

**TOMORROW'S  
-TIDES-**  
Sunday, February 28, 1953  
Pacific Standard Time  
1:28 19.5 feet  
13:25 20.4 feet  
7:27 6.1 feet  
19:43 3.6 feet

**Accreds  
Survive  
Vote**

**Liberals Back  
Government**

VICTORIA (CP)—Lib-  
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students on scholarships.

**Bids Sought  
For Work  
At Plaza Park**

ers will be called for by  
board of park commissioners  
filling and levelling the  
Park site near Seal Cove,  
area on which the parks  
now is concentrating its  
work.

erim budget of \$4,000 re-  
was made available to the  
city council so commis-  
sioners could carry on with the  
Park development.

**Strikes  
Eskimos  
Island**

ANKS, Alaska — A  
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**Village Flooded**

**FLOOD DAMAGE TO THE NETHERLANDS** has been estimated at \$265,000,000 by the Dutch premier, Dr. William Drees. Whole sections of the low-lying country were inundated as was Dreischer village on the island of Schouwen-Duiveland, where the water is shown swirling high among the houses.

## Pro-Con Member Seeks Reason For Dismissal of Mrs. Scace

VICTORIA (CP)—The case of the dismissal by the Social Credit government of a veteran Education Department employee hit the floor of the provincial Legislature Thursday night.  
Dr. Larry Giovando (PC-Nanaimo) said he hoped the dismissal of Mrs. Muriel Scace was not the beginning of "political interference" in the civil service.  
He would like to know the "ulterior motive behind such a retrograde step" and "whether the government's policy is really one of economy with efficiency or simply one of parsimony and inefficiency."  
Mrs. Scace, 44-year-old civil servant with 19 years' service in the Education Department, was given her notice Wednesday. It is effective March 31.  
The dismissal followed by two days charges laid by J. A. Reid (SC-Salmon Arm) in the Legislature that the province's school system is riddled with socialism and that children were being taught immorality from "sex text books." The government repudiated Mr. Reid's remarks.  
The CCF said the Social Credit bank-basher was "no longer fit to represent the people" and should resign.  
Mr. Reid said he based his charges partly on a teacher's manual, "Effective Living," which at one point suggests that teachers survey dating habits of their students including "petting," "pick-up dates" and the "Good-night kiss."  
The manual, not used by students, was edited by Mrs. Scace.  
Last week the government showed in its estimates for the coming year that it intends to abolish the \$24,000-a-year educational reference and school service branch of the Education Department as an economy move. Mrs. Scace was appointed director of this branch in 1934.  
The government said efficiency experts had recommended abolition of this branch on grounds that most of its work was being duplicated in other departments. At the same time the appropriation for the curriculum branch was raised from \$16,000 to \$22,000.  
Mr. Giovando said that though Mrs. Scace was director of the reference branch, she did 80 per cent of her work in the curriculum branch where she had been executive secretary since 1946.

## DUKE TO VISIT CANADIANS DURING TOUR IN GERMANY

HANNOVER, Germany — The Duke of Edinburgh will visit the 27th Canadian brigade next month.  
Recently appointed a field marshal, the husband of Queen Elizabeth will visit the Canadians during a tour of British Army units in Germany.  
Brig. J. E. C. Pangman, brigade commander, said the visit will be "both ceremonial and informal."

## Ottawa Rejects Plea To Operate Elevators

OTTAWA (CP)—The federal government does not plan to take over operation of strike-bound grain elevators in Vancouver and New Westminster.  
This was announced late Wednesday in answer to a request by J. L. Phelps, chairman of the Inter-provincial Farm Union Council in Saskatoon, to trade minister Howe.  
Two hundred and fifty mem-

## Beer-by-Glass May Jump To 15 Cents

VICTORIA (CP)—Attorney-General Bonner today denied reports that the price of beer will rise to 15 cents a glass within the next few weeks.  
"The question has been raised," said Bonner, "but we are not prepared to consider it."

VANCOUVER — The Vancouver News-Herald says in a dispatch from Victoria the price of a glass of beer in British Columbia is expected to jump to 15 cents "within the next few weeks."

"With the higher price," the story adds, "the quantity of beer in each glass will be increased one ounce to 8½ ounces."  
The dispatch continues:  
"There has been talk of an increase in the price of beer by the glass for the last two years. Two wage increases for barmen and beer waiters and other rising costs have helped whittle away the profit margin of the hotel man."

## FISHERMAN DIES

A 50-year-old fisherman, who had been ill for some time, collapsed on the new fishermen's floats near the dry dock yesterday and was pronounced dead on arrival at hospital. He was Harold E. Miller, skipper of the fishing vessel Truus.

# RCMP Probe Destruction Of Navigational Light

## High-Powered Rifle Knocks Out Signal

RCMP are investigating the destruction of a navigation light which created danger to life and property in waters surrounding Prince Rupert.

N. A. Beketov, department of transport agent here, said about \$1,000 in damage and costs was created when high-powered rifle shots were fired at the Klew-nugget Rock light on Morning Reef in Grenville Channel.  
A lighthouse tender was dispatched to investigate.  
"It was found that four bullet holes had been shot through the lantern and glass prism."  
**NO FRAGMENTS**  
"No fragments of bullets were found in the lantern. Since it isn't possible to approach the reef close enough in a boat to inflict such damage with a shot-gun or even a .22 calibre rifle, it is our opinion the shooting was done with a high powered rifle," said Mr. Beketov.  
The fact that the light was not burning was first reported by the Chilcotin, Union Steamships coastal liner.  
Repair to the lantern and cost of operating the tender is about \$1,000, said Mr. Beketov.

**COULD CAUSE WRECK**  
"But that isn't what we are most worried about. Sudden black-out of these important navigation aids which tell mariners where dangerous rocks and reefs are located could easily cause a shipwreck with serious loss in life and property."  
The department of fisheries and Indian affairs both have promised their co-operation in an attempt to find the guilty party.  
A similar incident occurred a year ago, said Mr. Beketov.

RCMP here said today removal by the city of the dense brush in the vicinity of Seventh and Eighth Avenues West near Tat-low Street appears to have put a stop to a series of attacks by night on women walking in the area.

Most recent attack occurred last Saturday shortly after 11:30 p.m. when a man wearing a light coat accosted Mrs. Earl McManus of 519 West Eighth Avenue on her way home.  
The woman's screams were heard by S. L. Peachey, living nearby, who reported it to police.

Mrs. McManus told police she put up a struggle and may have scratched the man's face. He fled when she screamed.  
Mrs. McManus is the third victim of a similar nature of strongarmings recently reported to police. RCMP believe others may have been accosted similarly but did not report.  
"It appears that all these incidents have been the work of one man. He has been described in each case as wearing a light fawn overcoat," police said.  
RCMP are continuing to patrol the area as they did last Saturday night. They strongly recommended to the city that the dense brush in the area be removed and adequate lighting be installed.  
Council approved these measures at its meeting Monday night.

## Four Young Boys Die in Log House Fire

SALMON ARM, B.C. (CP)—Four young boys died in a fire last night at Carlin, 15 miles north-west of here. They were trapped in a 50-year-old log house, home of Richard C. Howard.  
Three were children of Mrs. Howard by a previous marriage.  
Dead are: William Dalman, 15; George Dalman, 14; Lorne Dalman, 11; and Douglas Howard, 6.  
Mr. and Mrs. Howard are in hospital here, suffering from facial, hand and foot burns.  
Another son, Rory, 2, escaped injury.  
An unexplained explosion rocked the two-storey house at 10:30 p.m., and within minutes the whole front of the structure was in flames.  
Young Rory was carried to safety by his screaming mother. Farm neighbors aided in fighting the fire.

BRAMPTON, Ont. (CP)—A mother and her four young children were burned to death Thursday night in a fire that raced through their home with lightning speed.  
George Hostawser returned from a hockey game to find his house ablaze. He fought his way through the flames to bring the bodies of two of his children out of the house before flames prevented him from getting back.  
All trains were reported on schedule today.

## Pioneer Logger Jack O'Hara Dies

Jack O'Hara, pioneer who many times travelled on the Hudson's Bay steamship Beaver, died Thursday morning at Alice Arm.  
He would have been 95 years old on July 8.  
He was one of B.C.'s oldest loggers, who started logging in this province with a yoke of oxen. He has lived at Alice Arm and Anyox for the past 40 years.

# Accident Death Toll at Alcan Project Totals 49 in 2 Years

VANCOUVER (CP)—The Aluminum Company of Canada development has been responsible for 49 deaths—directly or indirectly—since work began in March, 1951.  
Twenty of the deaths occurred on actual work at the Kemano site and another 29 persons have been killed in plane crashes while going to or leaving the project.  
C. E. Elliot, controller of the Morrison-Knutsen Company of Canada Ltd., which is contracting overall work at Kemano, the hydro-electric area, said:  
"While the death of any workman is deeply regretted, 20 fatal accidents on a project employing up to 7,000 in extremely difficult terrain is not unduly excessive in the light of previous experience."



**COOKING UP** a juicy meal of stew, spuds and coffee are these carefree members of the Prince Rupert United Church Boy Scout troop, on a week-end at Grassy Bay. Pictured are Artie Nickerson, left, and Stephen Toth. A large Scout lodge has been erected nearby with the aid of voluntary labor, materials and transportation.

## Scout Association Renews Appeal for Fund Donations

The Prince Rupert and District Scout Association is making another appeal to the public in its annual campaign for funds, launched two weeks ago.  
To date \$300 of its \$1500 objective has been realized, campaign chairman Stu Furk said.  
in making an appeal for further donations.  
"What we need badly is 1,000 persons to become members of the Scout Association here by donating \$1 each."  
The amount of money aimed for by the association is badly needed to carry on further Scout and Cub work in the district. New leaders have to be trained and money is needed to furnish the Scout lodge now nearly completed at the beautiful beach of Grassy Bay.  
There are four Scout troops in the district and six Cub packs with a total boy membership of close to 1500.  
At Grassy Bay, Scouts and Cubs will be able to spend week-ends for hikes, fishing and other activities under supervision of leaders.  
A direct mail campaign has been launched and all householders have been sent membership forms with return envelopes for the \$1 fee.  
Besides needing the \$1500, the Prince Rupert Scout movement is also in need of volunteer leaders for the steadily-growing troops.

## Alcan Development Classed "Terrible Tragedy" to B.C.

VICTORIA — Cyril Shelford (SC-Omineca) said in the legislature Thursday the Aluminum Company of Canada development in west-central B.C. was a "terrible tragedy" that wouldn't be forgotten for 150 years.  
He accused the previous Liberal administration of failing to look after the interests of the people when it permitted Alcan to go ahead with its power project in Tweedsmuir Park, which

is partly in Mr. Shelford's riding. He said his riding would get no power resulting from the Kenney Dam across the Nechako. It would all go to the coast at Kitimat.

He said Alcan working on a \$550,000,000 project, had refused to pay an Indian more than \$3,000 for his trapline, home and land, to be flooded by water backed up by the dam.  
More than 75,000,000 board feet of timber would be lost to flood waters, he told members. He said debris was so thick on waters behind the dam that boats could not operate and planes couldn't land. Thousands of moose and other game had been drowned or starved.  
Below the dam, the Nechako had dried up, leaving beavers "crying like babies on the sand-bars." Wells had run dry, he continued, and the ferry was stranded high and dry.  
If war came and the dam were bombed, all roads, bridges and communications would be wiped out for 500 miles to the mouth of the Fraser River at New Westminster.

Mr. Elliot was discussing a charge made in the Legislature by Bob Strachan (CCF-Newcastle) that there had been 40 deaths at the Kitimat site. Elliot said the charge was "fantastic."

Mr. Elliot said six of the Kemano deaths were of displaced persons who through language difficulties were perhaps unfamiliar with safety regulations.



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## Yields Some Ground

WHEN Finance Minister Abbott brought down his budget he yielded some, but not all his ground in a fight concerning tax deductions for medical expenses.

At present a taxpayer can claim exemption for any medical expenses that run beyond four per cent of his annual income. Mr. Abbott changed the floor to three per cent.

The change means that a taxpayer with, say, a \$3,000 income, will be able to claim a deduction for anything he pays more than \$90 a year in medical bills. Up to now, he could only claim for anything beyond \$120.

Citizens have clamored for years for elimination of the floor entirely, but Mr. Abbott has opposed this. He told the Commons, however, that he had asked the health department to look into the matter.

In its deduction, said Mr. Abbott, it concluded that while the broad field of medical expenses as commonly understood may on the average be at least four per cent of income, it would appear that the change of medical expenses which would qualify for inclusion in deduction would not on the average exceed three per cent.

The finance minister estimated a cut of \$10,000,000 in federal revenues by the change.

## OTTAWA DIARY By NORMAN M. MacLEOD

The art of witty repartee which used to flourish in the House in the days when flowery eloquence was in fashion has largely disappeared. But every now and then a flash of it returns to enliven the general hum-drum of present day debate.

Vancouver Liberal MP Arthur Laing stirred an appreciative ripple of amusement earlier this week when he became embroiled in a controversy with Davie Fulton (PC—Kamloops) over the Emergency Powers Act. Laing had been referring to PC chief George Drew repeatedly as "the Honorable Member for Carleton." Fulton objected that while Carleton unquestionably was Mr. Drew's riding, the PC chieftain was also Opposition leader in the House, and that it was sheer discourtesy on the Liberal member's part to deny him his official title.

Fulton became really incensed over what he considered a deliberate slight to his leader, and for a full five minutes he delivered a lecture on manners

to the Vancouver member which was liberally supported by quotations from the rules of the House.

Laing listened patiently to the Fulton rebuke. Then he disclaimed all intention of any discourtesy to the PC leader. So that there might be no misunderstanding whatever, he promised that in future he would always refer to him by his official title.

"I am quite prepared," he told Fulton drily, "to accord the Honorable Member for Carleton (Mr. Drew) his full appellation of Leader of the Opposition—just so long as I am never required to refer to him as Prime Minister."

The late Prime Minister Mackenzie King never won a reputation for wit, despite his recognized ability to hold his own in the rough-and-tumble field of impromptu exchanges in the House. Nevertheless, he was capable at times of contributing a humorous touch to the proceedings.

One afternoon Senator Tom Reid, who at the time was Liberal MP for New Westminster, was appealing to the Prime Minister to take some action to halt some disturbances which the Doukhobors were causing on the west coast. Reid said that the situation could only be described by the adjective "intolerable."

"I am going to ask the Prime Minister," Reid declared rhetorically, "just what he would do if he awoke some morning and found some naked Doukhobor women parading around in his garden."

Quickly Mr. King stood up. "I would send for the Leader of the Opposition (Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett)," he told the New Westminster member, while a gale of laughter swept the chamber. As the two most distinguished bachelors in the House, both King and Bennett were noted for their acute discomfort in the presence of the opposite sex.

Twelve Apostles Islands are a group of islands on the south side of Lake Superior.

## Headquarters Might Move But Pope Stays 'Roman'

VATICAN CITY — (AP) A Jesuit publication says another war might drive headquarters of the Roman Catholic Church to another country. But the Pope would still be "Roman."

Civita Cattolica, authoritative bi-weekly publication of the Society of Jesus, recalled the period the papacy spent at Avignon, France, beginning with Pope Clement V in 1314.

"The pontiff did not cease at that time to be 'Roman,'" it said, "just as he would not cease to be Roman if Divine Providence should dispose that he be compelled to abandon the sacred ground of the city of Rome."

The comment renewed speculation that the Pope may have drawn up regulations for the Vatican in the event of another war. This has been rumored for some time in Vatican circles. However, Civita Cattolica did not itself refer to such a step.

## Labor Minister Plans New Post

VICTORIA (CP)—The provincial government is creating a new labor department post to be called "Director of Compensation," it was learned today.

Labor Minister Lyle Wicks is expected to make an official announcement when making his maiden address in the Legislature Friday.

It is understood the director of compensation will be directly responsible for all problems concerning workmen's compensation.

## As I See It



by  
Elmore  
Philpott

### Sees Liberal Mistake

IT SEEMS TO ME that the Liberals at Ottawa are clearly in the wrong, and the Conservatives, CCF and Social Credit clearly in the right about extension of the Emergency Powers Act.

Under the regular constitution of Canada the government of Canada has all the powers that it needs to deal with any conceivable emergency. Moreover, in this age of air travel it is possible to assemble parliament on 48 hours notice, or even less.

Why, then, ask parliament for what amounts to a blank cheque to by-pass parliament, even when parliament is sitting?

IT WOULD be wrong at any time for a government to ask for the extension of the Emergency Powers Act, unless there was some clear and unanswerable case for such a request. But it seems doubly bad for a Liberal government to do so, for the most fundamental principle upon which historic liberalism stands is precisely the supremacy of parliament.

The then-young Mackenzie King came into power in Canada after an energetic campaign in 1920 and 1921 when day after day he aroused the people of this land to the dangers of rule by order-in-council. The principle he championed was right then—and it is right now.

IT IS QUITE TRUE that the people of Canada have deep confidence in Mr. St. Laurent, and his colleagues, such as C. D. Howe, Douglas Abbott, Lester Pearson, Paul Martin, James Sinclair and so forth.

It is no doubt true that there will be no serious abuse of the emergency powers, if they are granted for another year. But it is worth remembering that neither this prime minister nor this government will last forever. Nobody knows who will lead our government a year hence. A bad principle is a bad principle—and this is a very bad principle. A bad precedent is a bad precedent—and this is a very bad precedent.

THE PRESENT difficulty arises from the fact that the war in Korea has never been called by its true name—but has been minimized as a "police action."

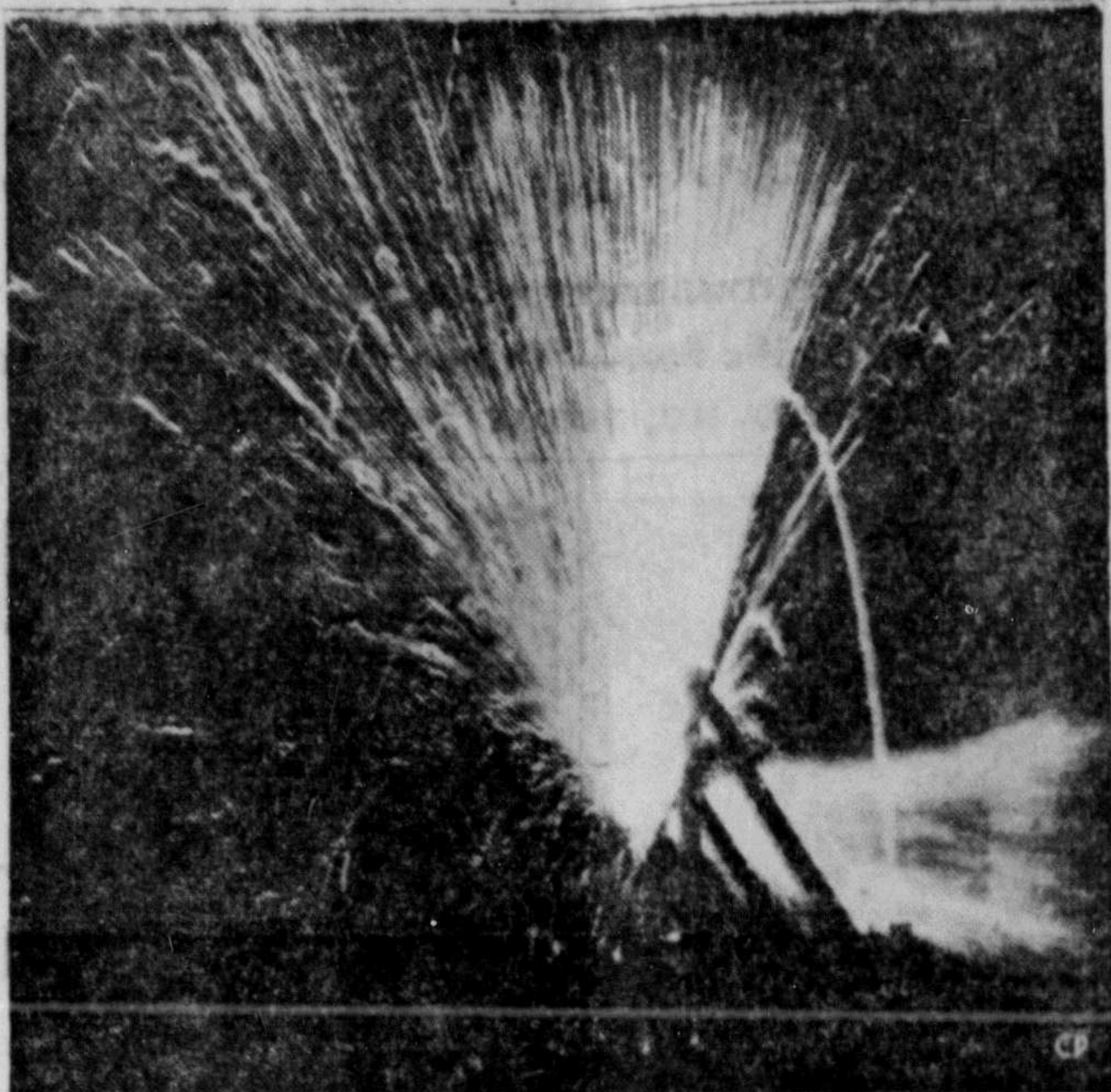
A rose by any other name is just as sweet, and a war by any other name is just as deadly.

This is war in Korea. The United States should have declared honestly that a state of war existed when she resisted aggression in Korea. So should Britain, Canada and the other UN nations who honored their solemn pledge to resist. Senator Taft was absolutely right when he showed how President Truman had evaded the U.S. constitution, and sidestepped Congress's power to declare war, by ordering troops into action on his sole authority.

Because of that first false step not only the U.S. but other countries like Canada have been led further and further into measures of dubious constitutional validity.

Would the Liberals support extension of EPA now if they were in opposition and not in the government? I think the answer is self evident—a clear No.

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AN ARMOR-PIERCING shot strikes a half-inch steel plate at a speed of 4,000 feet a second. It is part of the tri-service firepower research at the Canadian armaments research and development plant at Valcartier, Que. The flash was recorded by the camera with an open shutter at night.

## Ray REFLECTS and REMINISCES

A Soviet journal says that nation is preparing to take steps to increase the life span to 150 years. There will be problems. One will be to try and devise an excuse for living that long in Russia.

"Butterscotch Pie Rates High in Popularity Poll"—Headline. We'll still settle for apple.

It is estimated the Coronation will cost about 15 million dollars and bring in additional trade and business somewhere around 50 million dollars.

EVEN UNCLE TOM! For nearly three hours Wednesday evening, the radio dramatized the history of Canada and the United States between 1858 and 1867, with "Uncle Tom's Cabin" thrown in. The Civil War was the background. And if we never suspected it until now, Canada and Canadians figured actively in the struggle that overthrew slavery. All the highlights were there. Abraham Lincoln, John Brown, Jeff Davis spoke from the public platform. Canadian boys helped fill the armies. Toronto was described as "only 300 miles from the battlefield of Gettysburg." Memorable years, all of them and, unlike much of what is heard today, the truth.

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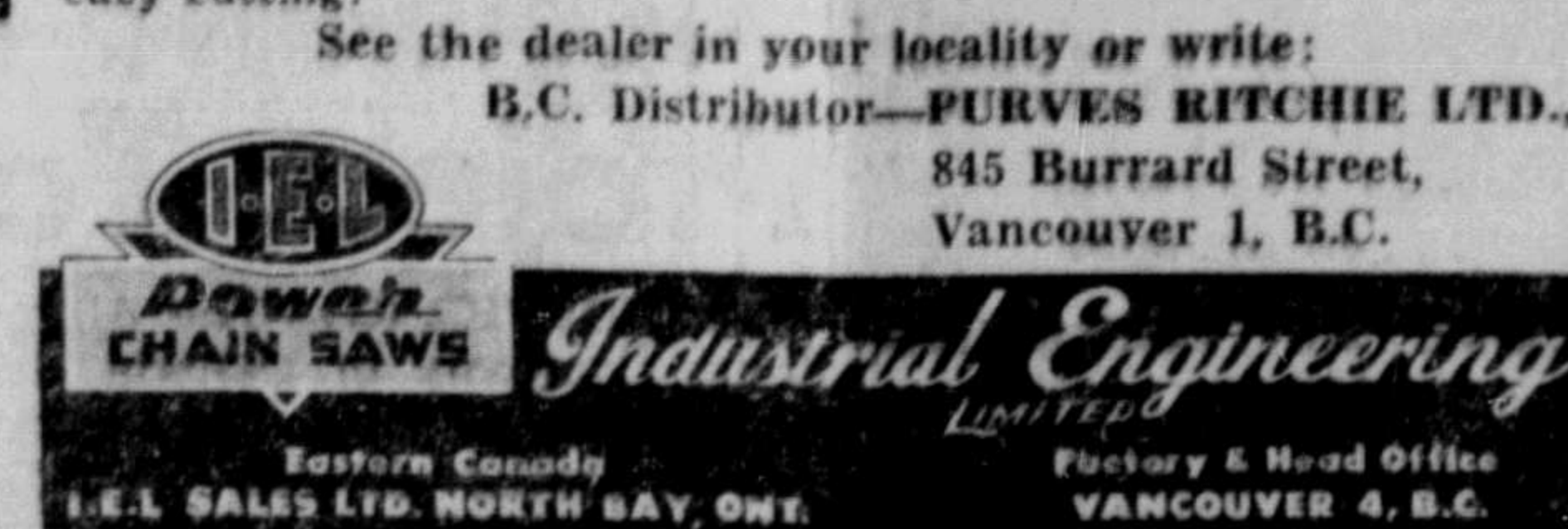
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## LETTERBOX

### COMPARE THE RATES

Editor,  
The Daily News:

I was surprised to see the leading editorial in your issue of February 5 attacking the United Fishermen & Allied Workers' Union especially when it descends to falsehood to do so. You quote an article in the Financial Post as authority for some of your statements. This publication is known across Canada as representing the views of employers and its calibre can be judged when it is known that it has slandered the UFAWU in the past and then failed to print a reply to its statements.

You imply that the UFAWU presents their employers with outrageous demands. The truth of this is easily seen by a simple comparison of wage rates in canneries and cold storages with rates elsewhere, even cannery linemen, a skilled job and seasonal at that, only get a few cents an hour more than the average in B.C. for common labor.

You say it is the practice to instruct shop stewards in plants to submit a specified number of grievances every month even if he has to fake them. As far as the UFAWU is concerned, this just isn't true. There are too many justified grievances in fish plants along this coast for anybody to want to manufacture any more.

Apparently you must have some inside information I haven't

got when you say we are heading into more uncounted weeks of idleness in the fishing industry. The UFAWU signed agreements for ten years prior to 1952 without any major strikes and only voted for strike last year in the face of attempts to unjustifiably slash prices.

You say the fishermen's destiny rests in the hands of those devoted to dissension and strife. The fishermen's destiny, as far as prices and wages go, rests right where it has previously done—in their own hands by means of secret ballots on all important decisions.

It is very easy these days to label everyone who sticks up for their rights a Communist. Perhaps you had been imbibing too much of the vodka you mention when you fell from objective journalism into that pitfall.

R. H. PAYNE,  
President, UFAWU  
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VANCOUVER (CP)—The Alaska Pine and Cedar Company at Woodfibre closed for three weeks.

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# Passing With Sandy

members of the Ketchikan Rotary Club, headed by Ray Hall are coming on Tuesday to meet members of district 101 in Bellingham and enjoy a day in this city.

will arrive by plane and the afternoon will be on a tour. Rotarian Mitchell is lining up the event.

of Ellis Airlines, Bob originally piloted the Ketchikan team here on but was unable to for the game tonight. here, he met Karl a newcomer from last fall, who has B.C. representa- the airline.

Norm Jermyn and his have left for the must. Norm is going to two-month course with Canadian Navy's fleet in Halifax.

Mrs. L. Brain have heard that their son, has been accepted into of the RCMP. He's in at the present time, shortly for Regina.

Lipsin is enroute to for a month's vaca- left aboard the Prince last night and will visit Los Angeles and San

Abbott is on his way. He left Vancouver aboard a Donaldson and expects to spend months in his for- island. The ship is to visit several southern ports before cross- Atlantic.

in the Lakelse dis- Muller, his wife and their sons—12-year-old Harvey, 16—left here for a two-month in California. Carl, a in Wyoming in the says he may buy a his sold his logging in Terrace and says he's have a holiday and some ranches in California.

the south, he will John, in Clover- 159 miles south of also, will spend some sons Carl and Frank and a couple of days daughter, Gladys Os- Green Acres, Washing-

a range rider after charge from the American in 1902. He came to this from Germany in 1898. John, was a paratrooper U.S. forces during the last served under President over.

Bachester has returned from Vancouver and old friends at the Rupert Hotel.

Smith, collector of cus- will be all through week. Oscar is re- He was born in England to this city from Vic- years ago.

charter members of the Club Syd Johnston and were presented cards by president Black at this week's lun- They have been Rotar- years.

## Early Deadline Set For Musical Festival Entries to Allow For Printing of Program

Certificates to contestants in the sixth Prince Rupert and district music and drama festival will be made at the conclusion of each class, the governing association decided at its regular monthly meeting.

In the past, such awards have been made following conclusion of the festival.

Henry Pluym, association secretary, reported that entries are coming in heavily. Deadline for entries is March 1. The four-day festival opens May 5.

Early deadline date is necessary, explained program committee chairman Mrs. F. E. Anfield, because considerable time is needed to arrange the full program and getting it printed.

On suggestion of Frank Skinner, business manager, more than twice the number of last year's festival programs will be printed for the 1953 event.

Volunteers will be sought for work in the Civic Centre auditorium during the festival period.

The Prince Rupert and District Music and Drama Festival Association works year-round to plan each succeeding festival. The executive, elected at each annual meeting, begins its work as soon as one festival ends to plan for the next one.

This group reviews one festival to correct faults, crystallize the over-all opinions and criticisms of the adjudicators, and decide what factors may improve the next festival.

Other business includes settling of all accounts. If the festival has been successful financially, consideration is given to scholarship awards, and assistance to out-of-town participants for expenses.

At the annual meeting, the syllabus committee is appointed. This group becomes busy immediately drawing up details of classes, entries, musical and drama selections for the festival still 10 months away. The syllabus is printed early, so participants may have time to order music or plays and preparation. The date of the festival must be set, and adjudicators obtained months in advance. Various details are discussed at the monthly meetings and many questions must be settled.

The program committee has limited time to draw up its agenda as nothing can be done until all entries are in.

As festival time approaches, all committees organize and prepare for a week of concentrated activity and excitement. Such committees as hall, reception, billeting, stage management, business management, are especially busy. Festival week becomes a mixture of work, strain, excitement and pleasure, but the coming sixth annual festival shows the sustained interest maintained by the association.

Participants, too, are keen and make the event possible and the public is enthusiastic in response.

- ### readers
- Moose whist drive, Saturday, Feb. 28, Moose Temple. Everyone welcome. (50)
  - Dance tonight, Legion Auditorium. Refreshments. Admission \$1.50. (1tp)
  - Miss A. M. Barbeau, Milliner, will re-open her hat shop in the Besner Block March 2. (1t)
  - Women of the Moose Benefit Variety Show, March 15, Capitol Theatre. (1t)
  - Lutheran Church tea and sale of home cooking, Saturday, Feb. 28, from 2 to 5 p.m. (49)
  - At the Co-op Bakery—Royal Macaroon Cake selling Friday and Saturday, only 49c. (49)
  - S.O.N. whist and dance, Friday, Feb. 27, Whist, 8 p.m.; dance, 10-2. Good prizes. Refreshments. Music by Mike Colussi. Everybody welcome. (49)
  - TO ALL PRINCE RUPERT FISHERMEN'S CO-OPERATIVE MEMBERS: A meeting will be held in the Oddfellows' Hall Saturday, Feb. 28, at 1 p.m. (49)
  - In the Independent Food Stores advertisement in yesterday's paper note following correction: Jello Dessert and Pudding Powders, 3 for 26c. (1t-nc)
  - Mail Festival Entries to Box 157 before March 1. Entry forms available at the Fire Hall, Civic Centre or from the Secretary. (50)

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## TV 'Impossible' Here Because of Mountains

Television in Prince Rupert is considered "practically impossible" at present day costs, a group of businessmen was told yesterday by a city radio engineer and former army chief of radar on the west coast.

"Prince Rupert is about the worst spot in Canada for development of television or radar," J. H. (Bert) Jefferies, manager of Rupert Radio & Electric, told the Rotary Club.

"Because both television and radar depend on visual or line-

of-sight reception, the mountainous and rugged terrain surrounding this city will always be a major obstacle.

"Only by terrific cost could TV become available here."

Mr. Jefferies outlined two main possible methods which could be used for reception of TV signals here from a Vancouver transmitter.

● Use of a series of "repeater stations" along the coast which would pick up first Vancouver's signal, then bounce it zig-zagging along the coast to avoid mountain barriers, and finally reach a transmitter in Prince Rupert.

### COST "VERY HIGH"

● Use of a continuous coaxial cable from Vancouver to Prince Rupert which would pipe the TV signal direct to a transmitter here. The cost of such a system would also be "very high." Cost of the cable alone is about \$1 a foot today.

"As far as the next few years are concerned, with present knowledge put to use commercially, we can regard TV as out of the question for Prince Rupert."

Mr. Jefferies, who served during the Second World War in the radar section of the army and became chief of army radar on the west coast, said radar and television operation were closely linked.

He traced the development of radar from its invention by the British scientist Watson Watts in 1937, some of its uses and improvements during the war years, to its present popularity on B.C. coastal ships.

### USED ON PLANES

"Radar was originally put to use to detect enemy aircraft during the last war. Today, ship captains pick their way along the coast through darkness, fog—any kinds of weather—and by use of radar can see the coast outline image and know exactly where they are at all times."

"What the captains see on their radar screen is very similar to the image seen on a television screen."

Mr. Jefferies said that when radar was first introduced on coastal vessels a few years ago, captains were dubious and hesitated to depend on it.

"Today many (captains) tell me that radar is one of the most important single units of equipment on their ships."

John Graves Simcoe was appointed the first lieutenant-governor of Ontario in 1791.



**DARREL K. ROYAL**, 28-year-old former Oklahoma University backfielder, has been signed to a three-year contract as coach of the Edmonton Eskimos of the Western Interprovincial Football Union. He succeeds Frank Filchok who coached the Eskies to their first Grey Cup in 30 years. Royal played in three bowl games with Oklahoma Sooners and was selected All-America quarterback one season. He was backfield coach with North Carolina State, Tulsa University and Mississippi State since 1950. He is the first Eskimo coach to be given a contract for more than one year.

## Railways 'Essential' To Industries

VANCOUVER — Mr. Justice J. T. Kearney, chairman of the board of transport commissioners, says Canada's railway will become increasingly essential to British Columbia's expanding industries.

He explained, that, in his view, the long freight haul provided by the railways cannot be substituted by any other form of transportation. It remains a basic function... long hauls will increase in importance as new industries arise in B.C.

## Prospects For '56 Olympics Are Brighter in Melbourne

By KEN MOSES

MELBOURNE (AP)—Sporting people of Melbourne feel this city's prospects of staging the 1956 Olympics are a little brighter than the all-time low of a week ago.

The big problem now is where the 6,000-odd athletes and officials expected in 1956 will live.

Sites for all of the games' events, except equestrian, have been set. Survey work on the Melbourne cricket ground in preparation for its conversion to the main arena has started. No further hitches are expected in the preparatory work for a swimming pool and cycling track.

There is still plenty of uncertainty, however, about where everyone is going to live and uncertainty about who is going to pay for their housing.

A site for "Olympic Village" still has to be fixed before anyone can start building it.

The Olympic control committee has been pressing Victoria Premier John Cain for his views on the village but so far Cain has given little indication of what he is thinking.

The committee's plan is for the village to house at least 6,000 athletes and officials and to be used later as a housing centre.

Cain has indicated the state government will not put up the money for the village and argues it is a matter for the federal government. The federal government on the other hand, looks on financing the village as a state matter.

An insurance company has said it is willing to build the village, and would use it later as a housing project. But up to the present the company has been unable to get title to land suggested.

The committee is making a big effort to solve the housing problem this week. They realize no guarantees, as required by the International Olympic Committee, can be made until plans for housing everybody are clear.

## U.S. Urged To Use Atom Bomb in Korea

PHILADELPHIA (CP)—Senator Styles Bridges, top Republican policy-maker in Congress, went on record Wednesday as urging the United States to take the initiative in Korea by blockading the Red China coast and using the atomic bomb "if it will save the life of a single American boy."

In an address to the Pennsylvania Manufacturers' Association, he emphasized this was his personal view and he was not speaking for the administration.



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## Canadiens Again Down Maple Leafs

MONTREAL — Montreal safely in second place in the National Hockey League race, four points behind Detroit Red Wings, but Wings have two games in hand.

Leafs remained in third place but in danger of being overtaken by either Boston or Chicago before the season ends.

Other scores:  
OSHL—Pei Hueton 3, 2 (first game best of final); Ver Aon 5, 3 (first game best of final).

## Ruth Ramsay Sets New Five-Pin Mark

Ruth Ramsay of Doms stepped out in front of all members of the ladies' bowling league this week to roll a new high score for the season with a single of 325 and a triple count of 755, including two other games of 232 and 198.

In B division, Verna Parkin of 75 Taxi captured single game honors with 291 and Amy Jefferies totalled 685 for a high three-game score.

A division team honors went to Annettes with a single game of 1073 and to New Laurels with a triple count of 2915.

In the lower league, McKays came out in front with a single of 986 and a three game total of 2703.

### Results

**A Division**—Savoy 4, Cloverleafs 0; Annettes 4, Stars 0; New Laurel 3, Mansons 1; Sunrise 3, G-As 1; Lyons 3, Dibbs 1; Lucky Strikes 2, Doms 2.

**B Division**—P.R. Plumbing 4, Cooks 0; Bulgers 3, Skeena 1; Tollers 3, 7th Ave. Mkt. 1; Commercial 3, 75 Taxi 1; McKays 3, Big Sisters 1; Co-op 2, Rupert Radio 2.

## SPORTSMAN'S DIGEST

By Hal Sharp

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## City Puts 'Ad' In Union Paper

City Clerk W. R. Long has inserted an advertisement in the B.C. District Union News, official organ of the Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers Union. He was instructed to do so after the proposal was endorsed unanimously at council meeting.

Proposed by Ald. George Casey, the advertisement which cost \$16.32 invites miners "to make their headquarters" in Prince Rupert.

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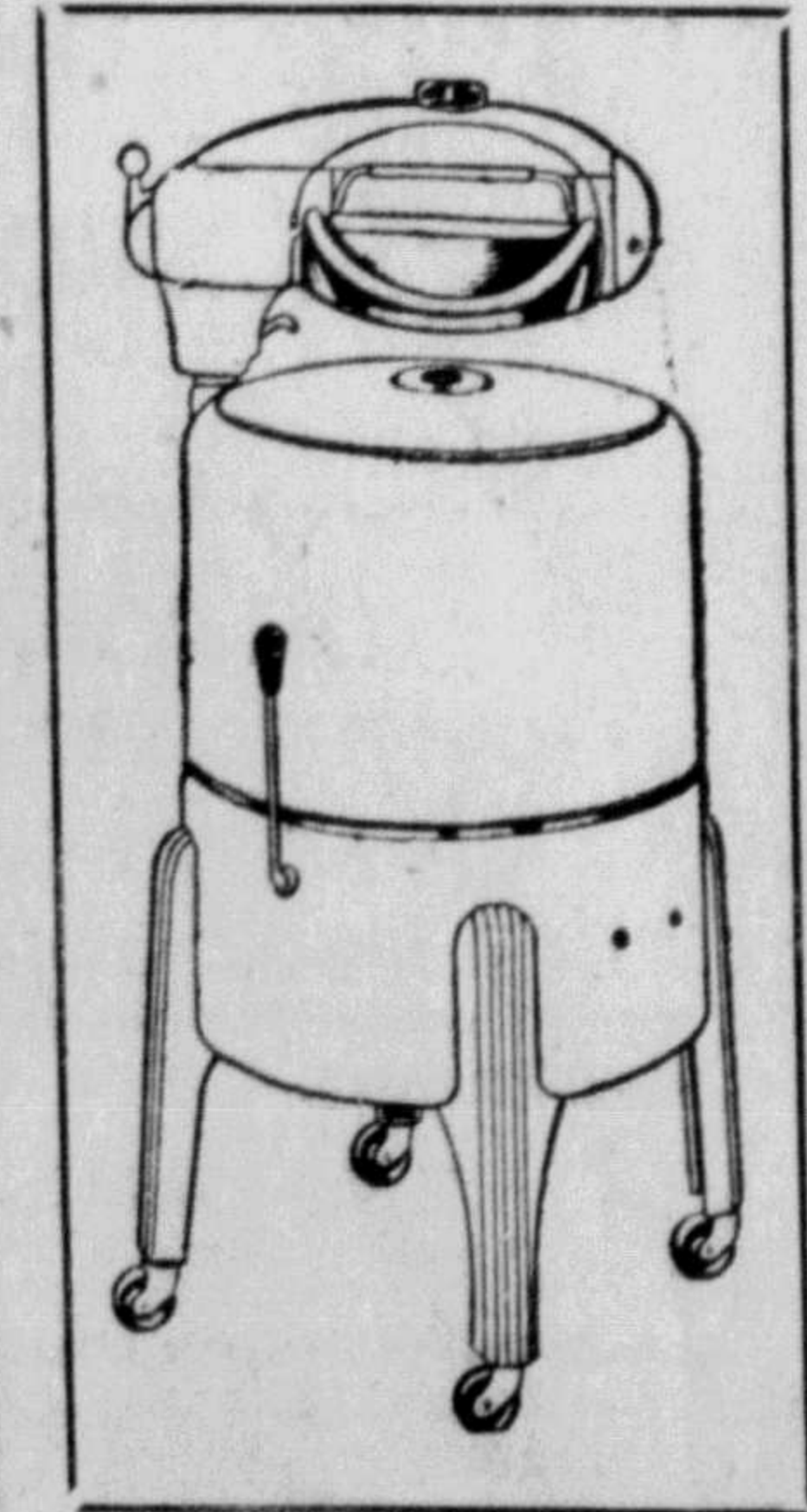
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5:00-International Commentary

5:00-Rawhide

5:30-Music by Eric Wild

5:30-The Rhythm Pals

5:45-Supper Serenade

6:15-Musical Variety Show

7:00-CBC News

7:15-CBC News Roundup

7:30-Band Concert

7:45-Canada at Work

8:00-Musical Program

8:30-Vancouver Theatre

9:00-CBC Sports Page

9:30-Armadale Chorus

9:45-Speakers Choice

10:00-CBC News

10:10-CBC News

10:15-Gone to Work

10:30-Parade of Choirs

11:00-Weather Report

11:00-Musical Midpoint

12:00-Sign Off Antet.

SATURDAY

7:40-Musical Clock

7:50-CBC News; weather Report

7:55-Musical Clock

8:00-CBC News

8:30-Here's the Bull Good

8:45-Hits and Encores

9:30-Morning Devotions

9:45-Little Concert

9:50-BBC News and Commentary

9:55-Saddle Serenade

10:00-CBC Stamp Club

10:05-Songs of the West

10:50-Time Signal

10:55-Children's Theatre

11:00-World Church News

11:05-CBC News

11:10-Weather Report

11:20-Saturday Date

11:30-Weather Report

11:31-Messing Period

11:32-Rec Int.

11:45-Personal Album

P.M.

12:00-Mid-Day Melodies

12:25-Program Resume

12:30-Musical Program

1:20-Recorded Classics

2:00-Ballet Club

3:00-CBC News

3:10-Recorded Interlude

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3:30-Dixieland Jazz

4:00-John Fisher

4:15-Sports College

4:30-Record Parade

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by EASLEY BLACKWOOD

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In trying to decide how to time the play of a hand, the adverse bidding is often of the utmost importance.

In today's deal, for example, suppose the opponents had never entered the bidding. Since Mr. Masters had 11 tricks in hearts, spades and clubs, he might have simply led up to dummy's king of diamonds hoping the ace was in Mr. Abel's hand. That play would have been a 50-50 shot.

But after Miss Brash's overcall it was practically certain the ace of diamonds was behind the king. In other words, the line of play described above would lose.

Thus, with the aid of Miss Brash who hates to be shut out of the auction, Mr. Masters found the winning play.

The nine of clubs was opened by Mr. Abel, covered by dummy's 10. Miss Brash's jack and won in the closed hand with the king.

Mr. Masters timed the play of the trumps correctly, cashing the king first, then leading to dummy's ace. If he had carelessly taken both trump tricks in his own hand, leaving the lone ace on the board, he would have had no convenient entry back to his own hand and the play he had in mind would not have been possible.

Beginning at trick four Mr. Masters cashed the ace and king of spades. He re-entered his hand with a trump and cashed the queen of spades, discarding a small diamond from dummy. Then he led out all of his remaining trumps, leaving on the board the king of diamonds and the ace and eight of clubs.

At this point it was fairly clear Miss Brash's last three cards were the lone ace of diamonds and the once-guarded queen of clubs. Mr. Masters therefore led a diamond at the 11th trick and Miss Brash was in for a forced lead into dummy's club tenace.

North dealer

North-South vulnerable

North (Mr. Champion)

S-A-K

H-A 8 3

D-K 7 6 5 2

C-A 10 8

West (Mr. Abel)

S-9 7 6 5 3 2

H-7 6

D-Q 9 8 3

C-9

East (Miss Brash)

S-8 4

H-Q 2

D-A 10

C-Q 3 7 6 5 4 2

South (Mr. Masters)

S-Q 3 10

H-K Q 3 10 5 4

D-J 4

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## Liberals Who Backed March Earned Title of 'Communist'

OTTAWA (CP)—Senator R. B. Horner (PC-Saskatchewan) said in the Senate that every prominent Liberal in Canada earned the title of Communist by backing the march of the unemployed on Ottawa in the 1930s.

The Blaine Lake, Sask., farmer reluctantly withdrew the remark at the request of the Speaker, Senator Elie Beauregard, following a protest from Senator J. C. Davis (L-Manitoba).

Senator Horner was discussing

the depression during a trade debate.

He said the march on Ottawa when the Conservatives were in power was in every way a campaign to take over the government along the line of Mussolini's march on Rome.

"A cabal of every prominent Liberal in Canada aided and abetted the march in every way until they truly earned the title of Communists," he said.

Senator Davis interrupted to say the remark should be withdrawn. The Speaker suggested a withdrawal.

"I bow to your ruling," Senator Horner replied, "but it's as near the point as any other remarks made here."



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PATRICK GERALD MCKUEN, 32, is sought by Montreal police on charges of murder, armed holdup and conspiring to commit a robbery. Warrants were sworn out after B. J. McAbbie, owner of Au Lutin Qui Bouffe, died from a beating suffered during a robbery of his posh Montreal restaurant. McKuen is believed to be in New York city.

## Hotel Group Rejects Wage Hike Request

VANCOUVER (CP)—Wage increases and fringe benefits sought by 700 beer parlor workers in Greater Vancouver have been rejected by the Vancouver division of the B.C. Hotels' Association.

The workers seek a 40-cent-an-hour pay boost, a health and welfare plan, one more statutory holiday and time-and-a-half pay, and an extra hour's wages for waiters working split shifts. "The demands are quite unreasonable and unrealistic in the face of existing circumstances," said hotel spokesmen.

The demands would boost a bartender's weekly wage from \$57.50 to \$73.50, a waiter's from \$50 to \$66 and utility men from \$45 to \$52.

The taverners are members of the Beverage Dispensers' Union, Local 676 (TLC).

## Diamond King Resigns Post

LONDON (AP)—Sir Ernest Oppenheimer, known as the diamond king, has resigned his permanent directorship of the Anglo-American Corporation of South Africa, the giant gold and diamond mining enterprise he founded in 1917.

Sir Ernest, 72 and ailing, is one of the world's richest men. He remains as ordinary director and chairman of the corporation. By his resignation, he gave up a big block of corporation shares at well below the market price. He explained that taking up the shares would cost the corporation heavily and benefit his estate only slightly because of taxes.

## Continuance Of Truce Talks 'Pointless'

UNITED NATIONS (CP)—Chief U.S. delegate Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr., told the United Nations political committee today there was "little point" in new UN Korean truce talks "so long as Kremlin-backed Reds are determined to continue the war."

Emphasizing he spoke for the new administration in Washington, Lodge said Russia is "actively assisting the aggressors in Korea on a scale which makes possible the continuance of that aggression and determines its scope."

"Rulers of the Soviet Union can stop the war whenever they want to," Lodge said, "and Mr. Vishinsky knows it."

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## Squirrels Use Moth Balls To Play Marbles in Attic

BUFFALO, N.Y. (AP)—A woman with a problem telephoned city hall.

She told Joseph Dominick, switchboard operator, that there were squirrels in her attic. She wanted to know what to do to drive them out.

"Mothballs, suggested Dominick.

"Nope, tried that," responded the caller. "It's noisier than ever. Squirrels seem to be playing marbles with them."

Dominick gave up. He told her to call the SPCA.

## NEW TRANSPORT CAN LAND, TAKE-OFF ON SMALL FIELD

BURBANK, Calif. (AP)—Lockheed Aircraft has made public first details of a new turbo-prop transport designed to fly faster and higher than any such plane now in use.

The United States Air Force joined in making the announcement of the C-130. The statement said the plane is designed to fly assault and support missions, carrying both troops and supplies.

It specifically mentioned use for dropping of parachute troops. Coupled with the announcement that the craft will fly higher than any other transport, this would seem to foretell plans for high-altitude troop drops.

How high or how fast the plane can fly is still restricted, as is the date for its first flight test or other information except this:

It has a wing span of 132 feet, is 95 feet long and 38 feet high. It can carry equipment as large as a high-speed tractor.

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## Vote Called

OTTAWA (CP)—J. M. MacDonnell, chief financial critic for the Progressive Conservative opposition, sponsored a motion in the Commons urging a vote of non-confidence in the government because the 1953-54 budget "failed," he said, "to give tax relief to those who need it most."

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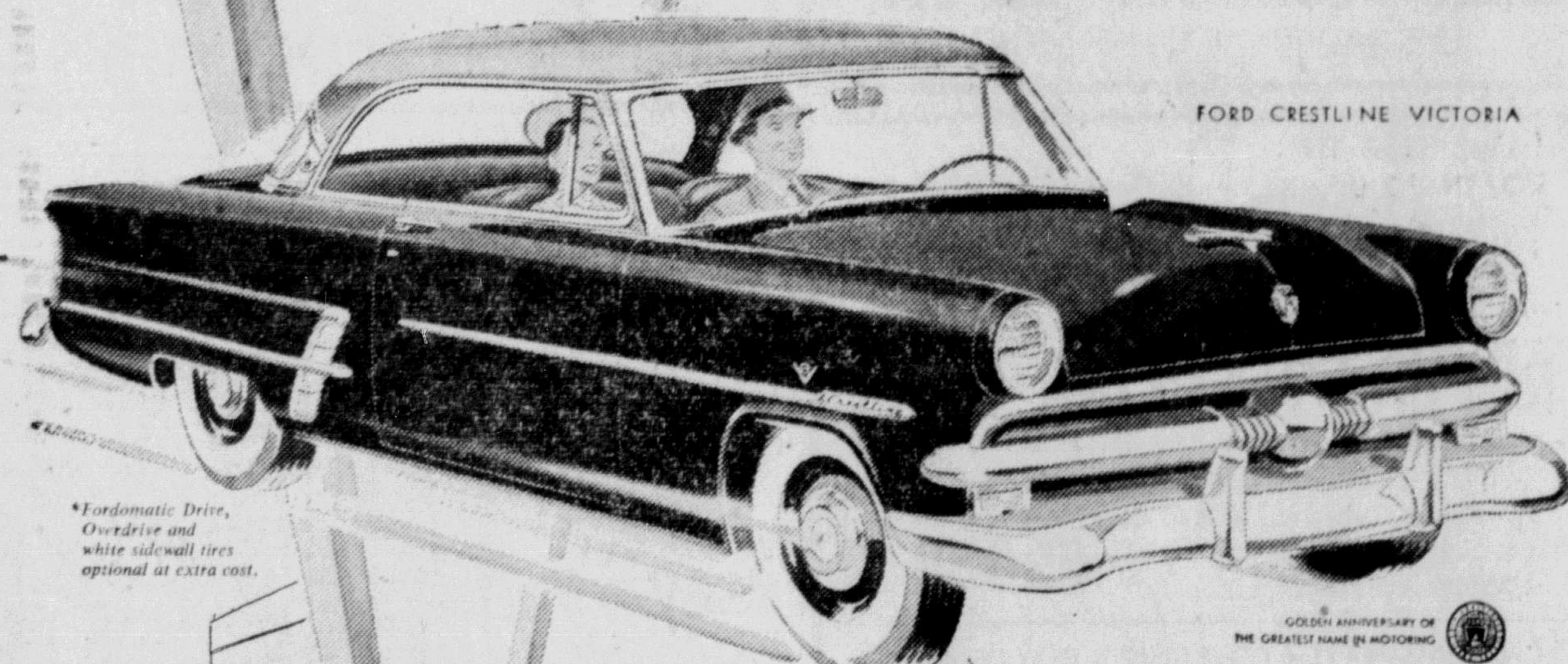
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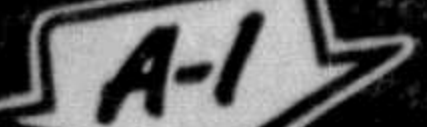
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