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Lady Takes A Sailor
With June Havers
MONDAY - TUESDAY

Fiftieth Year; No. 32— PRINCETON, B.C., MONDAY, 11th SEPTEMBER, 1950 $2.00 per Year, 5c per Copy.

BUILDING BOOM FOR PRINCETON

Two New Garages—Maybe Three; Squire Knighton Splits His Estate (*)

A new modern garage is slated for the corner opposite the IOOF hall, on the lee side of Princeton's main intersection.

Deal is said to have been concluded for the property, known to have been pending for some time.

GARAGE 1—

A big oil firm is said to be the sponsor, with Highway Motors, who now occupy the opposite corner, the operators.

The Star is reliably assured that the oil company is committed to the deal for the property.

GARAGE 2—

Another Coast oil firm is erecting a new service station and garage on south Bridge street, beyond the mortuary.

GARAGE 3—

It is also said that A. D. Broomfield, who owns the Princeton garage property next the hotel does not plan to renew the lease, may operate himself; and the present occupant is said to be looking for a new location.

The new garage would extend from the corner to the lane, eliminating the former law office and the insurance office. The latter was inherited by Miss I. Howse. Mr. H. Knighton owns the property on either side, now occupied by small buildings — vacant law office and carpenter shop. This would give a plot about 100 feet square.

Harry Caves In—

Squire Knighton is certainly breaking up the parcel of property painstakingly accumulated. He owns the stretch beyond from the lane to Kenley avenue and partly occupied by the post office; also the large lot next to the Fenchurch corner, lately vacated by Harry Dearing — thus the entire top half of the block, about the choicest semi-open site in Princeton, with the exception of the Howse island, which he did not negotiate. There has long been speculation on the future of the open (post office) side.

The ex-Dearing place has been sold, or agreement made, to Sid Brown for $3000. This was the old J. M. Wright place and total cost when new nearly 50 years ago was about $1000.

New Machine Shop—

Highway Motors has changed hands, Al. Williams selling out his interest to Jim Haley, who only recently took over the interest of George Smyth, Williams' original partner. George is now operating a new machine shop on the Allenby flat. Jim is in the East on a business trip.

FOUR & FIVE—

Two new service stations have been opened on the Hope highway through Princeton—where it leaves Vermilion avenue and below the bridge.

Cold Storage Plant—

A new cold storage locker plant has been opened, said to be of the most elaborate in the Interior.

Mr. H. H. Avery has purchased for his own occupancy the old J. A. Brown residence on Kenley avenue, from Perley Russell, reputed price about $3200. It is being extensively renovated.

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(*) P.S.—He has also been known to split infinitives and dominant sevenths, while a certain wife would at times like to—

Commodore Sold – As Variety Store

COMMODORE tearoom and bakery has reportedly been sold by Mr. and Mrs. Bush to Mr. R. Scott, and will be used for drugs and variety store combined.

This fine property, built by Mrs. E. Doerflinger has since she sold out the Princeton Bakery had a checkered career.

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Lawyers Now Come A Dime A Dozen

LAW-CARELESS Princeton is like to have an epidemic of lawyers. Traditionally we have had two, not counting the village lawyers. But for a year or so everything else bursting at the seams, we have been left with one who also combined the duties of coroner; and while acknowledged as a remarkable man, it was hard to see how even he could argue two sides at once, which is all lawyers are supposed to do, right or wrong.

Now, however, another lawyer has hung up his shingle and at least two more are enquiring.

A local man who got such an enquiry reminded the learned counsel that his charge for such advice would have been considerable smoleons, whereas he did not even enclose a stamp.

Mort says, wait till we get a

They Labored In Sweet Slumber

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THEY'VE found a use for somnolent Forgotten Park. It's a good place to sleep, even when Princeton isn't playing, or The Doctor preaching.

Nothing doing there in this progressive burg this Hope Highway Labor Day? That's what you think. It drew more than 200 visiting cars. They spent the night there. All other accommodation was taken up, with no other attraction but the poor fish — including most of us.

Holiday Throngs; Toll: One Horse

HUNDREDS of visitors flocked over the new highway over the Labor Day week-end. Only the Hedley sports was hardly the attraction. Only mishap: a horse bumped by a car near Hedley on Monday.

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MR. PRIDEAUX DOESN'T BOUNCE

THREE WOMEN ESCAPE AS CAR TURNS OVER ON CHAIN LAKE ROAD

THERE was an earthquake in Tibet. Maybe you heard. It was quite a shook. It shooked the screwz out of all the seismographfx from Olalla to Auchtermuchty. Silvester will hae a sair trachle pittin' them a' back again.

It also shook the undoubted experts. They can not figure howwuzit or whodunit. But here you can read all about it.

First, you all know Gilbert Prideaux. He will frankly admit it. You know him as a hard-headed, soft-hearted business man, notorious philanthropist, editor and publisher of the literary and scientific periodical perfunctorily predicated Prideaux's Powerful Punch, staunch advocate of Princeton progress and first mayor-apparent. There is also an idle rumor that he is somewhat interested in insurance. But this he will frankly admit he is interested in tulips. He is the uncrowned tulip king of Similkameen. He was, but he isn't, uncrowned that's.

You should also oughta know something about Similkameen batholith, our basic bedrock. Well, you will. Mr. P. does now.

And Mrs. "Andy" Smith. But being a lady, it may be agreed she can speak for herself.

Well, these are the ingredients, these three.

HARDPAN

One day last week Mr. P., kindly soul, took Mrs. P., Mrs. Andy and Mrs. Mulligan for a drive to Chain Lake. We hope the ladies, still charming, will not be too offended by it being remarked that they are not now so young, for the kindly point we have no make is that it must have been quite an ordeal for them when the car rolled over.

Fortunately, they escaped with out serious injury, and the indomitable Mr. P., taking it in good part, exhibits with something of bovish glee a mansized bump on a god-like noggin.

But our Mr. P. is much too modest. His hard-headed heroism undoubtedly chivalrously saved the three ladies, for even Similkameen batholith can only take so much. He also provided the solution to the riddle of the great quake, and certainly got himself properly crowned. He is now on even terms with his regal pal Perley, who routed a bandit rash enough to bash him on the bean with a two-by-four; and Pop, who builds everything out of his head.

It is quite probable that Mr. P. had insurance both on his head and his headlights — with Harry Avery.

Both, in any event, will be alright again. But shattered for ever is the myth of batholith.

Well, this is the way he landed

New School Opening Tuesday

TOP BRASS JOINS YOU IN GALA EVENT

Hon. W. Straith, Education Minister, To Dedicate Proud $400,000 Structure

TIME: TUESDAY AT TWO

Deputy Minister, Doctor-Minister In Ceremony

YOUR new $400,000 Princeton school will be formally opened with fitting ceremony on Tuesday at 2—and you are invited to be there.

An appropriate program has been arranged. Hon. W. T. Straith, K.C., Minister of Education, is the outstanding visitor, accompanied by Dr. F. T. Fairey, Deputy Minister.

The new school is an acquisition; the auditorium-gymnasium is said to be the finest in the Interior. Well worth seeing. (So too is Jimmy's new secretary).

General inspection, refreshments; and the girls' choir will test the sound-proofness of the new edifice.

[We are adjured to be serious at least about this historic event. Brother, we mean every word!]

Time again, Tuesday at Two; it is your red letter day.

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Practical Dream Of Many Years

THE development of the school program in the Princeton School District during this past year has been the fulfilment of an increasing need for adequate and modern accommodatoin to fit the ever-increasing enrolment.

The new Princeton School buildings are modern in their functional design and supply children with all the essentials required by the modern program of Education.

Every room is trimmed in pleasing pastel shades, ceilings are sound-proofed for perfect acoustics and lighting is in accordance with the latest scientific findings in that field.

The Elementary classrooms are provided with project work areas and cabinet sinks.

In the basement are located boys' and girls' playrooms large enough for normal recreation during bad weather.

The Auditorium - Gymnasium wing comprises the combined Auditorium - Gymnasium with full length gallery and ample stage space, the general offices, the lunchroom and kitchen, the Home Economics department, the Art and Music classroom, and various staff and student activity rooms.

In the basement are located the boys' and girls' shower rooms and incidental storage rooms.

A new Industrial Arts wing has been provided which will give interested students a thorough foundation in woodwork, sheet metal and electrical work, draughting. Several thousand dollars worth of new equipment has been installed. The building has a separate draughting room, a forge room and project room, as well as ample storage space.

The old High School wing was redecorated and refurnished in the inside where necessary and the exterior has been finished similar to the addition, with the result that the whole school stands as a uniform modern structure in one complete unit.

Expanded playground space is being readied for a re-organized sports program.

All in all the program is the culmination of several years' planning and every care has been taken to get the most value for the funds available; and the present facilities should take care of the District's expansion for several years to come.

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BY JAMES Q. METZLER
Susequently of the Hades Hotlite

Correspondent Metzler, B.V.D., mentioned in batches, covering the battle of Armageddon.

JUST IN CASE, MAGGIE

Maggie wants to know if the girls' shower room is available to brides-to-be.

SUNDAY'S TEMPERATURE
Maximum 87
Minimum 41
Forecast:
Cooler

● THEY RIDE AND FLY AND ALL FOR FREE

Similkameen Air Cadets Enjoy Camp And 2000 Mile Trip

FIFTEEN fellows from Similkameen—maybe you had best include the padre, make it regular fellows, and 16—had themselves a regular time — a 2,000 mile trip, a two week vacation on Lake Winnipeg, and not only real airplanes, but half the blooming R.C.A.F. to play with. And all for nowt (*).

They had just one bit of bad luck — they got back in good order Friday. That probably deprived them of having to be flown back.

But they did no sae bad. Ia was nukka, lovely grub and all that sort of RAF rot for cushy doings.

Every boy had a turn at the controls of a regular battle plane. There were many hours aloft, liberal instruction in flying, aeronautics, swimming, etc., and just a spot of squad drill, the official idea of a picnic for the infantry. And enough RCAF personnel to corrugate Korea. Even the padres took the controls, to become sky pilots in fact.

VIKING FETE

There was a conducted tour of Winnipeg, a visit to the glass-enclosed tropical gardens, and the Viking celebration at Gimley.

Air cadets from the five western provinces—Thunder Bay to the Pacific coast—gathered at the RCAF camp—850 boys and nine honorary padres. Any air cadet could go who wanted—all free.

The Similkameen party, which left 1st August, included: J. Norman, E. Dunningham, J. Kobilan, G. Milne, S. Muir, R. Green, R. Jones, R. Olsen, W. Wilkinson, L. Ficter, J. Francis and G. Merrill, all of Princeton, juniors; G. Kickbush, B. Luxon of Keremeos and R. Huey of Princeton, seniors; and Rev. J. C. Goodfellow, Princeton, padre.

The boys behaved well, said the minister. The boys said the minister behaved quite well too.

(*)——Paid not from the surplus but the taxes.

The Flying Padre

HIGH FLYING is no novelty for Princeton's deep-delving padre. He's as keen aloft as digging into forgotten facts and fossils. Though his own research fails to provide precedent for his doctor's degree in sky-piloting, ours misremembers that he began his thesis long ago.

Way back in the early 20's when he was little more than a student prince, the punctual padre missed the boat, or may be the boat was at fault.

At any rate John had a sermon to preach at Powell River and the Gulf of Georgia failed to provide the miracle of the Red Sea. So the punctilious parson hired a plane. He paid for that one and it must have cost a bonny bawbee for a probationer.

But it made history. It was the first flying padre in BC.

SO SHY!

Our pal Ellen will not be on the platform. She has a concession, selling coconuts to shy at our pal Elmer.

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BEWARE CASSANDRA!

Mr. Alexander is warned not to try the angel cake; the PTA has the grub concession.

The rest of you are safe, with such a galaxy of 'doctors.'

DR. JAWN QUIN INE

I will not make a book on what the Minister will say, but I will lay 14 to 2 (on account of I didn't have no new school and I am not good at division) that he uses a certain word. The word is "the."

Rival Fete By Doctor Erskine

FOR the die-hard dissenters, Dr. Erskine hero of the airport bus-lift, plans a rival opening at the Legion, all on him. Bring your own opener.

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PRE-DEDICATIONS

BY JUNIOR

Well, the chocolate bars I ate helped to build it.

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By Dr. J. Ib Fairley, president of of vice and premier self-designate, meanwhile batman to the sergeant-major

I am manured of the new scl. A bigger schl means more schl marms. I hope the new laboratory will produce a hair restorer

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By PROF. EDWINNIE GOTT
Dept of First Basic English, Plum Ming University, Peeking

No Gott; Now Gott; Jody Good Eh Whatt?

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The member will undoubtedly tell us how he gave us the new schl built by his own hands and out of his own money, alongside the Hope-Princeton (beg pardon Vancouver-Penticton) Highway and how he will also force us to incorporate by our own free will

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Bob says it's a fraud — since it was explained that "refreshments" does not mean what he thought.

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By JIMMY ALLIN (moving vote of thanks to Mr. M.)

Sorry unprintable.

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By the P.T.A

Sorry we are unable to bring you the valedition of the PTA. Not yet on speaking terms. Fancy a lady not speaking.

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By POP
etaoinshrdluxzfl!*

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Wonder what Perley wd say?

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by pte. u. xxxxx m'gillicuddy

our pal m'gillcuddy is indifferently unhappy about the new order. he is leaning one day on silvester's castle when a guy takes him off to see a guy called hitler. when he comes back he is again leaning against silvester's castle and a dame takes him inside as in need of metal and mural supervision. only it is not silvester's castle any more. it is the new school now. you see what education did for private m'gill cuddy. i will wish he is still leaning on silvester's castle.

AW JIM.

m'g thinks auditorium-gymnasium a heck of a name, it won't hardly go in a 12-em line. he is going to call it the Aw Jim!

by private u. xxxxx m'gillicuddy

LOOK OUT FOR JIM F., JIM!

Secretary Metzler has got him a secretary to the secretary. After one look m'g approves.

Jim tries ti explain it's not his secretary; cripes, you don't have to apologize for THAT, laddie—it's envy, frank and unashamed.

ROUND the town

★ THERE were great men before Agamemnon and apparently Prof. Xerxes X. Gott was not among them after all. The last space on his door was pasted with: "Sorry chum (no gum) I can't work 24 hours 365 days." While there will be ample agreement out of past experience, we are able to deny that Ed was taking a course in plumbing at the new school.

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FAREWELL TO FAIRLEY

Here lies poor Fairley, take the chair,
Parting is sad when there is no hair;
He's gone, I bet, to you know where—
He'll find no lack of shool marms there.

EPITAPH FOR ERSKINE

Here lies poor Mort, aged 90 year
He died from drinking — —
Ifn he'd stuck to Penticton pop
He'd have lain much longer up on top

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OWED TO EDWIN

Here lies our pal Professor Gott,
He laid it on, both cold and hot;
His plumping was a sad communion,
He gott his elbow in a union.

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PLEA FOR M'G

Here lies m'g, hurt to the quick,
He died, I think, cause he was sick;
He never had a pal, poor mick,
But he'll have one now he's joined old Nick
—Your turn will come, chum!

Don't Blame Us

Only news around this progressive burg this summer is the weather and it's too good to print

Made from barley-malt and rice, this high-proof beer is tops in quality and flavor. Take home a case of Princeton High Life Beer today!

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Princeton Paragraphs

—Mr. W. D. Williams was here from Vancouver for the wedding of his grand-daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Knighton drove him back to the Coast.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Kozak have returned from a fortnight's vacation by car to Washington coast points. No improvement.

—Mr. Ed. Hughes. mines inspector, is on a perodcal trip to the Bridge River country.

Men! Want pep, vim normal vitality?

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Quit feeling weak, pepless, worn-out, rundown, older than your years. Try a little "pepping up" with stimulating, invigorating, revitalizing, blood-regenerating Ostrex. Especially advised for men, women of 40, 50 or 60. Costs little. "New "get acquainted" size only 50c. Try Ostrex Tonic Tablets to renew pep, vigor, vitality and feel years younger, this very day. At all druggists.

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Coming Events

Princeton P.T.A. Annual Fall Fair, School Auditorium, Friday and Saturday, September 29-30.

Card of Thanks

The Princeton P.T.A. wishes to thank all who helped to make the annual Flower and Vegetable Show an outstanding success once again.

Marriages

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Knighton of Princeton announce the marriage of their only daughter, Elizabeth Diane to Arthur Dalton Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs Evan J. Thomas in St. Cuthbert's, Church of England, on Tuesday, 22nd August, at 4 p.m. Rev. E. Grant Dale officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Allison of Princeton announce the marriage of their younger daughter Susan Harriet to Grant Alexander Young, at St. Paul's United Church, on Friday, 1st September, at 7 p.m. Rev. J. C. Goodfellow officiating.

CLASSIFIED

BOYS! — Pocket money for old batteries, lead — The Star.

WANTED—Reliable man as dealer in Princeton area. Experience not necessary. A fine opportunity to step into old profitable business where Raw Leigh Products have been sold for years. Big profits. Products furnished on credit — Write Rawleigh Dept. WG-L-167-163 Winnipeg, Man. 5

GOOD BUYS IN USED CARS—See Archer McCrum, Phone Princeton 136.

UNWANTED HAIR permanently eradicated from any part of the body with Saco-Pelo, the remarkable discovery of the age. Saco-Pelo contains no drug or chemical and will kill hair root—Lor-Beer Laboratories, 679 Granville St., Vancouver, B.C.

WANTED—Man for steady travel among consumers in and around Princeton. Permanent connection with large manufacturer. Only reliable hustler considered — Write Rawleigh's Dept. WG-A-167-131 Winnipeg, Man. 4

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Established Investment Fihance Company requires responsible representative for Similkameen territory. Good opportunity for person who can qualify.

—Apply
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LEGALS

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

HUGH NOBLE TURKINGTON DECEASED

NOTICE is hereby given that any and all persons having claims of whatever nature or kind against the Estate of Hugh Noble Turkington, deceasaed, late of Princeton, British Columbia, are required on or before the 30th day of September, A.D. 1950 and not later, to deliver or send by prepaid letter, full particulars of their claims duly verified by Affidavit to me, Jessie Elizabeth Turkington, Administratrix of said Estate, c-o 361 Main Street, Penticton, British Columbia.

AND FURTHER NOTICE that after the last mentioned date, the said Administratrix will proceed to distribute the Estate of the said deceased among the persons lawfully entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall have by then had notice.

DATED at the City of Penticton, Province of British Columbia, this 9th day of August, A.D. 1950.

JESSIE ELIZABETH TURKINGTON, Adminisratrix.
Per: F. C. Christian, her Solicitor.

AUCTION SALE

TIMBER SALE X 50549

THERE will be offered for sale at Public Auction in the office of the Forest Ranger at Princeton, B.C., at 11 a.m. on Friday, 8th September, 1950, the Licence X 50549, to cut 385,000 f.b.m. of Douglas Fir, Spruce and other species of sawlogs, 258 cords Cordwood, 509 cords Pulpwood and 1,700 pieces Cedar fence posts, an an area situated at Mile 31, Hope - Princeton Highway.

Three (3) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

"Provided anyone unable to to attend the sale in person may submit a sealed tender to be opened at the hour of sale and treated as one bid."

Further particulars may be obtained from the Deputy Minister of Forests, Victoria, B.C., or the District Forester, Kamloops, B.C.

BEAR LAKE AREA CLOSED

UNTIL further notice the forest in the vicinity of Bear (Murphy) Lake will be closed to travel until further notice, in the interest of fire prevention, under authority of the Forest Act.

DISTRICT FORESTER
Princeton, 20th July, 1950.

SKINNY MEN, WOMEN!—Gain 5 to 15 pounds. New pep, too. Try famous Ostrex Tonic Tablets for double results, new "get acquainted" size only 60c All druggists.

POPULAR PIANO PLAYING made easy through an individual Piano Correspondence Course? Sounds impossible — but it is done at the "Modern School of Music, Penticton, B.C.; A. Leander, R.M.T. 4

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CLASSIFIED

LOST—Brown leather brief case with books and papers, value to owner; left by mistake on sidewalk, Two Rivers corner; name inside — Michael Zailo, Copper Mtn. (Reward) c

FOR SALE—6 room house, modern, 4 lots, garage, chicken house, sheds, good garden — S. Pagarut, Tunnel. me*

FOR SALE—Lady's bicycle, balloon tires, extras; good condition—Diane Butler, Princeton, Phone 49.

FOR SALE — Kelvinator refrigerator. like new. Box G, Star.

FOR SALE — 20-inch McClary furnace, complete with Fairbanks-Morse automatic coal stoker, cheap. Box G, Star.

BEAUTY PARLOR FOR SALE in Prince George — Box 486, Prince George, B.C. 3c

FOR SALE—'33 Frontenac, good rubber, fair condition—G. Desrosiers, opposite Depot 2ee

FOR SALE— Gulbranson player piano with 50 rolls, in good condition, $375. — Mrs. J. Montour, Box 196, Hope BC. 2c

FOR SALE—House and two lots, cenrtal Princeton. Box K, Star

HOUSE FOR SALE - 5 rooms, bath, electric water pump, 2 good lots, central location — Apply Central Market

VACANCY, Room to Rent—Mrs. L. Bell, Princeton.

FOR RENT—Garage for car or truck, Princeton close in—Box D. Star.

FOR SALE—Good meadow hay $18.00 per ton in stack. Can be seen at Olalla ranch—Apply Twin Lakes Dude Ranch, Penticton 2c

FOR SALE — Avery row crop tractor with 12 inch plow and all attachments for cultivating. Tractor just overhauled. Full price $650 cash.
ALSO—Potato Digger, $70. Works well with above tractor.
ALSO—1½-2½ H.P. I.H.C. water cooled gas engine with flat pulley—$70.
ALSO—One 7-year old mare.
—Pines Motel, New Hedley Road, Princeton. c

CUSTOM UPHOLSTERY—Bert and Bill's; repairing, re-covering; chesterfilled suites built to order. Estimates gladly given—30 Front St., Penticton Phone 1134.

WANTED—Experienced carpenters want work by day or hour. Repairs, alterations, cabinets, cupboards. Free estimates. — Phone Princeton 62-Y or 76-M

FOR RENT—Modern small cottages; space suitable for two adults and not more than one small child; warm, well furnished; fuel, light and water supplied. Winter rates $12.50 and up—Pines Motel, Hedley Road, 1-2 mile east. 2pcn

FOR RENT — Cement mixer — Quality Woodworks.

RIFLES AT WHOLESALE Prices 303 British Enfield Sporting Models; high-power precision repeaters; 6 and 10 shot models barrel up to 30 in.; excellent condition, guaranteed: $37.50 each. Also unconverted military models in excellent condition, fine for re-modelling, $27.50 each. Will ship COD Write Sportsmen's Wholesale Supply, 2098 St. Catherine St. W., Montreal 25, Que. 3

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NEXT MEETING
Monday, 18th September
TRAVELLERS HALL

PRINCETON FISH GAME & FOREST PROTECTIVE ASSN.
Next Monthly Meeting
PARISH HALL, PRINCETON
Monday, 2nd October
8 P.M.

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MON., TUES.- SEPT. 11-12— 7 and 9 p.m.—
THE LADY TAKES A SAILOR
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CARTOON AND NEWS

WED.-THURS. SEPT. 13-14— 7 and 9 pm.—
THE FORBIDDEN STREET
with Dana Andrews, Maureen O'Hara
CARTOON AND NEWS

FRI. - SAT., SEPT. 15-16— 7 and 9 pm.—
THE FURIES
with Barbara Stanwyck, Wendell Corey
— IN COLOR —
CARTOON AND NEWS

MON..TUES.- SEPT. 18-19— 7 and 9 p.m.—
OH, YOU BEAUTIFUL DOLL
with June Haver, Mark Stevens
CARTOON AND NEWS
MATINEE, Saturday, 2. p.m.
FEATURE and SERIAL

★ ANALYSIS—

IS THERE A RIGHT TO STRIKE?

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after more.

If we have a rising living standard—and in the cumulative process that is inevitible—we also have rising living costs. And which of you can prove that it is equitable? Or why the strikes? Or that they are equitable? Outside a stable standard the only compensator must be some magic rubber bonus that adjusts all equally when the dollar delfates. The tug-of-war of strikes and price boosts is simply a suicidal spiral shattering security — your security. And you can't have balance by arbitrary cielings. Rent controls through scarcity simply discourage buidling; subsidies less efficiency. Artificialities are neither incentive nor f enterprise. They are unhealthy and unnatural and they will not work. Artificial patching simply compels more patching. The tragic triumph of the great American bust is bursting everywhere For every Communist (or other undeprivileged fellow being) its money buys off or its guns knock down its stupidity of profit sets up two more.

The Brokers

FOR freedom will not tolerate the freedom of one man to profit by another man's loss, however unrealized, which is the plain aegis of laisez faire. It is war, civil and national and while one man gads about in auto and airplane and feeds from the American kitchen from the air-conditioned effort of a 35-hour week —or a brokerage fee that gives a bonus of extra elegant indolence — and another toils from cradle to grave for a hovel and a pittance of rice, it 's fantastic to prate of peace and goodwill.

Or to argue that it is our due reward of free enterprise. Any knowledge of the other three-fourths of the world knows that the current accumulaton of man kind cannot afford for all men the luxury of living we enjoy—by exploitation. Marshal plan injections are the admission and history the report; and we are foolish to think that charity will buy the perpetuation of charity or history stand still at our convenience.

The Phillistines

AND what is our reward? Soul destroying materialism. "It little profits that a man" is no religious abacadabra, it is natural law, essential religion. We throw away the key of natural happiness for an image of gold —on paper. Not a Platonic or a Raphael beauty of truth, but an ugly lie. It says in God we trust—but can we trust it? A government's whim can make millions: our labors cannot make one, only bartered for a doubtful one.

It's whole inducement is not to live, to achieve, but to wangle escape from living, achieving.

An amazing proportion of it is beamed to luxury, to armament to bolster luxury, to shoddy business brokerage — gambling in human welfare, to struggle: to bureauracy that it compels and invites, and thus milked, the unit of effort is diverted from the essentials, and in abundance basic living is dearer, more difficult. The urge is to profit, not reward for worth or service: value, quality, in shoddiness means more sales.

Tastes are jaded, the natural appetite for happiness depraved Many of our prizes are thus a curse; we would be happier without them. Conventional taste is the evidence. We have lost a lot that cruder civilizations had and the power to realize it — priceless natural heritages for which no indolence can compensate; our natural wisdom of right and wrong; something of our very manhood. And the have-nots have not. They say our artificial arms will not always sustain our decadence; and history vouchsafes it never has.

Ours is a brittle, artificial prosperity. Materialism is not the ultimate, just because it has blinded us.

As America stumbles to war the hoarders and the profiteers and the strikers come out. Let the government take over the railways, they clamor. Their strategy — on a national job they won't have to go to war. You have to feel sorry for fellows like that: they have precious little to fight for—or live for.

You see how respect breaks down for your fellow men: for law and government and all else in so crude material a mold: for the mold of the material dollar: and self respect. So many agree —and keep right on, slaves to materialism.

No Right to Wrong

There is no right to strike. No weapon can be a legal weapon, if law is moral, and intended to work — and the railway crisis showed that this does not. A law that fails you in a crisis is faith in a leaky boat. A principle that does not apply to any test is in logic and in fact no truth at all, but a fallacy, a dangerous untruth.

No weapon can be moral, therefore legal. A weapon is a resort to force, to be used only in self-defence against an enemy beyond right and reason, bent on destroying your right.

To admit such recourse in the social contract, among men of the same national economy is to admit the failure of government in that nation.

A Natural Contract

A national society has a contract, both real and implied. We confirm that contract every time we spend a dollar, cast a vote or accept any service. Our part in that contract is that we pledge to society to deliver in our job, or there is no social contract possible. And society in return pledges us a fair deal. This applies equally to employer and employee, in obligation and security. And it is government's contract with its people to enforce and regulate and umpire the essential contract between capital and labor and society.

To make force a legal weapon in industry is as moral as to let two men settle with weapons a dispute over a cow. And worse, for it automatically turns the weapon against an unoffending society.

Crisis shows that the right to strike—or lock out—cannot hold in crisis, and therefore no right no principle, but a fallacy, a wrong.

The 'right' to strike came on us unawares. Capital has a natural advantage where government fails to do its job of fair umpiring and regulation. So oppressed labor rose up and seized the strike weapon. And government, admitting the ill but failing to discern the fault, and with an eye to votes, fell into the equal fallacy of making a precedent a principle. And found it would not hold in the clutch.

A law that allows one man the 'right' to use a weapon and denies it to another simply because he is in a more imporant service is neither equity nor justice, and no law.

Thus experience returns us to the truth of logic, that the 'principle' is a vicious fallacy. There is no right to use force. There is a right, a necessity to economic right and justice, and it is as feasible as a ruling on a cow.

But not without reason is the little man suspicious of the justice of a political court. There is the real fault. Were we as zealous against the evils of politics as against the evils of capital we would find government keeping its contract better and less urge for weapons in defence of ours.

Who Will Not See

THE solution? Well, it's pretty hard to make the blind see, but harder yet the vast majority of you who do see, and agree to truth, which the brightest materialist can not dispute—and go right on in the self divinity that you can beat the machine — or the cravenness that you can not escape it. It is up to you. Life is by simple, self-sufficient choice, and social rule by consent; and one truth stronger than ten million lies.

In sense and sincerity a solution would easily be found and eagerly acclaimed. It would be something like this:

Go back to natural laws and axioms, and scrap all self divinity and hypocrisy. You wouldn't expect to solve an algebra problem or fix a motor by choice or by cheating. Why laws of life? Can you improve on them?

Materialism we must have, as a tool, not an end. Natural laws which afford the tool also dictate the end—full human happiness.

A rubber dollar is as serviceable to economy—and only economy — as a rubber ruler to a scientist; and as sensible. Materialism cheats us of enough without cheating itself: an inflexible, universal unit kept in line with the world's material wealth and the end of all artificial, arbitrary controls—a unit, the only unit men would trust. There would be security, stability, fair relation of values.

A more than material honor: perhaps a true international aristocracy of able men. You would see that it compelled something as powerful as mere material respect—and more of its due in that than now.

Strikes, power tactics, on both sides are as crude and inefficient an equity as war or any other means of force. Natural laws will only function in right; they cannot be evaded. All law and justice must be based on that axiom It will then be respected and obeyed, with public opinion a mighty force for it. When what should be honored is honored there will be more incentive, less need for constraint.

But even so laisez faire will not do Law and justice must see that we do what we should want to do. When we scrap all the artificial accumulation that laisez faire has enmeshed us with right and justice will be found to be very simple, and, backed by fair public opinion, all human differences will be easily referred to courts of justice. There is no more reason why wages and prices could not be settled by competent economic judges than the ownership of a horse. And any human matter, national or international. Men who can split the atom can surely detect a moral axiom. To live they must

ECONOMIC FOLLY

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ting out bigger papers, while we restrict ours to enable them to? Is the U.S. a bankrupt, starving nation? Or are there bigger profits—for a few — on natural resources that, whoever may exploit them, belong to the people as a whole.

And even in charity let us not let the British forget that when they could get it only Danish bacon was good enough, and even in charity some makes of Canadian was not. But above all, let us produce more bacon — and all else—for charity and for our own good Canadian dollars, and stop this silly suffering of hide and seek with costly, worse than useless, officialdom. We are supposed to have won this war nearly five years ago, and learned our lesson from the last one.

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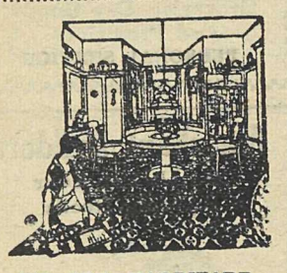
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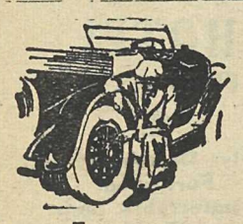
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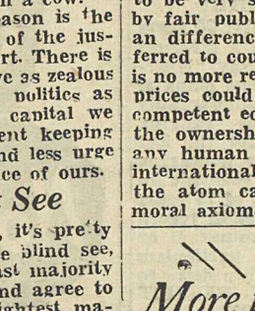

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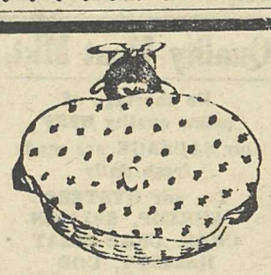

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THE RAIL STRIKE—

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were hardly hit in immediate effects. The soft fruit crop was light anyway due to frosts, and much goes by truck — and the good old G.N. Small mills cannot afford to stock-pile much (most local lumber is shipped) and relief came just in time.

Granby of course could neither ship concentrates nor get the ore from the Copper Mtn. mine to the Allenby mill and some 250 were laid off for the duration the main crew going on with development work.

Surprise was in the number of railwaymen here. Believe it or not, 200 work out of Sim Fairy's jurisdiction, and they still can't make it grow hair. Incidentally, too, they admit the reichfurer to their union; no wonder they lost the strike, beg pardon, sporting contest.

Stocks in the stores did not seem to suffer at all. Trucks were busy over the new highway which once more justified itself. And we had a jitney between Tulameen and the Hub, an idea we might perpetuate.

Shutdown here was 100 per cent. There was no violence.

Now everything is regular again and the backlog mostly caught up—shortage of cars for a bit—and the men will get a political sop of a raise, and the railways a rates boost and Donald Gordon an OBE and Sim Fairy 7 days cb and the railways a rates boost and up will go the living index (special bulletined by CBC) and the men will want another raise and the mp's will get another free trip by the RCAF until we are all good friends and on strike; except the politicians, who can pass laws to bust laws (also to give themselves a raise).

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Its operation has necessarily been a matter of national concern. In the shaping of Canada it has had to be in close co-operation with government, almost subservience. Cynics ? which was subservient.

It has undoubtedly served Canada's development. Canada has thrived. And with it the CPR. It is the largest transport system IN THE WORLD. It is affiliated with one of the largest metallurgical organizations, one of the largest banks, a power company and lord knows what else that pays.

It has helped Canada grow; it has not suffered thereby. It has brought us immigrants, including Orientals and Doukhobors and Mennonites (and Scotsmen). Hand in hand with government. The government assisted in the passages, the CPR collected them —co-operation in the ideal.

The CPR did not serve all places; that did not pay. Others tried a hand in the development of the whole Canada—and went broke on only the skim milk. The government took over—but not the lean; became a rival—or an associate — umpire and player, with a competing player.

The CPR set a pattern of success which big business has copied — and the least man apes. Moral, friendly: social service.

Granby found it better business to ship to Tacoma — and to put in its own power plant (not railway, yet).

For a time CPR telegraphs had the wire monopoly. They went into the news business and would handle no other than the CPR brand of truth. Canadian newspapers rebelled and the CPR retired from the business of truth —which does not pay very well anyway in the Canada it and its pals of big business and politics have shaped.

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This much-used walk on our second street has been pretty awful, in common with most of our sidewalks — why, the kids can hardly ride their bikes on 'em—and Mel, Earl and Co. are to be congratulated. Too bad it can't go all the way to the depot

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★ MOTHER JONES had two great loves — her son and her flowers.

Life was bare and lonely enough on their northland homestead and a busy son pitting himself against a stern environment is not an ideal recipient—though only a more eager outlet—for the whimsies of a little old lady.

But her pansies ravished her attentions and responded in a way that contented and delighted her. Like her, they rebounded from the long cold winters and burst into bloom when the fainter beauties of the garden failed her.

Then came the winter of war, and they were all she had. For she could not do else than to stand sentinel for the return of her boy. Her's was the passive battle of the little old woman.

So she had lots of time — and much need — for her strange little friends, the pansies.

They huddled down with her blessing in the fleecy quilt of snow, and as soon as the eves began to drip they were up with lithe limbs. And their seeds fell beside them and the impish faces grew pinched in a choking wilderness; for she had not the heart to destroy one of her faithful little friends.

Until in the sheer chaos of kindness it evolved in her, as in the profoundest philosophers, that it serves more to direct the seeds of virtue on a responsive few than to cast them blindly on the waters.

And she began to favor the largest and lovliest and most velvety blooms and year by year they grew bigger and more beautiful—rich mahogany and deftest pink and truest blue.

Of course these seeds she could not bring herself to waste and as they grew larger and lovlier they grew more prolific too, which is the way of concentrated kindness which wasted only chokes the world.

And she kept the good seed in little bags, carefully marked; until she had such a horde that it set new virtues evolving. For goodness yearns to share where it is valued.

So it came to her to write to a farmers' magazine; maybe someone would want some.

The postman seldom came at all now, for something had happened to her boy. Shock, the official message said; then she heard no more. There was nothing to do but hold on and hope

Then one day the postman with a good-natured complaint just deluged her with mail. She was more surprised than he, for it seemed that every farmer's woman in the land had been converted to pansies by that simple unschooled letter. And they sent their pet prizes from their own agrdens and their own kitchens in the same good eagerness for deserving sharing. And Mother Jones had no loneliness now, but a new eagerness in life.

FAR away a farme's wife was busy with the noonday meal. It was the harvest and hungry men would soon stampede. But there was nothing more important to the meal than the bowl of flowers, And to-day they would be the pansies from the little old lady up north that were so gorgeous now.

The men were beginning to troop in. There was that queer, quiet young fellow who had come from the war.

Then as she ran with her bundle of impish blossoms, with faces like a little old lady, came the sound every housewife dreads "Hold these a minute please; the potatoes are boiling over." And she thrust the pansies into the arms of the strange young farm hand.

He gazed at their tiny faces; something held his gaze. They touched him, and inside. Something began to grow, to lift; he trembled. And then a long mist swept away.

There was something new in the face of the strange young man as he waited quietly for the farmer and said his simple piece. No man likes to lose a good hand at a busy season, but there were no regrets as the fellow with the pansy cure headed north.

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★ LIMPY, he ain't lame. Maybe it is on account of that quick crouch shuffle. But that ain't no limp; it is the sweetest footwork I ever see to get in under the other guy's guard. Maybe it is on account of when you don't fit in with the smart cookies you are a screwball and just naturally you got a lame head.

But me, I know. I come from the wrong side of the tracks, see and I ain't smart like these guys who move over in a big way, but I know these smart phoneys; also I know the other kind of a guy.

Limpy, he don't belong in this racket. Maybe that ain't smart. Maybe he's just too good, which kind of makes some folks sore. You gotta sell yourself in this

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Education - and Us . .

A new school year has begun, a new crop ventured with high hopes all round. We had an obligation to give it the best we could. and we have done that cheerfully, for progress is always full value.

But equally we have a right to expect good value. and a look at the financial statement and the mill rate will suggest that we can expect quite a lot. We do; we must. Progress is the top priority of life. and the oil of progress is obviously edution. For what you can do and have depends on what you know and from the dawn of life man has been busy finding out how to improve himself and his lot.

And he has been it a long time; we should expect a lot, and more from each new crop.

Knowledge is cumulative and everything is knowledge. Aristotle and Euclid have a finger in your electric toaster and so has Ug, the first to learn how to burn his finger. It follows therefore that the tempo of progress should naturally accelerate as we build on an ever increasing store. and we are not necessarily a better man than Ug because we can cook toast in an automatic toaster

There, surely, lies the snare of modernism; and there is all too much graphic evidence.

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Ug had a head as big as that of John Willie, graduate. And his world was just as big. Admittedly there was more vacuum in both. but that is not altogether a tragedy, for nature abhors a vacuum, and all the mugs since Ug have been busy about it and the world is crowded with a lot of junk; likewise most heads

For if Ug didn't have hyrdomatic gearshift greymatter, he had plenty of wide open spaces to explore and exploit, and nature gives nothing more natural and satisfying and inspiring than sublimination of the unit into the universe.

It is essentially individual; it is conquest and creation, the self-shaping, in the universal urge, on the universal beam, of individuality, the supreme personal experience—man's mastery of the universe—and himself.

It is stupid to boast or chide whether we were better than our sons Of course our educational tools are better; they are better year by year in the same theme

For there's the rub. We have more to work with—and more to be responsible for. It can be asset or liability, and it leaves no room for conceit, for with all we have inherited. it is questionable whether we are doing as well with it us Ug would. Our radios and our atomic bombs—

It is a natural consequence, a trap, of complexity. It is easy to keep an empty room in order Our challenge is the ordering of complexity —an asset

The evidence is all round us——for all is knowledge—that our motors are better; in engineering principles, but not always in workmanship or materials.

We inherit the worst possible preparation for it Ug had deserts of living space, material and mental. and ample time to sit and stare. We are whisked into an ever more cluttered, competitive and regulated labyrinth. with more buttons to press and less time and less need to be partners, creators, in the process—the antithesis of education and the human urge—and its satisfaction.

Ug's itch was necessity born of mental and so material poverty; his stimulus inspiration, exploration, contemplation, meditation: ours surfeit, ennui and so escapism.

Of course it is a paradox, a fallacy. We have rather so much more—vital, pulsing—to catch up with.

But nature does not change Wood and sand and iron become a house, but they are still sand and wood and iron Nevertheless nature is vital with urges to build, to shape sand into structure and silica into sand and tear it down and build again, more wondrous ever.

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Aye, that's it . . wonder. "What had he learned, what had he lost, the boy?" The fascination—and the time—to sit and stare. Ug had it and every son of Ug is born with it. and it will ever be. The chemistry of intellect; for knowledge is swift but wisdom is slow.

And that is where education—and life—misses the boat, or it would never tolerate the Andrew sisters or these streamlined abortions that you can't tell which way they are going You could always tell which way your Model T was going—if you could get it going at all. You had to drive it; now you press a button and it drives you. Can't you see what it does to you? That you have lost something too?

Dr. Cameron so obviously has and all his sleek apostles, and all the sophistcates his smooth machine is turning out in the illusion of character. For knowledge is swift but wisdom slow.

You can't teach; everything has to be learned, to be found. And there has to be the need, the hunger, the effort which alone can bring a sense of values and the supreme experience of life.

It has to be earned to be valued and enjoyed.

How utterly uneducated, how primitively ignorant, is the smugness of the new elite, who have borrowed from Ug and Adam to Enstein — and added nothing, absorbed nothing. For there is the alchemy of intellect — the more it is used, the sharper.

If Einstein—and we know him and more great, simple, natural men who don't give a hoot for the cut of their cuffs or their rating with Lloyd's or the social register but can link an electron with infinity and crawl through a barrage on their guts or sense direction in a wilderness — if Einstein met Ug on Forty-Second street he would pull up beside him on his big boulder and they would have a jolly interesting

Page Two please

Coalmont Gets A New School Too

COALMONT also started the new term with a fine new school—more modest. of course, but equally adequate to its needs

The building has been remodelled, the exterior face-lifted to modern lines. The interior has been re-decorated and the equipment improved. Living quarters for the teacher have been incorporated.

And District 17 board is well pleased with the job.

And Lo! James Maurice Led the Lot

IT'S all very well to crab about our schools and scholars of this generation. but until comparatively recent times Princeton was a very ignurant burg — practically Hottentots.

The first graduate turned out by a local high school was in 1924. And lo and behold he was our own beloved Daddy Wright. Next was the relatively civilized Margaret Hunter next year, subject or objection, we mismind, of the song When You and I were young; so long, Margaret (! or ?)

Mr. Dyson was then principal and you can bet he learned a lot from Daddy, who once printed 5,000 restaurant checks "pls. pay hasher", which he misread for cashier. Well, she was. Just the same Daddy was one grand guy whom many remember, but we never knew before that Jas. Maurice was a perfessor. His mother as Miss Whillans was one of Princeton's first teachers, his dad an early owner of The Star, in which Daddy grew up. Is now with the King's Splinter in Victoria as a reader. God save the king.

Comrade In Quest Of His Youth *

James Maurice dropped in the other day to torment his tormentor. His equipment—one of they new fangled two-way-at once wagons (shades of his Model A!) a camera, and a pinch of salt. Looking good too.

And Daddy is daddy indeed—to an unfortunate six year old son, whom doubtless the kids call gran'daddy. Shows there is sympathy in women after all.

Daddy claimed to have been much improved, too, but m'gilliuddy whose immaculacy is now undoubted, failed to see it. However, Daddy did say that when he plays hockey now for the Mc Diarmid Doodlers (or was it hockey he said?) he no longer thinks his head is to fasten his skates on (don't nobody show his better 4-5's this—she believes in him.)

Mother still keen, though now well over 80 and very much interested in old Similkameen.

(Don't worry. Ted — I'll send the so-and-so a copy).

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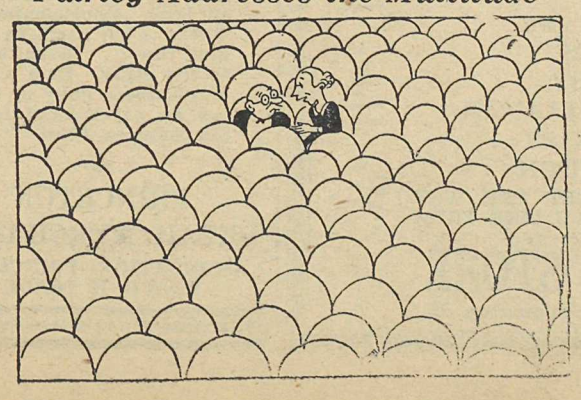
* Ssshhh!!

Fairley Addresses the Multitude



UNOFFICIAL BUT INTERESTING

Dedications by our Really Great

by JOEY @ STALIN
Heil Hitler.

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By YAQOB RUBLE MALIK
It is an unethical, unprincipled unconstitutional conspiracy of capitalist imperialism; in the diplomatic parlance of my superior civilization, a dirty. filthy lousy bourgeois trick. Why do they not tell me, I will veto the veto too many.

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CONFUCIUS SAY
Yes school, no school. new school old school, all-a-same make (sanguinary) fool.

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By SADIE THE SECRETARY
Ocohhh!

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By HECK—Heck!

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By Z. Milton Erskine, Doctor of Subtraction Airport Academy
OF man's thirst, disobedience, and the fruit of that forbidden tree, hewn by that first baldheaded Caesar Fairley and his Roamink Legion, sink, heavenly brews: that by propulsions of technocracy, Scotch emulsions of democracy, revulsions of theocracy, compulsions of bureaucracy, the sweet spirit (overproof) of knowlegs will prow on through Stynkian darkness, nobly born (and duly baptised) by Fairley's Fearless Ferry, towed by the airport's all - purpose tractor. Confound their politics. frustrate their knavish tricks we want our stakes more thick, our shaves smoking. Let us have done with woids and listen to the boids.

NOTE — For the uneducated who vote CCF and those who do not rate political degrees, this is a Ruinic language indigenous to the Bronx, known as blank reverse. Most of the blank is above the shoulders.

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BY JUNIOR
Well, the chocolate bars I ate helped to build it.

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By Dr. J. ib Fairley, president of of vice and premier self-designate, meanwhile batman to the sergeant-major

I am manured of the new scl. A bigger schl means more schl marms. I hope the new laboratory will produce a hair restorer

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By PROF. EDWINNIE GOTT
Dept. of First Basic English, Plum Ming University Peeking
No Gott; Now Gott; Jolly Good Eh Whatt?

☆ ★ ☆

By JIMMY ALLIN (moving vote of thanks to Mr. M.)
Sorry unprintable.

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By the P.T.A
Sorry, we are unable to bring you the valedition of the PTA Not yet on speaking terms. Fane a lady not speaking.

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By POP
etaoinshrdluxzfl!*

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Wonder what Perley wd say?

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by pte. u. xxxxx m'gillicuddy
our pal m'gill cuddy is indifferently unhappy about the new order. he is leaning one day on silvester's castle when a guy takes him off to see a guy called hitler. when he comes back he is again leaning against silvester's castle and a dame takes him inside as in need of metal and mural supervision. only it is not silvester's castle any more. it is the new school now. you see what education did for private m'gill cuddy. i will wish he is still leaning on silvester's castle.

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Bob says it's a fraud — since it was explained that "refreshments" does not mean what he thought.

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The member will undoubtedly tell us how he gave us the new schl built by his own hands and out of his own money, alongside the Hope-Princeton (beg pardon Vancouver-Penticton) Highway and how he will also force us to incorporate by our own free will

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DR. JAWN QUIN INE
I will not make a book on what the Minister will say, but I will lay 14 to 2 (on account of I didn't have no new school and I am not good at division) that he uses a certain word. The word is "the."

AW JIM.
m'g thinks auditorium-gymnasium a heck of a name, it won't hardly go in a 12-em line. he is going to call it the Aw Jim!
by private u. xxxxx m'gillicuddy

LOOK OUT FOR JIM F., JIM!
Secretary Metzler has got him a secretary to the secretary. After one look m'g approves.

Jim tries ti explain it's not his secretary; cripes, you don't have to apologize for THAT, laddie—it's envy, frank and unashamed.

DISTRICT SCHOOLS REGISTER

PRINCETON

Supervising Principal—Mr. K. F. Alexander.
Vice-Principal—Mr. T. Crowley

HIGH SCHOOL

Div.	Grade	Teacher	Enrollment
I	13	(Sr. Matric)	11
I	12	* Mr. T. Crowley	17
II	11	Mr. R.B. Williams	24
III	10	Mr. A. Seidler	18
High School Total			70

JUNIOR HIGH

IV	9	Mrs. E. Graham	31
V	8	Mr. R. Crawford	36
VI	7	Mr. N. R. Parker	33
Junior High School Total			100

* In High School grades subjects are distributed among the staff. Teachers listed are roommasters.

SUBJECTS
English and Literature — Mr. Crawford. Mr. Seidler.
Science and Mathematics — Mr. Crowley, Mr. Seidler.
Social Studies—Mr. Williams.
French and Latin-Mrs Graham
Commerce—Mrs. VanStockum.
Industrial Arts — Mr. W. P. Dixon.
Arts, Music—Mr. R. Steele.
Home EconomicsMiss E. Stann
Physical—Mr. Parker.
Spiritual—Mort Erskine (?)
Caretaker—J. B. Fairley.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

I	6	Mr D. G. Riddle	34
II	5	Miss C. McKnight	3[illegible]
III	4	Miss S Garrett	
IV	4 and 3	Miss N. Cambray.	
V	3	Mrs. G. Thomas	
		Grade 4: Enrollment	65
		Grade 3: Enrollment	43
VI	2	Mrs. T. Jenner.	
VII	2 and 1	Miss I. M. Bisson	
VIII	1	Miss E. Thompson.	
		Grade 2: Enrollment	41
		Grade 1: Enrollment	41
Elementary total enrollment			265
Total Princeton Enrollment			4[illegible]
1948 Total			460

New Staff—Messrs. Crawford, Parker, Steele, Riddle; Misses Stann, Thompson Mrs. Graham

COPPER MTN.

HIGH SCHOOL
I Mr. A. J. Elliott, MBE (Prin')
II Mr. J. R. F. Warr

PUBLIC SCHOOL

I	7-6-5	Mrs. V. Mayne
II	5-4	Mrs. F. H. Chase
III	3-2	Miss K. Spall
III	3-3	Mrs. S. Error
IV	1	Mrs. E. P. Keats
Total Enrollment		150

New—Mr. Elliott, Miss Spall.

ALLENBY

Miss B. Pethybridge (new).
Grades 1-4; rest at Princeton.

COALMONT

Mr. J. Schellenberg

TULAMEEN

Mrs. R. M. Cappos (new) 18

Similkameen's First School Report

[Similkameen Star, 11 July, 1903]

SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS

At the closing of the public school prior to the summer vacation an examination of the scholars was held by the teacher, Miss M. B. (L.) Whillans. A number of parents and others were present. The visitors were entertained by a programme of recitations and choruses by the children and short addresses were made by the Rev. C. Stewart and A. Bell.

Awards of merit cards were made as follows to scholars: Chas Coulter — Deportment; Ralph Murdoch — Regularity; Marie Murdoch—General Proficiency.

The school is now flourishing and the premises are tidily kept, which credit is due to trustees Mrs. Dr. Whillans, Messrs Murdoch and Waterman, as well as the teacher.

PRINCETON'S FIRST SCHOOL was held in premises where the Oddfellows' Hall now stands. It was privately operated by Sam Spencer. Miss Jessie Murray of Nicola was the first teacher in the government school.

School Facilities Of District Pooled

Under the new provincial plan schools from Copper Mtn. to Tulameen are grouped in District 17. Costs and facilities are pooled. Each area elects representatives to the board in ratio population. Hedley and Keremeos areas are grouped in District No. 18.

BEWARE CASSANDRA!
Mr. Alexander is warned not to try the angel cake; the PTA has the grub concession.

The rest of you are safe, with such a galaxy of 'doctors.'

SO SHY!
Our pal Ellen will not be on the platform. She has a concession, selling coconuts to shy at our pal Elmer.

JUST IN CASE, MAGGIE
Maggie wants to know if the girls' shower room is available to brides-to-be.

YOU CAN!

CANNING TIME TABLE

TOMATOES — Scald 1 min.; cod dip 1 min.; peel, core, quarter, pack. Hot water bath 35 min. cooker 10 min.

PEACHES — Peel, pre-cook in syrup 3 min. Pack. Hot water bath 10 min., cooker 20 min.

PEARS — Not too ripe. Pare, halve, pre-cook 5 min. in syrup; Hot water bath 20 min., cook 10.

PLUMS — Wash, prick skins, pack, add syrup. Hot water bath 20 min., cooker 10 min.

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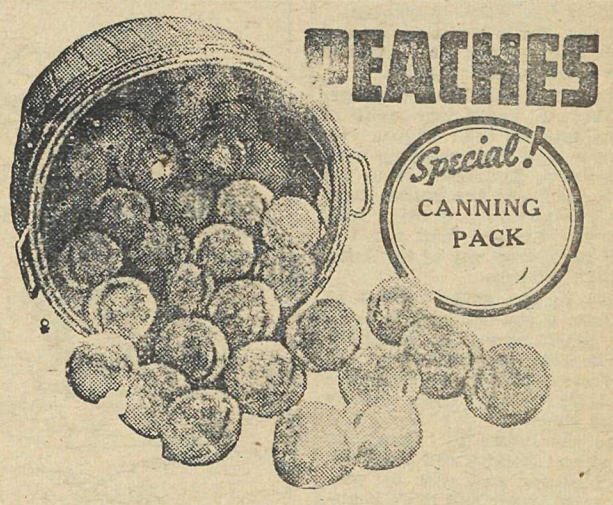

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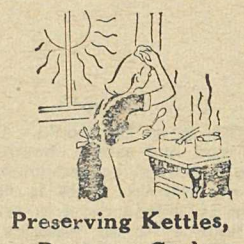

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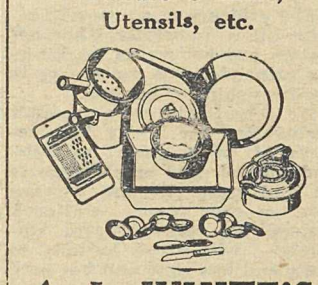

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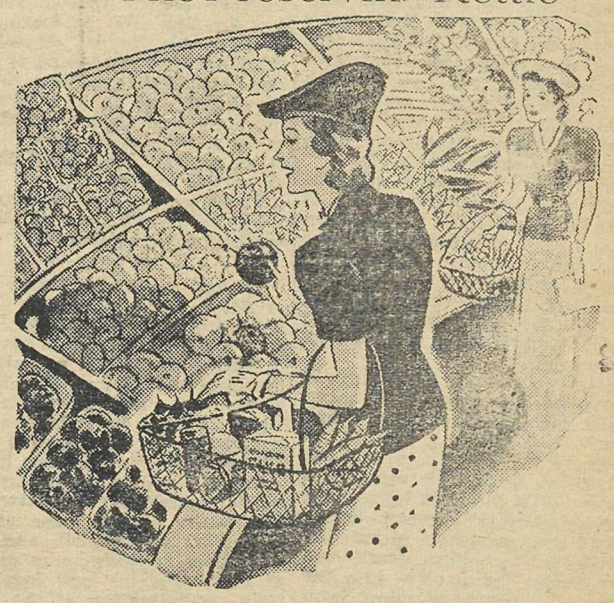

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MAURICE FINNERTY, M.L.A.

HON. W. T. STRAITH, K.C., Minister of Education

AND OTHERS

INSPECTION OF ALL DEPARTMENTS

REFRESHMENTS

PRINCETON ASSESSMENT AND COLLECTION DISTRICT

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that on Wednesday, the 13th day of September, 1950, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Government Office, Princeton, B.C., I will sell at public auction the lands in the list hereinafter set out, of the persons in the said list hereinafter set out, for all taxes due and unpaid by said persons on the date of tax sale, and for interest, costs, and including the year 1948, and interest thereon, said sale, if the total amount of taxes due up to and expenses, including the cost of advertising together with the costs of advertising said sale, be not sooner paid.

The Collector will be pleased to receive any information respecting the following list where the owner is or was a member of the Allied Forces and entitled to the benefits of section 115, "Taxation Act", or entitled to the benefits of section 3, "War Mariners' Benefits Act."

LIST OF PROPERTIES

Name of Person Assessed	Short Description of Property	Arrears of all Taxes	Interest	Costs and Expenses	Total
	Yale Division of Yale District Townsite of Coalmont, Map 1003	$c	$c	$c	$c
Bohn, Richard	Lot 12, Bk. 4	2.87	.20	12.75	15.82
Halcrow, R. W.	Lot 17, Bk. 4	4.48	.27	12.75	17.50
Holmes, T. W.	Lot 20, Bk. 16	13.59	.79	12.75	27.13
	Similkameen Division of Yale District Townsite of Hedley, Map 2565				
McGibbon, Samuel H. Wyman and Katie Francis (in trust)	Lots 3, 4, Bk. 12	8.45	.51	12.75	21.71
McGibbon, Samuel H. Wyman and Katie Francis (in trust)	Lots 29, 30, Bk. 26	4.22	.26	12.75	17.23
Carr, Stanley Victor	Lots 1, 2, Bk. 31	4.23	.26	12.75	17.24
Taylor, Dave	Lots 1, 2, 3, Bk. 39	7.92	.35	12.75	21.02
McGibbon, Samuel Wyman and Katie Francis (in trust)	Lot 8, Bk. 39	8.45	.51	12.75	34.74
Whitworth, William	Lot 20, Bk. 42	2.41	.11	12.75	15.27
Quaedvlieg, Eugene Jacob and Wilhemina Catherine	Lot 1, Bk. 50	8.45	.51	12.75	21.71
McGibbon, Samuel Wyman and Katie Francis (in trust)	Lot 7, Bk. 50	5.29	.32	12.75	18.36
Quaedvlieg, Eugene Jacob and Wilhemina Catherine	Lots 4, 5, Bk. 53	114.95	6.93	12.75	134.63
Ditto	Lot 20, Bk. 53	4.23	.26	12.75	17.24
	Allison Subdivision to Townsite of Princeton, Map 1302				
Warner, William; Crib, Harold M. (in trust)	Lot 11, Bk. 7	34.12	2.01	12.75	48.88
Taylor, David	Lot 13, Bk. 8	27.44	1.60	12.75	41.79
	Yale Division of Yale District Townsite of Princeton, Subdivision of Lot 706				
Thomas, Agnes Mabel	Lots 12 to 14, and E. ½ Lot 15, Bk. 5 save and except coal, Map 96	19.69	1.15	12.75	33.59
Brown, James E.	Lot 17, Bk 11 (save and except coal)	25.26	1.08	12.75	39.09
Taylor, David Alan Brown	Lot 27, Bk. 11, Map 55	101.65	5.81	12.75	120.21
Brown, Joseph Alexander, (reg. owner Lot 5, Princeton Properties, Ltd.)	Lots 5 and 6, Bk. 15, Map 55	44.82	2.63	12.75	60.20
Galla, Joe and Mike	Lots 8, 9, Bk. 8, Map 1459	38.76	2.28	12.75	53.79
Warren, Charles Lawrence (reg. owner, Princeton Properties, Ltd.	Lot 1, Bk. 1, D.L. 706, Map 2283	16.37	.97	12.75	30.09
Berg, Alexander	Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, Bk. 1, Map 2283	5.97	.37	12.75	19.09
	Kamloops Division of Yale District				
Prosser, Charles Vincent	D.L. 1192	125.48	7.12	13.75	146.35
Prosser, Charles Vincent	D.L. 3777	19.72	1.12	13.75	34.59
	Yale Division of Yale District				
Bettes, James W.; Johnston, John T.	Pt. 124 ac., more or less, out of Lot 99 (excepting thereout Plan 1003, Coalmont Townsite and R. of W. V.V.& E. Rly.)	69.35	2.70	13.75	85.80
Ditto	E. 469.4 ft. Lot 378 (save and except that pt. shown on Plan attached to D.D. 3961F, being rly. R. of W. and that pt. included in Map 1003)	47.91	1.87	13.75	63.53
Marcotte, Louis Napoleon	D.L. 757, surface rights of Grand Trunk Mineral Claim	9.00	.52	13.75	23.27
Tulameen Gold & Platinum Recovery Co., Ltd.	D.L. 985	30.59	1.74	13.75	46.08

Dated at Penticton, B.C., this 4th day of August, 1950.

T. S. DALBY,
Provincial Collector.

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Road, Park Gov't Men Organize

A branch of the Provincial Government Emloyees' Assocation has been formed at Allison Pass. There are now about 40 employed in that area on the Hope-Princeton Highway and at Three Brothers Park. G. W. Kelly heads the branch.

Dr. Morrison, chairman, B.C. Civil Service Commission recent-addressed the Princeton Branch

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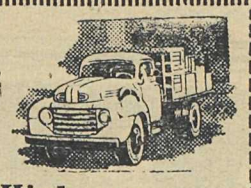

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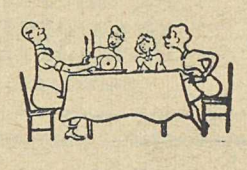

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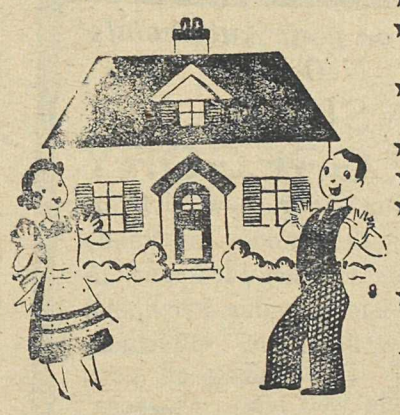

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it up. And many an untutored man in many a place has since that time, responded to its massive simplicity, recognizing it as a monument of literature and morality.

Lincoln was honest, and so was right, even in assessing his failures. An idealist, he was realistic to know that all did not lie with his sureness of truth. Acceptance was equally important, and it did not lie in his power; it was ever thus. He did not please men; he offended them so often, because he was so right; and it was ever thus.

Lincoln was right. He failed because truth is not popular. But in a crisis, acclaimed by none, he was trusted with the top responsibility.

He neither smiled nor wept; he understood. He was a lonely man. He really told his friend: "I have failed again to make them understand."

In selfish pre-occupation men are slow to understand. In detachment the light is easy.

Lincoln turned to his friend in his greatest moment and said "I have failed." But he knew he had not, that others would hear.

And every day some 20,000 fellow men, grateful for his humanity, come, even from the corners of the earth, black and brown and white, generals and little old ladies, just to feed on the simple massive grandeur of a great but lonely man, so eloquently enshrined in the Lincoln Memorial.

And often a strong, quiet tear slips where the Gettysburg Address is enshrined alongside, to confirm Old Abe's conviction in loneliness and discouragement, that, in the end, the truth will not fail, nor lack friends.

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We sincerely hope you and your team will attend, and bring any newly interested persons you may know, and personally take an active part in Election of Officers and drafting of a Constitution. All this should mean more harmony and better sport for our patrons in the coming League Season.

Thanking you again for your much appreciated interest in the past and hoping to see you at the Annual Meeting—**Friday September 22nd at 7:30.**

Yours sincerely,

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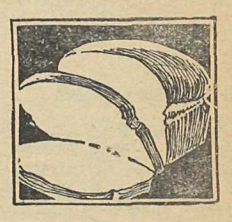

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PRINCETON opened the doors of its new $400,000 school with prescribed formality, and its heart with traditional frontier hospitality.

Pulses quickened when the symbolic keys were formally handed over and the imposing modern structure was officially ours; for this was a milestone of progress—almost 90 years to a day since the first land was pre-empted; fifty years since Princeton had its factual founding, inheriting its name from that fanciful flair.

The dedication ceremony was apt, but not auspicious: the occasion looms larger than the calibre of its celebration. Actually, in quality and substance, the oratory was disappointingly trivial. But it mattered none—it did the job, the school was opened and ours, and we opened our hearts to it.

OUR PROBLEM SOLVED

And the organization was flawless the reception good.

More than 400 attended the function, held in the proud new auditorium 12th September (program page five). The public function was preceded by a luncheon for the officials and prominent citizens.

The addresses were important rather for the prominence of the speakers than for what was said their common theme congratulatory.

EDUCATION MINISTER W. T. STRAITH noted that the occasion was an example of a general condition in British Columbia. Because this is the fastest growing province in Canada, educational demands were almost phenomenal.

Princeton was fortunate—her needs were well satisfied.

DEPUTY MINISTER DR. F. T FAIREY assured us that from point of educational standards our needs were indeed taken care of and we had made a good investment. He liked the location, and was pleased with the liberal playground space.

That he saw the picture from the focus of the educationalist was further emphasized when he told us, injudiciously, however true, that the school—after all our school—put the town to shame and should inspire us to better things.

And he raised an overt titter when he told us how unanimously and harmoniously we had gone about it.

AND GOOD VALUE

Other speakers were ceremonially routine.

Refreshments were served in the chromium edged cafeteria and the elder students guided their guests through the building. Commendably practical were the working demonstrations in industrial arts and home economics. The inevitable impression was that the youngsters of our disrict are fortunate and we can be proud of an acquisition.

The building can take it too, though its absolute sound-proofness is still debatable. But the Florences and their pals sang Offenbach's barcarolle with the illusion of Venice; they at least have the voices if not the vices of the angels they are.

Representatives and school district officials made a plaform background of beauty and intelligence for the notables. Mr. E. E. Burr presided

RIVAL OPENING PROVES A FLOP

(Mort Lost The Opener)

AN erudite undress on education in the evils of alcohol by Dr. M. T. Erskine avalanched the opposition opening in the Forum Legion. The large crowd in attendance consisted of Dr. Erskine (waistband 86).

Dissention had arisen among the dissenters. Prof. Emeritus Prideaux is engaged in first hand or head first research into Similkameen batholiths. Prof. Pepper has transferred from condiments to paleobotany. Prof. Prosser never bot any either, and Dr. Erskine had enough to do paying for his own.

Prof. Gott, plumping for a union, gott involved in a union suit over the loyalty oath. Orator Allin was as usual involved with other oaths. If President Fairley went where Dr. Earskin consigned him he graduates in vulcanism

Prof. Pop, the by-all-ogist who specializes in the bottom up bird Similkumora cuspidora, made the dedidacatory address. It was "pop." That was when Dr. Earskin lost the opener.

● 'LITTLE ICELAND' MODEL COMMUNITY

Viking Corner In Canada Holds Interest For Princeton Visitors

SEVENTY-five years ago a man wrote a letter to the government. It was an historic letter. for the man was in Iceland; he wrote to the government of Canada.

A party of Iceland folk wanted to emigrate to Canada; they asked the government for a piece of land—with special conditions. For they did not wish to become simply emigrants, absorbed into the bloodstream of infant Canada; they wished to continue their ancient ways, preserved from their Norse ancestry, in the dim days of an earlier exodus.

And they did and they have. They celebrated the 75th anniversary of the founding of "Little Iceland" in Canada this month. And by coincidence there was a considerable representation from Similkameen to witness the unique event. For at Gimley, north of Winnipeg, on Lake Manitoba where the air cadets held summer camp, was held during the same period, this unusual commemoration; and for one Similkameen man the coincidence had dual association.

Strong Men

There was an earlier "expropriation" in the fertile frontier land of Manitoba. In 1812 Lord Selkirk brought out colonists from Scotland to found the Red River Settlement: its fate the Seven Oaks massacre in the rancour of the fur men's war.

But when in 1869 the embryo Canadian confederation—formed only two years before—reached out to annex the North-West even Manitoba was still mostly wilderness.

Another "colony" had come: but it presented an opposite problem. The French breeds had moved into the Red River valley because they wanted frontier conditions, and their welcome to annexation was the Red River Rebellion. One way or another colonization of Manitoba seemed ill-starred.

But the Iceland folk knew what they wanted. They got a grant of about 400 square miles. Though just a hundred miles north of Winnipeg, this was not in the Manitoba that had become a Canadian province in 1870, for original boundaries were modestly south, and this was still federal territory. So the Icelanders could arrange directly with Ottawa to be largely self-responsible; they were not subject to provincial authority; and no government interferes much with pioneers who get on well enough by themselves.

This suited the Icemen as well, and even when the area was absorbed into the present boundaries of Manitoba, so well established, so well ordered, had "Little Iceland" become that it persists to this day, a virtual foreign corner within a couple of hours' drive of Canada's fourth largest city. Its relations with Manitoba provincial authority have been equally happy.

True Vikings

Technically of course it remains in the same relationship to federal and provincial authority as any other Canadian community, but in the true fundamenals it clings to its traditional Icelandic character. It has its own newspapers and churches, its own social order. There has been very little inter-marriage or transfer of property to non-Icelandic stock.

For it was a conscientious enterprise in expatriatism, and they are as proud and conscientious in it as ever; eager to be honored, affable but individualist. It is "Little Iceland." And quite because of this the colony stands in marked contrast to too many emigrant counterparts with a less lofty national conception. Canada is as proud as itself of its "Little Iceland." It has the obvious attributes of a showpiece.

Such indeed was this anniversary fete, an admixture of ancient ritual and happy folklore on a tidy stage with the best properties of modernism—they have tractors and color presses, but they use them after the tradition of Iceland and not of Hollywood. There is an impressive naturalness, serious, not solemn homey yet outstanding

"Little Iceland" has given proportionately, more professional men than any other Canadian community. It has now endowed a chair in Icelandic studies at the University of Manitoba giving $150,000.

Premier Campbell of Manitoba was among the crowd of 5,000 that attended the anniversary celebration, held in the open air. The government of Iceland sent as its representative the head of the University of Iceland. There was something grand, almost mystic, as ancient airs, sung by the Icelandic choir, cadenced among the evergreens in this transplanted bit of an ancient, exotic land — Gimley, "home of the gods"; where the sons of Eric the Red claimed their due after all.

And Good Canadians

For it is now conceded that the seafaring Vikings pushed beyond Iceland and reached the mainland of the New World centuries before it was discovered by Columbus.

The unique event, so rich in national color, attracted international interest. And the Vikings, proud of their work, cherish appreciation.

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LAID ON FOR OUR AIR CADETS

FIFTEEN fellows from Similkameen—maybe you had best include the padre, make it regular fellows, and 16—had themselves a regular time — a 2,000 mile trip, a two week vacation on Lake Winnipeg, and not only real airplanes, but half the blooming R.C.A.F. to play with. And all for nowt (*).

They had just one bit of bad luck — they got back in good order Friday. That probably deprived them of having to be flown back.

But they did no sae bad. Ia was pukka, lovely grub and all that sort of RAF rot for cushy doings

Every boy had a turn at the controls of a regular battle plane There were many hours aloft, liberal instruction in flying, aeronautics, swimming, etc., and just a spot of squad drill, the official idea of a picnic for the infantry And enough RCAF personnel to corrugate Korea. Even the padres took the controls, to become sky pilots in fact.

There was a conducted tour of Winnipeg, a visit to the glass-enclosed tropical gardens, and the Viking celebration at Gimley

Air cadets from the five western provinces—Thunder Bay to the Pacific coast—gathered at the RCAF camp—850 boys and nine honorary padres. Any air cadet could go who wanted—all free.

The Similkameen party, which left 1st August, included: J. Norman, E. Dunningham, J. Kobilan, G. Milne, S. Muir, R. Green, R. Jones, R. Olsen, W. Wilkinson L. Ficter, J. Francis and G. Merrill, all of Princeton, juniors,; G. Kickbush, B. Luxon of Keremeos and R. Huey of Princeton, seniors; and Rev. J. C. Goodfellow, Princeton, padre.

The boys behaved well, said the minister. The boys said the minister behaved quite well too.

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WEDDINGS

Young-Allison

A popular wedding of more than common interest was solemnized at St. Paul's United Church at 7 p.m. on Thursday, 31st August, when Susan Harriett, younger daughter or Mr. and Mrs. Harold Archibald Allison, became the bride of Grant Alexander Young, all of Princeton. The bride is the granddaughter of the late John Fall Allison who in 1860 became Similkameen's first settler.

Rev. J. C. Goodfellow performants were Miss Irene Dartt and Mr. Ronald George Allison.

Mr. and Mrs. Young will live in Princeton.

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Thomas-Knighton

A pretty wedding of wide local interest was solemnized in Saint Cuthbert's (Anglican) church at four on the afternoon of Tuesday, 22nd August, when Rev. E. Grant Dale united Elizabeth Diane, daughter of Mr & Mrs H.R Knighton, and Arthur Dalton Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Thomas, all of Princeton

The tie unites two old local families and consummates a long and loyal romance of two of Princeton's best liked young folk

The ceremony was solemnized in the tiny chapel laced with the delicate ardour and aroma of gladioli and laved with bridal music.

Given by her father, the bonny bride was all in white—her gown of satin, princess style, trimmed with Swiss lace, net veil fastened to Juliet cap by a tiara of brilliants. Accessories were in matching white and her bouquet of pink and white carnations.

Her bridesmaids were her cousin, Miss Catherine Howarth, and Miss Ethel Thomas, sister of the groom, both gowned in orchid moire, with Juilet caps, all fashioned after the bride. They carried galdioli in pastel shades.

The groom was supported by his brother, Mr. Kenneth Thomas and the ushers were Mr Thomas Harry Cunliffe, brother-in-law of the groom, and Mr William Brown—all of Princeton

Wedding music was played by Mrs. W. McBryde, and Miss Peggy Godden sang "Because."

The bride's wedding ring was moulded from those of both her grandmothers, set with diamonds

The bride's gift to the groom was a wristwatch; the groom's token to the bride a golden necklace set with amethysts, her birthstone; to the bridesmaids necklaces of brilliants.

The bride's mother chose gray lace over pink satin, with navy accessories, the choice of the groom's mother being navy and white.

Many were the well-wishers at a reception following, on the lawn of Mrs. F. Howse, where on the centre table a three-tier wedding cake was centred on a crocheted cover.

The toast was proposed by Rev. J. C Goodfellow, who had christened the bride. It was responded to by the groom.

For going away the bride chose a suit of mulberry gabardine and accessories. Following a honeymoon by motor to Yellowstone Park Mr. and Mrs. Thomas will reside in their new home on Princeton Heights.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. W. D. Williams of Vancouver grandfather of the bride; Mr and Mrs. D. Miller of Vancouver (Emily); Mrs. E. Abbott of Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hockley, Ocean Park, White Rock; Mr. and Mrs. David Funk, Vancouver Mr. Harold Hanawalt, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. W. McKinstry, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. Scott Ford, Armstrong; Miss Olwina Kitch, Penticton.

MOST LAW-ABIDING TOWN IS MENACED BY LAWYER PLAGUE

IS it true what they say about Princeton? Our beloved tourists, whom we think more about than we do our ain folk, who gad about on foreign licence plates and park on our lawns, and come up to do what they'd never be seen doing at home—and go back and write letters about us and give us the reputation that we make our main tourist bait. . . .

But our energetic constabulary assure us that outside an unsolved murder we are the most law abiding town in B.C. Our police court blotter has practically ceased to be . . .

And now we have an epidemic of lawyers to support it.

Law careless Princeton over most of its 50 years traditionally had two, not counting the village lawyers. But for a year, with everything else bursting at the seams, we have been left with one, who also combined the duties of coroner; and while acknowledged as a remarkable man, it was hard to see how even he could argue two sides at once, which is all lawyers are supposed to do, right or wrong.

Now, however, another lawyer has hung up his shingle and at least two more are enquiring.

A local man who got such an enquiry reminded the learned counsel that his charge for such advice would have been considerable smoleons, whereas he did not even enclose a stamp.

In the next mail he had one from a litigant ex-citizen asking to be put in touch with Lawyer Black—who joined the firm of St. Peter 15 years hence!

Mort says, wait till we get a battalion of 'em, then ship 'em off to Korea, they live on trouble. M'Gilicuddy says why not the politicians and the women? But Mort will not stand for no women and Fairley is afraid it might mean him too, so I guess the inns of courting brigade is off and it means more lawyers.

OUR GLADS ARE REALLY GLAD

But Too Many Pansies And Wallflowers Pass Up Our Garden Gala

NATURE was good to Princeton, even in some of the folks she gave us; but some of us could co-operate more with her in making our town more lovely for ourselves and our cherished tourists who ride around on foreign licence plates and park on our lawns and go back and write letters about us.

Despite the pre-occupation of gladitulip king Prideaux who has transferred to hard rock gardening, and the indifference of Pop, who is more concerned with corned cabbages—and a lot of others—the flower show showed we can raise other kinds than five roses in absence of Perley.

Our hili-locked verdure, with its blaze of natural blossom can be embellished by a gorgeous tapestry of garden blooms, including Albert. We can grow grand flowers but we should grow more; and certainly more of us should exhibit. The PTA says so and it takes a brave man like Prof. Gott to argue with the PTA, only he is more interested in unions than onions.

Though Charlie Thomas did not have his Glad on show, this flashy section was again the highlight, in the absence of Gunther's spitoonias and pansies like Bond the Younger. (His dad did not bother to enter his superb ones when he thought Bob was going to enter in person).

Sammy entered Flowers of the Forest in A flat.

private m'gillicuddy had a private show of skunkcabbages and puff balls and Herr Kozak had the best collection of weeds in captivity, also Dorothy who must wish she could show widow's weeds.

The sweetest P's Prideaux, Prosser, Pop and Perley were also missing, and there was no section for split peas, which would have been won by Russ Foster, though Silvester can also split them well enough.

WINNERS

ASTERS
1 Mrs. J. D. Butler; 2 Mrs. W. Maywood; 3 Mrs. T. Crowley.

GLADIOLI
1 Mrs. A. Eastcott; 2 J. Cunningham; 3. Danny K. Metzler.

DAHLIAS
1 J. Cunningham. 2. MRS. K. Houghton; 3 Mr. ditto.

ZINNIAS
1 Mrs. Butler; 2 Mrs. Maywood 3 Mrs. Crowley.

SWEET PEAS
1 W. O'Neill; 2 Mrs. T. M. Towriss; 3 Mrs. T. S. Cameron

SNAPDRAGONS
1 W. O'Neill; 2 Mrs. Crowley; 3 Mrs. Maywood.

PANSIES
1 Mrs. Maywood.

TABLE DECORATION
1 Mrs. Butler; 2 Mrs. Maywood

MINIATURE GARDEN
1 Mrs. M. J. Stewart; 2 and 3 Mrs. Maywood.

HOUSE PLANTS
1 Mrs. E. Potruff; 2 Mrs. Towriss; 3 Mrs. J. Milne.

CHILDREN'S BOUQUET
1 David Maywood; 2 Esther Milne.

COLLECTION GARDEN VEG.
1 Mrs. Milne; 2 Mrs. R. Cook; 3 Mrs. C. Tether.

COLLECTION, HERBS
1 Mrs. W. J. Porter.

MOST ENTRIES
1. Mrs. Maywood.

OFFICIALS

Judges were Mrs. A. W. Smith and Mr. Walter Weise.

Tea convenor was Mrs. T. Jenner, assisted by Mesdames J. Metzler, G. M. Harman. F. Howse, G. Lawrence, T. M. Crowley, K. F. Alexander, and Misses Diane Bysouth, June and Pat Cook; Kitchen— Mrs. G. E. Allen, convenor, assised by Mrs. R. Cook, Mrs. K. Caruso, Mrs. K Nishihara, Mrs. Butler. Mrs. A. Gill was in charge of door collections, Mrs. Towriss of tea collections. Mrs. Gillies was convenor of the show.

The show was opened by Rev. Dale. Mrs. Percy Smith presented corsages to the officials.

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EDUCATION - -

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conversation. For Ug and Einstein are nature's men. There is ample living space in them, but no room for smugness; it is full of wonder—with a few, but so reatively few — conquests and they have ample time to sit and stare. For what it there more vital, more urgent in life than to live and when you don't learn you don't live. "I am a part of all that I have met; yet all experience is an arch wherethro' gleams that untravelled world whose margin fades forever and forever when I move—To follow knowledge like a sinking star, beyond the utmost bounds of human thought."

How stupid to fancy that a diploma is a certificate of knowledge; only a passport to it; that education is the monopoly of schools, when all life is learning, sewing a button as much as the binomial theorem. How ignorant are we all, except in so very little—thumb an encyclopedia or look on the stars. But that is all in effort, and the only true ignorance is smugness, unwillingness to know. How sad how understandable, to find it the prize of society as the epitome of vast but careless accumulation. And how ungrateful, how self-condemning, how unworthy, how ignorant — the betrayal of ignorance and inadequacy in the vanity of the opposite; how poorly we have used so much, made so much better by those we scorn, because their task was harder, their accomplishment bigger.

And how insignificant; for the march of truth goes on, unconcerned save with truth, untouched by else, in the reluctance of wisdom that some doors you cannot crash, they have to be opened from within. There is the essence of education; there are no closed doors, no smugness; it is ever eager search

It is tempting and easy to close doors and be superior behind them. You impress no one, the ones you could and should help and those whose help you need, which is the obvious aegis of our schools — prepration for life in lieu of the experience of life—nothing else, and only a tiny bite. What are Einstein's diplomas to his worth? Would donning a bathing suit make a swimmer?

Nature does not change. It evolves. Ug had the same intellectual capacity as this year's graduate. And other capacities and urges. We have more to store and use and confuse, and less time and need to sit and stare. But really less need?; with the same appetites and more to confuse them? Knowledge tells us, through those specialists our complexity assigns, but still all is knowledge and ours—that we have lost a lot by accumulation of what we had as boys and aborigines. Our works have outstripped and enslaved us, because we are still Ug, with less chance to make knowledge wise The evidence is all about us.

Wisdom — if the alchemy of intellect could touch the germ, where the sadness is it cannot—would instruct the opposite of closed doors in smugness and boredom and escape, would rouse the sated eagerness that materialism sours, and show that all the world is fair and full of wonders and many more than Ug's are easily ours, of we will only translate them from the artificial and in the alchemy of intellect, our natural essence, make knowledge wise—and vibrant.

But that is telling the frightened not to be afraid.

With no magic for closed doors and dry essence, this thought is unlikely to gain a graduation platform. Ignorance is ample, and we all have our share, and true lore understands how easily it can creep behind school doors too. Knowledge must be critical, but it is kind. It is the true creative criticism of progress, with a fellow-love for all its fellows, tolerance for their intolerance. It loves the schools, though their doors be closed to it. Ignorance, the inly ignorance of closed doors—is a pity, a mutual pity that at least the wise can feel. He can find no sneers.

Nor smugness. There are too many closed doors that he cannot reach, in sharing as in search. He is humble, with the glory of humility. He holds an invitation to humility . . .

"The man whose eye Is ever on himself doth look on one The least of nature's works, one who might move the wise to scorn—which wisdom holds unwise. O be thou wiser, learned that knowledge leads to love, true dignity abides with him alone who in the silent hour of inward thought can still suspect and still respect himself in lowliness of heart but cheerfulness of hope.

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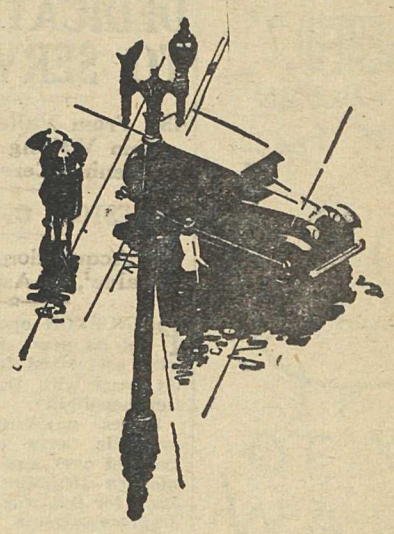

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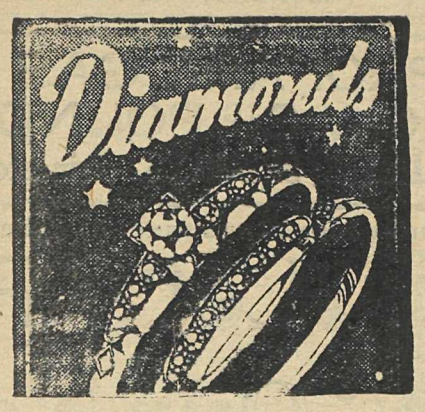

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game, see, but smart. Well, Limpy he ain't smart that way, and they don't like him so much. He don't mix with the right crowd or live the right way. You gotta please the right guys in this game. But me, I know a guy who kin fight, and which has got brains. Limpy ain't no cripple, no way. But in this game you gotta please the right guys.

I try to tell Limpy this gentle like, for maybe I got knocked punch drunk, but I been around. And I will stick by Limpy, queer guy or not. When I am punched out, what do the smart guys do for me? But this guy, who ain't my kind, he sees me hanging round the gym and stakes me to a feed and a change and when I tell him how I got no right to take it from him he lets me train him and keeps me on.

We do good for a while and if Limpy will only play to these guys a little he can make plenty of dough. Of course I know he just wants enough to get started and get out of it. The guy is always reading books which ain't English like Ring Magazine, and I know somewhere he's got a goil. Me, I don't go for this dame stuff in the fight game. You take Rosie. They good time you out of condition and then they drop you cold when you're punchy and broke. You gotta make your dough when you got the chance and hang on to it. and they is sometimes easier ways of making it. But Limpy, when I says this, he says I just don't know the right kind of dames. and if I ever again bet so much as a finifi, if it's on him no matter. he will have to part company. Now will never walk out on Limpy after what he does for me, so I go along with him even when he is screwy, real screwy I mean.

So I know it is not dames when Limpy goes queer, even queer for him I mean. He don't seem to be interested in his books like he was, and he does not seem quiet-like sure of himself like he was. And he quits the game, it seems like. Now this I like for books and dames is no good for a fighter, even a nice guy and brainy like Limpy. And I think maybe he changes his mind but I don't fancy to speak about it.

But it is not good like I hope. In the ring he loses something too. He is not smooth any more, but he can take plenty and he wins on points. Two more fights and the champ.

Izzy yaps at him like he always does because he will not use some of the smart tricks Izzy shows him, which is a rat I do not like anyway. Now always Limpy just smiles but tonight he chucks a soppy towell in Izzy's face and walks out.

Well you know what happens to a guy which walks out on a contract, and just two fights from the champ.

Limpy says he is going to write for a living now which seems to me a hard way to make it when you are just two fights from the champ. I get me a nice job at the Y, I think on account of I have been with Limpy. But I do not like the way he is looking, so I say I cannot find a joint and he does not mind if I stay.

Now I guess Limpy can write pretty good on account of he is sure brainy and a nice clean guy. But he always tears it up.

He is not well and getting worse and one day he picks a scrap and tells me to get out. But this don't seem right to me, and I find out, I will rather not tell you how, on account of Limpy would not think it honest, that he is sending all his dough to pay for his college and is broke.

When I come back next day for my pyjamas which I do not forget to forget, he is in bed sick and when I remember him how I am broke and he stakes me he lets me stay, being we will call it a loan. But he will not have a doc and in a couple of days he is out and gets a stevedore job, which I do not think he is strong enough now for. He has a bad cough.

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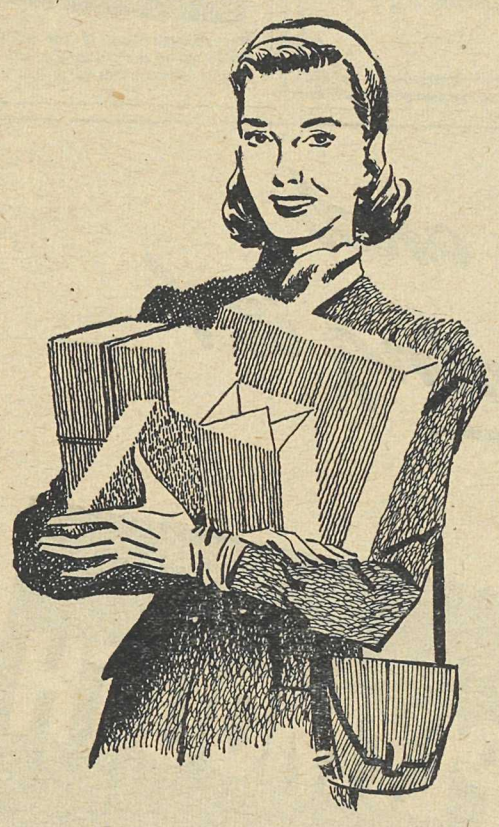
That night two cops comes to the door and asks if Limpy lives here. He has fallen down a hold. It looks like he fainted.

I am here with them flowers. I wonder should I send them. I wonder is there such a thing as the right kind of dames after all



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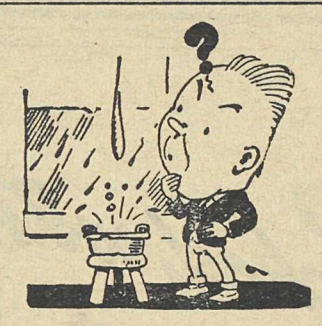

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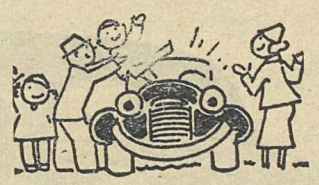

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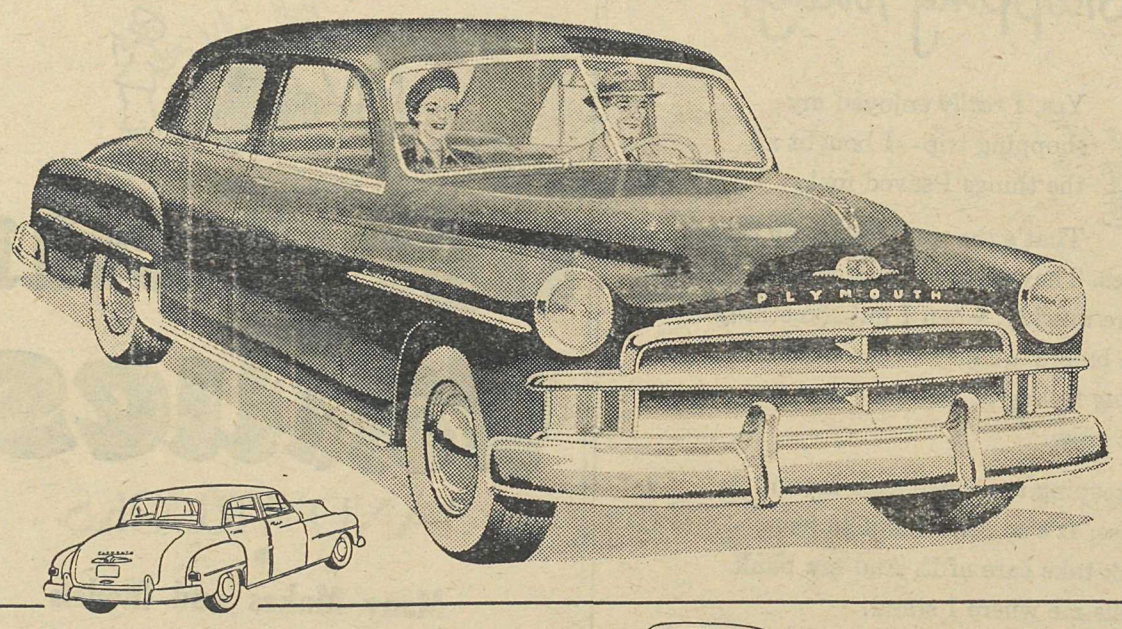

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