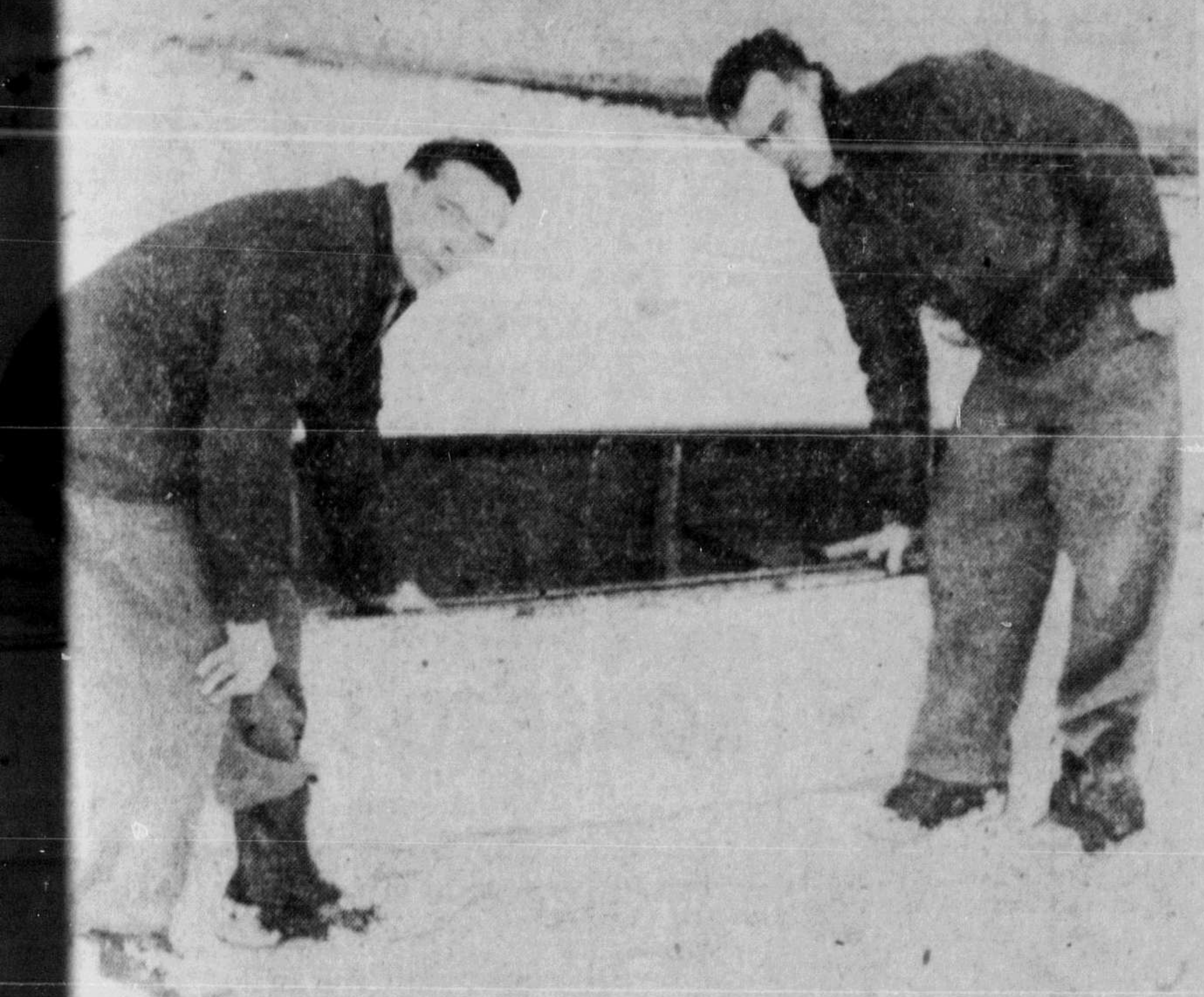


## REPEAT AIR TRAGEDY IN AMERICAN CITY

CRASH PHOTOS—



RESCUERS SAVED SEVEN of 43 passengers and crew of DC4 airliner which crashed off the edge of the Sandspit runway early Sunday morning. Robert Glass (left) and Jack Fraser dug out the plywood boat from its winter mooring to reach the crash scene.



TWO of the seven survivors to board another Northwest Air Lines DC4 homeward bound Sunday from Sandspit were youthful Field brothers, Tom (top) and Harry, assisted on the ramp by RCAF, U.S. Army and airlines men.



THOMPSON, Deputy of Transport radio was on duty when the plane came in for its fatal landing. He heard cries from the water a few minutes later and led in the alarm.

DR. GEORGE E. SINGER, of Queen Charlotte City, worked long hours on shocked survivors, then became coroner of inquests as bodies were brought from the wreck.

ROBERT GLASS, radio officer in charge, took the alarm and organized the rescue party. Four other radio operators took part in the rescue as well as other airport personnel.

### Three Children Perish in Fire

LA TOUQUE, Quebec — Three children died and a fourth was seriously injured Tuesday when a fire gutted a two-storey frame house in this small town about ninety miles north of Three Rivers, Quebec.

The dead are: Clement, aged 6; Martial, 4, and Helen 2, children of Mr. and Mrs. Adrien Cote.

The fire is reported to have started in an overheated furnace.

### Fourteen Million New Census Count

OTTAWA—Final census figures, expected to be released in about six weeks, should show a population of slightly over 14,000,000 for Canada. The preliminary estimate showed 13,893,000 but there have been additions of missing names since then.

VAST COLLECTION  
More than 55 miles of shelving are required to house the volumes in the British Museum.

### CNR Derailed Near Edmonton

EDMONTON—A freight train was derailed on the Canadian National Railway main line two miles west of Edmonton today and sixteen cars went off the track. It was expected the line would be cleared this afternoon.

CRITICAL PERIOD  
Statistics in the United States show that most divorces occur in the middle of the fourth year of marriage.

### Twenty-Eight Persons Victims in Elizabeth

Canadian Newspaperman Among Those Losing Life—Also Former Secretary of War

ELIZABETH, New Jersey (Canadian Press)—A fogbound American Air Lines passenger plane, groping its way into the Newark airport on instruments, nose-dived into a residential area Tuesday and brought flaming death to its 23 occupants and five other persons.

### Five Dead in Miami Crash

MIAMI, Florida — A privately owned Lockheed Lodestar plane, attempting a take-off at Miami International airport, swerved off the runway to avoid other planes and burst into flames late Tuesday, killing all five persons aboard.

The plane belonged to Aerodex Incorporated, maintenance firm, and Ben Terry, vice-president of the company, was aboard.

A. B. Curry, airport director, said the pilot, apparently, lost altitude when his right engine failed and he attempted to land. He saw other aircraft on the busy runway and swerved off to avoid them. The plane caught fire as it struck the ground and was quickly enveloped in flames.

Aerodex Inc. said it was a local test flight.

### Object to Immigrant Labor Here

VANCOUVER (CP)—British Columbia Federation of Labor (CFL) will ask for an immediate provincial investigation into problems created by immigrant labor on the labor market.

George Home, secretary, said Tuesday that a letter has been sent to Premier Byron Johnson "strongly requesting an immediate public investigation."

Home said the issue will be a big one at the coming British Columbia Federation convention opening here February 2.

British Columbia Federation is gathering facts on the situation including reports of workers from other countries coming here after being told there are plenty of jobs in Canada.

### Kaesong Incident

PANMUNJON — The United Nations command said today its planes had bombed part of the Kaesong neutral zone last Thursday and also probably strafed a Communist truce convoy.

The United Nations command blamed the Kaesong incident on accidental release of a bomb instead of a wing tip gasoline tank. It said the pilot was trying to lighten his plane.

The Command said that the bomb—a 1000-pounder—hurt no one and caused no property damage.

### Air Traffic Held Today

All air flights to and from Prince Rupert were washed out at 1:30 p.m. today, Canadian Pacific Airlines announced. A heavy storm is reported, moving in on Sandspit, while Vancouver is caught in the midst of a blizzard with one-eighth of a mile visibility.

Air traffic was held up this morning due to bad Vancouver weather, Canadian Pacific Airlines office said here. The first flight was delayed and passengers asked to check back early in the afternoon. Wednesday flight of Landsair was cancelled. Vancouver airport was "closed in" by zero ceiling.

### Winnie on Way Home

NEW YORK (CP)—Prime Minister Winston Churchill left for home aboard the liner Queen Mary early today after eighteen days in the United States and Canada.

The British statesman puffed a cigar and waved breezily to several persons who came to see him off.

Mr. Churchill had spent his last day in the United States nursing a cold and went straight to bed after boarding his ship.

On account of his cold he was unable to be honored in a ticker tape parade in New York yesterday.

### Serious Fire Averted on Waterfront

A serious fire was averted just before noon today when a burning seiner docked at an oil company wharf. Fire extinguishers controlled a flash blaze which started in crew's quarters.

The Yankee Boy landed at the Standard wharf billowing smoke but crew was not aware of the fire although attempts were made by a witness to warn them. Failing to make the skipper understand him, John Clifton turned in the fire alarm.

Firemen said, apparently, some garments had fallen on an oil stove and fire spread to a mattress nearby. Gas station attendants jumped aboard with fire extinguishers as soon as the fish-vessel landed.

Jack Powell is skipper of the Yankee Boy.

Fire Chief Earl Becker said "it was very fortunate" it wasn't a large fire, especially at this time of water shortage.

### Toronto's Car And Bus Strike Ends

TORONTO—The nineteen-day strike of 4700 members of the Street Railwaymen's Union having ended last night, Toronto's street cars and buses are back in operation today and people who had hitch-hiked or walked since the transit tie-up started are enjoying their normal modes of transportation again.

End of the strike came with Toronto Transportation Commission and the Union agreeing to leave settlement of their dispute to a one-man arbitration board for final decision.

### Municipalities Talk Tax Melon

VANCOUVER—A special meeting of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities will be held next month to consider the division of the municipalities' share of the three percent tax and other government appointments.

## TODAY'S STOCKS

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

VANCOUVER	TORONTO
American Standard 26	Athlona 09
Bralorne 5.90	Aumague 21
B R X 03	Beattie 19 1/4
Cariboo Quartz 1.15	Bevcourt 74
Congress 05	Buffalo Canadian 18
Cronin Babine 55	Consol. Smelters 197.00
Giant Mascot 97	Conwest 3.65
Indian Mines 22 1/2	Donalda 46
Pend Orelle 8.50	Eldona 19 3/4
Pioneer 1.84	East Sullivan 9.15
Premier Border 33 1/2	Giant Yellowknife 12.20
Privateer 08	God's Lake 35
Reeves MacDonald 6.25	Hardrock 12
Reno 04	Harricana 14 1/2
Sheep Creek 1.68	Heva 10 1/8
Silbak Premier 63	Joliet Quebec 48
Taku River 06	Lynn 13 1/2
Vananda 19	Madsen Red Lake 1.95
Salmon Gold 04	McKenzie Red Lake 41
Spud Valley 20	McLeod Cocksbutt 2.80
Silver Standard 2.45	Moneta 36
Western Uranium 3.20	Negus 66
	Noranda 81.25
	Louvicaourt 26
	Pickle Crow 1.56
	San Antonio 2.56
	Senator Rouyn 19
	Sherritt Gordon 4.50
	Steep Rock 7.10
	Silver Miller 1.60
	Upper Canada 1.72
	Golden Manitou 7.00

### Water Emergency in City; Reservoir Dry; Serious Fire Danger

A state of emergency was declared today by Mayor H. S. Whalen due to a serious water shortage. Early this morning bottom of the city reservoir was "barely covered" with water and Mayor Whalen blamed constant running of water taps in homes for the shortage.

Plea of the city now is for householders and merchants to conserve water until supply in the reservoir has been restored. Residents, Mayor Whalen believed, had been running water taps open to keep pipes from freezing.

Greatest hazard caused by the shortage is in case of fire, said Fire Chief Earl Becker. Without sufficient water reserve, fire fighting would be seriously hampered.

"And we can carry only two-and-a-half minutes' supply of water on the wagons. If we were called to a large fire suddenly, we'd be helpless," said the chief.

Mayor Whalen said "at least" a day of water conservation would be necessary to restore normal reserve supply in the reservoir.

### CCF to Drive For Housing

TORONTO—Ross Thatcher, CCF member of parliament for Moose Jaw, announced last night that his party would start a drive for low rental housing throughout the country at the forthcoming session.

Thatcher charged the government with inertia, indifference and complete ineptitude on the whole matter of housing.

### Alexander-Massey Talk

LONDON — The Alexander for defence minister and Massey for governor-general boom intrigued British political commentators today.

It was reported that Field Marshal Viscount Alexander is slated to take over the British defence ministry and Vincent Massey is slated to replace Alexander as Governor-General of Canada.

Massey is now in London. He refused to comment.

Governors-General, by established custom, are received by the King and Queen before taking of their appointments.

Massey, 64, Canadian High Commissioner in London from 1935 to 1946, declined to comment.

Reports from Canada said the appointment of a Canadian was criticized in some quarters.

In Ottawa, Charlotte Whitton, outspoken mayor, said the appointment of a Canadian governor-general would lead to disappearance of that office.

Speaking as a private citizen, Mayor Whitton said it would bring "politics into Rideau Hall and the fine detached dignity of the crown" would disappear.

The crown, she said, was just above party politics.

### French Freighter Delayed by Storm

A French freighter due here sometime tonight or tomorrow from Japan is expected to load grain for Italy, agents W. G. Nickerson & Co. said today. She is the Jean L.D., and will require a few hundred tons of fuel for onward transportation to San Pedro.

Although little word has been received on the type of ship, she is diesel operated. Bad weather has delayed the freighter enroute the Great Northern Circle, it was reported today. Approximately 300,000 bushels will be loaded at government elevators.

### Elderly Woman Truck Victim

VANCOUVER—Mrs. Elizabeth Trestle, struck last night by a truck reported to have had no light, died of the injuries. She was 92 years of age.

### Food Gift To Britain

Proposal Meets With Mixed Reception at Agriculture Session

MONTREAL (CP)—Suggestion was made before the annual convention of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture Tuesday that Canada send Great Britain \$100,000,000 worth of food as a free gift.

Dr. E. C. Hope, Federation economist, suggested that the federal government may be well advised to lay aside \$100,000,000 for such a purpose. It not only would aid austerly-stricken Britain but would help in disposal of huge supplies of feed grains building up in Canada.

However, H. H. Hannam, Canadian Federation of Agriculture president, said such a scheme might upset international markets and cut down chances of other countries of selling food to Britain at reasonable prices.

"How would we feel," said Mr. Hannam, "if Denmark, Holland and the United States were to implement such a proposal and send free gifts to Britain cutting down our chances of selling in that market."

### King's Trip to Start March 10

LONDON—Date of the departure of the King and Queen and Princess Margaret for their trip to South Africa has been set for March 10. They will sail on the battleship HMS Vanguard and are due at Capetown March 26. It will be primarily a health trip for His Majesty but will also have the aspect of a goodwill tour.

### WEATHER

GALE AND SNOW  
There will be a heavy snowfall along the coast today. At least six inches of fresh snow is expected on the lower mainland. An extensive storm is approaching the coast and gale warnings have been issued for all coastal waters. The snow will spread throughout the interior during the day.

There is warmer air accompanying this storm and temperatures are expected to moderate slowly. The snow will likely change to rain along the west coast of Vancouver Island later today and there will be showers of mixed rain and snow elsewhere along the coast tomorrow.

Forecast  
North coast region—Gale warning issued, snow south portion and Charlottes today. Clear on northern mainland, becoming overcast with snow beginning this afternoon. Cloudy with snow flurries tomorrow. Milder. Winds easterly (35) increasing to 50 over open water during the morning. Wind—southeast (30) tomorrow. Lows tonight and highs tomorrow—at Port Hardy, 25 and 38; Sandspit, 28 and 37; Prince Rupert, 20 and 34.

An independent daily newspaper devoted to the upbuilding of Prince Rupert and Northern and Central British Columbia.

Lesson Of Sandspit

THE FACT seems apparent that, had there been more adequate life saving facilities at Sandspit air station, which, in the meantime at least, is becoming increasingly used as a commercial air centre, a great many more lives would have been saved from the crash of the Korean airlift DC4 which overshot the air strip and crashed into the sea three-quarters of a mile from shore.

A tiny vessel little more than a skiff with outboard motor, due to the valiant work of its two operators, succeeded in saving seven lives, bringing them ashore from the freezing sea two at a time. Meantime, their companions, an estimated twenty-nine of them, were losing their grip on the wreckage and dropping away into the sea to perish. How many of them might have been saved had there been more adequate rescue craft can only be a matter of speculation. Certainly, a lot more would have been still alive today.

Almost certainly it is to be anticipated that, as a result of the investigation into this shocking and close to home tragedy, such better rescue facilities will be recommended and provided.

It so happened that American soldiers and transport crew were the victims of this simple error or judgment. It might have happened to our own aircraft, with our relatives and our friends, which use the same air strip every day and often at night. It was bad enough as it was. It might have been a whole lot more personally poignant to us. It is too bad that such things as this have to happen before the necessary is done, not only at Sandspit but possibly at other similar points.

Dollar At Par

IT IS very satisfactory, yet there is nothing so very surprising about the fact, that the Canadian dollar, released sixteen months ago to seek its own level on the money market of the world, should have reached par on the New York exchange. One does not have to think very hard to know the reason why. It is because Canada is rich in natural wealth and stable in her economic processes. These conditions have brought about a tremendous inflow of investment capital into the country and levelled off the financial and economic relationships of the two principal nations of the North American continent which, at that, have a different way of economic life and well being than the rest of the world.

In fact, Canada and the United States, in business and trade, are growing closer and closer together and, as time goes on, there may be further disappearance of the barriers which have separated them but are constantly diminishing. Even today such differentials as those involved in the exchange rates between the two are largely artificially maintained.

CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT

PUBLIC NOTICE

A critical water shortage has developed and all water users are requested to use water very sparingly.

HAROLD S. WHALEN, Mayor of Prince Rupert

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To Save Sterling

LONDON (C)—The countries of the British Commonwealth which deal in sterling have pledged to cut their world trade losses by late this year in an all-out drive to save the pound sterling.

A statement issued after a week-long conference announced that the Commonwealth partners agreed to spend less, earn more and work harder to give back to sterling "the strength it needs to continue as a widely-used currency."

Canada, as a dollar country, was the only member which did not make the pledge. She was represented by Finance Minister Abbott.

Decisions reached by the Commonwealth finance ministers' conference were outlined in general terms because in most cases budgetary action will be needed to implement them.

Nevertheless, there were signs that the sterling area partners were ready to put their 500,000,000 citizens on austerity rations if necessary to get their money system back into the black.

Outlining longer-term measures designed to prevent future crises, the ministers promised to work progressively towards their "definite objective to make sterling convertible."

If that goal is reached, it would mean sterling would be so strong and stable that other countries would want it as much as they today want American dollars and Swiss francs. The sterling area partners moreover would be in a position freely to swap money for any other foreign monies because they would have gold and dollar reserves big enough to meet any demands.

Nine countries took part in the talks. They were Britain, Australia, New Zealand, India, Pakistan, Ceylon, South Africa, Canada and South Rhodesia.

R. A. Butler, British Chancellor of the Exchequer, who presided over the conference, told a press conference the talks gave "a new lease of life to the sterling area."

ray... Reflects and Reminisces

People who say they sleep like a baby usually don't have one.

CAPITAL IS CALM

Vice in Juneau is increasing and no one appears to feel distressed. Juneau has nineteen churches and sixteen denominations. Police blandly repeat they continue a reasonable supervision over the general situation. In the windows of numerous respectable homes, appear cards notifying the public that law-abiding folk dwell within. There is, hence, an inference. And so, a community calmness and a discerning philosophy would seem to prevail.

Last year came word that Prince Rupert might expect to receive a postal delivery service. Something similar was heard in 1950. This is 1952. We're merely mentioning it.

MAY SEE ELIZABETH!

A band of Crow Indians from Alberta, wearing the style they were accustomed to about 75 years ago, will visit England this summer. They will sport the latest in High River buckskin and may prefer pemmican to bacon. Anyway, it will be a good show for everybody concerned, but it won't be entirely new.

Colonel Cody was the first to ever stage a wild west whoop-doo, overseas. This must have been all of seventy-five years ago. Buffalo Bill scored. The show was a knockout. Everyone, from Royalty down, saw it with the greatest of satisfaction. But even today are millions who hesitate to believe what they know is the truth concerning the Indians. That is, they live and look like nearly everyone else.

THE MASTER FALSEHOOD!

Cold weather yarns are coming from all parts of the west and Prince Rupert, as usual, can only report that yesterday was sunny and clear, with good sleighing. It was winter, with not an exaggeration in sight. Yet many a long year ago, a woman's letter told about Rupert people walking ashore over the harbor it was so unmercifully cold. How long ago or the woman's identity we don't recall, but it's easy to remember how such a monstrous lie raised a furious racket.

UNUSUAL EGG

HEESEN, Germany (Reuters)—A hen here laid an egg weighing 17½ ounces. Inside was a soft-shelled smaller egg with two yolks.

MARINE DIET

Most large ocean fish and sea birds live to a large extent on capelin, a close relative of the smelt.



BACK TO SERVICE—Viscount Alexander reported going to post of minister of defence in Britain.

THE LETTERBOX

COAL DELIVERIES

I would appreciate a few lines in the Letterbox so that I may explain to "Honest" and other interested readers the policy of Albert and McCaffery, Limited, on the matter of coal deliveries.

During the past year, four complaints have been reported to me. One was to the effect that sacks were short weight, the other three that the total number of sacks charged for was not delivered. In three of the four cases, a truck was sent out and the coal brought back and weighed under supervision. On only one occasion was there less coal weighed in than sent out and that amounted to approximately one hundred pounds on a delivery of twenty sacks made on an empty bin on a Saturday, the coal being picked up on the following Monday. The shortage claimed in this case was five sacks.

Some of the men carry two and on occasion three sacks at a time and it is sometimes found that people that have been checking on the amount of coal going into their bins have counted trips rather than sacks.

As a matter of interest, and for record, the inventory of Albert and McCaffery, Limited, was short at the year ending March 31, 1950, by 188 tons and by 60 tons March 31, 1951. While in terms of percentage on the volume handled, this is a small loss, it does support any argument that might be put up by the staff when replying to complaints on the amount of coal in each sack.

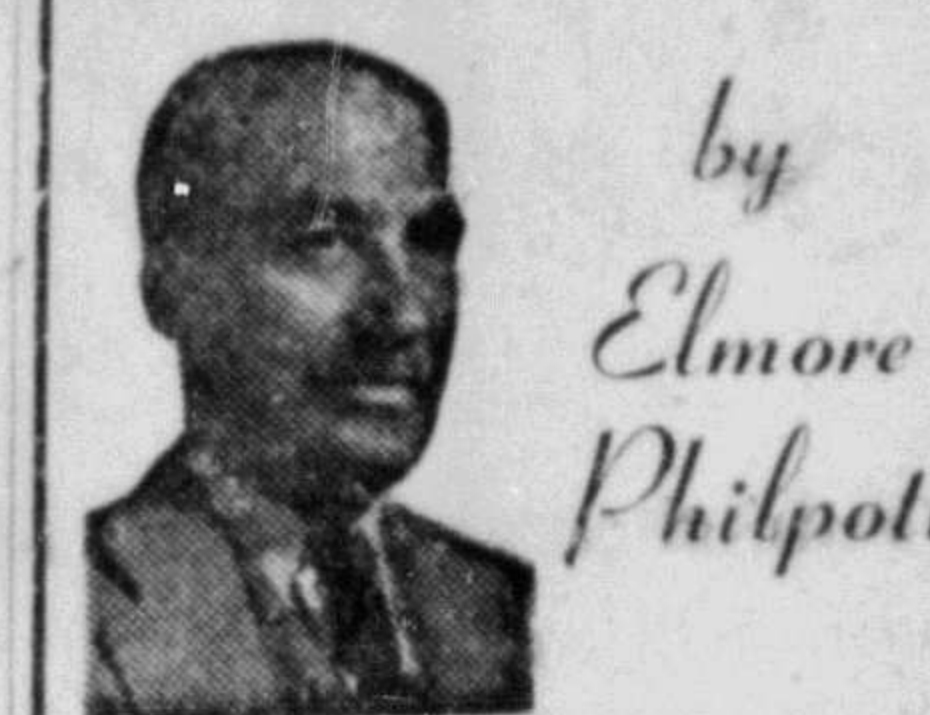
As far as the matter of customers being short delivered is concerned, I have implicit faith in the honesty of the drivers. That is one of the main reasons that they are driving for the firm. People, however, sometimes do make mistakes, and on occasion a driver will report in that he has a sack over and does not know which customer was short. When a person phones in to complain, the sack is sent out with apologies. Complaints of this nature, where there is an obvious answer, are handled by the staff, but they are very infrequent, only three having been received this winter.

"Honest" may have a legitimate complaint. If the coal came from Albert and McCaffery or any firm buying coal from A & M, a phone call to the writer would be appreciated. Meanwhile, should any customer at any time have occasion to complain, he should not hesitate to phone. It will be fully investigated.

STABILIZATION BUTTER

MONTREAL.—Minister of Agriculture James G. Gardiner told the Canadian Federation of Agriculture here today that a reserve of 18,500,000 pounds was being maintained as a price stabilization measure.

As I See It



Down Ship's Ladder

HAVE you ever wondered why ships' officers roar out that warning for all non-passengers to get ashore before sailing time?

Well, now I know. Two pert ladies who live in Ocean Falls ignored the double warning over the loud speakers of the good CN ship Prince George. There was great consternation in mid-harbor when it was discovered they were still aboard the Vancouver-bound vessel.

There was a sharp succession of whistle toots. Finally out from shore came a launch. A ladder was lowered and the gals climbed down. In story books the skipper would have been giving out with a string of cuss words which would have made even the watching loggers blush. But not Captain Caldwell, of the Prince George. I heard him speak sharply only to this effect: "Pull up that ladder a bit, before it breaks."

"What would have happened to them if there was no way to get them ashore on a small boat?" we asked. "They would have had to pay their fares to Vancouver."

THE passengers aboard this ship were sobered and saddened by the news of the crash of a U.S. plane, homebound from Korea. We are just a stone's throw from the tip of the Queen Charlotte Islands, where the plane overshot the landing field. But I can't find anybody who is the least bit sad at the breakup of the coalition government of B.C.

It was as certain as anything can be in this uncertain world. Captain Carlsen's feat in sticking with his water logged ship almost till it sank beneath the waves made more sense than Skipper Boss Johnson's attempt to stick to the coalition ship long after it was clear that more than half the members of his coalition crew had bored big holes in the bottom of the ship, preparatory to finally scuttling her at the precise moment they could bag cash in on the political salvage.

DREW PEARSON has written a blast against Canada which I did not see in any U.S. paper which regularly carries his syndicated column, but which appears in The Nippon Times, Tokyo, Japan, December 25, 1951. He complains that Canada cut down on aluminum shipments to U.S.A. in order to get U.S.A. to ship more steel to Britain. Thus: "As proof that this is a cold-blooded squeeze play, Canada

Pressing War Against Flu

LONDON (C)—Assistance of family physicians throughout the United Kingdom is being enlisted by the ministry of health in a concerted drive against the scourge of influenza.

In an effort to find out more about the disease which annually exacts a heavy toll of life, the ministry has asked doctors in general practice to act as "spotters" by promptly reporting any abnormal outbreak of influenza. The patients afflicted will then be examined by specialists in an attempt to identify the virus that is active.

Ministry spokesmen said the move was not being made because of any fears that an epidemic was imminent. It was merely part of a plan to build up and improve the information service. "We are also profiting by the experiences of last winter," he added. "Then two areas, Newcastle and Liverpool, were severely hit but through lack of an organized spotting system we were never able to confirm the actual strain of the virus or check how far it spread to other parts of the country."

In co-operation with the medical research council, a new vaccine, grown in eggs, is to be tried out experimentally this winter. The object is to ascertain whether the injection of this vaccine causes any strengthening of the protective substances in the human blood stream.

Advertisement for a new washer, 'The Inglis Model #139', priced at \$159.00. Features include automatic pump, porcelain enamel tub, lifetime lubrication, quiet as a whisper, level safety wringer, and year guarantee.

SHERIFF'S SALE advertisement listing various items for sale, including a desk, chairs, drawers, heating stove, upholstered chair, drill press, motor, saw, motor, attached, bandsaw on bench, motor attached, 1 shaper, motor attached, 1 sander, motor attached, 1 jointer, motor attached, 1 table saw, motor and bench, 1 lathe, 1 electric motor, 1 bundle cable, 2 boxes tools and attachments, 6 pieces wall board, sundries, and on Thursday, the 24th day of January, 1952, at the hour of 1:30 P.M., at the Rapid Block, corner Sixth Avenue and Fulton Street, Prince Rupert, B.C. I shall offer for sale at public auction all the right, title and interest of the said defendants in the above goods.

has doubled its aluminum shipments to Australia, Brazil, Uruguay, and even Argentina at a time when it strangled the aluminum flow to this country (U.S.A.)... Meanwhile the Canadian squeeze has accomplished its purpose and forced the U.S. to swap American steel for British aluminum.

WELL, even if the above is true—so what? We in the British Commonwealth are learning the hard way that we get on best with Uncle Sam if he learns "we know how to horse trade."

Even the best U.S. friend we British ever had, Franklin Roosevelt, drove one of the hardest bargains in history.

In exchange for fifty overage destroyers he got for U.S.A. naval bases in British territory all over the Atlantic. Big nations have fought wars for what Roosevelt got in that sharp swap.

Incidentally, the deal of which Drew Pearson complains is peanuts compared with the one whereby Mr. Churchill was allowed to buy a million tons of steel in return for U.S. right to buy 55,100,000,000 pounds of Canadian aluminum and 20,000 tons of Malay tin.

CHANGING FILMS—SANTIAGO, Chile (Reuters)—Robinson Crusoe would never know his island now. The Isle of Juan Fernandez, commonly known as Crusoe's Island, is getting electricity. A generator with gasoline motor and other equipment has just been shipped to the little island.

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THESE ARE THE DAILY NEWS LITTLE MERCHANTS THEIR SUCCESS DEPENDS ON YOU

## Dresses Closet

(CP)—Mrs. Rosita's wardrobe of that would stir any woman, but her handmade dresses from professional three years ago, most of her 30 moth balls. She's to do it because she has a "weakness for the two dance" her husband is busy. "I danced to- day," she explained. "Of buy these all; at I danced to- day."

her husband, professionally under Rosita and Dene, Canada and Dene, since they retired in 1943 and now operate in Montreal. They no more here in

## Moose et Due

members of the Moose invitation to the mid- conference for all nor- westerners held next Sunday at the Moose Lodge in Vancouver. A general discussion on the Moose was led by B. J. at the regular Moose Tuesday.

of thanks by Mr. Bacon ended by O. Stegavig. of the Moose was in- vited a Mooseburger planned for Thursday

## or Selling Coming Up

result of activities of officers, liquor selling are pending in city po- n against three taxi op- erations. It is expected to be next week.

## Way Clear; ns Moving

by tracks have been of snow and trains will be today. Passenger on the east is expected to be in the afternoon. Freight trains tonight, Canadian National offices said.

As there is no train service at Prince Rupert since Sunday, a huge slide 40 miles ch was cleared last night.

of freight trains is ex- pected to alleviate a serious coal shortage. Several carloads are to be on the first

left for the east at 3:30 p.m. but was forced to stop from Tyee this after- noon account of drifting snow. It will make a new start

are now getting through the assistance of plough

## eaders

Moose Legion and Lodge Moose- burger Supper at 6:30 in the Moose Temple on Thurs- day, January 24. (Itc)

Annual Burns Banquet of the Prince Rupert Burns Club will be in the Broadway Cafe on January 25 at 6:30 p.m. Mem- bers are invited to be present. The Treasurer, if bring- ing, make this fact same time. Visitors in- vited to attend contact McKeay, phone Green 419. (Itc)

ING CHURCHILL (Reuters)—To- day, 44-year-old Innocencio smoked a cigar two feet long four hours. "After the big cigar," he said, "I ate a small one to taste of the other from

## British Swim Suits Have Flared Skirts

LONDON (CP)—Those who remember the flounced skirts of the early bathing belles will note just the faintest shadow of old glories in the latest British swim suits. For the Bikini is out. In 1952, bathers here will wear flared skirts in Princess fullness. The new suits are all in one piece, with higher backs to support, smooth, whittled waistlines and quarter or half-skirt flares. Designed to support the bust and flatten the diaphragm, the 1952 models are extremely slim- ming. Made of elasticated materials to escape the ugly droop of the wool numbers of yester- year, they are constructed so that straps are merely an after- thought. Latest color schemes include: the shot taffeta effect of two blended colors and an emphasis on chestnut and black.

## Moose Women Plan Parley

Business at a regular meeting of the Women of the Moose consisted to large extent of perfect- ing arrangements for the forth- coming regional conference to be held in Prince Rupert Janu- ary 27.

Mrs. C. McIntyre was in the chair at the meeting which initiated one new member. Plans were advanced for the forthcoming spring bazaar under the convenership of Mrs. Kara- sosky.

## Bert Teng Succumbs

Victim of an accident last week in the Canadian National Railways shops here, John Albert (Bert) Teng, prominent for many years in church and musical circles and a veteran of two wars, died at 3:30 this morning in Prince Rupert General Hos- pital.

Last Thursday afternoon he sustained severe burns while at his work as a boilermaker. Since then he had lapsed between con- sciousness and unconsciousness with hope for his recovery gradually fading.

Born in Stockholm, Saskatche- wan, October 18, 1893, Mr. Teng came to Prince Rupert in 1912 and joined the employ of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. He went overseas with the 72nd Battalion, Seaforth Highlanders, in World War One and returned to Prince Rupert in 1920 to re- sume his work with the railway. He joined up promptly for active service with the 102nd Battalion here on the outbreak of World War Two and later was an officer in the local reserve machine gun regiment.

He was an active member of the Canadian Legion. I was in musical circles that Mr. Teng was particularly well known as a talented vocal soloist and a valued member of various choral groups.

For many years he was an officer and elder of First Presby- terian Church as well as choir member.

Fraternal affiliations included Tyee Lodge, AF & AM, and the Loyal Orange Lodge. He was a member of the guardian council of the Job's Daughters as direc- tor of music.

Deceased was also a member of the executive of the Prince Rupert Boy Scouts' Association. Survivors include the widow, a son, Maurice, a daughter, Bar- bara, and a brother, Oscar, in Detroit.

Funeral arrangements, in the hands of the B.C. Undertakers, will be announced later.

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DISASTER (AP)—A tidal wave following an earthquake in 1896 killed persons in Japan.

## Local and PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Adams re- turned today from a trip to Vancouver.

Charles Roberts returned to- day from a ten-day holiday- Business trip to Vancouver and Victoria.

Mrs. William Glass returned to the city today on the Prince George following holidays in Vancouver.

Graydon Roberts of Prince George, field representative of the National Film Board, was the speaker today at the regular weekly luncheon of the Prince Rupert Gyro Club.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Frizell returned on the Prince George today after a month's holiday in Winnipeg and Chicago. They reported less snow on the prair- ies than on the west coast. Chi- cago had a lot of snow and cold weather.

Publicity and membership committees of the Women of the Moose met at the home of Mrs. C. Erickson. Plans were made for entertainment of individual committees at the midwinter conference to be held in Prince Rupert January 27.

L-Cpl. George Evans of this city is enjoying a reunion with his brother, James, for a few days in Vancouver. The younger brother is in the RCAF and the two have not seen each other for two and a half years, writes Cpl. Evans, who returned recently from Korea.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lynam of Terrace returned on the Prince George today from Van- couver and expect to leave for Terrace on the first train. Mr. Lynam is manager of Columbia Cellulose Co. woods operations at Terrace and has been attend- ing a truck loggers' convention in Vancouver.

## Paddy Ryan, Oldest Serving Member of RCMP, Decorated

Former Prince Rupert Man Honored

Forty members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police met recently in Ottawa when all were decorated with good conduct and long service medals by Commissioner Leonard Nicholson.

Present for the ceremony was Assistant Commissioner Riveit Carnac of Victoria, officer com- manding E Division who him- self wears a long-service ribbon. Probably the proudest mem- ber to be decorated came in civil- ian clothes. He was Special Constable P. J. Ryan, now a sad- dler at the barracks in Ottawa but a veteran of 64 years service—the oldest serving member of the force. His age is a secret, said Commissioner Nicholson.

Pioneers in Prince Rupert will remember Special Constable Ryan who, around 25 or 30 years ago lived in this city. He already had had a lengthy and interest- ing career, and could tell about life and incidents in the Klondyke, during and after the gold stampede. For years he operated a photography shop.

The first Bible from the Cam- bridge University Press in Eng- land was published in 1629.

First white men in Illinois were the French missionaries and traders late in the 17th cen- tury.

Fire showed the most marked increase in 1951 as a major cause of violent deaths, with a total of 66. The main reason for the increase was the Hospice Ste. Cuneo-gonde disaster which took 33 lives.

Morale records showed that during 1951 there were 40 deaths occurring at work — mostly in- dustrial accidents. No month during the year was free of such accidents, but the greater num- ber took place in the last half, August and November showing a peak of six each.

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## Chinese Watch Appointment Canadian Ships Seems Sure

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## FRIENDSHIP SYMBOL

BERLIN (CP)—West Berlin plans to start a "green guest book" as a symbol of her friendly relations with foreign visitors. The plan is to have visitors plant small trees in the tiergarten, in the British sector. A British garden has already been started with contributions from England.

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## NOTICE OF MEETING

The Annual General meeting of the Civic Centre Association of Prince Rupert will be held Thursday, January 24th, 1952 at 8:00 P.M. in the Civic Centre Auditorium.

The order of business will include the presen- tation of Annual Reports, Election of Directors, etc.

All paid up members of the age of nineteen years and over will be entitled to voting privileges.

JOHN F. STIRN,  
General Secretary.

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## NOTICE

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
 Presbyterian Burns Banquet, January 24.  
 Catholic card party, January 24.  
 I.O.E. Founders Day tea, February 13, at home of Mrs. Jens Munthe.  
 Legion Card Party, January 30.  
 Women's Hospital Auxiliary Valentine Tea, February 14.  
 U.F.A.W.U. W.A. Valentine dance, Oddfellows' Hall, February 15.  
 Conrad P.T.A. "Sadie Hawkins" dance, February 15, Conrad Street School.  
 Annual Masonic ball, Friday, February 15.  
 United Church Leap Year tea, February 23.  
 St. Patrick's Tea and Home-cooking Sale, Catholic Hall, March 20. Card party and drawing of raffle 8 p.m.  
 Legion Auxiliary Spring Sale, April 9.  
 Job's Daughters Easter tea, April 10.

**FUNERAL NOTICE**  
 SCHERK—At Victoria, Sunday, January 20, 1952, Mrs. Harriet Scherk, age 78 years, of 1717 Graham Ave., beloved mother of Russell, Raymond, Reuben and Vernon Scherk of Prince Rupert, Rexford Scherk of Victoria and Mrs. Rena Bessley of Kamloops, B.C. Services will be conducted at Full Gospel Tabernacle at 2 p.m. Thursday, January 24, with Rev. C. Fawcett officiating. Interment to follow in Fairview Cemetery. B. C. Undertakers in charge of arrangements. (19c)

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 PRINCE RUPERT Hotel Dining Room serves business men's lunches at very reasonable prices. Hours 7 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. (1f)  
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**CARS FOR SALE**  
 FOR SALE—1946 Plymouth convertible, 5 passenger. Can be seen at Frizzell Motors. (22p)  
 FOR SALE—As is and where is, 1948 Chevrolet 1 ton panel truck, B.C. Licence No. C31-617. May be inspected at Bob Parker Ltd. Bids accepted by R. E. Mortimer, phone 88. (24c)

**FOR RENT**  
 FOR RENT—Room and board for two men sharing. Separate beds. Red 192. (1f)  
 FOR RENT—General Electric floor polishers \$1 per day. Phone Blue 992, Pacific Electric. (1f)  
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**LOST AND FOUND**  
 LOST—Cardboard carton containing personal effects, lost off 99 Taxi in East End. Reward. (22c)  
 LOST—A grey Persian cat. Anyone knowing whereabouts please phone Black 327. (20p)  
 LOST—Armature from back of truck between Port Edward and Rupert. Reward. Whalen's Cartage Ltd. (20p)

**WANTED TO RENT**  
 WANTED—2 room apartment or large housekeeping room by working couple. Close in. Box 278, Daily News. (19p)  
 WANTED TO RENT—3 or 4 room apartment or house. Mr. Senff, P.O. Box 538. (23p)  
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**TENDERS**  
 SEALED tenders addressed to the Secretary, Synod Office, P.O. Box 508, Prince Rupert, B.C. will be received up to noon, February 15, 1952, for the purchase of M.V. Western Hope which can be viewed at the Prince Rupert Dry Dock and Shipyard. Length 42 feet between perpendiculars, O.A. 46 feet, Beam 11 feet, Draft 5 feet 6 inches. Powered by 90 H.P. Acadia. Cruising speed eight knots. Lower or any tender not necessarily accepted. (23c)

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**PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT**, Income Tax specialist. S. G. Furk, Stone Building, Red 593. (20m)  
**IN RE ESTATE OF WONG FOOK DECEASED.**  
 TAKE NOTICE that as Administrator, duly appointed by the Court of the estate of Wong Fook, who died at Vancouver, British Columbia, on the 27th day of September, 1947, I require all creditors and others having claims against the said estate to send the same to me, properly verified, at the address mentioned below, on or before the 29th day of February, 1952, after which date I shall proceed to distribute the estate to those entitled by law, having regard only to such claims of which I shall then have been notified.  
 AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that all persons indebted to said estate are required to pay their indebtedness to me forthwith.  
 DATED at Prince Rupert, B.C., this 12th day of January, 1952.  
**GORDON FRASER FORBES,**  
 Official Administrator,  
 Prince Rupert, B.C. (F15.16.22.23p)

**NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT**  
 R.S.C. 1927, Chapter 140  
**COLUMBIA CELLULOSE COMPANY LIMITED** hereby gives notice that it has, under Section 7 of the said Act, deposited with the Minister of Public Works, at Ottawa, and in the office of the District Registrar of the Land Registry District of Prince Rupert at Prince Rupert, British Columbia, a description of the site and the plans of dolphins proposed to be driven in the bed of Porpoise Harbour at Watson Island, British Columbia, on Block "A", Lot 7381, Range 5, Coast District, Province of British Columbia.  
 AND TAKE NOTICE that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice Columbia Cellulose Company, Limited, will under Section 7 of the said Act apply to the Minister of Public Works at his office in the City of Ottawa, for approval of the said site and plans.  
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 5:30 Have You Heard  
 5:45 Question Box  
 6:00 Supper Serenade  
 6:15 Hawaiian Melodies  
 6:30 Musical Varieties  
 6:45 Smiley Burnette Show  
 7:00 CBC News  
 7:30 This Week's Roundup  
 7:30 Recital—Mary Henderson  
 8:00 Talk by Christopher Fry  
 8:30 The Lady's Not for Burning  
 8:30 CBC News  
 8:30 Music for Moderns  
 10:15 Supplement  
 10:30 NBC String Quartet  
 11:00 Weather Report and Sign-off

**THURSDAY**  
 A.M.  
 7:00 Musical Clock  
 8:00 CBC News  
 8:15 News of the Day  
 8:30 Morning Song  
 8:30 Morning Devotions  
 8:45 Little Concert  
 9:00 CBC News and Commentary  
 9:15 Music for Moderns  
 9:30 Morning Concert  
 9:55 Time Signal  
 10:00 Morning Vigil  
 10:15 Riders of Purple Sage  
 11:15 CBC News  
 10:45 Musical Program  
 11:00 Kindergarten of the Air  
 11:15 Roundup Time  
 11:20 Weather Report  
 11:31 Messner Period  
 11:33 Recorded Interlude  
 11:45 Scandinavian Melodies  
 P.M.  
 12:00 Mid-day Melodies  
 12:15 CBC News  
 12:25 Program Resume  
 12:30 B.C. Farm Broadcast  
 12:55 Recorded Interlude  
 1:00 Afternoon Concert  
 1:45 Deeds That Live: Comty.  
 2:30 School Broadcast  
 2:30 Records at Random  
 3:00 The Music Box  
 3:30 Solo Guest  
 3:45 Novel Time  
 4:00 Sunshine Society  
 4:20 Dead Man's Island  
 4:45 Stock Quotations, Interlude

## Optimistic For Canada

LONDON (CP)—Ian Leslie, editor of a British newspaper, The Builder, said he would like to see every British manufacturer of building materials investigate the possibility of entering the Canadian market.  
 Leslie, who recently returned from a tour of Canada, told a meeting that Canada has the greatest potential in the world.  
 "She stands," he said, "where the United States stood 50 years ago, with her resources virtually untouched but with all the technical advances of a half-century ready to hand."  
 Canada offered the possibility of a long-term market, but the market was a tough one and the average Canadian a shrewd customer—

## BLACKWOOD on Bridge

By EASLEY BLACKWOOD

**Thousands of Points Lost by Wrong Partner Making Four No Trump Bid**

When both you and your partner have good hands and are moving along toward slam, do you ever think about which one of you should bid the four no trump? Or do you just barge ahead and make that bid as soon as you sense the possibility of slam?

Thousands of points are lost by reason of the "wrong" partner bidding the four no trump. You can avoid these losses if you know how. Let's see what Mr. Champion has to say on the subject.

Against the six club contract, Mr. Dale opened the five of spades. Mr. Champion won on the board with the king. He then spread the hand, claiming 13 tricks.  
**WHAT'S HURRY**  
 "What was your hurry in bidding this hand, Abel?" the great man snarled. "That's the trouble with you guys. You fall all over yourself bidding four no trump as soon as you smell a slam. After your jump takeout you didn't think I'd drop the bidding, did you?"

South dealer Both sides vulnerable

North (Mr. Abel)  
 S-K  
 H-A J 10 6 3  
 D-A 7  
 C-K 8 7 5 4

West (Mr. Dale)  
 S-J 8 6 5 4  
 H-7 2  
 D-10 8 6 5 2  
 C-6

East (Mrs. Keen)  
 S-10 9 7 3  
 H-Q 9 8 5  
 D-9 4 3  
 C-Q 9 2

The bidding:  
 South West North East  
 1 C Pass 2 H Pass  
 3 C Pass 4 NT Pass  
 5 D Pass 6 C All pass

"No," replied Mr. Abel, "but I was sure we had a small or a grand slam and I didn't see any reason to delay asking you for aces. I didn't bid five no trump to ask for kips because if you only had one and showed it with a six diamond bid, then we'd be past the six club spot."  
 "See what I mean?" answered Mr. Champion, exasperatedly. "You used the four no trump, got the information you wanted and then didn't know what to do with it. Look how clear the whole picture would have been if you simply bid four clubs over my three club bid—and let ME bid the four no trump. You would have shown me three aces. Your reply to my five no trump bid would have shown me one king."  
**CHAMPION EXPLAINS**  
 "With that information," Mr. Champion continued, "a small child would have bid seven no trump on my hand."  
 "Here's something for you to remember. It is almost always better for the partner with the second round controls (kings, king-queen combinations and singletons) to bid the four no trump rather than the partner with the larger number of aces."  
 Mr. Champion was right. Try to maneuver the bidding so that partner has a chance to bid the four no trump—unless you are rich in second round controls.

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 I'M SORRY, DEAR—THE VARNISH ON THE WALL STEPS ISN'T DRY.  
 BUT DON'T WORRY, I'LL PUT THE LADDER UP TO THIS WINDOW SO YOU COULD GET DOWN.  
**—Why Fathers Age Young.**



## BC Facing Large Teacher Shortage

VANCOUVER (CP)—The President of the B.C. Teachers' Federation today predicted a shortage of 1,200 teachers in B.C. by 1955, unless enrolment in normal schools increases.

John Prior said one of the items to be discussed at the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Canadian Teachers' Federation in Ottawa Jan. 24 to 26, will be a research committee to discuss how more young people can be brought into the profession.

The Federation would like to see adequate wages so more young people would take up teaching as a life's work, he said.

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# Twin Upset by Students In Separate Hoop Bills

Rainmakers 52, G & A 43  
Elks 69, CCC 41  
Hi-Greens 33, Fraser & Payne 30

High School's Rainmakers took ready advantage of Johnson & Anderson's player shortage last night to chalk up an early lead in the first senior hoop fixture. With the strong combine of Flateh and Holkestad missing, the hardware lot were lost.

# Rangers And Bruins Draw

BOSTON — Rookie Herb Dickenson and Wally Hergensheimer scored third-period goals Tuesday night to move the New York Rangers into a three-all tie with Boston Bruins. The deadlock enabled the Rangers to retain fourth place in the National Hockey League.

Paul Roxy, former Bruin, set up both Dickenson and Hergensheimer to score in the first period and Rookie Leo Labine put the Bruins into a one-all tie with only seventeen seconds remaining in the session.

Gary Stewart opened the Rangers' scoring in the first period by scoring in the first period and Rookie Leo Labine put the Bruins into a one-all tie with only seventeen seconds remaining in the session.

Dave Creighton and J. H. Y. Pelton countered during the second period to give the Bruins a 3 to 1 lead. Then Dickenson and Hergensheimer did their work in the third.

# Hockey Scores

**Pacific Coast**

Edmonton 2, Saskatoon 10  
Vancouver 3, Victoria 5

**Okanagan**

Penticton 3, Vernon 8  
**Pacific Coast (Amateur)**  
Vancouver 5, Nanaimo 3  
**Western Int. All Star**  
All-Stars 5, Spokane 6

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

Team	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Detroit	25	9	8	124	77	60
Toronto	21	14	9	107	88	51
Montreal	19	18	6	114	102	44
New York	15	20	9	111	132	39
Boston	14	19	10	96	114	38
Chicago	12	27	4	103	142	28

# International Hoop Series Called Off; Weather Too Severe

The Weather Man has interfered with the Ketchikan-Prince Rupert senior international basketball series which was to have been held in the city this Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings. The engagement has been called off for the time being owing to the severity of winter weather conditions.

# Goalie Back To Buffalo

VANCOUVER — Goalkeeper Phil McAte will be returned to Buffalo of the American Hockey League by the Vancouver Canucks, it was announced today.

# Beavers Lead Junior League

As a result of their 34 to 17 defeat by Beavers Tuesday evening, Manson's forfeited their first place in the Junior League to the Bo-Mc-Hi Beavers. Manson's are now in second place in the league.

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The game represented respectively Manson's second loss and the Beavers' sixth win.

Assessors were Christensen, with 14 for the Beavers, and Barnes and Helin, each with six for Manson's. Of the thirteen goals called by referees Morrison and Finess, four were on the Beavers and nine on the Jewelers.

Scoring:  
Manson's—Webber 2, Helin 6, Brennan, Mostad, Barnes 6, Hodgekinton 3. Total 17.  
Beavers—Tanaka 4, T. Nakatsu 2, M. Nakatsu, Mah 6, Yamamoto, Matsuo, Tsuchiya, Haudenschild 3, Morven, Christenson 14. Total 34.



# What's doing at— CIVIC CENTRE

The class for girls doing wood-work at the Civic Centre is interesting more members each week. Diane Foreman finished the doll cradle in two weeks and attended the Saturday painting class to put the finishing touches on her work. There are new patterns which require heavier wood and less cutting with a stool, hobby horse, knick-knack shelf and a paper towel rack among the patterns which prove more interesting.

The Junior girls have requested a sewing class. This is to be on Monday afternoon which will replace the Teen Crafts period. Those Teeners taking leathercraft will attend Wednesday night classes as usual. Girls may provide their own material or may use materials at the class which will be supplied at cost. The patterns include small articles viewed in a monthly magazine requiring a minimum of work and expense. The first meeting will be held next Monday after school. Members are expected to meet in the Craft Room.

Furniture craft is still being carried on at the Centre. Mrs. B. Boulton has completed the first chair and reports that it is most satisfactory. Instructions and patterns as well as ideas regarding color scheme are available through these classes.

Glendon Smith is now learning the art of making a string belt in an intricate pattern while Kenny McKinnon cut out a drawing bag last week at the craft class on Wednesday night. Expanding bag frame purses are quite fashionable again now and patterns and materials are on display at the Civic Centre. English suede is especially fine for this project and a delight to work with.

OLYMPIC SKATER — Craig Mackay, 24-year-old Saskatoon speed skater, is on Canada's Olympic team at the winter events next month at Oslo, Norway. He placed 11th and 13th in two events in the 1948 Olympics. He holds the Canadian record of 2:26.4 for 1,500 metres and placed seventh in 500 metres and ninth in 1,500 metres at the 1950 world championships in Sweden.  
(CP PHOTO)

# Power Lack Hits Japan

Hits Country's Industrial Challenge to World  
By ROSS MARK

TOKYO (Reuters) — A power famine has begun to choke off the growing rumble of Japan's industry in its challenge for world trade.

Sudden electricity blackouts are daily striking factories in Tokyo, Osaka, Nagoya, Hiroshima, Nagasaki and other great industrial centres.

The government has made much in the press of a huge electric power development scheme to feed the growing giant of Japanese industry. But Allied headquarters (SCAP) power experts say that this scheme, to cost between \$280,000,000 and \$2,000,000,000, is a romantic politician's dream.

They criticize the government plan on the grounds that:

- It calls for the formation of one octopus-like corporation to control all Japan's electric power.
- It includes construction of five large dams which would pile up water across thousands of acres of valley, destroying rich rice lands.

Objection to the first point is based on the fact that only last May the occupation broke up a power monopoly. When the power industry fell into the hands of the militaristic Tojo government in 1939, it became the motor of the Japanese war machine.

Flooding of the valleys could bring hunger to thousands of Japanese. Since Japan lost her "ricebowls" of Formosa and Korea, she has not been able to produce enough to feed herself and can ill afford to lose fruitful acreage.

Yet electricity is an essential prop to the Japanese economy. Coal is so scarce and expensive that Japanese factories cannot afford to use it. They are trying to keep down prices to compete on overseas markets.

Power shortage has become a semi-chronic postwar phenomenon in Japan.

# Big Hydro Plans

The government plan envisages development of hydro-electric power, including a monster dam project across the Tadami river, northwest of Tokyo on the main island of Japan. But even Japanese technicians have admitted that the acute shortage of steel, copper and aluminum would severely limit transmission of power to other parts of Japan. They declare that there would be "power running out of everybody's ears" in the Tadami

# Jordan and Iraq Union

By ZEIN NAGATI  
CAIRO (AP)—The tiny, troubled Arab kingdom of Jordan, which rules over the Christian shrines of Jerusalem and Bethlehem, is facing increasing pressure for unity with neighboring Iraq.

The pressure is from within the country. It comes from a large number of businessmen and political leaders. The unity project has been urged openly in the Jordan parliament.

Those who back unity with Iraq argue it is the only solution for Jordan's shaky economy. More than half of Jordan's budget now is a subsidy from the British, who have trained and led Jordan's famous Arab Legion of desert fighters.

Jordan's cabinet and King Talal—who took over the crown only a few months ago after the assassination of his father, King Abdullah—are against the idea. The British are believed to be against it, too.

The voice of those calling for unity became so loud that the government ordered newspapers to stop talking about it. The press, which had been for union, is not permitted to report parliamentary debates on the plan.

Jordan is a small, barren land which never has been able to support itself. It has been important in recent Middle East history, because it has a long common border with Israel.

The country produces little except a few agricultural products but it must import food to feed its people. It has a budget of about \$5,000,000 of which \$20,000,000 comes from the British.

Jordan is a landlocked country, except for a poor port on the Gulf of Aqaba off the Red Sea. A second-rate motor road connects Aqaba with Amman, the capital.

# Refugee Sanctuary

Amman was a boom town for a while, during and right after the Arab-Jew fighting in Palestine. Refugees who fled with their money spent much of it in Jordan. The money is mostly ex-

hausted now. Business is stagnant.

Iraq, the ancient land of Mesopotamia, has vast potential land resources in the basins of the Tigris and Euphrates Rivers. It has great oil riches which have not been fully exploited yet because the oil must be piped some 600 miles to the sea.

New pipelines are being completed which will give Iraq great new revenues in oil royalties.

Iraq has a population of about 3,500,000. Jordan's population— which more than tripled when Jordan annexed Arab Palestine in 1950—is about 1,800,000.

Nuri Said, Iraq's political strong man for decades has advocated a "fertile crescent" plan which would unite Iraq with Jordan, plus neighboring Syria and Lebanon. Iraq-Jordan unity would be the first step to achievement of this scheme.

The military dictatorship running Syria is against the idea. So is Lebanon—the only Arab country with a sizeable Christian population.

When King Abdullah was slain in a Jerusalem mosque last June, Nuri Said and Prince Regent Abdul Illah of Iraq came to Jordan to press unification. Iraq is ruled by the boy King, Faisal, a close blood relative of the late King Abdullah and the present King Talal.

Both Jordan, with its Arab Legion of 35,000, and Iraq, with an army of 70,000, would play an important role in any Middle East command which the Western Powers propose to set up.

# Planning Ahead

SYDNEY, Australia (Reuters) —Three casks of wine laid recently at Seppeltsfield, South Australia's famous wine-making centre, will be opened in the year 2001. The wine in the casks then will be 50 years old, coincident with the centenary of Australian federation.

# Stops Neuritic-Neuralgic Pain! Aspirin

Valley while the great industrial centres would still be hungry.

Japan's main physical difficulties in developing power are the short deep valleys in which water cannot be stored to any great extent and sporadic, unreliable rainfall between droughts.

Caught between the choice of power or food, the Japanese people so far have chosen food.

Yet, power consumption is increasing. The public are buying more and more electric appliances. Industry is continually asking for more power.

Foreign power experts blame bad government planning for the shortage and declare that immediate action rather than grandiose schemes will help Japan over the power famine period.

These experts say that the soundest course would be for the government to modernize existing facilities and back small hydro-electric development schemes spread throughout Japan as near as possible to the big industrial centres.

# Court Lauds Capt. Carlsen

NEW YORK — Capt. Kurt Carlsen may return to sea with the best wishes of a board of inquiry which investigated the sinking of the freighter Flying Enterprise.

Capt. Lewis Shackleford, presiding officer at the inquiry, told Carlsen yesterday that he realized what he had been through and hoped his ordeal will not be repeated.

Shackleford added: Go back to sea with best wishes. He closed the hearings after Carlsen testified about the Flying Enterprise saga.

The skipper said that the wild storm, not improper loading, sent the freighter to the bottom.

Findings of the board of inquiry will be sent to coast guard headquarters for final consideration and determination as to whether there was any negligence among the crew of the freighter.

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Lockeport Skippers Show How

OTTAWA — Two Lockeport N.S. fishing captains have been showing the traditional inshore fishermen of Bonavista, Newfoundland, how to make more money by going into deeper waters with long-lining operations.

Dr. W. Templeman, director of the Newfoundland Fisheries Research station, told the annual meeting of the Fisheries Research Board of Canada here how the educational program conducted by the Board for the inshore fishermen had paid off. The success of the 1951 experiments already had induced two local fishing crews to switch from inshore to long-line methods.

The two Lockeport fishing captains engaged for the work were Captain Russell Decker with his 42-foot open boat "O'many O" and Captain Gordon Hemeon with his 51-foot decked boat "Miss Osborne." When the "Miss Osborne" was destroyed by an explosion and fire last August, Captain Hemeon used Newfoundland schooners.

Between June 9 and October 31, said Dr. Templeman, the "O'many O" with a crew of three, caught a total of 342,000 pounds of marketable fish, including 149,000 pounds of cod. In the same period Captain Hemeon with his four-man crew caught 365,000 pounds of fish, including 349,000 pounds of cod. Without the fire aboard the "Miss Osborne" the latter's catch could have reached 450,000 pounds of marketable fish.

The returns of those taking part in the long-line experiments have proven considerably higher than those of the inshore fishermen, Dr. Templeman said. It was probable that the long-line method would become the established means of fishing at Bonavista before long, to replace the traditional inshore fisheries, he told the meeting.

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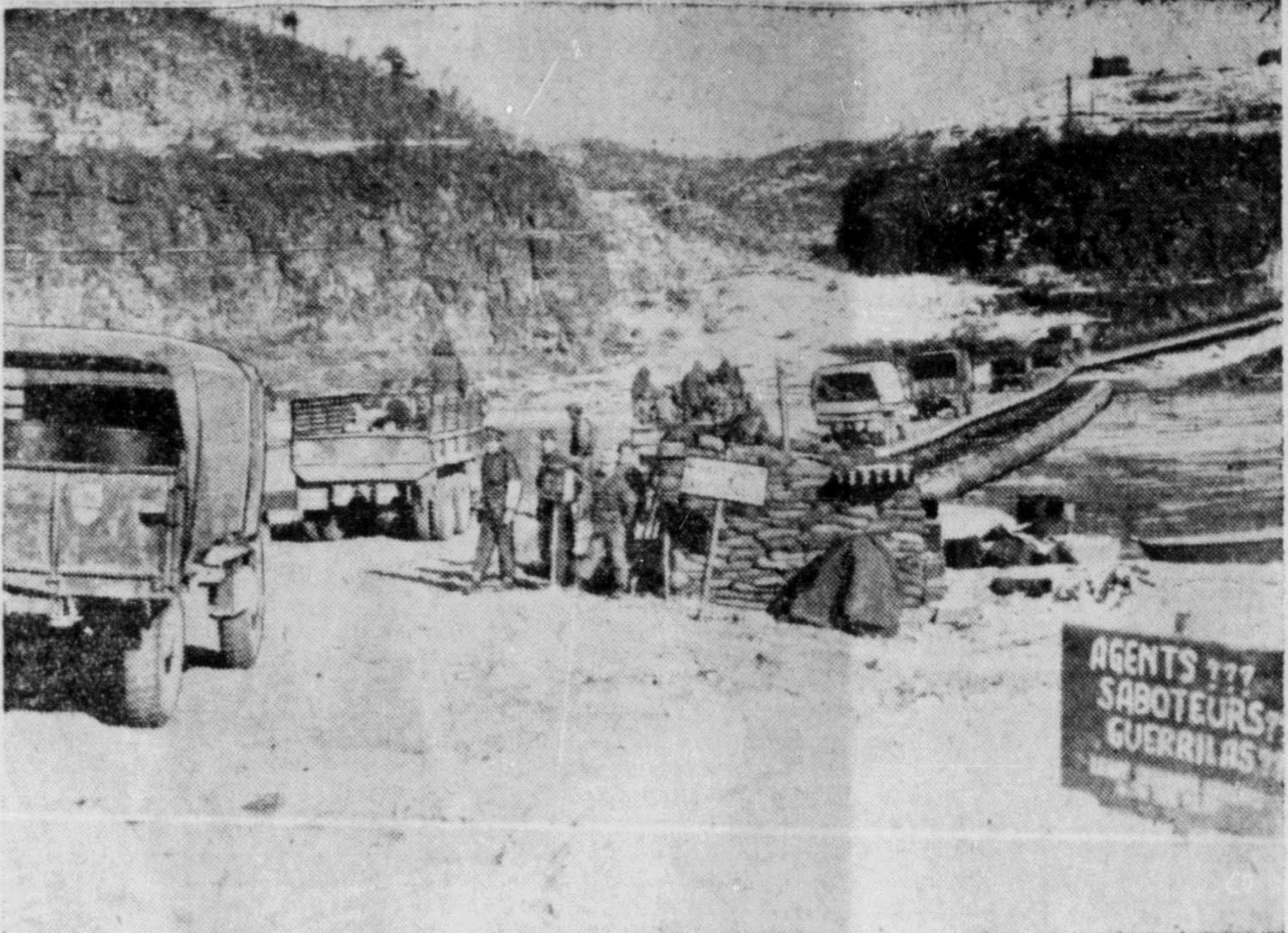
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**Red Rose  
Shipping**

Hazlet Property Starts  
Delivering \$6,500,000 of  
Tungsten Concentrates

Initial shipment of tungsten concentrates from the Red Rose Mine of Western Uranium Cobalt Mines Limited is now on the way from Hazelton to Vancouver.

This is first performance under the company's contract to supply 1,250 tons of concentrates worth \$6,500,000 at the present market price for tungsten.

There is an excellent crew on the Red Rose and steady increase in production may be expected, Charles M. Campbell, Jr., mining engineer in charge, says. He said also there is a competent, hard-working crew on the Rocher de Boule copper-gold-tungsten mine where all work is now centered on completing installation of a 200-ton daily concentrator.

Walter Stephens, metallurgist, associated with Mr. Campbell in directing initial milling at Port Rose and mill installation at Rocher de Boule. It is announced that the superintendent of one of the largest milling corporations in B.C. has accepted an offer from Western Uranium to be in charge of both mills.

Timing in of the Red Rose mill started December 1, when Mr. Campbell took charge. Most of December was spent in making necessary adjustments and re-organizing the camp. Actual daily production started December 27. Operating on ore from the lowest grade stopes in the mine, seven tons of concentrates worth approximately \$5,000 per ton were produced by January 16, despite intervening holidays and weather of the most severe character. This performance was well in line with expectations for the low grade material handled. The management regards success of the operation assured.

Ore is now being drawn from three stopes resulting in a higher average grade and the daily rate is up to 40 tons. Unless unusually severe weather interferes with plans, the managements expects the mill will shortly be handling 75 to 80 tons of ore daily and states that it will be brought up to capacity of 150 tons daily as soon as possible.

Meantime, at the 40-ton rate the mill is producing half a ton of concentrates daily. Additional equipment now being installed will appreciably improve the rate of recovery.

**Named Chief  
For Kitimat**

Col. Franklin Matthias  
To Head Great B.C. Project

RICHLAND, Wash. (AP)—Col. Franklin T. Matthias, wartime construction chief at the Hanford Plutonium Works, has been named general manager of the \$550,000,000 Kitimat project in British Columbia.

In his new post Matthias will be employed by the Aluminum Company of Canada, Ltd. His headquarters will be at Vancouver.

The Kitimat project is described as one of the most spectacular engineering efforts attempted by man. It involves construction of a huge aluminum reduction plant at Kitimat, about 50 miles southeast of Prince Rupert, and construction of a huge power plant on the Nechako River which is expected to be comparable to the Grand Coulee dam plant.

Since leaving Hanford after the war, Matthias has been in charge of the construction of huge hydro-electric projects in Brazil which were largely financed by Canadian firms.

Friends here last week learned of his Kitimat appointment.

**Tenders on  
Big Seaway**

TORONTO — The government's newly-created St. Lawrence seaway authority intends to call tenders for as much as possible of the construction of the big waterway, Transport Minister Chevrier said.

"We cannot be sure yet that that will mean all its construction work, but it should mean the greater part," he told the Canadian Construction Association in an address prepared for its annual dinner.

There is no thought of the authority undertaking anything that can be done as well or better by private firms in the construction industry.

He estimated requirements of material should the United States decide to join in the construction but not including power houses or power development in the Lachine section, at: 70,200 tons of reinforcing steel; 108,600 tons of structural steel; 4,400 tons of copper; 7,630,000 barrels of cement, and 118,700 thousand board feet of lumber.

Roughly one-half of the quantities would be required in Canada, with a greater proportion in lumber and a lesser proportion in steel. So far as Canada was concerned, average annual steel requirements would be a little more than two per cent of present annual consumption and average annual cement requirements about four per cent.

Employment on the project would average about 15,000 men, "assuming an accelerated construction schedule to complete the work in five years," said Mr. Chevrier. Of these, an average of about 9,500 would be employed in Canada.

He said Canada is determined to have the seaway "at the earliest possible date" and to "override the powerful minority interests that have denied it to us these 20 years and more."

Canada would prefer to have full U.S. participation in the project. But Canada no longer could afford to rely on full U.S. participation as the only choice.

**Ships and Waterfront**

Sailings from here for Vancouver by the steamer Chilcotin will in future be at 8 p.m. During recent weeks the sailings had been at midnight alternate Sundays. Henceforth it will be 8 p.m. every Sunday.

**AT HAZELTON**

Under contract with Derby & Co., London, England, Western Uranium is being paid for the first 25 tons of concentrates when the tungsten bearing material is loaded in railway cars at Hazelton. The net return to the producing company at present market amounts to approximately \$5,000 per ton, f.o.b. Vancouver. On this basis the seven ton shipment now enroute has netted the company \$35,000. Sampling at point of shipment showed tungsten content exceeded Derby & Company's specifications, officials report. The state also that for future sales Western Uranium has a number of offers on even more favorable terms.

Mr. Campbell, B.C. mining engineer who has had a great deal of experience in managing mines in Western Canada, including 7 1/2 years in charge at Siscoo Gold Mine, says he bases optimism regarding progress from now on chiefly on the excellence of the present crew and on hope for reasonable weather conditions.

**AT ROCHEUR DE BOULE**

At Western Uranium's Rocher de Boule mine, Dick Bater, superintendent, reports that good progress has been made in installation of mill machinery. A

**Stewart Mines  
Change Hands**

STEWART—The Forty Nine and the Hercules Mines are reported to have been purchased by Vancouver interests and work will be commenced sometime during this year.

The Hercules has all the earmarks of a producer of base metals.

High gold and silver values have also been encountered on the Forty Nine which was operated some years ago under the direction of Harry Howson, a well known mining operator.

Future developments on these properties will be watched with interest by the people of this district.

**Stewart Pioneer  
Hospital Patient**

STEWART—Mike Birmingham, an old time Alaskan and Yukoner, was taken to the Stewart General Hospital for treatment. He is reported to be making good progress towards recovery.

**Extensive Work  
For Silver Tip**

STEWART—Returning from the south last week W. R. Tooth, chairman of the Village Commissioners, said he had had a pleasant trip during which he attended the Liberal Convention as representative of the Alibi Liberal Association. Mr. Tooth also attended the annual meeting of Silver Tip Mining Company and reports that finances are available for extensive development this year. New mine equipment will be installed and work on the property will be pushed expeditiously on the various showings. The shipments made during the past year 1951 were extremely encouraging and furnish evidence of the potentiality of the property as a future producer.

**Many Nations See  
Canadian Picture  
Of Royal Journey**

OTTAWA — Arrangements have been completed for wide international distribution of "Royal Journey," the new color film by the National Film Board on the visit of Princess Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh to Canada and the United States.

Details of the arrangements were announced by W. Arthur Iwin, chairman of the crown-owned film board.

In the United Kingdom the film will be distributed by General Film Distributors of the J. Arthur Rank organization. It opened its first engagement in U.K. Odeon, Leicester Square, London on Jan. 17. It is expected to be shown in some 2,000 theatres in the British Isles.

In the United States, theatrical rights to the film have been obtained by United Artists Corporation and it will be given national distribution throughout the United States as a feature.

The film will be distributed in the British Commonwealth, western Europe, Africa and the Far East by J. Arthur Rank Overseas Film Distributors, Limited.

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STEWART.—Towed by the tug "Legarda" Vancouver Tug Boat Company, equipment Western Wood Products Logging Co. was here last Thursday.

Taken in tow by E. Lewis' gas boat the scow was landed at high tide on the tide flats. A ramp was made and the equipment, consisting of two tractors, two pick-up trucks, two six wheeler trucks with trailers and one donkey engine, were landed under their own power.

A road across the half mile of flats bulldozed by Bill Kilroy of the Alaskan Road Department, the Public Works equipment being in use at the time.

The Captain of the Tug reported during the voyage and he had to pull into Port Simpson where he was detained twelve hours on account of the weather.

The heavy snow here has caused a let-up in the logging operations of the company but it is expected that, with the new equipment, operations will be resumed with unabated energy.

It is reported that there are two million feet of logs ready for shipment to the Westland pulp mill.

All the key men are under the management of Wallace and five more are expected later.

**Stewart Canal  
Under Option**

STEWART—John reports that his property (Canal Gold Mine) has been under option and that work is to be commenced shortly.

The mine is situated on a scheelite showing. This adjoins the Big Four and has been reported favorably by several engineers.

Considerable work has been done but during a snowstorm made this year showing was uncovered. It is said, considerably the value of the property.

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