuckovich 164 172 162
 J. Thornton 134 121 231
 A. Matheson 130 210 182
 S. Davison 132 162 161
 Handicap 31 31 31
 Totals 977 1105 1265

KINGPINNERS—A. Pierce 132 136 149
 S. Comadina 189 190 190
 J. Shenton 156 166 210
 G. Shenton 141 239 219
 R. McCallum 138 173 109
 N. Kinsler 176 240 177
 Handicap 13 13 13
 Totals 956 1162 1072

Today in Sports

HIGH SCORES IN BOWLING

Jack Paul Sets New Singles Record As Five Pin League Resumes
 High scoring and the setting of one new record marked the resumption of play in the Men's Five Pin Bowling League after the two weeks' suspension over the Christmas and New Year holiday season. Harold Muncey set a new single game high with 341. Jack Paul came very close to establishing a new high three game total with 853 but was beaten by Johnny Comadina with 865.



A list of 13 questions submitted by Alderman Harry M. Daggett to Mayor Nora Arnold regarding the expenditure of money received from the Federal government for street rehabilitation will receive answers at the next meeting of council. The questions concern the use of the money, amount of material and equipment purchased, investments made with the money and the dealings in the Highway Construction gravel contract last year.

ly as popular with basketball audiences. He carries a truck-load of props and paraphernalia and works hard throughout the basketball presentation. Last fall he did a stint of clowning for fans in the opening phases of the Puerto Rican winter league, and this past fall appeared on the program of the Cleveland Indians in two of the three World Series games and made a real hit. He will go through his antics at the Civic Centre here January 24-25.

BASKETBALL TIME-TABLE

January 11—High School and Kinsmen, Doms and High School, Fashion and Morgans, Bo-Me-Hi and Savoy.
 January 15—Rupert Hotel and North Star, Stones and High School, Brownwoods and Co-op, Miller Bay and Peoples.
 January 18—North Star and Kinsmen, Peoples and High School, Morgans and Merchants, Co-op and Savoy.
 January 22—High School and Rupert Hotel, Doms and Miller Bay, Bo-Me-Hi and Brownwoods, High School and Fashion.
 January 24—Stones and Morgans, Globetrotter series.
 January 25—Merchants and Fashion, Globetrotters series.
 January 29—Rupert Hotel and Kinsmen, High School and Merchants, Brownwoods and Savoy, Miller Bay and High School.
 February 1—High School and North Star, Doms and Peoples, Fashion and Stones, Bo-Me-Hi and Co-op.
 February 5—North Star and Rupert Hotel, Peoples and Miller Bay, Co-op and Brownwoods, Morgans and High School.
 February 8—Kinsmen and High School, High School and Doms, Stones and Merchants, Savoy and Bo-Me-Hi.
 February 12—Rupert Hotel and High School, Morgans and Fashion, Brownwoods and Bo-Me-Hi, Miller Bay and Doms.

ED HAMMAN—Clown entertainer of the Harlem Globe Trotters, has proven one of the best comics in baseball as he toured the nation in recent years with the Indianapolis Clowns of the Negro American League, the barnstorming Havana La Palomas of Cuba, and last year with the Harlem Globe Trotters Baseball Club, was taken on by the Harlemites basketball squad last season after his brilliant diamond successes. Early games this season indicate that he again is equal-

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NEW POLICE DEAL COSTS CITY MORE

For the third consecutive year, Prince Rupert's policing costs will take a jump, although the city council does not feel too badly about it in light of the fact that their services are greater than before.

Council last night received a letter from Provincial Police Commissioner John Shirras advising it that, because of increased costs, the 1949 contract would be \$28,756 for the services of 10 men as against \$24,949 in 1948.

The increase was made necessary, Mr. Shirras said, because the cost per man to the force has increased from \$2,358 last year to \$2,509 this year. Vehicle

operation costs have risen one cent per mile.

"Because of the administrative reorganization in the force, I am advised that we actually will have the services of 12 men, although the city force will have a larger area to police. With the Port Edward detachment, we could call on 14 men in case of emergency," Mayor Arnold commented.

Utilities Chairman H. M. Daggett moved that the contract be referred to the police committee for study before it is acted on by council.

Police fine revenues for 1948 totalled \$23,900 last year, Mayor Arnold informed council. This was about \$9,000 greater than the city had budgeted. About \$3,000 was used to renovate the city jail.

Alderman George Casey rose to record his protest "against the everlasting rise in police costs."



REGULAR PALS—Close friends are Gus, 55-pound Boxer pup, and Joe, two-ounce delicately-hued budgerigar. For hours at a time the two play tag or romp about the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter McCullough of Hamilton. When the bird gets tired he hops on the dog's back. Here Joe teases Gus by pecking his nose, not that Gus seems to mind. (CP Photo)

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NEGOTIATE ON 'PHONE BYLAW

A further step in negotiations between the city and the Department of Municipal Affairs over the proposed \$550,000 telephone bylaw was taken last night when council considered the terms of a draft set up by Deputy Minister B. C. Bracewell for the purpose of obtaining council's reaction.

The aldermen did not react favorably to the draft which differed from the city's own proposed bylaw in that it would require that the city borrow the full amount "at once."

The bylaw proposed last October by the city would allow it the right to issue debentures "on a date or dates set by resolution of council."

Otherwise, according to City Clerk H. D. Thain, the Bracewell document is a standard serial bylaw. Council, however, will negotiate for the right to issue bonds at dates suitable to itself.

Uncertainty of delivery dates of material and equipment for the new phone system makes it necessary that the city have leeway in issuing bonds to cover the rehabilitation program, it was pointed out. Delivery of some equipment cannot be made before two years.

In addition to the Deputy Minister's insistence that all debenture bonds bear the same issue date, it would also require that they all bear the same interest rate, City Clerk Thain said. This clause is repugnant to the city because it is hoped to negotiate for the lowest possible interest rates when the bonds are issued.

Mr. Bracewell's letter, however, pointed out that "this draft is forwarded in the hope that it will be of assistance but it is not to be considered as a model bylaw nor that it must be followed exactly."

"Your comments," Mr. Bracewell continued, "might well be forwarded before proceedings advance too much as it is preferable to iron out any differences of opinion as early as possible."

When a bylaw agreeable to both parties is drawn up, it will be submitted to the ratepayers for approval.

RED CROSS AT TERRACE

TERRACE—James Stevenson, local manager of the Royal Bank of Canada, was unanimously elected to the presidency of the Canadian Red Cross, Terrace Branch, at Friday night's annual meeting in the nurses' lounge at the hospital. Other officers are:

First Vice-President, Mrs. Ivan Frank.
Second Vice-President, Dr. F. McGilvery.

Secretary, Mrs. J. Harris.
Treasurer, Mrs. V. Giraud.
Executive Committee—Mrs. Irving, Father Racette, Rev. J. Mallett, G. McAdams, Mrs. Norrington, Mrs. Sites, Mrs. Hamlin, Mrs. R. Thomas, Miss Ross.

The Junior Red Cross representative is to be appointed, also the convener of the works committee.

Mr. Stevenson succeeds R. Corey who has been president for the past five years.

Another long time worker, Mrs. G. Dover, resigned from the works committee to make way for "new blood." Her report was a resume of the year's work of the branch. Although the workers had been few, a lot had been accomplished and she appealed for new workers to relieve the old who have been going for the past nine years.

The ninth annual report by Mrs. I. Frank gave a brief account of the history making events in Terrace this year. The opening of the Red Cross outpost hospital in March, relief to flood sufferers in May and the regional meeting here in November.

A vote of thanks to Mr. Corey was passed for his nine years work on the executive, five as president, and a vote of thanks was also extended to Mrs. Dover and her workers. This year's delegate to the Red Cross convention in Vancouver is Mrs. C. J. Norrington with the alternative, Mrs. V. Giraud.



BRRRRRR!—Thirty-seven members of Vancouver's Polar Bears Club shouted "c'mon in—the water's fine" to 5,000 spectators at English Bay as they started the New Year with a swim. Temperature of the water was 39.4 degrees, considerably warmer than the freezing air. Two of the more hardy members stayed in for 25 minutes. (CP Photo)

Timely Topics from Terrace

Mrs. C. R. De Kergommeaux, Terrace Reporter

Several matters of importance came up for discussion at Thursday night's meeting of the School Board, the most important being the reorganization of the Board for the coming year as two or three of the members were new to office. A new salary schedule which had been previously prepared was adopted. A survey of the insurance carried on school properties with a view to increasing it to meet the rising cost of replacement should a loss occur was left over until the next meeting so that further data could be gathered.

Maurice Cote, Parker Mills and Alan Dubeau returned last week to Vancouver where they will resume their studies at the University of British Columbia, having spent the Christmas holidays at their homes here.

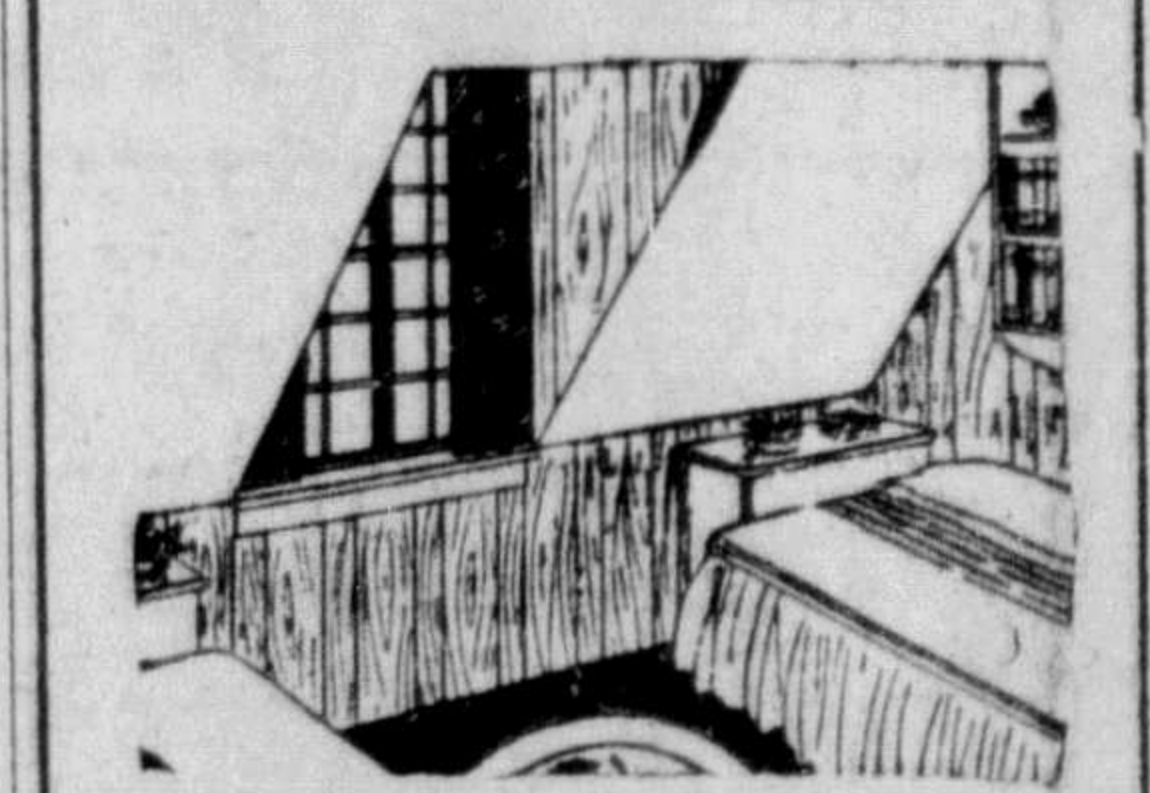
WOULD ABOLISH CRIME COMICS

Terrace Parent-Teacher Association in Session

TERRACE—Instead of a "Father and Son" banquet as previously arranged for the month the Terrace Parent-Teacher Association decided at Thursday night's meeting to hold a social evening for husbands and wives on Burns night. The arrangements were left in the hands of a committee with Mrs. J. McLeod as convener.

The meeting, presided over by Mrs. Peter Van Stoik, was held in the Credit Union Hall and drew a very good attendance. It was announced that the Christmas concert had netted approximately \$110, this to be applied to whatever project is decided upon for the year. Another concert, it is expected, will be held in the early spring.

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C. W. Alger left on Saturday for Victoria where he will spend the next ten days on school business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Spencer returned to Terrace on Saturday morning's train, the latter being much improved in health.

The local school board is planning on having some extensive renovations made as soon as possible at the elementary school west of town.

Terrace's first baby of the New Year was the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Fell of 17 Mile who was born on Sunday morning at the Red Cross Hospital.

Mrs. J. Calder left the hospital on Sunday after having been a surgical patient there for the past ten days.

local girl guide troop, gave a talk on the movement and the laws and aims were explained by eight of the Guides who all looked smart in their dark blue uniforms. These girls were Margaret Kennedy, Lorna Melvin, Ann Tumilson, Eveline Jackson, Bertha Amdam, Carol Jones, Marjory Thomas and Shirley Reynolds.

At the close of the meeting all the members signed a petition from the B.C. Parent-Teacher Federation to be sent to the Minister of Justice at Ottawa for the banning of all crime comics.

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