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BIGGEST DRUG RING ON CONTINENT

PROSECUTION OF McPHERSON CASE WILL BE DROPPED

Huge Dope Conspiracy Between United States and Canada Exposed

Three to four months' work results in arrest of five men and seizing of \$15,000 worth of goods---traffic of immense proportions

MONTREAL, December 31.—The biggest drug ring in North America responsible for half the illicit liquor trade on the continent for many years has been uncovered through the co-operation of the Canadian and United States governments, it is stated by F. W. Cowan, chief of the narcotic branch of the Department of Health of the Canadian government. From three to four months' work came to a head yesterday in the arrest of five men—Fred Monaghan, city; George Edwards, colored porter on a Chicago-Montreal train; Charles Galley, trainman of the Montreal-Toronto Express; Joseph Farley, Montreal, and Sam Reed, another colored railway porter. Drugs worth more than 15,000 were seized in two houses visited yesterday and in the possession of the men arrested. Hundreds of ounces of narcotics are being shipped to the United States every day by the ring, says Cowan.

LARGE TIMBER DEAL IN SOUTH

27,000 ACRES OF DOUGLAS FIR SOLD BY B.C. MILLS TO U.S. SYNDICATE

VICTORIA, Dec. 31.—Eric Hamber, as president of the B.C. Mills and Timber Trading Co. Ltd., yesterday disposed of approximately twenty-seven thousand acres of standing Douglas fir timber along the Campbell River at a price reported to be approximately two million dollars, to a Seattle and Portland syndicate which plans to retain the holdings as an investment. The transaction was completed in the land registry office where officials said it was the largest timber deal in British Columbia in recent years. The stand is situated in the Hayward district and has been held by the Hamber interests for more than thirty years. Although no details are announced as to the number of feet involved it is said that the timber in that area is generally valued between \$3.00 and \$3.50 a thousand.

TWO BOATS DUE HERE NEXT WEEK

WELSH CITY WILL ARRIVE FROM ENGLAND ON MONDAY AND RYOKA MARU FROM JAPAN ON TUESDAY

Loading of grain aboard the Ocean Transport Co.'s freighter, Taiyo Maru, started yesterday and the vessel, it is expected, will get away during the holiday week-end for the United Kingdom or continent, whence her cargo is destined. The British freighter, Welsh City, of the Smith Line of London is now expected to arrive on Monday. The vessel is coming direct from England and, after being lined, will take on a full cargo of grain for the United Kingdom or continent. The Welsh City will be followed on Tuesday by the Ryoka Maru, coming from Miiki, Japan, to load full for Shanghai.

APPROPRIATION FOR AIR MAIL

OTTAWA UNDERSTANDS THAT APPROPRIATION FOR SUCH SERVICE WILL BE SUBMITTED TO PARLIAMENT

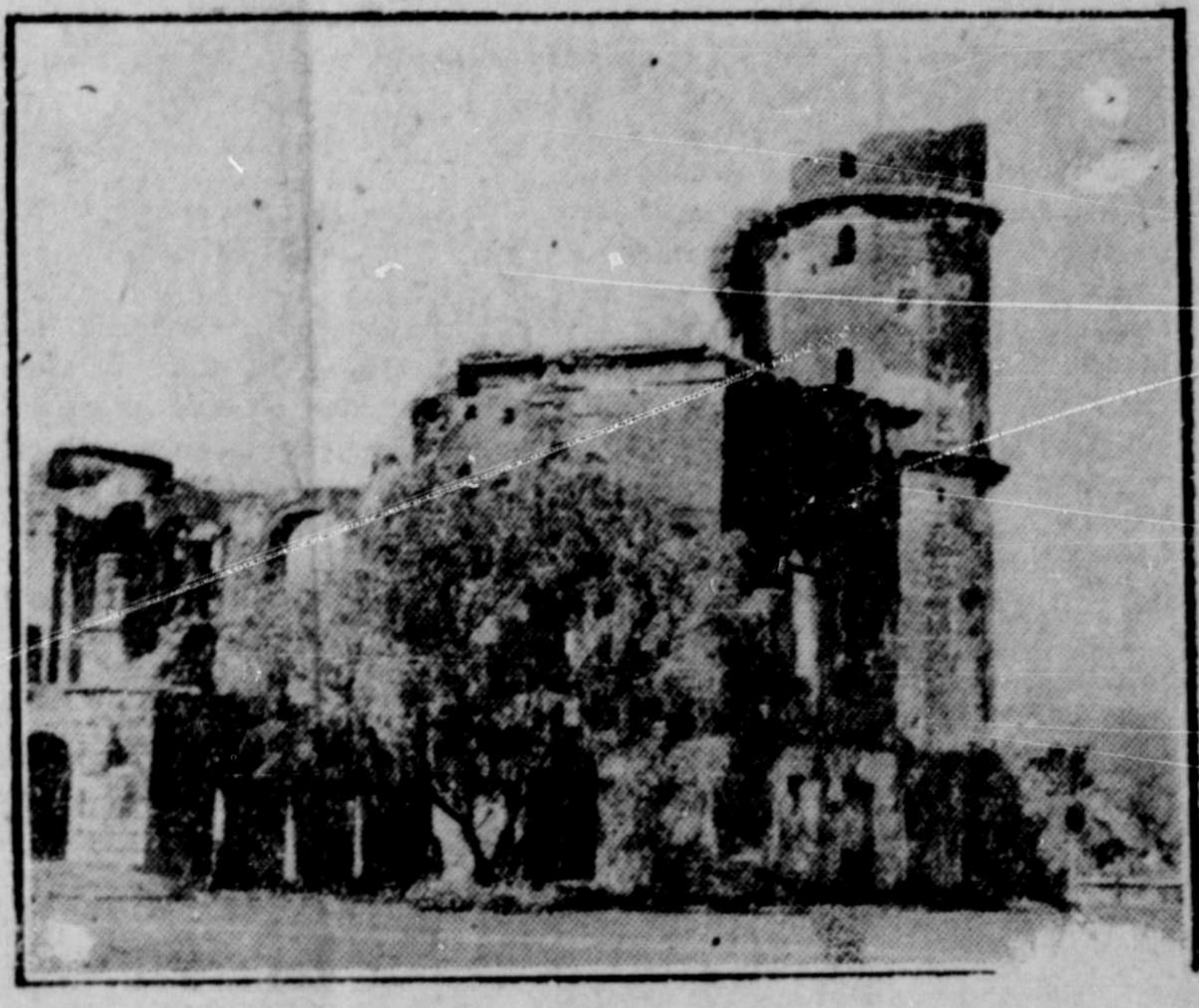
OTTAWA, Dec. 31.—It is understood that the estimates to be presented to Parliament after its resumption in February will carry a post-office appropriation of \$75,000 for the development of air mail routes throughout Canada and that tenders from private corporations will be called and the work carried out on a contract basis.

CHINAMAN RUNS AMOK AT WALDO

WAS CAPTURED THIS MORNING BY DYNAMITING SHACK IN WHICH HE HAD BARRICADED HIMSELF WITH ARMS

CONSTABLE INJURED

FERNIE, Dec. 31.—Long Quay, Chinese laundryman at Waldo, who became violently insane last evening and barricaded himself in a shack, preventing anyone to reach him by firing a rifle, was captured this morning after a twelve hour siege but not before he had seriously wounded Provincial Constable Sharpe by shooting him in the neck and had slightly injured another man. Police reinforcements left here with tear gas in an attempt to force the Chinaman into the open but the madman was not captured until dynamite had been used and the shack fired. The Chinaman was found to be suffering from a bullet wound in the stomach and is now in the hospital here. Constable Sharpe, whose condition is reported to be critical, also sustained a fractured jaw and wounds in the face when the Chinaman shot him at close range. Sharpe first attempted to capture the Chinaman and S. D. C. McNab, who went to his aid, was wounded in the face slightly.



THE ONLY FLAG in the British Empire that never comes down except to be replaced by a new one is that which flies over the Residency at Lucknow, India, day and night. Tennyson wrote a poem on the incident of which it is a reminder in the Indian Mutiny

VANCOUVER TO SUE RAILWAY

SUPREME COURT ACTION WILL DEMAND THAT C.N.R. LIVE UP TO ITS AGREEMENT

VANCOUVER, Dec. 31.—Instructions to launch a Supreme Court action against the Canadian National Railway in connection with its agreement with the city for civic and railway improvements on False Creek flats and for the construction of a hotel were given by the city council to George E. McCrossan, corporation counsel, late yesterday. According to the resolution of the council, the C.N.R. is to be notified that the modified agreement of April 15, 1913, between the company and the city is cancelled.

BULLS WIN ON STOCK MARKET

ANNUAL YEAR END BATTLE WAS WAGED ON WALL STREET TODAY—BEARS FINALLY LOSING OUT

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—The annual struggle between the "bulls" and the "bears" for control of the price movement in the final Stock Exchange session of the year was won by the "bulls" after the "bears" had succeeded in bringing about a sharp reaction in earlier trading. Lowering of call money rates and widespread predictions of good things still to come in the business world inspired "bullish" enthusiasm which set in motion a big buying movement near the close, scores of issues jumping to four points over Thursday's close.

WIRELESS REPORT.

8 a.m.

DIGBY ISLAND.—Rain, fresh S.E. wind; barometer, 29.46; temperature 48; sea, moderate swell; 8 p.m. spoke steamer Griffon bound from Anyox to Seattle 620 miles from Seattle.

DEAD TREE POINT.—Barometer, 29.18; temperature, 36.

NOON

DIGBY ISLAND.—Cloudy, fresh S.E. wind; barometer 29.42; temperature, 47; sea, rough.

DEAD TREE POINT.—Barometer 29.24; temperature, 40.

HOCKEY SCORES

St. Patrick's 4, Boston 1.
Canadiens 1, Pittsburgh 0.
Montreal 2, Detroit 0.

GRAIN CROP IN BULKLEY VALLEY

HARVEST OF FIVE HUNDRED TONS THIS SEASON SHOWS FARMERS ARE TURNING TO GRAIN AND SEED PRODUCTION

Grain production during the past season on farms of the Smithers district, including Glentanna, will total close to five hundred tons, according to figures supplied from records kept by the two threshing outfits operated by Chas. Chapman and J. C. K. Sealy says the Interior News. The figures as gathered by the Interior News do not take into account that considerable acreage cut each year as green feed or ensilage, but represents only that portion of the crop actually threshed. Wheat, oats and timothy seed were the main grain crops, the latter running to fifty tons. In addition to a small quantity of barley and peas, the threshing records from the Sealy outfit show:

Wheat	91 tons
Oats	108 tons
Timothy Seed	11 tons

THRESHING RETURNS

Threshing returns from the season's work by the Chapman & Chapman outfit show the following. The figures in the first column are for timothy, the second column represents wheat threshed, and the third column represents oats. All figures are tons:

A. P. Legerton	4	—	—
W. Bruce	4	—	1
George Sharpe	1 1/2	2 1/2	18
J. Aitken	—	5	40
A. Bruce	3	—	—
George Oulton	—	2	—
Charles Morris	—	—	22
Geo. Kidd	—	11	9
J. B. Langston	—	4	9
L. L. DeVoin	—	5	17
F. Bayson	—	2	5
E. Wedge	—	2	2
J. Paul	—	—	3
G. L. McDonald	—	1	1
McDonald & Shaw	—	1	5
J. McCabe	—	9	—
A. McKenzie	—	5	—
Chas. Chapman	15	10	25
J. Boyko	—	2	2

Threshing returns covering the Telkwa, Round Lake and Quick areas have not yet been assembled.

IS THORNTON IN RUPERT?

UNITED STATES POLICE BELIEVE HE FLED TO THIS CITY AFTER BEING INDICTED AT SEATTLE

SEATTLE, Dec. 31.—Coastguard officials declared today that no trace had been found of the gas-bomb Alice on which Roy Thornton, Seattle dance hall operator, fled from Kelchikan after learning that he had been indicted here in connection with the Snohomish County liquor investigation. Officials believe that Thornton fled to Prince Rupert.

OILER MISSING FROM STEAMER

FEARED THAT JOSEPH FAY OF SHIP SKAGWAY WAS DROWNED AT PORT ALBERNI

PORT ALBERNI, Dec. 31.—Search throughout this district for Joseph Fay of Seattle, oiler on the coastwise steamer Skagway, last seen when he boarded the vessel here late Wednesday night, having proven fruitless, fears are expressed that he fell overboard and was drowned. Drugging operations conducted in the vicinity, however, were unsuccessful in recovering the body. A taxi driver who grove Fay from the hotel where he spent the evening to the waterfront was the last person known to have seen him. The driver reported the missing man went aboard the Skagway and walked forward along the deck. Fay was married only recently.

GHASTLY MURDER MONTREAL TODAY

FABIEN MARTIN, GROCER, HAS THROAT SLASHED FROM EAR TO EAR, ONE SUSPECT IS ARRESTED

MONTREAL, Dec. 31.—Fabien Martin, a grocer, was found dead in his store this morning. His skull was crushed and his throat slashed from ear to ear. The crime is believed to have been committed with an axe by three men. One arrest has been made by the police who found \$1,000 in the suspect's pocket.

OVER EIGHT HUNDRED KILLED BY LIQUOR IN NEW YORK THIS YEAR

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Indications last night were that the death toll in New York City from liquor in 1926 would exceed 800 including thirty-four since Christmas.

Will Be Impossible to Make Conviction so Dismissal Asked

Evangelist, her mother, accomplice and radio operator to be freed on felony charge--- Mrs. Ormiston in Australia says she wants divorce

LOS ANGELES, December 31.—Dismissal of the criminal conspiracy charges against Aimee Semple McPherson, the notorious evangelist, was forecast as District Attorney Asa Keyes prepared to place his case before the Grand Jury investigating the defendant's disappearance. That the prosecution would move to dismiss the felony charges against Mrs. McPherson, her mother, Mrs. Kennedy, and Mrs. Lorraine Wiseman Sielaff was indicated when Keyes declared that the case was in such a muddle that a conviction was almost impossible.

A cable to the Los Angeles Times from Sydney, Australia, quotes Mrs. Ruth Ormiston, estranged wife of Kenneth Ormiston, co-defendant in the McPherson case, as saying that she is in possession of a most important letter purported to have been written during the disappearance. While refusing to disclose the contents of the letter, Mrs. Ormiston said that she intended to use it when she returns to Los Angeles early next year in order to institute divorce proceedings against the former Angelus Temple radio operator.

PREMIER OLIVER SICK; "AT HOME" CANCELLED

VICTORIA, Dec. 31.—As Premier Oliver and several members of his family are suffering from severe colds, arrangements to hold the usual New Year's Day "at home" have been cancelled. It was announced yesterday.

INFANT SON OF MR. AND MRS. CHANDLER WAS BURIED TODAY

With fitting rites performed by Archdeacon G. A. Rix, the funeral took place this afternoon of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Chandler, 224 Ninth Avenue East. Service took place at the home at 2:30 and several persons were present to express sympathy to the mourning parents. Interment was in Fairview Cemetery, the father and Myles Lemon acting as pallbearers. Those sending flowers included Father, Mother, Brothers and Sisters, Auntie, Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Cox and Rosie, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. G. Basso-Bert, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shrubbsall, Mr. and Mrs. Leach, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. David Glennie, Mr. and Mrs. H. Jorgensen, Mrs. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ballinger, Belist Chapter, No. 18, Order of the Eastern Star, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Benson.

NEW AGREEMENT FOR LONGSHOREMEN TO BE NEGOTIATED IN SOUTH

VANCOUVER, Dec. 31.—Negotiations for a new agreement between the Waterfront Workers Association of British Columbia and the shipping federation has reached the stage of an arbitration board. Three men will hear the arguments of both sides before rendering any decision.

CANADIAN SENATOR BELIEVED WORLD'S OLDEST LEGISLATOR

OTTAWA, Dec. 31.—Hon. George C. Deshaules is believed to be the oldest legislator in the world. With his one-hundredth birthday coming on September next, Mr. Deshaules took his seat in the Senate at the opening of Parliament this month.

IRISH PREMIER GETS PEERAGE

SIR JAMES CRAIG TO BE AMONG RECIPIENTS OF NEW YEAR HONORS FROM KING GEORGE

LONDON, Dec. 31.—Sir James Craig, first premier of Northern Ireland, will, it is expected, be raised to the peerage in connection with the distribution of New Year honors by King George V.

TAKING ALLEGED MURDERER AWAY

CHINAMAN CAN ONLY BE TRIED IN DENMARK FOR KILLING ON HIGH SEAS

VICTORIA, Dec. 31.—When the Danish ship Parana sails from Victoria this week end for Australia she will take Lee Kee Chin, a Chinaman, accused of killing Gotfried Anderson, chief steward, whom British Columbia authorities are powerless to arrest because the alleged crime was committed on the high seas. Only courts in Denmark have jurisdiction in the case.

TO ELIMINATE USE DENATURES

STEPS TO PREVENT INDUSTRIAL ALCOHOL BEING TAKEN BY DRINKERS ANNOUNCED AT WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—Believing that more effective prohibition enforcement was bound to drive drinkers to use industrial alcohol, Secretary of the Treasury Andrew Mellon yesterday announced his determination to eliminate the use of strong poisons as denaturates.

AUTOS KILL 33 IN VANCOUVER

TRAFFIC ALSO TOOK HEAVY TOLL OF INJURIES IN SOUTHERN CITY AND SUBURBS DURING YEAR

VANCOUVER, Dec. 31.—Twenty-four were killed and more than seven hundred were injured in Vancouver traffic accidents this year. In the suburbs nine were killed and more than one hundred were injured.

A Watch to be Proud of

During the many years we have been selling watches we have never handled an assortment better than the new lot of imported watches received this Fall.

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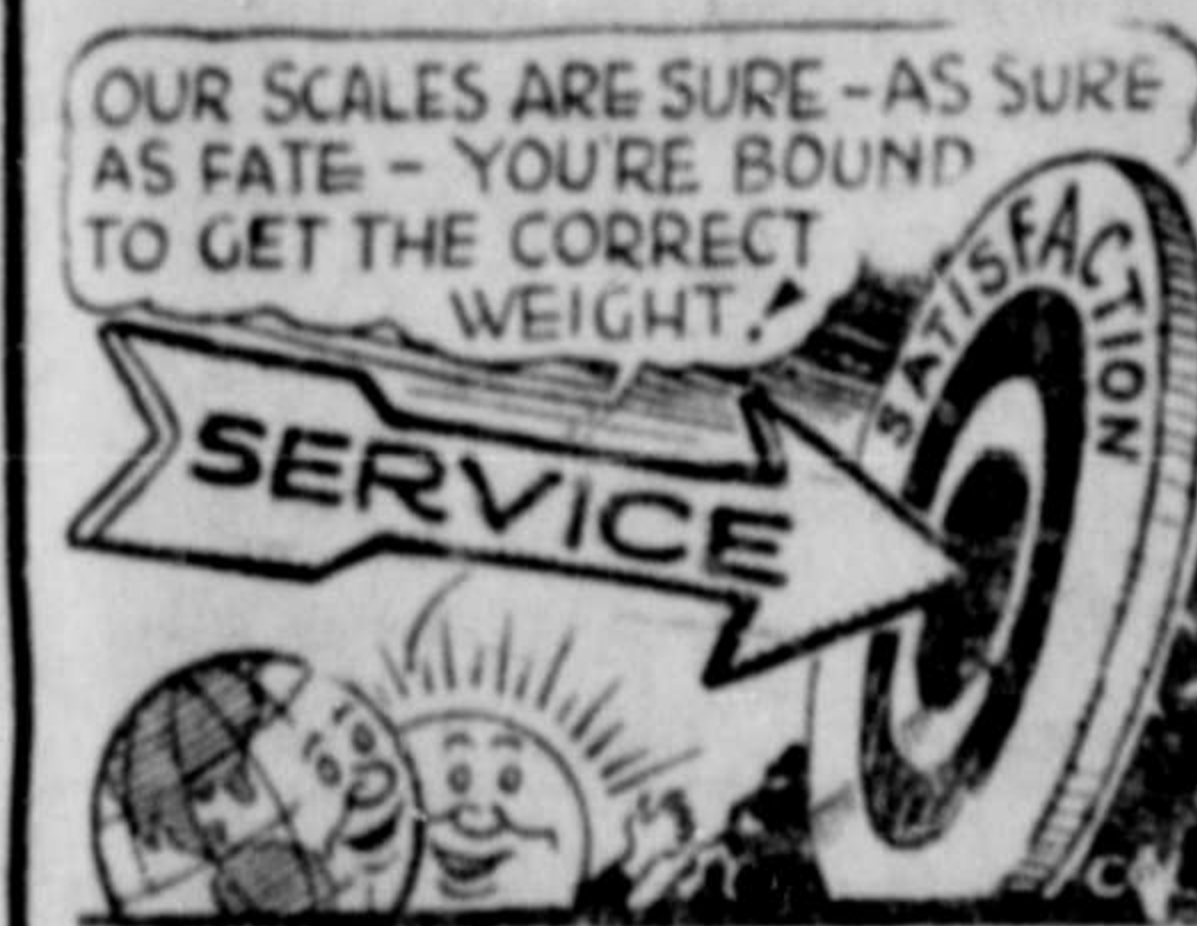
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WATERFRONT WHIFFS

Preparations start soon for opening of halibut season---black-fish play in harbor--- activity in boat building

Hardly it seems has the halibut season closed before preparations are made for its reopening. The month of January will see work started in getting the fleet ready for another year's operations. The owners have been doing more or less work on their craft ever since they were tied up last month. In two or three weeks members of the various crews will be back aboard again preparing gear and otherwise putting the boats in readiness for their seasonal activity.

Fishermen who have gone far afield for their vacations will hardly have their Christmas and New Year dinners digested before they will be thinking of getting back to Prince Rupert again. With the season reopening on February 15, it is probable that the first of the fleet will be getting away to "the high spots" on February 5 or soon thereafter.

Tom Hansen was in port from Porcher Island this week with his halibut boat Brant which has been getting some engine repairs.

The Prince Rupert Boat House power tug Pachena, Capt. Paul Armour, left Wednesday afternoon for Kletmu to tow

IN PROBATE

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the Administration Act, and

In the Matter of the Estate of Clark Edward Bronson, Deceased, Intestate. TAKE NOTICE that by order of His Honor, Judge Robertson, the 15th day of December, A.D. 1926, I was appointed Administrator of the estate of Clark Edward Bronson, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified to me on or before the 16th day of January, A.D. 1927, and all parties indebted to the estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

NORMAN A. WATT, Official Administrator, Prince Rupert, B.C. Dated the 16th day of December, A.D. 1926.

LAND ACT

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO LEASE FORESHORE

In Graham Island, Queen Charlotte Island Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situated at Ferguson Bay, Massett Inlet, Graham Island.

TAKE NOTICE that Powell River Company Limited of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Manufacturers, intend to apply for a lease of the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of D.L. 1571; thence westerly, following northern boundary of said Lot to the northwest corner of said Lot, thence westerly, northerly and easterly, following the high tide mark of Ferguson Bay to the extreme easterly point of Echinus Point; thence southeasterly to the point of commencement, and containing 150 acres, more or less.

POWELL RIVER COMPANY, LTD. Agent, J. Douglas Wilson. Dated 4th November, 1926.

COMPANIES ACT

TAKE NOTICE that LIPSETT CUNNINGHAM & CO LIMITED after the expiration of one month from the first publication of this Notice intends to apply to the Registrar of Companies for the approval of the change of name to "EDWARD LIPSETT (PRINCE RUPERT) LIMITED".

DATED at Vancouver, B.C., this 10th day of December, A.D. 1926. LADNER & CANTELON, Solicitors for the Applicant.

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cover tomorrow morning. Second Officer Jack McAuley has already been in the south a week, having been relieved by Second Officer D. R. Barclay from the Birnie.

After the Newington gets steam up again, the Birnie, Capt. Joe Peterson, will get her tie-up starting about January 15.

Rupert Marine Products' powerboat Hanaco, Capt. Jim Morrison, left on Wednesday morning with a scow load of lumber which will be used at the Denison & Wright mine on Porcher Island. The vessel was delayed in returning on account of stormy weather but was expected to get back today.

Coastwise Steamship & Barge Co's freighter Anyox, Capt. Prince, which also discharged coal for the Prince Rupert Coal Co. and Philpott & Eritt, unloaded 18,000 feet of lumber on Wednesday at the Big Bay wharf. The lumber is to be used for boat building locally.

The Big Bay Lumber Co. today sent a shipment of lumber to Skeena City to be used by Sasaki, the boat builder, in the construction of a new boat.

The fifty-eight foot halibut boat which is being built at the McLean ways for Chris Hovmuller is now nearing completion. The 40-60 h.p. Hein engine which is coming from Denmark is expected to arrive any time and will be installed in the new boat before it is launched about the week after next.

Lars Voge of the Selma is understood to be contemplating the construction of a large halibut boat which will be powered with one of the new type Fairbanks-Morse full diesel engines.

Some of the more daring bird hunters braved the elements during the week and were rewarded for their valor. Claude Kirkendall picked up half a dozen ducks across the bay while Jack Linden & Co. went out to Tugwell Bar for a few hours on Christmas Day and brought back a fair-sized bag of the feathery ones.

Dr. R. G. Large of Port Simpson was in from Port Simpson on business, arriving Tuesday and sailing on his return Wednesday afternoon. He tied up his Sunbeam III, formerly the property of Dr. W. T. Kerlin of this city, at the Yacht Club floats during his stay.

Jeff Lambly and Joe Reid left early this month on the former's boat, O Baby, on a two month's trapping expedition. Their objective was Estevan Island and, if things don't come up to expectation, then somewhere else. The O Baby had been thoroughly overhauled and rather extensively altered following her wreck on the end of Digby Island earlier in the season.

THAT KNOTTY KNOT

What is a knot? The word has often appeared in newspapers and books, and is used every day, but there is still a very large number of people who do not clearly understand the meaning of the term.

The statute miles is 5280 feet, while the British Admiralty knot, or nautical mile, is 6080 feet. The statute knot is 6082.7 feet, and it is generally considered the standard.

This is arrived at by the division of the earth's circumference into 360 degrees, each containing 60 knots. For the purpose of fixing time, each degree also is recognized in computing time east or west of the Greenwich meridian. In United States, such degrees are allowed an arbitrary four minutes each, the general practice being to base 15 degrees to one hour of clock time.

As each degree contains 60 knots, the 360 degrees in the earth's circumference multiplied by this makes 21,600 knots. Dividing this in turn, into the number of feet in the earth's circumference gives 6082.66 feet, the length of the statute knot. For general purposes, one one knot may be said to equal 1.15 miles, five knots, 5.75 miles, 10 knots 11.52 miles and 25 knots 8.8 miles.

The waterfront had another south-west duster Wednesday night similar to but not so severe as that of two or three weeks ago. No damage is reported to have been done.

That the year 1927, which opens at midnight tonight, may be one of the greatest happiness and prosperity for the fishermen and the waterfront community in general is the hearty wish of the Daily News. We hope that the coming twelve months may be pleasant and successful for all and that it will be our happy privilege when 1928 and many other years to follow open to extend similar greetings to each and all.

TERRACE

W. Christie, who spent Christmas at his home here, returned to Prince Rupert on Tuesday.

Vernon Glass left for Prince Rupert on Tuesday after spending the holiday week end at his home here.

R. Shirk, who spent Christmas and the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glass, returned to his home in Prince Rupert on Tuesday.

Mrs. B. B. Redditt (nee Lillian King) of Toronto, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. King.

A. G. Bowley, returned to Prince Rupert on Tuesday after spending Christmas with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Vanderlip, Jr., are taking up housekeeping in J. B. Agar's cottage east of the Tourist

BRITISH COLUMBIA

The Mineral Province of Western Canada TO THE END OF DECEMBER, 1925.

Has produced Minerals as follows: Placer Gold, \$77,663,045; Lode Gold, \$122,808,459; Silver, \$74,111,397; Lead, \$89,218,907; Copper, \$197,442,647; zinc, \$39,925,947; Miscellaneous Minerals, \$1,594,387; Coal and Coke, 273,048,953; Building Stone, Brick, Cement, etc., \$44,905,886; making its Mineral Production to the end of 1925 show an

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N.B.—Practically all British Columbia Mineral Properties upon which development work has been done are described in some one of the Annual Reports of the Minister of Mines. Those considering mining investments should refer to such reports. They are available without charge on application to the Department of Mines, Victoria, B.C. Reports covering each of the six Mineral Survey Districts are published separately, and are available on application. Reports of the Geological Survey of Canada, Winch Building, Vancouver, are recommended as valuable sources of information.

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EDITOR EVENS UP ACCOUNTS

SOMETIMES IT DOESN'T PAY TO CRITICIZE YOUR HOME TOWN NEWSPAPER

A West Texas editor got tired of being called a liar because of an occasional typographical error or a slight disarrangement of the facts in publishing a commonplace news item. In his wrath he announced:

"A lot of people in this town fall out with the editor and brand him a liar when the ordinary 'mistake of life' shows up in the paper. You have a little charity and fellow feeling for every man in town but your editor. You claim that you want facts and d—d if we don't get them to you. Read the next issue of this sheet and you will see facts, with the bark off.

"I admit that I have been a liar, an editorial liar, ever since I have been editing this sheet, but I have never printed a lie in these columns except to keep somebody's feelings from being hurt. I am not afraid of any of you and I'll be dad-blamed if I don't print the truth from now on, or until some of you get out of the habit of calling me a liar every time I make some unavoidable typographical error. Now watch my smoke."

COLD TRUTH

Here are some of the paragraphs out of his next issue:

"John Bennin, the laziest man in town, made a trip to Bellevue, yesterday.

"Rev. Sty preached last Sunday night at the Christian Church. His sermon was punk and uninteresting except some stuff he quoted from Bob Ingersol, for which he failed to give Bob any credit. He also recited a few passages from one of William Bilbert Munsey's sermons and had the unlimited gall to palm it off as his own.

"Tom Spardin married Miss Corlie Meadows last Trades Day at the county seat. It isn't generally known but the marriage was brought about by a Rem-



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ington shotgun manipulated by the bride's father. Tom concluded that marrying was the healthiest thing that he could do until other arrangements could be made.

BANKER DOESN'T PAY

"Rogan Lloyd, cashier of the state bank at Willow Grove, died last week Wednesday and was buried by the Odd-fellows at Pleasant Mount cemetery. He had been taking this paper seven years and had not paid us a cent. We thought that being a banker, he would certainly pay two-bits worth of groceries.

"Married—Miss Susie Scruggs and Horace Griffin, Saturday at the Meth-

Waterfront Whiffs

Capt. J. M. Morrison is to be congratulated on his re-election this week as secretary at Prince Rupert of the Deep Sea Fishermen's Union. The good majorities he received at Seattle and Ketchikan and the even more substantial one he got here at Prince Rupert testified to his ability and popularity. The local branch will once more be in good hands.

In several cases, it is understood, the fishermen voters had difficulty in choosing between the three candidates who would also, had they been elected, have carried out the affairs of the Union with efficiency and satisfaction. Harry Meagher and Dave Milne are also deserving of compliment in their candidature.

PRINCE RUPERT TIDES

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 31

High	10:51 a.m.	20.3 ft.
	23:44 p.m.	17.6 "
Low	4:32 a.m.	9.3 "
	17:38 p.m.	5.8 "

SATURDAY, JANUARY 1

High	11:32 a.m.	21.1 ft.
Low	5:22 a.m.	9.3 "
	18:21 p.m.	4.7 "

SUNDAY, JANUARY 2

High	9:30 a.m.	18.3 ft.
	12:12 p.m.	21.7 "
Low	6:10 a.m.	9.1 "
	19:03 p.m.	3.7 "

MONDAY, JANUARY 3

High	1:15 a.m.	18.9 ft.
	12:53 p.m.	22.2 "
Low	6:56 a.m.	8.7 "
	19:44 p.m.	2.8 "

TUESDAY, JANUARY 4

High	1:59 a.m.	19.4 "
	13:35 p.m.	22.4 "
Low	7:41 a.m.	8.3 "
	20:24 p.m.	2.2 "

Advertise in the Daily News.

WATER NOTICE

DIVERSION AND USE.

TAKE NOTICE that Gosse Packing Company, Limited, whose address is Vancouver, B.C., will apply for a licence to take and use 100,000 gallons per day of water out of Unnamed stream, which flows northerly and drains into Captain's Cove at head of Captain's Cove. The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about 700 feet from mouth and will be used for commercial and domestic purposes upon the land described as Lot 1253, Range 4, Coast District. This notice was posted on the ground on the 4th day of November, 1926. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the "Water Act" will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Prince Rupert, B.C. Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper. The date of the first publication of this notice is November 10, 1926.

GOSSE PACKING COMPANY LTD.
Applicant.
By J. F. Straug, Agent.

LAND ACT

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO PURCHASE LAND

In Prince Rupert Land Recording District of Prince Rupert, and situate on the north shore of the South Arm of Taseo Harbor, Moresby Island, Queen Charlotte Islands, Province of British Columbia, about 5 chains from the end of the Government trail; thence 10 chains northeasterly; thence 10 chains northeasterly; thence 10 chains southeasterly; and containing twenty (20) acres, more or less.

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JOHN DYBHAVN,
Applicant.

LOADINGS WERE NOT SO HEAVY IN VANCOUVER

ONLY FIVE GRAIN BOATS TOOK ON CARGOES AT SOUTHERN PORT DURING THIS WEEK

VANCOUVER, Dec. 31.—Grain loadings were not so heavy as usual at Vancouver during the present week. The following vessels took on cargoes of wheat during the week:

Capetown Maru, for United Kingdom or continent, 286,398 bushels.

Taiho Maru, for United Kingdom or continent, 282,090 bushels.

Architect, for London, 37,234 bushels; for Liverpool, 37,334 bushels.

Borga, for Oslo, 18,666 bushels; for London, 179,200 bushels.

Koshin Maru, for Keelung, 95,666 bushels; for Nagoya, 98,233 bushels; for Kone, 99,142 bushels.

ANGELICAN SUNDAY SCHOOL XMAS TREE

Large Attendance and Fine Program Featured Event Yesterday

St. Andrew's Anglican Sunday School held its annual Christmas tree yesterday in the lower hall, under the general supervision of Archbishop Rix. There was a large attendance and a full program which was much enjoyed. Among those taking part in the program were Misses Molly and Nellie Lawrence, Kathleen Bulger, Audrey Parkin, Dolly Dugate, Annie Kach, Winnifred Collison, Jean and Edna McLean, Rosie Cox, Merle West, Eleanor Moxley, Professor Pryce, L. Howe.

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Swift's Premium Ham in piece, reg. 45c per lb. 37c

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WEATHER REPORT

Prince Rupert.—Raining, fresh south-east wind; temperature, 48.

Terrace.—Raining, calm, temp. 49.

Roswood.—Cloudy, calm, temp. 36.

Aiyansh.—Rain, calm, temp. 38.

Anyox.—Rain, calm, temp. 40.

Stewart.—Rain, calm, temp. 34.

Haizton.—Cloudy, calm, temp. 32.

Smithers.—Cloudy, calm, temp. 33.

Burns Lake.—Cloudy, calm, temp. 40.

Motor car traffic coming into Hutchinson, Kansas, has increased 440 per cent since 1916, while wagon traffic, which was 10 per cent of all the traffic in that year, has fallen to less than one per cent.

The Chicago Art Institute points out a new way to make money—invest in art. A Chicago waiter bought a picture, three years ago, paying for it in installments. He has been offered twice the cost price.

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