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BREAKS NECK IN SHORT FALL

Hans Wyssen, Brackendale, an employee at the Empire Mills sawmill on River Road is in hospital here with a broken neck as a result of an accident at the mill last Thursday.

Mr. Wyssen was working on top of a flatcar, loading it with lumber when he slipped and fell about eight feet to the ground, landing on his head. He was taken to the hospital and his condition was reported as fair.

Brackendale

Mrs. H. Judd has moved into her new home near the Brackendale Store.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Webster are the proud grandparents of the daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Ward Langstaff, of McBride, B.C., on October 22nd.

Mrs. H. L. Rae has returned home after her long stay in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Farquharson had as their guests last weekend, his mother, Mrs. E. Farquharson of Kamloops, and his sister, Mrs. F. Stevenson, of Vancouver.

Legion Notes

The Legion wishes to thank all those whose assistance and contributions made the annual poppy day sale such a success. Final figures on the sale will be published in the near future.

Members of the Legion enjoyed a banquet in the Legion Hall on the evening preceding Remembrance Day.

REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICES

Despite the pouring rain, people gathered at the cenotaph yesterday morning for the annual Remembrance Day services.

The parade led by standard bearers, Cleve and Borden Dawson, and consisting of members of the RCMP, the Legion, Ladies Auxiliary, Boy Scouts and Girl Guides marched to the cairn. Following the singing of "O Canada," and the reading of the roll call, the wreath from the Legion was laid by President A. Reynolds. Rev. J. R. Hewitt led in prayer and wreaths were laid by members of various local organizations. Mr. Miller represented the Wood-fibre Legion; Mrs. W. Evans, the Ladies Auxiliary; Frank Buckley, the village; Rowley Wheatly, the BPOE; Mrs. Antosh, the ORP; E. Carson, the Masons; Mrs. Morrison, Eastern Star; Mrs. Harrison, St. John's W.A.; Mrs. E. Carson, Ladies Aid; Mrs. P. Brennan, the Altar Society; Mrs. Caldwell, the PTA; June Frost, the Students Council; Mrs. Tutin, the Women's Institute; Maurie Bruntjen, the CGIT; and Iris Axen, Girl Guides.

After the Last Post sounded the parade was reformed and marched to PGE hall where the two minute silence was observed. Rev. J. R. Hewitt gave a scripture reading and Rev. C. H. Gibbs led the group in prayer. Pupils from Grades three and four sang "In Flanders Fields."

Canon Bird delivered an address on the meaning of Remembrance Day to those who are left behind.

TRADE BOARD HOLDS MEETING

The Squamish and District Board of Trade at its regular meeting last week heard a report on the meeting with the Public Works Department engineers who recently visited Squamish.

G. M. Behrner said that the condition of Pilchuck bridge and the S-curve are being looked into, as is the matter of the return of the large grader to Squamish.

The engineers said that the road near the small boat harbor will be widened if there are any monies left over after Cleveland avenue between the PGE offices and the post office is lowered.

The board urged that work be done on the Upper Squamish road which is in danger of being washed out, and repeated the request that the large grader be returned.

Some members of the group felt that the Squamish Valley Development committee, formed about five years ago, had caused delays in timber and property sales in the valley, and after some discussion the board decided to write to the Minister of Lands and Forests, requesting that the committee be abolished.

Mrs. Brandvold said that in a recent discussion with the editor of the West Vancouver News, a special issue which will feature the Squamish-Vancouver highway, was mentioned and she said that the publication wished to have a statement from the board regarding the highway. An article featuring Garibaldi Park will be in this issue.

Mr. G. S. Clarke outlined to the board some of the work and responsibilities involved in operating a small boat harbor.

A nominating committee consisting of G. S. Clarke and G. R. Dent was formed.

The Cradle

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Edmonds of Creekside, on Saturday, November 7.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Dyke, on Tuesday, November 10, a daughter.

SPEED LIMIT REDUCED

The village commissioners at their regular meeting last Tuesday evening stated that the ditch along the lane, recently opened between Cleveland Avenue and Second street has been completed. This will drain the lots along Cleveland Avenue which formerly drain into the slough behind. Three of the owners of lots on Second Street have had the portion of the slough on their lots filled in.

The speed limit on Pemberton Road between Cleveland Avenue and the Red Bridge has been reduced from thirty miles per hour to twenty, due to the narrowness of the road and the number of children who live along it. Signs stating the new speed limit have been erected.

LUMBER MARKET MAY GET BETTER

Just as the U.S. Atlantic coast market, all-important recently to Pacific coast shippers, began to ease back, and when hemlock became a drug on the market, UK orders for hemlock came through unexpectedly in sufficient volume to improve very substantially what could have been a dangerous situation for B.C. More recently there has been a firmer tone in the U.S. market. A feeling exists that lumber may have bottomed and moved up in a shorter time than most observers had thought possible. Next few weeks should tell whether this is a minor rise in a major decline or a fundamental turn in the market after more than a year and a half of recession.—B.C. News Letter.

W.I. WHIST DRIVE

Mrs. H. Dyke won the quilt at the Brackendale Women's Institute whist drive, held in the Institute hall recently.

Mrs. I. Thorne and Mr. Nick Candy won the first prizes and consolation prizes went to Mrs. H. Dyke and Mr. F. Golaiy. J. Riis won the door prize.

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Local and Personal

Winners at last Saturday's whist drive were Mrs. Dawe and Joe Finegai.

Mr. and Mrs. D. DeBeck and the girls spent the weekend in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Street went to Chilliwack on Tuesday to attend the Chilliwack Riding Club's banquet.

Mrs. L. Higgins has been visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. P. Brennan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hunter spent the weekend in Vancouver.

Don't forget that "Macbeth" is being presented in the high school auditorium to-night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gulewich and Marvin, Miss Eleanor Mark and Mr. Johnny Bergman, all of Vancouver, spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Aldridge.

Miss Betty Carson has been appointed chief operator at the local telephone exchange.

Mr. William Barr of Seattle and formerly of Winnipeg, spent a few days in Squamish last week.

Mr. John Daykin will conduct the Sunday evening service at the United Church in the absence of Rev. J. Hewitt, who will be preaching at Woodfibre.

Isabelle Buchanan spent the weekend here visiting her parents.

Mrs. W. Caulfield is in Vancouver where she will undergo an operation.

Beverley Bazley was up from Vancouver for the weekend, visiting her parents.

Mr. K. M. Richardson was in Vancouver last week and during his visit spent a day in court where he sat on the bench with Magistrate Oscar Orr.

FIRST AID CLASSES STARTED THIS WEEK

The men's first aid classes started on Monday evening with eighteen men enrolled to take the course.

Some of those enrolled are taking the course for the first time and others are working for their medallions and the bars for their medallions. Two of the high school boys, Alan and Bill Dent, are working for medallions, which are awarded after passing the third term tests. This will set a record for high school students. Once a medallion has been obtained, a bar is added for each extra year of study.

Anyone wishing to take the course may still do so by enrolling at the next class in the dining room of the Community hall on Monday at 8 p.m.

Advertise that coming event.

Two more deer have been killed in the valley recently. Johnny Drenka got one more than a week ago and Pat Brennan got a nice two-point last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. MacGinnis of Vancouver spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cosman.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Carson were in Vancouver over the weekend.

The St. John's WA bazaar will be held in the Parish hall on Tuesday, November 17.

Mr. K. J. Robinson spent a few days in Squamish last week.

Constable Fleetwood has now been promoted to a corporal. Congratulations.

Mr. Don Ross, the new school board secretary, has arrived and is learning the office routine from Miss Bowling, who leaves at the end of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Gross spent a few days in Vancouver.

Dan Munro and Glenn Valde were home from UBC over the weekend, visiting their parents.

Gwen Wells, who is going to Normal School in Vancouver, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Wells.

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It All Takes Time

We have often heard it said that nothing ever changes in Squamish. Don't you believe it. On another page of this issue you will find a column containing the highlights of the issue published three years ago.

You will note that three of the projects under discussion at that time are now either completed or well on their way to completion. Many of the organizations working for the benefit of the community never seem to get any recognition for the amount of work they do, and too few people realize how long it takes for many of the improvements needed in a town to pass through the discussion and project stages to reality.

Perhaps this little column which will remind you of the time when many of the things we now take for granted were only ideas. It may also remind you of the way that various groups are working for the betterment of the town and refresh your memory of the way things used to be before the improvements were made.

Remember the old telephone system, the old post-office and the wooden sidewalks? All the local developments which have made Squamish a much better place in which to live have taken time but they have come.

TELEVISION RECEPTION IS NOT PROMISING HERE

Canadian Aviation Electronics Ltd., the company which is now servicing the Squamish Towing's two way radios, sent representatives up here last week to service these two-way radios. While they were in Squamish they also brought in a testing unit to see if this area could receive television broadcasts. At the present time prospects don't look any too promising for television reception here.

The company will make another test here in the near future.

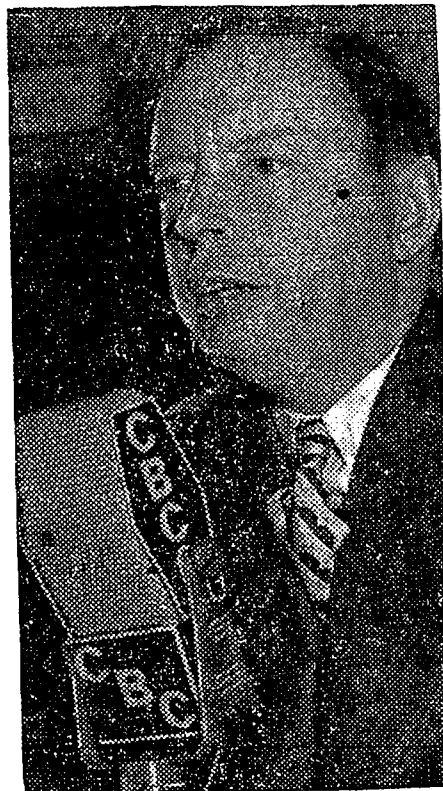
Police Court

The following case appeared before stipendary magistrate K. M. Richardson in police court in Squamish last week.

On November 4th, Harvey Derick, of Pemberton charged with possession of wash suitable for distilling spirits, was fined two hundred and fifty dollars and costs.

On November 9th, Lawrence H. Fordyce of Britannia Beach appeared before stipendary magistrate Paul Powell charged with causing a disturbance by being drunk and swearing, was fined twenty dollars and costs.

Foster Hewitt



When the 1953-54 hockey season got under way, Foster Hewitt, Canada's best-known sports commentator celebrated his 23rd year of broadcasting play-by-play accounts of the great Canadian sport.

His vivid descriptions of the NHL games from Maple Leaf Gardens are heard each week during the winter months by an estimated audience of five million sports fans in Canada and the United States. By way of the exciting voice on CBC networks, Saturday night has truly become "Hockey Night in Canada".

Hi-School Hi-Lites

The recreation during noon hours consists of house games senior boys and girls basketball practice and ping-pong.

The houses are divided into four groups, senior boys and girls and junior boys and girls. The teams are allotted five points for the winner and three for the loser of each game.

At the beginning of the term the houses started playing volleyball games and this lasted for one month, giving every house an opportunity to play each other in their own age division.

Since then our time has been spent on basketball. These games give the juniors as well as the seniors, good practice. The games are held on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Tuesday and Thursday are the days for the senior practices. On Tuesday, all the boys interested in being on the senior team turn out and learn plays of all sorts. On Thursday, the senior girls have their practice.

Each class has a day when they can use the ping-pong table and this is greatly appreciated by the pupils.

These games encourage

sportsmanship and a sense of honor in helping their teams to win points.

Bev Kennedy, corr.



SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "TENDER FOR FLOAT RENEWAL, STUART ISLAND, B.C.", will be received in the office of the Secretary, until 3.00 p.m. (E.S.T.), WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1953.

Plans, form of contract and specification can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, at the office of the District Engineer, Post Office, New Westminster, B.C., and at the Post Offices at Stuart Island, Victoria, Vancouver and Nanaimo, B.C.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on or according to those printed forms supplied by the Department and in accordance with the regulations set forth therein.

Each tender must be accompanied by a certified cheque on a chartered bank in Canada, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, or Bearer Bonds as specified in the form of tender, for 10% of the amount of the tender.

Note: Upon application to the undersigned, the Department will supply blue-prints and specification of the work on deposit of a sum of \$10.00, in the form of a certified bank cheque payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works. The deposit will be released on the return of the blue-prints and specification within one month of the date of reception of tenders. If not returned within that period the deposit will be forfeited.

ROBERT FORTIER, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, November 2, 1953.

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SUFFERS LEG INJURIES PLAYS CANCELLED

Doug Rudy is in hospital here with torn ligaments in his left leg as a result of an accident in the PGE hall on Tuesday morning.

Assisted by S. W. Harrison and B. Dafoe, Mr. Rudy was attempting to lower the stage in preparation for the Armistice Day ceremonies, when it got out of control and dropped to the flooring, hitting Mr. Rudy as it fell.

The stage is very heavy and requires more than three men to lower it in safety.

Neil Chotem



Noted conductor, composer, arranger and pianist, Neil Chotem, is again busy with plans for one of his many musical assignments for the CBC. Equally at home with jazz, originating with his RCAF days, or in the concert hall with Bach, Beethoven or Chopin, the versatile music-director is also the composer of "Song of Solomon", which was broadcast on a CBC Wednesday Night.

At present he is concentrating his efforts on the "Voice of the Army" show which returned to the air after its summer vacation recently. It can be heard Wednesday and Friday evenings on the CBC Dominion network.

Mr. W. C. Moore, MLA for Comox, stopped in Squamish for a brief visit with Miss A. Bowling last week, while on his way north on a speaking tour.

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Through no fault of the executive or directors it has been found necessary to cancel the dramatic presentation on the evening of Friday, November 27.

An apology is extended to all those who have given so freely of their time and energy to no purpose.

A meeting of the club will be held in the Parish hall on Monday, November 16, at 7:30 p.m. to discuss the future of the organization.

SCHOOL MEETING

The annual school meeting will be held in the high school cafeteria on Saturday, November 14 at 7:30 p.m.

A report on the year's work in this school district will be given. Everyone is welcome.

THIS WEEK--THREE YEARS AGO

In this week's issue, taken from the files of our first year of publication, three years ago, the top stories were the commencement of work on the cut-off on the Britannia highway and the post-office moving into its new building.

The board of trade was asking to have the school sidewalk repaired and urged the construction of the small boat harbor as soon as possible, in view of the fact that several fishing boats were damaged in recent storms.

Many people are using the
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DENTISTRY

Dr. L. King Grady

of Vancouver, will be in Squamish at the

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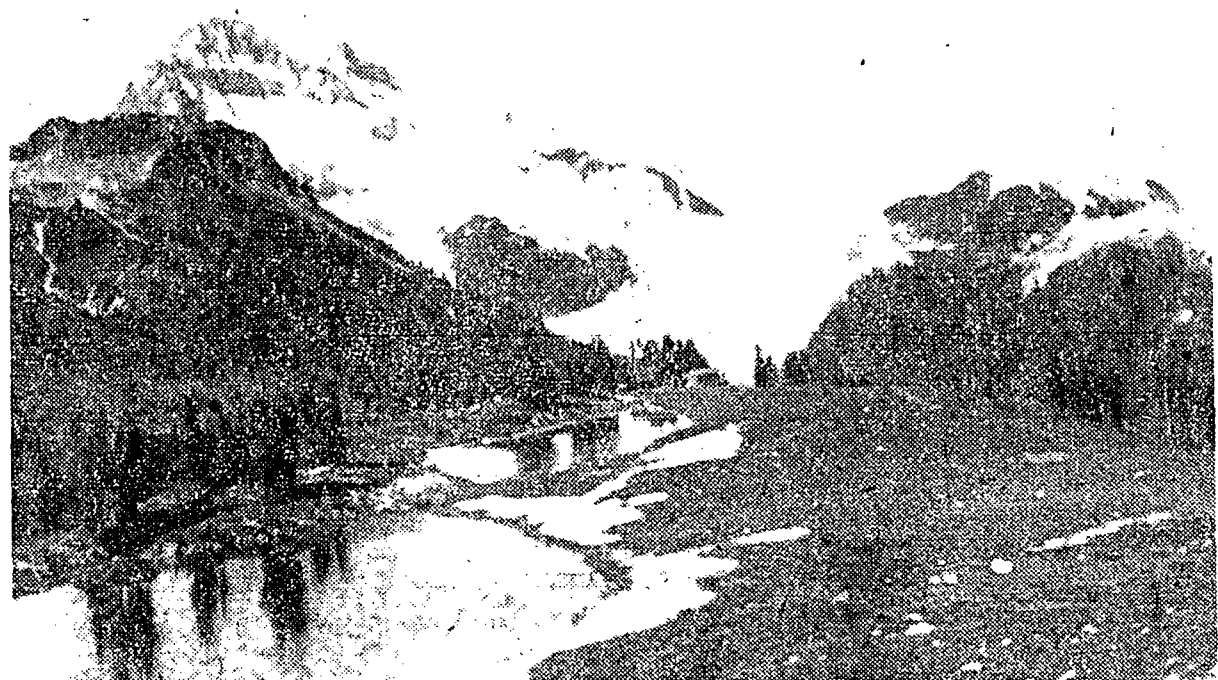
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Summer Scene In Garibaldi Park



There's about six feet of fresh snow on this scene at Diamond Head (shown in the picture above) and in Black Tusk meadows. Snows reach a depth of 30 feet at Diamond Head and this present, the skiing season should soon begin. Some of the finest ski country in B.C. is found in Garibaldi Park, at feet at Diamond Head and this snowy meadows, makes it a winter paradise.