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Substantial Show of Humpback Salmon Outside Reported-Mill Now in Full Operation-McLean to Instal Floats

A substantial show of humpback salmon reported from outside waters indicates that a fair run of these fish may soon be expectedat least better than the run of last season which amounted practically to a nonentity. Boats coming in during the week have reported seeing good numbers of this variety jumping in Dixon's Entrance and plant for these past several years, are other bodies of water some distance removed from the mainland. resplendent if not beautiful in their As is usual at this early part of the season, salmon catching is now were coats of red lead which has been largely confined to springs and sockeye of which there has been so applied to preserve the vessels which far, apparently, anything but a very voluminous run. Very few steel- have been on the market for some time heads, which are usually frozen for ex-

rain, however negligible, was welcomed Seal Cove plant will at last be in full painting is now proceeding. this week in the hope that it might operation with a daily production of result, as it often does, in an improve- about 60,000 feet. Work on the second ment of the salmon run. Taken on side has been rushed of late and every- A new Norwegian device, which is ed as a crucial one for the salmon start. and to bring about the latter result.

halibut vessel owner, has secured the plenty of inferior timber available from absorption. Norwegian whalers have rmer American halibut schooner Roald among the logs of higher grade. Amundsen, well known at this port, The plant is busy filling orders for goer and the management of the Britand will use her this year in the Alaska clear spruce for which there is always .sh Columbia coast concern expects that drift nets in the sea of Cape Omaney the mill spur Thursday afternoon being considerably extended when the harnd will cure his own pack which will e marketed in Seattle.

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to be filled by the mill.

tently to fish for halibut.

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CLEARING STREAMS

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LAND ACT. NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO LEASE LAND

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Dated May 28, 1928.

the new work,

Assurance is given by the International Fisheries Commission that none of the proposed amendments or alterations to halitut fishing regulations under international treaty will be put into effect this year It is expected, however, that at least a number of the recommendations, made by the commission in its recently published report, will go into crce before 1930.

The three steam trawlers G. E. Foster, Andrew Kelly and James Carruthers, belonging to the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co. and tied up at the but for which no purchasers have been offering. Chipping of the rust from the port, have yet been taken. Arrival of Big Bay Lumber Co.'s new sawmill, that last of the three vessels preparatory to

NEW WHALING DEVICE

the whole, this season may be regard- thing is now in readiness for it to expected to increase the range and effectiveness of the harpoon guns, is befisheries on this part of the coast. On The Big Bay Lumber Co. has made ing tested out by the Consolidated the cycle basis, this year should prove arrangements with the Pacific Mills Whaling Corporation from its Queen a big one. If it does not show up a pulp and paper plant at Ocean Falls Charlotte Island plants this season. The good deal better than last senson, it to take logs of lower grade, the object device is called a foregoer and is a spemay be taken to mean that the Skeena being that the Iccal sawmill shall use cially treated line spliced to the harand Naas River salmon fisheries are only logs of the higher grades in order poon. In the past, the whalers have really on the down grade and a curtail- that production of clear spruce and been using a four-and-one-half inch ment instead of expansion of the indus- hemlock may be concentrated upon manila rope. Ordinarily, this swells and try may be expected. Cannery amal- and the output of common grades, al- grows heavier when it becomes wet. If samations and consolidations may also ways the burden in the past of mills the rope is treated with the Norwein this district, reduced. To take care gian process, a three and three quarter of the box trade, an important adjunct inch line may be used with no danger Capt. Carl Angell, well known as a of the local plant, there is always of increasing weight because of water met with good results from the foreherring fishery. He plans to operate an active market. Three cars were on the present range of 120 feet may be loaded with another three cars to be poon guns are equipped with the new spotted as soon as they were filled. device.

The power tug M.T. 3 took a scow load | Partly on account of the low price of of 15,000 salmon cases from the mill halibut, a number of the American fishweek of the resaw or pony side of the to Carlisle Cannery on Wednesday of ing vessels are finding other employment this week. Other cannery orders are such as salmon packing to Alaska canreries and the like. Capt. Peter Wold, who has used the schooner Attu for The Booth Fisheries Co. has sold its several summers in carrying fish under Cove sawmill, has been receiving consteam trawler Zapora, formerly used in charter, is now buying salmon at Cape gratulations on the birth of a daugh-In Prince Rupert Land Recording Dis- halibut fishing, to Capt. Alexander Al- Omaney independently for J. E. Berg of ter Wednesday night in the Prince situate on Moresby Island ad- len who will use the vessel in Alaska Ketchikan. Other boats chartered for Rupert General Hospital. Weldon now freight and passenger service. For sev- salmon hauling in the Southeastern has a complete family of boy and girl. eral years, the Zapora, which is well Alaska district include the Arctic, Capt. known in Prince Rupert, has been Hanson; Yellowstone and Superior, tied up, being sent out only intermit-

TO INSTAL FLOATS

N. M. McLean plans commencement soon of extensive floats in connection with his shipbuilding plant at Seal Cove. These floats will have accommodation for twenty-five or thirty boats and will be rented out for winter harbor or for any other purposes that they The sockeye average per boat this week nay be required for tying up. The is reported to have been around ten Halibut boat Volunteer, Capt. M. situation will be just across the small save and except one Johnson, has been in the McLean shop cove from the shipyard, the spot now Fishing up the Skeena River is now at Seal Cove the latter part of this being occupied by the floats of the said to be better than it is outside. week for caulking and general overhaul Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co. though work. The vessel went up on Wednes- Mr. McLean owns the ground.

cluding the Misty, originally built last motorships affoat, it being estimated standing at 13,138,400 pounds has fallyear in Cow Bay as a halibut vessel that between 75 and 80 per cent of all on slightly behind the 1927 season at and now trolling at Hippo, work on vessels of 1,000 h.p. or over are so a similar date when 13,235,500 pounds which included the putting in of rolling equipped, and further that 95 per cent had been landed here. Canadian landchocks. This vessel is owned by Wil- of all vessels built in 1927 were equip- ings standing at a total of 3,991,000 ped. One of the first Pacific fishing pounds are ahead of those of 1927, vessels to install such purifiers was the decrease being due to the fact that that the Detroit The four-masted barquentine S. F. the halibut schooner Explorer, owned 9.147,400 pounds of American halibut Company of Vancouver, Tolmie, built in Victoria in 1921 and by Capt. Magnus Hansen of Juneau. has been landed as compared with Mining Company, in-for permission to pur- tied up at New Westminster for the past This purifier has been in constant op- last year's 9,310,600 pounds at this Tollowing described lands:- two years, has been sold by the Hast- eration for almost two years, and dur- date. In 15 hours operating they remove 2-3 and 5c for Canadian. of a pint of solids from the purifier bowl, the greater part consisting of a George Wilson has proven himself very sandy abrasive.

TAKE NOTICE that E. D. Judson, Ltd., The hallbut schooner Seymour was than a gasboat navigator. ters of similarly equipped during the last took his family to summer home across building known as the Tourist Hotel, sit- Kitsumgallum River near Terrace for winter overhauling, as were a number the water near McNicholl Creek last C., upon the lands de- "Clearing Streams" purpose, namely, of other diesel vessels on the Pacific week-end and has been journeying over the driving, booming, or rafting of logs | coast. Other engineers whose vessels each evening and back each morning | of British Col- The points on the stream between which have been equipped with oil purifiers to work. On Thursday morning he siler to Angelo it is proposed to clear are from the River in- can tell of instances where the ma- grazed a rock while coming over but of Lct 1400 to chines have more than paid for them- yesterday morning he did the trick

said points is 41/2 miles, more single tank of badly contaminated fuel. the consequence that he had to pul and. Skidegate Inlet, vestigation at a date to be fixed, and leaving the purifier free to run the gation.

Islands. There is a size of purifier that Pacific Mills tion thereto in the office of the Comp-Objections to the application type of diesel that may be in service. Two or three boatloads of townswith the Comptroller of Water and clean fuel and lubricating oils give people spent Dominion Day on the ted on the Rights. Parliament Buildings, Victoria. the best assurance of continuous oper- sandy shores of Lucy Island, one of

CONGRATULATIONS



District No. 2 salmon fishing is still being carried on with the best suctess in the Rivers Inlet division where boats were officially reported this week to be averaging fifty-three fish.

The run on the Skeena and Naas Tivers is still reported to be slow although showing some improvement. ish both on the Skeena and Naas.

Due to two or three, weeks of exceptionally light landings, the record Two or three trolling boats have also | Fuel oil purifiers are now standard of halibut fares at the port of Prince been at McLean's during the week in- equipment on practically all the large Rupert for the season up to date

at a post planted one ings Mill Co., by which she was used ing that time Capt. Hansen reports Landings for the past week were of Lot 172; thence wester- as a lumber carrier, to Richard Nel- that he has had no major repairs of any under average totalling 583,000 pounds thence southerly 20 chains; son of New Westminster and Norman description. He attributes this solely of which 361,000 pounds was American Nelson of Sunbury for use as a fish to the fact that he has never used any and 222,000 pounds Canadian. Prices station and herring saltery on the west diesel fuel that was not contrifuged. during the week were around average. coast of Vancouver Island. The vessel The purifier on the Explorer is installed the highest American bid being 12.9c is 23 feet long, 45 feet beam and 19 between the main storage and the daily and 7c for the 7,000 pound catch of feet depth. Fish will be collected from supply tank, and all fuel oil is cleaned the Eastern Point while the best Cansmall boats and will be sold to the before reaching the day tanks. Capt. adian bid was 11c and 5c paid the canners from the larger vessel. About Hansen says! "The purifier has paid for Unone for her twelfth catch of the \$100,000 will be spent by the new own- itself many times over in the saving season, 12,000 pounds. Low bids were ers on the barquentine to fit her for on engine maintenance costs alone." 9.5c and 5c for American fish and 9c

> this week to be a better newspaperman selves by purifying, for instance, a right and landed high and dry with The term proposed for the li- Purifiers for either fuel or lubricating over in his dinghy and leave the boat cence is 21 years. This notice was posted oils work on the same principle and to do as it would. The consequence 1928. A copy of this notice and an ap- the same purifier can often be so hook- was that the vessel finally went off plication pursuant thereto and to the ed up as to take care of both oils. itself on the high tide at noon, eviof the Water Recorder at Prince Rupert, Where the day tanks have a sufficient dently little the worse for its strand-B.C., The petition for approval of un- capacity, enough fuel can be purified in ing. George should soon be able to dertaking and an application for apthe office of the Board of In- vessel for approximately 15 hours; thus ority on obstructions to harbor navi-

> > VISITED LUCY ISLAND the features of the day being a bridge party and tea at the home of the lighthouse keeper and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bryden, who prove genial hosts. High scorers in the Bryden who, judging from what is to craft of bread making. The lady guests of the day were busy endeav-

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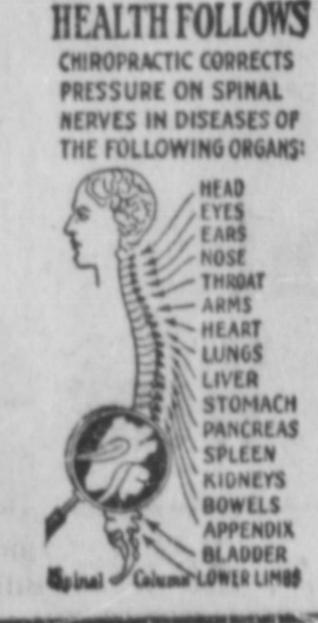
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