



Doctor (to dyspeptic novelist): "Perhaps you would find relief by writing on an empty stomach."
Novelist: "But, doctor, I'm an author, not a tattoo artist!"
—London Opinion.



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COL. NICHOLLS WASSPEAKER

Tells Foreign Trade Bureau of
Vancouver Board of Trade of
Halibut Fisheries

Pending the history of the industry as well as relating its important commercial developments, John W. Nicholls, comptroller of the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co., Ltd., Prince Rupert, delivered an informative address on "Halibut Fisheries" before the foreign trade bureau of the Vancouver Board of Trade last Friday.

The audience learned that as far back as June, 1778, as told in Captain Cook's journal, white men caught halibut in the Gulf of Alaska. John Jewett, Chief Magistrate's famous captive, referred to the Pacific halibut in 1803, and commercial fishing started just prior to 1887, Mr. Nicholls said. In 1898 a number of New England fishing schooners, primarily attracted by the lure of the Yukon, left for the North Pacific. They were disappointed in not obtaining a cargo of gold, but on the return voyage some fished for halibut and found their eldorado.

By 1907 the industry had a production of 26,000,000 pounds for the year's catch. Mr. Nicholls said; by 1910, 53,000,000 pounds and in 1915, 63,000,000 pounds were landed. Eventually the large catches decreased and the fleet continued moving westward until last year several ships fished as far west as Sanak Island, near the Aleutian Islands.

"May I emphasize that while Prince Rupert is the premier halibut port of the Pacific, Vancouver depends for much of its trade on halibut," said the speaker, "because Prince Rupert's prosperity for the present is dependent on the fishing industry and anything which affects the industry affects Vancouver, as Prince Rupert purchases most of its supplies from this city."

Price Fluctuations

Mr. Nicholls described the various developments in halibut fishing and the changes in the regulations. Concerning prices, he said that no product fluctuated in price like halibut, the market being influenced by the vagaries of weather, resulting in delayed arrivals of fish. Arrivals of Atlantic-caught fish such as cod or mackerel, or fish from the Great Lakes, all affect halibut prices, and if the weather is too hot or too cold it disturbs the market, said Mr. Nicholls.

STEPHENS CHILD ACROSS BORDER

Guardian Inactive, Mother Takes
Boy Over Line to Seattle

(Vancouver Province)
Although Chief Justice Hunter in supreme court appointed Magistrate H. O. Alexander guardian of two-year-old Frederick Herbert Stephens, pending a dispute between the parents over custody, the lad on arriving here Thursday from Prince Rupert on the steamer Camosun, departed with his mother on the Great Northern train for Seattle before the order was acted upon.

The mother, Bernice Lucille Stephens, accompanied the child from Prince Rupert. In an attempt to prevent his son being removed from the jurisdiction of the court, the father, Frederick Stephens, Prince Rupert real estate and insurance agent, applied to the chief justice, who appointed Magistrate Alexander, who is official guardian of the child for the time being.

When it appeared that the official guardian would not interfere, the father's lawyer launched proceedings for a writ of habeas corpus; and the matter was in this position as the train started south with the mother and child for the border.

SCHOOL HOWLERS FROM ENGLAND

The University Correspondent of The London Times, in announcing the winner of its annual prize for the best collection of school "howlers" gives a selection from the entries received. Here are some of them:

The chief work of the British in Egypt since 1880 has been the extermination of the sphinxes. Sir W. Scott was called the

Blizzard of the North. He tried to reach the North Pole, but died in the attempt.

"Heard melodies are sweet, but those unheard are sweeter."—Paraphrase: It is nice to hear music, but it is still nicer not to. Parliament assembled in November and dissembled in December.

What should the Lady of Shalott have done instead of lying down in the boat and wasting her life because Sir Lancelot took no notice of her?—She should have looked out for another.

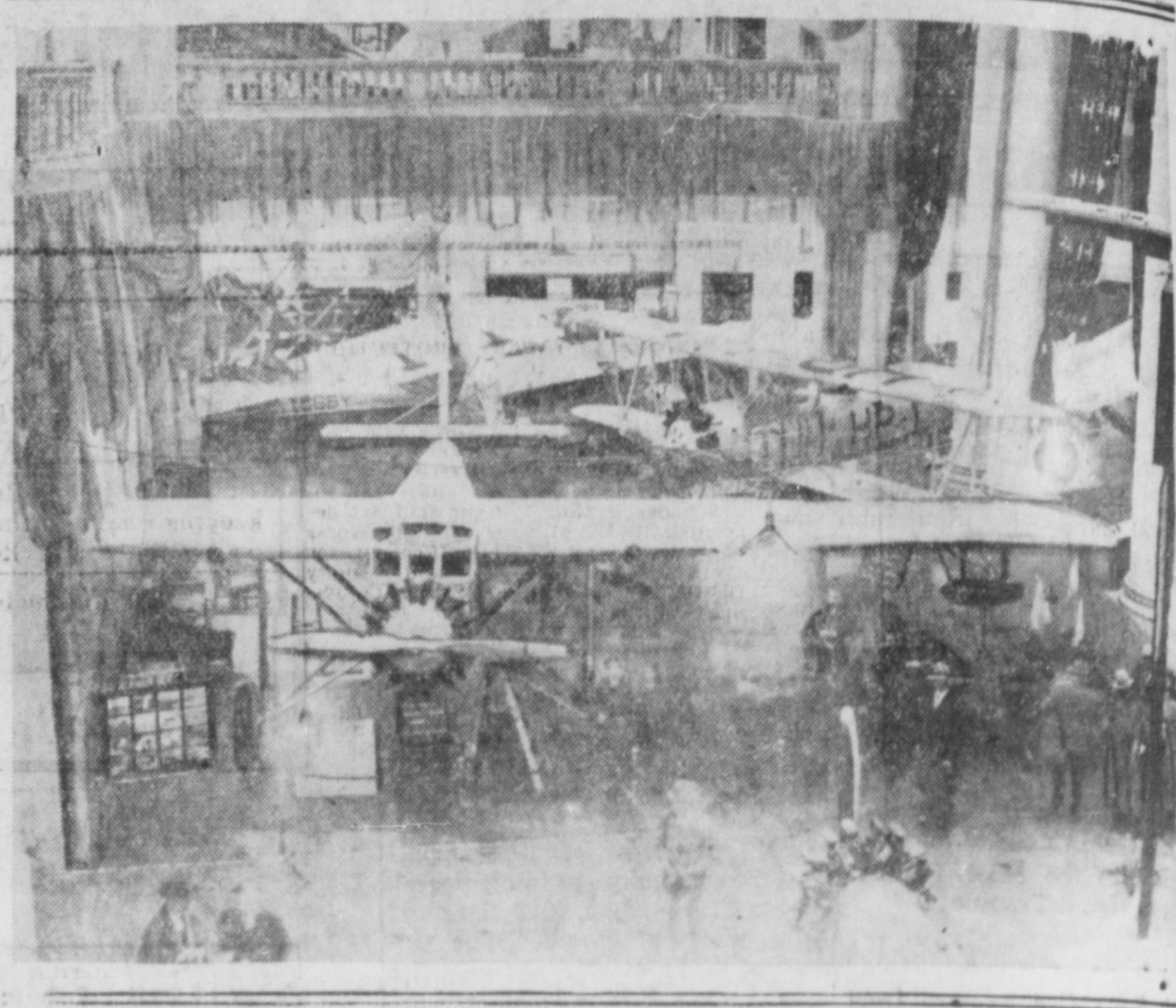
Correct this sentence: "It was me that has broken the window."—It wasn't me that has broken the window.

Notre voisin est morte d'une congestion pulmonaire. — Our neighbor died from a crush in a Pullman car.

Teacher, after a lesson on microbes: "Why, then, is it so essential to keep the house clean and tidy?"—"Because somebody we know might come in any time to see us."

To collect the fumes of sulphur hold a deacon over the end of a tube.

What do you understand by the Theory of Exchange? — The Theory of Exchange, as I understand it, is not very well understood.



The American Legion sponsored the New York Aviation Show at Grand Central Palace, which has drawn thousands of Gothamites to view the latest thing in start aircraft.



"I'll go to work for You, Mother"

BRAVE words, bravely spoken. Boyish shoulders, braced to lift burden of responsibility beyond their strength.

It is a tragedy so common as to create but little comment . . . children starting out to fight life's battles, unequipped.

Have you thought of the story behind the little figure that urges you to buy a paper . . . that begs the chance to run an errand, for a few sorely-needed coppers? Have you imagined the plans that may have been made for his education—the hopes, held in happier days, for his future?

And have you considered what would be the fate of *your* boy . . . your girl . . . should you be taken away?

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