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FOR DEFENCE OF HIS COUNTRY

"BOBS" POINTS OUT NEED OF MILITARY TRAINING

Speaks Eloquent of Dominion in Farewell Speech at Ottawa.

Ottawa, Aug. 5.—Field Marshal Lord Roberts delivered his last speech upon Canadian soil at a gathering at Government House this afternoon.

The field marshal was accompanied by Capt. Hugh Downey, A. D. C., and Capt. Newton, D. C. to his residence.

Lord Roberts' Reply. Lord Roberts, in reply, spoke as follows: "I am most grateful to you, Mr. Mayor, for the extremely kind address with which you have welcomed me to Ottawa, the capital city of the Dominion of Canada."

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"Then the business energy and high sense of honor which characterizes the British and the courtesy and refinement of the French, qualities which have done so much to make these two nations great and prosperous."

"It is with deep regret and disappointment that I have given up my proposed visit to Toronto, that great centre of thinking and active interest in Imperial affairs."

AS A PREVENTATIVE AGAINST DISEASE

Hall's Sarsaparilla advertisement text.

HALL'S Central Drug Store advertisement for Sarsaparilla, located at N. E. Corner Yates and Douglas, Victoria, B. C.

have seen shows me that the resources of Canada are practically boundless, and that in the ordinary course of development it must inevitably become one of the important countries of the world.

"I may be excused if I remind those whom I have to-day the honor of addressing that as Canada grows in wealth and prosperity, her responsibilities will increase, and may I express an earnest hope that as time goes on her rulers and people will be fully alive to the necessity of making adequate arrangements to meet those responsibilities."

"In my judgment it is absolutely essential, even at the present day, for the safety and welfare of a nation, that the whole male population should be prepared to take their share in its defence in times of danger."

"I believe myself that the advantages of such a training would be so manifest that public opinion would demand that all able-bodied men on attaining the age of 16 should be required to take a part in the defence of their country."

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PITCHFORK IS USED

IN WIFE MURDER Husband, When He is Arrested, Denies Using Terrible Weapon.

San Francisco, Aug. 11.—Peter Palassou, a dairyman, 70 years old, is charged with having brutally beaten his wife, Paula, 65, on the head with a pitchfork in the stable at their home, yesterday, causing her death a few hours later.

The Palassou family are French and own a small dairy on San Bruno road near Hamilton street. At 2 o'clock yesterday morning Palassou, his wife and two of their seven children, according to the story told by the latter, went out to the barn to feed and milk the cows, preparatory to making the morning delivery.

While the boy and girl were in the loft throwing down hay they heard their mother scream, and on hastening down, found her covered with blood and their father with a bloody pitchfork in his hands.

The two children then took their mother to the house, and hastily called a physician. Mrs. Palassou died at 9 o'clock. Marie, aged 20, the eldest daughter in the family, came home yesterday morning for the first time in two years, having, it is alleged, been driven away by her father. It is said that the two quarreled over the old man's alleged gambling.

"My wife is always screaming at me," said Palassou. "This morning she kept at me and I told her to shut up. But she would not, so I pushed her and she fell. Her head struck against the steps in the barn and she died. I did not think she was badly hurt. She refused to have a doctor, so I went to deliver my milk. I was surprised when the officer told me she was dead. We have had trouble about our property, about signing papers. My wife has been mean to me, but I did not strike her with the pitchfork. They got the blood on it when they carried her to the house. No, I did not mean to kill her. Four of the daughters and a son were driven from home by the cruelty of Palassou, according to statements of members of the family. Palassou has previously been arrested on several occasions for cruelty to animals and for selling adulterated milk."

PACK OF SOCKEYE EXCEEDS EXPECTATIONS

Washington Fish Commissioner Gives Some Interesting Data.

Seattle, Aug. 11.—That the sockeye pack of Puget Sound this season is already in excess of that of 1907 is the statement of State Fish Commissioner John L. Risland, who was in Seattle Sunday. "Last year the sockeye pack," said Capt. Risland, "was about 80,000 cases. Already this season the pack has amounted to 115,000 to 120,000 cases. The run has slackened, but it may last a little longer. In any event, the packers have made money. All the canneries have put in more than they expected, and the can factory at Bellingham has been running overtime to supply the deficit in cans provided at the beginning of the season."

"The fall salmon run can practically be depended on to be up to the usual figure. In the fall salmon run can directly traced the result of the hatchery work in the state. In fact, if it was not for the hatcheries, there would be little or no fall salmon now."

Couch and Lounge Sale

This week we are offering very fine bargains in Couches and Lounges—our own make. Materials the best, the price warrants and workmanship of the highest class.

These are two bargains just to give you an idea of how much you can get for little money:

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NOTICE. Ancient Order Foresters. Annual reunion of Foresters will be held in Victoria on August 15. All A.O.F. members will meet at K. of P. Hall at 1:30 p.m. Parade to start at 1:45 p.m. Picnic will be held at the Gorge Park after the parade. Cars will be in waiting at the corner of Government and Yates streets. J. MANTON, Chairman. W. NOBLE, Secretary.

NOTICE. Oak Bay Avenue. From FORT STREET TO ROCKLAND AVENUE IS CLOSED TO TRAFFIC Until further notice. C. H. TOPP, City Engineer.

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THE WELCOME RAIN

Oh, what so rare in this city or district of ours as a rainy day in the first month of August! It would perhaps be too much to expect the gentle down-pour to be of very long duration. But whether in actual measurement it amounts to an inch or a mere fraction thereof, it will do good.

being even weaker than it is at the present time. If one were to consider it worth while to pursue the line of argument adopted by the Colonist for the purpose of inspiring its friends with confidence, the fact might be easily demonstrated that the candidates of the McBride government at the late provincial election, far from obtaining a majority of the votes cast, were in many instances actually in a minority.

PRINCE RUPERT TOWNSITE.

The arrangement between the provincial government and the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company in regard to the disposition of the site of the future city of Prince Rupert may be all that is claimed for it by members of the government and those who can see nothing but wisdom in the government's every act.

CANADA'S KING-MAKER.

We are astonished at the confession of a contemporary that it does not know anything about Mr. C. Frederick Hamilton, the writer in Collier's who advocates the establishment of a royal house in Canada.

tion upon matters political have been extensively quoted by the journal which professes to be ignorant of his personality. If Mr. Hamilton had his way, he would not only have a burlesque royal house set up at the Dominion capital, but he would have a burlesque government, led by either Mr. Foster (of unsavory reputation) or Mr. Borden (of no political reputation worth speaking of).

MINING RIGHTS IN CARIBOO

GUGGENHEIMS STILL RETAIN INTERESTS

Case to Restrain J. B. Hobson From Operating Before Vancouver Court.

(Special to the Times.) Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 12.—The conflict between the Guggenheims and J. B. Hobson, as to the interests and rights of both in Cariboo properties, controlled by the Cariboo Gold Mining Company, was today brought into court.

CROP WILL AVERAGE OVER TWENTY BUSHELS

Good Cultivation Has Successfully Resisted Ill Effects From Drought.

Winnipeg, Aug. 12.—Reports received from various country points indicate that where cultivation has been good and the land heavy the spring wheat crop has successfully resisted the effects of the prolonged drought.

TO DEALERS

CARLOAD OF American Hickory Handles JUST TO HAND CALL TO INSPECT GOODS AND GET PRICES

Walter S. Fraser & Co. LIMITED Wharf Street Victoria, B. C.

WILL OPEN UP SCENIC COUNTRY

WORK ON MILL BAY ROAD STARTS SOON

Grading and Curving Will Make Attractive Road for Traffic.

According to the surveyors, who have abandoned for the season the work on the government road between Goldstream and Saanich Inlet, the new thoroughfare will be the finest and most scenic road on Vancouver Island.

ADMIRAL ERSKINE IS RE-VISITING VICTORIA

Distinguished Naval Officer Who Was Here 55 Years Ago is in City.

Admiral of the fleet, Sir James E. Erskine, who 55 years ago visited this port on his first ship after joining the Royal Navy, is in Victoria to-day, being on a trip around the world with Lady and Miss Erskine.

IRVING IN "MACBETH."

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The funeral of the late James A. Dean took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence of his brother, Rev. W. Dean, 1741 Davis street. Rev. T. E. Hollings conducted the services, referring to the lovable character of the late Mr. Dean. There was a large attendance of friends present and many beautiful floral offerings were sent. The following acted as pallbearers: A. F. Preston, G. T. Boulding, E. Nicholas, F. W. Grant, R. M. Fullerton and J. H. Baker.

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Local News Special machinery for key fitting, 641 Fort. C. H. Tite & Co. for paints, oils, varnishes, brushes, etc. 632 Yates St. Liberal Rooms. Phone 1704. We are showing some beautiful designs in artificial flowers at Phillips Bros., 826 View street. Phone B1207. Advance Fall Styles in ladies' colored waists, wrappers, house dresses, lounging robes, kimonos and flannellette wear. Special values at Robinson's Cash Store, 642 Yates street. Beautiful new designs in wall paper are being shown at C. H. Tite & Co., 622 Yates St. For a delightful water trip take the motor launch Bantam Cock from the Causeway, opposite Empress hotel. Paon Co., Phone A184. A Del Furman, recently hurt on the E. & N., has taken charge of the little confectionery store at 634 Fort street, with a line of cigars and tobacco. Ladies' Whitewear Specials—Embroidered and lace trimmed skirts, night gowns, chemises and dressing gowns. Regular \$2.50, \$2 and \$1.75. Special price \$1.50. Robinson's Cash Store, 642, Yates street. The steamer Iroquois on her trip next Sunday will stop 2 hours at Cowichan. This is a beautiful outing among the Gulf Islands. Train leaves V. & S. station at 9:45. For further information telephone 511. We are building up our business on the goods we sell at Ringshaws, corner Yates and Broad. Everybody is pleased that have traded with us, and always come again. We have only the best in the way of eatables—cold ham, beef, veal, etc. Our veal and ham pies, sausage rolls, etc., are always good and made fresh daily. We serve breakfasts, cold midday lunches and afternoon teas. We open at 7:30 a.m. and close at 9:30 p.m. Just arrived a good line of Heinz's pickles and Weisel's high grade sausage, 40c. per lb. Phone 1424. There will be a big procession of Eagles in Seattle to-morrow. The birds will literally have possession of the streets for a couple of hours and woe to him who ruffles their feathers. The local contingent, about a hundred strong will assemble at their arctic to-night and preceded by city band and Piper's will march down to the Princess Victoria. The death occurred yesterday afternoon at the family residence, 2632 Blanshard street, of Charles E. Thomas. The late Mr. Thomas, who was a native of Bruce county, Ont., was 51 years of age and had been a resident of Victoria for the past twenty years during which time he established a large acquaintanceship. He is survived by his wife, two sons and two daughters, and also a brother, James Thomas, of this city. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock under the auspices of the I. O. F. Rev. S. J. Thompson will officiate.

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ENTRIES FOR HORSE SHOW WILL BE BIG J. E. Smart Returns From Seattle, Having Made Large Plans. J. E. Smart, secretary of the British Columbia Agricultural Association, returned yesterday from a trip across the Sound on the business of the exhibition which will be held here next month. Mr. Smart announces that the interest displayed in the event in all the Sound cities is large and is at the same time very gratifying. While in Seattle he was successful in securing no less than forty entries for the horse show. These with the addition of many expected entries from other cities, it is expected, will give the local show a better class of pure bred equines than was on view at the recent Vancouver show. Mr. Smart, while away, also interviewed Herr Wagner, conductor of the famous Wagner band, and entered into a contract for that aggregation to play here Thursday and Friday of show week. In addition to the last named attraction, other bands have also been engaged, including the local organizations, so that there is no question that there will be ample musical entertainment at the show.

ARRANGE A WELCOME FOR MINING EXPERTS Canadian Institute Excursion Party Will See Vancouver Island. A meeting of the executive committee in connection with the reception of the Canadian Mining Institute excursion party, which is scheduled to arrive in Victoria on the night of Monday, September 21st, and remain here until the evening of the following Thursday, was held at the board of trade rooms this morning. F. A. Pauline was in the chair, and it was decided to recommend the adoption of the suggestion made in an official communication received by the local secretary, that the itinerary be altered so as to allow of a party going from Victoria via Duncan and Ladysmith to Nanaimo, and thence by the steamship Joan to Vancouver on their return trip, so as to give the members an opportunity of seeing something more of Vancouver Island than they would do were present arrangements, which provide for a visit to Victoria and thence back to Vancouver direct by the regular steamer from this port, to be adhered to. The programme, as now outlined, will be as follows: Arrive from the Kootenays via Ladysmith and Vancouver, on Monday night, September 21st; business session on Tuesday morning, and possibly in the early part of the afternoon; public reception, either at a garden party in the afternoon, or in parliament buildings in the evening; Sunday excursions to places in the neighborhood of the city of Victoria, and Thursday, visit to Ladysmith and Nanaimo on Friday, to Vancouver on Saturday morning. The secretary's suggestion that the Canadian Club be asked to invite one of the more prominent of the visitors from Great Britain to address the members of the club at one of their luncheons, was approved and Mr. W. J. Sutton and Col. E. G. Prior were authorized to communicate this suggestion to the president of the Canadian Club of Victoria.

TRADES UNION MEETINGS. Barbers... 2nd and 4th Monday Electrical Workers... 2nd Friday Bakers... 1st and 3rd Monday Bootmakers... 2nd and 4th Tuesday Bootmakers' Helpers... 1st and 3rd Tuesday Bricklayers... 2nd and 4th Monday Bartenders... 2nd and 4th Monday Cooks and Waiters... 2nd and 4th Tuesday Carpenters... Alternate Wednesdays Cigar-makers... 1st Friday Garment Workers... 2nd Friday Laborers... 1st and 3rd Friday Leather Workers... 4th Thursday Laundry Workers... 1st and 3rd Monday Longshoremen... 1st and 3rd Tuesday Letter Carriers... 2nd Wednesday Machinists... 1st and 3rd Thursday Musicians... 2nd Wednesday Painters... 1st and 3rd Sunday Plumbers... 1st and 3rd Tuesday Printing Pressmen... 2nd Monday Shipbuilders... 1st and 3rd Thursday Steam Fitters... 1st and 3rd Tuesday Stonemasons... 2nd Thursday Street Railway Employees... 1st Tuesday Tailors... 2nd Tuesday 8 p.m. Typographers... 1st Monday Typographical... Last Sunday T. & L. Council... 1st and 3rd Wednesday Waiters... 2nd and 4th Tuesday The Pacific Coast Steamship Governor is due to-morrow night from San Francisco with 85 tons of general freight for local consignees. H. M. S. Blenheim, which has been practicing at Comox, and cruising in the straits of Georgia, due back at Esquimalt on the 20th inst.

WEATHER BULLETIN. Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department. Weather Synopsis. The pressure has increased on the American coast; light rain has fallen at Victoria and the weather on the immediate coast is cloudy with temperatures below the normal. In the prairie provinces the barometer is highest in Alberta; rain has fallen at Calgary, Medicine Hat, Swift Current and Appelle; the weather is cooler. Further south rain has fallen in Colorado, Arizona and Colorado and a heavy fall of 3.20 inches at Chicago. Forecasts. For 24 hours ending 8 p. m. Thursday: Victoria and vicinity—Light or moderate winds, chiefly cloudy with moderate showers. Lower Mainland—Light or moderate winds, chiefly cloudy and cool with showers. Reports. Victoria—Barometer, 30.02; temperature 5 a. m. 52; minimum 52; wind, south; velocity 16; weather, cloudy. New Westminster—Barometer, 30.06; temperature 5 a. m. 54; minimum 54; wind, east; velocity 4; weather, cloudy. Nanaimo—Winds S. E., velocity 3; weather, cloudy. Kamloops—Barometer, 30.97; temperature 5 a. m. 54; minimum 52; wind, calm; weather, clear. Barkerville—Barometer, 30.05; temperature 5 a. m. 46; minimum 35; wind, S. W.; velocity 4; weather, clear. Tatoush—Barometer, 30.02; temperature 5 a. m. 52; minimum 50; wind, south; velocity 12; weather, rain. Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.12; temperature 5 a. m. 54; minimum 54; wind, N. W.; velocity 4; weather, cloudy. Seattle—Barometer, 30.20; temperature 5 a. m. 52; minimum 50; wind, south; velocity 10; weather, cloudy. San Francisco—Barometer, 30.30; temperature 5 a. m. 52; minimum 50; wind, S. W.; velocity 3; weather, clear. Edmonton—Barometer, 30.12; temperature 5 a. m. 46; minimum 35; wind, calm; weather, fair.

FINE IMPOSED UPON SOLDIER GUNNER C. FAIRALL IS UP IN POLICE COURT Absent From Parade Without Getting Leave Through Proper Channels. Gunner Charles Fairall, who absented himself from parade at Macaulay point on the evening of August 6th, was fined \$5 in the police court this morning. Fairall said that he had applied for leave from his section-commander, Sergeant Lorry. "But," interjected W. H. Langley, who appeared for the officers of the regiment, "You should have applied to Major Hibben, who was in command of your detachment, and was the only authority, who could grant you leave of absence." Fairall contended that this was not necessary, and was, in fact, a breach of military etiquette. It was, he contended, the proper thing to apply to the commanding officer. "The man should have been brought up to me by the sergeant," commented Major Hibben. "The sergeant had no power to grant leave." "I am the only man who has been summoned to appear in court, and I am sorry that I have to appear here," said Fairall. "It was no case of spite," interjected Major Hibben. "Discipline must be exacted. It is absolutely necessary for the efficiency of the regiment that the men should be present at all the parades. Even if Sergeant Lorry had told me about granting leave, that is no excuse. The men must be brought up before me. With the exception of Monday and last Sunday, Gunner Fairall was absent from drill all last week." "It is very important that the men should obtain their leave of absence through the proper channels," urged Mr. Langley. "I am afraid that I will have to inflict a fine of \$5, which is the minimum the law provides in this case," said William Dalby, J. P. "I would like to give you the benefit of the doubt, but I'm afraid I cannot." "The money has to come out of my efficiency pay, then," insisted Fairall. "The regiment has money of mine on hand." "No, it hasn't," remarked Major Hibben. "Yes, it has," retorted Fairall. "There is an option of two weeks' pay on account," commented the court. "There should be no such option," pleaded the prisoner. "The militia act does not provide for it." The act was looked up and it was discovered that it did. "The officers are against me," cried Fairall, who insisted that they had an old grudge against him which they were trying to pay off. "I don't think so," remarked the bench. Fairall paid the fine.

GOOD PRACTICE WORK WITH AIMING SHELLS Drill at the Camps—Sergeants and Officers Examined—Ranks Inspected. More than 250 shots have been fired by the batteries at Esquimalt since one-inch aiming ammunition was served to the gun squads of No. 1 company, Fifth Regiment on Monday night. Of the 135 one-inch shells discharged on Monday night more than 80 struck the target at ranges of from 50 to 900 yards, and last night the men made equally good practice. To-morrow night service ammunition will be served around and marksmanship will be made at a moving target placed 3,000 or 4,000 yards out to sea. The teams from the different companies will then compete for points. There will be a keen rivalry between the companies at Macaulay Point and the one at Esquimalt. The men on the six-inch guns at Macaulay have been working hard getting into shape, but the gunners at the naval yard think they can show them a few things. They will be up against Capt. Winsby's crack team, however, which is practicing night and main to beat the record it established last year. Capt. Macdonald, R. C. A., put the questions to the sergeants last night, and to-night the officers will be examined by Capt. Wilson, R. C. A. The barracks at the naval yard were inspected this morning by Col. Holmes, D. O. C., who expressed satisfaction at the way the quarters of both Esquimalt and men were being kept. To-morrow night the men of No. 1 company will give a smoker after drill.

LOUIS CHAMBERLAIN DROWNED AT WOODSVILLE Victoria Youth Drowns in Connecticut River After Graduating From College. A particularly sad drowning accident occurred some days ago on the Connecticut river, near Woodsville, New Hampshire, of which Louis Chamberlain, a Victoria youth, was the victim. The young man, who was only 22 years of age, had just completed a course at the New England Conservatory of Music, and was spending a few days boating while waiting for his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Chamberlain, who left Victoria some weeks ago and were going to return with their son. No details of the tragedy have been furnished but a late report was that the body had not been recovered. The Conservative excursion committee will hold a general meeting at 8 o'clock this evening in the committee rooms on Langley street.

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COMMENCES TO-NIGHT

Doubles Introduced This Year—Four Handsome Trophies for Competition.

The draw for the bankers' tennis tournament took place last night after the final entries were received...

From now on through the week the old men will be busy during the noon hour and at such times as they can arrange to get away from the yellow pines...

Although the participants have their own time in which to play the matches they are limited to the end of next week to play off all the events...

The entries, handicaps and the draw are as follows:

Singles: Bank of Montreal—J. W. Cambie, owe 40; E. Dewdney, owe 30; D. H. McDougall, owe 30; M. G. Rowcroft, owe 30; W. J. Wilson, owe 15; W. H. G. Phipps, owe 15...

Doubles: Bank of Montreal—J. W. Cambie and A. J. Hollyer, owe 40-3; E. Dewdney and D. H. McDougall, owe 40-3; W. J. Wilson and A. C. Rome, owe 3-6; W. H. G. Phipps and D. Arey, owe 20...

The Draw for the first round follows:

Bank of Montreal vs. Foots; D'Arcy vs. W. B. H. Parker; Archibald vs. T. R. Fletcher; Gresley vs. P. W. Keefer; Tunnard vs. McDougall; Meira vs. A. C. Rome; Bateman vs. Phipps; Rome vs. Rowcroft; Cambie vs. Hedden; Wilson vs. Bagshawe; Holden vs. Kent; Dewdney vs. Foster...

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL

VICTORIA WEST MEETING.

The Victoria West Athletic Association will hold a meeting to-night in the club premises, Victoria West, at eight o'clock for the purpose of organizing and arranging the football club for the coming season...

MINTO CUP HOLDERS

SCORE TWO VICTORIES

Calgary and St. Paul Are Routed in Fast Games.

Calgary, Aug. 11.—In a little the fastest lacrosse game ever played in Calgary the Westminster lacrosse team, champions of the world, defeated the Calgary lacrosse team, champions of Alberta, by a score of six goals to two.

During the first half the Calgary team suffered somewhat from stage fright, but the last half was a whirlwind game. On account of the lateness of the train, Westminster did not arrive on the field until after 7 o'clock...

Lack of condition was shown by the visitors in the last part of the game, and the play was all around the Westminster goal, but the home team could not score.

Line-up was as follows: Westminster—Gray, Galbraith, T. Gifford, J. Gifford, G. Rennie, T. Rennie, Fosney, Spring, Bill Turnbull, P. Lathern, Ben. Turnbull, Bryson.

Calgary—Powell, Elgacher, Horrobb, Laing, McDonnell, Melrose, Ross, Longfellow, Anderson, Curtiss, Sewell, Harrison. Win in States.

St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 10.—The New Westminster lacrosse team, winner of the Minto cup, defeated the Mohawks of St. Paul here in a fast and cleanly played game on Saturday, by a score of 8 to 2.

THE ATHLETIC AGE.

Dr. Warre Deplores Prostitution of Sport.

The spirit of the age which fostered the Olympic agony, said Dr. Warre, former headmaster of Eton, in an article, is a most lamentable one...

LAWN TENNIS.

SHERWELL DEFEATED FOLKES.

Montreal, Aug. 11.—Sherwell of Montreal, won the Canadian Lawn Tennis Championship on the Mount Royal Courts this afternoon, defeating in easy style last year's champion, Captain Folkles, of Ottawa, in the challenge round for the title...

EIGHT TEAMS TO PLAY CRICKET

BIG CONTESTS WILL COMMENCE MONDAY

Entertainment Committee Has Programme Outlined for Visitors.

Preparations have now been completed and a programme outlined for the cricket week which commences here on Monday next.

Monday—Victoria vs. Albions, at Jubilee Hospital; Vernon vs. Portland, at Beacon Hill.

Monday—Seattle vs. Vancouver, at Work Point. Tuesday—Seattle vs. Garrison, at Work Point; Burrards vs. Vancouver, at Jubilee Hospital.

Monday—Cup winners vs. an eleven from the others at Jubilee Hospital. For scoring a win will count 2 points and a draw 1 point.

In addition to the actual games that will be played each day there has been arranged a social programme for the entertainment of the visitors.

Jack Johnson Relates His Experiences in Trying to Arrange a Meeting.

Since the arrival of "Tommy" Burns, the heavy-weight champion of the world, in England, there can be no doubt that public interest in the noble art of "fisticuffs" has greatly increased...

There are eight teams included in the competition altogether, five visiting and three local eleven. The visitors comprise Burrard, Vancouver, Seattle, Portland and eleven from Vernon, while locally there will be the Victoria, Garrison and Albion teams in the field.

The clubs who are donating their grounds for the use of the eleven are now preparing them, having the outfield cropped and rolled and put in as near billiard table condition as possible, while the wickets are being watered and hardened to the possible limit.

VANCOUVER LEAGUE GETTING TO WORK

David Leith Secretary of District Body, With Twenty Clubs Included.

Thirty-three delegates, representing over twenty clubs, attended the adjourned annual meeting of the Vancouver District Association Football League, held Monday night at the National Sports Club.

ATHLETICS

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that there have been great colored men in almost every branch of sport, including bicycling, cricket, football, wrestling, and on the turf not long ago...

THE ADMIRAL OF THE AIR

(By Adrian Ross in the London World.)

The twelve-hours' sail of Count Zeppelin's aluminum airship sent a wave of exaltation through Germany, and a thrill of apprehension through some other countries.

CHASED TOMMY BURNS

HALF AROUND THE WORLD

Jack Johnson Relates His Experiences in Trying to Arrange a Meeting.

Not Afraid of Burns. "Several times has Burns declared that he has pronounced 'yellow streak' in other words, 'I am afraid of him'—but it seems to me that now most people must think the boot is on the other leg."

And, if the better dream of the aeronaut should take shape in fact, as it may any day, and he should be able to take wing like a bird, without tethering himself to a gasbag, where would the Zeppelin type be? Half-a-dozen scouts hovering with rifles could riddle the monster in a moment; and yet they themselves would have hardly any military power, unless in vast numbers.

Improved weapons are not everything in warfare. The chasepot was a better weapon than the needle-gun, and the mitrailleuse was often deadly; but discipline and accurate artillery fire turned the balance in 1870.

One of the population of London's metropolitan district is "Tommy" Burns, that of New York, the latter city does a restaurant business one-fifth greater than the former.

Do I think Burns will ever meet me. Well, on my part there is no reason for delay. I would like the British public to know that I never gave up, and never will, but any barrier in the way of a match being brought off, and right here I say that it is unimportant the streak (being a coward) without giving an account of having a yellowing him the chance of disproving it."

Two experts at broadsword, will engage in a bout at Athletic park, Tacoma, next Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock and Tacomans will have opportunity of witnessing a unique exhibition of strength and skill.

Captain Leopold McLagen, formerly in the British army, who was here at Vancouver recently, issued a challenge to Colonel Nelson of the Oregon national guard and the latter has accepted. Both will contest on horseback and, as they are well versed in the science of the game, it ought to be a contest worth seeing.

At our Olympic games, if a pygmy from the Ituri forest arrived to throw the pavelin, should receive him with open arms, address him as our black brother, inquire of his amateur status, and see that he was clothed from shoulder to knee when he appeared in the stadium; at the ancient games, until they became corrupted, freeborn Greeks alone were admitted.

There was even a dispute about the address of the people like the Macedonians, who then, as now, were called "barbarians" by the Greeks. Even they were not allowed to compete as long as they had any clothes on.—Fry's Magazine.

Since the arrival of "Tommy" Burns, the heavy-weight champion of the world, in England, there can be no doubt that public interest in the noble art of "fisticuffs" has greatly increased...

Burns has, indeed, aroused not inconsiderable indignation in the world of sport by his proposal to match Johnson for a purse of less than \$20,000 win or lose, and Lord Londale has openly expressed his disapproval of such absurd terms for a boxing contest.

"I have followed Burns over here from America," said Johnson, who is a colored man standing 6 ft. 3 in. in his stocking feet, and is a representative who found him making a modest lunch at his hotel off five full size chops and a bulky dish of green peas, "with the express intention of getting him to meet me in a match to decide the champion of the world. Up to date, however, my efforts to bring about a contest have met with no success, and, frankly, I do not think 'Tommy' wants to meet me."

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The Local Markets.

Table listing local market prices for various commodities including Hams, Bacon, Beef, Pork, Lamb, Veal, Suet, and various oils and flours.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Table listing New York stock market prices for various companies and commodities like Amal. Copper, Amer. Car & Foundry, Amer. Cotton Oil, etc.

Chicago Board of Trade.

Table listing Chicago Board of Trade prices for various commodities including Wheat, Corn, Soybeans, and other agricultural products.

GRAIN MARKET.

Table listing grain market prices for various types of wheat, corn, and other grains.

NEW YORK COTTON.

Table listing New York cotton market prices for various grades of cotton.

IMPORTED FRUITS BECOMING SCARCE.

Oranges Practically Off Market and Banana Supply Below Mark. Stewart & Co. report imported fruit scarce.

GRAND TRUNK EARNINGS.

Grand Trunk railway traffic earnings for the first week of August totalled \$794,562, as against \$915,490 for the same week a year ago.

BETTER SALMON PACK.

Fraser River Catch Will Exceed That of Last Year. Vancouver, Aug. 11.—Indications point to a much more successful salmon season this year than in 1907.

PRIZES FOR STORIES.

The editors of the Bohemian Magazine by offering \$1,500 for stories desired to enlist in the competition.

HUMOR IN THE NEWSPAPERS.

A short time ago a certain Chicago newspaper offered a prize for the most original advertisement for a Sunday issue.

A By-Law to Raise \$10,000 for School Purposes.

Whereas the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay desire to raise the sum of \$10,000 for the purpose of erecting and equipping school buildings.

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PERSONALS For the first time since he was taken ill some four weeks ago, J. R. Anderson, the deputy minister of agriculture, was able to get out for a drive yesterday. Though sufficiently recovered to be able to take a little open air exercise, it will be some weeks yet before he will be able to take over his duties. Mrs. Fraser and family, who have been holidaying at Sooke, have returned to the city. Miss Margaret Fraser, of Whiteby, Ont., and Miss E. G. Lawson, of Phoenix Place, who were visitors to the camp during the past week, returned with them. Mrs. Paula Olsson and her daughter, Miss Ellen Olsson, who have spent two years in Germany, are on their way back to Victoria and will arrive here in a few days' time. Miss Olsson has been studying at the Leipzig Conservatory of Music.

James Tighe, a well-known expert on the development of coal lands, who has been making a prospecting trip over the Ont. and in the vicinity for Rocky, Wash, where he is engaged in developing coal mines for the Northern Pacific railroad. Mrs. Levant, wife of the late Capt. Levant, and formerly a resident of this city, is in the city with her daughter, Gwendolyn, visiting Capt. J. G. Cox, 42 King's road.

Mrk C. Hickey, Fort street, has returned from an extended trip through the eastern cities, going by Great Northern and returning by Canadian Pacific. She says she finds no climate like our own. Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Currie, of Vancouver, who have been spending the past three weeks in Portland, left this morning for home after a three days' visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Griffin, of Kamloops, who have been visiting friends in Portland and in the city, continue their business journey by leaving via the Chamer. Mrs. George Hicks, accompanied by her three children, left on Sunday for the old country, where she will spend six months visiting her parents. Mrs. Georgeson, who has been spending the last few months in Boston, has returned to Victoria to take up her residence at Oak Bay.

After a ten days' visit in Seattle and Victoria A. M. Tyson returned to Vancouver on Monday. Mrs. Tyson is still a guest in Victoria. Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Thomas, of Seattle, who have been spending a fortnight with friends in Victoria, left this morning en route to Denver. Mrs. W. C. Petticrew and her daughter leave to-morrow for Liverpool. They will sail on R. M. S. Empress of Ireland from Quebec.

F. O. Wood and Mrs. Sophie Wood have returned from a visit to Ladysmith. Mrs. Wood is considerably improved in health. Joseph Richards, of Salmon Arm, is visiting in the city. He was formerly manager of the Wilson Hotel at Nanaimo. Miss Polly Shore has returned to the city after spending her vacation with friends in Ladysmith and Nanaimo.

J. Bridgeman is leaving Victoria this week for a six weeks' tour of Japan, Siberia and the old country. Rev. H. G. Finness-Clinson, of Vancouver, is spending a few days with friends in this city. C. H. Smith has been spending a few days on business in Victoria. He left yesterday for Vancouver.

Mrs. Arthur Hennlands leaves to-day on an extended trip to Eastern Canada and the old country. Mrs. M. Lawless and Miss Laura Lawless of this city, are spending a few days in Seattle. William Kiteley left yesterday for the Northern Pacific to a visit to Anderson, Indiana. Miss Amy Swain, of the Mayor's office, is spending a week's holiday at Shawnigan lake.

Mr. and Mrs. George Henry Hais, of Dunsmuir, are spending a few days in Victoria. Misses Winnie and Cecile Irvine left on Sunday for a week's holiday in Seattle. Miss Eva McRae, of Portland, Ore., is visiting Mrs. Wilby, 238 Montreal street. Mrs. B. Williams, of this city, leaves to-night on a visit to Walla Walla, Wash. Mrs. A. F. Blagton left Victoria last night for Banff Hot Springs. Capt. Killy is spending a day or two in Vancouver. Mrs. A. Robertson is visiting friends in Seattle.

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MEANS OF PROTECTION AGAINST FOREST FIRES

Subjects of First Importance to Province Discussed at Irrigation Convention.

Vernon, B. C., Aug. 11.—At the morning session of the irrigation convention on the motion of Mr. Pooley, of Kelowna, seconded by Mr. Wolfenden, of Armstrong, it was resolved: Whereas it is of vital importance for protection from floods in spring and drought in summer that the forests on the watershed should be carefully preserved, and whereas this matter has not received the attention that its great importance imperatively demands the Dominion and provincial governments are urged to take immediate steps towards the protection of these forests on the watershed.

It was suggested that the penalty in the brush fire act should be increased and one-half of such penalty should go to the informer giving evidence resulting in conviction. An increase of the fine to \$500 for each offence found satisfactory.

Therefore it is resolved that in the opinion of this convention the most urgent need of the province today is the enactment of a simple and comprehensive law, under which the sources of water supply for irrigation may be used to their fullest extent in extending irrigation development; and that to end the government should in proper legislation make provisions which will clear up the existing records that are not being used, provide for careful and systematic gauging of all sources of supply for the storage of flood water on a basis which will protect those constructing expensive works necessary to conserve this water, and provide the needful staff of competent government officials to administer the law after it is enacted.

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THRILLING TIME IN KOOTENAY VALLEY FIRE

How Inhabitants at Elk Valley Lumber Camp Escaped From Death.

Alluding to the great Kootenay Valley fire the Cranbrook Prospector says: Probably the most heroic and dangerous fight of all was made by the bush gang of the Elk River Lumber Company, at camp 4, situated on a high ridge and completely surrounded by heavy timber, which, of course, was all alder. There was between 55 and 60 men and two women at camp 4, the ladies being the wife and niece of Foreman G. Warren Severn, who were spending the summer at the camp, having come up from Spokane a couple of weeks ago.

Death Follows Shocking Accident William J. Lowrey is Drawn Into Machinery of Guggenheim Dredge.

Dawson, Aug. 11.—William J. Lowrey, an alter on the Guggenheim dredge No. 1, is dead as the result of an accident. His leg was caught in the roller machinery and gradually drawn in. The man, who was 40 years old, was the only other aboard, and the rattle of the machinery made it impossible for the man, there to hear his cries for aid.

RAILWAY FROM MIDWAY TO PENTICTON

Country Which New Road Will Open—Agricultural Land. Speaking of the route of the railroad from Midway to Pentiction, the Press says: Leaving Midway, the line will follow the Main Kettle river to where the Fork comes in, and will then follow the latter to a few miles above Carmi at the junction of Wilkinson creek with the West Fork. It will afford transportation to a considerable agricultural community scattered along the main Kettle river and the West Fork, besides opening up an important mineral-bearing district. These camps have showing of good copper and silver-bearing ores that deserve development, and as a result of railway construction, will receive the attention they merit.

MYSTERY OF A SKULL

New Westminster, Aug. 11.—While excavating for the foundations of the new Knights of Pythias hall yesterday afternoon, the workmen came across a fairly well-preserved skull which had evidently been buried at the spot for many years. No other bones were found in the vicinity. It has not yet been ascertained whether the skull is that of a male or female, or if it formed part of the anatomy of a white or an aborigine.

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GOLDEN WEDDING

Vancouver, Aug. 11.—About twenty-five relatives gathered at the home of John McIntyre, 118 Barclay street, last evening to offer congratulations to his brother-in-law, Captain Charles A. Schetky, upon the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding day. Capt. and Mrs. Schetky received a number of costly presents and Seattle Lodge 164, A. F. & A. M. sent a congratulatory telegram. Capt. Schetky also received a telegram from his old shipmate, Rear-Admiral Erben, U. S. navy.

HUNTED UP A TREE

Bookkeeper Rests There All Night While Bear Keeps Watch Below.

Vancouver, Aug. 12.—Of late bears have frequently been seen in Lynn valley and adjacent woods. While generally quick enough to get out of a man's way, there always is the exception. The other evening the bookkeeper of the Lynn Valley Lumber Co. was met by a bear with two cubs, which forced him to climb a tree and remain in that uncomfortable position till daylight, when Mrs. Bruin departed. Everybody in the valley now endeavors to get home before dark.

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