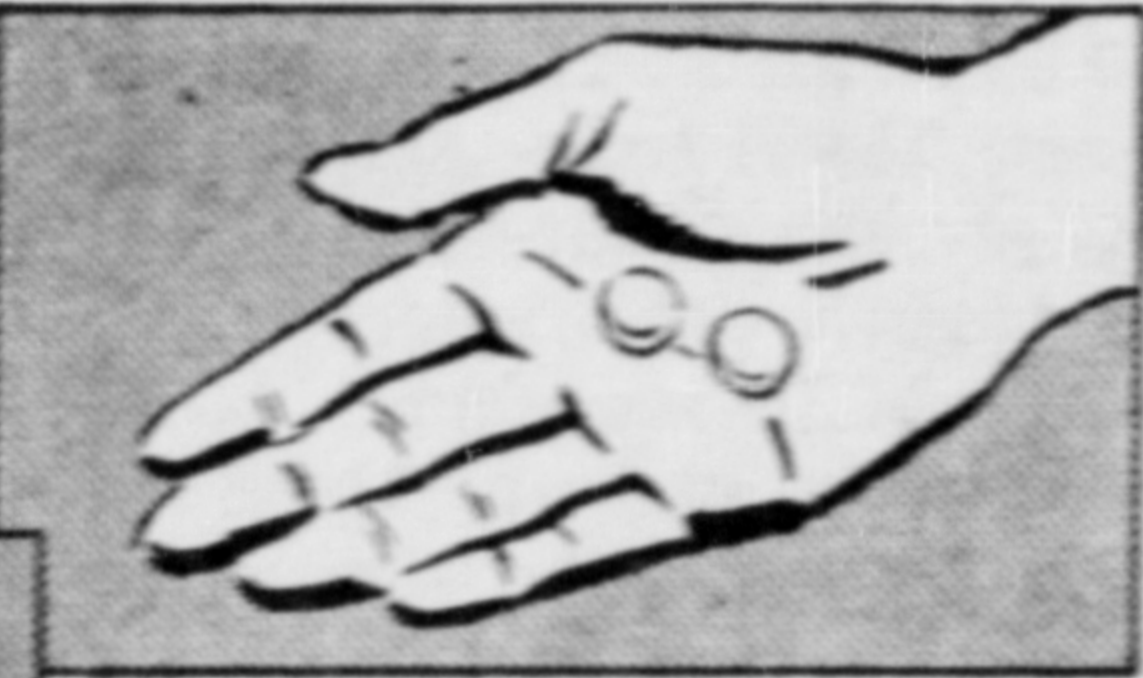


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Waterfront Whiffs

Halibut Liver Price For Season Still Hanging Fire—Many Native Boats in on Way to Simpson—Market Outlook For This Year

With the boat owners favoring acceptance of the offer of Parke, Davis & Co. to pay 44c per pound for halibut livers this season while the fishermen are still undecided as to whether or not they should accept the bid which marks the first decline in the price since the livers became an article of commerce, the halibut liver price question for 1938 is still hanging fire at Prince Rupert following expiry of the time for the acceptance or rejection of the offer.

MC ALLISTER GRIT HEAD

Elected President of Ocean Falls District Liberal Association

OCEAN FALLS, Feb. 19.—At the annual meeting of the Ocean Falls District Liberal Association the following officers were elected: Honorary President, Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King.

First Vice-President, Hon. T. D. Pattullo. Second Vice-President, J. M. Bryan, M.L.A.

President, Keith McAllister. Vice-President, J. Barton. Secretary-Treasurer, R. H. Hartie. Executive — H. N. McLeod, J. Green, J. Jones, O. Latham and F. Booth.

O. Latham, being the oldest member of the Association, was voted a life member.

BOYS WERE HUNGRY

WINDSOR, Ont., Feb. 19: (CP)—Admitting taking milk from a porch and chocolate bars from a truck when they were hungry, two boys in their teens were held by the police for questioning.

C.F.P.R. PROGRAMS

SATURDAY P.M.

- 5:30—Opening.
- 5:45—Limousine Lady.
- 6:00—Request Program.
- 6:30—Daily News Broadcast.
- 6:45—Variety Program.
- 7:00—Man About Town.
- 7:15—Cecil and Sally.

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Bernice Palmer says . . .

I have been so busy lately, I haven't had time to write and say hello to any of you and we have had too much rain to go after stamps if I had! About the only ones who seem to be enjoying this weather are Daisy Mae and Donald Duck, our latest (and I hope last) additions to the pets. And by the way, Donald has been re-christened "Donna." He's a she. And Millie, the chick, grew up to be Tommie. Sometimes I get downright discouraged trying to remember names around here, they change so frequently.

We had a great thrill the other day listening to my first song being played over the radio. The tune is very catchy and I am sure you will like it. In fact, it is so haunting I have been trying to hum it ever since with very unsatisfactory results but that is nothing to go by because I can't even hum "God Save the King" so you would recognize it. In fact, when I used to hum around the office, I remember Mr. Barnwell and Mr. Hutchison used to say that I must spend all my time concentrating on the words, because I used the same tune, if it could be called such, with all words! The song, "Wasn't It Meant To Be?" will have its first public debut on February 19 at a big dance in Oakland. The orchestra is going to feature it and after that, it is, so speak, on its own. I am sending Mr. Pullen a copy of the piece in the hope that there will be a pre-lent dance in Prince Rupert at which it can be played about the same time. I would rather like my home town to also be the scene of its first try-out so be sure and ask for "Wasn't It Meant To Be?" when you go to the dances.

And there is quite an amusing story connected with this song. The young man who wrote the music was a total stranger to me until after the song was practically completed. We heard of each other through a mutual friend and got in touch through the medium of telephone and letters as it seemed impossible for us to

arrange for a satisfactory meeting. I sent Ted a collection of possible songs with the understanding that he would pick out what appealed most to him and then one morning over KLS, he would play a few bars of what he considered a good tune for my words and, if I liked it, I would let him know and he would go ahead. Well all worked out nicely. He played a few lines of quite a catchy melody and then announced the name "Wasn't It Meant To Be Me?" so that I would know what it was all about. The sample sounded good, so again, by telephone, we got in touch and I suggested that he should go ahead with his idea and we arranged for a meeting later at the broadcasting station so that we could do any re-arranging necessary and, with a few more weeks delay, the music was ready for criticism. Then Ted arranged to play it as a solo on a certain morning at 8 o'clock. The whole family tumbled out of bed, thrilled (and chilled) to listen to "Mother's song," only to find we couldn't tune out Chicago. Now I don't know what could be more annoying than to have two stations coming in, one playing my own piece, and the other—well, someone else's! And finally we had to give up in disgust. Imagine my embarrassment a little later to find that we didn't even have the correct station! We were tuned in on KLX instead of KSL! And so were all my friends who had dropped everything else to listen 'n' live that down! However, another "audition" was arranged and everything went off without a hitch, and the piece has been played several times since as a "request" number, and now one of our leading orchestras has offered to "feature" it.

From raising rabbits to writing love lyrics—! And so here's to "Wasn't It Meant To Be?"

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"REF" IS BANNED

LONDON, Feb. 19: (CP)—The English Football Association has removed from its official list a referee who approached a professional of a club in whose match he was officiating to get him a trial with another team.

Left Metlakatla At Age Of Seven Now Church Priest

Rev. Paul J. Mather, pastor of St. Elizabeth's Episcopal Church at Ketchikan, was born at Metlakatla B. C. and at the age of seven accompanied Father Duncan to New Metlakatla along with the other Tsimsheans who left at that time and founded the village not far from Ketchikan. The trek took place just fifty years ago. Mr. Mather was in the city yesterday with the rest of the New Metlakatla party and is to preach in the new church at Port Simpson tomorrow. He is the first Episcopal priest of the Tsimshean tribe to be

OCEAN FALLS

Sustaining serious spinal injuries in a fall, Miss Esther Wiig will be confined to bed for at least two months.

Several inches of snow fell Thursday ending a spell of severely cold weather which lasted over three weeks.

The freighter Admiral V. S. Williams has nearly completed loading with newsprint and an Australian boat is expected in the near future.

ordained. His congregation at Ketchikan consists of Tsimsheans, Thlingets and Haidas. In the party are also two lay workers of the church, Alex Guthrie and Robert Ridley.

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THIRD AVENUE WEST PRINCE RUPERT

Union steamer Venture, Capt. John Boden, arrived in port at 7 o'clock last evening from the south, sailing two hours later on her return to Vancouver and waypoints.

The Armour Salvage Co.'s power tugs Daly and Pachena are busy just now hauling in gravel to be used in connection with the construction of the new federal building here. The clamshell is working at Porcher Island and a delivery of 150 yards is expected in tonight. The gravel will probably be taken direct from the scows to the building site without going through the bunkers.

Herring Quota Reached

The quota limit of 15,000 tons for the season having been reached, herring seining was discontinued in Prince Rupert Harbor on Thursday. The seineboats Western Manarch and W. No. 9 then moved out of the harbor to prospect for fish elsewhere. Surface signs of herring have been reported around nearby Barrett and Holland Rocks and Kinahan Islands. The Tucks Inlet and Port Edward reduction plants are still in the market for herring with which to continue manufacture of fish meal. Both the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co. and the Northern Fishermen's Cold Storage had put up their bait requirements last fall.

C.P.R. steamer Princess Norah, Capt. William Palmer, is due in port at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning from Vancouver and will sail at 10 a.m. for Skagway and other Alaska points.

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