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Deadlocked

Adjourned

French Vote

VERSAILLES. - The

badly-split French parlia-

ment put off until Wed-

nesday its attempts to

elect a new president of

Edouard Herriot and Vincent

Auriol, two tired old men who

insist they don't want the job,

led the field of compromise can-

Political leaders held a series

of fruitless conferences this

morning in an attempt to break

a six-day deadlock. When the

congress met this afternoon to

take the 11th ballot since last

Thursday, there had been no

progress in reaching agreement

The next session was put off

Herriot and Auriol appeared

Intervening Monday night

Though the presidency is

largely a ceremonial office, po-

litical leaders agreed that the

bitter deadlock posed an ever-

within the country. In all pre-

vious presidential elections, no

more than two ballots had been

required.

the republic.

IWA Chiefs Urging Rejection

STANDING BESIDE THE PLANE which brought them to Toronto after an 11-day ordeal in the morthern Quebec woods are four of six survivors of a plane crash. They are, left to right: chit Burley, Scarborough, Ont.; Wilmer Tub nan, Thessalon, Ont.; Garnett Mooney and pouglas Dolby, Toronto. The six left Ross Bay, Labrador, Dec. 6 on a flight to Sept Iles and fere unreported. They walked to safety at Lake Manouane, Que., 150 miles west of Sept Iles.

scapees laught While Watching TV

DETROIT (A) A series of false s slowed cautious police eftoday to track down the remaining fugitives from sturday's 13-man southern thigan prison break.

One of the escapers still at me is Roman Uslondek, comded murderer and criminal sychopath. The other, Robert lowing, is a convicted burglar. a telephoned anonymous tip fonday night that Usiondek Was sent police through a careful at fruitless search.

Another tip Monday night multiled the police network ... e southwest area where three the convicts were trapped in a had frame house and capturedy Shout a fight Monday. But the tip, unlike the earlier

te to a Detroit newspaper man at led to the capture of the to, was evidently groundless. The earlier tip came through y Girardin, veteran reporter the Detroit Times, who wa pproached by an unidentified an with the information that three escaped convicts were ling in the home of Joseph occo, an ex-convict.

sion in the home.

maracters in the dirty, ill-fitting after his death.

home Sunday night, Rocco legislative member since 1935. when he came home from

Montreal Man viven Remand

Maurice Paguin. 36, of Montwas remanded for eight or less when he appeared Police court this morning beore Magistrate W. D. Vance.

Paquin pleaded guilty last nonday to breaking and enterand stealing goods valued less than \$200 from Williams vrocery, Second and Third ave-

Prosecution sought the repending arrival of Pain's record and fingerprints







THIS IS THE TRANSPORT department's lonely weather station at Lake Manouane, where the Quebec bushmen made their way to safety after their plane was forced down.

Widow of Alberta MLA Wins Police found Daniel B. Bousha, Medicine Hat By-Election

Mrs. John Lyle Robinson, widow Conservatives, 2; Independent Premier Joseph Laniel, who the three, part of the gang of Alberta's former labor min- Social Credit, 1. hat crept through a sewer and ister, succeeded her husband Mrs. Robinson became the the five days of inconclusive the grates at the open end Monday as Social Credit mem- third woman member of the voting, lost ground Monday

of harboring rugitives, ponent, CCF candidate Edwin stituency. paroled in 1937 from W. Horne, in the by-election to For 18 years prior to her mar-ceived 392 votes. He had 413 on through the revolving door onto Withern Michigan prison, said fill the vacancy created by the riage she was a commercial he had met Emrick while death Oct. 29 of Dr. Robinson, telegrapher for the Canadian

She piled up a 4-to-1 majority engineer. in a light vote which followed an exceptionally quiet and brief campaign. Final totals gave Mrs. Robinson 2,463 votes to Mr. Horne's 644 as only about 25 per cent of the 11,964 eligible electors cast ballots.

Standings in the 61-seat legislature now is Social Credit, 52;

Korean PM

SEOUL (P)-South Korea's prime two weeks in hospital. minister today denied the accu- Police would not disclose de- ing. Low tonight and high Wedgressman that his government is been remanded until next week. and Prince Rupert 42 and 46. spending \$2,000,000 on a luxury hotel while 25,000 are homeless

in Pusan. Prime Minister Paik Too Chin said plans are being drafted to repair 'the Banto hotel at a cost of about \$50,000, but not to erect a new structure. The Banto is one of two western-type hotels

built here by the Japanese. Representative Charles B. Brownson (Rep. Ind.) said Sunday in a radio interview at Cincinnati that Rhee was spending money on a lavish hotel complete with cocktail lounge, instead of homes for 25,000 persons made homeless in the big Pusan

fire last month.

Lane, 27, watching tele- MEDICINE HAT, Alta. (CP) Liberals, 4; CCF, 2; Progressive Loses Ground led the poll throughout most of

the prison. All three were at who had been Medicine Hat's Pacific Railway, which employs

Boy Arrested

KELOWNA (CP) - A 15-yearold boy has been arrested here in connection with a brutal as- bloc. sault on a 12-year-old girl Nov.

Joan McIntosh was found North Coast Region: Gale semi-conscious in the Elks' Sta- warning in effect. Intermittent dium by her father. She suffered rain today and Wednesday. Con-

tison, resembled comic opera cine Hat less than two months Creditor legislators Mrs. Rose and Democratic Resistance Wilkinson of Calgary and Mrs. party abstained on the 10th Mrs. Robinson, a 53-year-old C. L. R. Wood of Stony Plain. ballot to protest continuation of

escape from the gigantic per of the legislature for Medi- House, joining veteran Social night when the small Social Police held Rocco and Irvin grandmother, scored a convinc- She also is the first woman ever the stalemate. willyan of Detroit for investiga- ing victory over her lone op- elected for Medicine Hat con- The wealthy premier, backed by the conservative faction re-

of a majority on each round.

In Assault Case

VIOLETTA ELVIN, ballerina with the Sadler's Wells Balley

shown in Vancouver completely recovered from a leg injury suffered last month while dancing in the west coast city with the company. She is leaving for London to rejoin the ballet

enue for many years.

His death was the second this

Ben Sampson, 86, Rupert Pioneer Dies at Vancouver Speculation mounted that either might be drafted after

Word has been received here Mr. Sampson, 86, was born in of the death in Vancouver of Bristol, England. His parents Ben Sampson, former owner of ned when he was still a youngwhen, on the 10th ballot, no little's News Stand and a pioneer ster, and he devoted his young resident of Prince Rupert.

jority, le Troquer declared "pro-G. R. S. Blackaby, in a letter thers and sisters, all of whom longation of the present situato the News, reports that Mr. have predeceased him except his tion would endanger the fun-Sampson died Sunday morning younger sister, Mrs. Anna Swartz ctioning of democratic instituof pneumonia. He had been in of Burbank, Calif. hospital for three months.

Paper Bandits graver danger to French dem-Still at Large ocracy by underlining the deep political and class divisions

events in The Daily News. WINNIPEG (CP)-Two bandits who timed their crime to permonth of pioneers of the north fection and strode out the front country, following closely the door of the Winnipeg Free Press Monday with nearly \$27,000 be- death of Will Robinson of Terlonging to the newspaper, are race. still at large.

The money was being carried Aid To Continue from the mezzanine floor by two Aid To Continue Free Press employees. They were for Egg Prices to take it to the bank in a Com- For Egg Prices pany automobile but were intercepted by the bandits.

The bandits struck in daylight and without disguise, but left no apparent trail after fleeing the ninth ballot earlier in the busy Carleton street.

day. Because of abstentions and The robbery was described by scattered votes for minor can- R. S. Malone, vice-president and didates, he was 42 votes short general manager of The Free Press, as being "obviously well Socialist Marcel Naegelen, the planned in advance."

One of the holdup men flashed other avowed candidate, got 358 on the 10th ballot and 365 on a gun and forced the employees the ninth. Naegelen, former to face the wall. Then the pair governor-general of Algeria, was grabbed the satchels and escaped supported by the leftists, in- through the main door, ignoring

cluding the large Communist a rear exit onto a lane. Mr. Malone said the loss was 'fully covered" by insurance.

VANCOUVER (CP)-Dr. Edgar extradition Monday and agreed to return to the United States to face charges of non-support of his children in California. He is expected to leave for

Dr. Parker has been held at Oakalla prison for 18 days after failing to post \$25,000 bail set when he was arrested here early this month on the extradiction

warrant. Dr. Parker, son of the late Dr. Painless Parker, founder of a chain of dental offices in western Canada and the United States, is charged with nonsupport of his two sons, aged 13 and eight years, at San Jose,

Criticism of Union "Deeply Regretted"

VANCOUVER. — The district policy committee of the International Woodworkers of America announced today that it will recommend rejection of a proposal for settling the 13-week-old B.C. interior lumber strike made by Judge A. E. Lord.

The committee said its "main. reason" for rejecting the plan was because Judge Lord turned Hopes Fade union shop and compulsory heck-off.

Five thousand striking work- In Attempt check-off.

ers in the northern interior will take a secret vote on the proposal immediately, the union To Woo PoWs statement said. Joe Morris, IWA district president, said the union representatives from the in- PANMUNJOM (A) - The Allies terior who had attended the have all but abandoned hope of policy meeting were "bitterly face-to-face talks with 22 Amdisappointed" that the propos- ericans who embraced communals of Judge Lord "failed to of- ism, and scheduled last-minute fer strikers adequate protection "come home" broadcasts to the in the exercise of collective bar- prisoners inside their compound. gaining rights."

was "deeply regretted" that coaxing home war prisoners who Judge Lord had criticized the rejected repatriation. union's conduct during the strike. Mr. Morris said the judge with the Reds will be listed as had advised the union's repre- absent without leave at that deal with this phase of the be classed as deserters. strike, "otherwise evidence would have been submitted to personal interviews with the show that the union did not condone any act of unlawful-

Harsh criticism of the Prince George local of the IWA was levelled yesterday by Judge Lord, who was appointed by the government to inquire into the strike of 5,000 northern interior woodworkers.

Judge Lord recommended im mediate 51/2-cent hourly wage boost for the woodworkers, but rejected the union's proposal adu t years to raising his profor union security and a compulsory check-off because the union is "not responsible."

The union originally had asked for an 18-cents-an-hour He came to Prince Rupert in wage boost.

its earliest days, and operated the news stand on Second av-American Pays Mr. Blackaby says that throughout his illness, Mr. Samp-Customs Fine son followed Prince Rupert

craft was released to its owner vote, taken earlier Monday, was here yesterday after being seized 220 in favor of strike action and by the RCMP at Stewart, B.C., on Dec. 14.

The plane, bought by Donald Fredrick Ross of Ketchikan from Webber Airlines, Ketchikan, was seized when it landed at Stewart and Ross failed to report to Canadian customs officials. The OTTAWA (CP)- The govern- aircraft was brought to Prince ment has decided to continue Rupert last week-end. Ross was price support for eggs at 38 cents allowed to fly his plane to Keta dozen in 1954, the agriculture chikan after he had paid a voldepartment announced Monday, untary penalty.

By GEORGE MCARTHUR

Midnight Wednesday marks The union statement said it the end of the 90-day period for

The 22 Americans who stayed sentatives, that he would not hour. Thirty days later they will As hope virtually ended for

Americans, one Briton and 77 Koreans in the pro-Communist north camp, Red explainers today won back 23 of 242 Chinese prisoners in a day of quiet inter-

Monday 250 Ohinese from the same compound faced Commun ist explainers and 33 elected to return to Red rule.

Gas Workers Vote To Strike

VANCOUVER (CP)-Gas workers employed by the B.C. Electric Company have voted overwhelmingly in favor of strike action to back demands for a pay increase, a union spokesman announced Monday night.

George Gee, business agent of the Brotherhood of Electrical A United States Aeronca air- Workers (AFL-TLC), said the seven against. The vote was not supervised by the government.

> The gas workers employed by BCE are members of the electrical unions, but the union lacks certification from the B.C. Labor Relations Board to represent them.

The company said last week that it would meet with a gas workers' committee, but would not bargain with the union since it lacked certification.

Mrs. Kirkpatrick First Woman Alderman Dies

The first woman alderman to elected in Canada-Mrs. Elizabeth Cook Kirkpatrickdied in Victoria on Sunday. She was 93 years old.

Mrs. Kirkpatrick and her husband, who is living in the capital city. celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary in the spring of 1950.

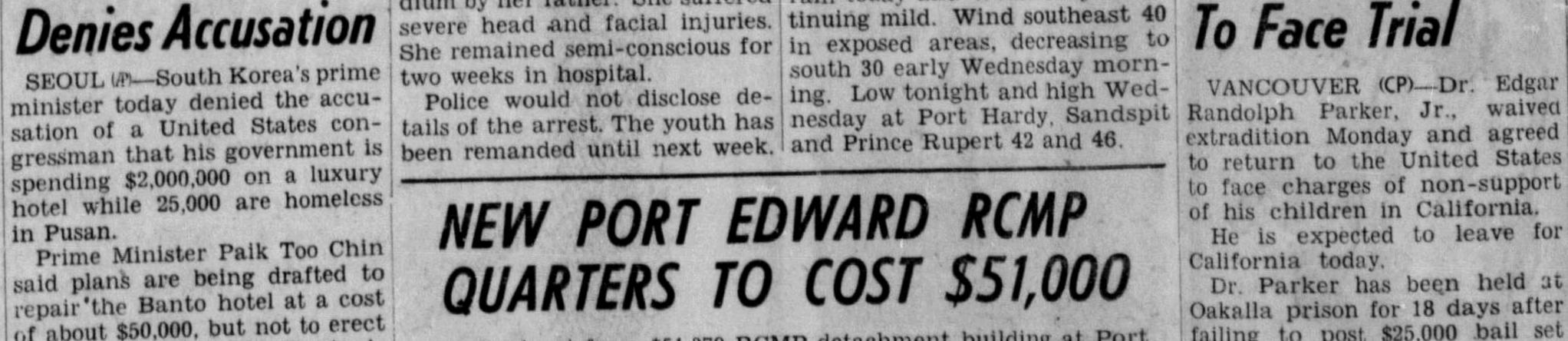
The couple came here in the early days and Mr. Kirkpatrick was with the customs department for many years.

Mrs. Kirkpatrick, besides serving as an alderman, also held posts on the school board and library board.

Judge Jails "Unfit Parent"

CHICAGO (A)-Charles Baltrunas, 30, was jailed for a year Monday after his seven-year-old daughter testified he had forced her to drink a tumbler full o wine.

In sentencing Baltrunas on : charge of contributing to th delinquency of a minor, Judg Victor A. Jula told Baltrunas h was "the most unfit parent I eve have run into in this court."



WEATHER

NEW PORT EDWARD RCMP QUARTERS TO COST \$51,000

Contract for a \$51,079 RCMP detachment building at Port Edward has been awarded to Fraser Valley Builders, Ltd., of Terrace.

E. T. Applewhaite, Skeena MP, today announced the contract award by the department of public works, for the new building.

The double-type detachment building will house jail, offices and living quarters. The structure, including deep well, will feature asbestos siding.

Port Edward has a one-man detachment.



MRS. JOHN BROWN, released on \$5,000 bail on a murder charge, is reunited in Vancouver with her husband who quit his job in northern British Columbia to be with her. Mrs. Brown is charged with the fatal shooting in Mission, B.C., of Oliie Johnston who she said was "bothering her." Her release on bail on a murder charge is the first approved in British Columbia courts in nine years

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Look to The North

ISCUSSION of the most far-reaching importance is being heard in Parliament these days during debate on the bill to create a department of northern affairs and natural resources.

In some respects, it is almost as if the north were in the process of being discovered. This note was hit forcibly by the Prime Minister himself who, describing an occasion when he was consulting a large map of North America with a visiting delegation, said:

"I was looking at the map and it struck me that Alaska looked to be larger than Ontario. I said, 'I'm not saying that this map is not accurate but it must be drawn in such a way as to throw the northern portion out of perspective with the rest.' However, on checking it I found to my surprise that in fact Alaska is larger in area than the whole of Ontario. . . . It is just a trifle smaller than Quebec, which reaches almost to the north pole. . . .'

The Prime Minister went on to remark that the Northwest Territories and the Yukon Territory constitute almost 40 per cent of the total area of Canada.

To us who live on the fringe of the north and are quite aware of its size and possibilities, this approach to the question seems somewhat elementary. But the important thing is that attention is being turned in that direction, and members who thought Edmonton was the northwest corner of Canada are being jolted with a few astonishing

An example of this arose when debate swung to the hydro-electric potential of northern B.C. and the Yukon. The House was told that by diversion of the Yukon River, more than five million horsepower could be developed, which would be greater than the productive capacity of the entire St. Lawrence seaway and the Niagara River together.

Since the industrial growth of cities like Toronto and Montreal was made possible by the primary power in eastern Canada, the members must have wondered what tremendous things might happen in the north.

So do we all. It is true that monumental problems exist. Transportation services must be developed somehow, despite the enormous cost. There is no established outlet to the sea for northern B.C. except via Alaska and, as a supplementary difficulty, there might then be a question of what international concessions should be made. Although the government's present policy is to make none, this is a matter which probably will need further thought.

But because the potentialities are truly there and can serve a purpose, these problems will be met and overcome. Within a few years the whole world will be taking notice.

REFLECTS

SOMEHOW, THEY MANAGE!

of situations open to Canadian

women is being the widow of a

Dominion civil servant. Parlia-

ment today tells us 5,522 such

widows-about half live in On-

tario. Some draw less than \$20

a month, and others \$20 and

Already some men have fig-

ured out how much energy they

have saved by not shovelling

Hard work was never know.

Another Canadian morning

PREFER EVENING

Then there is the fellow who appeared, and over it the folsaid he intends to shop late to lowing notice: "All this little avoid the crowds who do their girl wants for Christmas is a Christmas shopping early. head for her doll." Manitoba's

heart has been touched as per-Some are saying there isn't a haps never before. For days, British Empire any longer. But contributions kept being reby this time next May there ceived. Beautiful dolls by the will be a young woman called score, dozens of turkeys, cases Elizabeth who will be quick to of candy and scores of articles disagree with anyone who says popular at this season found it. Any time during the past their way to Marias, as well as few months she was weary a couple of one hundred dollar enough to welcome sleep, but bills. couldn't. Travel would not permit it.

Mankind is believed to be the most intelligent animal there is He is the only being that does a lot of things he objects to, in order to obtain what he has no need for, whatever. But is this what you call intelligence?

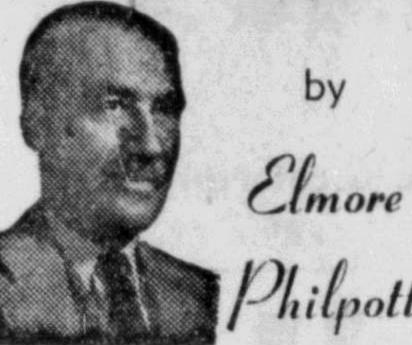
AN EXCEPTION

There is a persistent rumor that nearly every member of the House of Commons favors limitation of the length of speeches. That is, limitation for all speeches, except his own.

to kill anybody. But frequent There are about 60 children in the threadbare fishing vilthoughts of toil have unquestionably shortened one's days. lage of Marias at Lake Manitoba. So far, it's been a lean year, with 1954 prospects not much better. One of the kiddies has only part of a doll, but is paper will publish no more. Le making the most of it. Canada of Montreal is a permanent casualty after half a

Things are different today, century of life. There is regret The Winnipeg Tribune's bit of but no surprise. High costs can publicity had a whirlwind ef- go just so high. And for some tect. A roaming member of the reason not yet explained it staff chanced to chat with the seems more prefer to read the child who had been missing news at the end, instead of the something. Next day the story beginning of the day.

As | See It



Three Free Votes Coming

IN THE last hour of the

first term of the new parliament the minister

In the pending revision of job back to him." vote as their consciences sug- Santa Claus. to do likewise.

will be decided in the coming any trouble when I was gone." free votes of 1954 are:

death penalty, or substitute life are to see you!" imprisonment for murder?

Should Canada prolong the practice of whipping and similar corporal punishments of prisoners?

Should Canada legalize sweepstakes, as they are legalized in Ireland, and some other coun-

THESE three questions are bound to create historic debates. As a matter of fact, the coming big debates have ready "cast their shadows before." Harold Winch almost stalled the recessing of parliament by his determination to make sure that private MPs are going to get the chance to have their say. However, his ardour was somewhat unnecessary as the minister of justice had done his best to make it clear that the government wanted every MP to speak out freely and fully, especially on such things as capital punishment.

that of lashing prisoners. How- about that?" ever I am not saying yet.

what to think about the ques- little doctor's kits over there "It was nothing," said Santa, tion of legalized sweepstakes. I right away." am aware that the history of "The colors on the polka dot home, children, or your mother most sweepstakes is that the horses are running," Nancy said, will miss you. But first we'll have countries that started them al- "Fine," Santa replied. "We'll a big good-bye party." ways ended by rueing the day call them Zebras. We've been (Tomorrow: Santa's party) they did. Some of the southern States made a lot of quick easy money in the beginning by sweepstakes. But their last condition was worse than their first. In the end, the government suffered financially, even more than the swarms of "pcor suckers" each of whom had hoped to get rich by the sweepstake route.

However, there is another side to the argument. Vast sums of money are drained out of Canada every year by sweepstakes run in Ireland. You can at least argue, with some force, that if everybody and his brother in stakes tickets, Canadian hospitals, and not Irish hospitals. should get the benefit.

But as I say, this is a matter, which does not seem of worldshaking importance to me and I would certainly like to hear what the ordinary reader thinks about it.

up again in the new year. am getting a good many letters the usually subdued Jasper tradition of a peacetime estabgiving people's ideas about the new flag.

Up till now those who are opposed to the inclusion of the to keep the Union Jack in show from the ladies. clear majority in the end.

LONDON (CP)—Brides eager to other regalia which is beyond loo ktheir best for registry office the ken of laymen. weddings in St. Pancras town But a report circulating the hall have been given a boost. The city Friday night at the time of borough council is installing a the ball indicated that all this full-length mirror. One of the least remunerative

Order Your Extra Milk

December 24

The story so far: Steve and Nancy have been taking Santa's place at the North Pole while he had a sleep. However, they have found the work more than they bargained for.

Chapter X

Claus would be such fun, and we ing square soap bubbles?" haven't got to play at all."

of justice made a highly to give people what they wished soap bubbles. Keep those bubble in order to remain in office. important announcement, come in here. I'd like to give his before they burst and we'll use

the Criminal Code the govern- At that moment a door opened "That's so simple, why didn't light, nor does Senator Mc ment is calling off the party and instead of it being a messen- I think of that?" Steve said. "I Carthy. Publicity is the very whips. Liberals will be free to ger with another problem, it was bet the Junior Chemistry sets lifeblood of politicians - and

gest. Other parties are invited As he entered, he was yawning. electric trains, too." "My, that was a fine sleep," he said. "I certainly feel fine now. said. THE THREE main issues which I hope you children didn't have

Should Canada keep the Nancy shouted. "How glad we chine gun that's running wild, (who could fly into fine rage at

but trouble since you left," Nancy barking orders. "Call out the toy

Santa said. "Steve, slide out of the toy fighter planes! Move in that chair and let me at that old cautiously. There's a machine telephone tree. I'll soon have all gun running wild. Your orders this trouble put to right."

"You say the racing cars have cost. Report back to me." you'd better put in some extra past, and shortly thereafter a

"Now what's the next prob- to attention and saluted. lem? Typewriters are ready for "Well," said Santa, "was there Albany, N.Y. and they only write anyone hurt?" in handy."

KNOW how I will speak and Nancy interrupted to say With that, he left. vote on the question of capi- "Thirty of the dolls are sick. "Now, are there any more, tal punishment, and also on Hadn't you better do something problems?" Santa asked.

Quite frankly, I don't know replied. "I'll just send thirty up in a hurry."

needing more Zebras anyway." "I'm so unhappy," Nancy Steve said "Did you know that from him, cleverly he shifts it sighed. "We thought being Santa the soap bubble pipes are blow- back on himself.

Steve put his arm around her Santa said. Picking up a phone used to accomplish it, is one of and said "Santa said his job was he continued "About those square the gifts a politician must have for. Lwish he would wake up and pipes here, and paint the bubbles Franklin Roosevelt developed them for building blocks."

would fix up fine smoke for the they court it.

"Santa Claus," both Steve and said quickly, "there's a toy ma- said about them. Mr. Pattullo shooting bullets all over. What the newspapers, too) used to

his face growing stern. Grabbing keep talking about you—the "It seems we've had nothing a 'phone in each hand he started soldiers! Unlimber the heavy toy "It can't be as bad as all that," tanks! Warm up the engines of are to put it out of action at any

flat tires?" said Santa, grabbing | Steve and Nancy waited with a phone. "We'll put a little tire Santa Claus for word of the repair kit in with each car. I'll battle. In a few minutes over the bet the kids will have loads of loudspeaker came the All-Clear fun fixing those toy tires. And signal, meaning the danger was tacks. It may be so much fun dwarf in a soldier's uniform came they'll want to do it over again. into the room, drew himself up

Spanish? Send the Spanish "No," said the soldier, "as a typewriters to some high school matter of fact the machine gun boys that are learning to write ran out of bullets long before we Spanish. I imagine they'll come got there. What a shame. We never get to shoot anything.

"Not a one," the children re-"I should say I must," Santa plied. "You surely cleared those

"but we must be getting you

OTTAWA DIARY

By Norman M. MacLens

OTTAWA. - If anything can the mothballs a good deal more be said with any fair degree of frequently in future. until last Friday night.

ing their newspapers were sud- air force. and drum.

Lounge of the Chateau swarmed lishment is a dress uniform for with military officers in their each officer. full dress uniforms, and their ladies in evening dress. Let it For action—try Classified's Union Jack in the new flag have be said for the purpose of this the lead over those who want dispatch that the men stole the

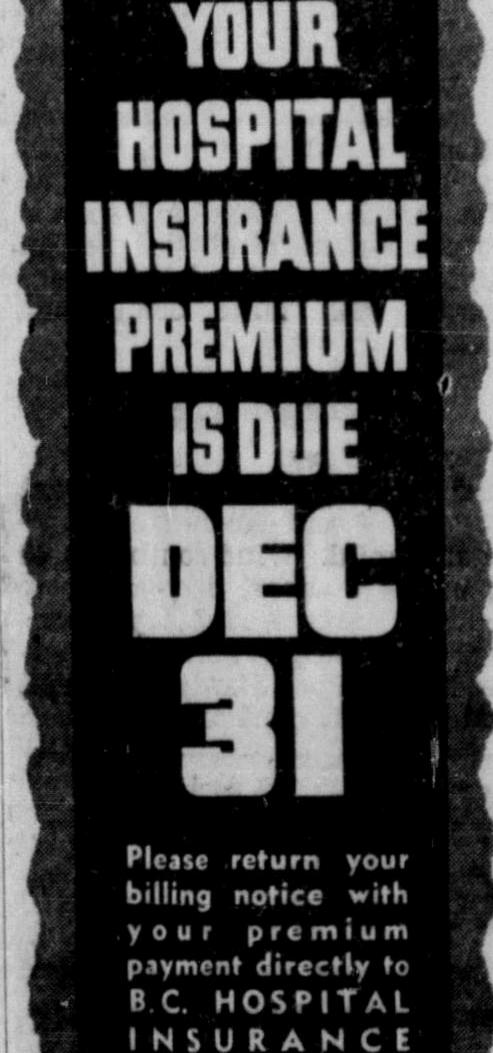
However, I hasten to add that It's not often that army, air when I ran a similar poll in force and navy officers don 1946 the advocates of the in- their full dress uniforms, comcluded Union Jack were slower plete with bright scarlet mess getting started but were in a jackets with black lapels, brilliant gold and silver braided trousers, and all the medals and

color is due to be hauled out of

accuracy about this capital city A provisional dress regulation with all its comings and goings has been passed by defence

in the field of politics and gov- headquarters, with the objecernment, it is that the lobby of tive of going into effect next the swank Chateau Laurie Ho- June, requiring all officers to tel is a pretty dull place. It has have dress uniforms. And the been so for quite some time- money to pay for the dress uniform comes out of the pockets. Then those who were sitting of each individual officer. It is Canada is going to buy sweep- quietly in Peacock Alley read- not issued by the army, navy or

denly brought to their feet by The thinking back of the dethe sight, and no less by the fence headquarters move is that sound, of the Cameron High- despite the size of the forces landers of Ottawa in full re- and the fact that they are galia parading through the spread from Western Germany Chateau main floor corridors to Korea, conditions generally play a Scottish air with the full have got back to something power and majesty of bagpipe like a peacetime establishment. The men are on active service was the night or the Gar- sproud, but they aren't righting rison Ball. The corridors and at the moment. And part of the



SERVICE, Parlia-

ment Buildings,

chosen by the editors of a Canadian news gathering organization as second newsiest man of the year in Canada. No. 1 External Affairs Minister Lester Pearson.

The premier, of course, must be delighted to hear this news Mr. Bennett is not exactly a modest man; he dearly loves the full glare of the spotlight shining on him. When it veers away

This art of keeping in the Social Credit, but also for Brit-"Hmmmm, that's interesting." news, no matter the methods ish Columbia. this art to a high degree; Churchill doesn't hate the lime

Politicians frequently fly into "That's a fine idea," Santa great temper because of what is said about them in the public Nancy suddenly remembered prints. They would fly into the machine gun. "Santa," she greater temper if nothing was "Why, Nancy, you've been cry- are you going to do about that?" say to irritated politicians ing," Santa said. "What is the "That is serious," Santa said, "Don't worry as long as they

> NORTHERN CAPITAL The name of the capital of Norway was changed from Chris-Jana to Oslo in 1925.

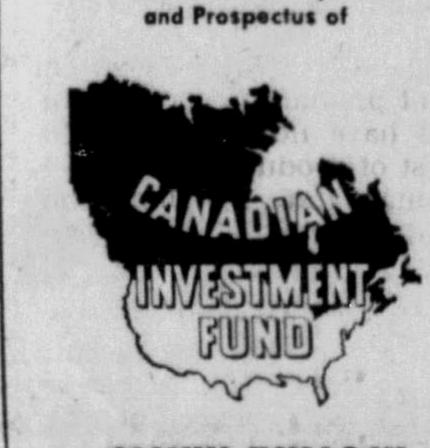
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time to worry is when you're and few premiers have be not talked about."

or so, we've heard so much Bennett's political career about politics and Bennettism been, and is, spectacular, T and Social Credit, and what is Social Credit?-we've become a little fed up, somewhat bored by it all. It comes, therefore, somewhat of a surprise to learn that our political turmoil has captured the imagination of the rest of Canada, that Mr. Bennett has done a fine publicity job, not only for himself and

Whether you like him or not.

more personally and bitte In this province the last year hated, one must admit that M years ago he was nothing, Coalition rebel, grabbing headlines. Now he's B.C.'s

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TM. Christie, Carol Court. oft for Vancouver to join wife who has been under al care. They will spend mas in the south, both reafter the holiday.

Peter Harvey has returned om University of British whia where he is studying reering, to spend Christmas his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Farvey, 619 Fourth Avenue

ing with her son-in-law and ehter, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. for 638 Fourth Avenue East

mouver where he will spend Bolton, accom-

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couver for a holiday, after ion in the office of the re-

Burn has returned four-week holiday trip Hyacinth, Quebec

taking a \$5 prize was Henry molz, winner of a consola-



NEW ELECTRIC-POWERED WHEEL CHAIR is being demonstrated by George J. Klein of the national research council.

New Type Electric Chair Designed For Crippled Vets

quadriplegic war veterans-men. The drive was developed by paralyzed in arms and legs- George J. Klein, 49, of the meand Mrs. Percy Welter left soon may be able to move around chanical engineering division of travelling south under their own steam.

where A new-type electric drive has for the veterans affairs depart- more easy to obtain. Mr. Welter has been developed which can be at- ment. A prototype has been ed at Kitimat for the tached to standard collapsible successfully tested at Sunny- Going into 1954, only meat, butear while his wife remain- wheel chairs. The operating lever brook Hospital and Lyndhurst ter, margarine, "nationalized" is so sensitive that body move- Lodge paraplegic centre in cheese and cooking fats remained

Variety Concert,

Special to The Daily News STEWART-Students of Stew-Superior school won warm praise for their varied concert staged to wind up the school

A capacity audience of parents and friends applauded the oncert which included specialty dances, choral numbers, carol singing with audience participation, and other items, climaxed by a dancing horse.

School Principal R. Parent was in charge of the program, assisted by Miss P. Stiles and Dal Joe. he concert netted \$50 for school

The concert was followed by of Community Christmas tree, sponsored by the Stewart Parent. prence Cormier took the \$15 Teacher Association in the elimination gion hall. Santa Claus, in the wound up Satur- person of George Bunn, 83-year- lever is tilted and can be steered might. Runner-up, for a \$3 old prospector, distributed gifts Beauchmen and to the 120 children attending.

HISTORIC ERUPTION

Blindness Not a Handicap Claims Montreal Sculptor

tion by making a bust of cepted as a student. Dumont, United

Cohen worked here before newspaper and magazine ders and photographers.

started modelling the bust "look" with his hands our later, to refresh his about detail, he took a final look which only a few seconds. From orief sitting and a small of direction from a ad, he completed the bust.

first became blind in 1944. mie in hospital and sightless, Wegan modelling with plastileaving hospital he

STUDENTS

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recently supported this minutes and was promptly ac-

a hobby. He has a full-time job with a printing firm in Montreal

In his spare time, he has won diving competitions and a fenc- Thompson Hardware Store areel and television cameras ing competition and he and his will be closed till Dec. 28. (1t) attractive wife, Vera, have tour- @ Wallace's Department Store ed "about every school in Que- is open tonight till 9 o'clock bec" lecturing on the importance for your shopping pleasure.

Mr. Cohen did the head in 10

But modelling from clay is only

The veterans affairs department plans to produce 24 units. including spares, for the quadri-

available later to the Canadian Paraplegic Association. However, a few luxury items. details of production for civilian patients have not been worked out. Cost of producing the drive volume and installing on standard chairs has not beer determined.

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chair. The control lever which powers. can be placed on either arm of the Big Three met at Bertween two fingers.

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readers

Valhalla dance, December Everybody welcome.

Coronation Tops News In Britain By The Canadian Press

LONDON.—Coronation

of the young Queen, bringing with it hopes for another great Elizabethan era, climaxed a zestful year for Britons.

The big moment for Britain and the Commonwealth came on a drizzling June morning. Elizabeth II, a young and radiant Queen wearing a gown adorned with the emblems of all the Commonwealth countries, was crowned in ancient Westminster Abbey as thrilled millions watched or listened.

More than 400 Canadians were in the abbey. Prime Minister St. Laurent stood in a choir stall only a few yards from the throne chair.

In the weeks of preparation for the year's great event and in the royal tours of the British Isles that followed, the frugal post-war years were relegated to the past.

In keeping with the new mood, life seemed more cheerful. pre-war gaiety returned to shopping centres as slowly but surely the shelves filled up. Chocolates and other candies came off the ration in February. In March, eggs were "liberated" and almost for the first time since 1939 housewives could think in terms of eight whites to a cake.

Bigger Meat Supply

Meat, once rationed to a small the National Research Council. weekly family share, became

Sugar was freed in September. on the restricted list. It was expected the food ministry would be wound up in the new year.

Things were easier all round. plegics in veterans hospitals or at People seemed better dressed. home. The department said a Nylons came out from "under the limited number will be made counter" and the "export only" label was removed from all but heart, driving out the ace.

Yet the year started inauspiciously. Floods on Britain's east coast cost more than 300 lives, left 32,000 homeless, flooded more than 150,000 acres and caused farm losses estimated at £10,-

In May, Britain's attention was The drive consists of a 24-volt roused by Prime Minister Churstorage battery and separate chill's call for a "parley at the motors for each wheel of the summit' among the Big Four

the chair, requires only light muda in December and possibiliaction and can be covered by the ties loomed of an early Big Four patient's wrist or wedged be- foreign ministers' conference in Berlin in 1954, but some of the By slight motions of the fore- original impetus seemed missing.

On the economic front Britain appeared to be holding her own. it was the first break in a cycle marked by crises in 1947, 1949

Coronation festivities were given an added fillip by the announcement of the conquest of mountain.

ed England's success over Australian cricketers for the first

ber after the disappearance of of the table. six countries vainly sought forever. Mrs. Maclean.



STREAKING FROM OFFICE to office on pneumatic-tired scooters is all in the day's work for inter-office messengers in one of Copenhagen's large business buildings. The time-saving, footsaving scheme is the brainstorm of a topflight executive-and the messengers love it!

BLACKWOOD on BRIDGE By EASLEY BLACKWOOD

Some Subtle Uses of Hold-up Play

The usual purpose of the hold-up play is to exhaust one opponent of the cards he held in a certain suit so he cannot lead that suit when he gets in.

subtle reasons for the play, as turned a heart and Mr. Masters in today's hand. Mr. Abel failed won with the ace. He cashed to get off to the killing opening three high trumps, then took lead, a club. If he had done so, the diamond finesse. Mrs. Kecn the defenders could have wen held up her king once but had two clubs and switched to

South dealer Both sides vulnerable North (Mr. Dale) S-J 10 5 H-7 6 3 D-A Q 9 4 3

(Mrs. Keen) (Mr. Masters) D-J 10 7

Mrs. Keen would be bound to

regain the lead with the king of diamonds at which time she could cash a heart for the set-But on the actual lead of the Everest, the world's highest four of hearts, Mr. Masters had

a chance. He could see that a club opening might well have Sport-minded Britons welcom- made the contract impossible. It was also clear that if Mr.

time in 20 years. But their en- Abel had a second opportunity thusiasm was dampened late in to lead, there was an excellent November when Hungary outplayed an English team in an inthe same conclusion. How to SPENCE & MATUIK that second opportunity?

In a widely publicized murder Mr. Masters solved this probcase, John Christie, self-confess- lem by ducking the first heart ed strangler of seven women, was and letting Mrs. Keen win with the king. Obviously he did not Headlines resulted in Septem- fear a club lead from her side

Mrs. Melinda Maclean, wife of Mr. Abel's only possible "in" British diplomat Donald Mac- card was the queen of hearts lean who vanished in similar and, since Mr. Masters now held fashion in 1951 with Guy Bur- the lone ace of hearts, his leftgess, another diplomat. Police hand opponent was shut out At trick two Mrs. Keen re-

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The couple first came to Prince Rupert in 1921, and left here in March, 1946, to take up residence with a son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Newell in Courtenay.

Mr. Nickerson was employed at several jobs here before becoming sheriff, a position he held for many years.

Three of their sons, Arthur, Gene and Mike, still reside in Prince Rupert. Mike expects to leave this city early in the new

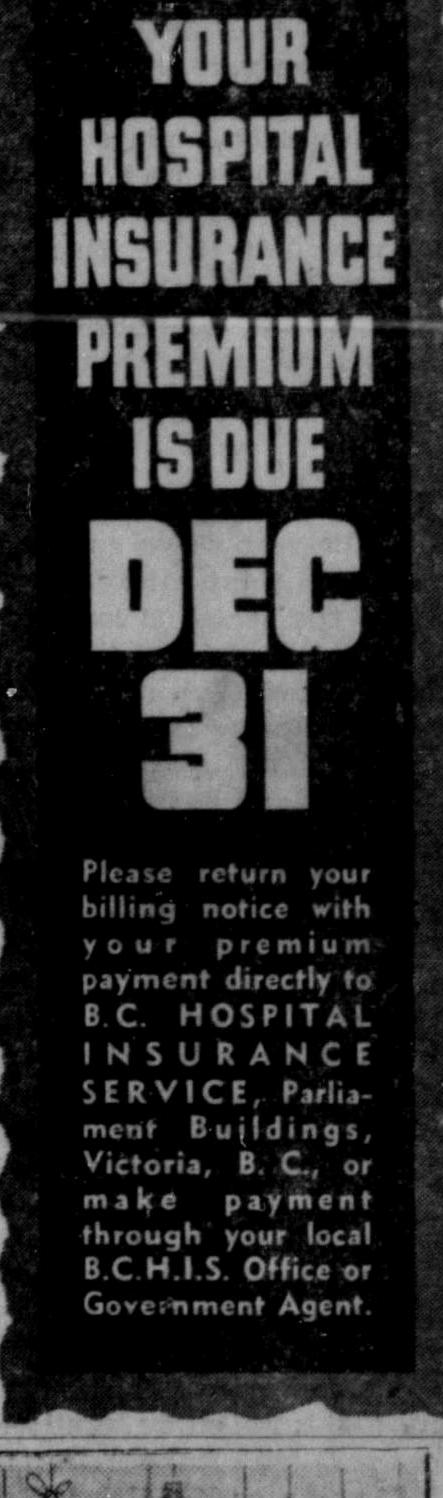


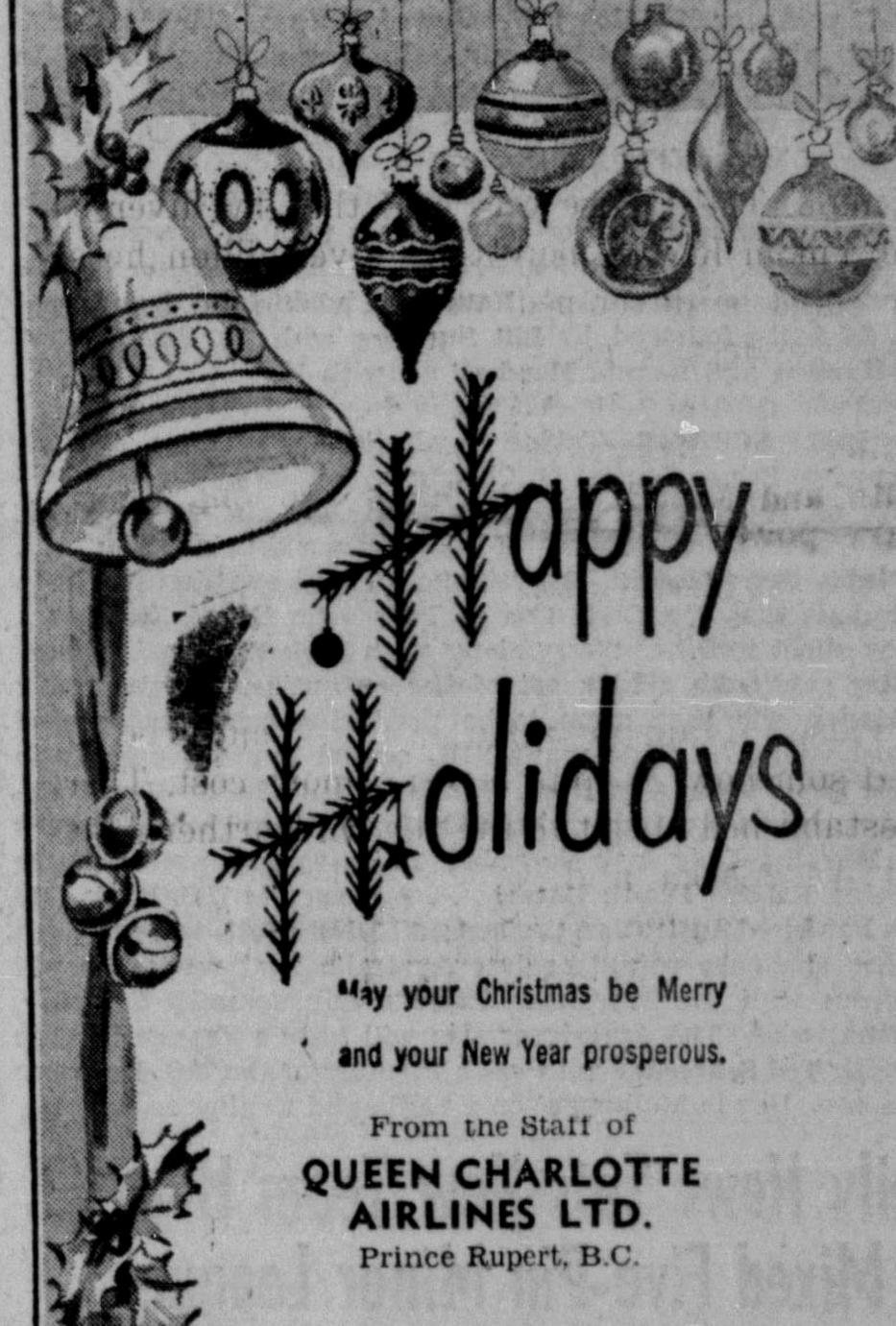
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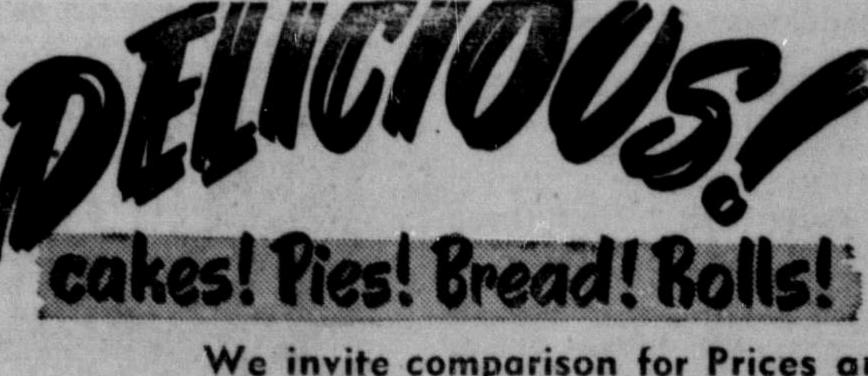
A former Prince Rupert sheriff year to visit his parents it and his wife today are celebrat- Courtenay and make his home in

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By DICK AYRES

Senior B basketball play came to life Saturday night and it is to be hoped that similar fare will be dished up when league games resume after the festive season. The screaming of the fair-sized crowd testified as to the excitement of the game and the stunned looks on the faces of the out-played Manson's players was proof enough that Minor Simundsen's team were on the track and high-balling. The speed of the play and the higher score showed that players on both teams were intent on two things, (a) racking up points and (b) avoiding body contact that might give away a costly one or two points. In the final quarter there were only three fouls handed out by arbiters Ole Slatta and Boyo Gurvich. Such play, if it continues, will be appreciated not only by the fans but by the players when they realize that games can be played within the regulations without cramping the standard or speed of the game. The referees have pledged to do their part.

With league play in all circuits suspended until after the end of the year we've got time to look at team standings and the senior B point race.

In the Senior B loop Manson's Omegas still lead, having won six games and lost two, both of them to Gordon and Anderson's. CCC 300 Club are tied with G & A with three wins and five losses. In the Inter-A circuit North Star Bottlers have only suffered one loss in eight starts and that at the hands of second place Fraser and Payne. F & P have won four meetings and lost three while Watts & Nickerson's have yet to take a decision. Manson's still lead the Inter-B League with four victories to two defeats, followed by Nelson Brothers with three wins and three losses. Tied in the cellar are General-Motors and Sunrise Grocery with two triumphs and three decisions against them.

In the Junior Boys' loop Sports Shop and Sea Cadets are evenly matched with four victories each in four outings. Ormes are in second place with two wins and two defeats and Bulger's and Annunciation share third place spot with one win and three losses. Bringing up the rear is NBC Power with four losses.

Getting down to the vital statistics we find that Ray Spring of Manson's still leads the Senior B league with 100 points collected in eight games. In second spot, having taken part in seven games is Tiny Carlson of Gordon and Anderson's with 89 points. Joe Davis of G & A has taken over third spot with 80 points and is trailed by Manson's Art Olsen with 74. Tied for fifth place are G & A's Rupe Holkestad and CCC 300 Club's Don Scherk with 71 points each. Mickey Webster of Omegas with 68 points is in sixth place, followed by teammate Danny Bill with 65. In eighth place is CCC's Freddy Christensen with 63 points, closely followed by teammate Sid Scherk with 62. In tenth spot is Don Hartwig of Manson's with 61.

In the foul column Sid Scherk leads the pack with 31 penalties with Danny Bill close on his heels with 29 personals and two technicals. Only one foul behind Danny is Carlson with 28 personals plus one technical. Holkestad holds down fourth spot with 24 fouls, followed by Bill Sunberg with 20, Roy Webber, Don Hartwig and Harold Marshall all with 19.

POST SCRIPTS-Taking in all the cage games since he returned to Prince Rupert on Christmas holidays from the University of Washington has been Allan Hartwig, former high school basketballer, brother of Manson's sparkplug Don .

Constable Gerry Martin, just returned from leave, dropped in to remind us that the Civic Centre Teen rifle club is holding a turkey shoot tonight. Gerry along with Dick Paul and Tommy Boulter gets quite a kick out of the enthusiasm of the young marksmen and they seem to be producing some pretty good sharpshooters . . . This year's NHL season is proving costly to Bernie Boom Boom Geoffrion, Sunday night's hectic New York-Montreal game saw him nicked \$100 for his brawl with Ranger's Ron Murphy. Only last November 12 he was assessed \$250 for charging Referee Frank Udvari . . . A desperate U.S. Davis Cup team has hired Australian professional Dinny Pails to bone them for the challenge round against Australia next week. He will work out with the Americans twice a day up until Saturday. starting today. The Americans also will have a chance to work out with Ted Schroeder who was a member of the U.S. team two years ago. He's in Melbourne on a radio and writing assignment

Daily News Sets New Team High In Mixed Five-Pin Minor League

set a new B Division team high single of 126? and also captured Shenton's 4. Orphans 0: Fow-Tom Naka of High Green also ern Glass 1. collected two highs when he rolled men's high single of 295 and men's high three of 645.

In A Division Yuri Ezaki of Windy "6" won ladies high ton of Shenton's took ladies high triple with 677. B. Rothwell of Windy "6" and Jack Paul of Fashion Footwear tied

Remember When

By The Canadian Press League club. Burleigh Grimes.

City won the pennant.

Daily News took double hon- team high single and high three ors Thursday night when they with scores of 1374 and 3633. A Division

team high three with a score lie & Ruttle 4, Canada Life 0; of 3114. Pen Ebv of Eby and Windy "6" 4. Shamrecks 0: Sons also took two highs when Headpinners 3, Whalen's Lucky she rolled 260 and 573 for lad- Six 1: Fashion Footwear 3, Hiies high single and high triple, Jackers 1: Pushovers 3, North-

B Division

Hill's Shoe Store 3. High Gold 1: Daily News 3. High Green 1: Mixups 3. Esquire Men's Wear 1: Harold's 3, Thom Sheet single with 283 and Jessie Shen- Metal 1: Eby & Sons 3, Chats 1; Hams 2, Bob Parker Ltd. 2.

> Standings A Division

Fashion Footwear tied with for men's high single when they Headpinners 10: Shenton's and both rolled 280 and Jack Paul Windy "6" 8; Fowlie & Ruttle took men's high three with 820. 7: Orphans, Northern Glass, Fashion Footwear took both Whalen's, Lucky Six and Pushovers tied with 5; Hi-Jackers 4: Shamrocks 3: Canada Life 2.

B Division Harold's 11; Eby & Sons 9 Brooklyn Dodgers 15 years ago Daily News 8; Hills Shoe Store today completed the deal which and Thom Sheet Metal 7; Esbrought Montreal Royals of the quire Men's Wear, Hams and International League into the Bob Parker 6; High Green and farm club system of the National Mixups 4; High Gold and Chats

former Dodger manager, piloted Winners of turkeys were J. the Montreal club in the follow- Shenton, J. Comadina, B. Davis, ing season of 1939, when Jersey Tom Naka, W. Friesen and F.

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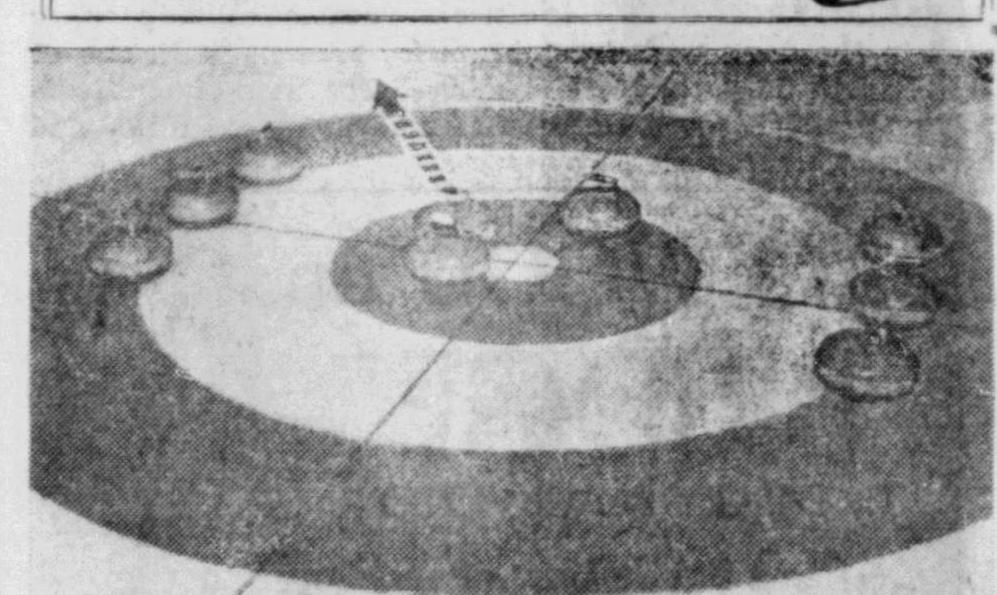
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THREE FORMER STARS of the now-defunct New York Americans were reunited in Calgary when scrapbook hockey heroes put on skates and pads for an old-timers' hockey game. Left to right: Lorne Carr, Sweeney Schriner and Eddie Wiseman, who picked up a goal apiece.





PLAYING FOR A BIG END

found in any sport is the scoring width as a target. of an eight-end in curling. The disagree with the suggestion around the button. that the strategic placing of

mains indelibly clear in my mind was scored in the Canadian High School Championships at Moncton, N.B., by Gary Thode's Saskatchewan champions in a game. against the Quebec team. Thoda. had last rock and commenced building his end by placing stones on either side of the house, followed by one in the centre. When he came to play his last stone he had three stones lined un in perfect position, one behind the other on each side of the house, plus one ione rock in the centre of the four-foot circle. Quebec lay one just alongside this stone, which Gary removed, to realize the curler's dream. The ice this game was played on was perfect, so there is no room for alibis there. Thode's rink made eight nerfect shots and the Quebecers, six. The real reason for the eight-ender lay in the fact that the Saskatoon lads were able to hit and roll perfectly into line on the right or left, each time the easterners tried to draw into the stones at either side for a "saver." Even though Quebec made six almost perfect draws, the Thode rink, by playing precision weight shots, was able to nudge these stones out of the

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One of the rarest phenomena exposing more than one rock-

Sometimes tricky ice provides few curlers who have experienc- a nesting place behind a long ed this spine-tingling thrill will tramp guard, into which you can all tell you it was entirely unpre- roll your rocks off enemy stones. meditated. They will also insist Five, six or seven-enders have that it was not necessarily caused materialized in this manner, but by eight perfect "misses" by I have yet to see a really big end their opponents. But few will composed of granites clustered

On normal ice, spread your rocks helped the cause consider- stones and play for a big end, whether last rock is against you One "perfect end" that re- or not, particularly during the early and middle stages of a game. Even if you are eight points up, do not change your game. As soon as you start try-, ing to prevent your opposition from scoring, you are on the defensive. Have you ever lost a game when you were six up with three ends to play? Why? The skip switched to defensive hitting instead of maintaining the pressure of the quieter game that had given you your six-point

> Next article Dare to be Different"

G. Bouchemin Double Winner

G. Bouchemin captured double Gadsby, Chicago honors in Local 708 Five-Pin Bowling league Friday when she MacKay, Montreal took ladies' high single with a score of 329 and ladies' high Detroit three with 768. Men's high single vent to W. Gardiner with 270 and men's high three went to J. Perry with 682. Tiger Cats took team high single with 1021 and Atoms rolled 2677 to take team high three.

Standings: (1) Tiger Cats 29; (2) Hotshots 27; (3) Atoms and Woodbutchers 25: (4) Powerhouse 23; (5) Maniacs 22; (6) Shearpins 20: (7) Boom Cats and Sparks 17; (8) Gremlins 12; (9) Handicaps 11.

game, 577; Joe Norton, three-

MONTREAL (CP) -- Christmas moved into top position with an sitions.

week burst on the National Hoc- edge of two points by hammer- Canadiens boosted their key League with growls, broken ing Boston Bruins 4-2. heads and blood on the ice. | Canadiens and Rangers are season, the most penalized In a New York clash that had scheduled to meet again the day while their star defend

everything but Long John Sil- after Christmas, at Montreal ver and his cuttass, Montreal Red Wings, who have 44 points man with 72 minutes. Canadiens bowed 3-1 to Rangers compared to Canadiens' 42, also Sunday night, thereby losing the have two games in hand over eague leadership.

Meanwhile, Detroit Red Wings to Canadiens 34, Toronto Maple

WHL STANDINGS

	W.	L	T	F	A	Pts
Calgary	19	14	1	132	98	39
Vanc'ver	17	19	5	93	89	30
N. West	17	13	4	111	111	33
Saskatoon .:	16	13	4	100	96	36
Seattle	13	19	4	116	134	30
Edmonton	12	18	5	109	121	29
Victoria	11	16	5	84	96	9.7

LAST NIGHT'S FIGHTS

By The Associated Press Winners of turkeys by hidden Brooklyn - Clarence Henry draws were Rose Cap 185; Jim 1841/2. Los Angeles, outpointed Ciccone 216; Dan Wick, three- Bob Baker, 2111/2, Pittsburgh, 10. Holyoke, Mass .- Vince Margame 629; J. Perry, three-game tinez, 152, Paterson, N.J., stopped Jim Bethea, 147, New York, 2

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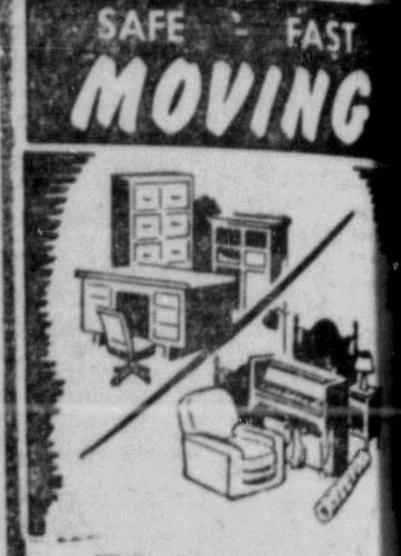
Montreal They have played 32 Leafs third with 33 points, are followed by Boston, 31 points, Rangers, 24, and Chicago Black Hawks, 17.

League statistics released today show there was no change in the standing of the leading eight point-getters last week. Gordie Howe, Detroit's flash,

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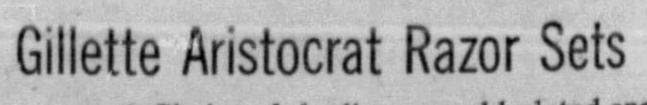
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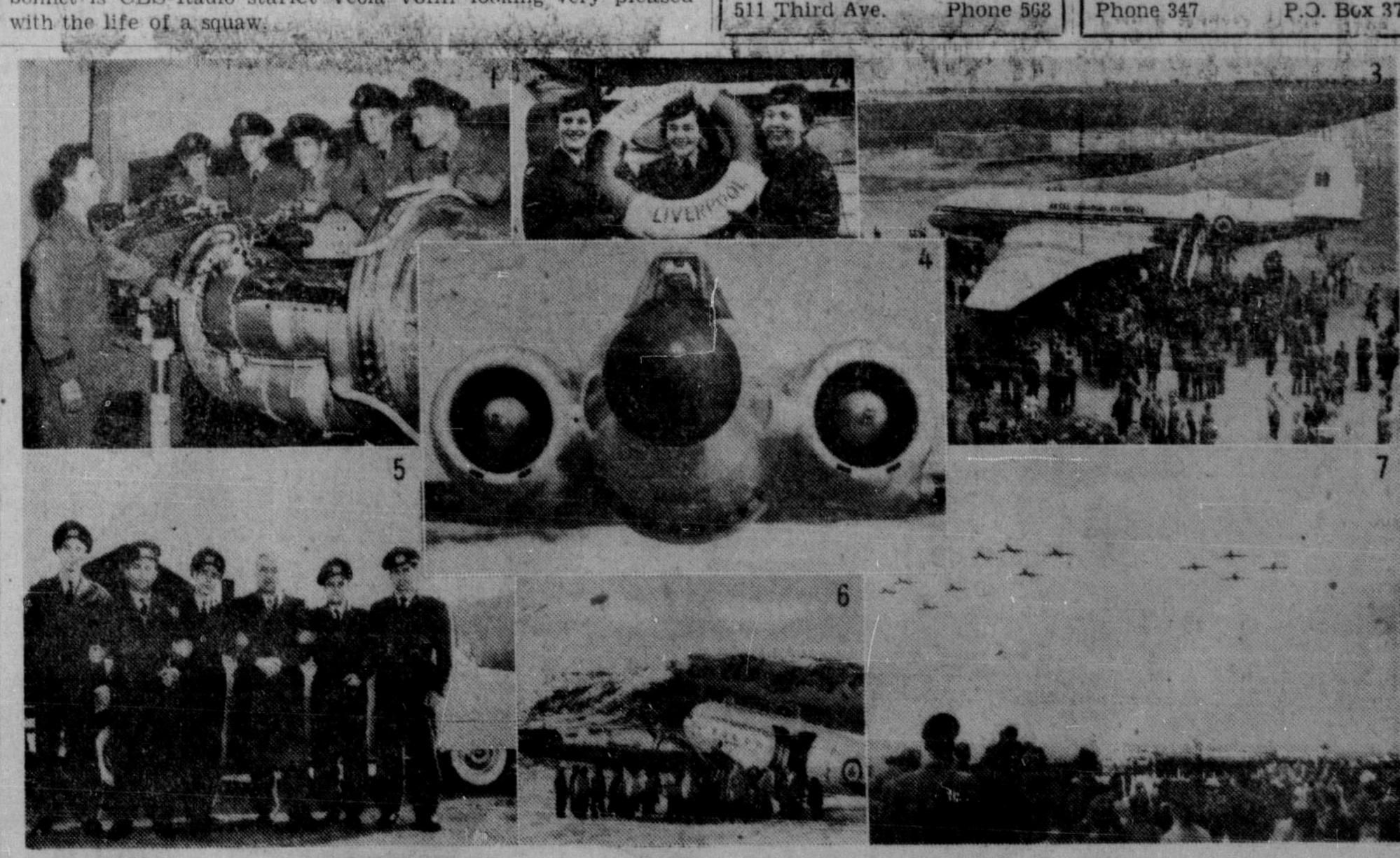
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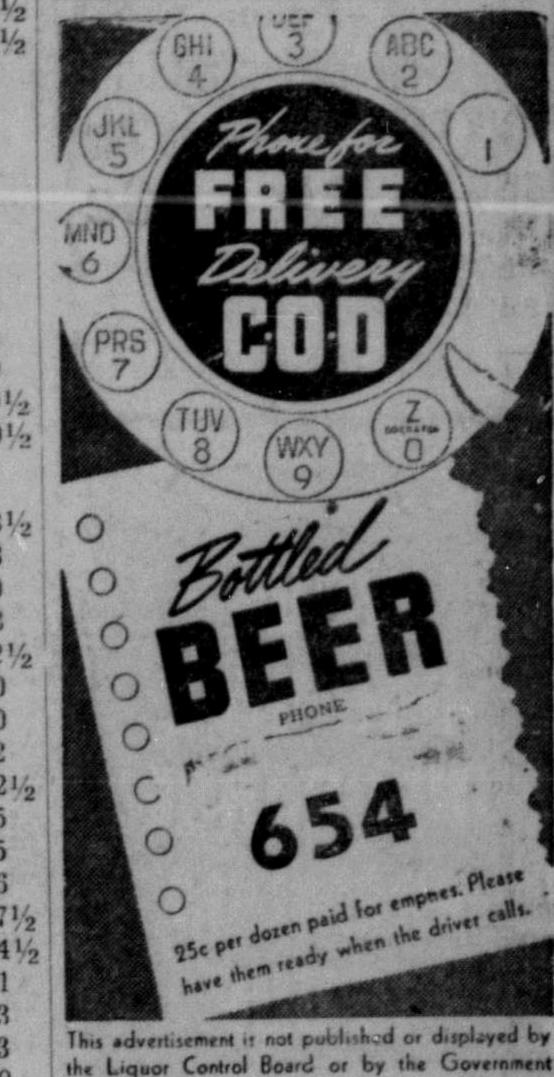
AS 1953 CLOSES THE RCAF LOOKS BACK ON A YEAR OF CONTINUED ACHIEVEMENT AND EXPANSION. New establishments were opened, new operational squadrons formed, and new aircraft and equipment added. Personnel strength rose from 38,391 at the end of 1952 to an estimated 43,000 at the end of 1953, and Europe saw striking evidence of Canada's air strength with 12 squadrons of Sabre jet fighters stationed there. The following pictures give an indication of the activities and expansion of the RCAF. (1) At a technical training unit, pilots are given instruction on the Orenda jet engine which powers the CF-100 Canuck jet fighter. (2) Three happy airwomen aboard the liner Franconia which took them to England for the Coronation ceremonies. (3) One of the RCAF Comet jet transports, first of its kind to be flown by any air force. The Comets provide the RCAF with high speed, high altitude aircraft to exercise Canada's air defence system. (4) With

Canadian air defence requirements to the fore in its design. the CF-100 Canuck is an all-weather long range jet fighter designed and built in Canada. (5) Turkey became the ninth NATO nation to send aircrew trainees to Canada for instruction. Five Turkish trainees are met on arrival at RCAF Station Uplands by the Turkish military attache to Canada, Colonel H. Bulca. (6) The RCAF continued its search and rescue and mercy flight program, and many humanitarian flights were carried out by air force crews. Here, following an SOS from an isolated village in Labrador, an RCAF Dakota transport aircraft lands to take an injured Eskimo to hospital. (7) F-86 Sabres of the RCAF's No. 4 Fighter Wing fly past during the handing-over ceremonies of the Wing to operational control of NATO at Baden-Soellingen, Germany. With the addition of this wing, Canada's 12 Sqdn NATO force was overseas months ahead of schedule.

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Dock Workers Start Vote To Choose New Union

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK.—Dock workers arrived in droves today to vote their choice in the struggle between the old International Longshoremen's Association and the new AFL-ILA to represent the waterfront workers.

A steady stream of longshore-men arrived as the Manhattan the morning in the federally- Appeals polling place opened early in supervised election. By 8:30 it Conviction was estimated 3,500 had voted. Both unions had cars circling

who shouted, "Vote ILA."

watchers from both unions were

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Authorities said it would take declined to make any predic-20 days to set up an appea court of seven judges to review Police reported the voting was the case of the fiery old exproceeding in a brisk and or- premier who was tried on derly manner. Special details of charges of defying the orders of patrolmen, extra National Labor the shah, attempting to over-Relations Board personnel and throw the monarchy and dissolving the Lower House of Parliament illegally.

Longshoremen were required In the preliminary stages of to show a state waterfront com- Mossadegh's dramatic trialmission registration card and a sparked by the veteran politicoast guard pier pass. They cians tirades, threats and capthen were handed a paper bal- ricious clowning-the defendant lot with places for choosing be- threatened to commit suicide if tween "ILA-Ind" or "ILA-AFL" he were released and said he would not appeal if he were The balloting brought to a convicted.

But as in the case of every climax the rivalry between the old ILA and the AFL, which set other threat he made during up the new union a few months the 35-day trial, Mossadegh reago in an attempt to break the versed himself. He wrote his re-ILA's hold on United States quest for an appeal on the document containing the court's sentence and signed it as required by law.

The five-man tribunal found Mossadegh guilty and sentenced him on 13 counts of deflying Shah Mohammed Reza Pahlevi.



JANET GAYNOR, lovely motion-picture star of the 1920s, pictured with her famous designer-husband, Adrian, shortly after their arrival in New York, where Miss Gaynor is making her television debut. The Hollywood couple takes time out to enjoy dinner at 'New York's Stork Club.



IN A MODERN VERSION of an old American Indian fashion, this Danish mother carries her "papoose" in a seat strapped to her back. Troublesome prams, which are always in the way in stores and subways, are unnecessary when the housewife shoulders her baby burden this way.

The picturesque town hall of The Hague, capital of The Netherlands, was built in 1565.

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MRS. CORNELIUS VANDER-BILT Whitney wears a onepiece street costume, designed by Nettie Rosenstein in Celanese acetate and wool. She was one of society's celebritiesmodels who appeared at the Fashion Show Starring Man-Made Fibers, which celebrated the National Federation of

Textiles' 80th anniversary.

DOCKSIDE TALES

Sam Simpson, Genial Oldtimer of Masset Remembers Early Days in Prince Rupert

By LARRY STANWOOD When the 60-foot Dungeness our night clothing. pulled out of Prince Rupert Sam said their landlord, livheaded for the north end of the ing in the adjoining apartment Queen Charlottes, young Gene of the duplex, got "roaring Simpson, skipper, said:

"Let her blow and let h--- which started the fire. freeze over, but we're going home." His dad, Sam Sinpenn, Rupert then but I can't say grinned good naturedly.

erations ago, his father had set out for the Charlottes in a much smaller boat and after a few years established the first successful crab canning method on the Pacific coast.

The late Captain Eugene Simpson quit the employ of the old Cold Storage plant here in 1919 and with his Puget Sound troller, the Wigwam, headed for Masset and there started a fishbuying business with the late Captain Henry Edenshaw. From buying fish, Simpson went into creb packing and established stable little business, but ir 1930 he went "flat broke." Son Sam re-established the business three years later and it's been going ever since.

The Simpsons, originally from Seattle, set out for Prince Rupert in 1914 aboard the 38-foot Wigwam, powered by a 50horsepower gas engine. Two years later they arrived here and settled "in a little duplex shack" at Seal Cove.

"But we didn't stay there very long," Sam continued. "We got burned out on New Year's Eve

Weather May Increase U.S. Wheat Surplus

WASHINGTON A-If weather conditions for wheat are normal or better between now and harvest next summer. United States growers may add to a big wheat surplus rather than reduce it under a rigid production control program.

This possibility was indicated Monday by a U.S. agricultural department report estimating that farmers have cut their winter wheat acreage nearly 20 per cent, but that the crop volume may be down only about 14.7 per cent.

The report showed that it would be possible to produce a billion-bushel U.S. wheat crop next year. A harvest of this size would be about 50,000,000 bushels more than officials now expect the market to absorb from the 1954 crop.

Thus, the surplus, now forecast at a record of 775,000.000 bushels at the start of the 1954 marketing year, would be boosted to 825,000,000.

Yeggs Use Ton of Sugar

NEW YORK M-An undisclosed number of yeggs used a ton of granulated sugar some time during the week-end to whip up a \$7,000 cake at a Brooklyn bakery.

The "cake"—or \$7,000 in cash-was in a one-ton safe on a balcony 30 feet above the main floor. The recipe called for getting it down without waking the neighborhood.

Police said 20 bags of sugar, each weighing 100 pounds, were laid out as a cushion. The safe was then pushed off the balcony, taken to a loading platform and carted away.

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