

CITY PARCEL APPRECIATED

Council Hears from British Women Who Received Food

Mrs. R. Hall of Dorset, England, who describes herself as a "British working woman," has received two of the food parcels sent for the people of Prince Rupert to the people of the United Kingdom at the time of Princess Elizabeth's wedding.

A letter from Mrs. Hall was read at the meeting of the city council last night. Mrs. Hall told in her letter of receiving a pleasant surprise upon arrival

of tinned food from Canada. Her first parcel was delivered in July and the second in August both of which she was very happy to receive and expressed her thanks to the senders.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Brooksbank of Port Alberni arrived by car yesterday and will spend several days visiting at the home of Mr. Brooksbank's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brooksbank. Mr. Brooksbank is skipper of the Provincial Police patrol boat stationed at Port Alberni.

Mrs. Paul Postulo and Mrs. E. Canal sailed on the Princess Adelaide last night for Vancouver.

Word On Rupert Overhaul Waited

Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce is awaiting reply from Bernard Allen, manager of Canadian National Railways for British Columbia district, to representations recently made with a view to having the railway company's local yard used in the carrying out of a major overhaul job on the steamer Prince Rupert. The matter had been also taken up with R. C. Vaughan, president of the railway, who said in a letter to the Chamber last night that it was being given consideration, suggesting, locally, that the subject be pursued with Mr. Allen.

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One of the largest single consignments of canned salmon ever delivered here from Alaska was the 46,000 cases which the Alaska Transportation Co.'s Clove Hitch delivered between Sunday and Monday afternoons. The value of this single cargo is estimated at upwards of a million and a quarter dollars. The Clove Hitch, after discharging, headed back to the Ketchikan district to bring in another load to Prince Rupert.

Northland Transportation Co.'s Liberty ship Chief Washakie is now loading at Sunny Point and will take a large consignment of canned salmon from that area to Prince Rupert.

The Denali, operated by Alaska Steamship Company, has already been here with 30,000 cases.

The Sword Knot, owned and operated by Alaska Transportation Company, is also scheduled to make the Prince Rupert run. In addition to these larger vessels, the packers Dagny and Sidney, which have been hauling frozen fish and canned salmon to Prince Rupert throughout the summer, will continue their packing operations.

The motorship Southeastern, which Philip G. Briggs introduced into a special service last

year between Southeastern Alaska and Prince Rupert, the undertaking being later suspended owing to a variety of obstacles, is back on the run into Prince Rupert, pressed into service with many other vessels to rush Alaskan canned salmon here instead of strike-tied Seattle for transshipment East. The Southeastern, now operating on a special charter, arrived here at 5:30 Saturday night and, after discharging two carloads of frozen fish and 6,000 cases of canned salmon, sailed Sunday on her return north.

C. P. R. steamer Princess Adelaide, Capt. Fred McGraw, arrived in port at 8:30 last evening, sailing at midnight on her return south after discharging local cargo.

A number of boats are still after tuna and at latest reports they were concentrated 15 to 18 miles off Tasoo Inlet which is about half way between Skidegate Inlet and Cape St. James on the west coast of Moresby Island. On Thursday the high boat had 130 fish. Friday top boat was 170 and Saturday the largest catch was 180 with low boat catching 40. By Sunday morning average for the fleet was 40 tuna per boat.

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ROYAL ROMANCE?—Romance between Princess Margaret Rose, youngest daughter of King George and Queen Elizabeth, and the youthful Marquess of Blandford has been hinted by "reliable sources." Princess Margaret Rose, who is 18 years old, and the marquess are pictured in the royal box at Ascot during a recent race meeting. A proposal of marriage was said to be one of the pretty princess's birthday gifts—with official acceptance and announcement being withheld until the King and Queen return from their projected visit to Australia and New Zealand this winter.

John KePriglan has purchased the residence of W. H. Priest on Fifth Avenue E. near Seal Cove. Mrs. Priest and son sailed this afternoon on the Camosun for Vancouver to join Mr. Priest who was formerly with the Daily News typographical staff, and is now with a Vancouver custom printing concern. They will make their future home in Burnaby.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Sessions will take up residence in the house on Pacific Place vacated by Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Armstrong who have moved to Edmonton. Mrs. Armstrong and daughter, Mary, left last week for the Alberta capital to take up residence.

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