

this year is \$159,448, as compared with \$190,385 for the same period last year. Construction in October, 1947, was valued at \$14,150.

Largest permit issued last month was one for \$1,000 to W. W. Bowes authorizing an addition to his Sixth Avenue East residence. Majority were for alterations or repairs to existing buildings. No major new construction was begun.

Permits issued last month: Wallace's Department Store, \$250, alterations. Department of Fisheries, Seal Cove, \$150, chimney. W. Sutherland, Sixth Avenue East, \$75, repairs. R. F. Coswan, Eighth Avenue

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East, \$800, repairs.
A. B. Brown, Atlin Avenue, \$50, alterations.
W. W. Bowes, Sixth Avenue East, \$1,000, addition.
T. Steinberg, Sixth Avenue East, \$150, addition.
J. Schroeder, Ambrose Avenue, \$300, repairs.
H. Hagen, Hays Cove Avenue, \$40, garage.
Mrs. M. Hatch, Park Avenue, \$50, shed.
Mrs. H. Gilbert, Tatlow Street, \$200, alterations.
H. Lindseth, Eighth Avenue East, \$100, construction.
Nels Luth, Fourth Avenue East, \$100, repairs.
J. Furness, Tenth Avenue East, \$200, repairs.
Palmer Apts., Seventh Avenue West, \$250, repairs.
Dr. R. G. Large, Fourth Avenue West, \$450, repairs.
W. D. Lambie, Fourth Avenue East, \$400, repairs.
A. Sheardown, Seventh Avenue East, \$200, alterations.
H. Burrow, Eighth Avenue East, \$100, garage.
R. Lovin, Eighth Avenue East, \$500, repairs.
E. Skogmo, Cow Bay, \$300, addition.
F. Prystay, Second Avenue, \$400, alterations.
J. Galloway, Hays Cove Avenue, \$75, addition.
V. H. Dodd, Eighth Avenue West, \$20, construction.
A. Sawthier, Ninth Avenue West, \$100, construction.

COAST SALMON PACK LOWER

Despite the fact that the north coast had one of the biggest salmon seasons in years, the total Pacific coast canned salmon pack was lower than any season since 1944, according to the latest bulletin issued by the Chief Supervisor of Fisheries, Vancouver.

Total pack of varieties in all districts this year was 1,235,739 cases, about 235,000 cases less than 1947.

Greatest portion of the total catch was chums, totalling 424,042 cases, a decrease of almost 7,000 cases under last year. There were 321,757 cases of pinks, as compared with 598,184 cases in 1947.

The season's sockeye pack to date is 259,961 cases, a slight reduction under last year, but less than half of the 1946 production. Blueback pack totalled 19,386 cases, while springs totalled 15,875, and steelheads 5,647 and cohoes 188,571.

FRUIT CROP DROP
KENTVILLE, N.S. — A report from the Dominion Experimental Farm here shows a drop in Nova Scotia's 1948 production of peaches, pears, plums and cherries. The pear crop was down 8,000 bushels from 1947.



CONDEMNED—Heavily guarded, wearing manacles and leg-irons, Austin Craft, left, of Hamilton and Howard Urquhart, right, of Toronto are shown as they were taken into a Kingston court last week to face charges of murdering John Kennedy, prison messenger, during an attempt to escape from Kingston Penitentiary last April 26. Urquhart is serving 20 years for his part in the death of Meyer Tobias, Toronto furrier, shot December, 1945. Craft is serving 10 years for armed robbery at Hamilton, Ont. (CP Photo)

HMCS CRESCENT NEW COMMANDER

Lt. Cdr. D. W. Groos Taking Over From Lt. Cdr. Charles

OTTAWA — Lieutenant-Commander D. W. Groos, D. S. C., R. C. N., of Victoria, will become commanding officer of the destroyer H. M. C. S. Crescent on November 16 it was announced today at naval headquarters. He succeeds Lt. Cdr. J. A. Charles, of Rouleau, Saskatchewan.

A unit of the Pacific Coast fleet, Crescent is one of the five ships of the R. C. N. task force now on a training cruise to the United States Naval Base at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. The ships will arrive back at their base at Esquimalt, November 13.

Lt. Cdr. Groos joined the Royal Canadian Navy as a Cadet in August, 1935, and took early training in the United Kingdom with the Royal Navy. Just prior to Second World War he was appointed to H. M. C. S. Restigouche and served as Executive Officer and later as Commanding Officer of the veteran Canadian destroyer. Subsequently he was executive officer of the then R. C. N. College, (H. M. C. S. "Royal Roads"), and commanding officer of the Algerine escort "Border Cities." He recently completed an advanced course at the National Defence College, Kingston.

He was awarded the distinguished Service Cross in January 1945, for "gallantry and outstanding service in the face of the enemy, and for zeal, patience and cheerfulness in dangerous waters, and for setting an example of wholehearted devotion to duty, upholding the high tradition of the Royal

Canadian Navy." He also was twice mentioned in despatches: the first time in October, 1944, for good service in action against enemy coastal forces and again a month later for good service in attacks on enemy sea communications.

The early Naval career of Lt. Cdr. Charles almost paralleled that of his successor. He joined as a Cadet in 1937 and went overseas for training in units of the British Fleet. During his wartime service, he, too, served in the destroyer Restigouche and was Mentioned in Despatches. Since the end of hostilities he has held the appointment of staff communications officer on the staff of the Flag Officer Atlantic Coast and, for a year, was appointed for duty with Naval Member of the Canadian Joint Staff in Washington, D. C. He was appointed commanding officer of "Crescent" on January 5, 1948.

On relinquishing command of the destroyer he will be appointed to Naval Headquarters for duty with the Director of Naval Communications.

Ore Shipment to Japan Cancelled

An order for 250,000 tons of iron ore from Texada Island, for delivery in Japan, received some months ago has been cancelled. It appears that the cancellation was caused by inability to meet the deadline for placing the goods in Japan through delays in preparation for mining and other arrangements for shipping the ore from British Columbia.

Another order is looked for by officials of the Frith-Kershaw Ltd. firm.

Comic strips were not used in daily newspapers until the 1890's.

Canada Notifies Her Assistance

LONDON — Canada has now officially notified other interested governments that she is ready to enter negotiations for a North Atlantic security pact, Hon. Lester B. Pearson, minister of external affairs, announced. She would join in a military alliance with the United States and five nations of Europe's western alliance—Britain, France, Belgium, Holland and Luxembourg—to form the North American defensive union.

Big Douglas Craft For Trans Pacific

VANCOUVER—The introduction of DC-6 aircraft on its Pacific routes was announced today by British Commonwealth Pacific Airlines. The new aircraft will fly the Southern Cross routes from Australia to Vancouver, via Honolulu and San Francisco, connecting with the transcontinental routes of the Trans-Canada Air Lines. The first of the new aircraft will be delivered to B.C.P.A. on Sunday next.

Vancouver In Football Final

CALGARY, — Displaying power on the ground and in the air, Vancouver Blue Bombers on Saturday swept into the Western Canada junior football finals by trimming Calgary Tornados 29 to 12 in a sudden-death tilt. The West Coast squad, defending Dominion title, now meet the winner of the Manitoba-Saskatchewan series.

Steamship Movements

For Vancouver
Sunday—ss. Coquitlam, 11 p.m.
Tuesday—ss. Camosun, 1:30 p.m.
Thursday—ss. Prince George, 11:15 p.m.
Nov. 6—ss. Princess Louise, a.m.
From Vancouver
Sunday—ss. Camosun, 11 p.m.
Wednesday—ss. Prince George, 10 a.m.
Friday—ss. Coquitlam, 1 p.m.
Nov. 1—ss. Princess Louise, a.m.
For Alice Arm and Port Simpson
Sunday—ss. Camosun, 11 p.m.
From Alice Arm and Port Simpson
Tuesday—ss. Camosun, a.m.
From Ocean Falls
Wednesday—ss. Prince George, 10 a.m.
Nov. 1—ss. Princess Louise, a.m.
For Ocean Falls
Thursday—ss. Prince George, 11:15 p.m.
Nov. 6—ss. Princess Louise, a.m.
From Alaska
Thursday—ss. Prince George, Nov. 6—ss. Princess Louise, p.m.
For Alaska
Wednesday—ss. Prince George, midnight.
Nov. 1—ss. Princess Louise, a.m.

TO REMOVE RUST

Rust can be removed from kettles with kerosene and steel wool.

FLINT GLASS

Flint Glass, also known as crystal, was discovered by George Ravenscroft, an Englishman, in 1677.

EIGHTEEN CENT SUPPER — Discovery that one-pound cans of horsemeat were selling at 18 cents in Winnipeg stores led health authorities to consider regulations for its sale. While they discuss the problem the meat is still on sale. A can is being opened here by a Winnipeg girl. (CP Photo)



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