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HOW OPERATORS WOULD END STRIKE SUGGEST ROOSEVELT APPOINT COMMITTEE

Want Miners to Return to Work as Soon as the President Selects Members.

Washington, Oct. 13.—Secretary Cortelyou, by authority of those present at the White House, made public the following authorized statement concerning the conference:

Mr. J. P. Morgan came to Washington with his partner Mr. Bacon at the request of the coal companies, who desired that as a matter of courtesy their statement should be shown to President Roosevelt by Mr. Morgan as it is now given to the Press.

To the public: The managers of the different coal properties, comprising the anthracite coal fields, wish their position in the present strike to be understood, and therefore make the following statement of facts:

There are in the anthracite regions about 75 operating companies and firms and 147,000 workmen of which 30,000 are under age comprising some 20 nationalities and dialects. Of these workmen, possibly one-half belong to the union of mine workers of which Mr. John Mitchell is president.

thraite mines coal colliery is a problem by itself. We suggest a commission be appointed by the President of the United States (if he is willing to perform that public service) to whom shall be referred all questions at issue between the respective companies and their own employees, whether they belong to a union or not, and the decisions of that commission shall be accepted by us. The commission to be constituted as follows:

- 1. An officer in the engineer corps of either the military or navy service. 2. An expert mining engineer not connected with the coal mining properties.

Nothing to Say. Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 13.—When President Mitchell was shown the plain bulletin that the operators had agreed to arbitration, he refused to make a statement to-night.

New York, Oct. 13.—According to the statements of three leading operators no reasonable basis of settlement has yet been suggested to them. Any proposition embracing a ten per cent. increase will be refused.

It was another busy day for the operators. Before noon all of them, except President Baer, were in conference at the office of the Erie road. Their talk lasted over an hour, but no statement was made for publication.

Morgan's Trip. Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 13.—J. P. Morgan, Geo. F. Baer, president of the Reading Company, and a third man supposed to be from New York, whose identity could not be learned, left this city for Washington on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at 8:35 o'clock to-night.

Rev. Charles Henry Robinson has been appointed Dean of Westminster, in succession of the Rev. George Granville Bradley, who has resigned.

Advertisement for Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure biliousness, featuring an illustration of a man and a bottle of medicine.

TORONTO NOTES. Gift of \$25,000 For Hospital For Consumptives—Young Man Found Dead.

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 13.—A citizen whose name is withheld, has given \$25,000 for the erection of a new Toronto hospital for advanced cases of consumption.

The body of a young man was found in Queen's Park shortly after noon today with an empty carbolic acid bottle beside him. The remains were identified as those of J. L. Ennis, Sheridan street, Bradford.

MURDER IN MANITOBA. Farmer Killed and Hired Man Is Suspected. Winnipeg, Man., Oct. 13.—Jacob Viens, jr., was killed to-night on the farm of his father near Lowe farm. A hired man named Peter Raymer is the alleged murderer.

AN EFFECTIVE DISPLAY. Good Exhibit Made at Fair By St. Charles Condensed Milk Co.

It is very gratifying to see the well-known St. Charles Condensed Milk Company's display at the fair last week. It consisted of a mounting of the St. Charles cream, embellished by a centre of the Silver Cow milk, and otherwise ornamented with the cow clocks.

Paris, Oct. 13.—The Boer generals, Botha, Dewet and Delany, will be received by Foreign Minister Delcasse and Premier Combes.

FIGHTING IN AFRICA. Troops Kill Natives of French Congo and Destroy Villages.

TROOPS ANNIHILATED. They Were Killed By Macedonian Insurgents—Revolt Spreading.

Tourist Killed. Cobourg, Oct. 13.—This morning Mrs. G. S. Lovett, of Washington, met her death. About 8 o'clock she arose, left her room, and it is supposed that she mistook the door leading down the back stairs for the bathroom door, opened it and fell down stairs.

Wise Ways of Women. No "prizes" offered with common soaps will long tempt the wise woman to use common soaps.

NEW AMBASSADOR. Sir M. Herbert, Britain's Representative, Presented to President Roosevelt.

Washington, Oct. 13.—Sir Michael Herbert, the new British ambassador, was presented to the President to-day by Secretary Hay. The presentation took place at what is called the "Temporary White House."

TO WELCOME PREMIER. Preparation Being Made at Montreal For Arrival of Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

Montreal, Oct. 13.—Extensive preparations are being made for the welcome to Sir Wilfrid Laurier on his arrival here on Friday evening. It is proposed to have the government tug Druid meet the steamship Lake Erie at Rimouski on Thursday morning.

A LIVELY CAMPAIGN. Riots at Political Meeting in Porto Rico—One Man Killed and Many Injured.

GENERAL BOOTH. Founder of Salvation Army Has Arrived at St. John.

A Beauce farmer says that the district of Beauce was visited by a regular snow storm last Thursday. The wind blew at the rate of 40 miles an hour, and the snow fell to three inches, while in some places more exposed it attained a depth of eight and ten inches.

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Advertisement for A.B.C. Bohemian Beer, featuring a logo and text about the brewery.

PERSONAL. Among the recent callers at the Victoria Tourist Association rooms were the following: O. T. Rannigan, Marion, Kansas; Mrs. Sarah J. Hill, Boston, Mass.; Mrs. M. G. Bingham, Orange, Mass.; Mrs. Strand, Seattle, Wash.; Mrs. J. W. Miller, Missoula, Montana; H. W. Bullock, Salt Spring Island; J. L. Johnston, Calgary; Mrs. A. H. McRoghan and Mrs. D. H. Miller, New Westminster; Mr. and Mrs. J. Campbell and Miss Mae Handled, Vancouver; W. B. Chamberlain and wife, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Housh, San Francisco.

William Stephen has resigned his position on the staff of Weller Bros. in order to take over the management of the grocery department of McLennan & McFosdy's Dawson store. He was the recipient of a parting address and presentation from his fellow workers on his departure for Dawson by the steamer Princess May on Wednesday.

B. A. Young, of the Seattle P.I., is making Victoria a business visit. He is paying his headquarters at the Queen's hotel. Rev. Scott, a member of the cable staff at Bannock Creek, is at the Vernon on his way to take up his duties at Bamfield.

BOER WAR TROPHIES. The question of allotting trophies of the campaign to the various colonies, etc., which bore a share in the late war is getting to be a somewhat difficult one.

NOTICE. Hotels and restaurants—John Labatt's London India Pale Ale and XXX Stout is sold wholesale by Messrs. R. P. Rickett & Co., Pithers & Leiser, Turner, Beeton & Co., and Hudson's Bay Co.

WANTED—District Messenger Service, 74 Douglas street. Smart boys make good wages; must have references.

WANTED—Nurse maid during day or afternoon. Apply Mrs. A. Robertson, "Oreades," Pemberton road, morning before 11, and evening.

LOST OR FOUND. FOUND—A pair of spectacles with case. Owner can have same at Hicks & Lovick Co.

Advertisement for The Boulder Restaurant, 162 Government St., featuring a menu and contact information for H. A. Frederick.



PICTURE PUZZLE. This young lady has caught three fish. Find them. NEW SEASON'S Valencia Raisins SHIPMENT ARRIVED AT ERSKINE, WALL & CO. THE LEADING GROCERS.

Advertisement for Plumbing and Heating, featuring a logo for 'EXPENSES' and contact information for A. SHERET.

Advertisement for BUSINESS DIRECTORY, listing various services such as Builders, Contractors, Plumbers, and more.



The New Vancouver Coal Mining & Land Co. Limited. Supply from their Naasima, Southside and Protection Island Collieries. Steam Coal. Double Screened Lump. Best of the Mine. Washed Nuts and Screenings.

The Daily Times. (Published every day except Sunday) by the Times Printing & Publishing Co., JOHN NELSON, Manager. Offices: 26 Broad Street. Telephone No. 49. Daily, one month, by carrier... 75. Daily, one week, by carrier... 20. Weekly, per annum... \$1.50.

the opposition and Sir Robert Bond, who succeeded in the general elections, and found himself under the necessity of coming to a new arrangement. After prolonged negotiations an agreement was made by which Mr. Reid, who had been prevented from turning his property over to a company, was to receive \$1,000,000 and interest at 6 per cent, until settled by cash or bonds. The bonds were to be taken at 96 and to bear interest at 3 1/2 per cent. Mr. Reid returned to the colony a million and a half acres of the land grant he had earned, he having the right of selecting the location of said lands, for which the government agrees to pay him \$850,000 cash. Mr. Reid surrendered the telegraph lines, receiving compensation for improvements and increases, the amount to be settled by arbitration. He also retained one wire for the railway's business. There was also a claim made by Mr. Reid under the original contract for construction work, etc., not covered by the settlement. The government admitted that the work had been done and his right to be paid for it. The only question was as to the value which, it was agreed, should be fixed by arbitration. At the end of fifty years Mr. Reid, or the company representing him, and which has since been formed, is to be paid on surrender of the road for the additional and improvements that have been made during that period, the amount to be subject to arbitration. The original subsidy vote for running the railway, \$42,000 a year for fifty years, was continued, as well as the steamer subsidy of \$97,000, which is to go on for thirty years.

THEORIES AND FACTS.

The advocates of high protection on both sides of the boundary line profess the belief that national progress cannot be maintained except under the systems they support. The New York Sun, once a Democratic paper, under the elder Dana would never have expressed its conviction that while strikes did occur when the Republicans were in control of the national government, they were invariably the result of demands of employees for higher wages, while when the Democrats were in the industrial disputes invariably arose from the demands of the employers for a decrease in the wages paid. The New York Times, which is independent of either political party, on seeing this foreshadowing statement, decided to devote a few hours to an investigation. It preceded the publication of the result of its observations with the remark that the Sun had adopted another way of saying that under a Republican administration times are always good, business always prosperous and everybody makes money, while under a Democratic administration adversity and blue ruin seize upon the land. The period of dreadful trade depression and panic which began in 1873 and lasted six years fell wholly within the administrations of Grant and Hayes, both Republicans. There were general and sweeping reductions of wages—what the Sun calls "a strike of capital for a share of the laborer's wages as a defence against a depending deficit." There were panicky times and serious checks to trade prosperity in 1884 under the administration of Arthur and in 1890 under the administration of Harrison. The great Homestead strike occurred in 1892, the last year of the administration of Benjamin Harrison. The strike was ordered because the men refused to accept lower wages, notices of reductions having been posted in the works. The panic and trade depression which began in 1893 was, as every honest man knows and will admit, an inheritance from the preceding Republican administration. Wise and prudent men saw the storm coming and had begun to shorten sail before Harrison went out of office. It is one of the commonest and vilest Republican misrepresentations to charge to the administration of Governor Cleveland the hard times of 1893 and the following years due to the Republican silver coinage act of 1890. They even charge it to the Wilson tariff act, which was not passed until a year later.

The Conservative party of Canada has been somewhat thrown out of countenance by the flouting it has received from the powers that regulate mundane affairs. The period which our New York contemporary describes as one of "dreadful depression" occurred during the Mackenzie regime in Canada, when practically all the civilized world was passing through a similar experience. The United States under a protective tariff suffered more than Canada under a revenue tariff of about 17 per cent. Great Britain, under free trade, felt the depression less than either. But argument was useless in the general elections of 1878. The people had been persuaded to try the panacea known as the National Policy, and they would not listen to reason. They did try it, and Canada's progress under it was far from encouraging. There was a temporary boom, a short period of inflation, followed by a depression which was felt from one end of the land to the other and from which it seemed impossible for the country to shake itself free. Our young men emigrated to the United States by the thousand annually. Then there came a change of government in 1896, followed by a modification of the tariff. The revivifying influence was felt immediately. There was a greater increase of the trade of the country in four years than had occurred in the previous twenty. Instead of the sons of Canada crossing the boundary by thousands Americans are coming north by tens of thousands annually. These are facts which no attempt is made to deny. They confound the theories of the men who profess to believe that the higher the taxation the more abounding the prosperity of the people. But the advocates themselves cannot be confounded. They admit the facts because they cannot be denied, but say when another period of depression comes we shall be swamped by a deluge of cheap goods from the United States. So we must burden ourselves permanently in preparation for that evil day. That is a position which will not bear investigation.

The people of Chicago are thoroughly original in their ideas. The burglar who stole a cellful of coal resides in the prairie capital. If that knight of the jimmy had been a gentleman burglar of the old school he would have carried off the jewels and precious stones that lay ready to his hand. The coal famine has set prices of fuel upon a pinnacle, but while New York holds up its hands in helplessness, Chicago helps itself to whatever is handy. In certain sections sidewalks have disappeared in a night. The blocks in the roadways are now rapidly disappearing. Nor can the change make the streets much worse than they were before they were denuded, unless there has been great change within a very few years. Chicago is a warm place, if the temperature does occasionally drop away down while the stormy winds from the lakes do blow.

Sir John Bourne, who for many years has been a light to the path of the budding Parliamentarian, has departed this life. He had long been the final authority on parliamentary procedure and constitutional practice at the Dominion capital. His works on his favorite themes have become the standard in Canada. Another clerk of the House of Commons will arise in his place at the head of the table, but in the eyes of the old-timers he will never fill that chair as its late occupant filled it. The shades of many of Canada's gifted sons now haunt her legislative halls.

The snow has fallen in the East, but the price of coal is still a high up. Black has the next move.

An infallible sign of returning prosperity—the Rossland World has increased its size by a column a page.

AN ELOQUENT LECTURER.

Characteristics of Scottish Race Form the Subject of Rev. Dr. Kilpatrick's Address.

MINING AT QUATSINO.

Progress of Work in Yreka Copper Claims—W. C. Spicer Arrives From West Coast.

MAY BE SOLD.

Old Schooner Amethyst, Now in Enclosed, Will Probably Be Placed on Market.

Watch and Jewelry Repairing. Watches and clocks, like all machinery, require attention, and unless they receive it satisfactory performance is impossible. If any of your timepieces are not accurate we can put them in good order at a very moderate cost, and will send for them if you wish and return them when finished. Old jewelry made over and repaired, and satisfaction guaranteed. C. E. REDFERN, 48 GOVERNMENT ST. Telephone 118.

Thanksgiving Dinner. Thursday, 19th inst., being Thanksgiving Day, we have placed ourselves in shape to provide our numerous patrons and others with everything that is good and appropriate for mankind on such occasions, fresh and at the most reasonable prices. Our Wine List is Complete. Both Bottled and on Draught. Eat, Drink and Make Merry While We Give Thanks. The Saunders Grocery Co., Ltd. PHONE 28. 39 AND 41 JOHNSON STREET.

Hardress Clarke, 86 DOUGLAS STREET. Damson Plums, 8 lbs. for 25c. Crab Apples, 6 lbs. for 25c. Quinces, 6 lbs. for 25c. Pears, 6 lbs. for 25c. SWEET APPLES 90c Box, 6 lbs. for 25c. KING OF TOMPKINS, Red Apple 90c box.

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Halpenny & Mellor. 156 YATES STREET. require high mass will be held at the Main Avenue Catholic church. The service was arranged for by the Hibernians. The brother of the deceased is expected to arrive in the city to-day from Oklahoma, and the funeral arrangements will then be made. —See our new 20th Century ready-to-wear Suits. Bring cash and get a discount. B. Williams & Co. A healthy man respire twenty times a minute.

Watch and Jewelry Repairing. Watches and clocks, like all machinery, require attention, and unless they receive it satisfactory performance is impossible. If any of your timepieces are not accurate we can put them in good order at a very moderate cost, and will send for them if you wish and return them when finished. Old jewelry made over and repaired, and satisfaction guaranteed. C. E. REDFERN, 48 GOVERNMENT ST. Telephone 118.

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SPENCER'S Women's Cloth Waists. The term "Cloth" comprehends all the woolen fabrics from Flannel down to Serge. Fancy Flannel Waists, embroidered spots... \$2.25 each. Women's Waists of the best quality of French Flannel, tucked front... \$3.75. An opportunity to buy 65c and 75c. Figured French Flannels while they last. See them to-day... 50c. yard. More Novelties in French Flannels shown to-day. Underwear For Men, Women and Children. We make a specialty of Underwear, and we carry none but the most reliable goods that we can recommend to you as the best in the market. English Wool Underwear for Ladies, non-shrinkable; natural, pink and white... \$1.75 each. Peumale's Natural Wool Underwear, all sizes... \$1.00 each. Natural Wool Combinations... \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00 each. Fine Stripe Wool Shirts and Drawers for Men... \$1.00 each. We can recommend this line. Most stores get \$1.25 for the same thing. Full lines of Linen Mesh and English Wool Underwear.

Boys' and Girls' Shoes. Correct fitting and properly shaped Shoes are the only sorts we have to offer for Boys and Girls. It is frequently difficult to find these two essential features embodied in children's shoes—Prices... \$1.35 to \$2.75. We make special mention of a line of Boys' School Boots, \$1.40 to \$1.65 pair. For a good-looking and a good-wearing boot we have not seen one to equal this.

New Ties For Men. We show to-day new Four-in Hand and String Ties. Thanksgiving Shoe Specials. 300 pairs Men's very fine Lace and heavy shoes; regular values, \$4 to \$6. Special for Wednesday... \$3.45. 600 pairs Ladies' Fine Kid Lace, new, up-to-date. Just the feature for Fall wear, in four styles, at a big reduction. Special for Wednesday... \$1.95, \$2.45, \$2.75 and \$3.00.

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### WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Oct. 14-5 a. m.—The barometric pressure has increased over the North Pacific slope from Nevada to Canada; a low pressure area covers the upper portion of the province and crossing the Rockies into the Territories is central at Winnipeg, where a moderate gale from the south prevails. Moderate rain has fallen in California, and the weather is cloudy along the Straits and inland to the valley of the Thompson. Temperatures are above normal west of the Rockies and seasonably cold in the Northwest. Conditions are favorable for a continuation of fair weather in this district for the next 48 hours.

### Forecasts.

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Wednesday, Victoria and vicinity—Light or moderate variable winds, partly cloudy and mild, with fog on the Straits.

Lower Mainland—Light or moderate winds, generally fair and mild.

### Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.11; temperature, 51; minimum, 47; wind, 4 miles S. E.; weather, cloudy.

New Westminster—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, 50; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, 42; minimum, 40; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, 34; minimum, 34; wind, calm; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.20; temperature, 60; minimum, 57; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .20; weather, cloudy.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, 38; minimum, 30; wind, 3 miles W.; weather, clear.

Fort Simpson—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, 38; minimum, 48; wind, 8 miles S. W.; weather, fair.

### City News in Brief.

—Priestly's Cravonette Waterproofs, 8 cases just opened; all marked to Sale Prices for cash. B. Williams & Co.

—Thanksgiving Day services will be held in the City mission, 37 Yates street, at 10:30 o'clock on Thursday morning. Addresses will be delivered by prominent church people. A hearty invitation is extended to all.

—Ask your doctor about John Labatt's London India Pale Ale and XXX Stout. Eaten gold medals for its purity. For sale by Saunders' Grocery Co., Dixie H. Ross & Co., and Erskine, Wall & Co.

—A mothers' meeting will be held to-morrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, in the second division room of the Spring Blidge school. The subject to be discussed will be "Benefits of Mothers' Meetings." A full attendance is desired.

—One of the first Association football matches of the season will be played on Thursday next, Thanksgiving Day, commencing at 3:30 o'clock, at Beacon Hill, between the Columbus and a team from the crew of H. M. S. Amphion.

—The sheaves of grain composing a part of the exhibit from the Dominion experimental farm at Agassiz were presented by Manager Sharp to the Tourist Association. He also promised to forward various grains to the association if the bottles in which to store the grain were sent him.

—A meeting of the executive of the Intermediate Baseball Association will be held on Friday evening for the purpose of reconsidering their decision in regard to the dispute between the Capitals and Hillside avenue teams. Communications have been received from both aggregations asking that such action be taken, and Secretary Banfield has acceded to the unanimous request and called a special meeting. The misunderstanding will be finally settled on this occasion. A full attendance is desired.

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Cor. King's Road and Douglas Street.

—Musicians of the city have organized a union and a charter has been applied for from the American Federation of Musicians. There is a membership of over 40, and the roll is expected, will number 70 within a few months. Officers have been elected pro tem as follows: President, Frank J. Shepherd; vice-president, S. A. Bentley; financial secretary, S. C. Carroll; recording and corresponding secretary, W. Fairall; treasurer, Thos. F. Gold; sergeant-at-arms, J. Toulhunter. The union will affiliate with the Trades and Labor Council, and J. M. Finn and F. J. Shepherd were selected as representatives. The election of committees was left over. The next meeting of the union will be held on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, in Labor hall.

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AGENTS, NO. 2 VIEV STREET.

—There was nothing doing in the city police court this morning.

—The contract for the new school house at Orcheston, West Kootenay, has been awarded by the department of lands and works.

—Just received a shipment of Calcium Carbide, at Central Cycle Depot, Broad street. Agents for Rambler, Crawford, Massey-Harris and Bradford Bicycles. Thos. Plimley, Prop.

—The regular meeting of the Ladies of the Maccabees will be held this evening at 8 o'clock sharp in the A. O. U. W. hall. The presence of every member is requested.

—On Thursday, October 16th, the E. & N. railway will run a double train service, the trains running on same schedule as on Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sundays. Excursion rates will be in effect between all stations.

—The Voters' League will meet this evening, when the question of the Songhees reserve question has the right of way for discussion. Any citizens interested in the question should attend as the subject will likely be discussed from all standpoints.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian church will hold an "at home" in the schoolroom of the church, Blanchard street, on Tuesday evening, 21st inst. A programme of music, etc., by the most able amateurs in the city will be rendered at intervals during the evening. Games of all kinds will be provided for the use of the guests, so that an excellent evening's entertainment is assured those who may attend.

—The India and Persia Depot, Broad street, has just received a consignment of goods never hitherto handled on this continent. It consists of Sabarnapore furniture, and comes from the far away northwest provinces of India. There the ingenious inhabitants have fashioned into articles of utility the Sabarnapore wood which abounds only in that part of the world, and the workmanship is superb. It is almost impossible to conceive that the carving was done by hand, so minute, delicate and artistic are the details executed. Table covers, table legs and picture frames are beautifully designed, a striking tribute to the skill and ingenuity of those who make them. They will be disposed of at the auction which Mr. Carter proposes to hold in the near future. The goods were received through the firm's house in Bombay.

—The school of instruction for non-commissioned officers and men of the Fifth Regiment will commence next week. A regimental parade will be held on Monday night, when arrangements for the course will be made. The convenience of the men will be suited as to the night and hours of instruction, and what promises to be a very successful class opened. Last night the officers' course commenced, under the instruction of Serjt. Major McHenry. There were ten officers present, who were initiated into the system of infantry training as laid down in the new book authorized by Earl Roberts. The class will be held every evening this week excepting Thursday, Thanksgiving Day. The officers recognize that they must become familiar with the new order of things, so doubtless they will be on hand each evening. At Monday night's parade it is expected that there will be a full attendance.

—The department of marine and fisheries has had published an excellent pamphlet on "Canada's Great Waterway; From the Great Lakes to the Ocean." It contains an extract from the speech delivered during the last session by Hon. James Sutherland, the minister of the department, in submitting the vote for aids to navigation, principally on what is known as the St. Lawrence route. It shows what aids will be inaugurated, designating their locality and character and contains information that should prove of the greatest interest to navigators. Reference is also made to the aids to be established on the Pacific, in connection with which Col. Anderson recently visited this Coast. In the booklet is a map of the Gulf and River St. Lawrence, with the locations of the proposed aids plainly marked. The publication has a neatly designed cover, while the paper and printing are admirable. Copies may be obtained on application at the local agency of the department.

# Compound Syrup Hypophosphites

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### SOME BREEZY EPIGRAMS.

The dialogue in "Other People's Money" is witty and unusually clever, it being replete with such epigrams as "Blessed is the man who gets wisdom from another man's experience;" "Whether a man marries or not, he will dread it;" "Only fools ask, wise men take;" "He who has not wealth by patrimony must get it by matrimony;" "There's nothing so good as money, and no money so good as other people's;" "A matrimonial alliance with the love all on one side means trouble on both sides;" "When money talks, the average man doesn't care whether it knows what it is talking about or not."

—The regular weekly rehearsal for "Judas Maccabaeus" takes place to-morrow evening in First Presbyterian church schoolroom. The date of the performance has been fixed for Wednesday, November 12th, and the members of the chorus are urgently requested to be present at every rehearsal from now on. Rehearsals begin promptly at 8 o'clock, and all are requested to be in their places at that time.

—Services will be held at Congregational Emmanuel on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings at 7:30 p. m., and Thursday and Saturday mornings at 10:15 o'clock. The following sermons will be delivered by Rabbi Montague N. A. Cohen: Wednesday evening, "Feast of Tabernacles and Agriculture," an appeal for the Romanians Jews; Thursday morning, children's sermon; Thursday evening, Thanksgiving sermon, and Friday evening, "Friendship."

—Of the gold referred to in last evening's Times as being received at the assay office and being there transformed into bullion, the largest single lot was one from the Yukon. This lot consisted of 506 ounces, which represented a value of \$3,276. While most of the gold was the production of the north, yet Vancouver Island was not unrepresented in the bullion produced. The Yukon was well represented in the gold received, while lots were brought also from Atlin, Cariboo, Cassiar and Omineca, in addition to the Vancouver Island production.

—The annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Chemainus General hospital took place in the hall, on October 2nd, with the president, Mrs. Palmer, in the chair. The report for the year having been read, a very satisfactory balance sheet was shown. The proceeds of a supper held last October and later on a sale of work, augmented by donations, brought the bank account up to \$638.70. The Woman's Auxiliary will then able to pay for the water being laid on to the hospital, and also to purchase some furniture, which was required, a balance of \$100 still remaining.

—There was a large attendance at the annual harvest festival of the Victoria West Methodist church, held last evening. A sumptuous repast was served from 6 o'clock until 7:30 p. m., after which an excellent programme was rendered. The chair was occupied by the pastor, Rev. W. Dean. Selections were given by a number of vocalists and instrumentalists. J. G. Brown gave a solo, Gideon Hicks and Mrs. Wilson sang. J. Longfield gave a couple of selections on the new organ, and Mr. Talbot rendered two violin selections. The choir of the church also assisted in the evening's entertainment. Addresses were delivered by Rev. D. A. McEneaney and Rev. J. P. Westman. The interior of the church was beautifully and appropriately decorated.

—An arrangement has been entered into between the governments of the United States and of Canada by which postal notes presented at post offices in the United States will be paid. The order issued to United States postmasters is as follows: "Postmasters at money-order offices are notified that in accordance with an arrangement made with the postal administration of Canada, the postal notes issued by money-order offices in that country may be paid by money-order offices in the United States, and disposed of in same manner, that ordinary Canadian money orders are paid and transmitted to the department as vouchers. These postal notes, while intended for local purposes and to be issued and paid in Canada only, are occasionally sent by remitters to correspondents in this country, hence the object of these instructions is simply to accommodate the holders of such notes, who otherwise would be obliged to return them to their correspondents in Canada."

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**GOOD CITIZENSHIP.**  
Interesting Lecture by C. H. Lugin before Metropolitan Methodist Epworth League last evening.

C. H. Lugin addressed the Epworth League of the Metropolitan church last evening on "Citizenship." The address occupied a little less than an hour and was received, its delivery being punctuated with frequent applause. Mr. Lugin's observations were of a very practical kind, although not in any sense political. He impressed upon his hearers the responsibility resting upon them as individuals to discharge their duty towards their country. He began by a reference to the Methodist Union and its tremendous effect upon the British people, and then passed on to consider the attitude which people should take towards all classes of persons charged with the making and administration of the laws. This, he said, should be one of fearlessness and independent criticism. It mattered very little what the position of the public servant might be, his public acts were open to the scrutiny of every citizen and should be unshrinkingly condemned when they merited condemnation. He said that it was useless to pass laws unless public opinion stands upon the laws being enforced, and he cited instances that have occurred here and elsewhere in proof of this. He did not claim that even under the most rigidly enforced system of laws wrong-doing could be eliminated from the community, but he contended that good laws well enforced had an educative effect upon the public, and that in the long run good results were secured. He spoke of the grave social problems which were presenting themselves for solution, and claimed that these could not be properly dealt with if those who were identified with church work held aloof from political work.

A very hearty vote of thanks was given to the speaker at the close of his address.

—The attention of school children is directed to the opportunity afforded them of winning \$5. Details of the contest will be found by consulting the announcement of the Dominion Co-Operative Home Building Association in the advertising column.

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SILK FAILLE RIBBON, with satin edge, in all the standard colors. SPECIAL PRICES ..... 31c, 8c, 10c  
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MUTINY AND PIRACY. Advice from Manila tell of trouble aboard the little steamer Dos Hermanos, which was sent out on a cruise among some of the southern islands by a trading firm.

RUGBY FOOTBALL. ANNUAL MEETING. The Victoria Rugby Football Club will hold its annual meeting this evening, commencing at 8.30 in the rooms of the Victoria Athletic Club.

THE PEDERSON ABANDONED. The American schooner Otelia Pederson has been abandoned by her crew and left floating about in the Pacific a water-logged hulk.

THE BEES AS MESSENGERS. The suggestion has been made that bees might be used as messengers in war, not as substitutes for the carrier pigeons, but only when pigeons are not to be had or cannot be used.

OVERDUE SAFE. With the arrival of the British ship Ditton at San Francisco, the last of the vessels on the overdue list was taken off. The ship came from Newcastle, N. S. W., and was 78 days overdue.

SOME BREEZY EPIGRAMS. The dialogue in "Other People's Money" is witty and unusually clever, it being replete with such epigrams as "Blessed is the man who gets wisdom from another man's experience."

WILL BURN OIL. The steamer Alameda will after her next trip to Honolulu be laid up while mechanics are fitting her to burn oil for fuel like her sister ship, the Mariposa.

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MARINE NOTES. Schooner Florence M. Smith, Capt. Ryan, sailed this morning on her long sealing cruise to the waters of the Southern Atlantic.

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Table with columns: Date, Time, Height, etc. for tide information.

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Take notice that at the expiration of thirty days from this date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease for fishing purposes the forebore, including the rights attached thereto, in Cowichan District.

All mineral rights are reserved by the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company within that tract of land 5 bounded south by the south boundary of Comox District, on the east by the Straits of Cowichan, on the west by the boundary of the B. & N. Railway Land Grant.

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Provincial News.

CLINTON. Mr. Justice Irving presided at the Assizes here. Stanley, of Barkerville, who was charged with the murder of a Chinaman, was acquitted.

NEW WESTMINSTER. The death occurred on Thursday, at the residence of George Davies, Burnaby, of Richard Davies, who succumbed to chronic heart disease. The deceased was thirty-three years old, a native of Wales, and unmarried.

FORT STEELE. A train on the Crow's Nest railway ran into a hand car, this side of Wardner. One man on the car sustained a fractured leg.

John McLachlan, P. L. S., Nelson, is engaged in surveying a group of seven claims on the west fork of the St. Mary's river. The claims will be Crown granted in the near future.

The hydraulic season in the vicinity of Port Steele has been good, and there is every indication of an increase in the gold output for the current year.

"The lumber industry of Southeast Kootenay continues to assume large proportions," says the Prospector. "In almost every town in the district one or two mills have been established at Myio, Cranbrook, Marysville, Wasa, Fernie, Elk and Jaffray. A new plant, the largest in Southeast Kootenay, having a daily capacity of 50,000 to 60,000 feet, is now being installed at South Wardner.

ROSSLAND. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Caesar Gelling, of North Washington street, was the scene on Friday night of an unique baptism ceremony, which was performed by Rev. A. M. Sanford. It was the baptism of five of Thomas Woodley's grandchildren, who are all residents of this city.

Per steamer Rosalie from the Sound—J. P. Greenwood, J. Clark, H. W. Green, D. E. Green, J. W. Scott, S. P. Brown, E. L. Gillman, J. N. Evans, J. Wright, E. S. Spence, J. H. Smith, F. N. Tracy, G. Morrow, W. Hannon, J. H. Getchman, Edw. Tompkins, Mrs. Barker, Rev. W. Halstead, Mrs. Halstead, O. E. Lockhart, D. R. McLennan.

Per steamer Rosalie from the Sound—B. Baker & Son, S. J. Pitts, John Bros, J. Townsend, Brackman & Ker, Munro & Co., B. B. Martin & Co., John Colbert.

Hudson Bay Country. Roseland Prospectors Will Bring Samples of Minerals to Victoria to be Assayed.

"Reports have reached this city from time to time of the richness of the Hudson Bay country, not only as a fur producing country, but also as a place where every mineral could be found and mined with profit, providing there were the proper transportation facilities to be had," says the Roseland Miner.

"We left here early last May," said Mr. Goodman, "proceeding almost due north, as Jake Miller, my side partner, had a desire to see the mountains to the north of us. We hit the 'borderland' of what is known as the Hudson Bay country, where I cannot recall it at the present moment, anyway hit Mackenzie land and striking a trifling vein in the range from which the beautiful Liard river. We did a little prospecting and hunting around this section for some time, following the river almost to its source. The scenery was simply grand; the river, a stream that would prove a joy to any fisherman and appeal to the very soul of a poet. I have had to leave this country, but my companions were pushing further east, so one day we struck out almost directly across for the Hudson Bay country. We passed over ranges upon ranges, some pretty big mountains and others that reminded us forcibly of our own Mt. Roberts at Roseland. In some of these ranges we struck some very good ore indications; one vein that starts for a considerable distance. It appears very rich, the surface we secured several specimens which we intend to have assayed as soon as we reach Victoria. We took specimens from various other sections of the country. Some of the ore shows up very rich, and I think that as soon as there is proper transportation facilities introduced into the country, this is the richest mining belt in the world. The ore, from what I have seen of it, is not the low grade prospecting in this district that is common in the Yukon, but is of very high quality, such as will more than pay the cost of getting the ore to the water front. I think the Hudson Bay country will become famous some day as a rich coal mining section, there is plenty of coal there; enough coal, in fact, to break any combine ever floated. We were somewhat disappointed at what we saw in and around the Hudson Bay. We had plenty of hunting. As soon as the weather began getting a trifle raw we started back for civilization, and here we were met by Miller and Goodman, who go to Seattle and from thence to Victoria.

BABY HUMORS.—Dr. Agnew's Ointment soothes, quiets, and effects quick and effective cures in all skin eruptions common to baby during teething time. It is harmless to the hair in cases of Scald Head, and cures Eczema, Salt Rheum and all skin diseases of older people. 35 cents. Sold by Jackson & Co. and Hall & Co.—55.

EXPENSIVE UNIFORMS. The most expensive military uniform in the bandmaster's of the Life Guards, which costs £25 0s. 4d. A bandmaster's of the same regiment costs £19 10s. 8d. A sergeant-drummer of the Foot Guards wears a uniform "swell his chest" when he wears a tunic costing no less than £7 0s. 8d. The total value of his uniform is £24 10s. 8d. The cheapest uniform of all is that of a private of an ordinary infantry regiment, valued at £10 2s. 3d., and a Guardsman's "busby" £7 10s. 6d. It takes quite a fortune to keep the Foot Guards in business, via, £64,900. The Grenadier Guards alone require £13,242 10s. 6d. for this purpose.



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Notice is hereby given that 80 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the foreshore of Cowichan Harbor, Cowichan District, Vancouver Island, commencing at a Post marked 'G', G. M., on the south shore of said harbor, and extending 40 chains in a southeasterly direction towards Cherry Point.

Notice to Sportsmen

Having leased the shooting rights on my property at Saulteaux, B. C., all persons who are trespassing on the above property will be prosecuted under the Game Act.

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Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the foreshore for fishing purposes of that part of Bentick Island known as Flat Bay, commencing from a stake marked 'A', P. E. B., following the shore line in a northerly direction a half mile more or less.

Notice is hereby given that 80 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the foreshore of Cowichan Harbor, Cowichan District, Vancouver Island, commencing at a Post marked 'G', G. M., on the south shore of said harbor, and extending 40 chains in a southeasterly direction towards Cherry Point.

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Having leased the shooting rights on my property at Saulteaux, B. C., all persons who are trespassing on the above property will be prosecuted under the Game Act.

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DOMINION OF CANADA

SYNOPSIS OF REGULATIONS

For Disposal of Minerals on Dominion Lands in Manitoba, the Northwest Territories, and the Yukon Territory.

Coal lands may be purchased at \$10.00 per acre for soft coal, and \$20.00 for anthracite. Not more than 320 acres can be acquired by one individual or company.

Persons of eighteen years and over and joint-stock companies holding Free Miner's Certificates may obtain entry for a mining location.

A Free Miner's Certificate is granted for one or more years, not exceeding five, upon payment in advance of \$10.00 per annum for an individual, and from \$50.00 to \$100.00 per annum for a company, according to capital.

A Free Miner having discovered mineral in place may locate a claim 1,500x1,500 feet by marking out the same with two legal posts, bearing location notices, one at each end on the line of the lode or vein.

The patent for a mining location shall provide for the payment of royalty on the sales not exceeding five per cent.

PLACER MINING, MANITOBA AND THE YUKON TERRITORY. Placer mining claims generally are 104 feet square; entry fee \$5.00, renewable claimable in either bar or bench, the former being 100 feet long and extending between high and low water mark.

A Free Miner may obtain only two leases of five miles each for a term of twenty years, renewable in the discretion of the Minister of the Interior.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged bed or bars in the river below low water mark, and subject to the rights of water marks, and subject to the rights of water marks, and subject to the rights of water marks.

The lessee shall have one dredge in operation within one season from the date of the lease for each five miles, but where a person or company has obtained more than one lease one dredge for each five miles will be required.

SIX Leases of five miles each may be granted to a free miner for a term of twenty years, also renewable.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged bed or bars in the river below low water mark, and subject to the rights of water marks, and subject to the rights of water marks.

The lessee shall have one dredge in operation within two years from the date of the lease, and one dredge for each five miles within six years from the date of the lease.

The person or company staking a claim within ten miles of the Yukon River, except house servants, must hold a Free Miner's Certificate.

The discoverer of a new mine is entitled to claim 1,000 feet in length, and if the party consists of two, 1,500 feet altogether, on the output of which no royalty shall be charged.

No Free Miner shall receive a grant of more than one mining claim on each separate river, creek or gulch, but the same miner may hold a number of claims on separate rivers, creeks or gulches.

The boundaries of a claim may be defined absolutely by having a survey made and publishing notices in the Yukon Official Gazette.

Locations suitable for hydraulic mining, having a front of not more than five miles and a depth of one mile or more, may be leased for twenty years, provided the lessee can furnish security for the amount of his agent's found to be unsuitable for placer mining.

All unappropriated Dominion Lands shall, after the 1st of July, 1901, be open to prospecting for petroleum.

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PROMINENT JURIST HERE.

M. Justice Ferguson of the High Court of Ontario, Visits British Columbia. Mr. Justice Ferguson, of the High Court of Justice for Ontario, is in the city. His Lordship is enjoying a well-earned holiday, having been granted six months' leave of absence from his duties on the bench after having served twenty-one years continuously in that capacity.

Mr. Justice Ferguson is not unknown to the West. Before being called to the bar in Ontario he spent some years in the California gold rush. After returning to Ontario he took up the study of law in Toronto. He was called to the bar in 1863 and for some years was head of the firm of Ferguson, Bain, Gordon & Shipley, of Toronto. In 1881 he became a puisne judge of the chancery division of the High Court of Justice of Ontario. In 1885 he was offered a seat in the Supreme Court of Canada, but declined. The following year he was appointed one of the commissioners for the revision of the statutes of Ontario.

COAL AT ESQUIMALT.

Navy Has Large Supply on Hand—Only One Vessel En Route. The barque Iverlyon, which is bringing coal for the navy, has sailed for Esquimalt. She is now the only coal carrier on her way from Cardiff to this port, a fact which may to some extent be attributable to the coal famine of the East, which, as mentioned in press dispatches, has already affected the English market. But there is no shortage of the Cardiff coal at Esquimalt, and there will be no scarcity at least for a year or more, for the supply on hand runs up into the thousands of tons. The coal is piled up into a pyramid shape in the yard at Esquimalt in proportions covering a good sized lot, and ten or twelve feet in height. The new metal shed for the storage of this fuel is now about completed. It is a very substantial structure of large dimensions and occupying a place almost adjoining the dry dock on the waterfront.

Current History for October contains the world's history during August—presented in departments entitled "International Affairs," "Affairs in America," "Affairs in Europe," "Affairs in Asia and Oceania," "Affairs in Africa," "Science and Invention," "Education," "Religion," "Sociology," "Art, Music and the Drama," "Important Statistics," "A Literary Chronicle," and "Necrology." The number opens with sketches of Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes and various other famous personages by a valuable and timely article on "The Passing of Finland," by Mr. George Musgrave (illustrated with a view of Helsingfors and a map). All the great topics of the day are presented in their passing phases, compactly and luminously, and the assistance given the reader who wishes to be well informed concerning the ongoings of the world is such as, on the whole, is to be found in no other magazine. Current History is cordially commended as a chronicle and as exceptionally valuable for reference purposes. It is a rare question-answer and memory-assistant. Numerous fine and instructive illustrations—views, portraits and maps.

A Labor Saving Machine. In these days when everything is done with a rush, even to the extent of effecting the housewife in her daily toil, it is gratifying to know that many machines are manufactured to lessen the laborious work of the house. If you once use "Kent's Celebrated Knife Machines" you will wonder why you continued so long at the old-time knife board. Wellor Bros. (agents).

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THE JAPAN'S ARRIVAL.

Passed Through Bad Weather on the Oriental Coast—Heavy Overland Cargo.

Her 58th homeward voyage from the Orient was completed by R. M. S. Empress of Japan, Captain Pybus, which reached port from Yokohama about noon to-day after a tempestuous passage. Three days after leaving the Japanese port a strong easterly gale was encountered, while between Nagasaki and Yokohama, the tail end of the typhoon, which did so much destruction to property in the latter city, was experienced. The officers of the Empress report that the damage done was very extensive, the wind having driven ships ashore, and in addition to creating general havoc ashore the storm swept away the stone wall which served as a breakwater for the port.

As stated in last evening's Times the ship carries on this voyage a very heavy shipment of silk, and in all 1,000,000 pounds of overland cargo. Her passenger list is made up of 40 saloon, 20 intermediate and 526 steerage. The manner in which these latter are divided was told in last evening's Times. Among the saloon passengers are Prof. Bilis, a member of the academy of naval architecture; Lieut. Brandon, R. N., navigation officer on H. M. S. Pecke; Lieut. the Hon. F. Butler, who is also a member of one of H. M. ships stationed in the Orient, and Capt. M. Spencer, from Hongkong, who, with his wife and family, purposes taking up his residence in Esquimalt, where he will be stationed on militia duty. Other saloon passengers were: W. Araki, Miss B. R. Babcock, Miss Bilis, Miss Bilis, L. Bodmer, Alex. Campbell, W. J. Clennell, Mrs. W. J. Clennell and two children, F. Collier, Mrs. F. Collier and child, J. G. Couper, F. M. Gray, Capt. H. Hewetson, Miss Hill, G. W. Hives, Mrs. Livingston Hunt, Master Hunt, H. R. Hunt, Miss Hunt, A. E. Kramer, T. Matsui, J. McConachie, S. Morimoto, Mrs. S. Morimoto, Rev. D. B. S. Morris, G. Mosie, J. O'Brien, Mrs. J. O'Brien the Rt. Rev. Bishop Partridge, S. C. D. D., Mrs. S. C. D., Mrs. E. Pincherle, Capt. E. C. Poe, Miss Randall Johnson, Miss E. Randall Johnson, Miss Ridge, Miss E. Russell, Paul Schluter, Lieut. G. W. Wellburn.

LEGAL NEWS.

A Number of Applications Disposed of By Mr. Justice Martin To-Day.

The following applications were this morning disposed of before Mr. Justice Martin: Ward vs. Dominion Steamship Line—Renewed application for an order giving leave to sign judgment under Order XIV. Application stood over until Friday. Costs of adjournment defendants' costs in any event. J. H. Lawson, jr. for plaintiff; F. Higgins, contra. Barford vs. Ingram—Application by J. H. Lawson, jr., solicitor for plaintiff, for leave to add one, Muir, as party plaintiff. Application granted. T. Fell, contra. Upper Yukon vs. British Yukon—The adjourned application for an order that certain interrogatories delivered herein in July last. Application granted, answers to be made within six weeks. Costs to defendants in any event. R. Cassidy for defendants; F. Higgins, contra. Clearhue vs. British Yukon—The adjourned application made by R. Cassidy, defendants' solicitor, for an order that better and further answers be made to the interrogatories delivered herein in July last, was granted, answers to be made within six weeks. Costs to defendants in any event. F. Higgins for plaintiffs. Brakes vs. British Yukon—A similar application to that of the Upper Yukon vs. the British Yukon was to-day made by R. Cassidy, defendants' solicitor. Application granted, answers to be made within six weeks. Costs to defendants in any event. F. Higgins, contra. Canadian Bank of Commerce vs. Nevin et al.—Application for an order that one of the defendants be examined, settled and withdrawn. J. H. Lawson, jr., for plaintiffs; J. P. Walls for defendant Royds. Re Estate Medina (intestate)—Summons for directions as to service of originating summons herein. Order made directing service to be made on the committee, the mother of the children, and on E. M. Johnson, J. H. Lawson, jr., for application.

WRECKED BY STORM.

Many Houses Destroyed in Illinois and Several Persons Injured.

Quincy, Ill., Oct. 13.—The storm that raged here last night has visited other sections in Illinois. Reports indicate the complete or partial demolition of more than 100 houses. Many people were hurt, but there were no instant fatalities. At Camp Point twenty or more houses were destroyed. Robert Garret was sick in bed. His house was unroofed and part of the wall fell on his couch. He was unhurt, but may die from exposure. Mrs. Robert Tribue was buried in the ruins of her home and may die. The southern part of Quincy was struck by the storm, and Green Mount cemetery was stripped of every tree. Many of the monuments were blown over. At least fifty houses and barns in the southern part of the city were destroyed. The financial loss will reach \$200,000.

A general meeting of the different local circles of the order of the King's Daughters will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Shaw, 18 Michigan street. Important business will come up for consideration and a large attendance is requested.

The management of the Centennial Methodist Sunday school contemplates giving a treat to the children of the school on the evening of the last Wednesday in the month. This entertainment was promised them when the improvements to the Sunday school were completed, but there has not been time up to the present to carry it out. The school is in a flourishing condition, being entirely out of debt, having an almost new school room, with an entirely new library of 100 volumes, which arrived on Friday last.

THE WHITE HOUSE.

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JUNIOR LEAGUE.

The Schedule of Association Football Matches for the Coming Season. A meeting of the representatives of the Junior Association Football League was held last evening. It was decided that during the coming season the respective schools or clubs should confine themselves to the membership of their own institutions in selecting players. All games must be played within the dates of the first and last matches of the schedule. Each name will be forwarded to the secretary, who will allot them to the different games. The schedule follows:

- Oct. 25—Victoria West v. Capital City. Central v. North Ward. Nov. 8—South Park v. Victoria West. Nov. 15—Capital City v. Central. Nov. 22—North Ward v. Central. Nov. 29—Victoria West v. Central. Dec. 6—Capital City v. North Ward. Dec. 13—North Ward v. Central. Dec. 20—North Ward v. Victoria West. Jan. 3—North Ward v. Capital City. Jan. 10—South Park v. Capital City. Jan. 17—Central v. Victoria West. Jan. 24—Victoria West v. South Park. Jan. 31—Central v. Capital City. Feb. 7—South Park v. Central. Feb. 14—Central v. Victoria West. Feb. 21—North Ward v. Capital City. Feb. 28—South Park v. Central. Mar. 7—Victoria West v. North Ward. Mar. 14—Capital City v. South Park. Mar. 21—Capital City v. Victoria West.

HYADES IN PORT.

Brought Mall From Orient for Europe and Asia—A Death on Passage. One of the line now running between this and Sound ports and points in the Orient, the steamer Hyades, which some time ago was operated in the coal trade on this Coast, arrived from the Far East this morning, and was lined up at the ocean docks in company with the other Olinas liners. She brought merchandise from China and Japan and some 75 Chinese for this city. She also brought a big mail which was landed here, and strange as it may seem, a large portion of this was consigned to various points in Europe and Asia. There were mail bags addressed to Russia, to Australia, Germany and places in Great Britain and the United States, being more advantageous to forward them by the fast steamer and rail services in this direction than by the old route via the Orient. The Hyades is 18 days from Yokohama. She had a rather stormy trip, the only incident of note occurring being the death of a Chinaman, who died through bursting a blood vessel. He was buried at sea.

KILLED BY ELEPHANTS.

Enraged Brutes Broke Loose From Circus and Crushed Many People to Death.

A dispatch to St. Petersburg from Nijal Novgorod states that eight maltrated elephants in a circus at Nijal became enraged and ran amok in the streets. They charged upon everybody in sight, killing twenty-eight persons and wounding sixty-three. The city was thrown into a panic, and eighty persons were injured in the crush to escape. The elephants were finally captured and shot.

TORONTO MINING EXCHANGE.

Table with columns: Asked, Bid. Includes items like Black Tail, Canadian G., Ontario, etc.

Toronto Sales To-Day.

Canadian Goldfields—2,000 at 3 1/2. Cariboo McKinley—1,000 at 2 1/2. THE BURNS MANUSCRIPTS. J. P. Morgan Has Withdrawn Offer For Collection in Liverpool Library. (Associated Press.) London, Oct. 14.—It is announced that J. Pierpont Morgan's recent offer of \$25,000 for the Burns manuscripts in the Athlone library, of Liverpool, has been withdrawn. In washing woollens and fannels, Lov's Dry Soap (a powder) will be found very satisfactory.

AUCTION. Household Furniture. AT MART, 58 BROAD ST. Tuesday, 2 p. m. Oct. 14th. Upholstered Parlor Suits, Brussels and Tapestry Carpets, Pictures, Curtains, and Tapes; Bed and Single Lounges; 4 Bedroom Suits, in Ash and Birch and Fir; Box, Wire and Wool Mattresses; Occ. Tables and Chairs; Dining H. B. Chairs; Platform Rockers; Toilet Services; Matting; Fine Tonic Range and Coll; Glassware; Crockery; Hosiery; Lawn Mowers; 200 lbs. Choice and Assorted Candles, etc., etc. W. JONES, Dom. Govt. Auctioneer. Tel. 294.

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THE FRUITS OF WISE PROVISION. In youth and manhood comes home to you in a competency for old age when you have placed your savings in a reliable savings company like the B. C. PERMANENT LOAN & SAVINGS COMPANY. Don't waste your youth in revealing, but lay aside a nest egg that will bring you happiness when life's sun is setting. Alexandra Royal College of Music and Art. Miss Stone, teacher of dramatic art, rhetoric, elocution and physical culture, has been engaged by the Director, Ladies and gentlemen desiring a course in any of these branches will kindly communicate with the Secretary. King Edward Building Society. Being a Series Mutual Terminating Benefit Building Society, Incorporated Pursuant to the Investment and Loan Society's Act. Notice is hereby given that the first general meeting of the above Society will be held at the Pioneer Hall, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 15th day of October instant, at 8 o'clock, when the following business will be transacted: Election of Directors and Officers. Adoption of Rules. Dated this 9th day of October, 1903. C. S. BAXTER, Provisional Secretary.

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