

## FATALITY MARS AUTOMOBILE RACE

### ONE MAN KILLED, TWO OTHERS INJURED

#### Sixteen Cars Started in Con- test at Santa Monica.

(Times Leased Wire.)  
Los Angeles, Cal., July 10.—A harvest of death and disaster began early to-day with the death of one automobile driver, the fatal injury of another and serious injury of a third as a prelude to the great race meet at Santa Monica which started this morning and is scheduled to last throughout the day.

William Hornsby, a chauffeur, who lived at Pasadena, was struck in the face by the crank of his machine while standing before the Hotel Angeles, preparatory to leaving for the races. He was found sitting on a curb with blood streaming from his mouth. Shortly after arriving at the receiving hospital, he died.

Dr. Sy Van Meter, of 25 West avenue, while backing his machine from a garage at Tenth and Main streets, this city, missed the opening of the garage and ran into a repair shop. He was hurled into the pit and sustained severe injuries. After treatment at the hospital, he was removed to his home.

While racing with another car along a highway between Pasadena and Los Angeles near Balfourtown, bound for Santa Monica, William Cram was forced to turn in the road to avoid a collision with his chance competitor. His machine struck a telephone pole, hurling him to the roadside, where he was picked up from under his overturned car. Cram was hurried to a local hospital, where it was found that his skull was fractured. The man's scalp was nearly ripped off. There is slight possibility that he will recover.

Cram is an orange grower of East Highland. Three brothers were with him in the machine but escaped serious injury.

Hanschue Wins.

Santa Monica, Cal., July 10.—Dashing past a huge grandstand filled with frantic men and women, past thousands of spectators lining the course, the Apperson car, with driver H. Hanschue at the wheel, flashed across the finish line of the great automobile road race here this morning, a winner. The time for the Apperson for the distance of 202.08 miles was 3:7:45.1-5. Sixteen huge cars started in the race.

The Chadwick car finished second with a time allowance of seven minutes at the start. The Stoddard-Dayton led third in position without time allowance figured.

The average time of the Apperson for the entire distance was 64.2-10 miles an hour, which was one-tenth of a mile less than the average distance made by the Locomobile in the Vanderbilt cup race. The distance was 54.3-10 miles an hour in that race which is the world's record.

Dashing along at a speed of nearly a mile a minute, Driver Siefert, in the Stoddard-Dayton car, failed to make a dangerous turn on the first lap and skidded off the track. But for the precaution of the authorities in keeping the rim of the turn free from spectators, a heavy casualty list would have resulted. A few minutes later the Haynes car, which was driven by Shannon, came along, Shannon was going at a terrific pace, and seeing that he could not make the curve, kept straight ahead. The car leaped wildly into the air, landed clear of the embankment and zigzagged among the trees at the side of the track for 200 feet before coming to a stop. The Stoddard-Dayton driver lost half an hour.

With a difference in time of seven minutes in starting of both the Stoddard-Dayton and the Sterns car, the Sterns machine was officially the third to finish, although the Stoddard-Dayton crossed the line before it.

The official time of the cars that finished was: Apperson, 3:08.03; Chadwick, 3:15.30; Sterns, 3:19.52; Locomobile, 3:21.15; Stoddard-Dayton, 3:24.32; Studebaker, 3:26.40; Franklin, 3:28.57.

## TWO THOUSAND ARE HOMELESS

### FLOOD FOLLOWS CLOUDBURST IN TEXAS

#### More Than Four Hundred Houses Wrecked or Par- tially Submerged.

(Times Leased Wire.)  
Sioux City, Iowa, July 10.—A cloudburst to-day caused the most disastrous flood in the history of this city.

Twenty business blocks are under six feet of water and one citizen, Leo Bethered, is known to be dead. He was swept from the seat of a wagon and drowned. A bridge on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul has been washed away and Barnum & Bailey's circus is stalled ten miles out of town.

The flooded river above Perry Creek are raging torrents and the Missouri is rising rapidly. That more damage will be done is apparent and property owners are making every effort to protect themselves. The blowing of whistles aroused many persons when the waters rushed through the streets and undoubtedly saved many lives.

More than 500 houses along Perry Creek were wrecked by the flood or partially submerged. About two thousand persons are temporarily homeless and many are suffering greatly from exposure.

Street car service in this city is paralyzed. The traction company's plant is flooded and the repair pits beneath the tracks in two of the barns are miniature wells. Gas mains throughout the city are broken and many homes are without fuel and light.

Reports from neighboring cities indicate that fearful havoc has been wrought in many of the river towns and those surrounding.



THE FORCE OF EXAMPLE.

German Kaiser (patronizingly)—"I hear you're building a new fleet. Any particular object?"  
Tsar—"No—Merely cause of peace—same as you."  
—Pinch.

## EXPOSITION PROVING FINANCIAL SUCCESS

### Ready to Make First Payment of 10 Per Cent. on Bonded Indebtedness.

(Times Leased Wire.)  
Seattle, Wash., July 10.—The Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition has declared itself ready to make the first payment of ten per cent. on its bonded indebtedness of \$350,000. The money to meet this payment is on deposit with the Washington Trust Company of Seattle, and bondholders can receive their payments any time after the bank opens on Monday.

Since the exposition opened the management has been accumulating a sinking fund amounting to thirty per cent. of the gross receipts. This provision it is now in position to pay off, even more than ten per cent. of the indebtedness, but the finance committee at its last meeting decided that the sinking fund payment would be sufficient as an assurance to bondholders that they will be promptly paid in full and to demonstrate the financial success of the exposition up to date.

## FAST BOATS IN FREE-FOR-ALL RACE

### Last of the Series of 'Events' Take Place at Seattle To-Day.

(Times Leased Wire.)  
Seattle, Wash., July 10.—The last of the series of motor boat races, under the supervision of the Seattle Motor Boat Club, will be run off this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The races will be over the usual ten mile triangle, start to be made at the exposition wharf.

The feature event this afternoon is the sixty-mile free-for-all race, and this event will test not only the speed, but the endurance qualities of the motor craft. The twenty-mile handicap race will no doubt prove exciting, as the Wolf II, which has cleaned up everything thus far, will be placed on an equal footing with the other entries. The boats being handicapped according to the best time they have made in competition.

The longest race the boats have run thus far has been over a thirty-mile course and the sixty-mile event is causing no little attention as enthusiasts, who have been keeping in touch with the Wolf II, are anxious to learn if the Portland speed marvel can take the long journey in record time. The Wolf II holds the world's best mark for thirty miles over a circular course and her owners believe their boat can hang up another record in the longer haul.

The Pacer must be taken into account though, however, and may surprise Wolf supporters. In the three previous heats the Pacer's engine has balked.

The Seattle Spirit and Lawana will probably enter both races in competition for the handsome silver trophies offered for the first place by the exposition.

## ANXIOUS FOR EARLY TRIAL

### BIGAMIST COMPLAINS ABOUT CELL IN JAIL

#### Declares He Is Worried to Death by Reporters and Detectives.

(Times Leased Wire.)  
San Francisco, Cal., July 10.—An attempt of Christian C. Johnson to conceal the truth regarding some of his bigamous marriages while he freely confesses to others, led the police today to start an investigation of his case, believing that he may be concealing some murder.

When confronted by evidence that he was married to Mrs. de Bonnett, he acknowledged her as his wife, but now insists that she is the only one whose name he concealed. Johnson gravely declared to-day that he was a "man of honor and respected his word," which he gave that he "had been married but three times."

His attention being called to the fact that he had concealed his marriage to Mrs. de Bonnett, Johnson rather tamely explained that he had thought the woman was dead and did not want to drag her name into the case when it was not necessary.

The prisoner is very anxious to get out of jail here and answer to the charge of bigamy which has been preferred against him at San Jose by Mrs. Trethewey. He complains that the air in the jail here is foul and that he is worried to death by reporters and detectives.

Detectives who have been giving the man the "third degree" do not intend to let him get away from their jurisdiction any sooner than they have to. They are holding him until the police in eastern cities have a chance to identify him and run down his record.

The detectives believe that Johnson, Anderson-Madison, as they call him, is a very clever and dangerous criminal and that a close investigation of his record will result in startling revelations. With this belief they have sent descriptions and photographs of him broadcast, and expect that the authorities in some of the cities where they believe he has operated will be able to recognize him as some serious offender who has been long sought.

"Johnson is one of the cleverest criminals ever put behind bars," said Detective Burner to-day. "I believe there is some motive which has not yet been discovered that impels him to throw a cloud over his record."

Love letters written by Johnson to his victims show that he was but an indifferent love maker, and the police are puzzled by the ease with which he won the hearts of women. His vocabulary is very limited. His letters to Mrs. Ida Mitchell, to whom he was engaged and whom he always addressed as "wife," and Mrs. Josephine Trethewey, his Stockton wife, were made public to-day.

## TROOPS DEFEATED BY TRIBESMEN

### FURTHER FIGHTING EXPECTED IN MOROCCO

#### Forty Soldiers Killed or Wounded—Reinforcements Are Sent.

(Times Leased Wire.)  
Madrid, July 10.—Plans to quell an uprising of the tribesmen at Mellilla, Morocco, where forty Spanish soldiers were killed or wounded in a battle yesterday, are being rushed to-day. Reinforcements are being rushed to the scene and further fighting is expected. The uprising is more general than was at first supposed, according to advices received here to-day.

The tribesmen are encouraged by their successful resistance of the troops yesterday and despite their heavy losses are recruiting a strong force to combat the soldiers.

The battle yesterday started when troops were ordered out to punish tribesmen who had tortured Spanish workmen to death. The workmen were bound and thrown alive into a fire. Their charred bodies were recovered to-day.

General Marina, governor of Mellilla, ordered out the troops and when he learned of their defeat sent a message asking that reinforcements be sent without delay.

## THREE PERSONS CRUSHED TO DEATH

### Girl Also Fatally Injured When Cyclone Demolishes House.

#### Rejected Lover's Threat. Vows to Get Revenge and Girl Appeals to Sheriff for Protection.

(Times Leased Wire.)  
Sherman, Texas, July 10.—Three persons were killed and another fatally injured by a cyclone near Hermleigh yesterday, according to reports received here to-day. The cyclone demolished the home of Webb McDowell, killing him, his wife and daughter, aged 10 years. Another daughter, aged 14 was fatally hurt by a falling beam.

## JAPANESE STRIKERS RETURNING TO WORK

### Laborers Have Given up Hope of Securing Higher Wages.

San Francisco, Cal., July 10.—That the Japanese sugar plantation workers, whose recent Hawaiian strike threatened international complications, have given up all hope of victory or re-instatement, was asserted to-day by Charles B. Warren, purser of the steamer Lurline, which has arrived from Honolulu.

According to Warren, the waterfront of Honolulu is crowded with Japanese laborers who are out of work, and are seeking opportunity to leave the islands. Many of the strikers have returned to their work on the old figures.

## DEVELOPMENT OF NORTHWEST.

New York, July 10.—Daniel Guggenheim, before sailing for Europe, predicted that the world's development of gold, silver, copper, tin and coal in the future would be in Alaska. He gave an enthusiastic review of the development of the northwest.

## SCIENTISTS COMING TO PACIFIC COAST

### Party Will Study Indians in British Columbia and Alaska.

(Times Leased Wire.)  
Seattle, Wash., July 10.—Local customs officials will extend every courtesy to a party of scientists, who are coming to this coast shortly. Collector Harper has been advised by Assistant Secretary J. B. Reynolds, of the treasury department, that the American museum of natural history is preparing to send an expedition to the Pacific coast of British Columbia and Alaska to take photographs sketches of the Indians and Indian life. This party will be in charge of Harlan I. Smith, assistant curator in the department of anthropology of the museum, accompanied by W. S. Taylor and artist. On arrival customs men are authorized to expedite them in the free entry of cameras and photographic supplies in passing to and from the United States and British Columbia.

## ELEVATOR RATES.

Ottawa, July 10.—The applications of the Dominion Millers' Association and the Grain Growers' Association of Manitoba who asked that the rates for elevators on the C. P. R., C. N. R. and G. T. P. at Port William and Port Arthur be reduced to the same charges made at Owen Sound, have been summarily dismissed by Chairman Mabey, of the railway commission, on the ground that the grain interests have not proved that the existing charges were excessive or unreasonable.

## MUST HOLD DIPLOMA.

Olympia, Wash., July 10.—In an opinion of the secretary of the state board of medical examiners interpreting the new medical law, the attorney-general has ruled that no person is entitled to license in this state unless he or she has a diploma. If the applicant has practiced in the state two years any diploma will do; if not such practice has been had, the diploma must show the applicant a graduate of the full medical course.

## SUNDAY FIGHT COMMENCES

### DEALERS WILL CARRY MATTER TO COURTS

#### Mandamus Applied for to Com- pel City Treasurer to Issue License.

A united and determined effort will be made by the dealers who are hit by the Sunday closing by-law, which comes into force on Wednesday next, to upset it. The first steps have been taken to that end and will be carried to the Privy Council, if necessary, it is declared.

On Thursday last Antoine Vasilatos, who has conducted a fruit and confectionery business at 1401 Douglas street since September last, applied to City Treasurer Kent for a retail trader's license to vend fruit, confectionery, non-intoxicant beverages and ice cream, for a period of six months from July 15th next to January 15, 1910. At the same time he tendered the required license fee, \$4.50.

The city treasurer, acting on the authority of by-law 620, passed on June 23, would not issue a license unless Mr. Vasilatos signed a form containing the following words: "I apply for a license in the above business for Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays only," and to endorse on the license: "Agreed that this license is good only for the following days: Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, and same is so accepted."

The applicant refused to sign any form which restricted the time in which he could sell goods, and during which he had been selling them since he began business, and the city treasurer therefore declined to issue a license to him.

Mr. Vasilatos at once consulted with other dealers, and they sought the legal advice of Frank Higgins, who took out a writ of summons addressed to the corporation and the city treasurer personally, asking for a mandamus directing Mr. Kent, as collector for the municipality, to issue to Mr. Vasilatos a license for six months. This is returnable on Wednesday, when Mr. Justice Irving will hear argument for and against the application.

The dealers are understood to be advised that the by-law is clearly beyond the power of the council, and that, following recent decisions of our own Full court and rulings of the House of Lords, the city cannot prevent them from carrying on their business.

Other dealers are not applying for licenses, and it is said that they will remain open to-morrow week and future Sundays just as in the past. The legal fight will doubtless be an interesting one.

## MAYOR FAVORS AN EVICTION

### PROPOSES TO PUT FAIR ASSOCIATION OUT

#### Notice Given To-Day of Motion for Monday's Council Meeting.

Mayor Hall, as chief magistrate of Victoria, is proposing to evict Mayor Hall, president of the B. C. Agricultural Association, and his fellow-members from their tenancy of the fair grounds.

This step his worship is taking as a result of the association of which he is head allowing the Country Club to conduct a sixty-day race meet, which is half over.

His worship this morning posted notice of a motion which he will either move or have moved at the meeting of council on Monday, in the following words:

"Whereas the B. C. Agricultural Association, being the tenants on sufferance of the agricultural fair grounds, have permitted the use of the grounds for continuous daily racing for sixty days, of which about thirty have expired, this exceeds the originally contemplated programme.

"And whereas the continuation of the daily racing in the present mode with the attendant reprehensible and growing practice of extensive betting is inimical to the welfare of the city.

"Therefore he it resolved that the council do take steps to terminate the occupation of the B. C. Agricultural grounds by the present occupants."

Mayor Hall is out of town to-day and so could not be seen in regard to the matter.

It is thought by some people that even if the council should evict the agricultural association—and leaving out of consideration the legal proceedings which would be certain to follow—this would not stop racing, which has been endorsed by the city council itself. On March 15th a letter was read from the association, outlining the agreement which it was proposed to make with the Country Club, and the council passed a resolution approving of it, with a proviso that it could cancel the lease if anything of an improper nature was done during the meet. One of the clauses in the agreement so approved was as follows:

"The club guarantee that either open books or the totalized system shall be operated and the racing and other sports kept clean and free from criticism."

A by-law for the levying of taxes at the rate of 2 1/2 mills on the dollar will be introduced by Ald. Henderson at the next meeting.

It is probable that the necessary by-law providing for the expropriation of the Esquimalt Waterworks Co.'s undertakings will also be introduced.

Langford street, between Catherine and Russell street, is to be graded, drained, rock-surfaced, boulevarded and sidewalks laid on both sides.

## REJECTED LOVER'S THREAT.

### Vows to Get Revenge and Girl Appeals to Sheriff for Protection.

Portland, Ore., July 10.—After coming to Oregon to wed Miss Hattie Lucas, of Hood River, P. A. Shepard, agent for an eastern oil company, was arrested in Portland on Friday, the girl and her uncle, Thomas Lucas, declaring Shepard had sworn to take her life.

Shepard was to have married Miss Lucas in Hood River last Wednesday, but the girl suddenly found that her love had waned. She says that when she told him they could not wed Shepard declared he would get revenge. The same day he was arrested for carrying concealed weapons, but was released on promise to leave town. Yesterday Miss Lucas and her uncle encountered Shepard on a Portland street and rushed to the sheriff's office for protection.

The rejected sweetheart was then taken into custody and held under \$1,000 bond, but will be allowed to take an eastern train out of the city.

## OREGON BRIDEGROOM LANDS IN PRISON

### Squanders Money Belonging to Bride, Who Is Returning Home.

(Times Leased Wire.)  
The Dalles, Ore., July 10.—Less than one week after their marriage, which resulted from a correspondence courtship, Frank Fuller, of Burns, Ore., is in jail and his bride, who was Mrs. Ellen Roblee, is returning to her home in California disillusioned and at least \$100 poorer than when she came north.

After a year's correspondence Fuller had spent \$80 of her money, according to the story the bride tearfully told Chief of Police Harper. Since arriving in the Dalles Fuller has squandered \$28 more of her funds, and his resultant hilarity has landed him behind the bars. Mrs. Fuller said that she has considerable money, but does not believe that she can afford to support a husband drawn through a marriage bureau.

She refused to tell where in California she lives.

## FOUND DROWNED.

Chehal, Wash., July 10.—J. E. Hamilton, of Waterville, went insane while camped on Lake Chehal. He was taken to the Tourist hotel, Lakeside, for treatment, but Tuesday escaped to the hills. A posse searched for him Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday and found his body in the lake yesterday morning.

## WRECKED IN UTAH

### Three Men Are Believed to Be Buried Under the Wreckage.

(Times Leased Wire.)  
Grand Junction, Colo., July 10.—The Twin-City Elks special train was wrecked in a head-on collision with a freight train near Glenwood, early to-day and three trainmen killed. None of the passengers on the special was seriously injured according to the report received here.

Reports of the disaster vary, some being to the effect that fifteen persons lost their lives. This report is denied by officials of the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad, who say that no passengers were hurt.

Three trainmen are acknowledged by the officials to be missing and it is believed that they are buried under the wreckage.

Details of the disaster are meagre, all wires being down most of the time and working but intermittently at the best.

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### YOSEMITE IS TOTAL WRECK

#### PILED ON REEF NEAR PLEASANT BEACH

#### Steamer's Back Broken and Waves Tearing Away Upper Works.

Seattle, Wash., July 10.—Excursion steamer Yosemite, which piled on a reef near Pleasant beach last night, to-day a total wreck. The strong currents around the reef this morning twisted the old craft and at noon her back was broken and the waves were tearing away her upper works. C. D. Hillman, owner, has abandoned the vessel. Plans will be made at once for a new steamer.

The Yosemite was returning to Seattle from a cruise about Port Orchard bay and adjacent waters. The passengers were enjoying the slight breeze which swept over the sound, when in the strong tide of the narrows the steamer refused to obey her helm.

It was a terrible bump the Yosemite received when she crashed into the reef. A jagged hole was torn in the bottom. Water rushed in like a mill race, driving the engine room crew to the decks. Passengers were more frightened when the timbers grated on the harsh rocks as the old vessel rolled and pitched, imprisoned on the cruel reef. Suddenly the steamer listed to port and settled, adding to the terror.

Life boats were lowered and passengers and crew alike fortified themselves with life belts. The 148 persons on board were somewhat reassured when they saw help close by. The steamer Norwood, Transport and Island Flyer soon came along side, taking on the excitement and some of the crew.

The mate and several of his men remained aboard to stand by, but last night they were prepared to leave should the vessel begin to break up. Everything moveable was taken off by launches and other vessels in the expectation that the old crew would go to pieces. Six scoles and a tug of the Crosby Tugboat Company were dispatched to the scene.

The scene of the stranding is close to the government quarry, and through these narrows runs a terrific tide. Capt. Michael E. Edwards and two quartermasters were at the wheel. The Yosemite took a sudden sheer towards the reef. Forcing the helm, the vessel was brought back to her course only to take another sheer towards shore, and before she could be swung out into the channel again she was ashore. The strong eddies in this vicinity are blamed for the mishap.

The side wheel was one of the oldest vessels on this coast and one of the few paddle steamers in these waters. She was built by J. W. North at San Francisco in 1862 and registered 1,175 tons gross and 821 net. Her dimensions were: Length, 287 feet; beam, 56 feet; depth, 11.4 feet. She was built of oak and had an unusually substantial hull.

For years the steamer plied up the Sacramento river out of San Francisco. She did service running out of Victoria for the C.P.N. Company before that company was formally taken over by the C.P.R., being at that time the fastest steamer popular as an excursion steamer and was sold only a short time ago by the C.P.R. Company.

#### HAPPILY WEDDED.

Lee Choy Hop and His White Wife Seem to Be Happy.

A little information into the happiness of the marriage between Lee Choy Hop and a white girl, Florence Lealand, who wedded here about November last was given in the police court this morning, where the case brought by Sheriff Richards against Lee Choy Hop of obstructing him in the service of a distress warrant, was continued before Magistrate Jay. F. Davis appeared for the prosecution and R. C. Lealand for the defendant Chinese. The case arises out of a judgment from the county court in favor of the Inland Cigar Manufacturing Company of British Columbia against Lee Choy Hop.

From their behavior in court the last two days, while the case has been proceeding, the Chinese and his white wife appear to be perfectly happy except for the trouble with the sheriff. The business place is at Fort and Quadra streets.

Lee Choy Hop gave evidence as to the sheriff having insisted upon opening his wife's trunk and his wife, though sick at the time, had to leave her bed to get the cash box. Before obtaining a further remand till Monday, Lee Choy Hop gave evidence. His wife, he testified, was sick in her room under medical attention. The sheriff insisted on her trunk being opened and she had to leave her bed to open it. She had a cash box but what was in it he knew not, as he never peeped into his wife's affairs. He wanted to protect her from Sheriff Richards and had no knowledge of legal procedure. The sheriff's men had come into the house and handed him a piece of paper which he did not understand. As his wife was sick he did not want her disturbed. He told the men all the things in the shop had been sold and there was nothing to take.

His wife's evidence was that she had been compelled to leave her sick bed and open her trunk which was in the hall. She took from it a cash box and ran with it to another room where she emptied its contents and then came out and handed the sheriff the box. The contents were her own and of a private nature. She admitted there was money in the box.

Medical evidence as to her physical condition was put in showing she was ill at the time.

—TO SEATTLE, WASH.—Travel by the opposition S. S. "Troquois," leaving daily at 9 a. m. Arrives Seattle 2 p. m. A delightful daylight trip.

### CITY WILL APPEAL TO RAILWAY COMMISSION

#### Will Ask for Declaration That E. & N. Bridge Is Open to Public.

The city council on Monday evening will, no doubt, take the advice of the city solicitor and at once apply to the Railway Commission for a determination of the issue between the city and the E. & N. Railway Company as to the use of the bridge for pedestrian and vehicular traffic.

All the facts which the city's legal department has been able to glean in regard to the understanding with the late Robert Dunsmuir—that the bridge should be open to the public free will be presented to the board, and an order asked declaring that the public has a right to use the bridge.

In the meanwhile the mayor is hoping that the reference of the matter to Mr. Marpole will result in at least a temporary permission for the crossing of the bridge by citizens.

### INCENDIARIES SET FIRE TO BRIDGES

(Special to the Times.) Louisville, Que., July 10.—What looks like a determined effort to wreck the Canadian Northern railway's line in the vicinity of Grand-Mere, has been made during the past few days. On Thursday the approach and one span of the trestle over the river were destroyed by fire. Incendiarism is suspected and the provincial police are investigating.

### EXHIBIT READY FOR VISITING TEACHERS

#### Dominion Educational Association Meets Here on Tuesday.

The exhibit of art work of the pupils of the Victoria schools is nearly all in place in the Assembly hall in readiness for the big convention. The teachers have been working hard at the renovation and decoration of the interior of the hall throughout the week. The decorations are all in green and white, and are most tastefully arranged. The work done by the pupils is of the highest class, but the teachers are wondering how it will compare with the exhibits from Vancouver and Toronto, which are not yet in place. It is understood that some of the Vancouver teachers will bring the exhibit from that city on Monday, and will hang them themselves.

The first session of the convention takes place on Tuesday afternoon following an executive meeting which will be held in the morning. On Tuesday evening the minister of education and Mrs. Young, assisted by the local teachers, will give a reception to the visitors at the government buildings. The convention continues for four days.

### AT THE WILLOWS.

First race—Five furlongs. Three-year-olds and upward.

1. Bold.  
2. Ray Bennett.  
3. George Kilborn.  
Time, 1:03.

### FOREST FIRES RAGING.

Number of Settlers Have Lost Their Homes.

Duluth, Minn., July 10.—Cooler weather on the Mesaba-Duluth iron range this afternoon quieted fears of disastrous forest fires which were entertained here. No large settlement is believed to be in danger to-day, but it is feared that the places of some individual settlers north of Virginia have been destroyed by flames.

Several fires are reported along the Canadian Pacific railroad, but the damage is not very heavy as yet. Men were sent to-day to Leander, 20 miles north of Virginia, to fight a fire which now surrounds several million feet of logs.

### DARING JAIL BREAK.

Twenty Escape Through Tunnel Cut in Wall, and Only One Captured.

Paducah, Ky., July 10.—Twenty prisoners, including two murderers, tunneled through the wall of the county jail at noon to-day, and all but one escaped, a negro patricide, who recently received a new trial after having been sentenced to death, was captured. Poses are searching for the others. The prisoners escaped while the sheriff and his deputy were at dinner.

### LACROSSE PLAYER DEAD.

(Special to the Times.) Montreal, July 10.—Chas. Neville, the famous lacrosse player and a member of the Shamrocks in the eighties, died this morning.

### CHOLERA SPREADING.

St. Petersburg, July 10.—During 24 hours, ending yesterday, 128 new cholera cases and 83 deaths were reported. Mme. Kryshchinskaya, the wife of a prominent official, died from the disease.

### BRINGS GOLD FROM NORTH.

San Francisco, Cal., July 10.—Bringing \$100,000 in gold bullion, the steamer Falcon arrived here to-day from Alaska. Two days out of St. Michaels the Falcon ran into an ice field and was held for three days.

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### INTERCOLONIAL STAFF REDUCED.

(Special to the Times.) Halifax, July 10.—The result of the conference between the board of trade and F. P. Brady in reference to the dismissal of intercolonial employees has been published. He stated that over one hundred men were discharged at Moncton, and the line was still overmanned. He said that any men who had almost reached the superannuation point would probably be superannuated. Preference would be given to ex-employees when any new men were needed.

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FOR SALE—Second-hand one-horse wagon. Apply G. T. Boulding, 1704 Richmond avenue. . . . . 10

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### DIED.

REILLY—In this city, on the 8th inst., at "Armburst," the residence of Geo. T. Young, Esq., Arm St., Victoria West, James Reilly, ex-Mayor of Calgary, aged 74 years, a native of Sperrington. The remains will be forwarded to Calgary for interment.



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The King of Headache Remedies. Cures Catarrh and Hay Fever. Supplied by the Leading Druggists.  
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Simple directions: Moisten a cloth with 2 or 3 drops of Zundra, inhale deeply and you get instant relief.  
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- BUTTER, per pound, 40c, 35c, 30c and . . . . . 25c

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- C. & Y. INDEPENDENT CREAMERY BUTTER, 35c per pound, or 3 pounds for . . . . . \$1.00
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- The finest Tea at the price on the market.
- CALGARY RISING SUN FLOUR, per sack . . . . . \$1.75
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- CANADIAN SARDINES, 4 tins for . . . . . 25c
- ROWATT'S ENGLISH VINEGAR, quart bottle . . . . . 15c
- NICE FRESH PRUNES, 5 pounds for . . . . . 25c
- FINE EVAPORATED PEACHES, per pound . . . . . 10c
- TETLEY'S LOOSE TEA, 4 pounds for . . . . . \$1.00
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—In St. Andrew's cathedral to-morrow morning the sacrament of holy communion will be administered to the children at 9 o'clock. There will be a confirmation service at 7 o'clock in the evening. Bishop Macdonald will officiate at both services.

—Bruce Eggo, charged on the information of Detective O'Leary with passing a forged cheque on the C. F. R. purporting to bear the signature of L.

### STEADY PROGRESS IN DEEPENING HARBOR

#### Hon. W. Templeman Inspected Work Being Done by Dredges.

Hon. W. Templeman visited the dredges Ajax and Mudlark this forenoon to ascertain how the work of deepening the inner harbor was progressing. He found the Ajax doing excellent work directly opposite the chemical works, deepening the channel from 16 to 20 feet. The Mudlark never worked to better advantage. She has removed this season about 85,000 square yards and is rapidly providing a sufficient depth of water on the east side of the harbor from the railway bridge to the Machinery Depot and across to Turpel's wharf.

Mr. Templeman expressed himself pleased with the progress made, and although there still is a great deal to be done to give 20 feet at low tide south of the bridge and 15 feet above, he is confident that by keeping systematically at it that these depths will be obtained all over in the course of a very few years.

The attempt by the Conservative press to disparage the work in progress is to be expected when the motive is so apparent; but Victoria citizens who are business men before being political partisans do not approve of that kind of "knocking."

### NEW OBSERVATION CAR FOR THE CITY

#### Electric Company Will Put It Into Commission To-Morrow.

The B. C. Electric Company has just received two additions to the rolling stock in this city. One is a new observation car which it is believed is the first of its kind on the Pacific coast. This car was taken out to-day for an initial run over the lines of the company, and will go into active service to-morrow.

The seats rise in tiers from the front to the rear end of the car, so that the back seats are elevated five or six feet above the level of the car. It is an open one with a passage way down the centre, and is finished in very neat fashion with lights strung over the seats.

The other car is a modern work car. It is in service to-day, and is very conveniently constructed for the purpose intended.

### THE HARBOR FRONT.

Fine Photograph View of It Being Shown in Hibben's Window.

A very fine panoramic view of the harbor front is on exhibition in Hibben's window and is being admired by all who see it. It takes in the entire distance from the E. & N. railway bridge to the yacht clubhouse, and shows all the large buildings to be seen from the harbor. The photograph is about four feet in length and is a remarkably good example of the photographic art. It was taken by W. J. Carpenter, of Vancouver and Spokane.

### ANOTHER RECORD.

Steamer President Clips Another Hour Off San Francisco-Seattle Voyage.

Seattle, July 10.—Steamer President, of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, broke all records for a run between here and San Francisco when she arrived at the latter port this morning. The President made the trip south in 46 hours and 50 minutes. The record was previously held by the Governor, with 47 hours, and 50 minutes. President J. C. Ford was aboard the President on the trip south, which may explain why great speed was made.

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LOGANBERRIES, per box	15c
PEACHES, two pounds for	25c
BANANAS, per doz.	35c
APRICOTS, per basket	40c
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We are showing a nice line of this extremely beautiful ware, the latest product of Canadian skill and artistic talent. Like the fine Canadian Enamelled Jewellery, it is obtaining a world-wide reputation for its excellence.

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## BUSINESS MEN ARE OPTIMISTIC ANNUAL MEETING OF BOARD OF TRADE

Simon Leiser Is Re-Elected  
President for Ensuing  
Year.

Most encouraging reports in regard to Victoria's commerce and industry were made at the annual meeting of the board of trade yesterday afternoon. The premier and the finance minister were united in declaring that never have the prospects been so bright for the capital of the province as they are at this time.

There was not a very large attendance of members but the proceedings were hearty and unanimous. The retiring president, Simon Leiser, was re-elected and was the object of many flattering remarks. The annual report, which is reproduced in another column, and which was adopted without comment, deals in detail with the work done by the board during what was admitted on all hands to have been the busiest and most active year in the history of the board.

With the president on the platform were Hon. Richard McBride, premier of British Columbia, Hon. R. G. Tait, minister of finance and agriculture, and R. P. Rithet, first president of the board from 1878 to 1888. The splendid board room was gay with Victoria's proud floor, the rose, from the president's gardens.

R. P. Rithet, first president of the board as at present constituted, when asked to take a seat to the president's right, in acknowledging the courtesy, said his interests were still here and he was always glad to be present at the board's annual meetings.

The Elections.

There were originally six nominations for the presidency, of which only two were left—the retiring president and the first vice-president, L. A. Genge.

President Leiser said he had only allowed his name to remain at the wish of several members, and as he had no wish to run against Mr. Genge he desired to withdraw his name.

R. P. Rithet, on behalf of Mr. Genge, who is absent from the city and will be for several months, withdrew his name and asked that the president be re-elected by acclamation.

This was done, Mr. Rithet declaring Mr. Leiser elected. At the same time he took occasion to express his sense of the value of Mr. Leiser's services. He was very much pleased at the activity shown by the board. They were making no mistake in giving Mr. Leiser another term.

C. H. Lugin spoke of the earnest manner in which the president had discharged his duties. The board had been unusually busy and very much of the credit for the excellent work done was due to him.

President Leiser thanked the board for his re-election and assured them that he was delighted to be of service to the business community in that or any other capacity. During the year he had received hearty support from the vice-president, secretary, members of the council and the board generally.

L. A. Genge was re-elected first vice-president and F. Eiworth, secretary, both by acclamation. The following fifteen gentlemen were elected as members of the council, Wm. Laird and G. W. Mitchell acting as scrutineers: J. L. Beckwith, George Carter, James Forman, Richard Hall, D. R. Ker, C. H. Lugin, B. C. Mess, J. A. Mara, A. W. McCurdy, John Nelson, T. W. Paterson, J. J. Shallice, C. F. Todd, H. B. Thomson and John A. Turner.

The members of the board of arbitration are: R. P. Butchart, G. H. Barnard, R. S. Day, R. L. Drury, A. C. Flumerfelt, C. A. Holland, D. R. Ker, G. A. Kirk, H. A. Munn, T. W. Paterson, Capt. J. W. Troup and E. Wilson. The auditors re-elected: E. E. Hinchhurst, William Laird and G. W. Mitchell.

The Premier.

The president, in calling upon the premier to speak, said the board had always found him most courteous and ready to listen to them. His advice they had frequently followed. The latest development of the board's work was the Vancouver Island Development League, a big institution and running fine.

Premier McBride said he was privileged to address the board of trade. He was sure he voiced the opinion of the board and of the citizens generally in congratulating the president on his re-election. During the year the board had been alive and active to a degree which had brought about credit to all its members and especially its presiding officer. It was customary on these occasions to have the premier and finance minister present, to give a review of the business conditions of the time.

Conditions at present prevailing were the most encouraging ever experienced by the capital. Never before had there been such permanent and substantial development under way and in view of the presence in the city of members of the board of the B. C. Electric Co. would mean that the city was soon to enjoy the transportation which the district needed and which would be profitable to the company; such transportation.

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# SALE Campbell's SALE

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## Children's Dresses Down

Four lines of this season's smartest frocks for the bairns  
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## THE IMPERIAL PRESS CONFERENCE.

IN BONNIE SCOTLAND.

(No. 5.)

To-night after a record run by special train from Edinburgh to London—sometimes reaching a speed of eighty miles an hour—the delegates to the Imperial Press Conference closed their Scottish tour.

It included a day at Glasgow, where the great yards and the Clyde were inspected, where six delegates, including Sir Hugh Graham, of the Montreal Star, and J. A. Macdonald, of the Toronto Globe, received the honorary degrees of LL.D. and where a splendid banquet was provided.

This was followed by a day on Loch Lomond and Loch Katrine, where the poems and novels of Scott could be followed almost mile by mile, and a dinner and Colander in the evening.

A late train run brought us to Edinburgh, and a heavy day here terminated the Scottish tour, an inspection of the castle, St. Giles church, Holyrood, etc., taking up every minute of the time. The day started with a breakfast at the university at 8.30, and finished with a speech at midnight.

Nowhere has there been more enthusiasm than in the northern land, and perhaps of all the points visited, Glasgow will hold a leading place, because of the extreme warmth and cordiality of the reception.

At these functions there were many kind inquiries for Victoria friends and at breakfast at Glasgow Rev. Dr. Somerville, who was formerly pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church in Victoria, called to send his regards to Victoria people in general, and to several of them in particular.

The Clyde industries were a revelation as to extent, and the wide demand for their products. It so happened that on the occasion of the visit to the Fairfield yards (where the Princess Charlotte was built) there were five masted vessels being built, three destroyers for the British Admiralty, and the two keels for the Australian destroyers. The Antipodean delegation clambered promptly on to the keel and were given an ovation by the remainder of the delegation.

The Trossach trip was taken under most favorable auspices and was especially enjoyed by those who, less favored than Victorians—have not the advantage of residence amid scenes of such beauty. Though on a very small scale their exquisite loveliness appeal to all, and the Coits among the party got completely out of hand as they surveyed Rob Roy's cave, Helen's Isle, the Silver Strand, the Trossach's Glen, the moustering place of Laurich Mead, and finally Callantopie Ford, and the Brig of Turk, where

"Where the Brig of Turk was won,  
The foremost horseman rode alone."  
Through the day, whether on boat or coach, a couple of Highland pipers did the honors and at all dinners the bagpipes was honored by being played in by a pipers' band from the Royal Scots, now lying at Edinburgh Castle.

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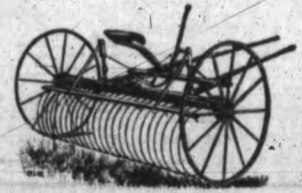
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## PRESIDENT TAFT'S

### TRIP TO COAST

Will Start on His Western  
Journey About Middle of  
September.

Washington, D. C., July 10.—President Taft arrived in Washington yesterday afternoon and went directly to the White House.

The president said he expected to leave Beverly for his western tour about the date of his birthday, September 15th. It will require ten days for him to reach Seattle, stopping at Denver and Salt Lake City.

After visiting the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition at Seattle, he said he expected to go south to Portland, San Francisco, Los Angeles and San Diego, later visiting New Mexico and Arizona. He will meet President Diaz of Mexico at El Paso.

His return will be by the southern

route, including visits to Georgia, Mississippi and Alabama points. The itinerary will occupy two months.

### ROUGH SPORT CONDEMNED.

Denver, July 10.—Football, marathon running and such sports received a rough jolt in the department of physical education of the national education association yesterday. The place of physical education in the field of hygiene was the subject of Wm. F. Slocum, president of Colorado college, Colorado Springs. Ira B. Fee, deputy superintendent of schools of Wyoming, made an attack on what he termed "the rough house sports." He admitted that there was an element of virtue in football, but in the end, he said, the game is rough.

Among new regulations for secondary schools in England to come into force on August 1st, is a provision that no teacher must teach a class of more than thirty-five pupils. The number of whom, as a rule, must be thirty.

## CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY.

### Tenders for Sidewalks and Sewers.

Tenders, sealed, endorsed and addressed to the undersigned, from whom copies of specifications may be obtained, will be received up to 5 p. m. on Thursday, the 15th day of July, 1909, for the construction of:  
PERMANENT SIDEWALKS—  
Foul Bay Road (east side),  
Oak Bay Avenue (north side),  
York Place (east side),  
Saratoga Avenue (north side).  
SEWERS—  
Chaucer Street,  
Byron Street,  
Foul Bay Road (from Byron Street to Oak Bay Avenue).  
Tenders must be accompanied by a certified cheque equivalent to 5 per cent. of the amount of the tender.  
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J. S. FLOYD,  
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**JULY  
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J. T. McDonald, Oak Bay Junction.

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**BRITISH COLUMBIA'S PROGRESS.**

Without disparagement of the other speakers at the annual meeting of the Victoria Board of Trade held yesterday afternoon, to Captain Tatlow, Provincial Finance Minister, must be accorded the credit of delivering the most practical address of the day. The Finance Minister, according to established practice, dealt with the trade of the province for the year and at large. He differed from his chief, the representative of Victoria in the legislature, in that he did not deal in generalities, but with concrete facts showing the progress which the province is making along lines which make for permanent commercial and industrial prosperity. The review of the Finance Minister contained much food for thought and many facts which ought to have the effect of inspiring the business men of Victoria, and all men whatsoever their occupation, to persevere in the efforts which are producing substantial results and promise still more fruitful results in the future. Captain Tatlow was able to show that in everything that goes to make a community prosperous and wealthy the people of British Columbia possess one of the most wonderful provinces in the Dominion of Canada, the most pro-

lific of the physical divisions of the continent of America.

While we have not yet attained to the point of producing all that is required to feed ourselves, being a people who demand a great deal and that of the best, yet we are slowly, but surely approaching that stage of our material existence. During the year under review we imported upwards of two million dollars worth of food from outside points, some of it from eastern Canada, a considerable portion from foreign sources of supply. Possibly if the figures were analyzed the fact could be shown that some portion at least of that two million dollars worth of goods—which looms so large against a population of a quarter of a million—was consumed outside of the province after contributing to the wealth of the merchants who had the good fortune to handle it. But such an analytical task must be left to competent authorities. It is our business and the business of men engaged in trade to consider the facts as they are submitted. The outstanding feature of the case is to be found in the statistics submitted by the Finance Minister. These data prove that the basic industry of new British Columbia as distinguished from the industries of old British Columbia, which dealt principally in fish, minerals and lumber—the industry of agriculture and horticulture—is making wonderful progress. While we are still importing large quantities of eggs and poultry and dairy products, we are beginning to export fruit in corresponding large quantities. And there is an unlimited market in the vast prairies, rapidly filling up with a consuming population, for all we can produce in that line. Against this demand our horticulturists are making the fullest preparation, as the figures relating to orchard cultivation prove.

Mr. R. P. Rithet, a past president of the old British Columbia Board of Trade, one of the merchant princes of the Pacific Coast, and the head of one of the leading business houses of Victoria, uttered a few encouraging words to his fellow-members at yesterday's meeting. Mr. Rithet's important business interests in the city of San Francisco necessitate his spending a great part of his time in the southern metropolis of the West. But he has great faith in the future of Victoria as a commercial centre, and the best testimony to the fullness of that faith is given by the preparations of the house of which he is the head in making to handle this business, actual and prospective. Active work in extending the wharves of the company is now proceeding. It is important that the possibility of improved rail connection with the mainland should be kept steadily in view, but more important that ample facilities for docking the great steamships now being turned out by the yards of Great Britain should be provided. This accommodation the Rithet Company is providing at the outer harbor, and for its enterprise it has placed the people of Victoria under lasting obligations.

**THE SECOND PROVINCE OF THE DOMINION.**

The annual revenue of the province of British Columbia, with a population probably not much in excess of a quarter of a million, according to the estimate of Finance Minister Tatlow, is in the neighborhood of six millions of dollars. The annual revenue of Ontario, with a population of two and a half millions, is about eight millions of dollars. The revenue of the province of Quebec, with a population somewhat less than that of Ontario, is slightly more than five millions of dollars. If the annual subsidies received from the Dominion (which are fixed principally upon a per capita basis) were deducted from these figures, the comparisons would be still more eloquently illustrative of the wonderful variety and productiveness of the resources of the Pacific Province. Some useful lessons might be drawn from the facts quoted, as well as many justifiable speculations indulged in as to the prospects of this marvellous province of British Columbia. The speculations we shall put aside for the present. The lessons we leave to Captain Tatlow and the government to learn; but one of them seems to be that if the great resources of the province were applied to the best advantage there need be no necessity for the imposition of direct taxation of any kind upon the people. To the extent that commercial and industrial enterprise is taxed, the natural activities of the population are hampered and curtailed. This is a matter which may properly be considered without permitting the ordinary prejudices of party political strife to intrude at all. There are several petty provincial imposts, the inheritance of other and less prosperous days, which might surely be dropped now that an abundant and permanent revenue is assured from other sources. Their value in results to the provincial treasury is probably not commensurate with the cost of collecting them. Besides, the summary manner in which they are collected has a bad effect upon the minds of strangers who come in with the idea of making the province a permanent place of residence.

The Times, like Ald. Henderson, was in favor of passing the Goldstream system by and going to Sooke Lake for a supply of water until it found out that an estimated expenditure of eleven hundred thousand dollars would merely result in the delivery of five million

gallons of water a day within the municipal boundaries. We thought, and fancy the majority of people who voted in favor of Sooke Lake at the late municipal elections thought, that an expenditure of the amount of money mentioned would place the whole of the capacity of Sooke Lake at the service of consumers. For an expenditure of very little, if any, more the Esquimalt system can be acquired. Its capacity is at least thirteen and a half million gallons, with an additional capacity of producing power of the value of about twenty thousand dollars a year. This in itself would pay the interest on a considerable sum of borrowed money. Furthermore the acquisition of the property of the Esquimalt Company would bring the water works system of Victoria West and the Esquimalt peninsula under control of the city, which would also mean a considerable addition to the revenue. The net cost to the city of the acquisition of the Goldstream property would therefore be very much less than the cost of going to Sooke Lake for a little more than a third of the volume of water. As a matter of fact, however, the estimated cost of going to Sooke Lake is only approximate. There is a good deal of speculation about any such undertaking as driving a tunnel of more than five miles in length through the base of a mountain one thousand feet in height. It is hard to tell what "faults" might be encountered in the heart of the hills or what the ultimate cost might be.

The Times has been taken to task for citing historical facts which go to prove that the city of Victoria is not altogether to blame for existing conditions pertaining to the waterworks question. Was there anything in the recital that was not absolutely correct? That, after all, is the point of importance. The rights acquired by the Esquimalt Water Works Company in the Goldstream property should never have been granted by the legislature, and if they had been resisted by the government in power they never would have been given. But as granted they were always subject to the paramount rights of the city. Under the circumstances what justification was there for a previous legislature imposing oppressive and unfair conditions under which the city could secure possession of the property, in question? Instead of protecting the city in its rights, as it was the duty of the legislature to do, it undertook to impose arbitrary conditions plainly intended to give the company power to exploit the people of Victoria. It was not necessary to do this in order to protect vested interests. An ordinary arbitration court would have taken good care to do that. But the award of an ordinary arbitration court evidently would not have been satisfactory to the company or to a legislature prejudiced in favor of the company. So extraordinary and unheard of conditions arbitration were imposed—conditions which have been but slightly modified under extreme pressure by the existing legislature. Under the circumstances we say neither the present city council nor past city councils are entirely to blame for the existing condition of affairs in regard to water supply and that it is unfair for anyone to assail the city and to content in the light of the facts that it is not fit to be entrusted with the management of the waterworks.

Victoria's young men acquitted themselves exceedingly well at the annual regatta of the North Pacific Association of Amateur Oarsmen held at Soattle yesterday. The four of the James Bay Club won in the junior series; they have a good chance to carry off the trophy in the seniors to-day and of restoring the ancient prestige of their club as the premier oarsmen of the Northwest. W. H. Kennedy was unfortunate in steering out of the course and being disqualified in the singles.

It is not Mr. S. Leiser who is to be felicitated upon being elected president of the Victoria Board of Trade for another year. It is the board which is to be congratulated upon securing the services of such an active, aggressive and enterprising business man as its president.

**PERSONAL**

R. W. Perry, local manager of the Great West Permanent Loan Co., went over to Vancouver to-day on the Princess Victoria on business in connection with his company.

Dr. C. S. Lane, of Santa Barbara, Cal., and Dr. E. L. Lane, of Portland, Ore., who have been the guests of Mrs. J. M. Campbell, 142 Hillside avenue, leave this evening on the Princess for Vancouver, where they will spend a few days, returning Tuesday, the 13th.

S. Baxter, inspector of boilers, left on the Princess Royal for Adlin last evening to inspect the steam plants in that district.

Messrs. Wm. Hepburn and H. Hepburn, of Edmonton, are among yesterday's arrivals.

Mrs. Rucker, Sooke, is in town.

Charles James, arrested at Ladysmith for the murder of Jack Jones at Buxton, Iowa, in December, 1924, was returned yesterday afternoon in custody of Sheriff Griffin who arrived from Buxton, Iowa, this week to conduct accused back to the scene of the alleged crime. Prior to leaving James, with permission of Superintendent Husser, telephoned a sweetheart in Ladysmith that he had decided to waive extradition and return to Buxton, Iowa.

**RATE FIXED FOR CURRENT YEAR**

**TAX IS TWENTY-SIX MILLS AND A HALF**

**Council Decides Important Question at Special Meeting.**

At a special meeting of the city council last night, with Ald. Henderson in the chair, owing to the absence of the mayor, the council struck the rate for the year at 26½ mills, which is a mill and a half over last year's tax rate. The mill and a half will yield about \$7,900 increase, and as the estimated expenditure was \$29,000 in excess of income, there still remains a shortage of \$22,000. It is proposed to take \$10,000 of the streets allowance and make up the remainder from other appropriations.

The finance committee met yesterday afternoon and agreed to make the foregoing recommendation. The council last night agreed to it with an amendment that one mill of the increase be devoted to fire protection. Ald. Henderson submitted a table of estimated extra expenditure, which read as follows:

Streets	\$ 17,000
Salt water system	13,000
Fire protection	17,775
Police extra	1,350
Interest extra	24,000
Hospital	2,500
City hall, fire hall	7,000
School trustees	25,000
Agricultural Association	2,000
Creosote plant	20,000
Total	\$146,625

**SEEKING SITE FOR EXPERIMENTAL FARM**

**Duncan Anderson Is Touring Island for Dominion Government.**

Duncan Anderson, of the agricultural department, Ottawa, is at present on Vancouver Island, inspecting farms in several localities with the view of reporting upon a tract of land for experimental farm purposes. He has visited the Saanich district and examined a number of farms more or less suitable and ascertained the prices at which they can be purchased. He is to-day at Duncan and subsequently will go to Alberni, all of which are ambitious to possess the government experimental station. On his return to Victoria he will visit the Colwood district where the Development League claim ideal conditions prevail for the purpose in view.

Mr. Anderson will report the results of his examination to Hon. S. Fisher, the minister of agriculture, who will decide according to the information supplied him. The prices for improved land within a few miles of the city of Victoria and as far out as Saanichton are said by real estate men to run from \$500 an acre down to \$200, which compared with prices paid for experimental stations in Alberta and Saskatchewan appear to be pretty high. Climate, soil, location and price will be the determining factors. Scenery is important in a certain sense but will not be considered as essential. The location must be easily accessible and the price must be reasonable.

Mr. Anderson is delighted with the environs of Victoria. The fruit farms particularly appeal to him. There was a laudable effort shown by all the horticulturists that he could not fail to notice, to maintain their orchards in the best of condition. They were clean and free from pests, something he thought these men should feel very proud of. The care of the sections devoted to fruit he could not fail to notice was greater than in the areas devoted to mixed farming. In the latter cases there was need of improvement, he thought.

**WEATHER BULLETIN.**

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, B. C., July 10, 5 a.m.—The barometer has fallen to the northward and unsettled weather is likely to become general from Northern British Columbia southward to the Columbia river. The weather is fair and moderately warm in the prairie provinces.

Forecasts:

For 24 hours ending 3 p.m. Sunday: Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, mostly cloudy and cool with showers.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, unsettled and cool with showers.

Victoria—Bar. 29.1; temp. 55, min.; 54; wind, S.W. 5 miles; rain, trace; weather, cloudy.

New Westminster—Bar. 29.4; temp. 54, min.; 54; wind, calm; rain, .02; weather, part cloudy.

Seah. Wash.—Bar. 29.4; temp. 52, min. 50; wind, S. 10 miles; rain, .10; weather, cloudy.

Portland, Ore.—Bar. 30.0; temp. 56, min. 52; wind, S.E. 4 miles; rain, .01; weather, cloudy.

Seattle—Bar. 29.8; temp. 54, min. 54; wind, S. 8 miles; rain, trace; weather, cloudy.

What's in a Name.

Farmer Hayrick—Why are you going to change the summer boarders more this year?

Farmer Cornstassel—I've called the place a bungalow.—Puck.

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—The Young Men's Baraca Bible class will meet in room 1, A.O.U.W. building, to-morrow afternoon at 2:30. Rev. C. Burnett will be the teacher. Strangers and visitors are all welcome.

—The funeral of the late Edna Marjorie Reid, the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Reid, took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the family residence, 1153 Pandora avenue. Rev. Dr. Campbell conducted the services.

—Dr. Spencer, superintendent of local option, is in the city and will preach to-morrow morning at the First Presbyterian church and in the evening at the Centennial Methodist church. He will speak on "The Outlook for clean citizenship."

—The Socialist party will hold a meeting in the New Romano theatre, on Sunday night at 8 o'clock, when John Harrington, of Fernie, organizer S. P. C., will speak on "Revolution or Reform." All are cordially invited. Admission free. Collection.

—The monthly meeting of the St. Andrew's Society will be held in Sir William Wallace hall, Broad street, on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

—Court Northern Light, A.O.F., at its half-yearly meeting next Wednesday evening, will be honored by an official visit from the D.C.R., Bro. W. G. Gray, of Vancouver, and district officers who will be present to install the officers of the following local courts: Vancouver, Northern Light; Victoria, Maple Leaf and the juvenile court. After installation a banquet will take place and a social time held.

—A very interesting booklet entitled "Fishing, Shooting, Canoe Trips, and Camping," has just been issued by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company as a guide to their patrons who wish to engage in these sports. The game animals and birds are described and pictured, and the pamphlet is a suitable size for carrying in one's pocket, being about the size of an ordinary railway folder and about a quarter of an inch thick.

—Dr. Spencer addressed the W. C. T. U. yesterday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. hall on the subject of local option. There were twenty-seven present, and Dr. Spencer's address was listened to with great interest. His report of work done throughout the province was most favorable. At the close of the address the regular business of the society was settled until after the holidays, and the meeting adjourned.

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—All the local Orange lodges will parade to the Reformed Episcopal church to-morrow morning accompanied by the Sons of England lodges. A special service in commemoration of the Battle of the Boyne will be preached by the Rev. T. W. Gladstone. All Orangemen are requested to assemble at the A. O. U. W. hall at 10 o'clock.

—Flower services will be held on Sunday at Emmanuel Baptist church. There will be special sermons by the rector, Rev. W. Stevenson. Strangers are cordially welcome. In the afternoon at 2:30 the Sunday school will be held as usual, and the Bible study class conducted by the pastor meets in the church at the same hour.

—A gospel service will be conducted at the Indian church, upper Chatham street, between Douglas and Blanchard streets, by Rev. A. E. Russ, Sunday night at 7 o'clock. Tuesday at 7 p.m. tea will be served with an entertainment and address afterwards. Rev. A. E. Russ and other speakers will be present. Public cordially invited.

—The prizes for the annual field meet of the St. Andrew's Society, which will be held next Saturday at Oak Bay park, are on view in the window of the Victoria Sporting Goods Company's store, Douglas street. The prizes consist of cups, medals, trinkets, etc., and are worth training and competing for.

**ROCK CRUSHER FOR THE CITY**

**COUNCIL DECIDES UPON A NEW ONE**

Property Owners on Wharf Street Asked to Connect With Sewer.

Owners of property on Wharf street will be advised that the city council intends paving the street immediately, and that it will be cheaper for them to connect with the sewers before the work is commenced than after the paving is completed. The streets, bridges and sewers committee which met at the close of the council meeting last evening decided that the owners who are affected should be communicated with at once. The city solicitor advised that the council has the right to pass a by-law to put in branch sewers and connections on the local improvement plan. The council, however, decided to give the property owners notice and an opportunity to make the connections themselves before the street is paved.

A representative of the T. L. Smith company, Portland, put before the council the advantages of a rock crusher at a cost of \$2,600. It will be driven by a gasoline engine and is portable. Engineer Topp being in favor of it the council ordered the purchase. The machine will be delivered under guarantee of efficiency at once. It will be eighteen to twenty horse power, and crush twenty to forty tons per hour.

The engineer and the mayor were appointed a committee to interview R. F. Rihet regarding the erection of a concrete tank at the outer wharf.

Work on the causeway will be commenced at once. The improvement by-law has been advertised the full time, and the required thirty days has now elapsed and no objections have been made. The committee passed the following sewer work which will be paid for from the proceeds of the last sewer loan by-law and cost \$40,825:

- Belton avenue, Victoria West, \$10,125.
- Gladstone avenue, from Belmont avenue to Shakespeare street, \$1,940.
- Cook street, May street to Dallas road, \$1,900.
- Belmont avenue, Gladstone avenue to Fort street, and an outlet for same via Fort street, \$4,950.
- Adelaide street to May street, and 50 feet along May street, \$1,220.
- Chapman street easterly from Cook street, \$1,500.
- Linden avenue, south of Richardson street, \$6,325.
- McBride avenue via Bay street to Douglas street, \$1,500.
- Howard avenue, extension, \$900.
- Cornwall street, from the lane south, \$425.
- Suttie street, from Cook street westerly, \$750.
- Pembroke avenue, between Haughton and Lydia streets, \$6,000.
- Richardson street, \$3,500.

**ENTRIES FOR MONDAY'S RACES AT WILLOWS.**

The entries for Monday at the Willows race track are as follows:

- 1st race—5 furlongs; purse; maiden; 2 year colts and geldings:
- 4529 Maternus ..... 111
- 4615 Mr. I. Hose ..... 108
- 4615\* Orsidora ..... 108
- 4629 Barry Mason ..... 108
- 4629 Oratio ..... 111
- Orsilda ..... 108
- 4533 Terrago ..... 108
- \*Orsilda and Orsilda coupled as Schreiber entry.
- 2nd race—5 furlongs; selling; 3 year olds and up:
- 4641 Sadie H. .... 112
- 4641 Louis Streuber ..... 106
- 4591 Cyros ..... 107
- 4642 Golden ..... 108
- 4641 Infonation ..... 108
- 4641 A. B. C. .... 106
- 4576 Anna Karenina ..... 112
- 4654 Marianna ..... 107
- 4615 Sid Silver ..... 114
- 3rd race—5 furlongs; selling; 3 year olds and up:
- 4628 La Rose ..... 112
- 4628 Water Thrush ..... 112
- 4632 Hugert ..... 117
- 4632 Toller ..... 117
- 4617 Mike Hennessy ..... 117
- 4590 Alcibiades ..... 114
- 4620 Alex ..... 112
- 4549 Rossaro ..... 104
- 4th race—6 1/2 furlongs; purse; 3 year olds and up:
- 4618 Illusion ..... 114
- 4618 Burligh ..... 108
- 4587 Convent Bell ..... 107
- 4657 Elizabeth Harwood ..... 97
- 4629 Edwin T. Fryer ..... 112
- L.A. 660 2541 Bellmickler ..... 109
- 5th race—1 mile 70 yards; selling; 3 year olds and up:
- 4642 Mr. Bishop ..... 102
- 4648 Sir Angus ..... 112
- 4605 My Pal ..... 114
- 4630 Ripper ..... 114
- (4619) Old Settler ..... 114
- (4652) Mire ..... 114
- (4653) Renee W. .... 105
- 4605 Flavius ..... 105
- 4574 Ired ..... 112
- 4631 Saracinesca ..... 114
- 6th race—6 furlongs; selling; 4 year olds and up:
- 4575 Merry ..... 114
- 4616 Sophomore ..... 105
- 4643 Vronsky ..... 107
- 4631 Sam McO'Brien ..... 114
- (4628) Firm Foot ..... 114
- 4657 Ariside ..... 117
- 4630 Adena ..... 105
- \*Apprentice entries.

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TIMES' SMALL ADS. PAY

**MRS. FISKE AS SALVATION NELL**  
GREAT ACTRESS IN HER LATEST CREATION  
Play Deals With Slum Life in New York—Star Was Well Supported.

As "Salvation Nell," a role of an entirely different type to any of those in which she has achieved fame, Mrs. Fiske last evening played to a capacity house in the Victoria theatre.

However, opinions may vary as to the merits of the play itself, there is but one as to the central figure. In "Salvation Nell" the great actress who has created such diverse characters as "Tea," "Hedda," "Gabriel," "Leah Kleehans," "Becky Sharp" and "Miranda," steps down to the humbler walks of life and gives us an interpretation of the heart and mind and aspiration of a scrub woman, and, later, Salvation Army worker, in the slums of New York, which is worthy of her genius. That one would rather see her in some other of her creations is no disparagement of her conception of this. The slums are a grim reality of great city life, although one prefers not to see or think of their misery, and deep down in them are to be found as much human feeling and as intense emotion as in any happier strata of humanity. And while one may not care to be reminded that there is a largely peopled underworld, it is as properly a source of dramatic inspiration as any phase of the life we are familiar with. Mrs. Fiske gives a vivid picture of a high-strung, warm-hearted, ignorant and unfortunate girl, saved from the surroundings in which, as she says, "none of us get any chance," by the agency of that great organization which is so effective for good in just such circumstances, and developing an influence which not only makes her a service to her lowly fellows, but saves the man she loves from the moral plane, as Myrtle Odell, played by Hope Latham, whose frank remarks introduced a spice of humor as a foil to more serious passages. Among the slum women the small part of Mrs. Baxter was admirably taken by Gilda Varesi, a young Italian girl who is making a place for herself on the American stage. W. T. Clarke, as Sid McGovern, and Major Williams, deserve mention. The selfishness shown by the latter character stands out in relief against the spirit of self-sacrifice shown by officers of the army in general.

There is a note of realism about the play which should please the most exacting audience on this continent, just as it will offend many by its intensity. The first scene is laid in a saloon in one of the slums of New York and the second in Cherry street. Both are marked by all the attention to the smallest detail which Harrison Grey and Mrs. Fiske lavish upon their productions. The sordid tenements, their surroundings, all are seen in the third act. Children playing, women gossiping from fire-escape to fire-escape, street brawls and, the one hope for uplift, the Salvation Army quarters, are a faithful and vivid picture of one of the most crowded portions of any American city. These two settings are the most complete that have been seen on a Victoria stage for a long time. While the play as a whole has been called a divine comedy of the slums, and is so, the tragic note of that side of life makes itself felt throughout.

—A. Griffiths, a Nanaimo plumber, and a woman named May Chan, the wife of a Chinese, were arrested here yesterday charged with theft of a horse and buggy from a livery stable proprietor at Ladysmith. The pair drove from Ladysmith yesterday and were met here by the police and held until \$25 was paid by the woman for hire of the vehicle. The woman said her mother was dying in Seattle and she was anxious to reach that city.

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by a company of sterling merit. In her care for the production she is putting on she never sacrifices efficiency, as some stars do, to the desire to shine undimmed by the light of others of less magnitude. If the scene demands it she subordinates her own part, and in doing so but affords another proof of a dramatic talent which needs no comparison. "Salvation Nell" calls for a very heavy cast, although the speaking parts are not numerous in proportion. Jim Platt, Nell's lover, is played by Holbrook Billin, one of the most successful of the "Napoleons" who have been seen in "Madame Sans Gene." Mr. Billin presented a finished conception of the youth who yet has faint glimmerings of something better far back in his soul and is finally led to the right by Nell's love for him. The part is a difficult one to play but all through Mr. Billin showed a fine sense of the unities. It should be said for the present danger of a lapse into melodrama in the first and third acts there was not even a momentary slip. One felt that what was being enacted before them was the reality in bald truth; that there was no exaggeration.

Lieutenant Maggie O'Sullivan was played by Mary Madison, in private life Miss Charlotte Thompson, a dramatist and well-known Frisco newspaper woman. It was a large hearted and sympathetic army officer that she portrayed, talking to the denizens of the slums in their own slang, but winning their confidence and respect and exercising a good influence. At the other end of the moral plane, was Myrtle Odell, played by Hope Latham, whose frank remarks introduced a spice of humor as a foil to more serious passages. Among the slum women the small part of Mrs. Baxter was admirably taken by Gilda Varesi, a young Italian girl who is making a place for herself on the American stage. W. T. Clarke, as Sid McGovern, and Major Williams, deserve mention. The selfishness shown by the latter character stands out in relief against the spirit of self-sacrifice shown by officers of the army in general.

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**TRAVEL HEAVY TO THIS CITY**  
MORE PASSENGERS THAN EVER BEFORE  
Princess Royal Carried Large Number and Much Freight North.

"Travel is heavier by our steamers than it has ever been before, except for a short time, when the two bit rate was in force," said Capt. Troup this morning. "I don't know but what it is larger than it was even then, and the class of people is much better. These are legitimate tourists who have money to spend. They are much more good to a town than the two-bit men."

"Yes," continued the captain, "in spite of what the 'bores' of trade and some of the newspapers have been saying, travel is very heavy. There are a great many of the visitors to the Seattle fair coming over, most of the people from the east calling at Victoria either coming or going."

Speaking of the northern trade, the captain said that the Princess Royal took a large crowd from here, and from Vancouver to-night she would have more applying than could be taken. She is also taking a heavy freight cargo to Wrangell, which will be trans-shipped to the Hudson's Bay steamer Fort Simpson for the upper waters of the Stikine.

The Princess Ena also left Vancouver with a very large cargo of freight for Skagway and Queen Charlotte Islands. She is taking the machinery for the new fishing station at Pacifico on Solway Islet. She is in command of Capt. Gunns of the tug Nanosee. Capt. Neourout, of the Beatrice, slipped on the deck and injured his knee cap, thus necessitating his staying at home. Capt. Whiteley, of the Ena, took his place. Capt. Springhall, of the Cesar, is taking the Nanosee.

L. D. Chetham, city agent of the C. P. R., says that travel to and from Europe has been heavy over their lines of late. They are selling a large number of tickets for both ways.

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**ADVOCATES USE OF COAL FROM B. C.**

**Shippers of Seattle Object to Competition From Foreign Vessels.**

The shipping men of the Western United States are advocating the use of British Columbia coal on the United States war vessels, and George F. Thorndyke, of Seattle, manager of the Globe Navigation Co., has taken the matter up with the navy department. The shippers object that the engaging of foreign vessels to bring coal from the Atlantic to this coast ruins the shipping here, as the vessels which bring coal have to return, and they are willing to cut the rates in order to get a cargo. He says:

"It seems to me the solution offered to use Comox and other British Columbia coal is one that would assist our shipping most, and also serve the navy best. I am sure that our coal operators would welcome the purchase of large quantities of British Columbia coal by the department, because that would probably assist them to recover some of the California coal trade, which was formerly enjoyed by a large share of, but in which we have not participated for many months, even to the extent of one full cargo, whereas we formerly shipped yearly probably 300,000 tons from Puget Sound to San Francisco. Then the coal mines in British Columbia are owned in that province, with the exception of 10 per cent, that American capital is invested in some of them. Then many laborers in those mines are supplied from the American side; they are constantly travelling back and forth, spending more or less of their earnings. All of the revenue derived from the output of those mines is placed in circulation on this coast. The profits are not sent to Europe, as are those profits derived from the frange engaged in transporting government coal. I have been talking with marine engineers who have bared both Welsh and Comox coals, and by them have been informed that there is no greater danger from spontaneous combustion with Comox coal than the former."

"We are in nowise concerned in coal mines or any other business, excepting operation of lumber vessels which are operating unprofitably in the foreign trade. Our exports this year are smaller than in 1908, which I attribute largely to the fact that owing to the tremendous low rates, both lumber and four were rushed to China and Japan, while lumber was rushed to Australia, congesting those markets, thereby resulting disastrously to the manufacturers last year. My conclusion being that ridiculously low rates for a short period demoralize business rather than stimulate it."

**NEW STEAMSHIP LINE WILL NOT CUT RATES**

**Osaka Shosen Kaishars to Comply With Existing Freight Schedules.**

The Osaka Shosen Kaisha, through its American executive officers in Tacoma, made application yesterday for membership in the trans-Pacific tariff bureau, which makes the rates for all the major steamship lines engaged in American-Oriental trade.

Participation of the new Japanese line in the bureau means that its rates on all shipments originating on the coast will be the same as those of other bureau members. No announcement is made as to what position the Osaka Shosen Kaisha will take with respect to the other lines as regards through business. Owing to the interstate commerce commission's ruling promulgated a year ago, which requires railroads participating with steamship lines in carrying business to establish the inland proportion of their through rates, there has been one of the greatest slumps in Oriental shipping on record and shippers have been speculating for months as to whether or not the Osaka Shosen Kaisha, doing business in conjunction with the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound, and the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroads, will object under the through rates quoted by other participating carriers. The alliance of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha with the trans-Pacific bureau indicates, assert shippers, that the new line will not engage in any disastrous rate cutting, or at least not until the tariff is entirely adjusted and trans-Pacific shipping returns to its normal volume.

The aggressive policy of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha and the Milwaukee system in creating through business is pronounced by shippers to be something entirely new in competitive traffic, and is an indication, they say, that the new alliance will prove a profitable one from the start.

**PRINCESS ROYAL COLLIDES WITH BOOM**  
Section of Cedar Cut Out as Steamer Left for Vancouver.

When the Princess Royal pulled out of the harbor early this morning shortly after one o'clock, she ran into a boom of logs in the West Bay. The boom, which had been brought up from Jordan river by the tug Beatrice, had put into the harbor to get out of a heavy swell which was running outside. It was 10 o'clock when she came in, and, as she was anxious to proceed to Sidney this morning, the tug went into West Bay, where she thought the boom would be out of the way for the night. The tug draws ten feet of water and pulled until the soundings showed eleven feet, when she could not go any farther.

At midnight the Charmer passed out and did not touch the boom, but a little over an hour later the Royal ran into the last section, breaking it up, and this morning the logs were all over the harbor. They were gathered up by the Indians and the boom was taken into the upper harbor for repairs.

The Beatrice is the tug that was purchased recently from Captain Bergquist, of Sidney, by the Jordan River Lumber Company, now the Michigan Pacific Lumber Company. She was in charge of Captain Aaroe, who said he thought there was plenty of room for the steamer to pass. Apparently the steamer was not damaged, for she continued her run to Vancouver, from which point she goes north to-night.

The boom was a long one, all the lumber being cedar, which is sold to a firm at Ballard. It will be towed to Sidney, where the Ballard tug will come for it. There were 20 sections in all, the last of which was cut out by the Royal.

**FISH TRAP LEAD IS WASHED OUT**

**Repairs of Permanent Character Being Made—Sockeyes Running.**

The lead into the fish trap at Trial Island has been washed out and the tug Squid, with pile drivers, is now busy repairing it. At the opening of the season this trap did well, and great things are expected of it if only they can keep it from being washed away. The tides at that point are very strong and when there is a sea running, the strain on the piles is tremendous. Captain Matthews is of opinion, however, that by putting in the proper stays the trap will stand all the tests that can be given it.

The sockeyes have commenced to run and canning operations have in a small way commenced both at Findlay, Durham & Brodie's cannery at the outer wharf, and also at the Empire cannery at Esquimalt.

The trap owners are already doubling up the number of tenders, each firm having two tugs to handle the scows. The Progressive yesterday brought in 300 spring salmon from Findlay, Durham & Brodie's traps, and left some sockeyes at the outer wharf. Todd's traps set about fifteen tons of spring salmon to the salters as well as some sockeyes to Esquimalt, and Bell Irving's traps are also catching fish. Most of the spring salmon have been taken by the Findlay, Durham & Brodie traps.

Now that the run of sockeyes has commenced it is expected that it will increase every day until it will be all the canneries can do to handle the fish.

—The Yorkshire picnic, which was to have been held this afternoon, has been postponed on account of the weather until next Saturday.

—Despite the dullness of the weather the water at the Gorge is fairly warm. The attendance of beginners at Ian St. Clair's swimming school has been especially good, more having joined than in any first week of previous years. D. Kerr, of South Park, and V. Ramsdale, of North Ward, have been leading in class work.

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Paving to be of vitrified brick, laid on cement foundation. Tenders will be required to send in with their tenders a certified check on an incorporated bank of Canada the sum of \$500, made payable to the City Treasurer, which check will be returned to unsuccessful bidders. After the contract is signed, the successful bidder's check will be retained as security until the completion and acceptance of the work. The Corporation will supply the necessary bricks free on the wharf. The time for completion of work three months from date of signing the contract. The work to be done to the satisfaction of the City Engineer and in accordance with the specifications which can be seen at the Purchasing Agent's Office. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. W. NORTHCOTT,  
Purchasing Agent.  
City Hall, July 6th, 1909.

**STEAMER IROQUOIS IS AGAIN ON RUN**

Rudder Repaired at Turpel's Ways and First Trip To-Morrow.

The steamer Iroquois, Captain Sears, which lost her propeller a few days ago off Pender Island, has been repaired and is once more in readiness to carry a full complement of passengers among the beautiful islands of the Straits of Georgia. She will leave Turpel's yards to-day after having been fitted with a new rudder.

The excursions on this steamer have always proved very popular. This year already a great many have taken advantage of the opportunity to see the Thousand Islands of the Straits. People from as far away as New York, who have heard of the beauty of these islands, have made the trip, and a number have been disappointed during the last few days at being unable to go. The train to Sidney leaves at 7:45 to-morrow morning and connects with the boat, and does not leave for Victoria in the evening until the steamer arrives.

On her trip to-morrow the steamer will call at Pender, Mayne, Galliano and Salt Spring Islands.

Argentina's area under cultivation is now 25,000,000 acres, comparing with 12,000,000 in 1908.

**SHIPPING REPORT**

By Dominion Wireless.

Cape Lazo, July 10, 8 a. m.—Overcast; bar. 29.92; temp. 66; sea smooth. Rupert City passed south 8 a. m. Princess Ena northbound at 8 a. m.

Point Grey, July 10, 8 a. m.—Cloudy; wind southeast; bar. 29.92; temp. 66; sea smooth. Tatoosh, July 10, 8 a. m.—Light rain; wind south 10 miles; bar. 29.90; temp. 53; in three-masted barge at 8:30 a. m.; steamer Jephson 5 a. m.

Estevan, July 10, 8 a. m.—Light rain; bar. 29.85; temp. 54; sea moderate; Leebro anchored at 7 a. m.

Pachena, July 10, 8 a. m.—Light rain; bar. 29.83; temp. 50; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo, July 10, noon—Showers; wind southeast; bar. 29.85; temp. 64.

Point Grey, July 10, noon—Cloudy; wind southeast; bar. 29.85; temp. 70; sea moderate.

Tatoosh, July 10, noon—Rain; wind southeast 6 miles; bar. 29.92; temp. 54; passed out, Aggie at 8:35 a. m.; Nebraskan at 9:50 a. m.; steam schooner Fairhaven 11:40 a. m.

Estevan, July 10, noon—Raining; wind southeast; bar. 29.85; temp. 53; sea rough.

Pachena, July 10, noon—Cloudy; wind southeast; bar. 29.80; temp. 53; sea smooth.

Steamer Kostrel, of the fisheries protection department, is tied up at Vancouver undergoing an overhaul. This is the first overhaul she has had since she has been in the service and it will take a number of weeks to complete the work. The Kostrel commenced work between six and seven years ago.

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**BAYS CAPTURE FOUR-OARED RACE**

EXCITING CONTEST ON LAKE WASHINGTON

W. H. Kennedy Veers from the Course in the Junior Singles.

Seattle, Wash., July 10.—Pulling over the mile and one half course with every ounce of their strength, and rowing in such perfect form that their dripping blades caused scarcely a ripple in the smooth water of Lake Washington, the James Bay Athletic Association crew No. 1, of Victoria, consisting of Jack McCarter, stroke; H. C. Hoggood, 3; R. G. Montath, 2; F. Monk, bow; captured the feature race—the four-oared event for junior oarsmen—beating the nearest crew, the Portland four, by five lengths in the first day of the regatta held under the auspices of the North Pacific Association of Amateur Oarsmen.

Six shells, in each of which sat four powerful oarsmen, lined up between the two starting buoys, waiting for the crack of the pistol which was to start them off on a test of speed and endurance. Portland, Nelson, Vancouver, the Algonquin Club of Seattle and two fours from the James Bay A. A. started in the race. The first J. B. A. A. crew, which was a dark horse in the race, capturing the honors in the fast time of 8 minutes 19 seconds.

Nelson got away first with a good long even stroke, averaging about 28 on the start. Portland, Vancouver and James Bay, number 1 and 2, came along quickly in the centre of the course with the Algonquin Club, of Seattle, well to the outside. Here the prettiest rowing of the day was witnessed. The men ploughed along the course straining every muscle, and responding promptly and accurately to the increase of the stroke. The Nelson men increasing their strokes with every two minutes' work, continued to gain. Victoria four, number 2, using the short choppy stroke and hard foot work, ploughed along in the second berth behind James Bays. Number 2 crew with the Algonquin four of Seattle fought it out nip and tuck on the outside course. When nearly two-thirds of the course had been covered Nelson looked like a sure winner. Portland's crew was second place, they having crept up length by length with long strokes. J. B. A. A. No. 1 was back in the third berth by now, with Vancouver and the James Bay second four was still tugging away with the Algonquins four of Seattle on the outside course.

By a marvellous effort the James Bay No. 1 crew, when within ten boat lengths of the final stake, shot the frail craft forward. Then a fluke occurred which in the minds of many lost the race for the Nelson four, and which undoubtedly lost them the honors of the second place. The two stake buoys are situated at a peculiar angle, one seemingly further up to the bend of the course than the other. The Nelson four on the outside of the course alongside the James Bay four, crossed the outside signal bunting just when the shot from the judge's gun proclaimed the finish. Thinking they had won, they stopped rowing, and allowed their craft to drift back into the course. The other boats, with the exception of the Algonquins, rowed along up to the finishing stakes, coming in, Portland, second; Vancouver, third; and James Bay No. 2, fourth.

**RESULTS OF GAMES IN BASEBALL LEAGUES**

(Times Leased Wire.) NATIONAL.

Philadelphia, July 9.—Scores were as follows: R. H. E. Chicago ..... 1 8 3 Philadelphia ..... 5 11 9 Batteries—Pfeister, Higginbotham, Reagan and Archer; Moore and Martol.

Boston, July 8.—Scores were as follows: R. H. E. St. Louis ..... 3 7 1 Boston ..... 4 8 9 Batteries—Beabe and Phelps; Mattson and Bowerman.

Brooklyn, July 9.—Scores were as follows: R. H. E. Cincinnati ..... 4 12 2 Brooklyn ..... 3 6 2 Batteries—Rowan, Gaspar and McLean; Hunter and Bergen.

New York, July 9.—Scores were as follows: First Game. R. H. E. Pittsburgh ..... 2 11 2 New York ..... 5 10 4 Batteries—Maddox, Camnitz and Gibson; Ames, Marquard, Grandall and Schiel.

Second Game. R. H. E. Pittsburgh ..... 4 8 0 New York ..... 2 11 3 Batteries—Phillipi and Gibson; Raymond, Ames and Schiel.

American. Chicago, July 9.—Scores were as follows: R. H. E. Boston ..... 2 8 2 Chicago ..... 1 4 0 Batteries—Arrellanes and Donohue; Buris and Sullivan.

Detroit, July 9.—Scores were as follows: R. H. E. Philadelphia ..... 2 8 2 Detroit ..... 0 7 2 Batteries—Plank and Thomas; Works and Stange.

Cleveland, July 9.—Scores were as follows: R. H. E. Washington ..... 4 11 1 Cleveland ..... 3 11 1 Batteries—Hughes and Street; Berger, Easterly and Bemis.

St. Louis, July 9.—Scores were as follows: R. H. E. St. Louis ..... 2 9 1 New York ..... 5 8 3 Batteries—Waddell, Criss and Stevens; Lake and Kleinow.

Northwestern. Vancouver, July 9.—Scores were as follows: R. H. E. Vancouver ..... 1 3 2 Aberdeen ..... 3 8 2 Batteries—Hall and Brooks; Most, Siever and Kretz.

Spokane, July 9.—Scores were as follows: R. H. E. Spokane ..... 4 9 2 Tacoma ..... 0 6 2 Batteries—Dellar and Spencer; Clafin and Kellackey.

Portland, July 9.—Scores were as follows: R. H. E. Portland ..... 1 3 1 Seattle ..... 0 3 0 Batteries—Gough and Fournier; Thompson and Shea.

Coast. Los Angeles, July 9.—Scores were as follows: R. H. E. Portland ..... 4 6 0 Vernon ..... 1 6 1 Batteries—Graney and Armbruster; Willets and Hogan.

San Francisco, July 9.—Scores were as follows: Oakland ..... 2 10 2 San Francisco ..... 1 7 1 Batteries—Christian and La Longe; Browning and Barry.

Sacramento, July 9.—Scores were as follows: Sacramento ..... 2 7 2 Los Angeles ..... 3 7 2

**STANDING OF CLUBS IN BASEBALL LEAGUES**

EASTERN.

Buffalo—Buffalo 4; Montreal 2. Rochester—Rochester 11; Toronto 3. Newark—Newark 3; Providence 2. Baltimore—Baltimore 1; Jersey City 2.

NORTHWESTERN.

Seattle ..... W. L. Pct. Spokane ..... 55 27 .671 Aberdeen ..... 42 38 .522 Vancouver ..... 39 43 .475 Portland ..... 37 42 .468 Tacoma ..... 32 53 .378

NATIONAL.

Pittsburg ..... W. L. Pct. Chicago ..... 51 19 .729 New York ..... 45 26 .631 Cincinnati ..... 40 26 .606 Philadelphia ..... 37 33 .529 St. Louis ..... 36 40 .476 Brooklyn ..... 25 44 .362 Boston ..... 20 49 .290

AMERICAN.

Detroit ..... W. L. Pct. Philadelphia ..... 47 28 .627 Boston ..... 44 26 .629 Cleveland ..... 43 30 .589 New York ..... 39 32 .549 Chicago ..... 32 37 .464 St. Louis ..... 28 41 .406 Washington ..... 23 47 .329

**PRIDE CIGAR TEAM WINS**

In an interesting game of baseball, played at the city park, Quadra street, last evening, the Pride Cigar ball tossers defeated the North Ward nine by a score of 17 to 9. It was not until the seventh inning when Hughie Clark announced that the balloon was ready for the excitement. The Prides scored 9 runs. For the winners, Tommy Peden pitched like a veteran and his work with the stick was the feature of the game. Pat McDonald and Snorky Medina were excellent in the field and the way they handled grounders would make big leaguers envious. Capt. Geo. Phillips is to be complimented on the way he handled the Prides, and it was largely through his coaching that they won. This is the Pride's first victory and the boys declare they will scalp every team they play in the future. For the losers, Nemo-Dakars was the star. His pitching was all that could be desired but through the poor support accorded him the Wards lost. Sammy Shanks gave entire satisfaction as umpire.

**ANOTHER UMPIRE**

(Times Leased Wire.) Salt Lake, Utah, July 10.—Bill Carney, umpire in the disbanded Intermountain league, left last night for Portland to join President Lucas' staff of umpires in the Northwestern league. Carney is an old ball player, well known all over the Northwest and his first umpiring was in the Intermountain league. Locally he is considered the best umpire that ever held an indicator on a Salt Lake diamond, and fans freely predict he will make good with a rush. He holds a record here this year of pulling a full nine innings game off in 1:15, and his games seldom went over 1:25. He is absolute master of the playing field at all times.

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**IRISH WEALTH IDLE IN BANKS**

INCREASE GREATEST IN POOREST PARTS  
Remarkable Figures Shown in Recent State Paper.

If increase of deposits in savings banks be indication of a country's prosperity, then Ireland since 1881 has indeed prospered, as, according to a return issued, the increase in deposits in the post office and trustee saving banks in Ireland from 31st December, 1881, to 31st December, 1907, was phenomenal, says the Irish Independent.

In every county during the period did deposits increase substantially, and a remarkable feature is that it is in poorer counties that some of the largest increases have taken place. A point to be borne in mind, however, and one which is not mentioned in the return, is that in Ireland lack of opportunity for investment is responsible for the hoarding up of a large amount of capital.

In 1881, the return shows, the total number of accounts open in Irish post offices was 97,199, and the amount, including interest, standing to credit of these accounts was £1,725,335. By 1896 accounts had increased to 301,976 and deposits to £6,153,778, while on 31st December, 1907, the accounts numbered 525,441, and deposits amounted to £19,575,914.

During the same period deposits in Trustee Savings Banks also increased, but not to anything like the same extent. In 1881 there were 32,997 accounts open in Irish trustee Savings Banks, and the amount to credit of depositors was £2,978,706. By 1896 accounts had decreased to 48,911, but deposits stood at £2,131,215, while at the end of 1907 accounts had regained their position, and stood at 54,782, with deposits amounting to £2,513,244.

Taken together, the total number of accounts open in Post Offices and Trustee Savings Banks in 1881 was 150,097, with deposits £3,802,101; in 1896, accounts 359,577, deposits £8,334,993; and in 1907, accounts 580,223, with deposits £19,089,158, showing for the whole of Ireland an increase in 1907 of 244.3 per cent.

An analysis of these figures reveals some remarkable results. Whereas in Kerry in 1881 there were only 1,135 depositors, whose deposits amounted to £24,881, by 1896 depositors had increased to 4,449, and amount to their credit to £128,571; while in 1907 there were 9,265 accounts open, with a deposit of £275,767. In Longford, 517 accounts open in 1881 increased to 3,228 in 1907, and deposits from £10,092 to £94,704, an increase of 333.3 per cent.; while the deposits in poverty-stricken Galway increased from £59,889 to credit of 2,181 depositors in 1881 to £195,624 standing in the names

**INCREASE GREATEST IN POOREST PARTS**

of 19,216 depositors in 1907, an increase of 423.9 per cent.

Another remarkable increase was in Leitrim, where depositors increased from 558 to 3,301, and their accounts from £13,482 to £110,564, an increase of 723.1 per cent.; while in Mayo depositors increased from 1,679 to 10,845, and their accounts from £48,575 to £382,870, an increase of 683.4 per cent.

The most prosperous county according to this reckoning is Antrim, where depositors have increased from 20,456 to 104,928, and the amount to their credit from £441,799 to £2,370,337, an increase of 436.5 per cent. Dublin comes next, and it is noteworthy that in this county there are more depositors than in Antrim, although the amount to their credit is smaller. In 1881 the number of accounts open in Dublin Savings Banks was 38,765, in 1896 84,786, and in 1907 136,482. The total deposits in these offices in 1881 was £620,672, in 1896 £1,309,611, and in 1907 £1,523,658, an increase of 193.9 per cent. In Cork deposits increased from £558,712 in 1881 to £1,394,696 in 1907, an increase of 149.8 per cent.; while the smallest increase occurred in Fermanagh, where deposits only increased from £169,572 in 1881 to £257,981 in 1907, an increase of 52.1 per cent.

In other counties the percentage of increase in 1907 over 1881 were: Armagh, 104.1; Carlow, 337.7; Cavan, 618.2; Clare, 492.1; Donegal, 658.3; Down, 295.4; Kildare, 196.5; Kilkenny, 292.2; King's County, 194.5; Limerick, 183.6; Derry, 118.9; Louth, 198.9; Meath, 364.4; Monaghan, 330.8; Queen's County, 304.8; Roscommon, 323.4; Sligo, 467.7; Tipperary, 283.5; Tyrone, 175.7; Waterford, 322.6; Westmeath, 264.4; Wexford, 299.8; Wicklow, 321.4.

The reduction of rentals is a factor to which these increases may be attributable, and the return shows that the percentage by which the total rental dealt with under Land Law Acts, in the period ended 31st March, 1908, has been reduced for a first statutory term is for the whole of Ireland 20.7, Ulster 19.8, Leinster 20.1, Connaught 21.6 and Munster 22.2.

The percentage by which the total first term rental has been reduced for the second term is 19.4, Ulster 22.8, Leinster 18.3, Connaught 17.5, and Munster 18.3, while the percentage by which the total rental under the above acts, which has been twice revised, has been reduced during the period mentioned is: for the whole of Ireland 35.9, Ulster 47.5, Leinster 33.3, Connaught 34.1 and Munster 36.3.

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**THIRTIETH DAY OF RACE MEET**

HALF TIME PASSED AT WILLOWS TRACK

Good Sport in the Different Events Yesterday Afternoon.

The Victoria Country Club race meeting yesterday reached its thirtieth day by a world's record for half mile races when Fantastic repeated and in the fourth race over one and a sixteenth miles registered 1:48 3/5th, the fastest time the distance has ever been done on a regular half mile track in the world. The record for the Willows over the distance was 1:51. Fantastic was ridden by Archibald. He kept the horse second to Capt. Burnett till the three-quarter post, and then went to the front. Fantastic had more pace and increased his distance, winning by a length and a half. Johnstown beat Burnett for the place, and the latter just saved in the money by a nose from Mill Song.

Two bad starts marked the half way day of the club and a most unusual sight of a horse left at the post ten lengths, getting to the front in two furlongs, and holding his lead when in the opening race of the card. Dr. Richard Dwyer pulled the cord when Cliff Rogers was not ready, and the field went away while Rogers was side on to the barrier. Jessupburn and Dandy Fine had the lead, and Intonation bore the field wide, every horse running out at the first turn and staying out past the water tank. The rails were clear all round, and Cliff Rogers ten lengths away here in and made up lost ground, catching Jessupburn when the field turned into the back straight. The Boyle horse got the lead, and made it too hot for Jessupburn, winning by four lengths. Dandy Fine was beaten for second place by a nose. It was not a true run race.

Robert Gray threw Horton through a stumble at the far turn, but the boy was not injured. Lazell, which received a lot of play in the last few minutes before post time, was badly left at the post in the second race. Archibald sent Mr. Bishop to the front, but Golden and La Taranta outran him into the straight, where all positions were altered. Dr. White coming from third to first, with La Taranta and Rama in the places. Reene W. Freize and Sir Angus was the order of the finish in the mile and seventy yards. The winner took the lead in the first turn and held the position without difficulty. The distance was too far for Rose Cherry, Vronsky was not ready, nor was Zelita.

Lady Quality, a point better price than Herives, won the fifth by two lengths, with the favorite second and David Boland third. Archibald secured his second win for three mounts. The defeat of Ben Stone in the last race from a good start, by Father Stafford, recorded the fifth favorite beaten for the day. Incentive got third money. Light rain fell at the track yesterday afternoon, but was not sufficient to make the track heavy, nor did it interfere with the attentiveness which he keeping up to the numbers of all week days.

The horses finished in the following order in the different races: First race—Four and a half furlongs. Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first \$150. Horse and Jockey. Op. Cl. Cliff Rogers, D. Riley (104) ..... 3 7 Jessupburn, Anderson (59) ..... 10 9 Dandy Fine, Vosper (100) ..... 4 6 Saddle H., McEwen (105) ..... 2 25 Medora, Ross (108) ..... 1 1 Mr. Bishop, Archibald (105) ..... 3 4 Gh. C. Callahan (95) ..... 15 30 Intonation, Quay (99) ..... 10 10 Robert Gray, Horton (99) ..... 10 50 Time, 1:29 2/5.

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**THE RING. WILLE AND MARTIN.**  
(Times Leased Wire.) Philadelphia, Pa., July 10.—John Wille failed to stop Terry Martin at the Broadway Athletic Club last night, although Wille outweighed Martin by forty pounds and staggered him in every round.

**STANDEN VS. LAUDER.**  
Final arrangements have been made for a fifteen round boxing contest in the area of the Napsack Athletic Club on the 17th of the month, between Standen and Lauder. They will put up a \$50 deposit for their appearance. The fight will be for a \$400 purse, to be divided 65 per cent. to the winner and 35 per cent. to the loser. In Standen, Nanaimo fight fans think they have a good man, and while they are ready to admit Lauder's fast work and ring generalship they are still confident of the ability of their man to land the championship. Standen has never yet been beaten, is fast, and carries a very servicable punch.

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A washout on the Intercoastal railway at Murphy's bridge, two miles from Antigonish, carried away sections of track for over a mile and made the road impassable for trains. Traffic between Nova Scotia and the Cape Breton coal districts was suspended Friday.

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**Emerald Isle, While Not in it  
Now, Was Foremost in  
Aeronautics.**

Although we cannot boast of a Zeppelin-airship or inventor—and although in the department of aeronautics, as in some other respects, Ireland is virtually, to use a sporting phrase, "not in it," it was not always so; and if only the mysterious, cigar-shaped, strongly-lighted object which has created such surprise and, indeed, consternation across Channel pays Dublin a visit, who knows but the pastime of aerial navigation may, once again, be matter of keen interest to our citizens. Before an explanation of how "once again" comes into the last sentence, a brief story of aerial navigation may be given, but it may be said right off that Dublin held the early "record," says the Irish Independent.

The notion that it might be possible to move from place to place otherwise than by pedestrianism or other means of "getting over the ground" is sufficiently ancient. Man, the superior animal, had the fish and bird for examples, and at an early age in the world's history he succeeded in solving the problem of travel by water. Naturally the air was a medium which presented greater difficulties. Long before the law of gravitation was discovered—it was plain enough that the question of supporting the human body in such an attenuated foundation was a formidable one.

The circumstance was not lost sight of by several classical writers, who, however, failed to offer any practical suggestion. During the middle ages scanty respect, but by the time of Francis Bacon he and others laid claim to having solved the difficulty of aerial navigation. It must be admitted that the claims—to judge from their writings—were merely "claims." As a sample it may be permissible to quote from Albertus Magnus, one of the ablest men of his time, who gives the following as a receipt for a balloon:

"Sulphur, lb.  
Willow Carbon, 2lbs.  
Rock Salt, 6lbs.

The latter ingredient should be ground very fine, the covering of flying papyrus.

Possibly the best anticipation of aerial possibilities as we know them was made by Cyrano de Bergerac—to whom it is supposed Dean Swift was indebted for the idea of "Gulliver's

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## NEW FACTOR IN NAVAL AFFAIRS AUSTRIA CREATING A POWERFUL NAVY

Would Be of Great Assistance  
to Germany in Case of  
Conflict.

No passage was more remarkable in Lord Rosebery's stirring speech at the White City the other evening than that in which he spoke of the "bursting out of navies everywhere." One of the navies which has suddenly "burst out" in the last few months is that of Austria. Ten years ago her naval force was negligible on paper, though it was always really more formidable than it looked. To-day she is developing an open sea fleet of large ships—for what end? asks H. Wilson in the London Daily Mail.

In 1907 she took the first steps to create such a fleet when she laid down three very powerful battleships of the Franz Ferdinand class. These are more powerful than any battleships in the British navy, except the Dreadnought class, and they are now well advanced, though they are not expected to be actually in service before the end of 1910. Each of them carries four 12-in. and eight 9.4-in. guns, besides a number of small weapons. They will be very fast, steaming over 20 knots, and will be ready in 1912, though the orders for them have not actually been given. According to newspaper reports they will be larger and more heavily armed than the latest British Dreadnoughts, carrying either ten or twelve 12-in. guns and a number of 6-in. guns, and steaming 22 or 24 knots. Their displacement will be slightly over 20,000 tons. None of our older battleships could meet them with any chance of success. The rapid construction of these ships is believed in some quarters to be one of the quids which Germany has obtained for the quo of intervention in Austria's behalf in the Balkan crisis. As usual, the honor is claimed for Scotland as about the same time an ascent took place in Edinburgh.

Ballooning had now become the rage, and of course the Irish capital—go ahead at the time—was keenly interested. In January, 1788, a Mr. Crosbie, after some preparation, made the first Irish balloon ascent. It was almost too successful, as the aeronaut soon found himself, to the consternation of a huge crowd of spectators, making all haste for the coast of England. He had made no preparation for a cross-Channel voyage, which under the circumstances had small attraction for him. But he was a clever aeronaut, and managed to come down somewhere on the Bull sands—the tide was luckily out.

It was some months before Crosbie made his next effort. Apparently he was a heavy man, as the balloon declined to lift him. A Trinity College student named Maguire, who volunteered, was more successful, and was nearly drowned for his pains. He was, however, rescued from the treacherous waters of Dublin bay, and became a kind of popular idol, as well as a juvenile "lion" in viceregal circles.

On July the 19th, exactly six months after his first ascent, Mr. Crosbie, who evidently considered the number 19 lucky, started on his memorable voyage from the Ranelagh Gardens. In those days the Ranelagh Gardens shared with Dr. Mosse's Gardens—the present Rotunda Grounds—the distinction of being the resort of a society which—without exaggeration—was only second to that of the gay French capital. As the result of previous experience, Mr. Crosbie had made several improvements in his balloon, one of which was the substitution of a wicker structure for the boat-like object that previously had done duty as a car. On this occasion he intended to attempt the remarkable, and it seemed impossible, feat of crossing from Ireland to England, and his preparations were made accordingly. Already the possibility of drowning was made apparent by young Maguire's venture, and in view of the immersion the wicker car or basket, was fitted all round with inflated bladders.

Everything ready, the word to let go was given, and in a few seconds the balloon was among the clouds. The great objection to hydrogen gas for inflation purposes was that its extreme lightness immensely increased the pace at which the balloon rose, and this shortly after led to coal gas being substituted. Anyhow Crosbie was started to some purpose, and rapidly found himself beyond the confines of Dublin bay. But the fates were against him; the wind, the curse of aeronauts, changed, and it looked as if the North Pole was a more likely objective than the Saxon shore. Once again, however, he found himself near the welcome shores of Erin. His difficulties had not escaped observation, and a veritable fleet of boats were out to his rescue. Some of these were fast enough, but the balloon was faster.

What was to be done? Crosbie threw out ballast and the car dropped into the sea. Over the waves it sped merrily, towed rapidly by the balloon, acting like a sail. Those were anxious moments for the aeronaut, but there were able sailors and brave men in pursuit, and gradually the Kingstown-barge overhauled the balloon. With a hearty cheer the brave aeronaut was hoisted aboard, and a sailor climbed the balloon netting to cut the rope loose. In a second he found himself 100 feet over sea, but the rope held, and by desperate efforts of all hands balloon and comrade were hauled aboard. Crosbie failed to negotiate the journey, it is true, but he had made a record, and covered some 80 or 90 miles. Thirty years later the passage was successfully made, the start being from Dublin—but all the same Crosbie's failure was the finest early performance in the field of aeronautics.

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Polished quartered oak, with desirable saddle seat; set of 5 small and one arm chair. For ..... \$17.65

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What Austrian Fleet Could Do.

An Austrian fleet in the Mediterranean, with no force to hold it in check, would have Malta, Cyprus and Egypt at its mercy. Austria would find not the slightest difficulty in dispatching an expeditionary force to any of these points, and once in control of Egypt and dominating the Suez canal she could dispatch her smaller ships to attack commerce proceeding by the Cape route to India. It is thus quite clear that in war a powerful British fleet must be stationed in the Mediterranean, unless the British people are prepared to see their commerce destroyed, their communications with the East interrupted, their fortresses in the Mediterranean one by one attacked and captured, and terrible blows struck against their empire. In Nelson's days, when the British navy was too weak to meet the demands of defence and commerce protection, it abandoned the Mediterranean. But conditions have changed so completely as to render this impossible to-day.

The Austrian personnel is 14,600 strong, and in war the mobilization of the reserves would expand its strength to 30,000. The training and organization of the Austrian fleet are remarkable; the ships are kept in excellent order and manoeuvre well.

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long as the French army is distinctly weaker than the German, and is not certain of Russian support. Italy alone, or even in combination with France, is hardly strong enough to resist German-Austrian pressure; indeed, Italian naval officers declare that the Italian navy will be absolutely at the mercy of the new Austrian ships when these are complete, unless the Italian navy is reconstructed and reorganized. It looks, then, as though when the fatal hour comes Austria could take what

she wanted in the Near East and once more dictate her terms as in the recent Balkan crisis, which if a storm should arise in the north of Europe her powerful new navy will be a terrible menace and embarrassment to any enemy of her ally Germany.

EVERLASTING MATCHES.

A new substance which is capable of giving sparks indefinitely has been discovered by Herr Welsbach, the inventor

of the incandescent gas mantle. It is an alloy of the two metals, iron and thorium, which lasts practically indefinitely, and when a piece of it is struck against a piece of iron it emits a spark capable of igniting tinder.—London Mail.

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GRAIN MARKET (By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Chicago, July 10, 1909. Open. High. Low. Close. Wheat—115 115 115 115...

Bank Statement New York, July 10.—Cash reserves, \$7.27 per cent. Reserves dec. \$2,451,175 less U. S. dec. \$2,502,575...

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TIDE TABLE Victoria, B. C., July 1909. Date. Time of High Water. Time of Low Water. 1. 8:02 1.5 ... 23:55 8.2...

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WHEAT IMPROVES. Normal Weather Conditions Will Result in Bountiful Harvest. Winnipeg, July 10.—Reports received from many parts of the spring wheat country show that the wheat is already heading out...

WESTON'S LONG TRAMP. Veteran Walker Expected at Sacramento This Afternoon. Sacramento, Cal., July 10.—Edward Payton Weston is expected in Sacramento to-day between 4 and 5 o'clock.

LOSE THEIR SAVINGS. Two Seattle Men Are Swindled Out of \$1,170. Seattle, Wash., July 10.—Gust Marinakos and Chris Wecholos, proprietors of a boat black stand at 904 Second avenue, were fleeced out of \$1,170 yesterday by two Greeks with whom they were led to believe they were going into a paying business venture.

CUSHMAN'S FUNERAL. Remains of Congressman Will Be Interred at Tacoma on Tuesday. Tacoma, Wash., July 10.—To meet the funeral car bearing the remains of the late Francis W. Cushman, the Tacoma legislative delegation, representatives of the commercial organizations and the city government will leave this afternoon at 5:15 o'clock over the Great Northern railroad for Spokane.

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Dr. Middlemass, medical superintendent of the Sunderland borough lunatic asylum, in his annual report notes a marked decrease recently in lunacy, and attributes it to the decrease in trade, diminished drinking, and to a lessening of the addiction to excitement and unhealthy amusement.

BUSINESS MEN ARE OPTIMISTIC

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portation as would not only cope with present conditions but would provide in a general way for the development so close at hand.

What was the provincial government doing in the way of developing the capital city? Perhaps the most effective way in which it was attempting to meet the situation was by the work of useful development in the country districts.

The government had pretty well concluded the purchase of the remainder of parliament square, and would shortly be in possession of the property.

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The premier assured the board of the sympathetic, kindly and effective influence of the government and concluded with a short resume of his recent trip into the interior.

President Leiser mentioned the question of railway communication with the north end of the island, and assured the premier that in all the government did to that end.

Hon. Captain Tatlow, who was introduced as a constant visitor to the annual meeting, expressed his pleasure at being able to be present.

The revenue of British Columbia, coming largely from natural resources, should be saved up as capital, seeing that it was a using up of capital.

Mr. Rithet urged the board to persistently press for the bringing of a transcontinental railway to Victoria.

Many people thought that the province was not in the way of progress in agricultural pursuits on account of the large importation of such products which it was still making.

One thing Victoria needs, and that is to overcome the discouraging of newcomers here, said Mr. Rithet in conclusion.

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Unless cab drivers wear felt, straw, or top hats, permission for them to ply for hire in the streets of the town is to be refused by the Langglen council, which considers caps to be unpicturesque.

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The revenue of British Columbia, coming largely from natural resources, should be saved up as capital, seeing that it was a using up of capital.

Mr. Rithet urged the board to persistently press for the bringing of a transcontinental railway to Victoria.

Many people thought that the province was not in the way of progress in agricultural pursuits on account of the large importation of such products which it was still making.

One thing Victoria needs, and that is to overcome the discouraging of newcomers here, said Mr. Rithet in conclusion.

Mr. Wedgwood asked the First Lord of the Admiralty in the British House of Commons whether steps are being taken to fit warships with any guns capable of firing at such an elevation that they may be used conveniently against airships.

Unless cab drivers wear felt, straw, or top hats, permission for them to ply for hire in the streets of the town is to be refused by the Langglen council, which considers caps to be unpicturesque.

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SATURDAY, JULY 10, 1909.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRADE

Officers Present Their Record of What Has Been Accomplished During the Past Year-- Questions Considered by Body.

At the annual meeting of the board of trade yesterday afternoon the report for the year was presented by Secretary Elworthy and adopted. It was as follows:

Before reporting the business transacted by this board of trade during the twelve months ending 30th June, 1909, it is desired to place on record the great loss which the board sustained in the removal by death of the late Captain John G. Cox. He served continuously on your council from July 1888 to the date of his last illness, and freely gave his time, experience and good judgment whenever called upon. Such a wide knowledge of matters pertaining to shipping covering both maritime law and navigation as was possessed by the late Captain Cox is seldom found in one individual.

Distinguished Visitors. In October last, this board was honored by Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, accepting a complimentary banquet. Members will doubtless recollect that in December, 1900, the council, at that time, appointed a special committee to endeavor to interest Sir Thomas Shaughnessy in a proposal that his company should build a first class hotel in Victoria. It was twenty months later when the committee reported success, and about six years before the hotel was opened. By the occasion of Sir Thomas Shaughnessy's annual visit to Victoria, in October last, his first visit since the hotel was opened, gave the board an opportunity to show their appreciation of the magnificent hotel which his company had erected, which is described by many visitors to be unique in its appointments ranking with the finest hotels on the American continent. This board had represented to Sir Thomas that the hotel would be a good business undertaking, and the correctness of that representation can be best judged from the fact that the hotel accommodation is already taxed to its utmost and that a new wing will probably be constructed forthwith.

On the 15th April, this year, your council met Mr. William Whyte, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, and urged a more comprehensive and accelerated Vancouver Island railway policy. The early completion of the railway to Alberni was asked for; as was also the prompt commencement and rapid construction of the railway to the north end of the island; likewise the branch to Cowichan lake. An improved steamer service between Victoria and Fraser River points was also urged, for which the construction of a suitable steamer appears to be necessary. These matters which should be vigorously followed-up by the board.

On the 21st October, Mr. Charles M. Hays, president of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway, met your council, and the question of assisting contractors in getting in supplies by way of British Columbia for the construction of the Pacific end of the line was discussed. It was not expected that any definite arrangements could be made at this early stage of the company's proceedings, but the interview should serve as an assurance to the railway company that this board of trade is in hearty accord with any plan for the development of British Columbia generally, and that it is desired that such a policy should be adopted.

Fernie Fire. It is now just eleven months since the destruction by fire of Fernie occurred. Immediately upon receipt of news of the disaster your council met and organized a relief fund, to which the citizens subscribed promptly and liberally and very soon the sum of \$4,709.20 was available; to which the corporation of Victoria added another \$1,000. Many Victorians contributed directly to the relief of Fernie but of such cash, provisions and stores no record was kept.

Vancouver Island. The development of Vancouver Island has long engaged the attention of this board of trade, but it is believed that the most practical aid in that direction has been given during the past few months. In December, last, the special committee, to whom the matter was referred, recommended the formation of associations in every community throughout the island for the purpose of gathering and disseminating information likely to be of service to capitalists and settlers. Public meetings were held and delegates appointed who met in Victoria in January, and the formation of the Vancouver Island Development League was the result. The great success of that meeting, together with the prompt formation of the suggested associations and the unanimity with which the various bodies are working augurs well for the attainment of the end desired.

The Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company submitted to this board of trade a proposal to establish coal bunkers in Victoria inner harbor, and repair shops on that portion of the Indian reserve which it has been proposed should be used for railway purposes. The original plan of the proposed coal bunkers was amended, at the instance of this board's committee, and another site was selected which will not interfere with navigation. About twelve acres of the Indian reserve, immediately south of the present railway line, will be required for the repair shops and coal car tracks; which it is proposed to expropriate under the provisions of the Railway Act. The proposals are fully set forth in the committee report, which the board adopted at the May monthly general meeting. When the report appended hereto was under discussion the disposition of the remainder of the reserve, south of the present railway line, was discussed and the opinion prevailed that it should be held exclusively for commercial and industrial purposes. In consequence of this opinion it was considered desirable that the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company should give an undertaking to provide rail connections with such enterprises as may apply for same.

Imperial Defence. The question of Imperial defence has engaged the board's attention, and at a special general meeting, in April, it was unanimously resolved: "That this board recognizing that the people of Canada are always ready to assume its full share of the defence of the Empire by sea as well as by land, urges that: "The time has arrived for the creation and development of a serviceable Canadian navy as a branch of the imperial navy. "2. This board is heartily in accord with any action which the Dominion government may take to assist the Imperial government in the naval defence of the Empire in the present juncture, and approves of a direct and immediate contribution of the cost of one or more battleships to the Imperial navy, and also approves of the purchase from the admiralty of warships suitable for immediate use for the training of Canadian seamen."

In the opinion of the board something more than the adoption of this resolution was necessary, the feeling prevailing that the true spirit of imperialism is best exemplified in personal sacrifice of some kind. A special committee was therefore appointed to report upon a plan, and two weeks later the board adopted the recommendation that more support should be given to the local militia. Subsequently a letter was sent to every member of the board. It is gratifying to state that during the past three months the strength of the militia has been considerably augmented. The letter was as follows: "Dear Sir--Your council having carefully considered the report of Lt. Colonel John A. Hall and E. G. Prior dealing with the inadequate support given the local militia forces, and being fully cognizant that the same should be maintained both in strength and efficiency, would urge upon members of this board of trade that all possible assistance be given to the Fifth Regiment in obtaining recruits and every encouragement given to young men to induce them to undergo the necessary training and so fit themselves to defend their homes and country if called upon, and that the confidence and support of members of the board be at all times given to the accomplishment of the above object."

Yours faithfully, "SIMON LEISER, President."

The construction of another drydock at Esquimalt, large enough to accommodate modern warships, and the encouragement of steel shipbuilding in Canada were considered to be of the greatest possible importance in any scheme of Imperial defence in which the Dominion of Canada might co-operate.

Victoria Harbor. The work of deepening the inner harbor of Victoria has progressed satisfactorily during the past nine months. The new dredge has been employed in the channel between the entrance of the harbor and the wharves. This channel when completed will have 20 feet of water at low tide.

The dredger Mullark has been operating in the upper harbor, above the railway bridge. There is considerable rock work to be done in the inner and upper harbors, but the plant now used is not modern, nor is there at hand proper appliances for picking up the rock when loosened. The consequence is, this work goes on with little appreciable result. Greater attention is being paid to the possibilities of the outer harbor, for deep water tonnage. The accommodation there is ample for immediate requirements, nevertheless the owners are looking forward to an increased business at this port on account of the Isthmian connections already in operation and in course of construction, and are preparing to extend the accommodation at short notice whenever called for.

A special committee of the board has in hand the preparation of information to be placed before all the Canadian transcontinental railways, showing the special advantages of Vancouver Island for terminal purposes and more particularly the many attractive features the ports of Victoria and Esquimalt have as ocean terminals. This committee are also taking up the question of the breakerway to Brochis ledge, which has been outlined in previous reports of the board.

Pilotage. There has been a change in the pilotage situation since the last report, a new schedule of charges having been inaugurated, based on the tonnage of vessels as well as the draught. The original schedule was strongly objected to by this board of trade and what purported to be a reduction of 25 per cent was made, but owing to the new basis of tonnage and draught upon which the fees are levied, the charges for pilotage are now about the same as when made under the old system. The efforts towards the abolition of compulsory pilotage have been continued and in October last the special committee presented the board's views to Commander Spain, who had been deputed by the department of marine and fisheries to investigate and report upon the situation. The committee were very hopeful of the probable result, but the above has been the only change made and the board's request for a copy of Commander Spain's report has been refused on the ground that it is confidential.

Agriculture and Immigration. This board is indebted to the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture for the following remarks in regard to agriculture and immigration: "Although the past year witnessed decreases in the mining, lumbering and fishing industries, agriculture more than held its own compared with previous years. The shortage in value of the mining output was caused by the low prices of silver, lead and copper, while over-production and unwise competition in 1907, accounts for the smaller cut of timber. With regard to fishing, it was a 'lean year,' and therefore the decreased year was not unexpected. Dairying showed a very considerable increase, of which Vancouver Island contributed within a fraction of 21 per cent, its creameries supplying 355,140 pounds of a total of 1,546,000 pounds of butter. Another notable fact is that Vancouver Island creamery butter commanded higher prices than that of any other district. The fruit crop was a fair average, and the quality excellent. The province won first prizes in London, Birmingham, Manchester, Edinburgh, Warwick, Leeds, and other exhibitions in Great Britain, and numerous silver and bronze medals were awarded to individual fruit growers. At the International Fruit Show, held at Spokane, Wash., British Columbia fruit was awarded thirteen first prizes, out of fourteen entries, in competition with many of the most famous apple growing districts of the United States. During the year there was a material addition to the population of the agricultural districts, Vancouver Island securing a large number of desirable settlers from Great Britain and Eastern Canada, most of whom embarked in fruit and dairy farming. The demand for farming land on the island and more especially in the vicinity of Victoria, continued brisk, and a large acreage change was effected. In the great majority of cases proceeding to settle upon and improve their properties. The scarcity of farm laborers was not so keenly felt as in the previous year, although there was no decline in the rates of wages, many young men seeking employment with farmers in order to gain knowledge of the different branches of agriculture. The efforts of the department of agriculture to secure clean, healthy orchards were well supported by a majority of the fruit growers, who evinced a desire to improve their stock and keep the trees free from insects and disease. The results of this work were manifested by larger yields and improved quality of the fruit. Better facilities for handling and shipping were afforded by the establishment of packing houses, by means of which growers were enabled to have their fruit sent to market in prime condition and thus obtain better prices. Considerable wild lands were brought under cultivation during the year, but there is need of more activity in that direction as one of the greatest drawbacks to agricultural operations is the heavy cost of land clearing. During 1908 there were over 607 square miles of new surveys, or a total of nearly 400,000 acres. This year the government has twenty-four survey parties in the field and 23,000 acres have been voted for the work. On the island, parties are subdividing land in the interior and in Rupert district. The latter is attracting a large number of settlers, most of whom propose going in for stock raising and dairying. The department of agriculture has added to its staff additional fruit inspectors properly qualified in horticulture and entomology, also a poultry expert, and additional veterinary inspectors. It has also secured authority from the legislature to establish cooling warehouses, plants for packing and handling of fruit, to enable the producers to place their products on the market in perfect condition. The total pack of canned salmon for the province in 1908 was 542,589 cases, of which 25,523 cases were sockeyes. The total was just about the same as in the previous season, but although last year is generally the poorest in the cycle of four years, there was a better run of sockeyes in the Fraser river in 1907, and this applies also to Puget Sound and the Straits of Juan de Fuca. On the Puget Sound 155,218 cases of Sockeyes were packed, compared with 74,574 cases caught in the Fraser and in the Juan de Fuca traps. This is a larger difference than usual, and it certainly affords a strong argument for effectual restrictive measures on Puget Sound, instead of, as at present,

Fraser river interests being obliged to observe most stringent protective regulations with respect to the comparatively small quantity of fish allowed to pass towards the Fraser river, while such measures are chiefly for the benefit of the Puget Sound fisheries. The Dominion government, however, has seen fit to increase the weekly close time this year to forty-two hours, while it remains at thirty-six hours only on the ground. This extraordinary measure has met with universal condemnation at this end, and has been appealed against by the cannermen, fishermen and local Dominion fisheries officials, but without result. In the circumstances the outcome of the international fisheries commission is awaited with considerable anxiety. The successful operation of the salmon fisheries of the Skeena river is also being threatened this season by onerous regulations as regards the fishing boundary and commencing date. These regulations are likewise opposed to the views of all in this province, including the local officials and a majority of the members of the recent fisheries commission. The Skeena river being the best naturally protected salmon stream in the province, and showing no signs whatever of depletion, indeed, the runs of salmon in the headwaters of this river have been so great that considerable quantities of ova have been transferred to the Fraser hatcheries. Notwithstanding all this, strongly supported petitions have been without result. This utter disregard of local opinion, official and otherwise, is causing great concern to all interested in the salmon fisheries of this province and points to the extreme desirability of the appointment of a special fisheries commissioner for the Pacific coast, whose views would be accepted at Ottawa and acted upon.

The anomaly referred to in the last report of the dual licenses imposed upon fishermen and canneries still remains. This is an injustice and hardship to those engaged in this industry, which should be speedily disposed of. There were eight salmon traps operated on the Straits of Juan de Fuca, and one cannery at Esquimalt in connection therewith. There were 22,244 cases of salmon, including 11,448 sockeyes, packed at Esquimalt and a considerable quantity of sockeyes from the traps was also sent to the Fraser river to be packed at the canneries there. Although the small year, the traps caught many more sockeyes than usual as was also the case in 1907. The run of spring salmon was correspondingly good, and some six hundred tons of large red spring salmon were cured here and shipped in cold storage to Germany. This season being the 'big sockeye year,' twelve traps are being operated, and preparations have been made by two local firms to can about 50,000 cases of spring salmon at Esquimalt and outer wharves at Victoria. The other trap operators will take their fish to the Fraser river canneries. The spring salmon season has opened well, and large quantities are being mild-cured here for shipment to Germany and the United States. A new and favorable feature is the utilization of the white spring salmon for this purpose, so far as the United States market is concerned, as heretofore it has been a difficult matter to find a profitable outlet for this species of salmon. The opening of the large new cold-storage plant of the B. Wilson Co., will afford great facilities for this mild-curing business which has developed as a result of the allowance of trap fishing, and will obviate the necessity of shipping sockeyes to Vancouver, as at present, to be held in cold storage there. The total extra business accruing to Victoria as a consequence of the prosecution of this salmon-trap fishing, canning and mild-curing business, must be considerable.

Fishery Protection. This board has for some years past urged that the Canadian fishing banks on this coast be protected against the depredations of foreign fishermen. In September last your council conferred with Admiral C. E. Kinmill, commanding the marine service of Canada, who was here for the purpose of personally investigating the requirements. It was urged that steamers be chartered for this service pending the arrival of the permanent vessel or vessels; also that two or more small vessels would afford more adequate service than the large cruiser proposed. Since then two small steamers have been chartered for fishery protection service.

Railway Development. During the year the attention of the board has been directed to railway construction of Vancouver Island. This matter was brought up in definite form by a communication from the Citizens' League of Nanaimo, enclosing the following resolution: "That this league requests its parent body, the Vancouver Island Development League, to request all municipal corporations, boards of trade and all political associations on this island to petition their representatives in the Provincial House to oppose the granting of government aid to the Canada Northern Railroad Company, or any other company, un-

less said railroad company contract with the provincial government to connect with Vancouver Island at a central point, whereby Quatsino Sound and the towns and cities of Cumberland, Nanaimo, Ladysmith and Duncan are to be touched at, making Victoria the southern terminus. It seemed to the board premature to consider the position taken by the Citizens' League, although the board is strongly in favor of such railway construction as is therein referred to, and the decision reached was that for the present the resolution should not be acted upon by this board. Since the passage of the resolution by the Citizens' League, a meeting was held at Nanaimo on the invitation of the league, at which members of this board attended as members of the executive of the Victoria branch of the Island Development League, and representatives of other branches of the Development League were also present. After some discussion it was decided to vary the resolution as above set out, and it was accordingly changed to read as follows:

"Whereas, it is understood that certain transcontinental railway companies will apply to the provincial government for assistance in extending their lines across British Columbia; and whereas, the mainland part of British Columbia has several lines of railway in operation, or in course of construction, to which government aid has been granted; "Whereas, Vancouver Island, with a population nearly as numerous as the southern mainland bearing a proportionate share of the taxation of the province, and

"Whereas, the island's export of natural products greatly exceeds her export of natural products shipped from points on the coast of the mainland, and fully in the advantages from the opening up on the mainland; "Therefore be it resolved, That the officers and members of the Vancouver Island Development League pledge ourselves to aid, encourage and bring about the building and construction of railways on Vancouver Island, not only on the east and west coasts, but through the centre of the island, and wherever else necessary; including the construction of car ferries, connecting the island with the mainland, in order that the vast resources of the island may no longer be comparatively idle. "And be it further resolved, That we call on all public spirited citizens on Vancouver Island, whether in or out of the league, and whether holding public office or in private life, to lend their support to this vital movement for the betterment of the island. "And be it further resolved, That any policy of railway aid to a transcontinental road that may be adopted by the provincial government will not be satisfactory to the people of Vancouver Island, which does not provide for railway connection with the main-

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Musical Comedy.

The sale of seats for the engagement of the Colonial Musical Comedy Company at the Victoria theatre next week indicates a keen interest in the event. It is rather out of the ordinary for a company, containing people of the calibre of the Colonial cast, to appear at popular prices, but in this case it is true and the fact no doubt in a great measure accounts for the rosy prospects. The company will open on Monday evening in "The Isle of Spice," which will be continued until Thursday, when "The Show Girl" will be substituted. Both of these musical plays are bright and melodious and offer every opportunity to the excellent singers and comedians of the company to display their talent in the fullest degree. The principals will include Adele Oswald, Nellie V. Nichols, Essie Barton, Carolyn Canton, Harry Watson, Frank Woods, Harry Burgess, E. Cole Albertson, Frank D. Nelson, Frank French

a sensational European feature from Wallace Hagenbeck's show. It will open here Monday afternoon in incomparable elastic acrobatics. In securing this act for Victoria, Manager Jamieson has succeeded in getting one of the very best that is now on circuit. It will be supported by four high class and expensive importations in John J. Black, Maurice Frank and Company in the original comedy "The Advance Agent." Cogan and Bancroft, experts on skates with a comedy turn; Tom McDuffie, America's Scotchman in Harry Lauderdale's songs, and the popular harmonists, J. Watson Scott and Georgia Davis, who will delight with a singing, dancing and piano-playing act.

The present show will be continued over to-night with the usual matinee. **Pantages Theatre.**  
Herbert O'Connor, the noted comedian, and an excellent company of four in the great industrial play "The Midnight Guest," is billed as the leading



LES PLOETZ LARELLAS.  
At Grand Theatre Next Week.

Devitt and Kelly, the New Grand this week has a good bill. Added to the big turns are the five Patterson Sisters, who appear in a high class musical comedy turn with a soloist and a chorus of four.

Miss Lillian Fisher, operatic soloist adds to the pleasure of the bill with her and Ray Rush. The company also carries what is declared to be the prettiest show girls and the liveliest dancers in the country.

New Grand Theatre.  
With two feature acts in the one-act play "A Christmas on the Comstock," and the clever dancing turn of Me-two classic songs, and Thomas J. Price with "Perhaps," scores a big triumph, as he has received great public favor this week. The motion pictures are good as usual, and the whole show is proving successful.

For next week the Grand will have the star act of the season in the engagement of Les Two Ploetz Larellas.

### The Times Nature Club

**Ruffed Grouse.**  
The ruffed grouse can be found in almost every part of the province, and is quite as much at home in the higher altitudes and pine-clad mountain slopes as it is in lower lying and open stretches of country, says E. Leckie, Ewing, of Okanagan, in Animal Life. The manners of these grouse are solitary; often they are found singly or in pairs, although in the late fall coveys of twenty or more are met with.

A marked peculiarity of the male bird is the habit he has of drumming, a peculiar and penetrating sound made by his wings when amorously calling his mate.

The birds begin to pair early in April, building their nest in May. This is placed on the ground, usually in some well-sheltered spot and extremely difficult to find.



RUFFED GROUSE'S NEST, TAKEN IN OKANAGAN.

The eggs are from eight to fifteen in number, of a brownish white color and about the same size as a pheasant's. The young leave the nest as soon as hatched, and behave in very much the same manner as young pheasants or partridges, although the mother bird is much more courageous in guarding her young than either of these birds.

In the early autumn ruffed grouse fall easy victims to the gun, although later in the season they become very much wilder and are very difficult to shoot. With a good dog they are easily discovered, and when young they are more often treed than not, allowing the sportsman (if I may call him so) to get

below the tree and shoot them off one by one, till often a whole covey is wiped out. With a shot gun there is no sport at all in shooting them thus, and very little even with a small bore rifle.

The grouse is an excellent table bird, more especially so in September, when saskatoon, whortle and partridge berries are plentiful. During winter they feed on the tender tops of pine trees when other food fails them. A strange feature I have noticed in the ruffed grouse and in no other bird in this country, is that the further away from civilization it gets, and the less this bird is hunted or shot at, the wilder he appears to be. I have come across coveys of them in mountainous regions, where they never saw the face of man before, and it was absolutely impossible to get within range of them. On the other hand I have hunted birds which have been continually shot at and driven from place to place, and they appeared to get tamer the more they were molested. With the blue grouse the very opposite is the case.

This handsome bird, the largest of his kind, is tame and fairly easy to shoot on grounds where he has not been disturbed before. The ruffed grouse it may be mentioned in conclusion is the typical representative of a small group of which all the members are North American.

**Humming Birds.**  
A few days ago a lady was watering her lawn at Esquimalt. The sun was shining and the humming birds were stealing the sweets from the flowers in the garden. When the birds saw the spray of water from the hose, they poising themselves as they would before a flower, they quenched their thirst from the spray of water. It was a beautiful sight that the splendid little creatures made as the sun shone on their green and ruby plumage.

**Origin of Typhoon.**  
Everyone has been out in a storm but few know how the storm originates. In different parts of the world the storm goes by different names. On the coast of Asia it is called a typhoon if it is a very fierce one, and on this continent the word tornado is used in the same sense. As all storms originate in a very similar manner, the following account of the origin of a typhoon, the season for which has just commenced on the Chinese coast, will prove of interest.

The typhoon begins in a very small way. The day is exceedingly hot and the atmosphere growing heated, expands and rises. As this hot column of air rises, colder air rushes in on all sides to take its place and as the heated air continues to ascend, it cools and then presses down on the air under it, forcing the latter to rush in more rapidly to take the place of the recently

ascended hot air. The ascending column of air being acted upon by the sun's rays increases its velocity and circumference, and in a short time it is several miles in diameter and rushes upwards at increased speed. Then the rushing air commences to revolve, and the diameter keeps on increasing till the rotary motion extends perhaps a thousand or more miles in circumference. At first the commotion is almost stationary. Now it attains two motions, one round its axis and the other along a course in which the typhoon commits great havoc. So long as there is no obstacle in the way, the course of the typhoon is pretty regular, but when it reaches land, it is liable to be deflected or broken up, though a mariner knows that when he faces the wind in his locality the centre of the typhoon is then eight points or so on his right, though in the southern hemisphere it is on his left. In the centre of the typhoon there is a perfect calm, but the wind increases further out. Further out still, it will not be so bad. An instrument called a baro-cyclometer has been invented which admirably serves the purpose, for by its aid the accurate position and direction of the typhoon can be found.

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the parts of the island may be developed in connection with the rapidly increasing traffic from the prairie provinces to the ocean, and the great natural resources of the island may be economically developed.

A very encouraging feature of this interest is the remarkable unanimity of the people of the island, who seem to realize that the time has come when action ought not to be any longer delayed.

**Trade and Outlook.**  
The following figures indicate business conditions in Victoria during the past twelve months:

	1908.	1909.
Imports, 12 months to 30th June	\$4,971,045 00	\$4,546,534 00
Customs collection, 12 months to 30th June	1,524,785 92	1,331,235 33
Inland revenue, 12 months to 30th June	228,656 24	210,236 76
Post office, to 30th June (approx.)	\$4,500 00	\$5,500 00
Tramway, passenger carried	4,227,481	4,614,321
Bank clearings increasing 6 per cent. over and above any previous year.		

The imports and customs collections show a falling off, in comparison with the previous year when a record was established, which may reflect business conditions outside the city, as other information demonstrates that the prosperity and trade of Victoria has continued to increase. The slight decrease in inland revenue is accounted for by a reduction of some duties, the actual quantities of goods entered for consumption having increased. The post office revenue, bank clearings and tramway earnings exceed those of any previous year, and may be accepted as grounds for the statement, so often heard, that business in Victoria was never better than during the past twelve months. Never before was there such activity in building, and the erection of many dwelling houses is being followed by the construction of substantial business premises. The improvements in the city thoroughfares are very noticeable in places; and the applications of property owners for such work under local improvement by-laws, are increasing beyond all expectations. The city water distribution is mostly renewed and the capacity increased, and the early selection of another source of larger supply, to meet the requirements of the rapidly growing population, is imperative. The new high pressure salt water fire protection system is ready for operation and this, together with the improvements in the fresh water supply, should reduce to a minimum the risk of a serious conflagration in Victoria.

The greatly improved steamer service with Victoria is an important factor in the development of the city. The latest addition to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's British Columbia fleet, the Princess Charlotte, is equalled on the Pacific coast only by the sister vessel, the Princess Victoria.

While present conditions are satisfactory the future is looked to with every assurance of greatly increased prosperity. The early establishment of the terminal of two additional transcontinental railways, together with the construction of the branch lines in British Columbia, may reasonably be expected to stimulate trade and commerce and aid in the development of the wonderful natural resources of Vancouver Island. The city of Victoria cannot fail to participate largely in the general activity.

This board may be congratulated upon recent additions to its membership roll, and the well-attended and more frequent meetings of counsel during the past twelve months. Most valuable services have also been rendered by committees, all of which encourage the expectation of future usefulness. All of which is respectfully submitted.

**SIMON LEISER, President.**  
**L. A. GENGE, Vice-President.**  
**F. ELWORTHY, Secretary.**

### WHAT IS ITCH DIRT?

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amount of capital by private companies in China.

"Besides the fierce opposition of reactionary officials there is the superstitious antagonism of the people to be reckoned with, and there is also the question of the interference with graves. 'Fengshui' is a geomantic mystery far beyond the scope of a mere western intellect to grasp. It is the luck of a place, a village, or a building; but what that luck depends upon only the wise man, skilled in mystery, can say, and some of the conclusions arrived at after solemn investigation by the sages would put to shame the pronouncements of the wizards of the Middle Ages.


Chinese are ancestor worshippers, and sad is the fate hereafter of any one who permits the bones of his ancestors to be lost or scattered. The Chinese of the lower middle and lower classes have arrived at the conviction that an ancestor will probably forgive him if the ancestral bones are reverently removed and decently interred elsewhere. Since the Chinese bury their dead on any piece of unoccupied ground, it is generally impossible to lay out a railway without interfering with graves. The Chinese feelings may be soothed by a suitable monetary consideration.

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**SOCIAL AND PERSONAL**

Mrs. Patterson, of Belcher avenue, is on route for Europe.

Mrs. F. S. Barnard was hostess of a very smart luncheon yesterday.

The Misses Russell, Boyd street, will not receive again until October.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Arden are spending the week-end with friends in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Gleason entertained Rev. Dr. Spencer and Mrs. Spencer last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Maynard, of Oswego street, have gone to Shawinigan for the summer.

Mrs. C. W. Bradshaw, of Albany street, will receive on Monday and not again until the autumn.

Mrs. Ellen McRae, of Chippawa Falls, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. McRae, of Oak Bay avenue.

Mayor Hall is spending the week-end with his brother, G. A. B. Hall, M. P., at his camp, Cordova Bay.

Among those who are enjoying the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition are Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kent and family.

Mrs. W. Atkins, of Beach Cottage, Dallas road, is not entertaining to-day, but will entertain on Saturday, the 17th.

Mrs. Willis left town by this afternoon's boat for Vancouver, en route for a holiday trip into the interior.

Mrs. R. A. Balbridge, of Menzies street, is enjoying a visit from her mother, Mrs. Arthur Stevenson, of Lytton.

Mr. John Silver, who has been attending St. Patrick's seminary at Menlo Park, Cal., is spending his holidays in town.

The Misses Hamilton, of Pender Island, have been the guests since Wednesday of Mrs. Lewis Hall. They will remain a week in the city.

The engagement is announced of Miss Florence Walbran, daughter of Captain Walbran, of this city, to Rev. F. S. Gray, of Pittsburg, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tierney have returned from their wedding trip and have taken up their residence with the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silver, 1019 Mason street.

Mr. C. E. Falkner has resigned his position as chaplain in Christ Church Cathedral, and he intends leaving shortly for New Westminster, where he will make his home.

While visiting the Irish section of the International exhibition in London, Eng., on June 23rd, Mr. James Porter, of Winnipeg, but well known in this city, had the pleasure of spending the 15th anniversary of the Liberal party's victory in Canada with the Hon. Joseph Martin.

Miss Archbutt, "the Poplars," 3023 Burdette avenue, held her closing exercises yesterday afternoon, when a number of interested friends of her pupils listened to a most enjoyable recital. Refreshments were served at the close, and Miss Archbutt's studio was prettily decorated with quantities of roses and other flowers.

Mrs. F. W. G. Baylis (nee Glover) held her post nuptial reception yesterday afternoon and evening at the home of her mother, Mrs. Glover, 2634 Quadra street. The drawing and dining rooms were gay for the occasion with quantities of roses and sweet peas and ferns, a large bouquet of roses in different shades forming the centerpiece of the table. Mrs. Baylis received her guests wearing a handsome reception gown of pale green cologne in semi-empire effect, with net yoke and sleeves. Receiving with her was her mother, Mrs. Glover, in a black silk costume relieved with touches of white. Mrs. Baylis was assisted by her sister, Miss Glover, in a pretty grey eolienne empire with lace yoke and blue trimmings worn over blue. Mrs. Eric Hardie (nee Cameron) wearing her pretty cream wedding dress, and the Misses Grant and Fay Thomas in dainty white dresses. Among those present were: Miss MacKeule, Mrs. W. Grant, Miss Grant, Mrs. Eric Hardie, Mrs. J. P. McConnell, Mrs. A. E. Moffett, Mrs. R. Keesler, Mrs. P. A. Babbington, Mrs. W. W. Northcutt, Jr., Mrs. J. P. Robinson, Mrs. J. E. Thomas, Miss E. N. Grant, Misses A. M. Henderson, Miss E. M. Henderson, Mrs. C. F. Olivier, Miss Lily Bray, Miss Alice Mellon, Mrs. Albert Pike, Miss Jean Macdonald, Miss Fay Thomas, Miss Ida Catterall, Miss Lily Griffith, Mrs. and Miss Abern, Mrs. A. L. Burns, Miss Nettie Burley, Mr. Morris Thomas, Mr. Stanley Glover, Mr. T. Mason, Mr. Fred McGregor and a number of others.

The annual meeting of the teachers and workers of Burnside Mission of the First Baptist church, was held last evening in the mission building on Tomnyon road. Reports were read from the various officers, showing every department to be in a flourishing condition. The total enrollment of the Sunday school is 50. During the year the sum of \$353.54 was raised for all purposes. Of this amount \$67.15 was given for missionary and other benevolent purposes, while \$152.40 was contributed to the new building fund. All the officers were re-elected, with the exception of the treasurer, who has removed from the city, and are as follows: Superintendent, Dr. W. Russell; secretary, W. Dinmore; treasurer, C. Forbes; building fund treasurer, F. D. Hodges; primary department and cradle roll secretary, Mrs. A. T. Mowbray, I.R.P.D.; Miss D. Few, it was decided that the annual picnic would be held this year on Wednesday, July 21st.

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Arrangements have all been completed for the concert to be given at the Gorge park on Sunday evening, July 11th, by members of the Boston Grand Opera Company, and it promises to be one of the most enjoyable musical events ever given in this city or vicinity. The superb sylvan setting, the pine-clad hills as a background and the sparkling waters of the Arm will afford perfect acoustic conditions. The street railway company will have the best possible car service in operation to carry what is likely to be one of the largest crowds that ever assembled at the beautiful resort.

The following is the programme, which has been prepared by Roberto E. Francini, musical conductor of the company, and Signor Piero Gherardi, the artistic stage director. The numbers may not be presented exactly in the order here given, but an idea of the musical treat in store may be had from a glance at the following: Prologue from Gounod's "Faust." Signor Gherardi and Mr. McDonald, with chorus; "The Miserie, from Verdi's "Il Trovatore." Madame Francini, Signor Gherardi and chorus; solo, from Balfe's "Bohemian Girl." Mr. McDonald; scene from Donizetti's "Lucia di Lammermoor." Madame Francini and Signor Gherardi, Messrs. McDonald, Lawton and Olds, and chorus; trio from Gounod's "Faust." Messrs. McDonald, Lawton and Olds; solo, selection from Flowtow's "Martha." Signor Gherardi; duet from Donizetti's "Lucia di Lammermoor." Madame Francini and Signor Gherardi; quartet from Verdi's "Rigoletto." Madame Francini, Miss McDonald, Signor Gherardi and Mr. McDonald.

The concert will commence promptly at 8:30 o'clock, and Roberto Francini will preside at the piano.

**TEA TABLE ETIQUETTE.**

Tea table etiquette was somewhat complicated in the days of that "hardened and shameless tea drinker," Dr. Johnson, when many people thought nothing of drinking ten or twelve cups at a sitting. It was considered proper for the cups and saucers of a party of tea drinkers to be all passed up to the hostess in one batch when replenishment was considered necessary, and in order that each person might be sure of getting back the right cup the tea-spoons were numbered. Those who did not require any more were supposed to place the spoon in the cup. The writer remembers a very ancient dame teaching a small boy to place his spoon in the cup after the first cup had been emptied. He wondered for the reason. Now he knows that tea was once very expensive and little boys were not expected to ask again.—London Chronicle.

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**WOMEN VISITORS TO BE HERE MONDAY**

Arrangements Made for Entertainment by Local Council.

The committee of the Woman's Local Council have satisfactorily completed their arrangements for the entertainment of the delegates from the International Woman's Council, and should the weather prove favorable, the visitors will carry away with them the most pleasant remembrances of Victoria's beauty and hospitality. As they will not arrive until Monday evening's boat, and most of them must leave the next afternoon for Seattle, the ladies of Victoria will have only a very short time in which to enjoy their society. Many of them will be entertained in private homes and accommodation has been secured for others at the Empress and Drury hotels. The reception at Government House will be an enjoyable feature of Monday evening's entertainment and Tuesday forenoon will be spent in and around the city. A luncheon at 12:30 at the Empress will bring the festivities to a close.

The complete list of visitors who may be expected, is as follows:

British—Miss Creighton, Miss Amy Reever, Miss Blackie, Miss Denny, Miss S. Blackie, Miss Alice Younger, Miss Williams, Miss Anderson, Miss Jenkins, Miss Martin, Miss Stillwell, Miss Withington, Miss Tomble, Miss Wilkinson, Miss Kitson, Mrs. Carlaw Martin, Miss James, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Muff, Miss Jessie Loyd, Mrs. Leo Grindon, Miss Ouden, Mrs. Farquhar, Miss Workman, Miss Isabel Marrie, Miss H. M. Johnston, Miss Zimmerman, Miss Crystal Macmillan, Miss Buchanan, Hon. Mrs. Wilkinson, Mrs. Rabone, Mrs. Higgs, Mrs. Morrison and Mrs. Clephan.

Holland—Miss Baelde, Miss Gransberg, Miss Van Horst Van Beesa, Miss Steedmann and Miss Otto de Vries.

United States—Mrs. Grannis and Mrs. Hampton.

Germany—Frau Stritt, Fri Dr. Thierhaus, Frau Dit Abraham, Frau Hacker, Frau Dr. Rühm, Frau Ella Rabemann, Frau Alice Salomon, Frau Drenkhalm, Fri Ida Kirch and Fri Arndt.

Italy—Marchesa Burbon Del Monte.

Sweden—Baroness Ellen Von Plat.

Belgium—Mlle. Popelin, Mlle. La Fontaines and Mlle. Nyss.

Denmark—Froken Anne Buch, Froken Anna Hagen, Froken Amelie Hansson, Froken Fanny Schelle, Froken Cira Monson and Froken Guna Kroeg.

Australia—Mrs. Dobson and Mrs. Stouton.

Canada—Mrs. Doney, Mrs. C. Robinson, Miss Borrough, Miss Leacock, Miss Flett, Miss Macmillan, Miss M. Ouler, Miss K. Ouler, Mrs. Mackintosh, Mrs. J. E. Wood, Miss Peters, Miss E. Dalton, Miss Treese, Miss Hill, Miss Hart, Miss H. M. Hill, Miss Dalton, Miss Macdonald, Mrs. Watt, Miss Bennett, Mrs. Smellie, Miss Boyd, Miss Gallup, Mrs. Willoughby Cummings, Miss Montgomery, Miss Pleasant, Miss Hunter, Miss Hueston, Mrs. Pearly, Mrs. Melke and Miss Carmichael.

**TRIBUTE TO FASHION.**

According to William Dutcher, president of the Audubon Society of the United States, birds save to the farmer \$20,000,000 a year in the destruction of noxious insects and noxious weeds. The great destroyers of birds are the plumage hunters for military purposes. Birds destroyed for food are restocked by natural process, but the plumage hunters recognize no closed season. Military interests in America represent \$50,000 a year, as against the \$20,000,000 worth of work done by the birds for the farmer. As bobwhite is the arch destroyer of the potato bug, and the cuckoo of the waterpillar, and the larks of the grasshopper, and the sparrow of the weed seeds, President Dutcher thinks the birds are entitled to at least fair play from the milliners.—"Our National Heritage." In The Outing Magazine for July.

**QUEEN'S FLAG IN ANTARCTIC.**

Left in Sealed Brass Case 100 Miles From South Pole.

Dr. Marshall, surgeon to the Shackleton Antarctic expedition, recently gave some interesting details of the actual planting of the British flag 100 miles from the South Pole. He said they hoisted the flag given by the Queen, which was attached to a tent pole for the purpose.

Later this was taken down again, and another Union Jack hoisted in its place. It was then put into a sealed brass case and left on the spot where the flag had been erected. In the case the flag had been placed a record of what had happened; signed by the whole party.

In these regions, said one of the party, it was a remarkable fact that it was always blowing half a gale of wind (about thirty miles per hour) and always from the southeast. As a result of observations a strange theory is set up with regard to these winds. The explorers believe that there is a powerful ariel current, which gathers over the South Pole, and then strikes the earth, bounding off in all directions. So that from whichever point an expedition might start they would in all probability have to encounter the same opposing wind.

A good deal has been said about Polar seas, the theory of previous explorers being that near to the Pole regions of calm would be found. The experience of the present explorers was just the reverse. They remarked that they were always looking for calms, but found storms. It was "one continuous blow," which during the whole of their outward journey never varied nor ceased.

As a result of the extreme cold no life of any sort apparently existed anywhere in these parts. As to human life, the whole party were agreed that existence would be simply impossible during the winter months, the intensity of the cold being beyond estimation. The only life met with was near the seashore, where the observation hut was erected, and there they found penguins and seals.

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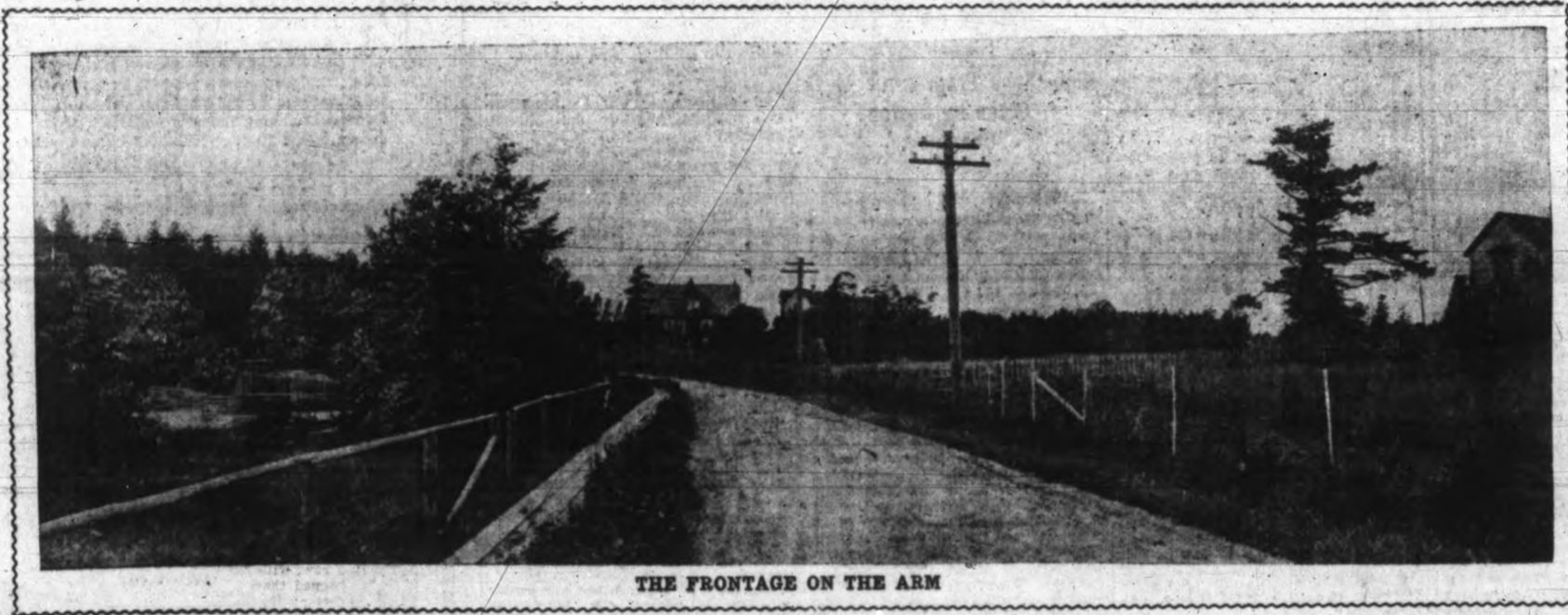
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ANGLICAN. St. Barnabas. S. P. C. A.—The Rev. E. G. Miller and Mr. Palmer, the secretary of the local branch of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, are pleased with the ready response made by many pastors to their appeal for a special sermon on behalf of the society. Last Sunday in a great many churches in the city the good work of the society was mentioned, and an appeal was made for a greater protection to our dumb animals.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL. Church of Our Lord. Successful Picnic.—There was a good attendance at the picnic of the Sunday school and congregation held last Saturday to Sidney, and the day was a perfect one. The party had a very enjoyable time indeed, and voted it the best picnic they ever had. The outlook from the park at Sidney was most beautiful, and a splendid view was had of Mount Baker and the islands of the Gulf.

METRODIST. Pioneer's Visit.—The visit of Rev. Amos E. Russ, M. A., the pioneer preacher, was greatly enjoyed by the congregation last Sunday morning. There was a very large number attending the love feast, and the reminiscences of church life in the sixties were very inspiring. Mr. Russ' sermon was much enjoyed by all.

Centennial. Rev. Dr. Spencer.—The superintendent of the Local Option League of British Columbia, Rev. Dr. Spencer, will preach in Centennial church to-morrow evening. Dr. Spencer needs no introduction to a Victoria audience, and his recent journey through the interior of the province in the interests of local option work will add to his well known ability in the pulpit. He predicts a victory for local option, though he recognizes that much must be done by the temperance forces of the province.

Visitor From Dakota.—It is expected that Rev. George F. Hopkins, presiding elder of the Dakota conference of the M. E. church, will preach in James Bay church on Sunday. Mr. Hopkins is an old friend of the pastor, Rev. A. N. Miller, and is in the city on a visit.

PRESBYTERIAN. First. Local Option.—Rev. Dr. Spencer, superintendent of the Local Option League of British Columbia, will preach to-morrow morning in First church. Dr. Spencer has just returned

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TABERNACLE CHURCH WILL CHANGE SITE. Next Week Building Will Be Moved to New Location.

An important meeting was held on Tuesday afternoon last when a council, composed of pastors and delegates from Vancouver Island and Vancouver City, met to discuss the relationship of Tabernacle church to the denomination. Rev. P. H. McEwan, of Vancouver, was appointed moderator, and L. G. Hills, of Chemainus, clerk of the church. A resume of the history of the church was given by Miss L. A. Blackwell, church clerk, and a financial statement was made by J. A. Birnie, treasurer. The roll of membership showed 64 names as members of the church, and the gifts of the congregation for the past twelve months amounted to \$5,860, an average of over \$48 per member. Pastor Tapscott presented a statement of doctrine.

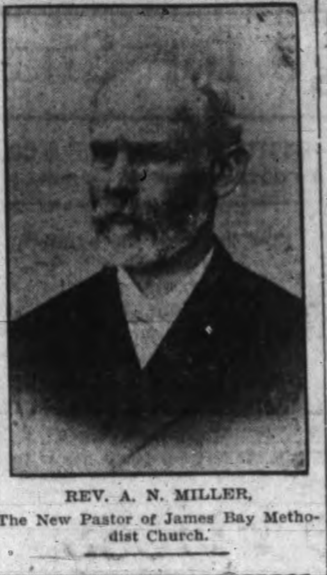
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Sunday School Lesson

July 13th, 1909. Paul's Second Missionary Journey.—Thessalonica and Berea, Acts xvii:1-15. Golden Text—Thy word have I hid in mine heart, that I may not sin against thee. Ps. cxix:11.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL. Church of Our Lord, Humboldt-street. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. At the morning service the Local Orange Lodges and the Sons of England will attend, and a special Protestant sermon will be preached by Rev. Thos. W. Gladstone.

MUNICIPAL PARK. Castle in It Will Be Turned Into a School.

METRODIST. Metropolitan, corner of Pandora avenue and Quadra street. Pastor, T. E. Holling. B. A. Floral day, 10 a. m. class meetings; 11 a. m. special floral service; address by the pastor on "The Ministry of Flowers"; 2:30 p. m. Metropolitan Sabbath school; 2:45 p. m. Spring Ridge public worship; 7:30 p. m. Metropolitan public worship, subject of sermon by the pastor, "Man and Nature."

Centennial, corner of George road and David street. The pastor, Rev. A. Henderson, will preach at 11 a. m. Anthem, "But the Lord is Mindful." Rev. Dr. Spencer, leader of the local option movement, will preach at 7 p. m. Anthem, "Now the Day is Over," solo by Miss Blitworth.

CITY CHURCHES

(Notices for this column must reach the Times Office not later than 10 o'clock on Saturday morning in order to insure insertion.)

ANGLICAN. Christ Church Cathedral, Burdette avenue. The services for the day are: Holy communion 8 a. m. Morning service and Litany 11 a. m. Children's service 1:30 p. m. Evening service 7 p. m.

St. John's, Douglas street, corner of Flanagan. Preachers, morning, Rev. Percival Jenns, the rector; evening, Rev. Mr. Porter. The music follows: Matins. Organ-Voluntary.....Gilmant. Pro. Hymn.....Gilmant.

St. Barnabas, corner of Cook street and Caledonia avenue. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Choral matins and litany at 11 a. m.; choral evensong at 7 p. m. The rector, Rev. E. G. Miller, will be the preacher for the day.

St. James', Quebec street, corner of St. John. Rector, Rev. J. H. S. Sweet. Holy communion at 8 p. m. H. E. Howes will give an address; subject, "The Power of Suggestion," followed by clairvoyant descriptions and messages. All are welcome.

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nesday at 3 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

PRESBYTERIAN. St. Columba, Hulton street, off Oak Bay avenue. Rev. Dr. Whittier, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school and Bible class at 2:45 p. m. Prayer meeting, Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock. All are welcome. The music follows:

St. Andrew's, Douglas street, corner of Broughton. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Preacher, Rev. Andrew Brown, of New York. The music follows: Morning. Organ—The Curew.....Horaman. Psalm—63.....Spinney.

First, Victoria hall, Blanchard street. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Christopher Burdett, pastor. Principal E. W. Magrath, of Okanagan College, will preach in the morning and the pastor in the evening. Bible schools at Victoria hall, Victoria West mission and Burnside at 2:30 p. m. Ladies' Philanthropic Bible class in Victoria hall at 2:30. Men's Barasac Bible class in A. O. U. W. building, Yates street at 2:30.

OTHER DENOMINATIONS. Christadelphians. A. O. U. W. building, Yates street. Public lecture at 7:30 p. m. Subject, "Christ's Confession Before Pilate." All are welcome.

Psychic Research Society. K. of P. hall, corner of Pandora avenue and Douglas street. Sunday at 8 p. m. H. E. Howes will give an address; subject, "The Power of Suggestion," followed by clairvoyant descriptions and messages. All are welcome.

St. Paul's, Lutheran, Mears street. There will be a German service on Sunday at 11 o'clock. The sermon will be preached by Rev. G. Wenning, who is to become the permanent pastor of the congregation, and the liturgical part of the service will be conducted by Rev. W. C. Drahn, field secretary of this district. The public, and especially those visiting in the city, are cordially invited.

FIFTY YEARS A WANDERER. Starvation, Weary Pilgrimages and Dreadful Penances Endured by Hindu Widow.

According to some stories related by Rev. Wm. Moyer of Central India at the convention of the Christian and Missionary Alliance in the Zion Congregational church, Toronto, there are worse things in India than the plague. In the name of religion horrors are perpetrated, at which Christian workers stand appalled, forms of persecution and various kinds of torture none the less hideous because they are self-imposed.

Centennial, corner of George road and David street. The pastor, Rev. A. Henderson, will preach at 11 a. m. Anthem, "But the Lord is Mindful." Rev. Dr. Spencer, leader of the local option movement, will preach at 7 p. m. Anthem, "Now the Day is Over," solo by Miss Blitworth.

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TURKISH ATROCITY AMONG ARMENIANS. The world has been already shocked by the accounts of the massacres of Armenians and others in Asia Minor, but nothing quite so horrible has appeared as the stories which have been told by two women, eye-witnesses and participants in the tragedy, to correspondents of the Bible Lands Mission Aid Society, of which Lord Kinnaird is treasurer. One of the women from Kozlook, an Armenian village to the north of Tarsus, gives the following account of her terrible experience at the hands of the Turks: "There were forty-seven of us, men, women and children, who were taken by the mob as if to go to one of their villages; other groups were driven in other directions. They marched us for hours on the mountains, with one pretext or another, till they brought us to a level place not far from the Tarsus road. Here they debated whether they should kill us. For a long time they threatened, and we besought them with tears and crying to spare us. They then said they must send to Tarsus for instructions; we gave money to one of them who was to go as messenger; what word he brought back, or whether he returned at all, I do not know. They at last told us they were going to kill us. "We were at the edge of a field of wheat; they took us away into some bushes not far from a terebinth tree, for they said the fire would hurt the wheat. They ordered us to lie down on the ground in a row, with our heads to the west. We begged them to shoot us through the heart or the head, but they said they did not want to waste powder and ball on swine like us; they would do the thing more cheaply. There was a great crowd of them. Four or five went at each of us with swords and daggers, hacking our heads and breasts. I cannot get the shrieks out of my ears. I was badly wounded, but not killed. "They had made a great fire of dry bushes, and now they threw us all dead and wounded, into it. My three little children had not been killed; the men took my oldest and my youngest, a mere babe, and flung them into the flames, where they perished. I had my second child in my arms, and we were thrown into the fire together. I at once scrambled out, though badly burned, with the little one, I ran a short distance, and sat down, dazed and weeping. A Turk had pity on me, and led me away, and at last sent me here. My husband and thirty other members of our large family were killed. "The family of Garabed Tatikian, another prominent member of our church in Kozlook, was completely wiped out. The woman whose story is given above had four children; all boys—three of them, not two, were stabbed or burned to death. I have (says the Mission Aid Society's correspondent) just talked with her again—she is like one distracted, and no wonder. "The substance of the second woman's story is this: She and eleven male members of her family, including her husband and two sons, with several women and children, were taken to a Turkish village; they had eaten nothing for thirty-six hours, and no one heeded their earnest requests for a little bread. "As they huddled together in the house to which they had been taken, a man came in armed with gun and dagger. He took the husband back into a corner and made him give up the little money that was on his person; in like manner he robbed all. Then the man and his neighbors took all the men out a few yards from the door and killed them in the presence of the women. "These latter begged the murderers to slay them also, and received the reply that they would do better than that—they would give them husbands. It is better to say nothing of what happened afterwards. This woman told me that she bears always the cries of one of her sons, whose two arms were cut off, so that he died to death. This son left a widow and seven orphan children. In relating the sack and burning of Kozlook the writer says: "The fate that befell the young girls must be left untold. A bride of two months bore, sought her young husband to kill her, which he did, and was almost immediately slain by the savages. "A cubic foot of gold weighs 1,200 pounds; silver 655.

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**SAANICH SCHOOL TRUSTEES MEET**

**New Building at the Pumping Station Will Be Completed by September 1st.**

(Special to the Times.)  
Gordon Head, July 8.—The monthly meeting of school trustees of Saanich municipality was held at Royal Oak on Wednesday evening, and several important matters were discussed. Three schools are vacant, Elk Lake, South Saanich and Prospect Lake. Miss Johnson, of Tolmie school, was transferred from the 3rd division to the 2nd, and Miss Elizabeth Robertson, formerly of Prospect Lake, was appointed to take Miss Johnson's place. Mrs. Harding was appointed to Craigdoover school. The new school at the Pumping Station will not be ready for occupation till September 1st.  
The many friends Rev. Frank Stone made while recently on a visit to Rev. H. A. Collison, will be sorry to learn that while travelling to his home in San Francisco, he was seized with a severe attack of pneumonia, during a short stay in Portland, Ore. Mr. Stone, though progressing favorably, is far from convalescent.

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**FAMILY OF SOLDIERS.**  
Benjamin Bloomfield, of Reading, Eng., who has just attained his sixtieth birthday, is the head of a family with a remarkable record of naval and military service. His father was a boatswain in the Royal Navy and fought under Nelson, and he was himself a member for twenty years of the Berkshire Volunteers. His eldest son was sergeant-instructor to the Queen's Own Canadian Volunteers, and another son, Sergeant A. Bloomfield, of the same regiment, was recommended for a reward for special meritorious service during the Boer war. Two other sons were sergeants in the Berkshire Regiment and served in the 7th (City of London) Regiment, and the sixth, who was in the Buffs, died at Malta while on service.

**SUN COOKING.**  
Sun cooking—roasting and boiling by sunlight instead of coal or gas—has been going on for three hundred years. There are sun stoves that roast a sirloin or boil a soup to perfection. They are only used, however, by scientists. A sun stove consists mainly of a mirror, a spherical mirror, on a joint. There is also a reflector that the mirror's rays can be focused on it accurately. A German, Baron Tschernhausen, was the first sun cooker. He began in 1827 to boil water, and in 1838 he had very good success in boiling eggs. Sir John Herschel and Buffon are other famous names associated with sun cooking. In California various sun cooks have boiled a gallon of water in twenty minutes, roasted meat in two hours and cooked eggs in fifteen minutes—quite as good time as the ordinary fire makes. An odd thing about meat roasted by sun rays is that it has an unpleasant taste. This is avoided by the insertion of a plate of yellow glass between meat and mirror. In all solar stoves the sheet of yellow glass figures—Tit-Bits.

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**MINING OUTLOOK IN THE CARIBOO**

Good Average Season in Prospect—Work on Hydraulic Claims.

The Barkerville correspondent of the Ashcroft Journal writes: Although the commencement of the present hydraulic season has probably been the latest on record, and things in the beginning had a rather pessimistic appearance, yet the cool weather coupled with the excessive rainfall is assuring us of a good average season, although the snow is fast disappearing from view. James Boyce, who is an authority, says there is four feet yet in the mountains.  
The hydraulic claims are all running in full blast and what information can be gathered from the present indications, the gold output will be much in excess of last year.  
Nine miles of a ditch and a dam 30 feet high is being built, to bring and store water for the lower properties, and all the men available are at work on the above project.  
China Creek, Nugget Gulch, Eight Mile Lake, the Gore mine on Antler, are all running in full blast. As to the output it is rather early to make any predictions, but, as they have all been dividend-paying mines, it is safe to assume that this year will be no exception.  
The Fountain Creek Company is running its tunnel up stream to catch bedrock, the drive is now four hundred feet up stream from the shaft, and bedrock is expected daily.  
L. A. Bonner, who is now in New York, is expected to arrive here within the next few weeks, when operations will be commenced on his Pleasant Valley properties.

**TRAIN DISPATCHING BY TELEPHONE ON C.P.R.**

System to Be Installed on Swift Current-Medicine Hat Division.

Inside two weeks the C. P. R., on the division between Swift Current and Medicine Hat, will be dispatching trains by telephone instead of by telegraph. This is an innovation in the middle west though the company has been using the telephone for dispatching on the Winnipeg-Brandon section and on the division east of Fort William, says the Calgary News.

This will not mean the cutting down of the regular telegraphing staff, as operators will be required for general railway work.  
The use of the telephone for dispatching was one of the main subjects at the convention at Detroit of the railway telegraph superintendents of America from which J. McMillan, superintendent of C. P. R. telegraphs superintendent, has just returned. Mr. McMillan states that telephone dispatching, according to the reports presented at the convention, has been tried out on many important American railways and so satisfactory a result has been the results that practically all the big lines are adopting the scheme and its general use will be only the matter of a short time.  
Trains will carry telephone sets and in case of accident or delay it will be an easy matter to get into communication with the nearest stations.  
Mr. McMillan, after the Detroit convention, visited Montreal, Toronto and other eastern points in connection with C. P. R. telegraph matters.

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COAST FORTIFICATIONS WILL BE IMPROVED
General Bell Says Defence Committee Has Authorized Elaborate Programme
Seattle, Wash., July 9.—Major-General J. Franklin Bell, chief of staff of the United States Army, accompanied by Mrs. Bell, is in Seattle.
General Bell calls on the Ohio tomorrow for Alaska, where he will inspect the six United States military posts in that territory.
The general discussed coast defences on the Pacific and on Puget sound.
"The cessation of improvement work at these forts is merely a temporary suspension, and is not an abandonment," said he. "The coast defence committee, known as the 'Tait board,' mapped out an elaborate programme for improving these forts and installing thoroughly modern equipment in them, and this programme will ultimately be carried out to the letter. The estimates for this year were cut down because of the inadequacy of the appropriation. It was uncertain what tariff, and for that reason it was decided to suspend improvements on coast defences until the requisite appropriation could be available."
Asked if there was any special significance attaching to the recent activity in planting submarine mines in Puget Sound, Gen. Bell replied that there was not, that the mines had been planted merely for practice.
KILLED ON RAILWAY.
North Yakima, Wash., July 10.—The horribly mangled remains of Levi R. Leduc, a veteran of the Civil war, have been found on the main line of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company's tracks. Among the things recovered from the body was a blood-soaked restraining order from the Yakima County Superior court bearing the date of Wednesday, which made the old man homeless by prohibiting him from visiting the house occupied by his wife, who had begun an action for divorce from him.

Y. M. C. A. CONFERENCE OPENS AT VANCOUVER
Delegates from Associations in Western Canada in Attendance.
Vancouver, July 9.—The first conference of the Y. M. C. A. of Western Canada opened yesterday afternoon, and sessions will be held until Sunday afternoon. The gathering has been called together to devise ways and means to cope with the very serious problems which are facing the association in order that it may be enabled to expand in proportion to the rapid growth of the country.
There are a large number of delegates present from the various associations of Western Canada, i. e., the district between Fort William and Victoria, including representatives from Fort William, Winnipeg, Moosejaw, Regina, Calgary, Edmonton, Revelstoke, Kamloops, New Westminster and Victoria.
The afternoon session yesterday was taken up with the appointment of officers to organize the debates and business of the conference, and with the reading of reports from the various associations, all of which showed that the most remarkable progress had taken place. The following were the officers chosen: Chairman, E. W. Keenleyside of Vancouver; first vice-chairman, Dr. Riddell, of Edmonton; second vice-chairman, R. C. Horn, of Victoria; secretary, S. Clarke, of Regina.
Last night a complimentary banquet was given to the delegates, presided over by Mr. Keenleyside, and at the end some most interesting speeches were heard.
A splendid address was given by Rev. J. Mackey, of Westminster Hall. He characterized the Y. M. C. A. as an unrivalled aid to the young men in a young men's country, and the present conference as an epoch-making incident in the growth of that association as well as in the development of education in Canada.
Dr. Riddell, of Edmonton, then spoke a few words, relating his experiences as a member of the association. His speech was marked by the earnestness with which he pleaded for the cause of Christianity, a cause which the Y. M. C. A. had fostered from its earliest days.
C. S. Sayer, the travelling secretary in Western Canada, gave some striking figures of the growth of the movement. There are 25 associations, consisting of 12 city and railroad societies, 5 Indian, 7 reading and 1 Japanese; property to the value of \$750,000 is held by the association, although quite a large amount of that is mortgaged; where an association was opened in January last, alone has a membership of 800. There are 35 places in which efforts are being made to open up headquarters and many more are really needed. The sum of \$700,000 will have to be raised within the next two or three years to cope fully with the problems.
Mr. Sayer then went on to tell of temporary work which is being carried on in logging camps, G. M. P. construction quarters and other such places. He announced that the Rev. C. Bishop was to be here shortly to work in the educational college and induce young men to join the association.
Dr. H. W. Riggs was the last speaker. The chief difficulty was to find men to work for the association, and only funds could do anything to help to teach the young men to take up the cause of the association in earnest and with zeal.
REITERATES CHARGES.
Dismissed Inspector Says Regulations Are Disregarded in St. Louis Stock Yards.
Fremont, Ohio, July 10.—John Harms has forwarded to Secretary Wilson, of the department of agriculture, a sarcastic reply to a notice that he had been dismissed from a meat inspectorship at the government stock yards at East St. Louis, Ill.
Harms reiterated the charges which brought about his dismissal, that there is an alarming disregard of regulations at the East St. Louis yards, and again demanded an "open investigation."
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PRESSMEN AS SEEN IN ENGLAND

CANADIANS MADE A GOOD IMPRESSION

London Acknowledges it Knows Dominion Better.

Really, the journalists will be obliged to order hats of an extra size, writes John Foster Fraser in the Sunday Chronicle.

I remember the time when it was considered undignified to recognize the press, or if newspaper men were recognized, to treat them with a certain superciliousness. That attitude, however, is now limited to second-rate town-councillors in third-rate provincial towns.

This week we have been holding an Imperial Press Conference in London, and I have attended as a delegate though I have not the ghost of an idea who selected me for that honorable post. But newspaper writers from all parts of the British dominions have each morning assembled at the foreign office, and we have given our most valuable advice concerning the proper way to run the empire.

We had a dinner a week ago at the White City. Lord Rosebery, as every body now knows, delivered a speech which was a tornado of patriotism. But it was not quite so fine a speech as the ordinary man might think. Indeed, the reporting of that speech provided evidence of how useful journalists are to public men.

Lord Rosebery, with flaming eye, flushed cheek and dramatic gesture, talked about Europe "lapsing into militarism." He was, however, reported to have said that Europe was "rattling into barbarism," which was very much better. The phrase is one which has touched the public imagination. It has been quoted and repeated again and again. Lord Rosebery, who has given been a master of phrases, was supposed to have excelled himself in an apt phrase in regard to the increasing armaments of the powers. Yet he never said anything of the kind.

"Rattling into barbarism" was really the invention of some modest short-hand journalist who had heard the noble lord indifferently.

For several days we talked about imperial defence, Winston Churchill when he addressed us on Thursday morning said we had had a week of "shot and shell." A London evening paper reported him as saying that we had had a week of "pot and still." Now I do not go to give anybody away. But really the mistake was quite as accurate as the original observation. I do not drink whiskey myself; but I have seen it drunk.

Nor do I know who originated this conference. The idea was that British pressmen the world over should meet, talk about their common interests, and give one another a good time. Well, I trust we have done something in that direction. But our child became a far more important creature than any of us anticipated. There has been no man in the land too big to do the delegates honor. On Monday the Prince and Princess of Wales gave a garden party at Marlborough House. The King and Queen were present, and all the delegates were introduced to their Majesties.

Every important statesman, from the prime minister downwards, has addressed the conference. So have great pro-consuls like Lords Cromer, Curzon and Milner. So has Lord Roberts. There have been banquets and luncheons. Duchesses have given garden parties and "at homes." There have been innumerable dinner parties. The army council arranged a sham fight at Aldershot, and the admiralty provided a naval review at Spithead. We have drunk as much champagne as would float a Dreadnought. We have come into our own, and a gusset must be let into our hats.

Our Modest Visitors. One very good thing about the conference is that British journalists and colonial journalists have been able to take their bearings. Perhaps I ought not to use the word "colonial," for it was never mentioned at the conference. Our visitors do not like to be told they come from the colonies. They come from the "over-sea dominions." England may be described as the mother country, but no longer is the authority of percentage admitted. Britain, Canada, Australia, New Zealand are separate nations. That we were made clearly to understand.

The journalists from across the water, who know the temperament of the people amongst whom they live, made it plain they are not to be bossed in London. In regard to defence the prevailing opinion was that each Dominion should provide its own fleet, but

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that we should have only one navy—that Australia should defend itself, and Canada defend itself, but that in matters of imperial defence all the fleets should defend the empire.

Canada's Speakers. I have heard the aspersion made that our fellow Britons are rather more bragging than our cousins in the United States. We have had no evidence of that at the conference. Indeed restraint of language has been a characteristic of the great do not know that I ever met so level-headed a body of men, quite courageous in their independence, but considerate toward the views of others.

Not only have we had men of our own race from distant parts, but we have had a Dutch-speaking Boer and a dusky-skinned Bengalee joining in the confab. On main issues everybody was agreed. There was little ruse of antagonism when a motion in favor of universal military training was brought forward. But to prevent any difference of opinion, as revealed by a vote, the motion was withdrawn.

There has been only one journalist of title in our midst, namely Mr. J. Graham, of Montreal. Though some of the Canadian representatives had a sonorous twang so that they might have been mistaken for men of the United States, Sir Hugh was completely free. He is a man who has worked his way from the lowest journalistic plank to a position of high honor in Canada. Still he remains modest. A shortish man, with grizzled hair and refined features, he speaks with no exaggeration of language; but quietly, sedately, yet with an authority which is unmistakable. In the ordinary understanding of the word he is no orator.

Still, Canada has sent us an orator in Mr. J. A. Macdonald. He is a big, heavy-built, bearded man of Scottish descent, a Celt of the Celts. He has a voice which is like the roar of Niagara. When he talks he raises a big and heavy fist. He speaks with passion and with eagerness. His eyes flame and his cheeks pale. He does not prepare what he is going to say. He says what he thinks. He is of the stuff of which heroes and fanatics are made. You cannot listen to him for two minutes without feeling you are under the sway of a personality.

A Thing to Remember. Then take the Boer delegate, Dr. Engenbrug. He looks like a Frenchman with his chiselled features and close-cropped hair. It was strikingly interesting when he immediately followed Lord Milner in addressing the assembly. Lord Milner was the representative of Great Britain in South Africa during the war. Dr. Engenbrug was a soldier in the Boer ranks. He fought against us. Now he stood on the same platform on which Lord Milner was sitting. He is straight and soldier-like, and there is the clear blue in his eyes which you find in men who are accustomed to look long distances over the veldt. He speaks English slowly, with difficulty, and not always correctly, but it is a good grammatical English. Whatever differences he may have had with us in the past he is now a British citizen. I shall always remember the great cheer which went up in the Mansion House when he rose, and in his slow and hesitating way proposed the health of the Lord Mayor of London.

Then take the case of Mr. Surendranath Banerjee, of the vernacular press of Bengal. He is a shining light of the Indian National Congress. He is one of the greatest speakers I have ever heard. He is known as the Gladstone of Bengal. Dusky of feature, elderly and grizzled, he has the fire of the orator. With passionate vehemence he presented a suggestion which had been made that all the vernacular press were anti-British. And whilst he spoke he stood on the right hand of Lord Morley, Secretary of State for India.

These contrasts give something of a dramatic touch to the proceedings.

Perturbed Pro-Consuls. There was something which might be called an accident—in the whirl of engagements this week—which aroused much merriment. At a luncheon given at the Constitutional Club, Mr. Maitland Park proposed the health of the Pro-Consuls, and coupled with the toast the name of Lord Curzon of Kedleston.

Mr. Park is a large, expansive man, with some Scotch on his tongue. Although he comes to the Conference from South Africa, he has spent most of his life in India. It was singular that he should be called upon to propose this toast because, when he was in India, he attacked Lord Curzon's policy as vicerey so vehemently that he was invited to resign. The assembly roared with laughter at this historical reminiscence. Lord Curzon was at first slightly perturbed; then he was amused. In replying to the toast he made a charming allusion to Mr. Maitland Park's "imagination."

Some of the finest men at the Conference came from Australia and New Zealand—men of vigorous frame, bronzed cheeks, and straightforwardness of speech. Mr. Kyffen Thomas, the president of the overseas delegates, is a big dark man from Adelaide. He is talking in a very casual way whilst he is taking the measure of his audience. Mr. Cunningham, of Melbourne—one of the best known journalists down-under—a man of middle age and a keen eye, speaks with galling force and a deadly earnestness.

Then there is Mr. Fairfax, of Sydney, handsome, and rather like Mr. George Alexander, who, whilst keenly imperialistic, is very cautious not to say in England what he is not prepared to write in Australia. There was no volubility about any of these three men, and yet the restrained manner in which they spoke had more effect than brilliancy of oratory.

Australia, however, did send at least two orators, Mr. Ward and Mr. Theodore Fink.

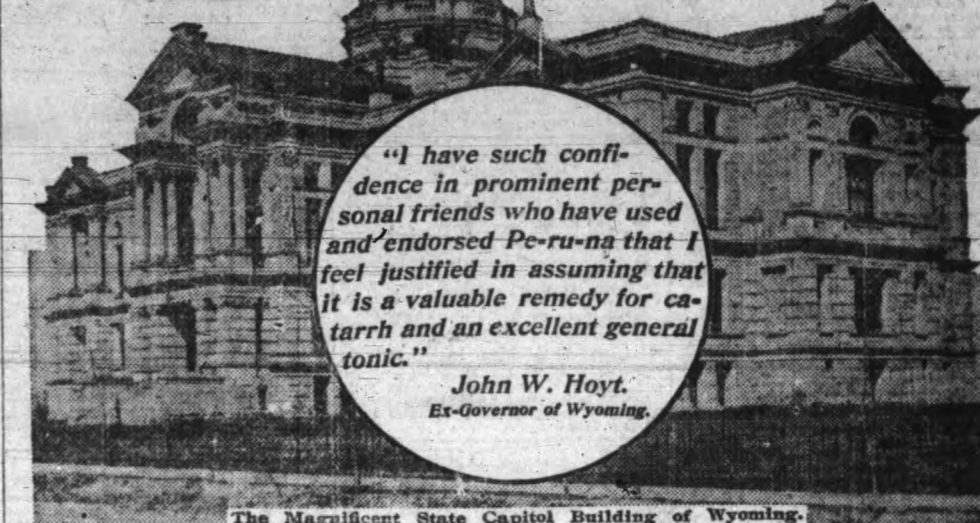
The party are now about to make a tour through the provinces. Whatever misconception any of them may have entertained in regard to the "old country" will disappear. And we, ourselves, shall probably get a clearer idea about the Colonies from talking with them than formerly we possessed.

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Gen. W. H. Parsons. Gen. W. H. Parsons is ex-State Senator and ex-Special Judge of the Supreme Court of Texas, also Brigadier General in Confederate Army. In a recent letter from 925 H St., N. W., Washington, D. C., this prominent gentleman says:

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Col. C. L. Patten. Col. C. L. Patten, 509 T St., N. W., Washington, D. C., a Lieutenant in the Old Guard, an exclusive organization composed of soldiers of distinction who fought in the civil war, and a Thirty-second-degree Mason, writes as follows:

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Hon. R. S. Ryan, now residing in Nome, Alaska, was formerly a member of the English House of Parliament, and Secretary to the late Irish patriot, Charles Stewart Parnell. His Washington address is New Willard Hotel, Washington, D. C. He writes: "I have used Peru-na and can recommend your remedy as a very effective cure for colds and catarrhal complaints."

Hon. Thomas Gale. Hon. Thomas Gale, elected to Congress from Alaska, is well known on the Pacific slope, where he has resided. His Washington address is 1812 1/2 St., N. W., Washington, D. C. He writes: "I can cheerfully recommend Peru-na as a very efficient remedy for coughs and colds."

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