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FIRE AT KETCHIKAN DESTROYS BUILDINGS

FLIERS TO BE HERE NEXT WEEK; PREPARATIONS FOR RECEPTION COMPLETE

Fire at Ketchikan Destroys Seven Buildings including Revilla Hotel Loss \$150,000 but No Lives Lost

A fire last night destroyed the Revilla Hotel and a number of buildings in Ketchikan, including the California Grocery and Arcade restaurant which were completely destroyed and the adjoining bake-shop which was partly burnt. A few windows were broken in other buildings and damage done by water.

Another fire at the other end of the town also did some damage, seven buildings in all being destroyed or injured. The estimated damage is \$150,000. No lives were lost.

The amateur fire brigade worked hard and the fire was out by midnight. It commenced in the Revilla Hotel at six o'clock in the evening.

SIGNAL CORPS MEN TO BE IN PRINCE RUPERT

Radio Station to be Established in Connection With Fisheries Patrol This Summer

An officer and two men from the Royal Canadian Signal Corps will be posted at Prince Rupert this summer to man a radio station that is to be established here in order to keep in touch with the seaplanes that are to be placed in the fisheries patrol service. The seaplanes will be equipped with sets having a radius of more than 500 miles. A similar radio station is to be established at Vancouver.

P.G.E. PROBE HAS CLOSED

Commissioner Judge Gallier Will Prepare Report Soon as Possible

VICTORIA, March 29.—The P.G.E. railway investigation ended yesterday afternoon following five weeks of strenuous probing into charges of corruption and extravagance on the part of the Oliver government. The proceedings closed abruptly without addresses by lawyers on either side.

Mr. Justice Gallier, the royal commissioner, said he would prepare his reports on the proceedings as soon as possible.

WHALEN COMPANY IS PREPARING TO START LOGGING ON ISLANDS

Albert Moore, logging superintendent for the Whalen Pulp & Paper Co., arrived from Thurston Harbor on the Prince John this morning and made connections for the south. Rafting of logs already cut at the Whalen camps on the Islands is commencing and logging operations will be resumed in full in the near future.

JAPANESE FREIGHTER HELPLESS IN NORTH

Vessel Has Crew of Forty and Engine Shaft and Propeller Broken

CORDOVA, Alaska, March 29.—The Japanese freighter Ayaha Maru with a crew of about forty men is helpless with engine shaft and propellers broken south of Atka Island in the North Pacific.

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Mechanical Buildings
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HALIBUT LOW ON EXCHANGE

Heavy Production in East and Frozen Fish Responsible For Price

The large production of fish in the east and the fact that a quantity of cold storage fish is being forced on to the market from last year's crop resulted in the price paid for halibut on the local exchange today being the lowest of the season, even though the Lenten season is on and the landings today amounted in all to only 75,000 pounds. Following is the detail:

American Boats	
National, 27,000, to Cold Storage	at 10.20c and 5c.
Viking, 9,000, to Atlin Fisheries	at 11c and 5c.
Daley, 15,000, to Atlin Fisheries	at 9.80c and 5c.
Volunteer, 14,000, to Booth Fisheries	at 11.10c and 5c.
Canadian Boats	
Caygeon, 3,000, to Royal Fish Co.	at 9.20c and 5c.
Vinnie V., 4,000, to Booth Fisheries	at 9.30c and 5c.
Westerner, 3,000, to Booth Fisheries	at 9.30c and 5c.

SEAL COVE LADY DIED IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Sarah Anne Lofthus Expired This Morning—Funeral to be Held Wednesday

Early this morning the death occurred at the Prince Rupert General Hospital of Sarah Anne Lofthus, wife of Herman T. Lofthus, Seal Cove. Mrs. Lofthus was 60 years of age. Besides the widower, a daughter, Mrs. Anderson, Eighth Avenue East, is left to mourn her loss.

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

ENGLISH LEAGUE.
Division I.
Cardiff 0, Everton 0.
Liverpool 1, Tottenham H. 0.
Middlesboro 1, Sunderland 3.
Notts Forest 0, Blackburn 0.
Preston N.E. 0, Bolton 2.
West Ham 1, West Bromwich 0.
Division II.
Barnsley 0, Hull City 0.
Bradford City 0, Nelson 2.
Bury 1, Crystal Palace 1.
Clapton Orient 0, Southampton 0.
Leeds 0, Blackpool 0.
Leicester City 2, Fulham 1.
Manchester United 2, Stoke 2.
Oldham 1, Coventry City 1.
Port Vale 2, Derby County 0.
South Shields 1, Wednesday 1.
Stockport City 0, Bristol City 0.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE.

Division I.
Rangers 0, Raith Rovers 1.
Hamilton A. 2, Kilmarnock 1.
Partick Thistle 1, Aberdeen 0.
Queen's Park 1, Clydebank 1.
Airdrieonians 2, Celtic 0.
Ayr United 3, Third Lanark 0.
Clyde 2, Falkirk 1.
Dundee 1, St. Mirren 1.
Hearts 2, Motherwell 1.

TORNADO SWEEP SHAWNEE CITY

Six Known to Have Been Killed and Between 150 and 200 Houses Demolished

SHAWNEE, Oklahoma, March 29.—Six are known to have been killed and twenty seriously injured by a tornado which swept through the city demolishing the school and between 150 and 200 residences.

KANSAS CITY, March 29.—Nine persons are dead, between 75 and 100 injured, several probably fatally and property damage estimated at hundreds of thousands of dollars is the toll of tornado and wind storms which swept parts of Oklahoma, Kansas, Texas, Missouri and Illinois late yesterday and last night. Eight persons were killed and more than seventy injured at Shawnee, Okla., where 300 homes in the best residential section were destroyed.

SMUGGLING CHAMPAGNE INTO UNITED STATES

Six Members of Crew of Steamer Megantic Arrested in New York

NEW YORK, March 29.—Six members of the crew of the steamer Megantic were arrested when the customs men discovered 136 bottles of champagne being lowered from the vessel into a motor boat.

DEBT TO CANADA NOW BEING PAID

LONDON, March 29.—Between eight and ten million dollars will be remitted to Canada this week end through New York in final adjustment of the British government debt to Canada hanging over from the war.



The wife of an Arab market porter is the envy of all Algiers. At present she is the wealthiest native woman there since she won a prize of 50,000 francs in a local lottery.

London Bus and Tramway Strike Ended Yesterday with Agreement Between the Parties Interested

LONDON, March 29.—The strike of London bus and tramway workers ended yesterday through successful negotiations between representatives of the workers and employers initiated by Premier Ramsay MacDonald.

The workers concurred something by accepting an immediate advance of six shillings with the remaining two shillings demanded by the men fluctuating according to the cost of living index.

The terms of settlement are subject to ratification on both sides. Meantime all tube and other threatened sympathetic strikes are called off.

A general resumption of services is expected by Sunday.

IS WORKING ON ELEVATOR

Charles P. Coles Will Try to Finance in England if Not Successful Here

F. G. Dawson received word this morning from Charles P. Coles of Vancouver, representing the firm of Kerr, Gifford & Co. stating that he still has good hopes of being able to secure an elevator for this port. He has booked passage to England on May 1 and, if he fails to secure the necessary funds on this side before that date, he says he has reason to believe he can finance the building in the old country.

THORNTON NOT GOING ENGLAND

Says Knows Nothing of Report and is Not Returning to London

NEW YORK, March 29.—"Nothing in it at all," said Sir Henry Thornton, in denying a report that he was to return to England to take over the management of an Old Country system. The report he said was news to him. "I have not heard anything about it," he said, "and I have no intention of returning to London."

LONDON, March 28.—A report was in circulation here that Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways, is returning to England to take over the management of the London, Midland and Scottish Railway.

MONTREAL, March 28.—Sir Henry Thornton left Montreal tonight for New York. No confirmation or denial of the report of his resignation is available.

CUP FOOTBALL SEMI-FINALS

Newcastle and Aston Villa Winners Over Manchester and Burnley

LONDON, March 29.—Newcastle United and Aston Villa qualified to enter the final of the English Association cup series, winning their matches in the semi-final round today. Newcastle defeated Manchester City two to nothing and Aston Villa triumphed over Burnley three to nothing.

Charles J. Clayton arrived in the city from Massett on the Prince John this morning.

All Preparations made for Flyers to Alight on Arrival Next Week

Will Probably Leave Seattle on Wednesday or Thursday; Weather Reports being sent commencing Tomorrow

SEATTLE, March 29.—Final instructions for the resumption of the flight of the United States around the world airplanes from here to the Kurile Island have been issued. Tentative plans call for "hopping off" to Prince Rupert on Wednesday or Thursday.

Sealed envelopes deposited with the flight representatives at the end of each leg of the air voyage contain instructions for the next section. For instance, Major Martin will receive, on his arrival at Prince Rupert from Seattle, detailed instructions as to the hop from Prince Rupert to Sitka. This plan is being followed so that the minds of the aviators will be entirely on the flight then in progress without any chance of their worrying or thinking about what may be ahead. These instructions have been posted by Lieut. Clayton Bissell, advance officer of the flight.

Further arrangements in connection with the reception and activities while here of the fliers were announced this morning by Jarvis H. McLeod, local representative of the U.S. world flight.

The machines will circle above the city before alighting at Seal Cove in order to give the people an opportunity of seeing the planes in the air. Advice of the departure of the fliers from Seattle will be transmitted soon after they leave there and the progress of the planes will be bulletined in the Daily News office. It is likely that they will arrive here not late in the afternoon of the day of departure.

The planes will come down to the water in the middle of the harbor just opposite the plant of the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co. and will taxi or be towed into the mooring buoys. No. 1 machine, in command of Major L. E. Martin, flight commander, will alight first; the three others following and tying up at their respective buoys.

Mayor Newton, the city council and the president of the Board of Trade have been invited to attend the landing and give the city's formal welcome to the aeronauts.

The pilots and mechanics, arriving after the long, hard flight, must refuel their planes immediately and examine the machines preparatory to the next day's flight. This work will take probably until dark and the fliers will not leave their planes until it is finished. While the visitors will undoubtedly be eager to become acquainted with the people, due to the fatigue following flying and servicing of their machines as well as the mental strain, they will desire refreshment and rest above all else. Accordingly no provision should be made for their entertainment unless it is taken up with the flight commander. If, through stress of weather or other circumstances, the machines are compelled to stop over here, then entertainment plan may be carried out, of course, with sanction of Major Martin.

Shipping Keep Clear

Shipping is warned to leave clear the space set aside for the landing. Failure to do so might mean damaging the machines or

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POINCARÉ HAS NEW CABINET

Policy of Firmness in Ruhr and at Home Expected From French Government

PARIS, March 28.—Premier Poincaré's new cabinet, officially announced last night, includes ten new members to assist him in his policy of "firmness in foreign affairs, law, order and internal economy."

The fact that M. Maginot, minister of war, and M. Letroquer, minister of works, "the Ruhr men" were the only ministers Premier Poincaré extricated from the wreck of the old cabinet, is interpreted as meaning that he intends continuing the policy that France cannot evacuate the Ruhr until there has been complete payment of reparations.

F. L. BUCKLEY HAS RESIGNED

Relinquishes Post as General Manager of the Massett Timber Co.

F. L. Buckley, who reorganized the Massett Timber Co. with California capital over a year ago and who was largely instrumental in the resumption of operations at the Buckley Bay saw-mill, has resigned his position as vice-president and general manager of the company. Several other officials of the company at Vancouver have also resigned. Jack Macdonald, chief accountant at Buckley Bay, who went south last week, is in charge of the Vancouver office of the company in the meantime.

STOP PIRATING IN FURS AND TROPHIES

Dead Wall of 25 Miles on Each Side Boundary Proposed Between B.C. and Alaska

VANCOUVER, March 29.—In an effort to stop fur and trophy pirating along the Alaska and British Columbia borders it is likely that both the Alaska and the British Columbia authorities may establish a dead wall of game sanctuary for a distance of 25 miles on either side of the boundary in the vicinities of Stikien and Taku, according to a statement made by M. B. Jackson, M.P.P., chairman of the Game Conservation Board of British Columbia here yesterday.

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Ketchikan Disaster

Prince Rupert people were sympathetically interested to hear of the disaster which has befallen Ketchikan and everywhere were heard regrets that a sister city, although across the national border, should have been stricken so sorely. In places where the interests are so similar and the conditions of life so nearly related, there is bound to be understanding of each other's problems and a fellow feeling, especially in time of trouble.

It is to be hoped that the damage done to The First City will soon be repaired and that she will enjoy that progress which her progressive citizens deserve.

Sir Henry Thornton And The Railway.

It is to be hoped that nothing will occur which will interfere with the good work of Sir Henry Thornton as head of the Canadian National Railways. The excellence of that work is now being recognized by all political parties and even by the head of the rival road, the Canadian Pacific Railway. The revival of business in this country is due to no small extent to the revival of the C.N.R. under its present management. It is sincerely to be hoped that nothing will be allowed to nip in the bud the growth and development of the railway business which depends so much on the stimulus of the man at the head.

Wonder Why They Don't Make Good.

A good many people wonder why they don't make good and when they fail they become bolshewists, thinking that the system is wrong when it is themselves who are wrong. Under any socialistic system they would be cremated instead of being allowed to lumber the earth with their useless bones. If ever there comes a time when conditions are equalized, it must not be expected that the leveling will be done downward. The men who today are failures will be simply wiped off the board under a socialist organization. Nothing but service will count and he that will not work will not be allowed to eat or breathe the pure air that is the heritage of the useful.

Usually the reason people do not make good is because they do not deserve it. To be keen on work and to give the best thought and energy to it is the only way to success. Work must not be a sideline. It must be the one thing that overshadows everything else in a person's life or the person is a failure.

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Year Book and Syllabus will be sent to any address on request. Applications for Midsummer examinations should reach the Registrar on or before May 1st next.

MUCH ACTIVITY Q.C. ISLANDS

Steamer Brings Visitors to Clam Factory and Takes Away Product South

INDIANS CARVING POLES

Snow Covered Blossoming Flowers This Week but no Frost Accompanied it

MASSETT, March 29. — The steamer Mary Ellen arrived at Massett on Sunday last from Everett, Washington, with a party of visitors interested in the Razor clam industry, recently started at Hi-ellen river.

A wedding took place at Port Clements on Monday last. The principals were Ralph Stafford, returned soldier, and pioneer resident of Massett Inlet, and Mrs. Alice Hall, formerly of Pennsylvania, U.S. The wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. J. Gillett.

A number of miners who were interested in the black sand deposits on the east coast of Graham Island, leave on the Prince John, bound south. They have been experimenting for some time at the "Blue Jackets Camp" on Massett Inlet, but found conditions unfavorable for the process with which they experimented.

The razorback clam cannery at Tow Hill is employing a large number of men and women under the charge of Captain Babington. Additions and alterations are going on, and it is proposed to erect a warehouse near the wharf at Massett.

Boats Arrive

The gasoline launch Pachena made several trips to the islands recently from Prince Rupert. With the appearance of the long days of spring and the remarkably pleasant weather, a number of gasoline boats are appearing on the halibut banks and along the inlets. The Indians are preparing for the run of spring salmon which is expected early in May. A large number of whites and Indians will fish off Langara Island and Hippo Island.

After many years, as superintendent of the telegraph service on Queen Charlotte Islands, W. N. Geigerich will leave the service on account of the closing down of the offices at Massett and Port Clements. It is understood that all wireless messages will be telephoned from Dead Tree Point to the various settlements, while a line man will be engaged attending to the telephone service. Mr. Geigerich, with his wife and family will leave the islands after the end of March.

Mr. and Mrs. Lees will leave Massett on the next steamer, bound for England, where Mr. Lees will occupy an important position. During the past two years Mr. Lees was teacher of the school at Massett Townsite.

Carving Totems

The Massett Indians are engaged in carving a number of large totem poles made from the large cedar trees of the islands. The two large poles, now in course of construction, will be very unique. In the past twenty years, the Indians did not make any of their old carvings on the trees, but efforts were made to have them again engage in basket making and in carving on wood and slate. Several of the older members of the Massett band are now at work on the reserve, turning out the much sought for work of the Haidas.

Another of the large steamers of the Los Angeles Products Company passed up Massett Inlet on Monday last for Buckley Bay to load lumber for the Los Angeles Products Company.

Mary Ellen Sailed

The steamer Mary Ellen left on Thursday for Seattle direct after remaining several days at Massett. The steamer carried a consignment of eight hundred cases of razor clams, the first large consignment from the new cannery at Tow Hill.

The first real snow storm of a most unusual description, visited Massett Inlet on Thursday evening. Accompanied by a westerly wind the residents were treated to a view of the ground covered with a coating of white flakes which embedded the flowers, although the thermometer did not register anywhere near the freezing point. It is not expected that any damage will result from the storm which prevailed.

PREMIER MINE CLUB CONCERT

Splendid Entertainment Put up By Residents at Camp Four Rooms

GYMNASIUM INSTALLED

PREMIER, March 29. — The Premier Mines Community Club organized some few weeks ago gave their initial entertainment in the club rooms at Camp 4 on the 22nd and 24th March. The program was extremely well rendered, those taking part being all members of the club. The drop curtains, and other stage paraphernalia, was home production, and reflected great credit on both the artist, E. Davis, and the designer, Tom Mackay.

While it is difficult from such an array of talent to pick out any for particular mention, it is impossible to pass over the excellent work of Miss Alton, Mrs. Grant, Russ Carr, Art Irwin and Stan Alton, in the Comedie Musicale. Following was the program: Overture, Stan Alton at the piano.

"The Radio," featuring Louie Johnson and his wonderful invention, including "The Dangerous Dan McBrew (a Service-Volstead Cocktail) and "Aunt Miranda's Visit of Consolations," V. Stella on his concertina. "Trials of the Stage," Comedie Musicale—Scene: Lobby of the Ocean View Hotel. Time: Yesterday. Mrs. S. H. Alton and Miss M. M. Grant, show girls; Russ Carr and Art Irwin, members of troupe; Stan Alton, country boy. Stump Speech, Tom Campbell. A Bit of Music de Luxe: Mrs. E. J. Davis, violin; Mrs. R. V. Chapman, piano.

A Song or two, Fred Armacher. Coon Colored Comedy, Art Irwin and Russ Carr. Our Country Club, a short talk by Judge Murray.

Boxing Bout, Kid Baynton of Alaska vs. Artful Arthur of London.

Work of Club

The club, organized in February last has now in operation a comfortable well lighted reading room, supplied with the world's principal papers and magazines, a small but up to date circulating library, gymnasium with punching bag, boxing gloves, wrestling mat, bars and other equipment well under way.

A radio set has been ordered and will be in operation some time during April when members can listen to the "doings" of the outside world and enjoy their Sunday morning and evening church services.

ANYOX TO SPEND \$2,330 ON COURTS OF TENNIS CLUB

Resolution Favors Daylight Saving; Other Improvements are Discussed

ANYOX, March 29. — At the regular meeting of the Anyox Community League Council held in Recreation Hall, Wednesday, there being present President Harper, Vice-President Southam, Secretary-Treasurer Townshend, Councillors Mrs. Dwyer, Messrs. Jones, Rice and Seaton, the secretary reported that the Granby Company would, if necessary, finance the alterations to the tennis courts, the league to pay the cost eventually. The estimate furnished for the work was \$2,330, which the tennis players would contribute in dues over a period of six years, the yearly collection being set at \$400, the amount secured in 1923.

It was reported that the basketball championship game between Prince Rupert and Anyox showed a loss of thirty dollars, while the basketball dance cleared something over sixty dollars. Anyox and Rupert would arrange at a meeting to be held in Prince Rupert at the time of the Fair next September to have a cup emblematic of the basketball championship of northern British Columbia played for yearly at Anyox.

Pool Room Assistant

A successor for the pool room assistant had been found it was shown and he was to work for a month on trial, while a new caretaker had been employed for the gymnasium.

Regarding the matter of a new walk to the ball grounds, the Granby management had offered to supply the material if the Community League supplied the



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labor. The constitution committee had arranged to meet before the next meeting of the council. The council decided that the work should be gone ahead with in connection with the tennis courts, if the company could proceed with the work in the near future, and that the basketball executive be given the profits derived from the dance for the purpose of purchasing individual trophies for the players comprising the winners of the leagues.

The secretary's action with regard to pool room assistant and gymnasium caretaker was endorsed. In connection with the visit of Dr. Williams, University of British Columbia geologist, it was decided to advertise the dates of his lectures in Anyox. With regard to the board walk to the ball grounds, it was agreed that the Granby management should be asked to do this work wholly.

Daylight Saving
A communication from the tennis club, citing a resolution in favor of daylight saving had been passed at the general annual meeting, and asking for the support of the community league was read. This was laid over for the next meeting. The question of raising the salary of the manager of mine recreation hall was laid over for one month. Chairmen appointed to the various league departments were: Library, J. T. Jones; recreation, G. Thomson; entertainment, Mrs. Dwyer; home and school, Mrs. Cloke; house, A. W. Seaton; gymnasium, A. Lafortune; music and dramatic, E. Yard.

The gasoline tug Elsinore arrived at 8 o'clock last night from Ketchikan with 30 tons of pal-

ladium concentrates to be trans- shipped over the Canadian National Railways to New York for extraction. The vessel will return north this afternoon. This is her third trip here with similar cargo.

OAK BAY RATE TAX
VICTORIA, March 29. — Oak Bay tax rate will be 35 mills on land and 25 per cent on improvement values, according to a decision reached by the Oak Bay Council. The tax rate is made up of 12.33 mills, school; 1.91 mills, debt; and 17.62 mills general purposes. The rate has been fixed on the basis that 80 per cent of the taxes of the municipality will be collected this year.



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Olof Hanson returned from Smithers on last night's train.

Another 500 tons Nanaimo Wellington Lump Coal just arrived. The best yet. Albert & McCaffery, Ltd.

Rev. D. M. Thomson will preach morning and evening at the Baptist Church tomorrow. Everybody welcome.

Football Association Annual meeting, Council Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, April 1, at 8 p.m. Election and reports.

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W. Gilchrist returned to the city by the Princess Mary yesterday afternoon. He has been on a trip to his old home in Ireland.

Miss H. O. Thomas arrived at Massett from Vancouver of the Prince John yesterday. She is to take charge of the school at Massett.

A meeting of the Liberal-Conservative Association will be held in the Emad Hall, Tuesday evening, April 1. Important business.

C.P.R. steamer Princess Beatrice, Capt. Thomas Cliffe, arrived from Vancouver and way ports at 12 noon and returned south at 1 o'clock.

H. C. Fraser, school inspector, returned by last night's train from Terrace and other interior points where he has been on departmental duties.

J. H. Rogers, formerly of Prince Rupert and now with the White Pass & Yukon Railway at Skagway, was a passenger going north on the Princess Mary yesterday.

At 7:30 yesterday afternoon the fire department had a call to the residence of A. Haines, Fifth Avenue West, where there was a bad chimney fire. There was no damage.

J. W. McAuley and Archie Wall of the Canadian National Railways mechanical department are leaving on tonight's train for Winnipeg to attend a mechanical convention of C.N.R. officers to be held on Wednesday next.

S. Workman, of the provincial department of public works, returned this morning on the Prince John from the Queen Charlotte Islands where he has been doing some road survey work.

Paul J. Prather was charged in the police court this morning with fraudulently obtaining lodging at the Prince Rupert Hotel and his case was adjourned until Monday. He was arrested by the city police yesterday afternoon on the steamer Princess Mary on which he was about to depart for Ketchikan.

Miss Anna Rovvik, graduate of the Canadian School of Dermatology (Madame Humphreys, principal) has today opened a beauty parlor at the corner of First Avenue and McRide Street. Hairdressing, Marcel Waving, Manicuring, Facial Massage, Scalp Treatment, Hair Dyeing, Bleaching and Shampooing. For appointment, phone Red 519.

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Alfred Adams, chief of the native council at Massett, arrived from the Islands on the Prince John this morning.

Cup and Saucer Shower Tea by Parent-Teachers' Association, Wednesday, April 2, at 8 p.m. in Booth School. Musical program.

Union steamer Venture, Capt. A. Johnstone, was in port this morning from 8.15 to 10 south-bound from Naas River ports to Vancouver.

H. C. Numan, manager of the New England Fisheries, Ketchikan, and Mrs. Numan were among the passengers going north on the Princess Mary which was in port yesterday.

Mrs. J. M. O'Brien, wife of the late logging superintendent for the Massett Timber Co., arrived in the city on the Prince John this morning and left for the south. Mr. O'Brien has already gone to Vancouver.

W. Brenette arrived in the city from Vancouver on the Princess Mary yesterday afternoon and is leaving tonight on the Prince John for Buckley Bay where he will take a position as logging camp foreman.

At a special meeting of the directors of the Empress Social Club, Mike Roche was elected manager for the coming year, effective April 1. Mike will be glad to meet all his old friends there and make new ones.

Ex-Senator G. H. Stevens of Montana, who has been at Buckley Bay for the past year or so as warehouse manager, has resigned that post and arrived in the city on the Prince John this morning leaving later for Vancouver.

J. W. Allen, gas boat engineer for the Dominion Fisheries department, arrived from Vancouver on the Princess Mary yesterday afternoon. He is here in connection with the two cruisers under construction at the dry dock for the department.

In connection with the removal of an Indian graveyard from North Vancouver to Squamish, a picture appears in the Vancouver Province of Tuesday. Indian Agent C. G. Perry, formerly of this city, Bruce McKelvie, one time editor of the Daily News, and an Indian chief are the principal figures in the picture.

J. McD. Grosart, manager of the Massett Timber Co.'s sawmill at Buckley Bay, returned to the city by the Princess Mary yesterday afternoon from Vancouver where he went to meet the president of the company, Erle M. Leaf of Los Angeles. Mr. Grosart will proceed to the Islands on the Prince John tonight.

Mrs. W. G. Curtis of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. Benjamin E. Boone of Seattle arrived in the city on the Princess Mary yesterday afternoon and will spend the time until the return of the vessel from Alaska visiting here with her father, Joseph A. Rogers, the well known fur dealer. Mrs. Boone is accompanied by her daughter.

C.N.R. steamer Prince John, Capt. Neil McLean, arrived from Vancouver and the Queen Charlotte Islands at 6.30 this morning and is scheduled to return south by the same route at 12 this evening. The John brought something over 50 passengers here and a small freight cargo including steel plate to be used at the dry dock in connection with the repairs to the Canadian Scottish. The vessel had large passenger lists and heavy freights for various Island points.

Church Notices

Presbyterian Church
Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Subject: "Self Mastery." Sunday School at 12.30. Evening service at 7.30. Subject: "Some Observations on Personal Influence." Preacher, Rev. H. R. Grant, D.D.

English Lutheran Church
St. Paul's Church, Metropole Hall, Third Avenue. Rev. P. E. Baisler, B.D., pastor. Sunday School at 2.30. Evening service at 7.30. The pastor will preach on the topic "What believe I and Why."

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Halibut has been arriving in good quantities this week and sales tipped the beam at 549,800 pounds from Monday to yesterday morning inclusive. This week the amount of halibut landed is 22,900 pounds in excess of the amount landed for the corresponding period last week. Several boats have reported light catches due to rough weather encountered on the deep sea fishing banks but taking the elements on the whole the boys have not had much to annoy them. Yesterday's landings proved the heaviest for the period under review when 137,000 pounds of halibut and 530 pounds of red spring salmon was sold on the Fish Exchange. On Tuesday and Thursday the sales proved light. The heavy landings have consequently affected prices a little and yesterday American and Canadian fish touched the 9.5c and 6c mark for first and second class respectively. Canadian boats have been arriving in force.

With the salmon season rapidly getting under way the skippers employed in fish packing by the various cannery interests are busily engaged putting their heavy duty boats into commission. Hulls, engines and fish holds are being carefully looked to.

One native fur arrival has been reported from Kikatala this week. The native craft brought in a fine cargo of mink and marten which sold locally.

As is usual in the spring sea-

son considerable wharf repair work is being carried on along the waterfront. The provincial government dock is being partly re-planked while the Akersberg-Thomson wharf is to be renewed and a gang of wharf engineers are already on the job. The Cow Bay floats were recently inspected by P. W. Anderson, road foreman for the provincial government public works department, when no complaints were received.

Our "Admiral" Passes

While we, who are thrown together in a wonderful comradeship along the waterfront, know full well that the late lamented Capt. Hoomes K. Freeman, who met with his death aboard the launch Narbethong last week, would not have us feel sad, we cannot let the Waterfront Whiffs pass this week without some reference to one we had learned to know so well and respect so highly. If there was one man whom it has made us feel the happier and the better for meeting, it was the late Captain. Hoomes K. was always out to help others and his boat was a floating hostel where the boys were always welcome. His character was so outstanding among the nautical fraternity that the late Capt. Freeman was known not only along the waterfront but to his many friends up town as well as the admiral of the Mosquito fleet and it was around his strong personality that the character mentioned so often in these columns was woven. The late skipper was always particularly interested in the Whiff and gave much encouragement. His strong sense of humor often played a prominent part in the comical atmosphere of this department. Capt. Hoomes K. Freeman leaves behind him a loving memory and an example of sterling integrity, faithfulness and honor.

As is usual in the spring sea-

the pilot house. When this work is completed all will be in readiness for her maiden dash to the deep sea fishing grounds. It is expected that the Seamaid will leave for the high spots early in the coming week with Henry Dorreen on the bridge.

Some Boat

An 18-foot pleasure boat plus a brand new 4 mosquito power engine is lying snugly in the Booth Fishery premises. This marvellous water contrivance is the property of Pete Solem, the guy who put the nick in the nickels, and the layout of the affair is certainly worthy of mention. A new feature to be embodied in this craft is an ash-tray floor. This fire prevention precaution has been made necessary owing to the high speed the engine generates and consequently the falling of sparks from the flywheel. Fire buckets containing dry mud will also be hung alongside the engine room for emergency use. When the engine installation stunt is completed it is anticipated the craft will reach the wonderful speed of umpteen miles per hour. On the trial trip the harbor will be cleared of all boats to mitigate against anything unforeseen happening. Pete will act in the dual role of skipper and engineer. According to secret service information the craft will be called the Mudlark.

Captain Cy Swanson is giving his charge the Tillie S. the once over in Cow Bay. The whole works including the hull, engine and interior are being thoroughly spring cleaned. The interior upholstery is a work of art and the imitation crocodile leather effect of the bunk coverings, which has been made possible by tramping the leather under foot in corked boots, is the last word in decorative effect. The engine is being ably looked to. Tillie will be leaving for the high spots within the next few days.

The power boat Viner, Capt. J. Thomas, was down the coast on a business trip this week.

The activities of the good ship Joe Baker, Capt. Blondel, have been given a set back owing to the illness of a member of her crew. However, the skipper hopes to get out on the angry waves early in the coming week.

Contributed

Pete is now a skipper. He's gone and bought a boat. The boys all call him captain. Which sure does get his goat.

Let's see—he must be thirty. And he is single yet. He thought that some attraction might snare 'em in his net.

Of course this being Leap Year May help out quite a bit. For when he gets the boat fixed up 'Twill doubtless make a hit.

He'll take ladies to the Salt Lakes. And teach them how to swim. This will be quite essential if they take a chance on him.

The boys all wish him lots of luck. Now he has joined the fleet. And with a pretty girl in tow His life will be complete. L.P.

Seamaid—New Boat

The Dorreen Brothers new halibut schooner, which has just been completed, has been named the Seamaid. The boys are busy putting the finishing touches to her at the Akersberg-Thomson wharf. The engine and gurdy controls are now being fixed in

Capt. and Mrs. Balcom, arrived in town on Tuesday from Porcher Island on the power boat Dawn, to visit with friends.

The Canadian halibut schooner Maiven, Capt. McLeod, is being overhauled in Cow Bay preparatory to a dash to the high spots.

Joy Bird Out

Capt. J. Cook, skipper of the launch Joy Bird, was up to the head of Tuck's Inlet on Wednesday with a seow load of wire and other necessary logging equipment in tow for the Ketchum logging camp in that vicinity.

Capt. Dass is overhauling the power boat Eleanor Mae in Sourdough Bay, Seal Cove, in readiness for salmon packing activities in which he will engage during the coming season.

Capt. Taylor has recently sold

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the power boat Somme to Porcher Island interests and has left for Ocean Falls where he will join the Canadian Customs department.

Charlie Streethorse hove into port early in the week from Porcher Island on the bridge of the gasboat Red. After executing private business in the city Charlie returned to the ranch on Thursday morning.

Cub to Hunt Halibut

The fishing boat Cub, owned and skippered by Vic Markland, is being transformed into a halibut boat. To this end Vic is busy fixing a gurdy and chute on the good ship in Cow Bay and the machinery end of the business is not being overlooked. When the transformation is complete, Vic will hit for the high spots to see if there are not a few halibut left over for his hooks.

Fresh Herring Bait at Captain's Cove and Jap Inlet.

Capt. Sergoson, of the good ship Jean, is contemplating the building of a new power boat.

Do You Chinchilla?

The latest interrogation on the waterfront these days is "Do you chinchilla?" After an exhaustive hunt for the origin of the question by secret service agents of the fleet the fact came to light that the chinchilla stunt had reference to a species of rabbits and further inquiry revealed the fact that the rabbits referred to were the property of one, Bill Hughes. Yes, sir, this worthwhile hobby of Bill's augers to start up another remunerative industry in the north country and will doubtless give Prince Rupert the place in the sun she so richly deserves. At considerable expense a Mr. and Mrs. Chinchilla have been imported from the south and are thriving nicely in our salubrious climate. A special house has been erected for the visitors with all modern rabbit conveniences therein embodied and nothing has been left undone to make the visit of the new arrivals a pleasurable one in every respect.

A Chinese, by name Sammy Deo, was taking a swim in the sea. He let out a shout. Yelled "Pullee me out. A bullhead make chop suey me."

The power boat S.A. is doing engine repair work at the Akersberg-Thomson wharf.

The power boat Taplow brought in 530 pounds of red salmon yesterday morning which sold to the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co. at 18.5c.

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That the grading of potatoes under the Federal government inspection act is not in the best interests of the Dominion as a whole, and that such grading powers should be under the jurisdiction of the provincial governments, which body is in closer touch with the selling requirements in their respective provinces, is the opinion of J. C. Gavigan, manager of the Prince Rupert Table Supply Company, who returned from a ten day business trip to Edmonton, Calgary and Vancouver on the steamer Princess Mary yesterday. Mr. Gavigan explains that the federal government inspectors will pass a certificate, under the government inspection act, on potatoes grown in Edmonton as Canada, Grade A. While such a classification holds good for the retail trade of the prairies, and other parts of the Dominion, not fifty per cent of potatoes of such grade will be accepted by the public on the Pacific coast. The size is too small and such potatoes are not suitable to the country. "It is a mistake in my opinion, for the Dominion Government to make a uniform standard all over Canada, and such an act should be administered by the provincial government who are better able to judge just what is required in the territory under their jurisdiction," said Mr. Gavigan.

Flour Export

While in Calgary Mr. Gavigan had a long chat with Alexander McMillan, manager of the Robin Hood Flour Mills, and brother of Mrs. A. D. Gillies of this city. The flour export business of the mill to the Orient is increasing. Mr. Alexander explained that the Oriental trade does not call for the best grade of flour and that the grade of flour exported to China is considerably lower than is in general use here.

Prince Rupert People

While in Kamloops en route to Vancouver Mr. Gavigan met Sam Jabour, who is holidaying there in the interests of his health. Mr. Jabour was looking very fit and expected to return to the city in about a month's time. He learned from Mr. Jabour that Sam Goyer, formerly manager of the Overwaitea company here, was now managing a branch for his company there and was doing very well. F. W. Dowling, formerly superintendent of the government telegraph office here is also in Kamloops. Speaking of weather conditions Mr. Gavigan says in the south it has been particularly fine and

KEENA LAND DISTRICT OF QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS.

Notice is hereby given that the reserve existing over Lot 44, Queen Charlotte Islands District, is cancelled. G. B. NADEN, Deputy Minister of Lands, Victoria, B.C., 28th January, 1924.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE.

Notice is hereby given that the reserves covering the lands formerly held under Timber Licenses Nos. 32379 and 32380 are cancelled. G. B. NADEN, Deputy Minister of Lands, Victoria, B.C., 28th January, 1924.

Take Notice that I, Arthur Robertson, of Port Clements, British Columbia, intend to apply for a lease over the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of Lot 836 north coast of Graham Island; thence 150 chains westerly; thence five chains northerly; to low water mark; thence 150 chains easterly along low water mark; thence five chains southerly to point of commencement, containing forty acres, more or less. Located January 15th, 1924. ARTHUR ROBERTSON

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INCREASE IN GRAIN SHIPMENTS TO WEST

WINNIPEG, March 29.—Grain arrivals at Vancouver over Canadian National Railways now total eleven thousand cars, nearly 250 per cent over that company's grain movement to the coast last season.

Grain figures for the past week show the total loadings for the season to be 22,000 cars ahead of the same time last year, while grain marketed from Canadian National Points shows half a million bushels increase over the same week of 1923.

The Man in the Moon SAYS--

THOSE who took off their heavy woollens early in the week found the atmosphere looked rather chilly this morning.

WHAT is the use of a girl telling Satan to get behind her if she is going to sit in his lap.

IT is stated in the southern press that there was a robbery and a man was shot in the hold-up. It must have hurt.

ONCE upon a morning dreary, Sat an editor so weary, Yearning long for something cheery That would not his readers bore. There had come in news of thieving, Tales nobody was believing, Nothing yet his yearn relieving Until Uncle Ed. was sore.

Presently he roused and clucked, The pencil he had gently sucked, Like a hen that's laid he clucked, Threw his copy to the floor. Said he, why the blazes worry? Why this ramping tearing hurry? Why read manuscripts so blurry? Let's go fishing evermore.

Ten Years Ago in Prince Rupert

March 29, 1914.

Census returns are about all in and it is now estimated that a total of a few hundred under six thousand people will be shown for the city.

Candidates in the Daily News subscription contest are busily rustling votes.

Provincial Police Chief Walter Owen has received word of his promotion to an assistant inspectorship with headquarters in Vancouver.

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TO START POLE CAMP AT PORT CLEMENTS

Former Logging Superintendent at Buckley Bay Returns to Queen Charlotte Islands

A. B. Pleas, former logging superintendent for the Massett Timber Co. at Buckley Bay, arrived at Port Clements from Vancouver on the Prince John this trip. He has received pole contracts from a California concern and is to establish a camp at Port Clements.

BRITISH AIRPLANE IS BEING REPAIRED

ROME, March 29.—Repairs to the British round the world airplane which arrived here yesterday will be completed tomorrow when the flight in the direction of Brindisi will be resumed.

ALL PREPARATIONS MADE FOR FLIERS TO ALIGHT ON ARRIVAL NEXT WEEK.

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quite possibly loss of life. No boats will be allowed to approach the planes after landing. All the equipment for the handling of supplies, etc., will be on hand by Tuesday and everything will then be ready for the arrival of the fliers at any time.

Arrangements have been made with H. O. Grewe, Dominion meteorologists, to forward weather reports to Seattle at 4 o'clock Sunday morning and daily thereafter until the flight leaves Seattle.

With the co-operation of Col. McMorde of the Westholme Theatre, arrangements have been made for a Universal camera man to be here to record the arrival and taking off of the planes at Prince Rupert. He will arrive on the Union steamer tomorrow night.

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- Malkin's Best Assorted Jelly Powders, 3 for 25c
- Swift's Premium Side Bacon, machine sliced, per lb. 45c
- McLaren's Assorted Quick Icings and Quick Puddings, 3 for 50c
- Teller's Sodas, fresh stock, packed in housewife's favorite tin 45c
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