

THE SQUAMISH REVIEW

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Editorial

MORE TOURIST DOLLARS

The tourist business means dollars in the pockets of everyone in Squamish. For that reason the tourist industry should be encouraged.

The Vancouver Tourist Association annually brings millions of dollars into Vancouver and British Columbia through its promotion of B.C. and Canada's Vacationland. 3 1/2 million tourist dollars for Vancouver is the objective of the Association for this season.

Every year thousands of people come to Squamish either on Howe Sound excursions or en route to Vancouver or the Cariboo. They spend little or no time in Squamish because there are no attractions to keep them here. Squamish is located amidst some of the most beautiful scenery to be found on the continent and such a tourist attraction, as the Squamish Valley should bring greater returns.

Something should be done now to assure a goodly share of these tourist millions being spent in Squamish this year. The formation of a tourist Association can pay dividends here too.

MAKING CHRISTIANITY POPULAR

(Contributed)

We live in a country in which any energetic man seeks to make a success of his vocation. The "go-getter" spirit is not confined to the south of the border line, and on the whole it is a commendable spirit. It has become so contagious that the clergy of our country have been fairly well inoculated with it, and we find on the part of the clergy an almost inordinate desire to make their particular church popular and a "success." Church advertisements in the press and outside the church buildings reflect something of the anxious desire "to draw the crowd," and in some cases this may go so far as to institute methods calculated to make the church more popular than powerful.

The church which makes itself attractive to the outsider by its free and easy sort of fellowship and unusual capacity to entertain the people, inevitably comes to the conclusion that such attitudes alone will not suffice, for in a short time there rises in the souls of men a sense of the futility of it all, and the people come to demand some task; some sacrificial service which tests their very souls, and if the church has nothing to suggest that will challenge this noble urge, the people will soon weary of being entertained and will go elsewhere seeking the place where they can match their longings with something that will call forth the best they can give.

History makes it clear that Christianity has never been a popular faith. As one writer puts it: "You might as well speak of making crucifixion popular, for Christianity is crucifixion. Christianity is that total view of life; it is that systematic type of life, which asks a man, for the sake of health and the soundness of his spirit, to let go of everything; if need be, to withstand his appetites, to harness his passions, to beat down his preju-

dice, to abandon his sins, to renounce his pride, to forgive wrongs done to himself, to buffet his body for the welfare of his soul. That is Christianity in part and it can never be made popular."

The Christian faith was very vital in Scotland when the Covenanters were hunted on the hills of that land and when men like George Wishart died at the stake, their faith being stronger than the fires which burned their bodies. If Christianity was not popular, it was at least very powerful, when Marcus Aurelius was putting Christians to death by the thousands, and later when the people of Holland would rather break the dykes and drown than betray their faith.

Scripture is quite in line with history in this regard, and Jesus was constantly referring to it. He knew the heart of man, and He knew the only appeal that could steadfastly hold the spirit of men, and so He always called for a discipleship that was unskimped and uncompromising. He said: "If ye would be my disciple say no to self, take up the cross and follow me." He reminded the people that unless a grain of wheat fall into the ground and die, it abideth none, but if it die it bringeth forth fruit. He revealed the peril of survivorship and the fruitfulness of sacrifice, for the world cannot kill the spirit, which is conviction and faith is ready, if need be, to die.

At this critical hour of our history the world needs to hear afresh the bugle call of Christianity. The boys who have returned from battle fronts, where their lives had been in constant danger of death, and where their comrades had fallen by their sides, will understand the call of Christianity expressed in terms of suffering and sacrifice on behalf of a kingdom far greater than an earthly kingdom, and for ideals as great as any of which they have ever dreamed.

The early followers of Jesus had not enough influence or prestige to keep them out of prison, but when they got in they had enough power to make prisons shake and jailors would become converted. When the church was compelled to say "silver and gold have I none," like Peter, she was able to say to the spiritually crippled of her day "in the name of Jesus of Nazareth rise up and walk."

Any interpretation of Christianity which makes a truce with the world, will soon be forsaken first by the spirit of God and then by the very men we seek to win.

—Regina Leader-Post.

NEW UNITED CHURCH PROBABLE

Three years ago members of the Squamish United Church elected a building committee to look into the possibility of erecting a new church more suited to the needs of the community.

At that time a partial canvas of members and adherents was made and a fair sum of money was collected or promised. Donations of lumber were also made. In view of the high cost of both labor and materials, nothing more was done at the time. Early last year two lots directly opposite the home of D. D. Morrison on Victoria were purchased.

The recent influx of residents and the inadequate facilities of the Sunday school have brought about a change of opinion as regards building. The committee is looking into the matter of grants and the canvassing committee will go ahead with its work. There is also the matter of what is to be done with the present structure to be decided.

All in all, those working on this project are very hopeful that something definite can be accomplished during the current year.

Home Should be Centre of Education, Too Much is Expected of Schools

Periodically it must occur to every thoughtful person that too much of the responsibility of educating children for life is being shoved off by parents onto the school.

Possibly the fault, if it exists, is not one of parents shirking of responsibility so much as lack of clear understanding of the difference between education for life and formal education or book knowledge.

The latter point is emphasized in a recent issue of Parents' Magazine which reminds that teaching bookkeeping is the job of the school, but teaching the purchasing power of money is the family's task.

It is a well-known fact that the ability to keep accounts is not the same as an understanding of the value of money. Parents do not need to feel they must scrutinize or even supervise accountkeeping. When an increase in allowance is in order, or if a child is continually coming out short, it may be advisable to go over figures, but it must always be kept in mind that it is the management of the money and not the condition of the account book that matters.

We have all met at one time or another the brilliant scholar who did not turn out well in life. Acquiring information is a good thing, but it is knowing how to use this information to advantage that very often marks the difference between success and failure.

Knowledge can be imparted to students in schools. Learning how to manage themselves and the knowledge they have is something students must, for the most part, learn at home.

Prospects Bright For New School

Pupils, parents, School Board and P.-T.A. have been aware of the crowded conditions of the local school.

Both Mrs. Jean McRae of the School Board and Mr. Hayes as school principal hope that something can be done to alleviate the situation in the near future. Both are well aware of the needs of the school and community. As a result, tentative plans have been drawn up by Mr. Hayes embodying the type of school which will best serve the district.

At the first glance these plans may appear overly ambitious. However, the School Board is considering the possibility of high school pupils from Britannia and Woodfibre coming to Squamish by bus over the new Squamish-Britannia highway.

Also a local survey has shown that the average beginner's class for the next five years will number thirty children. Thus the community's present rate of growth, plus the prospect of advanced pupils from Woodfibre and Britannia coming here, point clearly to a doubling of the school attendance within the next few years.

The tentative plans which have been submitted to the School Board and the local inspector were drawn up with the future in mind. The spacious, two-story building provides ample class-room space with special rooms for home economics, industrial arts and a laboratory. The library would be housed in one room which would also serve as a study hall. Sufficient office space, nurse's quarters and lockers have also been considered in this plan.

Of special interest to the boys and girls is the combined auditorium and gymnasium complete with stage and dressing rooms. Such a gathering place for students and their activities has long been a necessity.

The building as planned would serve the senior and junior high school, thus leaving the present school for the elementary grades. Wisely the plans for an addition if and when the future warrants such an undertaking.

Needless to say, it must be remembered that nothing definite has been done as yet. However, the need for such a building is evident and our School Board is aware of the fact and plans to take action. When government approval and grant have been obtained full and final plans will be presented to a meeting of the ratepayers for their sanction.

TRUCK DRIVER INJURED

On January 24th, Jim Armstrong, well known truck driver for the Howe Sound Logging Company, suffered a badly crushed foot when a log rolled off his truck. While unloading his vehicle at the mill, a stake split, loosening a log. On seeing the log move, one of the mill workers shouted to Armstrong, who leapt out of the way, but not quick enough for the log to miss his completely. After receiving attention from Dr. Kindre, the injured man was flown to Vancouver where he was taken to St. Paul's Hospital.

Although Jim has unfortunately lost two toes, his doctors hope to save the rest of his foot.

BRITANNIA BEACH NEWS

Club Bingo—On January 15 a most enjoyable evening was spent by most of us trying to bingo for the lovely prizes, Verrel Dene Mounsey is a sure winner every bingo. Coffee and doughnuts were served at the end of the evening. Mr. Bill Siggers has arrived at Snow Lake, Manitoba, where his new job awaits. Mary and the boys will follow later.

Mr. John Hurren, of Squamish, spent the week-end here visiting friends and also attending the Legion smoker.

Mrs. A. C. Munro made a hurry-up trip to Arizona to see her mother who is ill.

Mrs. Gordon Mounsey entertained at home in honor of her mother who was celebrating her birthday in January.

Miss Sadie Brines has arrived from Glasgow, Scotland, to make her home with her sister, Mrs. Bill Wright.

The Explorers entertained the young gentlemen of the Beach at a party on Friday, January 28. The boys and girls danced and played games. Refreshments were served later in the evening.

On Saturday, January 29, Mrs. Maxter was hostess to a number of girls having birthdays in January. The girls brought their husbands along. Refreshments, music and games were enjoyed during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood, customs inspector, have left on a holiday to New Orleans.

The stork is busy this month dropping bundles of joy at Minnetta Bay. The lucky people are Mr. and Mrs. Swen Anderson, a baby girl, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Manson, a baby boy.

Mrs. Tommy Hubbard and friend from Chilliwack are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wes Hamilton.

Mr. Reid and Mr. Cameron who came from Scotland last year, recently brought their wives to Britannia. Mr. and Mrs. Reid built a new home at Minnetta Bay.

Understanding Makes Parents Popular

Parents who understand that it is not natural for them to be wanted always, and who admit that sometimes it's their own fault, have gone a long way toward peace of mind.

One father puts it this way: "When I am good natured, interesting, co-operative and human I find my children responding with cordiality. When I am boorish, dictatorial, preoccupied, impatient and waspish, I don't find my children at all. They escape."

I do not expect my wife to put up sweetly with my derelictions and I don't see why her children should. And her children and I reserve the right of not wanting her in her pesker moments. This adds up to an armistice."

At this point, as always, comes a serious complication. Withdrawal is not the complete answer when parents are not wanted. Sometimes things are good for people even if not wanted.

Like medicine or green vegetables or umbrellas or dentists, there are moments when parents, too, are needed.

Like serum, parents, in moderate amount, may prevent trouble, and like flashlights they may point the better way.

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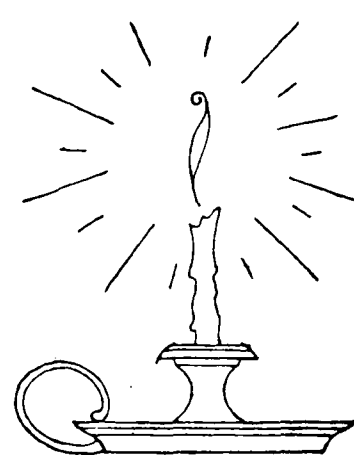
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PGE Railway Purchases New Engines

The first two of five diesel locomotives purchased by the Pacific Great Eastern Railway are due to arrive in Squamish some time during the latter part of the month.

These locomotives, rated at 70 tons, will be put into temporary service on both passenger and freight runs. Exhaustive tests will be made as to their serviceability on different runs and varying grades. Minute records will be compiled upon the basis of the knowledge obtained by these trial runs. These tests will then determine the eventual use to which these engines will be put.

Maintenance of these locomotives is of the utmost importance. For this reason, James Harley, of Squamish and Stan Malm, of Lillooet, have been sent to Erie, Pennsylvania, to attend a course on the maintenance of diesel locomotives. While in Erie, they will visit the General Electric manufacturing works in order to see the actual construction and assembling of such an engine taking place. It may be that they will see one of the locomotives destined for the P.G.E. under construction.

Mr. Angus McRae, Sr., took his holidays at the same time and accompanied Mr. Harley and Mr. Malm. Although not taking the course which the latter two men are attending, Mr. McRae was anxious to visit the manufacturing plant and learn all he could about the new machines.

Diesel locomotives are used extensively on a number of American lines. In Canada they have been restricted to freight hauls except in Prince Edward Island, where the Canadian National uses nothing else; and on Vancouver Island, where the Canadian Pacific uses them for passenger and freight service on the E. and N. Railway.

The P.G.E. also has good news for residents of Kersley and Dalcy. Usable portions of the old office building and dispatchers' office which can be moved to their destination on a flat car are being shipped to these points for use as stations. The main portion of the former office building is being remodelled for use as a dwelling.

Prosecutor: "Now tell the court how you came to take the car."

Defendant: "Well, the car was parked in front of the cemetery so naturally I thought the owner was dead."

Jessie: "I hope that I fall in love with a Dutchman sometime."

Dorothy: "Why?"

Jessie: "Oh, because I've always wanted to be a duchess."

MAKING TRIM DRAPERIES

If you have never made draperies for your home and would like to make them, figure the length you want them to be, add one inch for the rod, two inches for the heading, and six inches for top and bottom hems, each three inches wide.

If you do not cut off the selvage of washable goods, it will shrink more than the rest of the fabric when washed, and will cause the draperies to pucker at the sides.

Use a tape measure and lay it on the fabric so that it will be in line with the edge being measured. Too often, the fabric is stretched when a yardstick is used to measure.

Just clearing the floor is the best length for most home draperies.

Mink Industry Prospers In British Columbia

The luxurious mink industry developed in a \$2,000,000 business in British Columbia during 1948, and breeders are looking to even further expansion.

Soft west coast weather is put down as the big factor which is attracting mink specialists there from other parts of Canada, as well as the proximity of seafood which is now a staple in the diet of many mink.

Experiments at University of British Columbia in recent months have been made to work out how the cheaper and more plentiful types of seafood can be used in place of scarce and expensive horsemeat to feed the valuable little fur bearing animals.

But the climate particularly appears to be just right for them, and some breeders expect more than three quarters of the whole Canadian mink industry will be in British Columbia with a few years.

About 100,000 were pelted last fall, worth an estimated \$2,000,000 on the fur market. Lush fur coats in all parts of the continent will be on the market next winter bearing the furs which are being processed in British Columbia now.

A single coat usually contains about 80 individual mink pelts, and new types such as Palmino are being developed to add variety to the types on furriers' racks.

Sailor: Hell-lo!
Grl: Oh, well.

Sixty-five per cent of men's neckwear is bought by women.

NEWS OF BRITANNIA TOWNSITE

The mixed bridge which was put on by the ladies of the Townsite on January 8 turned out to be a great success, with an attendance approaching fifty. First and second prizes for both the men and women were donated by the Community Club, and were won by Mrs. E. Udeen, Mrs. A. Johnson, Mr. T. Waterland and Mr. L. Allan. A very nice lunch made by the ladies, was served.

The new executive of the Mount Sheer branch of the Canadian Legion has taken over for the current year. It consists of Joe Dunbar as president, Herb Curry as vice-president, Bill Okell as secretary-treasurer, "Lucky" Stark as Sergeant-at-arms and Gordy Stewart as executive member of the Ways and Means Committee.

On Saturday, January 15, a smoker was held at the Townsite, attended by a goodly crowd who not only enjoyed the refreshments, but also the music of "Red" Verdesio and his piano-accordion, and entertainment by Jimmy Welsh. Incidentally friend Jimmy as some of you may know was a professional entertainer, having been with Army Shows throughout his army career. Jimmy's leaving the community to seek employment in the entertainment field in Toronto or Hamilton will be a great loss to this branch of the Legion. Gordy Stewart and his worthy cohorts Stan Cole and Mike Walsh certainly deserve credit for the excellent smoker that they staged.

While on the subject of Legion folks, the dance which they are to put on at the Beach in March is evidently going to be really something, with an automatic console model radio phonograph to be given away as a door prize.

The Townsite Players' Club has gotten off to a good start again under the able leadership of Larry Stewart as president. They have decided to put on a three-act play entitled "The Grape Vine," in the not too distant future. Sarah Bernhardt and George Arlisses consist of Betty Trythall, Marg Knight, Marion Fraser, Carmen Baird, Mavis Bjorkman, "Mac" Knight, Len Bjorkman, and possibly others. We understand that they are still looking for someone to take a male part, so if any of you fellows feel that you would like to have a lot of fun with a swell group of people, just get in touch with Larry Stewart.

Art. Hodgkinson is certainly doing a nice job as gym instructor at the Townsite. To hear the married ladies tell about their P.T. classes is something worth listening to. In fact more than one man has expressed the idea that he is going to start attending the newly organized men's class as a protective measure.

Any of you who saw the first fight card that Art put on, with borrowed talent from Vancouver will not want to miss the next card to be put on shortly. Also we understand that he is grooming some of the younger boys to box in the Golden Gloves in Vancouver.

Another innovation since Art took over is the ladies' and men's basketball teams. The recent game between the husbands and wives was well worth seeing; although we strongly suspect that some of the players had not had very many practices prior to the game. Also we were sorry to see Mac Knight wearing the patch on his head, and to hear that Ellen Watson had broken a bone in her hand.

On Saturday, January 22, the Bobby Burns dance was held at the Townsite. All good Scotsmen, and many good Irish too, turned out for the fun. The dance was a success with an excellent girls' orchestra from town. A Scotch supper consisting of haggis, scones, and oat cakes was served during intermission, in the kitchenette.

The Britannia Mines Safety Training Courses have met with considerable success, with over a hundred men having already qualified in the first part, consisting of a course in Job Safety Training. The second part comprising a First Aid Course is due to start in the near future. We understand that the Company is considering a suitable award to be given to all who qualify in both courses.

Among visitors to the Townsite during January were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller, who visited Mr. and Mrs. Wes. Baird. Joe will be remembered by many, as having worked here before graduating from U.B.C. in Chemical Engineering. He is presently employed as technical adviser with the Huskey Oil Company, working out of Calgary.

WHO WILL BE THE GOOD CITIZEN OF 1948?

The Pro-Rec will again award a medal for the Good Citizen of 1948. You will remember that Art Thompson won the medal for 1947 because of his influential work with the youth of Squamish, and his organization of boys' sports.

This organization would welcome any suggestions as to who deserves the medal for 1948. Any man or woman who has done work of outstanding service in the community is eligible. Please give your suggestions to Mr. C. H. Smith at the Imperial Oil station or Mrs. C. Talpaw.

Long Spell of Skating, Hockey

The unprecedented cold wave brought to light innumerable pairs of disused skates as well as a wholesale epidemic of new skates and hockey sticks.

Everywhere, children and adults took advantage of the unusual opportunity. On the man-made rink by the P.G.E. Hall, on the fill at Buckley's, on Indian Lake and even on Brohm Lake, skates flashed by in positions, both graceful and otherwise.

After practicing for some time with sticks and puck, two games of hockey were played at Brohm Lake on January 16. A junior game composed of two young teams ended in the Down Town boys winning over the Up Town boys 1-0.

Playing for the Down Town boys were Gilbert Garrison, Jimmie Buchanan, Norman and Thor Halvorson, Dan Munro and Bill Barnfield. Those playing on the Up Town team were Ken Lutes, Bill Wray, Bob and Allan Dent, Lexie Ross, David Caldwell, Billy Carson and Gordon Turnquist.

Following the junior game, a senior game was played, in which the P.G.E. team won over the Loggers and community team. Among the men playing for the P.G.E. team were L. Gorsuc, Les Walton, Eric and Jack Stathers, J. R. Buchanan and Jim Robinson, while those on the opposing team were Ken Jamieson, G. R. Dent, Lyle McPherson, Ken Lutes, Bert Wray, Ed and Sid Bishop, Dennis De Beck, Buster Hans and Norman Halvorson.

The newly made rink in town was well flooded for the following Sunday when two games were played. A welcome addition to the rink were the goals made by Dennis De Beck. The results of the two games were virtually the same, the teams having won the previous Sunday, doing so again. While the community team retained the same players some members of the other team were missing. Mr. Ken Farrell, George Johnson and Johnny Patrick did very well in their place.

On this occasion Peter Shore joined the line-up for the Up Town boys while George Johnson, Wayne Mitchell and Bill Dent were added to the Down Town boys' team.

It has been a revelation to spectators to see how many good skaters and stick handlers there are around here. As for the young fry, how about arranging for another opportunity next winter to increase their skill in this sport?

SQUAMISH LEGION BRANCH CHOOSES NEW OFFICERS

On January 22 the Squamish Legion members held their annual election of officers. The following were chosen: President, Harvey Hurren; first vice-president, Spencer Hinde; second vice-president, Owen Beeve; secretary-treasurer, James Woodward, and Sergeant-at-arms E. Tuttle.

The retiring executive wish to take this opportunity to thank the many people who supported their efforts during the past year. The members of the Legion hope to add something of a permanent nature to the park now under construction. Alternate plans are under consideration and a fund is being put aside for this purpose.

Following the meeting a social gathering was held for members and their wives. The ladies of the Women's Auxiliary and their husbands were also invited. An invitation had also been extended to Legion members in Woodfibre and Britannia, many of whom attended the party.

The many guests spent the evening playing bingo, followed by a sing-song and dancing. Mrs. L. Gorsuch, Mrs. E. Kristianson, Mrs. R. Stockman and Mr. E. Hayes took turns in supplying music.

Excellent refreshments were served, with John Hurren in charge.

The Pacific Great Eastern Railway

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Lv. 3:00 p.m. Squamish	Ar. 3:00 p.m.
Lv. 6:25 p.m. Pemberton	Lv. 11:45 a.m.
Lv. 9:00 p.m. Shalalth	Lv. 9:05 a.m.
Lv. 10:20 p.m. Lillooet	Lv. 8:15 a.m.
Lv. 1:00 a.m. Clinton	Lv. 4:55 a.m.
Lv. 7:00 a.m. Williams-Lake	Lv. 11:55 p.m.
Ar. 10:40 a.m. Quesnel	Lv. 7:45 p.m.

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Rules for Bringing Up Baby Simplify Child Training

Today's parents are fortunate in having a wealth of authoritative child-training information at their fingertips.

One young couple, when they started their family, spent a good deal of time studying child development and various approaches to child training. They gave themselves a pretty thorough course with the best authorities in the field and then boiled it all down into these six simple rules for bringing up a baby.

1. Study and know your baby, and act accordingly. Babies are distinct personalities from birth. Treat yours as an individual, letting him set the pace for his development and various phases of training as he indicates his readiness to learn.
2. Take it easy. No baby will accept training for any habit until his body is ready to make the required change. Every phase of training requires long weeks of infinite patience.
3. Put first things first. There are times when the baby's welfare must come first, just as there are times when his routine must be upset for the greater good of the family.
4. Love your child and express that love. Too often love is taken for granted, but a child, from babyhood up, needs frequent warm assurance of love if he is to feel secure.
5. Present a united front. Parents must co-operate and should settle differences of opinion in private discussions. No child can respect his parents or be happy when he can play one against the other. A united front is just as important when dealing with interference from family and friends.
6. Set a good example. By a child's actions we know his parents, for a child mirrors what he sees.

LADIES' AID CHOOSES NEW EXECUTIVE

The Ladies' Aid to the Squamish United Church held their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Alex Munro with Mrs. Lasser and Mrs. D. D. Morrison as co-hostesses.

A very favorable report on the Christmas sale was given and plans were made for the future months.

Chief business of the meeting was the election of new officers. The following were chosen: President, Mrs. W. Bazley; first vice-president, Mrs. C. Tatlow; second vice-president, Mrs. A. Sullivan; secretary, Mrs. Alex Munro; treasurer, Mrs. D. D. Morrison.

An active visiting committee was chosen to contact the many new people in town. Those selected were Mrs. B. Valde, Mrs. H. Nichols, Mrs. Klontz, Mrs. Edmonds and Mrs. E. Kristianson.

NEEDY VETERANS ENJOY PARCELS

Every month the Women's Auxiliary to the Legion appoint two members to take charge of a box of donations for needy veterans overseas and their families.

The response of Squamish citizens has been excellent. However, the W.A. feel that even more interest in this project might be created if one of the many thank-you letters which they have received could be read by the good people whose donations were so thankfully received.

The following is typical of the letters received:

11 Gawthorne Street, Bdw E. 3, London.

Secretary, W.A. Squamish Branch, Cdn. Legion, 115, Squamish, B.C.

Dear Mrs. Lampont:

I am very sorry that you were disappointed in not getting a letter from me, as you see I didn't get your parcel till two days before Xmas, and your letter arrived Xmas morning.

Mrs. Lampont I cannot tell you how much your parcel meant to me. It came as a great surprise, and a Godsend. My husband, and also my two children were thrilled to think I had received a parcel from abroad. Please, also thank your officers and members for me.

As soon as I get the other parcel I will write to you straight away, Mrs. Lampont, as I am really thrilled at the idea of getting these parcels!

You write in your letter about clothing for my children. I do think you are most kind. I have two, a boy (Douglas) aged 8 years, and a little girl (Vivienne) aged 7 years; and I have to go out to work to keep them, because I do try to keep them looking clean and tidy.

I will close my letter now, and once again a big thank you.

Yours truly,
(Signed) Mrs. B. Codval

P.S.—Will write a longer letter soon.

"Juliet, my darling, I am aflame! I am burning with love for you!"
"Come, come now, Romeo. Don't make a fool of yourself!"

A small boy was told that we are in the world to help others. "Then what are the others for?" he asked.

The man who imagines himself a budding genius is often just a blooming nuisance.

BASKETBALL GOING STRONG

Following a Christmas recess, the basketball games are again in full swing. In addition to the regular Monday and Thursday games, two games have been played with visiting teams.

On January 14th, the Squamish basketball club was host to a team sent up by the North Vancouver Catholic Youth Organization. This team played the Squamish Loggers, winning a 54-51 victory over the local hoop men. Wearing the snappy white and red uniforms of the local team were J. Mahood, Don Smuin, Marsh Hurren, Jim Hurren, Buzz Downer, Bob Cherry, Harry Lassman, John Foley, Gordon Allan and Harvey Hurren. Marsh Hurren and Bob Cherry starred for the Loggers, each donating 8 points towards the score of 41.

The North Vancouver team produced three high scoring lads, Morrison, Brown and Spees, who each made 5 baskets for a score of 30 points. Others playing were Kilty, Klett, Coustain, Roberts, Lancaster and Dawson.

On January 16 the Squamish Loggers went to Woodfibre to play the Argonauts, who downed them 43 to 38.

February 4 saw the Woodfibre girls' team up here to play the local girls while the Argonauts played the loggers.

In both games the visiting teams were slow to start. At the half-way mark in both games Squamish was well in the lead. But gradually the visitors came ahead until a hectic last quarter ended in 13-13 tie in the girls' game. In the men's game the score was 18 to 9 in the Loggers' favor at the half-way mark. But at three-quarters the gap had narrowed to 32 to 21. Within two and a half minutes of the final whistle, the Argonauts had tied the score at 35 all. In the last wild scramble a free shot by Gordon Allan, plus a free shot and basket by Dennis Downer brought the Loggers to 39, while Woodfibre reached 37 on two free shots by Wood. Both were good close games which gave the crowd plenty of exciting action.

Playing for the Squamish Girls' were Irene Nichols, Viola Halvorson, Ruth Wilson, Tess Martin, Pat Lewis, Iona Magee, Aleeta Smith and Bernice Armstrong. The visiting team was made up of Nellie Greatrex, Winona Bandy, Eileen Frey, A. Wright, Doreen Greveling and Dot Eckersley.

The Squamish Loggers were represented by Marsh and Jim Hurren, Jack Mahood, Gordon Allen, John Foley, Ed Patenaude, Tommy Fowler, Dennis Downer and Harold Halvorson. Coming from Woodfibre to put up a stiff battle were Ken Watt, Pat and Burnett Wood, C. Miller, Terry Whalen, Norman Chadwick, R. Greveling, B. Dale, N. Erickson, Billy Whalen and George Eckersley.

On the local scene, the Legion team is keeping up the strong lead it obtained before Christmas. Up to February 4 the Legion had won a total of 13 games to the Hardwoods 5 and the Pro-Rec's 3. Following are the results of the past Christmas games:

Jan. 6—Legion 65, Pro-Rec 49
Jan. 10—Hardwoods 48, Pro-Rec 45
Jan. 13—Legion 51, Hardwoods 40
Jan. 17—Pro-Rec 46, Legion 41
Jan. 20—Pro-Rec 38, Hardwoods 29
Jan. 24—Legion 44, Hardwoods 28
Jan. 27—Legion 56, Pro-Rec 45
Jan. 31—Hardwoods 47, Pro-Rec 45
Feb. 3—Legion 57, Hardwoods 28.

On Friday, February 11, Britannia will send a team to Squamish to play the Loggers. On the following Friday, the same local team will play a visiting team from Gibson's Landing. Plans for a return game at Gibson's are now under way.

Maoris of New Zealand want full citizenship and send their native representatives to parliament.

The late Mahomed Jinnah, governor-general of Pakistan, was also chief of the Boy Scouts there.

Edmonton is pondering what to do if the oilfields creep into the city limits.

P-TA Re-opens School Canteen

On Thursday, January 13, the Squamish P-T.A. held their first meeting of the year at the school.

Mrs. Stathers reported that the school canteen is again serving hot soup and cocoa to the children during the noon hour. As nearly as 120 children a day have been served. The work is being carried out by volunteers. Sincere thanks are extended to non-members of the organization who have offered their help in this work. As the supply of dishes is limited, an appeal for more bowls and cups was made to new pupils.

The fund of \$250 allotted for library books last June still has a balance of \$130 on hand. It was decided to vote \$50 of this amount for the purchase of records. The balance of the original fund is to be spent on books for the senior grades now that sufficient shelf space is available. Mr. Hayes made an appeal for pocket magazines such as Reader's Digest, Magazine Digest, Coronet, etc. These are to be used by the upper classes. If you have any of these to spare, send them along to the school.

Mr. Hayes also asked if anything could be done by the P-T.A. towards the purchase of a movie projector. As a new high school building, complete with auditorium, seems very probable, such a machine would be a great addition to the teaching equipment. Mrs. G. Clarke, Mrs. Alex. Munro and Mrs. E. Hayes were appointed to look into the feasibility of purchasing such a machine.

A demonstration of the newly acquired radio-phonograph was enjoyed by those present.

Refreshments were served in the canteen room which has been rejuvenated by a coat of paint applied by R. Farquharson and new curtains made by Mrs. Clarke.

Personals

Mrs. C. Smith and Mrs. Tatlow were hostesses at a baby shower for Mrs. Bob Lasse, held at the home of Mrs. Alex Munro. The guests spent a pleasant evening playing gin rummy with Mrs. E. Carson winning first prize and Mrs. D. D. Morrison the booby prize. An attractively decorated doll crib contained the gifts for the guest of honor.

Mr. Nick Feschuk has returned from a three-week visit to his mother in Edmonton. While en route he stopped off at Kelowna.

Mr. B. Webster has left for Vancouver where he will attend the Normal School.

Miss Christine Nygard has returned to Squamish from Vancouver and will continue her schooling here.

Mr. Harry Brightbill is in Vancouver recuperating from an operation to his knee.

Leonard Marchant is up and around again after receiving a severe cut on his leg while playing near his grandmother's home. Leonard has 27 stitches to show for his accident.

Inspector Carter paid a visit to Squamish to look into possibilities of accommodating overflow classes at the school in the near future.

Mr. Ernie Smith suffered a severe heart attack and is now recuperating at the home of his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith.

Have you noticed the new school sweaters and the sudden rush of pins and rings? Nice!

Mr. and Mrs. Ogden are visiting their daughter, Mrs. G. R. Dent.

The P.G.E. Employees' Association held a rousing stag party in the P.G.E. Hall on Saturday, January 29.

Squamish has a personal interest in the First Baby at Woodfibre, born to Mr. and Mrs. L. Couturier, as the mother is the former Ruth Tremblay of Brackendale.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hudson of Weyburn, Saskatchewan, spent a week end with the former's cousin Mr. H. A. Munro.

Glass has been made for over 5,000 years.

Newfoundland, almost undeveloped as a tourist area, has 104 unscheduled salmon rivers.

Woman Killed By Freight Train

Mrs. Harrington was seriously injured by a south-bound freight train some distance beyond Shalalth on the morning of January 10. Recently arrived from Ontario, Mrs. Harrington was visiting her son, who had purchased the area known as the Bobby Land place.

On the morning in question she was bringing in small logs for fuel. As the freight train came around the bend, fireman Mel Hunt of Lillooet rang the bell when he saw the elderly woman on his side near the track and Engineer Munro blew the whistle. On hearing these sounds Mrs. Harrington turned back to the track, probably worried about her log, which the fireman could now see. As he shouted "plug her," the engineer applied the emergency brakes. Before the train came to a full stop the buffer beam on the front of the engine caught Mrs. Harrington on the right shoulder. The impact threw her against a small loading platform. The engine and train crew applied first aid and took her to the Bridge River Hospital, where she died an hour later.

At the inquest held in Lillooet a verdict of accidental death was returned. A representative of the Department of Transport attended the inquest. He agreed that everything possible had been done to stop the train in the shortest possible time. He also commended the entire crew of engineers, Conductor Franssen and brakemen McNamee and Butterworth on their prompt action in getting the injured woman to the hospital.

The body of Mrs. Harrington was shipped to Ontario for burial.

SHOWERS FOR BRIDE ELECT

Miss Vivian Harding, whose marriage to Mr. Frank Daroning takes place on February 12, was the guest of honor at two recent showers.

On Thursday, January 20, Mrs. Norman McDonald entertained for Miss Harding. Some twenty guests assembled to spend an enjoyable evening playing cards. The bride-elect was the recipient of many lovely gifts.

Just one week later, another shower for her was held at the home of Mrs. Don Kirkwood, with Mrs. C. Harrison assisting the hostess. The many friends who gathered in honor of Miss Harding spent the evening playing numerous games of the ever-popular bingo.

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THURSDAY	7:00 p.m.
FRIDAY	to 8:00 p.m.
SATURDAY	

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Rev. Chas. Addyman, B.Th. Pastor.
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WOODFIBRE CHURCH
(Protestant)
Minister: Rev. C. H. Gibbs

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH
Squamish
First Sunday every Month
Mass.
Rev. Father Gallo.

ST. JOHN THE DIVINE
(Anglican)
Rev. C. H. Gibbs

1st Sunday—7:30 p.m.
2nd Sunday—9:30 a.m. H.C.
3rd Sunday—7:30 p.m.
4th Sunday—11 a.m.

Taxi Companies Unite

On February 1 the Squamish Stages and Glen's Taxi joined under the single banner of the former. The amalgamated company is jointly owned by J. McColl, Glen Johnson, Leon Keyes and J. Worthington.

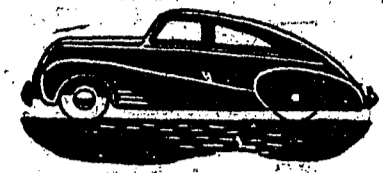
The presence of two separate taxi firms has been the cause of a great deal of unnecessary driving. According to one of the drivers parallel driving has caused some 50,000 miles of unnecessary travelling. It is also hoped that more prompt service to valley points will result from the amalgamation.

For themselves, the individual owners hope to get one day off each week as soon as their work becomes better organized.

The Squamish Stages are now the owners of a bus, two jeeps and four taxis as well as a convenient office on Cleveland Avenue.

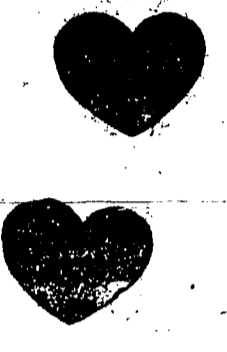
All members of the company wish to make it plain that there will be no change whatever in present fares.

The Alaskan highway has 129 bridges.



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THE HEART WE MEAN is that part of your thinking that knows the way is not over for hospitalized veterans—that displays a love for hu-

manity, a compassion for the weak and afflicted.
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