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ALLEGED COMBINE IN LUMBER TRADE

MR. JUSTICE RICHARDS WILL INVESTIGATE

Conviction of Christian Scientist Charged at Toronto With Manslaughter Has Been Sustained.

Winnipeg, June 29.—Information has been received from Ottawa that Mr. Justice Richards has been commissioned to inquire into the charge that lumber dealers have formed a combine in restraint of trade.

St. Catharines, June 29.—Fire at an early hour this morning did \$25,000 damage to the gymnasium of the Empire Carpet Company.

St. Arthur, Ont., June 29.—Engineer Streeton, who received serious injuries while leaning out of the car window, his head coming in contact with a rock embankment on Saturday night, has recovered consciousness and will probably recover.

Decision on Appeal. Toronto, June 29.—The court of appeals gave judgment today in the case of the King vs. James Henry Lewis, Toronto, Ray, the little son of Lewis, contracted diphtheria and died on August 13th last.

Election Protest. The court of appeal today delivered judgment allowing the appeal of M. Boyd, the defeated Conservative candidate, against the unusual or his protest against the return of A. G. McKay to north Grey in the provincial election of January 7th last.

Suicide. Hamilton, June 29.—Joseph Jeffry, who a few days ago conducted the Hamilton City Laundry, but who lived a retired life for the last couple of years, committed suicide today by shooting himself. He was about 60 years old, unmarried, and very popular.

United States Fleet. Will Be Welcomed to Portsmouth by the British Channel Squadron.

Washington, June 29.—The United States department has been advised that the governments of England and Portugal are making ready to show hospitality on the American European squadron.

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FOURTEEN BODIES RECOVERED

Loss of Life in Railway Wreck in Spain Greater Than First Supposed.

Madrid, June 29.—Fourteen bodies and 50 injured persons have been extricated from the wreck of the Bilbao train, which overturned at Nejerilla river last night.

According to official information, 30 persons were killed and 60 others seriously injured. Many of the latter will die. Of the 300 passengers on the train, it is stated that only six escaped unhurt.

The train, which was composed of two engines and 10 coaches, was crossing the bridge when the couplings between the engines broke. The second engine left the track and fell, followed by the entire train, into the bed of the river.

The nearest medical attendance was a mile and a half distant, and those passengers who were least injured aided the others and did all possible until the arrival of relief trains bringing nurses, doctors and soldiers from Bilbao.

The train fell 50 feet from the bridge to the river bed, the coaches piling up in a mass of splintered wood and iron-work. The scene is described as horrifying. Many corpses were carried down the stream, which was actually reddened with blood.

It is believed that the official figures underestimate the number of killed persons, accounts giving the number of dead as 100. The full extent of the catastrophe will be known only when the wreckage has been cleared away.

SMELTER CLOSED

Anacosta Plant Shut Down and Many Men Are Idle.

Butte, Mont., June 29.—The big smelter of the Anaconda Copper Company at Anaconda, was shut down today for an indefinite period, throwing 1,500 men idle.

The shut down is for the purpose of making repairs, but the men allege it is done to forestall a probable strike for higher wages on July 1st. The mines at Butte, from which the Anaconda smelter draws its ore, will close tomorrow, affecting more than 2,000 men.

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Because they contain acids, but Putnam's Corn Extractor is entirely vegetable in composition. It is perfectly painless, safe and sure to cure.

TRUSTEES WANT A JUDGE'S DECISION

REQUEST A TEST OF THE BORROWING POWER

Discipline at South Park School Discussed—Will Co-operate at Exhibition This Fall.

The board of school trustees met last evening, Chairman Drury presiding.

The superintendent reported that three applications had been received for the position of teacher of domestic science, viz., Mrs. Monteith, Victoria; Miss MacKend, Montreal, and Miss Cora Auld, build, of Liverpool, England.

Trustee Huggatt thought it wise to co-operate with the Agricultural Association and endeavor to make this exhibition a success. He favored therefore leaving it to the city superintendent and the teachers.

Trustee Jay was of the opinion that a creditable display could not be made in the space allotted to them. It was a season of the year also in which the best exhibition could not be made.

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by the bareness of the rooms in the South Park school. She thought that if the attention of the principal was called to the matter that it would be rectified.

Trustee Huggatt moved that the buildings and grounds committee be instructed to put the desks in shape and that a copy of the report relating to discipline should be forwarded to the principal.

This brought up the question of the cost. The advisability of having the tops of some of the desks redressed was taken up, and it was also shown that new tops would be required for some of the desks.

The committee was empowered to put the desks in the best shape, at a sum not exceeding \$200.

It was decided to purchase hose for Victoria West school and put a retaining board about the High school grounds. Chairman Drury reported that the Agricultural Society could only allot for school exhibits the upper story.

Some of the trustees thought that such a space was entirely inadequate for the purposes. Trustee Huggatt thought it wise to co-operate with the Agricultural Association and endeavor to make this exhibition a success.

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MEN WANTED FOR THE OKANAGAN COUNTRY

Abundant Crops But Labor is Scarce, So Reports the Provincial Fruit Inspector.

R. M. Palmer, provincial fruit inspector, who recently returned from a trip through the upper country, reports that there is a great shortage of labor in the Okanagan district, and in the valley of the upper Thompson River.

Mr. Palmer says that fully 500 men are in demand. They are required for the haying season, for the harvesting of the grain crop and then for the fruit season. Where all this help can be procured is a matter which is now engaging the attention of the C. P. R. officials with whom Mr. Palmer was conferring while in the upper country.

It is hoped to secure a number of men from the Barr colony, where it is thought that there is a surplus, and from other places wherever the men can be found. Mr. Palmer visited all the ranching country as far east as Laggan. He makes the statement that the principal trouble ahead of the ranchers is the want of sufficient help to take care of the crops as they mature.

"I never saw the districts of the Okanagan, Kelowna, Peachland, Summerland, Spence's Bridge, Ashcroft and Kamloops looking better than they are just now," said Mr. Palmer. "The promise is for an abundant crop of all kinds. The fruit is especially good this year."

"How about small fruits?" was a question asked Mr. Palmer. "The quantity is increasing very rapidly," was the reply. "The number of small holdings in the Okanagan country is very much greater than it was formerly. Every year there are more small holdings taken up and improved by residents. These small ranchers are bound to go into the cultivation of strawberries and other small fruits."

"At Peachland alone there must be fully thirty ranches on small holdings who have already made a good start in fruit-growing. At in the district many new people have settled in the past two years."

"So great has the traffic become on Okanagan lakes that it is necessary to increase the transportation facilities at Kelowna and other places at once to keep pace with the growth," Mr. Palmer said he thought the railway company would have to take steps at once to accommodate the business of that district.

It is seldom that futures in fresh fruit are sold, but such is the position with the apple crop and other fruits of the Okanagan district this season. So remarkable has been the success of the fruit from the Okanagan since it has been put on the market in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories that the demand is very keen. The keenness can be judged from the fact that the apples of the large ranches at Kelowna and elsewhere are already sold in advance of their maturity.

"It speaks well for the standard quality of a district when it can be sold before it is half formed," was Mr. Palmer's comment. Mr. Palmer was not in the Fraser, Delta, and therefore cannot speak of the latest outlook in that district, but on the island he reports that the hay crop will be a little short. The recent rains which have damaged some of that crop have, however, benefited other crops, including fruit.

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FERRONEZ ASSURES HEALTH. BRIEF TELEGRAMS. Richard Burke, of Limerick, Ireland, who married into the Donahue family, has arrived at San Francisco from Ireland to take part in the proceedings in regard to the guardianship of the person and estate of the demoted capitalist, Peter J. Donahue, now left vacant by the death of Cardinal Vaughan, who was appointed by the London court this year.

Peter Donahue's estate, said to be worth in the neighborhood of \$1,500,000, will be held Wednesday, July 15th, at 7.30. R. B. McMillan, Secy.

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WANTED—Chimney sweeping. Smokey chimneys—cared, no mess; stove pipes, flues and chimneys from 25c. 4 Broughton street.

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WANTED—A first-class pattern maker at once. Apply to Letson & Burpee, 142 to 148 Alexander street, Vancouver, B. C.

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NICE HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS TO RENT—Cheap; also second-hand furniture for sale. Apply at Old Curiosity Shop, cor. Yates and Blanchard.

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LOST OR FOUND. LOST—Gordon setter pup, about two months old. Reward on returning to J. Greig, 209 Government street.

LOST—Will the person who picked up a belt-bag containing a purse, card case and key, in the boys' gymnasium, on Friday afternoon, return same, and receive reward, to Mrs. Christie, Sandalwood, Cadboro Bay road, opposite Chestnut Ave.?

SOCIETIES. REGULAR MEETING Vancouver. Quenda, No. 2, A. F. & A. M., will be held Wednesday, July 15th, at 7.30. R. B. McMillan, Secy.

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WEATHER BULLETIN. Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, June 29, 5 a. m.—The barometer is high on the Californian coast and low over British Columbia and throughout the entire Canadian Northwest.

Forecast. For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Wednesday. Victoria and vicinity—Moderate or fresh southerly winds, mostly cloudy and cool.

Lower Mainland—Light or moderate winds, chiefly cloudy and cool.

Reports. Victoria—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, 51; minimum, 50; wind, 12 miles S. W.; weather, cloudy.

New Westminster—Barometer, 29.89; temperature, 50; minimum, 50; wind, 9 miles E. weather, cloudy.

Kanloquo—Barometer, 29.70; temperature, 50; minimum, 54; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.78; temperature, 38; minimum, 36; wind, calm; rain, .20; weather, rain.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, 50; minimum, 50; wind, 6 miles W. weather, clear.

Edmonton—Barometer, 29.66; temperature, 50; minimum, 48; wind, calm; rain, trace; weather, fair.

ANNUAL MEETING. Samuel Roberts Re-Elected Trustee of Sidney Public School—Other Business.

The annual meeting of the North Saanich school room on Saturday for the purpose of electing a trustee for the ensuing term, and considering other business.

Andrew Munro occupied the chair, and Mr. Roberts acted as secretary.

WILL NOT GRANT MONEY FOR BATHS

CITY TREASURY SAYS OF NECESSARY SUM

Routine Before Last Evening's Meeting of Council—New Sea Bathing Scheme Suggested.

There was a short meeting of the city council last night when probably the most interesting action of the board was the voting down of the appropriation asked for public baths at Foul Bay.

The British Columbia Electric Railway Company writes stating that should there be any break of the water main as a result of the removal of the track on outer Douglas street the company would stand prepared to make good the cost of damages.

F. Elworthy, secretary of the B. C. Board of Trade, notified the council of the approaching visit of delegates of the Chamber of Commerce of the Empire, and enclosed a letter addressed to the secretary of the Montreal Board of Trade.

Thompson Peck called attention to the dangerous condition of the seawall on the northern side of Cadboro Bay road and School street.

The water commissioner asked that tenders be called for the supply of 1,000 cubic yards of clean, sharp sand.

Communication from Thos. Jacklin re drainage nuisance on Halkett street, from Oak Bay avenue northward.

Communication from Stephen Jones, asking that a permanent sidewalk be laid opposite the Dominion hotel property, south side of Yates street.

Ald. Stewart had a suggestion to make along this line. If a gate could be constructed at the gate, and the tide closed off, the beach beyond could be



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The Men Composing the Congress of Chambers Who Will Come to Victoria.

The Congress of Chambers of the Empire, which will be held in Montreal from August 17th to 20th, includes among its members a very influential body of men.

Public Chamber of Commerce—Isaac Beckett, J. P., William Anderson, J. P., F. J. Usher, Councilor G. H. Hogg, Ald. J. R. Hoag.

Leeds Chamber of Commerce—William Beckwith, J. P., Ewing Matheson, J. P., J. P. J. H. Wurtsburg, J. P., Charles Yates.

Manchester Chamber of Commerce—Sir W. H. Holland, M. P., S. W. Royle, Elijah Helm.

Halifax Chamber of Commerce—John Falconer.

Association of Chambers of Commerce of the United States—Sir Wm. Jam H. Holland, M. P., Sir Albert K. Rolfe, D. C. L., M. P., Joseph Walton, M. P., Edward W. Pitblair.

London Chamber of Commerce—Right Hon. Lord Brassey, C. B., E. J. Gillette, Sir Albert K. Rolfe, D. C. L., M. P., Sir Vincent K. Barrington, Herbert

E. Brooks, Henry Clarke, L. C. C., N. La Cohen, Frank Debenham, S. B. Boulton, J. Y. Henderson, Charles Chaleton, Lieut. General J. W. Laurie, Ed. T. Agius, K. N. Macfar, F. Swazy.

Nottingham Chamber of Commerce—Jos. Wright, F. Carver, Jos. Billyeald, R. F. Stiebel, George Wigley.

Trinidad Chamber of Commerce—Geo. Goodwill, Edgar Tripp, T. Geddes Grant.

Over 230 delegates, representing 110 chambers of commerce, have been already booked to attend the congress.

The party will reach Calgary on Friday, September 4th, and will be driven out to see a number of ranches, proceeding next day to Banff, where Sunday will be spent.

After a visit to Greenwood on September 15th, Nelson is reached, whence the return is made to Winnipeg, and on down to Saint Ste. Marie, to see the Cleguon enterprises.

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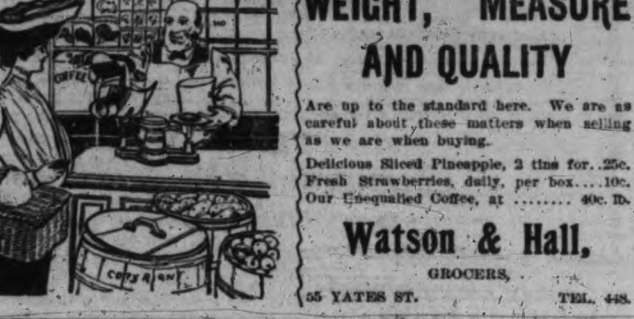
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CANADA'S BIRTHDAY.

It is now thirty-six years since the first of the Canadian provinces were joined together in the bonds of Confederation.

As a people and a confederation we have had our ups and downs since the year 1867. It could scarcely be expected that homogeneity would be produced immediately upon the official pronouncement of the terms of union.

The Times will support the Liberal party, which is a unit in its opposition to the Conservative party under the leadership of Mr. McBride.

A GREATER CONFEDERATION.

There can be no standing still in this world, either for nations or individuals. Just when the unity of Canada may be regarded as complete, another and a grander confederation problem rises to view.

ously, with which the true cosmopolitan has no sympathy whatever, to be reconciled. Sir John Macdonald did much to bring the Upper and Lower Canadians to a better understanding of each other.

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The Colonist, under the political guidance of the board of guardians, is deeper and more profound than Joe Hagstock ever was.

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RECOGNIZING A DANGER.

A statistician says only one man in a million dies from overwork; but that is enough to make the others exceedingly careful.

IN ADVANCE OF HIS TIME.

Perhaps after all Mr. Chamberlain is as far ahead of the majority in Britain in his preferential trade ideas as statesmen usually are ahead of the mob in big propositions.

A BIT OF LIFE.

A maiden sat within the door And sang as many times before. A man to dally folk passed by, No love nor pleasure in his eye.

generally sound when he reaches them. The Briton is proud of his Empire. There is no doubt about that. He desires to build it up and extend its bounds.

Nor will all the obstacles to a fuller confederation have been removed when Great Britain has been converted to the faith. There will be opponents of the movement in Canada, and no doubt in all the British colonies.

What Shakespeare meant. Brooklyn Eagle. She had the book aside and pressed her hand to her forehead.

WORTH LISTENING TO.

Lord Rosebery says that Sir Wilfrid Laurier is the most influential figure in the Empire outside the British Isles.

HARD TO-FIGHT SHADOWS.

There was no attack on the virtue of the member from Manitoba. Not exactly. You can't hit what isn't in front of you, can you?

TO-MORROW THE STAFF OF THE TIMES.

John T. Trowbridge, the author, at the age of seventy-five, in the delightful quietude of his home in Arlington, is engaged in the preparation of his autobiography.

WE HAVE NOT YET HEARD OF HON. A. E. McPHILLIPS SENDING IN A PRAYER TO THE PRIESTS FOR A NOMINATION.

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THE BRIDEGROOM'S SONG.

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WHAT SHAKESPEARE MEANT.

Brooklyn Eagle. She had the book aside and pressed her hand to her forehead. "What's the matter?" he asked, tenderly.

MUST LEARN BY EXPERIENCE.

N. Y. Press. It occurs a pity that the only way for a man to learn what kind of a woman he ought to marry is to marry her.

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COMMUNICATIONS.

To the Editor:—I would like to draw attention to a matter of some importance in connection with the registration of voters.

I have also ascertained that, in the opinion of the law officers, it is not necessary to strike out any of the words of the jurat.

THE ALASKAN BOUNDARY DISPUTE.

To the Editor:—The latest orthodox interpreter of the Alaskan boundary dispute is Mr. William H. Lewis, of Seattle, state of Washington.

From a Canadian or British Columbian point of view, Mr. Lewis's interpretation appears to be a misrepresentation and perversion of the treaty of 1825 and 1867.

The British (or Canadian) contention, Mr. Lewis says, is, first, the "pass called the Portland Channel" did not mean what is now called Portland Canal.

The assumed present boundary, as shown in some of the British Columbian official maps, I consider as incorrect, as laid down along Behm Canal.

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—Going to Vancouver or Westminister? Take the Terminal railway at 7:00 a. m. daily.

—To-morrow being July 1st there will be no meeting of Lodge Alexandra, 116, Sons of England.

—The Sons of Scotland held a meeting in Sir William Wallace hall last evening, when considerable business of a routine character was transacted.

—The meeting of the trades and labor council, called for July 1st, has been postponed until the 8th of the month, when officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

—The address of W. Graham, collector of votes for Saanich, is Maywood, instead of Royal Oak. This is of interest to those forwarding applications to the poll on the voters' list for that district.

—The management of the Victoria theatre announce that in future no tickets will be put aside and held. Seats will only be reserved when paid for at the time of reservation. This will be strictly enforced in every case.

—At a meeting of Post No. 1, Sons of British Columbia, this evening, arrangements will be perfected for the annual excursion, which will be to Tacoma this year, the new steamer Princess Victoria having been engaged for the purpose.

—Tenders are being called for the erection of a crematory at Ganges Harbor, Salt Spring Island. Plans and specifications which provided that the tenders must be in by the 8th of July can be seen at the B. C. Saddlery store, Yates street.

—There was a very large attendance at the annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Royal Jubilee hospital yesterday afternoon. The regular yearly reports were presented and discussed, but these have not yet been handed out for publication.

—The poultry division of the prize list of the B. C. Agricultural Association has been given. Heretofore the prizes have been given to fowls in pairs, but this year the association will have five first prizes of \$1 and second prizes of 50 cents for the best cock, cockerel, hen and pullet, the change being considered most satisfactory, as there is difficulty some times in exhibiting poultry in pairs.

—A meeting of the Natural History Society was held last evening when the constitution and by-laws were revised so as to incorporate the society as an incorporated body for the purpose of filing with the registrar-general. It was decided to divide the songs birds to be imported from England between the lower Mainland and Vancouver Island. An adjournment was taken for a couple of months.

—For the mid-summer exhibition at Dunceans to-morrow trains will leave the E. & N. depot at 9:00 a. m. and 1:30 p. m., returning train leaving Dunceans at 6:00 p. m. The exhibition this year is a most attractive one, and a large number of visitors from this city and Nanaimo are expected. An excellent programme of sports has been arranged, an extra attraction being a championship baseball game between the Fernwood team, of this city, and the team representing Dunceans. The Fifth Regiment band will be in attendance throughout the entire day, and will add considerable pleasure to the day's outing.

—How? By Train? When? July 1st. Where? Bazar Bay Park, Sidney. All Methodist schools of the city have joined forces this year, and expect to have the most successful picnic yet held. Trains leave market railway station at 8 o'clock and 10:30 o'clock, T. N. Hibben & Co., government street; Schroeder Bros., James Bay; Cook Bros., Douglas street; E. B. Jones, Cook street; Hill's Drug Store, Victoria West. Hot water furnished free on the grounds. Those desiring of obtaining lunch on the grounds may do so for the small sum of 25c. In addition to the long list of races, etc., which has been arranged by the sports committee, there will be a championship baseball match in the morning, Metropolitan vs. Centennial.

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—Applications are being invited by the city for the position of inspector of electric wiring. The inspector to be appointed under the terms of the Electric Wiring By-law.

—The Retail Clerks' Protective Association gave an ice cream and strawberry social and dance up the Arm last evening, the event being largely patronized, and much enjoyed.

—Cheap excursion rates to Seattle and other Puget Sound points on steamers Majestic and Rosalie account Fourth of July celebration. Tickets for sale July 2nd, 3rd and 4th, good to return until July 6th.

—The Knights of Golden Horseshoe will hold a picnic at Langford Plains on the 12th of July. Each Knight is to have the privilege of inviting a friend, and it is hoped to make the event a success in every way.

—The Victoria branch of the B. C. Socialist party will hold a basket picnic at Macaulay Point, foot of Lamson street, to-morrow (Dominion Day). Cars leave corner Government and Yates 10:30 a. m. Friends will be made welcome.

—Alex. N. B. Gordon, former bartender at the Union Club, who is accused of stealing a purse from R. D. Graham, was yesterday committed for trial by Police Magistrate Hall. The circumstances of the prisoner's arrest have already been outlined in the Times.

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—A successful garden fete and sale of work was held last evening at the residence of Mrs. Horace J. Knott, Harrison street, under the auspices of the Metropolitan Epworth League, there being a large attendance. Seasonable refreshments were served. The spacious grounds were decorated and illuminated with Chinese lanterns.

—City officials are looking for the arrival of the dredge King Edward from the Fraser in a few days. Big piles of lumber are piled up on the harbor wharves in the bay awaiting their arrival, when they will be conveyed behind the stone wall and the work of filling in the flats will be proceeded with rapidly once the dredge is put in operation.

—For the various Sunday school picnics to be held at Langford and Goldstream to-morrow a suitable train service has been arranged on the E. & N. railway, trains leaving the Store street depot at 8:45 and 10:30 a. m., 2:00 and 4:00 p. m., the returning trains leaving Dunceans at 9:30 and 11:00 a. m., 5:30 and 7:30 p. m. A most enjoyable day's outing is afforded those taking in these picnics.

—About eighty or ninety members of the House of Lords and House of Commons will visit Canada at the close of the present session as arranged for by Lord Strathcona and W. T. R. Preston. It is thought that it will, in conjunction with the forthcoming visit of the Chambers of Commerce, have a good effect in commercial circles for a vast number of members of the present parliament are heads of the great mercantile houses in the large cities.

—Large audiences attended the performances at the Edison last evening to see the weekly change of programme, and all were pleased. Boll & Boll rendered a duet from "The Barber of Seville," and received no end of applause. Campbell Bros., the club manipulators, are wonders, and without a doubt the best ever seen here. Billy Campbell's bag punching is marvellous, and the sensational finish is most exciting. Clement Perkins became a favorite at once, his baritone voice captured all, and his illustrated song, "Asleep at the Switch," will at once become popular. The long list of the latest moving pictures closed the entertainment. The management announces that Thursday and Friday evenings Boll & Boll will render a selection from grand opera.

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A MUSICAL SUCCESS.

The Minstrel Poudree Last Evening Proved an Excellent Entertainment.

A very successful entertainment was given last evening in the theatre, and under the direction of Miss Marrack. All participants acquitted themselves well in this minstrel poudree given by local lady vocalists.

Following the opening chorus "Music in the Air," Miss Keefe sang "Par Avance," an excellent style with a well rendered chorus. Miss L. Baker in "My Curly-headed Baby," and Miss E. Ore in "O, Dry Those Tears," were given hearty receptions. Miss E. Kohl in two soprano solos acquitted herself in excellent manner. The trio "Sweet Chiming Bells," by Miss E. Ore, L. Clarke and L. Baker, was excellently rendered. The singing of "I Arise From Dreams of Thee," by Miss M. Keefe, with violin obligato, by Mr. E. Fawcett, was much appreciated. Miss Keefe sang with fine expression, and her voice gives excellent promise. Miss G. Mills sang the concluding solo, "Good Night."

Miss D. Seld in a skit dance with colored light effects was accorded a very hearty encore, and forced to repeat the graceful movements of the dance.

"Penelope" or "The Area Belle," a musical comedy, was given in the close in excellent manner. Miss Estel Seld, as Penelope, sang and acted in most finished style. The others taking part in the comedy did good work. Norman Harlow as Chalks (a milkman), Ray Worlock as Pitcher (a policeman), Frank Seld as Towner (in the firemen's), and Miss Josephine Colquhoun as Mrs. Croker (mistress), were excellent in their respective parts. The laughing song was of a high order of merit, and it was fully deserving of the hearty encore it received. The performance throughout was highly enjoyable.

OPENING CONCERT.

Large Attendance, a Good Programme and a Successful Entertainment at Douglas Gardens.

That so excellent a programme could be provided for so small an entrance fee, is a matter of which it is difficult to say the least. The surprising features about the formal opening of the Douglas Gardens by the Tourist Association last evening, the number present, considering there was a chilly wind blowing in every other portion of the city, was all that could be desired, and it is hoped that the success to-night and the remainder of the week will be fully up to last night. The Fifth Regiment band was heard to advantage through the excellent staging arrangement, and their several selections were very well received by the large audience. The different contests were certainly a wonder, and people were very appreciative of her marvellous feats. Walter Orr, in his electric bag punching, was a decided novelty, and certainly proved a strong attraction. To-night it will be much better. Last evening, owing to the different nature of his machine, it was impossible to get the electric display with which he usually concludes his performance. Mr. Lyons in his baritone song was disappointing. He arrived here yesterday from the Sound suffering from a sore throat, in fact he was almost hoarse when he appeared last evening. The moving pictures were a decided success, and both amusing and instructive, the one of the man with the silk hat learning to ride a bicycle, and of the steamer City of Everett on an excursion party on board from Everett to Seattle were the favorites.

The Gardens were very prettily decorated and illuminated, and altogether the evening was a most enjoyable one, and there is not the least doubt that when warm weather comes along in earnest the Douglas Summer Gardens will be an ideal place in which to spend a few hours. Certainly no place could have been found last night more enjoyable than this newest resort of the Tourist Association.

It is hard to realize that such a programme could be carried out for 10 cents, especially when it is considered that something like \$500 has been spent in installing electric light and in the erection of buildings etc. Then there are the salaries of about 20 handmen to be paid, in addition to the expense of three or four specialties, the moving pictures and the renting of the grounds. It is evident, therefore, that concerts can only be continued through the liberal support and patronage of the people of Victoria.

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CASE POSTPONED.

Preliminary Hearing of Murder Charge Will Come Up on Thursday.

The preliminary proceedings against A. J. Frith, charged with the murder of F. J. Bailey, at Esquimaux, will be postponed until Thursday. The case may come up this afternoon before the police magistrate in the provincial police court only to be formally remanded until Thursday.

Up to the present a diver has not been sent down to search for the revolver. The naval authorities will likely take that step this afternoon. In the meantime all the evidence is being carefully gathered by the provincial police. Little, it is believed, can be got to substantiate the story told by Frith, except a few points of circumstantial evidence.

Storehousekeeper Bailey is known to have got the key of his storehouse as usual at 7 o'clock on Saturday morning. Some time afterwards he was seen in company with Frith going in the direction of the storehouse, where the murder is believed to have been committed. It is not known that he was seen by anyone after that until his body was found.

The heavy key of the door from which the murderer emerged from the building has not yet been found. Though a careful search has been made it has not been located. It is presumed that it also was thrown into the harbor along with the firearm.

From the storehouse to the wharf of the naval yard is a very considerable distance. The walk is among buildings throughout the entire distance, machine shops and various storerooms being included in the number.

Many of the men were off on leave, however, on Saturday, which doubtless accounts for an absence of witnesses of any of the scenes connected with the tragedy.

The wives and families of the two men are almost distracted with the appalling circumstances into which they have been thrown. Frith, it is said, shows little signs of agitation over it. After committing the deed, which he says he did, and after giving Police Officer Campbell the information, he went home, shaved himself and ate his breakfast. He is said to have made his statement to Superintendent Hussey in a cool and collected manner. He even smoked his cigar between the different chapters of the statement made by him.

MAY BE CANCELLED.

Possibility of Tour of Parliamentary Party Being Postponed.

A communication has been received from J. H. Turner, agent-general in London, stating that there is a possibility of the proposed Parliamentary Party's tour of Canada being called off owing to the danger of a general election in the Old Country. As has been stated in these columns heretofore the party, if formed, is to be made up of about fifty of the most prominent members of the House of Lords and Commons, and it was proposed they should make a tour through the Dominion about the end of July, coming to Victoria some time in the fall. The letter follows:

Dear Sir:—I am directed by Mr. J. H. Turner to acknowledge your letter of 29th ult., and say he will be extremely glad to receive the supply of "Postersque Victoria" mentioned therein.

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OAK BAY WON. Last evening a match was played between the Victoria's cricket and Oak Bay teams and resulted in a victory for the latter. The score was 18 runs and is a good indication of the character of the game.

PRACTICE GAME. This evening, commencing at 6:30 o'clock, a practice match will be played between the Hudson Bay nine and the law clerks at Beacon Hill.

VICTORIA V. ANGELES. The Victoria baseball team will play at Fort Angeles on the 4th of July. Many local fans are expected to take advantage of the excursion by the steamer Clialleron from this city to see the game.

AT BEACON HILL. A score of 20 to 23 the Challenger & Mitchell nine defeated Hinton & Co. in a match played last evening at Beacon Hill.

A CLOSE MATCH. After a close game last night between teams selected from the employees of Turner, Bell & Co. and R. P. Rithet & Co. the latter won by a margin of 1 run.

YACHTING. SAILED IN HEAVY WEATHER. Newport, R. I., June 29.—The new cup yacht Reliance proved to-day her worth as a heavy weather boat when she defeated Columbia and Constitution in a stiff easterly breeze and lumpy sea over a 30-mile course.

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FUTURE TRANSPORTATION.

Mr. Norman believes that the motor will average the old stage coach by killing off the railway. Whether the latter process is actually effected or not the proposed use of the motor carriage and the rapid extension of trolley roads must certainly make the travelling public much more independent.

WHEN RHEUMATISM DOUBLES A MAN UP physician and sufferer alike lose heart and often despair of a cure, but here's the exception. Wm. Pezz, of Norwood, Ont., says: "I was nearly doubled up with rheumatism. I got three bottles of South American Rheumatic Cure and they cured me. It's the quickest acting medicine I ever saw." Sold by Jackson & Co. and Hall & Co.—18.

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As already announced the Methodist will hold a union picnic at Bagan Bay Park, Sidney, and the Presbyterians will go to Goldstream as usual.

During the past week or so members of the committee having in hand the preparations for the Presbyterian outing at Goldstream have been interviewing prominent business men connected with the church regarding prizes for a programme of sports.

Trains will leave the V. & S. depot for Sidney at 8 a. m., 10.30 a. m. and 1 p. m. All these trains are expected to be crowded. Everything possible has been done to provide for the outing.

Special cars will run from the Enfield and Baptist schools to within easy reach of Macaulay Plains. An enjoyable time is assured all who attend.

Children who attend the Congregational Sunday school will spend the day at "Big Kanaka." They will take the Esquimalt car to the grounds at different times during the day.

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PROVINCIAL NEWS.

VANCOUVER. The following notice was issued yesterday: "The British Columbia Fishermen's Union hereby declares a strike, to go into effect July 1, 1903."

GRAND FORKS. Wm. Blakemore, consulting mining engineer, of Montreal, has left here for the purpose of prospecting development in the coal fields situated at the North Fork of the Grand Forks, 60 miles north of Grand Forks.

MORRISSEY MINES. J. B. Horne, a new brakeman on the high line at the Morrissey colliery, met with a horrible accident on Thursday and died at the Fernie hospital in the evening.

KASLO. P. H. Gray, who, along with his partner, M. Gauthier, were reported lost while on their way to Poplar creek gold fields, have turned up here, having found their way to Trail again on Friday.

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GREENWOOD. At the last meeting of the board of trade a discussion took place upon the desirability or otherwise of making representations to the provincial government regarding the difficulty in obtaining sufficient coke to keep the district smelters running at their full capacity.

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