

ROUSING WELCOME TO HON. MR. TEMPLEMAN Was Guest of the Young Liberal Club Last Evening--A Big Rally of Militant Liberalism.

For he's a jolly good fellow, For he's a jolly good fellow, For he's a jolly good fellow, Which nobody can deny.

Perhaps never before has this town but always expressive complimentary chorus been rendered with more enthusiastic abandon as last evening when Hon. Mr. Templeman, Minister of Inland Revenue, rose to respond to the toast, "Our Guest," at a banquet tendered in his honor by the Young Liberal Club of Victoria. To say that he was greeted warmly is putting it mildly. Those present vied with each other in the apparent effort to demonstrate, individually and collectively, their friendly personal sentiments and their hearty welcome to him upon his return to his constituency after his first session at Ottawa as an active member of the administration with portfolio. After the accolades Hon. Mr. Templeman opened an address, which lasted over half an hour. He was listened to with marked attention, and his remarks were punctuated with frequent applause.

The banquet, for although it was termed an informal supper in the invitations issued, the elaborately prepared menu, the excellent service and other accessories easily placed it within that appellation, took place in the parlors of the Victoria hotel. Shortly after 9 o'clock the vice-president of the Young Liberal Club, Arthur Courtenay, accompanied by the guest of honor, Hon. William Templeman, took the chairs at the head of the festive board. Seated on either side of them were others, all prominent in the councils of the Liberal party of British Columbia, as follows: Senator Riley, Ralph Smith, M. P., R. G. McPherson, M. P., W. G. Cameron, M. P., R. L. Perry, M. P., P. J. D. McNiven, M. P., J. Chas. McIntosh, Arthur W. McCurdy, Octavius Field, R. Machin, C. P. Douglas, H. J. Scott, D. S. Spencer, A. Brakes, J. S. Murray, A. J. Thomas, John Hart, E. Kermod, T. W. Hawkins, Allan S. Ashwell, T. A. Grubb, W. J. Stephens, H. F. Hewitt, V. Robertson, E. Wm. Turpel, H. Alexander Munn, Wm. Christie, John Cochrane, Wm. McCarter, W. K. Houston, Chas. H. Lugin, Ernest Schaper, Capt. Cox, A. W. Curry.

THE CHAIRMAN.

The delicacies provided having been accorded full justice and it is only right that the management of the Victoria hotel should be complimented upon the able manner in which the arrangements were conducted and the toast of the King having been drunk, the chairman, Mr. Wm. Robertson, Minister of Inland Revenue, back to Victoria after his first term of service in that capacity at Ottawa. He remembered that at a banquet held shortly after the election of the "solid seven" in British Columbia during the recent federal election it was predicted that the time was not far distant when the province would have an active cabinet representative. That prophecy had been fulfilled by the appointment of the Hon. Mr. Templeman. (Applause.) He thought all would join with him in the expression of the opinion that the choice was a good one (hear, hear) as that gentleman had championed the cause of Liberalism when it was practically an unknown quantity in the West and when almost certain defeat stared him in the face. He had, however, adhered to the cause from the time when a solid Conservative representation was the rule until the situation was exactly reversed. (Applause.) He thought a word would unite heartily in wishing him "health, happiness and prosperity." (Sustained applause.)

HON. MR. TEMPLEMAN.

Hon. Mr. Templeman was greeted with a rousing and enthusiastic welcome. When the noise had subsided sufficiently for him to be heard he remarked that he found a happy mixture of the young and old Liberals of Victoria present to welcome him home as a full-blooded Liberal. That was the correct word he believed cabinet minister. (Applause.) It was encouraging to know that in his home city he bore the goodwill, friendship and esteem of all members of the party to which he was affiliated. To come back after six months' absence attending the first session of the government in his present office and find an increased number of friends was indeed a pleasure. (Applause.)

He had been called a pioneer Lib-

eral. While admitting its truth as far as the West was concerned he did not wish to take too much credit personally. (Hear, hear.) He then went into his early career as a newspaper man pointing out that it was in his direction of the policy of the Times in Victoria in early days that he had first taken up the cudgels of the Liberal party in British Columbia. He was a Liberal, and couldn't help it. (Hear, hear.) He was not a born politician, and was not sure that he liked it particularly, even now. (Laughter.) "Father of Liberalism" was a title sometimes conferred upon him. He disclaimed it. He was much too young for that. (Laughter.) As a pioneer of the cause in British Columbia, however, he had been appointed to the Senate, and later selected as the Province's Representative



HON. W. TEMPLEMAN

in the cabinet. He was proud that the Premier had honored him by choosing him for the station he now occupied. To the Young Liberals he again proffered his grateful thanks for the cordial reception prepared by them. (Applause.)

The future of Liberalism, not only in Victoria, but throughout the West, was the subject of much discussion. It might be that there was a future member sitting before him. The political scenes changed rapidly. Some of the members of the association that worked so energetically during the late election in particular might have political aspirations and realize them.

It had been his privilege to make a tour through Eastern Canada and to note the enormous strides being made by the country lying between Cape Breton and Quebec. Two of the most extreme easterly and westerly points of Canada. He had never been so proud of the Dominion (hear, hear) and had never had so much faith in the future as while viewing everywhere such remarkable signs of advancement. Nowhere was this more to be seen than what denoted prosperity. Green fields and crowded, booming cities met the gaze on all hands until it appeared to be "a good thing to be a citizen of Canada." It was "up to" the young men to take an interest in public affairs. Soon they would be the governors and they should be prepared to accept the responsibilities that would devolve upon them. (Applause.)

While away he had been pleased to hear so many

there was not a demand for labor, because there was such, not only in the West, but all through the East. But he didn't think Chinamen were sought. Rather it was

While Men That Were Wanted. (Applause.) "Why not look to the immigration bureau and ask for the importation of a few hundreds or thousands if necessary of the unemployed in the old country?" he suggested. It was his advice that if labor was wanted white labor should be obtained. The most desirable were those who would become citizens of Canada in the fullest sense of the term. (Hear, hear.) It was important that people should

IMPROVING THE SEWERAGE SYSTEM

ENGINEER REPORTS SATISFACTORY PROGRESS

Spring Ridge Malms Should Be Completed Within Few Months--Work in Other Districts.

In these days when the water problem occupies the premier place in the public mind, other local improvements almost as important, although perhaps not so pressing, are apt to be lost sight of. For instance, little has been heard recently of the work of completing the sewerage system of Victoria. And yet it is progressing towards a satisfactory conclusion consistently under the able supervision of Engineer Topp, and it will not be many months now before it is possible to make the announcement that the most remote residential districts of the city are provided with sewerage connection.

When it was undertaken to construct a new main through the Oak Bay and Spring Ridge sections to join the old one in the neighborhood of its outlet at Clover Point there was \$100,000 in hand to pay the expenses. It is announced that when completed there will remain \$30,000 of that amount to be distributed in improvements to the systems in the various districts. And the main is now practically finished. As far as the principal pipe, that is the sewer proper, is concerned, it is complete. Men are employed now laying various lateral pipes through Spring Ridge so that the residents of that locality may have the benefit of the extensions. Recently some difficulties were met with by the owners of private property. Engineer Topp explains that he was anxious to leave the route first proposed in order to avoid some rocky ground, and to do so he had to excavate the existing mainings. The owner of the latter at first protested, but it is understood to be willing to give permission, so that no further delay is anticipated. Within a few months, therefore, the whole of Spring Ridge and Oak Bay sections, which heretofore have been without sewerage, will have that convenience.

James Bay and in Victoria West. The work will extend, he expects, throughout the winter months. When all the plans are carried out he is of the opinion that Victoria will have a system satisfactory in every respect.

THE NAVY LEAGUE

Monthly Meeting of Local Branch--Trafalgar Day Celebration.

The monthly meeting of the committee of the Victoria-Esquimalt branch of the Navy League was held at the secretary's office yesterday afternoon when, in the absence from the city of the president, Vice-President Redfern presided, others present being W. E. Laird, Joseph Peterson, Capt. J. E. Walbran and A. B. Fraser. After the reading of minutes and other routine matters, the question of forming a central organization for Canada was discussed and left in abeyance pending communications on the subject from the head office in London. It was decided to again participate in the decoration of Nelson column, London, by having a floral design contributed thereto. The matter of subscriptions in arrears and for the current year was referred to, and the secretary was requested to take steps to secure funds. Arrangements will likely be made for a celebration of Trafalgar Day (21st October) in this city. The commemoration of such events is considered of great importance as stimulating a loyal and patriotic spirit.

ADMIRALTY CASE

Application to Release Ship Lisbeth Dismissed as Marshal's Fees Not Paid.

This morning in Chambers an application was made before the local judge in admiralty, Mr. Justice Martin, in the case of Arnold vs. ship Lisbeth. This was made by H. D. Twigg, who asked that the German ship be dismissed from the custody of the marshal in admiralty. It will be remembered that a few days ago an application was made in admiralty, resulting in His Lordship dismissing the action as the amount claimed was below that which he recovered in the court. The marshal, H. Siddall, however, remained in possession of the ship, his fees not being paid.

When Mr. Twigg made application today for the release of the ship W. H. Langley opposed, the application stating that the marshal's fees had not been paid. On that ground His Lordship dismissed the application.

Bombay claims the greatest density of population in the world, and its claim is only disputed by Agra, also in India. Bombay has 160 persons per acre in certain areas.

PLOT AGAINST LIFE OF KAISER

THREE MEN CAPTURED AFTER DESPERATE STRUGGLE

They Had Planned to Throw Bomb at Emperor When on Way to Review.

(Associated Press.)

New York, Sept. 12.—A Berlin cable to the Sun says:

"According to the Tageblatt, the Kaiser was just saved from being the victim of an anarchist by the timely arrest at Breslau of three foreigners, who had been committed by the international terrorist organization to assassinate His Majesty during the military review he is now attending in Silesia.

"The prisoners include an Italian of the name of Macelli, an Austrian known as Friedland and a Pole named Lemberger.

"Macelli was expelled from Italy two years ago. Since then he has associated with Russian terrorists in Genoa. He shared in the recent outrages in Poland. The three arrived at Breslau at different times. They were watched by detectives for several days, including the eve of the manoeuvres when the most elaborate precautions were taken to protect the Kaiser. It is not explained why they were not arrested then as they are alleged to be known as more dangerous than others who are reported to have been arrested of expelled from the country.

"A dozen police entered a house, which was their rendezvous, to-day. They had a hard fight to capture the desperadoes, who savagely resisted with knives and daggers, but after a long tussle in which the furniture of the room was wrecked, the police secured and handcuffed them.

"It is stated that papers found in the house established the fact that the three men were constantly communicating with the terrorist group, for whom they were acting as agents.

"Papers indicate that their intention was to throw a bomb at the Emperor while he was riding in an automobile to certain points of the manoeuvres."

CUBAN TROOPS DEFEAT REBELS

NINETY MEN KILLED AND SEVENTY WOUNDED

Force Commanded by Col. Avalos Drove Insurgents From Town After Sharp Fighting.

(Associated Press.)

Havana, Sept. 12.—Colonel Avalos's report of the capture of Copacabana del Sur on September 9th, which was expected in conjunction with a movement of armored trains, was received last night by the commander of the rural guards.

Col. Avalos, with 450 cavalry and infantry, approached the town at 8 o'clock on Sunday morning.

The cavalry advanced first. The infantry entered the town from both sides, and steadily drove back the insurgents, whose force was estimated at 1,500.

The insurgents were entrenched in the quarters of the rural guards and occupied positions in the church and city hall, and behind pillars and porches. The insurgents were slowly dislodged.

Col. Avalos says that the triumph of the government forces was due partly to the disorganized conditions of the insurgents.

Seventy wounded and ninety bodies were found after the fight.

Two lieutenants and four guards were wounded.

The government forces captured 150 horses and many accoutrements.

STATE AND CHURCH

Animated Discussion at Meeting of the French Cabinet.

(Associated Press.)

Paris, Sept. 12.—There was an animated discussion in the course of the cabinet meeting held to-day relative to the application of the separation law. The point was that the ministers decided to enforce the enactment in its entirety with firmness, but at the time to pay the greatest degree of respect possible to the conscience of the people. Mr. Briquet will be closed before December, 1907. The government can issue a decree of closing only in cases where worship has not been exercised during a twelve month period preceding the enactment or where no worship association has been formed.

It was the general sentiment of the members of the cabinet that a great change in public feeling would occur before such actions became necessary. They believe opposition will subside thus obviating the danger of a religious conflict.

RAILROAD RATE LOW

Companies Expected to Assist in Carrying New Regulations Into Effect.

(Associated Press.)

Washington, D. C., Sept. 12.—Discussing the probable method of proceeding under the new railroad rate law Interstate Commerce Commissioner Cockrell said to-day that the first effort of the commission would be to secure the adoption by the various railroads of a uniform system of conducting their business.

"We are now giving most of our attention," he said, "to securing the adoption of a general system, believing that by pursuing this course we will lighten for the roads materially to aid us in carrying the law into effect."

He then outlined the plan of the commission to secure: First, a uniform system of accounting by the railroads; second, a uniform system of classification of freight throughout the United States; third, a uniform schedule of rates, fares and charges; fourth, the performance by the roads of the entire transportation service from the place where freight is received to the point of destination.

GEORGIAN BAY CANAL ROUTE

HYDRO-ELECTRIC POWER MAY BE OBTAINED

Would Assist in Developing Iron Deposits in Vicinity--Bye-Elections in Ontario.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Sept. 12.—When the chief engineer of the Georgian Bay Canal surveys reports to parliament next session he will show that there can be hydro-electric development to the extent of 1,250,000 horsepower along the route. As electric smelting has been a success this will afford an opportunity of developing the mineral wealth along the canal route, there being great iron deposits contiguous to the canal. This will be an additional incentive for the carrying on of the work as a national undertaking. It will cost about \$100,000,000.

The Bye-Elections.

The bye-elections for North Renfrew and East Elgin will take place on Oct. 4th. It is said that neither party is ready in North Bruce. The writs for Quebec constituencies will not be issued for some days, and the position of affairs is such that there can be no contest in Shelburne and Queens, N. S., until the Supreme Court has disposed of the appeal to it.

Will Receive Deputation.

The Postmaster-General will receive a delegation from the rural postmasters of the Dominion early in October. The question of increased salaries and other matters will be discussed.

MAY TRANSFER HOLDINGS

Report That Anglo-Belgian Rubber Trust Will Withdraw From the Congo.

(Associated Press.)

Brussels, Sept. 12.—It is stated on good authority that the Anglo-Belgian rubber trust has decided to discontinue the exploration of its concessions on the Congo, and it is believed that J. Pierpont Morgan is disposed to form a syndicate to take them on. Negotiations are alleged to be going on.

This explains the recent interview between Mr. Morgan and King Leopold at Dover, the King being one of the principal shareholders of the Anglo-Belgian company.

POPULAR EXCURSION

Manny are Taking Advantage of Trips on Frisco Steamers Around Puget Sound.

A Heathorn, representing the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, in the city a guest at the King Edward. He is very enthusiastic over the success attending the excursions which his company run from here around the Sound and Vancouver and return.

Over sixty have taken advantage of it from this city this summer and all he says are loud in their praise of it. Leaving here, Port Townsend, Seattle, Tacoma, Anacortes, Bellingham and Vancouver are all visited. The trip extends over a week's time and those taking advantage of it are furnished with meals on board the steamer during the stay in the various ports. The stop overs at the ports visited affords the opportunity to take in all the points of interest about the city.

The excursions extend the year round and at any season it is an enjoyable and profitable trip. The fare is \$10.00 for a week's run, including accommodations for the excursionists and at the rate charged it is as cheap to spend a week on the water and in the Sound as to stay at home.

Mr. Heathorn says the new vessel built on the Atlantic Coast for the company is now nearing completion and will come out to the Pacific.

The northern trade he says has been good this year and there have been large shipments of freight sent over the line.

The highest scientific station in the world stands on the summit of Mount Misti, an extinct volcano in Southern Peru. The altitude of this station is 19,300 feet above sea level.

CRIME RAMPANT IN WESTERN SIBERIA

MURDERS AND ROBBERIES FREQUENT OCCURRENCES

Peasantry Being Inflamed to Lawlessness by Agitators--Corrupt Tyrants Hold Full Sway.

(Associated Press.)

Krasnoyarsk, Western Siberia, Sept. 12.—Conditions here are becoming unbearable. There is terrible corruption and depravity among those in authority who are clearly amenable to good or bad influences, but all the advice which they get now is in the direction of lawlessness and crime.

"Murders and robberies in the country and in the cities occur daily, almost hourly. The streets in Krasnoyarsk are unsafe after dark. Meetings are held daily in the woods surrounding the city.

The principal agitators are Jews, but they are too clever to be caught. The railroad employees are revolutionary to a man, but remembering the awful repression of Czar Nicholas, they last fall with a ruthlessness that is almost incredible, they are afraid of the initiative.

In Siberia the agrarian question is not pressing as there is no such land hunger as in the West. Properly, the peasantry of Siberia is the office of the government men in every station from lowest to highest are corrupt and dishonest tyrants to their subordinates and the people generally.

The peasants are not against the Emperor; they are a distinction between the Emperor and the street agent. The former they consider their saviour, the latter their curse. The dissolution of the Duma through the reports dinned into the peasantry by clergy and police which made it appear that the assembly refused to cooperate with the Emperor, created little sorrow among the Mujiks.

Situation at Siedle.

Siedle, Sept. 12.—This town is comparatively quiet to-day. People are beginning to move about on the streets and the shops are opening again, although occasional shots lead to temporary renewals of the alarm.

Some revolver shots fired from a garret this morning drew a volley from troops below, but no casualties resulted.

Some three hundred wounded persons have been cared for at the hospitals or attended by ambulance surgeons.

TO REGULATE STEEL TUBE BUSINESS

ENGLISH AND SCOTCH MANUFACTURERS COMBINE

Nearly All Firms in the United Kingdom Will Be Included--Increase in Prices Expected.

(Associated Press.)

Glasgow, Sept. 12.—It is announced that a combination of Scotch and English steel tube manufacturers to regulate the home and export business has been formed with a view abolishing the present keen competition. The industry has suffered incalculably since the previous agreement between the firms in this line was cancelled 15 months ago.

It is understood that the new combine is wider in its scope than the old concern. It is stated that the American producers are supporting the combine. It is expected that an advance in prices will soon be announced as it is believed that the agreement carries a permanency with it.

RAILWAY DEAL

Southern Company Has Purchased Virginia & Southwestern Road.

(Associated Press.)

New York, Sept. 12.—The Times to-day says: "The purchase of the Virginia & Southwestern railway by the Southern Railway Company, of which rumors have been current recently, was confirmed yesterday. From one of the shareholders in the Virginia & Southwestern it was learned that the Southern railway has acquired all the Virginia & Southwestern stock, and has therefor \$200 a share or a total of \$4,000,000."

EXPEDITIONS WILL START FOR THE NORTH AND SOUTH POLES

Brussels, Sept. 12.—At the session of the polar congress here to-day Dr. Jean Charcot, announced that he was organizing an expedition to go to the South Pole and Charles Bernard, president of the Belgian Oceanographic Society stated that society was organizing an expedition to the North Pole. The two expeditions will operate in concert.

HOW WOULD YOU LIKE To go through the whole winter without a cough or cold? Did you ever do it before? If not, take Campbell's ELIXIR OF GOD LIVER OIL And feel right all winter. An excellent general tonic, but particularly valuable in lung and throat affections. Campbell's Drug Store Corner Douglas and Fort Streets

BUY AN INSTANTANEOUS Water Heater FOR YOUR BATHROOM. The instant you light the gas you have scalding hot water (4 gallons per minute) running into the bath. No waiting for a warm bath. Think what a convenience this would be in your house. VICTORIA GAS CO., Ltd. Cor. Fort and Langley Sts.

Quaker Rolled Oats 25c. per Large Package Fry's English Cocoa 3 Packets for 25 Cents Windsor Grocery Company, Opposite Post Office, Government St.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT AND CUBAN REVOLT Keeps in Close Touch With Developments--No Further Application for Intervention. Washington, D. C., Sept. 11.—That the critical situation in Cuba is absorbing the attention of the administration to the exclusion of all other foreign topics, is indicated by the activities of the officials in the state, navy and war departments.

Mr. Morgan, the American minister, is understood to be hastening from Europe, where he has been on a vacation, to the Cuban capital, and Mr. Steeper, who is acting as charge, is supplying the state department with a daily bulletin. It is realized, however, that Mr. Steeper is bound to accept the official rendition of daily collisions between President Palma's troops and the insurgents in the field. He has no means of hearing the rebels' statements of these occurrences, and in the view of officials here, there is good reason to believe that the whole truth is not disclosed by either side.

THE SEATTLE TRAGEDY. Medical Commission Will Examine Esther Mitchell and Maud Crawford. Seattle, Wn., Sept. 10.—Esther Mitchell and Maud Crawford, jointly charged with murder in the first degree for the killing of George Mitchell last July, will be examined by the medical commission Wednesday in the Superior court to determine their sanity. The attorneys for the two women declared they (the women) are insane and have been for years. If the women are found to be insane they will be sent to the asylum at Steilacoom, and this will end the criminal prosecution.

The Saunders Grocery Co., Ltd. PHONE 2 JOHNSON ST. Bright Light Stove Polish 3 Large Tins... 25c Produces a Lasting and Brilliant Polish

OIL ON THE ATHABASCA. District May Become One of Greatest Producers in the World.

Edmonton, Alta., Sept. 10.—Considerable interest has been manifested here lately over the discovery of immense oil fields in the country along the Athabasca river and about two hundred miles north of the city. For many years trappers and hunters have known of the existence of natural gas and a form of crude oil, which has been shown to them by the Indians living in the section.

Church Destroyed. Belleville, Ont., Sept. 11.—Fire yesterday destroyed the Methodist church, a store house, two dwellings and some sheds on Murray canal. Loss, \$10,000. The Manufacturers. Toronto, Sept. 11.—The Canadian manufacturers leave by special train on Friday for Winnipeg to attend the annual convention, which opens on Monday. About 50 persons, including women and children, are expected to go to Winnipeg, and later on the majority of the party will journey to the Pacific coast.

SMALL BRIDGES DESTROYED. By the Freshets in the Squamish Valley—Dikes Have Not Suffered. Dr. Bell-Ingling, returned Monday night from a trip to the Squamish valley, says the Vancouver News-Advertiser. He says that he considers the reports of damage by flood in that district are greatly exaggerated. While it is not undeniably high, he does not consider the damage very serious. The small bridge crossing the east mouth of the Squamish, near Madill's ranch, was washed away, and the upper bridge slightly damaged at one end. The road had suffered worst, being cut through in various places.

Reduction Works. North Bay, Ont., Sept. 11.—Over two thousand persons boarded the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario train here yesterday for Trout Lake, seven miles north of the town, to witness the laying of the corner stone of the Montreal refining and reduction works. Hon. Frank Cochrane, minister of mines, presided. The plant, it is said, will cost \$2,000,000, and will give employment to about a thousand men and have a capacity of about five hundred tons a day.

FRISCO LABOR TROUBLE. Non-Union Men Who Had Charge of Cars Attacked on Filmore Street. San Francisco, Sept. 10.—The question of the enforcement of the open shop rule was presented to the Carriers' union yesterday in the form of a riot. The rioting broke out in the Filmore street neighborhood. A crowd of men gathered and a crowd of non-union men were overpowered and the trolley car and demolished the windows. The crew and guards left the car when the crowd took possession.

TRAIN WRECKED. Several Coaches Went Over Embankment—Twenty-Five Persons Injured. Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 10.—The second division of the Southern Pacific coast line passenger train, No. 10, southbound, was wrecked at Sea Cliff, Barbara, this morning. Three coaches left the track and rolled into the ditch. Information from the hospital at Ventura states that the injured are being brought to that place. A relief train has been sent out from Santa Barbara.

DISCHARGED AND REARRESTED. Steve Adams Is Now Accused of Murder in Idaho. Boise, Id., Sept. 11.—Steve Adams who has been held here since Saturday, charged with the murder of Lytle Gregory in Denver, was discharged in the police court this afternoon on motion of the county attorney. He was immediately rearrested by Sheriff Sutherland, of Shoshone county, Idaho, charged with the killing of "John Doe" Tyler in St. Joe county, Idaho, in August, 1904. Tyler was found murdered on his timber claim. Adams was taken back to the penitentiary. If Adams can be held under this murder charge, he will be kept within the jurisdiction of the Idaho courts and will be available as a witness against Meyer, Haywood and Pettibone charged with the murder of former Governor Frank Steuneger. The preliminary examination of Adams was postponed to-day.

Bowel Troubles of Childhood It is impossible to exaggerate the value of FRUIT-A-TIVES as a medicine for children. They contain no alcohol—no morphine or cocaine—no dangerous drugs of any kind. Fruit-a-tives are fruit juices concentrated and combined with the most valuable tonics and internal antiseptics known to medicine.

ACCIDENT RESULTS IN TWO DEATHS BOYS SUCCUMB TO GUN SHOT WOUNDS Manufacturers Will Leave Toronto for Winnipeg on Friday—Church Destroyed by Fire. Quebec, Sept. 11.—Details have reached here of a fatal shooting accident which resulted in the death of two boys at St. Edouard de Loubiere.

VANCOUVER NOTES A runaway occurred on the North Arm road on Saturday afternoon near Eboule. Mrs. D. E. Mackay and Mrs. J. J. Owen were driving, when the horse took fright and ran away. Both ladies were thrown out of the vehicle. Mrs. Mackay's foot catching in the lines. She was dragged a little distance and badly bruised. While the injuries are painful and the ladies are under the doctor's care, no serious results are anticipated.

FOR LUMBER, SASH, DOORS And All Kinds of Building Material, Go to THE TAYLOR MILL CO., LIMITED LIABILITY, MILL OFFICE AND YARDS, NORTH GOVERNMENT ST., VICTORIA, B. C.

BRAY'S TALLY-HO COACH Seeing Victoria along the famous Beach drive to Oak Bay, returning via Rockland avenue. Daily trip, 1.30 p.m. Seats reserved at any hotel or by direct phone, 152

Investors from the East Is it Acreage you want or City Lots? We have 5 ACRE LOTS 10 ACRE LOTS FARMS, all kinds of prices. Lots, all parts of city. Business chances, Warehouse, Factory and Hotel sites.

MARINE IRON WORKS FEMBOKE ST. VICTORIA, B. C. ANDREW GRAY, Prop. Res. Tel. 100. Office Tel. 681. The Seamen's Institute 11 LANGLEY STREET. Free reading room for seamen and seafaring men. Open daily from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. Sunday, 2 to 8 p. m.

Bouncing Babies are little's food babies. No upset stomachs—no bowel troubles—no hot weather sickness—come to babies brought up on Nestle's Food Sample (enough for eight meals) sent free to any mother. THE LEBRON, MILLS CO., Limited, MONTREAL

SEEDING? We have a large and specially selected Stock of GRASS, CLOVER AND GRAIN FOR FALL SOWING In Addition, We Carry a Full Line of SUTTON'S CELEBRATED SEEDS Agriculturists should call and get prices, or write for full Price List from Brackman-Ker Milling Co., Limited 125 Government Street, Victoria, B. C.

HARRIS & MOORE AGENTS FOR The Oliver Standard Visible Typewriter MADE IN CANADA. Also BICYCLES, GUNS and AMMUNITION. We have just received a large shipment of English and American Guns. Give us a call and examine our goods before purchasing elsewhere. PHONE 1090. 8 BROAD STREET.

BRAY'S TALLY-HO COACH Seeing Victoria along the famous Beach drive to Oak Bay, returning via Rockland avenue. Daily trip, 1.30 p.m. Seats reserved at any hotel or by direct phone, 152

H. H. JONES & Co. Note the Address, Rooms 19 to 23 Promis Block. 46 Government St. Telephones 143 and 155. A CHANCE YET To secure a snap at bottom prices, as there are still some bargains left in FLOOR AT ALBION IRON WORKS CO. Stock-Steel Plates, Iron Valves, Brass Goods etc., etc. A large quantity not yet sold. Call at the old premises of the Company. Write or inquire for particulars at the

MARINE IRON WORKS FEMBOKE ST. VICTORIA, B. C. ANDREW GRAY, Prop. Res. Tel. 100. Office Tel. 681. The Seamen's Institute 11 LANGLEY STREET. Free reading room for seamen and seafaring men. Open daily from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. Sunday, 2 to 8 p. m.

Patents and Trade Marks Procured in all countries. Searches of the Records carefully made and reports given. Call or write for information. ROWLAND BRITAIN Mechanical Engineer and Patent Solicitor, Room 5, Fairfield Block, Granville Street.

Use THE HUB Phone Local and Long Distance. HEADQUARTERS FOR ATHLETIC SPORTS. Good Imported, Domestic and Local Cigars and Tobacco. BYRNE BROS., Cor. Government and Trunoe Ave. PHONE 11. Ladies' Tailoring Parlors WOOD AND COAL At Current Rates. Wood cut any required length by electric machinery. Truck and Dray work promptly attended to. RESIDENCE, 11 PINE ST., V. W. J. E. PAINTER GENERAL TEAMSTER. WOOD AND COAL At Current Rates. WOOD cut any required length by electric machinery. Truck and Dray work promptly attended to. RESIDENCE, 11 PINE ST., V. W.

Cerebos Table Salt

PACKED IN TINS, NEVER GETS HARD, PACKED BY CEREBOS, LTD., LONDON. Purveyors to H. M. King Edward VII, H. M. The King of Spain, H. M. The King of Portugal, H. R. H. The Prince of Wales.

R. P. Rithet & Co. Ltd. Agents for British Columbia.

Victoria THEATRE

Two Nights Com. Monday, September 10 and 11. FAMOUS JUVENILE BOSTONIANS. 30-CLEVER CHILD ARTISTS-30. Monday Night-"DOROTHY." Tuesday Night-"RAJAH OF PAZELA."

THE NEW GRAND

SULLIVAN & CONSIDINE, Props. ROBT. JAMIESON, Mgr. General Admission, 15c. Entire Lower Floor and First Six Rows of Balcony, 25c. Box seats, 50c.

Labor Mass Meeting

Under the auspices of Victoria Trades and Labor Council. J. Ramsay Macdonald, M.P.

J. Ramsay Macdonald, M.P.

Secretary of the Labor Party in the Imperial House of Commons, will deliver an address to the workmen of the city.

Thursday Evening, Sept. 13th

Short addresses will also be delivered by the Chairman, P. McNiven, M.P., G. F. Gray, President Victoria Trades and Labor Council, and others.

GAVIN SPENCE OF EDINBURGH AND NANNIE STRACHAN OF GALLASHIELLS

The World Traveled Scottish Entertainers in Their Illustrated Song and Story Entertainments

Wednesday Evening, Sept. 12th

Under the auspices of the First Presbyterian Church Choir.

Fashionable Pastime of the Day. Roller Skating.

At Assembly Hall. Afternoons, 2 to 5. Evenings, 7:30 to 10:30.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Sept. 12, 5 p.m. The extensive high barometer area yesterday over the province and the Pacific states has given way rapidly in advance of an ocean disturbance which has developed on the northern coast, causing fresh easterly winds on the Straits and outside waters, with rainfall from Cariboo southward to the Columbia river.

Forecast: For 24 hours ending 4 p.m. Thursday, Victoria and vicinity—Moderate or fresh easterly winds, unsettled, with rain and lower temperature.

Reports: Victoria—Barometer, 29.75; temperature, 57; minimum, 48; wind, N.W.; weather, clear.

New Westminster—Barometer, 29.81; temperature, 57; minimum, 48; wind, S.W.; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, 52; minimum, 50; wind, 16 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.82; temperature, 38; minimum, 32; wind, calm; rain, .66; weather, rain.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, 8 miles W.; weather, clear.

Edmonton—Barometer, 29.06; temperature, 28; minimum, 24; wind, 12 miles E.; weather, fair.

A BANQUET TO AN HONORED VISITOR

PROVIDED BY THE MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

Sir William Broadbent Was Entertained at the Oak Bay Hotel Last Night.

It was a most interesting assemblage which gathered around the banquet table at the Oak Bay hotel last evening, when the guest of honor was the King's physician, Sir William Broadbent.

The banquet was tendered by the Medical Association. It was 7:30 o'clock when the happy company sat down. From that time to the hour of rising, 11 o'clock, joviality and congeniality prevailed.

At the head of the table was Dr. J. D. Helmecken, president of the association, and his father, the pioneer of the profession in British Columbia, and to his right was Sir William Broadbent. Other guests of the evening were Dr. Sims Woodhead, professor of pathology in the Cambridge University; Dr. Fuller, of New York, and Lieut.-Col. Grant, medical army officer.

After the good things of the dinner were disposed of, the health of the King was proposed in a few appropriate remarks. He said that they often welcomed an occasional shining light, but there was in attendance that evening a perfect gem.

Dr. Robertson then sang the "Belgium Love Song" in a pleasing manner. The next toast proposed was that of the health of the guests of the evening. This was followed by the singing of "We are going home," and a hip, hip, hurrah, in lusty voices.

Dr. Robertson then sang the "Belgium Love Song" in a pleasing manner. The next toast proposed was that of the health of the guests of the evening. This was followed by the singing of "We are going home," and a hip, hip, hurrah, in lusty voices.

Dr. Robertson then sang the "Belgium Love Song" in a pleasing manner. The next toast proposed was that of the health of the guests of the evening. This was followed by the singing of "We are going home," and a hip, hip, hurrah, in lusty voices.

Dr. Robertson then sang the "Belgium Love Song" in a pleasing manner. The next toast proposed was that of the health of the guests of the evening. This was followed by the singing of "We are going home," and a hip, hip, hurrah, in lusty voices.

Dr. Robertson then sang the "Belgium Love Song" in a pleasing manner. The next toast proposed was that of the health of the guests of the evening. This was followed by the singing of "We are going home," and a hip, hip, hurrah, in lusty voices.

VISITED INTERIOR.

Prof. Shutt Has Completed His Trip Through Province Accompanied by J. R. Anderson.

J. R. Anderson, deputy minister of agriculture, has returned to the city after a four days' visit to the interior in company with Prof. Shutt, chemist of the Central experimental farm at Ottawa. Prof. Shutt, who visited the province, was interested in studying the soil conditions and the condition of farming here.

Prof. Shutt has left for the East in different centres to visit and deliver addresses for the benefit of the farmer. His speeches dealt with soil production, soil moisture, and fertilizers going into these from a scientific standpoint and giving the farmer the advantage of his years of study and experience.

Prof. Shutt will have samples of the soil analysed. He sent samples from other districts in the Cariboo and Selkirk examination, and the results will be given for the benefit of the farmer concerned.

At Keremos fields of Alfalfa ready for the third cutting in the season were inspected. In the Kamaskan country the lands irrigated by the Cariboo canal, controlled by the Shafords were giving excellent results. The fruit trees were making splendid progress.

In the direction of Golden some very fine land was shown. Railway facilities are required in this part of that country. About Nelson and Siccom there is considerable land suitable for farming. Bounding on Kootenay lake there is activity in the way of planting orchards.

The nursery of Frank Burrell near Grand Forks is being steadily enlarged to meet the growing demands. The following extract from his report, dated Sept. 12, 1906, is published for general information.

"The following extract from his report, dated Sept. 12, 1906, is published for general information. The following extract from his report, dated Sept. 12, 1906, is published for general information.

"The following extract from his report, dated Sept. 12, 1906, is published for general information. The following extract from his report, dated Sept. 12, 1906, is published for general information.

"The following extract from his report, dated Sept. 12, 1906, is published for general information. The following extract from his report, dated Sept. 12, 1906, is published for general information.

CONDITIONS IN CARIBOO DISTRICT

J. A. MACDONALD, K. C., GIVES IMPRESSIONS

He Has Returned From Three Weeks' Trip to Bullion and Other Mining Centres.

J. A. Macdonald, K. C., leader of the opposition in the local legislature, has returned to Rossland from a trip through the Cariboo section, which occupied about three weeks.

The trip involved a drive of over six hundred miles through a most interesting country. Only a small portion of the land seems fit for cultivation, but there are valleys along the route where some of the most beautiful ranches I have ever seen are to be found.

The trip involved a drive of over six hundred miles through a most interesting country. Only a small portion of the land seems fit for cultivation, but there are valleys along the route where some of the most beautiful ranches I have ever seen are to be found.

The trip involved a drive of over six hundred miles through a most interesting country. Only a small portion of the land seems fit for cultivation, but there are valleys along the route where some of the most beautiful ranches I have ever seen are to be found.

The trip involved a drive of over six hundred miles through a most interesting country. Only a small portion of the land seems fit for cultivation, but there are valleys along the route where some of the most beautiful ranches I have ever seen are to be found.

The trip involved a drive of over six hundred miles through a most interesting country. Only a small portion of the land seems fit for cultivation, but there are valleys along the route where some of the most beautiful ranches I have ever seen are to be found.

The trip involved a drive of over six hundred miles through a most interesting country. Only a small portion of the land seems fit for cultivation, but there are valleys along the route where some of the most beautiful ranches I have ever seen are to be found.

The trip involved a drive of over six hundred miles through a most interesting country. Only a small portion of the land seems fit for cultivation, but there are valleys along the route where some of the most beautiful ranches I have ever seen are to be found.

Henry Young & Co.

"JAEGER" Pure Wool Wear

Absolute Purity of Materials treated on scientific principles by the most skillful workmen have made the "JAEGER PURE WOOL GARMENTS" celebrated in every part of the world.

WE ARE DISPLAYING "JAEGER" Ladies' Combinations, "JAEGER" Ladies' Vests, "JAEGER" Ladies' Drawers, "JAEGER" Bootees, Infants' Socks, Dressing Jackets, "JAEGER" Pure Wool Shawls.

HENRY YOUNG & CO. SOLE AGENTS IN VICTORIA FOR JAEGER LADIES' WEAR

COSTUMIERS, MILLINERS, STAPLE GOODS. Government Street, Victoria.

PERFECTION IS OUR MOTTO

Many a home has been ruined by carelessness on the part of the owner in relying on a carpenter or bricklayer, or other builder, to superintend its plumbing. Go to your plumber for this, and make sure that you get separate tenders for all your work. It pays you to do it.

A. SHERET - 72 Fort Street

P. O. Box 488. Tel. 629.

WE SELL HARDWARE

NICHOLLES & RENOUF, Ld. Cor. YATES & BROAD STREETS. PHONE 82 396 VICTORIA

SHAWNIGAN LAKE HOTEL

The most perfectly appointed health and pleasure resort outside of Victoria. Twenty-eight miles ride on E. & N. railway. Tennis and croquet lawns, pleasure boats, fishing and hunting. Get off at Kootenay.

Mrs. A. Keenly, Proprietress

HOTEL STRATHCONA

SHAWNIGAN LAKE, B. C. Good Fishing, Boats For Hire

MRS. WARK, Prop.

EUROPEAN AGENCY.

Indents promptly executed at lowest cash prices for all kinds of British and Continental goods, including: Boots, Shoes and Leather, Chemicals and Druggists' Sundries, China, Earthenware and Glassware, Drapery, Millinery and Hosiery Goods, Fancy Goods, Perfumery and Stationery, Hardware and Machinery, Photographic and Optical Goods, Provisions and Groceries, etc., etc.

THE LONDON DIRECTORY.

Published Annually. Enables enterprising traders throughout the Empire to keep in close touch with the trade of the Motherland. Besides being a complete commercial guide to London and its suburbs, the Directory contains lists of: EXPORT MERCHANTS with the goods they ship, and the Colonial and Foreign Markets they supply; STEAMSHIP LINES arranged under the Ports to which they sail, and indicating the approximate sailings; PROVINCIAL APPENDIX of Trade Notices of leading Manufacturers, Merchants, etc., in the principal provincial towns and industrial centres of the United Kingdom. A copy of the current edition will be forwarded, freight paid, on receipt of Postal Order for TWENTY SHILLINGS.

THE LONDON DIRECTORY CO., LTD. 25 Abchurch Lane, London, E. C.

TALKING PARROTS

From \$5 up. Shipped safely to any point by express. Write for Price List. We make specially low prices to get these birds in all parts of Canada to advertise.

COTTAM BIRD SEED

Best 1/2c. meals and up. Open on Saturdays, September 16th, 1906. Come and try it. 46 JOHNSON STREET.

THE DAILY TIMES
Published every day (except Sunday)
The Times Printing & Publishing Co.
LIMITED.
JOHN NELSON,
Managing Director.

AS OTHERS SEE US.
The Washington correspondents of the principal newspapers of the United States who recently visited Victoria were by a short time with us, but being trained observers and full of native energy, they saw a good deal of the city and appreciated in the fullest degree all they beheld.

THE DEARTH OF LABOR.
The banquet tendered the Minister of Inland Revenue by the Young Liberal Club of Victoria last evening, while it might be regarded in the abstract as merely an occasion for a display of goodwill, was in fact productive of some announcements of importance and significance.

AT THE OLD HOMESTEAD.
London Advertiser.
The minister of justice is a son of the farm, and it is characteristic of him that he should spend his first week's holiday since he joined the administration on the old homestead.

CRUSO'S ISLAND.
London News.
A few of Juan Fernandez may upon a loss of foggy days come into this world grown-up, but it will not make the slightest impression upon anybody who has ever a child.

PUSSY'S ESCAPE.
London Chronicle.
The story of the Frenchman who has nearly died of cold at Lyons, with the thermometer at 80 deg. in the shade, though going to sleep in his own coat, is a curious one, and a long journalistic life may be predicted for it.

THE STANDARD FLANGE.
NO BETTER PENS EVER MADE.
THE STANDARD FLANGE.
For Bookkeeping, Stationery, Manifold, and Correspondence.
SOLD AND GUARANTEED BY DAVID SPENCER, LTD.

THE DAILY TIMES
Published every day (except Sunday)
The Times Printing & Publishing Co.
LIMITED.
JOHN NELSON,
Managing Director.

THE DAILY TIMES is on sale at the following places in Victoria:
Army & Navy Cigar Store, cor. Government and Baseline.
Jones' Cigar Store, Douglas Street.

Silverware.
Silver, or silver-plated ware of high quality, is always a good investment.
We invite the inspection of our new importations of silver ware; elegance of design and the highest standard of workmanship are attained in these goods.

C. E. REDFERN, 43 GOVT. ST.
TELEPHONE 118. P. O. BOX 33.

EMPLOYMENT FOR THOUSANDS.
Thousands of farmers in Canada; large numbers of railwaymen, sailors and stevedores are kept busy handling the golden grain which the 6000 employees in the Reading factories manufacture into the biscuits of Huntley & Palmers.

PROFESSION OF THE FOOL.
Some of Those Who Followed It and Were in Refuges of Kings and Princes.
Every man in his time plays many parts, and it often has happened that the wise man's fate has required him to play the fool.

THE IDENTIFICATION OF THE FOOL.
The fact, however, is that the professional fool of two centuries ago was an altogether different sort of person. He held his position by reason of his ready wit, which, in truth, was often wisdom in disguise.

THE IDENTIFICATION OF THE FOOL.
The fact, however, is that the professional fool of two centuries ago was an altogether different sort of person. He held his position by reason of his ready wit, which, in truth, was often wisdom in disguise.

THE IDENTIFICATION OF THE FOOL.
The fact, however, is that the professional fool of two centuries ago was an altogether different sort of person. He held his position by reason of his ready wit, which, in truth, was often wisdom in disguise.

THE IDENTIFICATION OF THE FOOL.
The fact, however, is that the professional fool of two centuries ago was an altogether different sort of person. He held his position by reason of his ready wit, which, in truth, was often wisdom in disguise.

THE STANDARD FLANGE. NO BETTER PENS EVER MADE. For Bookkeeping, Stationery, Manifold, and Correspondence. SOLD AND GUARANTEED BY DAVID SPENCER, LTD.

Silverware. Silver, or silver-plated ware of high quality, is always a good investment. C. E. REDFERN, 43 GOVT. ST.

EMPLOYMENT FOR THOUSANDS. Thousands of farmers in Canada; large numbers of railwaymen, sailors and stevedores are kept busy handling the golden grain which the 6000 employees in the Reading factories manufacture into the biscuits of Huntley & Palmers.

PROFESSION OF THE FOOL. Some of Those Who Followed It and Were in Refuges of Kings and Princes.

THE IDENTIFICATION OF THE FOOL. The fact, however, is that the professional fool of two centuries ago was an altogether different sort of person.

THE IDENTIFICATION OF THE FOOL. The fact, however, is that the professional fool of two centuries ago was an altogether different sort of person.

THE IDENTIFICATION OF THE FOOL. The fact, however, is that the professional fool of two centuries ago was an altogether different sort of person.

THE IDENTIFICATION OF THE FOOL. The fact, however, is that the professional fool of two centuries ago was an altogether different sort of person.

David Spencer Ltd. WESTERN CANADA'S BIG STORE. MILLINERY. Women who wished to see the styles for the coming season thronged our Millinery Show-rooms yesterday.

We Show To-day Some New Styles in Women's Coats and Skirts

COATS. Women's 3/4 length Box Coat, made of tweed, small check effect; velvet collar. Price, \$16.00. SKIRTS. Women's Black Cheviot Tucked Cloth Skirt; 7 gores, trimmed buttons. Price, \$12.00.

Walter S. Fraser & Co., Ltd. HARDWARE. Just Arrived New Assortment American Locks, Etc. Montreal Rolling Mills Wire Nails, Per Keg \$2-50. Wharf St. VICTORIA, B.C.

Cook With Good Baking Powder

That means our Baking Powder, because it is as good as Pure Cream of Tartar, Pure Soda and other good things can make.

The large sale our Baking Powder is having shows that lots of good cooks are using it.

Try It for Biscuits Price 25c. per lb.

CYRUS H. BOWES Chemist 98 GOVERNMENT ST. NEAR YATES STREET.

Near City Limits

5 ACRES COTTAGE BARN \$1700

P. R. BROWN, LD. 50 BROAD STREET. Phone 1076. P. O. Box 424.

Storie's Grocery.

74 FORT STREET. Above Douglas. Full line of new and up-to-date Staple and Fancy GROCERIES. GOODS DELIVER TO ANY PART OF THE CITY.

Coming Successes

IOLA. Intermexzo. TWO LITTLE SAILOR BOYS. SONG. WONT YOU COME OVER TO MY HOUSE. SONG. WAITING AT THE CHURCH. Comic Song.

M. W. Waitt & Co. LIMITED. THE QUALITY MUSIC HOUSE.

SPECIAL SALES TOILET GOODS COSMETICS BRUSHES SKIN TONICS PERFUMES, ETC. R. C. DRUG STORE. Tel. 364. 27 Johnson Street. J. TEAGUE, Proprietor.

WHY NOT TRY DEAVILE GONS & CO. CASH GROCERS HILLSIDE AVENUE. Leading lines at low prices. Our own tea, etc., or 3 lbs. for \$1. Home-made fruit cakes our specialty at 25c.

Rev. W. Leslie Clay, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, invited in marriage at his residence last evening Mr. F. F. Brayman and Charlotte Martha Jesselyn, both of Tacoma.

SHERLOCK HOLMES, the scientific detective of Conan Doyle's creation, an adept on deducting from cigar ashes, was once in hot pursuit, on what appeared a strong scent, when running across a cigar stub, he abandoned the clue. The man was honest, self-reliant and above suspicion. He smoked

EL PRINCIPE DE GALES THE KING OF HAVANA CIGARS. E. A. MORRIS THE LEADING TOBACCONIST GOVERNMENT STREET.

Four Lots In Orchard

To Be Sold Immediately. A "PICK UP" GRANT & CONYERS NO. 2 VIEW STREET.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Silk-lined evening dress suits, stylish cut at McCarrach's, 28 1/2 Broad street, up stairs.

Nightgowns—Ladies' flannel nightgowns, 45c. up, good, handsome nightgowns, 50c. fine, twisted cambric gown, 75c. up. Robinson's Cash Store, 50 Yates street.

New fall suitings just arrived at Talsang & Co., 108 Government street. Ladies' and gents' suits made to order. Fit and style guaranteed. English trade—a specialty.

Mr. Bragg, who had both his legs broken above the ankles at the logging camp at Fort Renfrew is making satisfactory progress at St. Joseph's Hospital. He is now able to be up for a time each day.

Brigadier Simonton, the Provincial Officer of British Columbia, will be at the meeting in the Salvation Army barracks on Sunday and will conduct special services, assisted by English Mission officers and soldiers of the local corps.

In the report of the proceedings of the meeting of the council on Monday evening an error crept into print. A. L. Stewart was mentioned as being the introducer of a motion to borrow \$300,000 for water improvement purposes where Ald. Yates' name should have appeared.

Programmes of the band concerts furnished at Krug Park, Omaha's public resort for the weeks beginning August 26th and September 2nd, have been sent to the Times. These concerts are being furnished by a first class organization under the leadership of Bandmaster J. M. Finn, formerly of the Fifth Regiment of this city, and the programmes indicate that they are of a very high order.

The Spanish road extension at the B. C. Electric Railway Company is now nearing completion, but a car service cannot be given, the Times was informed last night, as a result has been established on Douglas street, some where in the vicinity of Princess avenue. It is reported that the present time table on which the Douglas street cars are operated is to be changed from a twelve-minute to a fifteen-minute schedule. Asked with regard to this, Manager Goward said that nothing has yet been decided. The matter is being considered and he could not state which schedule will likely be adopted. Mr. Goward says that he expects the service to the Gorge will soon have to be curtailed in view of the change in weather conditions.

Furniture buyers are having a real good time at "The Extraordinary Furniture Sale" now being held at Blyth's Wholesale Furniture Warehouse, corner of E. Drury, manager, 34 Broad street. In addition to the advantage of being able to purchase extra fine furniture at wholesale factory prices, the goods can be stored in Blyth's capacious warehouse which is a convenience to those who are building new homes.

The policy holders are supreme in The Mutual Life of Canada.—This company being purely mutual no part of its funds goes into the pockets of stock holders. Every dollar accumulated from whatever source, is the sole property of its policy holders and is under the direct control of the board, elected by policy holders to manage the company and direct its affairs in the sole interests and for the sole benefit of policy holders, who alone own everything, control, everything, and get everything. A. B. McNeill, special agent, E. E. Drury, manager, 34 Broad street, Victoria, B. C.

Pacific Transfer Co.

If you are leaving by the early morning boat ring up phone 249 and get your baggage hauled. Furniture moved to any part of the city at moderate terms. Wagons from 6 a. m. to 10.30 p. m.

VICTORIA DAILY WEATHER

Tuesday, Sept. 11. Highest temperature 60.5. Lowest temperature 42.5. Mean temperature 51.5. Total precipitation for the month, 0.53 inch; average amount, 0.05 inch. Bright sunshine, 35 hours and 42 minutes; total hours of sun, 33.5. Total precipitation for the month, 0.53 inch; average amount, 0.05 inch.

VICTORIA WEATHER August, 1906.

Highest temperature 60.5. Lowest temperature 42.5. Mean temperature 51.5. Total precipitation for the month, 0.53 inch; average amount, 0.05 inch.

Government House, Sept. 12, 1906

Mrs. Dunsuir will not receive at Government House on Thursday, 13th September, 1906, nor on the remaining Thursdays of the present month. H. A. Bromley; Ass't. Private Sec'y.

Steamship Umattila arrived from San Francisco about noon today. The Queen, of the same line, will sail for the Golden Gate this evening.

To-morrow evening according to the Regimental order appearing in another column there will be a parade of the members for the purpose of drawing efficiency pay.

A Chinaman named Way Fook has escaped from the steamship Blackfoot, now lying in the harbor at Nanaimo. The officers of the steamer are making diligent search for him as the vessel is liable for \$500 if he is not taken back on board.

A special meeting of the Trades and Labor Council has been called by President Gray for this evening. The business is that of finishing up the platform for the proposed Labor Party at the approaching congress. The Council will be asked to discuss the following:—Compulsory acquisition of estates where necessary; for closer settlement in farming districts; to provide homes and workers' blocks in the vicinity of cities and towns; enrollment of the voters for the simplification of municipal, provincial and Dominion elections; land and income taxation; and the necessity of organizing immediately to fight the coming municipal and mayoral elections from a reform point of view.

The Salvation Army has made arrangements for its annual harvest festival services to be held on Saturday, Sunday and Monday, September 22nd, 23rd and 24th. There will be special music given on these occasions. On Sunday the services begin at 10 a. m. and will be continued until late at night. Exhibits will be received on Monday. The proceeds will be designated to the maintenance of the work of the organization. Gifts of goods or money will be received thankfully by the commanding officer or any member of the army.

Beautiful Brass and hammered Copper fenders and Kerbs are on view at Weller Bros. Fine English goods in latest designs and best metal, everyone should possess these handsome kerbs which can be purchased at \$5 up.

LABOR LEADER COMING.

J. Ramsay MacDonald, Member of Imperial House, Will Speak To-morrow Evening.

J. Ramsay MacDonald, a member of the Imperial House of Commons and secretary of the Labor party in Great Britain, will reach Victoria to-morrow at noon. Among the many distinguished labor leaders who will be in the city for the coming Trades and Labor Congress, Mr. MacDonald is undoubtedly the widest known.

Taking advantage of his arrival a few days before the congress opens the local Trades and Labor Council have arranged to have a grand mass meeting in the A. O. U. hall to-morrow evening. The feature of this gathering will be an address by Mr. MacDonald. There will be short speeches also by J. D. McNeill, M. P. P., and G. T. Gray, the president of the local organization.

This gathering is intended to be of a public character, and all are invited to attend. Seats will be reserved specially for ladies and their escorts. Bantley's orchestra will also be in attendance and provide a musical programme.

"Our Leader"

WE ARE SELLING A Black Worsted Blue Serge Suit For \$30.00

These cost \$35.00 elsewhere in the city. P. M. Linklater FINE TAILORING, Corner of Fort and Broad Sts.

AGITATION AMONG LOCAL CLERGYMEN

FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE SCHOOL ACT

Permitting Them to Serve as Teachers in British Columbia—Differences of Opinion.

There is an agitation on foot among a number of the clergymen of the city having for its object the amendment of that clause of the School Act which prohibits from holding as members of any board of school trustees in British Columbia. It is their intention to bring the matter up at the next session of the provincial legislature and steps already are being taken in order that when the time comes sufficient influence may be brought to bear upon the government to result in the introduction of the desired amendment. This point was the subject of an interesting debate at the last sitting of the House, it will be remembered. The proposal then, however, met with considerable opposition, the bitterest of which emanated from J. H. Hawthorthwaite, M.P.P., the Socialist leader. The stand taken by those clergymen who object to the clause excluding them from serving the public upon a school board is that there is no reason why they, as British subjects, subject to the same general conditions as others, should be so legislated against. They take the broad view that every Briton has equal rights and that it is an unfair thing to thus discriminate against the clergymen. This, they contend, does not only apply to the school board, but to other public bodies. For instance, they are not permitted to be represented upon the hospital board of Alrosa. They are not exercised as much over this as over the trusteeship, believing that success attends their efforts to retain the present state of affairs. While there are a number, and perhaps the majority, of the clergymen in favor of the proposed change, there are some who oppose it. Those opposed take the ground that the introduction of members of their fraternity into the councils of school boards is inadvisable through the province might result in the dissemination of sectarianism. Conversing with a Times reporter, one clergyman gave an illustration. Supposing, he said, that an Anglican or Roman Catholic or a clergyman of any denomination were elected to any school board, what result might be expected to follow? He would, it was argued, favor his own class. A bias in judgment upon matters of public import could not be avoided no matter how earnest he might be in the desire to do justice to the constituency he had been elected to represent. A whole bitter difference of opinion doubtless, would arise between the clergyman and the lay members of the board. If the latter had sufficient influence it was quite possible that he would be forced to resign and thus might be brought about a general widening of the breach between the different denominations. In short, it is claimed it would be dangerous to admit clergymen to the school boards. While admitting the justice of the argument it is strongly objected against the British subject in general, who under the term are entitled to every consideration, there is a difference of opinion upon the point now at issue.

While there is discussion in the ranks of the clergymen themselves, it can be expected that the proposed amendment to the act, which would give a good chance of passing as if the conditions were otherwise. Therefore it is altogether likely that the matter will be debated to some extent in an informal way in order to see if some amicable settlement may not be reached between those directly concerned. The promoters of the project are figuring upon strenuous opposition from the Socialists after the attacks made by Mr. Hawthorthwaite, their leader, at the last session. They cannot understand, however, that a body ostensibly so prominently represented in the legislature can justify the stand their spokesman has taken in the matter.

THE ANNUAL FAIR

Mainland Stock Breeds Will Be Well Represented—A Promising Outlook.

Arrangements for the exhibition to be held from the 25th to the 29th of September under the auspices of the British Columbia Agricultural Association are gradually assuming shape. Entries are being received in the agricultural lines, in stock, and from those desiring to participate in the different competitions announced as part of the entertainment programme of the fair. In short the indications are favorable for one of the most successful shows in Victoria's history.

The representation of pure bred stock is expected to be particularly good. W. H. Ladner will be down from Ladner's Landing as usual, while A. C. Wells has signified his intention to enter some of his fine stock. Other Mainland breeders will be represented. The management are making arrangements with the C. P. R. for the transportation of these. The steamer Charmer will be employed for this purpose, leaving both Vancouver and New Westminster at a recent time to be announced later. She will return immediately after the fair in order that exhibitors will have no difficulty in getting their stock back to the yards as soon as possible.

In reference to the prize list for horses, it is interesting to note that one or two leading horses have been decided upon. For instance, a black gelding named Blackie will be shown in the instead of in harness, thus being a better opportunity to display their fine points to advantage. Blackie will be substituted for the prize horse named Buckneys from among the animals eligible to take an overdrive. The last mentioned horse will be admitted to the C. Morrow of Kamloops has announced his intention to compete in the bronze busting competition. Other applications are being received from interested parties, so that an exciting contest for the belt representing the championship of British Columbia is assured.

The works recently erected at the race track and the buildings in proceeding aspect, it should be completed in plenty of time for the fair. In fact, the outlook is exceedingly promising.

Dyspepsia of Women

Caused by Female Disorders and Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

A great many women suffer with a form of indigestion or dyspepsia which does not seem to yield to ordinary treatment. While the symptoms seem to be similar to those of ordinary indigestion, yet the medicines universally prescribed do not seem to restore the patient's normal condition.



Mrs. Pinkham claims that there is a kind of dyspepsia that is caused by a derangement of the female organism, and which, while it causes a disturbance similar to ordinary indigestion, cannot be relieved without a medicine which not only acts as a stomach tonic, but has a peculiar tonic effect on the female organism. As proof of this theory we call attention to the case of Mrs. Henry Beaubien, 58 Sparks St., Ottawa, Ont., who was completely cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after everything else had failed. She writes: "Dear Mrs. Pinkham: I had been troubled with indigestion and general stomach disorders for nearly a year. I had a soreness in my stomach and was unable to digest my food. I dieted and doctored without success, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound brought me permanent relief. I used three bottles and I cured me of my stomach trouble and headache, my general health. I now enjoy a splendid appetite, can eat all kinds of food, have no trouble with indigestion, and know that I owe it all to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. No other medicine in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement, or has such a record of cures of female troubles, as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."

Shipping

THE TWICKENHAM. The rain to-day means another delay in the docking of the sugar ship Twickenham. The vessel was to have entered dry dock in Esquimalt this morning, but in view of the change in the climatic conditions the ship will not be placed on the blocks until this evening. A survey of the steamer cannot be made until then and until a survey has been made it will be impossible to approximate what it will cost in the way of repairs. Asked to-day to the amount of the claim for floating the ship, Mr. F. H. Bullen, manager of the B. C. Salvage Company, said that as yet no claim has been made, and he had not the slightest idea at present of what it will be. Between ten and twelve hundred tons of sugar were lost through the accident, and the "undertakers" in Esquimalt were highly pleased to learn that it is confined to this amount. They had thought that the ship's entire cargo had been lost. The sugar was fully insured and the vessel had been moving along only against total loss.

THE LOUISE IS SAFE.

With her bowsprit carried away, her foremast sprung, and part of her bulwarks shattered as a result of her collision with the schooner Norman Sunde off Vancouver Island last Wednesday, the schooner Louise, Captain Larsen, arrived at Seattle from the Cape Scott banks yesterday morning.

The Louise struck the Norman Sunde amidst a heavy fog, the schooner's bowsprit was crushed and the ship split in two. The vessel was driven on the rocks and the crew fighting up stairs to save her foremast. The damage repaired as best as could be done under the circumstances, she stood for home.

TOPEKA INJURED.

A San Francisco dispatch dated September 11th says: The Pacific Coast Steamship Company's steamer City of Topeka, bound from Eureka to San Francisco, struck on a rock at Point Arena early yesterday morning. The vessel had been moving slowly through a dense fog, and it was due to this circumstance that slipwreck was avoided.

The steamer struck the rocks a glancing blow, but succeeded in reaching open water. When it was seen that very little water was getting into the hold, the captain headed for this port at full speed, and arrived at the dock shortly after 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon. An examination of the ship at Broadway dock shows two big holes made by the treacherous rocks, one on the starboard side is about twelve inches, and the other, on the port side, about six inches.

SHIPPING NOTES.

G. B. Dodge, hydrographic surveyor, reports that Kestrel rock, described in notice to mariners No. 88 (306) of 1896, lies 2 1/2 miles S. W. from the point of L'Anse-au-Loup. The rock has been marked by a small spar buoy, painted in red and black horizontal bands, moored in the position shown in plan.

The French liner steamships, Chargeur Reunis, is to put on an extra trip to New York. The service to be running every thirty days from Seattle.

E. E. Blackwood has been advised by the Chief of the Steamship Saxonia reached Boston yesterday with a total of 218 passengers for Canadian and United States ports.

Big Saturday Special: Victor Brand Condensed Cream

3 Tins For 25c. WATSON & JONES. 55 Yates Street. FAMILY GROCERS Telephone 448. BEST VALUE IN TEAS IN THE CITY.

Quaker Puffed Rice. 10c. A PACKAGE.

E. B. JONES, Cor. Cook & N. Park Sts. Phone 712

Autumn Millinery Opening.

MRS. M. A. VIGOR Will open for display and for inspection by the Ladies of Victoria, On TUESDAY, 11th INST., Her Fine New Stock of PATTERN HATS and MILLINERY NOVELTIES at 88 YATES STREET.

Tennis Goods Lacrosse and Baseball

Outfits AT John Barnsley & Co's 115 GOVERNMENT STREET.

PERSONAL

Mrs. McLagan, until lately proprietress of the Vancouver World, was in the city yesterday. Mrs. McLagan since selling the World, has identified herself with the enterprise her brothers are carrying out at Clayburne, where they are building up a big industry in faced-brick, fire clay, etc.

THE DRESSY Neglige Shirts

Worn by men during the warmer months are a specialty with us. We have a machine for the ironing of pleated bosom and negligee shirts that turns out work that is better than hand ironing possibly could be. The pleats lie down smooth, the shirt front is just stiff enough to keep it from mussing easily and the finish is perfect. Why not try us once at least?

STANDARD STEAMLAUNDRY

PHONE 1017. 85 VIEW STREET.

90c. Will Buy an AUTOHARP Worth \$3.50 at Fletcher Bros

GOVERNMENT ST. FOR A FEW DAYS ONLY.

Building Lots FOR SALE

HOUSES BUILT ON THE INSTALLMENT PLAN.

D. H. Bale, CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER. Phone 1149 Elford Street.

ROSLYN COAL R. JAVERNE, SOLE AGENT. Dealer in WOOD AND BARK. OFFICE: 2 TROUNCE AVE. PHONE 8.

Why Waste Money and Get Poor Pictures? FLEMING BROS., 50-1-2 GOV'T ST. Over Somers' Store.

Benedict Bantly Graduate Royal Conservatory of Music, Victoria, B.C. Instruction in Violin, Piano and Theory. Apply daily between 2 and 3 p. m. Studio, Garsche Block, Yates St., Victoria, B.C.

The Cowan Co., Ltd. TORONTO

Sporting News

THE TURF.

THE ST. LEGER.
The 11st race for the St. Leger stakes will be decided on Doncaster Town Moor to-day. The race owes its name to a suggestion made by the then Marquis of Rockingham, at a dinner party held in Doncaster in 1778, two years after the original sweepstakes (which from that date became the St. Leger) had been established. Lord Rockingham proposed that the race should be called the St. Leger, out of courtesy to Colonel Anthony St. Leger, of Park Hill, near Doncaster, in recognition of his services in the cause of sport. From that date onwards the race has taken the highest rank, holding a place in public estimation second only to the Derby, and fully equal to the Derby from the equine point of view.

Possibly no two contests of the greatest racing events in the world could be so dissimilar as regards their surroundings, than do the Derby and St. Leger. But this difference does not concern the horses, but rather the enormous crowds which foregather at each place. The racing world, the owners, trainers, jockeys, bookmakers and spectators, together with that portion of the general public who are votaries of the sport, are, of course, present at both meets. But the racing world, professionally speaking, is small one, and the casual race going public, especially in the south of England, is by no means large. Yet, it has long been an article of faith that a million persons are on Epsom Downs on Derby Day; there are many who maintain that the Doncaster crowd is as big as that at Epsom.

At Doncaster the St. Leger is a never failing topic of conversation, both before and after the race. The course is worthy of the race, being quite one of the best in the United Kingdom. Old turf, it is of course, almost like a cricket pitch in appearance, presenting as it does every race week a brilliant aspect of emerald green. The crowd is not allowed on the run-in between the races as it is at Epsom, Ascot, and many other places. Thus the going remains good to look at to the end of the meet, with always a plentiful supply of herbage.

VANCOUVER REGATTA.
A regatta will be held by the Vancouver Rowing Club on Saturday, and a large number of entries have already been received for the various events. The crews entered have been rowing all summer and are in first-class condition. The heat races of the day will be the four-oared contest for the Murray cup, and in addition there will be canoe races, single and double scull events and tilting contests.

The cup presented by H. B. Comble for the single sculling championship of the club will be contested for in about two weeks. Several entries have already been received, including N. C. Sawers, Lang, F. J. Gossroy, Watt, Waugh, Dillabough, Pearsall, Tennant and Patisson.

GOLF.
WESTERN CHAMPION.
D. E. Sawyer, of the Chicago Golf Club, of Wheaton, Ill., defeated Warren K. Wood, of the Homewood club, for the title of Western golf champion at Glen Echo, Ill. To win, Sawyer was compelled to play thirty-seven holes, one more than the regular number of 36. This was due to the fact that they were even at 36 holes. Wood led to the 34th hole.

MEETING TOMORROW.
The Victoria Golf Club will hold an adjourned meeting to-morrow evening at the Grand hotel, at 8.30 o'clock. Important business relative to the links is to be discussed, and the attendance is desired.

THE RING.
MATCH ARRANGED.
A San Francisco dispatch says: Dick Hyland and Eddie Hanlon have signed to meet for twenty rounds, before the Hayes Valley Athletic Club, September 28th. This will be the first fight of importance here since the confederation.

LORD KELVIN'S VIEWS.
Scientist Writes Interesting Letters on Subject of Radium.

Lord Kelvin writes from the Continent an interesting letter concerning radium, prompted by reading in a newspaper the following passage: "The mathematical and physical section of the British Association for the Advancement of Science a discussion was opened by Prof. Soddy on the possible transmutation of the elements. The statement that the production of helium from radium has established the fact of the gradual evolution of one element into others was not seriously questioned."

Lord Kelvin says: "I wish to re-discover by Sir William Ramsay and Prof. Soddy, brilliantly interesting as it is and so fully instructive as it is toward the theory of radium, suggests nothing more toward any modification of the atomic doctrine proposed some 25 years ago by Democritus and universally adopted by chemists and other philosophers of the 19th century than does Sir William Ramsay's original discovery of helium as an emanation from the mineral cleveite. The obvious conclusion from the two discoveries is that cleveite and radium both contain helium. I cannot refer to this publicly to the discussions of radium in the British Association meeting without protesting against the hypothesis that the heat of the sun, the earth and other bodies of the universe, rest."

STRANGE CUSTOM.

Prevailing at St. Ives in Cornwall—Memory of Mr. Knill Kept Green.

The Glasgow Herald, after calling attention to the fact that even the Last Trump will have difficulty with a scientifically built supplecher that has cost over \$20,000, declares that, no matter what the millions of the late Russell Sage may do, it is pretty certain they will not keep his memory so green as that of the deceased John Knill of St. Ives, Cornwall. The Herald then goes on to explain: "By the purchase of an annuity yielding \$50, Mr. Knill, who died at the beginning of the last century, has succeeded in associating his name with a pretty custom which, for all one can tell, may last as long as St. Ives itself. Every year, 10 little maidens and two widows assemble at his mausoleum, in the presence of thousands of people, as they did the very day that Russell Sage was buried. John's stone coffin is exposed to view, and all the ladies who want handsome husbands drink of the water gathered in the capstone. Then after singing of the Frank-reith Psalm, the maidens, having danced round the tomb, are presented with \$2.50 each, the widows with \$10 each, and the ceremony concludes. If the late Mr. Sage had only known of the late Mr. Knill's recipe for a secure resting place he might have saved by far the largest part of his funeral expenses, and gone down to posterity as a benevolent old gentleman who, in spite of his millions, possessed that touch of humor that makes the whole world kin."

TONS OF MANNA.

Samples of real manna, of which over 26 tons have just fallen from the skies in Turkestan, to the superstitious awe of the natives, have reached the London Daily Mirror.

A Constantinople correspondent who sent a parcel of this remarkable substance to George Toffey & Son, Seething lane, states that the manna fell in a district almost bare of trees, and that it was eagerly collected by the poverty stricken villagers, who ground it into flour and made cakes of it.

Ignorant of its perfectly natural origin, they regarded it as a gift from Heaven.

As a matter of fact, manna is the result of the burrowing of a certain worm in trees. It is a regular article of commerce in the East, the manna ash-tree being cultivated in Sicily. But the manna that has just created so profound an impression in Turkestan is not quite the same. A high authority on biblical natural history informed the Daily Mirror that the specimens were the work of a worm that only produces this substance under certain climatic conditions, which only obtain about once in every 15 years or so.

Dyspepsia of Women

Caused by Female Disorders and Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

A great many women suffer with a form of indigestion or dyspepsia which does not seem to yield to ordinary treatment. While the symptoms seem to be similar to those of ordinary indigestion, yet the medicines usually prescribed do not seem to restore the patient's normal condition.



Mrs. Pinkham claims that there is a kind of dyspepsia that is caused by a derangement of the female organism, and which, while it causes a disturbance similar to ordinary indigestion, cannot be relieved without a medicine which not only acts as a stomach tonic, but has a peculiar tonic effect on the female organism.

As proof of this theory we call attention to the case of Mrs. Henry Beaubien, 58 Sparks St., Ottawa, Ont., who was completely cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after everything else had failed. She writes: "Dear Mrs. Pinkham: I had been troubled with indigestion and general stomach disorders for nearly a year. I had a soreness in my stomach and was unable to digest my food. I dieted and doctored without success; but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound brought me permanent relief. I used three bottles and it cured me of my stomach trouble and built up my general health. I now enjoy a splendid appetite, can eat all kinds of food, have no trouble with indigestion, and know that I owe it all to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. No other medicine in the world has received such widespread and unqualified endorsement, or has such a record of cures of female troubles, as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."

DAINTIES FOR A PET.

Sorte of the items in an account which a high-class London veterinary surgeon sought to recover at the Marylebone County court for attendance on a Nerver Square gentleman's pet fox terrier included whiskey, beef tea, and ass. The fox was taken into plaintiff's infirmary with a broken thigh, another veterinary surgeon was called in for consultation, and an operation having been found necessary the pampered creature was given chloroform. The claim in all was for £17 odd, and Judge Selge allowed plaintiff £11 17s. 6d.

ELECTRIC SMELTING.

A Large Plant Will Soon Be Established in Canada.

The successful smelting of magnetic iron ores by electric process at Sault Ste. Marie has attracted considerable attention elsewhere, and already enquiries for detailed information are being received by Dr. Haanel, the superintendent of mines, from all parts of the world. The enterprise of the Canadian government in conducting these experiments has won unqualified praise, and it is pleasant to know that the money and labor expended upon the subject is not going to be all for the benefit of foreigners. It is said that a well-known Pittsburg company intends going into the electric smelting industry in Canada at some point where power can be obtained at minimum rate. Plans are also being laid for the establishment of electric smelters in Mexico and the United States. One will be ready for operation at Band, California, six months hence.

THE WORK OF STEEPLEJACKS.

As to personal details, there is little to be said. Some of the climbers drink to excess, others are staunch teetotalers, and others, again, drink only moderately. The popular idea that men will not climb a shaft or spire until well braced up with liquor is sheer nonsense, for when once accustomed to the work, there is nothing in it. Why it should be more difficult to walk a 9-inch plank 300 feet above ground level than it is to walk it when laid upon the ground becomes incomprehensible after a few months' practice. In fact, if a man loses his head on his second climb, he would do well to turn his thoughts in another direction for a livelihood. "Climbing" runs in families, and it is not uncommon thing to find three generations in the same "perilous" calling, with offshoots in the way of cousins and brothers-in-law assisting. Given a steady course of living, and due care in regard to every detail of laddering and scaffolding, accidents will be of no more frequent occurrence than in other callings. World's Work.

Desirable Homes at Low Prices.

We have three choice lots on Bellott street, one on Pandora avenue near Fernwood road, and four on Heyward avenue, on which we will build residences to suit, and sell on easy terms. Moore & Whittington, Moore-Whittington Lumber Co., Rough and dressed lumber, shingles and mouldings for sale. Mill phone, B118.

...A NEW DEPARTURE...

We Are Introducing the
HENDEE
Wire Brushes

These wonderful brushes last much longer and do far better work than the old style brush. We have them for all purposes.

We are wholesale selling agents for the Hendee Wire Brushes; retailers should call and get bed rock prices from

E. G. PRIOR & CO. LTD.
(THE BIRMINGHAM OF B. C.)
123 Government Street, Victoria, B. C.
AND AT VANCOUVER, KAMLOOPS AND VERNON. P. R. 1904.

Tooke COLLARS

15 CENTS ANCHOR BRAND LINEN
20 CENTS IRON FRAME BRAND LINEN
2 FOR 25 CENTS 3 FOR 50 CENTS

These brands have been worn by the best-dressed Canadians for more than a quarter century. They are the recognized leaders in style and quality. Specially-made Irish linens of the finest texture, with high-grade, properly shrank interlinings, are the materials used. The workmanship is all expert, and each collar is individually inspected before it leaves the factory.

TOOKE BROTHERS, Limited,
MONREAL. 905

Subscribe For the Times

ENGRAVING

CATALOGUE WORK
BANK CHECKS
LABELS
LETTERHEADS
BUSINESS CARDS
COLOR WORK



OFFICE STATIONERY
BLOTTERS
CALENDARS
BUILDINGS
MACHINERY
FASHION PLATES

BRITISH COLUMBIA ENGRAVING CO. VICTORIA B. C.

DOUBLE AD MEETING PLACE FOR BUYERS AND SELLERS, FIRST, LAST AND ALL THE VICTORIA TIMES

WANTED-MALE HELP. Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. WANTED-Waiter and bell boy. Pacific Club. WANTED-Horse and floorman. Apply Braxton's shoeing shop, 121 Broughton street.

WANTED-AGENTS. Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. AGENTS-Sell made-to-measure clothing. We are going direct to the sweater with the best known Tiger Brand, etc.

WANTED-MALE HELP. Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON may earn a good income at home in spare time corresponding for newspapers, no copywriting, experience unnecessary.

ART STUDIO. MISS MILLS, Art Mistress, R. C. A. London. Lessons in drawing, painting and design. Studio, 5 Canadian Bank of Commerce, Government street. BUILDER & GENERAL CONTRACTOR. THOMAS CATERALL-18 Broad street, Building in all its branches, what work and general jobbing. Tel. 320.

IF YOU NEED HELP ... IN A HURRY ... Telephone the Times, and your advertisement will be inserted at once and the bill sent you, and the chances are ten to one that you will get the very thing or person you need.

Telephone the Times, and your advertisement will be inserted at once and the bill sent you, and the chances are ten to one that you will get the very thing or person you need. It makes no difference whether you want a clerk or a hostler, a stenographer or a cook. They all look to the Times to tell them of the best opportunities in town.

MAKE YOUR WANTS ... KNOWN IN THE TIMES ...

LODGES. TO LET. Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. TO RENT-5 roomed cottage, modern conveniences, 42 per month, water included. 39 North Park street.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY. ART STUDIO. MISS MILLS, Art Mistress, R. C. A. London. Lessons in drawing, painting and design. Studio, 5 Canadian Bank of Commerce, Government street.

REAL ESTATE DIRECTORY.

LEE & FRASER, REAL ESTATE AGENTS, 11 TROUNCE AVE., VICTORIA, B. C. HOUSES FOR SALE. \$2,400-Seven roomed, two-story house, well located, near Goodacre lake, modern conveniences.

Superior Soap Sale

ALL BOXED TOILET SOAPS.

Dr. Barclay's Complexion Soap; 3 Tablets for..... 10c.
 Venetian Violet and White Rose; 3 Tablets for..... 25c.
 Carnation and Jasmine; 3 Tablets for..... 25c.
 Lemole Complexion Soap; 3 Tablets for..... 50c.

(Lemole Soap is shaped like a lemon, and contains medicinal properties extracted from lemons.)

Genuine Old Brown Windsor's Cakes for..... 25c.
 Pure French Castile Soap; per bar..... 25c.
 Sarsaparilla; 3 Cakes for..... 25c.

DIXI H. ROSS & CO.

INDEPENDENT GROCERS, 131 GOVT. ST. VICTORIA.
 Where You Get the Best Things to Eat and Drink. R1618

TREVOR KEENE

Successor to WM. T. HARDAKER.
 OLDEST ESTABLISHED AUCTION BUSINESS IN THE CITY.

Auction Sale

At Sale Rooms, 77-79 Douglas Street,
Friday, Sept. 14th

EXCELLENT

Furniture

The best place to sell your goods.
 MONEY ADVANCED ON goods consigned for sale.
 Goods consigned for sale covered by Fire Insurance.

Trevor Keene, Auctioneer.

TELEPHONE A742.

MAYNARD & SON, Auctioneers, 58 Broad St.

We have had put in our hands for private sale one of the finest farms in British Columbia, consisting of 28 acres under cultivation, five two-story houses built this summer, and large barn built last summer. To be sold including the furniture of the house and all the stock, which is of the very best. For further particulars apply to

MAYNARD & SON, AUCTIONEERS.

Auction Sale

—OF—

Live Stock,

ETC.

STEWART WILLIAMS

Duly instructed by the mortgagees, will sell by

Public Auction Without Reserve.

The Whole of the

Live Stock, Poultry, Farming Machinery, Crops, Furniture, Etc.
 At the Farm lately occupied by W. STEVENSON, CALHOUN BAY, NEAR BISHOP & CLARKE'S DAIRY, ON

FRIDAY, SEPT. 21st

AT 11 A. M.

Comprising—Several Teams of Farm Horses, about 120 lbs. each; Thoroughbred Jersey Cows; 5 Grade Jersey Cows; 1 Durham Shorthorn Cow; 2 years; Pemberton's Stock; 3 Sows (Chester Whites); in pig; 2 Geese; 8 to 10 Tons of Hay; 25 to 3 Acres of Potatoes; "Beauty of Hebron"; 1 Waggon, 4-inch tire, and Hayrack; 1 English Dogcart; 1 Set Double Harness; 1 Set Single Harness; New Steel Horse Rake; Plow (nearly new), by Fleury & Son; B. Steel Harrows; 1 Chatham Brooders (new); 1 Chatham Incubator (new); Empire No. 2 Separator (new); 16 Gallons Milk Can; Milk Pans; Pails; Oak Cask; Tools, Stillard, etc., etc.

Also, at the same time and place, a quantity of Household Furniture.
 Refreshments will be served on the grounds.

DON'T FORGET

The hour of sale—11 a. m.
 The place of sale—Stevenson's Farm, Calhoun Bay.
 The Auctioneer, STEWART WILLIAMS.

Messrs. L. Eaton & Co.

Duly instructed by Mr. Botwick, will sell by public auction, at his residence,

84 QUEBEC STREET.

—ON—

THURSDAY, SEPT. 13th

At 2 p. m. the whole of his handsome Furniture and Effects, including: Very Handsome Push Walnut Drawing Room Chairs; Overstuffed Easy Chair; Walnut Occasional Table; 2 Handsome Marble Top Hand-Carved Tables; Onyx Clocks; Oak Extension Table; a Very Fine Old Mahogany Mohair Seat Dining Chairs; Cane Seat Chairs; Oak Sideboard; Part Dinner Set; Old China; Fine Set Dickens' Works; Cutlery Crocks; Pickle Stand; Bedroom Set; White Enamel Bureau; Carpets; Stair Carpet; Linoleum; Kitchen Utensils; Crub; Kitchen Table; Hose; Heater; Small stove; Books; and Almost New No. 3 Edison Cook Stove.

Goods on view Thursday morning.

The Auctioneers, L. EATON & CO.

ENTERTAINMENT TO-NIGHT.

Gavin Spence and Miss Nannie Strachan will appear in First Presbyterian Church Hall.

Gavin Spence and Miss Nannie Strachan arrive in the city last night for the purpose of giving their entertainment entitled "Scotland in Song and Story" at the First Presbyterian church hall this evening.

Mr. Spence says Victoria is the only place in his wide world travels that can compare with New Zealand for climate, and if he had to make a choice would decide on Victoria.

At Winnipeg the enthusiasm prevailed to such an extent that at the conclusion of Miss Strachan's singing of "Callie Herrin" the people rose en masse, cheering wildly and throwing their hats in the air.

The doors will be opened at 7.30 to-night, and the concert begin at 8 o'clock.

BOWLING TOUR.

The Trip of the All-American Trio Has Been Postponed.

The second tour of the All-American bowling trio throughout the United States, Mexico and Canada announced some time ago, to begin October 1st. This is done in consequence of the desire not to interfere with the tournament plans of the bowlers. The tour will not start, therefore, until early in March, 1907. All applications for dates already received will receive proper attention, at the time the schedule is compiled. Date books are now open. Those who wish to increase the interest in the sport in their vicinity, should write for terms and conditions at once to James Karpf, manager, Dayton, O.

Already the municipal contest is being discussed, although elections are almost four months distant. A report has been in circulation for several days that Aid. Stewart will be in the race for the mayoralty. With reference to this the alderman was seen to-day, and said it was true that he had been requested to be a candidate, but was considering the matter, but at present could not say that he would be in the contest. It means, he said, that any man who looks after the duties of mayor has to practically give up his private business. It is believed that Mayor Morley will aspire for a second term of office, which should make the campaign a very lively one.

The monthly meeting of the Board of Trade will be held to-morrow afternoon commencing at three o'clock. At the meeting among the business to come up will be the subject of city water and a report of the special committee upon the subject. The report of the manufacturers committee published on Monday will also come up. Other matters will be dealt with, coming from the council of the Board.



"NAME ON EVERY PIECE."

LOWNEY'S Chocolate Bonbons.

Fresh stock, just in. Full assortment of flavors, and packages ranging from 10 cents to \$1.25.

John Cochrane, CHEMIST N. W. Cor Yates and Douglas Sts.

GROUND SHELLS FOR POULTRY.

Our shells are crushed and ground to a size which expert poultry men agree to be the best. If you have purchased other brands you will see that there are from 10 to 25 lbs. of waste, consisting of dirt and dust mixed in with every 100 lbs. of shells. Without shells poultry will not lay.

Price per 100 lb. sack, \$1.25.

SYLVESTER FEED CO., 87-89 YATES ST.

EX. S. S. "TELEMACHUS"

"Hubbuck's" Genuine White Lead

"Hubbuck's" Genuine Pale Boiled Linseed Oil

Peter McQuade & Son

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
 78 WHARF STREET.

OUR LATEST FALL DERBY \$3.00

The Hat of Now-a-Days

The Henry Carter Black Derby \$3

STYLES THAT ARE PROPER & EXCLUSIVE



GETTING READY FOR EARL GREY

PARTY SHOULD REACH VANCOUVER TO-DAY

A Half-Holiday Has Been Declared for Friday Afternoon by Mayor Morley.

This evening, according to the arrangements for the visit of Their Excellencies the Earl and Countess of Grey, the party should reach Vancouver after visiting the Dominion experimental farm at Agassiz. After spending to-morrow in the Terminal City they will reach Victoria by the D. G. S. Quadra, on Friday afternoon about 4 o'clock. Capt. G. H. T. Drake, A. D. C. to His Honor the Lieut-Governor, left this morning for Vancouver to meet the party and escort them to this city.

The members included among the party are His Excellency the Governor-General, Earl Grey, the Countess Grey, their son, Lord Howick, and Lady Howick and the daughters of their Excellencies, Lady Sibyl Grey and Lady Evelyn Grey. Capt. Trotter, D. S. O., A. D. C. to the Governor-General, and Mr. Leveson Gower, his private secretary.

The details connected with the visit here and subsequent movements of the party have already appeared in these columns. The wet weather has interfered somewhat with the preparation and this morning little could be done for more favorable conditions work will be pushed on these and they will be got ready for the arrival on Friday. The D. G. S. Quadra has been thoroughly overhauled by the crew and elaborate preparations have been made by Capt. Hackett and his men.

His Worship has proclaimed Friday afternoon a half holiday. Places of business along the line of march taken by the vice-regal party in proceeding to Government House are asked to be decorated. The notice appears in another column.

PREPARING FOR EMERGENCY.

Warships Will Proceed to Cuban Waters to Protect American Interests.

(Associated Press.)
 Washington, D. C., Sept. 12.—President Roosevelt's policy of preparedness for any emergency in Cuba so far as the immediate operation of war vessels is concerned was announced at the state department to-day. It includes the arrival at Havana to-night of the protected cruiser Denver and the gunboat Marietta to Cleveland to-morrow. The cruiser Des Moines will remain at Key West until further orders. In making these arrangements, Acting Secretary of State Bacon said that there was no disposition on the part of the United States government to make a demonstration in Cuban waters but that the insurrection had attained such proportions that it had become necessary to take steps for the protection of American interests in Cuba. The department believed that for the present the Denver will be sufficient for all needs along the northern coast of Cuba and the Marietta for the southern coast.

The managing committee of the J. R. A. requests the members of the club to assist Chief Watson to decorate the arches to be erected at the entrance to the Parliament Buildings.

Underskirts—Simply made black sateen undershirts, 66c, up; fine cambric at \$1.00; large stock underwear, hosiery, corsets and staple goods at right prices. Robinson's Cash Store 35 Yates street.

THE ST. LEGER.

Trout Beck Finished First, Prince William Second, and Beppo Third.

(Associated Press.)
 London, Sept. 12.—At Doncaster to-day the St. Leger stakes, of 25 sovereigns each for three-year-olds, about one mile, six furlongs and one hundred and thirty-two yards, was won by Trout Beck, owned by the Duke of Westminster. Mr. J. B. Jool's Prince William was second and Beppo, owned by J. A. Rothschild, was third. There were 12 starters.

The hot favorite, Keystone II, ridden by "Danny" Maher, did not get a place.

TEN PERSONS REPORTED KILLED IN COLLISION

(Special to the Times.)
 Ottawa, Sept. 12.—A report comes from Sudbury that a head-on collision took place west of that town between the Transcontinental train coming East, and a farm laborer's excursion from Quebec, going West.

It is said that some ten persons are killed and several injured, but so far no reliable information can be obtained here.

TERRORIST LEADER CAUGHT.

Captured in Moscow After Running Fight With Secret Police—Jews Fear Another Outbreak.

(Associated Press.)
 Moscow, Sept. 12.—Vladimir Mazury, the leader of the Moscow section of the "Plying group" and his principal lieutenant have been captured after a running fight with agents of the secret police in the course of which Mazury was wounded. Mazury is a mere youth and when he was caught he begged the officers to kill him immediately, recognizing that he would undoubtedly be executed. He was the directing spirit in the bank robbery committed here last March by Belenoff, and he accused of the murder of Col. Von Lozhnikoff of the secret service during the revolt of last December. He is considered to be one of the most important leaders of the entire terrorist group.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—Parcel boy. Apply The Pater-son Shoe Co., Ltd.

WANTED—A smart boy. Apply 5 Yates St.

BOY WANTED. Apply to B. C. Soap Works.

WANTED—Immediately, stenographer, with slight knowledge of bookkeeping; position probably permanent. Apply in own handwriting, stating salary expected. "Slate," Times.

FOR SALE—Polished Yorkshire sow and 7 pigs; also boar. At Hobbs', Cadboro Bay.

WANTED—One or two girls. Apply Pickle Factory, 131 Johnson street.

WANTED—New or second-hand boiler, about 25 horse power. Apply Broder Bros., Sidney.

TO RENT—Nice furnished cottage, modern improvements, central, with garden, rent \$5. Apply P. O. Box 23.

FOUND—English setter dog. Owner can have same by paying expenses. Apply D. Muir, Sooke, B. C.

In view of the expected arrival of His Excellency the Governor-General and party in this city on Friday, the 13th instant, I would respectfully request the citizens to observe the afternoon of that day as a half-holiday, and would represent the desirability of having the buildings along the route which His Excellency and suite will pass from the Government Buildings to Government House, namely, along Government street and Yates street as far as the Public Library Building, decorated on Friday afternoon, and illuminated on the following Monday evening.

A. J. MORLEY, Mayor.

Victoria, B. C., September 12th, 1906.

English Fenders and Kerbs.

THERE is now on view in our First Floor Showrooms a splendid consignment of ENGLISH FENDERS, KERBS, FIRE IRONS, FIRE SCREENS, FIRE GUARDS, ETC., in finest hammered antique copper and brass; also in burnished brass; and also in the fashionable dull black ironware. These goods are the finest products of English brass and metal workers. The designs are the latest art reproductions, and the prices are marked low to bring them within the reach of all. Here are a few short descriptions, but the goods themselves are the best criterion of their excellent merit and value:

Antique Hammered and Rivetted Copper Kerbs, 42, 48 and 54 inches inside measurement, at, each..... \$11.00, \$11.50 and \$12.00

EXTREMELY FINE COPPER FIRE SCREENS, in hammered copper, with bold reposed work, in antique hammered steel frames, at \$7.50 and \$10.00

BRASS KERBS

A splendid lot of extremely handsome Kerb Fenders, at..... \$5.00, \$6.00, \$8.00, \$10.00, \$25.00 and \$30.00

(Several of these designs are in three sizes.)

Mail Orders Receive Prompt Attention. Address Mail Order Dept.

WEILER BROS.

HOME, HOTEL AND CLUB FURNISHERS—VICTORIA, B. C.
 W. 1611.

A SUIT That's Different

We are now ready to show our patrons the finest line of Men's Suits we have had the privilege of offering our trade. The man who wants a Fall Suit that's different from the cut and dried styles that greet him at every turn, will do well to come here and see what we have to offer.

OUR SUITS ARE DIFFERENT

They are made by skilled Tailors, the best in the trade. The fabrics are exclusive and you'll not meet a dozen men dressed in the same style of suit.

If you want to get away from the common sort of Ready-to-Wear Suits, come here for yours.

FIT REFORM WARDROBE

73 Government St., Victoria.

TELEPHONE 606

JOHNSTON'S TRANSFER, 135 DOUGLAS ST.

RATES CUT IN TWO

HACKS FOR HIRE

Driving Loads - 75c per hour

G. J. JOHNSTON - Proprietor

WHO IS YOUR BAKER?

Ask him if he used

CALGARY HUNGARIAN

For his Bread. If not, why not?

SYLVESTER FEED CO., 87-89 YATES ST.



Long Dark Nights Are Approaching

Are your lights in order? If not kindly send for

HINTON ELECTRIC CO., LTD.,
 29 Government St., Victoria, B. C.
 H. 1578.

Granite and Marble Works

Monuments, Tablets, Granite Copings, etc., at lowest prices consistent with first-class stock and workmanship.

A. STEWART,
 COR. YATES AND BLANCHARD STREETS.

COAL E. B. MARVIN & CO

J. KINGHAM & CO., Victoria Agents for the Napaimo Collieries

NEW WELLINGTON COAL

The best household fuel in the market at current rates. Anthracite coal for sale. Dealers in Cord and Cut Wood.

OFFICE 34 BROAD ST. TELEPHONE 647.



Everybody Smokes Old Chum.

English Breakfast Tea

"VOONIA" Brand

1-LB. PACKAGE 50c.
 1/2-LB. PACKAGE 25c.

THE WEST END GROCERY COMPANY

USE IT ONCE YOU WILL USE IT ALWAYS!

SYDNEY J. HEALD, Manager, 45 GOVERNMENT STREET. P. O. BOX 556.