

# THE SQUAMISH ADVANCE

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## STORMS HIT SQUAMISH AREA

March came in like a lion this week. Winds and snow flurries ushered in the traditionally blustery month and this should mean it will end with better weather.

Heavy storms over the week ended in snow here Sunday night and about six inches fell. A Squamish wind blew on Friday and Saturday and on Saturday night the Bonabelle tried to make its scheduled run to Squamish but was forced to turn back to Horseshoe Bay.

The stormy weather continued on Monday when high winds combined with snow, rain and hail, were most unpleasant. Roads were icy on Monday morning, making driving hazardous and the storms disrupted local telephone communications especially up the valley.

Last month's rainfall was five nine-tenths inches and there were eight inches of snow. The highest temperature was fifty degrees on February 14 and the low of thirteen degrees above on Sunday, Feb. 27. Rainfall and snow this year is considerably less than 1954.

## Annual Meeting Here Tonight

The Squamish Recreational Association will hold its annual meeting tonight in the Parish hall.

Included on the agenda are the election of officers, reports of various committees and the presentation of the 1954 Good Citizenship award. Entertainment, films and refreshments will complete the evening.

## SEEKS LARGE SUM FOR PARK ROADS

Chief Justice Sloan scrutinized provincial park reserves in the forestry commission hearing at Victoria last week. He indicated that he favored the practice of charging entry fees for people visiting parks.

E. G. Oldham presented a brief recommending spending of three million dollars on parks during the next ten years.

The chief justice said that he felt there should be some way of settling this heavy outlay by bringing in revenue and advocated the imposition of admission fees, such as those charged in the U.S.

Included in the forester's estimates for expenditures was an item of \$300,000 for roads in Garibaldi Park.

## SQUAMISH HOSPITAL MAKES ANNUAL REPORT

The Squamish General Hospital in an annual report on the number of patients revealed that there was a total of 6,064 patient-days in 1954, approximately seventeen patients per day.

There were 568 adult and children in-patients in the hospital during the year and a total of four hundred and ninety out patients were treated. There were eighty-two births, forty three from Squamish and Valley.

September was the record month with the greatest number of patients in hospital. There were five hundred and thirty-three patient days excluding babies.

## WILL BLACK-TOP CITY STREETS

The village commissioners at a meeting last week set the mill rate for the year and made appropriations for the work planned for the coming summer. The mill rate will remain at 17 mills, the same as in the past.

Appropriations include twenty five hundred dollars towards the purchase of a fire truck; one thousand dollars to pay costs for a qualified engineer's report on a drainage plan for the village and two thousand dollars for landscaping and planting the village park site and municipal hall grounds.

Largest appropriation is fifteen thousand dollars for black-topping, to be done this summer. Streets to be done are Main St. from Cleveland to Third; 2nd from Main to Winnipeg; Britannia Avenue, and as much of Wilson Crescent as can be completed with the remainder of the money appropriated. The pavement will be eighteen feet wide, the same width as the work done last summer.

Considerable gravelling will also be done this year. Second Street will be completed as a gravel road from Main to Vancouver Streets; Newport St. will be widened and gravelled from Britannia Avenue to Madding and Third Street will be graded for one hundred and fifty feet through to Main St.

There was a discussion concerning a side-walk program, but if this had been completed, black-topping could not have been done as there would not be sufficient money left to bring in a company to do enough work to justify the expense. The commissioners also felt that black-topping these streets is an economy measure as they require so much gravel and grading, and that paving will eliminate this continual expense.

## New Business for Valley

The newest business in the valley, Lipsey's Grocers, opened on Tuesday, March 1st. Situated on Government Road just north of the Mamquam Bridge, the store will carry a full stock of groceries, fresh meats, and fresh fruits and

## MAN KILLED IN MINE ACCIDENT

Abe Loeppky, aged 24, a miner employed by Britannia Mining and Smelting Co. at Britannia Beach, was killed in a mining accident on Monday afternoon. He was crushed by a falling rock in the mine. An inquest will be held.

Mr. Loeppky leaves a mother and brother in Manitoba and a brother in Agassiz.

## B.C.'s Red Cross Army on March

British Columbia's huge Red Cross Army, which numbers every fourth person in this province as a supporter of the Society, is preparing to march again.

Under Col. W. G. Swan, chairman, the B.C. 1955 campaign will be carried on during March in conjunction with all other Red Cross appeals in North America. Assisting Col. Swan will be Admiral Victor Brodeur. Objective for B.C. this year has been set at \$631,300.

"There is no other organization in the world with the background and scope of the Red Cross, states Col. Swan. "Regardless of color, race or creed, it stands prepared for every emergency whether it is disaster at home or assistance to fighting men on the world's battlefields. It acts as an intermediary in international emergencies or becomes a sympathetic comforter to the individual at home. When you support the Red Cross, you assure ready assistance wherever the Red Cross ensign flies."

Col. Swan, one of Canada's outstanding engineers, who succeeds Hon. E. W. Hamber for seven years B.C. campaign chairman, has had a long connection with the B.C. Red Cross. A member of the provincial executive for eight years, he was chairman of the first Blood Donor committee in Canada, pioneering this miracle service which has contributed millions of dollars in free blood to the people of British Columbia.

vegetables.

The business has been started by Mrs. G. Lipsey, who worked for the Economy Grocers for more than a year.

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## Local and Personal

Ruth Jordan is in Vancouver taking a course at the Carlyle schools.

Miss Edwards, who recently returned from a trip to England, has gone to Bralorne to nurse at the hospital there.

Neil Goodale was home from Esquimalt for the weekend.

Mr. J. R. Morrison was down from Prince George and spent a few days in Squamish.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Smith spent the weekend in Vancouver.

Mrs. R. Donnelly visited relations in Port Moody last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lassman have returned to Squamish after spending a month in Vancouver with their daughter Mrs. E. Jackson.

Mr. George Cmolik of Kelowna spent the weekend here visiting his three sisters, Mrs. E. Antosh, Mrs. R. Lampert, and Mrs. C. F. McKinnon.

Winners at last Saturday's whist drive were Joyce Turnquist and Vince Moran.

Mr. A. B. Mackenzie has returned home after being in hospital in Vancouver.

Friends of Mrs. R. Bowles surprised her with a baby shower at her home on Tuesday, February 22.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hales and Steven have moved to Williams Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bishop of Vancouver were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allan MacDonald.

June Malm has joined the staff at the telephone office.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Barr returned this week from their trip to Arizona.

Mr. B. Bowden and Leanne are spending a holiday with relatives in Vancouver.

Roberta Slack and David Axen are the two Squamish students who will attend the annual High School conference at UBC this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Ross and the children spent the week-end in Langley visiting their parents.

Mr. Jim Tinney spent the week-end in Vancouver.

Bobby Skerrat entertained a group of his friends at a party on Sunday to celebrate his seventh birthday.

Mr. Fassler and Bertha went in to Vancouver for the week-end.

Mrs. Laddy is up from Lulu Island visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Skarzynski.

An honored guest at the Trudeau-Bazley wedding last week was the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Matthews, who celebrated her 73rd birthday that day. A special cake was served at the reception to mark the occasion.

The local chapter, Order of Eastern Star is collecting old aluminum car licence plates. These will be shipped to Vancouver for salvage and proceeds will go to the chapter's free cancer fund. These plates may be left at either garage or with Squamish Stages.

Parents of the "B" Cub Pack and the Scouts attended Cub and Scout meetings last week and saw their boys go through a meeting. Parents of the "A" Pack will attend next Tuesday's meeting.

Members of the groups interested in forming a Square Dancing Club in Squamish met on Tuesday evening to discuss it. They hope to call a general meeting of all persons interested later this month, and to have films and a square dance group from Britannia here to demonstrate some of it.

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Palmer and Anderson have bought a new hearse, a Packard, which was purchased in Ladysmith.

### Trudeau---Bazley

Beverly Anne Bazley and Dale Harvey Trudeau were the principals in a quiet wedding at First United Church on Saturday, February 26, at 7:30 p.m. The bride is the younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Bazley of Squamish while the groom is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Morrison of Vancouver.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a grey suit with pink accessories and an orchid corsage. Her sole attendant, her sister Mrs. Harold Halvorson, also wore a grey suit, with blue accessories. Harold Halvorson was best man.

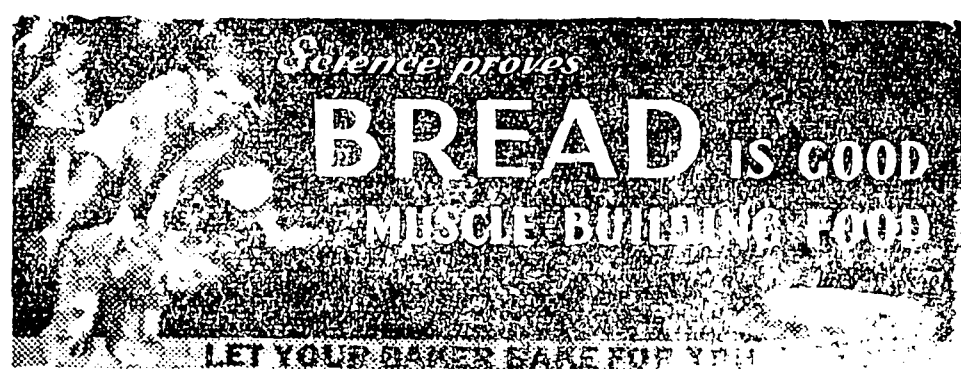
A small reception at the Ritz Hotel followed the ceremony. The young couple will live in Squamish.

### Police Court

On February 26, Michael Leftruck appeared before stipendiary magistrate K. Richardson, charged with creating a disturbance. He pleaded guilty and was fined thirty-five dollars and costs.

Starting Wednesday, Feb. 9

Tony's Barber Shop will be open from 9:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Sharp



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## Recipes

### Salmon or Halibut Steaks

Wipe fish with a damp cloth. Place on a pre-heated broiling pan. Brush the steaks with melted fat and place two to four inches from the source of heat depending on the oven. Frozen steaks need not be thawed, simply place six to eight inches from the source of heat.

When the steaks are browned on one side, season and turn; then brush with melted fat and brown the other side and season. Allow ten minutes per inch thickness of fresh fish and about twenty minutes per inch thickness for frozen steaks.

### Tuna Omelet

2 tbsps. butter  
 1 6½ oz. tin tuna  
 6 eggs  
 ¼ cup milk  
 1 tbsp. chopped parsley  
 ½ tsp. salt

Melt butter in frying pan, add flaked tuna and heat thoroughly. Beat the eggs well and add the milk, parsley and salt. Pour this over the tuna and cook over a low heat until the eggs set. Serve immediately.

YIELD: six servings.

Advertise that coming event.

## Garibaldi

Mr. W. Judd has returned from a visit to relatives in Vancouver.

Parents and friends are invited to the school on Wednesday, March 9, to observe the pupils in their classes.

Color slides were shown here last week. FO G. McFarlane sent a collection of scenic slides to be shown at the school.

The pupils who are playing in the school band are doing very well and have learned several pieces.

Two new engines have arrived for Mannix. They are for use in the tunnel. Considerable blasting is also being done.

### Coming Events

—Home Cooking Sale, Saturday, Mar. 5, at 2 p.m. in G. Aalten's office. Sponsored by the Brackendale W. I.

—Credit Union Annual Meeting, 8 p.m., Thursday, March 10, Legion Hall. Films will be shown. Refreshments served. Everybody welcome.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our many friends and relatives for their kind expressions of sympathy and beautiful flowers in our recent bereavement.

Mrs. Webster and Family

## Frances Hyland



This pretty, rather piquant girl who seems about to speak has made a big name for herself by doing just that—speaking; on the stage, on radio and on television. She is Frances Hyland, Saskatchewan-born actress who went to England to study (and starred in several London productions), then returned to Canada to take leading roles in two of the plays presented at the 1954 Stratford Shakespeare Festival.

Now CBC listeners and viewers can get to know her voice, for she is just beginning what will be a bright career on radio and TV. She has had major roles on radio's "CBC Wednesday Night", and "GM Theatre" and "Scope" on CBC television.

### Announcement

The floor plan for the March 18th St. Patrick's Cabaret is on display at the Record Shop. Seat and table reservations may be made there.

## P.W.D. MAY REPAIR MAMQUAM BRIDGE

Mr. Beaumont of the Public Works Department visited Squamish recently. A survey was made of the Mamquam Bridge site and the condition of the bridge was thoroughly investigated.

Considerable work will be done on the Mamquam River channel above the bridge this summer.

## EDUCATION WEEK

For many parents the week of March 6-12 is the time to pay an annual visit to a school to see Education in action. Squamish Elementary-Senior High School is holding open day on Wednesday, March 9, and all those interested in present day education are invited to come to the school on Wednesday afternoon or evening. During the afternoon, regular classes will be held so that visitors may observe the normal teaching in to-day's school.

During the evening a program is planned at the high school consisting of a conducted tour of the elementary and high school exhibits, display of marching routines by majorettes and a public meeting. The public meeting will consist of a contest between parents and students in debating, spelling and quiz contest. The debate subject deals with the present "three stream" educational program now in vogue in England.

Everyone is cordially invited to come to the school on Wednesday, March 9th, during the afternoon or evening. Refreshments will be served by the Parent Teacher Association.

## Popular Ski Resort



Increasingly popular among those who desire to visit a "different" kind of ski resort, is Diamond Head Chalet in Garibaldi Park, close to Squamish.

A group of Vancouver skiers went up last week and reservations are already coming in for the Easter season when skiing conditions will be excellent.

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## WATER DAMAGE TO HIGH SCHOOL

Considerable water damage was done to the classroom wing of the Squamish High School on Sunday afternoon. Fortunately Mr. Edwards discovered the leaking pipes shortly after the flooding started and prevented what might have been a major repair job. The break occurred in the upstairs washroom and water leaked through the ceiling to the downstairs room causing most of the damage in the typing room.

## Local and Personal

The new officers of the Legion and the Ladies Auxiliary were installed at a special ceremony in the Legion hall last Friday. Zone commander J. O. L. Lake officiated. A social evening followed.

Students from Notre Dame School in Vancouver visited Squamish High School on Friday of last week. Two basketball games were played. Our boys won but the girls lost.

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## CHAMPIONSHIP GAME TO BE BROADCAST

The final game in the world hockey championships will be broadcast on Sunday, March 6, at 12 noon over the CBC. The game between the Penticton V's and Russia will be the crucial one and so far both teams have defeated every team they have played.

The broadcast will be sponsored by Imperial Oil, which brings you the regular Saturday night NHL games and will be heard over all the stations which carry those games.

The Rod and Gun Club will hold a trap shoot at Binning's Bar this Sunday, March 6.

## Classified Ads

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## Annual Meeting

of the

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in the

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Films

Refreshments

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## Squamish Hospital BOARD OFFICIALS Auxiliary Meeting VISIT VICTORIA

At the annual meeting of the Squamish Hospital Auxiliary, held last Thursday the following officers were elected:

President, Mrs. E. Stathers; vice-president, Mrs. W. Gedge; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. Jas. Smith; secretary, Mrs. R. McCulloch; treasurer, Mrs. Thos. Clarke. Mrs. Behner, Mrs. Gedge, Mrs. Moon and Mrs. Stathers were appointed to the sick and visiting committees.

## FIREMEN ATTENDING CLASSES THIS WEEK

A six-day course of instruction for local firemen, and a civil defense course are being conducted at the school this week. The firemen and others meet for three-hour classes

J. Otterbine, chairman of the school board, Inspector H. D. Stafford and F. D. Ross, secretary-treasurer, met with auditors of the Department of Education in Victoria on Monday for a routine audit of the budget as prepared by the trustees.

The department could not give assurances regarding the amounts of money forthcoming, as this is dependent on the overall provincial picture. The board will be advised regarding this by March 10 and then there will be a meeting with representatives from the school attendance area.

each evening.

Three representatives from the Fire Marshal's Department in Vancouver are conducting the course.

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