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SEARCHING FOR INDIAN MURDERERS

OUTLAWS HEADING FOR CHILCOTEN COUNTRY

More Special Constables Are
Being Sent to Scene
of Tragedy

Clinton, B. C., May 8.—The sole results to date of the hunt for Paul and Spintum, the Indian murderers, are the finding of a saddle horse and saddle, a quantity of supplies, including bread, sugar and tea, which the desperadoes in their hurry to get away from the scene of the last murder, left behind them. They are supposed to have four or five horses, and in order to recompense themselves for the last one, they have stolen another from the James ranch, 20 miles northwest of Clinton, and not far from the Fraser river. This verifies the report that they are heading for the Chilcoten country. The mother of Paul is living at High Bar with an Indian named High Bar Pete, and their home is under surveillance, as the refugees may go there for a boat to cross the Fraser. There is a significant fact bearing on the question as to whether they are well-equipped with ammunition, and also demonstrating the character of the gun which Kindness was killed. Kindness, one went through Killeen's arm and one missed. When a search of the spot was afterward made three empty shells were found, one of which was of .30-30 calibre, and the others made for the 32 Special gun. The 30-30 cartridges can be used in both arms, but the Special cartridges will only fit the one, therefore it was a 32 Special gun that was used and since the cartridges were mixed there cannot be a large supply of either kind. Chief Constable Fennie, of Kamloops, is following the trail of the Indians with three deputies and eight Indian trackers, who ran Bill Miner, the noted train robber, to earth some years ago. These Indians are of a different tribe from the desperadoes, and are believed to be absolutely reliable. The keenness with which Chief Fennie and his deputies are following the scent is evident from the fact that no word is sent back as to their operations. It is likely that the first news from them will be accompanied by pack horses bearing the murderers, dead or alive.

Special constables continue to arrive, and as fast as Chief Constable Barr can outfit them with guns and horses they are sent out to strategic points. Every possible move of the murderers is being anticipated as far as possible, and it is not believed that they can escape.

ELEVATOR FOR QUEBEC.

Quebec, May 8.—The Quebec harbor commission has decided to build a one-million bushel capacity elevator of concrete and steel construction.

HARRY LAUDER ILL.

London, May 8.—Harry Lauder, the Scotch vaudeville performer, is seriously ill.

HOME RULE DEBATE IN THE COMMONS

Austen Chamberlain Attacks
Measure—Hon. H. L. Samuel
Replies to the Critics

London, May 8.—Austen Chamberlain continued the Home Rule debate in the House of Commons. He launched the minister with the lack of conviction that the present bill would settle the Irish question. The financial schemes, he said, would most certainly break down, for England would not long tolerate subsidizing a semi-independent parliament sitting in Dublin. Mr. Chamberlain predicted that if the Home Rule bill passed and Ulster resisted, public opinion in England would not tolerate any attempt to drag the north of Ireland.

The Rt. Hon. Herbert L. Samuel, postmaster-general, defending the provisions granting financial aid to Ireland, said it was impossible to establish an Irish parliament under circumstances that would compel an increase of taxation in Ireland of from 15 to 20 per cent. Under the bill there was no prospect that the annual grant would be reduced to the vanishing point, but the Unionist policy would be to increase the amount given by the United Kingdom to Ireland.

The fact that Irish Nationalists in times past had made violent speeches against the government, he contended, was no proof that they would not be under Home Rule.

Andrew Horner, an Ulster member, said that the attitude of the Ulster people was that "Ulster will fight and Ulster will be right."

"We are taking steps," he added, "to perfect the ministry so that when the bill passes our provisional government will begin to carry out its trust."

FOUR CHILDREN DEAD.

Two Boys and Two Girls Victims of
Cerebral Spinal Meningitis.

Moose Jaw, May 8.—A family named Cudmore, residing at Westview, 18 miles west of here, has just had the affliction to lose four of its children, within a few days of each other, all from cerebral spinal meningitis. The ages ranged from 5 to 18 years. Two boys and two girls were the victims. Their illness only lasted some twelve hours and only one of them regained consciousness after the symptoms developed. The provincial medical officer has the case under consideration and sent a serum to be injected, which unfortunately was of no avail.

NEW MEMBERS OF ALBERTA CABINET

Rearrangement of Portfolios—
Four Bye-Elections on
May 27

Edmonton, May 8.—Hon. C. W. Cross, senior member for Edmonton; John R. Boyle, member for Sturgeon; Chas. Stewart, member for Sedgwick, and Malcolm McKenzie, member for Claresholm in the provincial legislature have been sworn as new members of the Sifton cabinet.

The additions to the ministry involve a rearrangement of portfolios, by which the newly-created departments of railways and telephones, of municipalities, and other departments which have become of sufficient importance to demand the undivided attention of a single minister, are placed under separate heads.

The cabinet of Alberta now stands as follows: President of the council and minister of railways and telephones, Hon. A. L. Sifton; minister of public works, Hon. C. R. Mitchell; minister of agriculture, Hon. Duncan Marshall; provincial secretary, Hon. Arch McLean; minister of municipalities, Hon. Chas. A. Stewart; minister of education, Hon. John Boyle; attorney-general, Hon. C. W. Cross; provincial treasurer, Hon. Malcolm McKenzie.

Writes have been issued for elections in the four constituencies, as well as for an election in Cardston, rendered vacant by the retirement of John W. Woolf. The elections will be held on Monday, May 27.

INDIAN LANDS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

DEPUTATION WAITS ON FEDERAL MINISTER

Hon. R. Rogers Says Steps
Will Be Taken to Settle
Question

Ottawa, May 8.—A deputation waited on the government yesterday to discuss with the premier and his colleagues the subject of the Indian land question in British Columbia. The deputation consisted of Rev. Canon Tucker, rector of St. Paul's cathedral, London, representing the Moral and Social Reform of Canada Council, and Rev. A. E. O'Meara, of Victoria, B.C., representing the friends of the Indians of British Columbia. The deputation was heard by Premier Borden, Hon. Robert Rogers, minister of the interior, and Hon. Martin Burrell, minister of agriculture. Hon. C. J. Doherty, minister of justice, was expected to be present, but was unavoidably absent.

Mr. O'Meara presented the case for the Indians with some degree of historical point of view. He argued that the Imperial government as well as the Canadian federal government had consistently favored the contention of the Indians of British Columbia that they should be given the title to their lands, and that the claims of the Indians should be submitted to the adjudication of the Imperial Privy Council. On the other hand, the government of British Columbia has for many years taken the position that there is no issue, no case to be submitted to the courts, or calling for the action of the provincial government.

A number of suggestions were made by Mr. O'Meara as to steps which might be taken to bring about a solution of this vexed question.

Canon Tucker briefly reviewed the case and strongly urged the government as guardians of the Indians to take up in earnest this difficult question. He said that as long as it remains unsettled it will work injury to all concerned, the Indian, the province and the Dominion.

Some discussion of important points followed, after which Hon. Robert Rogers, minister of the interior, told the deputation that immediate steps would be taken by the government with the object of bringing about a final settlement of the question. He assured the deputation that steps would be taken to fully protect the rights of the Indians.

BRITISH INQUIRY INTO DISASTER

LORD MERSEY WILL NOT PERMIT WASTE OF TIME

Quartermaster Again Tells of
Mysterious Ship Near
the Titanic

London, May 8.—The evidence given at yesterday's session of the board of trade inquiry into the loss of the White Star liner Titanic, confirms the conviction among the general public that the disaster was due to reckless navigation. Lord Mersey and the assessors were obviously impressed when witnesses related that there had been no boat drill on board. One of them, a fireman, said he could not find a list showing the position allotted to him in the boats.

Speed was not slackened until the iceberg was sighted. The quartermaster at the wheel at the time said the Titanic was registering 45 knots every two hours.

Lord Mersey's questions showed a precise knowledge of conditions of seafaring. Also noteworthy is his determination to bring the inquiry to a speedy finish. For instance, the number of applications for the admission of advocates of particular interests led Lord Mersey to say they must avoid conditions leading to inextricable confusion. Two gentlemen claimed to represent a large group of Irish immigrants, only 20 of 100 of whom were saved. Another claimed to represent third-class passengers altogether.

Lord Mersey was not prepared to allow each claim. He asked: "Are there any more of these applications to represent third-class passengers? I don't think I can allow any class of passengers to be split up into groups, each of which claims separate representation. You gentlemen must consult among yourselves and when you have arrived at some sort of an agreement let me know. Now is there any one else who wishes to make application? If not, do let us get on."

For the first time the court heard of the mysterious ship of the trans-Atlantic, Hitchen, the clear-headed, self-confident, quartermaster who was steering the Titanic at the time of the disaster, said when his boat was lowered he was ordered to steer for a light that seemed about five miles away, two points on port bow. He first saw that light while in the boat helping passengers to board her, and surmised that it was a steamboat. It was a moving light. As they rowed towards it, it disappeared rapidly. The rockets that the Titanic sent up would, he declared, be quite easily visible, but they seem to have remained unnoticed.

Winnipeg Memorial.

Winnipeg, May 8.—The board of control yesterday adopted the following as the inscription to be applied on the memorial tablet to be erected in the corridor of the city hall in memory of those who lost their lives in the Titanic disaster:

"Erected by the people of Winnipeg in memorial of their fellow citizens: Mark Fortune, John Hugo Ross, Thomas Beattie, George A. Graham, J. J. Borebank and Charles A. Fortune, who, with 1,600 others lost their lives when the steamship Titanic foundered in mid-ocean on April 15, 1912."

The inscription will be surmounted by the city arms.

The board decided to ask for tenders for designs and estimates of cost.

SERIOUS RIOTING IN PENNSYLVANIA

Over Hundred Shots Fired in
Fight Between Police
and Mob

Pottsville, Pa., May 8.—Four men were shot by the state police at Minersville, near here, this morning, when a mob was being dispersed. Stones were thrown at the police, and when they started to use their riot sticks some one in the crowd discharged a revolver. The police fired into the crowd, which was put to flight. One man is reported fatally wounded. A woman, Mrs. George Wall, who was standing on her porch, was struck on the arm by a brick and painfully injured.

The fight occurred in the central part of the town when a crowd attempted to prevent Superintendent G. W. Kelsor of the Pine Hill Coal Company from taking two men in his automobile to the colliery. Kelsor had been coming to Minersville the last seven days and taking Thomas Farry, a repairman, and William Ward, a pumpman, to work. When Kelsor called at a garage for his machine today he was warned by a crowd not to take it out, and practically was held a prisoner at the place. Chief Burgess Richard Levan, a Civil War veteran, addressed the crowd and demanded that they disperse, but no attention was paid to him. He there-

FIGHT FOR LOWER FREIGHT RATES

W. A. MACDONALD ON CASE AGAINST C. P. R.

Declares Tolls in the West Are
From 150 to 200 Per
Cent. Too High

Vancouver, May 8.—That the C. P. R. western freight rates are from 150 to 200 per cent. too high is the contention of W. A. Macdonald, K.C., who has been appointed to present the case against that road before the Dominion railway commission at Ottawa. Mr. Macdonald, who is one of the foremost experts on railway matters in Canada, yesterday outlined for the Times a few of the arguments which will be used.

"In the last seventeen years," said Mr. Macdonald, "there has been no reduction of the freight rates east from Vancouver to any point beyond Ross Peak. It is not necessary to go back very far into the records to provide a comparison between the increase of business and the exorbitant rates."

"For the six months ending June 30, 1907, the freight shipments amounted to 23,846 tons, while for the six months ending June 30, 1911, the shipments amounted to 52,002 tons. This means that the freight has increased more than 20 per cent. in those four years. As to the business done here, I might mention that in 1896 the exports amounted to 1,948,000 tons, and the imports 1,320,000 tons. In 1911 the exports amounted to 2,230,000 tons and the imports to 2,532,000 tons. This means that the volume of business on exports is over seven times as great, and on imports as much as twenty-five times as great."

DEPLORE SPREAD OF MILITARISM

PROTEST BY METHODISTS OF WEST KOOTENAY

Reports Submitted at District
Meeting Show Majority for
Church Union

Nelson, May 8.—The West Kootenay district Methodist meeting yesterday recommended that a new mission, and church be established at Fairview, a suburb of Nelson, and a request will be made to the conference at Victoria.

If the annual conference passes upon the new mission, as is expected, lots will be purchased at once and a church built.

Dr. Calvert, of Grand Forks, was in the chair, and J. J. Nixon, of Phoenix, acted as secretary.

Compiled figures of the vote on church union within the West Kootenay district showed a substantial majority in favor of union. There are only a few fields yet to hear from, and the figures are: Official board, for 48, against 16; members under 14, for 24, against 34; members under 14, for 24, against 4; adherents for 96, against 17.

Several resolutions were recommended by the district meeting to be sent to college by the conference. They were: S. J. Booth to Victoria university, Toronto; F. J. Conn, Columbia college, New Westminster; N. S. Wolfendendale, Columbia college, and C. W. Webber, Columbia college.

H. E. Horton was recommended as a candidate for the ministry.

A motion was made by Rev. A. E. Smith, which passed by a vote of five to three, against the militarism said to be exhibited by the Dominion government in making military training attractive to young men and boys. The resolution deplored the military spirit that was being aroused by the equipment of drill halls and armories throughout the country, and by the encouraging of cadet corps in connection with the schools, and urged that the conference at Victoria take the matter up and refer it to the temperance and moral reform committee for action. Several delegates did not think that the military spirit of a boy was anything but his natural tendency.

It was decided to conduct a summer school at a point on the lake near Nelson from July 30 to August 5, and the district officers will confer and cooperate with J. P. Westman, the field secretary at Calgary.

It was settled that an ordained minister be placed in charge of Kootenay Lake marine mission with headquarters at such a point as will not entail any specific obligations or service.

Dr. Calvert recommended that the whole of the marine work in the district be brought under a superintendent, who would supervise and be able to contract for supplies on a large scale.

Phoenix will now become a mission instead of a self-supporting field, as it has been in the past. It was felt by members at Phoenix that they could not guarantee a certain amount because of the mines, which at one time would be working and at another not. In this way the church attendance fluctuates. Greenwood will get a probationer stationed there. The town has been up till now supplied by a minister from Phoenix.

Rev. A. E. Smith, pastor of Trinity Methodist church, was placed on the stationing committee, and W. J. Beamish was placed upon the statistical committee. The next annual district meeting in 1913 will be held at Kaslo.

WILL NOT DISCUSS NE TEMERE DECREE

Premier Asquith Refuses to Receive
Deputation—Proposed
Mass Meeting

London, May 8.—At a meeting of the Evangelical Alliance on Monday night, it was stated that Premier Asquith had refused to receive a deputation on the question of the ne temere decree, Preliminary Webb Peopie moved a resolution calling upon the council to proceed with a great meeting in protest, Imperial in character and representing reformed and Protestant churches throughout the Empire.

NO SALARY FOR MAYOR.

Nelson, May 8.—Nelson's mayor is now without salary of \$1,200 a year, which has been paid the city's chief magistrate since incorporation in 1897. Announcement was made to this effect yesterday, on account of the amendment to the Municipal Clauses Act, which prohibits payment of salary to a mayor in any city with a population of less than twenty thousand.

CANADIAN BISLEY TEAM.

Winnipeg, May 8.—Word was received yesterday from Ottawa that Sergeant William Davidson and Sergeant H. M. Marsden, both of the 50th Regiment, are second and third respectively on the waiting list for the Canadian Bisley team this year. Davidson shot at Bisley last year as a free lance.

WILL NOT RETIRE.

Sir Edward Grey Says Ambassador Bryce Will Resume Duties in September.

London, May 8.—Sir Edward Grey put a quietus yesterday on the rumors of the retirement of James Bryce as British ambassador to the United States. The foreign secretary stated categorically in the House of Commons that the ambassador, who is now on his way to Australia to study the political and sociological conditions, would return to Washington at the beginning of September and resume his duties.

GRIEVANCES LIKELY TO BE ADJUSTED

Trouble on C. N. R. May Be
Settled Without Aid of
Conciliation Board

Ottawa, May 8.—It is probable that the trouble between the Canadian Northern railway and its employees over the displacing of Canadian train crews by American crews on the Great Northern railway running into Winnipeg may be settled without resort to an arbitration board. Hon. Robert Rogers had a conference yesterday with Sir William Mackenzie and strongly urged him to amicably settle the difficulty. Sir William wired the Great Northern at St. Paul and suggested that the contract between the C. N. R. and the G. N. railway, by which the latter is given running rights into Winnipeg be altered so that Canadian crews will handle trains on the Canadian side. Sir William obtained a favorable reply, and it is expected that the trouble will be settled without the aid of an arbitration board.

CHESTER CUP.

London, May 8.—The Chester cup, a handicap of \$2,000, about two miles and a quarter, was won to-day by T. Nolan's aged horse Rathles, 8 to 1; J. B. Thorneycroft's Clarence, 7 to 2, was second, and Lord Michelham's Southampton, 9 to 1, third.

NOTTS DEFEATS AUSTRALIANS.

London, May 8.—Notts secured a surprisingly easy victory over the visiting Australians by six wickets.

LORD'S DAY ACT IN PROVINCE OF QUEBEC

DECLARED ULTRA VIRES
BY SUPREME COURT

Number of Other Judgments
Are Handed Down at
Ottawa

Ottawa, May 8.—An important point as to Sunday observance in Quebec was decided yesterday by the Supreme Court when the appeal was allowed in the case of *Outmet vs. Latin*. The appellant, Outmet, was prosecuted for violation of the Quebec Lord's Day Act by keeping open a place of amusement on Sunday. He applied to the Superior Court for a writ of prohibition against the prosecution proceeding with the prosecution, claiming that the act in question was ultra vires, as being a criminal act and beyond the competence of the provincial legislature.

The judge applied to quash the writ, holding that the provincial act was in itself ultra vires, but had been validated by the federal act on the same subject. The Court of King's Bench affirmed the refusal, but on different grounds, some of the judges holding that the act was ultra vires, others that it was ultra vires, but the prosecution could proceed under the federal act.

The attorney-general of Quebec intervened in the action, as an act of the legislature was attacked. The consequence is that the Quebec Lord's Day Act is declared ultra vires.

A number of judgments were given, including the following:

Taylor vs. British Columbia Electric Co. Appeal dismissed with costs, Angly, J. dissenting.

Alberta Pacific Elevator Co. vs. Vancouver Milling Company. Appeal dismissed with costs.

Syvester vs. the King. Appeal dismissed with costs, the court being of the opinion that while the proceedings were irregular so far as the evidence was not interpreted to the prisoners, it is at the same time apparent that no substantial wrong or miscarriage of justice was occasioned thereby in the trial.

Small vs. O'Laffin. Appeal dismissed with costs.

McDonald vs. Canadian Northern Railway Company. The question as to costs, which was allowed to stand over when judgment was rendered during last session, was determined by an order that no costs should be allowed on the appeal from the board of railway commissioners.

AVIATOR KILLED.

Berlin, May 8.—Aviator Bachmacer was killed yesterday while flying at the Johannisthal aerodrome. Rounding a curve the motor stopped and the monoplane turned on its side, and crashed to the ground, a distance of 150 feet.

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HONORS WON BY WESTERN STUDENTS

LIST OF DEGREES AT M'GILL UNIVERSITY

Victorians Among Those Who
Will Be Capped at Con-
vocation on Friday

Montreal, May 8.—The corporation and board of governors of McGill University held two meetings yesterday. The list of degrees to be awarded at the annual convocation Friday was announced. Mr. Justice Davidson is to be honored by the degree of LL.D. (Doctor of Laws).

The degree of doctor of philosophy will be conferred upon R. S. Bochner, who already has the degree of B.Sc. from Dalhousie and his M.Sc. from McGill.

Practically all the important prizes in arts went to Montrealers. H. L. Smith, of Prince Edward Island, however, tied with Miss E. L. Longworth, a western girl, for first place in the English literature course and the Shakespeare medal. The honor list in the faculty of applied science will be out to-day. Results in the faculty of medicine will not be known for at least three weeks, the medical students having only just commenced their examinations.

James R. Goodall will receive the degree of Doctor of Science.

The list of degrees of Master of Arts granted is as follows: Miss L. Howell, Miss C. B. Miller and Miss E. L. Paterson. Messrs. J. G. Porter, A. H. Rowell and C. Thorne.

The list of M.Sc.'s includes: T. G. Beagley, J. S. L. Brunton, J. G. Galoway, P. Gillespie, J. B. Dehart, A. G. Lochead, C. Mass, A. R. Murray, McLean, J. H. Nichols, G. E. Murray, Miss M. E. Paterson-Smyth and John Stanfield.

The fourth year in the course of applied science has shown itself to be up to the standard in examination and a large number of degrees have been granted. The recipients come from many countries and the cosmopolitan nature of the university is well illustrated. Eastern and western Canada, as well as Ontario and Quebec, are well represented, while England, Scotland, Ireland, South America, Newfoundland and the West Indies all have representatives in the graduating class.

In Arts the cosmopolitan nature of the class, if not so marked among the recipients of the B.A. degree, are many representatives of every province, as well as students from Great Britain and the United States.

The degree of Bachelor of Science is granted to F. Bagshaw, Victoria; M. J. Cohen, D. A. Mackinnon and R. B. McLennan, Vancouver; P. A. Henry, Calgary; J. Y. McNay, New Westminster, and M. L. Wade, Kamloops.

Western students to receive the degree of Bachelor of Arts are: A. Chener, Edmonton; R. H. Green, Victoria; D. A. Gordon, R. R. Holland and W. E. G. Murray, Vancouver; A. D. Muir, Gainsborough, Sask. Muir secured first rank honors.

FUNERAL OF LATE JUDGE J. P. MABEE

Train Leaves Toronto for Port
Rowan Where Interment
Will Take Place

Toronto, May 8.—At 20 minutes after 9 this morning the train carrying the body of the late Judge J. P. Mabee, pulled out of the Union station for Port Rowan. Following the well-known character and wishes of the chairman of the railway commission, an effort had been made to avoid anything spectacular, but the number of distinguished men who gathered to do the last honor to the departed, and who filled the long train, made the occasion an impressive one. The remains were brought to the station about half-past eight. There was no procession. The casket had been placed in a heavy oak box and a few flowers placed upon it. It was put on one baggage truck and two other trucks were loaded with flowers. The casket was put in and the flowers piled about it. They covered nearly the whole floor of the car. When the train was made up this car, next to the locomotive, then came three first-class coaches, D. B. Hanna's car, a special car for the members of the commission and the commission's special car in which travelled Mr. Mabee's relatives. The train started quickly, and as it moved out of the shed the few people left on the platform stood bareheaded. The regular traffic of the station had been stopped, but as the funeral train disappeared into the yards it was resumed, and the little silent groups on the platform broke up and disappeared. Toronto had paid its last respects to a man all its citizens honored. The government was represented by Hon. T. W. Crocker and Hon. E. A. Kemp. The bench, the bar, the board of trade and many other bodies had representatives present.

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DR. DIESEL TELLS OIL FUEL'S FUTURE

Declares It Will Supplant Coal in All Kinds of Engines

New York, May 8.—Amid great enthusiasm, in which 750 engineers joined, Dr. Rudolf Diesel, inventor of the oil burning engine which bears his name, was made an honorary member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

The formal presentation of the membership was made by A. C. Humphreys, president of the society, in the auditorium at No. 29 West Thirty-ninth street, and following the presentation Dr. Diesel addressed the society, explaining the use of his invention. When he predicted that the time is at hand when liquid fuel will supplant coal in all kinds of engines—marine, railway and stationary—he was roundly cheered.

"The use of oil and its by-products," the inventor said, "means that the world's fuel supply is almost unlimited. Not only is the present visible supply more than tripled, but we will be able to utilize the heat of the sun even after the present stores of liquid and solid fuel are exhausted."

As illustrating graphically the economy of oil over coal in the production of power, aside from its other admitted economies, Dr. Diesel presented a table showing that in the ordinary non-condensing steam engine 7,000 to 10,000 calories of heat are required to produce one horse-power; in the condensing steam engine 1,000 to 2,000 while in an oil burning engine of the Diesel type the same result in power is obtained from 2,500 calories.

"Beside this there is a great saving in the mounting of the engines, the boilers, expensive steam pipes and fittings, condensers and air boxes; not to mention the saving in engine room crews, coal passers and helpers," said Dr. Diesel. "The internal combustion engine has solved the problem of the use of liquid fuel, and the time is now at hand when oil will supplant coal for power purposes."

"In recent experiments with the Diesel engine we have obtained a thermal or indicated efficiency of 48 per cent. and an effective or brake efficiency of 35 per cent. of the heat value of the fuel. Science and technical knowledge are making continuous progress, but with our present scientific knowledge any considerable high efficiency in the process of transforming heat into mechanical work is not obtainable.

"Further progress seems only possible with some other method for transforming heat into work. This would mean an entirely new principle, which, however, one cannot speculate upon in the present state of science. This engine is, therefore, the simplest and at the same time the most economical prime mover."

"One of the greatest advantages of oil fuel is the ease with which it is transported and the convenience with which the natural supplies are located geographically."

Dr. Diesel here showed a map indicating extensive oil fields on the Pacific Coast of North and South America, the Atlantic seaboard, high latitudes in the Arctic, India, Russia and the Mediterranean, calling attention to the fact that in nearly all cases the fields are in convenient proximity to the seacoast.

"In the last few years great progress has been made in the application of the oil burning engine, not only on land, but in the propulsion of vessels," he continued. "In the list of these vessels there are more than 20 large war ships of various types and sizes, numerous freight and passenger vessels, tank vessels and tugboats. I am unable to give any particulars regarding the new war ships to be so engined, as foreign nations are maintaining great secrecy in these matters, but I understand that the United States government has ordered several American built Diesel engines to be installed in submarines and torpedo boats. This engine has broken the monopoly of coal and has solved the problem of the use of liquid fuel in its simplest and most economical form."

WANTS INVESTIGATION.

South Vancouver Municipal Council Will Make Application to Government.

South Vancouver, May 8.—The municipal council decided yesterday afternoon not only to have a government auditor appointed to examine the books of the municipality and the school board, but to go farther and ask the provincial authorities to have the auditor appointed as a commissioner under the Public Inquiries Act, so that he could not only summon witnesses, but could have them sworn. The investigation into the books is to go back to the date of the secession of Point Grey from South Vancouver in 1907, and is to continue till the end of 1911. A supplementary report is to be asked for to include the first six months of this year.

A delegation will proceed to Victoria to place the matter before the attorney-general and to inform him that the members of the council and of the school board and the ratepayers are thoroughly in favor of an investigation, and that the district is willing to guarantee the cost of an audit.

PROPOSED CHINESE LOAN.

Pekin, May 8.—The Chinese minister of finance, Hsueh Hai Ling, at a conference yesterday with the representatives of the banks of six powers, including Great Britain, the United States, Germany, France, Russia and Belgium, admitted their right to know how the Chinese government proposed to spend the money. The bankers explained the terms on which they are prepared to finance China and the cabinet is to meet today to discuss the conditions.

ATTACKS METHODS OF ROOSEVELT'S WORKERS

Taft Bureau Declares Money Was Freely Used in Maryland Primaries

Washington, D. C., May 8.—The Taft and Roosevelt national headquarters clashed yesterday over the Maryland primary result. The word "lie" was used freely by Senator Dixon, head of the Roosevelt committee. Early in the day the Taft headquarters put out a statement on the Maryland results, part of which was as follows:

"More than half of Mr. Roosevelt's entire delegates' vote came from the city and county of Baltimore. It is stated that Roosevelt's managers placed \$10,000 among their workers at an early hour Monday."

Another statement was in part as follows:

"In Prince George county, which definitely decided the contest so far as present returns indicate, Roosevelt money in large amounts was poured into the county. Large rolls of small bills were sent out from Washington on Sunday, at least one well-known leader in the district having voluntarily exhibited such a 'roll' in Washington on Sunday afternoon."

The statement was denied in the Roosevelt headquarters.

GUGGENHEIMS WILL INVEST MILLIONS

Negotiating for Claims in the Iditarod District—To Operate Dredges

Seattle, Wash., May 8.—That the Guggenheim interests have either already, for a consideration said to be between \$4,000,000 and \$5,000,000, purchased the bulk of the rich claims along Flat creek, in the Iditarod mining district, or that the negotiations are about to be closed, is the information which has just come, and it is borne out in advice which Alaska mining men now in Seattle, and bankers have received from the east. Thomas Aken, one of the biggest operators on Flat creek and one of the richest mining operators in the north, has been in New York for some time carrying on negotiations for the sale of his own and several other Flat creek claim owners and operators' holdings.

Frank Manley, who has holdings on Flat creek and has already cleaned up a large fortune in the Iditarod, is also interested in the sale to the Guggenheims.

In fact, it is said that the deal involves the sale of three or four miles of continuous property on Flat creek, the best diggings in the Iditarod. Mining men now in Seattle say that the Guggenheims will in all probability pay between \$4,000,000 and \$5,000,000 for the claims which they are said to be buying. The Guggenheims propose to put big dredges and hydraulic machinery into the Flat Creek district, operating on a big scale, as they have done in other places in Alaska.

The Flat creek property is well adapted to dredging and hydraulic operations.

TRAVELLERS' CONVENTION.

Los Angeles, Cal., May 8.—Not content with entertaining Shriners and their visiting friends, Los Angeles will receive the delegates to the annual convention of the Pacific Coast United Commercial Travellers, which will open Thursday. Secretary E. W. Clintman, of the organization, stated yesterday there would be 2,000 in attendance from cities of the Pacific Coast. The convention continues until Friday.

WILL OF LATE COL. J. J. ASTOR

How Millions Are Distributed—Vincent Astor is Principal Beneficiary

New York, May 8.—Counsel for the family have made public the will of John Jacob Astor, as drawn in this city in September last, only a few days after his marriage to Miss Madeline Talmake Force and approximately seven months before he perished with the sinking of the Titanic.

Vincent Astor, a son, who will come of age within the year, is made the principal beneficiary and residuary legatee. No hint as to the value of the great estate is given, and by the creation of trust funds the testator has followed, as far as possible, the custom of his forebears, the method of keeping the vast Astor estate intact. The value of the estate runs anywhere from \$75,000,000 to \$150,000,000. A close friend of the family said that the smaller figure, in his opinion, is nearer the correct estimate.

Aside from provisions for Vincent Astor, the will provides for unconditional bequests of only \$276,500. Among these there is only one of a charitable nature. This is \$20,000 to St. Paul's school at Concord, N. H. The rest of the legacies are to relatives, friends and faithful servants. Nearly all other provisions of the will, as made public, deal with the trust funds, of which there are three:

Five million dollars for the young widow; \$5,000,000 for the colonel's young daughter, Muriel, the child of his first wife, Ava Withing Astor; and \$3,000,000 for the expected posthumous child of the present widow. This latter clause provides for "each child who shall survive the testator other than his son, William Vincent, and his daughter, Ava Alice Muriel."

No provision is made for the wife who divorced him, and if the young widow dies or marries again, the \$5,000,000 trust fund, together with the town house and other property left to her, reverts to Vincent Astor. She receives, however, \$100,000 outright, without further stipulation, and until the income from the trust fund shall become available, the trustees are directed to pay her an income of \$200,000 a year. There was an ante-nuptial settlement which she accepted in lieu of dower rights. The amount of this never has been made public. Rumors have placed it at \$5,000,000.

The colonel gives the trustees minute directions concerning investments, following almost word for word instructions of similar nature left by his father, William Astor. All bequests are made tax-free, the taxes to be paid out of the residuary estate. As to proper investments, he cites, among other things, real estate, railroad securities, and the public debts of the United States, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Ohio.

THE LATE JUDGE MABEE.

Montreal, Que., May 8.—Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, referring to the death of Judge Mabee, said: "Canada has met with a serious loss in the death of Judge Mabee. His legal attainments and experience on the bench and analytical mind and firmness fitted him particularly for the onerous duty of a most important office. While there were occasions when the railway companies felt aggrieved at the severity of his findings, they were no doubt actuated by his keen sense of justice and duty and, as a rule the judgments were fair to everybody concerned."

IN MEMORY OF ARTIST.

New York, May 8.—The board of trustees of the American Academy in Rome has decided to establish a chair of fine arts in memory of Francis Davis Millet, who lost his life in the Titanic disaster. To perpetuate this it is proposed to raise a fund of at least \$100,000. Mr. Millet was the chief administrative officer of the academy.

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PROTECTING FORESTS.

Ottawa, May 5.—The forestry branch of the department of the interior is planning an aggressive fire protection and forestry policy in the west. In addition to taking special precautions along the line of the Hudson Bay railway, and the sending out of numerous survey parties to locate non-agricul-

tural and timber areas throughout the prairies, the department will spend considerable sums this summer organizing the new thirteen million acre forest reserve on the eastern slopes of the Rockies. Trails will be laid out, telephone lines installed and precautions against fire taken.

THOUSANDS FOR CHARITY.

Halifax, N. S., May 5.—The will of George Wright, of Halifax, a victim of the Titanic disaster, has been made public. It provides payments of \$275,000, \$66,000 to charity, and the residue, valued at \$25,000, being left to the local Council of Women headquarters, carrying on the work and assisting in the suppression of evil which Mr. Wright waged a long campaign against. He also left \$25,000 for the erection of a building for the purpose of providing ocean amusements. His relatives got \$32,000. The will was executed in London the day before the Titanic sailed.

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FALLS TO DEATH ON
RUNAWAY ENGINE

Brakes Fail to Work and Locomotive Plunges Through the Trestle

Tacoma, Wash., May 5.—Sticking bravely to his post in the desperate hope that ineffective air brakes might work at the last moment, George Hoffman, of Tacoma, a pioneer railroad locomotive engineer of the Puget Sound division, rode to death in a gulch yesterday on a runaway construction train at work near Shellock, on the Northern Pacific's new Tacoma-Olympia line. His body lies beneath fifteen feet of debris and earth.

Hoffman's locomotive with five gravel cars was approaching an unfinished trestle when the brakes failed to catch on a down-grade. Hoffman yelled to his fireman, Al Taylor, of Tacoma, to jump. Taylor jumped and escaped with a broken collarbone. Hoffman stuck to his post trying to work the brakes. Rails had been laid to a point only half-way across the trestle, where a fill of forty feet is being made. The moment the locomotive reached the end of the rails it dived through the trestle framework, followed by the gravel cars.

Hoffman was 59 years old and leaves a widow.

LOSES HIS REASON.

Atlantic City, N. J., May 5.—Continued discussion of the Titanic disaster, together with recollections of a wreck in which he nearly lost his life 15 years ago, has driven Dr. A. H. Mahib insane, according to friends here. He is under medical care pending an investigation by alienists.

Mr. Mahib was wrecked off the coast of Africa in 1894, and floated about in an open boat for two weeks, most of the time without food or water. When picked up he was unconscious, and did not recover his faculties for several weeks.

DEMAND INCREASED WAGES.

Kansas City, Mo., May 5.—Fourteen hundred brewery workers, constituting the union employees of all the breweries and brewery agencies in the city, went on strike yesterday following the failure of the brewery companies to grant their demands for increased wages and a revised working schedule.

FIGHT FOR ESTATE OF
STRATHROY BANKER

Richard P. Smith Said to Have Left Numerous Wills—Unexpected Announcement

London, Ont., May 5.—What was thought would develop into one of the greatest legal battles in the history of Canada, a suit to break the will of the late Richard Portingall Smith of Strathroy, fell flat at the non-jury sessions of the high court, before Mr. Justice Riddell, when the solicitors for the plaintiffs admitted that they could not hope to win. After his death, Mr. Smith's will was probated and disposed of an estate of nearly \$200,000. Later other testamentary papers, in which \$74,000 was given from the residue to various people, were presented. These wills all purported to have been made and signed by Mr. Smith while suffering from his fatal illness and were signed in scrawling signature unlike that of the former private banker and big business man. Suit was carried through all the proce-

CLAIMS TWO WAIFS.

Nice, France, May 5.—Mme. Navratil, who claimed that the two waifs saved from the Titanic and being cared for in New York, are her two children, has identified them by two photographs sent to her. She will sail on the Oceanic for New York to claim her sons. According to Mme. Navratil, her husband took the children from her cousin, to whom they had been confided. She learned that her husband had gone to England, and she said that he took passage for America.

NO SUCCESSOR TO DR. WILEY.

Washington, D. C., May 5.—Dr. Harvey Wiley's position in the chemistry bureau is still vacant, and the indications are that it will not be filled for some time. Since his resignation the affairs of the bureau have been administered by Drs. Daniel Mitchell and Doolittle, composing the pure food board, Secretary of Agriculture Wiley is said to be satisfied with this, and he is in no hurry about bringing the matter of the appointment of Dr. Wiley's successor to the attention of the president.

RURAL TELEPHONES
TO BE RESTRICTED

Manitoba Department Awaiting Report of Royal Commission

Winnipeg, May 5.—Retraction will be the policy of the Manitoba telephone department until the report of the Royal Commission of inquiry is made and until the government has sanctioned proposals for new works. This is according to announcement made by Commissioner Paterson. At this time of year the department of telephones usually has two or three hundred men at work, but now no more than thirty-five are out. Mr. Paterson announces that he has orders for nearly twenty-eight hundred phones, but that they will not be put in till after the new rates are declared.

During the past four years the commission has employed from two to six hundred men in the province. The numbers were gradually increased with the approach of winter until the six hundred maximum was reached. These huge crews were working throughout the province and they erected on an average of 1,357 miles of poles each year with about four thousand miles of wire. The average number of men employed on construction is something over three hundred, so that on an average each employee of the construction department erects four miles of poles and twelve miles of wire each year. The season is seven months, May 1 to December 1.

Of the twenty-eight hundred orders for rural telephones twenty-five hundred were carried over from last year and three hundred received this. Present indications have it that very few of these will be installed this year as the government is slow in sanctioning the expenditure estimates of the department.

Besides this number of construction men employed in the province the department has one thousand men on the maintenance department and about an equal number of girls at the key-boards.

Since the announcement of the new rates the commission has received a total of seventeen hundred new contracts. During the present month Winnipeggers have ordered one hundred and twenty-five removals. This is on account of the spring new-house-hunting fever.

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REVENGE ON WARDEN

Desperadoes Alleged to Have Planned to Murder Official at Kingston

Kingston, Ont., May 5.—At the investigation held at the penitentiary touching the escape of the four desperadoes, Jones, Bonner, Kelly and Brown, and Vincent McNeil, of Woodstock, it was stated that part of the plan of the five was to murder Deputy Warden O'Leary. This is according to a statement of a high official in the penitentiary.

O'Leary was one of the officers who brought the four men down from Stony Mountain penitentiary, and was almost killed by them on the train when the prisoners attacked their guards just outside of Toronto. O'Leary used his club freely on that occasion, it is said, and his life was to pay the forfeit to the vengeful outlaws. As Deputy Warden O'Leary visits the isolation building every morning, the waiting convicts expected to see him instead of Dr. Phelan, the jail physician. All the circumstances point to the fact that they intended to kill O'Leary for they were all waiting in the outer corridor of the isolation ward when the doctor came in. That a guard disobeyed orders by going to the assistance of his mate in danger seems to have been the cause of the escape of the convicts. Two guards go to the isolation building together. One goes in and the other remains on guard at the door after locking it. Knowing this the desperadoes used the cunning method to get the second man to come in and bring the keys with him. On the day of the escape, Guards Davis and Madden were detailed to the isolation building, Davis going in and Madden staying outside in the outer corridor to guard the door.

McNeil, who for that day had the run of the corridor in order to sweep called Davis into his cell and told him there was something wrong with his cot. As the guard bent down to look, McNeil dealt him a vicious blow on the head with an iron rod he had previously taken from the cot, and Davis went down. McNeil then took his keys and unlocked the cells of his four comrades and then ran to the door and called to Guard Madden outside to come in at once as Davis had fallen in a fit. His ruse worked, and his solicitude for his mate's welfare caused the outer guard to break the rules. As soon as he opened the door the five convicts rushed at him and overpowered him. They quickly stripped the clothing of the guards and two of the convicts donned them. They then all went into the outer corridor to wait for O'Leary. When Dr. Phelan came in Jones exclaimed: "Oh, it's the doctor; well, Doc, we'll trouble you for them duds you've got on." Some time later the doctor and the two guards were discovered locked in the cell clad only in their under-clothes.

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GUN-A-NOOT NOT DEAD.

Indian Outlaw Reported to Have Revisited His Tribesmen.

Prince Rupert, May 5.—Theories to the effect that the Indian outlaw Gun-

a-Noot had died, which circulated last year, are proved to be false, according to recent arrivals from Kispiox, which was the headquarters of the hunted fugitive. Within the last few weeks Gun-a-Noot has revisited his tribesmen at Kispiox. His arrival was, however, kept a secret by the Indians.

Information leaked out, but before the police had arrived Gun-a-Noot had again made his escape.

It is said periodically that Gun-a-Noot's children leave and are not seen for weeks, when they as suddenly return. The Indians carefully guard his movements, however.

The Verdict of Millions—Tetley Teas Please

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HOME RULE FOR CITIES.

There is a growing conviction in some of the larger Canadian cities that the limitations imposed upon them by the legislatures of the provinces and the reservation of authority to the government instead of granting a large measure of autonomy is not in the best interests of urban communities. Winnipeg has recently had a striking example of the extent to which the evil of such reserve may be carried. It required that the ratepayers should rise en masse and protest against the granting of a corporation franchise by the Manitoba government to defeat an undoubtedly harmful monopoly being established in that city. The incident has directed attention to the growing tendency of legislatures to muzzle civic corporations both as to the powers granted under their charters and their civic administration.

"Canadian legislatures," remarks the Toronto World, "are ready to confer every conceivable power in the charters of public services and other private incorporations, but any concession to the people—just the shareholders—in great incorporated cities is grudgingly given and accompanied by conditions that impair its efficiency and often render it practically valueless. Let our cities have home rule."

Both Vancouver and Victoria have had examples of the form of paternalism indicated in the foregoing complaint. The present visit of the Premier to Great Britain is excused or justified by the necessity of conferring with a railway corporation respecting conflicting interests about franchises. Had Vancouver been consulted in her own franchise matters the present deadlock in the transportation facilities of several of the suburban municipalities would not have occurred. But the government granted conflicting franchises which hampered the city in the development of its transportation systems, and the province must pay the expenses of the head of the government to England in order to hold a conference with the corporation magnates and straighten matters out.

Victoria suffers in common with Vancouver and New Westminster in the refusal of legislation permitting the adoption of the commission form of civic government. Vancouver prepared amendments to its special charter expressive of the wishes of its electors. Victoria and New Westminster have also taken steps to secure power to adopt commission rule. The paternal government—finding that the enabling of these cities would interfere with the machine methods by which it controls a section of the electorate—refused to grant the amendments. It has announced an intention to look into the matter of government by commission. It will grant these concessions to the democratic spirit of the citizens who desire autonomy in the three coast cities only should it, in its paternal wisdom, consider it good for the machine interests.

British cities and towns are being given a much freer hand in the management of their local affairs than Canadian cities. It seems remarkable that this should be the case when the persistent representation of Canadian governments is that they are ahead of Great Britain.

There can be no good reason why each city should not control its own licenses and franchises. We do not mean alone the licensing of the liquor trade, but business licenses generally. Over all these the government maintains a paternal authority. We are much inclined to echo the counsel of the Toronto paper which says let the cities have home rule.

TAFT OR ROOSEVELT.

The old saw which says "between two stools we come to the ground" may be exemplified by the Republican party in the United States as a result of the bitter personal war now waging between William H. Taft and Theodore Roosevelt for the presidential chair. So bitter is that personal con-

front becoming that the Republican managers have issued a warning which can mean only that a dark horse may be chosen by the convention. There is not enough difference in the policy of either candidate to make him dangerous to the Republican party, but each has been weak enough during the progress of the quarrel to make declarations which do not sound good to the party managers. More than this the spectacle of these two men, both holding at one time the unwavering allegiance of his party, in a warfare characterized by recriminations of the most virulent and venomous kind has shocked the public sense of the properties and neither Taft nor Roosevelt can ever again command the respect in which the person of the chief magistrate should be held.

Dark horses in presidential campaigns are not a new thing in the history of either of the great American parties. In the Democratic convention of 1844, the contest, at the outset, appeared to lie between ex-President Van Buren, Cass, Johnson and Buchanan; yet in the deadlock Polk was nominated, although he had not been thought of in that connection until after many unavailing ballots had been taken. Until several days after the Democratic convention of 1852 met, nobody was thought of save Cass, Buchanan and Douglas, and Marcy was brought in and carried off the prize.

It was Blaine against the field in the Republican convention of 1876, and in the "field" were such big figures as Morton, of Indiana; Bristow, who had made a reputation as a reformer while serving under Grant as secretary of the treasury, and Conkling. But Hayes, who stood lower than any of these for many ballots, and who, "outside of Ohio, was not considered to be in the race at all, captured the candidacy. If, at the time the Republicans met in 1880, anybody had mentioned Garfield as a possibility, he would have been laughed at. The fight was between Grant, Blaine and Sherman, with Edmunds as a favorite of a handful of reformers. Nevertheless, Garfield was chosen.

What is more to the point and of more interest to us as Canadians is the possibility that the public mind may become so charged with disgust at the candidates of the Republicans and there may be a landslide in favor of a Democratic president. The outlook is, of course, not hopeful for this at present, but when the electoral delegates lock horns in the nominating convention there may be enough had blood between the rival supporters of Taft and Roosevelt to create such a rift in the Republican ranks as will give the Democratic nominee more than a fighting chance.

So far the split has developed sufficiently to make it worth while for the Republican managers to suggest other names as compromise candidates. When it is necessary to do this so early in the fight no one can tell what may develop between now and the nomination. Justice Hughes and ex-Governor John S. Black of New York have been mentioned as the possible dark horses, one of whom might have to be chosen to heal the breach in the Republican ranks.

DOWN IN OLD QUEBEC.

Down in old Quebec an election is looming up. The Liberals in the provincial legislature are in a very strong majority. Here is some advice given the Conservative electors by that notoriously "independent" Conservative Journal, the Montreal Star.

"The most fatal gift which a province can send a strong Premier, is an overwhelming majority. Every Prime Minister of experience knows this to be true.
 "When there is no opposition in the Legislature to be seriously considered, then the Premier, who would like to be honest, has no defence against the 'grafter' and the franchise-seeker who bring him their unheeded and unwelcome—though anything but unselfish—support. When they demand that he shall give them what they worked for, he cannot say to them—'But, if I do, the Opposition will put us all out of power.' For there is no Opposition with which to frighten them. Consequently, if he refuses their requests, he must do so on the ground that they are not in the public interest; and so must slap his own supporters in the face and drive them into the arms of the enemy. Now, it takes a strong Minister to do this every time he ought to do it.
 "But if a well-meaning Prime Minister is confronted by a strong and vigilant Opposition, then he can escape yielding to the demands of his more mercenary followers, without bluntly telling them that they are 'thieves' and 'robbers,' and are trying to loot the public domain. Of course, we would greatly prefer that the Prime Minister should speak in this plain and plucky fashion to the 'camp followers' who dog the footsteps of every Government. But we must take our politicians as we find them; and it certainly pays the nation to make it easy for the best of their public men to do right."

"The citizen who wants to do the best thing for the province will make no mistake when he votes for a good candidate; and he ought also to remember that it is quite as important to have a strong Opposition as to have a well-intentioned Government."

Of course these principles do not apply in British Columbia. We have here an immaculate government headed by a strong premier who has none of the weaknesses afflicting ordinary human nature. Nor has he in the legislature a following which is at all susceptible to the spoils of office and power. We are "different" from old Quebec.

Just watch and see how quickly the British court now investigating the Titanic disaster gets at the facts.

Samson was the first man to advertise. He took two full columns to show his strength. Seven thousand people tumbled to his scheme and he brought down the house.—Contract Record.

The net profits of the Steel Company of Canada last year were \$1,375,522. That is a pretty good showing for a "poor year." Yet the company wants the bounties continued and the duties "raised still higher." This is, of course, only to prevent Canada from becoming an adjunct of the United States.

The spring syndicates are preparing for another raid on British Columbia land areas. Seattle and Bellingham waiters, barbers, dentists, teamsters, street cleaners, laborers, dock-walkers and "married women," are being lined up to complete the docket of long lists of persons making applications through "agents" for land locations. These will get an easy dollar and the syndicates will get the land. Northern papers are filling up with the advertisements, especially in the Omineca district. "We are partners in the development of this great continent which we possess."

Wonder how it is, asks an Independent Conservative newspaper, if the reciprocity pact was such a bad thing for Canada, and such a good thing for the United States, according to the anti-trade freedom press in Canada, that when ex-President Roosevelt decided to stand a candidate for the Republican nomination, he changed front on the question, and from a supporter became an opponent of the pact, the pact that our protectionist friends tell us "was bad for Canada, and in favor of the U. S.?" An answer to this query would be rather interesting. Perhaps Mr. Roosevelt is not in touch with public sentiment in the republic where he occupied the president's chair for nearly two terms.

As if the political institutions of the United States were not sufficiently complex already—complicated to the point of confusion to the uninitiated—the adoption of the primaries law has added to the complexity. Republicans and Democrats are at the present time holding elections within their parties to find out who shall be the presidential candidates. The case of the Republicans in the state of Massachusetts illustrates how confusing the issues may become under the primaries law. In Massachusetts Taft received more than three thousand votes in excess of the votes cast for Roosevelt, yet the Roosevelt "delegates at large" (whatever that may be) received several thousand more votes than the Taft delegates of the same denomination, the anticipated result being a grand fight when the actual nominating convention assembles in Chicago. And the primaries law was designed for the purpose of giving all the people a more direct voice in the election of a president. Is it any wonder that American settlers in Canada prefer our simple and direct political system?

FACING DEATH.

Khan in Toronto Star.
 If a stoic, if a Red Indian, if a Mahomedan, a Hindu, a Shintoiist, can look death in the eye without changing color, why should Christians shake in their shoes at the very mention of it? It is they who should set the example of high heroism and splendid calm in the presence of the inevitable. But they have made more noise, have howled and hollered more, than the heathen in his blindness who bows down to wood and stone.

A certain bishop was told by his physician that he would have to go to the south of France for his health. The bishop protested that he couldn't get away from his diocese just then.
 "Very well," said the doctor; "if you don't go to France you will go to heaven inside of three weeks."
 "I will go to France in the morning," said the bishop.
 France is a pretty nice country, I have no doubt; but it is not in the same class with the land that is fairer than day.

COURAGE TO LIVE.

From the Ottawa Journal.
 To die bravely is at all times a brave and manly act. To live bravely day by day, however, when there is no stimulus of a crisis to nerve a man to his best, may not gain the plaudits of the crowd, but requires just as genuine courage.

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- the cooling drink
- the delicious drink
- the wholesome drink
- the satisfying drink is

Kirk's Soda Water

"IT'S THE WATER"
 Memorize It.

The Biggest Sale of China That We Have Had For a Long Time

Here's Your Opportunity to Purchase Plain and Fancy China at Half the Regular Price and Less Than Half

THIS is a sale that is unusual in every sense of the word. Our Mr. Victor Spencer has just returned from a business trip to England and here is one of his fortunate purchases. When he visited the potteries he found that the trouble in the Old Country had tied up lots of goods, and the manufacturers were glad to dispose of shipments that had been cancelled by other buyers at a much lower price than usual.

Now we offer them to you at about half their real value. We want to make a quick sale, make a small profit, and make room for our regular goods. See the goods for yourself and you'll realize that the values are away out of proportion to the price.

ABOUT 50 DOZEN FANCY JUGS AT HALF PRICE OR LESS

There are very few of these jugs that are alike and there are a great many different sizes to choose from. All are "Grimwood's" best English porcelain and come in such a variety of shapes and designs that a description is impossible.

Values that should be sold at 65c will be sold at 35c
 Grades that sell regularly at \$1 to be cleaned out at 50c
 Jugs that are really worth from \$1 to \$1.50 to be sold at 75c

25 DOZEN FANCY PLATES, WORTH 25c EACH, TO BE SOLD AT 10c

Here is a large assortment of handsome patterns to choose from and every plate is a distinct bargain. They come in a variety of colorings, all floral designs, finished with gold. You'd readily pay 25c for them if sold in the usual way. Clearance price, each, 10c

75c SALAD AND FRUIT BOWLS ARE TO BE SOLD AT 35c

These are a very special line and as there are only a few dozen in the lot there is sure to be a scramble for them. They come in fancy floral designs and various colorings finished with gold. All new shapes with deep crimped edges. Our price, to clean them out, 35c

FANCY VASES, SOME OF THE BEST BARAINS YOU EVER SAW

How are we to describe this lot? That's a question that can't be readily solved, but we could show them to you in a few minutes and it wouldn't take you even so long as that to make up your mind to buy as many as you desired. They are just beauties and are in so many different shapes and colorings that choosing should be easy. Regular values to \$1.50 are to be sold at 75c
 Values from \$1.50 to \$2.50 are marked at only \$1.00

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY A CHEESE DISH

It's just at this season that a Cheese Dish is the most useful, and here's your opportunity to get one at about one-half the regular cost. Here are many new styles decorated with handsome floral designs in a variety of colors. There are different sizes in the lot and

they have been divided into three different lots. Regular 50c values are marked at 35c
 Values to \$1 are to be sold at 50c
 Grades that are really worth \$1.50 are now 75c

ENGLISH CHINA SETS, WORTH \$9.75, FOR \$4.50

Your choice from 50 sets. They are not complete sets; some have one or more pieces missing, still they are a great bargain and should be of special interest to most housekeepers. They were 40-piece sets that should have been sold at \$9.75 a set. Many different shapes and patterns to choose from. Price, per set \$4.99

IF YOU ARE SHORT OF A TEAPOT GET ONE OF THESE

Every one of these Teapots are worth double the price we are asking for them and some are worth even more. Many new and handsome designs are included and you never had a better value offered. Prices vary, according to price and quality. Each, 75c, 65c, 50c, 35c and 25c

PATENT HOLD-FAST CARVING DISHES, REGULAR \$1.25 VALUES FOR 75c

These are a novelty and at the same time they are a convenience that can't be fully appreciated unless you actually use one of them. If you see them, you'll appreciate this statement. Here are just a few that are slightly damaged. Special price, each, 75c

CUPS AND SAUCERS AT, PER DOZEN, \$1.25

All are full breakfast size and are English make. Some are plain white and others are white edged with gold. They are an excellent value at, per dozen, \$2, but on Wednesday we will clean them out at, per doz., \$1.25

JARDINIERS—50c FOR VALUES TO \$1.25, AND \$1.25 FOR GRADES THAT SHOULD SELL AT \$2.75

Dozens of different shapes and colored designs are waiting for you to choose from, and as the assortment is extremely wide, you should have no difficulty in making your choice. We feel that words won't adequately describe them, so invite your inspection. Some are now being shown in the Broad street windows. Regular values to \$1.25 are selling at, each 50c
 Values up to \$2.75 are all marked down to, each \$1.25

100 DOZEN PLATES, WORTH \$1.50 A DOZEN, TO BE SOLD AT \$1.00

These are regular dinner plates, white with three gold lines round the edge. You'll have to shop early to secure these. Per doz., \$1.00

YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO SAVE ON A TOILET SET

A FINE LINE consisting of six pieces. These are made of good English porcelain, are in neat shapes and finished with attractive floral designs in colors green, light blue and dark blues on a white ground. We consider that these are unusually good values and don't expect them to last long. Per set, on Thursday \$2.75

SPECIALS IN DINNER SETS

Here are our leading lines of Dinner Sets that will go on sale Wednesday. These are a specially good quality for the money and every set represents a big saving to the purchaser. Each set consists of the following pieces: 12 fruit saucers, 12 tea plates, 12 pudding plates, 12 soup plates, 12 meat plates, 12 cups and saucers, 2 covered vegetable dishes, 2 platters, 1 sauce boat, 1 tea pot, 1 covered sugar box, 1 slop bowl and 1 cream jug.

SIX DIFFERENT PATTERNS, made of the best grade of English semi-porcelain and they come in very attractive designs and useful shapes. Regular value, per set, \$12.75; will be sold at, per set \$9.75

ANOTHER GOOD LINE consisting of some of the best of our open stock patterns. There are several patterns to choose from and every set is good value at \$12.99

Here are some semi-porcelain sets that will compare very favorably with sets that sell regularly at \$19.75 and \$22. There is a choice assortment of patterns. Sale price, \$15.00

SPECIALLY GOOD VALUES—These are made of a high grade Austrian china and are neatly decorated with floral designs. They are all well finished with gold lines and a value that can equal this lot, at a similar price, will be hard to find. Regular \$25 values at, per set \$17.50

NEW SPRING SUITS

Still Sufficient Left For Thursday's Selling at

\$14.75, \$16.75, \$19.75 and \$23.75

THE EXACT MODEL THAT WILL BEST FIT YOUR PURSE AND FIGURE IS HERE

HERE is a fine assortment to choose from, and we doubt whether you'll get a better opportunity this season. Every costume is right up-to-date in style and will render you long and useful service. The fact that the prices are really August sale prices should be a great inducement to most women, especially when you consider that the quality of the garments is all that most exacting customers can desire.

We don't want to quote the regular prices. You have watched the values offered for this season's selling and will readily recognize the fact that every garment is a most unusual bargain.

At \$14.75 There are some very smart garments made of shepherd's check, Panamas, serges and tweed mixtures. They are all the newest styles and are very lightly trimmed. Turn-back cuffs and inlaid collars are included but most of them are plain. We consider that these are an unusually good value and expect a speedy clearance.

At \$16.75 There are some handsome greys, browns, fawns and navy blues to choose from, and you'll be more than pleased with the quality of the garments. They come in fancy suitings, good serges and tweed effects. Some have roll collars and others have long rounded revers. Most of them are plain, but a few are lightly trimmed.

At \$19.75 There is a splendid assortment to choose from, including fancy suitings, fine serges, Panamas and tweed effects. The chief colors are light and dark blues, greys, browns and fawns. These are splendidly finished garments, some plain tailored and others finished with long revers inlaid with materials of contrasting nature.

At \$23.75 There are some very fine specimens of what a strictly tailored costume should be. They are beauties, and you will say so when you see them. They are satin lined and come in a variety of materials and colors. Practically all sizes are here, so there is little chance of disappointment. Some are slightly trimmed.

David Spencer, Limited Where Quality Garments for Men and Women are Sold at Lowest Prices

Selling Women's Pocket Handkerchiefs at Near Half Price Thursday

THESE are all colored, some have colored borders and others have a very narrow colored border and a fancy pattern in the centre. There are blues, mauve, pink, greens and many others colors to choose from. The patterns are so varied that they are almost impossible to describe. All are our regular stock that sells at \$1.75 a dozen. To-day's special bargain, per dozen, \$1.00

699 Yards of Veilings at a Big Reduction

VALUES FROM 25c TO \$1.50 WILL BE SOLD AT 20c, AND VALUES FROM 25c TO \$1 ARE SELLING AT 10c

WE have divided the Veilings into these two classes for our convenience, and although the classification is of a sweeping nature you will get the benefit. When we are out to make a clearance, we haven't time to go too deeply into details and arrange a lot of different groups. You'll find the patterns and colorings so varied that you'll have no difficulty in making a choice—the fact is that there are too many to be described here. Your choice from the lot is either 10c or 20c.

Some Whitewear Values Worth Considering

CORSET COVERS, made of fine white muslin. These garments have a tucked back and allover embroidered front. The neck and sleeves are edged with lace, and you'll find it hard to equal value for less than \$1. Friday's special, 75c

WOMEN'S NIGHT GOWNS, made of a fine nainsook and various styles to choose from. One style has a deep yoke of embroidery, while others are the slip-over garments daintily trimmed with lace, etc. Friday's special, per garment, \$1.00

PRINCESS SLIPS, made of a good white cotton. The skirt is finished with a frill of tucked muslin and is finished with a two-inch Torchin lace. The neck and sleeves are finished with good lace. Per garment, on Friday \$1.25

WOMEN'S O. E. DRAWERS, made of an extra heavy cotton. They are neatly finished with a flounce of embroidery. Per garment, on Friday \$1.00

THERMOS BOTTLES

\$1.25



Now is your chance to obtain a perfect Thermos Bottle at a greatly reduced price. Guaranteed to keep liquids steaming hot, or ice-cold for 24 hours. Just the thing for picnics, office workers, or the man with the dinner pail. Lose no time if you want one of these, for they will go quickly.

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who has made the care of the human hair her life's work and through experiments with chemicals and herbs she has discovered wonderful remedies for the hair and scalp.
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Room 221, Bayward Bldg., Douglas Street.
Hours: 10 to 12, 1 to 5, 7 to 9 p. m.

BRIEF NEWS OF THE CITY

S. P. C. A. Work.—Inspector Russell, of the S. P. C. A., reports that during April the following cases were dealt with by the association: Horses, 17; dogs, 3; cattle, 1; horses condemned, 2. There was one case in court.

Spiritual Circles.—Spiritual Circles.—J. W. Brown holds circles for the highest spiritual development on Mondays and Thursdays, 7.45 p. m., 348 John St.

Mr. Rust Honored.—Thomas H. Rust, the new city engineer of Victoria, left Toronto last night for the coast. Before leaving he was tendered a banquet by the National club during which he was presented with a loving cup and pipes.

Good cars, good service, good drivers at the new auto stand, cor. Fort and Douglas streets. Phone 2210.

Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.—An extraordinary general meeting is called of the members of the hospital and societies and all friends on Friday evening, May 10, at 8 o'clock, in the auditorium Y. M. C. A., to consider final arrangements for the approaching campaign in aid of a new hospital. Speeches will be made and preliminary reports received.

Reopened Studio.—Prof. Claudio has returned and has reopened his studio at 1304 Cook street (corner North Park), and will hold the usual orchestra practice on Sunday evenings from 7 to 9 p. m. All amateurs are invited to attend.

Webster's New Revised Dictionary.—A second consignment of dictionaries has been received by the Times, and will be disposed of by coupons, as explained by advertisement in another column. A number of orders were received after the last lot had been exhausted; these can now be filled and parties who gave orders are requested to call at office for book. When present stock is disposed of, the sale will be discontinued, so that those who want a very useful dictionary at the low price of \$1 are advised not to lose the opportunity.

Local Order of Moose.—All members written up for initiation, communicate with secretary, so as they may be notified as to their initiation. Time expires May 18, 1912. C. Boyle, secretary.

Island Arts and Crafts Club.—The Victoria branch of the Island Arts and Crafts Club will hold a general meeting this evening in the Alexandra Club for the purpose of discussing business matters in connection with the revision of club rules and proposals for an art union. The programme for the sketching club's outdoor season will also come up for consideration. The feature of the evening, however, will be the paper by Mr. Paul Phipps on the subject: "Architecture and the Modern House." A full attendance of members is hoped for.

Money to Loan.—We have money to loan at 8% interest on improved city residence property on easy repayment terms. Builders will do well to inquire. The B. C. Permanent Loan Co., 1210 Government St.

Principal of St. Mark's Hall.—H. B. Robertson, of this city, presided at the meeting held in Vancouver last night to consider the affairs of St. Mark's hall. Rev. Canon Silva White, of Nanaimo, was appointed one of the members of the finance committee. Rev. E. G. Miller, Archdeacon Scriven, Rev. C. R. Little and H. B. Robertson and Chancellor Crease, all of Victoria, were on the teaching staff committee. The executive committee appointed included Archdeacon Scriven and Mr. H. B. Robertson. Fees for life membership were fixed at \$100 for laymen and \$50 for clergymen. Rev. C. A. Slager, M. A., rector of Vernon, was appointed principal of St. Mark's hall. He will take up his duties not later than July.

Merchants' Lunch at the Blenmark.

Gorge Road Bridge.—Tenders will be received by the purchasing agent till 3 o'clock on Friday for the supply of steel for reinforcing, and other metal for the Gorge road bridge.

Mann & Thomson, Pandora Ave.—Leading Funeral furnishing house. Connections, Vancouver, New Westminster and Winnipeg.

Building Permits.—Building permits have been taken out by Splayford & Haskins for a five-roomed house on Brook street, costing \$2,000; to S. Joyce for a house on Bay street, costing \$1,950; and to N. E. Moncrieff for a five-roomed house on Finlayson street, costing \$1,950.

Everybody's Favorite.—The Dustless Vacuum Cleaner. Phone 26 for estimate. H. Mercer, G. P. O.

Fort Street Widening.—It is not likely that the council will this afternoon take up the by-law for the Fort street widening, east of Cook street, although urgency is claimed by the legal department, at the meeting today, on account of the importance of waterworks matters.

Mr. Sifton's Flying Trip.—Crossing the continent to keep a business engagement, Hon. Clifford Sifton, former minister of the interior, and at present president of the Royal Canadian Conservative Commission, reached Vancouver Sunday night. After spending numerous old friends and admirers he to-day devoted several hours to an automobile tour of the city and Stanley park. He was accompanied on the drive by Mr. Alexander McLeod, a barrister of Morde, Manitoba, whom he met at the Hotel Vancouver. Mr. McLeod has been spending a holiday on the coast. Mr. Sifton left for the East Monday night by the C. P. R.

Reliable Auto and Taxi Stand, cor. Fort and Douglas. Phone 2210.

Protestant Orphanage Donations.—The ladies' committee of the Protestant Orphanage acknowledge the following donations received at the institution during May: Mrs. Richard Jones, \$1; "Cloverdale," 20 packages Wheat Flakes, 14 dozen eggs; Mrs. A. Fairfull, clothing; Mr. D. W. Hanbury, 15 dozen buns; Mrs. E. Porter, 10 dozen eggs; Mr. John Hagenbach, clothing; Mrs. Tucker, 6 pinafores, 5 undergarments, 3 vests; Friends of Salt Spring, per Mrs. Stevens, one case eggs; Mrs. Calvert, clothing; Miss Emily and Master Ernest Hannington, Easter eggs, baskets, 6 jars-jam; Mr. McIntyre and six friends, motor ride for all of the children; Miss Jessie Cameron, Easter card for each child; Mrs. Lorne Bell, four pounds honey, four pounds raisins, clothing and toys; A. Friend, 1455 Fort street, clothing; Mrs. H. A. Munn, child's crib and mattress; Fernwood Bakery, nine dozen buns; Mrs. Suttie, St. George's school, clothing; Mrs. Vigelinus, one bedspread, two pounds syrup; Mrs. Andrew Gray, Victoria West, 25 pounds rhubarb; Mrs. Munste, five dozen oranges, clothing and shoes; A. Friend, Monterey avenue, clothing; Mrs. Goodacre, curtain rods and fancy goods; Mr. Tony Sylvester, fifteen pounds butter; Mrs. Andrew Stewart, clothing, four tins tomatoes, one box soda biscuits; "Companions of Far West," sandwiches and bread; Mrs. Andrews, feather pillows; Mrs. Priestly, clothing and books; S. P. C. A., "Our Animal Friends"; Times and Colonist.

Apollinaris Water has been used for some 30 years on all our Steamers. It gives us pleasure to be able to state that Apollinaris Water has met with ever-growing popularity as a refreshing beverage with Passengers using our Steamers; we have proof of that in the growing consumption, which last year reached the figure of about 200,000 bottles.

We do not hesitate to recommend Apollinaris Water as a wholesome and refreshing drink, and we beg to add that we have always been promptly supplied by you.

The North German Lloyd Steamship Co., Bremen.

Development League.—A lady of Annerst, N. S., is about leaving for this city at the end of next month, with a view to settling here permanently. A pianoforte teacher of marked ability, she has of late perfected methods for teaching that instrument to children, after several years of hard individual work. In a letter to the secretary of the Vancouver Island Development League this morning she asks what chances there are for a teacher of music in this city. Another applicant for information is an engineering student in the Old Country or to be precise in the city of Birkenhead. He is a graduate of Liverpool University, and for some time has been general engineering assistant to the Birkenhead council. Chances of promotion are so remote that he is anxious to seek a new field, and therefore, asks for information regarding the chances for employment in a similar capacity in this province. Another English communication was received from Cheahre from a gentleman desirous of getting some clerical occupation in this city.

School Board.—A meeting of the Victoria school board will be held this evening at which the monthly routine business will be taken up. There is not expected to be any matter of special importance on the agenda.

Douglas and Fort streets is the auto stand, where you can get a car at a moment's notice. Phone 2210.

Dormitory Social.—The Y. M. C. A. dormitory social takes place this evening, and the affair will be of an easy, informal description. Indications are that "everybody is going to have a really good time. Games of every description will be indulged in, and the various floors will compete in these games with much friendly rivalry.

Lawn mowers sharpened. Auto delivery. Jaa. Waites, 644 Fort street. Phone 448.

Rooms and Board.—The secretary of the Y. M. C. A., Mr. Thomasson, stated this morning that every day he gets applications from young men coming into the city for suitable places for rooms and board. Mr. Thomasson will be glad to receive a list of names and charges for use in this connection from any one who has vacant rooms, or who can supply board at a reasonable rate.

Four Per Cent.—You can deposit your money at 4 per cent. interest with The B. C. Permanent Loan Company and be able to withdraw the total amount or any portion thereof without notice. Cheques are supplied to each depositor. Paid-up capital over \$1,000,000, assets over \$5,000,000, assets over \$3,000,000. Branch office, 1210 Government St., Victoria, B. C.

Relief Map.—The relief map, which the Kennedy company is preparing of Vancouver Island, is progressing, a large number of persons interested in portions of the island having called on the representative, J. O. Preston, and laid their views before him. The matter has been brought to the attention of the department of education, with a view to being made of the map, when completed, in the provincial schools, and Dr. Robinson, the superintendent of education, has promised consideration of the matter.

Remembered His Wife.—He remembered that his wife had to work in the hot kitchen so he fitted the kitchen with screen windows. Eleven sizes of adjustable windows, 25c. to 75c., at R. A. Brown & Co's, 1392 Douglas St.

Benefit Dance To-night.—Preparations for the benefit dance organized by Mrs. Simpson for the benefit of the surviving relatives of those who perished in the Titanic disaster are now complete, and every provision has been made for the comfort and convenience of the guests who attend the open-air dance at the Gorge to-night. The proceedings will commence at 8 o'clock, Miss Thain's full orchestra being in attendance, and will continue until a late hour. Supper will be served from 10 to 12, and a special car service has been requisitioned which will make it possible for those who wish to remain until late to get home in comfort.

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MR. SCULLIN GOES EAST. To Organize Convention at Ottawa in 1913 — Endorsed by Local Board of Trade.

P. H. Scullin, organizer of the Canadian Industrial Peace Association, left on the boat last evening for Vancouver, en route east on a general mission to work up enthusiasm for a great Industrial Peace convention in Ottawa in June, 1913. He will address meetings in the principal centres, and carries a sheet of recommendations from British Columbia people and endorsements from public bodies of the work of the association. Premier McBride and Hon. Dr. Young, and the president and members of the Victoria Board of Trade are among the number. His present mission will last two months, after which the organizer will return to prepare a case for presentation before the Royal Commission on Labor, which is to commence its sessions in August.

WEATHER BULLETIN. Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, May 8-5 a. m.—The summer type of high barometric pressure still hovers over Vancouver Island and the northern coast, and fine warm weather will continue. The temperature yesterday reached 70 degrees on the Lower Mainland and exceeded 80 in Kootenay and from Portland southward to California. Fair and moderately warm weather is general in the prairie provinces.

Forecasts. For 26 hours ending 5 p. m. Thursday. Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and warm.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and warm.

Reports at 5 a. m. Victoria—Barometer, 29.91; temperature, 67; minimum, 67; wind, 8 miles S. W.; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, 69; minimum, 59; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, part cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.70; temperature, 64; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.81; temperature, 52; minimum, 28; wind, calm; weather, part cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, cloudy.

Edmonton—Barometer, 29.62; temperature, 62; minimum, 46; wind, 4 miles N. W.; weather, clear.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.78; temperature, 44; minimum, 40; wind, 19 miles N. W.; rain, .05; weather, clear.

Victoria Daily Weather. Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Tuesday:

Temperature. Highest 69
Lowest 49
Average 56
Bright sunshine, 12 hours 34 minutes.
General state of weather, fine.

Plaintiff Wins.—Judgment for \$50 was given in the County Court this morning for the plaintiff in the action of Gatt against Dahlberg. The defendant admitted liability and the order was entered "for the full amount claimed."

Possession Nine-tenths.—Magistrate Jay yesterday afternoon dismissed the case brought by Crawford, Contee against C. B. Scriber in which the ownership of a dog was at stake. The case, said the magistrate, was one for another court. The accused left the court with the dog.

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Oak Bay Permits.—Four building permits were granted yesterday at the Oak Bay municipal council to the following persons: G. H. O. Edwards, for a five-roomed house on Beach Drive, for which H. S. Griffith is the architect and A. H. Mitchell the builder; the cost of the structure will be in the neighborhood of \$3,000. A permit was also granted to H. Bradley for a frame building on Oliver street at a cost of \$2,900, and to A. Proctor for a house on Foul Bay road to be designed by A. C. Senow at an estimated cost of \$2,500. H. M. Jackson was also granted a permit for a house on Sunrise avenue.

Macabees' Meeting.—The Ladies of the Macabees, Baxter Hive, No. 1, held their regular business meeting yesterday in A.O.U.W. hall, the president, Mrs. Whilcroft, who was in the chair, submitting her resignation in view of her approaching absence from the city. Other business included the consideration of the resolutions which are to be submitted at the annual meeting of the Council of Women, which meets next Tuesday and Wednesday. The matter of the appointment of a new president will be taken up at the next regular meeting of the order.

Lessons on the Tabernacle.—The meetings being conducted nightly by Mr. McClure in Victoria hall, adjoining the Jewish synagogue on Blanchard street, are well attended. His description of the tabernacle and the lessons it teaches is exceedingly interesting. He points out that the tabernacle, made by the people of Israel at the command of God, was unlike almost every other building for religious purposes, designed by God to be a type of Christ. From the gate of the outer court to the golden mercy seat, with its cherubim of glory, all is aglow with prophetic light and sublime foreshadowings of the person and work of the Redeemer. Its testimony to Him as perfect man, yet God is very clear. Its various parts with their spiritual teaching, set forth the great truths of redemption, which are fully unfolded in the New Testament, and the perfect harmony clearly established between the figure and the fact, is one of the strongest proofs of the inspiration of the Holy Scriptures. In his addresses on this great type Mr. McClure uses several very large paintings of the tabernacle and camp of Israel. Also of the various vessels, which are of great help to the audience. The meetings begin nightly at 8 o'clock and on Sunday will be held at 8:45 and 7 p. m.

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Visit of Missionary.—Mrs. McLeod, twenty years a missionary in India, will give an address at the Baptist mission, Douglas street north, on Tuesday next at 8 o'clock. Mrs. McLeod will appear in native costume, and a number of young ladies also in costume, will take part in a descriptive piece. A large gathering is anticipated.

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BASEBALL - LACROSSE - AQUATICS - BOXING



PORTLAND PIPPINS PUSH OUT IN FRONT—BEES THIRD

Pitchers' Battle at Rose City Yesterday—Stanfield Given Better Support—Giants and Beavers Win.

CLUB STANDING

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Portland	12	9	.571
Spokane	10	8	.555
Victoria	10	3	.525
Vancouver	11	10	.523
Seattle	9	11	.450
Tacoma	7	12	.368

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The score:

Club	A.B.R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Portland	3	0	0	2	0
Spokane	3	0	0	1	0
Victoria	3	0	0	1	0
Vancouver	3	1	2	0	0
Seattle	3	0	1	0	0
Tacoma	3	0	1	0	0

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WANT ALL DAVIS CUP PLAY IN AUSTRALIA

English Lawn Tennis Association Suggests Where Preliminaries Be Played

The negotiations for the holding of the Davis Cup contests are now in progress. The draw for the preliminary matches has been held, with the result that England meets France in the first round and America gets a bye, and will play the winner of the first match for the privileges of contesting the challenge round against Australasia.

Unless all the nations interested reach an agreement on this point, Australasia as the champion nation can, under the rules governing the competition, step in and settle the matter.

CHALLENGE WINNER BAYLEY-ALLEN BOUT

American and Eastern Canadian Boxers Going After Title—Allen in Shape

Calgary, May 8.—Several challenges from lightweights from the United States and Eastern Canada, including Rittly of San Francisco, Charles Luca of Chicago, and McIntyre, who recently boxed in Saskatoon and is considered by Tommy Burns a comer in the lightweight class, have been received, asking for a bout with the winner of the Allen-Bayley contest some time around Labor Day.

A wire received from C. E. Huck, manager of Billy Allen, in good shape and that he will keep Billy training at Ottawa, finally finishing at Syracuse, before coming West. They will come to Calgary via Chicago and St. Paul. Huck is confident that his man will win the bout, and intends to back Allen to the limit when he arrives in the West.

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PAT SCOTT AND EDDIE MERINO FIGHT TO DRAW

Tacoma, May 8.—Members of the Tacoma Athletic Club saw the best boxing staged in this city for two years last night when Pat Scott and Eddie Merino, both of Seattle, went six clever rounds to a draw. The decision was unanimous on the part of the judges, although some of the fans believed Scott had a little shade the best in the aggressive work. Merino however proved to be exceptionally clever in counter blows and this gave him the draw.



CRICKET

ALBIONS ARRANGE GAME BETWEEN MARRIED AND SINGLE MEN.

The Albions play a Married vs. Single game at Beacon Hill, Saturday next. Members are particularly asked to take notice. There will be no limitation to the number of sides. Anyone wishing a game will be given an opportunity to play.

CHESTER RACES.

London, May 8.—The Chester Vase, a handicap of £1,500, one mile and a half, was won yesterday by J. B. Joel's Lycon, at 7 to 1. Mr. Fair's Alpha 20 to 1 was second, and H. P. Whitney's All Gold, 100 to 1, third.



THE MAY ROD AND GUN.

Every sportsman interested in the welfare of Canada's fish and game resources should read the May number of Rod and Gun in Canada published by W. J. Taylor, Limited, Woodstock, Ont., which contains the first chapter of the final report of Mr. Kelly Evans of the Ontario Game and Fisheries Commission. "An Ideal Canadian Holiday" will appeal to those who already have visions of a summer outing. Trap-shooters will find their interests particularly well looked after in this month's issue, which contains in addition to the usual department news and scores a specially illustrated article by "Canuck" on the Easter Inter-Club Shoots between Montreal and St. Hubert clubs.

MONTREAL HORSE SHOW.

Montreal, May 8.—The thirteenth Montreal horse show was opened last night by His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught, accompanied by the Duchess and Princess Patricia. There was a large entry list for the opening events; many of the horses showing in the Toronto event last week having come on to this city for the exhibit here.

VICTORIA ATTRACTS WEALTHY GOLFERS

Unrivalled Beauties of Oak Bay Links Prove Magnet for Visitors

One feature which should not be lost sight of in the golf tournament now in progress here is the manner in which it introduces to the city men of great wealth and influence on the other side of the boundary line, whose business interests are there, and who come here to make holiday. The combination of a good climate, a first class hotel and excellent roads for their automobiles on the Island have all tended to attract visitors in increasing numbers, and among those who registered at the Empress hotel yesterday for the tournament were noticed such well-known names as H. C. Henry, Josiah Collins, Harry Whitney, Treat, T. S. Jipsey, F. K. Struve and others of equal influence and wealth. They cannot fall while in the city on pleasure, to see the progress and development of Victoria, and the gradual metamorphosis of the place, whose slow movement for two decades has been followed by a wonderful acceleration in the past three years.

As one of the leading officials of the C. P. R. from Winnipeg said recently, while wintering here and playing golf at the Oak Bay links, "Victoria is one of the few places in Canada where the royal and ancient game can be played all the year round."—These links in their picturesque beauty overlooking the rock-bound coast, with the vista of mountains and the white tops of the Olympian mountains offering a background of unrivalled majesty and power, can well defy competition, and attract competitors to an important tournament from all over the coast.

Harry Cohn must be keeping a tight string on the Spokane finances. The team appears in their last year's uniforms.

The Vancouver champions will raise the pennant on Thursday afternoon.

Umpire George Van Halteren was playing with New York in the National League when Umpire Moran was one of the arbiters on the big circuit.

Tacoma doesn't appear to be very strong for baseball this season. Although the weather was fine only a fair crowd watched Vancouver and Portland play on Sunday, and the clubs probably lost money on the trip.

CHALLENGE TO AMATEURS.

Vancouver Baseball Team Wants Game With Local Nine.

The Sixth Regiment bugle band baseball team of Vancouver, B. C., challenges any Victoria ball team to a game on the morning of the 14th of May. Age 18. Anyone accepting this challenge kindly write to E. Tepporsten, 208 Water street, Vancouver, B. C.

BASEBALL

COAST LEAGUE.

Club	R.	H.	E.
At Sacramento	4	9	1
Portland	2	7	1
Sacramento	2	7	1

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Not Received Yesterday.

Club	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	8	14	1
Philadelphia	5	7	1

At Los Angeles—R. H. E. Vernon 9 13 1, Oakland 2 10 2. Batteries—Raleigh and Brown; Marlarkey and Mitz, Tideman.

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FINAL FOOTBALL MATCH SATURDAY

Coquitlam and Wests Meet at Oak Bay—Sidney to Enter Lacrosse League

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open arms, according to the local secretary, as long as they can fill the dates set for it was feared that there was going to be a lack of competition in city amateur leagues this season. The Wests and Oak Bays are the only two local teams intending to enter the Intermediate League and, of course, there will be no senior league. Two and perhaps three teams will enter the junior league.

BEACON HILLS PRACTICE.

All three Beacon Hill baseball teams—senior, intermediate and junior—will hold a practice at Beacon Hill starting at 6.30 this evening.

There is hardly any doubt that the contest will be the best of the amateur games played here this season. The Coquitlamites are the mainline title-holders and in their first game with the green-shirted locals last Saturday they were done out of a draw through hard luck. Victoria's goal, while pretty, was rather flukey. Starting from a throw-in the ball was relayed through the air travelling in a semi-circle to Johnny Peden, who booted it into the far corner of the net before the goalkeeper had time to cross over from the other corner.

The Wests are only one goal to the good so, that the ranchers are not at a very great disadvantage. A two-goal lead in the match Saturday would give them the McBride Shield and the championship of British Columbia.

Sidney in Lacrosse.

A lacrosse club has been organized in the little village of Sidney and its secretary has written the Victoria Lacrosse Association inquiring about the chances to enter the intermediate league. They will be received with

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YESTERDAY'S PLAYING IN GOLF TOURNAMENT

Performance of J. S. Matterson Was Outstanding Feature—Lieutenant-Governor Among the Competitors—Ideal Conditions Prevailed.

Perfect weather conditions, with brilliant sunshine and a light breeze marked the opening day of the golf championship meet at Oak Bay links.

A good many friends of the contestants gathered at the club-house during the latter part of the day, and watched the players driving off the first tee.

On the whole, the scores returned were disappointing, as the list given below will show. This was largely due to the hopeless congestion on some of the tees, causing interruption in the play, and also to an awkward breeze which sprang up in the afternoon and effectively militated against good scores.

In the morning he only took 78 for the 18-hole course, as follows: Out—5 5 4 5 4 3 3—38. Return—3 5 5 6 3 3 4 6 5—40. Total—78.

His total for the two sessions was, therefore, 151, or three strokes less than the next best, R. Macleay, who did the round in 82 both morning and afternoon.

H. G. Garratt, who finished third, did a remarkably good round in the afternoon, completing the course in 79 strokes. Harvey Combe, the well-known secretary of the local club, did a very creditable 81 in the morning, but failed altogether in the afternoon to come up to expectations.

The visiting golfers were Messrs. J. A. Yellowless, of Vancouver; C. Huskamp, of Seattle; G. L. Munn, of Seattle; W. E. Burns, of Vancouver; J. S. Lippy, of Seattle; H. W. Treat, of Seattle; L. D. Lewis, of Seattle; Senator Josiah Collins, of Seattle; and E. T. How, of Vancouver.

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J. C. Ford vs. J. G. Dempsey. J. A. Rithet vs. A. T. Kerry. H. K. Henderson vs. No. 3 of 1st flight. J. A. Lindsay vs. H. Horton. Third Flight. F. C. Gamble vs. J. S. Baker. J. S. Bowker vs. J. W. Ambery. N. Rant vs. C. B. Smith. S. Gillespie vs. J. B. Alexander. A. Coles vs. P. Criddle. G. S. Norman vs. A. C. Mitchell-Innes. Dr. R. Irvine vs. Col. Jones. Ray Thomson vs. A. P. Luxton. Fourth Flight. J. P. Babcock vs. J. H. Case. H. Roberts vs. J. E. Wilson. F. K. Strube vs. C. S. Whiting. C. W. Goodall vs. A. Stewart. E. R. Cocheer vs. Sam Martin. J. Jukes vs. J. Ashton. B. C. Combe vs. Carew Martin. A. E. Watson vs. C. M. Roberts.

MEEK IN VAN OF HOME-RUN GETTERS

Bee Backstop Has Four to His Credit So Far—The Statistics

Strait, the Portland left-fielder, is the leading extra base-hitter for the Northwest League on the standing of the men up to and including last Sunday's games. Strait is credited with 4 two-base, 1 three-base and 3 home run hits, or a total of 8 extra-base blows. Close behind Strait comes Mann, of Seattle, with 4 two-base and 3 home run hits. Abbott and Neighbors, of Tacoma; Dulin and Frisk, of Vancouver; and Speas, of Portland, are next in order with 6 extra-base hits apiece. Brashear, of Vancouver, and Meek, of Victoria, follow with 5 extra-base hits, and the following are credited with 4 apiece: Bennett, Vancouver; Clementson, Kennedy and Keller, of Victoria; Harris, Mathes and Mensor, of Portland; Weed, of Seattle.

Meek, of Victoria, leads the field in the number of home runs, having four to his credit thus far. In addition to the leaders mentioned the following are credited with home runs to date: Abbott, Tacoma, 1; Barry, Seattle, 1; Barrenkamp, Seattle, 1; Clementson, Victoria, 2; Cruickshank, Seattle, 1; Cameron, Tacoma, 1; Dulin, Vancouver, 1; Mathes, Portland, 1; Speas, Portland, 2; Schneider, Seattle, 1; Wuffli, Spokane, 1; Wilson, Victoria, 1. Frisk, of Vancouver, leads the field in three-base hits, with a total of 4 to date. Abbott, of Tacoma, Fries and Speas, of Portland, and Ostedike, of Spokane, have two each. Kippert, of Vancouver, and Speas, of Portland, lead the league in the number of stolen bases to date, each having purloined 8 bags. Cooney, of Spokane, and Mensor, of Portland, are next best with 7 each. Bennett, of Vancouver, Cameron, of Tacoma, Cartwright, of Spokane, Meyers, of Spokane, and Neighbors, of Tacoma, are credited with 5 stolen bases apiece. A large number of the regulars on the different teams two, three and four stolen bases each.

A.B.C. BASEBALL TEAM. Newly Organized Club Desirous of Entering City Series. The Arcade Bowling Club proposes to organize a baseball team and enter the city series, if that is possible at this late date. It is said the team will comprise nine men of as high calibre as any in the city. "A.B.C." is to be the name of the team.

ON ARCADE ALLEYS. An exciting contest is in progress at the Arcade alleys this month for the cash prize of \$5 offered by the management for the most 200 scores. Bowling enthusiasts are already beginning to look forward to the world's tournament to be held in Vancouver next fall and it is expected that Victoria will be represented there. This would be a good advertisement for the city and it is up to the general public to come through with a little backing.

Result. G. S. Norma 191. Ray Thompson 192. N. P. Rant 193. J. W. Ambery 194. C. B. Smith 195. D. R. Irvine 196. A. C. Mitchell-Innes 197. J. L. Bowker 198. P. Criddle 199. A. P. Luxton 200. Col. A. W. Jones 201. A. Coles 202. F. C. Gamble 203. J. B. Alexander 204. Sherwood Gillespie 205.

Men's Championship Draw. The draw for the first round of the championship and also for the three flights is given below. It will be seen that J. S. Matterson, yesterday's leader, is drawn against H. W. Treat, of Seattle, who finished in the qualifying round with a total of 178. A very good match will be that between R. L. Macleay and O. H. VanMillingen, both of whom played excellent golf yesterday, though the former was much the more consistent.

Draw for Men's Championship. W. B. Pemberton vs. D'Arcy Martin. E. G. B. How vs. E. H. Hughes. No. 1 vs. W. H. Ricardo. H. R. Hargreaves vs. L. R. Talbot. M. Gourlay vs. L. Davis. H. Combe vs. R. H. Hinks. A. L. Munn vs. H. L. Garratt. H. L. Treat vs. J. S. Matterson. R. L. Macleay vs. O. H. VanMillingen. J. A. Yellowless vs. A. T. Goward. No. 2 vs. J. T. Arbuckle. T. E. Lippy vs. W. E. Burns. C. Huskamp vs. L. C. Johnston. Major Mills vs. L. D. Edwards. J. Collins vs. B. Wilson. Russell Smith vs. F. Cancellor. Second Flight. A. C. Stewart vs. P. H. McCrimmon. J. H. Jephson vs. P. Pemberton. P. H. Carr vs. G. J. Smith. Col. Peters vs. P. L. Brooks.



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SHOULD NOW BE IN RANGE OF WIRELESS

Princess Sophia Expected to Put in Appearance Here the Middle of Next Week

Almost any time now wireless messages should be received from the new C. P. R. steamer, Princess Sophia, Capt. Lindgren, which, according to the figuring of officials of the company, should be off the Californian coast at this time and within the range of the stations at Frisco and other points along the seaboard. Nothing has been received here from the master of the vessel since he put into Punta Arenas, Straits of Magellan, on April 9 for stores and supplies.

SLOOP-OF-WAR LEAVES.

Algerine Got Away Late Yesterday for Mexico—Will Be Absent Six Weeks.

Bound for Mexico to protect the lives and interests of the English persons residing in the trouble republic, H. M. S. Algerine, Commander Brooker, left Esquimalt late yesterday afternoon and passed out to sea at Cape Flattery late last night. The warship returned here on Sunday night and immediately commenced to coal and load supplies for her long voyage. She will be absent from this port for about six weeks.

WIRELESS REPORTS

8 a.m. Point Grey—Clear; N. W. gale; 20.18; 51. In: Citriana, 6.30 a.m. Cape Lazo—Clear; N. storm; 20.01; 57; light swell. Pachen—Hazy; S. E. light; 29.64; 46; light swell; thick seaward. Estevan—Overcast; N. W. strong; 29.58; 46; light swell.

Triangle—Cloudy; N. 20 miles; 29.60; 43; rough. Dirigo, Millbank Sound, 6 p.m. south bound; Prince George, Serpent Point, Lima Pass, north bound, 11 p.m. Prince Rupert—Cloudy; calm; 30.10; 42; sea smooth. Out: British Empire, 8.20 p.m. Spoke Dolphin, Kennedy Island, north bound, due 10 a.m. Tatoush—Clear; N. W. 20 miles; 29.55; 51; sea moderate. Out: Cleum, 5.50 a.m. In: Steamer Christian Borne, 7.30 a.m.

Dead Tree Point—Overcast; calm; smooth.

Noon. Point Grey—Clear; N. W., fresh; 30.04; 58; out, steamer Yosemite 9.15 a.m.; Princess Beatrice, 11.10 a.m.; Chealakee, 11.40 a.m. Cape Lazo—Clear; wind W., strong; 29.90; 54; rough. Tatoush—Clear; S. W. 12 miles; 29.92; 50; moderate. Out, 11.50 a.m. Swift Sure lightship, inside bound out City of Puebla.

Pachen—Cloudy; S. E.; 29.64; 48; smooth; Newington abeam, 11.30 a.m. outbound; Tees at Clo-oose north bound 11 a.m. Estevan—Cloudy; S. W.; 29.56; 51; moderate.

Triangle—Cloudy; N. 15 miles; 29.50; 40; heavy swell. Ikeda—Clear; N. W.; 29.96; 50; smooth. Prince Rupert—Overcast; calm; 30.02; 51; smooth. In, Prince George 11.30 a.m.

Dead Tree Point—Passing showers; N. W., light; smooth.

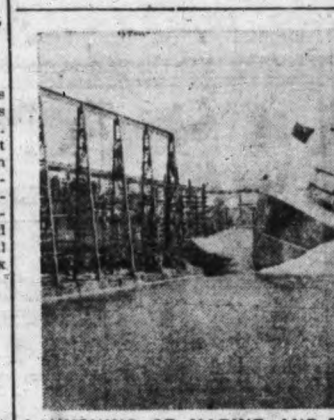


DETAILS OF ESTEVAN ARE RECEIVED HERE

New Lighthouse Tender is Splendid Ship—Well Appointed in Every Respect

Full details of the steamer Estevan, which was launched at Collingwood, Ont., last Tuesday afternoon, were received by the Times yesterday. The builders expected that she will be able to leave in about three weeks on her long trip to Victoria. Her engines are now being placed in position and the work of installing the masts, winches and completing of the upperworks will be finished very shortly now. She is to be delivered at Esquimalt by the builders and will be here about the end of June.

The Estevan, which is a steel twin-screw lighthouse tender and buoy steamer, has been under construction since last fall, the contract having been placed by the Marine Department before the change of government. The work of construction was commenced almost immediately and has been carried on throughout the winter. Despite the unfavorable weather good progress was made until everything was in readiness for the steamer to slip from the ways at the appointed hour.



LAUNCHING OF MARINE AND FISHERIES STEAMER ESTEVAN—TAKING THE WATER—IT WAS A SIDE LAUNCHING

and 36 inches and 27-inch stroke. These are supplied with steam by two boilers 13 feet by 11 feet, fitted with Howden's forced draft, and carrying a working pressure of 180 pounds to the square inch. Throughout the steamer is lighted with electricity and is equipped with steam steering gear, steam pumps, winches, in fact everything found about modern vessels in any nation's service.

The officers' quarters are well arranged and beautifully finished in oak and yellow pine with decorated ceilings and, where necessary, tiled floors. The furniture is mahogany and the armchairs and sofas upholstered in leather.

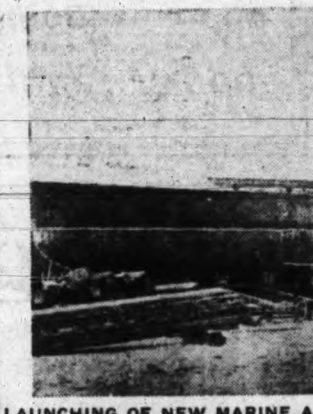


LAUNCHING OF MARINE AND FISHERIES STEAMER ESTEVAN—VESSEL IN DRYDOCK AT COLLINGWOOD

LUMBER-LADEN SHIPS CLEAR IN FEW DAYS

Wandsbek and David Evans Completing Cargoes—Kinross-shire Loads Quickly

Within the next couple of days two of the big windjammers now completing their lumber cargoes at Hastings Mills, Vancouver, will be ready to tow to sea. The German barque Wandsbek is having the last sticks of her deckload lashed in position, and the schooner David Evans has just about finished taking on her million odd feet of lumber. The powerful tug Lorne, Capt. Cutler, will be used to tow both the sailers out to Cape Flattery, where they will spread their sails and set their courses, the German vessel for the United Kingdom and the schooner for the Orient.



LAUNCHING OF NEW MARINE AND FISHERIES STEAMER ESTEVAN—READY TO LEAVE WAYS AT COLLINGWOOD SHIPYARDS

cover only two white-winged vessels will be occupying berths at British Columbia ports. The Chilean three-masted barque Royal Sovereign has moored at Hastings Mills and is taking on her cargo for Valparaiso, and the British barque Kinross-shire is at the Canadian-Puget Sound Lumber Company's docks here. It will be five or six days before either of these windjammers leave, and then the harbors of this province will be clear of all sailers.

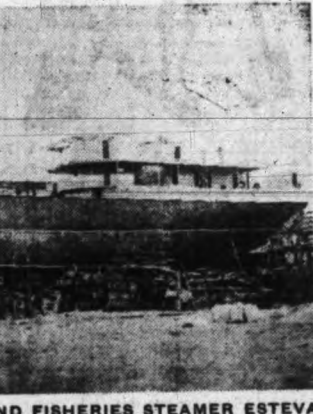
The work of stowing the 2,000,000-foot cargo on the Kinross-shire is progressing satisfactory, and already a large amount of timber has been packed in her huge holds. Some of the sticks to be taken by the barque

ENGINEER FALLS 28 FEET TO HIS DEATH

James McNair, of Craftsman, Killed at Nanaimo—Fell Through Coal Chute

Taking the wrong trestle leading towards where the big Harrison liner Craftsman, Capt. Maycock, was berthed at Nanaimo, James Kelso McNair, fifth engineer aboard the steamship, was accidentally killed sometime during the hours of Monday night when he fell through an open coal chute to the ground, a distance of about 26 feet, sustaining a fractured skull and meeting almost instant death.

The body of the young man was not found until yesterday noon, a search during the morning hours failing to locate his whereabouts, but his mangled remains were discovered by William Kharston, an employee of



LAUNCHING OF NEW MARINE AND FISHERIES STEAMER ESTEVAN—READY TO LEAVE WAYS AT COLLINGWOOD SHIPYARDS

the machine shops, who during noon hour when walking from the shops to the green to engage in a game of football was startled to discover the dead body lying face downward under an open chute. The deceased was 22 years of age, and hails from Ibrox, Glasgow, the young man having shipped as fifth engineer aboard the Craftsman, in February last at Liverpool. The funeral took place at Nanaimo this morning.

An inquest was held at the Coal City yesterday morning, at which a verdict of "accidental death" was returned by the jury. Capt. Maycock, at the hearing stated that he was well acquainted with the deceased. He last saw Mr. McNair alive before steamer left Vancouver, had not seen him since ship arrived at Nanaimo. The young man was an excellent character, never drank liquor, was quiet, was first trip to sea. When the deceased did not turn up at 7 o'clock he at once came to the conclusion some accident had befallen him. The young man was a teetotaler and he felt satisfied deceased was not under the influence of liquor at the time of this accident.

FOUND REFUGE IN RIGGING.

Details of Loss of Cod-Fisher Joseph Russ Learned Upon Return of Dora.

Seward, Alaska, May 8.—The mail steamer Dora, bringing 35 survivors of the wreck of the codfishing schooner Joseph Russ, including Mrs. Charles Foss, wife of the master of the lost vessel, arrived in yesterday from Chirikof Island, where the Russ went ashore at 1 o'clock in the morning of April 21.

The Russ struck at high tide during a terrific gale. Immense waves swept the decks, and the crew, and the lone woman, lashed themselves to the rigging where they remained six hours, when the tide went out, leaving the ship high and dry on the rocks. First Mate John Jorgenson, the only one to lose his life, was swept off the deck soon after the schooner struck and was smashed to death against the rocks.

When the tide went out and those aboard found it safe to descend from their places of refuge in the rigging, baggage, provisions and other articles that would enable them to live on the uninhabited island until rescuers came, were taken off the boat. As soon as all had been made snug on shore Second Mate A. E. Reeves set out in command of two small dories to row to Chignik, one hundred miles distant, for aid. Fortune smiled on the sturdy oarsmen, and they pulled into Chignik three hours before the steamer Dora, on her monthly voyage from Unalaska to Seward, entered the harbor.

The Dora put about at once and steamed to Chirikof, reaching there on the morning of May 4, thirteen days after the wreck. The body of First Mate Jorgenson was taken aboard the Dora, and was buried at sea Monday night.

The survivors will return to Seattle on the steamship Bertha, which is now in port.

RUPERT GOES TO SOUND.

Prince Steamer Takes Quite a List of Passengers Across to Seattle.

At 10 o'clock this morning the Grand Trunk Pacific steamer Prince Rupert, Capt. Barney Johnson, left port, inaugurating the semi-weekly service of the company to Prince Rupert. She proceeded to Seattle and will leave

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HEAD LIGHTS

Bound for Ocean Falls and way ports the C. P. R. steamer Princess Beatrice, Capt. Hawes, left yesterday afternoon. She took out a good crowd of passengers and a small shipment of freight.

Taking a large list of passengers and a full cargo of general freight, the Pacific Coast Steamship City of Puebla, Capt. Harris, left port this morning for San Francisco. The Umattilla, of the same fleet, will arrive here from the Bay City to-morrow night.

Late to-night the C. P. R. steamer Princess May, Capt. McLeod, will sail for Prince Rupert and Skagway. A number of passengers are leaving on her and she will have a full list when she clears from Vancouver to-morrow.

The steamer Admiral Sampson, of the Alaska Coast Company's northern service, left the Sound last night for Alaska with a large list of passengers and full cargo of freight.

The Kosmos liner Setos is at Port Blakeley and Muklitie loading lumber. She will return to Tacoma Friday to bunker before beginning her voyage to the West Coast and Hamburg.

The British steamer Lord Derby is due at Vancouver May 29 with sugar from Java. She will join the Waterhouse fleet for the Orient and will load at Tacoma, Seattle and Portland.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

May 7.
Seattle—Arrived: Steamers Governor, San Francisco. Sailed: Steamers Tampa Maru, Yokohama; City of Puebla, San Francisco; Admiral Sampson, Northwestern Alaska; Governor, Sound ports.
San Francisco—Arrived: Steamers Strathallan, Norfolk; Sierra, Honolulu; Tiverton, Port Ludlow. Sailed: Steamers Norwood, Grays Harbor; Redondo, Coos Bay.
Port Said—Arrived: Antiochus, Glasgow for Seattle.
Singapore—Arrived: Steamer Proteus, Tacoma.

FACILITIES FOR HANDLING REFUSE

GARBAGE WHARF IS UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Rock Bay Bridge Replanking—Activities on Store Street

Good progress is being made with the garbage wharf at the Herald street city landing, and the contractor, James Roberts, anticipates that he will be through by the end of the present week. He is putting in substantial planking, and when completed this will enable two scows to be filled at one time instead of one, as at present. As some 100 cart-loads are being taken daily to be dumped, and this quite apart from the Chinese and other scavengers who use the city facilities for removing rubbish, the demand for more accommodation will be readily recognized. The new wharf is elevated above the older portion of the landing, and a run-off is provided to accommodate the wagons. With the increase in the collections, the necessity for more horses becomes apparent, and six more were under consideration at the meeting of the health committee yesterday. There, of course, will also be the new Velle motor wagon, now on order with John Meston.

The city probably at some future date will have to consider the extension of the wharf, and the only chance for expansion appears to be southward, where the value of Leeming Brothers' wharf has doubled in the last few years. When permission has been obtained from the Dominion government a wharf is to be built by the city at Turner street, to relieve the pressure at Herald street, where the lighting station has necessarily been obliged to encroach further on the municipal wharf.

The full effect of the fire at the Canadian Puget Sound Lumber Co.'s mill on the Rock Bay bridge, is being disclosed as the workmen proceed with the stripping of the bridge of its planking in connection with the re-roofing now in progress. The bents are considerably burned in places, and the stringers also are much affected. Gangs are engaged from two ends, and the roadway is now entirely closed for traffic, except for pedestrians.

In the portion of Store street between this point and the garbage wharf are the signs of prosperous development in two or three places. The premises of the steam plant of the B. C. E. R. are undergoing extension, and the Robert-son Ironworks Co. are adding to their blacksmith shop. There has been no change so far as the Swift's proposed packing plant is concerned on the thoroughfare.



Mrs. J. Pigott, of Runnymede Lane, will receive on Friday.

Mrs. Reynolds, 1025 Fairfield road, will not receive to-morrow.

Miss Ney, of Vancouver, is the guest of Miss Finch, Linden avenue.

Mrs. D. Hankin, Fernwood road, will not receive Thursday or again this season.

Mrs. C. F. Compton, 212 Jessie street, will not receive to-morrow nor until further notice.

Mrs. M. L. Nellis and Mrs. F. M. Nellis, of Cleveland, are spending a short time in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McConnell and family have moved into their new home, 1232 Oscar street.

Mrs. Bostock, 638 Battery street, will receive to-morrow afternoon for the last time this season.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place at 1164 Oscar street, when Miss Edith Taylor was united in marriage to Ernest S. R. Walford. After the ceremony the happy couple left for Seattle to spend their honeymoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hawkins, who have been visiting for some weeks in California, arrived in Victoria yesterday and will be guests in the city for the next few days prior to returning to their homes in Armstrong.

Mrs. Loveland and Master Walter Loveland will leave for Nelson by the midnight boat to-night, where they will join Mr. Loveland, fire warden for the district, who left the city some weeks ago to take up his duties in the upper country.

BANK CLERKS PLEAD GUILTY.

Will Be Sentenced To-morrow For Embezzlement of \$12,000.

Vancouver, May 8.—Three bank clerks, M. Cox, A. Strachan and John H. Robins, who were arrested yesterday on charges of embezzling \$12,000 from the Merchants and Imperial banks of this city, were called in police court this morning and entered pleas of guilty. They were remanded until to-morrow for sentence. The young men had spent the money in gambling and fast living.

BRITISH STEAMER ASHORE.

Washington, D. C., May 8.—The British steamer Indore, of Liverpool, is stranded on French Reef, Florida Straits, and the revenue cutters Yamacraw and Forward are rushing to her assistance according to wireless advices received here to-day. The Indore is a steamer of 4,775 tons.

FIRST ROUND IS FINISHED TO-DAY

Sixteen Qualify for Second Round of Men's Championship

The qualifying round of the Pacific Northwest golf championship having been completed yesterday, the regular competition proper commenced to-day in excellent weather, which made for capital play. The cards returned show the following returns:

- G. Martin beat W. Pemberton.
- E. J. B. How beat C. H. Hughes.
- W. H. Ricardo beat T. W. Paterson.
- L. R. Hargreaves beat G. R. Talbot.
- M. Gourlay beat L. D. Lewis.
- R. M. Huicks beat Harvey Coombe.
- H. G. Garratt beat G. L. Mum.
- J. S. Matheron (default).
- O. H. Van Milligan beat R. Macleay.
- J. A. Yellowless beat A. T. Goward.
- J. F. Arbuckle beat No. 2.
- T. S. Lippey beat W. E. Burns.
- G. C. Johnson beat C. Huskamp.
- Mayor Miles beat R. D. Edwards.
- B. Wilson beat J. Collins.
- S. Chancellor beat Russell Smith.

TRAGIC END OF YOUNG CIGARMAKER

Victorian Commits Suicide at Ladysmith, Where He Was Employed

A cigar maker named Sidney Dodd committed suicide yesterday in his hotel at Ladysmith by cutting his throat with a razor. He had been drinking, it is alleged, of late, and for several days was very morose. The deceased left Victoria two years ago, and was later employed at the Grand Duke factory for P. K. Winch. He was 24 years of age. The body will be brought to this city for interment, his mother residing here as well as a brother and sister.

OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred at the Jubilee hospital yesterday afternoon of Mrs. Maria Jane Henley, wife of James T. Henley, 1526 Dallas road. The deceased, who was a native of Kansas, was 41 years of age, and had lived in this city for some time. She had been ill for nearly a month. She is survived by her husband, eight small children, two brothers, James and Robert Nichol of this city, and two sisters, Mrs. Deasey and Mrs. Carlisle, both resident in the states. The funeral will take place on Friday at 2:30 p. m. from the B. C. Funeral parlors, Rev. T. W. Gladstone officiating.

A funeral service was held over the remains of the late James J. Burridge, George road, last night at 7 o'clock at the parlors of Hanna and Thomson, Rev. W. L. Clay officiating. There were a number of relatives and friends in attendance. The burial service will take place at St. John, N. B., arrangements having been made for shipment of the body there, accompanied by Frederick Burridge, son of the deceased.

The funeral of the late William David Allen took place this afternoon from the family residence, 2540 Fernwood road. Interment took place at Ross Bay cemetery at 2:30 o'clock.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Kerr took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence, 542 Montreal street, Rev. W. Leslie Clay conducting the service. There was a large attendance of friends, and numerous floral tributes. The pallbearers were Messrs. J. Dean, W. Terry, H. A. Munn, J. H. Young, D. Whiteside, and A. W. Kenning.

LAI IN LAST RESTING PLACE.

Remains of the Late Judge Maboe Interred at Port Rowan.

Port Rowan, Ont., May 8.—A large concourse had assembled at the little station here when the train carrying the remains of the late Judge Maboe arrived here from Toronto. Port Rowan's population was swelled by hundreds from outside. From 1 o'clock till 2 drawn blinds and closed stores betokened the grief of the community. The simple and impressive service of the church was conducted by the rector, Rev. J. P. Bloodworth, and by Bishop Williams of Huron. Two familiar hymns were sung, "A Few More Years Shall Roll" and a favorite of Judge Maboe's mother, "Come Ye Disciples," after which the casket was lowered into the grave.

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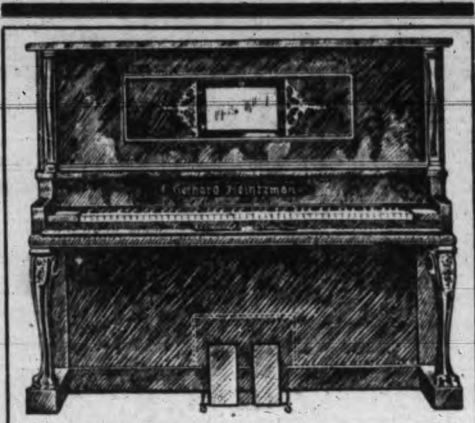


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H. H. Thompson is in the city from Detroit.

James Chisholm is in the city from Winnipeg.

John Prentice is in the city from Vancouver.

J. M. McPherson is in the city from Vancouver.

G. S. Boulton is in the city from Vancouver.

W. M. McKay is in the city from Vancouver.

Mrs. Barker has arrived in the city from Montreal.

J. G. Arnison is in the city from St. Paul, Minn.

A. T. Proctor has arrived in the city from Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster are in the city from Ladysmith.

R. C. Whitehead has arrived in the city from Montreal.

H. L. Steenbuch has arrived in the city from Winnipeg.

S. P. Fitzgerald, of Stewart, is at the Westholme hotel.

H. H. Phillips has arrived in the city from Vancouver.

Mrs. B. P. Anderson has arrived in the city from Lincoln.

A. Lucas, of Vancouver, has arrived at the Dominion hotel.

C. P. Purdon Coote is in the city from London, England.

Mrs. Douglas Fearn is in the city from New Westminster.

R. C. Morgan, of Chicago, is registered at the Empress hotel.

R. H. Euman, of Milwaukee, is staying at the Prince George hotel.

Col. W. W. Boulton arrived in the city yesterday from Vancouver.

D. M. Sullivan is registered at the Empress hotel from Vancouver.

Lloyd P. Wood and Ira H. Wood are in the city from San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Doyen have arrived in the city from Vancouver.

Mrs. Dinadale, 3029 Quadra street, will not receive again this season.

J. F. Burnett, of Ottawa, is registered at the King Edward hotel.

Valentine H. May is spending a short time in the city from Seattle.

Alfred Eastham registered at the Empress hotel yesterday from Calgary.

P. B. Motley is in the city from Montreal, registered at the Empress hotel.

J. H. Shirley has arrived at the King Edward hotel from Blaine, Wash.

Alexander Wallace is making a short stay in the city from the lower mainland.

J. E. Forshund, wife and daughter, are registered at the Prince George hotel.

J. Joseph, of San Francisco, is in town and is staying at the Empress hotel.

The following gentlemen arrived in the city this morning on the night boat from Vancouver, and are registered at the Empress hotel: F. T. Cornwall, R. J. Mundell, Arthur Jones,

and

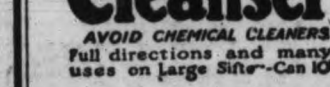
the home of Mr. J. N. Harvey, Washington Court, Vancouver, was the scene of a pretty ceremony Monday night, when Rev. Dr. H. F. Warner, of Kitano Baptist church, united in marriage Mr. Robert H. Gilmour, treasurer of the firm of J. N. Harvey, Ltd., to Miss Bertha Elizabeth Fales, daughter of Mr. Frank Fales of St. John, N. B. The bride was gowned in a dainty dress of white satin and carried a shower bouquet of bride roses and maidenhair fern. Mr. Gilmour, who is a son of Dr. Gilmour of St. Martin, N. B., and was formerly in the Bank of British North America at St. John, and his wife were recipients of numerous gifts, cheques and telegrams. Mr. and Mrs. Gilmour left last night on the Princess Adelaide on a honeymoon trip to the coast cities, and on their return will make their home in Felix Apartments, Jervis street.

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W. C. Nelson and B. C. Beach are making a short stay in the city from Seattle.

F. P. Stewart is in the city from Seattle, registered at the King Edward hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Henry, of Seattle, are here for the Pacific Northwest golf tournament.

George A. Tadmore is in the city from Vancouver, registered at the Dominion hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Sisson and children arrived in the city yesterday from Winnipeg.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Butler are in the city from Indianapolis, registered at the Westholme hotel.

Mrs. W. V. Coons and Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Albion are registered at the Empress hotel from Vancouver.

Mrs. S. L. Sawyer, of Danvers, Mass., and Mrs. S. L. Barnes, of Seattle, are registered at the Prince George hotel.

Mrs. M. C. Hamilton and son, of Vancouver, and Mrs. S. Fraser, of Neepawa, have arrived at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. E. J. Fader, wife of ex-Alderman E. J. Fader, of New Westminster, a prominent financier of the Royal City, accompanied by Miss Ashby, left on the afternoon boat yesterday for Seattle. Mrs. Fader, who recently returned with her husband from a prolonged visit to the Old Country, came here on business, and expressed her pleasure not only at the delightful weather and the early season compared with the mainland, but also with the progress of the city since her last visit. They registered at the Dominion hotel.

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THE DANCE MAN

Moving Pictures.
To-morrow afternoon and evening and Friday and Saturday afternoons and evenings at the Victoria theatre Victorians will have an opportunity of seeing something they have never seen before, a moving picture representation of Dumas' world famed tragic play, "La Dame aux Camelians," and Victorien Sardou's hardly less famous comedy of "Madame Sans Gene." As was intimated on Saturday, these films have been secured by Victorians, and, as is only fitting, they are to be shown first in Victoria. French plays are subtle in their wit and humor. These qualities do not always lie on the surface, but they are none the less delightful and piquant for that. Sardou, a dramatist who never wrote a failure, set himself to produce a play that would show Napoleon as a man who laughed and played and joked—who was human in fact and not the conquest-absorbed and stern warrior that he is too often depicted, and this comedy was the result. Madame Rejane depends less on speech than any other great actress of her time, and so finds in the photoplay an ideal ground for the exposition of her powers.

The Evening Chit-Chat

By Ruth Cameron

If there is any one situation to which the excellent maxim "You can't always sometimes tell" is more thoroughly pertinent than to any other, it is to other folks' quarrels and family disagreements.



"I do think Gertrude is terribly disagreeable and unjust to her sister," I heard one girl say of another. "Why, the other day Gertrude snapped her sister up because she made some little statement that wasn't exactly accurate. And she's just as sweet and nice. I can't see what made Gertrude so hateful to her."

Of course, this self-appointed critic couldn't see what made Gertrude so hateful. How should she be able to? She has never lived with the sister, doesn't know how trying her habit of loose and inaccurate statements has become how irritating it is to hear her talk fluently about matters of which she knows absolutely nothing.

That's just the trouble with all our snap judgments of other people's family disagreements. We see the result of innumerable little causes without seeing more than one or two of these causes.

"Mrs. So-and-so is terribly impatient with her husband," we say. "Why, the other day he was fifteen minutes late to dinner and she would hardly speak to him all through the meal," or "Mr. Such-and-such is so strict with his daughter. He doesn't believe in company and he wouldn't even let her have her college room mate to spend a week with her."

Now, that certainly sounds as if Mrs. So-and-so and Mr. Such-and-such were very unreasonable people. But in each case we have criticized a result without taking into account more than one of the innumerable little causes which stood behind that result.

It was not because Mr. So-and-so was late for dinner that one day that his wife was so indignant. It was because his tardiness that day was but one more manifestation of his habit of needless tardiness to meals which has made her housework harder all her married life.

It was not merely against this one visit that Mr. Such-and-such protested. It was against that as the culmination of a series of visits which had been tiring out the little wife and mother. It is the whole load which breaks the camel's back. We criticize the camel because we only see the last straw.

In the close corporation of family life there are many conditions which an outsider cannot possibly appreciate. If you are a friend of the square deal in thought and word, as well as in action, do not try to judge of such matters. Remember that "You can't always sometimes tell" is a most excellent maxim.

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ANOTHER TENDER FOR SOOKE WORKS

GRAFF CONSTRUCTION COMPANY MAKES OFFER

On Basis of Sliding Scale—President's Letter to Council

The further consideration of the Sooke Lake contract was taken up this afternoon at the city hall, and the members assembled with the expectation that some arrangement would at length be reached.

The water commissioner submitted a quantity of correspondence, including a letter from C. F. Graff, of the Graff Construction Company, Seattle, who were the second lowest tenderers in December. They had not submitted a new offer, expecting to be called upon in accordance with the custom by which, when one contractor fails to complete his work the next lowest is awarded the work.

The offer to Commissioner Raymur was to perform the work as managing contractor on the following sliding scale, all figures being founded on the original plans and specifications and the quantities there given:

"If the actual cost to the city is \$1,450,000 the profit will be nothing, and the total expense to the city in dollars \$1,450,000; actual cost \$1,430,000, profit one per cent, or \$14,300, or a total expense to the city of \$1,444,300; actual cost \$1,410,000, two per cent, or \$28,200, or a cost to the city of \$1,438,200; actual cost \$1,390,000, profit three per cent, or \$41,700, or a cost to the city of \$1,431,700; actual cost \$1,370,000, profit four per cent, or \$54,800, or a cost to the city of \$1,424,300; actual cost \$1,350,000, profit five per cent, or \$67,500, or a cost to the city of \$1,417,500; actual cost \$1,330,000, profit six per cent, or \$79,800, or a cost to the city of \$1,409,800; actual cost \$1,310,000, profit seven per cent, or \$91,700, or a cost to the city of \$1,401,700; actual cost \$1,290,000, profit eight per cent, or \$103,200, or a cost to the city of \$1,393,200; actual cost \$1,270,000, profit nine per cent, or \$114,300, or a cost to the city of \$1,384,300; actual cost \$1,250,000, profit ten per cent, or \$125,000, or a cost to the city of \$1,375,000; actual cost \$1,230,000, profit eleven per cent, or \$135,300, or a cost to the city of \$1,365,300; actual cost \$1,210,000, profit twelve per cent, or \$145,200, or a cost to the city of \$1,355,200.

The total expense to the city is thus guaranteed not to exceed \$1,450,000, said guarantee to be covered by a satisfactory surety bond. The company propose that the percentage of profit for costs intermediate to those shown

shall be computed on the principle of direct proportion. They express a wish to begin work immediately and will meet any reasonable demand made by the city as to the time of completion. The profits can be made monthly, or at stated periods. A satisfactory surety bond, both as to amount and standing of company will be immediately forthcoming to cover the guarantee as to the maximum cost.

The letter to the city council ran as follows from the president of the Graff Co., C. F. Graff:

"I. In view of the fact that The Graff Construction Company was the second lowest tenderer in the sum of \$1,354,652 on the Sooke Lake contract, December 15 last, and was, in fact, the lowest tenderer able to qualify with the required surety bond as called for by the specification and official call for tenders, we now respectfully ask consideration in the negotiations pending for the reletting of the work on a cost basis. As a matter of moral right and wrong, as a matter of justice and fair play between man and man, we feel—and, judging by the remarks addressed to us by the people of this city, we believe the citizens of Victoria feel—that, having responded to the public call for tenders, which was officially published in both Canadian and American papers, having spent several weeks of our time and money in investigating the project last winter, and having submitted the second lowest tender, regular and legal in every way, and having been prepared at that time to furnish the required surety bond, we are now entitled to consideration in the matter of the re-letting of the work. Shortly after the contract was awarded by the then council a detailed schedule of the tenders submitted was prepared by the city and sent to all the contractors interested. This schedule showed in detail not only the lump sum bids but the unit bids on each and every item of construction. This schedule and this information have been at the disposal of those who recently submitted alternate tenders, and we respectfully submit the question as to whether or not the consideration of such or any subsequent tenders is fair to the original tenderers. We have submitted a proposition to the honorable water commissioner on a sliding scale cost, plus a percentage basis, which becomes automatically economical from the view-point of the municipality as well as surmises as managing contractor for the city in this, that as the total cost of the work is reduced the percentage of profit is increased, and as the cost is increased the percentage of profit is reduced until, when the cost reaches a certain fixed maximum, these profits become zero and we guarantee that the total entire cost to the city, including plant, profits and all charges of every kind, shall not, in any event, exceed this fixed maximum, and this guarantee is to be covered by a satisfactory surety bond to protect the city. The maximum total cost guaranteed is \$1,450,000, which is based upon our original tender in the sum of \$1,354,652, an adjustment having been made to take care of the rise in the cost of materials, subsequent to the date tenders were made and the now compulsory use of riveted pipe, as against lap-welded on which this bid of ours was based. This maximum cost, as well as all other costs in the series, is to be credited with the work done by preceding contractor up to the date we begin construction.

"2. We respectfully invite the attention of the council to the fact that unless some such principle as here outlined by us is resorted to there is no assurance, so far as the city is concerned, as to what the ultimate cost of the work will be, whereas by our proposed method there is every incentive for the managing contractor to keep the cost down. It is, in fact, absolutely essential that he do so or his efforts will all be exerted for nothing. We consider, and so will every sane business man, that for the city to enter into a cost plus a percentage or fixed sum profit agreement without a guaranteed maximum cost would be ruinous; that even with such a guaranteed maximum cost there is not the incentive to keep down the expense of the work that exists under the arrangement we propose. Our offer is a straight business proposition which puts the whole responsibility of sound, economic and scientific management directly and solely upon the shoulders of the contracting manager equally as much as though he were handling the work on a straight contract, and at the same time the proposition meets the necessity of completing the work on a cost basis which is the only legal defensible procedure now open to the city in view of existing conditions. By this method not only is the city absolutely sure of its position as to the worst that may happen financially, but if, as the work progresses, it proves to be a fact that the cost of the project is less than the general judgment now seems to indicate, then the city of Victoria will reap the benefit. Also, although as pointed out above, the principle involved automatically insures economy, we would suggest that the city adopt some independent method of checking the pay-roll and the expenditure for materials, but it should be borne in mind that to secure the best and most economic results and in the best interests of the city generally, the contract manager should be left absolutely untrammelled and allowed to enter the buying market and otherwise conduct his operations as though he were executing a straight contract. We also respectfully submit that if the city enters into the agreement submitted by us it will be able to prove, in the event of subsequent court proceedings in which it may become involved, that the very best and most economical arrangement possible for the completion of the work was made, and that all due precautions were exercised to prevent the ultimate cost from mounting up above the lowest possible obtainable minimum by the preceding contractor.

"3. We wish to state that if we are engaged to do this work, other things being equal, orders for materials, supplies, and labor will be placed locally or in Canadian or English territory, and any benefit accruing to the city of Victoria due to the execution of this project and the expenditure of this

sum of money will be as real as though it were handled by a strictly local firm. Our residence will be here, our banking will be done here, and all the business connected with this work will, in fact, be conducted in the city of Victoria.

"4. We cheerfully invite the closest investigation as to our financial and general ability to handle this work, our record for completing contracts on time, our reputation as contracting managers, etc., and we offer to produce a satisfactory surety bond immediately after demand. Owing to the fact that our overhead charges are not nearly as great as those of some other firms, we are in a position to execute this work on a more economical basis perhaps, and we propose to take charge of the contract to the best interests of the city of Victoria."

DATE SET FOR N.P.A.A.O. REGATTA

JULY 27 SELECTED BY BAYS FOR BIG EVENT

Has Been Submitted to Other Clubs—Vancouver's Senior Four Chosen

July 27 has been selected by the J. B. A. A. as the date for the N. P. A. A. O. regatta this year, which will be held on the Shawnigan Lake course, and that date has been submitted to the other Northwest clubs for their approval.

Owing to the coal strike in England the shipment of the shells, ordered by the J. B. A. A. from Sims & Co., of Putney, has been delayed and the new boats will not arrive until well on in July. This makes it bad for the local oarsmen, who will hardly have time to become thoroughly accustomed to the new shells before using them in the international event.

Vancouver oarsmen are in training and confidently expect to annex a bigger share of the honors at the meet than they generally do. The club has already selected its crew to carry Vancouver's colors in the senior fours, as follows: Stroke, McCarter or Carper; No. 3, Bancroft; No. 4, Hooper or N. Sawers; bow, George Chaffer.

Regarding the chances of this crew a Vancouver paper says: "Provided they can devote the necessary time to a course of training that will render them absolutely fit for the big event a crew of great possibilities can be made from these six men. McCarter has already stroked a junior four to victory, and having received his coaching from Dan O'Sullivan in Victoria, he has not a great deal more to learn about the art. Bancroft at three is good enough for any boat, and last season rowed in the body of the undefeated Toronto Argonaut crew, both in the eights and fours. Tommy Hooper has been out of the game for three or four years, but was undoubtedly one of the best men ever turned out of Kenora and lacks only condition to make him as effective as ever. George Chaffer in the bow has already won many laurels at the N. P. A. A. O. meets, both sculling and in the fours, and would be an acquisition to any club. The same remarks apply to Norman Sawers, and two seasons ago Carper stroked the Winnipeg four to a glorious victory that won for them the championship of America.

Local Club's Regatta.

Preparations are going ahead for the local club's regatta on the Gorge course on May 13 and May 24. In these only Victoria crews will be entered.

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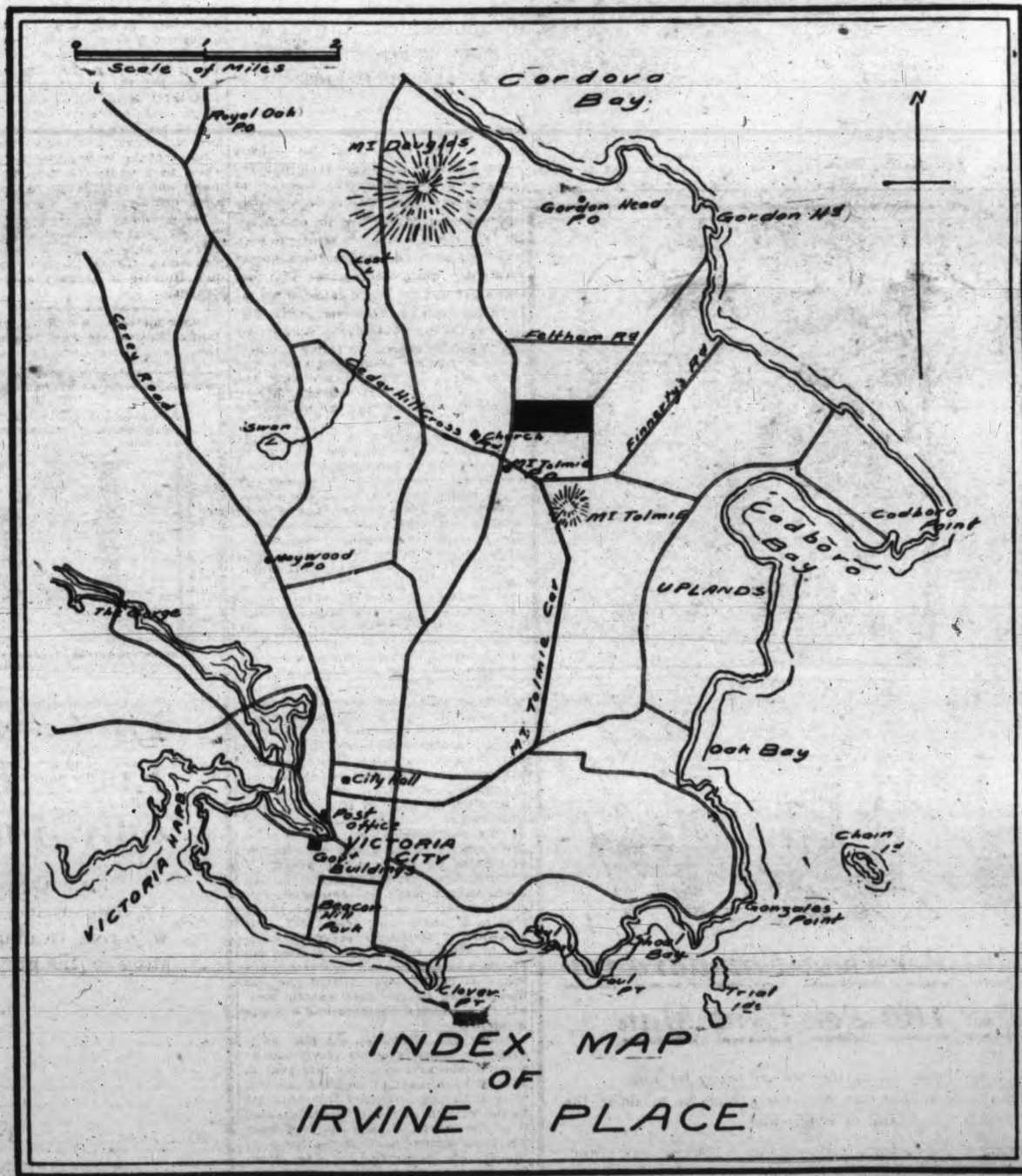
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cillor of Embassy

A distinguished Japanese diplomat, Enjiro Yamaza, passed through Victoria yesterday on the Tamba Maru, en route to Tokio, where a great future is said to await him at the hands of the Japanese Imperial government. It is stated that he may either go to Pekin as the Japanese Ambassador, or else succeed Viscount Uchida as foreign secretary in the Saionji ministry. He is now returning to the Japanese capital after four years as councillor to the Embassy in London. Yesterday he stated to a Times representative that he had no plans made yet, and was placing himself entirely at the disposal of his foreign office—in fact as he observed, diplomats had no home or country when in the service of the nation.

Mr. Yamaza, who is a man of the urbane manner of all educated Japanese, was director of the political bureau of the foreign office at Tokio from 1901 to 1906, and during that time there occurred his most exciting experiences. When he was sent to Portsmouth, N. H., to assist Count Komura to negotiate the Japanese treaty with Russia after the great war. When the Count fell ill it devolved on Mr. Yamaza to take the text of the treaty to Japan, and he had to get it across the continent and to Japan without delay, and in face of the known hostility of the Japanese, both on the American and home shores. The treaty was highly unpopular, and plots were made to kill him and destroy the treaty, but he escaped them all. He sailed from Seattle without injury, on board the Dakota, and on reaching Yokohama Bay the big liner was stopped by torpedo boats, and these conveyed him ashore guarded by soldiers, the portmanteau containing the text being closely watched.

Mr. Yamaza said that not only had the sentiment of the people changed greatly towards himself since the above circumstances brought him to Seattle in 1905, but the whole question of immigration had altered. The general impression which existed today was that the zenith of immigra-

tion from the Island Empire had been reached, and that there would be no great flood of Japanese laborers again to the western shores of the Pacific. He was in London when the Anglo-Japanese treaty was completed, and he believed that the sentiment to-day was just as strong for the compact in Great Britain as it was at the time of the treaty. The great Anglo-Japanese exhibition at Shepherd's Bush in 1910, had done a great deal to instruct old country people in Japanese manners and customs, and to create a beautiful and welcome amity between the two peoples.

Great Britain's position with regard to the treaty was largely on the influence of her overseas dominions, and these alone would be the straining influence in its effect on imperial relations, because the Dominions were either exclusionists, like the Commonwealth, or restrictionists like the Dominion of Canada, and would not allow any large influx of Japanese coolies. However, from the reason above explained he believed the flow of Japanese immigrants would be directed to their own colonies rather than to the British Dominions.

Mr. Yamaza, who was accompanied by Mrs. Yamaza, has greatly enjoyed his first trip across Canada, and the magnificent mountain scenery. The visitor was associated with several embassies before being recalled from abroad in 1901, to become director of the political bureau, in which he said he had the practical selection of the men who handle the diplomatic service of Japan, apart from the ambassadorial and higher posts, which are nominated. With the rank and file of this great profession he enjoyed a large influence and he was satisfied his judgment of men had not been often misplaced. He has spent all his life in diplomacy since he graduated in law at the Imperial University, Tokio, in 1892.

was shortly to be torn down. Our first arrangement was for a three weeks' run, but the play went so successfully with crowded houses every night that my manager succeeded in extending the arrangement, and Mr. Terry managed to postpone the destruction of the theatre for a month longer, making our London engagement seven weeks in length. So we really closed the old Terry theatre, although I was robbed of my summer vacation by doing this. The only real rest I had during the whole of last summer was during the voyage over and the return trip, as immediately on our arrival in New York, just as we were keenly looking forward to a few weeks' rest, we were greeted with the news that we had to play the following night at such and such a town, and from there had to go to Philadelphia and other places, and we have been going steadily ever since," concluded this active woman.

Miss Robson's life has been practically spent on the stage. She was before the footlights before she was married, and has been there ever since. Her managers evidently think highly of her ability, and recognize the amiability of her disposition, as for eighteen out of the twenty-eight years she has been on the stage she was with the Frohmans. For two years she was with Klaw and Erlanger, and for the last seven years has been with L. S. Sire. "I have a ten years' contract with Mr. Sire," she said, "and as I have just concluded seven of these I have still three to run. As a company we are very much like a big family. There are eighteen of us altogether, and all of the 'children' call me 'Mother.' This was proved a moment after when one of the company entered the room greeting her by this title as they advanced to the sunny window where she sat. One of the boys who was playing last evening, Jack Storey, has been in her company for six years, while other members have been with her for four and five years. The company is making within a few days its first journey through the Canadian Rockies, and all are quite excited at the prospect of seeing what has been reported by one fortunate member of the company who has been through this magnificent part of the country to be the most wonderful stretch of scenery which it will ever be their good fortune to view. "If we get as good a welcome in Calgary and Winnipeg as we had with 'Aunt Mary,'" said Miss Robson, "I should like nothing better than to take it to England. Canada is a fair test of what is popular in the Old Country."

Miss Robson, last night in the part of "Grannum," with her love of escapades and finery, wore some very handsome jewels. One of them, a pendant of Venetian setting, was given to her by Lord Yarmouth, who, as is well known, has big ambitions to become a successful actor. "He may not know it," said Miss Robson, "but his title is one of the biggest factors in holding him back; everyone has a tendency to think that he is working on his title, when, as a matter of fact, he has real talent and would get along well with some ordinary name."

The company left by the early boat this morning for Vancouver, where they will be stationed for four nights, proceeding thence through the Canadian Rockies to Calgary and eastern Canada.

Lawn mowers, new, cheap and good. James Waites, 644 Fort street. Phone 448.

**DOGGIE COULD NOT
STAY AT EMPRESS**

**SO MISS MAY ROBSON
REGISTERED ELSEWHERE**

Clever Actress in a "Grannum" in Real Life—Talks About Her Career

The unexpected often—not always happens, and that Miss May Robson should have been found yesterday registered at the Westholme instead of the Empress hotel was entirely due to the presence in her troupe of a little St. Charles spaniel. Miss Robson marched up to the desk in the Empress yesterday quite unconscious that her little pet was to be the cause of an inglorious retreat. However, when discovered at the Westholme, doggie was found in full possession of the sunniest spot on the floor—and his mistress was quite happy in his presence and the fact that she had just concluded a very successful shopping expedition in Chinatown.

Miss May Robson is "in plain life just ordinary Mrs. Brown—Mrs. A. H. Brown," so she informed a Times representative yesterday. She does not mind telling that she has a son who is twenty-nine years of age, and a most lovable grandchild of three summers which makes the name "Grannum" sound quite familiar in her ears when she goes on the stage in that delectable role in "A Night Out." Everything that her family does is of enormous interest to her, and it was rather difficult to induce the popular star of last night's performance to talk very much about herself. Early in the interview it was noticed that she wore her finger bandaged. "That was broken when I fell down stairs just three weeks ago," she said. "It was at Medford, Oregon, and one of the boys had left a pair of braces on the stairs which tripped me up. I had my shoulder dislocated and a small bone broken in it—as well as my finger. Naturally I was afraid that I wouldn't be able to play for some time and sent forward cancellations of all my forthcoming engagements in the cities in which I was supposed to be playing for the next two weeks. In a week, however, I had taken up the engagements just as arranged, although even now my shoulder is in plaster of paris, and very stiff and awkward." Seeing the energetic manner in which Miss Robson carried out her part as principal farceur last evening, it is hard to believe that she was handicapped by any such painful malady as a strained shoulder and a finger in splints.

Those who have seen the play quite evidently appreciated its cleverness as a mirth-producer, and the fact that to Miss Robson must be credited the fact of both having conceived the character in the written play and having created it on the boards, entitles her to a leading place among the comedienne of the present generation. "The Revivification of Aunt Mary" is another play which owes much to Miss May Robson—"Aunt Mary" in fact having become inseparable in thought from the clever actress who impersonated her. This was a role which she played four thousand times—a little life one in itself! "We took 'Aunt Mary' to England," she explained yesterday. "I nearly always go over there to spend my summer holidays, as I have a sister, a brother (who is a dean of the Church of England), and two nieces there. Last year when I went over my manager asked me 'if I would play there in the part of 'Aunt Mary'; I thought it over first, it had been such a success all through Canada that I finally concluded I would rather like to try it, so on the strict understanding that the whole company was to accompany me, I agreed. We landed in England, the entire company just as we had it all through America and Canada—except the cat. Cats don't like water, and so we had to leave pussy behind and get another. The play opened at Terry's theatre, which

Municipal Notice

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria hereby determines that it is desirable:

1. To extend Chapman Street from Linden Avenue easterly to Howe Street, making the extension of Chapman Street a uniform width from Linden Avenue to Howe Street of 66 feet, and to expropriate sufficient land off the north part of Lot 29, and the southern portion of Lot 20, of Block 37, Fairfield Estate, for this purpose;
2. To extend Vancouver Street northerly from Pandora Avenue to Pembroke Street, and to expropriate a strip of land 66 feet in width for this purpose.

And that all of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement General By-Law, and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council, in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of this by-law, upon each and every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by the said work, and the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor as aforesaid having been adopted by the Council:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the said reports are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas street, and that unless a petition against any proposed work of local improvement above mentioned, signed by a majority of the owners of the land or real property to be assessed for such improvement, and representing at least one-half of the value of the said land or real property, is presented to the Council within fifteen days from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Council will proceed with the proposed improvement upon such terms and conditions as to the payment of the cost of such improvement as the Council may by by-law in that behalf regulate and determine.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office, May 7th, 1912.

To House Movers

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Friday, the 10th of May, for the purchase and removal of a brick house at the junction of Fort street and Oak Bay Ave. All building material to be removed from the premises within 3 weeks from the time the tender is accepted. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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Wellington Street, Fairfield Estate, 50 x 145. One-third cash. Price \$1,850

Tillicum Road, close to Gorge Road and B. C. Electric Park. Lots averaging 50 x 160. One-third cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Price, each\$1,500

Near Willows, Thistle street, 55 x 110. \$550 cash, bal. 6, 12 and 18 months. Price\$1,150

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Many Reports Received at Eighth Annual Gathering of Churchwomen Yesterday

As a result of a debate held yesterday afternoon at the eighth annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to Missions of Columbia Diocese...

QUESTION OF WATER SUPPLY AT NANAIMO

Petition Presented to City Council Requesting Improved Service

Nanaimo, May 8.—At the weekly meeting of the city council a petition was received from residents of the south end of Nicol street...

ACCIDENTAL DEATH

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Nanaimo, May 8.—Coroner Drysdale inquired yesterday into the cause which led to the death of Herbert J. Wright...

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The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined: 1. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Verne Terrace...

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Notice is hereby given that under an order granted by the Honorable the Chief Justice, dated the 25th day of April, 1912, I, the undersigned, was appointed administrator of the estate of the above deceased.

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MARKET IMPROVES NEAR THE CLOSE

Efforts to Force Further Liquidation of Long Stock Fail

New York, May 8.—Further bear operations were witnessed in the New York stock market to-day, although such were not on so large a scale as yesterday. In the earlier trading leaders and room traders were foremost as sellers, and as the market weakened the bear crowd became more aggressive. There was an effort to force further liquidation of long stocks, but the attempt failed, meeting with little success any time, for on the weak periods buying was of a better order than selling. Despite the pressure on steel, common prices were marked only fractionally lower and even then regained normal levels. The same was true of Amalgamated Copper. Taken throughout, the general tone of the market at the close was an improvement on the opening. Sentiment is mixed, in view of the many happenings in both the political and labor world. For this reason the tendency is to tread cautiously until such time as future progress can be gauged.

NEW YORK MONEY

New York, May 8.—Money on call steady, 2 1/2 per cent; ruling rate, 2 1/2 per cent; closing bid, 2 1/2 per cent; offered at 2 1/2 per cent. Time loans steady; 60 days, 3 1/2 per cent; 90 days, 3 1/2 per cent; 3 months, 3 1/2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4 1/2 per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.82 1/2 for 60 days, and at \$4.82 1/2 for 90 days. Commercial bills, \$4.82 1/2. Mexican dollars, 48c. Bonds—Governments steady; railroads irregular.

SUGAR MARKET

New York, May 8.—Raw sugar steady; Muscovado, 20 test, \$11.00; refined sugar, 100 test, \$12.25.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
New York, May 8.
Open High Low Close
Jan. 11.61 11.72 11.57 11.66-67
Feb. 11.60 11.70 11.55 11.64-65
March 11.59 11.70 11.55 11.64-65
May 11.58 11.68 11.53 11.64-65
June 11.55 11.64 11.53 11.64-65
July 11.49 11.53 11.49 11.64-65
Aug. 11.48 11.52 11.48 11.64-65
Sept. 11.48 11.48 11.48 11.64-65
Oct. 11.56 11.68 11.59 11.61-62
Dec. 11.54 11.77 11.69 11.70-71

TORONTO STOCKS

Toronto, May 8.
Bid Asked
B. C. Packers "A" 191 191
Do. "B" 184 184
Do. "C" 184 184
Canada Cement 231 231
Do. pref. 89 89
Can. Gen. Electric 107 107
Consumers Gas 101 101
Dom. Iron pref. 69 69
Dom. Steel Works 101 101
Dom. Telegraph 101 101
Mole Leaf 62 62
Do. pref. 101 101
Mex. L. & P. 80 80
Permas 80 80
Puerto Rico Railway 73 73
S. L. & C. Nav. Co. 101 101
Sao Paulo Tram. 210 210
Shredded Wheat 73 73
Toronto Railway 181 181
Whitcomb Railway 212 212

LONDON COPPER

London May 8.—Copper close: Spot, 68 1/2; 3 months, 68 1/2; 6 months, 68 1/2; 9 months, 68 1/2; 12 months, 68 1/2.

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE

Table with columns: Bid, Asked. Includes items like American Canadian Oil, Canadian Northwest Oil, Can. Pac. Oil of B. C., etc.

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS

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BANK CLEARINGS

The Victoria bank clearings for the week ending May 7 totalled \$2,558,623.

BANK STOCKS

As quoted on the Toronto Stock Exchange:
Commerce 227
Imperial 225
Molson 207
Nova Scotia 203
Royal 213
Toronto 210
Union 162
Metropolitan 190
Dominion 190
Montreal 184
Ottawa 211
Standard 233
Traders 190
Hamilton 201

CHICAGO CATTLE MARKET

Chicago, May 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 11,600; market 1/2 to 1/4c. lower; beef steers, \$5.90-\$7.25; western steers, \$5.60-\$7.00; stockers and feeders, \$4.10-\$6.00; cows and heifers, \$2.75-\$4.00; calves, \$6.00.

GRAIN MARKETS

Peoria, May 8.—Cash wheat unchanged, corn and oats 1/4 to 1/2 higher.
Omaha, May 8.—Cash wheat unchanged, corn unchanged to 1/4 lower.
Kansas City, May 8.—Cash wheat 1 cent lower, corn 1/2 to 1 higher.

WHEAT RECEIPTS

Wheat receipts in carloads follow:
To-day Year
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WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET

Winnipeg, May 8.—Wheat—May, old, 104 1/2; May, new, 104 1/2; July, 102 1/2; Oct., close, 101 1/2.

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WHEAT WEAK AT OPENING OF MARKET

Lower Prices Result of Report on Crop Conditions—Slight Advance at Close

Chicago, May 8.—The effect of the official government figures on the crop condition announced yesterday was bearish and prices opened weaker in wheat. Opinions sold off generally two cents or more each. From the low points there were reactions of one cent, around which levels the market closed. There was no news of importance, and it was not easy to gauge the trend of sentiment. J. J. Hill was out with a bearish statement on the outlook, saying that conditions are ideal and the winter wheat acreage large in the Northwest. Cash markets ruled quiet, and in numerous instances were unchanged.

FINANCIAL NOTES

The Copper Producers' report shows that stocks have increased 2,000,000 tons. The regular dividend has been declared on North American.

COFFEE PRICES HIGH

But the Outlook is They Will Go Higher.
Although coffee now commands the highest price in years, a further advance is imminent, according to local roasters, who declare that matters have come to such a pass that they are not getting back a new dollar for an old one at the present selling price.

PRIMARY MOVEMENTS

Receipts:
Wheat 35,000 48,000
Corn 80,000 152,000
Oats 100,000 198,000

SHIPMENTS

Wheat 22,000 45,000
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KING GEORGE TERRACE, 60x300. \$15,000
STORE STREET, between Herald and Flanagan, 36x50. \$15,000
HILLSIDE, lot 15, block 2, 54x116, with 6-room house, No. 1035. \$6300
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SHAWNIGAN LAKE—6 room house, fronting on Lake, near Koenig's, \$1,000; with furniture, all new last summer, \$1,100; 12 months, balance 1 and 2 years. Shaw & Ophiant, 1238 Government St. Tel. 2315. m10
SHAWNIGAN LAKE—5 acres, 300 ft. waterfront, \$4,500. Terms, \$1,000 cash, Ophiant, 1238 Government street. Tel. 2315. m10
PRIOR—Between King's and Bay, good level lot, \$1,650; 1-3 terms. Hodgson & Powell. m9
BURNSIDE ROAD—Lot 3, Block 2, Garden City, fine lot; \$200 cash, balance \$50 quarterly. Buy before the trains commence to run. Hodgson & Powell, 233 Pemberton. m9
FIFTH STREET—Close Hillside, two fine lots, 50x125, only \$1,000 each, terms 1/3 cash, 2/3 12 months. W. Dunford & Son, 233 Pemberton Block. m10
4 ACRES, with 5 roomed new house, close to new Burnside car. \$3,000. Sturges & Co., 318 Pemberton Block. m8
WILL TRADE good lot, Victoria, for good team. Address J. S. Box 461 Times. m14
SUB-DIVISION—We have a sub-division of six lots in Oak Bay. These lots are all 60x120 feet in size and are only one block from the hotel and beach. Prices range from \$2,000 to \$3,000 each. If you want one of the best lots in Oak Bay lose no time in looking them up. Terms, 1 cash, 12 1/2 months. W. Dunford & Son, 233 Pemberton Block. m10
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NOMINATIONS FOR QUEBEC ELECTIONS

Montreal, May 8.—Nomination day on the island of Montreal was quiet. The nominations announced up to this hour include:
St. Lawrence—L. H. Boyd, Con.; Dr. J. F. Finnie, Lib.
St. George—C. E. Gault, Con.; A. F. Leggat, Lib.
St. Anne—D. Tansey, Con.; M. J. Walsh, Lib.
Westmont—L. Col. Smart, Con.; Wm. Rutherford, Lib.
St. Mary—J. P. Boileau, Con.; N. Seguin, Lib.
St. Louis—C. Bruchet, Con.; C. Langlois, Lib.; M. Sperber, Ind. Lib.
Mendocia—Langlois, Ind. Lib.
Hochelaga—Dr. Garceau, Con.; L. Letourneau, Lib.
In the rest of the province things are exceedingly quiet.

CHICAGO STRIKE

Chicago, May 8.—There was less disorder to-day than at any time since the beginning of the newspaper strike. Several small disturbances were reported and few arrests were made, but there was a marked improvement in conditions, both in the maintenance of order and the distribution of papers. All the afternoon papers published full-sized editions and they were sold in both the downtown and outlying districts under police protection. J. F. Lynch, international president of the Typographical Union, has called a meeting of the local organizations for this afternoon to consider the strike situation and to decide what action the printers will take.

REAL ESTATE

3-ROOM COTTAGE, cement foundation, lot 60x112, Bush St., near Hillside, price \$2100. Terms, \$300 cash, balance \$20 monthly. Brock Bros., Langley and Brighton Sts. m8
OAK BAY, 7-room, 2-story house, cement cellar, stone foundation, piped for furnace, will be completed June 15, m8. This property is well situated on Island Road and is a bargain at \$6000. Black & Young, 412 Pemberton Bk. m8
OAK BAY—Two lots, Clive Drive, splendid view, 50x100, \$1200 each, 1-3 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18. Black & Young, 412 Pemberton Bk. m8
JAMES BAY—Having view of water, 4 room, 2-story house, stone foundation, fireplace, built in pantries and buffet. Price \$2500. Black & Young, 412 Pemberton Bk. m8
GORGE VIEW PARK—New 4-room house on lot 5x148, price only \$2500. Black & Young, 412 Pemberton Bk. m8
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LOGGING PROPOSITION—Want logger with two-donkey equipment to log timber at Point Roberts. J. J. Baird, 125 Douglas street. m11
YOUNG MAN for leaded art glass business. Apply Prout Bros., 721 View St. m11
TO LET—Two front housekeeping rooms for light housekeeping, no children. 2500 Chaucer street, Oak Bay. m11
SPIRITUAL CIRCLES, SPIRITUAL CIRCLES—J. W. Brown holds circles for the highest spiritual development, Mondays and Thursdays, 7:45 p. m. 548 John street. m14
WANTED—Shoe repairer. Apply Electrical Shoe Shop, Fort street. m10
YOUNG WOMAN wanting house work \$2.50 per day. Apply 524 Kingston St. m10
LOST—In the Willow bar or near Oak Bay Junction, circular cloth worked red berries. Reward. Leave at Times Office. m10
WANTED—Experienced laundry help, all departments. New Method Laundry, 114, 105-17 North Park street. m15
WANTED—At "The Modern," 210 Government, one busman (some pressing); also one presser on men's garments. Good wages and steady job. First-class men. m10
WANTED—The address of the owner of a well bred wire-haired fox terrier dog, for breeding purposes. Walter H. Evans, 2041 Inlet, B. C. m10
LOST—Amethyst earring, from Post Office to Douglas, via Fort street. Return to Times Office. Reward. m10
WANTED—Boy to learn drug business. Ivel's Pharmacy. m10
CEMENT WORK of all kinds done by contract; sidewalks a specialty. W. Whitnour, 266 Blackwood street. m9
BOARD-RESIDENCE—Double and single rooms; terms moderate. 1028 Pandora. m10
FOR RENT—Furnished bungalow, nice garden, stable, etc. Box 88, Times. m14
LOST—Silver medal, name engraved. 275 Scott street. m10
TWO OR MORE LOTS WANTED, must be 50 ft. frontage, near the Jubilee Hospital; terms about half cash. P. O. Box 124. m10
WANTED—Bell boy, experience unnecessary. Apply Prince George Hotel. m10
FOR RENT—Comfortable, furnished rooms for gentlemen, no other rooms. 709 Discovery street. m10
WANTED—Boy, to drive and make him useful in grocery store. Apply 462 Times. m10
WANTED—Geocor's assistant; must be experienced. Give references and experience to Box 558, Times Office. m10
WANTED—Cheap lot in Fairfield district that \$200 will handle at first payment. State lowest price and terms to Box 553, Times Office. m8
STOLEN—Last night, from small boat lying at Porter's wharf, new herring gull, reward of \$50 will be paid for recovery of same. I. Montebello, Marcus Carampana. m10
FOUND—A lady's satchel. Owner on proving can have same. Apply Box 58, this office. m10
SHINGLE CONTRACTORS WANTED—Steady work for reliable gang. Apply Box 557, Times. m10
EGGS FOR HATCHING from imported stock of thoroughbred White Leghorns, trap-nested for heavy laying; also White Wyandottes, Black Minorcas and Barred Plymouth Rocks, \$1 per setting, 50 per 100. Apply to E. Waterhouse, care of Marine Iron Works, Pembroke street. Phone F2909. m8
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TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh-Brooklyn game postponed; rain.
AMERICAN LEAGUE.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia-Cleveland game postponed; rain.
At Boston—Boston-Detroit game postponed; wet grounds.
At New York—St. Louis-New York game postponed; wet grounds.
At Washington—R. H. E. Washington..... 6 12 1
Chicago..... 7 12 3
Batteries—Johnson, Baker and Almsmith; Benz, Walsh and Block.
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
At Milwaukee—Milwaukee, 0; Indianapolis, 1.
At St. Paul—St. Paul, 6; Columbus, 10.
At Kansas City—Kansas City, 6; Louisville, 5.
At Minneapolis—Minneapolis, 3; Toledo, 5.

WILL DRIVE OUT MEMBERS OF I.W.W.

Police, Marines and Sailors Take Part in Campaign at San Diego
San Diego, Cal., May 8.—The vigorous campaign by the police and citizens to-day against the I. W. W. brought about by the wounding of two policemen and the shooting of one of the agitators last night, resulted in the discovery of a cache containing eight rifles and revolvers and two flasks supposed to contain nitro-glycerine, and the subsequent arrest of fifty men.
Joe Mikolash, the wounded Industrial Worker, will die, according to reports at the emergency hospital early to-day. He was shot three times by one of the policemen after the attack on the officers.
Every available policeman was called to headquarters early to-day and a thorough search of the city began. Twenty-five men were arrested before 7 o'clock. Two hours later the number of arrested men was fifty and the search still was going on. Every rendezvous of the invaders, including saloons and lodging houses in the lower part of the city, have been searched. At one saloon ten men were taken. The lodging houses in the neighborhood where the shooting occurred and in another section of the city which was known as a favorite resort of the men, were empty when the police arrived.
After the shooting last night fifty men were found in the rooms of a lodging house near the place where it occurred. The supposed explosive was unearthed in the cellar of a lodging house on the outskirts of the downtown district. One of the rifles found in the place was a Maxim silencer.
Scores of special police, United States sailors and marines are aiding in the search, and it is believed to be the intention of the police to take all the men seized to the outskirts of the town and send them across the desert with a final warning never to return.
A writ of habeas corpus issued at the residence of Judge Guy of the Superior Court, last night at the request of an attorney for the I. W. W., directing the chief of police to produce in court members of the organization arrested at Old Town and taken out of the city last night after the shooting by the committee, was still unavailing this morning.
Patrolman H. C. Stevens and R. M. Halden, who were shot from ambush while on duty last night near the lodging house at Thirteenth and "C" streets, are believed this morning to be out of danger and will recover unless complications set in. According to their statements to-day about six men stepped from the shadow of the building and fired simultaneously. Both fell at the first fire and in spite of their wounds, managed to draw their revolvers and return the fire.
Alleged Incendiarism.
Bellingham, Wash., May 8.—Three U. W. agitators are in jail to-day charged with the burning of the \$15,000 plant of the Clive Lumber Co. at the border town early to-day. The men were permitted to sleep in the mill overnight, and about 5 o'clock this morning the fire broke out. The dry kiln and sheds were saved, but the main part of the plant was totally destroyed.
Agitators are spread throughout the country seeking to bring about strikes in the logging camps and mills. Two men were arrested at Acme yesterday for threatening bodily harm to employees of the Bolson-Vanderhoef Co., at Acme, because they would not quit work. The men are now in the county jail here.

RESCUE WORK IN PROGRESS.

New Roads, La., May 8.—It is believed by those in charge of flood relief work that practically all the marooned inhabitants in the Pointe Coupe parish will have been rescued by the end of this week. Texas and Pacific railroad officials say their road has transported about 7,000 passengers from points along their line in the upper part of the parish. The Texas and Pacific station at New Roads is crowded with refugees waiting to be taken to the relief camp at Baton Rouge. Among them are four women who were rescued near Morganza. They stood in water several feet deep for nearly three days when boatmen reached them.
The waters from the Terras crevasse continue to spread over West Baton Rouge and Iberville parishes.
The situation in the country between the main line and the Port Allen branch of the Texas and Pacific railroad is gloomy. The main line of the road is washed out in numerous places and the inhabitants of the interior are cut off.

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LOCAL NEWS
Teaming.—G. F. Biswanger, dealer in coal and teaming. Phone F2993.
A Correction.—Through an inadvertence in yesterday's paper an acknowledgment of donations to the Old Men's Home during April was stated to be from the Friendly Help Society. The acknowledgment was made by those in charge of the home.

Y. M. C. A. Swimming Meeting.—An important meeting of the swimmers of the Y. M. C. A. is called for to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. The principal business is the arrangements for the swimming gala to be held this month. Other matters of interest will be brought up for discussion. All members are needed at this meeting.

Native Sons and Pioneers Gather.—The pioneers of Victoria gathered with the Native Sons, Post No. 1, after the regular meeting of the latter body last evening, to listen to Brother A. H. Maynard lecture on "Old Victoria." The large number of grey heads in the audience spoke of an attendance which included many of those who have done something to build up the city of to-day, and their keen interest was ample reward for Mr. Maynard's efforts in changing his plans, as he had intended to speak on the Cariboo. However, dealing with men and things of the last half century, and using a fine series of stereopticon views he was able to bring the past vividly before the gathering.

THIS MORNING'S SESSION.

Women's Auxiliary of Christ Church Resumes Meeting To-day.
There was a good attendance at the meeting of the Women's Auxiliary in Christ Church schoolroom this morning, and the various matters which came up for discussion were disposed of in a quick and business-like manner. Encouraging reports were submitted from the fourteen senior parochial branches of the society, and an interesting address was given by Miss Turner, who recommended the sending of all money to the general board, the pledge sheet of this body being a medium through which the society could see exactly what was being done with the various sums.

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MAY STREET, near Howe, 4x5 107 ft. 6 in.....\$1500
MAY STREET, near Linden, 5x5 133.....\$1750
MOSS STREET, near Dallas, 50x120.....\$1700
JOSEPH STREET, lot 40, block B, 50x120.....\$1200
OLIVE STREET, near May street, 50x120.....\$1200
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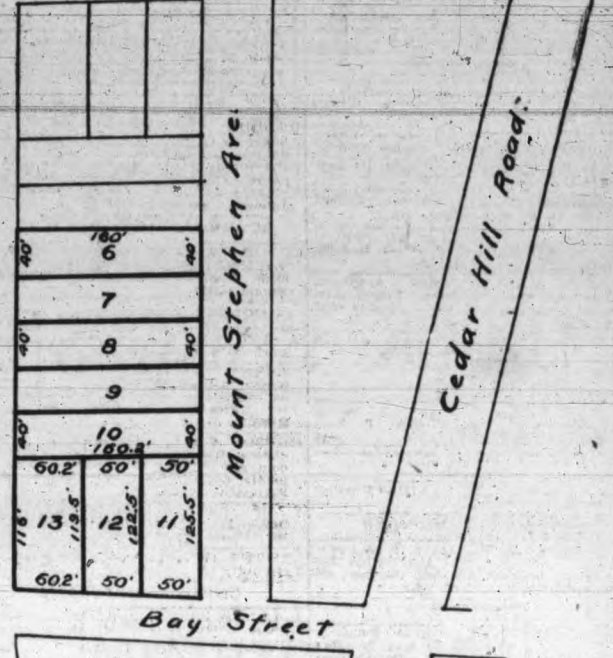
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, pursuant to the order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Clement, dated the 12th day of March, 1912, appointing a referee to ascertain the validity of the title of Daniel McCallum to all those pieces or parcels of lands and premises situate, lying and being in the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, and being composed of parts of Lots 54 and 55, in Block 7, as shown on a map or plan of the Hillside Extension of the Work Estate deposited in the Land Registry Office at the said City of Victoria, and there numbered 123, a statement of the said lands being described as follows: Commencing at the southeast corner of said Lot 54, being the southeast corner of King's road and Second street; thence in an easterly direction following the southerly limit of King's road a distance of 88 feet; thence in a southerly direction parallel to Second street a distance of 100 feet to the southerly boundary of said Lot 55; thence in a westerly direction following the southerly boundary of said Lot 55 a distance of 68 feet to the easterly limit of Second street; thence in a northerly direction following the easterly boundary of Second street a distance of 100 feet to the place of commencement, the said Referee requires any person having or pretending to have any title or interest in the above described lands and premises to file with the District Registrar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, at the said City of Victoria, a statement of such person's claim properly verified, pursuant to the "Quieting Titles Act" at or before 1 o'clock in the afternoon of the 16th day of June, 1912.
AND NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that an application has been made by the said Daniel McCallum to have his title to the said lands and premises ascertained and declared by the Supreme Court of British Columbia, and that in default of any such claim being made and as aforesaid, a declaration of title will be granted by the Supreme Court of British Columbia in favor of the said Daniel McCallum to be in full and complete title to the said lands and premises, and subject to the reservations mentioned in Section 23 of the said Act, but free from all other rights, interests, claims and demands whatsoever.
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GOOD ATTENDANCE IN THE SCHOOLS

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Departmental Work Discussed Yesterday at Conference of Victoria Association

Delegates attending the annual convention of the Victoria District International Sunday Schools Association, held yesterday afternoon and evening in the Metropolitan Methodist church, heard reports from the junior department, the secretary and statistician, the treasurer, the superintendent of cradle roll, superintendent of the home department, the teachers' training department, and the nominating committee. The reports were all held to be satisfactory. Other reports and business that will conclude the session will be taken up to-night. Miss H. G. Stewart will address the delegates on "The Value of a Sunday School Library and how to make it Popular." The ladies' quartette will render music, and a closing conference on "How to Stimulate Growth in the Junior and the Intermediate Grades," will be conducted by the secretary.

There are 5,199 scholars attending the Sunday schools, an increase of 843 over last year. The missions contributions amount to \$999.95. Total receipts were given at \$272.33, and disbursements \$248. The cradle roll was reported to number 676; and at the beginning and primary classes held yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Seales, with much success, there were twenty present. The junior department report gave the average attendance at the Tuesday evening meetings at 15. The nominating committee gave in the following report and recommendation: President, Dr. Russell; vice-president, J. E. Andrews; statistical secretary, J. W. H. King; executive secretary, E. E. Hardwicke; treasurer, Mr. Jamieson; visitor, J. Patrick. It was also recommended that all superintendents, ex-presidents and members of the Ministerial Association should be members of the main executive.

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