HANSEN GOES UP FOR TRIAL

Committed This Morning by Magistrate McLeod and Defence Evidence Reserved

Hagbert Hansen, charged with the theft of $4,000 from the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Company on July 23, was committed for trial by Magistrate McLeod in the city police court this morning. Accused will elect for trial either in the county court or at the next Assizes before Judge Young.

L. W. Patmore, counsel for the defence, reserved evidence.

Yesterday's Evidence

The preliminary hearing was continued in the city police court yesterday afternoon.

T. H. Johnson, general manager of the Cold Storage plant, Provincial Constable Fred Markland, Shelford Darton, accountant at the Cold Storage, and Robt. Blance, marine superintendent, gave evidence. Milton Gonzales, appeared for the prosecution and L. W. Patmore defended.

The first witness called was T. H. Johnson, general manager of the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Company who stated that he had been present during a conversation between J. W. Nicholls, comptroller of the company, and the accused, Capt. Hensen. In reply to a question by prosecuting counsel, witness stated that accused had no right to use any money given him by the company for any other purpose than for buying fish. During the conversation alluded to, Capt. Hansen had given an intelligent story of the robbery, and he (witness) had been present on the evening of July 23 when Provincial Sergeant Hannah had had a conversation over the telephone when accused was on the extension.

Constable's Evidence

Constable Fred Markland stated that, acting upon instructions, he had gone to the Cold Storage on the afternon of July 24 to make some investigations with regard to the robbery from the Chief Zibassa. Upon arriving at the plant he had met Capt. Hansen and they had gone into the captain's stateroom on the boat where they had a talk. The first part of the conversation had been between themselves but later in the presence of certain members of the crew. Capt. Hansen's story was that he (accused) thought he had $4,000 which he had taken down to the boat with him the morning before. Accused had checked it over and found it to be $5 short, which left the total amount at $3,995.00. This money he had put into the cash box. According to witness' memory, accused had said that the cash box was locked but could not be definite on that point. The cash box had been put into a drawer and the door locked with a hasp and lock on it. Accused said he came out of the cabin, locked his stateroom door and went home to get the $5 short. Capt. Hansen had been absent about three-quarters of an hour. Upon his return to the boat he found that the drawer had been "jimmied" open and the box was gone. Witnes had asked accused in what denominations of currency the amount of money lost had been made up.

Capt. Hansen had not been excited during the conversation. A piece of wood taken from the forced door of the cabin containing the hasp and lock had been given to witness by the captain, also two screwdrivers from the boat, which had been in the constable's possession since the robbery.

Questioned by Mr. Patmore, witness said that neither of the screwdrivers aboard the boat had been used to take off the hasp.

L. W. Patmore: "You do not think the screwdrivers had been used for forcing the hasp off?" Witness: "It is hard to say as certain marks on the wood might correspond with one of them."

L. W. Patmore: "Is there not some two-bitted tool which might have made the impression seen on the piece of wood?" Witness answered the question by demonstrating how he thought the hasp had been loosened. Accused had told witness that he locked the door before he came out.

Accountant's Evidence

Shelford Darton, accountant at the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage plant, was the next witness called. He stated he had been accountant for the Cold Storage Company for some nine years and had known the accused for a little over two years. During that time the accused had been buying fish for the company. Witness identified a company check for $4,000 which had been given to the accused on April 20 last for the purpose of purchasing fish, and explained how the financing of the fish buyers was done. Mr. Darton identified certain checks paid to accused by the company for fish brought into the plant during the present season. He had been in charge of the keys and cash boxes furnished to the boats and outside the key he had there were only two keys and two cash boxes out on July 23, one to Capt. Hansen and one to T. Moorehouse, storekeeper on the Chief Zibassa.

When the cash box had been recovered from the bottom of the harbor by the diver, witness had counted the contents which amounted to $107.00.

After counting the money he had handed the cash box and contents to the provincial police. In reply to questions put to him by prosecuting counsel, witness stated his lunch hour was between 1 and 2 p.m. Since Capt. Hansen had been with the company he had been going to lunch at 1 o'clock. He had seen accused in the general office at the Cold Storage plant on July 23 when he (Capt. Hansen) had come up with F. Cameron, second engineer on the Chief Zibassa, concerning some workmen's compensation paper in connection with an accident which had occurred to Cameron. Witness had then told Capt. Hansen that he could return the money right away as he could check the money over at any time, to which the accused had replied "all right." That had been about 11 a.m. Mr. Darton said it would take about two minutes to reach the Chief Zibassa from the office. After the conversation Capt. Hansen went out of the office and he (witness) had not seen him again that day. During the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. on July 23 the accused could have turned in the money at any time to witness.

On July 23 when accused had said he was short $5 he had approximately half a month's wages due to him amounting to $72.50.

On the afternoon of the robbery accused had gone into his office and said "you had better telephone the police, I have been robbed." Accused then went on to explain that he had brought the money down with him that morning and after counting it over found it $5 short. As he had no money with him he went back to the house for the $5. He (accused) had put all the money he had into the cash box, locked it and put it into the drawer which he also locked. When he came back for the money he found the door open and that the lock on the drawer had been forced open. Witness had telephoned to Mr. Johnson and to Mr. Nicholls, and that Mr. Nicholls came into the office while he was telephoning and he (witness) immediately reported the robbery to Mr. Nicholls, who then took the matter over. Witness stated that accused had earned some $90 this year in commissions.

L. W. Patmore: "What do you pay the commission for?"

Witness: The commission is paid on a basis of 60c per thousand pounds for fish brought to the plant in good condition."

L. W. Patmore: "Did you know that Hansen received any tips or gratuities in connection with his work?"

Witness: "No."

Some argument between defence counsel and witness occurred when the former asked a question as to whether Capt. Hansen had ever turned in less money that he owed the company. Witness stated Capt. Hansen had not owed the company anything.

L. W. Patmore: "It was very easy to get a key to open the cash box."

Witness: "Yes."

The cash box contained a common lock the key of which would open eight boxes.

Capt. Hansen had turned in several receipts to the company for provisions purchased for the boat.

Blance Gives Evidence

Robt. Blance, marine superintendent for the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Company, was the next witness called. In his evidence he stated that he was in charge of the keys of the various boats when tied up at the dock, and that Capt. Hansen had a key to the pilot house and stateroom on the Chief Zibassa. Outside of Capt. Hansen no member of the crew had a key either to the pilot house or the stateroom. A key similar to the one used by Capt. Hansen for locking the pilot house on the boat was produced and identified by witness. Witness had seen the accused on the wharf at the Cold Storage the day before the robbery. He (witness) had received instructions from Mr. Nicholls to have the stores in charge of T. Moorehouse taken from the Chief Zibassa. He had met Capt. Hansen and told him of this and asked him (accused) if he had turned in his money. The captain had said he had not turned in the money so witness told him to bring it down and turn it in. This was between 4.30 and 5 p.m. on July 22. Subsequent to the robbery Capt. Hansen had come down to the plant and had asked witness "how" he (Capt. Hansen) stood with the company. Witness had asked him what he meant, to which Capt. Hansen had replied "How do I stand for keeping the job until this matter is cleared up?"

Witness had said that even if he (accused) had not taken the money he had been so careless with it that he did not think he could retain his position. Capt. Hansen then admitted that all the captains had been careless with the money and said that on one occasion, owing to the confusion of changing from the Chief Zibassa, after she had broken down, to the Grier Starlett, he had left some of the money in his jacket pocket at home and did not discover it was missing until he got to Triple Island. As the fish were not running very plentifully he thought he would have sufficient money with him and did not return to get it. Witness had had no conversation with accused about borrowing money.

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BRINGING UP FATHER

By George McManus

ORGANIZATION OF NEW CLUB

Athletic Association in Connection With Naval Reserve Took Place Last Night.

The first general meeting of the newly formed Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve Athletic Association was held last night at the headquarters of the unit when the following officers were elected:

Hon. President — Lieut. R. P. Ponder, commanding R.C.N.V.R.

Chairman—T. A. Camm.

General Manager—Chief Petty Officer G. J. Dawes.

Secretary-Treasurer—W. Murray.

Executive Committee — Lieut. Walt. Hume, R. C. N. V. R., T. A. Camm, W. Murray, V. Glass and Geo. J. Dawes.

The objects of the association will be to encourage the spirit of manliness and good sportsmanship, particularly amongst the members of the association, and among the young people of Prince Rupert in general.

The sports will include football, swimming, indoor basketball, rifle shooting and boxing.

A constitution has been drawn up and rules formed.

SPORT CHAT

There is a very annoying tree leaning across the board walk on the way to the Salt Lakes, situated about half way between the landing stage and the lakes. It seems to be of no use and is certainly no ornament. On Sunday a man gave himself a severe bump on the head, narrowly missing his eye. It is very easy to run into the tree if one's vision is distracted for a moment. This is mentioned in the hope that one day someone will get the necessary authority and remove the fallen tree from protruding over the walk.

The Gyros and Grand Terminals are due for another clash in a Senior League baseball game tonight, and judging from the tightening up in the fielding of the latter team and the strenuous hitting abilities of the Gyros it should prove a drawing card to baseball fans. It is on the cards that the Grand Terminals will turn the tables on the slick batters in this game. But then the Gyros are watching points, too.

Only five men have ever accomplished the English Channel swim. Following is the list: 1875, Capt. Matthew Webb, 21 hours 45 minutes; 1911, T. W. Burgess, 22 hours, 45 minutes; 1923, H. F. Sullivan, 27 hours 2 minutes; 1923, Enrique Tiraboschi, 16 hours 35 minutes; 1922 Charles Toth, 16 hours 40 minutes.

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TO RENT

FOR RENT.—Larsen building at 171 Third Avenue East; six room modern flat with bathroom and workshop premises on street floor. Apply Hyde Transfer, 139 Second Avenue.

FOR RENT.—Two first class modern flats; Monarch ranges, water paid; one furnished. Westenhaver Bros.

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HOUSES for Rent.—Some are furnished. $20 and up. Apply 215 Fourth Avenue East.

FOR RENT.—Pianos, phonographs and sewing machines. Walker's Music Store.

FOR RENT.—Four room suite, hot water heated. Apply Smith & Mallet.

FOR RENT—Five room house, Seventh Avenue West. Phone 730. tf

MODERN HOUSE for rent—Five rooms and bath. Munro Bros.

LOST.

LOST—At St. Andrew's picnic, Digby Island, Sunday, boy's brown sweater. Finder please phone Blue 120.

utes.

Miss Gertrude Ederle, of New York, accomplished the swim last Friday in 14 hours 31 minutes, thereby creating a record for this distance.

BOARD AND ROOM.

BOARD. — The Inlander, 833 Second Avenue. Phone 137.

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	14.24 p.m.	19.0	ft.
Low	8.15 a.m.	3.3	ft.
	20.22 p.m.	7.2	ft.
Tuesday, August 10			
High	2.09 a.m.	20.1	ft.
	14.54 p.m.	19.2	ft.
Low	8.45 a.m.	3.4	ft.
	20.56 p.m.	6.8	ft.
Wednesday, August 11			
High	2.44 a.m.	20.1	ft.
	15.24 p.m.	19.3	ft.
Low	9.14 a.m.	3.7	ft.
	21.29 p.m.	6.7	ft.
Thursday, August 12			
High	3.20 a.m.	19.5	ft.
	15.55 p.m.	19.4	ft.
Low	9.43 a.m.	4.3	ft.
	22.03 p.m.	6.7	ft.

WATER NOTICE

Diversion and Use.

TAKE NOTICE that Standard Mines Corporation whose address is 626 Pender St. West, Vancouver, B. C., will apply for a license to take and use 2,000 miner's inches per day of water out of South Fork of McDames Creek, which flows easterly and drains into Dease River, about sixty miles north of Dease Lake.

The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about three miles up the South Fork from its mouth and will be used for mining purpose upon the hydraulic placer leases of McDames Creek.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 24th day of June, 1926.

A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the "Water Act, 1914," will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Telegraph Creek.

Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper.

The date of the first publication of this notice is July 15, 1926.

STANDARD MINES CORPORATION, Applicant.

By B. J. O'REILLY, Agent.

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TAKE NOTICE that Standard Mines Corporation, whose address is 626 Pender St. West, Vancouver, B. C., will apply for a license to take and use 2,000 miner's inches per day of water out of Third North Fork of McDames Creek, which flows easterly and drains into Dease River about sixty miles north of Dease Lake.

The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about two miles up Third North Fork from its mouth and will be used for mining purpose upon the hydraulic placer leases of McDames Creek.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 18th day of June, 1926.

A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the "Water Act, 1914," will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Telegraph Creek.

Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper.

The date of the first publication of this notice is July 15, 1926.

STANDARD MINES CORPORATION, Applicant.

By B. J. O'REILLY, Agent.

LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply to Lease

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situate in vicinity of Rose Spit, Graham Is. Queen Charlotte District.

TAKE NOTICE that Langara Fishing Packing Company, Limited, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation canners, intends to apply for a lease of the following described lands:—

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Lot No. 449; thence to low water mark; thence in a southeasterly direction two miles; thence southeasterly two chains; thence southwesterly two miles to point of commencement and containing 32 acres, more or less.

LANGARA FISHING & PACKING CO. LTD.

Per E. H. Simpson, Agent, Applicant.

Dated June 4, 1926.

MINERAL ACT.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

Big Canyon No. 2 Mineral Claim, situate in the Atlin Mining Division of Cassiar District. Where located: on Volcanic Creek (Vulcan Creek), adjoining and southwest of Big Canyon No. 2 Extension Mineral Claim (Lot 1171).

TAKE NOTICE that I, Ellen Mullen, Free Miner's Certificate No. 70738, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issue of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 1st day of June, A.D. 1926.

H. McN. FRASER, Agent.

MINERAL ACT.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

Big Canyon Mineral Claim, situate in the Atlin Mining Division of Cassiar District. Where located: Near Crater Creek and adjoining and northeast of the Big Canyon Extension Mineral Claim (Lot 1170).

TAKE NOTICE that I, John Mullen, Free Miner's Certificate No. 70738, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issue of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 1st day of June, A.D. 1926.

H. McN. FRASER, Agent.

MINERAL ACT.

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS

Black Smith Mineral Claim, situate in the Atlin Mining Division of Cassiar District. Where located: On Crater Creek, a tributary of Fourth of July Creek, adjoining the Garry Owen Mineral Claim on its southerly side.

TAKE NOTICE that I, Peter Gallin, Free Miner's Certificate No. 70856, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issue of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 1st day of June, A.D. 1926.

H. McN. FRASER, Agent.

LAND ACT.

Notice of Intention to Apply to Purchase Land.

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of Prince Rupert and situate at Ferguson Bay, Masset Inlet, Graham Island, Q.C.I.

TAKE NOTICE that Francis Millerd, of Prince Rupert, B. C., occupation cannery man, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—

Commencing at post planted at the N. W. corner of Lot 1371, Queen Charlotte Islands District, thence south 20 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north to High Water Mark; thence easterly along High Water Mark to point of commencement, and containing 80 acres, more or less.

FRANCIS MILLERD, Applicant.

Dated June 14th, 1926.