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Grade Four Pupils Aid Red Cross

You're not very big when you're in grade four, and you don't have much money. The jobs you can get and the work you can do are pretty limited. It's quite a problem when you want to do your share to help the Red Cross.

But it wasn't too big a problem for the not-so-big girls and boys of Princeton's grade four class. No Sir. The class and its teacher, Miss Margaret O'Brien, had an idea and went right to work on it. For weeks before school closed the group plugged away with fret-saws and hammers, with needles and thread.

Then came the big day, last Thursday! Parents, relatives, neighbours, friends, schoolmates, were invited to a "Sale of Toys". Cunningly carved and painted animals of all descriptions, mounted on their wheels, charmed away more than one quarter for the Red Cross. Attractive little ornaments and pins, handmade from colored beads, added some more to the total. Tea and cakes were served to every visitor and the collection grew.

But still it wasn't enough to satisfy the fourth graders. They had to have more to give. What to do next? Why, they'd go carolling!. And carolling they went, teacher and pupils, from house to house, adding to their total by nickels and dimes.

That bunch of determined little tikes can take a bow now. A tidy little sum has been added to the funds of the Princeton Red Cross through their efforts.

Copper Mountain Ukrainian Society Raises $104.00 For Russian Relief

On Sunday, Dec. 14th a meeting of the Ukrainian Asssociation for Aid to Russia was held in the committee room of the Community Hall, Copper Mountain.

The meeting was addressed by Mr. W. Mandybar in Russian and later a few words were spoken by Mrs. F. H. Chase, President of the Copper Mountain Branch Red Cross.

The following members generously donated a total of $104:

Pete Nikiforyk	50.00
Nick Hnatchuck	10.00
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W. Wyhony	2.00
E. Star	$5.00
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B. Sakich	.50
V. Robido	.50
J. Ogbonnie	.25
F. Ryni	.25

Coal Production For November

Nicola-Princeton District

	1941 Tons	1940 Tons
Granby Colliery	6,669	6,892
Hat Creek Mine	78	69
Middlesboro Col.	2,254	2,522
Princeton Tulameen Colliery	3,721	4,058
Tulameen Col.	952	
	13,674	13,541

Merry Christmas

THE MANAGEMENT and STAFF of the SIMILKAMEEN STAR Wish You One and All a HAPPY CHRISTMAS

Letters to the Editor

Cawston, B.C.
Dec. 17, 1941

To the Editor,
The Similakmeen Star,
Princeton, B.C.
DEAR SIR:-

I wish to thank anybody who in any way helped to make my Red Cross Quilt a success. Also in furnishing of material and the selling of tickets.

Yours Truly,
MRS. ALICE FELHAUER

WATCH FOR THEM

Two big dances are being planned by the local Elks Lodge for Christmas Eve and Boxing Day. The proceeds of these two dances will be devoted to the Christmas Hamper fund, and other community work. A draw for twenty valuable prizes will be held during the dance on Boxing Day night.

Don Alen, R. C. A. F., is home on leave.

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The McGilivray twins, who have been stationed at Brandon with the R. C. A. F., have been drafted to the W. A. G. School.

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Among U.B.C. students spending Christmas here with their parents are Jean Ewart of Princeton; and Trev Cody and Stan Kirkland of Alenby.

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Miss Shirley Manning of Allenby, who has been attending business college in Vancouver, arrived home on Sunday to spend the Christmas season with her parents.

Change Made in Hospital Rates

The day rates for patients in Princeton General Hospital public wards will be raised from $2.50 per day to $3.00 per day, to take effect on the 1st day of January, 1942. This was the most important decision of the Board at their regular meeting in December. The matter has been under discussion for a long time, but the members of the Board were not anxious to take this step. Now, however, with increasing services and rising costs, the change has become imperative. This brings Princeton in line with other hospitals in the Province, for she does not benefit by any local municipal grants as most other hospitals do.

In view of the present war conditions it was decided not to hold the annual banquet this year.

The thanks of the Board were extended to the Nickel Plate Community Club for their recent donation of a radio for use in the Ladies' Ward. This is a source of great satisfaction to hospital patients.

URGES IMMEDIATE AID

Gen. Douglas MacArthur, former U.S. army chief of staff, said, recently, United States would make "the greatest strategical" mistake if it failed to give immediate aid to Great Britain. In a cablegram from Manila to William Allen White, chairman of the committee to Defend America by Aiding the Allies, Gen. MacArthur, now military advised in the Philippines, urged "co-ordinated" and "synchronized" help.

CHRISTMAS MESSAGE

(By Rev. T. David Somerville)

Once more Christmas is here and again we celebrate the birthday of the Prince of Peace in a war torn world. Never before has Christmas been kept under such terrible circumstances. The war in Europe has spread till practically every nation on the face of the globe is involved.

In Russia, in Libyia, in China, in Thailand, opposing armies are locked in mortal combat. In Europe millions of people are starving, in England the long nights of mid-winter bring renewed danger from air raids. Even in those countries as yet untouched by open warfare there is a grim preparation—an intensive labouring to prepare the weapons of self defence.

The peoples of the earth are girding themselves for greater sacrifice and stand ready to endure to the end—however far away that may be.

To most people these facts are only too real. How can we say 'Merry Christmas" this year. Probably as we keep Christmas we will think of those who can keep no holiday—who can have no feast. No, it isn't a merry holiday this time.

Perhaps it is just as well. In the frenzy and extravagance of other Christmas days we have forgotten their true significance. Holy days become holidays and their purpose and meaning are buried in commercial fun-making.

So if this year we see beneath the tinsel and the indulgence of our holiday to the holy day beyond, we shall have gained something very valuable. For after all, what is Christmas but the birthday of Jesus Christ, the Saviour of mankind, the Prince of Peace.

It seems to me that this year Christmas takes on an added significance. That the birthday of the Prince of Peace should be celebrated under such circumstances may seem to many a contradiction of all that He stands for.

But to me it demonstrates one fact very clearly—our need for the Prince of Peace. Our need to submit ourselves and all our affairs to His government. The situation in which we find ourselves shows only too plainly that we have not given Him control of our lives.

When first he came to Bethlehem there was no room for Him in the inn. Ever since then there has been no room for Him in our lives either individual or national. Perhaps now, amid the realities of war, we will gain a new appreciation of the spiritual realities that underlie Christmas Day.

Finally, I should like to use this opportunity to wish you all a happy and a blessed Christmas.

High School Dance Held Friday Night

The Princeton High School Dance, held in the Orange Hall on Friday night, was one of the most sucessful affairs of the season. It was well attended and lasted from 9 p.m. till 1 a.m. No refreshments were served as a war disciplinary measure. Grade XII class was in charge of the arrangements. Jim Loski made a capable Master of Ceremonies. Harold Wilby proved a hit with his rendition of Gracie Field's popular pieces. Five boys outquizzed a team of girls in a contest. A most enjoyable dance in a hall well decorated for the Christmas season.

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CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

Home has been described as a world of hate shut out, and a world of love shut in. It is well for us that the hatreds that disrupt the world are not allowed to cross the threshold of our home — especially at this season of the year. Only a brave people can seek to realize the duty of happiness in time of calamity. Happiness is a duty. Unless we cultivate it we shall all perish in the Slough of Despond. So it comes about that we all determine to make the Christmas season as happy as possible, in spite of everything that would tend to rob us of our peace of mind. We must keep the home fires burning till the boys come home.

We cannot pretend that it will be the same as in times of peace. Our thoughts will be far away, thinking of those who have gone forth in the great crusade which is being carried on to-day against evil forces which have been let loose on a peace-loving world.

Christmas is essentially a religious festival. It is summed up in the historic phrase, "The Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us." The incarnation is not a matter for theological dispute. The miracles of unbelief are greater than those of faith. This conviction is renewed every time we repeat the Apostles' Creed. Apart from our faith, life has no meaning, and there is no sense in the great struggle to which we have dedicated ourselves. Shakespeare, Lincoln and a host of lesser lights have found strength and comfort in a simple, abiding faith. We all need it to-day more than ever. Centuries have not dimmed our faith. It is still the faith of our fathers, and of their children.

Our Christmas greetings are born of faith. We send these greetings to the ends of the earth — to the Motherland, to the other Dominions, to Eqypt and to Lybia, to China. Wherever Canadians gather around the sign of the Beaver, in London or Hong Kong, their thoughts come over the air to us at this time. They, too, send greetings to us at home. In this way is forged a bond of good will and purpose, that unites us into one people around the whole, wide earth.

To all at home, and to all elsewhere in Canada, and to the boys overseas, we extend Christmas greetings,

PENNIES FROM HEAVEN

The two "shy little tots" who brought 39 pennies to the Red Cross have stirred up gratitude in distant places. "O brave young world that hath such people in it!" Such donations touch hidden springs of action in many hearts, and it is difficult to gauge just how much the widow's mite, or the little tot's penny may amount to when all that these inspire is added up. The Red Cross needs all the help that we can give. The work is maintained not only by the large gifts of a few, but by the small gifts of many.

Rubber Stamps

Now that Unemployment Insurance is in force Rubber Stamps are a necessity to cancel Stamps. They cost only $2.00, plus Sales Tax.

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THE STAR

Purchase of Christmas Seals Aids 'T.B.' Work

Thirty-eight years ago a Danish postmaster named Einar Holboell, while sorting quantities of Christmas mail, conceived the idea of an extra stamp which would both decorate parcels or envelopes and provide revenue for the treatment of sick children whose parents lacked means to give them proper treatment.

From Holboell's idea grew the Christmas Seal campaigns that Canadians know today. The original idea spread to Norway and Sweden. By 1907 it crossed the Atlantic to the United States, which in that year had its first campaign and sale. A year later Christmas Seals were placed on sale in Ontario by the National Sanatarium Association.

In 1927 the first sale was organized on a Dominion - wide scale under auspices of the Canadian Tuberculosis Association Since then, funds raised from the sale of seals have swelled from only a few thousand dollars to approximately $259,000 in 1940.

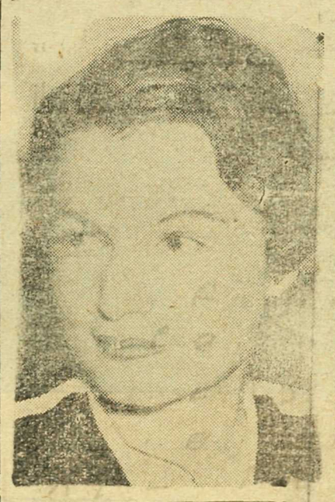
Well over 100,000 Canadians benefit as a result of the anti-tuberculosis facilities made available each year through the sale of Christmas Seals.

Specifically, they provide revenue for the support of diagnostic clinics, which promote early diagnosis of tuberculosis, and advise, as well as diagnose, relatives and friends of those who have already been affected.

They sponsor school, college and industrial surveys, help with funds for summer camps for under - privileged children provide means for educational campaigns to spread facts about tuberculosis and its danger.

Last year British Columbians contributed $32,000 to assist in stamping out this community foe. War has made the need for tuberculosis preventive and educational work greater than ever before.

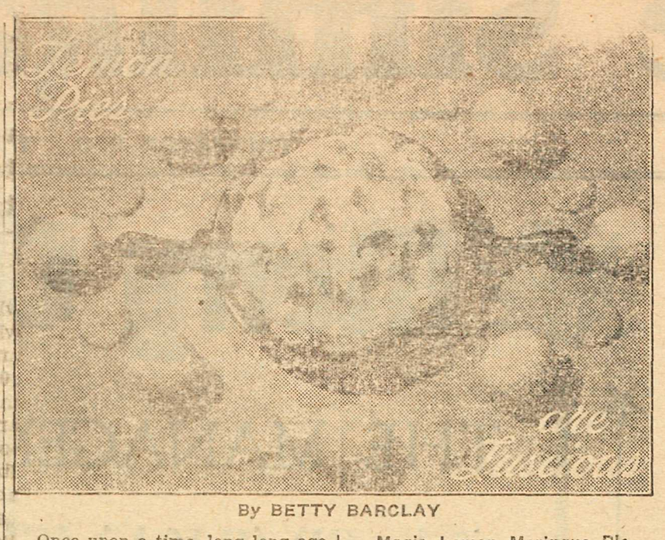
Purchase of Christmas Seals provides the funds to carry on the fight, and we are certain that the people of this province wil rally to make an even finer showing this year.



WINNIPEG MINUTE-WOM

Winnipeg women want a crack at Hitler, too, and under the direction of Mrs. Gloria Qeen-Hughes have organized a special volunteer reserve who want to learn the use of rifles and nearly all that goes with military training. Physically fit women between the ages of 18 and 45 will be accepted.

Boost the institution that boosts your town—your home-town paper, The Similkameen Star. Get behind your home-town newspaper.



By BETTY BARCLAY

Once upon a time, long long ago, a lemon pie was a lemon pie no matter where you obtained it — just as a dish of outmeal was a dish of oatmeal.

But today we meet lemon meringue pies, lemon coconut pies, lemon chiffon pies, lemon soufflé pies, lemon angel pies, magic lemon pies — there seems to be no end to the ways discovered by good cooks as they experimented with their lemons, sugar, eggs, butter and other lemon pie ingredients.

The pie photographed above is a magic lemon meringue pie — a rich cousin to the original lemon pie grandmother made. One slice, and you will decide that this pie must be a constant visitor when company comes or the males of the family are tired and irritable. It's the greatest little pacifier imaginable.

Before giving you the recipe for this pie and another delicious lemon dainty, here is a pie tip or two that you should know: Cool lemon pies for two hours or more at room temperature for satisfactory cutting, unless recipe specifies otherwise. Then again, for never-fail results use the following pastry whenever baked shells are required. A second pie plate set inside the pastry-lined plate during baking, insures a perfect shell:

Sunkist Pastry

Sift together 3 cups sifted flour and 1 teaspoon salt. Cut in 1 cup shortening. Add 1 slightly beaten egg, combined with 3 tablespoons lemon juice. Add ice water gradually — just enough to bind dough together. Roll pastry out thin and line pie plates. Bake in hot oven (475° F.) for 15 minutes. (Makes three 8-inch single pie shells. Keep unbaked dough in refrigerator until needed)

Magic Lemon Meringue Pie
(Makes 1 pie)

1⅓ cups (1 can) sweetened condensed (not evaporated) milk
½ cup lemon juice
Grated rind of 1 lemon
2 egg yolks, beaten

Stir together thoroughly. (Filling will thicken as though cooked). Pour into crumb crust pie shell made as follows:

Unbaked Crumb Crust: Roll enough lemon or vanilla wafers to make ¾ cup crumbs. Arrange a row of wafers to stand around edge of 8-inch pie plate. Mix rolled crumbs with 2 tablespoons melted butter. Cover bottom of plate and fill in space between wafers with crumb mixture. Pour in filling and top with a meringue made of:

2 egg whites
¼ cup sugar
¼ teaspoon baking powder
1 teaspoon grated peel (orange or lemon)

Beat egg whites until frothy, and add sugar, baking powder and rind. Continue beating until stiff. Cover pie. Put in moderate oven (325° F.) for 15 minutes to brown.

Lemon Soufflé Pie

⅓ cup lemon juice
1 teaspoon grated lemon peel
3 tablespoons hot water
¼ teaspoon salt
½ cup sugar
3 egg yolks, very well beaten

Cook in double boiler until thickened (about 15 minutes). Fold in:

3 egg whites, beaten stiff with
½ cup sugar

Fill 10-inch baked pie shell and brown in moderate oven (about ½ hour).

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Merry Christmas

A Happy New Year

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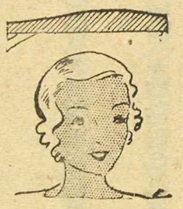

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Calling All Housewives

Women Asked To Give Wholehearted Co-operation In Maintenance of War Time Price Control Legislation

(By Bruce M. Pearce)

"To beat inflation Canada depends on the housewife. She has the biggest single part to play in holding the price ceiling."

This is the unequivocal statement of Donald Gordon, Chairman of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board and pivot of price control effort. It was the main point stressed in the course of a twenty minute interview.

Said he: "Retail prices are what count—the price you pay when you buy things at stores and Canadian women do over 80 per cent of all the retail buying in Canada. The housewife and the retail merchant need to do the job together in seeing that retail prices do not rise above the highest prices of the basic period, September 15th to October 11th.

Asked for definite suggestions as to what the housewife can do, Mr. Gordon elaborated:

"We would like every woman who does the family shopping to keep her own record of prices at the different stores at which she trades. Such a record will enable her to work with the storekeeper in watching that prices do not go up.

We also ask housewives not to insist on having goods extravagantly packaged and to be ready to accept fewer lines. This will ease the storekeeper's position as he must make economies and restrict varieties of merchandise in order to offset the reduction of profits which he will have to accept. By shopping carefully the housewife can do much to make the plan of price control work efficiently and thus make a major contribution towards winning the war."

The Board has issued an official statement appealing to all Canadian women to get behind the price control program and setting forth some of the things they can do to make it succeed. The statement is appearing in the weekly press and in daily papers throughout the country. The statement appears on Page Three of this week's Star.

Mr. Gordon wants to make clear that the Board has not fixed one level of prices for all stores. Prices may vary from store to store as in the past, or as between towns and cities or provinces. The important point he emphasized, "is that prices obtaining in each individual store during the basic period must not be exceeded in that store.

He points out that there has always been a variation in prices in different stores, even in the same locality, depending on the kind of service the store gives and the way it operates. These competitive variations will probably continue.

Therefore housewives are asked to bear in mind that prices of similar commodities may vary in different stores; that a merchant may reduce his prices for sales or other reasons and may also raise them, but not above the basic period level; that variations may occur in seasonal prices on such items as eggs, vegetables, fuits, etc.

Particularly should ever house wife remember this fact: "The prices YOU wil mark down will be the highest prices charged at the stores where YOU shop."

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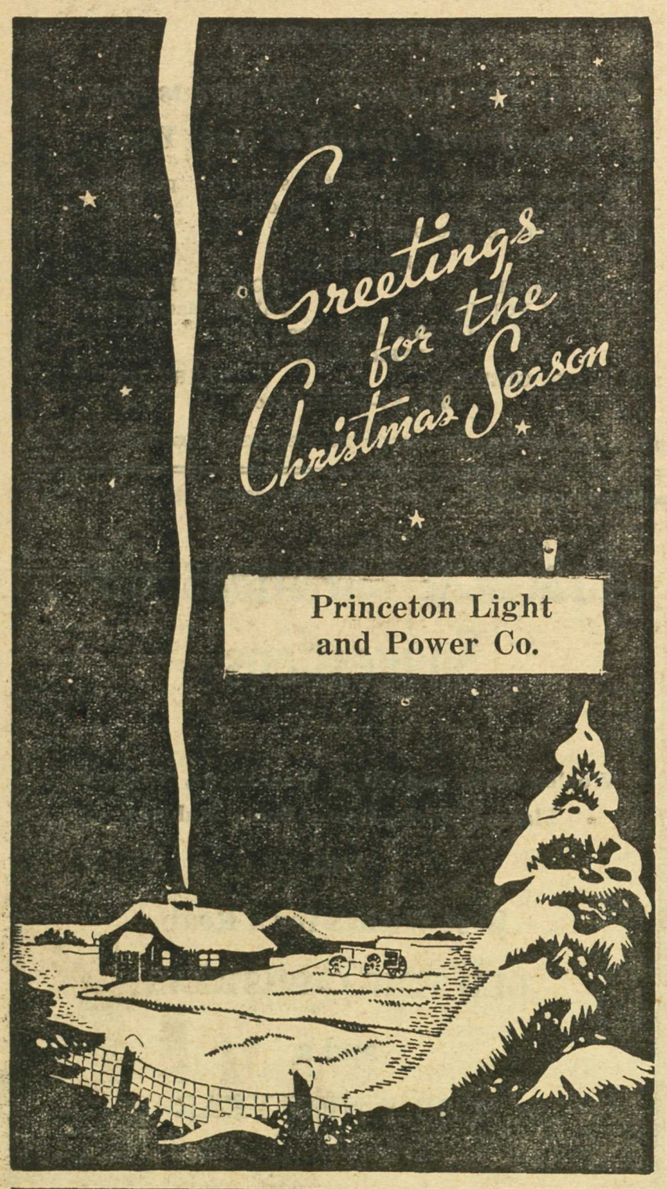

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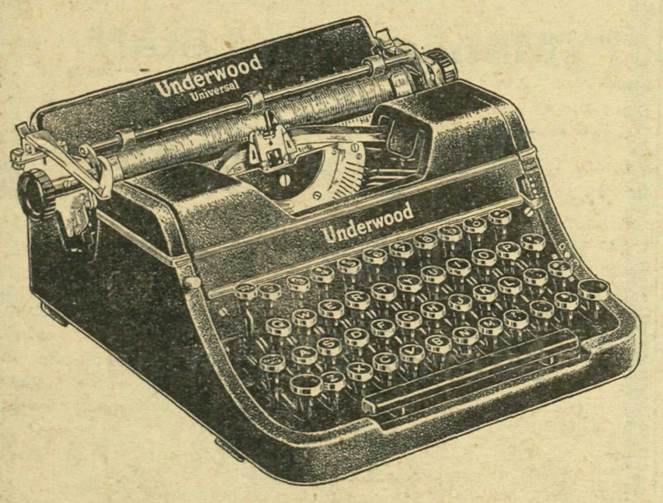


Come In And See Them At

The Star Office

Old Christmas Customs

While many old-time Christmas customs have been discontinued, others such as the decorating of homes with holly and mistletoe, carol singing, and even the burning of the Yule log still remain. The wassail-bowl is no more (by that name at any rate, although the hospitable practice lingers); the mummers or masked players and the lord of misrule or abbot of unreason are but ghosts of the past. The following descriptions of old-time Christmas observances are from a volume devoted to Christmas festivities of the 19th century:—

The custom of decorating houses, churches, etc., with branches of mistletoe, holly and other winter shrubs and trees, is perhaps of older date than any other Christmas observance. It had its origin with the Druids, who were the priests of the ancient Britons long before the invasion of that country by the Romans under Julius Caesar. It was their wont, at a certain period of the year, to resort to the forests in which grew the largest oak trees, followed by a great concourse of people. There, with many ceremonies, they proceeded to cut down a quantity of th branches of the mistletoe growing on the oaks which, having divided into small pieces, they distributed amongst the religious students who accompanied them, and who, considering these branches as so many emblems of good fortune, adorned their dwelling with them.

The custom of burning the Yule-log was of Anglo--Saxon origin. That race of people was in the habit of celebrating a feast at the winter solstice, and on this occasion burned a large log of wood as an emblem of returning light and heat. The tree was hewn down on Candlemas Day, then kindled where it fell, and suffered to burn until sunset, when the fire was extinguished. and the log laid in a proper place until it was required at Christmas.

The wassail-bowl also had its origin with the Saxons. In the old legend of Vorigern and Rowena, the first mention is made of the custom of Wassailing. At a feast given by Hengist, the Saxon chief, to Vortigern, the British King, the royal guest was bewitched with the charms of the young and beautiful daughter of his entertainer.

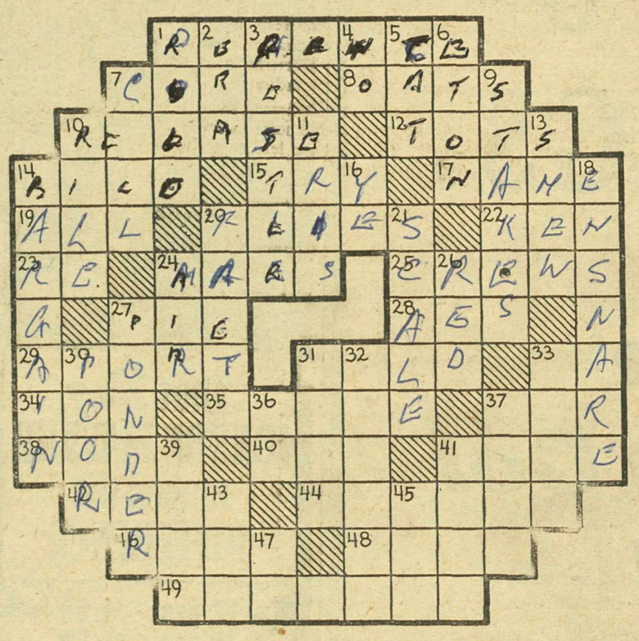
While on her knee, the fair Saxon damsel presented the wine-cup to the British monarch, exclaiming: Liever Kyning Wass-hael! or, "Your health, lord King!"

The waits, or Christmas bards, are a remnant of the old minstrels attached to courts and cities, and who added to their musical offices the more important, although less pleasant, duty of watching and guarding the streets.

Mummers, or masked players, seem to have derived their name from the Danish Mumme, or the Dutch Momme, to mask; and there is reason to believe that this custom of dressing and masking had its origin in the practice of exchanging clothes between men and women at the Saturnalia, a feast of the Romans. The mummers of the early ages, being dressed in strange costume and masked, went about at feast times, from house to house, reciting verses and singing songs.

The Lord of Misrule was an officer appointed in all large establishments to superintend the arrangements for the Christmas revels. In Scotland he was called the Abbot of Unreason. The authority of this dignity began upon All-Hallows Eve, and terminated at the end of the twelve days of Christmas.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



HORIZONTAL
1–Sorrow for sin
7–Heart
8–A grain (pl.)
10–Narrate
12–Small children
14–Liver secretion
15–Attempt
17–Title
19–The whole
20–Soars
22–Know
23–Prefix. Again
24–Greek god of war
25–Company of seamen (pl.)
27–A pastry
28–Money (Rom. Antiq.)
29–On the left (Naut.)
31–Without hair
33–Father
34–Atom bearing an electric charge

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)
35–Backbone
37–Sailor
38–Bows the head
40–Pronoun
41–Detest
42–Network (Latin)
44–Confections
46–Utter wildly
48–Corn-spikes
49–Retaliatory speeches

VERTICAL
1–Measuring rod
2–Epoch
3–Provoke
4–Negative
5–Feline
6–English school
7–Prison room
9–Wagers
10–Vex

VERTICAL (Cont.)
11–Greek goddess of discord
13–Duck-like water-bird
14–Negotiate
16–Pronoun
18–Entrap
20–Worries
21–Weighing device
24–Atmosphere
26–Crimson
27–Consider thoughtfully
30–Indigent
31–Carpenter's tool (pl.)
32–Result
33–Light blows
36–Jumbled type
37–Makes lace
39–Heavenly body
41–Pronoun
43–Evening (Poet.)
45–Dine
47–And (Latin)

Solution on Page Four

The Origin of the Christmas Tree

Does the Christmas tree owe its existence to the Egyptians? Several authorities on the matter favor this view, and the fact remains that in Germany, where the Christmas tree, as it is known now, really originated, families which are too poor to buy a tree sometimes use a decorated pyramid as the centre of their gift-giving.

In this connection, it is interesting to note that if Queen Victoria had married an Englishman the gaily decorated tree would still be more or less of an unknown quantity in England, Prince Albert, Saxe-Coburg, being commonly credited with having introduced the tree in his adopted country, where it became very popular.

Christmas Once Abolished By The Puritans

For twelve years, from 1644, Christmas was not kept in England. The Puritans, actually dared to call it a pagan festival, passed an Act of Parliament abolishing it, and directed that December 25th should be a day of fasting and repentance.

Plum puddings and mince pies were declared to be devilish and the singing of carols was strictly forbidden. Charles II restored Christmas.

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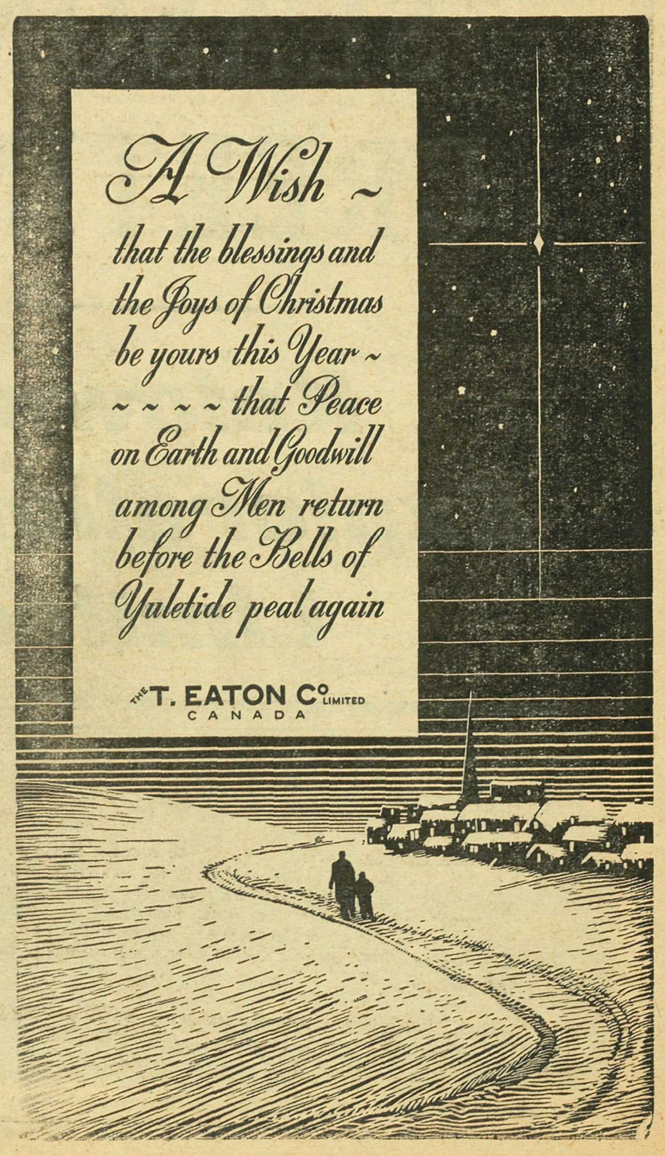

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Good going Dec. 23rd to 25th. Return Dec. 26th.
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WISHING YOU A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND
A HAPPY NEW YEAR

Origin of Christmas Cards In England 95 Years Ago

The Christmas card this year celebrates its ninety-fifth birthday. It now belongs to all men and women. It finds its way to all places and serves many ends. He is a lone creature who does not get his share of cards at Christmas time.

What would Christmas Day be without the Christmas card? Frances D. McMullen is the authority for the statement that the Christmas card is now 95 years old. Writing in the New York Times she says that origins of all other Christmas customs except this are lost in the undated annals of folk ways, and many of them are older than Christmas itself.

The birthday of the Christmas card has been definitely set in the year 1846, and no shades from the past have arisen to counter the claim. England was its cradle and Sir Henry Cole, who later came to fame as a social and educational reformer, was its father.

Already he had set about effecting the application of fine-art to manufactures and had gained a name as a pioneer in illustrating children's books with woodcuts after famous pictures.

When he got the idea of issuing cards carrying Christmas wishes, he went to a member of the Royal Academy for his design, and had the card lithographed and hand-colored in London. One thousand copies were printed under his nom de plume, Felix Summerly.

Varied ancestry may be found for the Christmas card. There were lover cards and illustrated note paper and in Germany the illustrated cards sent on Namenstag, the feast of a patron saint.

In 1844 a man of Leith issued a card bearing a laughing face and "A Gude New Year to Ye", but as this had practically no circulation, it is thought that Sir Henry's idea may have come rather from the "Christmas pieces" written by school boys on paper decorated with flourishes and scrolls.

Foes Now Friends

Last fall during the presidential campaign, Wendell Willkie had a bitter foe in New York's Mayor LaGuardia. Now they are teammates—united in a drive for all out aid to Britain. They are shown together here at a rally for this cause in New York.

Legals

LAND REGISTRY ACT
(Section 160)

IN THE MATTER OF Lot 23, Block 7, Map 1302, Lot 24, Block 7, Map 1302, Princeton Assessment District.

Proof having been filed in my Office of the loss of Certificates of Title Nos.: 65896F and 70906F to the above mentioned lands in the names of Gunhild Tollefsen -AND- Simond Tollefsen as to Lot 23, and Gunhild Tollefsen as to Lot 24, and bearing dates of 5th February 1937 and 2nd March 1935 respectively.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE of my intention at the expiration of one calender month from the first publication hereof, to issue to the said Gunhild Tollefsen -AND- Simond Tollefsen and Gunhild Tollefsen, Provincial Certificates of Title in lieu of such lost Certificates. Any person having any information with reference to such lost Certificates of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

DATED at Land Registry Office, Kamloops, British Columbia, this the 25th day of November, 1941.

R. A. BRADEN,
Registrar.

Date of First Publication 18th Dec., 1941. 2-5

MINERAL ACT
(Form F—Section 58(d)

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENT

RAMBLER MINERAL CLAIM

Situate in the Similkameen Mining Division

WHERE LOCATED: Grasshopper Mountain, East of and adjoining Last Hope Mineral Claim, about six miles west of Tulameen, Province of British Columbia.

LAWFUL HOLDER: R. H. Davies, Miner, 4050 Knight Road, Vancouver, B.C.

TAKE NOTICE THAT, I, R. H. Davies, Miner, of 4050 Knight Road, in the City of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, Free Miner's Certficate No. 63832E, intend, at the end of sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purposes of obtaining a Crown grant of the above claim.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that action, under Section 85 of the "Mineral Act" must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

DATED this 3rd day of October, A.D. 1941.

"R. H. DAVIES"

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TO THE WOMEN OF CANADA

Here is One Big War Job which You Alone Can Do

"Ceiling Prices" Must Be Maintained

This is an appeal to the women of Canada. There is one vital part of our war effort which depends on you.

Your government has placed a "ceiling" on retail prices. You are the buyers of four out of every five dollars worth of all the goods sold in this country. Your whole-hearted help is needed in this price control plan. If every woman does her part, it cannot fail.

Its success will be a big step on the road to victory. Its failure would be a serious blow to our war effort. You can tip the balance towards success.

Will you, then, undertake to make the successful control of commodity prices an established fact? We know you will. And we know that when you undertake this task it is as good as done.

This is the work you are asked to do

1. Make a list of commodities

We want you to sit down today and make a list of the things you buy from week to week and from month to month. Write down food and clothing items in particular, because these account for the biggest share of your expenditures. But we want **you** to list those articles you buy at the drug store, hardware store, and other stores, too.

2. Make notes about quality

Now go over your list again and mark down the necessary details about quality, type, grade and size. Then when making future purchases you will be able to compare values as well as prices.

3. Write down prices

After each item we want you to write down, if you can, the highest price charged at your store during the period September 15 to October 11, 1941. If you cannot remember the prices charged during that period, fill in your list with today's prices. Our survey shows that retailers, with few exceptions, are keeping prices well within the "ceiling" levels. As exceptions are being discovered they are being quickly brought into line.

4. Keep this list — use it when you buy!

Make up this price list neatly and accurately. You will not be able to get all the items at once. Keep adding to your list from day to day. Make it your permanent check list—your personal safeguard against any further rise in prices.

Prices May be Different in Different Stores

There has always been a difference in prices in different stores—even stores in the same locality. This may depend on the kind of service the store gives, or the way it operates. Some stores, for instance, have delivery service, give credit, or provide other extra services.

Under the new Price Ceiling Order there will still be differences in prices at different stores. The new price regulations will not do away with competition. The highest prices in any particular store must not be higher than the highest prices in force *in that store* during the period September 15 to October 11. They may be a little lower or a little higher than the prices in other stores.

The prices *you* will mark down will be the highest prices charged at the store where *you* shop.

A Few Points to Remember

1. The ceiling price is not necessarily the price *you* paid. It is the highest price at which the store sold the particular item between September 15 and October 11.

2. A merchant may reduce his prices for sales or other reasons—he may also raise them provided they do not go above the ceiling price.

3. Variations in seasonal prices on fresh fruits and vegetables are permitted. Rulings on seasonal markets will be announced from time to time by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board in newspapers and over the radio.

4. Fill out your price list without bothering your merchant. In many cases he is making a financial sacrifice to sell under the price ceiling. The war has left him short-staffed and the Christmas rush is on.

Items most frequently bought

This is not intended as a complete list. It is simply offered as a guide. Add to it the other items you buy or expect to buy.

Item	Description (Size, Quality, etc.)	Store	Price
FOOD			
Milk			
Butter			
Eggs			
Sugar			
Tea, Coffee			
Flour			
Cereals			
Bread			
Meat			
Canned Goods			
OPERATING EXPENSES			
Laundry and cleaning			
Soaps and other cleaning agents			
Blankets, Sheets, Towels			

Item	Description (Size, Quality, etc.)	Store	Price
CLOTHING (Men's, Women's, Children's)			
Coats			
Sweaters			
Suits			
Dresses			
Skirts, Blouses			
Shirts			
Underwear			
Boots and shoes			
Rubbers, Goloshes			
Stockings			
Socks			
Hats, Gloves			

Why *you* must do your part

To ensure the success of this price control plan, every woman in Canada should make a list. Retailers are showing a splendid spirit of co-operation. The great majority of them are determined to make this plan work, but if *you* do not co-operate the whole plan might fail — prices might start to skyrocket. So keep your list handy. Check the prices you pay against it.

If a price seems higher than the ceiling, ask your merchant about it. If further information is necessary, report the full details in writing. Address your letter to the Prices and Supply Representative, Wartime Prices and Trade Board at any of the following: Vancouver, Edmonton, Regina, Winnipeg, North Bay, London, Toronto, rockville, Montreal, Quebec City, Saint John, Halifax, Charlottetown.

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PRACTICAL HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Shower Curtains

If rubberized shower curtains are spread out across the rod immediately after using they will last much longer than when left to dry in folds.

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Patent Leather Bags

To make the full patent leather bag look like new, rub it well with a little milk and then polish with a dry cloth.

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Good Chocolate

A very delicious flavor will be imparted to the chocolate if a small quantity of cinamon is added to it.

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Blueing

After dissolving the bluing in warm water, draw a piece of cloth through it to take up any floating particles. Shake the folds out of the garments before putting in the bluing water. This will prevent streaks.

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Burns

No soreness will follow a superficial burn if kerosene is applied quickly. Repeat applications of it until the burning sensation is gone.

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Fruit Bread

By adding one half cup of raisins to Boston brown bread it is transformed into fruit bread.

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Stockings

When washing stockings turn them wrong side out to prevent any lint from showing when the wash is finished.

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Soup

To remove fat from hot soup pour the soup through a cloth that has been wrung out of cold water. Nearly all the fat will cling to the cloth.

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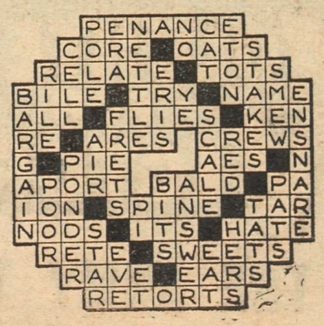
The Wide Ironing Board

When ironing a sleeve that is too narow for the ironing board turn the sleeve wrong side out, insert a towel folded to the width of the sleeve, and iron on both sides.



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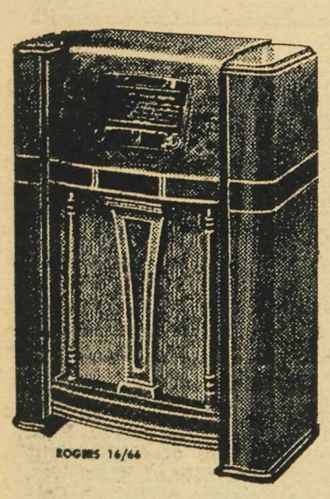

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Who Said This?

(Creston Review)

"The British Nation can be counted upon to carry through to victory any struggle that it once enters upon, no matter how long such a struggle may last, or however great the sacrifice that may be necessary, or whatever may be necessary, or whatever the means that have to be employed."

Who said this? Was it Pitt, for example, or Winston Churchill? No.

It was written by an Austrian named Adolph Hitler, in a book called Mein Kampf.

New Diesel Pumping Plant Ready For Local Water Works

The new diesel pumping unit being installed at the waterworks plant is now ready for service. The engine and pump are set up on their foundations. The intake line and supply line of the pump have been connected up and all the connecting lines for fuel oil and cooling water to the engine have been completed.

Practically all that remains to be done is the final lining up and adjustments. It is expected that this unit will be in service before the end of the week and may possibly be running by the time we go to press.

The new unit is very compact and forms a striking contrast to the clumsy and bulky equipment formerly required for pumping water. The engine is a 4 cylinder, 4 cycle full diesel engine of 70 H.P. at 900 revolutions per minute.

The pump is a centrifugal pump running at 2800 revolutions per minute and capable of pushing a maximum of 450 gallons per minute up the 200 foot bank to the tank house.

This unit is a good deal larger than the water works company feels should be necessary for Princeton at the present time, but they felt that it would be wise to have a substantial reserve capacity available.

While we are not skilled in such matters we feel that this new pumping unit looks like a very satisfactory and workmanlike job.

America Can Never Be Defeated, Says Stockholm Paper

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 8th — "A continent like America can never be defeated," said the Conservative "Svenska Dagbladet" in one of the first Swedish press comments on the new war in the Pacific. "The Americans are now attacked in the West where isolationism had its surest stronghold and President Roosevelt again has justified before the nation his reputation as a prophet," the newspaper contiues.

"Some years ago naval experts asserted that the Japanese based their hope for naval success on the fact that their battleships could fire salvos 5 seconds quicker than the Americans. In five seconds a fleet can lose a battle, but a continent like America can never be defeated."

The Liberal "Dagens Nyeter" writes that "If President Roosevelt entertained any wish as to the method by which America should be drawn into the war it could not have been fulfilled better than by this attack while he was conferring with Japanese delegates in the capitol."

"Now the isolationist days are gone," the paper adds, "and now the whole military and industrial weight of the United States is thrown into the battle against the totalitarian states."

Game Protection President Visits Princeton

Gordon Toombs, President of the Penticton Fish, Game and Forest Protective Association, and also President of the B.C. Interior Fish and Game Association, was a visitor to Princeton last week. He is greatly interested in our local association, and has agreed to speak at its next annual meeting, which will be held on Monday, January 12th, 1942.

Mr. Prosser, secretary of the Association, is making arrangements, and it is expected that there will be a good attendance. At this meeting Mr Toombs will speak on the new fish regulations, and also the length of the deer season, which has been modified recently.

Mr. Toombs states that there will likely be some changes in the fishing regulations, so that instead of anglers being permitted to take a certain number of fish, they will be allowed to catch up to so many pounds.

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That You and Yours May Enjoy a Right Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year

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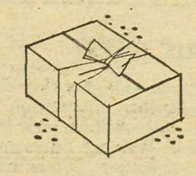
WHEN old friends gather around the Christmas hearth . . . that surely is one of life's supreme moments! Then nothing is too good for the occasion. Among the fine things worthy of such a time are the products of Princeton's master-brewers . . . High Life and Royal Export Beers. Both of these supreme brews meet the connoisseur's taste for a light, sparkling fully-matured beer. Put them on your Yuletide list today.



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A.P.R. Committee Develop Plans

Princeton is going to be divided into nine districts, each with its own Warden, and sub-wardens, for the purpose of combatting possible air raids. This was the main outcome of the meeting called to meet in the Court House last Thursday by the Princeton Board of Trade. Over twenty attended this meeting, which was convened by W. D. Seaman. C. Nichols was voted into the chair, and W. E. Lucas elected secretary.

After an introductory statement by Mr. Seaman Constable Earl Nelson gave a resume of what had been done at Copper Mountain and at Allenby, explaining the organization in some detail. J. Southin then stated that the four things to keep in mind were the division of the town into districts according to topography and accessibility; fire protection; First Aid; and evacuation, which might be necesary. Mr. Southin then asked if there were a standard form of organization for the unorganized districts of the province, and Mr. Nichols said that he had written the Commissioner of B. C. Police for such a form, but that it had not been received.

Discussion of what to use for a signal of alarm led to the decision that the old fire bell be used temporarily for this purpose, until a satisfactory siren could be secured. On motion of Mesers Southin and Horricks the meeting recommended the appointment of the local Government Agent as Acting Chief Warden for Princeton. Thereafter it was agreed to divide the town into nine districts for carrying out the work of A.R.P. A nominating committee comprising C. A. Pease, Earl Nelson, S. A. Wilson and J. Horricks was formed to bring in to a later meeting a slate of wardens for the districts named.

J. Jenkins emphasised the necessity for educating the public in matters relative to A. R. P., and it was agreed that a public meeting would be called at an early date to instruct the public as to necessary precautions in time of danger.

Mr. Burr moved that in each district the four services—blackout, First Aid, fire protection and evacuation—be provided for, and Mr. Southin suggested that each warden be responsible for the heads of the four services in their respective districts a,nd this was agreed to. Mr. Seaman moved that an advisory committee on policy be elected, and the following were named: Constable Nelson, W. D. Seaman, Dr. Vosburgh, J. Southin and C. A. Pease Mr. Hall said that it was the business of each individual to make his own preparations for blackouts, and air raid precautions, etc.

Frank Caruso stated that the newly-installed Diesel-Vivian pump would suply 400 galons of water per minute, and Mr. Pease said that this would be ample for the fire-fighting equipment on hand.

Another meeting was arranged to be held in the Court House on Monday night.

LIBERTY MAGAZINE'S CANADIAN HALL OF FAME No. 24

His Worship Joseph Emile Lussier is famous as the "Flying Magistrate" of Canada. In a plane equipped with pontoons he flies over a vast uninhabited territory covering a judicial district that extends from the western boundary of Manitoba to the eastern border of Alberta and from points south of the Saskatchewan River north into the great Churchill River chain region.

Crammed into his small airship with his documents and bags, he pilots his way over some of the world's worst flying country to his courts in far-flung settlements and trapping posts. Knows his region well, and can recognize most of the ridges and lakes of the northern area from half a mile up.

He can pilot a dog team as expertly as his plane and at times has been called upon to use every mode of travel known to the far north.

As a jurist, Judge Lussier's record is exceptional in that his decisions have seldom brought forth appeals and not one reversal, while his judgments are being quoted extensively.

He is a graduate of Laval University and was a member of the Saskatchewan bar before his appointment to office. Has ambitions to write popular articles. He is married and has three children.

LIBERTY MAGAZINE'S CANADIAN HALL OF FAME No. 25

The worst enemy of panthers, mountain lions or cougars in British Columbia is E. R. "Cougar" Lee, professional and all-time champion killer of "cats."

With more bush sense than any other hunter in Canada, Lee relentlessly hunts British Columbia's most wanton slayers of sheep and deer. Has been employed by the B. C. Conservation Board since 1923 under blanket assignment to clean the pests out of the Gulf Islands. Is paid on the piece-work basis: ten dollars per cat and thinks it should be fifty because he devotes days to tracking down some of the "crafty ole ones." Has bagged over five hundred; seventy-five last year alone.

For relaxation from work he loves to spin yarns about his profession. Says the mountain lions kill for the sake of killing and can each destroy fifty deer in a season besides many pigs, sheep, chickens, beavers, rabbits and grouse. Cats sometimes grow to two hundred pounds and over nine feet long and when cornered they are as dangerous as lightning.

Breeds and trains his own hounds and is passionately fond of them. A cross between coon dog and bloodhound, they are taught to follow nothing but panther. Has trained thirty pups and the only discipline is scolding.

Now world-famous as a hunter, "Cougar" Lee started when he was ten. Receives as much fan mail as a movie star. Uses a rifle and revolver and thirsts to meet the man who started the rumor he hunts with a machine gun!

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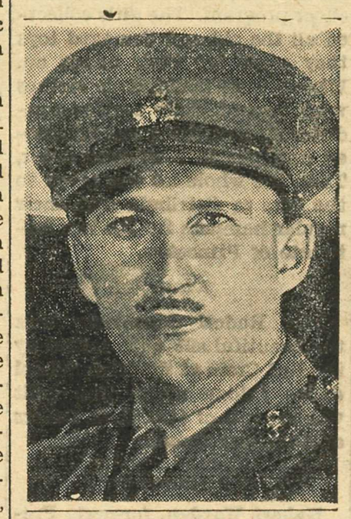

LED ICELAND RESCUE
Major Brian S. McCool is the believed leader of the search party which located a Canadian flight lieutenant and a colonel of the British general staff forced down in the rugged interior of Iceland. The flight lieutenant, a graduate of St. John's college in Winnipeg, and the colonel, took off from their base for Iceland's north coast. After they were unreported for many hours, an aerial search party went out and located the lost plane among the rocks at the foot of a gigantic mountain ice cap.

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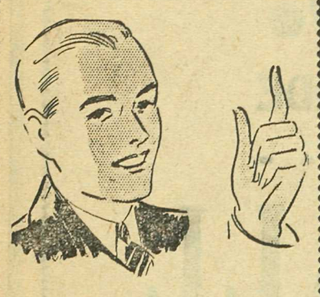

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Jim Norman
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& the JAPS

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— Princeton Hotel Block —
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The Management and Staff Extend Seasons Greetings and Best Wishes for the New Year
Travellers' Cafe
PHONE 64
Bridge St. Princeton

Princeton Post Office
Postmaster and Staff extend SEASON'S GREETINGS and best wishes for New Year

We Wish Everyone A Very Happy Christmas and a PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR
A. L. WHITE
Bridge St. ,Princeton

Democracy Needs Your Dollars. Buy War Certificates.

The Management and Staff of
THE PRINCETON BAKERY
Join in Wishing All the People of the District
A MERRY CHRISTMAS
They Extend Their Sincere Appreciation to Their Customers and Look Forward to Another Year of Pleasant Business Associations in 1942

Our Sincere Wishes for a Happy Christmas and a .... New Year of Joy, Success and Contentment
PRINCETON ELECTRIC
Connor Washers BRIDGE STREET
Rogers Radios PRINCETON

Sincerest Christmas & Good Wishes to You and Yours
We are prepared to assist with
YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING
— Let Us Help You —
Gifts suitable for every name on the list.
PRINCETON DRUG & BOOK STORE
G. G. LYALL, Proprietor

Princeton General Hospital
Commencing 1st. January, 1942, Public Ward Rates will be $3 PER DAY.
PRIVATE WARDS $4.00 PER DAY
(This increase has been made necessary by increased services and rising costs)
. . . Hospital Board
A. G. MATTHEWS,
3-2 Secretary.

We Wish You a Merry Christmas With All the Good Things in Plenty and a New Year of Happiness and Success
Quality Meat Market
A. E. BLOOM, Prop. RALPH ARTHUR

That You May Enjoy Your Christmas and find Peace and Happiness and Prosperity in the New Year
That is Our Sincere Wish
W. B. EWART

The Princeton General Hospital Thanks the Nickel Plate Community Club for the Radio Donated for use in the Ladies' Ward

REX CAFE
SEASON'S GREETINGS
AND
BEST WISHES
FOR 1942
JACK WONG, Prop.

CHRISTMAS
GREETINGS AND
PROSPERITY IN
THE NEW YEAR
Taylor's
Dairy
PRINCETON, B. C.

HALE And
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GREETINGS
Joe Bonvin
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TO ALL MY
CUSTOMERS
A Very Merry Christ-
and a Happy New
Year
LOUIS PRATICO

TELEPHONE
DIRECTORY
CLOSING
DECEMBER 31st
All changes for
the February
Issue of the
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Directory must
be made by
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Articles for which you have no further use may be of value to someone else. A Want Ad will call it to his or her attention.

Save Our Way To Victory

GUARDING QUALITY

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THE QUALITY STORE
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WEDNESEDAY, DECEMBER 31st
Novelties, Refreshments — Dancing 10-3 — Admission: Gents $1.00, Ladies 50c

LOCALS

Billy Hazzard has made another trip to the coast.

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The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs had their Christmas Tree last week.

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The Allenby Christmas Tree last Thursday was a most successful affair.

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Miss Eleanor McConnell arrived home on Saturday from Victoria for the Christmas holidays.

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W. A. ("Podunk") Davis was admitted to the hospital on Saturday afternoon.

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Phil Pinn, draughtman at the power plant, is spending the Yuletide in Winnipeg.

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F. B. Lucas of Kelowna, is spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lucas of Princeton.

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Tre Orange L. O. B. A. had a Christmas party for old and young on Monday night. It was well attended.

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Local churches have had their anual Christmas Trees, Treats and Concerts for their young people.

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J. R. McDonald and party from Princeton visited the Keremeos Orange Lodge on Wednesday the 17th.

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Jack Goodfelow, R. C. A. F., Brandon, has met Hugh Brimicombe there. Hugh was formerly on the staff of the local bank in Princeton

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Alan MacDonald of Oliver visited Princeton on Saturday. His sister, Mrs. Barton, is well and wishes to be remembered to all Princeton friends.

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Miss Heys, Miss Emmott, Miss Maxwell and Mr. Paul have gone to Vancouver. Miss Whiteford left for Nicola last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Thorstenson are visiting at the home of Mr. Thorstenson near Hope.

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Most of the school teachers have left Princeton for Christmas holidays. Miss Irene Willgress has gone to Nanoose Bay where she will be married to Mr. Charles Davis. Following the wedding they will honeymoon at Harrison Hot Springs, and visit other places in the interior of the province.

Scratch pads of useful sizes are obtainable at The Star Office.

PRINCETON RED CROSS

The local Red Cross branch is moving to new quarters soon in the M.B.B. Block on Bridge Street. The more cenral and conspicuous location is expected to increase interest in the already busy enterprise. The change is being made posible through the generosity of the owners of the block, who are letting it rent-free. Because of the move, and the holiday season, the work rooms will not be open nutil after the New Year, probably January 8.

Another junior Red Cross group added its bit last week. The senior high school group under the direction of Miss Eleanor Maxwell gave the local Elk's Lodge a hand in its Christmas cheer program. The girls collected all the old and damaged toys they could lay their hands on. Wheels were made, dolls clothes were washed, dolls were re-conditioned, everything was repainted and put in first-class order. Then the whole lot was given to the Elks to distribute with their regular hampers for the less fortunate of Princeton.

Mrs. Rudolf Gorsulosky won the beautiful silk quilt raffled by the Red Cross at the High School dance Friday night. The quilt was the gift of Mrs. H. G. Sellers of Summers Creek.

Hubert Warden, formerly President of the Princeton High School Students' Council, has written a long letter from St. Thomas, Ontario, to Mr. Lucas. Hubert tells of meeting Don Allen in Edmonton. At St. Thomas he has met Jack Rhodes, Geo. Sutherland, Bob Fleming and Gerry Cundill, with whom he travelled on the same train from Edmonton. Hubert is in the R. C. A. F.

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