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## THE ROYAL PARTY LEAVES QUEBEC

VISIT TO THE CITY PASSED SUCCESSFULLY

Large and Enthusiastic Crowds Witness Departure of the Duke and Duchess.

(Associated Press.)

Quebec, Sept. 18.—The scenes this morning on the departure of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York for Montreal by the Royal train were almost a repetition of those witnessed on their arrival in Quebec on Monday. At 9 o'clock the Royal party landed from the Ophir amid the booming of cannon from the fleet and citadel, and from King's wharf through St. Peter and St. Paul streets to the C. P. R. station their progress, with an escort of troops and bands, was one continuous popular ovation. At the railway to see them off or to accompany them were all the notabilities, including Lieut.-Governor and Lady Jette, Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier and others, besides the vast crowd of spectators who cheered as the train drew out at 9.45. Thus ended the Royal visit to Quebec, and it is satisfactory to note that it passed off successfully and without unpleasant features of any kind for the Royal guests, considering that they were at least 50,000 strangers in the city.

A dinner was held last evening on board the Ophir. Those commanded to be present were their Excellencies Lord and Lady Minto, His Honor the Lieut.-Governor and Madame Jette, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. S. N. Parent, as Mayor of Quebec and the Premier of the province, Hon. Mr. Archambault, and the personal suite of their Royal Highnesses. Last evening the general illuminations of the city were repeated and a naval display took place. It is no exaggeration to say that a finer sight of its kind could hardly be seen anywhere.

Reached Montreal To-day.

Montreal, Sept. 18.—The train with their Royal Highnesses on board is expected to reach the city at 3 o'clock this afternoon. They will be welcomed by Mayor Raymond, Prefontaine, who will present them with an illuminated address. After the reply of the Duke, the presentation of medals to South African heroes will take place, after which the Royal party will proceed to the residence of Lord Strathcona on Rochester street. This evening there will be illuminations of the city. The reception which was to have taken place at the city hall at 9 p. m. has been called off on account of President McKinley's death.

No Change.

Ottawa, Sept. 18.—There will be no change in the Ottawa programme for the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York.

NOTES FROM OTTAWA.

Accident to Dr. Burden—Broke a Bone in His Ankle.

Ottawa, Sept. 18.—On account of a bone broken in his ankle on the steamer Frontenac, Dr. Burden will not be able to be around for three or four weeks. He arrived here last night.

Wm. Henry Newlands, barrister, Regina, has been appointed to the position of legal adviser to the council of the Yukon territory, vice Frederick Tension Condon, resigned. He has also been appointed a member of the council. Previous to his appointment he held the position of inspector of the Northwest land titles office.

INCREASING CAPITAL.

Additional Stock of American Sugar Refining Co. to Be Issued.

(Associated Press.)

New York, Sept. 18.—At a special meeting of the stockholders of the American Sugar Refining Co. to-day the directors were authorized to create the \$10,000,000 mortgage bonds created when the company was organized, which were never issued, and to issue \$15,000,000 additional stock. New stock will be half common and half preferred, and present stockholders of each class will have privilege of subscribing at par to the new stock at the rate of one share of new stock for every five shares of old stock.

NEW EXPLOSIVE.

(Associated Press.)

St. Petersburg, Sept. 15.—Chemical Professor Dubrovsky has discovered a powerful explosive which is absolutely safe to handle, since the explosion only occurs upon ignition and after a small quantity of sulphuric acid is poured on the explosive.

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## CABINET UNCHANGED.

All United States Ministers Have Accepted Reappointment.

(Associated Press.)

Washington, Sept. 18.—It was stated on excellent authority to-day that all members of the cabinet had accepted the reappointment tendered by President Roosevelt yesterday.

Memorial Services in London.

London, Sept. 18.—The English expression of sympathy is growing and the demonstration here of condolence with the United States on the death of President McKinley is the wonder and talk of all American visitors. The number of half-masted flags is increasing and a majority of the people are in mourning. Omnibus and cab drivers have crepe on their whips.

In addition to the services at St. Paul's Cathedral and Westminster Abbey, the national council of Free Churches has arranged for a united memorial service at noon on Thursday. A number of storekeepers are using the closing of stores throughout the country for three hours to-morrow, to show the great nation across the sea how sincerely we mourn with them the death of President McKinley as they mourned, with us the death of our beloved Queen.

Suggest Amendments.

Chicago, Sept. 18.—The Chicago Bar Association has adopted resolutions on the death of President McKinley which, in brief, are as follows:

"In the assault upon our chief magistrate, we recognize a blow dealt at the law, and the administration of the law, and the administration of the law. We join in sorrow at the deed, and we unite in a resolve to co-operate to our utmost in an effort to support, and where necessary to amend existing laws in the future to make sacred and secure the person of our nation's chief executive."

## THE VISIT OF THE CZAR TO FRANCE

RECEIVED TO-DAY BY PRESIDENT LOUBET

Emperor Witnessed Review of French Fleet—Citizens of Dunkirk Will Not See His Majesty.

(Associated Press.)

Dunkirk, France, Sept. 18.—In honor of the visit of the Czar the streets of Dunkirk before 5 a. m. to-day were echoing to the measured tramp of infantry marching to take up positions. The weather cleared and by 7 o'clock the hour fixed for President Loubet's embarkation the sun was shining. The wind was high, however, and the temperature decided against any boating and fluttering flags, particularly in the top works of the closely packed fishing smacks.

The population was about at an early hour, moving towards the piers and wharves to get a glimpse of the Presidential vessel, the torpedo boat Cassini, when she should put to sea and return with the Russian Imperial yacht Standart.

Immense crowds invaded Dunkirk by foot and by street cars to the promenade on the sea shore of Malo les Bains, a suburb of Dunkirk, whence was obtained a magnificent view of the fleet riding at anchor in two lines. The number of ships was small.

The inhabitants of Dunkirk are too nothing of the Czar, as the ceremonies were to take place behind an impenetrable wall of soldiers, and the Czar, in company with President Loubet, was to enter the train at the dock side. After luncheon adjacent to the chamber of commerce they were to leave for Compiègne, without even traversing the streets of Dunkirk. These arrangements were a source of keen indignation to the Dunkirk citizens who had last night decorated their town.

Owing to the rough sea and the fact that the Cassini is an extremely bad sea boat, it was decided that President Loubet and his party should embark on the Imperial Russian yacht Standart and thence review the squadron instead of the Czar and Carina boarding the Cassini. As soon as the Standart was sighted, the Cassini steamed to meet her. Then Admiral Menard's flagship Massena gave a signal and the heavy cannon of the fleet boomed a salute of 101 guns.

When the Standart and the Cassini were about three hundred yards apart, a boat was lowered from the Cassini and President Loubet and others took their places in it. The boat was towed by the Standart's steam launch, and President Loubet and his party boarded the Russian yacht. After a short interview the Standart steamed to the head of the line and the review of the French warships began.

The precautionary measures for the safety of President Loubet this morning were trifling compared with the military arrangements for the disembarkment of the Czar. The entire area of the dock facing the landing stage was one mass of soldiers, infantry, cuirassiers and gendarmes.

NEW OIL TANKS.

(Associated Press.)

San Francisco, Sept. 18.—The Standard Oil Co., which controls the Pacific Coast Oil Refining Works at West Alameda, has acquired about 50 acres at Point Richmond, and the Chronicle says will erect large tanks at that point.

## STEWART'S SUICIDE FROM THE EMPRESS

JUMPED OVERBOARD DURING LAST NIGHT

Was Apparently Temporarily Deranged—Told the Storekeeper He Intended Ending His Life.

(Special to the Times.)

Vancouver, Sept. 18.—A peculiar tragedy occurred about midnight, while the steamer Empress of India was on the way up from Victoria, and just before arrival here. Steward Walker apparently became temporarily deranged, and Storekeeper Blythe is suffering still from sudden mental trouble. Walker, who was one of the best known men in the service, acted strangely all the way across. Last night, after leaving Victoria, he went into the storekeeper's cabin, and handing his money box, containing over \$200 to Blythe, said: "Keep this, for I am going to jump overboard." Blythe says he replied that he did not want the money, and Walker went out.

Later Blythe thought he really might have meant what he said, and accordingly gave the alarm. Search was made, but neither Walker nor the money box were on the steamer. Walker must have jumped overboard. Blythe is under the doctor's care. No explanation is given for the peculiar tragedy.

To Develop Plants Property.

Governor White, of North Dakota, and several associates have just purchased a controlling interest in the rich Plinta property, Texas Island. They will install a plant and thoroughly develop the claim, which yielded recently \$3,840 from 120 pounds of ore.

New Steamer.

Capt. Cates and Wallace Hayward, owners of the steamer Defiance, operating between here and Howe Sound, have arranged a contract for the building of a new 15-knot steamer for the coast route. The boat will be 120 feet long, the same size as the Queen City.

New Electric Company.

J. H. Ferguson has returned from Boston, where he has concluded a deal with Stone & Webster, owners of the street railway system in Seattle and other places, for a thorough development of the Stave Lake property. The principals will be here in a few days, when the work will be begun of installing a plant and supplying an electric current to Vancouver and Westholster. An agreement has been made to which is endorsed by the directors, and now awaits ratification by the shareholders.

Renowned Steamboat Changes.

It is reported here on good authority that the steamer Yosemite is being purchased by Wood, Perkins & Co., of Victoria, general agents for the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, to run in opposition to the Mailandier, between Seattle and Vancouver. The through rate will also be made from San Francisco to Vancouver by steamer, the same as the Victoria rate. Vancouver passengers transferring from Seattle to this city by the Yosemite. While no decision has yet been made, it is probable that the Pacific Coast steamers will discontinue their call here, freight as well as passengers being handled from Seattle by the new service. The through passenger business to Frisco would also be handled via Seattle instead of across by the Chemar to Victoria, as at present. Incidentally in connection with the deal it is mentioned that the Pacific Coast Steamship Company will do a largely increased business here when the Great Northern have built into Vancouver.

G. A. Carleton, of the C. P. N. Company, when asked this afternoon regarding the truth of the above, ridiculed the statement. He said that the Yosemite was totally unsuited for the service mentioned, and that no steps looking to her sale had been taken.

FINNS AND MALCOLM ISLAND.

(Special to the Times.)

Nanaimo, Sept. 18.—Mattii Kurikka, at the head of the Finnish company which has in contemplation the settlement of Malcolm Island, complains of the slowness of the provincial government with regard to the matter. At a meeting of the society held lately it was decided to wait only a little longer and then commence work whether the government replies or not. They feel that work must be commenced at once or another year will be lost for the company.

MISSIONARY'S JOURNEY.

He Will Report on Alleged Massacres in Armenia.

Constantinople, Sept. 18.—In spite of the prohibition of the local authorities, an American missionary, Mr. Cole, has started for Bitlis on a tour of the province, the United States legation having authorized the journey. Mr. Cole's report on the alleged massacres at Bitlis, and other points in the province, will be published in the American press.

MARQUIS ITO'S TRIP.

(Associated Press.)

Yokohama, Sept. 18.—Marquis Ito started to-day on an extended tour of the United States and Europe.



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## WILL NOT ATTEND MCKINLEY'S FUNERAL

### THE ROYAL PARTY TO LEAVE QUEBEC TO-DAY

### The Duke and Duchess Will Spend Two Days at Montreal—British Columbia Fruit Reaches Winnipeg.

Quebec, Sept. 17.—This was the last day's stay of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York here. The luncheon and general reception at Spencerwood, official residence of the Lieutenant-Governor, was enlivened as a mark of respect to the dead United States President, and further plans for the expression of regret were made, but unavoidably abandoned. The Duke of Cornwall and Lord Minto, Governor-General of Canada, decided to be personally represented at Washington. The former designated Commander B. Godfrey Faussett, naval aide de camp, as his representative, but it was discovered that it would be impossible for him to reach there before the departure of the funeral train for Canton and the idea of sending anyone was regretfully given up. The harbor and city were brilliantly illuminated in the evening, and despite the storm the effect was very pretty. The warships were outlined in strings of lights, and far up on the heights of the city lines of incandescent lamps were woven into attractive designs. The names of Wolfe, Montcalm, Jacques Cartier, Champlain and historical figures were spelled out in letters of lights. The City of Montreal was illuminated by Lord Minto, Sir Wilfrid Laurier and a large number of Dominion officials leave at 9.45 o'clock to-morrow for Montreal. The party stops two days at Montreal and then goes to Ottawa.

**Storm on Lake Superior.**  
Fort William, Ont., Sept. 17.—A terrific storm has raged on Lake Superior since Sunday, and in consequence the C. P. R. liner Manitowish, due here yesterday at noon, has not yet arrived. The City of Collingwood, Co.'s boat, due here on Sunday, has not arrived either. Both have probably taken shelter on the south shore.

**Proposal Rejected.**  
Montreal, Sept. 17.—A proposition made to-day to the provincial synod to change the diocese of Nova Scotia, Montreal, Toronto and London into archbishoprics, was not favorably entertained. The Duke of York pays a visit to the synod on Thursday.

**Prospectors at Work.**  
Toronto, Sept. 17.—Thomas A. Edison has now 12 prospectors at work in Sandusky district, and intends putting on 24 more next summer.

**Arrived at Winnipeg.**  
Winnipeg, Sept. 17.—The first car of British Columbia fruit for the season, consisting of plums, peaches and apricots, reached here in good condition to-day, although delayed several days en route.

**En Route East.**  
Capt. Troup, commodore of the C. P. Navigation fleet, was here to-day en route to Montreal.

**AGENT EXPELLED.**  
Manila, Sept. 17.—Gen. Hughes has expelled the agent of Smith & Bell and Warner & Barnes from the island of Samar for rendering aid to the insurgents in Manila by buying beer and other produce, knowing that the money was going to the insurgents.

The British consul requested General Chaffee to suspend the order, but he refused to do so, and the consul has gone to Samar to personally investigate the matter.

General Funston is in the hospital suffering from appendicitis. He probably will be operated upon.

**ON WAY TO CANTON.**  
The Remains of President McKinley Removed From Washington.  
Washington, Sept. 17.—The state service for the late President McKinley in the Capitol to-day were conducted in accordance with the rites of the Methodist Episcopal church, of which Mr. McKinley was a life long member. Consisting only of two hymns, a song, a prayer, an address, and a benediction, they were beautiful and solemnly impressive.

The gathering around the bier included the President and the only surviving ex-President of the United States, together with representatives at the Capitol of the various nations. Despite the fact that no attempt had been made to decorate the interior of the rotunda beyond the arrangements made about the catafalque, the assemblage presented a memorable sight. The somber black of the attire of the hundreds of civilians presented a memorable sight. The somber black of the attire of the hundreds of civilians presented a memorable sight.

At the close of the hymn as Rev. Dr. Naylor, presiding elder of the Washington district rose to offer prayer, the hush that fell upon the people was profound. Scarcely had the word "Amen" been breathed, when the liquid tone of that sweetly pleading song, "Some Time We'll Understand," went straight to the heart of every auditor. The song was sung by Mrs. Thomas C. Noyes of this city. "And the beautiful refrain was chanted and re-echoed by the double quartet choir."

Upon the conclusion of the sermon, the audience, as by pre-arrangement, joined the choir in singing "Nearer My God to Thee."

**UNITED STATES CABINET.**  
President Roosevelt Asks the Ministers to Remain in Office.  
Washington, Sept. 17.—President Roosevelt at 3 o'clock to-day convened his first cabinet meeting held in Washington. The President desired to learn if there were any matters of moment requiring his attention before his departure to-night for Canton. He was assured there was nothing of pressing importance. The President then addressed his advisers collectively as he had previously done individually, requested them all to retain their respective positions in his first cabinet.

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one difference between the present tender and that of an original offer. Naturally under the present circumstances they were not at liberty to decline. Upon being asked if resignations should be formally presented in the usual manner, the President answered that his action at this meeting had precluded the necessity of presenting resignations.

**TARRED AND FEATHERED.**  
Huntingdon, Ind., Sept. 17.—Jos. A. Wildman, United States Marshal, was tarred and feathered by a crowd of 100 last night. Sunday night he rose in a prayer meeting in one of the city churches, and exclaimed: "I suppose there have been more lies told from the pulpit of this sacred desk to-day than was ever known before. While I want to give thanks to the Lord for Mr. McKinley, still, when he was living he was nothing but a political demagogue. At this juncture a number of people became so indignant that they rose and left the church. Yesterday the citizens decided on the above summary charge. Wildman has no regular charge."

**ALFRED THE GREAT.**  
Alfred re-created the spirit of literature in England by the eager welcome he accorded learned strangers at his court, by the establishment of schools for both boys and girls, by his practical encouragement to harpers, poets, historians and skilled artisans, and by his own literary labors. Whether Alfred was the founder of Oxford University is, I believe, a moot question; it is, at least, certain that he founded schools of learning as well as abbeys. He was himself one of the most important writers of the period. He translated the history of Orosius, Bede's history, Boethius's "Consolations of Philosophy," and other works, and was also the author of much original work, and a poet and musician.

**RARE INSTINCT IN BIRDS.**  
Some remarkable stories are told by a well known French sportsman and writer on natural history regarding what he calls the "strange instinct" of birds. According to his authority, the woodcock, partridge and rail, and possibly some other birds are able to dress their wounds with considerable skill. The following instances are quoted in the National Geographic.

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**DR. PIERCE'S GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY.**

## FRIENDS SEEK TO IDENTIFY VICTIMS

**INQUIRIES IN RESPECT TO ISLANDER LOST**  
**Body of Mounted Policeman Found—An Appreciative Sketch of the Late H. B. Factor P. W. Bell.**

The manager of the Times is the receipt of a letter from J. A. Barrett, editor of the Record, of Trinity, Newfoundland, making inquiries regarding H. Fowler, who was drowned in the Islander disaster. The writer states that he fears the drowned man may be a native of Trinity. The writer says:

"Seven years and nine months since Henry Fowler (as he was known) here left for Boston, which place he left on March 5th last for Seattle, where he joined a steamer (name unknown) as one of the crew. His relatives here are greatly concerned about his welfare, and are anxious to know whether or not he was one of the unfortunate victims of the accident."

The Toronto Mail and Empire contains the following sketch of the late P. W. Bell, the H. B. factor who perished in the Islander catastrophe.

"I give you the name of a true friend, whose I thoroughly trusted and held in high esteem, was the very expressive message which Lord Stratford, came from London, Eng., on learning that P. W. Bell was among the list of drowned on the ill-fated steamer Islander. There was probably no man in Canada who had his confidence to such a degree as the late P. W. Bell. It is said that his mission to the Klondike was to inspect several big mining ventures in which Sir Donald is interested, and that he was on his way to Montreal to meet and report to the great chief when he met with his death."

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son is in the Bank of Commerce at Dawson, while the third son is a civil engineer in British Columbia. One daughter is married to Mr. Pemberton, of Victoria, B. C., while the other is at home with her mother.

**THE CORONATION.**  
A Great Pageant and Some of Its Details.

Apart from the actual coronation itself the point which is looming most largely in the public mind at this distance of eleven months is the problem of the route. For the London of to-day is not the London of 1838.

**WIDENING THE ROAD.**  
To accommodate the procession and the enormous crowd that is sure to gather in the preceding operations are to be started at once to temporarily widen the thoroughfares from Hyde Park corner to Westminster Abbey by taking in a strip of Green park. When the work is complete the width will vary from 100 feet to 170 feet.

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PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S POLICY. President Roosevelt has retained all the advisers of his predecessor in his cabinet and has announced that he will work strenuously to carry to fruition the policy of Mr. McKinley. The task which the new ruler chiefly has in view is to check the growing foreign hostility which has become so pronounced of late and which will surely result in action unless the American policy of conciliation be put promptly in force. Republican papers like the Seattle Post-Intelligencer see no cause for the alarm or necessity for haste in this matter. The nation is prosperous, it seems to argue, why not render it more independent of a hostile world rather than by action admit that threats of tariff reprisals have brought it to its knees? Mr. McKinley plainly told the people before he passed away that no nation could keep on forever selling a great deal to and buying little from its foreign customers. Experts have their theories about the ebb and flow of trade, but the late President had not these theories in mind when he spoke. He was thinking of the hard facts of German hostility, shared by all business Europe except Great Britain. Even if the theories of exchange discussed so learnedly by men who have no practical knowledge of business be correct, trade which is not reciprocal will in the end arouse the hostility of the party which appears to be getting the short end of the bargain. Great Britain and her colonies buy from the United States more than all the rest of the world put together. They take the goods not because existence would not be possible without them, but because they are a convenience, the apparent discrepancy between what is bought and what is sold being adjusted satisfactorily by the theorists through the cost of carriage, interest, insurance and various other ways which need not be entered into at the present time. The question of interest to the best customers of the United States at this time when the parting of the trade ways has been reached if the Republican party will let the President and his advisers have their way, is where will they come in under the proposed reciprocity arrangements? There are no duties on American goods entering Great Britain, while in Canada the tariff is so arranged that we buy from our neighbors more than three times as much as we sell. In Europe, which is hostile and is comparatively an insignificant customer of the United States, by forcing a treaty to be permitted to enter the markets of the republic under more favorable conditions than the United Kingdom and her colonies? If so, the advantages would appear in this connection to be on the side of the protectionists, for their policy has not only brought the United States to an understanding of the error of its ways, but has forced open the long-closed gates. Probably the most-favored nation clause of treaties will prevent discrimination of the character which seems to be possible and will avoid an overturning of political traditions which would be little short of revolutionary. United States goods cannot get more

favoured treatment in British markets than they receive at the present time, therefore there is no necessity for the negotiation of reciprocity treaties as far as the republic is concerned. To avoid retaliation, preferential arrangements may be entered into with Germany, Russia, France, Austria and Italy, and the products of these countries, which may still continue to levy duties of a considerable amount upon American goods, will enter the United States upon more favorable terms than the wares of British merchants and manufacturers, although the government of the United Kingdom sees fit to open its ports to almost every American have to sell. That would be an anomalous state of affairs. It is extremely unlikely that the policy of the President will be carried out to the letter, resulting in such a culmination as we have depicted. But it is a possibility. Like Blaine, Roosevelt has his reciprocal eye on South America. The Latin-Americans are not a very industrious people, and their competition will not seriously inconvenience their northern neighbors. Canadians are different and must be kept at a proper distance. We doubt very much if the Republican party, behind which the trusts are marshalled, would tolerate reciprocity treaties which would result in the practical promotion of trade. The steel trust would be shaken to its foundations if it were brought into competition with the manufacturers of Great Britain and Germany. It will probably be found that the views of the Republican newspapers will prevail and that the negotiation of treaties acceptable to the United States Senate will be impossible.

ANARCHISTS AND PLOTTERS. What shall we do with the anarchists? is the chief subject of discussion in the United States just now. While reproaching the deed of the wretch who compassed the death of President McKinley, it may be as well to point out that these anarchists will be found very slippery gentlemen to deal with. It is also a fact that they have received encouragement in the United States which has always been incomprehensible and that it is possible the results of that encouragement may be yet more deplorable. It is particularly noticeable that those who hold the same views as Most, Goldman and Czergow are not at all abashed at the fruits of their teachings. Albeit, who was elected Governor of Ohio and pardoned some of the most desperate criminals in the state prison, including men connected with the Haymarket tragedy in Chicago, boldly proclaims that the republic is reaping what it has sown and that more victims must fall before the cause of the people triumphs. His sayings and the utterances of other incendiaries are published in the papers and spread broadcast over the country. These people's doctrines cannot be suppressed nor can the anarchists be rounded up and deported. It may be possible to deal with those who are violent in their utterances, but they are not the ones who do the actual mischief. They are the inciters to violence. Even if they be suppressed others will rise up and take their places and the printing press is at the service of all who have dollars to spend. Our neighbors have been indifferent to it, they have not actually encouraged, plotters against the rulers and the peace of other nations for a great many years, and it looks as though they were about to have trouble in exercising the malignant spirit of plotters against Great Britain and Canada have long found an asylum over the border instead of being subjected to the repression which would naturally be expected from a friendly nation. The details of more than one plan for the assassination of heads of states have been arranged in the United States. We do not say that Nemesis is on the track of our neighbors, but it is clear that there is a class which cannot be encouraged to plot against the rulers without danger. It is impossible to gauge the direction which the malice of fanaticism will take. The individual whose mind in normal condition would set up as the greatest friend of freedom may be cut down by one of those monstrous plots. If their case had been attended to in its earlier stages the work would have been infinitely easier to-day. The men and women who in Europe have had their hearts filled with venom towards all form of government by injustice and oppression find but little difference when they land in the United States. The gulf between the rich and the poor is even greater there than in Europe, and the struggle for a livelihood is keener than in countries where the stream of life flows along in greater placidity. The wages are better, it is true, and the standard of living higher, but these things induce immigration and render the competition for work keener. The whole combination plays into the hands of the capitalist whose products are protected in the home markets. He grinds the faces of his workmen and extracts dividends upon many times the amount of capital actually invested from the consumers who must take his wares and none other. Millionaires are turned out by the score every year. They reap where they have not sown. By the legitimate fruits of their own industry they could never have attained to such affluence in the course of one natural life. They have appropriated the fruits of the labors of other men and profited illegitimately from the exploitation of the natural resources of the country. Families in Great Britain which have been in one line of business for generations have not

been able to lay by such stores of wealth as men have done in the United States in a few short years. It is not possible for a British manufacturer to multiply his capital invested by two or three with a stroke of his pen and tell his managers that dividends on the increased amount must be extracted from consumers of and workmen who create the goods. The foundations of anarchy on this continent are laid upon the United States fiscal system. In this young, free and richly endowed country there should be no place for such pernicious teachings. Conservatives in the East are in a deep state of perturbation over the possibilities of the redistribution measure which will be introduced by the government before another general election. They are afraid Ontario will be gerrymandered. Viewed from the present position of the constituencies, any measure, no matter how fair, will look like a gerrymander in Tory eyes. They stand to lose a great deal if the present arbitrary boundaries be eliminated and the natural divisions be restored as far as possible. There is one county which now returns four members to the House. As a whole it is Liberal in sentiment by more than a thousand votes. Yet it elects three Conservatives and one Liberal. It is all a matter of scientific arrangement. The political map of that country is unlike anything that was ever before drawn by a skilled partisan. There are many other constituencies which have been similarly treated. The whole province was fixed so as to return the maximum of Tories with a minimum of Tory votes. It is of the utmost importance that the political opinions of all sections of the country should be faithfully represented in the House of Commons. The new redistribution bill will effect that object. The Tory senators will have no excuse for interfering this time. For these reasons our opposition friends are terribly dispirited. The Duke and Duchess of York have commenced their pilgrimage across the continent and the address reader has attuned his voice to the occasion. We do not like to interfere with his felicity of mind, but we consider it our duty to point out that the man to whom the address is addressed has already read it and has his reply stored away in the recesses of his mind. The people to whom it would be read cannot hear the words of the reader even if they were worth listening to. For these reasons we consider the suggestion of a contemporary that all addresses should be taken as read worthy of the most serious consideration. Of course our advice will not be heeded.

On the battle which is taking place to-day in New Westminster depends the fate of a government and the political future of some individuals not directly affiliated with it. Nevertheless not a great deal of interest appears to be taken in the result in Victoria. The electors have possibly become blasé. There have been so many political upheavals of late. As the polls keep open till half-past seven it will probably be a late hour before the result is known.

President Roosevelt thinks he can guard his own person. He will have no bodyguard, Teddy is a bold chap. Besides the anarchists are probably satisfied now that the foundations of the republic cannot be removed by the sacrifice of individuals. Government is of the people, who are not in a gentle mood at present and are disposed to deal summarily with those who so much as whisper the doctrine of anarchy.

HAZARD IN ELECTRIC LIGHT CORDS. The Standard. In a sleeping room of a residence near Portland, Maine, an electric light bulb hung from the ceiling, attached to a flexible cord. A long loop was left in the cord, that the light might be lowered below the feet of the occupant of the bed. A child, in playing, called the loop "dolly," untied the knot, shortening the cord, put "dolly" on the bed for a nap, carefully covered it up with the bed clothes, and went away. When the current came on later, in the afternoon the cord had been cut, and a spark in the bedding, and before it was discovered a hot fire was in progress. The furnishings of the room being of a delicate and expensive character, a substantial loss was the result to the companies interested. Had the cord been a short one, or the fixture of metal, the loss could not have occurred. It is simply an illustration of one danger of allowing long flexible cords to be used whereby electric lights can be carried to remote or unusual positions in a room.

BROAD-MINDED CANADIANS. Belleville Intelligencer. Don't you believe it, if, after this, anybody tells you that Canadians are not a broad-minded and generous people. Within a radius of thirty miles of this city, at different summer resorts, the writer saw three United States flags flying during last week. The spirit is all right of course, and nobody objects to it (we are all sensible people on this side of the 45), but what a grief of trouble three Union Jacks would make over in the spread eagle country! There would be more excitement than at a nigger-burning down in Georgia.

WHAT THE TRUSTS ARE DOING. Portland Oregonian. Will anyone say, after having the operation of the salt trust and the advance of 300 per cent. in the prices of salt effected by its greed, why the protective duty on salt should not be abolished? These trusts are making free traders on the one hand and Socialists on the other with a rapidity never witnessed before.

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IN MEMORIAM. G. B. McIntosh. The hour is come, the awful, solemn hour; How hard to part with him twice raised to power! Each head and heart bowed low with sable grief, Pity for him who found in death relief, Relief from pain, from sorrow, and all woes. Eased are all his trials here below. Sent from the world and from the highest station. In this or any other nation, Down from the highest pinnacle of fame; Easy has done her work, ruined all but name. Now we who live in memory will revere The name of him who loved his country dear. In health, in sickness and in life or death, So may we think and act while we have breath. Dead though our President be, his deeds of love, Each word and act are registered above, And shall forever live while time shall roll Down through all future years. God rest his soul. But spare Thou her who walked with him, Thy heart art the widow's friend in every nation. Thou art her help in every generation; Have mercy then—help her in these retreats. Even while her heart is so severely crushed. Now let Thine All-Seeing Eye on us be cast. As on our fathers Thou hast done in ages past; Thou art our God; in life be Thou our Guide. In Thy grace may we live and in Thy love abide. On Thee we still depend; O, give us grace. Nor ever let us turn from Thee our face. Let the whole nation learn from this sad hour. In Thee to trust, in whom alone is power, Virtue and wisdom cease in every heart to bleed; Shadow us ever with Thy love with out end; So mote it be, amen, forever and amen. Elsmere House, Victoria.

A SLIGHT CORRECTION. Skedunk Bugle. "The slanderous reptile who runs the Pointe-à-la-Peine in his latest issue asserts that our wife has sued us for divorce on account of excessive and repeated cruelty. In order that our readers may know just how much truth there is in this story, we will explain. Our wife has not sued us for divorce at all. We haven't any wife. We never had a wife. The whole story grows out of the circumstance that there is a report in circulation to the effect that we are to be married week after next. And there isn't any truth in this story either. It is all we can do to support ourselves in this damned town, let alone marry. But if we did get married, the support of the Potato Creek sheet doesn't want to get into trouble let him keep out of our way for the next month or two."

THE ULTIMO LIMIT OF COURTESY. Haverhill Gazette. There is a limit even to courtesy which some people fail to understand. At a dinner tendered to Sir Thomas Lipton at Aubrey Park last week, the mayor, who was the host of the occasion, proposed a toast, "Good luck to the Shamrock." It was drunk, but in silence. The next speaker, the president of the board of education, administered a gentle rebuke and proposed as the better toast the sentiment that had been expressed already by Sir Thomas: "May the best boat win," and it was greeted with great applause, none of which was more vigorous than that which came from Sir Thomas and his friends. The true sporting man of the type of Sir Thomas could appreciate the fact that the latter sentiment was the utmost limit of courtesy.

BOERS EMPLOY KAFFIRS. Woodstock Sentinel-Review. Those gentle and pastoral people, the Boers, who evoke so much Christian and humanitarian sentiment from Goldwin Smith and others who are always seeing good in the enemies of England, would be greatly horrified if the British government were to use her black troops in the way which she had a perfect right to do. But the Boers do not hesitate to use blacks in their guerrilla warfare, and in the wrecking of trains which carry women and children. They are a fine people, these Boers.

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Personal. R. H. Swinerton returned from the North yesterday, where he has been visiting the sulphur mines on Oxalat or Huxcall river, in which he and other Victorians are interested. A. S. Going and party were just completing a survey for a tramway to be constructed in the spring, when he left for Victoria, which would connect the mines with navigable waters and permit of the immediate shipping of ore. The company has now a small number of men employed at the mines, but will soon be suspending all operations until after the winter. There is a crosscut running 67 feet into the mine, and this, with considerable drifting which has been done, thoroughly satisfies the owning company of the richness of their property, not to speak of the assays of the products already made, and which in each case have proved highly encouraging.

A. E. Partridge, grand secretary of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, of Seattle, arrived in the city this morning on the steamer Rosalia. He was accompanied by the editor of the paper of the order, The Fraternal Eagle. Both gentlemen will be guests of the members of the local order and entertained at the social to be given this evening. Sub-Lieut. G. W. Wellburn, one of the officers of H. M. S. Empress of India, was handed his promotion papers on arrival here from the Far East yesterday. E. V. Bodwell returned this morning on the North Pacific from the Sound, where he has been making a brief business visit. H. W. Morse left for Portland on Monday evening for the purpose of taking a position in the city hall. C. W. Clifford, M. P., came over on the Charmer last night from the Maland, having been North for several weeks. Mr. Justice Irving was a passenger from Vancouver by the steamer Charmer last evening. Dr. C. E. Grammel, of Norfolk, Va., is at the Grand hotel.

TRAPPED BY WIRE. The Way in Which Some College Men Got Even With an Exacting Instructor. Among some intensely amusing college scrapes told by "A Graduate" in the September Ladies' Home Journal, is the story of a certain professor, not much liked by his pupils, who was to be married. The lady lived in Cleveland. And the students that loved (?) him were not, of course, invited. But they determined that in some way he should hear from them. And he did. On the day appointed the professor took the train at 10 a. m., due to arrive at Cleveland at 12:30 p. m. About eleven o'clock Jim Townsend rushed to the telegraph office and sent off this dispatch: "Chief of train No. 6, tall, well dressed, frock coat, silk hat, white whiskers. Escaped lunatic. Hold! Shrewd, therefore beware. Strange case. Will say name finally. Mistake. Think he is professor in a college. Delusion. Escort to home of friends at No. — Euclid avenue." This message reached its destination long before 11:30 a. m. reached Cleveland, so that when Professor Fingall alighted it was to walk straight into the custody of three detectives. They would listen to no words of reason, but escorted him to the house on Euclid avenue, the home of his intended bride.

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EXHIBITION NOTES.

Monday Next Last Day for Receiving Entries—About the Women's Exhibit.

A meeting of the horsemen was held yesterday afternoon at Mayor Hayward's office, when it was unanimously agreed upon to enter co-operatively with the exhibition management in putting the race track in satisfactory condition.

There will be a meeting of the general management committee in the city hall to-night, commencing at 8 o'clock.

This morning Chief Watson, of the Victoria fire department, went to the exhibition building to select a position for the chemical tank to be installed there for use in case of fires.

The building inspector, W. W. Northcott, reports the repair work in the exhibition building about completed. Some work remains to be done outside on the stairs, etc., but this will not take up much time.

In connection with the women's exhibit it is desired that those having articles to enter will send in their forms, filled in, with the entrance fee, to Miss Perrin, Bishopscroft, if possible this week, so that the space necessary for each department may be arranged and confusion thereby avoided on September 28th, when the articles for exhibition must be seen.

As far as possible, glass cases will be provided for lace and other valuable articles.

The following special prizes were inadvertently omitted from the list already published:

Wedding cake, value \$25, presented by J. C. Darling.

Silk umbrella, value \$5, presented by Messrs. Sea & Gowen.

Dress lengths, value \$5, presented by C. C. Russell.

Goods, value \$10, presented by R. Matheson.

Chair, value \$5, presented by L. F. Wallenstein.

Dry goods, value \$5, presented by Messrs. Westcott Bros.

Monday next, September 23rd, is the last day for receiving entries, and the secretary desires that exhibitors intending entering exhibits bear this in mind.

DAIRY INSTRUCTOR'S TOUR.

Outline of Points to Be Included in Trip of Experts Through Province.

The Dominion dairy commissioner, J. A. Ruddick, arrived from the mainland last night, coming here for the purpose of arranging for a tour of central points of the province, spending a short time at each place lecturing and giving instructions to those anxious to learn how to make butter.

Mr. Ruddick, on his former visit to British Columbia, gave an impetus to dairying throughout the province by establishing creameries and delivering several lectures. This time, however, he brings with him a staff of competent teachers who will make a systematic tour of the province, staying for a week or so at each point touching the art of making butter and lecturing on dairy matters.

This morning he conferred with J. E. Mackenzie, departmental dairy inspector, and together they formulated the following programme for the proposed tour:

The instructors will teach students of this city in the city hall from Monday, Sept. 23rd, to Friday, 27th. On Saturday, the 28th, they will attend the Saanich fair and will give brief addresses of dairying. Comox will be the next point at which a stop will be made. At the Agricultural hall a public meeting will be held at 2 p. m., Saturday, October 5th. Classes of instruction will begin on Monday, October 7th, and end on Saturday, October 12th.

In the city hall, New Westminster, on Saturday, October 19th, a public meeting will be held at 2 p. m. All those interested in dairy matters are invited. Classes of instruction will be conducted from Thursday, 17th of October, until Wednesday, 23rd.

On Saturday, October 26th, in the Agriculture hall, Elderby, a public meeting will be held, at which addresses will be given. The meeting will open at 2 p. m. in the afternoon. Classes of instruction will be held from Monday, October 28th, to Saturday, November 2nd. This will be the last point to be taken in by the instructors in their tour.

It may be stated that these points were chosen as they are considered to be the most central of the province. The different places which will be visited are widely separated, and although in some cases a little travelling might have to be done to reach the points and some inconvenience experienced in this way by those wishing to attend the classes, yet it was thought absolutely necessary to do this in order to cover the whole of the ground.

The work, while under the superintendence of the commissioner, Mr. Ruddick, will be in charge of J. E. Mackenzie, who has had a large amount of experience in dairy work in all its branches. He will be assisted by C. W. Macdonald, butter maker, and a graduate of Quebec dairy school.

The hours for instruction will be: Mondays, 9:30 to 12; afternoons, 2 to 4:30. A full equipment of apparatus, including cream separators, milk testers, churns, butterworks, etc., was brought out from the East by the party of dairymen, and

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will be used in giving instructions. Students will be expected to do practical work under the direction of the instructors.

Milk will be supplied, and although any person may attend for any number of days, it is hoped that all will remain for the full course. The superintendent will give short addresses every day before the instruction commences.

Arrangements will be made for the accommodation of spectators during one afternoon of each course. As these classes are being held under the provincial department of agriculture and the local Farmers' Institute, any further information which may be required can be obtained by communicating with J. R. Anderson, deputy minister of agriculture.

Mr. Ross will be in charge in judging the dairy produce of the New Westminster exhibition, while J. E. Hopkins, his assistant, will judge at the Victoria show.

The central bureau collects first of all information about the movements of all the military states and to cut out and translate any items of interest to the headquarters staff. If, for example, as recently occurred, the Russian government inserts an advertisement in the Warsawski Djevaly levichy contracts for the creation of new barracks and fortifications near Warsaw, a copy of the advertisement is in the hands of the headquarters staff of Germany, Austria, and France within a few days, and instructions are then given for drawings and plans of the new buildings according to the arrangement of fortifications in the present disposal of troops, the construction of roads and railways, and many other important matters can be obtained in this way.

Espionage begins when information is received which cannot be obtained through the ordinary channels, as, for example, the plans of the new fortifications referred to above. A professional spy is instructed to procure the necessary drawings, and he generally succeeds in supplying the central bureau with some kind of sketch of the fortifications in question. The most difficult task of the central bureau is to verify the spy's work, because the agent is frequently a man of no technical military knowledge, and reports details which every expert knows cannot possibly be correct.

Perhaps it is still more difficult to verify the information supplied when the spy is an ex-officer and has sufficient technical knowledge to enable him to draw up readable and highly interesting reports, which, however, may be fantastic inventions from beginning to end.

In such cases it is usual to order the spy to make a second report, or to order three different spies unknown to one another, and to compare results at the conclusion of their respective investigations. It is only by expressing great precautions and spying on its own spies that the central bureau can protect itself from being deceived by the unprincipled individuals who do the degrading work of espionage.

Spies are drawn from all classes of society. Aristocrats, state officials, merchants, teachers, priests, peasants, governesses, are all ready at one time or another to make money by selling useful information. The majority, however, are poor and broken-down men, who fall back on this occupation as the last available means of earning money—in the case of Europe, espionage is carried on chiefly by Jews.

All spies have one quality in common, that of utter unreliability. It has frequently happened that a spy who has been employed for many years, and has procured a great deal of valuable information subsequently proved to be absolutely correct, has at the same time deceived and misled his employers in some important investigation.

The director of a railway in Austria for many years sold military secrets to the Russian government, and his services were valued so highly that he went in and out of the war office in St. Petersburg as free as if it were his own home. He utilized his opportunities to obtain information about Russian military plans, which he then sold to Austria. The spy director carried on this double game for several years before his treachery to both Austria and Russia was discovered. No steps were taken to punish him, and he is now enjoying life on the proceeds of his espionage.

It is said that the twelve best remunerated American actresses during the past season were, in the order named, Maude Adams, Leslie Carter, Julia Marlowe, Mirene Madden, Elsie, Olga Netherole, Miss Allen, May Irwin, Annie Russell, Mary Manning, Ethel Barrymore, Ada Rehan and Henrietta Crosman. I am sorry to say the writer, that Miss Adams came first, Mrs. Carter second and Miss Marlowe third in earnings, if not in their individual shares. Miss Adams and Mrs. Carter were made stars of their managers, and no one knows the terms of the contracts, but it is said that each actress is between \$50,000 and \$75,000 better off than she was a year ago.

Miss Marlowe controls her own business, and all the profits of it accrue to her alone—so it is possible that she goes ahead of the others in money for her own bank account. Miss Netherole, too, is her own manager, but her season was shortened by illness, and I understand that she got out with about \$30,000. Mrs. Fiske's case baffles estimate, owing to peculiar circumstances, but how far up toward the top of the list her name belongs is hard to say. As she divides with her manager, it is possible that she stands fifth in the list, or even fourth, among the female stars with, say, \$25,000 to \$30,000. Miss Fiske is thrifty and invests shrewdly. Viola Allen was in only the second season under her first contract, and Anne Russell, Mary

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

AN ENTERTAINING MEETING.

A well attended and most entertaining meeting of the general committee of the Victoria District City League was held in the Philharmonic hall last evening, when the various clubs were represented as follows: Barracks, Lieut. Smith and S. Hall; Victoria, Messrs. J. W. Lottner, H. Shandley, Columbus, Messrs. A. Netherly and R. Fell, who acted as secretary, North Ward, Messrs. Simpson, W. Winiby and Livingstone; Central school, Messrs. Patterson and Netherby; Columbus H. Messrs. H. Hiscok and E. Wilson; Boys' Brigade, Messrs. J. W. Lottner, H. Shandley, Columbus, Messrs. A. Netherly and R. Fell, who acted as secretary, North Ward, Messrs. Simpson, W. Winiby and Livingstone; Central school, Messrs. Patterson and Netherby; Columbus H. Messrs. H. Hiscok and E. Wilson; Boys' Brigade, Messrs. J. W. Lottner, H. Shandley, Columbus, Messrs. A. Netherly and R. Fell, who acted as secretary, North Ward, Messrs. Simpson, W. Winiby and Livingstone; Central school, Messrs. 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Provincial News

Mining News

Hot Weather Ailment

The remarkable recovery from Chronic Dysentery of Wm. Francis, of Toronto.

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NELSON. E. T. H. Simpkins has prepared his statement of criminal statistics for the past fiscal year.

REVELSTOKE. G. S. McCarter has, as city solicitor, obtained an opinion on the recently passed Water Works Purchase By-law.

GRAND FORKS. The smelter people have dispatched a gang of men to the coal fields with the object of completing the trail and undertaking development work.

VANCOUVER. Mrs. L. Veitch has arrived from Great Slave Lake, and is staying at the Leiland hotel.

The death took place at St. Luke's Home on Sunday afternoon of the infant daughter of Mr. Rickards.

It looked for a time on Sunday night as if a shooting affray was to occur on Dupont street.

NANAIMO. Active preparations are in progress for the approaching fair and celebration. About 200 dogs have been entered for the kennel show.

In the reporters' gallery of the House of Commons a doorknocker sits and he is enabled to furnish the reporters with the name of any member whom they may not happen to know.

Rosslund Camp. The ore shipments for the week ending last night indicate a very creditable increase over the previous week's tonnage.

Table with columns: Ore, Week, Year. Rows include Le Roi, Centre Star, Rosslund G. W., Iron Mask, Homestake, Spitzee, Monte Cristo, Evening Star, Grant, Portland.

Both the Winnipeg and Snowshoe mines are endeavoring to ship at the rate of a car of ore per day.

Last week the B. C. mine began using dump cars for the first time since shipping began, a year and a half ago.

It is reported that at the 600-foot level in the Cariboo, Camp McKinley, the workmen have gone through the faulted ground and found the ledge-iron-ore.

For steamer North Pacific from the Sound - E. V. Hodwell, Mrs. Walte, J. W. Walte, Miss Dunaway, Otto Dunaway, Miss Kopech, T. P. Ayres, Mrs. Ayres, S. A. Spencer, Mrs. Adler, Wm. B. Richards, S. M. O'Neil, M. B. Pentreath, A. E. Partridge, H. H. Ziegler, P. Austin, J. B. Lewis, J. Stafford, A. H. Munbrue, W. Thomas, Mrs. Hansard, Mrs. W. Jones, Mrs. Wm. Roberts, Mrs. Morris, Mrs. McKenzie, Mrs. Geo. Shea, G. Mish.

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TIDE TABLE. Victoria, B. C., September, 1901. (Issued by the Tidal Survey Branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa.)

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Entries close September 23rd, 1901. BEAUMONT BOGGS, Secretary

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LACROSSE MATCH for the Championship of the World Westminister Champions vs. Eastern Champions.

The Royal Marine Band of Italy, consisting of 50 artists, will give a Grand Performance in the Opera House on Thursday Evening, October 3rd, 1901. They have also kindly consented to contribute selections during the afternoon at the Exhibition Ground.

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IN MEMORY OF THE MARTYRED CHIEF

MEMORIAL SERVICES TO-MORROW AFTERNOON

Victorians Will Pay Their Final Tribute to the Dead President—Arrangements in Capable Hands.

A public memorial service will be held to-morrow afternoon in the Victoria theatre, which Manager Jameson has kindly offered for the purpose.

A meeting was held at the United States consulate last night to make the necessary arrangements. There was a large attendance, the desire being to have the service simple, but appropriate and impressive as befits so mournful an occasion.

G. A. Carleton presided and B. A. Hunter, vice-consul, acted as secretary. A committee was appointed, consisting of Messrs. Carleton, United States Consul, Hon. A. E. Smith, and Mr. Lenz, to arrange the details and order of service, which will be completed this afternoon.

Although up till noon the order of the service had not been definitely determined, it is possible to give a general idea of what will take place. The service will open with prayer by Rev. M. Cohen, after which there will be a Bible reading by a clergyman of one of the other denominations. "Lead Kindly Light," Newman's beautiful hymn, and one of the martyr's President's favorites, will then be sung, after which there will be another reading, followed by the hymn, "O God, Our Help in Ages Past."

After prayer, a hymn and another reading, an address will be delivered by Rev. Elliott S. Rowe. There will then be another hymn, "Nearer My God to Thee," after which the consul will deliver a brief address. The proceedings will be concluded by the benediction.

This is only an imperfect draft of the order of service, the parts to be taken by the various clergy respectively not being decided upon.

Among those who will be present will be Rev. Bishop Erdige, Bishop Perrin, Rev. Elliott S. Rowe and Rev. W. L. Clay, while the other city churches will also be represented.

At the meeting last night it was also decided that a badge, the same as that worn by the people in the United States, be furnished each United States citizen here, who will be expected to wear it for 30 days. The badge is of black satin and printed in gold letter on it are the words, "We mourn our loss—McKinley, our beloved President, died September 14th, 1901." These will be in the hands of Vice-Consul B. A. Hunter for distribution after 9 a.m. on Thursday.

The meeting to-morrow afternoon will be held at 3 o'clock in the Victoria theatre, the meeting to be held at 3 o'clock in the Victoria theatre, the meeting to be held at 3 o'clock in the Victoria theatre.

As before mentioned, the service will commence sharply at 3, the United States Consul, Hon. A. E. Smith, presiding. It is therefore urged that those who intend being present should be there in good time. Those in charge of arrangements wish it emphasized that the service will be open to all, no formal invitations being issued.

In this connection Mayor Hayward has issued the following:

As the obsequies of the late President of the United States, Wm. McKinley, will take place on Thursday, the 19th inst., and as he was held in the highest esteem in this country, as well as by the nation and people of whom he was the chief executive and head, and as they are more closely related to us by commerce, consanguinity and language than any nation and people outside the British Empire, I would respectfully request that the citizens of Victoria observe the day as one of mourning, in common with their American brethren, and that pieces of business within the city be closed between the hours of 2.30 and 4.30 p.m. in token of sympathy with the national grief of the people of the United States.

The mayor has also received the following telegram from His Excellency the Governor-General, dated Quebec, today:

The following telegram has been received from the Secretary of State of the United States: "Your communication, by the Governor-General's direction, of the sympathetic message of Mayor Hayward on behalf of the citizens of Victoria is deeply appreciated."

A memorial service for the late President McKinley will be held in Christ Church cathedral to-morrow at 11 a.m.

Glass stoppers in bottles may easily be removed when they have become fixed by pouring hot water over the neck of the bottle. The heat causes the glass to expand, and it being considerably larger than the stopper the latter can be easily withdrawn.

ROASTED ALIVE IN BURNING STABLE

DISASTROUS BLAZE EARLY THIS MORNING

Three Splendid Dray Horses Burned to Death in Fire at Spring Ridge—Structure Totally Destroyed.

A disastrous conflagration occurred in Spring Ridge early this morning in which three valuable dray horses were burned to death. The fire broke out in the stable owned by R. Toneri, on North Pembroke street, near Stanley avenue.

The alarm was turned in from box 46, but when the fire department arrived the flames had gained considerable headway. In fact it is quite probable that two of the unfortunate animals were dead when the alarm was sounded.

The extinguishing chemical and hose reel from No. 2 hall and two hose wagons from headquarters were soon on the scene, and had three streams playing on the fire. Two were from the hydrant and the third from the chemical.

The fire had made too great progress to permit of the saving of the building, which was totally destroyed. The department were active in preventing the spread of the fire to the many residences in the vicinity, which would have been a difficult matter had there been a breeze at the time. At any rate they were signally successful in confining the fire to the one structure.

The loss of the building itself is nothing. The total destruction of the contents and the burning of the three horses will bring the damage up to a considerable amount.

The distinguished chief made an investigation, and found the remains of one of the horses facing the door, and just a short distance away. The others were burned to death in their stalls. It would appear that they were overcome by smoke or that they would have otherwise made more desperate and perhaps successful efforts to escape.

The fact that they were found just where they would justify the assumption that they were overcome by the smoke which poured from the burning stable in great volume.

One of the neighbors heard the horses plunging about, but thought that some of the men were in the stable with them. Another heard similar sounds, and at first thought they were made by his own animal. Investigation showed that this was not the case, and just as he was returning to the house he saw the blaze in Toneri's stable. He at once turned in the alarm.

One of the horses had evidently broken from its fastenings, for it was twice seen to come to the door apparently free to escape. But with strange fatality it turned back to its doom, it being a recognized fact that horses are loath to leave a burning building. This was the animal which was found facing the door, and but a few feet away from security.

The cause of the fire is a mystery. There were several tons of hay inside, and in some manner this caught fire. Besides destroying the horses, the fire consumed several sets of harness, a Gladstone buggy and a large quantity of essential apparatus, which its owner stored in his barn.

The horses were worth probably from \$100 to \$150 each. One of them was smut, a thoroughbred raised on Rithet's farm. This loss, together with that of the harness, vehicles and other outfit, will total the loss up to one thousand dollars. The barn and contents were insured for \$725. The only vehicle saved was Mr. Toneri's express wagon. The firemen were kept on the scene all night with a stream directed on the hay to prevent another outbreak.

In baking, all pies where the contents are liable to soak into the undercrust, such as lemon, custard or pumpkin pie, it is better to put on the lower crust and bake it half done, and then add the custard or other soft filling.

Antizoa, the sixth plagues of Egypt, mentioned in the Bible, is ravaging the lower counties of South Dakota.

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LOOKING FOR SCHOONER.

Vancouverite in Search of a Vessel in Which to Go South.

Frank Burnett, of Vancouver, is in the city for the purpose of chartering a schooner with which to go on a year's cruise in the South Pacific.

fore it is made; consequently there can hardly be the slightest foundation for any such report as exists in the extract which was published yesterday. The amount claimed by the Abby Palmer was \$35,000, for which sum bail was given.

PASSED 15 WORMS. I gave Dr. Lew's Worm Syrup to my little girl two and one-half years old; the result was that she passed fifteen round worms in five days. MRS. B. ROY, Kilmanagh, Ont.



DETACHMENT OF ROYAL HORSE ARTILLERY FROM CHINA.

The cut shows a portion of the men taking up their alignment on the wharf, Victoria, after disembarking from the Yos-ndo, yesterday, prior to marching to Work Point, where they are now encamped. The photo was kindly loaned the Times by George L. Angley.

STOCK QUOTATIONS.

(Published by the B. C. Stock Exchange, Limited.)

New York, Sept. 18.—The following quotations ruled on the Produce Exchange today:

Wheat— Open High Low Close. December 77 77 76 76 1/2. Corn 65 65 64 64 1/2.

New York, Sept. 18.—The following quotations ruled on the Stock Exchange today:

American Sugar 131 125 131 124 1/2. C. M. & St. P. 101 1/4 101 1/4 101 1/4. People's Gas 109 109 108 108. Manhattan 419 120 119 120.

The best way to egg pastry is to turn the whole white of an egg over it, allowing it to pass over every portion, then turning it off. When the white of an egg is used in this way one white will be sufficient to egg three or four pies.

Last year there were 192,735 miles of telegraphic lines, and 932,153 miles of wire in the United States.

MARRIED.

JONES-COWAN.—At Vancouver, on Sept. 16th, by Rev. C. H. M. Sutherland, Morgan Jones and Miss Agnes Cowan.

DIED.

FROMME.—At Vancouver, on Sept. 16th, J. H. Fromme, aged 82 years.

ABBY PALMER DAMAGES.

With reference to the article which appeared in yesterday's edition relating to a large cheque which had been handed by the C. P. R. company to the representatives of the Abby Palmer it is worth while noting that yesterday the plaintiffs only finished placing their evidence before the registrar and merchants in the reference to assess the amount of damages which the plaintiffs claim they had sustained by reason of the collision, and that their report has not yet been made, although no doubt it will not be long before it is made; consequently there can hardly be the slightest foundation for any such report as exists in the extract which was published yesterday.

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Will be received at the office of the undersigned until Monday, the 21st day of October, at 3 p.m.

For furnishing the material necessary for, and constructing, a steel bridge over Victoria Arm, at Point Ellice, in this city.

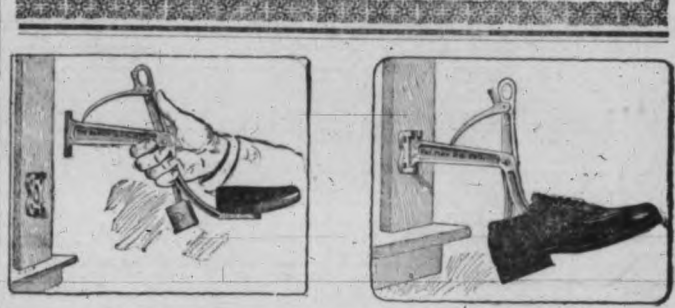
Total length, 600 feet. Width of roadway, 24 feet. The bridge to be suitable for highway and heavy transport.

Full information can be obtained after September 23rd inst. at the office of G. H. Topp, city engineer.

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CONSIGNEES' NOTICE.

Br. Ship "Red-Rock" PORTER, Master. FROM LIVERPOOL.

This vessel will commence discharging cargo at the outer wharf on Tuesday, Sept. 17th, and following days. Consignees are requested to present bills of lading at the office of the undersigned, pay freight, and receive orders for their goods.

All goods remaining on the wharf after 5 o'clock each day, and while on the wharf, will be at the risk of the consignees (thereof respectively, and may be stored at their expense. R. P. RITHEAT & CO., LTD., Agents.

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SEMPLER'S HALL.

In Aid-of St. Saviour's Organ Fund, Punch and Judy Show

ON SATURDAY, SEPT. 21st From 3 to 5.30 p.m., at intervals. Admission: Children, 10c; adults, 25c. In the evening, at 8 o'clock, AN AEG-TION by Mr. Rusby.

Paint and Jolly—Mr. G. O. Pooley. Comic songs, etc. Admission: Something to auction, or 25c.

Chas Hayward, Mayor.