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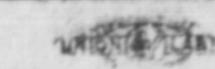
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IN THE LETTER BOX

REFUSED CANNERY LICENSE

Editor, Daily News:-As a matter of municipal and public interest, I should like to Dear Mr. Lord:-

the following: The Northern B. C. Salmon Fishermen's Association, through the medium of their co-operative organizing committee are in the initial stages of forming what should be of considerable interest to this city, to wit, a Fishermen's Co-oper-

ative Association. As a necessary step towards this laudable object, the Commissioner of Fisheries at Victoria, the Hon. S L. Howe, was approached, to ascertain what would be his governe ment's attitude, in the event of our requiring a license to process fish this season, and it is to be regretted that owing to the policy adopted by the provincial legislature, drafted by the Commissioner, he politely yet firmly, declines to grant us such a license, to process our own pro-

To enable the public to fully realizer what we, a large body of industrious citizens are subjected to, enclose a copy of the letter regeived from that source. It needs no intelligent party to realize that the suggestion offered by the Honorable gentleman, immediately places a "Gun" in the hands of the suggested vendors, and enables that vendor to "hold up" a large section of this community and we must naturally refuse to be "held up" with the cognizance and complicity of the government.

This is no matter of party politics, but I would like to state that it is just such legislation, which tends towards sheer monopolies, Editor, Daily News:disorder.

up the gage of battle, and we ask' with any winter herring on the for the support of all public bodies coast These herring are 111/2 inof this city, to co-operate with us, ches long, five inches on the round and would say that we have again and one and a quarter inches on appealed to the Commissioner's the back. They are not fully matursense of equity and reason, and if ed. They can be cured in any way. he deems it necessary, to call a Should Prince Rupert market this meeting of the cabinet, who collec- herring, fishermen would gladly tively may be able to see the rea- adopt the gill-net, and bring in first are purported to enjoy.

Trusting that this recurrent topic may not become eventually nauseous, and thanking you for your valued space, I remain,

Yours sincerely, Secretary Northern B.C. Salmon Fishermen's Association.

Minister's Letter

Following is copy of a letter re- this.

1co-operative association, and would probably require a license to process fish this 1931 season.

Victoria, Jan. 17, 1931.

draw attention of your readers to

Replying to your communication of the 13th instant as you are aware the policy of this government is not to increase the number of cannery licenses until the condition of the industry warrants it. You have already received a list of the plants entitled to receive a license but fearing that you have mislaid it I enclose herewith another copy toether with copy of the statement which I made before the House on the second reading of the Fisheries Bill on the 13th March last.

Would it not be possible for you nd your associates to make arangement with some one of these clants in the northern district thereby you would be entitled to obtain a license that a plant already in existence is entitled to? I have already been approached for a license for a cannery at Prince Rupert from other sources and I have made the same suggestion to

I am very anxious to meet any maintain our policy as laid down on the second reading of the Bill at the last session of the House.

> Yours faithfully, Sgd. S. L. HOWE,

Commissioner.

Charles Lord Esq., Secretary North. B.C. Salmon Fish. Ass'n. Prince Rupert, B.C.

GILL NET HERRING

that irritates, and leads to national | The gill-net herring landed here by Mr. Green, fisherman, are of ex-As an association, we must take cellent quality. They can be classed sonableness of our demand, and ex- class herring. This would make a tend to the citizens the rights they big industry here, and it would help out the unemployed situation

> They have been salting and seined herring, which is an inferfor herring in many ways compared with the gill-net herring, which is of the best quality and are

in Prince Rupert.

plentiful winter and summer. Seined herring are good for bait ond or third class.

answer to one informing him that who are interested, should insist, herring. the Northern B.C. Salmon Fisher- that the seined or gill-net herring | Encourage the gill-net industry men's Association were forming a shipped out of Prince Rupert should and herring curing in Prince Ru-

be distinctively marked first, sec-

or fertilizer or China market only. Should Prince Rupert adopt this I have good authority for saying method of shipping, the gill-net industry will grow and command a ceived from the Hon. S. L. Howe, in Fishermen, curers and others good market for our best cured

pert will flourish.

Thanking you for this space, Edi-

Yours respectfully, W. SIM. Porcher Island.

Provincial Constable H. L. Mc-Kenney of Terrace, who has been on a trip south on escort duty, arrived in the city on the Princess Mary yesterday afternoon from Vancouver and proceeded to the interior on this morning's train.

Judge's Wife Is Catholic Women's Leader This Year

PRINCE GEORGE, Jan. 24:-The Catholic Women's League here has elected officers for 1931 as follows: President, Mrs. H. E. A. Robert-

First vice-president, Mrs. Al Second vice-president, Mrs. P. J.

Secretary, Mrs. J. C. McKenzie. Treasurer Mrs. T. A. Griffiths. A hearty vote of thanks was tenas president during the past year. tion of ski jumping on Sunday

PRINCE GEORGE | when the Prince George Ski and Toboggan Club tried out the slide

Corning, Erma Goheen, Anna Dag- trestle in order to increase the mohren and Mabel Embley have been mentum for the British Columbia nominated for the Queen of the championship meet which will be Snow contest which will be held held here soon. here in connection with the Western Canada Ski Championship

Mayor Patterson has named the following standing committee chairmen of the city council for the year: public works, Ald. J. N. Keller; finance, Ald. Griffith; light Third vice-president, Mrs. A. and power, Ald. Fraser; fire and water, Ald. Taylor; health, Ald. Bexon; housing, Ald, Reid.

Hundreds of Prince George residered Mrs. A. B. Taft for her work dents witnessed their first exhibi-

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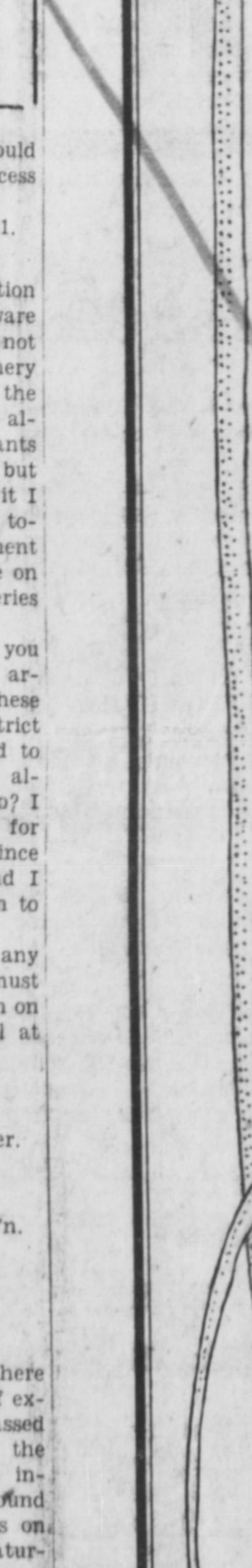
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