

Seattle Mission Boat Calls Here

Travelling through Canadian waters on a "pleasure permit," the 200-foot motor vessel Willis Shank was piloted into Prince Rupert harbor yesterday by Preacher-Captain C. F. Stabbert. The "miracle ship" is northbound on her seasonal trip of spreading the gospel.

At present, services are being conducted at Port Simpson.

The Willis Shank is one of two missionary vessels operated by the Marine Medical Mission, with headquarters in Seattle. The other vessel, the Gleaner, is piloted by Captain Paul Getman and operates in Southeastern Alaska with headquarters at Klawack.

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MUSICAL RIDE TRAINER—Sgt. Richard Van Patten, veteran of 14 years with the R.C.M.P., will train the musical ride, in which 32 Mounties take part, for a tour of Canada and the United States this fall. Sgt. Van Patten is riding master at the Regina barracks. (CP PHOTO)

Season's First Halibut Here

Research Vessel in With 12,000 Pounds

First catch of halibut of the year arrived at Government wharf today but the 12,000 pounds of choice sea food is remaining in the hold of the vessel which caught the fish.

The fish are the pay-load cargo of the International Halibut Commission's chartered tagging vessel, the J. O. Edwards, returning from her second trip of tagging operations on the halibut grounds. The halibut are expected to pay for expenses of the trip but in Can-

ada can only be sold in frozen form, according to local fish-houses.

Meanwhile, chief investigator of IHC is arriving here by plane today to say how the halibut will be disposed of. Catch consists of 9000 medium, 2000 large and 1000 chicken.

The pre-season catch, however, is no indication of the halibut run, IHC officials said. Season is expected to open May 17 but no official word has been received.

Captain of the J. O. Edwards is O. Matheson.

Air Officials Visit Terrace

E. R. R. Field, manager of domestic lines, Canadian Pacific Airlines, and other officials, who arrived in the city yesterday afternoon from Vancouver, proceeded today to Terrace and are leaving direct from there on their return to Vancouver. Their trip north is in connection with the extension of the company's service from here to Terrace. W. A. Chambers, supervisor of traffic for British Columbia and Yukon, who came north with the party, will return to the city by train tonight.

Blue Jeans Ruled Out

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Co-eds at the University of Pennsylvania have been given an ultimatum by their own student government association—no more blue jeans on the campus.

The association announced the ban had been put in effect because jeans are sloppy and they do not lend the proper atmosphere to the campus.

Some co-eds opposed the rule on the grounds blue jeans are easy on the budget, are flattering to certain types of figures, and can be used in lieu of pyjamas as well as for outdoor attire.

How effective the ban will prove remains to be seen.

JOHANNESBURG — A 21-year-old white policeman, Andries Knox, was sentenced to five years in prison for attacking an African woman in a police patrol wagon. The judge said that in view of the behaviour of the accused, it was not surprising that some natives were antagonistic to the police.

Seven Times Mother, Back In Pictures

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — "I just can't seem to get away from monkeys."

That was the plaintive remark of Maureen O'Sullivan, back before the movie cameras after a lengthy absence. In the 1930's, she spent nine years as the mate of Tarzan and nursemaid to Cheetah the Chimp and other beasts.

Now, after mothering seven children, she is appearing with the educated monkey in "Bonzo Goes to College."

"I don't mind the monkeys so much," she said. "This one—her real name is Peggy—seems quite gentle and affectionate. The ones we had on the Tarzan pictures were all right until they grew older."

MORE MOVIES

Miss O'Sullivan's last film work was five years ago, when she appeared in "The Big Clock."

She indicated she will be doing more movies in the future. "My children range from 13 years to eight months," she said, "so now the older ones are beginning to be able to take care of the younger ones. That allows me more time off, and I think I will use it in acting."

The actress is also going in for television and has a story-telling series for children, a field in which she should be an expert. Despite her heavy maternity schedule, she still looks as trim and pretty as a starlet.

OBSERVATION

Perhaps the vaudeville shows on television are running their course. The slam-bang variety shows are bogging down in a mess of old jokes and worn-out acts. I don't know about you, but I can watch one of the big-name comedy shows for a whole hour without cracking a smile.

Oil Company Enters B.C.

CALGARY — Canada's spreading oil and gas development is now expanding northwest into British Columbia. President Harry M. Snyder told the annual meeting of Empire Petroleum Limited here.

He reported the acquisition by Empire of a 25 per cent interest in 200,000 acres in the Fort St. John area, northern B.C., and of a 25 per cent interest in 60,000 acres in the Winchell Coulee area of western Alberta.

Since the issuance of the company's annual report, he said, further results reported from the Fort St. John area had emphasized the importance of Empire's holdings there. The most recent in which Empire holds an interest has been the oil showing in the Pacific Fort St. John No. 7 well being drilled by Pacific Petroleum and associates. Empire had subsequently increased materially its acreage in that area.

Development of oil production in that section of the northwest, President Snyder pointed out, would introduce new marketing practices since the logical delivery point for crude would be Vancouver or other tidewater points on the Pacific coast.

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"Model Marriage Broker" Hilarious

How a marriage broker operates and her influence on the lives of those who enlist her services make for hilarious comedy in "The Model and the Marriage Broker," starring Jeanne Crain, Scott Brady and Thelma Ritter, which opened at the Capitol Theatre last night and continues this evening and tomorrow.

The story revolves around the manoeuvring of Miss Ritter as the marriage broker who devotes her life to finding mates for lonely individuals who cannot solve their romantic perplexities.

Miss Crain is a sweet, teased young lady who eventually becomes engaged and finds romance made good with Scott Brady, a technician.

Supporting cast includes Michael O'Shea, pinocchio friend of Miss Ritter, Zeke Frank Fontaine, a ship seeking a mate, John Moore, a former Pullman porter, and a sister-in-law, and an old maid who was left in the lurch.

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