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# CASE OF CANNIBALISM ON HIGH SEAS

## ANOTHER SMITHERS MINE SOLD TO AMERICAN INTERESTS

### Japanese Whose Bodies Were Found on Fishing Smack Ate Eight Other Members of Crew

Clear case of cannibalism on board where the bones of victims are found by doctors of Port Townsend

PORT TOWNSEND, Nov. 2.—Dead of starvation despite the evidence that they had devoured the bodies of seven or eight of their shipmates, the last two to survive of the crew of the Japanese fishing boat Kiyi Yei Maru, 100 tons, arrived yesterday aboard a pilotless vessel after drifting with sea currents more than 4,000 miles from the coast of Japan.

Physicians from the United States quarantine station here said there was no question that cannibalism had been practiced by the last survivors. The bones of seven or eight human beings were found aboard.

### PLAN SCHOOLS THIS DISTRICT

### Both Anglicans and United Church Negotiating With Indian Department

In connection with the Church Army conference now being held in this city, it developed today that both the Anglican and United Churches are negotiating with the department of Indian affairs for the establishment of industrial schools in this district.

The Anglicans would like to have them either at Prince Rupert or Metlakatla but if one of the schools is established on the coast the other will probably be in the interior.

The Anglicans are also planning a school for native workers such as the one held in Saskatchewan which later developed into the University of Saskatchewan.

### CHANGES MADE ON P.G.E. LINE

### Deficit Cut Down Very Materially and Improvements and Betterments Made

Reduction in the operating expenses of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway to the extent of \$46,000 in the last nine months, substantial reductions in the management and supervision expenses; cutting down the deficit materially on the North Shore branch; carrying out a comprehensive program of improvements and betterments in brief is the result of the work of the new board of directors in the last nine months. When the new Board of Directors assumed control a little more than a year ago, the operation loss for the fiscal year then ending was \$274,971.

### FORMER CITY NURSE IS BRIDE IN EAST

Announcements Received of Marriage of Miss Tena Elizabeth Bailey, R.N., and Adam Kent

Announcements have been received in the city of the marriage in Ambertburg, Ontario, on October 19, of Miss Tena Elizabeth Bailey, R.N., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bailey, to Adam Kent. The bride during the year 1923-24 was a member of the graduate nursing staff of the Prince Rupert General Hospital.

### GERMAN PRINCE DIES

BERLIN, Nov. 2.—Prince George Wilhelm von Schoenich Carolath, son of Princess Ermine, stepson of the former Kaiser, died yesterday from injuries received in a motor cycle accident.

### NURSE IS BRIDE OF OSLAND MAN

Pretty Wedding Solemnized Quietly Last Evening on Mission Boat Northern Cross

A pretty but quiet wedding took place last evening on board the Anglican mission boat Northern Cross when Miss Hester Paulsen Jensen of New Westminster became the bride of Jonas Kristiansen of Osland. Canon W. F. Rushbrook officiated and witnesses were Bjorn Eydolfson, Capt. Arthur Casey of London, England, and Rev. W. Cooper of Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Kristiansen will take up residence at Osland where the groom has resided for many years and is well known. The bride is a graduate nurse and has been identified with the work of the Victorian Order of Nurses.

### STRANGLER CASE IS ON

Alleged Murderer of Two Winnipeg Women is Facing Jury Today

WINNIPEG, Nov. 2.—The trial of the alleged strangler who made such a sensation throughout the continent in summer has commenced here. The man is Earle Nelson who is charged with the murder last June of a Winnipeg woman, Mrs. Emily Patterson, and girl by the name of Lola Cowan.

Selection of the jury was completed this morning and the case is proceeding.

So great was the crush of those wishing to attend the trial that a few women sustained scratches and bruises when the court room doors opened this morning.



RUMANIA'S YOUNG KING enjoys a day at the seashore and loves to "dig in" like any other little boy.

### PRINCESS CHARLOTTE LIBEL SUIT POSTPONED TO FRIDAY THIS WEEK

KETCHIKAN, Nov. 2.—The libel suit against the Princess Charlotte was postponed for a third time yesterday when the attorney for the C.P.R. asked until Friday to file an answer to the Alaska Packers Co., who are demanding \$200,000 for towing the liner which went aground at Wrangell.

### WEATHER REPORT.

Stewart.—Part cloudy, west wind, temp. 33.  
Anyok.—Heavy rain, calm, temp. 40.  
Alice Arm.—Heavy rain, calm, temp. 42.  
Aiyansh.—Rain, calm, temp. 40.  
Roswood.—Cloudy, calm, temp. 38.  
Terrace.—Rain, calm, temp. 41.  
Hazelton.—Calm, temp. 32.  
Telegraph Creek.—Cloudy, calm, temp. 32.  
Smithers.—Cloudy, calm, temp. 33.  
Burns Lake.—Bright, calm, temp. 40.  
Whitehorse.—Clear, south wind, temp. 34.  
Dawson.—Cloudy, calm, temp. 14.

Watch for Tite's advertisement in tomorrow's paper of the biggest sacrifice of profits Prince Rupert has ever seen.

### Agenda for Interprovincial Conference is Completed by Federal Cabinet at Ottawa

OTTAWA, November 2.—The cabinet council has completed its agenda for the interprovincial conference which it is understood will include the following:

Senate reform and amendments to the British North America Act.

Determining the respective rights of the provinces and the federal government over water rights.

Blue sky legislation and the possible enactment of a federal law to set out more clearly the powers of companies incorporated under Dominion and provincial letters of incorporation.

Increased subsidies to the provinces.

Premier J. D. MacLean and Hon. A. M. Manson, the British Columbia representatives at the conference, have arrived here and have been in conference with Premier Mackenzie King and other ministers in regard to the agenda.

### PROPOSES TO SHIP COTTONWOOD LOGS BY PRINCE RUPERT

George Little of Terrace returned to the interior yesterday after a brief visit to the city for the purpose of interviewing local railway officials with a view to possibly arranging for the shipment by rail to Prince Rupert and thence south by water of a million feet of cottonwood timber to the mill at New Westminster of the Laminated Materials Ltd. The logs are at present boomed at Devil's Island in the Skeena River near Terrace. Some of such logs have already been rafted down the river to Phelan and there picked up by tugs but there has been some loss in that proceeding which rail shipment would eliminate if suitable arrangements for it could be made.

### TAXATION CASE IS SETTLED IN FAVOR OF THIS PROVINCE

Surplus of Co-Operative Associations Must Pay Its Share of Income Tax

NEW WESTMINSTER, Nov. 2.—A decision affecting all co-operative organizations with reference to provincial taxation and affecting provincial government revenue of half a million dollars, was handed down by Judge F. W. Howay, when he dismissed the appeal of the Fraser Valley and Surrey Farmers' Co-operative Associations against its provincial income tax assessment.

The appeal was on that part of the financial surplus which the Associations claimed was a refund of overcharges to its members. The amount involved in the case was \$7,855.

### EGG-LAYING CONTESTS

OTTAWA, Nov. 2.—British Columbia captures five out of six first places in the Dominion egg-laying contests.

### VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

	Bid	Asked
Wheat	1.36%	
E.C. Silver	1.25	1.45
Big Missouri	.28½	.30
Cork Province	.09	.10
Dunwell	.15	.16
George Copper	2.40	2.45
Gladstone	.16	.18
Independence	.04	.04½
L. and L.	.09	.09½
Premier	2.26	2.27
Porter Idaho	.36	.36½
Richmond	.13½	.14
Surf Inlet	.01¼	
Sunich	.80	.70
Teric	1.90	2.50

**SPECIAL MEETING of CONSERVATIVES in Conservative Club Rooms TONIGHT at 8.15.**

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### Important Mining Property on Hudson Bay Mountain is Bonded by Philadelphian

SMITHERS, November 2.—A long time working bond has been taken by Philadelphia interests on the Victory Group of mineral claims on Hudson Bay Mountain owned by Donald Simpson an old-timer in this district. The price of the property is \$150,000, and so far \$1,000 has been paid down in cash, the remainder being spread over a number of years.

The deal was consummated Saturday, the purchaser being John J. O'Brien of Philadelphia, who announces that active development work is to commence immediately in order first to prove up the showings from the present workings.

There are five claims in the group which is located one mile north of the Henderson group from which the Duthig interests have been shipping ore regularly for several years. It is a well known property having been staked a number of years ago and development work done in a small way each year by the owner.

Owing to the location of this group and the showings so far, mining men in the district look upon its development as a very important step and one that is very likely to lead to big results.



"THE ANGEL OF SIBERIA," Elsa Brandstrom of Sweden, was made an honorary doctor of medicine on the 49th anniversary of Upsala.

### PRESENTATION TO SHIP'S CAPTAIN

Capt. F. Tate, Master of First Grain Boat of Season, Honored by Local Board of Trade

PLEASED WITH PORT

Capt. F. Tate, master of the British freighter Fishpool, first vessel of the season to load wheat at the Alberta Wheat Pool's Prince Rupert elevator, was presented on behalf of the Prince Rupert Board of Trade yesterday afternoon in the Prince Rupert Club with a suitably engraved fountain pen as a souvenir of the occasion. The ceremony was of an informal nature and the gift was made by W. O. Fulton, president of the Board of Trade, who spoke briefly pointing out some of the desirable features of Prince Rupert as a port and suggesting that, if Captain Tate had any complaints or suggestions to make, he lay them before the Board of Trade.

In response, Capt. Tate had a few kind words to say in appreciation of the presentation and the spirit in which it had been made. He expressed his high pleasure at the treatment the ship and its personnel had received in Prince Rupert from officials and others. He stated that he had found the merchants reasonable and accommodating and he was generally pleased. The friendliness and hospitality of the people of Prince Rupert was another gratifying feature to himself and his officers and men. Chief Engineer Frier of the Fishpool also made a few remarks.

### TWO ATTEMPTS GAIN LIBERTY

Man Wanted in Connection With Rifling Liquor Store at Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Nov. 2.—Robert Cress, wanted in connection with the robbery of a liquor store on Cordova Street recently and who last Wednesday escaped from Bellingham jail where he was held on a charge of smuggling liquor into the United States, was arrested here last night.

In an attempt to regain his liberty after he had been taken into custody, he was shot in the leg by an officer and recaptured.

This morning he pleaded guilty to complicity in the robbery and also to the charge of theft of a motor truck and was remanded by the police magistrate until November 4 for sentence.

### CHINESE COMMITTED FOR TRIAL ON THEFT CHARGE THIS MORNING

HARRY WONG, Chinese, who is alleged to have rifled the safe in the Travellers' Cafe recently, extracting money therefrom, was committed for trial by Magistrate McClymont in city police court this morning and will shortly appear before Judge Young for election. City Solicitor E. F. Jones prosecuted while J. Clynes appeared for the defence.

**FOUND NOT GUILTY.**

VANCOUVER, Nov. 2.—George Carefoot was found not guilty of manslaughter in the "hassie" court in connection with the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Sedgwick in an auto collision on May 4.

### FISH ARRIVALS

Total of 65,100 Pounds of Halibut Sold at Exchange Today for Improved Prices

A total of 65,100 pounds of halibut was sold at the Fish Exchange this morning at improved prices. Three American vessels disposed of 52,500 pounds at bids ranging from 16c and 7c to 17.7c and 6c, while a similar number of Canadians sold 12,600 pounds for from 16.8c and 6c to 17c and 6c.

Arrivals and sales were as follows:

**American**  
Foremost, 40,000 pounds, Booth Fisheries, 16c and 7c.  
Bianco, 10,000 pounds, Atlin Fisheries, 17.5c and 6c.  
Eastern Point, 2,500 pounds, Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co., 17.7c and 6c.  
**Canadian**  
Johanna, 8,000 pounds, Atlin Fisheries, 17c and 6c.  
Caygeon, 1,500 pounds, Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co., 16.9c and 6c.  
Brant, 3,100 pounds, Atlin Fisheries, 16.8c and 6c.

**DIED FROM INJURIES.**

VANCOUVER, Nov. 2.—M. Kankel died this morning as a result of injuries received when his auto crashed into a street car on September 11.