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COMMITTEES ARE ALL BUSY

GENERAL CONFERENCE GETS DOWN TO WORK

Dr. Carman's Address Referred to the Various Committees—A Little Breeze

Last night and all this morning were spent by the delegates to the General Conference in the several committees of the conference dealing with the matters which will later come up for discussion on their reports.

The committees are divided into four groups and to those in each an hour is allotted for meeting in the various rooms in Metropolitan Methodist church and the First Presbyterian church, the board of management of which has kindly granted the use of the building to the conference for committee purposes. The committees on discipline are meeting in the Japanese mission building on Pandora avenue, near the Methodist church.

Yesterday afternoon, at the conclusion of Dr. Carman's address, which had been listened to most closely, the general superintendent offered prayer.

J. A. M. Aikins, K. C., Winnipeg, moved for the reference of the portions of the address relating to committee matters to the several committees affected, and for the appointment of a special committee to deal with the question of the general superintendent and the suggestion that there be two general superintendents, one to be in the west.

Hon. Thomas Crawford, M. P. P., Toronto, speaker of the Ontario legislature, seconded this and the motion carried unanimously.

Prof. Frank Allen, Manitoba University, seconded by Rev. Dr. Speer, moved a vote of thanks to Dr. Carman.

Rev. James Allen, Toronto, raised the question that this was equivalent to an endorsement of all that was in the address and said there were statements in it that were not true to facts, as for example, one regarding Professor Workman and Metropolitan church, Toronto.

This created quite a little breeze in conference and it looked for a little while as if the pros and cons of higher criticism were going to be thrashed out. But the general superintendent is too good a chairman for that and he held the speakers down to the point of order. This was disposed of as not having anything in it and the motion for a vote of thanks carried unanimously.

The body of the church is being reserved for delegates during the daily sessions and the galleries are open to the public. The hours of meeting are: morning, 9 to 12; afternoon, 2.30 to 5.30; evening, 8 to 10.

THIRTY-NINE PERSONS PERISH

SPANISH STEAMER SINKS OFF GIBRALTAR

Goes Down After Collision in Fog, Which Hampers Work of Rescue

(Times Leased Wire.) Gibraltar, Aug. 15.—Thirty-two passengers and seven of the crew of the Spanish steamer *Mortens* were drowned to-day when the ship sank near Tarifa Point after a collision with the German steamer *El Sa*. Heavy fog enshrouded the vessel, causing the accident and preventing the crew of the *El Sa* from saving many of the *Mortens*' passengers or crew.

NEW YORK REPUBLICANS

Proposal to Have Roosevelt as Temporary Chairman Defeated by State Committee.

New York, Aug. 15.—Vice-President James S. Sherman will be temporary chairman of the New York Republican convention at Saratoga September 27th. The state committee defeated Lloyd C. Griscom's motion to name Roosevelt by a vote of 29 to 15.

Barnes proposed the name of Sherman, and Griscom at once presented the name of Roosevelt, moving that the selection be deferred until the night before the convention.

A strange vote procedure followed. The motion to defer the selection was beaten by a vote of 23 to 12. Griscom's motion to substitute the name of Roosevelt for Sherman was then defeated.

This was Roosevelt's second defeat since his return from Africa. Griscom figured in both defeats, each of which could have been avoided. The first defeat was when the direct primary bill, which Roosevelt favored and supported, failed of passage in the New York legislature.

FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE

Funeral of the Heroine of the Crimea Will Be Private.

London, Aug. 15.—The executors of the estate of Florence Nightingale, the heroine of the Crimean war, to-day refused to allow a public funeral and interment at Westminster Abbey. This action is in accordance with a request made by Mrs. Nightingale on her deathbed.

ALL IS READY FOR LAURIER

CAPITAL CITY AWAITS THE PRIME MINISTER

Is Assured of a Right Royal Welcome From All Classes in Community

The Capital City of British Columbia, after weeks of preparation for the historic event, is ready to extend the hand of welcome to Canada's foremost citizen and great Imperial statesman—the Right Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier. That the welcome will be a memorable one, that it will eclipse in point of eclat the similar efforts of the citizens of any other province in the Dominion, and that it will take the form of a striking tribute from all the people of this westernmost province to the genius and ability of one who has been aptly termed: "Canada's Greatest Optimist," is assured beyond doubt.

Party ties are submerged for the time, and the whole people are united in the determination to do honor to one who has by common consent devoted with conspicuous success his whole life to the welfare of the Dominion of Canada. Eloquent testimony to the complete obliteration of all party feeling is furnished by the action of Premier McBride as the head of the Conservative government of British Columbia. The premier has made arrangements for a public reception to the prime minister on a scale which could hardly be exceeded were the guest of the day a member of the royal family.

Sir Wilfrid is expected to reach the city between four and five o'clock tomorrow afternoon, coming from Vancouver on the Princess Charlotte, which will leave the Terminal City at 1 p.m.

On arrival at the dock the prime minister will be met by the mayor and council and a deputation representing the Liberal Association. Here Sir Wilfrid will be presented with an address by his Worship Mayor Morley, and given the freedom of the city. On the conclusion of this ceremony he will be escorted to the Empress hotel.

To-morrow evening Sir Wilfrid will be the guest of the provincial government at a public reception to be held in the legislative buildings. In this connection the following notices are published by authority: "The public of British Columbia and visitors are cordially invited to meet the Right Honorable Sir Wilfrid Laurier, G. C. M. G., P. C., premier of Canada, at a public reception to be tendered by the premier and members of the executive council of the government of British Columbia, in the parliament buildings, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 17th instant at 9 p.m. HENRY ESSON YOUNG, Provincial Secretary. (Concluded on page 15.)"

TROOPS AGAIN ON DUTY AT COLUMBUS

Militia Will Be Called Upon Only in Event of Rioting Taking Place

(Times Leased Wire.) Columbus, Ohio, Aug. 15.—Three platoons of the Columbus police department were dismissed from the force to-day by Director of Public Safety McCune for their refusal to man street cars operated by strike breakers Friday. The men pleaded guilty to charges of insubordination.

With the militia camped on the capitol grounds and with automobiles carrying mounted howitzers for emergency service, Columbus again took on a martial air. The troops will not be used to patrol the street car tracks or man the cars. They will be held under arms for riot duty only.

The First Ohio Infantry arrived here this morning and went into camp.

DEW WILL PROBABLY SAIL ON THURSDAY

Scotland Yard Detective Now at Liberty to Remove His Prisoners

(Times Leased Wire.) Quebec, Aug. 15.—Canadian officials to-day said that Inspector Dew, of Scotland Yard, is privileged to remove whenever he desires. It is thought the detectives will take them to the steamship bound for England on Thursday.

Dew was visibly relieved when he learned that Dr. Crippen had not fought extradition. He said he expected to arrive in London Tuesday or Wednesday of next week. His prisoners will be placed in Holloway jail.

Recently the prisoners complained that they were not getting good food. They complained of the prison menu and were served at the governor's table. Crippen and Miss Leneve will travel to England first class, probably aboard the steamer Royal Edward.

EARTHQUAKE IN FRANCE

Mutiez, France, Aug. 15.—A severe earthquake was felt here to-day, but no damage was reported. For a time the population was disquieted. Order, however, was soon restored.



WELCOME!

WILL GET NO COMPENSATION

MANY FORT STREET OWNERS ARE DEBARRED

Somewhat Sensational Report on Widening Scheme Presented to the Council

That a very large number of the property owners on Fort street are debarred from seeking compensation for expropriation of lands and damages to buildings in connection with the carrying out of the scheme of the widening and improvement of that thoroughfare was the somewhat sensational report submitted to the city council last evening by City Solicitor McDiarmid, City Engineer Smith and City Assessor Northcott. The reason of the refusal of compensation is that no claims were filed within the time-limit set by the bylaw for the reception of such claims.

On the report being read Ald. McKewen expressed surprise that it was proposed to stop the owners mentioned from securing equal treatment with others who had complied with the strict letter of the law.

To this the city solicitor remarked that apparently the owners who had failed to file claims did not want any compensation. No other conclusion could be drawn. He added, however, that there was a way by which the said owners might obtain the compensation but it was not part of the duty of the city solicitor to advise them what course to pursue.

The joint report of the three officials read as follows: "Victoria, B. C., Aug. 15, '10. To His Worship the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen of the City of Victoria: Sirs,—We the undersigned have gone over the claims put in for compensation for expropriation of lands and damages to buildings filed under bylaw No. 62, Fort Street Widening, and beg to report as follows:—

1. No claims have been received from the following:—Annie M. Brown, Colbert Plumbing and Heating Co., J. A. Sayward, Jas. Doughty, Mary Hamilton, Geo. McCann, ERIC CAMPBELL, R. and D. Mackenzie, A. G. Howard-Potts, H. & W. Hague, G. Halford, Geo. W. Anderson, H. T. Knott, Agnes O'Keefe, J. H. Sanders and M. Crne, T. D. Veitch and R. F. Clarke, A. Peden and Chas. Cooper, P. J. Robinson (west part 1012), Thos. Pimley, Mary A. Charles, L. C. Rattray, A. E. Todd, Mary A. Booth, E. M. Duggan, R. H. Swinerton et al., Ed. C. Smith et al., Hayward & Dods, W. G. Norris, W. H. Harris, Jos. Hardisty, W. E. Scott, R. Beard et al.

EFFICIENCY COMPETITION FOR FIELD BATTERIES

Eighth Brigade, of Ottawa, Captures the First Two Positions and Prizes

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, Aug. 15.—While full details of the results of the general efficiency competition for Canadian field batteries have not yet been announced, it is now learned that the 8th brigade, Ottawa, composed of two Ottawa batteries, and the 23rd, landed the two first positions and prizes for general efficiency this year. The second battery was first with 650 points, and 23rd was second with 637 points. The next highest dropped to 577 points. The eighth brigade made up of two successful batteries is commanded by Lieut.-Col. Morrison, D. S. O., editor of the Ottawa Citizen.

ESSAYS FLIGHT FROM PARIS TO LONDON

English Aviator Forced to Descend After Travelling Seventy Miles

(Times Leased Wire.) Paris, Aug. 15.—Hubert Latham, the English aviator, left Paris to-day, rising from the Issy parade ground, bound for London in his airship. It is the first time this feat has been attempted, and for its successful performance the London Mail has offered a prize of \$25,000. Latham gave no warning of his plans. He ascended at 8 a. m., setting a straight course for the coast at a swift pace. By rail and sea the shortest distance between the French and English capitals is 259 miles. Latham expects to lessen this by 20 miles in his air flight without stopping. After 70 miles speedy flight Latham was forced on account of trouble with his motor to alight at Amiens. Le Bleu, Aubrun and Le Gagneux, the only remaining contestants in Le Matin's great cross country race, greeted Latham at Amiens. Latham will continue his flight to London this afternoon.

MAYOR GAYNOR

To-Day's Bulletin States the Patient's Condition is Satisfactory.

Hoboken, N. J., Aug. 15.—Mayor Gaynor's night was restful and his condition is satisfactory, said the official bulletin issued at 8.30 o'clock this morning. Respiration practically normal. The bulletin was signed by Doctors Aultz and Brewer. Mayor Gaynor slept well during the night and seemed stronger to-day, said Secretary Adamson. Then he hastily qualified the statement by saying: "What I mean is that he is not getting any worse and this is a very hopeful sign."

SUSPECTED HORSE THIEF IS SHOT

SLAIN WHILE FLEEING FROM RANCHMEN

(Times Leased Wire.) Klamath Falls, Ore., Aug. 15.—With his "pal," Al Demose, in a grave in the forest near Dairy, where he was shot by a posse of ranchers, Bernard Kuhl is in the county jail here to-day awaiting the arrival of Lake County officials who will return him to Lake county to face a charge of horse stealing.

For several weeks ranchers in the vicinity of Silver Lake had been suspicious of Demose and Kuhl, whom they suspected of horse stealing. Later, a number of horses were missed and the farmers organized a posse and started to search for the two strangers.

Taking two Indians as guides, the ranchers trailed the men for 125 miles over the mountains until the missing horses were found in a pasture near Dairy.

The ranchmen threw out guards around the corral and soon afterward Demose was seen approaching. He was ordered to halt by a member of the party. Instead of obeying the man started to run and was shot down. Kuhl fled into the hills, where he remained hidden until the arrival of Deputy Sheriff Shallock whom he knew. Kuhl surrendered to the deputy, saying he would have given himself up to the posse, but feared that the angered ranchers would have shot him.

MUST SPEAK ESPERANTO

Paris, Aug. 15.—In executive session the Aero Club of France passed an ironclad rule requiring ability to speak Esperanto fluently before an aviator's license can be issued to an applicant. Without a license no aviator can participate in official aerial meets in France.

This action has been taken on account of the difficulty experienced at Mourmelon Le Grand, where the various aviation schools are located and where nearly every progressive nationality is represented. Some of the students were utterly at sea in their classes before Esperanto was introduced.

BODY FOUND IN SACK

Missoula, Mont., Aug. 15.—Certain that the man was murdered, county officials to-day began an investigation in an effort to ascertain the identity of a body which was found sewn in a gunny sack on the Zimmerman ranch, near Bonner, yesterday.

The body was found in an abandoned outhouse. The arms protruded from the seams of the sack. The coroner and county attorney have left for the scene.

PROPOSED COPPER TRUST

London, Aug. 15.—American and British magnates are reported to be preparing to organize a \$200,000,000 copper trust, according to the Evening Standard to-day.

It is said that conferences recently were held at the Hotel Ritz attended by Thomas F. Ryan and Samuel Untermyer. No details of the alleged combination are given by the Standard.

BRITISH COLUMBIA WELCOMES SIR WILFRID

Canada's Prime Minister Receives Letter of Greeting From Premier McBride When He Crosses Boundary—Arrival at Vancouver

(Special to the Times.) Rogers Pass, B. C., Aug. 15.—Immediately on crossing the provincial border Sir Wilfrid Laurier was handed a telegram from Premier McBride welcoming him to British Columbia on behalf of the province. The provincial Conservative member, H. G. Parsons, also visited the premier's car and presented him with a letter of greeting from Premier McBride. Sir Wilfrid conveyed his appreciation of the courtesy to the visiting member and dispatched a direct telegram of thanks to Premier McBride at Victoria.

Hon. W. Templeman and Ralph Smith, M. P., joined the premier's party at noon.

Trip Through Rockies. Golden, Aug. 15.—After a Sunday rest in Banff Sir Wilfrid Laurier and party proceeded westward yesterday morning on the picturesque and winding trail of steel through the Rockies. After weeks on the hot prairies, the cold, clear altitude of the mountains was keenly appreciated. The premier spent much time on the rear platform of his car in enthusiastic admiration of the great snowclad, piercing peaks. At every stop—Lagan, the Great Divide, Field, Emerald, Leachhol, Palliser, Glenogle, Donald, Six Mile Creek, Rogers Pass, Glacier, Ross Peak, Albert Canyon, and on to Revelstoke—the premier alighted wherever possible, threw back his shoulders and peered to and fro inhaling the rare mountain air.

"Glorious," he observed enthusiastically to Hon. Geo. Graham, as they walked together. "What a grand country we have; what a heritage!" At Kicking Horse Pass he directed attention to a series of nature's giant steeples, expressing the wish that the scene could be adequately transferred to canvas.

No meetings were held yesterday. At all stops groups of people had gathered to meet the premier, but Sir Wilfrid was not in the spirit of speech-making. Instead he frequently descended to platforms and heartily shook hands with everyone.

Early in the day news of the fire at the International Exhibition at Brussels reached the train and Sir Wilfrid made several anxious inquiries as to the fate of the Canadian building.

Nearing the Pacific coast the premier is in the best of health and spirits. "I don't know that I ever enjoyed a trip more," he said to-day. "It has been alike a revelation and an education."

Due to reach Vancouver to-day and proceeding to Victoria the following evening, the party has been advised that Premier McBride and the government officials of British Columbia will entertain on Wednesday evening. British Columbia's action in this respect will be the first province governmental reception of the tour and the action of Premier McBride has met with many expressions of appreciation from members of the party.

Sir Wilfrid and Mr. Graham will also participate in a function the touring press representatives propose to tender to the Pardee at the coast.

At Golden, Sir Wilfrid, following a drive on a mountain trail, addressed a gathering from a platform on Main street, and met two maids, 12 and 14 years of age, who had ridden some seven miles through the mountains to hear the premier. They were both mounted one behind the other on the same pony. The premier bespoke a greeting of the east to the far west, culogized the glories of the scenery and appealed to the people to establish and maintain a high standard of Canadianism.

Short addresses were made by Hon. G. P. Graham and Mr. E. M. Macdonald.

Arrival at Vancouver. Vancouver, Aug. 15.—On his first visit to the Pacific Coast in nine years, Sir Wilfrid Laurier arrived here shortly after noon to-day. Ten thousand spectators lined the streets from the station to Dominion hall, where the Premier attended a public luncheon. In the procession were all political credits as politics are to be a tabooed subject during the visit. Indians from every tribe along the coast in their warpaint were in the triumphal procession from the station. After delivering an address at the luncheon, Premier Laurier went out to Hastings, where he officially declared Vancouver's first exhibition open. This evening Sir Wilfrid Laurier will address ten thousand people in the horse show building.

IMPERIAL VETERANS' ASSOCIATION GROWS

Total Enrollment of the New Organization is Approaching 2,000 Mark

(Special to the Times.) Winnipeg, Aug. 15.—A meeting of the executive of the Imperial Veterans' Association appointed Lieut. Estine N. Pictouward organizer and local chairman for Vancouver and district with power to enroll veterans. On return of a roll a company number will be allotted the district. A considerable number of British Columbia veterans have already applied and been enrolled at headquarters. Following districts have organized companies and have been allotted numbers according to the priority of organization: At Prince Albert, No. 13, Capt. J. Walton; at Lloydminster, No. 12, Capt. J. Greenow; at Morden, No. 13, Major Forrest; at Grenfell, No. 14, Capt. Weldon. The total enrollment has long passed the 1,500 and is now approaching the 2,000 mark.

TWO MEN LOSE LIVES WHILE BATHING

Get Beyond Their Depth and Drown Before Assistance Reaches Them

(Special to the Times.) Brockville, Aug. 15.—A double drowning accident occurred at Crippen Lake on the Rideau chain, the victims being two young men named Harry Raymond and John Carlyle. They with three others were bathing and getting beyond their depth were drowned before assistance could reach them. Neither could swim. The bodies were recovered. Raymond leaves a wife and three small children.

TWO PRIESTS PERISH

Winnipeg, Aug. 15.—Two Roman Catholic priests, Father August Welch and Joseph Nicholas, attached to the Lesser Slave Lake mission, were drowned yesterday in the Smoky river.

TROLLEY CARS COLLIDE

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Aug. 15.—In a head-on collision between two trolley cars on the gorge road last evening nine persons were injured, one seriously.

CANADA'S TRADE WITH GERMANY

INCREASE FOLLOWS REMOVAL OF SURTAX

Returns for Three Months Issued by Trade Department at Ottawa

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, Aug. 15.—The declaration of commercial peace between Canada and Germany does not appear to have yet produced much improvement in trade between the two countries. There was a small increase in the import of each country, the larger being imports by Germany of Canadian goods. During the three months following the removal of the surtax Germany imported Canadian goods to the amount of \$1,982,725. In the same time Canada imported German goods to the value of \$94,754. July figures have not been completed, but indicate that trade is on the increase.

CRUSHED TO DEATH

Engineer Killed in Wreck of Freight Train Near Everett—Fireman Injured.

Everett, Wash., Aug. 15.—Engineer Barney Finnegan, of Seattle, was killed and Fireman Bowers slightly injured in a Northern Pacific freight wreck at Arlington, 30 miles north of here, at 4.30 this morning. The wreck occurred 100 yards from the depot, where the Burlington branch leaves the main line, and was caused by spreading rails. Finnegan's body will be taken to Seattle. The engine overturned, crushing Finnegan under it.

CROSSED ALPS IN BALLOON

Turin, Aug. 15.—Captain Spalterini, Louis Rouschelle and Dr. Ethaff are returning home after crossing the Alps in their balloon, said to be one of the most remarkable trips of its kind on record.

The aeronauts reached an altitude of 15,000 feet and travelled 125 miles in six hours.

LECTURED BY MAGISTRATE

Port Arthur, Aug. 15.—Eleven militiamen were in the police court here for neglecting to attend parade, but were allowed to go after a severe talking from the magistrate, and their captain accepting the various excuses for their absence.

(Special to the Times.)

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SLOWEST ON RECORD. Schooner Luduska Took 32 Days to Sail From New Brunswick to Boston. Boston, Aug. 15.—When the schooner Luduska, 59 years old, Captain Small, arrived in Boston Harbor a day or two ago, all records for slow sailing had gone by the board.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. F. H. Mayhew and son, of "Glenwood," Gorge, road, left on Friday on an extended visit to eastern Canada. The break in the long distance telephone cable, which occurred a few days ago at a point between Shaw and San Juan Islands, was repaired this morning.

Permits have been granted by the clerk of the municipality of Oak Bay to Walter Millington for a story and a half house of six rooms, to be erected on Willows road by Wm. F. Drysdale, to cost \$2,500, and to Ed. Codling for a five-roomed cottage on Bee street, to cost \$1,500.

While being driven in the fire drill early this morning the fire engine of the Victoria fire brigade ran against the curb at the corner of Government and Johnson streets and overturned. Damage to the suction hose amounting to about \$25 or \$30 was sustained. The repairs will be effected by to-morrow.

The amount of taxes collected in the Oak Bay municipality up to the last day of July amounted to \$16,099. The amount which was collectable was \$17,372, so the collections up to that date amounted to 91 per cent. of the total. Since that some payments have been made, although the persons doing so do not get the one-sixth rebate.

GRENADEIERS' BAND. (Special to the Times.) London, Aug. 16.—The Grenadiers' band which is to play at the Toronto exhibition sails by the Royal Guelph on Thursday.

STREET RAILWAY STRIKE PROBABLE

W. Mackenzie Refuses to Grant the Demands of Employees at Toronto

(Special to the Times.) Toronto, Aug. 16.—There is no hope that the terms offered by W. Mackenzie will be accepted by the street railway men. The men ask for an increase of five cents an hour on their present rating. Mr. Mackenzie has offered them one cent an hour all round and has declined to go any further.

FOREST FIRES COST \$7,000 A DAY

Enormous Drain on United States Treasury as Result of Conflagrations (Times Leased Wire.) Washington, D. C., Aug. 16.—Seven thousand dollars a day is what it is costing the government to fight the forest fires in the northwest according to estimates given out to-day by the forestry service.

STILL AT LIBERTY

(Special to the Times.) Toronto, Aug. 16.—A man answering the description of Moir, the escaped murderer from Hamilton asylum, went to Gardner's refreshment booth at Riverdale park yesterday and ordered ice cream. Then he wanted two dishes, finally wanted four dishes and eventually declined to pay for them.

SASKATCHEWAN GRAIN CROP.

(Special to the Times.) Moose Jaw, Sask., Aug. 16.—With favorable weather harvesting will be general in Moose Jaw district this week. A good deal of grain was cut last week, and farmers everywhere were panning on starting the binders yesterday morning. Rain, however, prevented this. Heavy showers fell again during last night, and the weather is threatening to-day.

FOUND DEAD NEAR RAILWAY.

(Special to the Times.) Ogilvie, Man., Aug. 16.—The body of an unknown man, supposed to be a harvester, was found alongside the railway track near here this morning. It is presumed that he fell from a westbound Canadian Northern express which passed through shortly after midnight. The remains were discovered by trainmen on a westbound freight. Coroner Rose, of Gladstone, is investigating the case.

KING EDWARD MEMORIAL.

(Special to the Times.) London, Aug. 16.—Lord Strathcona has been appointed on the committee in connection with the memorial to King Edward which is to be established in London.

WINNIPEG GRAIN.

(Special to the Times.) Winnipeg, Aug. 16.—Wheat—Oct., 1910; 1911; Dec., 1910; 1911; May, 1910; 1911; Cash close, 1 Nor., 1911; 2 Nor., 1911; 3 Nor., 1911; 2 W. oats, 57; flax, 230.

BIG DEAL RUMORED.

Philadelphia, Aug. 16.—That the Canadian Pacific Railway Company purchased the Allan Line Steamship Company for more than \$7,000,000 last Wednesday, is a report current here to-day.

KING ALFONSO'S HOLIDAY.

Spanish Ruler Reported to be Preparing for an Indefinite Stay in England. London, Aug. 16.—Believing that neither state nor church will yield in their controversy over religious liberty in Spain, King Alfonso is reported as preparing to make an indefinite stay in England. It is said the Spanish ruler has ordered apartments prepared in London which he will occupy with his suite until the crisis in Spain has passed.

Reports from Rome indicate that there is hope for a peaceful settlement. The archbishop of Seville, the Spanish primate, has been instructed by the Holy See to prepare a new note emanating from the Vatican for presentation to Premier Canalejas.

LONG DROUGHT BROKEN IN KENORA DISTRICT

First Heavy Rain Since March—Fires in Standing Timber Quenched

(Special to the Times.) Kenora, Ont., Aug. 16.—The first heavy rain since March visited this district last night when the precipitation between eight in the evening and four in the morning amounted to considerably over two inches. It was accompanied by a violent electrical display which put the power plant out of business for some time and plunged the town in darkness. The rain has quenched the numerous fires which have been running through standing timber in many localities.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

EXHIBITION—See the pen pictures of Hon. Premier McBride's Education Department shown in the circular entitled "A Shocking Example—Set to the Pupils of the Public Schools." J. N. Muir, a16

PIANO AND THEORY—Special Conservatory graded course for beginners. Music provided for dances, etc. Miss Norrish, 2616 Rose street, a22

REGULAR MEETING of the Laborers' Protective Union on Friday evening. Important business. Don't miss it. a15

NEAR GEORGE JAY SCHOOL—Lot 5012, facing two streets, water on both, going at \$25 on terms. L. W. Bick, Broad street, a16

WANTED—Good second-hand safe. Address P. O. Box 1545, city. a18

RESPECTABLE WOMAN, with 7-year-old girl, wishes situation as housekeeper for gentleman or man and wife, where the child would not be objected to. Box 555, Times Office. a16

TO LET—Two roomed cottage. Apply 144 Ladysmith street. a15

I KNOW WHAT I'M SELLING—I've been over the ground. I've Al. Fort Alberni town lots \$5 each, \$25 cash, balance \$10 monthly. P. O. Box 250. a16

PORT ALBERNI town lots continue to move. I'm steadily selling mine at \$25 each; \$50 cash for a block of five, balance \$15 monthly; L. W. Bick, Broad street, a16

BEST SUIT IN THE CITY for \$30. Unique Tailoring Co., 60 Fort St. a15

WANTED—Everybody to get their suits cleaned and pressed at the Unique Tailoring Co., 60 Fort street. Goods called for and delivered to any part of the city. a15

FOR SALE—2 brass mounted iron bedsteads, springs and mattresses, \$25 and \$15. At Butler's, 94 Yates St., corner Quadra. a16

SEWING MACHINES made as good as new. Wilson's Repair Shop, Cornorant street. a15

SEE JONES for motor shafts and small buildings, built in sections. Capital Carpentering Factory, Yates street. a15

ROOM TO LET—At 32 James street, with every convenience; close to car and beach. a15

MOUNT TOLMIE—2 acres or over, good three roomed cottage, stable and four foot pick this season's fruit now, 20 feet road frontage, \$5,000, terms if desired. Harman & Appleton, 54 Yates St. a22

IN THE CENTRE OF JAMES BAY, near park and water front, nearly two acres, beautifully treed, and house, very cheap. For particulars apply Harman & Appleton, 54 Yates street. a22

FOR SALE—Capital American organ, 19 stops, in walnut case, good maker, will accept \$10 cash and try at 14 Dallas road, E. Frampton. a16

COOK STREET, near George Jay school, lot 40120 for \$50, easy terms. Good buying, this. L. W. Bick. a16

TO LET—Furnished rooms and board. Maplehurst, 1377 Blanchard street. a19

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Notice IN THE ESTATE OF ADELAIDE SIMPSON, DECEASED. All persons having claims against the estate of the above named deceased are required to send particulars thereof, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of September, 1910. Dated this 16th day of August, 1910. YATES & JAY, 546 Bastion St., Victoria, B. C., Solicitors for Alexander Thomson, the Executor.

Corporation of the District of Oak Bay

TENDERS FOR SIDEWALKS AND SEWER.

Tenders, sealed, endorsed and addressed to the undersigned, from whom copies of specifications, etc., may be obtained, will be received up to twelve noon on Monday, the 22nd day of August, 1910, for the construction of PERMANENT SIDEWALKS—Monterey avenue, N. (east and west sides); Hampshire road, N. (east side); Brighton avenue (south side); SEWER—Monterey avenue, S. (from Oak Bay avenue to Saratoga avenue). Tenders must be accompanied by a certified cheque equivalent to 5 per cent. of the amount of the tender. The Council do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender. R. FOWLER, Engineer, Law Chambers, Bastion Street, Victoria, B. C.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE Municipal Bye-Election, 1910

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Municipality of the City of Victoria, that I require the presence of the said Electors in the Court Room at the City Hall, in the aforesaid City on Wednesday, the 24th day of August, 1910 from 12 (noon) to 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing a person to represent them in the Municipal Council as Alderman for Ward No. 2 to fill the vacancy caused by the Resignation of Mr. Wm. Henry Russell Humber. The mode of nomination of Candidates shall be as follows: The Candidates shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of the notice and 2 p. m. of the day of the Nomination, and in the event of a poll being necessary such poll will be open on Saturday, the 27th day of August, 1910, from 9 o'clock a. m. to 7 p. m. in the manner following: For the office of ALDERMAN for Ward No. 2, in the Police Court at the City Hall, of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly. The persons qualified to be nominated for and elected as ALDERMAN of the City of Victoria shall be such persons as are male British Subjects of the full age of Twenty-one years, and are not disqualified under any law, and have been for the six months next preceding the day of nomination the registered owner in the Land Registry Office of Land or Real Property in the City of Victoria of the assessed value on the last Municipal Assessment Roll of Five Hundred Dollars, or more, over and above any registered judgment or charge, and who are otherwise duly qualified as Municipal voters. Given under my hand at Victoria, British Columbia, this 16th day of August, 1910. WM. W. NORTHCOOT, Returning Officer.

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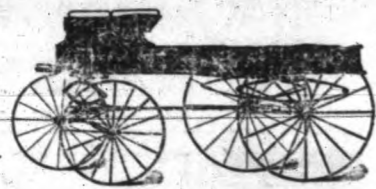
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LOGGERS HAVE NARROW ESCAPE

Forced to Flee From Camp on Valdes Island, They Take Refuge on Beach

Vancouver, Aug. 16.—One hundred loggers employed in the camp of the Hastings mill on Valdes Island, 100 miles up the coast, last Saturday had to board a logging train and through blinding smoke and angry flames seek refuge on the beach at Granite Bay, five miles away.

hour and a half, destroying valuable standing timber. It cleared a path-way a mile wide.

The loggers abandoned their camp after loading their supplies and donkey engine on flat cars. The run to the beach was made down grade at a record speed. They had a close call.

WILL TRY TO SWIM CHANNEL

London, Aug. 16.—Charles B. Durbarrow of Philadelphia, has been engaged by several British sporting men to attempt to swim the English channel within the next few months. Durbarrow will start from Dover and will be accompanied by several tenders. Durbarrow is holder of the long distance record, having recently swam 32 miles without a rest and against a strong current part of the distance. He uses the trudgeon stroke and oils his body before entering the water.

BIG BATCH OF MONEY BY-LAWS

POLLING DAY SET FOR AUGUST 29TH

Very Important Measures to Be Submitted to Judgment of Ratepayers

On Monday, August 29, at the premises of John Meston, Broad street, the ratepayers of the city will be asked to pass judgment upon seven important by-laws, making appropriations for large public works. These measures, which were reconsidered and finally passed at last evening's meeting of the city council, are as follows:

The School Loans by-law, to raise \$45,000 for additions to the Victoria West and Kingston street schools and the erection of a school on the Bank street site.

The Spring Ridge High School site by-law, to transfer city property there to the school board and grant a sum of money to the board.

The Sewer Loan by-law, to raise \$50,000 for sewer construction.

The Public Convenience by-law, for \$20,000 to erect a public convenience on the plot of land at the northwest corner of the Causeway.

The Isolation Hospital by-law, for \$15,000 to alter and add to the Isolation hospital, the provincial government contributing \$5,000 towards the work.

The Dallas Road Foreshore by-law, for \$75,000 to erect a proper retaining wall, towards the cost of which the provincial government will contribute \$25,000.

The Underground Telephone by-law, whereunder \$100,000 will be raised to permit of the putting of the present overhead system underground in the downtown section.

In connection with the Dallas Road Improvement by-law, Angus Smith, the city engineer, reported that the plans for the work have advanced to the point where the cost should be estimated. This cost he figured at \$100,000. At first it had been the idea to incorporate the old sea wall in the new one, but the government engineers and himself, after investigation, concluded that it would be inadvisable to do so. Therefore in some portions it will be necessary to throw down the old wall upon the beach as debris where it will be useful in breaking the force of the waves. In order to meet the erosion of the old sea wall at or about high water mark it has been thought advisable to insert a granite butt about 750 feet in length and with a depth of five feet.

INQUIRY INTO LONDON MYSTERY

Death of Coroner Thomas Results in Rehearing of the Preliminary Testimony

London, Aug. 16.—Owing to the death of Coroner Thomas, it was found necessary yesterday to rehear the preliminary testimony in the inquest into the death of a woman believed to have been Mrs. Belle Elmore Crippen. Experts testified that the woman, in life, was of Mrs. Crippen's size and that she died after a surgical operation. After three hours of testimony, Deputy Coroner Schroder adjourned further hearings until September 8th, at the request of Solicitor Newton, representing Dr. H. H. Crippen, accused of his wife's murder. Mr. Newton explained he wanted an opportunity to go into the case with his client.

Solicitor Williams represented the prosecution and Solicitor J. H. Watts acted in behalf of Miss Ethel Claire Leneve, who fled to Canada with the accused man.

THE POPE CONFIDENT

Rome, Aug. 16.—There were no developments yesterday in the controversy between the Vatican and the Spanish government. On account of the religious festivities all work at the Vatican was suspended, and the Pope gave no audiences.

Cardinal Merry Del Val, the Papal secretary of state, remained throughout the day at his summer residence on Monte Mario, but he was in communication with the Pope for a brief period by telephone in the afternoon. He did not expect to return to Rome until Friday morning, when he will receive the diplomatic representatives.

The Pope again expressed confidence in ultimate success in the fight.

ATTORNEYS LIBERATED

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 16.—After five days of "durance vile" in the county jail, serving the sentence imposed upon them by Judge Lawlor for contempt of court, Attorneys A. A. Moore, Stanley Moore and J. J. Barrett, again are free men. The expense of Patrick Calhoun, the lawyer's client, of their sojourn behind the bars is estimated at \$1,221.

The three defenders of the traction magnate had no complaint to make of their treatment during their enforced detention, but at the same time they manifested no sorrow at leaving their quarters.

STARTS FOR ATLANTIC

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 16.—Accompanied by the California, Colorado and Pennsylvania, the big cruiser Washington is bucking the seas to-day on the first stage of her coast-to-coast cruise. At Valparaiso, Chile, the four fighting ships will take part in the celebration of the Chilean centennial.

From Valparaiso the Washington will head toward the Horn, take the perilous passage through the straits of Magellan and drop anchor in Hampton Roads on November 15th.

The casualties followed a fire which gutted the city's largest department store. As Mayor Robinson approached the building to inspect the firemen to stop further work a large section of the brick wall buckled and fell, crushing Robinson and Ware, and knocking down the other men. Mrs. Robinson witnessed the accident from the sidewalk.

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Reception and Garden Party

TIMELY ARRIVAL OF NOVELTIES

We have received by parcel post from London and Paris shipments of dainty novelties, which enable us to offer the ladies of Victoria some really exquisite finishing touches to the costumes to be worn at the Reception and Garden Party in honor of Sir Wilfrid Laurier this week.

The Most popular neckwear in Paris is the Pacquinette Scarf. Made of black satin lined with white satin and trimmed with tassel ends. We offer these exclusive novelties at \$3.75, \$6.50 \$9.50

SILVER AND GOLD SPANGLED CHIFFON SCARVES, in Nile, white and sky, at \$3.50... \$4.75	BLACK CHIFFON OVER DRESDEN SILK, in dark red, and blue, at... \$12.50	SCARVES WITH PERSIAN BORDERS AND PERSIAN ENDS, in self colors, at \$6.50, \$7.50... \$8.50
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Fall Costumes of Latest Designs and Shades Arriving Daily

TWO PROBABLY PERISHED IN FOREST FIRE

Man and His Wife Missing Since Home Was Destroyed by Flames

Spokane, Wash., Aug. 16.—Two companies of the 25th Infantry from Fort George, Wright, Spokane, reached Wallace yesterday. One of them remained there and the other was sent into the St. Joe district, to assist in extinguishing the fires that have threatened the 'Coeur d'Alene' national forest with destruction for the past two weeks.

Two persons, Joseph Burzinsky and wife, are reported missing on the Big Creek of the San Jose river. Many settlers were driven from their homes, among them being the Burzinskys. As their ranch house was the first to go and they have not been seen since the fire swept away their home, it is feared that they perished in the flames.

Five homes and three timber claims have been destroyed by the fire adjacent to the big creek.

At Wallace, Idaho, hundreds of pounds of dynamite, hung from the limbs of trees on the high points surrounding the city were exploded Sunday afternoon in the hope that the explosion might cause rain to check the fires. It is said to have produced the desired result, as a heavy rain began to fall at midnight.

UNDER CONTROL

Dayton, Wash., Aug. 16.—After burning over 700 acres of valuable timber the forest fires in the Wenaha national reserve, 30 miles east of here, have been brought under control.

FISHERMAN DROWNED

Seattle, Aug. 16.—William Scott, 29 years old, living in the Marguerite apartments, 1917 Eastlake avenue, was drowned in Lake Washington a few hundred yards north of the Leswell park landing. Scott met his death because the eyes of J. C. Inge, of 1811 Franklin avenue, and F. T. Bucy, of 4708 Ninth avenue northeast, who made a frantic effort to save him.

The three young men were returning from a fishing excursion in the launch park Washington. They were making a private landing, and Scott was climbing toward the bow of the launch to check and tie up, when he stumbled and fell into the water.

The launch was going at full speed and ran about 200 feet past the unfortunate young man before Inge and Bucy could stop her and turn about. Scott was a good swimmer, and the moment he fell into the water struck out for the launch. He was about to be assisted when he gave a cry as if seized by a cramp and sank.

MAYOR LOSES LIFE

El Paso, Tex., Aug. 16.—W. F. Robinson, mayor of El Paso, lost his life while endeavoring to warn a number of firemen of imminent danger from a tottering wall. At the same time Todd Robinson was instantly killed and William Robinson and Dave Sullivan, also firemen, were injured, the latter perhaps fatally.

The casualties followed a fire which gutted the city's largest department store. As Mayor Robinson approached the building to inspect the firemen to stop further work a large section of the brick wall buckled and fell, crushing Robinson and Ware, and knocking down the other men. Mrs. Robinson witnessed the accident from the sidewalk.

CONSERVATIVE ESTIMATES PLACE THE LOSS AT \$225,000.

PREMIER WILL LAY CORNER-STONE TO-DAY

History of Local Y. M. C. A. to Be Sealed Up in Wall of the Building

It is expected that there will be a large gathering at the site of the new Y. M. C. A. building, Blanchard and View streets, this evening when Premier McBride will lay the corner stone, and appropriate ceremonies will be performed. As already announced in the full programme published in the Times, the proceedings will commence at 5:15 o'clock, and R. B. McMicking, president of the local branch of the association, will occupy the chair.

Among the important documents to be sealed in a copper box within the stone will be the following brief history of the Y. M. C. A. in Victoria:

In the summer of 1884 E. C. Frost, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in Portland, Oregon, and having general oversight of the Pacific Northwest field, visited Victoria in the hope of establishing a branch. He interviewed the Right Rev. Bishop Hill, Lord Bishop of Columbia, Major Hall, Noah Shakespeare, John Jessop and David Spencer, and they agreed there was an open field for work among young men in the city.

As a result of Mr. Frost's visit Walter Walker and John Meston were appointed delegates to the first general convention of the Young Men's Christian Association of the West to be held in Portland and representing Oregon, Idaho, Washington and British Columbia.

Following the convention Mr. Clarke Davis, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of Seattle, was requested to organize Victoria. On November 10th, 1884, in the rooms of the S. W. corner of Government and Bastion the Victoria branch of the Young Men's Christian Association was organized and commenced. J. J. Daley was called as the first general secretary.

The first board of directors were: J. B. Ferguson, president; W. Walker, treasurer; J. Hastie, recording secretary; R. Barker, T. Haughton, D. McFarley, B. W. Pearce, R. A. Harrison, A. B. Erskine, A. A. Green, J. L. Beckwith, A. Flett, J. H. Baker, Brennan, A. J. Clyde, George Carter and John Fullerton.

The officers of the Ladies' Auxiliary were: Mrs. Pearce, president; Mrs. Cridge, vice-president; Mrs. Green, treasurer; Mrs. D. Fraser, secretary.

In April, 1888, George Carter left the board to become general secretary of Seattle.

September 15th, 1888, the association removed to better quarters in Spencer's Arcade, Broad street, when Noah Shakespeare became president.

In November, 1888, Hon. John Robson, premier of British Columbia, who always took a keen interest in young men, assumed the presidency, and F. W. Teague was called to the general secretaryship.

On March the 6th, 1890, another move was made to more adequate quarters to the Green-Worlock block, corner of Trounce avenue and Broad street, where the work was carried on with varying success for 29 years.

In this year, 1890, the association was duly incorporated, and took its place as a leading popular institution in the city. The directors at incorporation were Hon. John Robson, president; Robert Erskine, vice-president; H. G. Waterson, treasurer; W. S. Hampson, recording secretary; J. E. Crane, J. E. Beckwith, M. E. Cleveland, W. H. Bone, J. H. Baker, A. L.

Belyea, A. B. Erskine and T. M. Henderson.

The general secretaries of the association have been as follows: 1884, J. J. Daley; continued the work till 1887, when H. J. Van Auken was in office six months. Then John Clark and John Jessop occupied it till 1888, when F. W. Teague was called. Wm. Jessop, late general secretary of Washington, D. C., now of India, was assistant secretary. In August, 1892, H. P. Elson became secretary, followed by J. B. Crimshaw the next year.

Then Mr. Teague returned for a few months, and in a time of financial stringency the association temporarily lapsed. It was revived by a number of young men, who carried the work along for two years without a secretary much to their credit. The leaders were J. A. McIntosh, Wm. Wilson, Rutherford Wilson, W. S. Terry, F. Davey and H. Roper.

In September, 1894, George Carter was called from Seattle. Y. M. C. A., where he had spent ten successful years as general secretary. Mr. Carter remained a year and went into business. He was succeeded by H. Roper for two years. In the panic of 1899 the association again suffered, and was dormant for a couple of years, when mainly by the efforts of R. W. Clark it was organized, and J. Little was appointed general secretary. In 1903 W. B. Fisher became general secretary, and H. W. Northcott, who was assistant in 1904, became general secretary, when Mr. Fisher entered business. In 1906 Mr. Northcott went to the Springfield Training school, and A. J. Brace, who had been in the ministry for nine years, and served as secretary of the Y. M. C. A. with Canadian troops during the Boer war, was called in August, 1906, and is the present general secretary.

The following men have been presidents of the association: J. B. Ferguson, N. Shakespeare, Hon. J. Robson, T. H. Henderson, Dr. Lewis Hall, W. H. Bone, A. C. Flumerfelt, Dr. E. Hall, R. W. Clark, John Nelson, E. Johns, Horace Knott, A. W. McCurdy and R. B. McMicking.

After much planning, prayer and talking of a new building for many years, 1909 saw the organization and completion of a modern whirlwind campaign, and in April in fourteen days the sum of \$100,360 was raised. One hundred business men and one hundred young men and fifty ladies in teams of ten accomplished the tremendous task. C. W. Wilcox, state secretary of Washington, led the campaign in a conspicuously successful manner. There were 1,800 subscribers.

The directors who saw this big proposition through were: R. B. McMicking, president; R. L. Drury, vice-president; E. W. Whittington, recording secretary; Wm. Scowcroft, treasurer; Dr. S. G. Clemence, W. B. Fisher, W. E. Stanceland, R. C. Horn, Capt. D. McIntosh, A. T. Frampton, P. D. Hills, Dr. H. J. Wasson, C. A. Fields, E. E. Yoolter and Dr. Wm. Russell.

H. E. Brace, general secretary; W. G. Findlay, physical director; R. M. Jones, boys' secretary.

At the end of the year Dr. S. G. Clemence, W. B. Fisher, A. T. Frampton and R. C. Horn retired, and the following were elected: George H. Robertson, A. B. Fraser, A. B. McNeill and W. N. Mitchell.

The Ladies' Auxiliary raised \$5,000 towards the furnishing fund; Mrs. W. A. Gleason, president; Mrs. J. L. Jasson, secretary; Mrs. A. J. Brace, treasurer.

The year was busily spent in collecting the subscriptions and studying plans. Great care was taken in this matter, and the best features of some 30 modern buildings were incorporated.

H. E. Griffith was selected as architect as a result of six in competition. J. L. Skene secured the contract for building at \$70,854. The Colbert Hall and Ing Co. secured the heating and

plumbing. The property, a double lot 120x150 feet, was purchased for \$15,200 cash, and an indefeasible title secured. The corner stone was laid by Hon. J. McBride, premier of British Columbia, August 16th, 1910.

The building committee are: C. C. Michener, chairman; E. L. Drury, W. A. Gleason, E. W. Whittington, P. D. Hills, R. B. McMicking and A. J. Race.

DROWNED IN SURE

Man Loses Life While Attempting to Save Girl

Venice, Cal., Aug. 16.—John S. Ridgeway, of Los Angeles, was drowned in the surf yesterday while attempting to save Miss Bertha Harknell, of Pasadena, who had ventured out too far from shore.

Miss Harknell had been swimming with Frank Short, an attorney of Fresno, for some time. Suddenly both felt themselves being carried out to sea by a strong current. Miss Harknell began to lose strength, and Short, fearing that he could not rescue her alone, swam to shore and appealed to Ridgeway for aid. Ridgeway jumped into the surf, but was drowned before reaching the girl.

Another by-stander then went into the water and rescued Miss Harknell as she was sinking.

ELECTRICAL STORM

Regina, Aug. 16.—At five o'clock Sunday evening an electric storm swept accompanied by a hail shower across Davidson district. The amount of damage is not definitely known, but cannot fail to be heavy.

—So far only two infractions of the provincial liquor regulation act, which went into force on August 1st, have been reported to police headquarters, one being at Sheep Creek, where A. Bremner was fined the maximum penalty of \$200 for selling liquor without a license, and the other being at Kamloops, where the proprietor of the Colonial hotel was fined \$100 for selling liquor to a drunken man.

HIS OVERTIME

"I see you claim one hour's overtime, Bill," said the master of the mill. "How's that? I thought no one worked overtime last week."

Bill passed a horny hand across his mouth.

"Quite right, guv'nor," he replied. "One hour's me due."

The master regarded him suspiciously. "Come, when was it?" he inquired.

"Last Thursday," responded Bill. "I was sent up to your own 'ouse to 'elp shake the carpets."

"Yes; I remember that distinctly," cut in the boss. "but you got off at 5 sharp."

"Ah, that's true, guv'nor, as far as it goes," assented the man; "but your missus give me 'alf a meat pie to take 'ome, and that there 'our is for bringin' the dish back."—Answers.

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PRIME MINISTER'S RECEPTION. As the representative of the people of British Columbia Premier McBride has done something no other provincial premier, Liberal or Conservative, has thought of doing.

Everybody in these days of high prices is supremely interested in everything that tends to increase the cost of living. We observe that in the city and state of New York a crusade has been instituted against what is known in the commercial world as the "computing scale."

As a result of the attempt to kill Mayor Gaynor of New York, coupled with other attacks on public men in the United States, a suggestion has been thrown out that the law dealing with assassins should be so amended as to enable all such offenders to be indicted for high treason.

What is meant by "rule of three, get it?" "When a man, his wife, and her mother try to run things together." Judge.

As a conductor on an English railroad, who recently retired after half a century of service, had travelled 3,700,000 miles.

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fanety of the proceedings, and it hopes the reception to the Prime Minister will prove the crowning event of his historic tour.

THAT AMERICAN "EXODUS."

The report that American settlers in thousands are returning from the Canadian prairie provinces to their former homes in the States has been thoroughly investigated and has been found to be a figment of the imagination of the interested promoters of land companies in some of the contiguous states.

The City Council has advanced seven money by-laws to the stage preceding their submission to the ratepayers for final endorsement. The measures are all important, and the batch is unusually large.

After his prolonged journey through the plains the vision of British Columbia appealed strongly to the artistic temperament of Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

The venerable chief of the Methodist Church of Canada appears to increase in mental vigor with the passing years. His dominating personality would tower large in any legislative assembly, ecclesiastical or political.

What Other People Think

TO THE EDITOR:—A lady asks me to write you again re the automobile menace. I would like to do so, and suggest to the council the enacting of a by-law prohibiting, during certain hours of the day, automobiles in the park and on the shore drive.

FINANCIAL PANIC FEARED IN BELGIUM

Thousands Thrown Out of Work as Result of Conflagration at Exposition. (Times Leased Wire.) Brussels, Aug. 15.—Following the heavy losses sustained by those interested in the burned world's exposition, the people of Belgium are demanding that an extra session of the parliament be called to prevent a possible financial panic.

THE FAIR RE-OPENED TO-DAY, the remaining small cluster of buildings being visited by a mere handful of people. The hotels of the city are deserted, and the proprietors are losing money.

ARRY ON DISCONTENT.

You can't 'ave heverything you want. There ain't a bloke hon earth that doesn't sigh for something. Hi! Don't care 'ow much 's money. The poor man sighs for money. To hease 'is load of care, The rich man rubs 'is shiny pate. An' wishes 'e 'ad 'air.

sure would not be necessary. Just take the running of the courts out of the hands of the lawyers. As it is, the course of justice can be blocked for years by the mere raising of technical objections by a resourceful practitioner.

APPRECIATES WELCOME TO THIS PROVINCE

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Delivers a Brief Address From Car at Mission Junction

(Special to the Times.) Vancouver, Aug. 15.—The special train with Sir Wilfrid Laurier and party reached Vancouver at noon today. The Premier was accorded an enthusiastic civic welcome, followed by luncheon. At Mission Junction, where a short stop was made this morning, Sir Wilfrid spoke briefly to the gathering from his car, expressing his appreciation of the cordiality of British Columbia's welcome and conveying his message of greeting from the east.

The party was here joined by Vancouver representatives, who accompanied the train the remainder of the run. Sir Wilfrid, despite his long and arduous tour is in the best of health and spirits and stated this morning that he had never felt better. He is frankly looking forward with keen anticipation to his visit to-morrow to British Columbia's capital.

WILL GET NO COMPENSATION

(Continued from page 1.) 2. Dr. H. M. Robertson is out of the province of British Columbia and will have until the 25th day of August to put in his claim.

THE INSTRUCTIONS which you have given to the engineer to call for bids for this work therefore, cannot be complied with but must stand until such time as the compensation to be paid is definitely fixed.

OBITUARY RECORD

There passed away on Sunday at St. Joseph's hospital, Donald Cameron. He was 23 years of age and had been engaged in mining in the north for many years. The remains are resting at the B. C. Funeral Company's parlors awaiting the arrangements for the funeral.

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We specialize Trefousse, Perrins' and Dent's. All makes with a reputation. PERRINS' FRENCH GLACEKID GLOVES with two dome fasteners; colors, white, beaver, mode, tan, slate, green, navy blue, amethyst and black. Per pair...\$1.00

THE PRESS REPRESENTATIVES who went to Katalla, Alaska, to inspect the oil wells of the Alaskan Development Co., came back last Friday. Read what they have to say.

Gentlemen's Evening Dress Wear

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Sale of Children's Rattan and Grass Chairs

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Thousand Islands—Next Sunday the S. S. Troquois 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.

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The city council has decided to expend the sum of \$50 in making the pathway to the top of Mount Douglas passable for vehicles. A magnificent view can be obtained from the top of the hill.

It is likely that M. Hutcheson, city electrical superintendent, will shortly be named as mechanical superintendent, this step being rendered necessary owing to the fact that the city possesses a good deal of machinery which requires the supervision of a competent official. Mr. Hutcheson is recognized as one of the most expert mechanical engineers in the city.

The police commissioners at their last meeting determined that it is unwise to alter the by-law providing for the hitching of horses left standing on the business streets of the city, and so notified the city council at the meeting held last evening. It will be recalled that J. A. Alkman, who had a client who was convicted on the charge of leaving his horses unhitched, suggested that the provisions of the by-law were too drastic and that it be amended. The city council referred the matter to the police commissioners, and the latter have now given their answer.

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A meeting of the congregation of Grace Lutheran church will be held at 8 o'clock to-morrow evening in the tent, corner of Blanchard and Queen's avenue.

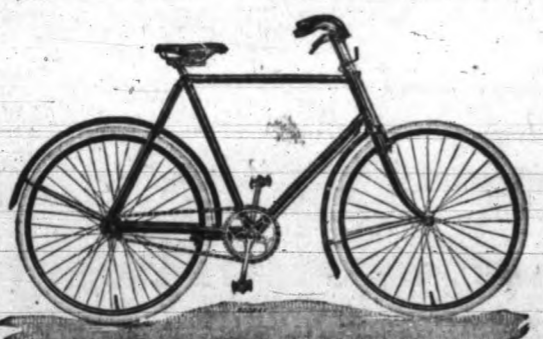
Veterans of the Fenian raid are requested to gather at the office of H. A. Treen, 634 View street, at 10.30 a. m. on Tuesday for the purpose of proceeding from there to the Empress hotel to meet Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:—This is to certify that we have this date received from the British Empire Insurance Co. Ltd., successors to the British American Live Stock Association, Ltd., of Vancouver, B. C., through Mr. E. A. Power, 1214 Douglas St., their cheque for \$167.00 settlement in full for the loss of a horse insured with them. Our "Proof" was completed and mailed to them July 28th, 1910. Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 15th day of August, 1910. RAYMOND & SONS.

Building permits have been issued to James Mogy for a dwelling to be erected on Sutej street, to cost \$1,500; to Mrs. Fred Galley, dwelling on Topaz avenue, to cost \$2,500; to C. F. Hendrickson, stable on Bridge street, to cost \$100; to H. Whitwell, dwelling on Southgate street, to cost \$2,500.

Instructions were given to Bandmaster Rogers, of the Fifth Regiment, at last evening's meeting of the city council to give a band concert at Beacon Hill next Sunday. Owing to the fact that the appropriations for band concerts have been exhausted, the council is driven to the necessity of making emergency arrangements to fill out the season.

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PRINCESS MAY TO BE LAUNCHED TEMPORARY WAYS ARE NOW BEING BUILT

Will Again Take Water Not Earlier Than Monday—Little Damage to Interior

Captain Troup, who returned last night from the scene of the wreck of the Princess May on Sentinel Island, says that structurally the steamer is not injured at all. At present Captain Logan, Lloyd's special agent is on the ground, and he is having a temporary ways built from which the steamer will be launched at the beginning of next week. She cannot possibly be ready for launching before Monday next.

"She must be a wonderfully strong vessel," said the captain, "to have stood the strain so well. One hundred feet of her bows were unsupported, and had she not been very strong her back would have been broken. When we arrived on the scene the bows of the steamer had been shored and cribbed so that she was lying easily without any strain. A large patch will be put on her, and a slip built, and then she will be launched just in the ordinary way at high tide. There is a tide of eighteen to twenty feet there and for several hours every day all the rocks are high and dry. This makes it convenient for working.

"The vessel was fully insured, as all the C. P. boats are, and the salvage operations are being conducted for the underwriters by the Puget Sound Salvage Company, the Santa Cruz doing the work, aided by a steamer from Juneau. "A patch will be needed from thirty to thirty-five feet long, although the whole of this distance is not torn. Strange to say, in spite of the damage to the hull the water has not injured the interior fittings to any large extent. Only in the stern of the vessel, in the diningroom and some of the cabins is there any damage, and most of the fittings of these had been removed before the tide came up. Captain McLeod and most of the crew are still on the steamer and will bring her down as soon as she has been launched.

"At the time of the accident the wireless operator aboard kept calling for five hours, and in that time received only one answer, and that from the steamer Victoria which sent the news on. The day after the accident the operator fixed up an amateur apparatus made of some dry batteries, and an annunciator, with which he was able to communicate for ten or twelve miles. "In order to fill the place of the May, until that steamer is once more in commission, the Princess Beatrice will take the place of the May, and will make regular trips from this port to Skagway and way ports, cutting out for the present the service to Stewart." The May is expected to be once more ready for service some time next October.

SHRINERS RETURN FROM THE KLONDIKE

Officials of Gizeh Temple Arrived From Dawson Yesterday Afternoon

After spending about three weeks in the north the following officers of Gizeh Temple returned to this city yesterday afternoon on the Princess Charlotte: Illustrious potentate, R. F. Green; chief rabban, Chas. A. Welsh; assistant rabban, W. W. Burke; high priest, S. Jones; oriental guide, W. H. Handley; recorder, E. E. Leason; first ceremonial master, P. R. Williams; second ceremonial master, Theo. Michel; captain of the guard, E. E. Robinson; alchemist, C. E. Deal; director, T. J. Armstrong; electrician, Sid D. Walek; camel tender, George M. Perdue.

A ceremonial session was held at Dawson on Thursday, August 4th, and fifty-three Klondike southerds stamped across the Arabic wastes into the mysterious Shrine of Gizeh Temple, in the enchanted city of Mecca. This was the largest and most successful session ever held in the north.

The visiting members were elaborately entertained. At the conclusion of the business part of the meeting on Thursday evening a banquet was tendered to the officers of the temple. At this general beautiful presentation were made. The Dawson order presented Illustrious Potentate Green with a handsome gavel made of Klondike mastodon ivory, inlaid with Yukon gold. To each of the visiting nobles the northern club presented a set of nugget cuff links, and to each of the visiting ladies a magnificent brooch in the form of a scimitar, from which is suspended the inverted crescent, and in the centre of that a glass disk containing Klondike gold dust. Mascot Leason, son of the recorder, was the recipient of a Klondike souvenir gold ring.

The officers of Gizeh Temple presented Nobles J. A. Lester, D. R. Macfarlane, J. L. Bell and G. F. Johnson with beautiful jewels consisting of tiger claws with the Shriners emblems uniting them. The visitors also gave as souvenirs their visit pocket books of Russian calf, bearing the name of the Shrine and the words, "Dawson, 1910."

On Friday evening a grand ball was given in honor of the officials of the order. They were taken on sight-seeing trips, and all the important places around Dawson were visited. The local members were given such a fine time that they are eagerly looking forward to the time when they will be called upon to make the trip once more.

The city council last evening adopted the report of the fire wardens that a grant of \$100 be made to the Victoria Horticultural Society.

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SPORTS AND DANCE AT SHAWNIGAN LAKE

Summer Resort Athletic Club Duplicates Popular Event of Last Month for Labor Day

An athletic carnival and dance have been arranged by the Shawnigan Lake athletic club for Labor Day, September 5, to take place on the lake and athletic field at Shawnigan in the afternoon, with the dance following in the commodious club house after the sports.

The club has arranged a duplication of the arrangements which were prepared and carried through at the annual Shawnigan sports this year.

Victoria visitors and those who want to take part in the sporting events will take the train from the city which is timed to leave the E. & N. depot at the usual time in the morning, but those who are going up for the dance alone in the evening will have the advantage of a special train, which will leave here at 7.30 p. m. This special will return the same night.

The committee, consisting of W. Blake, J. Sweeney and Alex. Peden, announce that the dance will be similar to the last held at the lake by the club. Guests are notified that the event is a flannel dance, and that full evening dress is not essential. There will be only 200 tickets issued, and these can be bought from the members of the committee. The sports programme will be issued next week.

WEATHER BULLETIN Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Aug. 16—5 a. m.—The pressure is low in California and high over British Columbia; light showers have fallen at Kamloops and in Western Oregon and Washington, and fair, warm weather prevails throughout the North Pacific slope. East of the Rockies the low area is becoming central over the Great Lakes; general rainfall has been heavy and temperatures are lower in most districts.

Forecasts. For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Wednesday, Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, fair and warm to-day and Wednesday. Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, fair and warm to-day and Wednesday.

Observations at 5 a. m. Victoria—Barometer, 30.17; temperature, 48; minimum, 45; wind, 4 miles W.; rain, .18; weather, foggy. New Westminster—Barometer, 30.20; temperature, 48; minimum, 45; wind, calm; weather, clear. Kamloops—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, 50; minimum, 48; wind, calm; rain, .32; weather, part cloudy. Barkerville—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, 42; minimum, 40; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.82; temperature, 54; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, part cloudy. Edmonton—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, 42; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles N.; rain, .22; weather, cloudy. Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, 56; minimum, 52; wind, 14 miles W.; rain, .06; weather, cloudy.

Victoria Daily Weather. Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Monday. Temperature. Highest 48 Lowest 45 Average 48 Rain, .18 Bright sunshine, 7 hours 12 minutes. General state of weather, cloudy.

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WILL ARRANGE TWO REGATTAS

VICTORIA YACHTS TO RACE NEXT SATURDAY

Motor Boat Event Week Later Club Cruise Was Enjoyable Affair

Although the absence of many local yachts on summer cruises and the prevalence of very heavy weather on Saturday and Sunday made the attendance of the Victoria Yacht Club cruise pitifully small, a very enthusiastic meeting was held on board the yawl Gwenol on Saturday night. The securing of a royal charter for the club regattas for fall and motor boats, and the general stimulation of public interest in the sport of yachting were among the questions discussed.

Ex-Commodore Gibb, who brought his big launch Gypsy around to the rendezvous in Plummer Bay, Esquimalt, suggested that the club should consider the building of a half-a-dozen 35-footers especially designed for the requirements of both racing and cruising, and at his suggestion Ben Temple was asked to prepare designs for a boat of this description to cost between \$300 and \$400. Mr. Gibb promised to build one of these boats, and it is probable that several other members will follow suit. The existence of six or eight boats of one design will allow racing taking place all summer, and will greatly aid in fostering interest in the club and the sport.

Secretary Rochfort reported that eight prizes were left over from the recent regattas and that the executive had left the arrangement of further events to the cruise meeting. It was decided to use these prizes and the Kilpatrick cup for motor races as the nucleus for a larger list, and to race for them on the two coming Saturdays. The sailing yachts will race on the coming Saturday, and the motors the following week. The arrangements for the regattas were left in the hands of Commodore Cuppage and Secretary Rochfort.

An informal discussion of the royal charter project showed that those present were unanimous in supporting the movement, and the commodore stated that he was using his best efforts to secure the coveted privileges.

How to keep the club members continually interested in yachting during the summer and how to foster a strong public interest in the game were two subjects which provoked a long heart-to-heart talk among those present. It was generally agreed that the club must hold more regattas and provide more means for keeping itself before the public. Mr. Gibb referred to the fact that Victoria was the logical place for the international regattas, and had been selected for the next two. "The people of Victoria must be made to realize that this port has exceptional facilities for successful yachting," he said, "and it is up to us to educate the laymen not only to

SHOOTING DATES

Cook pheasants—Cowichan, October 1st to December 31st.
Grouse, except willow, in Cowichan district—Sept. 15th to Dec. 31st.
Prairie chicken—Oct. 1st to Oct. 31st.
Quail—Oct. 1st to Dec. 31st.
Duck and snipe—Sept. 1st to Feb. 28th.
Duck snipe and geese, for sale—Oct. 1st to Nov. 30th.
These dates are published in the last B. C. Gazette.

KOOTENAY NAMES CRICKET ELEVEN

Fourteen Men Selected to Play at Pacific Coast Tournament Next Week in Victoria

(Special to the Times.)
Nelson, Aug. 16.—The cricket team to represent the Kootenay and Boundary at the annual tournament at Victoria is now practically picked, and few changes in the line-up selected are now expected. It is generally regretted by the committee that Capt. Bedford, of the Proctor club, has not seen his way clear to accept a place on the eleven.

At present the team is expected to be composed as follows: Mahon, Manning, Grand Forks; Henly, Herbert, Fruitvale; Stubbs, Erie, Kerr, Bourke, 13-Mile; Wrighton, Kokanee; Butler, Wilkinson, Greig, Nelson, Sparrow-Craufurd, Nelson; Alsworth, Howser; Pearson, Grand Forks.
It has been decided that the team will leave for the coast on Friday, Aug. 19th.

THE PASSING SHOW

New Grand Theatre.
At the Grand theatre this week there are two headliners, Manuel Romain, with Miss Sadye Palmer and the Metropolitan orchestra harpist, Roky La Rocco for one, and the Zerell Brothers for the other. The first turn is a complete musical act, including songs by Manuel Romain and Miss Palmer to the harp accompaniment of Mr. La Rocco. The harpist yesterday received an ovation, and another hearty round of applause was tendered Mr. Romain and Miss Palmer. The trio of performers were encored at the close of the act and applauded throughout. The act gives an opportunity for a display of Mr. Romain's and Miss Palmer's powers as actor and actress. The three are artists of note and worth a big reception.

The Zerell brothers are, aside from their excellent equilibristic work, models of muscular development. Clothes from the waist in skins only, they show the masculine body as it is in its complete perfection. Their exhibition of strength and poise is very remarkable and each part of the act excited applause and comment among the spectators.
Mlle. Olive, a dainty Parisian, appears in a juggling turn and succeeds admirably. She works continuously, rushing through a long performance with a speed that astonishes, and gets through an immense amount of work without any appreciable effort. She is assisted by a clown, who provides humor as a set-off to her skill.
The singing lesson is shown by Maxwell and Dudley, the former singing, among other songs, "The Village Blacksmith" in splendid voice. His partner has an acceptable part in the act and does her work well.
The Misses Brockman and Gross offer a singing and dancing turn, with the best part at the end where the former appears as one of the brightest Buster Brown boys the stage of vaudeville has known. This duo appear in three changes of costume and are a very merry pair of performers.

Thomas J. Price was given a warm reception for his illustrated song and the moving pictures that ended the programme caused unrestrained laughter. The show can be classed as well up to the general average of the best shows Mr. Jamieson puts on at the Grand.
"The Mikado."
An excellent presentation of Gilbert and Sullivan's delightful and ever-welcome opera, "The Mikado," was given at the Victoria theatre last night to a crowded house. The company is a very good one and the audience was thoroughly pleased with the manner in which the opera was sung and acted. Most of the principals were admirable, the chorus was well trained, and the costuming and staging of the opera left nothing to be desired.
Al Sykes, as Ko-Ko, and James Stevens, as Pooch-Bah, were splendid in every way, and George Kunkle, as the Mikado, proved very funny. Miss Aida Hornum was a rather substantial Yum-Yum but sang sweetly. Miss Kathleen George was a charming Petti-Sing. There were several recalls for Ko-Ko's "Flowers That Bloom in the Spring" and the Mikado's "Object All Sublime."

DUNCAN LAWN TENNIS TOURNAMENT

NUMBER OF VICTORIA PLAYERS TAKE PART

Keen Contests Mark Event—Matters Defeats C. Schwengers in Gentlemen's Singles

(Special Correspondence.)
Duncan, Aug. 15.—The most successful tournament held under the auspices of the Duncan Tennis Club was brought to a conclusion on Saturday evening. The president, A. H. Lomas, the secretary, H. D. Morten, G. Brakespear, and the other officers of the club are to be congratulated upon the results of their work. Interest was added by the presence of a number of players from outside points. Chemainus and Vancouver were represented, as well as Victoria. The players from Victoria were: Miss Phillips, Miss Bell, Miss Fitcher, Messrs. Matterson, Steedman, Piggott, B. Williams, Pollock, C. Schwengers, Powell and Keefer, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hilton, from Vancouver, and Miss Hayne, from Chemainus, also played. The players of both the South Cowichan and the Duncan clubs greatly appreciate the privilege of having the opportunity to play with others from outside points.

On Friday evening an impromptu dance was arranged for the visiting players. Music was supplied by the Crawley orchestra and a buffet supper was served. The Agricultural hall was well filled.

On both Friday and Saturday afternoon the bachelors of the club, with Messrs. Gardner, Brakespear and Rivas taking charge of arrangements, were the hosts at a very enjoyable afternoon tea.

During the past three or four years the standard of play in Cowichan has been greatly raised and some splendid games were played on the local courts. The semi-finals on Friday afternoon and the finals on Saturday afternoon of the men's doubles were two of the most interesting matches of the tournament. Barclay and Steppney defeated Brakespear and Duncan, 6-2, 6-4. E. and N. Corfield defeated Piggott and Steedman, 1-6, 6-3, 7-5. Drake and Hassell bye.

Second Round.
Bundock and Freeman defeated Lomas and Kingston, 6-2, 6-0.
Huntington and Townsend defeated Hilton and Prevost, 6-4, 6-5.
Barclay and Steppney defeated Brakespear and Duncan, 6-0, 6-0.
E. and N. Corfield defeated Drake and Hassell, 6-4, 6-5, 4-2.

Semi-Finals.
Bundock and Freeman defeated Huntington and Townsend, 6-0, 6-3.
E. and N. Corfield defeated Barclay and Steppney, 6-5, 6-5.

Finals.
Bundock and Freeman defeated E. and N. Corfield, 6-2, 8-10, 6-2, 8-6.

LADIES' DOUBLES.

First Round.
Miss and Miss M. Duncan and Miss Bell and Miss Fitcher, bye.
Mrs. Gibbins and Mrs. Kennington, bye.
Mrs. Knocker and Mrs. Lomas defeated Mrs. Hilton and Mrs. Green, 3-6, 6-1, 6-0.
Mrs. Hayne and Miss Phillips, bye.
Mrs. Phipps and Miss Robertson, bye.
Mrs. Leather and Mrs. W. Morten, bye.

Second Round.
Miss Bell and Miss Fitcher defeated the Misses Duncan, 6-2, 2-6, 6-4.
Mrs. Gibbins and Mrs. Kennington defeated Mrs. Knocker and Mrs. Lomas, 6-1, 6-2.
Miss Hayne and Miss Phillips won against their opponents by default.
Mrs. Phipps and Miss Robertson defeated Mrs. Leather and Mrs. W. Morten, 6-1, 6-3.

Semi-Finals.
Mrs. Gibbins and Mrs. Kennington defeated Miss Bell and Miss Fitcher, 4-6, 6-3, 6-2.
Miss Hayne and Miss Phillips defeated Mrs. Phipps and Miss Robertson, 5-6, 6-3, 6-4.

Final.
Miss Phillips and Miss Hayne defeated Mrs. Gibbins and Mrs. Kennington, 6-3, 5-6, 6-2.

GENTLEMEN'S DOUBLES.

First Round.
Bundock and Freeman bye.
Lomas and Kingston defeated Matterson and Keefer, 6-2, 6-4.
Huntington and Townsend won by default.

Hilton and Prevost defeated Rivas and Smythe, 4-6, 6-5, 7-5.
Brakespear and Duncan defeated Williams and Alexander, 6-2, 4-6, 4-6.
Barclay and Steppney defeated Schwengers and Pollock, 6-3, 6-4.
E. Corfield and N. Corfield defeated Piggott and Steedman, 1-6, 6-3, 7-5.
Drake and Hassell bye.

Second Round.
Bundock and Freeman defeated Lomas and Kingston, 6-2, 6-0.
Huntington and Townsend defeated Hilton and Prevost, 6-4, 6-5.
Barclay and Steppney defeated Brakespear and Duncan, 6-0, 6-0.
E. and N. Corfield defeated Drake and Hassell, 6-4, 6-5, 4-2.

Semi-Finals.
Bundock and Freeman defeated Huntington and Townsend, 6-0, 6-3.
E. and N. Corfield defeated Barclay and Steppney, 6-5, 6-5.

Finals.
Bundock and Freeman defeated E. and N. Corfield, 6-2, 8-10, 6-2, 8-6.

MIXED DOUBLES.

First Round.
Kingston and Mrs. Gibbins, bye. Pigot and partner, bye. Rivas and Mrs. Lomas, bye. Mr. and Mrs. Kennington, bye. Keefer and partner, bye.
Barclay and Miss I. Duncan defeated Lomas and Miss M. Duncan, 6-5, 3-6, 6-4.
Schwengers and Miss M. Bell defeated Huntington and Miss K. Robertson, 6-1, 6-4.

Williams and Miss Fitcher defeated Brakespear and Mrs. Leather, 6-0, 6-4.
Freeman and Miss C. Robertson defeated Drake and Mrs. Knocker, 6-4, 6-4.

Corfield and Miss Phillips, bye. Hassell and Miss Holmes, bye. Steedman and partner, bye. Bundock and Mrs. Phipps, Pollock and Mrs. Hayne, MacLean and Mrs. Morten, bye.

Second Round.
Kingston and Mrs. Gibbins won by default.
Mr. and Mrs. Kennington defeated Rivas and Mrs. Lomas, 5-6, 6-2, 6-2.
Barclay and Miss I. Duncan won by default.

Schwengers and Miss Bell defeated Williams and Miss Fitcher, 6-1, 6-2.
Freeman and Miss Robertson defeated Corfield and Mrs. Green, 6-3, 6-5.
Matterson and Miss Phillips defeated Hassell and Miss Holmes, 6-1, 6-0.

Bundock and Mrs. Phipps won by default.
Pollock and Miss Hayne defeated MacLean and Mrs. Morten, 6-4, 6-4.

Third Round.
Kingston and Mrs. Gibbins defeated Mr. and Mrs. Kennington, 6-2, 6-1.
Schwengers and Miss Bell defeated Barclay and Miss Duncan, 6-4, 6-5.
Matterson and Miss Phillips defeated Freeman and Miss Robertson, 6-3, 6-0.
Bundock and Mrs. Phipps defeated Pollock and Miss Hayne, 6-5, 6-4.

Semi-Finals.
Kingston and Mrs. Gibbins won against Schwengers and Miss Bell by default.
Bundock and Mrs. Phipps defeated Matterson and Miss Phillips, 6-3, 6-5.

Finals.
Kingston and Mrs. Gibbins defeated Bundock and Mrs. Phipps, 7-5, 3-6, 6-2.

SPORT NOTES

The Victoria City Baseball League officials will meet at the Y. M. C. A. rooms tomorrow night to settle the business of the season. Beacon Hill nine will be declared champions.
Vancouver dog show, to be held the last three days of this week, will be nearly a three-point show. Victoria will send a large exhibit. Among the local exhibitors will be: J. W. Creighton, J. Hickford, McConnell, Withers and Edwards, who will exhibit sporting dogs; C. B. Thompson, Irish and fox terriers; Hanson, wire-haired; and Pearce, Airedale terriers.
Everett Taylor, captain of the North Ward soccer team last season, who has been in the hospital for two weeks, will be about again directly. He will be in the North Ward soccer team again next season.
Abe Attois is in Calgary, where he will box Marbo in a fifteen-round bout. The Hebrew will come to the Coast after this match. He would prove a good draw here if there is an ambitious featherweight and an energetic promoter.
The cricket fixtures for Saturday are Albon against the C. S. Restorer eleven at Beacon Hill, and Victoria against the Garrison at Work Point barracks.
In the provincial lacrosse league Vancouver and Westminster amateurs play at the Royal City Thursday night. A week from Saturday Victoria goes away to the Royal City to play, and Labor Day Westminster returns home.
The soccer football season will see six teams in place of the five of last year in the senior ranks. North Ward will join the seniors, and the other five teams are: J. B. A. V. Victoria, West, A. O. P., Garrison and Esquimalt.
There is no sign of anything doing in Rugby round Victoria at present. The Mainland and Californian men have commenced business. In the south the college men are already in training.

NOTICE

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.
In the Matter of Yonegao Nakahayashi, Deceased, and in the Matter of the Official Administrator's Act.
Notice is hereby given that, under an order granted by the Honorable Mr. Justice Clement, dated the 27th day of July, A. D. 1910, I, the undersigned, was appointed administrator of the estate of the above deceased. All parties having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars of same to me on or before the 27th day of September, 1910, and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.
Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 13th day of August, 1910.
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RESULTS OF GAMES IN BASEBALL LEAGUES

AMERICAN.

Detroit	R. H. E.	4 7 2
Washington	R. H. E.	6 9 0
Batteries—Works and Schmidt; Johnson and Beckendorf.		

New York	R. H. E.	2 2 2
Chicago	R. H. E.	3 7 2
Batteries—Warhop and Sweeney; Scott and Sullivan.		

Philadelphia	R. H. E.	5 8 0
Cleveland	R. H. E.	2 5 2
Batteries—Morgan and Livingstone; Young and Bemis, Easterly. Ten innings.		

Cleveland	R. H. E.	3 3 1
Philadelphia	R. H. E.	7 19 0
Batteries—Demog, Mitchell and Easterly; Bender and Thomas.		

Boston	R. H. E.	1 8 0
St. Louis	R. H. E.	2 6 1
Batteries—Cicotte, Karger and Carrigan; Lake and Kilfer.		

St. Louis	R. H. E.	5 11 4
Boston	R. H. E.	9 18 0
Batteries—Harron, Corridon and Bresnahan; Ferguson, Brown, Frock and Raridon.		

St. Louis	R. H. E.	1 8 2
Boston	R. H. E.	8 14 0
Batteries—Semich and Phelps, Burke and Smith.		

Pittsburg	R. H. E.	2 8 7
New York	R. H. E.	1 7 2
Batteries—Leifield and Gibson; Mathewson and Meyers, Wilson. Eleven innings.		

Pittsburg	R. H. E.	1 5 2
New York	R. H. E.	2 6 4
Batteries—Caminis and Gibson; Wiltze and Schiel.		

Chicago	R. H. E.	14 15 0
Brooklyn	R. H. E.	0 5 1
Batteries—Brown and Kling; Barger, Miller and Erwin.		

Chicago	R. H. E.	1 3 6
Brooklyn	R. H. E.	9 11 0
Batteries—Richtie, Poffe and Archer; Bell and Bergen.		

Seattle	R. H. E.	0 3 2
Vancouver	R. H. E.	3 6 1
Batteries—Chinault and Custer; Miller and Lewis.		

Spokane	R. H. E.	3 4 0
Tacoma	R. H. E.	2 4 1
Batteries—Killaly and Shea; McCammet and Byrnes.		

Cincinnati-Philadelphia game postponed; rain.

Seattle	R. H. E.	0 3 2
Vancouver	R. H. E.	3 6 1
Batteries—Chinault and Custer; Miller and Lewis.		

Spokane	R. H. E.	3 4 0
Tacoma	R. H. E.	2 4 1
Batteries—Killaly and Shea; McCammet and Byrnes.		

GROWING INTEREST IN VANCOUVER ISLAND

Letter to Development League Says "Everybody Asks Countless Questions"

In sending a list of over 500 names to the Victoria office of the Vancouver Island Development League and asking that literature be sent to them, Alonso Melville Doty, writing from Ada, Ohio, says: "I am a Pacific coast man, on a visit here in the east. Everywhere I go—when people learn that I am from the coast—they ply me with questions about Vancouver Island. They seem to have an inkling, no more, of the possibilities of your favored region."

Mr. Doty's letter is only one of many which are constantly being received at the league headquarters accompanied by lists of names and asking that lit-

erature be sent. The fact that everybody has an "inkling" if no more, of the possibilities of Vancouver Island, is regarded by the league officials as a gratifying result of the world-wide advertising campaign they are conducting.

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ROUGH PLAY MUST STOP

SERIOUS INJURIES IN LAST NIGHT'S GAME

Cloverdale and North Ward Tie in Lacrosse Game—Score 5 Goals to 5

North Ward	W. L. D. Pts.	4 0 2 10
Cloverdale	W. L. D. Pts.	2 2 2 6
Victoria West	W. L. D. Pts.	1 4 0 2

Many players were badly hurt in last evening's lacrosse game between senior teams representing North Ward and Cloverdale. Johnson, inside home for the Wards, had his little finger smashed in two places and the flesh was seriously cut. At first it looked as if amputation would be necessary, but later Dr. Carter set the injured member and Johnson had to retire from the field for the rest of the game. Dempster, who played first home for Cloverdale, at the close of the third quarter was hit across the head, which opened up a nasty gash. Returning to the field in the final quarter the wood of a player's stick was again connected with the head of this hard little worker of the suburbanite team. This time a small artery was cut and he had to remain off the field. Leo Sweeney was sent to the ground twice and Joe Hancock once but neither was seriously injured. Several of the other players received bad bruises on the limbs and body.

The necessity for the cessation of rough play on the lacrosse field is urgent. Many players who enter the game for the sport that is in it often

leave the field with cuts which disfigure them for life. Men and boys with quick tempers should never be allowed to play this game, as they are unable to control themselves when pinched. If they are hit they are always on the lookout for the man who bestowed the blow upon them, and whether it was done accidentally or not they will not be satisfied with themselves until they have "got square." This kind of spirit will in time kill the game, as the trustees of the various leagues will be called on to call all schedule games off to prevent anyone being severely injured.

Last night's game was very rough, the players of both aggregations looking for a chance to get even. If a man was knocked down he would swing his stick in an attempt to reach the player who had unfooted him. When chasing the ball close to the fence the man on the outside would crowd his opponent and bump him against the wood-work. Between the rough spots in the game the brand of lacrosse played was excellent, the homes and defenses working skillfully and combination was exceptionally fine. Cloverdale led by the score of three goals to two in the first half. The maroon and white players had the best of this half and the home gave Sweeney, who played goal in Johnson's place, considerable trouble. The last goal of this quarter, which was scored by Carrs, was one of the best of the game. After receiving a pass from Young he made his way for the goal and after a little fancy work managed to beat the defenses and then shot for the goal from a difficult angle. In the second half Cloverdale started off well and at this stage of the match it looked as if they might win, for the Wards' team was considerably weakened with Boss Johnson and Brynjolfson absent. L. Sweeney scored shortly after the face-off. McGregor shot one minute afterwards for the Wards, but Carrs put Cloverdale farther in the lead by scoring another, before this quarter ended. The third quarter was the best of the whole match. Cloverdale's home tried hard to beat Sweeney, the Ward's cus-

odian, but they were unable to, they having secured all their goals for the game. The Wards made a number of rushes in this half and the home, supported by the defence, was successful in negotiating twice during this period of time.

In the fourth rough work was to the fore. It was getting dark and the players had a hard time to see the ball. They got careless with their sticks and generally got the man instead of the stick. No scoring was done although both teams tried hard to secure the winning goal.

There are two more games to be played between these two teams. The Wards have not yet obtained possession of the Claxton cup. If, however, the Wards win the next game with Cloverdale then the league will be settled, but if the suburbanites are victors then the other game will be necessary. Providing the Cloverdale win the first and North Ward the second, or vice-versa, then another game will be required to be played.

The goal summary was as follows:
 First quarter—McDonald, N. W. A. A., 1 min.; Dempster, C. A. C., 1 min.; Young, C. A. C., 4 min.; Sargison, N. W. A. A., 9 min.; Carrs, C. A. C., 14 min.
 Second quarter—Sweeney, C. A. C., 4 1/2 min.; McGregor, N. W. A. A., 1 min.; Carrs, 8 min.
 Third quarter—Petticrew, N. W. A. A., 11 min.; Sargison, 14 1/2 min.
 Following were the line-ups:
 North Ward. Position. Cloverdale.
 Goal. Goal.
 Frank Sweeney Clark
 Point. Point.
 Dakera Lorimer
 Cover Point. Cover Point.
 Noel Temple
 1st Defence. 1st Defence.
 Morris Redgrave
 2nd Defence. 2nd Defence.
 Kroeger Finlayson
 3rd Defence. 3rd Defence.
 Humber L. Redgrave
 Centre. Centre.
 McCarter Leo Sweeney
 3rd Home. 3rd Home.
 Petticrew E. Harris

IRISH LINEN EXPORTS.

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DR. CARMAN'S ADDRESS TO GENERAL CONFERENCE

Grand Old Man of Methodism in Full Vigor of Mind—Deals With Church Union and Other Matters

The feature of this afternoon's session of the General Conference was the delivery of the quadrennial address of the veteran general superintendent, Rev. Dr. Carman. While the superintendent shows somewhat the effect of years in trembling hands, there is still the same old ring in his voice and his address, as ever, is full of subject of thought for the conference. It is a lengthy document and occupied over two hours in the reading. It chronicled an increase of 21,700 in the membership of the church in the quadrennium, of which 5,500 was in the last year.

Taking the quadrennium as a whole there has been an increase in all regards except class leaders, where there is a decrease of a thousand. The conference is warned to "beware lest we make rich men a necessity to us and in a way to our ecclesiastical movements. The money power is a tremendous power and even in the hands of well-meaning men it may be misdirected. More than once in the history of the church this money power has checked its progress and involved it in shame and at least temporary defeat."

Of church union the superintendent says that if the problem after all proves too great for the churches, we must learn to direct their armies in well-ordered battalions upon the common foe. In part Dr. Carman said: Dearly Beloved Fathers and Brethren: In the wonderful Providence of God, our Heavenly Father, in the due succession of the years, at the appointed time, in this city of Victoria, British Columbia, we are gathered together in the fellowship of Christ and in the unity of His Spirit and His church for the performance of the duties required of a General Conference, the exercise of its functions and the enjoyment of its privileges. Everyone of us should comprehend fully, and should be deeply impressed with the consideration of, what is demanded of him in this capacity and relationship. In the first place, we are the servants of the ever-living and unchangeable God, infinite in wisdom, love and power. We were not called to present and vigorous action, the consideration of that statement and meditation upon it in all its bearings might easily absorb all the time allotted for our conference. While we may not abide in the quiet and fruitful mysticism of such a meditation, we certainly need all the moral and spiritual force we might gather from it, from such communion with God, and such exercise of faith, prayer and holy consecration as the most earnest service of our Father, God, implies. We must do our work as constantly in the light of God, faithfully as the profoundest gratitude and clearest intelligence might call for at our hands. And we must do it in the light of the full and infallible revelation of Himself in the Holy Scripture; and with an unflinching sense of our constant dependence upon the guidance and assistance of His ever blessed Holy Spirit; so working in Him, to Him and for Him, our work shall not be in vain in the Lord.

Then we have a constituency of this world, which also we must serve according to the mind and will of God. The church is the army of the living God, fighting His battles in an enemy's country, for the faith as delivered to the saints and for the rightful sovereignty of the King of Kings. Surely we are sadly at fault if we mar or neglect the efficiency of its battalions, or the success of its operations. We are not some way vitally connected with the church, clearly identified with its movements, and deeply interested in its prosperity. We have no business here. The heathen, even the most benighted of them, are within the provision and operations of the Kingdom of God; but such may be a long way off from the church of the living God, the pillar and ground of the truth. They have all the moral and spiritual advantages of nature in themselves and in the universe about them; yet they seldom make headway in religious knowledge or life. They rather sink into ignorance, immorality and spiritual death, as the history of the nations clearly demonstrates. But the church of God is founded on the revelation of God in Jesus Christ, superadded in the light of nature, and its instinct with divine life and power. The church is a quicksand, organized, supernaturally, and for its purpose omnipotently, aggressive energy, directed, supplied and sustained from heaven for the moral and spiritual conquest of the world.

We repeat, the church is the army of the living God, warring to establish the Kingdom of Christ. But the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strongholds. In the interest of this church of God have we come together to take counsel, to form our plans, to look after our defenses, and to guard and increase our resources, and to push on our campaign. The words of the covenant and vow of the minister in the solemn ordination and pledge of ordination may not be unsuitable to any of us in this hour? "Have always printed in your remembrance how great a treasure is committed to your charge. If it shall happen the church or any member thereof do take any hurt or hindrance by reason of your negligence, ye know the greatness of the fault, and also the fearful punishment that will ensue." And may the Spirit of Christ give unto everyone of us, and to us all collectively, the needed wisdom and strength for the deliberations and decisions of this conference.

During the quadrennium now closing, brethren faithful, honored and beloved, members of our last General Conference and of the connexional officers, have entered into their rest. Let us stand at ease for a moment with bowed head while we reverently speak the names of connexional officers departed; and of members of the General Conference of 1906 in everlasting glory crowned. In the conference of our Maritime provinces, Rev. Dr. Charles H. Paisley and Rev. William Dobson are two brethren of whom all of us would probably first think. Bro. Paisley was a ripe scholar, a sound reasoner, conservative in his theological position, a careful disciplinarian, a successful man in the field and a vigorous instructor in the chair of the college. Bro. Dobson was a prince among his fellows in the pulpit, and in his original, thoughtful and scriptural discourses aroused public attention, and furnished the general mind with stimulus and knowledge.

In the Central Conference the well-known figures of John Potts, William H. Whitrow, Alexander Sutherland, T. G. Williams, S. G. Stone and David Winter engage our attention. To the contemporaries of their active career, so prominent were they, in every good word and work and so closely connected therewith, one almost wonders how Methodism survives their lamented death. Who shall estimate what Methodism in Canada owes to that faithful soul, John Potts? And possibly not less is due to that indefatigable worker and that possessor of wide and varied scholarship, William H. Whitrow. Noble men! They loyally and intelligently consecrated every energy of their being to the highest interests of Christ's Kingdom. In the pulpit John Potts reigned amongst the people by a plain, effective presentation of the Gospel of God. The monuments of his power as a connexional leader are among us in our colleges and educational work. The eminence of W. H. Whitrow among scholars and his distinguished literary abilities, sanctified to the service of his Lord, marvellously enriched our Sunday school publications and gave to the societies of our young people, indeed to our entire church, a variety and suitableness of reading and study, a heart of patriotism and a soul of power, whose influence will be deeply felt and its harvests richly garnered for generations to come.

In sorest grief, yet in thankfulness and hope, we contemplate our recent bereavement as we bow reverently in deepest sorrow at the grave of Alexander Sutherland. After the estimate of men whose hands we, a mighty mass of men, have seen, a mightier mass of men, who ever did a nobler life work? His memorials are on seas and plains and mountains to the ends of the earth.

The quadrennium just closing has been one of remarkable activity in several directions in our Zion. Our last General Conference, prompted by faith and courage, undertook great things in the name of the Lord Jesus, and at last some wonderful things, through His Spirit, have been accomplished. There are among us, however, those who bewail, and certainly not without reason, the absence of many spiritual manifestations that characterized our religious condition and progress in former years. They say, and they say truly, the class-meetings are not by any means attended as they once were; nor are they at all so clearly indicative of personal religious experience in our membership. The prayer meetings do not gather into their weekly exercise and hallowed association any considerable number of the members of our official boards, nor for that matter of the general congregation; so that it is likely to come to pass that one section of our people attend to our temporalities and possibly a weaker if not a smaller section, attend to the spiritual interests of the church. They say that the younger people, because of leagues and similar organizations, are separated from the older people in our religious meetings, and that hence there are not on the one hand the care and nurture by the maturity of experience which are indispensable to spiritual growth and power, nor on the other hand, are our religious services quickened by the vivacity and cheer of youth.

While too much of this is true, and the evils complained of are to be corrected and averted as best we may be able, it is also true that in some respects undoubted advances and improvements have been made upon the methods and achievements of earlier days. Though personal religious experience may not be what it was, or exactly of the kind or degree it was, in many cases, the church as a whole has certainly grappled with the missionary problems of the world as it did not a generation ago. It has also thrown itself more earnestly and decidedly into the struggle for moral and social reform. Possibly in this there is more of man, more of social order, more of the kingdom of heaven on earth, and less of the individual, loss of personal experience, and it may be less of a technical and even a Biblical theology. This is precisely a case where the one we ought to do and not leave the other undone.

Attendant upon the growth of the church and the multiplication, enlargement and improvement of our institutions has been the remarkable increase of the liberality of our people in their financial contributions to the maintenance of the work. On the one side as an effect of the blessed operation of divine grace upon the heart and in the movements of the church, and on the other side as both a cause and occasion of the church's progress, this increasing liberality affords abundant reason for gratitude to God, and for commendation of the benefactors.

The four years just closing have been characterized by several remarkable movements and activities in our church life. The Laymen's Missionary Movement, the Adult Bible Class Movement, the expansion and increased intensity of the Student Volunteer Movement, the compact organization of the Sunday schools for mission work and the co-operation of the Women's Missionary Society therein, the widening of the scope of our moral reform enterprises, their gratifying success and the efficiency of their active secretaries, the appointment of additional force for Sunday school and Epworth Leagues in their educational and aggressive agencies, and the extension of the field and enlargement of the operations of our missionary superintendents, all indicate the infusing of a mighty tide of energy and purpose as concerning the establishment of the Kingdom of God in the world. It is as when the heaving ocean rolls in upon the continents, filling the harbors, lifting the navies, and pouring its floods far up the bays and rivers. As these advances will be fully reported upon by the respective departments, I need not enter into particulars. The missionary reports will show that in our growth in the western conferences it has been thought necessary year by year to seek for candidates for our ministry in Great Britain and Ireland that the needs of our opening domain be met. This must lay the burden of a heavy responsibility upon our Church leaders in that domain regarding education, organization and happy adaptation to the wants of a growing country. Our Newfoundland Conference also has and presents its problems. Rapidly, it seems, is it becoming the case that young men are brought in from the mother land, abide but a few years for training in the Anglican colonies, and then their journey westward. These facts look forcefully toward the need for strengthening our general superintendency, the better to preserve our unity.

Gratifying instances of large-heartedness and open-handedness of brethren and friends in their outlook over the church and country cheer on and sustain the toilers. Princely donations and bequests honor the name of the living and hallow the memory of the dead. Nothing but keenest appreciation and sincerest gratitude on the part of all concerned is a suitable recognition of these faithful, loving thoughts and deeds. All honor to the men whose bounties uphold and enlarge our institutions, so long as it is not done at the sacrifice of the church's best interests. It is truly a pity that any reflection or consideration should mar so inspiring a scene. Yet danger lurks even here. The masses of men easily lose self-reliance, and sag and sink into shameful dependence.

It seems at times necessary to recall the words of John Wesley, the originator of our Methodism, that we are to beware lest we become a necessity to us and in a way to our ecclesiastical movements. The money power is a tremendous power, and even in the hands of well-meaning men it may be misdirected. There is a possibility that such men count their money as their own, and in a way almost unconsciously to themselves become self-opinionated and self-willed. There is in this sin as well as in any other. More than once in the history of the church this money power has checked its progress and involved it in shame and at least temporary defeat. And it is defeat in any way to becloud or color the light that should shine clear and strong from the pulpit. It is positively sad defeat to turn the edge or darken the gleam of the sword of the Spirit, which is the Word of God. "We pay for it, and we will have it," is no argument here. Rich men must be listened to, like other men in the church of God. However desirable their counsel and their aid, they must, ceteris paribus, be taken as the counsel and aid of other men. Their decisions and their surges must be judged by the standards that determine the merit of the decisions and measures of poorer men in the house of the Lord. But when a church in which there are men of wealth would arrange for its pulpit on plans that would seriously jar or utterly dislocate the connexional order, on plans and relations utterly unattainable by poorer churches, and injurious to them and to the church at large, the wealth of such a church exacts too high a toll, demands a consideration which no annual conference, no stationing committee, no quarterly official board nor trust board or other church authority has any right or power to meet or to pay. All right discipline and church order must repudiate such transactions. All church officers and authorities in the nature of things must discountenance and disallow them. Suppose wealthy churches proceed to bring in chosen ministers, not of our church, from abroad and by influence with church authorities establish them in their pulpits; is that desirable? Is it honorable in all parties concerned? What is the end thereof? Suppose a wealthy church places even temporarily in its pulpit a minister who is under the censure of our ecclesiastical courts and who is at the same time attacking our church in civil courts, is that creditable to any of the parties engaged therein? If we expect business men or many of our laymen to care for such things we expect too much. Such things are the special charge of the ministers of Christ. Whether these are matters for legislation this conference can determine.

It is our duty as also our pleasure to gather in the rich as well as the poor. It is no crime or sin to be rich unless we make a sin or folly of it. Our Lord Himself dealt favorably with all. But He foresaw these and like dangers to the mighty cause He was establishing, which was to take deep-root and spread among all nations and over the whole earth.

The relation of increasing wealth in a church to the purity of its doctrine, the spirituality and fidelity of its membership and the power of its evangelism is closer, more intimate and more vital in its import than ordinarily appears at first sight. As John Wesley fully appreciated this relationship and its consequences, so also did the Apostle Paul. The Apostle lived in an age of intellectual activities, an age of inventive theorists and multifarious philosophies. In his solemn charge to Timothy, his son in the Gospel, and his successor in stupendous responsibilities, he pours forth from his spiritually enlightened understanding and keenly sensitive soul the lively experience of his time and the faithful warnings for all ages: "Charge them that are rich in this world that they be not high-minded, nor trust in uncertain riches,

but in the living God who giveth us richly all things to enjoy; that they do good, that they be rich in good works, ready to distribute, willing to communicate. . . . O Timothy, keep that which is committed to thy trust, avoiding profane and vain babblings and oppositions of science falsely so called, which some professing, have erred concerning the faith." Here even our friendships betray us into weakness and ultimate overthrow. Spiritually minded ministers will ever keep an open eye to these dangers and accept their avoidance as a solemn charge from the Great Head of the church.

The question of church union, important beyond all estimate, must come before the conference and be considered by it in all earnestness and seriousness. The report of our section of the joint committee on the subject will no doubt bring the whole matter fully before us. The protracted illness of the secretary, the Rev. Dr. Sutherland, and his recent much-lamented death, have devolved upon the chair the preparation of the report as published in the agenda.

That these religious communions so firmly established in their present form, some of them for centuries; so long settled upon distinctive principles and contending earnestly for them; so separate in polity and administration and diverse in usage and, in some cases, in doctrine; so widely extended with multiplied relationships and institutions among the nations, and in our own land as elsewhere, grown to such strength and efficiency, should have become so modified in spirit and sentiment as to move one towards the other and contemplate organic union; union, not only in form, but also in substance and deed, is certainly one of the most remarkable movements, if not one of the most stupendous revolutions in ecclesiastical history. If, successfully consummated to the glory of God, surely it is the mighty God that leadeth on the armies? And surely it is not desirable that it be consummated unless the Lord God Almighty lead us therein? We want no questionable foundations, no devious bypaths, no uncertain, unsteady step. In prayer and faith and obedience we must have a clear vision, and be strong and well assured in the way of our going. Where their union come or not, there must be much anxiety and labor. If union come who can tell the immensity of the responsibility? What with circuits and fields of labor, with the congregations of our people so dearly beloved, with quarterly official boards, district meetings and conferences, with our church properties and diversified interests, our connexional funds and establishments, our missionary and educational enterprises, our book rooms and publishing plant, our departments and officers, does the task not seem too great for human wisdom and strength? Is it not utterly beyond our power and the resources at our command to lead these churches into compact, mighty, effective host for God and His Kingdom? How many differences to reconcile! How many problems to solve! How many intricacies and perplexities to unravel! What opportunities for distraction, contention and strife! Truly nothing but the love of God that passeth knowledge and the peace of God that passeth all understanding, the Spirit of Wisdom, of power and of sound mind, is sufficient for these things. The designation and demarcation of fields, the arrangement, settlement and disposal of properties, the appointment and distribution of laborers, the composition and allotment of governing boards, the coalescence and co-operation of the membership, the harmonization of systems and methods, scores of difficult undertakings in scores and hundreds of places, constitute tasks before which the rashest and bravest may hesitate and even tremble. "If thou go not with us, send us not up hence," may well be the prayer on every lip. In the name of God will we set up our banners; and if we go not up yet a united host, a well organized, Spirit-empowered, irresistible force, we must at least learn to direct our armies in well-ordered battalions upon the common foe. The history of barbarism is the history of clans and tribes, of feuds and strife, of chieftains and conflicts. The Christian history has been a history of the formation of governments and councils, of kingdoms and empires, of churches and commonwealths, of the humanization and Christianization of man. Possibly we do better to follow on.

The address went on to deal with the relation of the general superintendency to the work of the church, suggesting that there should be at least two effective men in this office, both for counsel and action; with salaries of pastors, the ecumenical conference in places even temporarily in its missionary movement, church courts, supervision of records, courses of study, government of choirs, codification of the Book of Discipline and other matters.

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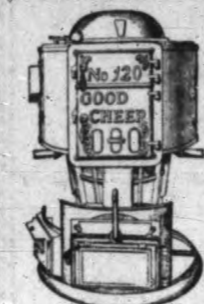
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Arrive Victoria, 17 p.m., Wednesday, August 17th.
Public meeting in Victoria on night of Thursday, August 18th.
Leave Victoria about midnight, August 18th.
Arrive Prince Rupert, Saturday, August 20th.
Leave Prince Rupert, Monday night, August 22nd, or next morning.
Arrive Vancouver, Wednesday night, August 24th.
Leave Vancouver, 6.25 a.m., Thursday, August 25th.
Arrive Kamloops, 12.50 p.m., Friday, August 26th.
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, 9.05 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, 8 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.
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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

J. H. Gray went over last night to Vancouver.
W. A. Lawson left last night on a trip to Vancouver.
E. A. Morris went over to Vancouver last night on the Charmer.
T. Kerchin is spending a few weeks in Vancouver on a holiday.
T. O. Graham has gone over to Vancouver on a business trip.
C. B. Sword sailed for the Terminal city on last night's boat.
J. Jardine, M.P.P., left for Vancouver on business last night.
J. H. Bromley left last night on a business trip to Vancouver.
Mr. and Mrs. S. Stevens are among the Seattle visitors in town.
A. E. Monteth left on a business trip to Vancouver last night.
A. H. Maynard went over to Vancouver last night on the Charmer.
Rev. Mr. O'Meara went over to Vancouver last night on the Charmer.
Hon. W. J. Bowser arrived from Vancouver yesterday on the Charlotte.
A. H. Maynard crossed over to Vancouver on the Charmer last night.
Ray Bray left yesterday afternoon for Vancouver on a holiday trip.
Mrs. B. Thompson, Davie street, was one of yesterday afternoon's hostesses.
R. Williamson, Seattle, arrived in this city yesterday on the Victoria from the Sound.
Capt. Campbell came over from Vancouver yesterday on the Princess Charlotte.
Mr. and Mrs. Baxter, Brighton, England, are spending a few days in Victoria.
W. A. Lawson was among those who left for Vancouver last night on the Charmer.
Major and Mrs. Strachan were passengers for Vancouver on the Charmer last night.
P. R. Brown returned to this city yesterday after spending several days in Vancouver.
E. A. Morris was among the passengers on last night's boat for the Terminal city.
Hon. Richard McBride left on the Princess Victoria yesterday afternoon for Vancouver.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brownlee were passengers for the Terminal city last night on the Charmer.
George Sheldon Williams was among the passengers on the Victoria yesterday for the Terminal city.
Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Geldmeister, after spending a week visiting the Sound cities, returned on Sunday.
Walter Little, who has been spending a month in town, the guest of relatives, is returning to-day to Winnipeg.
Mrs. Chris. Spencer is entertaining a number of distinguished guests, among whom are some very fine musicians.
Mrs. F. E. Pemberton, Mrs. Bell and Miss Bell left yesterday via the Northern Pacific on a visit to Portland, Ore.
Mrs. R. W. Janion left yesterday afternoon by the Princess Victoria for an extended visit to Vancouver friends.
Dr. Fagan, secretary of the provincial board of health, left yesterday afternoon on a tour of the lower mainland.
Rev. W. Elliott, Vancouver, was among the passengers on the Princess Charlotte from the mainland yesterday.
Mrs. E. G. Maynard, "Laburnum," Park boulevard, has postponed her post-nuptial reception until November 22nd.
Mrs. Spofford, who spent last week in town, returned yesterday morning to her summer cottage at Shawigan Lake.
Mrs. James Hardie and party came over from Seattle yesterday, and after a few days here, intend going to Vancouver.
Robert Prince left yesterday via the Northern Pacific for New York, whence he will sail for Buenos Ayres on a business trip.
Miss Duncan and Miss Lucas, of the public school teaching staff, are enjoying a delightful holiday at Harrison Hot Springs.
Mrs. H. Gillespie was one of yesterday afternoon's hostesses at a tea given in honor of Miss Byncheart, whose marriage takes place to-morrow.
Miss Sarah J. Howard, daughter of the late Major H. Howard, is to be married at Toronto to Dr. F. J. Buller, of Vancouver, this month.
George Sangster, secretary of the B. C. Agricultural Association, with Mrs. Sangster, went over on the Princess Victoria yesterday afternoon.
George Watson, who has been spending his summer holidays with relatives at Cordova Bay, leaves this week on his return to New Westminster.
E. C. Babbit, American vice-consul-general at Yokohama, accompanied by Mrs. Babbit and children, left on Saturday on the Sado Maru for the Orient.
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The Evening Chit-Chat

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In the hope of bringing a suggestion to some woman who has her living to earn and cannot decide just how to do it, and with a desire to give women a broader outlook upon what the rest of their sex are doing, I occasionally devote this column to telling something about some of the unusual ways in which women are earning their bread and butter. If any of my readers are doing any work that is rather out of the ordinary, or know of anyone else who is doing such work, I wish they would write me a few lines about it.

Please tell how you or your friend started in with the unusual work, what its advantages and disadvantages are, and how well it pays.

An unique niche in the real estate business has been both created and filled by a very clever woman, with a small amount of money and a large one of taste.

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She began by renting a house that was desirable in locality and in everything but furnishings, and completely overhauling it. She repapered, painted, cleaned and refurnished it—mostly with second-hand furniture rejuvenated, and dainty but inexpensive hangings. All of the work this rejuvenating entailed, she herself did with the help of a scrub-woman. Not a room cost more than fifty dollars, but it was all done with such taste and daintiness that as soon as it was furnished—she rented the house for the summer for twice what she paid for a whole year.

She was at once offered a position by the real estate agent, but preferred to work along this new line and has made a good living in this way. Often she furnishes the house with antique furniture rejuvenated, and sometimes sells the furniture. This year she expects to make desirable and sublet, five houses at a good profit.

Because of the high cost of food-stuffs, woman's time honored occupation—keeping boarders—is said to be difficult to make profitable just now.

One clever woman, however, has evolved a variation upon it that she has been able to make pay very well. She boards helpless and "cranky" old folks, charging from ten dollars up, according to the care required, and as care is the chief commodity supplied and the food they consume is a comparatively small consideration, she makes a very comfortable thing out of it.

At present she has six guests and keeps two maids. One maid does the washing and ironing, the other does the table work and chamber work and helps her with the old folks. She herself does all the cooking and takes care of the guests. Under present conditions she could accommodate eight. Four are the least with which such an establishment could be made to pay, she says.

Of course, most of the old folks are just like children and require infinite patience and watchfulness. Some of them have to be dressed and undressed and fed. Some are weak-minded and ask the same question half a dozen times in half an hour. They are also apt to be blue and depressed, requiring constant cheering.

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NEW YORK STOCKS
 (Times Leased Wire.)
 New York, Aug. 16.—Gains in the
 prominent issues were the chief features of
 the stock market to-day, with trade moder-
 ate and the whole list strong. American
 Ice rose 1/2, Central Leather and Colo-
 rado Fuel gained 1/2, American Beet Sugar
 1/4, International Harvester 1/4, Amalg-
 amated Copper, U. S. Steel, American
 Biscuit and American Tobacco 1/4. Bonds
 steady.
 (By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
 New York, Aug. 16.
 High. Low. Bid.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Allis Chalmers	92	91	92
Amal. Copper	102	101	102
Amer. Car. & Foundry	49	48	49
Amer. Cel. Oil	61	60	61
Amer. Ice	23	22	23
Amer. Loco.	29	28	29
Amer. Smelting	62	61	62
Amer. Sugar	139	138	139
Do. pref.	119	118	119
Amer. Tel.	134	133	134
Amer. Woolen	25	24	25
Anacosta	41	40	41
Atlantic Coast	113	112	113
Atchafson	101	100	101
B. & O.	102	101	102
R. H. T.	77	76	77
C. P. R.	136	135	136
C. N. O.	74	73	74
C. & G. W.	24	23	24
Do. pref.	42	41	42
C. & N. W.	144	143	144
C. M. & St. P.	127	126	127
Central Leather	90	89	90
C. F. & I.	22	21	22
Colo. Sou.	54	53	54
Con. Gas	132	131	132
Harvester	97	96	97
D. & E. G.	112	111	112
Distillers	272	271	272
Erie	26	25	26
Do. 1st pref.	45	44	45
Do. 2nd pref.	34	33	34
Gen. Elec.	144	143	144
G. N. Ore. Co.	127	126	127
G. N. pref.	127	126	127
Ill. Cen.	131	130	131
Inter-Metro.	174	173	174
Do. pref.	402	401	402
Int. Pump	162	161	162
Iowa Central	162	161	162
Do. pref.	32	31	32
L. & N.	141	140	141
Mex. Cen. Cfs.	131	130	131
M. C. & St. P.	34	33	34
M. K. & T.	62	61	62
Do. pref.	32	31	32
Mo. Pac.	21	20	21
Navy Cons.	114	113	114
N. Y. C.	41	40	41
N. Y. O. & W.	41	40	41

WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Lemons	5.50@6.50
Walnuts (Cal.)	1.50 20
Walnuts (Eastern)	1.10 25
Ham	21@ 22
Do., 2nd pref.	21 22
Ham (boned), per lb.	30
Bacon	25@ 26
Carrots (new), per sack	1.50
Bananas, per lb.	41
Butter (Eastern Townships)	24
Oats, per ton	27.50
Hay, per ton	18.00@22.00
Corn, per ton	28.00
Grape Fruit	4.50
Tomatoes (local), per crate	1.50@ 2.00
Green Onions, per doz.	2.00
Turnips (new), per sack	3.00
Cauliflowers, per doz.	1.50
Onions (Cal.), per sack	3.00
Apples, per box	1.50@ 1.75
Garlic, per lb.	1.00
Rhubarb (local), per lb.	1.00
Cucumbers (local), per doz.	75@ 80
Honey, liquid, bulk, per lb.	1.25
Honey (comb), per crate	4.75
Limes, per 200	2.00
Kuts (new Brazil), per lb.	1.25
Cherries (Morelli), per crate	1.00 25
New Potatoes	22.50@25.00
Dates, per package	1.25
Peaches, per crate	1.00@ 1.25
Apples, per crate	1.50
Cantaloupes, per crate	1.50
Corn, in cob (local), per doz.	1.50
Cabbage, per lb.	4@ 5
Plums, per crate	1.00
Loganberries, per crate	1.00@ 1.25
Oranges, Valencia, per box	4.00@ 4.50
Pears, Bartlett, per box	2.00
Apples, Gravenstein, per box	2.00@ 2.25
Pineapples, per lb.	7
Watermelons, per lb.	2
Grapes	6@ 8
Peppers, Bell	1.75
Peppers, Chile	1.75
New Sweet Potatoes	3.75

GRAIN MARKETS

Wheat—	Open High. Low. Close
Sept.	102 102 100 102
Dec.	104 104 102 104
May	104 104 102 104
Corn—	
Sept.	63 62 61 62
Dec.	63 62 61 62
May	63 62 61 62
Oats—	
Sept.	30.87 31.00 30.80 30.85
Jan.	18.67 18.79 18.62 18.62
Lard—	
Oct.	11.90 11.87 11.90 11.82
Jan.	10.72 10.75 10.65 10.65
Short Ribs—	
Oct.	11.30 11.50 11.30 11.42
Jan.	9.77 9.80 9.72 9.72

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 16.—Wheat—	
Australian, \$1.75@1.80; Sonora, \$1.70@1.75;	
good to choice California Club, \$1.82@1.85;	
\$1.67; Northern Wheat—Bismark, \$1.75@1.78;	
\$1.82; Club, \$1.60@1.67; Turkey, \$1.67@1.70;	
\$1.72; Russian, \$1.62@1.65.	
Barley—Feed, good to choice, \$1.90@1.95;	
\$1.81; poor to fair, \$1.60@1.65; new shipping,	
\$1.60@1.65.	
Eggs—Extras, 30c; firsts, 32c; seconds,	
28c; thirds, 26c.	
Butter—Extras, 31c; firsts, 30c; sec-	
onds, 28c.	
Potatoes—Per cental, River Whites, \$3.00@3.10;	
\$2.81; Salinas, Burbanks, \$1.50@1.55; Sweet,	
2c. per pound.	
Oranges—Choice, \$1.50@1.55; extra choice,	
\$1.50@1.55; Valencia, choice, \$2.50@2.55;	
fancy, \$2.50@2.55.	

LOCAL MARKETS

ONS—	
Pratt's Coal Oil	1.85
Eocene	1.75
Meats—	
Hams (B. C.), per lb.	24
Bacon (B. C.), per lb.	22
Hams (American), per lb.	25
Bacon (American), per lb.	20@ 25
Bacon (long clear), per lb.	22
Beef, per lb.	20 20
Pork, per lb.	17@ 20
Mutton, per lb.	17@ 20
Lamb, hindquarter	17@ 20
Lamb, forequarter	17@ 20
Veal, per lb.	15 15
Suet, per lb.	15 15
Farm Produce—	
Fresh Island Eggs	45
Butter (Creamery)	45
Butter (Eastern Townships)	45
Lard, per lb.	22
Western Canada Flour Mills—	
Purity, per sack	2.00
Purity, per bbl.	7.75
Three Star Patent, per sack	2.00
Three Star Patent, per bbl.	7.75
Hungarian Flour—	
Ogilvie's Royal Household,	2.00
per sack	
Ogilvie's Royal Household,	7.75
per bbl.	
Robin Hood, per sack	2.05
Robin Hood, per bbl.	7.75
Vancouver Milling Co., Hun-	2.00
garian, per sack	
Vancouver Milling Co., Hun-	7.75
garian, per bbl.	
Lake of Woods, per sack	2.00
Lake of Woods, per bbl.	7.75
Calgary Hungarian, per sack	2.00
Calgary Hungarian, per bbl.	7.75
Enderby, per sack	1.85
Enderby, per bbl.	7.25
Pastry Flour—	
Snowflake, per sack	1.85
Snowflake, per bbl.	7.00
O. K. Best Pastry, per sack	1.70
O. K. Best Pastry, per bbl.	6.50
O. K. Four Star, per sack	1.70
O. K. Four Star, per bbl.	6.50
Vancouver Milling Co., Wild	1.75
Rose	1.70
Drafted Snow, per sack	1.50
Drafted Snow, per bbl.	6.50
Grain—	
Wheat, chicken feed, per ton	40.00@50.00
Wheat, per lb.	23
Barley	25.00
Whole Corn	40.00
Cracked Corn	45.00
Roller Oats (B. & K.), 2-lb. sk.	25
Roller Oats (B. & K.), 4-lb. sk.	25
Roller Oats (B. & K.), 8-lb. sk.	25
Roller Oats (B. & K.), 16-lb. sk.	25
Oatmeal, 10-lb. sack	1.25
Oatmeal, 50-lb. sack	1.25
Roller Wheat, 10 lbs.	65
Cracked Wheat, 10 lbs.	65
Wheat Flakes, per sack	13@ 45
Whole Wheat Flour, 10 lbs.	45
Graham Flour, 10 lbs.	45
Graham Flour, 50 lbs.	1.75
Feed—	
Hay (baled), per ton	24.00@25.00
Straw, per bale	75
Middling, per ton	25.00
Bran, per ton	35.00
Ground Feed, per ton	35.00
Shorts	25.00
Poultry—	
Dressed Fowl, per lb.	25@ 30
Ducks, per lb.	20@ 25
Geese (Island), per lb.	20@ 25
Garden Produce—	
Cabbage, per lb.	5
Potatoes (local), new	1.00
Onions, per lb.	3
Carrots, per lb.	3

REDUCTION OF RATES ON LUMBER TO ORIENT
 Representatives of the Steamship Lines Decide on Seven Dollars a Thousand

A quiet inquiry for grain tonnage is reported, but not much chartering has been done, says the San Francisco Commercial News. For steam tonnage 2 1/2 is quoted for September-October loading, the basis of the last fixture, while sail tonnage is quoted at a shade lower. Poor reports from the countries usually called upon to supply the Mediterranean with wheat are being received, and it looks as though this will prove a good outlet for some of the Pacific coast exportable surplus.

Lumber chartering remains quiet. The British steamer Knight of St. George, taken on time by the Java and Asiatic Company at 1975, has been chartered outward only by Comyn, Macmillan & Co. and rechartered by them to the Robert Dollar Company to load on Grays Harbor for the Orient. Puget Sound to South Africa, sail, has been done at 55s 3d for orders and 55s direct port. Puget Sound to Hamburg has been done at 55s.

Offshore lumber rates are quoted as follows: Lumber from Puget Sound or British Columbia to Sydney, 30s@ 32s 6d; Melbourne or Adelaide, 31s 3d @ 32s 6d; to Port Pirie, 35s@ 36s 3d; to Fremantle, 35s@ 37s 6d; to China ports (steam), 3 s 3d@ 3s 3d on gross; direct nitrate port, 40s@ 41s 3d; Callao, 40s@ 41s 3d; Valparaiso for orders, 42s 6d@ 43s 3d, with 2s 6d less to direct port; to South African ports, 55s; to U. K. or Continent, 52s 6d@ 55s; Guaymas, 45s; Manzanillo, 45s; Santa Rosalia, 45s; Honolulu, 45s.

In general business the government has taken an American steamer for coal from Atlantic range to San Francisco at \$6.33, while three American sailers have been fixed Atlantic range to San Francisco at \$6. For a Drifted Snow, per sack \$1.50. Trip along the coast from South America and back, steam, 2s 6d has been paid. The Sank, Norwegian steamer, has been fixed to San Francisco at 2s 6d. The Herm, Norwegian steamer, has been fixed for transpacific trade at 2s 6d one trip, delivery Hongkong, redelivery North Pacific, option one round trip and trip delivery North Pacific, 3s; option redelivery Australia or East at 2s 9d.

Rates for the transportation of lumber from Pacific coast ports to the Orient were reduced from \$5 to \$7 a thousand feet at a meeting in Seattle Tuesday of representatives of steamship lines. The rate of \$7 applies only on shipments to direct ports and it is the lowest figure at which regular lines have ever carried lumber from the Pacific coast to China and Japan. A year ago the companies were demanding \$9 a thousand and Frank Waterhouse received \$10 a thousand for special cargoes dispatched by the government to Manila. Other rates were not disturbed at the meeting. The following lines were represented: Portland and Asiatic, Canadian Pacific, Dowell & Co., Great Northern, Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Osaka Shosen Kaisha and Frank Waterhouse.

IN POLICE COURT

A successful attempt is being conducted by the health authorities to regulate the dwellings and lodging houses of Chinatown and bring them within the provisions of the health by-law. Prosecutions for offences under the by-law has been commenced, and in the police court this morning Wong Chung Lung, a Chinese lodging house keeper, was fined \$25 for allowing more persons to sleep in a single room than allowed by the health by-law.

Sanitary Inspector Maclester discovered at 535 Piquard street that the accused had rooms measuring 8 feet 7 inches by 7 feet 1 inch by 6 feet in height, in which as many as four men were found. The by-law provides that 284 cubic feet shall be allowed for every occupant.

A similar prosecution is being brought against Sang Chung for an offence under the act at 754 Johnson street.

A shooting affair, in which no one was injured, which occurred last night at Carpenter's cabins, resulted in the appearance of Antonio Nippo, a Roumanian, and Charles Mitchell and Alexander Stewart in the dock this morning. The former was charged with discharging firearms and the two latter with creating a disturbance. They were remanded until Thursday.

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE

Alberta Canadian Oil	28	19
American Northwest Oil	13	15
Canadian Northwest Oil	25	25
Alberta Coal & Coke	62	60
Diamond Vale Coal & Coke	37	34
International Coal & Coke	63	66
Nicola Valley Coal & Coke	35	35
Royal Collieries	21	23
Western Coal & Coke	13	13
B. C. Permanent Loan	125.00	128.00
Great West Permanent	120.00	128.00
Pacific Whaling, com.	55.00	
Pacific Whaling, pref.	75.00	
Stewart Land	28.00	
S. A. Strip	600.00	
Bitter Creek	48	
Bear River Canyon	35	15
Glacier Creek	18	
Main Reef	14	
O. K. Fraction	24	14
Portland Canal	24	24
Portland Wonder	38	
Stewart M. & D.	3.00	4.00
Lasqueti	25	19
Ranchy-Columbia	25	25
Bowstern	45	45
Rambler Cariboo	23	

Sales.

1,000 Royal Collieries	212
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500 Portland Canal	34
500 Portland Canal	34
Option on 5,000 Portland Canal, 20 days delivery	23
Option on 5,000 Portland Canal, 20 days delivery	23

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CROSS-COUNTRY AIRSHIP FLIGHT

Final Dash in 488 Mile Contest Will Take Place on Wednesday

Ambiens, France, Aug. 16.—Favored by the first calm weather since the start of the cross country airship race, Le Blanc, the "Falcon," completed the fifth and next to the last leg of the 488 mile contest when he arrived at Ambiens yesterday from Douai. He covered 48 miles in one hour. Aubrun, holder of second place in the race, took 18 minutes longer to make the race. A low hanging fog hampered the aviators when they set out at dawn. Orders were telegraphed ahead and strawstacks were fired. Pillars of smoke from these shot up through the mist to serve as guides for the aviators. Le Blanc and Aubrun both flew low, however, braving the obscuring fog and using their compasses.

Barring an accident, Le Blanc is the sure winner of the contest for the prize which totals \$47,000. His record is considered perfect. He has negotiated 421 miles through the air in ten hours, 21 minutes and 2 seconds. Aubrun, his nearest competitor, has covered the same distance in 11:29:55.

On Wednesday the final aerial dash will take place. From Ambiens the man birds will fly to Paris, alighting on the parade ground at Issy, just outside the fortifications southwest of the capital. The race started from Issy on August 6th, the chief incentive being the \$20,000 purse offered by Le Matin, a Parisian morning newspaper. Besides this, each city through which the airships were driven added its quota to the prize in the form of purses or cups.

Weymann, driving a Farman biplane, is the only American entered.

Le Gagneux drove from Douai to Ambiens yesterday.

What Other People Think

CITY DUMPS.

To the Editor:—I see by the paper that the city engineer complains of a lack of public dumps. This statement would remind a person of the sailors that was shipwrecked on the Amazon "water, water, everywhere, and not a drop to drink." Here are a few dumps that can be made and save the city a few thousand dollars, if it is the policy of the aldermen to do so. If a few dumps had been laid under a bridge on Bridge street, just below where they have been filling in the Gorge bridge, they could have dumped the fourteen hundred yards that was dumped in Humbert's brickyard, and a few more fourteen hundred yards on top of that, and have saved the upkeep of a bridge, and had a permanent roadway. Every piece of the macadam that is being taken up on Douglas street is required to raise Douglas street and Discovery street between Chatham street and Princess avenue. This would save paying the tramway company for filling next year, because it has to be raised before it can be paved, and the winter rains would settle it ready for paving. Field street, which runs from Douglas street to McBride avenue, will take some hundreds of thousands of yards to raise it to a grade. Here is a dump in the heart of the city which will take several years to fill with city dirt. Another fill is required on Quadra street below the jail, on Cook street north of Hillside, and south of King's road down to Queen's avenue. This is a mud road with a city water main laid above the street. The whole of it has to be filled.

I have only given you a few in one section of the city, and the same would apply all over.

I see the mayor complains of them filling private property from public excavations right from where it is required. I saw myself corporation carts hauling dirt three blocks from McBride avenue, and it was all required on the side of the street of a length of a shovel from where it was laid. I called Ald. Ross's attention to where the sidewalk men were taking black soil, which the city badly wanted for boulevard purposes, worth at the least three dollars a load. There are six men filling wagons and hauling it on to private property, notwithstanding the fact that it was wanted where it was. To the credit of that alderman he walked up there and stopped it. But he should have demanded an inquiry why this was done.

I am not writing this with any idea of criticising the new engineer. He is a stranger.

GEORGE JERVES.
Victoria, B. C., August 15th, 1910.

SINGLE TAX

To the Editor:—Single tax will abolish all tax, except one tax on the value of land. The single tax is not a tax on real estate, for real estate includes improvements, nor is it a tax on land, for it would only tax such land as is valuable irrespective of its improvements and would tax that in proportion to such value.

This would provide needed public revenues, municipal, county, provincial, and national. The single tax would get rid of those taxes which necessarily promote fraud, perjury, bribery and corruption. It would enormously increase the production of wealth by removing the burdens that now weigh upon industry and thrift.

A tax on things made by man tends to decrease the supply and increase the cost. On the contrary, the taxation of land values makes land more easily available, since it would be unprofitable for owners of valuable land to hold it idle for speculation.

Taxation on the products of labor on one hand and the insufficient taxation of land values on the other produce an unjust distribution of wealth which gives us the millionaire on the one side and the underpaid man on the other. This condition generates thieves, gamblers and social parasites of all kinds and requires large expenditure of money and energy in war, policemen, courts, prisons and other means of defence and repression.

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FIRST POSTAGE STAMPS.

To the Editor:—I note that in Saturday's issue of your paper a statement is reproduced which recently appeared in the London Times about the postage stamp. The statement is extracted from a much longer article upon the post office which was published about a quarter of a century ago in the ninth edition of the Encyclopaedia Britannica, a series of volumes which, quite apart from that particular article, not a few of us outsiders look upon as an amusing work of fiction.

A somewhat curious story is connected with that article whose mis-statements are simply amazing; and when it appeared some of its readers thought they recognized in it the handwork of an ex-post official with literary tastes who had left the service rather suddenly, and ever after loved to gird at the institution which knew him no longer. But into that venerable scandal there is need to enter.

The article was founded not on fact, but upon certain pamphlets, as untruthful as they are ungrammatical, which were written by a son of the James Chalmers therein mentioned. The elder Chalmers was a public-spirited citizen of Dundee, and a man of strict integrity. The younger despised not the wiles of the blackmailer, and before trumping up his fraudulent claim, which only saw the light of day when both his father and mine were dead, approached my brother, Mr. Pearson Hill, and intimated that in return for silence he was willing to receive a golden consideration. The offer was, of course, declined with scorn; and the fellow revenged himself by slandering the deceased reformer. But the descendants of Sir Rowland Hill knew their father too well to fear that his honorable name could really be besmirched by a Patrick Chalmers.

After what fashion the ex-post official and the would-be blackmailer managed to cast metaphorical dust into the eyes of the too gullible conductors of the Encyclopaedia Britannica—in which publication, by the way the London Times is largely interested—we never knew; and even if the information were worth the trouble of acquiring, it is now probably too late to obtain it. Sundry other works of reference have followed the E. B.'s lead, which only show how strong the love of fiction is implanted in the mind of even the most "superior" persons.

Mr. James Chalmers took a great interest in postal reform, and was one of my father's heartiest supporters. Pursuant of Rowland Hill's pamphlet (explaining his reform) published in February, 1837, led Mr. Chalmers to open up a friendly correspondence with its author, and in one of his letters the Dundee bookseller tells my father that

than he invented the stamp my father would have been the first to acknowledge the obligation.

In the days of the Times' great editor, Delane, fustian like the above statement would have received no recognition in Printing House Square. But the modern Jupiter is Tomian no longer.

I would add that my little work entitled "Sir Rowland Hill: the Story of a Great Reform," is to be found at the Carnegie Free Library here; and that the curious history of the postage stamp is there told in much detail. The claims to its invention are shown to have been many, but in support of them not one of the claimants has ever produced evidence capable of bearing scrutiny.

ELEANOR C. SMYTH.
BOY SMOKERS.

To the Editor:—As a visitor to your beautiful city, may I tell you a thing or two I observed yesterday while visiting one of your beaches, viz. Fort Bay. There was a large crowd of people there, but so orderly, good tempered and quiet that one might think they were all taking tea or in their own gardens. After most of the people had gone townwards no one seemed left but boys, and I still lingered. But to my surprise they all sat round sundry fires and took out their cigarettes and smoked. Some of these boys were mere children, ranging from about 10 to 15 years, and I sat and wondered was this allowed in Victoria. But if it is not generally known, how can it be stopped? One small boy had to be helped up the bank by his companions, so thoroughly was he intoxicated with nicotine. Pardon me taking up your space with observations

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We are issuing a pamphlet containing the reports of Mr. W. W. Rush and Mr. H. B. Williams, who was for more than eight years associated with John Taylor & Son, of London, England, and a confirmation of Mr. Rush's report by Mr. R. G. E. Leckie.

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Many Changes Have Been Made in Service During the Past Few Years

Despite much that has been said and written regarding the British army of to-day, the fact is that it has never in its history been better, more efficient, or more effective, says W. T. Grey, a London Daily Mail correspondent, stated by that paper to be well informed as to the aims and views of British military authorities. These he believes would be continued, but they can be fully justified. That there should be any doubts on the subject is due to ignorance of the conditions which now exist under Mr. Haldane's regime at the war office.

The army council, with Mr. Haldane as president, have re-created a real general staff and at the same time have taken adequate measures to keep it in touch with the administrative staff. The changes brought about since 1906 have met with bitter opposition from some sections of the service itself. This was particularly so with the militia. Sentiment was strongly in favor of the old constitutional force, which had done much for the country. But a national policy was settled, and the interests of the army as a whole had to be considered, with the result that the special reserve, which is a real reserve for the regular army, has replaced the militia.

Till Mr. Haldane entered the war office both the militia and the volunteers were made of armed men, the former especially in Ireland, showing an overwhelming mass of garrison artillery of no possible use. Neither force had any war organization. They had no sup-

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ply train, no field artillery. The Territorial Force with its organization perfect in every detail forms a striking contrast to the state of affairs prior to 1906.

The chief questions with which the military administration, or rather the statesmen of the Empire generally, are confronted, have been concisely summarized as follows:

1. To provide adequate forces for the defence of the various self-governing portions of the Empire.

2. To furnish in peace sufficient garrisons for India, for Egypt, for coaling stations abroad, and for certain Crown Colonies.

3. To place in the field immediately on the outbreak of war in the highest state of efficiency as large an expeditionary force as is possible compatible with the peace military expenditure.

4. To maintain both that force and existing garrisons abroad, throughout the continuance of hostilities, undiminished in numbers and efficiency.

5. To provide powers of expansion for service over-seas outside the limits of the expeditionary force.

Since then the best brains in the army have worked upon the task and with admirable results. First, the general staff had to reach the stage essential to its existence of "thinking alike on all matters of principle." It was the general staff which devised the divisional organization in place of our former army corps which proved so unsuitable a formation in South Africa and gave way there to a divisional system. India has adopted the same formation as the basis of her military reconstruction. The general staff after mature deliberation recommended the division of three infantry brigades with a due proportion of other arms and services as the most suitable pattern towards which the military administration of the Empire should be asked to work in future.

Now we have six infantry divisions, with the cavalry division—a more perfect body of cavalry than we have ever had before—certain army troops, and troops and services for the lines of communication, all forming an expeditionary force of some 180,000 to 170,000 officers and men. But it is pointed out by a member of the general staff:

"The size of this expeditionary force is not decided by war as it pretended that it is at all commensurate with the strategic needs of the Empire. Look where one will, contingencies exist which may in the near or distant future necessitate employment at short notice for the defence of Imperial interests of a much larger force; and the hope may not be vain that other states of the Empire besides the Mother Country will some day build a portion of their military forces, as bodies organized for this special purpose, in constant readiness for operations overseas." To bring that about is part of the work of the Imperial general staff.

Meanwhile we have that splendidly trained expeditionary force ready. For it is 18,577 warrant officers, non-commissioned officers and men are required on mobilization, and the estimated number wanted to replace wastage during the first six months of a war is 41,437. The normal number available after the usual deductions have been made is: Serving, 92,524; regular reserves, 116,606; special reserves, 52,546; a total of 261,676. There is, besides, the territorial army for home defence. Further, it is noted that under the new arrangement seventy-four reserve battalions whose main function it would be to train drafts for battalions in the field would automatically come into being on mobilization.

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(b) The name of the lake, stream or source (if unnamed, the description of the lake on the southeast slope of Mount Wood, Malahat District.

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

(d) The quantity of water applied for (in —Dams on both 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; 750 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 28th day of July, 1910, and application will be made to the Commissioner on the 29th 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 memorandum of association as authorize the proposed application and works.

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(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—Dams at south end of lake.

(p) The area of the reservoir site or sites at each foot in depth below the proposed level—(1) 67,200, (2) 77,600, (3) 78,700, (4) 117,472, (5) 57,177, (6) 88,228, (7) 82,261, (8) 65,305, (9) 98,027, (10) 1,021,600.

(q) How it is proposed to acquire the land necessary for the purpose—By arrangement with owners.

(r) Approximately the number of acres intended to be inundated—25.

(s) Whether it is proposed to lower the level of any natural lake or standing body of water, and, if so, the extent of the lowering.

(t) The anticipated extent of the lowering.

(u) The means proposed to be adopted to lower and re-fill—

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(Special Correspondence.) Duncas, Aug. 15.—At the present time there are no vacant houses in Duncas, and in the neighborhood there are probably twelve people looking about for small farms.

(Special Correspondence.) Masset, Aug. 10.—The Liberals of Queen Charlotte City have organized, the following officers being elected: Hon. president, Hon. Wm. Templeman; president, George D. Beattie; vice-president, T. J. Drain; secretary-treasurer, J. M. Campbell; executive committee, J. L. Barge, W. Rudge, P. Adams, N. McGilvary and Geo. MacRae.

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General Baden-Powell passed on the way to Chemainus, where he spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Hathead. Miss Vera Mason, who has been visiting here, returned to Victoria on Saturday.

Sidney C. Ellis, R.A., visited Queen Charlotte Islands recently and will return in a few months. Mr. Ellis is well acquainted with the group of islands, having made a geological survey of the ground some years ago.

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About 200 were entertained by the bachelors of the Duncas Tennis Club at tea on Saturday afternoon.

Wallace A. Purdy, a settler residing in Masset Inlet, died on the 13th inst. The deceased was a native of Bear River, Nova Scotia, and was about 60 years of age. He leaves a wife and seven children to mourn his death.

LOSSES LIFE IN SICAMOUS LAKE Conductor Jones, of Revelstoke, Drowned While Bathing—Companions Powerless.

ONE LOT, 50 x 122—On Robertson street, close to car line and beach. Price, \$600; \$100 cash, balance \$20 monthly.

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General Josephine Edenshaw has returned to Masset after a month's vacation in Prince Rupert and Methakata. Mrs. C. Harrison and Mrs. Tattersfield also returned on the last steamer after visiting the southern cities.

Rev. William Hogan, rector of the Masset Anglican church, is attending the synod meeting in Prince Rupert and will also visit Miss Hogan at Swanson bay.

REVELSTOKE, Aug. 15.—A sad drowning accident occurred about four miles south of Sicamous on the Okanagan branch line, when one of Revelstoke's popular railroad men, Conductor John Jones, lost his life while bathing. Conductor Jones and his crew were at the siding about four miles south of Sicamous, awaiting orders to pass a train, and during the time they were detained they decided to go into Sicamous lake for a bath. Along the shore the water is shallow for many feet out into the lake, when it suddenly becomes very deep. Conductor Jones could not swim and ventured too far out and sank in about thirty feet of water and was drowned. The balance of the crew were unable to help him owing to the inability of any of them to swim to his rescue. The body was recovered about an hour after the accident and was brought to town. The deceased leaves besides a wife and young child, a mother and brother and sisters to mourn his loss. A sad feature of the affair is the fact that the wife and child have just returned from a visit to the east, arriving home on Saturday.

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SIR WILFRID LAURIER'S VISIT TO VERNON City Council Will Take Charge of Arrangements for Reception to Premier.

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IMPORTANT STRIKE ON SHEEP CREEK CAMP Recent Discovery Another Illustration of Continuity of Veins at Great Depth.

MONTREAL STREET—One Lot, between Ontario and Michigan, 30 x 120. Price, \$1,000.

PORT STREET, 1 1/2-story modern bungalow, 7 rooms, \$3,500—a bargain at \$4,000.

Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada will hold sitting in Victoria, B. C., on or about the first day of September, 1910, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of hearing matters, applications, or complaints filed with the Board and served upon the parties interested in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of the Board.

FAIRFIELD ESTATE. We have for sale the lowest priced lots in the district, 50 x 110 feet close to car, with sewer and water. Price, \$650. On very easy terms.

Vernon, Aug. 15.—S. C. Smith, a delegate from the local Liberal Association, addressed the council at its last meeting, and said that he had been sent to ask the city to take charge of the reception to be tendered to the Rt. Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier on the occasion of his visit to the city on the 26th of August. The association would like the council to receive Sir Wilfrid, declare a half holiday, have the city decorated and have one or two triumphal arches near the station. The board of trade, he said, will co-operate with the council in the matter. The association would like the city to take over the party from their arrival, show them the country and so forth, up to the evening, when the Liberal Association will take charge of the arrangements, and hold a large meeting in the rink. The mayor felt sure that the city as a whole will want to take over these arrangements, and will accord Sir Wilfrid a hearty welcome.

Dr. Cross of Queen Charlotte City, has completed the new hospital and is building a residence adjoining. Dr. A. Ross Fraser of Masset, has constructed an emergency hospital near his residence, above the new townsite.

Nelson, Aug. 15.—The report of an important strike at the Mother Lode gold mine on Sheep creek, is confirmed by William Watson, consulting engineer and general manager of the property, who came in from Sheep creek. Mr. Watson states that the 200-foot tunnel on the fifth level, driven for the purpose of cross-cutting the main vein at the point has done as expected. The ore, he states, is similar in quality to that in the higher levels and the vein is evidently continuous to that depth. The presence of the main Mother Lode vein at a depth of nearly 600 feet is another illustration of the continuity of the Sheep creek veins at great depth. The Queen vein is similarly being developed in the fifth level to tap the main Nugget vein, 3,000 feet higher on the summit of Nugget mountain. The lowest level is due to pass under the apex at a depth of 500 feet.

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\$1,250—James Bay; fine building lot, one block from car, local improvements on street. Reasonable terms can be arranged.

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Duly instructed by MAJOR TOOLEY, who is leaving for the East, will sell by Public Auction at his residence, "Upwood," Signal Hill, Esquimalt, on

Tuesday, August 23

at 2 o'clock sharp, the whole of his well kept and nearly new

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Comprising: Very fine Quartered Oak Dining Room Suite, Mahogany Drawing Room Suite, Mahogany Afternoon Tea Table, Rattan Rockers, Lace and Tapestry Curtains, Brussels Carpets, Rugs, Double and Single Bedsteads, Spring and Top Mattresses, Pillows, Oak Chestonier, Bookcase, Child's Cot and Mattresses, Crockery, Glassware, Cutlery, Etc., Garden Tools, contents of an Amateur's Machine Shop, including a 9-inch Screw Cutting Lathe, only been in use a few months, a quantity of Plumber's fittings and other goods too numerous to mention.

Full particulars later.

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ALL IS READY FOR LAURIER

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"The provincial secretary wishes it to be understood that while invitations have been issued to those included in the colonial office list, it is not intended to mean that the reception is in any way limited. The premier and members of the executive council wish that the public at large, as already intimated, should accept the invitation as published in newspapers."

Following are the official arrangements for the public reception at the parliament buildings:

"Doors will be open at 7.30 to those intending to take part in the reception. A general invitation having been given. To prevent overcrowding, persons who wish to attend as spectators only will not be admitted before 10.30."

"The ladies' cloak room will be in the executive chamber, 2nd floor, west wing; the gentlemen in the main office, mines department, 3rd floor, west wing. Members of the legislative assembly will use their own cloak room. For other official guests, gentlemen will use the legislative reading room, and ladies the maple committee room. The cedar committee room has been set apart for Sir Wilfrid Laurier's party. Accommodation for members of the press has been prepared in the provincial secretary's department, 2nd floor."

"Refreshments will be served in the marquee which has been erected behind the buildings, access to which is had down the steps behind the chamber."

"Upon the arrival of Sir Wilfrid, guests will enter the chamber by the east door, proceeding to the vicinity of the Speaker's throne, where presentations will be made, passing out through the west door."

"The centre of the chamber has been arranged for the convenience of guests, as well as the rotunda, picture gallery, galleries, etc."

"It is requested to avoid overcrowding in the chamber, in order that presentations may not be interfered with."

Thursday morning the prime minister will be the guest of the executive of the Liberal Association in an auto drive to points of interest throughout the city. On the return of the party to the Empress Hotel Sir Wilfrid will receive a deputation from the board of trade, hear the representations of the Fenian raid veterans and receive a deputation from the Victoria Trades and Labor Council. Later the prime minister will be driven to Government House, where he will be the guest of his Honor Lieutenant-Governor Patterson at luncheon. A garden party for which a large number of invitations are being issued is the feature of Sir Wilfrid's entertainment at Government House in the afternoon."

Thursday evening Sir Wilfrid will deliver a public address in the horse show building at the exhibition grounds, and will depart at 11 p.m. en route to Prince Rupert. In connection with the arrangements for the public meeting it may be stated that the B. C. Electric Railway Company promises a special car service for the occasion, one capable of handling 500 people comfortably. Mr. Goward, local manager of the company, has also arranged to have special lighting facilities provided. Rows of lights will extend from the terminal gate down to the building, the interior of which will be brilliantly illuminated."

GREAT ACTIVITY IN AUSTRIAN NAVY YARDS

Shipbuilding Rushed as Result of Demand for Dreadnoughts

The agitation which has for some time past been in progress in Austria-Hungary for the expansion of the fleet and the adoption of a definite naval programme, has a direct and necessary relation to the development of ship building resources. The effect is manifested not only in shipbuilding yards and engineering works, but in a multitude of factories in various industrial centres.

A great deal has been heard of the Stabilimento Tecnico at Trieste, which has anticipated government supplies by laying down one Dreadnought at its own risk, and is about to lay down another, and of the arrangements for the building of other Dreadnoughts at the government dockyard at Pola and a private yard near Fiume.

The Trieste shipbuilding and engineering establishment has built all the more important Austro-Hungarian warships, including the immediate Dreadnoughts, and has latterly been greatly expanded, with an enlarged area, lengthened building berths, powerful new or reconstructed cranes, and much new plant, partly in association with the Austrian Lloyd.

It is really a German company under an Italian name, and recently its shares stood at four times their nominal value.

The Pola yard is a large government establishment, the headquarters of the Austro-Hungarian fleet, and it has several building berths, one at least capable of taking a Dreadnought, besides docks, coaling facilities, and all the requirements of a large dock yard.

The yard at Berguedi, near Fiume, is owned by Herzen Schomachen and Hartmann, of Budapest. It lies adjacent to the Whitehead torpedo works, and on that side additional land has been acquired and building facilities are being increased, so that it should be possible soon to begin work upon a big ship.

Guns and arms are furnished by the Swoda Works at Pilsen, in which the Krupp are believed to have a considerable interest. These works have produced a 45-calibre 12-inch gun for the ships of the Radetzky class, and have also a 50-calibre gun, while one of larger calibre is experimental. The latest types are still under trial. More important are the armor plate establishments of the Witkowitz-Bergbau and Eisenhütten-Gewerkschaft at Witkowitz, in Moravia, which have grown enormously since 1892, when they were developed out of works of lesser importance. The ad-

The Ideal Tourists' Store. TOURISTS and visitors to this city will find this an ideal store in which to spend a few minutes—and that's all you are asked to spend here, for you are welcome to come and "look" to your heart's content, and there's not the slightest obligation to purchase. Hundreds of imported souvenir pieces are waiting for you—dainty china things from British and foreign makers. These are things you don't find in your home town. Then the British productions in draperies and such lines will interest every visiting housekeeper. It's the finest display in the West. Come in and have a look around.



Some Ideal Bedroom Carpets

We list below some splendid bedroom Squares—splendid for many reasons, chief of which are—their great wearing qualities, their attractiveness, and their easy price. And there are other points in favor of these, one of which is the fact that they lighten the housework—they are "hard" finished and easily swept.

They are made from the very best materials, and there's no square at the price that'll give you so much satisfaction. Come in and get one for YOUR bedroom.

Victor Squares Are Great Low-Prices Values

To the person looking for a low-priced Square suitable for bedroom use, we commend these Victor Squares. These are well made and will give excellent satisfaction as a bedroom carpet. Many pretty floral patterns are offered—in reds, browns and greens. There's quite a variety of sizes, and you'll note that the prices are decidedly easy.

Table listing Victor Squares with sizes and prices: Size 2 1/2 x 3 yards \$5.00, Size 3 x 3 yards \$6.00, Size 3 1/2 x 3 yards \$7.00, Size 3 1/2 x 3 1/2 yards \$8.00, Size 3 x 4 yards \$8.75, Size 3 1/2 x 4 yards \$9.25, Size 4 x 4 yards \$10.50, Size 3 1/2 x 4 1/2 yards \$10.50, Size 3 1/2 x 5 yards \$12.00, Size 4 x 5 yards \$13.00.

Kensington Wool Squares—A Popular Line

We can heartily recommend these Kensington Wool Squares to anyone looking for a medium-priced Square that combines stylish appearance with good wearing qualities. You'll find these features strongly developed in these Kensington Squares.

A big shipment has just been received, and some very pleasing art patterns and oak rings are included. These are excellent wearers and are reversible. They, as well as the Kryptons, are a hard-finished square and are easily swept.

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Krypton Squares—A Great Square, Extra Heavy

Krypton Squares are of extra heavy weight. They are also reversible—giving a double wearing surface. Charming art designs and colorings are features of these Squares.

The new arrivals this week show some exceedingly fine effects in new two-tone green fields, with mauve and pink floral borders, and also some with gold and green floral borders. There are also some two-tone greens that are very effective.

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