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# JANTITY OF HALIBUT IS MARKETED IN AUGUST

## ARF EXTENSION CONTRACT IS LET BY THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT

### 54,000 lbs. of Halibut in August

**Was Amount Landed Here; Highest Price for Month was 18.3c; 48,000 lbs. Salmon Sold**

In the month of August the local fish business was not very good but the weather prevailing on the one too good so the quantity passing through the port for the month this year was not as large as that of 1919. The ice situation which threatened to be serious did not hold up much business. For the month just over 50,000 pounds of halibut were landed here as against 30,000 pounds landed last year during the same month. The price paid in August, 1920, was 18.3c and 8c on Sunday, the lowest was 10c and 5c on August 7. The price was higher than last, the top price in August, 1919,

was little fish lost from this port to others during the month, the only shipments going outside being 23,000 lbs. and 15,000 to Ketchikan.

Night thousand pounds of salmon passed through the port during the month.

### WORK ON VACATIONS

#### LORD BURNHAM IN CAP AND APRON CUT HAUNCH OF BUFFALO

JASPER, Sept. 1.—Lord Burnham, head of the Imperial Press party, in cap and apron carved a haunch of buffalo at a luncheon at the national park yesterday.

The party is enjoying the beauties of the park riding ponies and sight seeing in other ways.

### BELFAST STILL IN DISORDER

**Shipyard Men Fight Each Other Until Armored Car Arrives.**

BELFAST, Sept. 1.—Irish disorders continue. There was a battle between shipyard workers, the Nationalists and Unionists taking opposite sides for half an hour. The Sinn Feiners were finally dislodged by an armored car.

Train cars are running the gauntlet of bullets as they pass through some of the districts.

Masked men invaded a dance hall and expelled all military and naval officers.

NEW YORK, Sept. 1.—The Irish pseudo president De Valera has crossed to Canada, making a clandestine visit to organize the Irish.

### CYCLONE IN CONNECTICUT

**Damage to Tobacco Crop Said to Be \$2,000,000.**

NEW HAVEN, Sept. 1.—Two people are dead and a score injured as a result of a cyclone in Connecticut yesterday. The loss to the tobacco crop caused by the tremendous storm is conservatively said to be \$2,000,000.

### THE NAVAL BRIGADE

Members of the Boys' Naval Brigade will parade at the Board of Trade rooms at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, September 1.

CHARLES V. EVITT.

MARSHAL PETAIN AND HER ROYAL HIGHNESS THE QUEEN OF ROMANIA AT PERSHING STADIUM



Snapshot taken at the Pershing Stadium in Paris during the Olympic trials. The Queen and Marshal Petain seem to be enjoying the events.

### CHEAPER SHIPS ON THE CLYDE

**Half the Price of Those in States Says Robert Dollar**

OTTAWA, Sept. 1.—Captain Robert Dollar, interviewed on his return from Great Britain, said that ships were obtainable on the Clyde at half the cost of building them in the United States or Canada.

The shipping magnate further said that ocean freights were dropping and the shipping business did not look as attractive as it did a short time ago.

### TAFT AT OTTAWA ON RAILWAY BUSINESS

**Arbitrator is on Official Duty Connection Grand Trunk Transfer**

OTTAWA, Sept. 1.—Hon. W. H. Taft, ex-president of the United States, who was recently appointed arbitrator in connection with the taking over of the Grand Trunk Railway by the Canadian Government, arrived here yesterday in connection with the investigation.

### Launch Sea Breeze Burns, Sole Survivor is in Jail

F. C. Lilly Rescued by Captain Harrington of Gasboat Lummi, but Action Suspicious and he is in Juneau Prison

JUNEAU, September 1.—After being saved from the sea on Sunday from an open boat, the sole survivor of the gas boat Sea Breeze, which sank in sight of the rescuing party, F. C. Lilly is a prisoner pending investigations into the death of his partner, William B. Woodworth.

Lilly was rescued by Capt. Harrington of the gas boat Lummi, two miles from the burning boat. He had Woodworth's effects, provisions, etc., and admitted attempting to save his partner, who was below when an explosion set the boat afire.

The prisoner was unable to explain how he could row two miles after the fire gained headway. There was no evidence of an explosion.

A second man, A. S. Jack, is also believed to have been lost but Lilly says he left the boat at Port Walter.

### Provincial Government Wharf Contract is Let

D. H. Morrison secures Contract for Extension at foot of McBride Street, his tender being approximately Seventeen Thousand Dollars

The contract for the building of the extension to the provincial government wharf has been let to D. H. Morrison, of this city, at about \$17,000. This provides merely for the extension of the wharf proper from its present ending to the Akerberg-Thomson Machine Shop and does not include superstructure. This will be built later when the piling and decking has been completed.

A start will be made on the new wharf as soon as piles can be brought from Vancouver for the work.

The new wharfage will give accommodation to two or three more fish concerns, which business will probably be calling for further space soon.

### SHOT GIRLS WHO FLASHED LIGHT IN WINDOW OF HOUSE

OTTAWA, Sept. 1.—May Casey, 20 years of age, was shot and killed near Mud Lake by a farmer, John Neil, 65 years of age. The man was annoyed when the girl, sitting on a cliff, shone a flashlight into his window.

Neil is charged with manslaughter.

### CONVERT WOOD STEAMERS INTO OIL TANKERS

**That is Proposal Made at Seattle to United States Shipping Board.**

SEATTLE, Sept. 1.—Negotiations have been opened with the United States Shipping Board with a view to converting some of the 38 wooden hulls lying at Lake Union, Washington State, into oil tankers at a cost not exceeding \$40,000 each.

The hulls are a war surplus and rotting in the lake.

### FLOUR DROPS \$1 A BARREL

VANCOUVER, Sept. 1.—Flour dropped a dollar a barrel here today. It is now quoted at \$13.50. This is in line with the downward tendency of foodstuffs generally.

Four Victoria society girls, Misses Dolly McBride, daughter of the late Sir Richard and Lady McBride, Frances Whillans, Helen Goward, and Aileen Lawrence, have entered St. Joseph's Hospital as probationers with a view to taking the nursing course.

Miller is now out on \$1,000 bail.

The Besner cases of having liquor illegally and moving liquor are adjourned until tomorrow morning.

### Jack Miller Convicted Liquor Selling Charge

**Magistrate McMordie does Not Yet Pronounce Sentence on Second Offenders; Corley and Besner are Further Remanded**

Jack Miller was found guilty by Magistrate McMordie in the police court this morning of selling liquor and tomorrow morning will come up for sentence. This is a second offence conviction for Miller but the magistrate has not yet signified what will be the penalty in regard to second offences of this kind. In the Sweet case, where the accused was convicted similarly, City Solicitor Hooper argued that there was no option but jail, while the defence maintained that previous convictions were for having liquor and, therefore, did not make the present selling convictions of second offence status.

This morning two witnesses manded for a week so that two were heard for the defence in the witnesses for the prosecution may be obtained.

the accused. Detective Money was recalled to the stand by W. H. Williams, acting for the defence. He testified that there had been two rounds of drink bought at the New Windsor Cabaret on the night in question, one served by Miller for which he had received the pay himself and another served by Miller, but for which George Carlson was paid.

#### Cabaret Girl Heard

Thelma Lathrop, who was working at the cabaret on the night of Aug. 12, testified that she had seen Money and Smith there that night. She also remembered Carlson leaving and Miller going behind the bar. Money had come to her and asked her to dance. After they had danced about three minutes they came up to the bar and "skee" had been served to four persons. Money, Smith, Miller and herself. "Skee" was a soft drink of whiskey taste, was served in whiskey classes and cost 50c a drink. To her knowledge liquor had never been served to girls in the cabaret. Money had put \$12 on the bar but she did not know why. Carlson took it up and put it in the ash register.

Cross examined by Mr. Hooper, Thelma stated that she thought she saw Carlson give Money a bottle when he returned to the bar after having left Miller in charge for about seven or eight minutes.

#### Miller Testifies.

Jack Miller swore in his evidence that he did not run the New Windsor cabaret but had it leased to George Carlson for \$125 per month. He had been in the New Windsor cabaret on the night in question and had seen Money and Smith there. He had served them with drinks when Carlson went out but it had not been intoxicating liquor. It was "pep" or "skee," he was not sure which. He had not served more than one drink. He had seen the transaction between Carlson and Money when the former returned from Fraser Street.

Mr. Hooper brought out in the cross examination that the accused had sold liquor and soft drinks in Billings, Montana.

#### Accused Convicted.

In the argument of counsel, Mr. Williams endeavored to prove that the accused was not the occupant of the premises, while Mr. Hooper, prosecutor, argued that the magistrate could convict on three grounds, Miller was a partner in the business, was an agent of Carlson's or he had actually sold the liquor.

Miller is now out on \$1,000 bail.

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#### The Corley case has been re-

### PASSENGERS TO B. C. MUST BE EXAMINED

**Will be Refused Landing Unless Can Produce Papers from Physician**

VICTORIA, Sept. 1.—From this date all passengers entering British Columbia ports will be refused a landing unless they can produce a certificate of medical examination. Ship doctors are to assist in enforcing the law. This is the gist of an order in council just passed at Ottawa.

Vancouver shipping men are protesting to the Federal Government against the order.

### NICHOLSON IS STILL MANAGER

**To Work under Jurisdiction of Railways Office at Vancouver**

VANCOUVER, Sept. 1.—Capt. H. H. Nicholson has been appointed manager of steamships and all other floating equipment under the jurisdiction of the railways office at Vancouver. Other new appointments are

A. A. Tisdale, Asst. Gen. Mgr.; H. Dixon, Chief Engineer; A. H. Eager, Mech. Super.; E. Crawford, Supt. Car Service; A. E. Cox, Gen. Storekeeper; G. M. Bannerman, Chief Special Agent.

J. M. Leney, assistant chief medical officer, with offices at Winnipeg.

### FARMER WOULD SHOOT FALLS

**Bluenose to Go Over Niagara in Barrel Made by Himself**

HALIFAX, Sept. 1.—William Barbrick, a Nova Scotian farmer here en route to Niagara says he is determined to shoot the falls in a self made barrel. He has received hundreds of letters warning him not to commit suicide.

### CINDERELLA DANCE TONIGHT

St. Andrew's Hall  
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