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PHOENIX SCENE OF BIG BLAZE

PROPERTY LOSS TOTALS \$150,000

Granby Company Heaviest Loser —Methodist and Presbyterian Churches Also Destroyed

(Special to the Times.)
Grand Forks, Aug. 12.—The city of Phoenix yesterday afternoon experienced its first serious loss by fire when about \$150,000 worth of buildings and contents went up in smoke.
The fire is supposed to have started in an oil house near the tracks to the No. 3 ore bunkers of the Granby Co., and owing to the extreme dryness soon spread to buildings in close proximity.
The property destroyed includes the No. 3 ore bunker and tram line, machine and blacksmith shop, timber shed and electric power house, the Granby cottage, the residence of O. B. Smith, superintendent of the Granby Mines, and part of the Granby office; all of the foregoing being the property of the Granby Co.; the Methodist and Presbyterian churches and Pioneer office, McIntyre's livery barn and schoolhouse, were totally destroyed, while the Miners' Union hall was badly damaged; as was also the old ironides bunkhouse.
The Granby Company is the heaviest loser, the loss running in the neighborhood of \$100,000, while the other buildings destroyed make up the balance.
The loss of the ore bunkers of the Granby Company necessitating the shutting down of the smelter to half its capacity, four furnaces, which number the company expects to be able to operate until new bunkers can be erected.
At one time it was thought that the whole town would go and this city was called on for fire fighting apparatus and volunteers, but after getting the steamer and other apparatus on board a Great Northern train, word was received that the fire was under control.

LIGHTNING CAUSES FIRE.

Montreal, Aug. 12.—A severe electrical storm caused considerable damage in the city. The fire brigade was kept busy putting out fires caused by lightning. The steeple of St. Andrew's church, Beaver Hill Hall, was struck, but the outbreak of fire was extinguished by firemen. A milkman on a street car was severely burned that he had to be removed to the hospital. A hole was burned through his car.

THREE SHOT IN STRIKE RIOT

TWO WOMEN AND GIRL ARE WOUNDED

Police Refuse to Protect Cars at Columbus—Troops May Be Recalled

(Times Leased Wire.)
Columbus, Ohio, Aug. 12.—For refusing to protect the cars of the traction company from the strikers, 32 policemen were suspended to-day by Chief of Police Carter. The vacancies on the force were filled at once, over 100 civilians volunteering to be sworn in as patrolmen.
The policemen went before Mayor Marshall yesterday and announced that they would refuse to ride on the cars as protectors. The reasons they gave were that grocers and butchers had threatened to boycott them, and that they would be unable to get provisions.
Following the wounding of two women and a little girl in rioting here, it is probable that soldiers recently withdrawn from Columbus will be recalled.

Disorders which have been threatened for several days broke out last night. John F. Brady, a strike breaker, is alleged to have shot and wounded Mrs. Katherine Kelly, her daughter Helen and Mrs. Charles Hart. The women and child were standing at a corner when it is alleged Brady drove up in an automobile and ordered the women to move on. They complied, taunting Brady and calling him a "scab." Brady fired, then covering the chauffeur with his revolver ordered him to drive away and escaped.
Several cars were damaged by explosives and others were stoned.
A conference will be held to-day to decide whether the troops shall be recalled.

LOSES HIS LIFE.

Chester, Wash., Aug. 12.—Word has been received here of the drowning of Roy Coss, a young farmer living near Bridesville, on Kettle river on the Canadian side. Coss slipped from a rock in the middle of the river while on a picnic. As he floundered about in the water, those near him asked if he wanted help. He laughingly declined, but sank in an eddy and did not appear again. His body was found later.

SIR WILFRID VISITS CALGARY

THOUSANDS GATHER TO GREET PREMIER

Reception Entirely Non-Partisan —Visitor Alludes to District's Marvellous Progress

(Special to the Times.)
Calgary, Alta., Aug. 12.—The Laurier special made no stops yesterday in the run between Red Deer and Calgary. At Bowden and Olds, however, the train slowed down and enabled Sir Wilfrid and Dr. Clarke, standing on the rear platform, to give greeting to gatherings at the stations.
Over a hundred school children assembled at Bowden and waved garlands of flowers and flags. One little girl, dressed in white, carried a bouquet which she handed to one of the older boys. The lad, grasping the situation, marathoned along the platform with the moving train and tossed the flowers on the car platform at the Premier's feet. Sir Wilfrid picked them up amid cheers from the receding station and gallantly threw a kiss to the little maid.
Five thousand people were awaiting the Premier at Calgary, where Mayor Jamieson presented a civic address, pointing out that since his former visit sixteen years ago, Calgary had grown in population from 3,500 to 46,000.

Sir Wilfrid, replying, expressed his appreciation of the welcome and alluded to the marvelous development of the district, adding his hope that a spirit of true Canadianism was dominant. Canada, he declared, had an opportunity to become alike a lesson and an inspiration to the modern civilized world.
The reception was carried out on a mammoth scale, and was entirely non-partisan, among the prominent citizens taking part being R. B. Bennett, Conservative leader in the provincial legislature. A procession was formed, and Sir Wilfrid was escorted to Brammer Lodge, where he will enjoy a much needed rest until to-night, when he will address a mass meeting at the Arena. He attended a public reception and shook hands with hundreds of citizens anxious to do him honor.
The Maritime Province Association of Calgary tendered a banquet last night to E. M. Macdonald, at which that parliamentarian made an eloquent appeal for united action by east and west in upbuilding and strengthening the common country.

JAPANESE SEALERS ARE SENT TO PRISON

Given Three Months for Illegal Sealing—Two Other Schoon- ers Are Fined

(Times Leased Wire.)
Seward, Alaska, Aug. 12.—The floating court, aboard the revenue cutter Rush, with United States District Judge Cushman presiding, is on its way back to Seward. Its work for the season finished.
While at Unalaska the court disposed of the cases against three Japanese schooners seized by revenue cutters for violations of the government fishing and sealing regulations.
Twenty-eight Japanese, the entire crew of one schooner, were sentenced to three months in jail at hard labor for illegal sealing. Another schooner was fined \$400 for illegal fishing and a third \$500 for failure to clear from the customs house when ordered.

AWAITS ARRIVAL OF LONDON OFFICER

Scotland Yard Detective is Bring- ing Papers in Connection With Crippen Case

(Times Leased Wire.)
Father Point, Que., Aug. 12.—Inspector Dew, of Scotland Yard, is at Rimouski to-day awaiting the arrival of Sergeant Mitchell and Matrons Foster and Stone of the London police, who will escort Dr. H. H. Crippen and Ethel Levee back to England.
Sergeant Mitchell brings with him certain documents that are intended to clear the way for the deportation of Crippen, suspected of having murdered his wife, and of his companion. The documents, it is believed, throw light on the identity of the murdered woman, believed to have been Mrs. Belle Elmore Crippen. They also are said to contain the latest developments in the case against the accused man.

FILIPINOS FOR HAWAII

Honolulu, Aug. 12.—Following the announcement that 20,000 Filipinos were to be imported to the Hawaiian islands as sugar plantation laborers, the organization of anti-Oriental labor leagues was begun to-day. The associations will ask that drastic legislation be passed prohibiting so large an influx which the labor leaders say would upset conditions in the islands.
Feeling is running high over the threatened immigration.



PRINCESS MAY ON THE ROCKS.
As the steamer appears at low tide. (This picture and that published yesterday are from photographs taken by W. H. Case, Juneau.)

DELEGATES ARE ARRIVING TO-DAY

GENERAL CONFERENCE BEGINS TO-MORROW

City Pulpits Will Be Occupied by Visiting Pastors—Metropoli- tan Church Services

The local committees are all in readiness to receive the five or six hundred guests who arrive to-day for the sessions of the general conference of the Methodist church. Messrs. Leo and Mitchell went over on last night's boat to meet the delegates in Vancouver, carrying with them copies of the booklet that has been published showing where the guests will be billeted. A large number will be at the James Bay Athletic Association, which has been kindly loaned for a reception room, this afternoon when the boat arrives, so that the visitors may be conducted to their homes with the quickest possible dispatch. Many of those who own automobiles have promised to be on hand to help in their quick distribution and it is hoped that there will be a minimum of confusion and delay at the wharf.

The conference church has been made ready for the sessions and will present an animated scene during the next two weeks. On Monday morning the conference will meet for organization, and as soon as possible will get down to the business in hand. A few of the delegates arrived last evening and report that there is a very large number of visitors accompanying the delegation, and it is safe to say that Victoria will be quite conversant with the fact that the conference is meeting in the city when they see the number of strangers around the streets, enjoying the parks, and indulging in the favorite pastime of trolley-riding.

The services to-morrow in the Metropolitan church promise to be of unusual interest. Commencing at 9:30 a. m. the church will be open until at least 9:30 at night. The conference love feast at 9:30 a. m. is always well-attended and will prove of great interest and power. The official sermon will be preached by the Rev. Henry Haigh at 11 a. m. Mr. Haigh is the fraternal delegate from England and has a reputation as a preacher that is hardly surpassed in that land of preachers.
An open session of the Sunday school will be held at 2:30 p. m., and addresses will be delivered by the Rev. Dr. Speer, a former pastor of the church, and the Rev. Dr. Hincks, of Toronto. The evening service will commence at 7 p. m. with an organ recital by Edward Parsons. The preacher will be the Rev. Solomon Cleaver. Dr. Cleaver needs no introduction to a Victoria audience and the church will be crowded to the full capacity for the service.
The choir have prepared a special programme of music, and bulletins will be distributed through the church containing the full order of service. Every preparation is being made for the comfort and convenience of the congregation, but regular seat-holders are reminded that it is absolutely necessary to be very early to secure their seats.

Rev. Dr. Carman, general superintendent, who is to arrive to-day, will find a very comfortable room in the church ready for his use. The Ladies' Guild have furnished the vestry for the purpose, and are undertaking to see that the room is kept in good order during the sessions of conference.
Dr. Carman has been at the head of the conference since the union of the various bodies of Methodism and is still vigorous and hearty. He will wield the gavel at the sessions of the conference and there will be no chance for any one to break the rules of order. He is a master of assemblies and can conduct a meeting through its stormy times with grace and power.
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BADEN-POWELL TO THE PARENTS

WILL GIVE ADDRESS IN THEATRE TO-NIGHT

Meeting is Open to All Adults— Inspection of Scouts This Afternoon

This afternoon Sir Robert Baden-Powell is inspecting the Boy Scouts at Beacon Hill park. The boys assembled on Broad street at three o'clock and presented a splendid appearance as they marched off to the park, headed by the brass band and bugle corps, by way of Yates and Government streets.
This evening the Hero of Mafeking will address the parents and other grown-ups in the Victoria theatre on the Scout movement and the responsibility of parents in the matter of the training of their boys.
The members of the Canadian Club, under whose auspices the meeting is, extend a cordial invitation to the citizens of Victoria to attend this evening to hear General Baden-Powell. There will be short speeches by Hon. Richard McBride and other well-known speakers. Patriotic songs in which the audience are invited to join will be rendered.

There will be no charge for admission and no reserved seats, excepting that ladies will be given the preference. The centre of the theatre orchestra stalls, the first rows of the balcony, and the boxes have been reserved for ladies and their escorts. Seats have been provided for members of the Canadian Club on the stage. Scouts in uniform will act as ushers, but beyond those specially appointed to this task, the remainder of the local corps are not expected to be present. Vocal items will be rendered during the evening by well known artists and the Fifth Regiment band will probably be in attendance.
The doors will open at eight o'clock and at half-past eight the proceedings will open.

FOUND DEAD IN BOX CAR.

THREE KILLED; OVER SCORE INJURED

Engine Collides With Car Carry- ing Workmen—Laborers Attack Train Men

TRADE WITH GLASGOW.

OTTAWA, AUG. 12.—John T. Lithgow, the trade commissioner to Glasgow, in his initial report to the trade and commerce department notes a falling off in Glasgow imports by way of Montreal, mainly in cheese and frozen meats.

FENIAN RAID VETERANS.

All those who participated in the repelling of the Fenian raids of 1866 and 1870 are requested to meet at Comrade Trean's office, 634 View street, at 10:30 a. m., Thursday, for the purpose of interviewing Sir Wilfrid Laurier re land grants.

HUNDREDS PERISH IN FLOODS IN JAPAN

Two Million Persons Reported to Be Without Food or Shelter—One Third of City of Tokio Under Water.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Tokio, Aug. 12.—Hundreds of persons are drowned; scores entombed under caved embankments or pinned under fallen timbers in the path of the rising waters and one-third of the city of Tokio is flooded to-day from constant rains.

It is estimated that 2,000,000 persons in the surrounding country are without shelter or food and are starving.
A great dyke on the Tonegawa river is in danger of collapse. The authorities are using every means at hand to prevent the great dam from caving in and losing millions of gallons of water on the already rain-soaked city.
Conditions in the capital are worse than during any great flood of recent times in Japan. The city has grown to such an extent that much of the lowland is built with brick or bamboo houses, inviting the destruction that is being visited on it by the elements. All the low-lying districts have been flooded and the inhabitants, without food or shelter, are in desperate straits.
The weather continues stormy and the torrential rains have fallen for many days without abatement. To the southward as far as the eye can reach the lowlands are muddy marshes or vast sheets of rolled waters.
Railroad tracks have disappeared owing to the washing away of embankments.
Wild rumors circulated throughout the city to-day that a trainload of persons near Canaya, on the Tokaido (Government) railroad had met destruction in the surging waters after having been stalled since Wednesday night without food and practically without shelter. The number of dead aboard the train is variously estimated at from 500 to 600.
The government to-day made separate efforts to convey barges of supplies to Hoshihiji, where 800 persons have taken refuge in a temple. Shimoda and Shidzuoka have been deserted, their inhabitants fleeing to higher land.
The villages of Shibuya, Honjo, Fuda, Meigio and Shinagawa are under water and refugees declare that scores perished when the Tamagawa over-

flooded its banks in the night and swept everything before it.
The lowlands surrounding Takasaki have disappeared under the flood and the prosperous capital of Gumma prefecture is a virtually surrounded by a lake which threatens to inundate the town.
Mayor Yukio Oseaki to-day issued a call for contributions of food and clothing from the wealthier residents and for volunteers to carry supplies into the stricken country districts.
Nothing has been heard from railway engineers reported entombed near Karuisewa when the river Rokugo overflowed and it is feared they have perished.
Thousands of Homes Destroyed.
Tokio, Aug. 12.—(Later.)—The high wall, embankment and most surrounding the western or upper-half of Tokio is threatened with destruction.
Already the western-half of the city, in the lower section comprising one-third of the city, the homes of 600,000 Japanese of the poorest class, was destroyed when the river Shumida, dividing the city, overflowed its banks.
The government to-day assumed direction of relief and ordered troops from surrounding prefectures to concentrate their efforts to relieve 2,000,000 homeless in the country districts surrounding Tokio and Yokohama.
War vessels have been ordered by wireless to proceed at once to Tokio and Yokohama to operate with the military authorities.
The prostration of land communication makes the work of relief and care for the shelterless and starving pitifully inadequate.
A great Buddhist temple near Takasaki, the Gongendo, crowded with refugees, is slowly being undermined by the swirling waters of the Tonegawa and is threatened with destruction.
The great stretch of lowlands between Tokio and Shidzuoka practically has joined the sea. The government railroad on which trains are operated between Tokio and Kobe is washed away and all the smaller stations along the line are submerged.
Northward the Tonegawa is a swollen flood and belated reports from Karuisewa, the great Japanese summer resort, indicate that the lowland towns have suffered great damage.

John Redmond to visit Montreal. Will attend Eucharist Conference—Archbishop of Westminster to Tour West.
(Special to the Times.)
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TAXING UNIMPROVED LAND.
(Special to the Times.)
Melbourne, Aug. 12.—The progressive tax on unimproved value of land has been provided for. The bill has been read a first time. It will, in the case of absentee landlords, be a penny tax throughout with no exemptions.

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SEVEN PASSENGERS SUSTAIN INJURIES

Electric Car Collides With Freight Cars Near Portland—Train Crews Escape

Portland, Ore., Aug. 12.—Seven passengers were injured and many others severely jolted at 1 o'clock this morning when an electric car bound for Portland from Oregon City, on the Oregon Water Power and Electric Company's road, crashed into several freight cars, which were standing on the main track at Sellwood, five miles east of Portland.
The seriously injured are: A. W. Strahorn, Portland, severe cuts on the head; C. L. Brown, Portland, severely cut about mouth; Edgar Strelma, Portland, face and head lacerated; Miss Mattie Taylor, Portland, injured about the face and head.

The freight cars were being switched on the main line and the passenger car crashed head-on into them, hurling the 40 passengers from their seats. The injured were brought to Portland on a car as soon as the track could be cleared to permit its passage, and removed to hospitals. None of the train crews were injured.
It is believed the accident was caused by the freight crew not placing lights on the cars left standing on the main line.

WILL PROBABLY DIE.

Portland, Ore., Aug. 12.—Mrs. W. A. Kastner early to-day sustained probable fatal injuries when she fell from the balcony adjoining her apartments in the fourth story of the Buell apartment building at Fourteenth and Salmon streets. She struck on her head, fracturing her skull and badly bruising her body. Mrs. Kastner was removed to a hospital where her chances of recovery are reported to be very slight.
Mrs. Kastner was clad in her night clothing. It is supposed that she was sleeping on the balcony and rolled off.

GIFT FROM THE KING.

(Special to the Times.)
London, Aug. 12.—A special copy of the Book of Common Prayer which King George is presenting to the Church of England in Canada, is being taken out by the Bishop of London who sailed on Friday on the Empress of Britain.

Doctors Issue Bulletin Stating the Patient's Condition is Gratifying.
(Times Leased Wire.)
Hoboken, N. J., Aug. 12.—Mayor Gaynor's condition was much improved to-day and the patient jolted with Drs. Arlitz and Stewart as they dressed his wound. There were no signs of infection, and it is now believed that the danger of blood poisoning has passed.
The mayor's family retired at an early hour last night after having been told that they were not needed, and that no danger threatened the mayor.
Secretary Adamson called to-day and discussed official business with the mayor.
At 9 o'clock Drs. Arlitz and Stewart issued the following bulletin:
"The mayor's condition is gratifying. He slept eight hours last night."
The condition of the mayor at 1 o'clock this afternoon was still further improved according to a bulletin issued at that hour. The patient spent a comfortable morning and took considerable nourishment. He was gaining strength steadily. His temperature, pulse and respiration were satisfactory.

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WILL LEAVE NEXT WEEK

Inspector Dew Looks Forward to Departure for England With Crippen and Ethel Leneve.

(Special to the Times.) Rimouski, Aug. 13.—Inspector Dew, who has arrived here to meet Detective Mitchell and the two matrons sent by Scotland Yard to take back Dr. Crippen and Ethel Leneve, is, it is said, tired of his stay in Quebec, as people there make

most as much fuss over him as over Crippen. Every day brings some new rumor. The latest is that the lives of the prisoners will be in danger if they are taken from jail in daylight. Inspector Dew is looking forward to his departure for England with his prisoners on or about August 18th. He states that more than two thousand persons have visited the jail since Crippen's arrival, but that no one has yet seen the prisoners.

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AMALGAMATION OF TWO MINES LIKELY

Report Current That O. K. Fraction and Portland Wonder Will Merge

It is stated on good authority that the Little Joe, O. K. Fraction, and Portland Wonder mines, well known properties on the Portland Canal, will shortly be amalgamated.

At a recent meeting of the O. K. directors the question of taking up the next bond payment, which is due on September 1st, was discussed, and while nothing definite has been decided, Dr. A. W. Mossley, who is largely interested in both the O. K. and Portland Wonder, has emphatically stated that the payment will be met.

Although the first development work on the O. K. resulted unfavorably it is announced that better showings are now being found. The amalgamation of the two properties is expected to be followed by increased development. Another meeting of the O. K. directors will shortly be held.

LOCAL NEWS

—The council of the board of trade will meet at 11 a.m. Monday to consider drafts of the memorials on the Songhees reserve and mainland railway connections, which it is proposed to present to Sir Wilfrid Laurier on his visit here.

While the provincial government is sending out official invitations to those included in what is known as the Colonial Office List, to attend the Laurier reception on Wednesday evening, the Premier and his colleagues wish it distinctly understood that the public at large is invited to attend.

—Mistaking the intentions of a well-meaning, if somewhat indiscreet, gentleman who sought to release it from the top of an electric light pole in front of Thorpe's bottling plant on Government street, a small starving kitten last night jumped on to the transmission wire and temporarily plunged the city in darkness. The kitten had evidently been chased up the pole by a dog and had remained there, it is said, for four days. In trying to rescue it by means of a ladder and a long pole, the man of good intentions not only brought about a spell of complete darkness, but narrowly escaped being hit with the falling live wire.

OBITUARY RECORD

To-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock the funeral of the late John Albert Terry will take place from the Hanna chapel. Interment will be made in Ross Bay cemetery.

The remains of the late Charles McKernan were laid to rest in Ross Bay cemetery this morning, the funeral taking place at 8:45 o'clock from the Victoria Undertaking Parlors and at 9 o'clock at the Roman Catholic cathedral. Services were conducted at the church by Rev. Father Letere. There was a large attendance of friends and many flowers were sent. The pallbearers were: P. Roach, J. Allen, Isaac Hewitt, E. McCarty, William McKay and W. Pollard.

There was a very large attendance of sympathizing friends at the funeral of the late Charles Truesdell, which took place from the B. C. Funeral Company's parlors yesterday afternoon. Rev. E. G. Miller conducted a very impressive service at the chapel and the hymns "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" and "Nearer My God to Thee" were sung. The floral tributes were numerous and included a design from his fellow workmen, "A Token of Respect From His Fellow Workmen." The following officiated as pallbearers: A. G. H. Harding, J. L. Sutherland, A. Rusta, H. W. Murray, Geo. Keown, from Far West Lodge K. of P., of which deceased was a member, and William Brown, former of the work.

LODGERS UPSET HOME LIFE OF JOHN REAY

Magistrate Says Man Who Marries Landlady Can Get Rid of Boarders

If a man marries a woman who keeps a lodging house, and there are lodgers in the house, the man has the right to get rid of the lodgers if he so desires, if one of the lodgers leaves, he will still have to contribute to his wife's support, John Reay, manager of the Metropolitan Life Association, who claimed in the police court this morning to have found himself in the foregoing position, will have to pay \$150 per week for the future towards his wife's maintenance.

Acting Magistrate Prior made the order after hearing the evidence of the husband and the wife. He also ruled against George Morphy, solicitor for the applicant, when Mr. Morphy asked for a hearing behind closed doors.

The parties were married in July last year, and Reay resided in his wife's house four months, contributing \$6 per week to the maintenance of the home. Later he raised the sum to \$7. In his evidence this morning he said: "I told her I would increase her salary if she would get rid of the lodgers." His wife had faintly told him to go.

She said this morning "an angel could not please him," and that she would not live with him for \$1,000. She said she would have been a maniac had he stayed at home any longer than he did.

The defendant in evidence said: "Does the children come trooping round me in the street? Didn't I buy one of them the most expensive teddy bear in Spencer's store?" Referring to the weekly contribution, accused said he had objected to one of the roomers whom he considered had misbehaved and he told his wife in such society.

When Mr. Morphy referred to his share in the raising of the six children, witness said: "Raising children does not constitute only the bread they eat."

The witness mentioned that in addition to money, he had taken home fruit and bought wood, and said: "It broke me all up when she ordered me out of the home."

The magistrate asked: "Why didn't you put the lodger out?"

Witness: "Because the house belongs to my wife."

The Magistrate: "But your wife belongs to you."

Witness: "When I went home wet she put fire on for the lodger, and would not put one on for me."

Mr. Morphy: "Couldn't you put one on for yourself?"

Witness: "Wouldn't you want your wife to put a fire on for you if you went home wet, I have lost my position through this matter."

Mr. Morphy: "Do you want to go to a reconciliation and go and live hook?"

In answer to the acting magistrate, the defendant said his salary was \$100 a month, and that he owned some property. He, however, believed he had lost his position, as owing to the precaution he would be relieved on Monday by the company.

The lodger, Wm. Rothwell, was yesterday afternoon bound over to keep the peace against Reay in the sum of \$250. Rothwell had met Reay in a saloon and threatened him, asking him at the same time why he did not support his wife.

SEEKS TO FLY AUSTRALIAN FLAG

(Special to the Times.) Melbourne, Aug. 13.—The federal government is negotiating with Admiralty for permission to fly the Australian flag on the Australian warships. The Admiralty has raised the question of possible international difficulties.

HORSEMEN LEAVING OHIO

Cleveland, O., Aug. 13.—Sheriff Hirtius of Cuyahoga county, announced to-day that he would arrest all pool-sellers and bookmakers at the Randall race track the moment they began operations. The notice caused a panic among the sporting men, who are violent in their denunciation of the sheriff's action.

In view of the threat, President Devoreux of the Jockey Club, has promised that no liquor will be allowed to be sold at the track.

It is believed that Hirtius' action will kill the racing game in Ohio. Many horsemen already are leaving the state.

ATHLETIC CHAMPIONSHIPS

Chicago, Aug. 13.—Running off the early heats and the preliminary events, 21 athletes met here to-day, competing for the national championships of the American Amateur Union.

White (colored), of Philadelphia, took the honors in the first heat of the 100-yard dash. Time 19 5/8 seconds.

In the shot put the Pacific Coast captured the qualifying places, Fred Thompson, of Los Angeles, putting the 16-pound shot 41 feet 11 inches. John H. Gillis, of Vancouver, B. C., was second with 40 feet 4 inches.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.
Victoria, Aug. 13.—5 a.m.—Owing to wire trouble, no weather reports have been received this morning except from the wireless station at Triangle Island, where rain has fallen. A disturbance appears to be developing on the northern coast of Vancouver Island, causing cloudy and unsettled weather in these districts.
Forecasts:
For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Sunday, Victoria and vicinity—Moderate to fresh, southerly winds, chiefly cloudy, with rain.
Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, unsettled, with rain.
Victoria—Barometer, 30.11; temperature, 56; minimum, 53; wind, 16 miles S.; weather, cloudy.
Victoria Daily Weather:
Observations taken 5 a.m., noon and 5 p.m., Friday:
Temperature:
Highest.....71
Lowest.....57
Average.....64
Bright sunshine, 11 hours 5 minutes.
General state of weather, fair.

PREMIER McBRIDE TO LAY THE CORNER STONE

Ceremony at New Y. M. C. A. Building on Tuesday Afternoon at 5 o'clock

One of the important functions of the coming week will be the laying of the corner stone of the new Y. M. C. A. building, under construction at the corner of Blanchard and View streets. The stone will be formally laid by Hon. Richard McBride on Tuesday afternoon next at 5 o'clock. The committee in charge of the arrangements consists of Dr. Wasson, Capt. D. McIntosh, C. C. Michener and A. J. Brace.

The contractor, J. L. Skeene, has picked out a fine stone which is to be set in the northeast corner of the building. It will have two frontages, one on View street, which will be engraved, "Jesus, Christ Himself Being the Chief Corner Stone," and the other on View street, "Erected 1910." The lettering is being done by Alex. Stewart. A silver trowel suitably engraved is being prepared for the occasion.

In a copper box to be placed inside the corner stone the following articles will be stowed: A Bible, a copy of the constitution of the Y. M. C. A., copies of the local daily papers, a brief typewritten history of the association, a list of the officers and membership of the organization, a programme of the proceedings of the corner stone laying ceremony, a list of the committees which secured the funds for the building, and a collection of the different coins now in circulation in Canada.

A programme of speeches will be given prior to the laying of the corner stone. R. B. McMicking, the president of the association will occupy the chair. The following will take part: The Bishop of Columbia, Rev. Dr. Campbell, Dr. Carman, general superintendent of the Methodist conference, and C. C. Michener.

For the seating of the invited guests a platform will be erected on the first floor of the building. Printed invitations have been sent to the following requesting their presence at this ceremony: Members of the provincial government, members of parliament, mayor and councillors of Victoria, president of the board of trade, president of the Canadian Club, president of the Vancouver Island Development League, the press, president of the Trades and Labor Council, the military authorities, school trustees, the United States consul, past presidents of the Y. M. C. A., officers and directors and other officials.

The officials of the association made the time for this function 5 o'clock, so that those who are working may be able to witness an event which will be historic in the history of the association. They remember the people who assisted them to raise \$100,000 in subscriptions and wish them to share in the pleasure of the event.

As the building is to be equipped with all modern appliances for the development of strong bodies, strong intellects and strong spiritual knowledge, the "three qualities for which the Y. M. C. A. stands and which has brought it to success, the membership is expected to increase rapidly.

WELCOME TEACHERS

(Special to the Times.) Dublin, Aug. 13.—Lord Aberdeen, the Lord Lieutenant, in welcoming the Canadian teachers, said that Lady Aberdeen and himself had been looking forward to their visit with particular interest, partly because teachers belonged to a magnificent profession and also because the visitors hailed from a country with which Lady Aberdeen and he had so many pleasant associations and memories.

FLAMES SURROUND TOWN IN IDAHO

Large Force of Men Fighting to Check Progress of the Forest Fires

(Times Leased Wire.) Spokane, Wash., Aug. 13.—The town of Traft, Idaho, is to-day entirely surrounded by forest fires and the men who are fighting the onslaught of the flames are making valiant efforts to stay his progress. The town has a population of 30 and is in the Coeur d'Alene district. It is feared that the town may be destroyed.

Wallace, Murray and Mullan, Idaho, are threatened. Wallace seems to be in the most danger, as the fires have formed a semi-circle around the town on the south and west. While the fire is several miles from town and is partially under control, any shifting of the wind would drive the fire over the mountains into the city.

Many of the forestry camps at Bullion mine and Bird Creek have been destroyed by the fire and the fighters are seriously hampered by the loss of supplies and implements with which the flames were being combated. Fires in the Murray district made considerable headway last night.

The entire burning district is overhung with a dense pall of smoke.

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A PROBLEM IN VICTORIA WEST

OLD ESQUIMALT ROAD RAILWAY CROSSING

City Engineer Makes Report on Long-Standing Grievance—Government Asked to Co-operate

A long-standing grievance with the people of Victoria West has been the matter of the condition of what is known as the Wilson street crossing. Here the car tracks of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo railway cross the thoroughfare, constituting a danger to the public and rendering the highway almost impassable. The city engineer has grappled with the problem, and at last evening's meeting of the streets committee submitted the following report: "Re Old Esquimalt Road, Crossing— I have lately become acquainted with some of the facts in connection with this question, and I believe that the reasonable convenience of the public clearly requires this street to be opened for public traffic. At the present time the crossing is a mere stile for foot passengers, and the city of Victoria should have a public crossing. The plans show that Wilson street crosses the railway at the point in question as a public highway, and continues westerly to the Old Esquimalt road, west to the city limits. The order of the railway commission, dated March 16th, 1909, does not limit the time for the carrying out of the order, yet I believe that it is in the best interests of the city that the crossing be opened immediately, and that the other portions of the order be carried out. "It would appear from correspondence in the city engineer's office that it was the intention to improve Wilson street or the Old Esquimalt road from Point-Billie bridge westerly to the city limits, crossing the E. & N. railway at the point in question, to charge the cost of the work as a local improvement against the properties benefited. I can find no record of the initiation of such local improvement, and I would recommend that the crossing be opened and made convenient for the public. "This will require some grading and the removal of some rock adjacent to the crossing, and in addition the carry-out of the other orders of the commission, namely, the removal of all standing trees adjacent to the crossing, so that a clear view may be had of the railway towards the city, and that the city make arrangements to prevent any buildings being placed on the lots opposite to the lot on which the trees are standing, so that the view will not be obstructed and trains may be seen coming round the curve. The railway company to do all necessary grading and planing the city to maintain it afterwards. The railway company also, at its own expense, to remove all the buildings near the right-of-way, the one which is most remote being within 100 feet of the right-of-way. "It does not seem probable that the work of improving Wilson street can be carried out under the plan of local improvement this year, and that event no delay should be allowed in opening this crossing. If you decide on such a course I will prepare an estimate of the cost of the necessary work in connection with the crossing alone. The amount of money which the city would have to pay to have the improvement effected somewhat staggered the members of the board, and finally it was decided to have the engineer make another report as to the cheapest method of having the crossing open, he to confer with the city solicitor also as to the co-operation of the provincial government in defraying its portion of the whole cost of the work.

TRIBESMEN MAY RISE

Flogging of Wives of Liberian Chief by Troops Likely to Cause Revolt.

Monrovia, Liberia, via Sierra Leone, Aug. 12.—Reports from French officers near Fort Binger, on the Cavalry river, close to the boundary between Liberia and the Ivory coast region, state that the Kru tribes are preparing to revolt against the depredations of the Liberian militia stationed on the border. Only recently the negro infantry in collecting the taxes arbitrarily levied by the Liberian legislature, were guilty of outrages, the reports state, attacking and flogging the wives of the chiefs. Such atrocities brought the feeling among the intelligent tribesmen to white heat and an outbreak is feared at any moment. The rebel forces are centered near Kakan in the Yukka mountains. They are armed and display great hostility. Cooler heads among the natives have appealed to the French and British military forces stationed at the trading posts for protection from the republic's soldiers.

NOT SEEKING RAILWAYS.

New York, Aug. 13.—That the so-called Pearson railroad syndicate is a myth was the statement of Percival Farquhar upon his arrival on the steamer Lusitania. Farquhar has been termed Pearson's financial agent. "You can deny emphatically the existence of a Pearson syndicate," said Farquhar. "The investments I and my friends have made are purely separate investments and are not planned in connection with a combination of railroads to form a trans-continental line."

OFFERED TO ASSIST STRANDED LINER

Japanese Naval Officer Replies to Charge Made by Captain of the Mongolia

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 12.—In answer to inquiries from Consul-General Matsuzo Nagai, the war department of Japan has wired from Tokyo giving its version of the Mongolia-Takao Kan incident in Shimidzu bay.

Replying to Captain Kitt's statement that he was refused aid when the Mongolia went aground, the commander of the Japanese cruiser Takao Kan asserts that he was unable to assist so bulky a vessel as the trans-Pacific steamer, the warship being only a coast defence boat of 2,300 horse-power. The naval officer also insists that he did proffer such aid as he was capable of giving to Captain Kitt.

The consul has transmitted the cablegrams to the federal inspectors who are conducting an investigation here into the cause of the Mongolia's mishap.

San Francisco, Aug. 12.—While a majority of the Tokyo newspapers express the belief that no Japanese naval officers would be guilty of refusing to aid a vessel in distress, they are unanimous in censuring Captain E. P. Kitt of the Pacific Mail liner Mongolia, for attempting to cast a reflection upon the Mikado's naval service.

The navy department is equally indignant and points to the fact that when it was learned that the Yakao Kan, a coast defence boat, was too small to draw the Mongolia from the Shimidzu Bay sands, the battleship Iki was sent full speed to give assistance. The Mongolia, however, had pulled off the bar before the Iki arrived.

American Ambassador O'Brien and representatives of the Pacific Mail Company hastened to the naval office and thanked the officials for their good intentions. The navy officials responded by expressing the hope that the report of Captain Kitt's criticism was unfounded.

FARMERS WILL GET MORE FOR WHEAT

Expect to Handle Crop at Five Per Cent Less Than it Cost Last Year

Vancouver, Aug. 13.—That the farmers of the prairie provinces will get from 20 to 25 per cent more for their wheat crop this year than they did last year was the statement made to the conference of mountain and coast millmen and prairie lumber retailers at Banff. The meeting lasted for two days, starting on Wednesday. The most important action taken was the reduction of the price of lumber to the wholesalers of the prairie by 12 per cent. It was also agreed by both mountain and coast millmen that shipments to the prairies would consist of not more than 25 per cent of odd lengths. The official estimate presented from the prairie people declared that the crop this year would amount to between 55,000,000 and 60,000,000 bushels, but the farmers expect to handle the crop at 5 per cent less than it cost last year, and expect to get 15 cents more per bushel when they sell it.

UNITED WIRELESS.

Company Will Devote Attention to Work at Sea.

Portland, Ore., Aug. 13.—The headquarters of the United Wireless Telegraph Company at Portland and the stations here and at St. Helens has been closed. Their disorganization signals the termination for the present of efforts of that corporation to compete with telegraph lines on land. The nearest wireless station will be at Astoria, where arrangements have been made to maintain a day and night office. The termination of its business here marks the end of the principal experimental work done on the coast by the United Wireless, so far as land business is concerned. The financial returns, however, have not been sufficient to warrant a continuance of the inland office, and it is planned to devote all energy to sea work. The company has plants aboard 100 vessels on the Pacific coast with shore stations covering them from Alaska to San Diego.

SAYS HUSBAND IS INNOCENT.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 13.—Mrs. Wendling, wife of Joseph Wendling, accused of murdering little Alma Kellner, visited her husband at the jail yesterday. She greeted him tearfully and after a long interview with the prisoner Mrs. Wendling declared she still loved her husband and that she would stand by him. She says Wendling did not kill Alma Kellner.

MONTCALM AT 'FRISCO.

San Francisco, Aug. 12.—The French battleship Montcalm, flying the flag of Admiral De Castries, arrived here today from the north. The Montcalm is circumnavigating the globe.

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TRAIN WRECKED.

One Man Killed and Four Others Injured When Caboose is Hurlled Over Precipice.

Everett, Wash., Aug. 12.—A fatal freight train accident on the Great Northern occurred at Alvin, near Wellington, resulting in the death of Conductor M. J. Gilmore, seriously injuring brakemen Hart, Smith and Bowditch, and crushing the foot of Engineer Reginald Bowden. The train had started from Alvin for Wellington, but found the time too short and started back to Alvin. In backing down hill the train acquired such momentum that it dashed through the derail switch at Alvin, hurling the helper engine, caboose and eight cars over the precipice, making a sheer drop of 60 feet. The caboose and cars were smashed to pieces. Conductor Gilmore and his brakemen were deadhead crew asleep in the caboose. Gilmore was instantly killed. Engineer Bowden managed to crawl on hands and knees back to the track and tell of the fate of his comrades.

IMPRISONED ATTORNEYS.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 13.—Everything that fashionable callers, hotel chefs, automobiles and messengers can do to alleviate the sufferings of A. A. Moore, Stanley Moore and John J. Barrett, three attorneys for Patrick Calhoun who were imprisoned for contempt of court, is being done to make their five-day term seem as short as possible. The five-day sentences imposed by Judge Lawlor will expire Sunday evening and the attorneys are as comfortable as possible under the circumstances.

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HOUSES ENGULFED.

Staunton, Va., Aug. 13.—Residents of Staunton are hurriedly moving from their homes, terrified by the sudden appearance in the town's center of gaping holes in the earth. Already two houses have been engulfed and other caves are occurring at short intervals, slowly destroying Baldwin street, the main thoroughfare. Staunton is in the limestone region and it is believed that hidden caverns underneath the surface. No relief seems possible.

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THE METHODIST GENERAL CONFERENCE.

It seems almost impossible that on one side of an imaginary line homicide could be so much more prevalent than on the other, as is the case of Canada and the United States. "But on one side of that line law prevails, and not chicanery, and on the other they have steps up the administration of criminal law. The greatest of all causes is that the administration of criminal law in this country has become a game between two or three lawyers, and the whole thing is very much of a farce."

The Portland Telegram takes a common sense view of the immigration of two hundred thousand American citizens annually to Canada, whose proportions will grow in an ever-increasing ratio. Our contemporary admits that Canada is gaining, but asks whether the United States is losing.

lives and activities of all people. The problem is to put into active operation those principles. The sessions of the General Conference will be followed with peculiar interest at this time, and the onlooker will expect toleration and brotherly-kindness in regard to theological questions; he will expect aggressiveness in missionary policy, and he will certainly not look for any backward step in respect of those questions of moral and social reform which bring the Church into such close touch with the life of the country.

THE CRIME OF "MURDER—SOME COMPARISONS.

"I will make you a prophecy. I say that before the twenty-fifth of next January comes around five thousand men and women in the United States will have been murdered. But for the maladministration of the criminal law in the United States they would have escaped." This is the prediction of an American citizen, and is of special interest just now in view of the discussion bearing upon British and American systems of administering justice which has resulted from the sensational arrest of Dr. Crippen and the attempted murder of the Mayor of New York.

There may possibly be some misconception in the public mind as to the motif of the Boy Scout movement. Sir Robert Baden-Powell, the originator of and chief force behind the organization, is in Victoria and will address a public meeting in the Victoria Theatre this evening on the subject. Sir Robert will not address himself specially to the boys this evening, but to the parents and guardians of youth. We hope the attendance will be large, because there is no question that the movement is deserving of support from all interested in the future of the coming generation.

Mr. Borden, the leader of the Conservative party (for a time), says the Liberal government has stolen some of the planks of his Halifax platform. That should not grieve the soul of the member for Halifax. His own followers would have nothing to do with the platform, and if there be any good thing in it, why should not the good provisions be adopted by the government? There is no prospect whatever of the Conservative party being in a position to utilize them.

AVIATOR CONTINUES FLIGHT IN HURRICANE

Le Blanc Defies Elements in Order to Complete Cross-Country Race. (Times Leased Wire.) Mezières, France, Aug. 12.—Defying the hurricane that fairly whipped the trees from the earth, Aviator Le Blanc, leader in the 48-mile cross-country flight, ascended at 2:55 p.m., bound for Douai, 52 miles distant. Auron followed suit at 5:55.

good citizens in a later generation, but which must for a time at least be somewhat out of harmony or sympathy with their industrial, social and political surroundings. Canada's draft is being made upon a hand-picked, disciplined and educated class. Which nation is getting the better of the transaction?

Sir Wilfrid Laurier: "We claim that the navy we have at present will not cause independence or separation. We will show the world a spectacle that has not been presented before. The history of Canada to-day is not like the history of any other nation. All colonies after a certain time have severed their connection with the parent State. The United States severed their connection in the eighteenth century, and the Greek colonies in the ancient world separated from the mother country. But we claim that we have founded our independence in the maintenance of our allegiance. We are going to build a British Empire on the rock of local autonomy, and that local autonomy is connected with Imperial unity. That is the position I have to take, and in taking that position, which I intend to maintain up to the last, we have to fight the prejudice that exists at both ends, I ask the men of all races and creeds to stand by these two cardinal principles: the autonomy of Canada and the unity of the British Empire."

There has been in this country a steady increase in the number of criminal homicides. Twenty-five years ago there were about fifteen hundred homicides yearly in the United States. There are now eight thousand every year. This is a severe indictment, but Mr. White institutes comparisons with the criminal statistics of other countries in demonstration of his case. These statistics prove that the number of killings in the United States are out of all proportion to the number of similar crimes in any other country in the world, not even excepting the nations of southern Europe.

Mr. William Mulock, who has just returned from Europe, was asked by a New York reporter if there is any sentiment in Canada in favor of union with the United States. The reply of the Canadian judge was that while there might be some idea north of the boundary that the United States should be annexed to Canada, the common view is that there is plenty of room on the continent for two great nations with large populations and that the cause of progress and civilization may be better served by each pursuing its own way.

Mr. Borden, the leader of the Conservative party (for a time), says the Liberal government has stolen some of the planks of his Halifax platform. That should not grieve the soul of the member for Halifax. His own followers would have nothing to do with the platform, and if there be any good thing in it, why should not the good provisions be adopted by the government? There is no prospect whatever of the Conservative party being in a position to utilize them.

The Colonist is right. Victoria is getting too big a city for crowds to be permitted to congregate nightly at the corners of the principal thoroughfares, whatever the purpose of the assemblies may be. The police should compel loiterers to "move on," not because they are a cause of offence in their lingering, but because they are frequently a source of inconvenience to the general public.

AVIATOR CONTINUES FLIGHT IN HURRICANE

Le Blanc Defies Elements in Order to Complete Cross-Country Race. (Times Leased Wire.) Mezières, France, Aug. 12.—Defying the hurricane that fairly whipped the trees from the earth, Aviator Le Blanc, leader in the 48-mile cross-country flight, ascended at 2:55 p.m., bound for Douai, 52 miles distant. Auron followed suit at 5:55.

ENDEAVORERS ELECT OFFICERS

Vancouver Gets the Bulk of the New Executive and Next Year's Meeting

The annual meeting of the B. C. Union of Christian Endeavor was held this forenoon in St. Andrew's church. The following officers were elected: Hon. President—J. B. Mathers, Vancouver. President—J. D. McPhail, Vancouver. First Vice—Rev. W. J. Woodside, Vancouver. Second Vice—Wm. Manson, Nanaimo. Third Vice—Prof. E. Etherington, New Westminster. Secretary-Treasurer—W. J. Hogg, Vancouver.

The new executive was for many years an active worker in the Student Volunteer movement, and in a short, earnest and eloquent address asked the prayers of his electors. It was possible, he said, to live a clean, honest, Christian life and yet be a successful business man. The aim of C. E. societies should be to strengthen the hands of the pastors of the different churches.

SEISMOGRAPH RECORDS SEISMIC UPHEAVAL

Tidal Wave is Believed to Have Occurred in the West Indies

Washington, Aug. 12.—That a terrific seismic upheaval, probably a tidal wave, occurred in the West Indies today is indicated by the seismograph at Georgetown university. The needle of the instrument recorded a shock of great intensity, beginning at 8:02 a.m., and continuing with varying force until 8:25, the maximum being reached at 8:17.

OUT OF DANGER

PERSONAL

Hon. Wm. Templeman left last night for Field, where he will join Sir Wilfrid Laurier's party on Monday and return with it to Victoria on Wednesday next.

Capt. Desborough and J. T. Hudson, of the department of mines, Ottawa, having completed their inspection of powder works on Vancouver Island, returned last night to Vancouver.

Wm. Jones and Misses May and A. H. Jones have been spending a couple of weeks at the camp of W. H. Harte, Cadboro Bay.

A-CRYIN' FER HIS DADDY.

(W. D. Nesbit in the Chicago Post.) Dese a-cryin' fer his daddy, till dey tan't any rest. En I hush 'im en I soothe 'im, but he ack lack he possessed.

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Regular \$4.75, This Evening at \$2.50. \$2.50 certainly goes a long way this evening in our Mantle department. Special value indeed can be had in beautiful Muslin Dresses. These are in a number of pretty styles, and at this price will certainly go quickly to-night at \$2.50.

16 LINEN COATS

Value to \$9, to Clear This Evening at \$2.50. There is plenty of time yet for the use of one of these coats. If you think not, it will pay you to purchase for next season, as you will never get a coat of such good quality at such low figures again.

More New Bargains For Monday!

We have had two weeks of very satisfactory business in the House Furnishing Section of the store, and our best efforts are being made to make the remaining days of the month as satisfactory.

Swiss Net Applique Battenburg Bedspreads, Go on Sale Monday

Monday we are placing on sale a very fine assortment of Lace Bed Spreads. These are at exceptional savings.

White Swiss Bedspreads, Values to \$5, Monday, \$1.50. Beautiful Bed Spreads, some in white Swiss insertion edging, double flounce. Others with narrow lace insertion and edging on plain white Swiss. Regular value \$5.00, Monday \$1.50.

Muslins at 10c Monday, Values 15c, 20c, and 25c

A splendid assortment of Fine Figured White Muslins go on sale Monday at a fraction of their real worth. These are in 30 in., 36 in., 45 in. and 50 in. Any lady who has use for a piece of muslin should attend this sale, which is held on the third floor, but be here early, for they will certainly go quickly at this price. Monday, per yard 10c.

Bentwood Tables at \$2.90

Bentwood Tea Tables, made of Austrian bentwood, go on sale Monday at very special prices. There is an artistic charm about a piece of this furniture that pleases all those who want something different. Monday these are priced at \$2.90.

If You Need a Go-cart Buy One of These Monday. Very Special at \$18.75

Lots of fresh air for the baby says the doctor, but in order to give the baby this, it is absolutely necessary to have a good reliable Go-Cart. Monday we are placing a number on sale. These are in wicker styles, a number of them being collapsible. Rubber tired wheels. Special price, Monday, \$18.75. There is a number of different styles included in this offering.

Fur Boxes Just the Place to Keep Your Furs in at \$1.25, \$2.50, \$3.50 Mon.

A good Fur Box is something that is useful at any time, if not for furs for any other article of wearing apparel. Monday we are placing on sale a number of these which we have marked at very tempting prices, being \$1.25, \$2.50, \$3.50.

Clearance Ladies' Soiled Blouses To-night, Regular Value from \$1.50 up to \$5, for \$1

To-night at 7.30, we clear out every Soiled Blouse in the store. We have gone through every table and gathered together all Blouses that are in any way soiled. These include a variety of very fascinating styles, some splendidly-tailored effects, others with beautiful embroidered fronts. In many cases, the value are up to \$5.00, but, principally, they are \$2.50 qualities; although you may find one or so which were marked at \$1.50. However, be here sharp on time to-night at 7.30, and select one. Price, \$1.00.

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Stage will start running Sunday, April 24th, 1910. Round trips 75c, single trips 50c. Leave Pacific Transfer Stables 9 a. m. every Sunday.

You can deposit your money at 4 per cent. interest with The B. C. Permanent Loan Company and be able to withdraw the total amount or any portion thereof without notice. Cheques are supplied to each depositor. Paid up capital over \$1,000,000, assets over \$2,500,000. Branch office, 1216 Government street, Victoria, B. C.

—Thousand Islands—Next Sunday the S. S. Iroquois will make one of those delightful trips among the Gulf Islands, stopping one hour at Mayne, and returning via the picturesque Pender Canal. Picnic parties can bring their baskets and lunch under the trees. Take V. & S. train leaving Victoria 9:45 a. m.; refreshments and music on board. For further information telephone 511.

—Wm. Stewart, men's and ladies' tailor, over Terry's Drug Store, Douglas St.

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The output of the oil wells of the Amalgamated Development company has a home market ready and waiting at its doors, the demand in Alaska and the Yukon being a large and growing one.

—On Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Richards, Niagara street, entertained a large number of friends, the occasion being the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding day. During the evening a dainty supper was served, at which their friends wished them every happiness and hoped to meet them on their golden wedding. They were the recipients of several beautiful presents.

—A quiet wedding was solemnized at 2:30 Thursday in Christ church cathedral, Very Rev. Dean Doull officiating. The contracting parties were Miss E. A. (Mills) Woolcock, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Woolcock, 227 Belleville street, and Mr. Charles H. Waller, also of Victoria. The bride, who was given away by her father, and attended by her sister, Miss Enid Woolcock, wore a smartly-tailored travelling costume of dove grey cloth, with white hat. Mr. John Woolcock, brother of the bride, supported the groom. An informal reception was held after the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents, which was artistically decorated with quantities of sweet peas. Only the immediate relatives and a few intimate friends were present. Many handsome gifts were presented to the young couple, testifying to the high esteem in which they are held. The honeymoon is being spent in Seattle, and on their return Mr. and Mrs. Waller will reside at 2408 Work street.

ENGINEER REPORTS ON SHORTAGE OF CEMENT

Shipment of 250 Barrels Promised on Monday Next and Ample Supply in Future

City Engineer Smith, at last evening's meeting of the streets committee, made the following report relative to the temporary shortage of cement, which has caused a delay in the work of improving Douglas street, and which was alluded to in last night's Times: "In the carrying out of the work of paving on Douglas street we have met with an unexpected difficulty in the way of an insufficiency of cement. The unusual demand made upon the cement company has cut off temporarily to a certain extent the city's supply. I estimate that the city will require for some time a weekly supply of 300 barrels, 500 for Douglas and 200 for the rest of the work.

"I have a letter from the company stating that unless some unforeseen difficulty intervenes they feel quite sure of being able to supply these requirements, and will arrange accordingly to commence with two hundred and fifty barrels to be delivered on Douglas street of Monday next. This should be quite satisfactory and should prevent any further delays on this account."

Members of the board were agreed that it was regrettable that no contract had been entered into with the cement people, but the engineer said he had been assured by the local agent that there would be no further shortage after Monday.

—It has been definitely decided that nominations for the by-election in North Ward, made necessary by the resignation of Russ Humber, from the aldermanic board, will be held on August 24. Polling, in the event of a contest, will take place on Saturday, 27th inst.

—It was decided at last evening's meeting of the streets committee to do some temporary repair work on Cedar Hill road, from Hillside to the city limits, and on Landsdowne road, the expenditure not to exceed \$300. It is intended to permanently repair these thoroughfares as a part of the plan for the paving of the various trunk roads of the city.

—At Monday evening's meeting of the city council the by-law to make better provision for the enforcement of the noxious weeds act will be introduced. It provides that no owner, leasee, tenant, occupier or agent shall permit thistles, burdocks or other noxious weeds to grow upon his land within the city limits. A maximum penalty of \$20 is fixed for the non-observance of the law.

—Just as soon as the street-cleaning gang has been properly organized and made more efficient than at present, and the city supplied with modern apparatus, the men employed on the work will be made to wear white uniforms. The city engineer made the suggestion at last evening's meeting of the streets committee and, while it was felt that it would be premature to uniform the men at present, the idea was considered an excellent one.

—A banquet prepared by the local C. E. union was given the visiting Endeavorers in the school room of St. Andrew's church last night. The tables were arranged to form the letters C. E., and were beautifully decorated with sweet peas, chrysanthemums and roses. Rev. H. Carson, president, and the following toast list was carried out: The Local Union, F. A. Cleland, replied to by Dr. Russell; the C. E. Movement, P. W. Coleman, replied to by Miss McKenzie; Ministers of City Churches, Mr. Hogg, replied to by Rev. Leslie Clay; The Convention Speakers, Rev. J. B. Wainwright, replied to by Rev. J. W. Williamson; The Ladies, J. D. McPhail, replied to by Miss Reid and Miss McIntosh. After the banquet the Endeavorers conducted an open air song service at the corner of Yates and Government streets.

—Rev. W. B. Hinson, pastor of the White Temple, who delivered the closing address to the C. E. convention in St. Andrew's church last evening, will conduct the services tomorrow in the First Baptist church. Rev. Mr. Hinson is looked upon as one of the strongest pulpits orators on the Pacific coast. He has occupied the pulpits of several of the largest Baptist churches of Canada and the United States, and was for some time pastor of the First Baptist church, Vancouver. It is expected that a number of his friends from the latter city will come over especially to see and hear him on this occasion. Tomorrow morning he will preach in First Baptist church, Blanchard street, taking for his subject "The Face of Jesus Christ." In the afternoon he will speak at a mass meeting of men to be held in the Grand theatre at 3:45 o'clock, his theme being "Four Portland men." Owing to the regular meeting place not having been accommodated for the large congregation expected of the officials of the church have secured the Grand theatre for the evening, when Mr. Hinson will preach on the theme, "Four Men Under One Hat."

QUARTER MILLION DOLLARS IN MONTH

Really Firm Turns That Amount—Other Agents Busy—Property Selling Well

"There has not been a July and August for many years that can begin to compare with this one in the amount of business done," said a real estate agent to a Times reporter yesterday.

"There has been something doing all the time. Other years, during these two holiday months, it was impossible to give anything away, and business was almost dropped except in retail grocery and dry goods. Here during the last month we have been as busy as possible. We have handled a quarter of a million dollars worth of business during the month, which is pretty good work for this summer." "A number of other agents say they are doing a very good business. There is a great deal of small stuff selling all the time. Many of the subdivisions have been sold and re-sold until the prices have gone away up, yet those who want the properties are willing to pay the prices." "There continues to be much activity in the Fairfield district and Fort street properties are selling well. A great many houses and lots have been sold at Oak Bay, and in the neighborhood of Edmonston road there is movement.

The reported purchase of Humber's brickyard by Mackenzie and Mann, presumably for railway yards, has had a considerable effect on the activity in that part of the city. If the railway yards are located there it means that all the property in the district will be used for business purposes. The brickyards are nearly worked out, and there has been talk before of the properties being put on the market.

PROBLEM OF SKINNER'S BOTTOM UP AGAIN

Engineer and City Solicitor to Make a Report as to Best Solution of Question

The draining of the low-lying section of land in Victoria West, popularly known as Skinner's Bottom, has long been cause for a grievance by the residents in the locality, but heretofore it has been found impossible to have the improvement work undertaken. It appears that only a portion of the land is in the city limits, and that it will be necessary to secure the co-operation of the provincial government. The city engineer made the following report on the matter at last evening's meeting of the streets committee of the council: "Accompanying are a plan and profile of a drain to Skinner's Flat from the Gorge to Victoria West. The drain will find an outlet in the Gorge near Craigflower road, a distance of 6,450 feet, 1,800 feet of which is in the city of Victoria. The drain will follow the natural water course, which in the past has been improved. Should the drain be covered the size of the pipe will vary from 12 inches to 24 inches in diameter. I estimate that it will cost to carry out the proposed works within the city limits \$2,750 and the cost of the work outside the city limits will be, if covered, \$2,950. If an open ditch is substituted for a covered drain between the city limits and the Gorge the cost will be \$550. I would recommend that the work within the city limits be proceeded with forthwith and that the city solicitor confer with the authorities representing the portion outside the city as to the carrying out of the work beyond the city limits."

A few days ago it was decided to adopt the recommendation of the engineer and that the city solicitor and himself be asked to make a report on the best solution of the problem.

PROVINCIAL GAZETTE.

Appointments gazetted this week are: Dr. Walter Bapty, deputy coroner; William Kier, Duncan, provincial constable; Crothers McLelland and George W. F. Carter, Cranbrook, clerks in government office there; Henry L. Morley, Kamloops, deputy district registrar for Yale; Robert Aylmer Winchell, Nelson, deputy district registrar. The resignation of Frank P. Siemons, Renata, as a justice of the peace, has been accepted. The commission of Wm. J. Swain, Cranbrook, has been revoked.

The only certificates of incorporation granted during the week were to the British American Trust Co., Ltd., and the Europe Hotel Co., Ltd.

Licenses have been granted to the following extra-provincial companies: A. Ramsay & Son Co.; Adolph Frankau & Co., Ltd.; Alaska Bedding Co., Ltd.; British Empire Insurance Co., Ltd.; British Empire Trust Co., Ltd.; Canadian Boving Co., Ltd.; Canadian Lignite, Ltd.; Consolidated Optical Co., Ltd.; Dr. Joergar's Sanitary Woolen System Co., Ltd.; E. W. Gillett Co., Ltd.; G. V. Oberholzer Co., Ltd.; Hampton Manufacturing Co., Ltd.; James Smart Manufacturing Co., Brockville; Lamontague, Ltd.; Orlan-Fensom Elevator Co., Ltd.; Paquet Co., Ltd.; Preston Furnishing Co., Ltd.; Pure Gold Manufacturing Co., Ltd.; R. D. Fairbairn Co., Ltd.; Simpson, Hall, Miller & Co., Ltd.; Standard Silver Co. of Toronto, Ltd.; Walker, Parker Co., Ltd.; Watson, Foster Co., Ltd.

The following extra-provincial companies have registered: Empire Lumber Co., Fort Steele Placer Mining Co., Public Works Engineering Co., Salmon River Valley Land Co., United States Investment & Securities Co., Wells Construction Co.

—On the advice of the city engineer, the streets committee decided at last evening's meeting to have notices of motion posted and the necessary advertisements published providing for the changing of the paving of Rockland avenue and Richardson street from macadam to asphalt.

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TRACK TEAM FOR FALL FAIR

Y. M. C. A. ATHLETES ARE ENTHUSIASTIC

Will Have Work-Outs Three Nights a Week—Many New Men

A strong foundation was laid, on which a fast track and field team can be built, at the meeting held last evening in the Y. M. C. A. for the purpose of organizing a Victoria team for the B. C. A. U. championships, to be held at the exhibition grounds during the fair week.

Mr. Brace, who presided at this meeting, stated that the athletes this year had been more or less disorganized, owing to the fact that there have been very few meets this season.

The athletes will train three nights a week, Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at the Oak Bay park. Tommy Gawley will be on hand every night with a stop-watch and gun to give the boys good practice.

GAMA GIVES ROLLER TWO BROKEN RIBS

Hindu Wrestler Handled the Seattle Physician With Simplicity Last Monday

According to belated cable advices from London, Dr. B. F. Roller, Seattle's wrestling pill mixer, had two ribs broken in his match with Gama, the Indian wrestler, Monday.

"Doc" is the real unfortunate kid. Every time he loses a match the report follows that he has broken a rib, dislocated a shoulder, developed an abscess or sprung a new crop of boils.

He has been on the surgeon's table half-a-dozen times in the last year, and the last time he was there a friend suggested that it would be far handier for him to have a button sewed on him so the doctors would not have to cut him open so often.

Gama is the Hindu wrestler who issued such a sweeping challenge to any wrestler in the world only a short time ago. He gave particular preference to Frank Gotch, but the latter ignored the challenge.

Gama had just as well come over for Chicago and Buffalo and Kansas City and Seattle, and the other wrestling centres will need some excitement next winter.

Tommy Burns will have to fight better than ever before. There are now two women with an interest in the one-time champion. At his home in Seattle yesterday there arrived what is described as "a bouncing baby girl."

DRAW FOR KINGSTON STREET TENNIS CLUB

Men's Entries Well Filled—Ladies' Draw Not Yet Fixed—Play This Afternoon

The Kingston Street Tennis Club officials announce that the ladies' events of the tournament, which commenced this afternoon, are filled better than ever before in the club's history.

There is a good entry in the men's events and to-day six matches are being decided. Prizes have been offered for each of the five classes. The draw for the tournament in these is as follows:

Men's Singles. Alex. Campbell, bye; J. G. Brown, bye; A. J. Sommers, bye; A. E. Robertson, bye; G. S. Brown, bye; L. A. Campbell vs. J. A. Virtue; W. H. Bone vs. A. P. Archibald (to-day); J. A. McArthur vs. J. Moss (to-day); J. N. Findlay vs. G. D. Case; J. P. Sweeney, bye; F. Forbes, bye; J. Heyland, bye; F. E. Pauline, bye; J. Y. Meston, bye.

Men's Doubles. G. S. Brown and A. J. Sommers, bye; A. P. Archibald and Heyland, bye; J. Meston and A. Campbell, bye; L. A. Campbell and Bain vs. W. R. Archibald and Maharey (to-day); Bone and Virtue vs. Brown and Case (to-day); Sweeney and McArthur, bye; Pauline and Moss, bye; Findlay and Forbes, bye.

FINAL CLAXTON CUP MATCH MONDAY NIGHT

Lacrosse Interest Will Then Be Confined to Kilmarnock and Minto Cup Matches

North Ward junior lacrosse team last night defeated the Victoria West team at the North Ward park by the overwhelming score of 8 to 6. The victory was due first and last to the better condition of the winning team.

On Monday night the final game of the Claxton Cup series will be played at the Royal Athletic park between the Cloverdale and the North Ward teams. The match will commence at 8:30 p. m. and the teams will close the city season.

The interest after Monday night's game in senior lacrosse will be confined to the provincial series between Victoria, Vancouver and Westminster for the Kilmarnock cup, in which there are four games yet to play, each team being engaged twice.

Next Saturday Vancouver plays at Westminster and on August 27 Victoria twelve play at Westminster. Labor Day Westminster comes to Victoria and there is one match between Vancouver and Westminster, the date for which is not set.

On Wednesday night the North Ward and Victoria West intermediate match will be played at the North Ward park.

The Vancouver professional team has one final chance for the Minto cup. If the Terminus win this afternoon, and succeed in every other match this season, they will secure the trophy. The chance is mighty small. On the latest reports from the East, the Nationals are preparing for a trip West at the end of the season.

SPORT NOTES

The Pride ball team will play Chemainus to-morrow. The club will take up its strongest team to endeavor to succeed where the Beacon Hill team failed twice. Chemainus will come here later this season to play the Victoria nine.

The Victoria gun club will hold its annual trap shoot tournament within a couple of weeks. The Langford Plains' traps are being prepared for the contest, and several handsome trophies are to be offered.

The Capital club will also hold a big meeting at the Willows traps before the end of the season. The events will be concluded before the shooting season opens on September 15th.

The Ketchikan-Langford bout scheduled for next Tuesday at New York has been declared off. Kaufman and Langford will fight ten rounds on the night of the day mentioned.

The members of the committee arranging matters in connection with the Vancouver Island championships, to be held next Saturday at the Gorge, are urgently requested to attend a meeting called for Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Tenders are invited for the erection of a brick building at Nanaimo for Black Diamond Lodge No. 1, I. O. O. F., up to 6 o'clock p. m. August 12th. Plans and specifications can be seen at the Times Office, Victoria, or at Forester, Nanaimo, to whom all tenders are to be sent. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Separate tenders are invited for the hot water heating.

NANAIMO GAVE THE GARRISON A LICKING

Coal Miners Scored 263 for Five Wickets and Disposed of the Soldiers for 37.

The Nanaimo Cricket Club administered an overwhelming defeat to the Garrison Cricket Club on the Caledonian grounds Thursday afternoon, securing sweet revenge for the defeat at the hands of the Garrison team at Victoria several weeks ago.

Nanaimo went first to bat and declared their innings closed for the loss of five wickets, having piled up the handsome total of 263 runs which they considered a safe margin for victory. The visitors next went in but their wickets fell quickly to the deadly bowling of J. Waugh and Lou Shepherd, the side being retired for only 37 runs, of which total Col. Robertson and C. M. Askey contributed 9 each, dividing the honors of being high scorers for their team.

The feature of the match was the splendid batting of Harry Jepson, who scored 105, not out, one of the best performances in the annals of cricket in Nanaimo. He was playing a splendid game and had the locals continued their innings it is quite probable he would have made a British Columbia record. Included in his hits were one six, 11 fours, several threes and a number of twos.

Fred Jenson also carried his bat out, having put up the creditable score of 27, other high scores being W. Waugh 37, W. Newbury 27, H. Arnold 23 and R. Battey 22.

As the batting honors of the day fell to Nanaimo, so did the bowling. J. Waugh doing some splendid work in this respect, taking 5 wickets for only 5 runs and out of 7 overs bowled 23 maidens.

The Garrison bowling analysis has been put away out of public gaze. The scores were:

Nanaimo Cricket Club. W. Newbury, c Robertson, b Ismay 27. R. Battey, b Askey 22. H. Arnold, c Patterson, b Robertson 22. J. Waugh, b Ismay 37. R. Hindmarch, c Robertson, b Ismay 1. W. Waugh, b Ismay 27. F. Jenson, not out 105. Leg byes 15. Wide balls 2. Total for 5 wickets 263. Garrison Cricket Club. Corp. Hawtrey, c W. Waugh, b J. Waugh 4. Corp. Wyndham, c W. Waugh, b Shepherd 0. Corp. Ismay, c Jenson, b J. Waugh 0. Col. S. Robertson, b J. Waugh 9. C. M. S. Askey, c W. Waugh, b J. Waugh 9. Br. Stevens, b Shepherd 7. G. Doyle, b Shepherd 22. Br. Gale, c J. Jenson, b Shepherd 0. M. Cross, b J. Waugh 0. M. S. Patterson, b Shepherd 0. Gr. Pedlingham, not out 0. Byes 3.

Total bowling analysis. Nanaimo Cricket Club. Bowler. R. W. O. M. Shepherd 39 5 7 4 0. J. Waugh 5 5 7 3

RESULTS OF GAMES IN BASEBALL LEAGUES

AMERICAN. Boston 3 9 2. Chicago 4 9 1. Batteries—Hall and Carrigan; Scott and Sullivan. Ten innings. Washington 9 16 0. Cleveland 0 6 2. Batteries—Reising and Ainsmith; Harkness, Mitchell and Easterly. St. Louis 5 8 3. New York 4 10 2. Batteries—Ray and Killifer; Quinn and Mitchell. Philadelphia 7 1 2. Detroit 4 7 6. Batteries—Plank and Thomas; Summers and Stangaue. NATIONAL. Cincinnati 5 17 0. New York 4 5 2. Batteries—Beebe and McLean; Crandall and Meyers. Boston 2 14 0. Chicago 5 9 1. Batteries—Frock, Brown and Graham; Reubach and Kling. St. Louis 11 11 1. Philadelphia 2 8 4. Batteries—Corrigan and Bresnahan; Moren and Dooin. Pittsburgh 1 2 0. Brooklyn 2 8 0. Batteries—Leifeld, Leever and Gibson; Bell and Bergen. PACIFIC COAST. Sacramento 1 6 1. Portland 2 10 2. Batteries—Baum and Spiesman; Gregg and Fisher. Los Angeles 4 8 1. San Francisco 2 6 5. Batteries—Thorsen and Waring; Henley and Berry. Vernon 5 12 1. Oakland 4 10 2. Batteries—Schaefer and Hogan; Moer and Thomas. NORTHWESTERN. Tacoma 1 7 5. Seattle 2 1 0. Batteries—McCamment and Blankenship; Zackert and Custer. Spokane 1 4 2. Vancouver 5 7 1. Batteries—Baker and Ostleik; Engle and Lewis.

STANDING OF CLUBS IN BASEBALL LEAGUES

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GUNS DESTROY BALLOONS

Reughraide, Prussia, Aug. 13.—The men behind the field guns demonstrated their ability to destroy swiftly moving balloons. The results from the standpoint of the marksmen were brilliant. In every instance the shells reached the balloons, tearing them to pieces and frequently the gas bags exploded and were burned in mid air. Major Gross, aeronautical representative of Krupp, directed the practice.

ALLEGED CONSPIRACY

New York, Aug. 13.—Charged with having conspired to violate the Sherman anti-trust law in connection with the alleged organization of a cotton pool, indictments were returned in the federal court yesterday against James A. Patten, the "cotton king"; Sidney J. Harman, Shreveport, La.; Eugene F. Scales of Dallas, Texas; Robert Thompson, partner in the firm of F. Holland & Co.; Frank B. Hayne and W. T. Brown.

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A. O. F. TO ENTERTAIN NANAIMO ON LABOR DAY

Football Match in the Afternoon, Followed by Social Dance in the Evening

The football season of 1910-11 will open in Victoria on Labor Day, Monday, September 5, when the Nanaimo association football team will come to Victoria to play the eleven of the Foresters club.

The management of the Foresters team has communicated with the Nanaimo club, inviting the coal miners to come to Victoria for the day, and play the first game of the season, and also attend a soccer-football dance at the A. O. U. hall in the evening.

The correspondence that has passed between the two clubs regarding the fixture leads the officials to believe that the Nanaimo players will be glad to accept the invitation of the A. O. F. and spend Labor Day in the Capital City.

The Foresters team is the first soccer aggregation in Victoria to show signs of life for the season. This club has held a couple of meetings and commenced its organization. The club proposes to have two elevens in the field, placing one in the senior ranks and competing with an intermediate eleven for the intermediate trophy.

The material at the disposal of the Foresters this season is much more extensive than last season. There are several players added to the ranks of the lodge men, and President Manson anticipates that their success, secured last season, the first in which the Foresters were in local football as a club, will be far exceeded this year.

In opening the season in September with a match against Nanaimo, the club realizes that it will be getting in some early practice of the right kind, and although it will be too early in the season for the teams to be in the best condition the game will serve as a test workout for the players.

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STEWART

A Solid Mining Town

Reports from Stewart indicate that his already famous mining town at the head of the Portland Canal has passed the period of sensation, speculation and mis-information, which is the lot of every new camp, and has settled down to a state of steady industry. The circulation of greatly exaggerated reports concerning a seventy-five mile gold ledge of fabulous richness was effective in bringing an influx of the most desirable class of mining men, both experienced and inexperienced, some few weeks ago, but most of the latter have now decamped and the widespread excitement occasioned by this enterprising, if deplorable, journalistic invention has now been extinguished by official denials of an emphatic character. At the same time the fact that a very extensive indication of further low-grade ore bodies, upon which the sensational stories were based, has been traced has added to the already excellent reputation of the district in mining circles.

At the present time the town is quiet and is likely to remain so until the spring. The final recognition of the fact that the district is a splendid low-grade proposition, offering large returns for large investment in good properties, has been effective in weeding out the transient speculator and the inexperienced prospector to a very large extent. The town is now on a solid basis, conservatively conducted by the powers that be, and so well protected by an efficient citizens' committee that it is everywhere looked upon as the model mining camp of the continent. Law and order prevail and even drunkenness, the least objectionable feature of most camps, is conspicuous by its almost total absence.

While the impending movement of the crops has made money a little tighter in the west, the effect has only been felt by a few of the companies holding some of the less important properties, and information obtained from reliable sources show that more is being expended upon development work and more actual progress is being made than at any previous time on the larger mines. Two shifts are being worked at the latter and the noise of blasting by day and night can be heard in the town continuously.

About 2,500 people are now at Stewart and new houses are springing up on nearly every street. The Stewart Land Company is following a policy which is resulting in rapid clearing of their townsite, each street being slashed through as soon as a few lots are sold on it. The sidewalks on Fifth and Columbia streets are being widened from three to five feet and pedestrianism is becoming easier of accomplishment every day. The King Edward hotel is now being enlarged for the second time, at a cost of \$4,000, and with the Empress hotel, which recently obtained a license, the Northern and a number of other comfortable hostels

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block, which is to house, in addition to offices and stores, the enlarged post office.

Work on the government wharf is rapidly being pushed ahead and good progress is being made on the Mackenzie and Mann wharf, the contractors in both cases sparing no efforts to complete these structures as early as possible. The Mackenzie and Mann railroad, which will connect their properties with tidewater, has been graded to a point above Glacier creek, past the Portland Canal Mining Company's concentrator. The station is now built and offices for the construction work has been opened in it. Rails are already being received from Prince Rupert, where two steamships recently discharged large cargoes consigned to Mackenzie and Mann.

Latest reports from the mines are of a highly gratifying character, development work in most cases revealing better showings than were expected. At the Portland Canal mine the mile-long flume is completed, the tramway finished and in smooth working order, the carpenter work on the mill ended and the assembling of machinery for the latter well under way. The stoppage ground is being made ready for shipment which, it is confidently anticipated, will commence at an early date. All Stewart has watched with particular interest the accomplishment of the extremely difficult engineering feat necessitated in carrying the flume over Blitzer creek at a height of 120 feet, and the completion of the big trestle was the occasion of much congratulation. At the Stewart mine No. 3 drift is in somewhere about 100 feet, with the ledge values increasing as the work progresses. The men have drifted through a rather poor body of wet ore from which the values had leached considerably and are now in good quartz. No. 4 tunnel is following the footwall side-lead in galena-iron with much better results, both in values and the extent of the ore-body, than was anticipated.

Most interest, however, is centred in the driving of a big tunnel into the Red Cliff property 1,500 feet below the top showings, the intention being to strike the ore at depth. If this is accomplished something like a general boom in mining can be anticipated, as it will prove the depth of the ore, in the district. The surveyors estimate that the tunnel will have a maximum length of 1,600 feet and it is being made large enough to permit of a mule tramway being built in it for shipping purposes. The Red Cliff is the only mine having a steam compressing plant and with two air-drills working the bore is being advanced from six to seven feet daily. On the Waterloo tunnel a large outcrop has been discovered, the ore being similar to that in the Montrose tunnel, of which it is most likely a continuation.

At the Portland-Tenar River mine a high grade gold ledge averaging from two to four feet and containing considerable free gold has been found, extending 1,000 feet on the surface. A gang of workmen is at work on the development and, if the ledge runs as deep as is expected and the values hold, it is expected to prove one of the richest strikes in the district. Development work is also proceeding apace on the Mackenzie and Mann

mine, Mountain Bay; the Portland Dreadnought, Red Cliff Extension, Silver King, Portland Wonder, Roosevelt, Little Minnie, Copper Cliff, and Glacier Creek; The International mine, which is largely controlled by Red Cliff stock holders, is reported to be showing good values and generally favorable reports have been received from a number of other properties.

FIRST POSTAGE STAMPS.

The postage stamp is so common an article of everyday commerce that one is apt to forget somebody invented it. Indeed, it was once upon a time quite a novelty. Commenting on the age of stamps, the London Times reminds us that the adhesive stamp was first made experimentally by James Chalmers at Dundee, in 1834. "There was, for a long time, a controversy as to whether the credit of the invention did not belong to Sir Rowland Hill, and it seems to have been proved to the satisfaction of those who have investigated the matter closely that to Sir Rowland Hill belongs the credit of priority of publication, while Mr. Chalmers rightly claimed priority of invention." On May Day, 1840, "considerable diversion" was created in the City of London by the appearance of the "new penny-post devices for envelopes, half-sheet letters, and bits of sticking-plaster proved unacceptable, but the postage stamp process worked day and night, and were still unable to meet the demand. What benighted heathen our fathers do seem! The idea of talking of bits of sticking-plaster for dabbing on to letters!" "Every little urchin in the gutter," said the astonished visitor to Paris, "talks French." Our relation to postage stamps is not unlike the French urchin's to his own tongue; while in our view of the comments on the first stamps we modern folk are not unlike the visitor to Paris.

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If you are considering making an investment, or in a quinary as to what to buy, or whether to buy or not, call at our office and consult us. We shall consider your investment from your standpoint, making as much profit for you as possible, and it must follow we shall "make good" ourselves.

Below are a few properties selected from our list. If you desire further particulars, something of a different nature or location, give us a call. Your enquiries will receive prompt and courteous attention.

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- PRINCESS AVENUE, lot 120x120, close to park, cleared and graded. Easy terms. PRICE.....\$2,100
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THREE COAL CARGOES FOR NOME THIS YEAR

Five Thousand Tons Less Fuel Taken to Camp Than in Previous Seasons

The third and last cargo of coal from the Vancouver Island mines for Nome passed out of the straits early yesterday morning on board the steamer Hermine.

The principal point of interest in Alaska during the past year has been the Iditarod river and the country surrounding it.

LONSDALE LEFT FOR VANCOUVER YESTERDAY

Took Skeleton Crew Which Will Be Paid Off To-day—Not Yet Sold

Steamer Lonsdale came out of drydock at 8 p. m. yesterday and sailed at once for Vancouver, where it is understood she will be until such time as the negotiations between the new company and the old have been completed.

Captain Crichton, representing the owners of the steamer, is in the city to-day, but he refuses to make any statement in regard to what is being done.

Steamer Henley, under charter to the Canadian Mexican Pacific Company, is expected to arrive from Mexico in about a fortnight.

FILES STATEMENT

Capt. of Chippewa States That Unusual Tide Carried Steamer Ashore

Capt. William Thornton, who was in command of the Puget Sound Navigation Company's excursion steamer Chippewa when she stranded on Lopez Island, has filed his official report with United States Inspectors Whitney and Turner as required by law.

SEATTLE DOCKS

Frank Waterhouse Takes Options on Waterfront Property at Puget Sound Port

President Frank Waterhouse, of the firm of Waterhouse & Co., of Seattle, has taken options on pier 8, owned by John B. Agen, and pier 8 1/2, owned by William P. Trimble, on which the Waterhouse coal bunkers are now located.

Substantial payments were made on the properties, which will be bought in at a figure in the vicinity of \$350,000. The properties are centrally located, and will give a water frontage of about 300 feet at the foot of University street.

TIDE TABLE

Table with columns for Date, Time, and Tide Height (ft. m. ft. m.). Includes data for Victoria, August 1910, and a note about the Pacific Standard time.

CANADIAN NORTHERN COASTING STEAMERS

Vancouver World Says Two New Coasters Are Being Built in the Old Country

Two new up-to-date coasting steamers are to come to this coast in the spring, according to the Vancouver World, which in a recent number of that paper says:

About the first of May, next year, and following that at a short interval, will arrive upon this coast from England, where they are now being constructed, two of the most handsome and up-to-date passenger vessels afloat on either the Pacific or Atlantic.

It has been rumored for some time that the Canadian Northern would enter the B. C. coast trade sooner or later—in fact, they have almost definitely stated so, but the news that its vessels are to be out here next year, and that they are to excel in size anything now on this coast, forms an unexpected feature for shipping comment.

The new vessels are to be "Dukes," just as the Grand Trunk Pacific's vessels are "Princes," and those of the C. P. R. "Princesses." One vessel will be called the Duke of Connaught.

Both are at present being built in England, though particulars of their dimensions and fittings cannot be obtained as yet. The Duke of Connaught is expected here May 1, 1911, and the other vessel a short time afterward.

Both are to be used in the service from Vancouver to Stewart, calling at Victoria and possibly at Seattle. In line with this news it is interesting to note that the new and large steamships built by the Mackenzie & Mann interests at Stewart will be completed within a month's time.

With the Canadian Northern, Grand Trunk, Canadian Pacific, and Union Steamship Company vessels all making the northern run and calling at Stewart it is a natural conclusion that there will be lively times in the competition here next year for freight and passengers, and the possibility of rate wars seems to be even a probability.

MOVEMENT OF VESSELS

On the Coast. Seattle-Arrived: Steamer Melville, Dolan, from Ironside; str. Queen, from San Francisco; Sailed: Br. str. Kumbur, for Portland; str. President, for San Francisco; str. Riverside, for Cordova. Vancouver-Arrived: Str. Victoria, from Seattle. San Francisco-Arrived: U. S. str. Logan, from Manila; str. Lyria, from New York; str. Admiral Sampson, from Seattle; str. City of Puebla, from Seattle; bark Antiope, from New Castle, N. S. W.; Sailed: Str. Mongolia, for Hongkong; str. Buckman, for Seattle. Tacoma-Sailed: Br. str. Oceano, for Australia; Br. str. St. Nicholas, for Vancouver. Los Angeles-Arrived: Str. Hornet, from Everett; Sailed: Str. W. S. Porter, for Nome.

SHIPPING REPORT

(By Dominion Wireless.) Aug. 13, 8 a. m. Point Grey-Rain; S. E.; thick seaward; 29.95; 58. Cape Lazo-Clear; S. E.; 29.65; 62; sea smooth; spoke Kingfisher 7.10 p. m. southbound, in Gulf of Georgia. Tatoshi-Cloudy; wind south 10 miles; 29.15; 57; sea smooth; out. Manzanita, 6.20 a. m.; out. Oceano, 6.55 a. m. outside bound in, two-masted schooner. Estevan-Cloudy; calm; 30.02; 58; sea smooth. Pachena-Thick fog; west, 30.15; 52; sea smooth; Tees eastbound about midnight. Prince Rupert-Rain; calm; 29.28; 16; sea smooth; spoke Dolphin 2.43 p. m. southbound. Ikeda-Overcast; calm; 29.90; 58; sea smooth. Triangle-Dense fog; S. E.; 29.43; 40; spoke Northwestern 11 p. m. 300 miles from Seattle, southbound. Noon. Point Grey-Passing showers; S. E. breeze; thick seaward; 29.90. Cape Lazo-Cloudy; S. E.; 30.03; sea smooth. Tatoshi-Part cloudy; south 12; 30.17; 56. Estevan-Overcast; S. E.; 30.05; 60; light swell. Pachena-Cloudy; calm; 30.18; 64; sea smooth; thick seaward; West seabound 9 a. m. Prince Rupert-Rain; light westerly wind; 29.49; sea smooth; spoke Princess Royal 10 a. m., to arrive Prince Rupert, southbound, 1 p. m., to East Capilano, 9 a. m. Triangle-Dense fog; S. E. 4 miles; 29.48; 56.

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MINERS WORK PASSAGE ON BELLE OF SCOTLAND

Vessel is to Load About Four Million Feet of Lumber at Portland

Attracted by the high wages paid ashore 10 sailors and firemen deserted from the British steamer Belle of Scotland while she was lying at Prince Rupert, B. C., the western terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific, and it was with difficulty that Capt. Nutman managed to pick up enough men to fill the vacancies before he could take the big tramp to Portland.

Many of the new men were sailors who had joined the rush to Alaska early this season. They signed only to make the trip to Portland, and they were paid off yesterday afternoon, the steamer carries a crew of 25 men, including officers. Consequently the captain will be obliged to look around for more tars before the craft leaves on the outward trip.

The Belle of Scotland is larger than the ordinary carrier, and she is expected to leave Portland with close to 4,000,000 feet of fir. Her cargo will be shipped by the China Import & Export Lumber Company. It is understood that she will be given quick dispatch, and she will not be in the river much longer than 10 days.

FROM PRINCESS MAY

Stewardess, Second Steward, and Freight Clerk Arrived in Town From Scene of Accident.

Besides the passengers who were on the Princess May at the time she went on the rocks at Sentinel Island, three of the officers of the steamer have arrived in town. These are W. Finlayson, second steward; H. T. Langford, freight clerk; and Mrs. Ernst, stewardess. The passengers speak very highly of the work done by these three in looking after them, providing them with food when on the island, and generally doing what they could to make things comfortable. It is understood that they will join one of the other of the company's steamers.

SHIPPING GUIDE

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS

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FERRY SERVICE

Victoria-Vancouver. Steamer leaves here at 2.15 p. m. daily, arriving at Vancouver at 4.45 p. m.; steamer leaves here at 11.45 p. m. daily, arriving at Vancouver at 1.15 p. m. Steamer leaves Vancouver daily at 10 a. m., arriving Victoria at 2.30 p. m.; steamer leaves Vancouver at 1 p. m. daily, arriving here at 7 p. m. Victoria-Seattle. Princess Charlotte leaves here 5 p. m. daily, arriving Seattle 9.30 p. m. Princess Victoria leaves Seattle 9 a. m. daily, arriving here 2 p. m. Steamer leaves Vancouver daily except Mondays at 11 p. m., arriving Seattle 8.30 a. m.; leaves Seattle daily at 11.30 p. m., arriving in Vancouver 2.30 a. m.

SLACK WATER-Active Pass. B. C.

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CARLSBAD OF CANADA IS IN SASKATCHEWAN

Watrous, on G. T. P., is Within Four Miles of Health-Giving Lake Manitou

Known by the Indians of the north-west for unnumbered years as a body of healing water and called by them Manitou, or "good spirit," in their superstitious gratitude, Canada possesses a lake of wonderful curative properties about which the world is just beginning to learn.

Four miles from the flourishing Saskatchewan city of Watrous, which is itself 407 miles from Winnipeg and 333 from Edmonton, lies Lake Manitou. It is a place of singular beauty, where the still waters stretch 14 miles from shore to shore under the steady blue of the western sky.

Chemical analysis has shown that the waters are richer in the elements which have made Carlsbad famous than even that famous European resort, and while there is yet no Kurasaal, no promenades and band stands, no throng of wealthy and fashionable sufferers, the building of the Grand Trunk Pacific railroad has brought into being the city of Watrous close at hand, and the future is fraught with great possibilities for the district.

The water of Lake Manitou has a specific gravity of 1.06, or 94 heavier than that of Carlsbad. This means that it is so much richer in mineral elements than its European rival, that the human body cannot sink in its genial depth. As in the Dead Sea, the buoyancy of the water prevents death by drowning—even in the case of the inexperienced bather.

Watrous on the G. T. P. is the nearest railroad point to Lake Manitou. The town is four miles from the best beach on the lake. The development of Lake Manitou as a holiday and health resort is proceeding rapidly; its fame is spreading rapidly, and already every day crowds of people go down to the lake to bathe.

Three projects to build sanatoriums are under way. The Manitou Health & Resort, Ltd., capitalized at \$250,000, have acquired a site and the plans are drawn for a sanatorium that will be in every way up-to-date. This development means much to Watrous. The town also has very bright prospects of becoming a railway point of considerable importance.

At the present time there are, it is estimated, about 20,000 acres of land under cultivation in the district for which Watrous is the distributing and shipping point. There is another 150,000 acres of magnificent wheat land in this district yet waiting cultivation. This alone will mean that the population of Watrous will go much beyond the one thousand people now living there.

The soil in the Watrous district is rich and productive. That this has been realized by the farmers is proven by the rapid development of that district. The land is open prairie, except some clumps of trees dotting the landscape here and there, giving variety to the scene. This makes it possible to break up the land quickly and at a lower cost than can be done in a district where there is much bluff land.

The farmers who have settled in the neighborhood of Watrous are doing well. They raise good crops and make good money. Wheat is the principal crop and some astounding yields are obtained. Oats also grow to perfection, and all kinds of vegetables thrive. There is a splendid opening at Watrous for a market gardener, a man with very small capital could start in this business.

Most of the farmers in this district are turning their attention to dairying, many of them more than clear their store bills with the credit they have for butter brought in to the merchants.

GERMAN BULLETS ARE MOST DEADLY

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The divergences are very striking. Practically it amounts to this, that the spitze bullet throughout the greater part of its flight has so flat a trajectory that it is a danger to any living thing which may cross its path from the time it leaves the muzzle of the rifle till its arrival at its journey's end. The British bullet, on the other hand, rises rapidly and describes so high a curve that a man crossing the line of fire at intermediate points would be safe from harm.

Thus at 50 yards from the point at which the rifle is discharged the British bullet has attained a height of 2 feet 7 inches; at the same distance the spitze bullet is only 1 foot 3 inches from the ground. At 100 yards the British bullet has risen to 5 feet, while the German is only 2 feet 5 inches. After 100 yards our service bullet has mounted so high as to be non-effective. At 150 yards it is up 7 feet 2 inches, while the German bullet is 3 feet 11 inches—a convenient height at which to hit an enemy in the vitals, while the British bullet whistles harmlessly overhead.

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Moreover, the spitze at no part of its flight reaches so high an angle as the British bullet, and is therefore less effective against man-made targets.

Experts in the camp with whom I have discussed these facts and figures, and who are familiar with our own new pointed bullet (which, however, is still in the experimental stage), agree that that bullet will give us a much flatter trajectory than can be got out of our present cartridge. At the same time, they declare that the same time, they declare that the same high velocity ammunition of the German rifle has been developed up to 2,700 feet per second. Thus in a zone extending to a length of 800 yards, the German rifle fire is effective about the whole way. British rifle fire is only deadly at the beginning and near the end of the bullet's flight.

From the facts Bisley experts, who know rifle shooting in all its phases at home and abroad, argue that whatever may be the efficacy of our new bullet, it can be at the best, but a makeshift. We need a new rifle, they say, with a high velocity that will take the same high velocity ammunition as is habitually used by the Germans and the Americans. Our war office is supposed to be waiting for an automatic rifle which will revolutionize all existing forms of small arms fire. But, say the experts, we are still a long way off the automatic rifle, and meantime we are falling behind. Tests of automatic rifles have been made at Bisley from time to time, but none of these experimental weapons have satisfied the conditions of actual service. The German government sent an expert to Bisley about seven years ago to witness our experiments. He was so impressed by our results that he returned home with the conviction that we could teach him nothing, and his own country, pending the evolution of the automatic, has armed her troops with what the experts—whose opinions and not my own I am quoting—describe as a weapon vastly superior to our own and which would impose a heavy handicap on British soldiers if it were ever in the hands of the red and angry field of battle.

FRENCH SUBMARINES. Devices to Minimize Accident—Vessels of 1,000 Tons May Be Built.

It is no secret now that the accident to the Phosphenix and the difficulties which so long delayed the refloating of the unfortunate vessel have caused the technical experts at the French department of the marine to reconsider what had hitherto been believed to be irrefragable principles in submarine construction. It has been practically decided that either there must be a return to smaller vessels, or that the larger type must be so improved that its safety is increased and some practical and trustworthy device is added which will give the crew a reasonable chance of escaping in case of accident.

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For Skeena, Prince Rupert and Stewart. S. S. VADSO Will sail Thursday, Aug. 18. JOHN BARNESLEY, Agt. 134 Yates.

Northern Steamship Company of B. C. New Steamer "CETRIANA" Sails WEDNESDAY, AUG. 10, 9 P.M. Hardy Bay, Bella Bella, Swanson Bay, Eastport, Skeena, Nanika, Phipps Bay, Stewart and Portlanoth. LOADING AT PORTER'S WHARF.

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CANADIAN MEXICAN STEAMSHIP LINE All claims against the steamer "Georgia" and "Lonsdale," operated under the name of the Canadian-Mexican Steamship Line, must be presented within ten days after arrival of the said steamer in Victoria. The contract with these steamer companies will expire upon completion of their present voyage and all accounts must be settled before the steamer is released.



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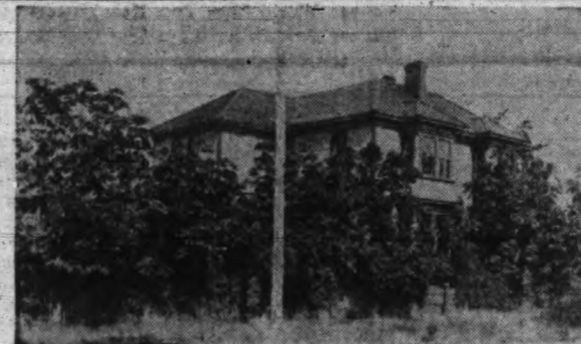
This is a cut of a beautiful eight roomed home just being completed, very nicely arranged; piped for furnace. This cosy little place commands a beautiful view of the sea and has the advantage as well of being sheltered from the prevailing winds. It is only about two blocks from the car line and in one of the best districts of the city.



\$2,000

\$150 Cash, and Monthly Payments Will Buy This

House, half a block from car. It is a rather poor cut of a very good little five roomed cottage in Oak Bay district. The cottage has modern plumbing installed; light; hot and cold water and the lot is of the finest and best black loam. About 60x120 or deeper. Payments same as rent.



Read This: **\$6,800 With Half Acre or \$5,800 With One Lot Less**

This represents a large twelve roomed house and half acre of the very best soil, absolutely free from rock. The above cut shows the splendid shrubbery growing around it. The house has modern plumbing and lighting. Very fine large rooms; modern plan. Can be purchased on any reasonable terms.



\$3,200

Small Cash Payment and Balance as Rent

Here is a roomy six roomed house, with three bedrooms and bathroom, modern plumbing. Large reception hall, parlor, dining room, kitchen, pantry and full sized basement. Built about two years ago. Stands on a lot 55x137 feet. Nicely fenced. Street paved, cement walks, boulevards, trees, etc. Only half a block from car line. The adjoining lot alone is held at \$1,200.



\$4,000

Small Cash Payment and Balance as Rent

Ten roomed house. Any family requiring a large number of rooms and desiring a new house should investigate this. Modern plumbing, light, etc. Fine, high district and good big lot. Very well laid out. It is a snap.



\$4,000

Terms to Be Arranged, Will Buy This Five Roomed Cottage

Very fine lawns and shrubbery, one block from car line. Street graded, cement walks, boulevards, trees, etc. Lots alone on this street are held at \$1,200 to \$1,600 each. This is a modern house with plumbing, light, hot and cold water, etc. Fine large rooms. Close to water. If five rooms will suit you, look into this.

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IS PRISONER HELD AT DILLON "BILL HANEY"?

Lengthy Description Furnished Provincial Police Indicates That He is

While there is still some doubt as to the identity of the man held at Dillon, Montana, on a charge of holding up the State bank in that city, a lengthy description of the prisoner received by the provincial police yesterday indicates that he is "Bill" Haney, wanted in British Columbia for the hold-up of a C. P. R. train and the murder of Special Constable Isaac Decker. Except in a few minor details the suspect's description as furnished by Sheriff Gosman, of Dillon, tallies with that of the man for whose arrest rewards totalling \$4,000 are offered by the province and the C. P. R. On the instructions of Supt. Hussey he will be detained by the Dillon police even if released on the charge of holding up

the bank, and the provincial police are now taking steps to determine his identity.

So far the man has resisted all efforts to photograph him and has maintained a stolid silence regarding his past, which has made the work of connecting him with the crimes for which Haney is wanted extremely difficult.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

Roosevelt May Be Temporary Chairman of New York State Gathering.

New York, Aug. 12.—That Theodore Roosevelt may be temporary chairman of the New York State Republican convention on September 27th, is the report that was circulated about political headquarters after Roosevelt had a number of conferences with prominent men.

Senators Elkins was one of the callers at the office of the former president. Another caller was Gifford Pinchot, former chief forester. London has about 4,000 taxicabs.

CHINESE TRADE.

Rapid Expansion of Imports—Small Advance in Exports.

In a recent report of the department of trade and commerce, J. B. Jackson, Canadian trade commissioner in China, writes:

The foreign trade of China for 1909 is distinguished by a small advance in imports, but it is still somewhat weak owing to the extreme overtrading from 1905 to 1907. It is, however, marked by a rapid expansion in exports, which augurs well for the soundness of future trade. The total value of the trade of China for 1909 was a record one, and greater than in any previous year, the gross value being 791,000,000 Halkuan taels or about \$527,250,000 gold.

The value of the exports of native goods reached almost 340,000,000 Hk. taels, about 23 per cent. above the record figure of 1908, and even the imports, in spite of the continued adverse circumstance above noted, were second only to 1905, their net value being 418,000,000 Hk. taels or about \$279,500,000 gold.

A very serious hindrance to the import trade is the reduction of the purchasing power of the Chinese people caused by the depreciation of the copper currency. This depreciation appeared to reach its limit in 1905, when a Mexican dollar, worth 42 cents gold could be exchanged for sums in copper cents varying from 120 in the southern provinces to 135 at Shanghai and on the Yangtze.

The steady fall in value in copper coinage during the last few years may be shown in terms of the tael (58 cents gold), as follows: In 1905 1 tael was equal to 1,100 cash, whilst in 1909 it equalled 1,778 cash. During a few months in 1909 the copper coinage in the provincial mints was either abandoned or limited, but this must be attributed to the fact that the minting of copper coins had ceased to be profitable, rather than to the effect of imperial legislation, for the restrictive enactments were consistently ignored until the results of over coinage were apparent.

Shanghai is situated on the Whangpoo river, 12 miles from its confluence with the Yangtze at Woosung. This river is of vital importance to the trade of Shanghai. In fact a sine qua non to its existence as a city, and for many years much trouble has been found in keeping it clear at its mouth, owing to the vast amount of sand and debris brought down by the Yangtze. Owing to the great volume of the last named river, this sand and debris was deposited in the mouth of the Whangpoo, and caused the formation of sand bars extending back for two or three miles, which threatened to destroy the navigation of the stream, except for native vessels. A vast amount of money has been spent in dredging for many years without any appreciable benefit, the silt filling in the channel almost as soon as it is dredged.

The Whangpoo conservancy board was formed for the purpose of finding some solution of the difficulty, and after some years of disheartening work have been able to effect what appears to be an end of the trouble. They have diverted the course of the river at its

mouth by opening up a new channel called the "Astraea channel," bringing the waters of the Whangpoo into the Yangtze at a different angle; and have gradually closed up the old "ship" channel and thus abolished the inner bar.

The success of the conservancy works may be judged from the fact that although dredging operations closed altogether from want of funds for three months in the autumn of last year, the increased depth of water on the outer bar was maintained by the scour of the river as now trained. The expenditure for 1909 amounted to 1,725,490 Hk. taels (\$1,150,327 gold), bringing the total expenditure of the board up to the end of 1909, to 4,339,153 Hk. taels (\$2,882,796 gold).

According to the latest information received from the board of posts and communications in Pekin, the railway lines which are now under construction with Chinese capital and by Chinese engineers, are as follows:

1. Tsing-Hau railway, from Chinkiang, via Tsingkiang-pu to Hsuechow-fu, a distance of about 300 Chinese li, or 100 miles.

2. Pekin-Chinwangtao railway, from Pekin to Chinwangtao, a distance of about 200 Chinese li, or 100 miles. This is a branch of the Pekin-Kalgan railway.

3. Piao-Liao railway, from the upper part of the Liaohe to Tannan-fu, Manchuria, about 300 Chinese li, or 100 miles.

The Hanyang Iron and Steel Works at Hankow are making regular shipments of pig iron each month to Honolulu and San Francisco. This is a very large and enterprising Chinese company with blast furnaces, steel works, and rolling mills, procuring their coal from the Pinghsiang colliery and their iron ore from the Tayeh iron mine.

In the near future foreign manufacturers of steel rails and bridge iron for Chinese railways will find this company a very strong competitor, established in the heart of China, 700 miles up the Yangtze, and having unlimited quantities of coal and iron ore at its disposal. Although a Chinese company with Chinese capital it is a noticeable fact that the engineers and practical men in charge of each department are German.

Long rivers drain a large territory of country. The Ganges is nearly 1,000 miles in length, and drains an area of 720,000 square miles.

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THE KING'S TITLE
London, Aug. 12.—The Express prints the answers of a Canadian mayor to the suggestion that the King should be crowned Emperor of the British. Mayor Geary of Toronto says such a campaign would be contrary to the wishes of the people of Canada, and takes the opportunity to reassure the Express that there may be other links between the Dominion and the Home-land than King, J. A. Chisholm, of Halifax, sees no advantage in the change. J. H. Frink, of St. John, N. B., says that if in the King's opinion the spirit of loyalty in Canada can be intensified by the alteration it will be most acceptably received in Canada.

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ART OF FLYING AND ITS MANY SENSATIONS

British Expert Says an Enthusiast Can Master the Art in an Hour

Cecil Grace, who is regarded as one of the three best British aviators, is a young man of twenty-six. An Irishman, born in Chile, he has that charming sensitive personality which is the peculiar possession of the Irish gentleman.

"I never saw a flying machine until the Rheims meeting," he said, in an interview published in the London Standard. "I was there all the time and missed nothing. Then it was that the fascinations of flying grew upon me, and I determined to try my luck."

"I made a number of experiments with gliders, and I have never regretted the time spent on these experiments for reasons which I will explain later."

"I came to Shellbeach and made my first independent flight on Moore-Brabazon's 'Bird of Passage'—you will see the old machine hanging up in Mr. Short's workshop. I think the 'Bird of Passage' was the 'nurse' that taught many of us to walk—or at least to fly."

"I had already had some experience, for Latham had taken me up in his Antoinette. No, I did not feel nervous, for I had such unbounded confidence and faith in Latham."

"You want to know how it feels to fly? It is rather difficult to explain in so many words. When one starts, there is so much excitement in the experience that I believe even the most nervous man would forget to feel afraid. At any rate, I do not remember ever having any sensation of fear."

"I have plenty of nerves, only they are not air nerves. For instance, when I am travelling at a high rate of speed on a motor car I am inclined to get jumpy. Nor am I perfectly happy on a cricket field, and I think a great deal more about the chances of being hit by a fast ball than ever I have about falling. Flying demands certain peculiar qualities and nerves. One must not be subject to vertigo, and I should imagine that a mountain climber has exactly the balance of brain requisite in an aviator."

"The first sensation you have when you start to fly is the same as one has on one's first motor ride. You go with a swift run over the ground. You may have little pangs of apprehension as you come to gullies and ditches, or a low hedge that lies directly in your path, and the first intimation you have that this machine you are on is not a motor car is when in some unaccountable manner you 'skip' the ditch, and mysteriously avoid the hedge."

"Your machine hops up a little, then comes gently to earth again—skips a gully, skims a piece of rising ground, then suddenly the occasional jolting of the wheels beneath you ceases. You have a sense of running smoothly and noiselessly over a perfect road—no indeed you are, for you are moving along a path of elastic air. Your speed seems enormous whilst you are flying low. The trees, the houses, the fields go racing past you at a bewildering rate. Then, as you mount higher and higher, the speed seems to slacken. The fields and the house-tops beneath you seem to move at a more stately pace, the horizon becomes more and more extended. As for you, on your machine you are perfectly still save for some slight swaying as the wind catches you. It is the world that moves, and I think that one of the joys of aviation is the sense that by touching this lever or that, you can change the direction in which the world is running!"

"You are flying north, and you turn. The obedient world changes its direction, and goes eastward. That one has a splendid sense of exhilaration is only natural."

"One has no fear. For myself I am too occupied. There is the engine to listen to, the planes to watch, every sense conscious or subconscious is employed."

"The only danger is that one's engines would stop, but that never worries me, for I could always glide down to safety. That is where the gliding experiments are so useful. The danger comes to the man who cannot glide down. If he were to 'flop' down, that is to say, come down straight, there would always be the danger that the machine would get out of hand, and would come down in a heap."

"I have heard aviators complain of the cold whilst flying, but I have never suffered. My experience is that it is not much colder in an aeroplane going at top speed than it is on a motor-car, and I find, too, that the elevating planes break the force of the wind, and afford a certain amount of protection."

"All flying must be more or less self-taught. One has just got to cling into one's machine and fly. Some people learn quickly, some seem as if they would never learn. Mr. Colmore, to whom I gave lessons is an instance of the speed with which an enthusiast may master the art. I was in his machine running about the ground for exactly thirty-nine minutes. Then I suggested that he should go up for his pilot's certificate. Without more ado, he made three flights of three miles each!"

ROYAL HUNT IN AFRICA.

Duke of Connaught's Danger From Charging Lion.

An account of the Duke of Connaught's danger from a charging lion during his big game hunting expedition in British East Africa has been written "by express permission" by Capt. G. Riddell, and appears in the East African Standard.

The party's total bag of big game consisted of an elephant, seven lions, fifteen rhinoceros, four buffalo, one cheetah and three hippopotamus. Thirty-three different species of antelope were shot. The Duke of Con-

naught obtained twenty-three animals of different species, including fine specimens of lion, rhinoceros and buffalo. He had the best individual bag of the party. The first and finest rhinoceros was bagged by Prince Arthur of Connaught near the junction of the Nankai and Leeki rivers. Near the Ondeka river the Duke shot his first lion, a splendid black-maned specimen. It was carried in triumph into camp, where the "lion song" was sung by the natives with much enthusiasm. Two other lions were bagged by the Duke during a week's hunting south-east of Embu. The hunt was a typical one, starting by the sighting of the lions, which were "rounded up" by the hunters mounted. The guns then advanced as the animals lay in knee-high grass. One lion charged when hit by the Duke of Connaught, and received its death wound only four yards from its assailant. His Royal Highness bagged a lioness the same day. Subsequently a rhinoceros charged the camp during lunch. It created indescribable confusion until its career was cut short near the dining tent party covered some 400 miles. The oil properties of the Amalgamated Development company are situated on tidewater, hence there will be no delay in the profits while a railroad is being built to take out the products.

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AN EMPIRE IN THE BUILDING

An Empire is being built in the West greater than the most enthusiastic Canadian ever dreamed of. Unequaled railroad facilities are being supplied. Towns and cities are showing magic growth. Population is increasing. Agricultural resources are being wonderfully developed. Hon. Sydney Fisher says that this Great West will in a decade be producing a billion bushels of wheat annually. This Great Western Empire will have a population of thirty millions in a few years.

THE GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC

The last and greatest of the Transcontinental railways—extending from Halifax, N. S., to Prince Rupert, B. C.—is opening up and developing a new and wonderfully rich territory. The Grand Trunk Pacific in its course through the three Prairie Provinces draws on a larger area of fine wheat-producing land than the entire wheat belt of the United States. The Grand Trunk Pacific is assisting in an energetic and vigorous manner in the building of this Great Empire to the North and to the West. This is truly the Land of Opportunity. No portion of any country on the globe to-day shows such rapid development as the Grand Trunk Pacific territory.

The Eyes of Canada Are Turned Toward

Watrous

Favored Bountifully by Nature and by the Grand Trunk Pacific, Watrous is Destined to Become One of the Most Important Inland Cities of Western Canada

Watrous is located near the banks of Little Manitou Lake, the most wonderful body of mineral water on the American Continent. A century ago the Indians took the sick and ailing tribesmen to Little Manitou to be cured. To-day the white man is journeying from far and near to receive the benefits afforded by the medicinal waters from Little Manitou Lake. The Grand Trunk Pacific has selected Watrous as its Central and Principal Divisional point of the great Western Provinces, and it is from this Central Divisional point that the different Branch Lines to other important cities will radiate.



Watrous Occupies Splendid Strategic Position--407 Miles from Winnipeg 388 Miles from Edmonton

In the centre of the finest farming section in all Saskatchewan. In direct line between Regina and Prince Albert, this last named city being an important lumber and agricultural shipping point.

Watrous is the terminus of the branch line of the Grand Trunk Pacific to the Canadian Pacific Railway. Of the Great West Moose Jaw is to the Canadian Pacific Railway, Watrous will be the Grand Trunk Pacific. Of the Great Western Provinces, Moose Jaw is the Central Divisional point on the Canadian Pacific Railway, Watrous is the Central Divisional point on the Grand Trunk Pacific. Moose Jaw now has 15,000 population, and is growing rapidly. Lots which sold in Moose Jaw a few years ago at \$100 each are today worth from \$1,000 to \$3,000, and they are advancing in price rapidly. You can buy lots today in Watrous at \$100 to \$175; in five years they should be worth at least as much as the same kind of lots in Moose Jaw today.

Watrous being the central divisional point, and midway between Winnipeg and Edmonton, where the present shops of the Grand Trunk Pacific are located, it is expected that the central shops of the road will be located at Watrous.

On account of Watrous being the central divisional point, it is from here that the different branch lines to the important cities of Saskatchewan and Alberta will radiate.

With the building of the several large Sanatoriums, it will be most logical to suppose that, attracted by the lure of Little Manitou Lake, large numbers of transcontinental tourists will stop off at Watrous on their way from coast to coast.

Buy Lots in Watrous--You Can't Make a Mistake

The more lots you buy in Watrous, the more money you will make. It is impossible to purchase lots in a live and growing young city of Western Canada and not make splendid and certain profits.

Lots in Moose Jaw that sold a few years ago at \$100 each are to-day worth from \$1,000 to \$3,000. Lethbridge a few years ago was a small frontier town. Lots in Lethbridge now command fancy prices. \$10,000 to \$12,000 is sometimes paid for a single lot.

Lots which sold in Saskatoon ten years ago for \$100 are to-day worth ten to fifty times that amount. You could have purchased lots in Edmonton ten years ago for \$100 each, which are to-day worth \$1,000 to \$10,000.

Those who purchased lots in Fort Arthur ten years ago are now the possessors of property worth 1,000 per cent. more than the price at which it was originally purchased—an average increase in value of 100 per cent. each year.

In Fort William the same rapid advance in value has taken place. Lots which sold for \$1,000 to \$2,000 each, even five years ago, have since sold for \$1,000 to \$2,000. It is almost impossible to chronicle the rapid advance of property in Calgary, Regina, Winnipeg, Vancouver and other cities of Western Canada.

If you failed to get in on the big money that was made in other Grand Trunk Pacific cities, such as Fort Arthur, Fort William, Saskatoon, Prince Albert, Edmonton, Prince Rupert, or many other cities which might be named, here is your chance now to get in right on Watrous. The same spirit of co-operation which has been extended by the Grand Trunk Pacific to these other cities which have made good will be extended to Watrous.

LITTLE MANITOU LAKE--THE CARLSBAD OF CANADA.

This most remarkable mineral water lake is located about two and a half miles from Watrous. The water is similar in practically all respects to those of "Hun, ad Janos" and "Carlsbad" with the exception that the water from Little Manitou Lake contains the same ingredients in greater proportions, its specific gravity therefore being much greater. It has been proven that the waters of this lake are little short of marvellous in their power to cure rheumatism and skin diseases, and affording speedy results in biliousness, sick headache, etc. The fame of Little Manitou Lake is spreading to such an extent that present accommodations at Watrous are entirely inadequate. Three large sanatoriums are already projected or under way, and others will doubtless be built to take care of the thousands who will come to Little Manitou Lake to be healed.

Herbert Quick, editor of "Farm and Fireside," one of the leading agricultural papers in the United States, visited Little Manitou Lake, and writes of it as follows:

"Little Manitou Lake, full to the brim of water like that of Hungary, Janos, and as still a ad described by fish and fowl as the Dead Sea. The genus of its mineral water is the social soil. One may hear of Indians smitten with leprosy who came across the prairie ages ago, led by the Manitou, or Great Spirit, to bathe in its waters. It is so set in its devotion to the salvation of life that it refuses to drown anyone."

Try to sink in it and it spurs you forth and bleats you. Go to Little Manitou with said intent and it will hold your head out of the water while it purges you of your disease."

Large profits will be made by far-sighted investors who buy property in Watrous. Property at other famous health resorts is held at very high prices, and property in Watrous will doubtless command similar high prices within the next two or three years.

At other noted health resorts, there are only mineral water springs; at Watrous there is a mineral water lake, three-quarters of a mile wide and twelve miles long, with water so clear that the sandy bottom can be seen distinctly at a depth of six feet, and the water is so buoyant that a human being floats on its surface like a fishing cork. Little Manitou Lake is ideal for boating and bathing.

Property at Watrous should command even higher prices than at other well-known resorts, because this is the only resort of its kind on the American continent. There is but one Little Manitou Lake, and therefore there can be but one Watrous. Buy lots in Watrous now while they are selling at the ground floor price, and hold them, and you are certain to make money. The more lots you buy in Watrous the more money you will make. Buy half a dozen or more lots, and ride with the wave of advancing values. \$10 for every dollar you invest is common in live towns of Western Canada.

Think what it means for the population of Canada to increase from six million to forty million, and 50 per cent. of this growth will be in the West. What does this mean to you? Nothing, unless you are identified with Western Canada's growth. Western Canada's valuation in real property will show a corresponding increase, an increase which will be divided among present and future holders of land in proportion to their holdings. There is no use living in a day of

land and opportunity unless you are part of it. You doubtless have among your friends and acquaintances those who have shown their faith in Canada and the Canadian cities, and have become rich because they invested when these cities were young.

Buy lots and prosper with Canada. Buy in Watrous, and as Watrous grows the money you put into it will grow just as surely and certainly. Invest your money where the greatest activity is taking place. In the centre of greatest growth, where the greatest advances are realized. This centre is undoubtedly in Watrous, and Watrous is the pivotal centre. You are taking no chance when you buy lots in Watrous at present prices. The future of Watrous is assured, and if you buy now you should make 100 per cent to 1,000 per cent on your investment during the next five years.

To insure securing choice lots, we advise that you order direct from this advertisement, using the coupon in lower right-hand corner, making remittance payable to Land Commissioner, Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company, Winnipeg, Man. If, however, you desire further information before purchasing, then use the coupon in lower left-hand corner, making direct to the selling agents, International Securities Co., 649 Somerset Building, Winnipeg, Man., and you will be furnished with full particulars, maps, plans, etc.

If the selection of lots made for you by our representative is not satisfactory, all you need do is to notify us to that effect, and the money which you have paid to the Grand Trunk Pacific will be refunded to you.

safeguard your interest by using the purchase coupon and mailing remittance to-day.

In case you desire further particulars, maps, etc., before selecting lots, use coupon below.

INFORMATION COUPON. International Securities Co., 649 Somerset Bldg., Winnipeg, Man. Please forward to me by return mail full particulars regarding the sale of town lots in the sub-division to the original townsite of Watrous, which is just being placed on the market. Name Address

Prices of lots \$100 to \$150. Lots sold on ten equal monthly payments. No interest on deferred payments. Discount of 5% allowed for payment in full. Lots are large, double size, 50x140 ft., Price \$100; Corners \$125. Lots on Main Street, 25x130 ft., Price \$150. Perfect titles guaranteed. No taxes to pay until year 1912. Send money for lots direct to Grand Trunk Pacific, Winnipeg.

APPLICATION BLANK FOR PURCHASE OF LOTS. Land Commissioner, Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Co., Somerset Bldg., Winnipeg, Man. I hereby make application to purchase.....lots at the price of \$.....each, and enclose herewith remittance for \$.....being one-tenth the total purchase price. I agree to remit the same amount each month for nine consecutive months. I desire your representative to select for me, out of the sub-division which you have just placed on the market to the original town-site of Watrous, what he regards as the best lots remaining unsold at this price. Title to lots to be clear and indefeasible. No interest to be charged on deferred payments, and no taxes until the year 1912. Please make out and forward to me your formal "Application to Purchase Town Lots," which I will sign and return. Name Address

We have some choice lots for sale fronting on Little Manitou Lake. Write the International Securities Co., Limited 649 SOMERSET BUILDING, WINNIPEG, MAN., for particulars.

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VICTORIA STOCK BROKERS' ASSOCIATION
 Victoria, Aug. 13.

Alberta Canadian Oil	106	106
American Canadian Oil	14	14
Canadian Northwest Oil	13	13
Alberta Coal & Coke	103	103
Diamond Vale Coal & Coke	37	37
International Coal & Coke	23	23
Nicola Valley Coal & Coke	27	27
Royal Collieries	211	211
Western Coal & Coke	1.20	1.20
B. C. Permanent Loan	123.00	123.00
Dominion Trust Co.	264	264
Great West Permanent	122.00	122.00
Pacific Whaling, com.	55.00	55.00
Pacific Whaling, pref.	75.00	75.00
Stewart Land	28.00	28.00
S. A. Scrip	253.00	253.00
Bitter Creek	28	28
Bear River Canyon	66	66
Glacier Creek	18	18
Main Reef	23	23

FIRST CONTEST OF LOCAL CLUB CROQUET CUP FOR VANCOUVER ISLAND
 Tournament Commences Aug. 22 at the Victoria Tennis Club Grounds

Commencing on Monday, August 22, the Victoria tennis club will hold an open croquet tournament on the croquet grounds of the tennis club at Cadboro Bay road. The events for which entries are now open are as follows:
 Open singles, championship of Vancouver Island—Cup presented by James Dunsmuir, Esq. The cup must be won three years in succession to become the property of any holder.
 Open doubles (mixed).
 Open singles (ladies), championship of British Columbia—Cup presented by Mrs. Dunsmuir. The cup must be won three years in succession to become the property of any holder.
 Handicap doubles (mixed).
 Handicap singles (ladies).
 The rules and regulations of the tournament are as follows:
 The entrance fee will be \$1 for each entry.
 Players, if not on the ground twenty minutes after the time scheduled for them to play, will be scratched.
 The laws of the Croquet Association of England will be observed.
 Players are required to wear either tennis shoes or rubbers, and to play on whatever court is assigned to them.
 The entries close on Friday, August 19, at 6 p. m.
 In handicap doubles the number of bismques to be given in each game shall be half the difference between the respective joint handicaps.
 In all handicap events, with the exception of the finals, there will be a time of two hours. In the event of a tie, fifteen minutes additional play will be allowed.
 No entry shall be valid the money for which has not been paid prior to the draw.
 The diagrams of the competitive card (posted on the club house) will be considered as official.
 The time to play will be published every morning.
 Entries and fees to be sent to Mrs. Martin, "Ballinahinch," Victoria, B. C.

QUEEN MOTHER OF PORTUGAL.
 Draper Brings Action to Recover \$20,000 Alleged to Be Unpaid on Bill.
 Lisbon, Aug. 13.—Maria Pia, grandmother of King Manuel, is to-day preparing to defend herself in a suit brought by a Lisbon draper for \$20,000 alleged to be unpaid on a bill contracted by the Queen-mother. The courts held that the king alone is exempt from being made a party to personal suits.

SEARCHING FOR BODIES.
 Bellingham, Wash., Aug. 13.—Although scores of searchers have been dragging the river near Mount Vernon for hours, no trace of the bodies of C. B. Sterling and Edward Rowland, who were drowned Tuesday night when their auto ran into the river, has been found. Rowland and Sterling were driving their automobile from Mount Vernon and failed to see that the drawbridge was open.

CLEVELAND MURDER MYSTERY.
 Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 13.—Believing that certain testimony at the coroner's inquest into the death of William L. Rice, a wealthy attorney thought to have been murdered, should be withheld by the authorities until the police had investigated, the coroner to-day secretly examined two undertaker's assistants who prepared Rice's body for burial.
 Among the other witnesses was Ross Mosier, a car conductor, who said that a man dressed in light clothes alighted near the Rice home and met another man shortly before the attack on Rice was made.

NEW YORK STOCKS.
 (Times Leased Wire.)
 New York, Aug. 13.—The tendency of the stock market was upward to-day. Trading was sluggish and the fluctuations were irregular. American Smelting led the advance, rising 1/2. Reading gained 1/2. Penna. and Union Railroad L. Losses were few. American Locomotive declined 1/2. Louisville & Nashville L. and American Sugar, Western Union and Utah Copper fractions. The market closed firm.

WILL NOT RESIGN.
 Portland, Ore., Aug. 13.—Richard A. Ballinger, secretary of the interior, while in Portland steadfastly denied that he had any intention of resigning from the portfolio.

PACIFIC COAST STOCK EXCHANGE
 (By Courtesy N. B. Maysmith & Co., J. S. B. Bagshaw & Co., J. S. B. Bagshaw & Co., J. S. B. Bagshaw & Co.)

Best River Canyon	30	30
Glacier Creek	18	18
Little Joe, O. K. Fraction	12	12
Main Reef	23	23
Mica (pooling)	25	25
Portland Canal	23	23
Portland Wonder	23	23
Red Cliff	14	14
Rush Portland	18	18
Red Cliff	1.35	1.50
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Stewart M. & D.	1.35	1.50
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Stewart Land Co.	28.00	28.00
Miscellaneous		
American Canadian Oil	106	106
B. C. Amalgamated Coal	101	101
B. C. Permanent Loan	123.00	123.00
Stewart M. & D.	1.35	1.50
B. C. On Refining Co.	29	29
Bakeries, Limited	50	50
Canadian Northwest Oil	13	13
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Great West Permanent	122.00	122.00
International Coal & Coke	23	23
Lasqueti Island Mining Co.	11	11
Nicola Valley Coal & Coke	27	27
Pacific Whaling, pref.	75.00	75.00
Pingree Mines	204	204
Rambler Cariboo	23	23
Royal Collieries	211	211
South African Scrip	630.00	700.00

SEEKS ASSISTANCE FOR INDIAN SCHOOLS
 Synod of Rupertland Will Make Representation to Missionary Society

(Special to the Times.)
 Prince Albert, Aug. 13.—After two days arduous work the general synod of Rupertland concluded its business yesterday, and delegates have since scattered over the huge area whence they came. The synod has been regarded by those participating in its deliberations as one of the most important ever held in this country, on account of the legislation which it enacted.
 It was decided to send a strong delegation to confer with the Missionary Society of the Church in Canada regarding grants to Indian schools. It is desired that these be continued by the M. S. C. until such time as the government can arrange to increase its grants sufficiently to enable the church to dispense with aid from the society. At present the society is discontinuing its grant, throwing much heavy expense on individual dioceses.
 Another item of business was a decisive motion of Canon Murray and Dr. Speechly to start a strong evangelistic campaign in the west with a view to increasing interest in church work.

SEEKING RECOGNITION.
 Representatives of President Madriz of Nicaragua Interview United States Official at Washington.

Washington, Aug. 13.—In an attempt to gain recognition from the United States, General Sebastian Salinas and Dr. Modesto Barrios were still in conference to-day with Acting Secretary of State Huntington Wilson presenting the claims of the Madriz faction in Nicaragua. It is reported on high authority that Wilson made it clear that his government would not change its attitude toward the Central American dispute between Madriz and Estrada, recognizing neither except where injury to Americans or their interests are involved, when both will be held responsible.
 Wilson, it is said, expressed a desire to bring about a compromise between the warring factions. The representatives of both Madriz and Estrada probably will meet at the state department to discuss the situation.

BODY RECOVERED.
 Bellingham, Wash., Aug. 13.—The body of Mrs. John Jones, who was drowned some weeks ago while crossing the Skagit river near Van Horn, was to-day found near Rockport by two fishermen. The remains have been identified by the husband, Jones and his wife, who was a bride of a few days, had been gathering berries at Rock Point and were crossing the river to their home at Van Horn when the canoe upset, throwing the occupants into the water.

SOCIALISTS PROTEST.
 Darmstadt, Aug. 13.—Objecting to the proposed "unseating of Hess" for the benefit of Cesar Nicholas, the Socialist members of the Hessian diet, protested against the expense that would be incurred in guarding the Russian emperor on his proposed visit to Friedburg.

BORN.
 JENKINSON—On Saturday, 13th inst., the wife of C. H. Jenkinson, of a son.

MARRIED.
 HIBBS-WALLER—At 861 Pine street, Victoria, Wash., on the 12th inst., by Rev. J. A. Woods, Rosa Kate, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hibbs, of Wareham, Mass., and Engeline, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Waller, second son of Henry and the late Mrs. Waller.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY
 STRAYED—English setter dog, lightly blue ticked, and left side of head black. Finder kindly return to 1899 Monterey avenue and receive reward.
 FOR SALE—5 ft. gasoline launch, with cabin, 5 h. p. Fairbanks Morse engine, dynamo and storage battery, in good running order, anchored near Selby's Point, price \$250; a splendid bargain. Apply Telephone 1421.
 FOR SALE—A snap for quick sale, nice (pooling) two week, 200 feet frontage on Tolmie road, nearly all cultivated, fine shade trees, high, good view, E. C. B. Bagshaw & Co., 112 Broad street.
 FOR SALE—Bargain, Oak Bay District, three acres, fronting on two streets, overlooking and close to the sea, would sub-divide well; only \$250 per acre. E. C. B. Bagshaw & Co., 112 Broad St. 113

FOR SALE—Chapin, a good spec., Douglas street, large corner lot, nearly 1/2 acre, brick yards, about 1/2 of an acre, 20 feet frontage on Douglas street; only \$8,000. Apply to E. C. B. Bagshaw & Co., 112 Broad street.

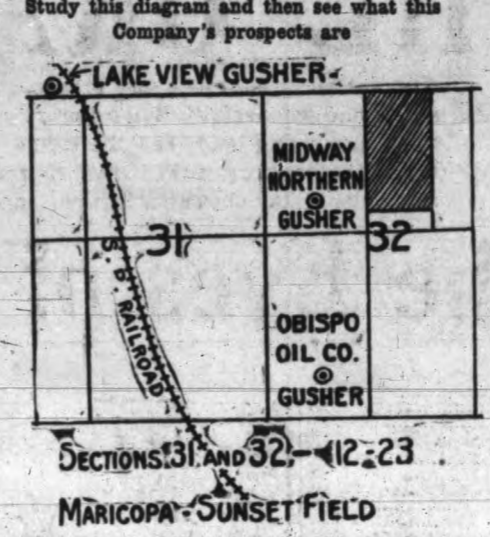
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WANTED—Steady, good boy, over 14, Stewart M. & D., 112 Broad St. 113
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JUST SEW what \$1.00 will buy for the next few days, a modern 4 room cottage, with bath, fruit trees and nice lot, two minutes to car, close to George Street, near McCadden, Main and Bidg. Government street. 113

THE EMPIRE REALTY COMPANY, now located at 612 Yates street, will shortly remove to 611 Yates street.
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Latest News.—Note the Location

Maricopa, July 27.—For three hours yesterday a monster well of the American Oilfields on section 32, 23-24, west of Lakeview, spouted a stream of oil over the derrick, and it was the fear of the neighborhood that another Lakeview had come in. By herculean efforts the men were finally able to get a gate attached and the flow was shut off. Company employees estimate the flow to have been between 25,000 and 30,000 barrels a day; or more than 1,000 barrels an hour while the well was flowing. Late advice to-day were that she has not sanded up, but shoots oil forty feet above the crown lock whenever the gate is opened. The new well is numbered 5, and is on the south line near the Sunset Monarch. It reached the sand at 2,250 feet, and the tools were blown out of the hole at once. The product is 22 gravity. Los Angeles, July 27.—The American Oilfields has declared a dividend of one per cent, to be paid in October, and continued each quarter thereafter. This stock is not listed but some private sales are reported at around \$50 a share. The American Oilfields was organized and incorporated on January 29 of this year and work commenced about the middle of February. To-day the production is over 5,000 barrels a day as shown by actual deliveries to the Independent Agency which the company joined under a guarantee of 50 cents per barrel, minimum price for 3,000, 000 barrels, to be delivered at the rate of 250,000 barrels per quarter. The Obispo within quarter of a mile of our property brought in a 10,000 barrel well on 5th June at 1,800 feet. The Midway Northern within 300 yards of this Company's property, brought in a similar well on July 4th last at a depth of 1,920 feet.

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THERE IS A HOME SNAP picture on page 2. If you don't see a suitable one call and we will show you one which will. But turn to page 9 now. Pemberton & Son. 113
ANOTHER PICNIC there will likely be when inquisitive Conservatives ask: Why so specially favored in 1908. Golden, a rural district with a High school 1 1/2 miles, 200 pupils, 200 & medals, Chilliwack, a city district, with a High school 3 years, passed up 27 pupils, got 10 medals. In 1908 Hon. Dr. Young told Chilliwack these medals were given where there was the most competition at the High school entrance examinations. Will His Honor Lieut.-Governor Paterson be invited to preside? J. N. Muir. 113
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FOR SALE—On easy terms, or exchange for lots, new home and 1/2 acre of ground, on beach; price \$4,250. Owner, Munday's Shoe Store. 113
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HAVE YOU LOOKED at that 1/2 page of cuts of houses on page 9? It will pay you if you want a home. Pemberton & Son, 414 Fort. 113
TEAMSTERS AND DRIVERS—Who will stand by you and secure you better conditions? The Union. Will you stand by the Union? Next Friday, Labor Hall, 830. 113
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ANGLICAN.

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MATINS.

Organ—Postlude Hy. Smart
Venite—As set Dr. Alopok
Psalm—As set Crotch
Te Deum Field in F
Benedictus Langdon
Litanies 245, 248 and 251
Hymns Gounod
Organ—Metron Evening.

Organ—Andante Gullmant
Processional Hymn 60
Psalm—As set Turle
Magnificat Atwood
Nunc Dimittis Taylor
Antiphona—O Ye That Love the Lord
Hymns 267, 269 and 262
Vesper Hymn 245
Recessional Hymn, 34, Garden City, No. 4
Organ—Postlude Clark

St. John's, corner of Douglas and Piquard streets. Preachers: Morning, Rev. P. Jenks, the rector; evening, Rev. A. J. Stanley Ard. The music follows:

MATINS.

Organ—Prelude
Venite—14th Day Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum Burnett in F
Benedictus Barnby
Hymn 281
Litanies 245, 248 and 251
Hymns 210 and 225
Organ—Postlude Evening.

Organ—Prelude
Processional Hymn 254
Psalm for 14th Evening, Cathedral Psalter
Cantata Goss
Deus Misereatur Goss
Anthem—O, Saviour of the World Goss
Hymns 233 and 240
Amen Burnett
Vesper Burnett
Organ—Postlude Evening.

St. James', corner of Quebec and St. John street. Rector, Rev. J. H. S. Sweet. Holy communion at 8; matins, litany and sermon at 11; evensong and sermon at 7. The musical arrangements follow:

Morning.

Organ Voluntary
Venite and Psalms Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum—1st Alternative Cathedral Psalter
Benedictus Langdon
Hymns 276, 24 and 229
Organ Voluntary Evening.

Organ Voluntary
Psalm Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat Smart
Nunc Dimittis Wesley
Hymns 228, 238 and 241
Vesper Hymn Burnett
Organ Voluntary Evening.

St. Barnabas', corner of Cook street and Caledonia avenue. There will be a celebration of the holy eucharist at 8 a. 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. All seats are free and unappropriated. The musical arrangements are as follows:

Morning.

Organ—Prelude in G Merrell
Venite and Psalms Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum Woodward
Benedictus Barnby
Hymns from the New Canadian Hymn Book

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Morning.

Organ—Prelude A. W. Marchant
Venite and Psalms—As set Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum—No. XI Mercer
Jubilate No. 1
Hymns 266, 268 and 241
Organ—Gloria Andre
Organ—Aria D. Barnard
Hymn 282
Psalm—As set Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat—VII Mercer
Nunc Dimittis—VII 282 and 29
Hymns 266, 268 and 241
Doxology XVI
Organ—Alleluia C. J. May

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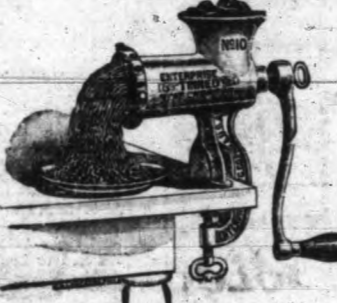
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Morning.

How Lovely Are the Messengers Mendelssohn
Solo—The Lord is My Light Allistair W. Galt.

Evening.

Anthem—Blessed is the Nation Whose God is the Lord Staines
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Re. Dr. Rankin, of Toronto, in the evening. Sunday school and adult Bible class at 2:30 p. m. On Friday evening, the 19th, Rev. Manly Benson, D. D., will lecture on "Men Wanted." Those who have heard this lecture declare it to be a "grand treat in every sense of the word." Ex-Mayor Dr. Lewis Hall has promised to preside. Collection.

BAPTIST.

First, Blanchard street, near Pandora avenue. Rev. J. B. Warnick, B. A., pastor. Rev. W. Benwell Hinson, pastor of the White Temple, Portland, Ore., will be the preacher for the day. The morning service will be held in the regular meeting place, but a men's meeting and the evening service will be held in the New Grand theatre. Services for the day are as follows: 9:45 a. m., men's Baraca class; 11, morning worship in Victoria Hall, with sermon by Rev. W. B. Hinson; 2:30 p. m., Sunday schools, First, Victoria West, Burnside missions; 4:45 p. m., men's mass meeting in New Grand theatre; 7 p. m., Burnside mission service, conducted by J. W. H. King, B. A.; 7:30 p. m., preaching service in New Grand theatre, conducted by Rev. W. B. Hinson. The young people's meeting on Monday evening at 8 o'clock, and mid-week service of the church for prayer and praise on Thursday at same hour.

Emmanuel, corner of Fernwood road and Gladstone avenue. Pastor, Rev. William Stevenson. Preachers: Morning at 11, Rev. Dr. Cooke; evening, 7:30, Rev. C. E. Bland, B. A., both of the Methodist conference. Rev. Mr. Kendall, a former pastor, will be present in the morning and will be glad to meet old friends. The pastor, Rev. W. Stevenson, will be present to

meet with inquirers and others. Sunday school and Bible classes, 2:30 p. m. R. T. P. U., Monday, 8 p. m., business meeting of committee. Prayer service, Thursday, 8 p. m. Strangers invited.

Tabernacle, corner of Fairfield road and Chester avenue. Rev. F. T. Tapscott, M. A., pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. At the morning service Rev. Dr. Long, of Brampton, will preach, and in the evening Rev. J. A. Perry, of Lethbridge, Alta. A cordial welcome is extended.

UNITARIAN.

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LUTHERAN.

Grace, English, tent, corner of Blanchard street and Queen's avenue. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; services, 11 a. m., 2 Chorus, 12, "God in the Individual Life"; 7:30 p. m., 2 Tim. ii, 3, "A Good Soldier of Jesus Christ."

St. Paul's, Mears street, between Quadra and Vancouver. Divine services will be conducted at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The morning service will be in German; the subject of the sermon will be "The Lord of Life." English devotional service in the evening; subject of sermon, "The Con-

version of a Man Who Was Not Bad." The Sunday school meets at 10 a. m., classes in English and German. Friends and strangers are always welcome. Rev. Otto G. M. Gerlich, pastor.

OTHER DENOMINATIONS.

Christian Science, church, 35 Pandora avenue. Regular services are held Sunday evenings at 11 o'clock, and testimony meetings, Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock. Subject for Aug. 14th, "Soul." All are welcome.

International Bible Students' Association, room 5, Lee building, corner Broad and Johnson streets. Meetings every Sunday afternoon and evening at 2 o'clock and 7:30 o'clock. All welcome. No collection.

Society of Friends, Broad street hall, 125 Broad street. Meeting for worship, 11 a. m. All are welcome.

Salvation Army, Citadel, Broad street. Services: 7 a. m., knee drill; 11 a. m., hall-meeting; 2 p. m., Sunday school; 8 p. m., prayer-meeting; 8:30 p. m., salvation meeting. The services all day on Sunday will be conducted by Captain Maflin, 10th Toronto. All are invited.

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The Star of the West

A Tale of the Pearling Grounds Off the Nor' West Coast of Australia

BY J. J. M.

It was at the close of the pearling season; we were beating up for Broome, with a stiff breeze aloft which sent the little 12-ton lugger bucketing along, nose under, through a smother of hissing foam that ran like yeast up the smooth slopes of a multitude of white-capped waves. I was below in the stifling black hole called by courtesy a cabin; Morrison was on deck in charge. Perseverently recurring attacks of dengue fever had left me weak as a child, and a great abhorrence of the lugger with its prevailing stench of decaying bivouac indeed a loathing of everything connected with the vessel, had got a strong hold on me.

Presently Morrison swung himself down the companion ladder, and stood surveying me from beneath his bushy eyebrows; he was chewing nervously of the stem of an empty pipe.

"Well, how are you feeling now, old man?" he asked. "If this breeze lasts we ought to make Broome before sundown."

"Oh, much about the same," I replied, rather ungraciously. "I shan't be sorry to get ashore; I'm dead sick of this never ending game of pitch-and-toss. Have you packed that finishing lot o' shell yet?"

Morrison nodded.

"Yes; just done. He yawned cavernously, and his pipe clattered on the deck. As he stooped to recover it his bronzed face took a dusky red hue.

"Look here, Somersat," he said abruptly, "it seems duced hard lines to leave you in this state, but I must have a couple of months or so over East Sydney; fact is, it's a girl; we're engaged, you know, and I haven't seen her for more than two years."

He laughed, a trifle uneasily, and started slicing a pipeful of tobacco from his plug with nice deliberation.

"You can please yourself, I suppose; you're your own master," I rejoined, somewhat surprised at his manner, not to say nettled. "The crew will be paid off and the lugger laid by. I shall keep Oki on to look after her. As for me, I shall be all right; what I want is a good dosing of physic, and a quiet spell ashore. Go, by all means; with luck you should just catch the Cosack, she sails to-morrow. I believe."

"Day after," he corrected. "Still, at the same time, I hardly like leaving you in the lurch."

"I said," I said testily. "With the men paid off there'll be no camp to run this year. I'm glad of the chance to be rid of you for a bit, and Togo for all time."

Now Togo—so-called because of a fancied resemblance to the famous Japanese admiral of that name—was our diver, Sunshin Tagonouwa, a morose, impudent fellow, with a temper the reverse of amiable. He and Morrison were at daggers drawn, so to speak; blows had passed between them—at least one blow had, a buffet which sent Togo the full length of the lugger. I verily believe he would have knifed my partner then and there in retaliation but for the fact that he and Oki, the diver's tender, happened to be the only Japanese members of the crew; the rest were Malays, and no love is lost between a Jap and a Malay—therein lies a white man's safety, cooped up in a small sailing craft with half a dozen of these creatures, is pretty certain of an equal measure of support if it comes to a row with one or other of the brown breeds.

Morrison laughed.

"Yes," he said, "Togo's got it in for me all right. The beggar's been so infernally civil the last day or two that I'm sure he means mischief. I've more than half a mind to knock him overboard just by accident; you know, only he stinks so confoundingly the sharks wouldn't touch him, besides he swims like an otter."

"He'll be mad drunk before he's been ashore an hour," I answered; "by the time he's sober again you'll be past Sydney Heads. Well, I think I'll come on deck for a spell."

We made Broome that same evening. We were one of the last of the fleet to come to moorings, and a pretty sight it was running slackly for the wind had nearly died out—through a flotilla of curtailing luggers and schooners as graceful as yachts, which rolled with the long, oily swell of the Indian ocean, every rope, every spar, sharply silhouetted against a sky all crimson and gold, and reflected in a translucent sea purpurate as rare wine.

The rose red rays of the departed sun were slowly fading from the zenith as Morrison and I pulled ashore in the dinghy, leaving Oki to scull her back to the lugger. Together we strolled down the interminable jetty towards the town line, a mere collection of bungalow buildings, with a white fringe of dwarf trees and a few scattered cocoa palms, and made our way to the Continental hotel.

The quadrangle, with its smooth, green lawns and fountain-like sprinklers, so refreshing to the jaded eyes of the pearler after many weeks spent on salt water, was crowded with men we knew. My partner and I were soon separated; he disappeared indoors, the centre of a thrifty throng, whilst I, after changing into a suit of white ducks, lay back in a cane lounge, dreamily watching the serried stars wheel their countless legions into the veiled fields of space, content, with a sick man's drowsy languor, merely to catch the surroundings, the comfort of which were doubly emphasized by mentally comparing them with the primitive appointments of my floating home.

"That night I had another attack of fever; in fact, I have a very hazy recollection of the events of the following week or ten days. I remember lying in bed and seeing the doctor at what seemed interminably long intervals, and once, it must have been the day after my seizure, Morrison stood over me and tried hard to make me understand something I was quite incapable of comprehending. I know the sight of his anxious, furtive face acted as a kind of irritant to my nerves. I believe I swore roundly and bade him clear out; at any rate, he suddenly vanished as into thin air, and I saw him again no more."

It was not until I reached the stage of convalescence and was permitted to laze at ease in the wide verandas of the hotel, that a letter in Morrison's hand writing was delivered to me. It was dated a fortnight back, and contained a briefly worded farewell—a sincere hope for my speedy recovery, and an assurance that the crew of the lugger had been paid off and all business matters settled (see enclosed vouchers) prior to his departure.

"I said in a few hours' time by the Cosack," it concluded, "and expect to return in three months at latest; till then, take care of yourself. I have left Oki in charge of the Foam. Yours, Richard Morrison."

I must own I felt rather aggrieved at my partner's departure, despite the fact that I myself had urged his going, something of an idea of his postponing his holiday trip on the score of my ill-health. Still, the man was in love. I tore the massive into fragments, and greeted with just then to put in an appearance. He was by no means disconcerted by my sister's manner, and displayed a solicitude regarding my well-being which should have touched me to the quick; however, it didn't.

"What are you grinning about, you brown baboon?" I inquired politely. "Don't stand there grinning, but get back to the lugger at once, and see that you have everything shipshape by the time I come aboard. I shall be down to-morrow morning first thing, as none of your little fan-tan picnics or promiscuous devils. Didn't you hear me tell you to clear out? Well, then, mizzie!"

Oki made a movement as if to go, but still lingered, smiling seraphically. "Me vevly lone'y all alone by himself," he hazarded at last. "Don't tell me," I retorted, un sympathetically. "You've been on the penitence for the last fortnight, and there are big blue devils with puck a horns waiting for you round every corner. Oki, what's become of the rest of the hands?—knifed one another yet?"

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"Very well," said Jim, "I'll see you through with it. Somersat, low tide is at six o'clock this evening; will seven o'clock suit you?"

"Admirably," I replied. "Now, what do you say to a drink before lunch?" He nodded thoughtfully, and I got up and rang the bell.

The sun had gone down into a bank of purple cloud that brooded like a great shadowy bird of prey with wide wings outspread over the heaving bosom of a rose-flushed sea, as Fraser and I made our way to the estuary, where a host of wheeling gulls cried shrilly, darting down with sudden swoops on the puddled foreshore, whose every clear pool reflected the crimson fires of the burning tropical sunset. We were absolutely alone; not a soul stirring save ourselves, the sole sounds that peevish calling of seabirds, and the heavy rumbling of the town, turned and fled, nor stayed until he found himself safe on board the Foam. Such was the gist of his story; I heard him out patiently.

"Why didn't you tell me or the police, or somebody, at once?" I asked, when he had finished. "You've put yourself in a very ugly hole, let me tell you, my dusky friend."

"Me more afraid Togo than allce go-blimme pieccemen," he simply said.

"Well, don't leave the lugger until I've seen you again," I commanded, and, sick-at-heart, I made tracks for the hotel.

I was beginning to think that there was more than Togo's natural lust for vengeance mixed up with the sordid affair; else why had the diver been so intent on ransacking the garments of my partner. Also, Thelwell's name had cropped up; I knew him by a reputation none of the most savory—a man whose business dealings were principally of an illicit description. Perhaps, however, Togo had only used his name as a blind.

I began to get two-and-two together. Morrison had done practically all the shell-opening during our last trip, whilst I lay prostrated below. His resolve to take a jaunt east had been a sudden one. Togo was shrewd enough, and falling an attempt at blackmail, what more likely than he should gratify his greed and his revenge at one and the same time? I was still painfully deliberating when I ran into Jim Fraser in the quadrangle of the hotel. Now, he and I were firm friends.

"Look here, Jim," I said, "come into my room a moment, there's a good chap; I want to speak to you in private particularly."

When we were alone together I told him the whole tale, and, "I concluded, 'I wish you'd come down to the schooner with me at low tide. If what I think be correct, I should rather like to steal a march on the police; later on we can say we made the discovery quite by accident and safely leave the business of finding that black thief Togo in their hands. I'm afraid poor Morrison was a bit crooked, but there,

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This, then, was why Morrison had been so anxious to leave me and travel east; this, and not only revenge, had been the cause of Togo's murderous attack. I showed it to Fraser, but he would hardly give it a glance.

"Let's get out of this, for God's sake," he kept repeating hoarsely. "Pah! the d—d place will drive me stark staring mad in five minutes."

I got him up the companion ladder; he was shaking so he could barely stand, but the cool night breeze revived him somewhat. Then we went ashore, and made a bee-line for the police barracks.

I managed to keep Oki's name out of the subsequent enquiry; for this reason I earned his eternal gratitude, and he has more than once avowed his fixed intention of following me right through this world, and, if practicable, direct into the next. I didn't think it worth while to mention the pearls either; instead I disposed of them for a lump sum of 15,000; the purchaser, a merchant in a big way of business, gave the cluster the name of "The Star of the West."

At the present time I believe it is among the most cherished possessions of an empress. Anyhow, I am now doing well—a schooner and half a dozen luggers of my own; but no more partners for me, thank you!

It was some seconds before our eyes grew sufficiently accustomed to the inky blackness, scarcely relieved by the feeble glimmer of the lantern, to enable us to take in the ghastly details of our surroundings; then Fraser set the lamp down on deck and was violently sick. Personally I was not feeling much better. First and foremost, the stench was intolerable—a charnel-house reek that caught one by the throat and choked back breath, almost life itself. A swarm of grey rats fled squeaking and scurrying in every direction as the yellow flicker of light shot across the cabin.

Two men, or rather what had once been two men, lay huddled together against a bulkhead; their clothes were all rent into tattered rags; what remained of flesh hung in lathsome, putrid strips from their hideous forms. A knife, rusted to the haft, lay at my feet. The diver sprawled on his back, his arms stretched cruciformly, his body stretched cruciformly. Morrison uppermost, had pitched forward astride him; his skeleton fingers still clung like claws to the other's twisted throat. It had been a fight to a grim finish.

Close to the knife was the torn remnant of a leather pocketbook which had been Morrison's, gnawed into fragments by the sharp teeth of a colony of rats. Something that glittered in the yellow gleam of light had rolled a pace or two along the deck; I stooped and picked it up—a cluster of magnificent pearls!


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STREET ACCIDENTS IN ENGLAND.

Increase in Number of Casualties Due to Motor Vehicles.

Statistics of street accidents in England for 1909 show a remarkable increase over the previous year, the increase being almost as great for horses as for motor vehicles. In 1908 the fatal accidents were evenly shared between the two classes, but last year the increase of motor traffic is reflected in the casualty figures.

In London motor cars and cycles killed 86 persons in 1909, as compared with 49 in 1908; motor omnibuses killed 22, as compared with 4; horse omnibuses killed 9, as against 7. As regards tramways, those employing mechanical traction killed 25, as against 17, and horse traction killed 2,

as against 6. Other horse-drawn vehicles caused 129 deaths, compared with 101.

Thus the total of fatal accidents amounted to 208, as against 216, of which, if tramways are omitted, motor driven vehicles are responsible for 145 and horse drawn for 123, as compared with 91 and 108 respectively.

The figures for all accidents are in 1909, for motor driven, 4,837; for horse driven, 6,337; as against 3,573 and 4,828.

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JUDGMENT IN THE POST OFFICE CASE

Magistrate Prior's Reasons for Dismissing Charge Against Baxter & Johnston

The full text of Acting Magistrate Prior's decision, dismissing the charge of infringement of postoffice regulations brought against Baxter & Johnston, was as follows:—

In this case the defendants Charles Stuart Baxter and Halcrow Peter Johnston are indicted under the provisions of the Post Office Act with sending certain letters to the number of 25,400 within Canada contrary to the provisions of the said act.

The facts of the case, which are admitted, are shortly as follows: The defendants during the latter part of September, 1909, undertook a contract for the Licensed Voters' Association of British Columbia to print, address, seal, stamp and dispatch a two-page circular to every voter in the province of British Columbia. Each circular was put in a separate envelope, addressed to a different person and stamped with a one-cent stamp. On or about the 8th November, 1909, about which time the circulars were required to be sent out, the defendants, for the purpose of incurring as little expense for postage as possible, conceived the idea of packing the letters addressed to all persons in each city in separate boxes and then forwarding such boxes by Dominion Express Company to an agent in each city with instructions to open the boxes and post the letters therein contained. The letters were packed in such manner that without opening the boxes no one could tell what they contained. The boxes were, of course, addressed to the respective agents. They were opened on arrival by the respective agents to whom they were addressed and consigned and all the letters therein contained were mailed in the post office of the city or town in which the agents respectively resided. In consequence of the method adopted by the agent in Vancouver, the postal authorities became aware of the means by which the letters had been sent to him and had arrived at Vancouver and the letters were intercepted by the postal authorities who required that an additional one cent postage for each letter be paid.

An investigation was held by the post office inspector at Victoria under the provisions of sections 16 and 17 of the Post Office Act but nothing was heard in regard to this investigation other than that both the defendants voluntarily and readily consented to give and did give evidence under oath admitting the facts as contended for by the prosecution and as stated above.

The sections of the Post Office Act, under which these proceedings are taken, are sections 126 and 127. Section 127 provides that in cases where the penalty exceeds \$40, as in this case, the offender may be indicted for violating the provisions of the act. In order to give myself jurisdiction to try the defendants summarily I complied with the requirements of section 778 of the Criminal Code, s. 1 and 2 and in answer the defendants both consented to my trying the case. Thereupon both defendants pleaded not guilty.

Section 126 provides that "Any person who otherwise than in conformity with that act collects, sends, conveys or undertakes to collect, send, convey or receive any letter within Canada or receives or has in his possession within Canada any letter for the purpose of so conveying or delivering it shall for each and every letter so unlawfully collected, sent, conveyed or delivered or undertaken to be so found in his possession incur a penalty not exceeding twenty dollars."

The charge before me and with which I have to deal is that the defendants "did unlawfully otherwise than in conformity with the Postal Act send certain letters to the number of 25,400 within Canada contrary to the provisions of the said act."

As the facts are not in dispute all I am called upon to decide is whether, upon those facts, the defendants are guilty of the offence charged. This depends upon what is the meaning of the word "sends" in conjunction with the words "otherwise than in conformity with the act." (Post Office Act.) Although the meaning of a number of words used in the act is defined by section 2 of the act no definition of the word "sends" is given, consequently the intention of the act appears must be looked at. In my opinion the intention of the act as regards section 126 is that no letter (save the excepted letters specially mentioned in section 66, but which has no application to the case before me) shall be sent to the person to whom it is addressed, i. e., its ultimate and intended destination, except through the medium of the post office; in other words, that the services of the post office cannot be dispensed with in the ultimate carriage and delivery of such letter to the addressee. I consider the word "sends" in section 126 refers to the sending by some medium (other than by post) of a letter with the intention that it shall be carried and delivered to the addressee by such medium without the intervention of the postal service. For instance, if the defendants had given the letters in question to the Dominion Express Company with instructions to carry and deliver each letter to the person to whom it was addressed, each letter, there would be no question that an offence would have been committed by both the defendants and the company under section 126. But in this case every letter, the subject of the charge against the defendants, was in fact mailed in a post office in Canada and was delivered by the postal authorities to the person to whom it was addressed. All that can be said is that, instead of mailing the letters in Victoria the defendants mailed them in Vancouver and the other places to which they were sent. I can find nothing in the Post Office Act, neither was it contended by the prosecution, that this act requires a person to post a letter in any particular post office. In my opinion if a letter is posted in some post office in Canada and is carried and delivered to the addressee by the postal authorities, it is "sent" in

conformity with the Postal Act" and therefore section 126 does not apply.

Suppose the universal two-cent postage rate, which pertained at the time of the passing of the Post Office Act, had been in force to-day and the letters which the defendants forwarded by the Dominion Express Company to another city for posting had all been stamped with two cents instead of one, I am strongly inclined to think that the postal authorities would not have taken any notice of the case, and, indeed, would not have considered that any offence had been committed under section 126. I cannot see that because the postal authorities have inaugurated, what I may term, the one-cent local rate, that it makes any difference to the principle involved in section 126. All the act requires is that a letter shall be posted, i. e., that it shall be carried and delivered to the addressee by the postal authorities. A person is not debarred by the provisions of the Post Office Act from posting his letter in any post office in Canada that he chooses, and so, now, avail himself of the one-cent local rate.

The fact that the postmaster-general may lose revenue by the course which the defendants adopted in this case does not, in my opinion, constitute or create any offence under section 126, as charged in the information. This kind of loss of revenue can only arise since the inauguration of the one-cent local rate, and therefore such a contingency was not in contemplation at the time of the passing of the Post Office Act, and is not provided against.

I am of opinion that the defendants are not guilty of the offence charged in the information, and I therefore dismiss the case against both of them.

BIG BATTLE ENDS NAVAL MANOEUVRES

Red Fleet, Representing British Forces, Awarded Honors After Five Hours Fighting

The British naval manoeuvres, ended recently in dramatic fashion, having lasted less than a fortnight, in a great sea fight. The honors of this were awarded to the Red fleet, representing the British force.

The Blue fleet, composed of the Atlantic and Mediterranean fleets had as its bases ports on the Scotland and northern English coasts. The Red fleet, representing coast defence, was composed of all divisions of the Home fleet, and worked from southern English ports and southern and western Irish ports, with Berehaven as its base of operations.

Quiet though the big fleets were, the speedy scouts of both sides had been reconnoitering for days till word reached the Red fleet, under the command of Admiral May on the Dreadnought, that the scouts of the Blue fleet, were in full force in the southern waters of the Irish sea, off the coast of Wales, prepared for instant action.

The Red fleet, which had not been far off this base, steamed at three-quarter speed in the direction in which the enemy were reported to be.

About midnight they arrived, and immediately spread out in fighting order till a perfect cordon of immense proportions was drawn round the enemy. At daybreak the Red fleet opened fire, first from long range, then gradually drawing closer till the torpedo-destroyers, which had advanced under shelter of the bigger warships, suddenly shot forward and discharged their torpedoes.

As the gunners of the Blue fleet defiantly got their ranges after almost five hours' fighting, from three to eight in the morning, what was left of the enemy struck their colors, thus ending the great naval manoeuvres of 1910.

The Red fleet is supposed to have lost thirteen battleships and several destroyers, as well as a number of transports which were supposed to contain between them a landing party of over 10,000 troops.

News from Castletown, Bere, is to the effect that the battleship Hindustan reports while on her passage to Berehaven after manoeuvres, that two men fell overboard and were drowned. One was Seaman Albert Hanwell.

A startling incident of the naval manoeuvres was reported from Berehaven, in the southwest of Ireland. Steaming south a flotilla of destroyers ran, when off the Blaskets, into one of the densest fogs that part of Ireland has ever experienced.

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KAISER'S POWER IS EXERCISED

GERMANY HAS LESSON IN CABINET CHANGE

Retirement of Minister of Finance Due to Wilhelm's Loss of Temper

Berlin, Aug. 13.—Germany has just had a lesson in the extent of the Kaiser's power. It took the form of certain ministerial changes and it came as a surprise to most people. The Kaiser did not intend to give anyone a lesson, to be sure. The fact is that his Majesty was not entirely uninfluenced by the crisis of November, 1908, during which there was a tremendous outcry against too arbitrary use of his authority. It simply happened that he wanted to make certain changes, he made them and in the very act of making them he incalculated the lesson that Germany is, after all, an absolutism, veiled under various deceptive constitutional forms.

Wilhelm's authority is exercised through his cabinet. With it he can do exactly as he pleases. In genuinely constitutional monarchies, the ministers are chosen, if not nominally, actually, by parliament, and as the people elect the parliaments it is, in the last analysis, the people who elect the ministers, too.

In Germany neither parliament nor the people have anything to say in the matter. A minister may be crushingly defeated on a parliamentary vote. The law-makers may consider him utterly incompetent of a dangerous reactionary. They may deem him wholly unsuited for any position of power or responsibility, but he can hold his place year after year, in defiance of public opinion, provided only he enjoys the imperial confidence and favor. Conversely, no matter how strong his hold upon the people, if the Kaiser does not want him as a minister, out he goes.

With the entire executive machinery of the country under his control, the Emperor has things very much his own way, even against the wishes of the legislative and judicial branches.

The latest illustration of what the Kaiser can do was furnished in connection with the retirement of Baron von Rheinbaben, formerly Wilhelm's friend and favorite, from the Prussian ministry of finance.

The post of imperial chancellor, upon the next vacancy in the office, had long been supposed to lie between the Baron and Herr Dernburg, the recently retired colonial minister. The former was in the zenith of his career, barely 55 years old, in vigorous health, able, experienced, in line for promotion and in sympathy with the present German regime. There was every reason for him to remain in office, but he suddenly resigned.

Why? Because the Kaiser took offense at his delay in providing funds for the erection of a new state opera house in Berlin. The project is one of Wilhelm's pet schemes and he has repeatedly pressed the Baron for money to carry it out. A matter of no more than six million dollars or thereabout was involved and his Majesty thought there ought to be no trouble in getting the Prussian state legislature to vote for it. Baron von Rheinbaben is in constant difficulties, however, to make

both ends meet, so he was rather slow to act.

Finally the Kaiser lost his temper and vented his feelings in an explosive utterance which was quickly repeated to the Baron. From that moment the latter knew that his last chance of ever becoming chancellor was gone. This being the whole aim and object of his official life, he resigned forthwith.

How was his successor chosen? His name is Lentze. He was formerly mayor of Magdeburg. Otherwise he is absolutely unknown in official life except that he was the most inconspicuous member of the Prussian legislature. He was simply recommended to the Kaiser by the Berlin banker, Delbrueck, one of the rich business men with whom Wilhelm is on terms of intimacy.

The Kaiser was yachting at Kell at the time von Rheinbaben resigned and Delbrueck was among the guests on board the imperial yacht. The appointment he suggested was instantly made, directly over the head of imperial Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg, who is supposed to be responsible for the selection of cabinet ministers.

But Baron von Rheinbaben was not the only notable whose fate was settled during yachting week at Kell. Herr Dernburg vanished into obscurity, too. He resigned from the colonial office, it must be remembered, against the wishes of both Wilhelm and the imperial chancellor, and the former was known to think so highly of him that it was considered certain he would quickly return to the ministerial ranks with a post of even greater importance, if not the highest within the gift of the crown.

But Herr Dernburg made the mistake of announcing too loudly that he had retired from the colonial office on account of disapproval of the government's policies. His official career may accordingly be regarded now as closed forever.

The situation was revealed by a curious incident at Kell. Before he had heard of the things the retiring minister had said, Wilhelm had sent the former an urgent summons to meet him aboard his yacht. Herr Dernburg came and was kept waiting two days for an audience which, when finally granted, lasted no longer than was necessary for his Majesty to say: "I am glad to have seen you once more." Even this brief expression is said to have been vouchsafed only through the intercession of Herr Ballin, the shipping magnate, who pitied the embarrassment of Herr Dernburg's position and saved his influence at least to "save his face."

Yet at the beginning of Kell week the brilliant future in store for "the strong man from the colonial office" was the chief topic in court circles.

Equally summary was the action taken in the cases of two other Prussian ministers, Herr von Moltke and Herr von Arnim. Wilhelm simply tired of them and sent them curt messages that he would like their resignations without delay. They resigned, of course.

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New Westminster, Aug. 12.—The first water service in the municipality of Burnaby was turned on when the water from the artesian well at Edmonds was turned into the big tanks erected for the purpose. Tests so far have been satisfactory and connections will be put in forthwith. The supply is calculated to provide 45,000 gallons of water daily. The municipality has another machine drilling at Central park for an artesian well there, and is contemplating putting a further one to work drilling a well in the ward of the southeastern part of the municipality.

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Nelson, B. C., Aug. 12.—Archie Bremner, a hotelkeeper of Sheep Creek, was fined yesterday by Magistrate Bullock-Webster \$500 for selling liquor without a license, or an alternative of nine months at hard labor. It was his first offence. This is the first conviction under the new act passed at the last session of the legislature.

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(a) The name of Company in full—The Terminal Gravel Company, Limited. The head office—566 Hastings street, Vancouver, B. C. The capital, now divided, showing amount paid up—Capital, \$250,000, divided into 2,500 shares, of \$100 each; \$150,000 paid up. (If for mining purposes) Free Miner's Certificate No. Not for mining purposes.

(b) The name of the lake, stream or source (if unnamed, the description is—Lake on the southeast slope of Mount Wood, Malahat District of association purposes generally.

(c) The point of diversion—On the north side of said lake.

(d) The quantity of water applied for (in Dam at south side of said lake and cubic feet per second)—Four.

(e) The character of the proposed works ditch on north side.

(f) The premises on which the water is to be used (describe same)—Gravel pit on west of Saanich Inlet, south of Indian Reserve.

(g) The purposes for which the water is to be used—Washing gravel and industrial purposes generally.

(h) If for irrigation describe the land intended to be irrigated, giving acreage—Not for irrigation.

(i) If the water is to be used for power or mining purposes describe the place where the water is to be returned to some natural channel, and the difference in altitude between point of diversion and point of return—Not to be used for power or mining, but can be returned into John's Creek below lake on north side of Malahat mountain; 700 feet approximate difference in altitude.

(j) Area of Crown land intended to be occupied by the proposed works.

(k) This notice was posted on the 23rd day of July, 1910, and application will be made to the Commissioner on the 23rd day of August, 1910.

(l) Give the names and addresses of any riparian proprietors or licensees who or whose lands are likely to be affected by the proposed works, either above or below the outlet—Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company.

Attach copy of such parts of the Company's memoranda of association as authorize the proposed application and works.

(m) To construct and operate works, and to supply and utilize water under the provisions of the Water Act, 1906, and to apply for, receive and enjoy all powers and privileges authorized to be conferred on any Company under the provisions of the said Act.

Application for Storing Water.
(To be attached to Form 1, 2 or 3 as may be required.)

(n) The place of the proposed reservoir for storing—Lake on the southeast slope of Mount Wood, Malahat District.

(o) The means by which it is proposed to store the water—Dam at south end of lake.

(p) The area of the reservoir site or sites at each foot in depth above the outlet—(1) 27,500, (2) 77,500, (3) 26,700, (4) 25,600, (5) 22,177, (6) 22,225, (7) 22,225, (8) 22,225, (9) 22,225, (10) 22,225.

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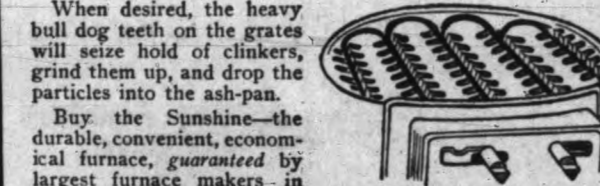
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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

J. Kington left for Vancouver last night on a business trip.
J. L. Skeene returned from a business trip to Seattle yesterday.
W. E. Ditchburn left for Vancouver on the Charming last night.
Miss Maud Baker went over to Vancouver yesterday to visit friends there.
Rev. Dr. Spencer returned to his home in Vancouver yesterday afternoon.
J. C. Carruthers crossed over to the Terminal city last night on the Charming.
J. B. Greaves was among the passengers on last night's boat for the mainland.
L. Bates Van Decar, Vancouver, arrived in this city from the mainland yesterday.
A. J. Pineo left yesterday afternoon on the Princess-Victoria for the Terminal city.
Col. E. G. Prior was a passenger on the Princess yesterday from the Terminal city.
Mrs. A. M. Miller and family have returned to town after a pleasant stay in Vancouver.
Mr. and Mrs. L. Campbell were passengers on the Princess Victoria from Seattle yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. Willowby, Regina, are in town, renewing old friendships with prairie friends here.
Miss Taylor, Kamloops, is making a stay of some duration in town, and is a guest at the Beilmoral.
Irving H. Wheatcroft, St. James Island, is at the Empress. He is accompanied by Mrs. Wheatcroft.
C. A. Field and J. C. Field, timber merchants, went over to Vancouver yesterday on a business trip.
Mr. and Mrs. H. Sanderson were among yesterday's arrivals from Seattle on the Princess Victoria.
Miss Malpass returned to Vancouver yesterday after spending a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Malpass.
J. M. Morgan, who has been in Vancouver for several days, returned to this city yesterday on the Princess Charlotte.
C. Abbot, Mission City, has been the guest during the C. E. convention, of Rev. A. N. Miller and Mrs. Miller, Menzies street.

Mrs. H. W. Graves and little daughter leave to-morrow on the Princess Charlotte for Vancouver on a fortnight's holiday.
F. Fawley, of the Great Northern railway offices at Chicago, after spending a couple of days in this city, left for Vancouver yesterday afternoon.
Mrs. T. P. Robinson, accompanied by her little son, left on yesterday's boat for her home in Vancouver, after spending two weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jones, Gladstone avenue.
H. Leonard, Humphreys, A. C. F., secretary to the County Borough Council of West Ham, England, is staying at Miss McCandlish's, 422 Menzies street. He is so charmed with the city that he is extending his stay and hopes to make further visits.
Miss Smith, of the teaching staff of the Chinese mission, Cormorant street, returned yesterday afternoon from a visit with relatives in Nova Scotia. She was met at the wharf by the matron, Mrs. Snider, her fellow teachers, and a number of pupils.
Mrs. Ernest G. Maynard, (nee Miss Ethel V. Smith), whose post-nuptial

reception was originally fixed for August 17th, has postponed it until September 21st, at her home, "Laburnum," Park Boulevard.
The Misses McCullough left yesterday on a holiday trip to Banff.
J. Wilson is leaving shortly on a trip to Liverpool.
E. Baynes-Reed is back from his annual trip of inspection on the mainland.
J. F. Hills and wife, Dundas, Ont., are the guests of Ed. Smith, Oak Bay avenue.
Miss Lucy Gray left last night for the north, where she will spend her holidays.
P. M. Linklater and J. M. O'Connell have left for Banff, where they will spend a short time.
Mrs. Maud Craig, accompanied by daughter, left yesterday afternoon on an extended visit to England.
H. E. Fletcher, post office inspector, has returned from a trip of inspection to the Queen Charlotte Islands.
Mr. and Mrs. Erbe and children have returned from their summer camp to their home on Niagara street.
Miss Lillian Baron, Duncan, passed through this city yesterday on a visit to Vancouver, Seattle and Tacoma.
Rev. C. D. Winch, who was recently appointed rector of the Cobble Hill church, has left to take up his charge.
Miss Winona Troup, who is visiting in Vancouver, was a guest on Thursday at a very smart white-and-gold luncheon given by Mrs. F. Graeme Walsh.
Mrs. V. W. Stewart, 21 San Juan avenue, returned to this city yesterday from a three months' visit to Portland, Ore.
Miss Dorothy Bovill, who has been visiting Miss Moresby, Trutch street, left yesterday on her return trip to Spokane.
The marriage of Miss Jessie Agnes McKilligan, daughter of Mr. I. B. McKilligan, provincial surveyor of taxes and inspector of revenue, and of Mrs. McKilligan, to Mr. Charles Leland Armstrong, of the editorial staff of the

Princess, 566 Burnside road. Rev. Percival Jenks officiated.
J. W. Bryant, of the Tye Copper Company, left yesterday via the Northern Pacific and the White Star liner Megantic on his return to England.
Mrs. M. Herburger left via the Northern Pacific and the Hamburg-American liner Cincinnati for Germany, where she will spend some time on a visit.
Several friends were guests of Miss E. Sinclair and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gray on Thursday night, when they went by motor launch to the beautiful grounds of Mr. and Mrs. Gray on the George, and enjoyed a delightful time on the beach.

The Evening Chit-Chat

BY RUTH CAMERON



"The single standard of morality for both sexes that you keep talking about is absolutely impossible and absurd," a man wrote to me the other day, "and I wish you would write on more sensible subjects. Tell women to stay at home and darn their husbands' stockings and leave the things they don't understand alone, and you will be doing more good in the world."
There is a familiar ring about that injunction to the ladies to attend to their darning. Some years ago as a newspaper woman, I accompanied half a dozen suffragists who were making a tour through the state speaking on woman's suffrage and trying to get signatures for a giant suffrage petition. In order to get incidents for my story I myself took the petition one day, and went about with it in a mill town where there was an unusually ignorant class of people. When the men refused to sign, I always asked them why they did not believe in woman suffrage, and in four cases out of five I



PINK SILK MUSLIN.

There is nothing daintier or more appropriate for a midsummer frock than silk muslin, and our sketch-to-day illustrates a charming design for such material. In this instance the color is

got slight variations of one answer: "I want my wife to stay at home and darn her stockings." But that is merely by the way. What I started to speak about was my friend's assertion that a single standard of morality for both men and women is an absolute impossibility. If this man had lived fifty or a hundred years ago to-day, he would undoubtedly have said that it was an impossibility that women should enter colleges or succeed in business. If women will make up their minds that they want a single standard of morality just as they did that they wanted to go into business, they will have it. If girls will decide that they want husbands with as clean records as they themselves have, just as they decided that they wanted college educations, they will get them.

The only reason we are not nearer the attainment of this ideal is that women have been content with conditions as they are in this respect, and haven't made up their minds to demand better things.
Victoria Colonist, is to take place at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church on August 31st. A reception will afterwards be given by Mrs. L. B. McKilligan at her residence, "Cragmore," 13 Rockland avenue. Mr. Armstrong is a native of London, Ontario, is widely known amongst Canadian journalists, and in Boston, Mass., and through his contributions of verse and fiction to leading magazines has attained to an acknowledged standing in his profession.
Mrs. Wm. Jago and her two daughters returned to-day to Vancouver after spending a pleasant time here with friends.
Clarence Wilson was among those who left on the Makura last evening. He is on a tour of the world, and will be gone about five months.
A quiet wedding was solemnized at St. John's church yesterday, when Mr. Arthur Paul Hill was united in marriage to Miss Elizabeth Watkinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wat-

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In British East India it is the custom that a woman will not marry a man until he goes to some neighboring tribe and brings back three heads as proof of his prowess. The men are not a bloodthirsty lot. They don't kill for the love of killing. They simply get those three heads because that is what the women have decided that they want. The editor of a well-known woman's magazine comments on this custom: "It is gruesome, yes, but all the same it is a universal human fact. In a pleasant way that—this sort of thing goes on the world over; what women decide becomes custom and law." The moral of this to him is, that since this is so, since woman has so great an influence, she ought to be content and not to ask the right to help make laws. With all due respect to him I am going to make bold to read a different lesson, and that is that since woman has so great an influence and can have whatever she wants, this single standard of morality is not an impossibility if only women will want it enough. I admit they don't want it enough to-day. But the success of a play like "A Man's World" proves that they have at least begun to think on this subject. And with that step taken I think the rest is sure to come. Not soon, by any means. I don't mean that. But maybe when old Hailey's comet comes on his next trip he will see a great change in this respect as he has seen in others since his visit of three-quarters of a century ago. Who knows? Ruth Cameron

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BEST METHODS OF ENDEAVOR WORK

Experienced Pastors Give Golden Advice to the Young People

The speakers for the afternoon session of the C. E. convention were Rev. Dr. King, Yakima, who conducted a junior workers' conference; Rev. Dr. Jordan, who gave a scholarly exposition of his great theme, Old Testament Literature; and Rev. Dr. Hinson, Portland, Oregon, one of the ablest pastors of the Baptist denomination, who conducted a most interesting and stimulating pastor's round table conference, in which many of the clergymen of the city took part.

Rev. E. A. King, leader of the junior workers' conference, answered quickly and decisively the many perplexing questions asked him regarding the best and most successful methods of furthering young people's work. Parents could be interested in junior meetings by having a "mother's day" occasionally, to which the children should invite their mothers and receive them when they come. Refreshments might be served and recitations given. It was also a good plan for the superintendent to visit the different homes represented.

Parents of Juniors should be placed under obligations to see that children were helped to keep their pledges. Church loyalty should be taught by telling children that different denominations were as battalions having different captains, but all serving under one great commander. It was wise in most cases to give rewards for regular attendance and good work. Children should be taught reverence in prayer by having a proper example set them by



REV. E. A. KING, D. D., Of Yakima, Wash., Who Conducted a Junior Workers Conference at the C. E. Convention Yesterday.

their elders. Money could best be collected for missions and other causes by mite boxes, and money given to children to increase. This was, as a rule, better than entertainments or bazaars, although if these had an educational value they were permissible. Children should be taught to give to good causes while young, and when they grew older the habit would stick. Children should be taught responsibility by being put on committees and shown that if they did not do the work they agreed to do it would be left undone. Children should be carefully graded, for the same methods could not be applied to different ages. From 6-11, 12-15, 16-25, and 26-100 was a good schedule.

At the conclusion of the conference Dr. King was given a most enthusiastic vote of thanks. Rev. W. Leslie Clay, in introducing Rev. Dr. Jordan, stated that he was the foremost Old Testament scholar in the Canadian Presbyterian church today. Dr. Jordan began his address by defining higher criticism. This was not fault-finding, as many supposed who used the word wrongly. The true critic sought to appreciate, to judge and to understand, and it was only by studying the Old Testament in that spirit that the highest and best results could be attained. True literature expressed the deepest passions of the human soul, and the Bible literature covered 1,600 years. Ministers who thought deeply and studied Old Testament truths could preach with tremendous power. The Old Testament and the New could not, and must not, be separated, for the New was but the Old fulfilled. The Old Testament, historically studied, had its own special place because it explained the New.

Old Testament history was important to people in new lands because it dealt largely with the national side of life. A nation must have the same standard as Christianity demanded for the individual. The Bible showed, not the development of one generation or individual, but God working in and through them for a thousand years. Rev. Dr. Hinson was introduced by Rev. Mr. Stevenson, and conducted what he called "Not a round, but a square table conference," in which many of the ministers present took

part. The speaker stated most emphatically that pastors must run the young people's societies or they would become a menace to the church's work. Young people were inexperienced and required help and guidance on every hand. The pastor should elect the officers and plan the programme of work. It required to be done tactfully, but it could and should be done in every case. Topics for study should be taken exclusively from the Bible, and should be treated largely in an expository manner. Expounding Bible truths put backbone into a church. The Psalms were the autobiography of a soul, a soul writing its own life. Every phase of human life was found in the book of Psalms.

Dr. Hinson outlined a few subjects which he himself intended to use in young people's meetings: Adam, the first man; Enoch, a good worker; Lot, the mayor; Sarah, a study in lying; Job, his trials, physical and otherwise; Moses, the victorious failure; Pilate, the shifty, etc.

The speaker was given a very hearty vote of thanks at the conclusion of the conference.

During the afternoon many of the delegates took the trolley drive around the city, and at 5 o'clock a substantial supper was served to all in the Sunday school rooms of the church by the local societies.

At the evening meeting Prof. Anderson Scott, D. D., Cambridge University, gave a delightful talk on "An Englishman's idea of what the C. E. can do for Canada." He said he was tremendously impressed with the opportunities and the possibilities of the Christian Endeavor work which could be done in Canada. As yet Canada was a nation without blood on her hands, and she had paid little for her great inheritance. But she would not make the great mistake of establishing one branch of the Christian church as the national church of the country.

"It is in our hands to handle the destiny of the coming nation, and the Christian Endeavor is calculated to be a means toward this end. Not only for the good citizens of God, but of the Kingdom of Heaven now on earth is the Christian Endeavor, the best agency. The prosperity of this part of the country is apt to carry with it the temptation to forget that it can not live by bread alone. Man is made for eternity, and for this needs the bread of Heaven, and this can only be obtained by the study of the Divine word. We should all cultivate devotion and submit to the ideal and be absorbed in the ideal itself and be steadfast. Our duty is to the ideal and our ambition should be to come nearer to the ideal."

Rev. W. B. Hinson delivered an able address on the duty and beauty of service.

AMONG THE CHURCHES

BAPTIST.
Emmanuel.
Sunday Services. — Tomorrow the church will welcome preachers from the Methodist conference meeting in the city, and the preachers will be, at 11 a. m., Rev. Dr. Cooke; at 7:30 p. m., Rev. C. E. Bland. The Sunday school and Bible classes will be held as usual. Former Pastor.—Rev. O. E. Kendall, a former pastor of the church, is at present visiting the city and will be present at the morning service, when he will be glad to meet with old friends.

B. Y. P. U.—The B. Y. P. U. is making arrangements for the winter's work and will be glad to welcome friends interested, at a meeting of the committee on Monday evening, at 8 o'clock.

First Church.
Tomorrow's Services.—The members and friends of the church are looking forward with keen anticipation to the services to-morrow, when Rev. W. B. Hinson, of White Temple, Portland, Ore., is to be the preacher. Dr. Hinson was pastor of First church, Vancouver, for a time and a number of his friends are expected from that city to meet him and hear him. In the morning the service will be held in the regular meeting place on Blanchard street, but owing to the lack of accommodation it has been decided to hold the evening service in the New Grand theatre.

Men's Mass Meeting. — Tomorrow afternoon, commencing at 3.45, a mass meeting of men will be addressed by Dr. Hinson in the New Grand theatre. Dr. Hinson's reputation as an orator and a man among men ensures a large gathering.

Ladies Prayer Meeting.—On Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock the monthly prayer meeting of the ladies will be held in the church.

A HANDY RECIPE.
Grape Snow Pudding. — Soak two tablespoonfuls of gelatine in enough water to cover it. At the end of an hour add to it a quart of heated grape juice, stir over the fire until the gelatine is dissolved, add the juice of one lemon, and sugar to taste. Take from the fire and, as it cools, beat into it gradually the stiffened whites of four eggs. Beat until the mixture begins to stiffen, then turn into a wet mould and set in the ice-chest. When firm, turn upon a chilled platter and serve with whipped cream.

MONTREAL GETTING READY FOR CONGRESS

Bishop Macdonald One of the Speakers at Great Roman Catholic Gathering

Montreal has been busy for some time past preparing for the Eucharistic Congress, the great gathering of Roman Catholic prelates which takes place there early next month. Cardinal Vannutelli is coming as Cardinal Legate of the Pope, and among other distinguished visitors will be Cardinal Logue, Primate of Ireland, who visited Canada two years ago.

Each of the bishops will have a carriage at his disposal during the congress. An assistant priest will accompany each bishop in the procession. They will be chosen from among the clergy of this country, of the United States, and Europe.

A striking feature of the congress will be the group of 1,200 children, in red cassocks, under the direction of Abbe H. Gauthier. There will also be many other children in vestments of different colors, so that the splendor of the procession may be anticipated. At least twelve choirs of women will be stationed along the line of march and will sing as the Holy Sacrament passes.

In all probability Monsignor Bourne, Roman Catholic Archbishop of Westminster, will be invited to chant the midnight mass at Notre Dame on Thursday, September 8th. Mr. Farley, archbishop of New York, will chant the open-air mass on Fletcher's Field at 8.30 on Friday, September 9th; Mr. O'Connell, Archbishop of Boston, will speak in English, and Rev. Father Hage, vice-provincial of the Dominican Fathers, in French. Mr. Tonchet will be invited to address the meeting on Thursday evening at Notre Dame. It is also announced that Mr. Rumeau, Bishop of Angers, will be one of the speakers at the public meetings.

The congress will meet in English-speaking and French-speaking sections and prominent churchmen will speak on the eucharist in various phases. In the English section the opening speaker will be Rt. Rev. Alexander Macdonald, Bishop of Victoria, who is to deal with "Faith in the Eucharist and Modern Unbelief." Among other speakers are Bishop Clancy, of Silgo, who will deal with "The Eucharist and the Early Irish Church"; Archbishop Howley, of Newfoundland; Bishop Lynch, of Syracuse, N. Y.; Rev. Hugh Canning, Toronto.

COST OF FUNERAL OF KING EDWARD

Estimated at Forty Thousand Pounds—The Detailed Expenditure

Some interesting details concerning the cost of the late King's funeral, which is estimated at £40,500, with many other matters of expenditures on royal palaces, royal visits to other courts and the entertainment of foreign monarchs visiting this country, are given in a treasury white paper, issued recently, containing details of the supplementary civil service estimates for the year ending next March 31. The £40,500 for King Edward's funeral is made up of estimated expenses incurred under the following department:

The Lord Chamberlain—Apartments for royal guests; funeral furnishings; mourning allowances for servants, etc.	£3,500
The Lord Steward—Entertainment of royal and foreign guests	5,000
The Master of the Horse—Hire of carriages, railway expenses, extra servants, etc.	4,600
Admiralty—Travelling and subsistence of naval officers and men	3,500
War Office—Travelling expenses, food, and accommodation of troops	15,000
First Commissioner of Works—Fitting up Westminster Hall and St. George's Chapel, various works in the royal parks, etc.	5,500
Sundry Expenses—Including expenses of the Earl Marshal's staff, Dean and Chapter of Windsor, Royal Irish Constabulary Police, (1195), special steamers for foreign guests, etc.	2,500
A sum of £126,035 is required in respect of royal palaces. This includes the special grant in aid of £55,000 to meet works necessary to place the chief royal palaces in a condition fit for the occupation of their Majesties and Queen Alexandra. The total original net estimate for the upkeep of royal palaces was £61,700, so that the grand total becomes £126,035.	
The Colonial Services grants include an extra £10,000 (total £48,000) for steamer subsidies for Canada and West Indian Islands service, and a new item of £120,000 as loan to the Uganda government for Uganda railway extension. These raise the total Colonial Services Estimates to £127,750.	
Under the heading of Repayments to the Civil Contingencies Fund—£13,144 18s. 6d.—are the following interesting items:—	
Expenditure incurred in connection with the visit of their Majesties the late King and Queen Alexandra to Berlin	£2,685 0 0
Expenditure in connection with the visit of the Emperor and Empress of Russia to Cowes	785 0 6
Expenditure in connection with the visit of the King of Portugal to this country	6,993 0 13

Distressing scenes were witnessed at Reigate cemetery, England, at the funeral of Frank Conyard, of Redhill. Mrs. Elkins, a woman of 65, and a sister of Mr. Conyard, fell to the ground in a fit at a moment when the coffin was being lowered to the grave. Rev. G. Y. Banham stopped the service, and friends went to the assistance of the woman, who died a few minutes later.

SIR WILFRID'S TOUR

The itinerary of Sir Wilfrid's tour of British Columbia has been finally arranged as follows:

- Leave Banff, 9.20 a. m., Monday, August 15th.
- Arrive Golden, 13 p. m., Monday, August 15th.
- Leave Golden, 14 p. m., Monday, August 15th.
- Arrive Revelstoke, 19 p. m., Monday, August 15th.
- Leave Revelstoke, 20 p. m., Monday, August 15th.
- Arrive Vancouver, 12 noon, Tuesday, August 16th.
- Public meeting at Vancouver on night or Tuesday, August 16th.
- Leave Vancouver, 13 p. m.; Wednesday, August 17th.
- Arrive Victoria, 19 p. m., Wednesday, August 17th.
- Public meeting in Victoria on night of Thursday, August 18th.
- Leave Victoria about midnight, August 18th.
- Arrive Prince Rupert, Saturday, August 20th.
- Leave Prince Rupert, Monday night, August 22nd, or next morning.
- Arrive Vancouver, Wednesday night, August 24th.
- Leave Vancouver, 6.25 a. m., Thursday, August 25th.
- Arrive Kamloops, 12.50 p. m., Thursday, August 25th.
- Leave Kamloops, 9 a. m., Friday, August 26th.
- Arrive Vernon, 15 p. m., Friday, August 26th.
- Public meeting at Vernon on night of Friday, August 26th.
- Leave Vernon, 1 a. m., Saturday, August 27th.
- Arrive Revelstoke, 6.25 a. m., Saturday, August 27th.
- Leave Revelstoke, 7.45 a. m., Saturday, August 27th.
- Arrive Arrowhead, 3.05 a. m., Saturday, August 27th.
- Leave Arrowhead, 11.10 a. m., Saturday, August 27th.
- Arrive West Robson, 21.40 p. m., Saturday, August 27th.
- Leave West Robson, 22 p. m., Saturday, August 27th.
- Arrive Nelson, 23.10 p. m., Saturday, August 27th.
- Public meeting at Nelson, Monday night, August 29th.
- Leave Nelson, 5 a. m., August 30th.
- Arrive Kootenay Landing, 10 a. m., Tuesday, August 30th.
- Leave Kootenay Landing, 12 noon, Tuesday, August 30th.
- Arrive Cranbrook, 16 p. m., Tuesday, August 30th.
- Leave Cranbrook, 17 p. m., Tuesday, August 30th.
- Arrive Fernie, 19.25 p. m., Tuesday, August 30th.
- Leave Fernie, 20.15 p. m., Tuesday, August 30th.
- Arrive Lethbridge, 4 a. m., Wednesday, August 31st.

EARL GREY'S RIFLES

Prince Rupert's New Corps to Form Guard in Honor for Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

Prince Rupert, Aug. 12.—A guard of honor for Earl Grey's Own Rifles will be formed on the occasion of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's arrival in Prince Rupert. The khaki uniforms have arrived.

Skin Troubles Cured

To those who have suffered long and hopelessly with eczemas, tetter and similar torturing, disfiguring eruptions, the immediate relief afforded by the first warm bath with Cuticura Soap and gentle application of Cuticura Ointment is almost beyond belief. In even the severest cases, when treatment after treatment has been tried in vain, the itching and burning generally stop at once and sleep becomes possible. No stronger proof of the success and economy of the Cuticura Remedies in the treatment of affections of the skin and scalp, from infancy to age, could be given than such remarkable testimonials as these:

"GRATEFUL FOR WONDERFUL CURE"

I have been treated by doctors for twenty-five years for a bad case of eczema on my leg. They did their best, but failed to cure it. My own doctor had advised me to have my leg cut off, but I said I would try the Cuticura Remedies first. He said, "try them if you like but I do not think they will do any good." At this time my leg was peeling from the knee down to my foot, like a piece of raw flesh and I had to walk on my toes. I bought a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment and a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent. After the first two treatments the swelling went down and in two months' use of the Cuticura Remedies my leg was cured and the new skin grew on. The doctor could not believe his own eyes when he saw that Cuticura had cured me and said that he would use Cuticura for his own patients. But for the Cuticura Remedies I might have lost my life. I am truly grateful for the wonderful cure that Cuticura brought. I have many grandchildren and they are frequent users of Cuticura and I always recommend it most highly as a sure and economical cure for skin troubles.

time for a long while. I washed him with Cuticura Soap and on one application of Cuticura Ointment and he was soothed that he could sleep. You don't know how glad I was he felt better. It took one box of Cuticura Ointment and pretty near one cake of Cuticura Soap to cure him. I think our boy would have died but for the Cuticura Remedies and I shall always remain a firm friend of them. He was cured more than twenty years ago and there has been no return of the trouble.

MRS. M. C. MAITLAND, Jasper, Ontario.

BEDRIDDEN WITH ECZEMA SIX WEEKS

I suffered severely with a terrible eczema, being a mass of sores from head to feet and for six weeks confined to my bed. During that time I suffered continual torture from itching and burning. After being given up by my doctor I was advised to try the Cuticura Remedies. After the first bath with Cuticura Soap and application of Cuticura Ointment I enjoyed the first good sleep during my entire illness. I also used Cuticura Resolvent and the treatment was continued for about three weeks. At the end of that time I was able to be about the house, entirely cured, and have felt no ill effects since. I would advise any person suffering from any form of skin trouble to try the Cuticura Remedies as I know what they did for me.

MRS. EDWARD KENNING, 11 Lansing Bk., Watertown, N. Y.

ULCER HEALED BY CUTICURA REMEDIES

Some time ago I suffered from an ulcer which was caused by various veins. I was sitting, off my foot, for three months and had a physician attending me, but the ulcer seemed to be getting worse and was breaking out in another place. I was, however, advised to use Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment by the physician. The ulcer gradually healed by using Cuticura. I do believe that only for the Cuticura Remedies the ulcer would never have been properly cured.

CHARLES SPARROW, 7, Virginia St., Belfast, Ireland.

"WOULD HAVE DIED BUT FOR CUTICURA"

When my boy was about three months old his head broke out with a rash which was very itchy and ran a watery fluid. We tried everything we could but he got worse all the time, till it spread to his arms, legs, and then to his entire body. He got so bad that he could not sleep and he was crying all the time. I had to put stuff would be all over his pillow in the morning. I had to put almost a skein of thread in his hands when he tried to scratch. He was bad about eight months when we tried Cuticura Remedies. I had not laid him down in his cradle in the day.

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These For Sale Ads. Will Bring About Some Real Estate Sales To-day

LEE & FRASER Real Estate and Insurance Agents. 613 TROUCE AVENUE. \$4500.00 will purchase a 6 roomed, modern house on Clarence Street. \$1200.00 only for two good lots on Mont-real Street.

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J. STEWART YATES 22 BASTION STREET, VICTORIA. THE LAST OF THE YATES ESTATE FOR SALE. 80 ACRES—Sooke District, just inside Sooke Harbor.



PREPARING FOR NANAIMO EXHIBITION Will Be Held Next Month—Committee to Attend Conference on Freight Rates

THE CITY BROKERAGE A. T. ABBEY, Manager. 1218 DOUGLAS STREET. \$1200—3 Room Cottage, close to Car. \$1500—5 Room House, good garden, chicken house and shed.

Nanaimo, Aug. 12.—A meeting of the board of directors of the Nanaimo Agricultural and Horticultural Society was held last evening at which matters in connection with the exhibition to be held on the show grounds on September 15th, 16th and 17th, were discussed.

W. N. MITCHELL 575 YATES STREET. OR SALE. Lots in different parts of the city \$25, \$10 monthly. Also a large house and three acres of land, close to Gorge waters, inside city limits, at half its value.

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TOLLER & CO. Room 2 IMPERIAL BANK CHAMBERS. FOR SALE. 5 ACRES of beautifully clear land and fenced, 2 miles from car line; close to railway and road; most suitable for market garden; \$2,200.

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SAANICH TRUSTEES APPOINT TEACHERS Miss Offerhaus is Principal at North Dairy Farm—Farmers' Institute Directors Meet

A. M. GREGG REAL ESTATE, INSURANCE, ETC. 620 JOHNSON ST. ON BURNSIDE ROAD and only 5 minutes from car, a 9-roomed house and one acre of rich soil on a high level, overlooking the city is a special offer for this week only.

MICHIGAN STREET—9 room House and Lot, 60 x 128. Price \$2,000. \$1,000 cash, balance, \$25 per month. LANGFORD STREET—7 room Cottage and one Lot, 60 x 120. Price, \$2,500. Easy terms given.

NICE LOT, ROCKLAND PARK, \$400. Terms, \$50 cash, balance to suit.

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CECILIA STREET—Two lots overlooking the city and Victoria Arm, 1-3 of an acre each. Both cleared. Price, \$2,100, 1-3 cash and good terms or will exchange for small cottage, close in. It will pay you to investigate both of these.

S. W. CORNER STANLEY AND GRANT STREETS—7 room Modern Dwelling and Corner Lot, stone foundation. Price, \$2,600. \$1,000 cash, balance 1 and 2 years.

LOT 100 x 108, fine view of city and water. Price, \$1,000. Terms to suit purchaser.

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SUGGESTS FRONTAGE TAX FOR WATER MAINS Vancouver Alderman Believes Vacant Property Should Assist to Bear Burdens

REGULATING HOURS FOR SALE OF LIQUOR By-Law Before Vernon Council—Barrooms to Close at 11 p.m. Saturdays

ALBANY STREET—5 room House, with large reception hall. With the house, a quarter-acre of ground, commanding nice view. Price, \$3,800. \$800 cash, balance at 7 per cent.

FIVE ACRE LOT, Saanich Arm. Price \$500. Terms to suit.

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CEDAR HILL ROAD—7 room House and one Lot. Price, \$2,650. \$650 cash, balance \$25 per month.

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ONE LOT, 50 x 123—On Robertson street, close to car line and beach. Price, \$600. \$100 cash, balance \$20 monthly.

2 1/2 ACRES, FOURTH ST. near Hill-side Ave., \$5,000. Easy terms. 1 LOT, OAK BAY AVE. west of Poul Bay Rd., \$725. 60 ACRES, close to Duncan's, 18 acres cleared, part of balance slashed; 3 1/2 acres orchard, small fruit; 7-roomed modern house with h. c. water; orchard irrigated; living stream runs through property all year. Price \$11,000.

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WILMOT OFF OAK BAY AVENUE—Wilmot Place. Lots are high and dry, and only 150 yards from Oak Bay Avenue. \$750 each. Half cash.

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CAMBRIDGE STREET—One Lot, 62 1/2 x 104, fenced with post and rails, \$450 cash will handle this. Price, \$1,050.

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UNCLE WALT The Poet Philosopher

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TWO AND A HALF ACRES, on the Goldstream road, 5 minutes from Colwood station, good land and good water, half cleared, \$2,500 terms, 50 per cent. Apply Box No. 947, Times.

GOOD FARM, 24 miles from Victoria, on the Goldstream road, 100 acres, running stream, half cleared, new cottage, barn, etc.; price \$2,500 cash. Apply Room 4, Sylvester Block.

WITHIN A FEW YARDS OF FORT ST.—One acre of level, fronted by a fine gravelly soil, very healthy position for garden, and the rear the finest garden in the city. Price \$2,500. Harman & Appleton, 534 Yates street.

HALF A MILE OF WATER FRONT, near Victoria, beautiful situation, new and modern 9 roomed house, all conveniences, stabling, fruit, 1000 ft. above sea level, mostly in crops, with price for the whole is less per acre than adjoining property without improvement. Harman & Appleton, 534 Yates St.

10 ACRES good land, on E. & N. Railway, close to station, spring water, cabin, 6 acres cleared; cash price, \$600. Apply Box No. 946, Times.

FOR SALE—15 acres, near Mill Bay, 600 feet of level, very beautiful situation, Harman & Appleton, Mill Bay, Colby Hill.

FOR SALE—Fifteen acres overlooking Cordova Bay, splendid view of the Straits; also large lot, fine street, Victoria. Price \$1,500. Terms to suit. Apply owner, W. Ross Dick, fireman, Post Office.

A SNAP—On Gorge water front, 5 acres. Full particulars from N. B. Maymirth & Co., Ltd., Mahon Bldg.

MISCELLANEOUS
FOR RENT—10 acres, nice cottage, stabling, towel house, etc., on sea front, 6 miles out, 20, Harman & Appleton, 534 Yates.

I AM IN TOUCH with an Old Country connection open to invest in Equilibrium real estate, and I invite all holders of Equilibrium property for sale to send me particulars of what they have for disposal that I may invest. Write to: Harman & Appleton, 534 Yates St., Victoria, B. C.

FREDERICK COX, Room 5, Sylvester Block, Yates street. Individual instruction in shorthand, typewriting, bookkeeping and all commercial subjects.

PRIVATE TUITION by experienced teacher for matriculation and professional preliminary exams. J. Spouse, 1038 King's.

JOSEPH PEIRSON, Auditor, Notary Public, Insurance Agent, etc., has removed to 64 Yates street. Tel. 242.

SOCIETY FOR PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS, 408 Douglas street. Phone: Inspector Russell, 1921; secretary, 1234.

WAI YUEN, cleaning, ironing, mending, low price. 123 Government street, Victoria.

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MISS GORDON STEUART, Masseuse and Ladies' Hairdresser. Face, head and hair treatment, manicure, hairdressing, shampooing, singeing. Marcel waving a specialty. Ladies' combs made up. Special massage for deafness. 317 Fort street. Phone 238.

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WOOD FOR SALE
L. N. WING ON, Phone 2.
123 Government street, Victoria, B. C.

REMOVAL NOTICE
THOMAS CATTERALL, builder and general contractor, has removed to 821 Fort street, above Quadra. Tel. 504.

FOR SALE—ARTICLES
MOTOR BIKE, almost new, in perfect running order, price \$115. Phone 456. 2111.

BILLIARD TABLE (full sized), balls, cues, racks, etc.; price \$400. Phone 312.

FOR SALE—18-foot gasoline launch, 10 h. p. Fairbanks Motor Engine, cedar yacht, oak finish, practically new, a snap at \$250. Pacific Coast Construction Co., 1001 Yates street.

FOR SALE—Sewing machine wagon. Inquire 1214 Broad street.

FOR SALE—Furniture of three rooms, quite new. Apply any evening between 7 and 8 o'clock, 1214 Broad street.

FOR SALE—A plane camera, almost new, 10 h. p. Fairbanks Motor Engine, cedar yacht, oak finish, practically new, a snap at \$250. Pacific Coast Construction Co., 1001 Yates street.

FOR SALE—One Ails Chalmers Bullock motor, 20 h. p. nearly new, in good order. Apply Shawnigan Lake, Lyttelton Co., Ltd., Government street.

SHACKS FOR SALE, 10x12, door and two windows, built in sections, will save you money. Jones' Capital Carpentering Factory, cor. Vancouver and Yates.

GREENHOUSES, flat bottom boats, long ladders, steps, meat safes, dog houses, in stock and made to order. Jones' Capital Carpenter and Jobbing Factory, 1001 Yates St., cor. of Vancouver St.

FOR SALE—Crescent St. Am. Waltham. Fortune case, 30-year, \$30; gents' 1-10 gold chain, \$6; gold filled locks, \$2.50; ladies' heavy, silver chain, \$3.00; horse and rider and bit chain, \$5.00; horse and rider and bit chain, \$5.00; horse and rider and bit chain, \$5.00; horse and rider and bit chain, \$5.00.

FOR SALE—Maid for house work, small house, two in family. 406 Vancouver St. Phone 123.

WANTED—Experienced dressmaker, also apprentices. Miss Libby, Room 10, Five Sisters Block.

WANTED—A waitress. Apply Dominion Hotel.

WANTED—A woman, to do cooking only, for family of three, no children. Box No. 87, good, alone, no children. Box No. 87, Times.

WANTED—Dressmaking apprentices. Apply Mrs. Angus, 3rd floor, David Spence, 127 1/2 Ltd.

WANTED—At once, apprentices to learn dressmaking. Apply to Miss McMillan, dressmaking. Apply to Miss McMillan, 3rd floor, David Spence, Ltd.

WANTED—Girls and young ladies who have had experience as clerks, typists, etc., employment. Apply David Spence.

FOR SALE—HOUSES
PARTLY FURNISHED, nice home, one block from shore, in James Bay, only 10 minutes' ride. Box 21, city.

HOUSE AND LOT, 13 fruit trees, close to shore, \$1,125; \$300 down. Provis, 97 1/2 St. Street.

BOOKED MODERN COTTAGE and 2 lots, orchard, etc., \$2,000; cash, balance to suit. Room 6, Sylvester Block.

FOR SALE—Four roomed cottage, with stable, on Rupert street, five minutes' walk to post office and Beacon Hill park. Inquire 1033 Pakington street.

NEW 7 ROOMED HOUSE, 5 bedrooms, bathroom, linen closet, light, gas, full size basement, built in sheboard with plate glass mirrors, built with solid concrete, finished throughout, 4 block from cars. Pemberton & Son, 414 Fort.

WITH \$200 CASH—5 roomed cottage, new, 10 ft. from car line, modern, bath, toilet, electric light, etc., parlor, dining room, kitchen, pantry, 1000 ft. above sea level, built with solid concrete, finished throughout, 4 block from cars. Pemberton & Son, 414 Fort.

JAMES BAY—Four roomed cottage, modern bath, electric light, etc., corner lot, 6x12, fruit, nice lawn; price \$2,000, terms to suit. Warburton & Co., 1005 Government street (upstairs).

FOR SALE—2 large 8 roomed houses, new, 3 bedrooms, etc., and three lots, plenty of room for 2 more houses, a grand investment. Apply full particulars, Butcher's, 301 Yates, corner Quadra.

FOR SALE—New, modern, 8 roomed bungalow, opp. Central Park, lot 40 by 120 ft. 1st floor, 2nd floor, balance as rent. Apply owner, 2114 Quadra street. As if

