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Grand Theatre DAILY MATINEES, 3 p. m. DAILY, 7:30 TO 10:30. Entire Lower Floor, 5c.; Balcony, 10c. Matinees, 15c. all over. ROBT. JAMIESON, Manager.

ST. ANDREW'S CONCERT. Pleasing Entertainment Given in Sir William Wallace Hall Last Evening. The St. Andrew's Society concert, held last evening in the Sir William Wallace hall, proved a signal success.

WEATHER BULLETIN. Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department. Victoria, April 24-5 a. m.—The barometer is low off Vancouver Island and rain is falling on the Washington coast.

REPORTS. Victoria—Barometer, 29.79; temperature, 47; minimum, 47; wind, 4 miles N.E.; rain, .02; weather, cloudy.

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THE QUESTION OF FOOD INSPECTORS WATER-MORLEY HAS ASKED FOR REPORT Also Appointed a Committee to Gather Information on Whole Subject of Licenses.

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At the A. O. U. W. hall on Friday evening the annual concert and dance under the auspices of the local division of the Street Railway Employees' Union will be held, and, judging by present indications, it should eclipse all previous efforts of that organization along similar lines. An energetic committee has charge of the preparations. An excellent musical programme has been arranged, at the conclusion of which there will be dancing. The floor will be in splendid condition, and the Fifth Regiment orchestra has guaranteed a first class list of dance selections, among which will be the following:

- Waltz..... Searchlight
Two-Step..... Fare Box
Lancers..... Rheastart
Waltz..... Air Brake
Schottische..... Gas Light
Two-Step..... Circuit Breaker
Minuet..... Goldstream
Three-Step..... Westinghouse
Waltz..... Substation
Two-Step..... Flat Wheel
Carmichael..... Generator
Waltz..... Light Circuit
Barn..... Car Shed
Polka..... Bond Wire
Two-Step..... Lottery
Waltz..... Resistor
Schottische..... Transmission
Waltz..... Switchboard

Vancouver, B. C., March 20th, 1906. The B. C. Permanent Loan & Savings Co., Vancouver, B. C. Gentlemen:—I beg to acknowledge your cheque for \$75.00, being the total amount held in, together with interest, on my twenty shares class "C" stock of your company.

LONDON DOCTOR'S WARNING. Says People With Cancer Should Avoid Tobacco—The Weed Injurious to Others. As several Chicago surgeons have issued a terrible warning to smoking mankind, seeing the cancer lurking in the bowl of the extra pipe, seeing it stamped on the band of the fat cigar and in the slender shape of the insidious cigarette, a London Express representative asked a famous London surgeon what he thought, and the latter said:

"It is very difficult to give an opinion on the subject. A man may come to me with a malignant disease of the throat and mouth. He has never been seen without a pipe and his friends say 'I told you so.'"

"But people forget that many non-smokers develop cancer. I saw a patient the other morning who is 40 years old. He has carefully avoided tobacco all his life, believing in consequence that he would escape the curse, but he had cancer of the tongue, and I could give him only a few months to live."

"There is no doubt," he added, "that those whose families show a long record of the disease should live by rule and smoke very little. A small wound in the mouth may have malignant tendencies, which, if the pipe or cigarette is forsaken for a couple of weeks, it might have healed normally instead of developing into a cancerous growth."

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The deputy minister of marine and fisheries wrote offering to lease the forechore property between Lemon and Gonason's mill and the Taylor Mill Company at a rental of \$1 a year, providing the money the city received was spent in improvements. Ald. Fell pointed out that it was intended to use the property for dumping ash and such like. He moved that Mr. William Templeman be asked his influence in obtaining for the city a grant instead of a lease, and the motion carried.

The city auditor's report was next considered. This recommended that the mayor and Ald. Fullerton be separated. Ald. Vincent said insofar as the waterworks is concerned he did not think the expenditure of \$43,000, which was the amount spent last year, required a very extensive set of books. Ald. Fullerton wanted to know what the duties of a controller would be. He did not see the need of one being appointed as suggested.

WORLD'S SHIPPING. The Year's Exchanges—Increase in United Kingdom. Lloyd's Register of British and Foreign Shipping have issued the following report on the vessels added to and removed from the register of the United Kingdom during 1905:

Notice to Contractors. Tenders will be received on or before Monday, April 23rd, at 5 p. m., for the erection and completion of a Children's Ward at the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital. Drawings and specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. HOOPER & WATKINS, Architects.

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SEASON'S LACROSSE PLANS OUTLINED

DELEGATE EXPLAINS NUMBER OF CHANGES

That Will Be Introduced During Summer—Gives Account of Programme Contemplated Here.

The recent meeting of the British Columbia Amateur Lacrosse Association held in New Westminster was most satisfactory in every particular, according to the local delegates, Rev. W. W. Bolton and Lionel York.

This point, perhaps, needs a little explaining. Its advantages were clearly pointed out to a Times reporter by Rev. Mr. Bolton yesterday.

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"But, to my mind, the most important action of all taken last Saturday was the appointment of a committee to revise the constitution and by-law and rules of the game. I had hardly dared hope for such a thing. We had given notice of various amendments in a distant hope that it might act as a forerunner of better things, but our highest hopes were realized, and again evidencing the more than friendly feeling to Victoria in her efforts to assist the game I have been privileged to act as chairman. I consider it a very great privilege, for nothing can help lacrosse in British Columbia so greatly as having a set of rules that can be lived up to. Every delegate was agreed that no more holes had been driven into the present constitution than it was impossible to have any discipline amongst us. We are not to wait till 1907 for this; but are expected to report to a special meeting of the council in July, when the new rules are to be finally passed upon.

"Our own board of managers has now his hands full, but as if not content with all this we are working on a proposition of ever greater magnitude which will reach out to every corner of British Columbia, but of this more anon, when, in our opinion, the time is ripe.

"To make it convenient for Victoria, Mr. Gray has kindly consented to postpone the meeting of the B. C. L. A. to the middle of May, which will fit in with the meeting of the B. C. Association Football League, of which I am president, both meetings having this year to be held in New Westminster."

WIN FOR FERNWOODS

Yesterday an exciting game was played between the Victoria West and Fernwood pipes, the latter proving too strong for their opponents.

Although the Fernwoods have lost three of their old players, their places have been efficiently filled. James Holness has decided to cast in his lot with the Fernwoods. This year "Jimmie" is the best of condition, and with the team he has behind him it will be no trouble for him to hold his own. Another old player, Barnwell, is also going to take a hand in it. As the public knows, a few years ago whenever Jimmie went to the bat it meant a home run; as an all-round player he was considered one of the best. So with the two "Jimmies" as battery the Victoria Fernwoods should have one of the fastest teams on the Coast.

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PROVINCIAL NEWS.

ALANCOOVER.

The tug Sea Lion has arrived in port with the "Bessie" boom from Seattle, and the "Bessie" boom from Seattle, and the "Bessie" boom from Seattle.

VENNON.

Dr. J. H. White, superintendent of Methodist missions, proceeded south on Wednesday after a short visit to the city. The doctor states that the rapid growth of the vicinity of Vernon has added so largely to the membership of the Methodist church, that at the meeting of the conference in Victoria, on May 11th, arrangements will probably be made to provide Mr. Wright with an assistant, who will have charge of the Landing, the Commonage and White Valley.

MIDWAY.

The bodies of five Italians and one negro were brought into Midway on Wednesday. The deceased were members of the construction force employed on the extension of the Great Northern railway tracks westward from here. The men were killed on Tuesday late in the afternoon while they were engaged in blasting rock preparation for railway building. Most of the bodies are mangled beyond recognition. Inquiry into the cause was impossible as the only laborers who had anything to do with the blasting were those who lost their lives.

NELSON.

The Kootenay ore shipments for last week show an increase in figures over the last few weeks, owing to improvements in transportation facilities. The total output was 36,916 tons and for the year to date 532,216 tons. From the Boundary, the Grandby, Mother, Bode, Brookly-Stenwinder, Sunset, Emma, Rawhide and Strathmore contributed 28,256 tons. Rossland camp shipped, Le Roi, Centre Star and Le Roi No. 2, sent 6,795 tons, while from the Slokan, Kootenay mines the shipments were 1,860,000 tons, the chief shippers being the St. Eugene, 454; Sullivan, 500; Hunter V., 101; Iuth, 39; Sunshine, 25; Payne, 19; Silver Glance, 14. At the Granby smelter 18,800 tons of ore were received; Dominion Copper, 4,385; B. C. Copper, 4,588; Trail, 7,428; Hall mines, 1,090; and Marysville, 509.

ROSSLAND.

At an adjourned meeting of the Civilian Rifle Association the following officers were elected for the year: K. E. Mackenzie, captain; Leslie Bruce, secretary; W. F. McNeil, treasurer. It was decided to accept the challenge of the Vancouver association for a match with a team from that association against combined teams of Rossland and Trail. The match is to take place on league days. The secretary was instructed to enter a team for the military rifle league shoot.

The shipment for the year have reached and passed the 100,000-ton mark, and the indications now are that they will be greater than they were last year. The ore shipments for the week ending Saturday evening were as follows: Centre Star, 2,360 tons; Le Roi, 2,449 tons; Le Roi No. 2, 340 tons; total for the week, 5,149 tons; total for the year, 100,195 tons.

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Neil Cameron, a well known Fraser river fisherman, was found dead in a river side shack in South Westminster on Friday afternoon. Cameron had been sick for some time, and was recently in the hospital. Death resulted from natural causes. The question of whether a new wing to the brick Central school would or would not be built, has been amicably settled, and the new school will be constructed without the submitting of a by-law to the ratepayers. The board of trustees held a conference with the council the other evening, when the matter was discussed at length. Finally an arrangement was suggested which met with the approval of all, and it was that just two rooms of the new school be finished this year, and that only a portion of the money available be required to be paid this year, and the balance would be paid next year. When the arrangement was reached, the board agreed to withdraw its request that a by-law be submitted to the people, and the council accepted the offer and agreed to take up the new proposition.

PHOENIX.

"In the course of two or three weeks or some time early in May—the reduction works of the British Columbia Copper Company, Ltd., at Greenwood, will be blown out and replaced by the extensive enlargement of the smelter to two or three times its present daily capacity. It is likely that the close down will last two or three months, as it is expected to take that time at least to install the three giant furnaces—the largest in Canada—together with the extensive electrical equipment that has been ordered and is now being manufactured in the east for this company. The present capacity of this smelter is 600 to 700 tons daily, with two ordinary blast furnaces. When the new machinery is in working order, the capacity will be about 1,500 tons of ore daily. While the smelter men will be laid off for a time, the construction force will be largely increased and the work of installation be crowded as fast as it can possibly be done. At the company's Mother Lode mine, while no ore shipments will be made during the stoppage of smelting operations at the smelter, the entire force will be placed on development work, getting the property in shape to maintain the largely increased ore tonnage that will be demanded of it when the blast furnaces are ready for business."—Pioneer.

HIS LITTLE COLLECTION.

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WORLD'S OLDEST MUMMY. The oldest body of any human being now exposed in the Egyptian Gallery of the British Museum, says the American Antiquarian. It is the body of a man who was buried in a shallow grave hollowed out of the sandstone on the west bank of the Nile in Upper Egypt. This man must have hunted along the banks of the Nile before the time of the earliest mummified king which the museum possesses.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY. ATLANTIC EXPRESS TRAIN From the Pacific to the Atlantic. B. C. Coast Service For Skagway and Intermediate Ports—S.S. Beatrice, May 2. WEST COAST ROUTE S.S. Queen City, 2nd, 7th, 14th and 30th each month.

Oceanic S.S. Co. S. S. MARIPOSA, for Tahiti, April 16. S. S. SONOMA, for Auckland, Sydney, 2 p. m. Thursday, April 12. S. S. ALAMEDA, for Honolulu, April 21, 11 a. m. J. B. SPRECKELS & BROS. CO., Agents, Ticket Office, 643 Market St.

San Francisco LEAVE VICTORIA 7.30 P.M. Senator, April 25, May 13. Umattila, May 2, 18. Queen, May 8, 25. Steamer leaves every fifth day thereafter. EXCURSIONS round the Sound every five days, and to Los Angeles, April 27, 21, July 4, 20, August 2.

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