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## Russian Maritime Ambitions Are Reawakening

### Office Is Jammed By Many Hundreds of Bags of Xmas Mail

With 500 sacks of mail arriving by train during the night, 250 sacks by boat from Vancouver this morning and the late air mail also coming in this morning, the Post Office is extra busy today, the staff wrestling with huge piles of parcel mail as the Christmas rush gets underway.

### Murder Charge—In Case Of Miss Fisher

VANCOUVER—Puzzling circumstances surrounding the death last month of a religious movie-going spinster of 45 were revived yesterday when police charged an unemployed laborer with the murder.

### Clark Gable And Lady Ashley Wed

HOLLYWOOD—Clark Gable was honeymooning somewhere today with Lady Sylvia Ashley, 39-year old widow of Douglas Fairbanks sr. They were married in a surprise ceremony late yesterday at a luxurious guest ranch, forty miles north of Santa Barbara, California.

### Shortest Day Is Dark and Murky

Cloudy, murky weather, with a dash of rain and sleet and a storm from the Gulf of Alaska predicted for this evening, mark the shortest day of the year in Prince Rupert today. It will be a while, of course, before lengthening days are really noted.

### WINTER ARRIVES ON SKEENA RIVER

All the lakes between Prince Rupert and Terrace have become frozen and ice from three to six inches thick is pushing and jamming its way down the Skeena River.

### NOTICE

It was erroneously reported that all stores would remain open Friday night. The following food stores will be closed as usual Friday night:

SUNRISE, BLAINES', RUPERT BUTCHERS, PIONEER MARKET, OVERWAITEA, RANCE & HARDY, JONES FAMILY MARKET, SHEARDOWNS, BULKLEY MARKET, SKEENA GROCERY, KAIEN CO-OP, PRINCE RUPERT FISHERMEN'S CO-OP.

These merchants wish to point out that owing to the heavy Xmas business, they will be compelled to work Friday evening preparing orders and cleaning turkeys for Saturday's deliveries. Help us to help you by placing your orders early. (298)

### President Takes Over

JOGJAKARTA, Java—President Soekarno of Indonesia has been sworn into office under the Moslem oath. He received a 21-gun salute.

Soekarno humbly declared himself "the servant of the people, not their master, and appealed to the world "to clasp hands with the newly-born country that wants to determine its own fate."

The new President raised the historic "proclamation flag," the red and white banner of the Indonesian Republic which he first unfurled at his bungalow in Batavia on August 17, 1945, in the declaration of independence from the Netherlands.

### Evangelizing Pubs, Police Complaining

SPENNYMOOR, Durham, Eng.—Rev. Ronald Gibbens has been warned by police against waging an evangelical campaign in public houses.

"Police tell me complaints have been made about my visits to public houses," Gibbens said, "on the grounds that they may cause a breach of the peace."

"Yet during my visits only two publicans have objected. I had a tremendous welcome in one pub. They asked me to play the piano and for 15 minutes I played popular and classical music, and some hymns, to a packed house."

### Family Allowance Checks For Xmas

This being Christmas week, family allowance cheques are arriving earlier than usual in British Columbia. The date was advanced. Total payments amount to \$1,750,000 affecting 280,000 children.

### Steel For P.G.E. Extension Due

QUESNEL—The first steel for the P.G.E. main line extension to Prince George is expected to arrive from Great Britain in February, officials of the railway announce.

### AIR PASSENGERS

To Vancouver (today)—Miss J. P. Wilkinson, T. P. M. Grant, Miss Peggy Smith, R. S. Turner, P. Orr, G. Glass, G. Dickson, Miss A. McAlpine, Miss B. Forbes, R. Magnus, Miss G. Petit, J. L. Parent, L. Geferson, W. Froese, J. W. Macri, R. Hoyter.

To Sandspit (today)—R. Hole. From Vancouver (Wednesday)—Mr. and Mrs. D. M. McDonald.

M. G. Gormely, district forester, returned to the city on the Prince George today from a trip to Portland where he attended a forestry conference.



CURISEY ENDS IN SIT-DOWN—Wearing a broad smile, Queen Elizabeth accepts a bouquet of flowers in London from six-year-old Victoria Hutchinson who follows up the presentation with a curtsy of her own design. The curtsy ended when Miss Hutchinson sat down and hard.

### Joint Xmas Tree Attended By 70

Approximately 70 adults and children were present at the annual Christmas tree in the Oddfellows' Hall, Tuesday afternoon. The event was held by the Oddfellows' and Rebekah lodges of Prince Rupert.

Mrs. J. W. McKinley, district deputy president of the Rebekah Assembly, welcomed the children. Interesting films were shown by Mrs. E. A. Evans and numerous "oh's" and "ah's" were heard from the tots when animal and bird movies were screened.

Carol singing followed and the program concluded with recitations by Marion Evans and Eileen Howe, ballet dancing by Sylvia Cherry, vocals by Vernon Healy and a piano solo rendition by Grace Woods.

While children danced around the Christmas tree singing "Jingle Bells," Santa Claus appeared and distributed gifts and delicacies. The event ended with three cheers for Santa Claus.

Convenor was Mrs. L. McLean. The refreshment committee consisted of Mrs. W. McLeod, Mrs. J. S. Irvin and Mrs. Lineham. A committee for entertainment comprised Mrs. T. Priest, Mrs. J. W. McKinley, Mrs. Horace

### Quiet Wedding At Ahm Cottage

A quiet wedding took place Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at Ahm Cottage, 1438 Overlook Street, the home of Canon W. F. Rushbrock who officiated, when Mrs. Joan Johnson became the bride of Oscar H. Johnson of this city.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Ella Vaccher while Arne Eyoifson, brother of the bride, attended the groom.

Mr. Johnson is employed by Campbell and Bennett at Port Edward, while Mrs. Johnson is on the staff of Wallace Dept. Store. They will reside at the Angus Courts, Second Ave.

W. J. Nelson arrived in the city on the Prince George today from Ocean Falls, where he is located as customs officer, to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season at his home here.

Tattersall, Mrs. Alex Barbe, and rs. G. Howe.

## Flash

### LABOR PARTY RE-ELECTED KINGSTON, Jamaica—William Bustamante's Labor Party will form Jamaica's government for the next five years. Returns flooding in from yesterday's election gave his party 17 of 32 house of representative seats. The rival National Party gained 13 seats and Independents, two.

### MINER'S BODY FOUND BLAIRMORE, Alta.—Part of the body of Newfoundland-born Ben Carter, 67, was uncovered at Greenhill Colliery near here last night by a party of 75 men who had been digging for four days.

### GREETINGS TO STALIN LONDON—Prime Minister Attlee today sent a birthday message of greeting to Prime Minister Stalin of Russia through the British ambassador in Moscow. Attlee's message said: "Permit me to tender you my greetings and congratulations on the seventieth anniversary of your birthday and my best wishes for your continued good health."

### THE WEATHER

#### Synopsis

The polar air which has gripped the entire province for the past few days is receding slowly. Temperatures have risen sharply along the coast during the night and tonight promises to be much milder throughout the entire province.

A disturbance which lies about 400 miles west of the Queen Charlotte Islands will bring rain to the north coast today and showers to the south coast overnight. Skies will remain generally cloudy in the interior with some light snow expected in the north central portion tonight and tomorrow.

#### Forecast

North Coast Region—Intermittent rain today. Cloudy with showers tomorrow. Milder, wind light, becoming southeast (20 mph) by afternoon and shifting to southwest (25) tonight. Lows tonight and highs tomorrow—At Port Hardy, 37 and 44; Sandspit, 39 and 44; Prince Rupert, 37 and 43.

Cariboo, Prince George, Bulkley Valley Regions—Variable cloudiness, and widely scattered snow flurries today. Overcast with intermittent snow tomorrow. Not quite so cold. Light winds, becoming southerly (15), tonight. Lows tonight and highs tomorrow—At Quesnel, 15 and 25; Prince George, 15 and 25; Smithers, 15 and 35.

Northern B. C. Region—Cloudy and cold with occasional snow flurries today and tomorrow. Light winds. Lows tonight and highs tomorrow—At Telegraph Creek, 5 below and 15 below.



Thursday, December 22, 1949

High	3:21	20.4 feet
	14:56	22.0 feet
Low	9:01	3.1 feet
	21:36	2.4 feet

Miss Margaret Martinusen, R.N., who graduated this year from Royal Jubilee Hospital at Victoria, arrived in the city on the Prince George this morning from the south and will spend a vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Martinusen, before proceeding to Princeton where she has accepted a nursing appointment.

James Ellefson, who has been attending school in Seattle, returned to the city on the Prince

## American Admiral Sees Necessity Of Ensuring Sea Lane Stay Open

BOSTON (CP)—Admiral Forrest P. Sherman, chief of United States naval operations, said today that there is "ample evidence" of a reawakening of Russian "maritime ambition." He added pointedly that a superior force of United States aircraft carriers must be maintained in order to keep vital sea lanes open.

### Menzies Makes First Address

CANBERRA—Robert G. Menzies in his first broadcast as Australian Prime Minister, said today that his government will seek a United British Empire and cultivate "real understanding with the great United States of America."

However, Menzies added, Australia's happiness would in the long run depend upon the well-being of the simplest citizens of India, China or any other great communities of the people.

### Outstanding Athlete—Vancouver Girl Awarded Honor

VANCOUVER—It's a wonderful feeling 18-year old Eleanor McKenzie has today. "I never dreamed that anything like this would happen to me," said the young Vancouver sprint star who was announced yesterday as Canada's outstanding woman athlete of the year. A teammate interrupted Eleanor's packing for the British Empire Games, for which she departs Thursday, to break the great news.

Miss McKenzie who is seventeen years of age is a star of track and field, was officially named yesterday at Hamilton by the Women's Amateur Athletic Federation of Canada as Canada's outstanding woman athlete. The announcement was made by Margaret Lord, Federation secretary.

Only two athletes were nominated for the honor by W.A.A.F. officers—the speedy Miss McKenzie and Irene Strong, 20-year old Vancouver swimming star. Miss McKenzie won by a casting vote after a tie of the executive, Irene Wall of Montreal, Federation president, cast the deciding vote in favor of the sprinter.

The two will compete February 4-11 in the British Empire Games at Auckland, New Zealand. They will leave Vancouver by ship tomorrow with the first group of Games athletes and officials.

### Two Years In Penitentiary

Two years in penitentiary was the sentence meted out at Smithers last week by Judge W. O. Fullon to Raymond Peters, Point Grey Indian, after he had been found guilty of assault with intent to rob.

Peters, it was shown, had set upon June Lim, a Chinese restaurant man, on the street and proceeded to bellow him with a flashlight. Kee Mah, another Chinese, came up whereupon Peters made off to be taken into custody later.

J. T. Harvey acted as crown counsel in the case and Peters, who showed that he was not unfamiliar with such circumstances, conducted his own defence. He was disclosed to have had a record.

M. O. Kullander of the local Forest Branch office returned to the city on the Prince George today from a trip to Victoria on official duties.



COMMONS NEWCOMER—Dr. E. A. McCusker, making his first bid in federal politics, was elected Liberal member for Regina City in the 1949 election. Dr. McCusker was born in 1890 in Alfred, Ont. He is vice-president of the Saskatchewan Medical Association and, as a brigadier in the Army medical corps, was in charge of medical services for the Second Canadian Corps during the Second World War. He is a past president of the Canadian Rugby Union. (C. P. Photo)

### HOLIDAY SEASON CLOSING HOURS

Retail stores in the City will remain open until 8 p.m. December 23rd, closing at 6 p.m. on December 24th. Stores will be closed December 26th and 27th and January 2nd as well as Thursday afternoon each week.

Prince Rupert Retail Merchants Ass'n.



CANADIAN BISHOPS PAY TRADITIONAL VISIT TO THE POPE—Bishop Michèle Johnson (second from left), of Nelson B. C., and Bishop Gerald Berry (second from right), Peterboro, Ont., are shown with Swiss guards after they had an audience with Pope Pius at his country residence in Castelgandolfo, Italy. The visit of the Canadian prelates was made in accordance with the five years "ad limina" traditional visit to the eternal city.

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### New Economic

It is quite evident that, after ten years of stimulation, first due to the careless exigencies of war when money was no object and then in the postwar with its pent-up buying demands, Canada and the rest of the world for that matter are coming down to earth and are about to face economic realities.

In the international field all-round competition is setting in between nations for markets and, as supplies increase and the buyers become more discriminating with their means more limited, the days of the old sellers' market on the domestic scene are nearing an end.

A new economic phase is setting in and sharp declines in prices, such as have been witnessed the last few days in the matter of eggs, is merely a token of the situation. Similar reactions in other lines may be expected to set in. That the recession may not be too sharp is to be desired even though there might be a temptation to welcome the lowering prices. As the farmers now stand to be hurt with the decline of agricultural products, the fishermen may suffer similarly with the dropping off of the markets for such products as canned salmon while the timber men would be adversely affected by the lumber recession.

The inflationary tide is now turning and it is to be hoped that it will not become uncontrollable in its fall. Meantime, it is something that thinking people cannot but be anxious about. It is a time for adjustment to changing conditions and to willing acceptance of same.

### CHURCH NEEDS NEW BLOOD

A LEADING article written by "Observer" in the "Anglican Outlook" has rather candid comment to make as to the monopolistic control of the Anglican Church by the middle classes. "The seventeenth synod held in Halifax last September," comments "Observer," "once again gave evidence that we are still involved in operating a class church. . . A miner from the west, a solitary steelworker from the Soo and a farmer or two were the only representatives of the masses. . . Almost all the lay delegates belonged to the professional, the middle class or the leisured class of men. . . This means that the legislation passed, the discussion and opinions expressed, cannot in any real sense be said to be really representative of the nearly one million Anglicans reported by the Committee on Statistics and far from being representative of the nearly two million reported by Dominion census statistics.

"If we really wish for a revival of spirit within the church, not merely to use it as a badge of respectability for the middle class while keeping the working class as the paper on which we use the rubber stamp, we could not do better than try to secure a wider and fairer representation on our synods, executives and committees of the laboring man. As the Archbishop of York said, stability and establishment are not what the church should be seeking, but a divinely inspired revolution.

"Synods and general synods may continue for some time to deceive themselves that they are living organisms—dealing with dead issues; but they will never be in a position to meet the future changing world unless they themselves change in composition, outlook and pattern of living—and deal with controversial issues as did the saints of old. In the decisive social cleavages of this age, the church is found overwhelmingly on the side of the bourgeois and financial institutions. St. Athanasius was not afraid to divide the assembly."

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Why is it, the smaller the woman, the larger the Christmas shopping parcels she is packing homeward? Or so it seems! We're quite certain she wears that happy-weary look. For, y'know, there is such an expression.

It will not be the fault of letter writers to the Vancouver newspapers if the zoological garden of that city is not discontinued. They are trying to work up a strong popular prejudice. There are numerous persons in British Columbia who prefer to have wild animals continue in their natural state. When Prince Rupert was new a deer wandered into town, to be promptly seized and placed within a wire enclosure on the Acropolis Hill. Someone had the zoo idea. Others had a different notion. The wire was torn down and the deer went back into the hills. Prince Rupert it was felt, could get along without a zoo. There were other matters much more urgent.

"Ketchikan Catches Rain by the Bucket." That's the headline in a Vancouver daily, referring to the year's record of 200 inches in the Alaska city. It's catchy. One reads it over twice and probably remembers.

An Ottawa report says a Canada-wide survey reveals that far fewer purchases, in the shape of toy soldiers and guns, toy sailors, swords and warships are being made this Christmas. Almost everything is on the side of peace on earth. This can aid in the common cause. Anyway, let's hope so. As the twig is bent, the tree inclines! Maybe.

It is perhaps unnecessary to say that the town of Santa Claus in the United States is unusually busy just now and it is quite possible there is also a bit of confusion. For there is a Santa Claus. It's somewhere in the middle west and has been on the map long enough to have the novelty of the name wear off long ago. Who named Santa Claus and why, no one seems to know, but there has never been any objection. It sounds all right and one can think of many worse

Canada is in for a surplus of eggs and farmers are pictured as feeling depressed if not alarmed. It is suggested that in other directions, as well, there may be difficulties in marketing. Active sales of produce, of course, mean basic prosperity but what this country has in the way of surpluses should not remain a problem long. There are too many people in the world who are still!

### SPENT NIGHT AT SANDSPIT

Passengers coming north from Vancouver by air yesterday had to spend the night at Sandspit as the Douglas from Vancouver was late in arriving there due to the icy condition of the Vancouver airport in the morning. The local Canso could not get back before dark after making the connection so came in at 10 o'clock this morning. The passengers south from here to Vancouver were able to get through last night. Flights were at normal again today with the cold snap at Vancouver having ameliorated.

### Salvation Army Fund

The Salvation Army's Christmas Cheer and Winter Relief Fund benefitted a further \$48.44 as a result of the donations in the street pot Tuesday. A further \$5 came from Borden Street school pupils as a result of their Christmas closing concert.

### Council to Hear Chauffeur Appeals

R. B. Morgan and Rene Van Wallegham, local taxi operators, who had their chauffeurs' licences cancelled some time ago for liquor infractions, have appealed to the city council for reinstatement. Their cases will be considered by the council at a special session as a court of appeal just prior to the regular meeting next Monday evening.

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strangers to regular square meals.

In some cities, electors simply do not vote. In Vancouver the other day, less than 30 per cent of eligible ballots were cast. In Portland (Me.) last fall the proportion was under 20 per cent. Psychologists say this apathy is explained by lack of courage to accept responsibilities, and face the trouble of making decisions as mature individuals. Prince Rupert had a civic election not long ago and the poll was the heaviest ever known here. In other words, "we're here because we're here."

### Funeral Of Bob James

As evidence of the esteem and respect held for him in life, Canadian Legion members and friends of the late Robert James filled Grenville Chapel to capacity to pay their respects to a popular pioneer resident of this city.

The service, both in the chapel and at the graveside, was conducted by Rev. Archdeacon Hodson while Mrs. J. C. Gilker acted as organist. The hymns chosen for the occasion were "Nearer My God to Thee," and "Lead Kindly Light."

Interment took place in the Soldiers' Plot, Fairview Cemetery, where members of the Canadian Legion, veterans of World War I, in which the deceased took part, were present in numbers. As the casket was lowered into the grave, legionnaires, some of them members of the same battalion, filed past and dropped their poppies into the grave while "The Last Post" was sounded by Sergeant Bugler W. J. Rance of the Canadian Legion and the flag, which had been lowered to half mast during the service at the graveside, was hoisted to the masthead. Pallbearers were William Reid A. R. Nichols, J. A. Frew, Harry Long, Howard R. Hill and C. L. Youngman.

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South American Indians at U.N. A group of Indians from Ecuador (seen here with Secretary-General Trygve Lie) recently visited United Nations Headquarters at Lake Success, to thank the U.N. for the aid given to their country after the recent earthquake which destroyed many Ecuadorian towns.

### Job's Daughters Scottish Dance

Job's Daughters auld time Scottish dance in the Oddfellows' Hall last Friday night was a happy affair for about eighty persons. With N. K. Brewer as a general master of ceremonies, music was by an orchestra consisting of fiddlers John Bremner, James L. Lee and Fred Conrad with Mrs. E. J. Smith at the piano. Refreshments were served after which dancing resumed. Mrs. L. C. Eby was convener and Mrs. James Simpson presided at the door.

In the raffle of a cake Mrs. J. W. Webster was the winner while Murdo McLeod won a \$5 bill.

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Women of the Moose regular meeting, Wednesday, the 21st at 8.15. Initiation and Christmas party. (297)

The Civic Centre Dining Room will be OPEN on New Year's Day for reservations. Phone Red 705. There is an excellent supply of Christmas chocolates now on hand. (300)

Announcing that Dick Sylvester, Jack Caron and E. "Deacon" Linney formerly of 65 Cabs are now under the name of 53 Cabs. For fast, courteous and efficient day and night service, phone 53. (1f)

Gwyn Holtby arrived in the city on the Prince George today from Vancouver to spend the Christmas and New Year holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Holtby.

The Civic Centre Dining Room will Not Be Open on Christmas Day or December 26 but will be open on December 27 as usual. The management and staff wish one and all a Merry Christmas. (300)

The following stores will close Thursday afternoon as usual, but will stay open Friday, December 23, until 8 p.m. Fraser & Payne, Wallace's Dept. Store, Universal, Peoples Store, Rupert Men's and Boys' Store, Abel & Odowes, Wm F. Stone, Watts and Nickerson. (298)

J. N. Killas, who operates the commissary at Premier Mine, arrived in Prince Rupert today aboard the Coquitlam from the north. He is on his way to his home in Vancouver.

Northland Dairy wish all their customers a Merry Christmas and Prosperous New Year. As their employees wish to spend Christmas with their families, there will be no delivery of milk Monday, December 26. Milk delivery will be made Tuesday as usual. Kindly order enough milk on Saturday to last you until Tuesday morning. Place your cream orders early for Christmas. (300)

Regular Baptist S.S. Xmas Tree and Concert, Wednesday, 7.15 p.m.

Prepared Lutefish and Norwegian Salted Herring for sale beginning Monday, December 19. Prince Rupert Fisherman's Co-op Store. (297)

Winners of Moose Xmas Tree Raffle. R. Coles, Seal Cove; A. E. Schuber, Arne Lee. Prizes may be picked up at the Moose Temple any evening after nine p.m. (298)

STUMPED for that Gift — why not call down at The Tolem Pole Gift Shop, 211 Sixth Street. We offer you just about everything. (1f)

Plentiful supplies of fresh Christmas vegetables will be on sale Thursday, Friday and Saturday at SHEARDOWNS. If you are serving ham, try Maple Leaf No. 1 tenderized, half or whole 55c per lb. (298)

Gifts from Legion Christmas Tree not received Sunday may be picked up at Legion Hall 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday afternoon. (1f)

Miss Jean McAfee arrived in the city on the Prince George today from her studies at the University of British Columbia to spend the Christmas and New Year holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McAfee.

Miss Monica Holtby arrived in the city on the Prince George today from her studies at the University of British Columbia to spend the Christmas and New Year holiday season with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Holtby.

Norman Martinusen arrived in the city on the Prince George today from his studies at University of British Columbia to spend the Christmas holiday season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Martinusen, Graham Avenue, Westview.

## Santa Calls At Fire Hall

Santa Claus visited the Fire Hall this Christmas, filling an appointment there Sunday night much to the delight of thirty "little people," to say nothing of a like number of adults, all of whom had been kept informed of the whereabouts of the jolly old man by radiotelephone.

Santa was in fine form and fairly "dancing" with good cheer as he generously distributed presents and sweets to the children. After he had gone the fire laddies proceeded to fill the youngsters "up to the top."

During the proceedings Sgt. L. A. N. Potterton entertained with an acceptable program of short talking picture subjects.

Guests of honor included Mayor Arnold, Former Chief and Mrs. H. T. Lock and Sgt. Potterton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Martinson returned to the city on the Prince George this morning from a trip to Vancouver.

Eugene Nickerson returned to the city on the Prince George this morning from a holiday trip to Vancouver and Vancouver Island.

Mrs. J. Simundson, who has been on a trip to Vancouver, returned to the city from the south on the Prince George this morning.

Ian McRae, who has been in Vancouver to receive treatment at Shaughnessy Military Hospital, returned to the city on the Prince George this morning.

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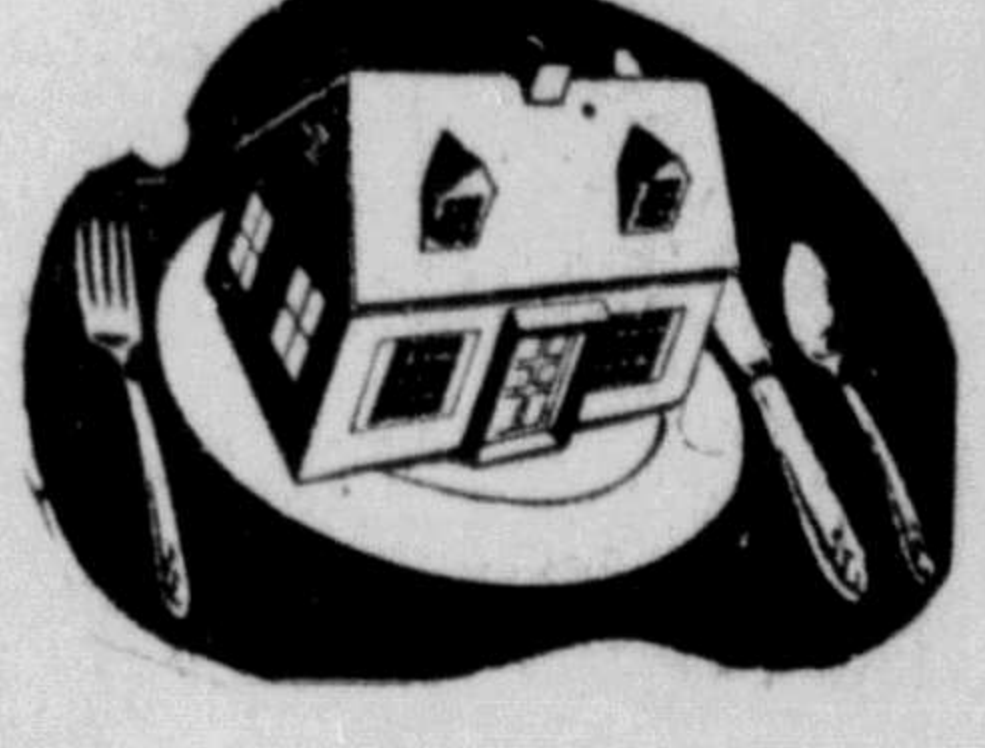
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Prior to the breaking up for the Christmas vacation the various divisions at Borden Street School held concerts in their individual rooms where appropriate programmes were rendered. A visit to these rooms showed how in many different ways according to the ages of the grades and the topics that appealed to them most, the pupils interpreted the old but ever new story of Christmas. Each room

had its gaily decorated tree and round the walls were many Christmas scenes and decorations.

An invitation was extended to parents and friends to visit the school Monday afternoon to see the different rooms and also enjoy a concert given in the music room. At this concert each room provided one or more items. An enthusiastic audience thoroughly enjoyed the program.

Mrs. Stone's Grade One was represented by Ann Harding and Netha Pelan with a recitation, and a song, "Now's the Time for Santa Claus" by nine children including four bellringers.

Miss Adlard's room presented an original play of Santa Claus

among the colored folks of the southern States. In a cast of twenty-eight the outstanding actors were Dale Faught, Ronnie Casunas, Loree Faught, John Olsen, Jill Weisse, Marjorie Pavich and Lorraine Jackson.

Two items from Miss Larson's room were a recitation, "A Letter to Santa" by Pat Greene, Gary Gair and Billy Harris, and a Star Drill prettily done by seven girls daintily dressed.

A choral recitation of the well-known "The Night Before Christmas" was well given by twelve pupils of Miss Trotter's Grade Three. Then a group of ten pupils, five from Miss Trotter's room and five from Miss Larson's room sang effectively the carol, "Shepherd's Shake Off Your Drowsy Sleep." "Santa Goes on Strike," was a dramatic act pre-

sented by Mrs. Cobb's room. In this Tommy Graham was a very convincing Santa Claus while four newsboys were realistically portrayed by Michael Greene, Howard Davis, Ronald Eby and Victor Maskulak.

Suzanne Kergin recited pleasingly "Christmas Eve" and Roberta Reid, "Winter Nights," as the items from Mr. Cheeseman's room.

Grade Six led in the presentation of Christmas Carols with the school choir assisting. In "We Three Kings of Orient Are," the parts of the kings were well taken by Yvonne Jackson, Molly Simmons, and Lonny Patten. The "First Noel" with descant, was impressively given. In the absence through illness of Principal J. S. Wilson, Julie Prockter did a very capable job as conductor. Miss Larson was accompanist.

S. A. Cheeseman acted as chairman and extended a cordial Christmas greeting to parents and friends and an invitation to them to visit the different rooms.

Pupils also assumed responsibility for welcoming and directing the visitors. Margaret Johnson and Jackie Gustafson were in charge of the "Visitors' Book" and Allyn Ritchie and Harold Hill were doormen. Louise Wood, Lonny Patten, Dick Flood were a reception committee. Carol Nelson and Suzanne Kergin were in charge of the "Weekly Whiz," the weekly publication made out by the pupils with a page from each division and a differently designed and colored cover page each issue. Donald Haudenschild and Teri Paavola were in charge of the stage and curtain.

## Amateur Night Is Good Show

Local Talent Held To Advantage Last Night

An enjoyable evening was had by all. And that's the truth. Commencing at 8 p. m. in the Navy Drill hall yesterday an amateur hour was staged during which time city talent had a chance to demonstrate their abilities. Bert Hachey was the organizer.

On the air for one hour, Beryl Dougherty, from the Civic Centre in the role of mistress of ceremonies, introduced the contestants to the audiences. It is too bad an escalator could not have been provided for Miss Dougherty. Following each performance she executed a marathon from the mike to the foot of the stage.

A dozen amateurs, not including the professional accordion virtuoso Mike Colussi, marched on and off the stage presenting a widely varied program, all did their best in putting across what they wanted to put across.

All contestants were featured in the air broadcast until 9 p. m. After nine, they were returned for encore numbers.

Two young girls, recently arrived from Holland, presented a duet accompanying themselves on a guitar and banjo. The girls, Cios and Mia Vermece rendered Dutch and English songs, and the audience, according to the applause, enjoyed the singing abilities of the young ladies.

Little Judy Felsenthal, bedecked in a tweed cap, slacks and sweater, tickled the fancy of all with her rendition of a song that must have been stolen from the monkeys, "A Bunch of Coconuts". In jolly old English phrasing, she put on a good show.

Mike Colussi, and his gang, as they call themselves, rendered accordion duets and trios. The gang were Sandra Giske, Robert Wood and Stella Chuprin. Final numbers presented by the group were "Adeste Fideles" and a swing version of "Liebestraum" by Liszt.

Other contestants were Irvin Rensvold, guitar and songs; Eleanor Walker, songs; Mary and Margaret Gannon, guitar, banjo and songs; Beverly Matson, songs; Iona Hardy, songs; and Carol Brenzen, songs.

Following the amateur show, a dance commenced to the music

of the Four Dukes and Mike Colussi and orchestra. In rotation, the orchestras, kept feet hopping. Miss Dougherty, it seems, should have entered the amateur contest. With Mike Colussi and his outfit, she sang "Some of These Days" and "Dark Town Strutters Ball". It was worth bending an ear to. During the evening a waltz and jitterbug contest was held. In addition prizes were distributed to the oldest and youngest couples on the floor.

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# Bo-Me-Hi News

## The Curriculum

(This is the Third of a series on the courses taught at Booth Memorial High School setting out what the School is doing)

Some people seem to think that one of the great rewards of adult life is its relative freedom from arithmetic. A writer in the "Atlantic Monthly" points out that unless one wishes to teach it or is in one of the few professions that deal in mathematical calculations, then life is made calm and peaceful by

having no arithmetic to worry about. The writer points out that the occasion on which one has to figure one-half or two-thirds of a cup of flour, or how many times six and three-quarters goes into 2 1/2 yards of cloth does not constitute a major worry. Most people count no change, balance no check book, regard any extra money as so much gravy and to find the cost of their gas they just look at the pump. Don't be misled by this rosy picture. The world moves on mathematics. With this in mind, those who plan curriculum have arranged that a student in a B.C. High School can secure more credits in mathematics than any other subject, yet of the seven courses available between Grades 9 and 12, none are compulsory for all students. University entrance students must take at least three courses and Commercial students one.

In grades 7 and 8, where all students must study the same subjects, the mathematics course meets the need of three groups:

1. Those who use mathematics in daily life to find out how much the may envelope should contain and to do their elementary budgeting. This group must have the addition, subtraction, multiplication and division which it learned in the elementary schools reviewed, and if possible improved. This group also receives a bare introduction to more advanced mathematics to have a foundation for future studies or at least understanding and appreciation of the work done by mathematical specialists.

2. The technicians of the future. This group includes all those students who will eventually become the accountants, engineers, statisticians and scientists.

3. The thinker in the field of mathematics. This last group is very small, but its importance in the world is out of all proportion to its size. Two of its members were (1) Gauss who in 1837 originated the theory which was needed to defeat the German magnetic mine, and (2) Einstein, who in 1905 mathematically calculated the possibility of atomic disintegration.

From Grades 9 to 12 the student may, or may not, study mathematics. There are, however, special courses for students who wish to enter the Commercial field, who wish an University Entrance Certificate, or who need special vocational mathematics. It is the duty of the teachers to guide students in the senior grades into the field of study which will be of most use to them in school and after they leave school. In this guidance program the abilities and interests of the student are improved in spite of all the modern methods of testing students. It is not too easy to assess the student's continuing ability, and unless he greatly desires to achieve success in mathematics, he will not have the personal drive to put his ability to work.

Students looking for the easy way through high school should not study mathematics. Although great satisfaction can be found in solving a problem to which there is only one answer, this

## CHRISTMAS

ONCE again the halls of Booth School were decked with holly and snatches of the old carols might be heard as classes jaunted merrily from room to room before the Christmas decorations closing at the first of the week. In the classrooms gaily dressed trees and other bright decorations told their story while students happily anticipated the Yuletide season and the coming holiday.

Christmas is a happy time and so it should be for it is the celebration of the greatest event the world has ever known. Nearly two thousand years ago the birth of Christ brought joy and awe to the multitudes. Angels sang, shepherds left their flocks, wise men came with gifts to offer. So, today, in a world vastly changed and changing, Christmas still brings its ancient message of good will and cheer.

At this time we join in sending Christmas greetings to our teachers. We extend to them our best wishes for a wonderful Christmas and a happy holiday!

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Prince Rupert music lovers of all classes are in for a rare treat. A High School band from Eugene, Oregon, will present a concert in the Civic Centre next Wednesday. This band, which is reputed to be one of the finest in the Pacific Northwest, has over 30 members. Its leader, Byron Miller, has had much experience in band work and he feels that this year's group is the finest yet.

Equipped with new uniforms, the group will tour British Columbia and Alaska. Mr. Miller has been identified with band work in Juneau and his love of the beautiful country and the merit of his players have prompted him to make the trip.

A highlight of the concert will be the playing of an orchestral selection at sight. Mr. Miller does not hesitate to add that these renditions are not perfect but he says they provide good entertainment and prove the ability of the band members. In the orchestra are several soloists of great renown among High School musical circles. A 9-piece orchestra will accompany the band.

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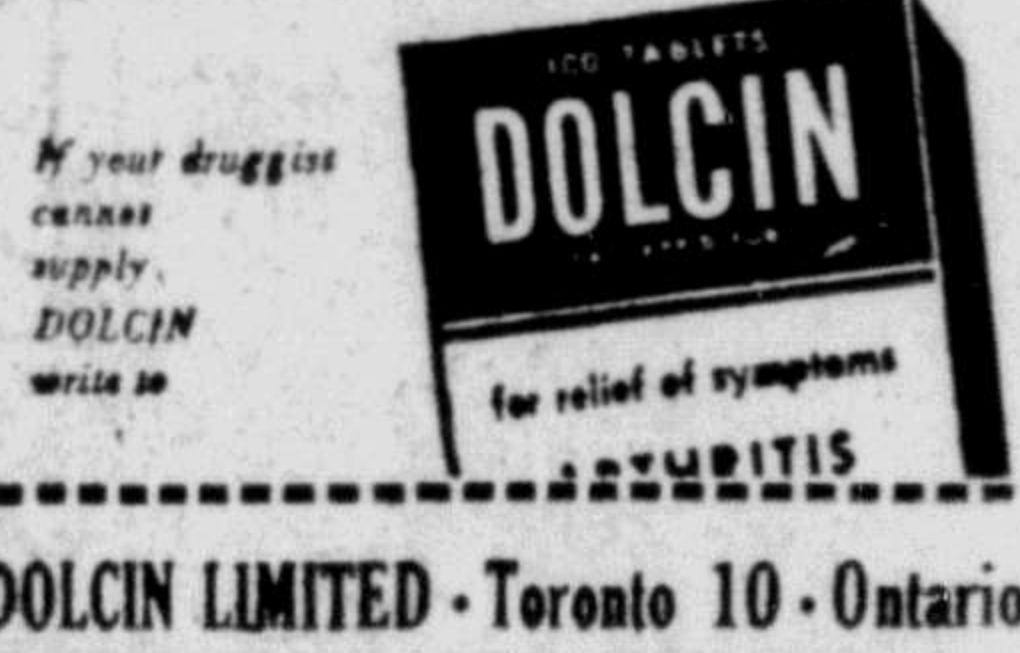
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### New Church At Terrace Ready

TERRACE—Christmas will be a big day for the congregation of Knox United Church for it is hoped that the new Church will be ready for the two special services. In the morning there will be a family service for the combined Sunday School and adult congregation. In the evening there will be a unique candle-lighting service of "Candles, Carols and Chimes". Ten members of the Young People's group will participate. There will also be a vocal trio. In the event that the new building is not ready, the services will be at the Oddfellow's Hall.

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### Timely Topics from Terrace

Mrs. C. R. De Kergommeaux, Terrace Reporter

#### Xmas Concert Last Night—Bags Filled For Community Christmas Tree

The Y. Ettles of the Knox United Church entertained the children of the Sunday school, Cradle Roll and all the parents at a Christmas party in the odd-fellows Hall last evening. The hall was comparatively full and the children had a grand time as did their parents as lookers-on. Games were played and lantern slides of the Xmas Story, interspersed with the carol singing of the gathering, were shown. Upon the arrival of Santa Claus, each child was given a bag of candy. Sandwiches, cake and oranges were then served to the youngsters before they went home tired but very happy. Charles Aram helped Santa Claus.

Nearly six hundred bags of fruit, nuts and candy were packed at the Civic Centre on Monday evening by the members of the P. T. A. who purchased the goodies and set to filling of the bags for the Johnson Memorial Xmas Tree Fund, each year. With the help of Bob Baxter who saw that everything was ready and the boxes opened, the ladies soon got through. Those assisting were: Mrs. S. Campbell, Mrs. G. Haugland, Mrs. C. de Kergommeaux, Mrs. McNabb, Mrs. D. Bain, Mrs. W. Martin, Mrs. J. Julseth, Mrs. Wold and Mrs. Bob Baxter.

Rt. Reverend J. B. Gibson, Bishop of Caledonia, held Communion services in St. Matthews Church last Sunday morning, coming in from the interior on Saturday's train. Later in the day he proceeded to Prince Rupert by car.

Pete Muris is a patient in the local hospital after an appendicectomy.

dix operation.  
Mrs. George Dover had the misfortune to slip on the icy hill coming from Church on Sunday morning and fell, dislocating her shoulder. She was taken to her home by Mrs. Jean Mayo but later removed to hospital where she is now resting as comfortably as possible.  
Mr. and Mrs. S. Howlett are now residing in the Freeman home, now owned by George McAdams, on Lakelse Avenue.

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### May Keep Road Open All Winter

TERRACE—To date in December the maximum temperature has been 38 degrees above on December 1 while 4 degrees above on December 17 and 18. Although still cold, a quantity of snow has fallen which has brought milder temperature. The road is still open to Prince Rupert and is reported to be in very good condition. The Public Works Department are going to endeavour to keep it open all through the winter.

### Special Services At Terrace Church

TERRACE—A choral service by the choir of the Knox United Church, led by C. J. Norrington, was held in the Oddfellow's Hall last, Sunday evening. Soloist was James Stevenson. During the service Rev. P. Mallett stated that the proceeds of the evening offertory were to be donated to the Building Fund.

Flora Melvin, president of the Young People's Association, presented James Smith, treasurer of the Fund, with a cheque for sixty dollars part of the proceeds of a recent entertainment. It has been with donations such as these and donations of labor that the church has reached the stage that it has and great are the hopes of the minister and his congregation that Christmas services will be held in their new church next Sunday.

### A KINGDOM FOR A HORSE

MONTREAL (C)—City officials say that even tractors can't beat horses and scrapers for clearing snow in certain city districts. But horses are hard to come by in Montreal. "There are some sections that haven't been able to get one single horse this season," said an official.

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