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AWAIT REPLY TO REBEL DEMAND

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS ARE SUSPENDED

Madero Wants Public Assurance That President Diaz Intends to Resign

El Paso, Texas, May 5.—Peace negotiations between the Mexican insurgents and the Mexican government were suspended to-day to await an answer from Mexico City to the proposition submitted yesterday by Francisco I. Madero, Jr., that President Diaz make public his intention to resign. Federal representatives admitted that they did not expect a favorable answer.

Judge Caraball, the government peace envoy, to whom the three insurgent commissioners yesterday presented General Madero's suggestion that President Diaz make public the private assurances were given of his intention to resign, remained in his room at a hotel here to receive telegraphic instructions as to how to deal with the rebel demands.

Dr. Vasquez Gomez, head of the rebel peace commission, also decided to stay in El Paso until Judge Caraball had advised him of a reply from Mexico City, the envoy of both sides meeting until a definite answer to yesterday's proposition had been received. The commissioners are confident of arranging the other conditions of peace within forty-eight hours if the Diaz question is once settled.

On the interpretation of the Mexican president's reply depends the fate of Mexico, rebel leaders declared to-day. Should an unfavorable reply be received they will proceed to break off peace negotiations and continue the fight with arms. They have no alternative, they say.

Telegrams have been pouring into the headquarters of General Madero from everywhere, warning him that if he consents to any arrangement which will continue General Diaz in power they will renounce his leadership and continue the rebellion independently.

Reports also have been received that the Madero claim of the mobilization of large bodies of rebel troops prepared to march on the City of Mexico, if necessary. The present armistice will expire at noon to-morrow and should peace negotiations fail, an attack on Juarez would be imminent. Some of the insurgents in discussing such a contingency to-day thought the attack on Juarez might be abandoned in view of possible complications with the United States and expressed the opinion that it would be a good move to turn the insurgent army southward, where the revolution is declared to be acquiring momentum rapidly.

The President's Statement.
Senator Oscar Braniff, one of the go-betweens, told an Associated Press correspondent it was he who had conveyed to Madero assurances of President Diaz's intention to resign. He declared that President Diaz in a conversation with him had said he felt obliged to the majority of Mexican voters who had elected him, but the moment he felt convinced that the majority of the Mexican people no longer wanted him as president he would resign.

Senator Braniff explained that he had not been directed to relate the conversation to Madero, but that he had felt at liberty to do so in assuring Madero of President Diaz's intention. He asserted furthermore, that he had personally ventured the opinion to Madero that President Diaz would resign immediately if peace were restored.

ACTION AGAINST STEAMSHIP COMPANY

Accused of Violating Contract Labor Law—Liable to Penalty to \$205,000

San Francisco, Cal., May 5.—Judge J. J. De Haven, in the United States Circuit court, over-ruled yesterday the demurrer of the Pacific Mail Company to an action demanding the payment of a penalty of \$205,000 for bringing Chinese seamen to this port on one vessel and transferring them to another vessel to work as crew. The action was brought by Andrew Furuseth, secretary of the Sailors' Union of the Pacific. His contention being that the company had contravened the law against the importation of laborers under contract.

The number of Chinese brought here was 205, and a penalty of \$1,000 for each, to be paid to the United States government, was demanded. The action was begun in 1904.

FORMER U. S. SENATOR DEAD.

Hot Springs, Ark., May 5.—Former secretary of State Senator Albert Beard Kittredge, of Sioux Falls, S. D., died last night after a month's illness with liver and kidney troubles.

NO WOMEN REPRESENTATIVES.

Toronto, May 5.—The court of appeals of the Methodist church yesterday decided that under no circumstances are women to represent Methodist congregations at national conferences. The issue was raised by the British Columbia conference, where women elected by their quarterly boards to represent the church, were refused admission to the conference.

SENT TO PENITENTIARY.

Nelson, B. C., May 5.—Two years' imprisonment in the penitentiary, the maximum sentence for attempted suicide, was the penalty inflicted by his Honor Judge Forin on F. H. Taylor, who attempted to take his life here on April 18.

SIR J. CARLING'S ILLNESS.

(Special to the Times.)
London, Ont., May 5.—The condition of Sir John Carling, who was overcome by a sinking spell yesterday, is improving. The doctors, however, are not sanguine as to his ultimate recovery.

NOT BADLY DAMAGED.

Reports regarding H. M. S. Invincible declared to be exaggerated.

Portsmouth, England, May 5.—The report published in London papers to-day of the damage to the Dreadnought cruiser Invincible while she was being docked here for an overhauling on Tuesday were greatly exaggerated. When the warship was docked it was found that some of the wooden blocks on which the great weight rested had been improperly placed and it was necessary to float her and replace the blocks. The vessel was but little damaged.

The Invincible has given continual trouble ever since she was put in commission. Her guns have not been fired for more than a year owing to difficulties with the electrically operated barbette.

ACCUSED FACES HIS ACCUSER

INFORMER REPEATS STORY OF MURDER

Brother of One of Prisoners Attempts to Interfere and is Ejected From Court

Viterbo, May 5.—Mariano Degennaro who, it is alleged, was the first to attack Genaro Cuoco, stabbing him with a dagger, was given the chance to-day to confront his accuser, Genaro Abbatemaggio.

In accordance with the criminal procedure of Italy, the alleged principals in the murder of Cuoco and his wife, having been subsequently interrogated, are now in turn being given an opportunity to stand face to face with the informer in open court and to verbally defend themselves.

As the accuser and accused stood before the judges' bench to-day Abbatemaggio retorted what he affirms was the part played by Degennaro in the tragedy at Torre Del Greco, on the evening of June 5th, 1908. He said in substance: "Degennaro was armed with a dagger and also carried in his pocket a kitchen knife which had been taken from the Cuoco home. This knife was later placed in the right hand of the dead to give the impression to those who might discover the body that Cuoco had been slain in a duel."

"When the assassins accompanied by the unsuspecting Cuoco reached the spot selected for the murder, Degennaro suddenly drew his knife and stabbed the victim. Cuoco attempted to defend himself with a pocket knife and wounded Cerrado Sortino on the hand, but he was soon overpowered. Nicola Morra also stabbed him and Antonio Cerrato struck him over the head with his cane."

"When Cuoco ceased to breathe Degennaro placed the knife in his hand, while others took a ring from his finger and from a pocket a latch-key to his apartments."

"Degennaro then went to the Inn of Mimi-a-Mari to report the success of his mission to Enrie Alfano, while the others proceeded to the Cuoco home and murdered Maria Cuoco."

Abbatemaggio's confession had been supported by the carabinieri, who claimed to have found Cuoco's ring at the home of a woman friend of one of the assassins.

This ring, they claim, was to have been sent to Luigi Arena, who from his prison cell had asked for the death of Cuoco, alleging that the latter had betrayed him to the authorities.

Sortino was found to have a wound on the hand described by the informer, but explained this by saying that he was scratched by a woman's hatpin and accidentally cut his hand with scissors. Degennaro denied every point of the story and emphatically protested his innocence of the crime with which he was charged jointly with other members of the Commora.

During the exchanges between the informer and Degennaro, a brother of the latter, who was in the audience, attempted to interfere and was ejected from the room on the order of President Bianchi.

DEATH OF HUNGARIAN MINISTER

Buda Pest, May 5.—Carl Von Hieronymi, minister of commerce, died yesterday.

DRAFT OF TREATY OF ARBITRATION

WILL BE COMPLETED WITHIN TWO WEEKS

Resolution Urging Ratification Submitted at Peace Congress at Baltimore

Washington, D. C., May 5.—The draft of the arbitration treaty between the United States and Great Britain has advanced so far towards completion that it will be ready for submission to the British government within two weeks.

Peace Congress.

Baltimore, Md., May 5.—The chief feature of the programme to-day at the third annual peace congress was the report of the committee on reports. One of the resolutions endorsed the Anglo-American arbitration treaty and calls for its ratification. Another asks that congress pass such acts as will make the government hold each state responsible for any outrage committed on the person or property of foreign subjects within that state. Still another resolution approves the proposed celebration of the 100th year of the signing of the English speaking nations.

At the forenoon session Dr. Tylenia, a professor in the University of Chicago, spoke on "Peace in Asia." He said that what vitally concerned Japan is the continuation of peace in Asia and declared that his country further that and had left no stone unturned.

OPIUM CONFERENCE POSTPONED.

Washington, D. C., May 5.—The International Opium Conference, which was to have met at the Hague on July 1, has been postponed for one year. Germany, Japan and Portugal are not prepared with the data which Great Britain desired should be presented before the opening of the conference.

UNIONIST GETS SEAT.

London, May 5.—The West Bromwich election getting was decided to-day, the recount giving Viscount Lewisham, Unionist, the seat by two votes. He had a majority of five.

SHIPYARDS TO BE BUILT AT SYDNEY

Two of World's Largest Armor Plate Manufacturers Are Interested

(Special to the Times.)
Sheffield, Eng., May 5.—It is understood that the Canadian government has definitely selected Sydney, N. S., as the site for the Canadian naval construction works. John Brown & Company and the Fairbairn Company, of this city, two of the largest armor plate and ordnance works in the world, are both said to be interested. Sydney possesses peculiar advantages in the proximity of iron ore, coal and lime.

WILL NOT AFFILIATE WITH TRADE UNION

Members of Vancouver Fire Department Decide to Or- ganize General Society

Vancouver, May 5.—The question of the dissolution of the recently organized union of the members of the city fire department was discussed at the meeting of the civic fire and police committee yesterday afternoon. While final action was not taken on the question, the intention of the firemen to surrender their charter and withdraw from the trades and labor council was shown. Instead of the present union a general society will be organized among the men, without affiliation with other organizations, which will appoint an executive to represent to the chief of the men on various questions arising from time to time, an appeal being taken to the fire and police committee and the council if a disagreement should arise.

DEPUTY SHERIFF KILLED.

Muskogee, Okla., May 5.—Jim Work, a deputy sheriff, was shot and killed in a running battle by Bob Davis, Leonard McCullough and Almond Davis, near Porum, Okla., yesterday afternoon. Davis was wanted to answer for an indictment for cattle stealing.

Feeling is high and lynching is threatened. Davis and his companions escaped to the hills and a posse is now after them.

CABINET CONSIDERING HOME RULE BILL

Ministers at Variance—Nationalists Demand Grant of £15,000,000 and Subsidy

(Special to the Times.)
London, May 5.—The Times says that difference of opinion exists in the cabinet concerning the Home Rule bill, which has been for some time in preparation. It is intended to establish a separate Irish exchequer. Nationalists demand that England at the outset pay thereinto £15,000,000 as the nest egg, apart from the annual subsidy. This question is found difficult. There is also a difference of views as to the number of representatives to be retained at Westminster and as to the condition of their retention.

TRIAL OF REV. J. PLASS.

Hearing of Charge of Using Mails to Defraud Will Begin at Boston This Month.

Boston, May 5.—The trial of the Rev. J. Plass, former president of the Close Redeemable Investment Company, of this city, will begin in the United States court May 21 on charges of using the mails to defraud. The Redeemable Investment Company was closed by the post office officials on October 1, by the Rev. Mr. Plass was in British Columbia at the time. He returned voluntarily and pleaded not guilty.

Previous to his connection with the company Mr. Plass was president of a business in Providence and was president of a college in Kansas.

MEXICAN CAPITAL STRONGLY GUARDED

OVER 300 TROOPS IN MEXICO CITY

While Rebel Forces Are In- creasing Immediate Attack is Not Expected

Mexico City, May 5.—Although to-day, the fifth of May, one of Mexico's great national holidays as the anniversary of the victory of General Diaz's troops over the French, had been fixed upon by scores of rumormongers during the last week as the date for the concerted insurgent attack on many towns and upon the capital, many were inclined to smile to-day when one mentioned the probability of immediate attack. Reports of approaching trouble are still most plentiful, however.

The rebels are admittedly stronger to-day than they have ever been before. But there is no good reason, says the war department, for believing they contemplate an immediate attack upon the capital. Should the attack be made, the rebels will be met by a garrison composed as follows, according to information from the war department: Two thousand artillerymen, one thousand infantrymen, five hundred cavalrymen and two thousand policemen.

Neither government officials nor ordinary residents in the capital are inclined to underestimate the seriousness of the situation. Both officially and unofficially it is known that the number of rebels in this part of the republic is growing constantly, and their confidence has been demonstrated repeatedly during the last week.

But for them to make an attack on Mexico City, it would be necessary, says the government's military guard, to master their scattered bands of marauders at points nearer the city and to bring seven forces now operating at distant points in the state of Durango. From the opposite direction it would be necessary to bring northward revolutionary troops from almost as far south as the isthmus of Tehuantepec. It is possible that over-confident rebels may believe that the capital can be taken with the few thousand men now within a day's ride, but the government does not think they will try it.

Reports from El Paso regarding the peace conference have caused official Mexico to believe that the end of the war is at hand. Minister De La Barra is confident that a satisfactory agreement will be reached and his opinion is shared by most of the government officials.

The government believes that with this main difficulty adjusted, it will have little trouble in dealing with the smaller leaders.

Particularly in there satisfaction over the terms of peace agreed to between the government and Ambalsia Figueroa, representing the rebels in the states of Guerrero and Morales. This leader is one of four Figueroas who are in the fore in the district comprising the states of Guerrero, Puebla, Oaxaca and Morales.

Unconfirmed reports are current in the capital of a battle which is said to have occurred yesterday at Tres Marias, 45 miles from here, between 2,000 rebels and a band of federals who had been pursuing them for several days.

PARLIAMENT TO TAKE RECESS

LIBERAL CAUCUS DECIDES ON ADJOURNMENT

Business Will Be Suspended From May 23 Until Return of Premier in July

(Special to the Times.)
Ottawa, May 5.—The adjournment of parliament was decided upon this morning at the Liberal caucus. The date was not definitely fixed, but it was expected the adjournment will be made on May 23, or a few days before, and will continue until well into July, when Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Sir Frederick Borden, and Hon. L. P. Brodeur will have returned from the imperial conference and coronation. As soon as the House resumes the reciprocity discussion will be continued until the agreement is put through.

The agreement to adjourn was reached after a great deal of serious consideration. The absence of the Premier, the question of getting supply, the fact that the United States senate is not likely to take early action with regard to reciprocity and the precarious health of Hon. W. S. Fielding, who is to pilot the reciprocity bill through the House, and who would be in charge during Sir Wilfrid's absence, were all factors which had to be considered.

It was concluded that the recess will not seriously delay the business of the House and that the seasonal programme would not be much further advanced if the House sat right on with the opposition carrying out their avowed campaign of obstruction.

The best information which reaches Ottawa from Washington is that it will be three months before the United States senate has taken final action regarding reciprocity, and this news influenced the Government in favor of an adjournment while Sir Wilfrid and the parliamentary delegation of eighteen are representing the Dominion in London.

Premier McBride arrived here this morning on his way to the coronation. There was a conference to-day between him, Mr. Borden, Hon. Robt. Rogers and Premier Hazen, who is here on Supreme Court business.

TWO FISHERMEN LOSE THEIR LIVES

Brothers Perish When Their Boat is Capsized During Heavy Squall

(Special to the Times.)
Halifax, May 5.—Two brothers, Joseph and Bernard Duggan, aged 23 and 17, of Upper Prospect lost their lives off Prospect. They left their home in an auxiliary boat to attend to their trawls. How the accident occurred perhaps will never be known. They did not return and a small steamer which has arrived at Prospect reported having seen an upturned boat and a man's cap floating on the surface of the water in the vicinity of the place where Duggan brothers were last seen before a heavy squall came along. The bodies have not been recovered.

LIVELY TIME ON ATLANTIC LINER

Passengers Protest Against Being Quarantined for Sus- pected Case of Smallpox

(Special to the Times.)
Montreal, May 5.—The steamer Dominion from Liverpool arrived in port yesterday afternoon after an eventful voyage. She was held up at the quarantine station on account of the suspected case of small-pox, 245 passengers being ordered ashore. The order near created a riot as many of the passengers protested vigorously at being put ashore and the ship officers had their hands full handling of the crowd, in fact for some minutes it was doubtful if the crew could force the passengers on shore, but after heated discussion the order finally was carried out. Beds, clothing and food had to be provided for those under quarantine and eighteen of the crew were also sent ashore to look after the wants of the passengers. Besides putting these passengers in quarantine, the health officers ordered the Dominion to be disinfected and the captain, down by vaccinated and three doctors had a busy time vaccinating 1218 persons in all, and fumigating the ship.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

At Seattle: First inning—Victoria, 5; Seattle, 0.
Second Inning—No runs.
Batteries: Victoria, Brown and Dashwood; Seattle, Joss, Dickinson and Shep.
At Spokane: First Inning—Tacoma, 0; Spokane, 0.
Batteries: Tacoma, Higgins and Burns; Spokane, Willis and Haaty.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Philadelphia—R. H. E.
Brooklyn 5 10 1
Philadelphia 0 5 6
Batteries—Barger and Bergin; Schultz and Doolin.
At Pittsburgh—R. H. E.
St. Louis 1 10 0
Pittsburg 2 5 1
Batteries—Steele and Bresnahan; Nagie and Gibson.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Washington—R. H. E.
Philadelphia 5 11 1
Washington 0 7 3
Batteries—Plank and Thomas; Otey, Groom and Almsmith.
At Cleveland—R. H. E.
Chicago 2 4 1
Cleveland 1 4 0
Batteries—Lange and Payne, Sullivan; West and Land.
At New York—R. H. E.
Boston 14 13 2
New York 6 11 5
Batteries—F. Smith, Hall and Nunnaker; Brockett, Ables and Sweeney, Walsh.

STEAMER SINKS AFTER COLLISION

THREE PERSONS REPORTED MISSING

Believed to Have Gone Down With Vessel in the De- troit River

Detroit, Mich., May 5.—The steel steamer Fisher was sunk early to-day off Wyandotte, in the lower Detroit river, in a collision with the steamer Stephen Clement of Cleveland.

Chief Engineer W. W. Auhl and Steward Louis Sugden and Sugden's wife are believed to have drowned.

The Erwin S. Fisher was a steel steamer 220 feet long, with a 40-foot beam and fifteen feet depth and was built in 1910. She was owned by the Argo Steamship Company of Cleveland.

The Fisher was down bound and the Clement up bound, and the two vessels crashed together off Grassy Island. The big Clement, 480 feet long, struck the smaller boat bow on, amidships, and tore a great hole in her hull. While the crew of the Fisher, awaked by the shock of the collision, were tumbling from their berths and running to the rail to jump overboard, the vessel turned on her side and went to the bottom.

Engineer Auhl is believed to have been trapped at his post in the engine room, while Steward Sugden and his wife are supposed to have been drowned in their cabins.

The Fisher's second engineer, whose name was not learned, was severely injured about the hips when his vessel was struck and was at first missed by the boats searching the waters. In his disabled condition he managed to keep afloat while he drifted half a mile down the river before being rescued. The Fisher lies in 35 feet of water. The survivors of the Fisher's crew were brought to Detroit by the Clement.

STRIKE ORE IN GREENWOOD.

(Special to the Times.)
Nelson, May 5.—While working on the new wagon road that is being built from Greenwood city hall to connect with the Anaconda road, a ten-inch lead of galena and quartz was struck on the Starve Out. This claim is one of a group belonging to the Argo Tunnel Co. and is only a few yards from the centre of the city.

LOGGER CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Vancouver, May 5.—Ebenzer Burch, a logger, 53 years of age, was killed at Heep's camp, Jervais Inlet, on May 1. Burch was engaged in saving through a log with another logger on the side of a hill. Burch was on the lower side, and when the log was saved through the water, the log was expected to roll down upon him, carrying him down with it and killing him instantly.

AERIAL CRAFT IN WAR.

Madrid, May 5.—The congress of International Law yesterday adopted resolutions affirming the right of nations to use aerial craft in war, provided that such use was not accompanied with greater danger to non-combatants than warfare on the earth and sea.

THROTTLED BY AN IRATE ALDERMAN

UNDIGNIFIED SCENES IN VICTORIA'S COUNCIL

Two Civic Fathers Square Up to One Another—Third Draws Reporter's Blood

There is a time in the affairs of men which taken at the flood leads on to fighting. When that full-blooded tide arises, the sea resolves themselves into the barren refluxes of cowards, and cease to hold a place in the decalogue of many virtues.

That irresistible tide arose with a voluptuous swell in the breasts of the city fathers of the city of Victoria last night; it lashed itself against its prison walls until they broke down under the continuous high pressure strain, and then careered about in mad eddy currents, damaging wherever it struck and threatening to submerge everything in sight.

Some of the things, or rather people, it damaged or temporarily submerged in the glowing heat of its riotous white caps were Aldermen Moresby, H. M. Fullerton and Gleason, and the representatives of the Colonist and Times respectively—a fairly comprehensive and representative bunch it will be admitted. The actual operations centered round the contact between Aldermen H. M. Fullerton and Gleason, and Ald. Moresby and the Colonist representative.

The latter couple collided violently after exchanging the retorts courteous and encouraging, but the former couple were unable to go on through the intervention of Mayor Morley, who would not allow his supporter to enter the ring with champion Fullerton. The scene of this interesting debacle was the committee room in the city hall, and the time about 10.30 p.m., just after the council had arisen from another of those little secret conclaves, erroneously known as private meetings.

It was perfectly apparent when the Aldermen emerged from the secret session that they had not been enjoying themselves. Each and all of them looked like squibs ready to ignite and blow up under the slightest provocation. Their combustible possibilities were not to be disappointed, for almost before his worship the mayor had cleared the main landing on his way home, Ald. Gleason, consciously or unconsciously, pushed Ald. H. M. Fullerton. This action was like the contact of the irconcilable elements of ether that express their sentiments for each other by the creation of forked lightning. Ald. Fullerton swung round his bulky form upon his antagonist and charged him with the offence. Admitting that he pushed his accuser and justifying it on the score that he was endeavoring to locate his coat, Ald. Gleason for a moment looked like an offended gladiator—but only for a moment.

A vien of rich, scarlet language was then struck, and the atmosphere, apparently becoming too sultry, Ald. Fullerton peeled off his coat to get freer air and incidentally facilitate any proceedings that might ensue, and which certainly seemed imminent. In the course of the preliminaries it became evident that the ill-feeling had been engendered by the discussion which had just ended behind tightly closed doors. The respective merits of Messrs. Mitchener and Reynolds for the position of assistant city engineer had found divided champions, and the encounter between the opposing factions had quite clearly heated all to the point of combustion. It needed but a touch more to start combustion.

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FREIGHTER REMAINS FAST ON SANDBAR

Tugs Fail to Move the Hazel Dollar, Aground on Whidby Island

Seattle, Wash., May 5.—All efforts to free the big freighter Hazel Dollar from the sand bar at Possession Point, on which she grounded last Wednesday at daylight, have been unsuccessful, and it has been found necessary to unload at least a part of the vessel's cargo before she can be floated. An inspection of the vessel yesterday has shown that she did not escape damage. The steamer's bottom is sprung and only the fact that it is double saved her from completely filling with water. When she is dragged off the bar it will be necessary to tow her to dry dock.

Although the tug Tyne and Wanderer hauled at the big freighter for several hours they were unable to free her. The greater part of the work was done at high tide, but the steamer was so firmly imbedded in the sand-bar that she could not be moved in the 25 feet of water when she went on the sand bar and shipping men who visited the scene of the accident express the opinion that she struck several large boulders when she grounded.

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Senor Braniff later issued the following statement:

"Mr. Madero declares officially that some of us have confided to him the secret that General Diaz intends to retire as soon as Mexico is pacified, and on the strength of this assertion appeals to his patriotism and invites him to come out with a confirmation of this secret, thus relieving the actual deadlock.

"In my endeavor to fight the anti-Diaz policy which has been exploited by some, for purposes which in due course of time we shall make public with appropriate and sufficient proofs, I privately and confidentially told Mr. Madero that for a long time past General Diaz was thinking of retiring from public life. I told him that now more than ever Diaz was anxious to retire to private life, not only because he thought he deserved a few years rest and freedom from the responsibilities of the last thirty years, but because he wanted to have the happiness of witnessing the consolidation of his country's stability through its political emancipation to be brought about by a patriotically and discreetly exercised suffrage, and that his obligations toward the majority of voters who had elected him, together with the prudence of the patriot, dignity of the executive and prestige and credit of the government and of the country, both at home and abroad, precluded his retirement under pressure of an armed revolution.

"Alongside of this determination the government was cheerfully willing to recognize and carry out promptly such reforms, however radical, as came from well-defined public demands, irrespective of their presence in the revolutionary program.

"In demonstration of the good faith it stood ready to grant all practical guarantees to the effect of irrevocably binding the administration to the reforms—but this in a dignified and decorous manner—a point which must interest every Mexican, be he conservative, revolutionary, or simply a passive citizen."

The credentials to the federal envoy as made public before the conference, were as follows:

"The president of the republic has designated you in conformity with those instructions which have been given you and those which we will communicate to you substantially, to proceed to discuss with Senor Don Francisco L. Madero, chief of the revolution, or with the representative whom he may name, on the basis of an arrangement which should put an end to the state of revolution and re-establish order in the whole country. In carrying out this you are able to utilize the services of Senor Oscar J. Braniff and Don Esquivel Obregon, who have spontaneously and disinterestedly intervened in an official manner in the preliminaries of the negotiations.

"In the absence of the secretary of the interior you will be able to communicate with the undersigned in all matters relating to the commission. (Sgd.) J. Y. LIMANTOUR, "Mexico City, April 27," Official Unesay.

Washington, D. C., May 5.—Increasing anxiety approaching alarm is felt by administration officials for the safety of Americans in Mexico, especially in the vicinity of Acapulco, on the west coast. Conditions described as intolerable were reported to the state department to-day by Ambassador Wilson. It is possible naval forces will be ordered to Acapulco.

The state department officials plainly were worried by the disquieting advices received from the Mexican ambassador, despite the fact that Mr. Wilson said the Mexican war department had sent urgent telegrams of instructions to the commanding officer at Acapulco to afford all possible aid to Americans.

The matter was taken up by Mr. Wilson as the result of reports that the sons of Judge Marvin Goodman had been murdered by alleged revolutionary bandits at their father's hacienda Buena Suceso, not far from Acapulco. The neighborhood of the reported crime is said to be overrun by bandits, who owe no allegiance to any organization. Mr. Wilson states also the Americans in Mexico City are becoming alarmed and the unrest is due in some measure to apprehension of the future of the peace negotiations and a consequent prevalence of anarchy.

The provincial government has notified James R. Morton, secretary of the Alberta Agricultural Association, that \$2,000 has been donated towards the construction of an agricultural and exhibition hall there. With this fund in hand the association will have a large new hall for its summer show.

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ALASKANS THROW COAL INTO BAY

INCENSED BY FAILURE OF GOVERNMENT TO ACT

Mob Takes Steps to Draw Attention to Necessity for Immediate Action

Cordova, Alaska, May 5.—The excitement over the dumping of the Alaska Steamship Company's coal pile into the bay as a protest against President Taft's failure to even acknowledge the receipt of any of several hundred cablegrams sent to him last Saturday, asking him to expedite opening of the Alaska coal fields, subsided to-day. Deputy marshals are guarding the company's property to-day.

At Seward, where the steamship company has 1,500 tons of coal, guards have been stationed. It is thought there will be no further trouble. The mob's action was taken not from ill-will to the steamship company, but as a desperate means of drawing attention to the critical state of affairs in Alaska, whose development is at a standstill because all the native coal is tied up.

Yesterday three hundred business men and citizens formed a mob, and, armed with shovels, marched to the ocean dock of the Alaska Steamship Company, where they proceeded to throw several hundred tons of British Columbia coal into the bay. The time selected for the movement was opportune, for United States Deputy Marshal Sam Brightwell was three miles away. United States Commissioner O. A. Tucker could not be found, and Chief of Police George Dooley was not found until several tons of coal had been disposed of and the "party" was in full swing.

Richard J. Barry, general agent of the Alaska Steamship Company and the Copper River railway, was in his office on the dock and was taken by complete surprise when the mob swooped onto the property. He demanded that the shoveling cease, but the crowd's only answer was "give us Alaska coal."

Barry was armed, but friends persuaded him not to fire. Workmen in the railroad shops were sent for and arrived with Superintendent Van Cleave at the same time that Chief of Police Dooley put in an appearance. Dooley ordered the mob to disperse, but President Adams of the chamber of commerce, shouted: "Shovel away, boys. We want only Alaska coal."

Demand was then made in the name of the United States to disband or suffer arrest for rioting. This demand was heeded, merchants returning to their places of business and other citizens going about their regular occupations.

Washington, D. C., May 5.—Secretary of the Interior Fisher has answered by mail the cablegrams which were sent to President Taft by the citizens of Kailala and Cordova, Alaska, asking for relief from the coal situation in that district.

Failure to receive replies from President Taft was responsible for the citizens of Cordova engaging in the "Cordova coal party." The dispatches, of which there were about 80, were turned over to the interior department by President Taft. In his reply to their messages, Secretary Fisher said he was now studying the situation in the territory thoroughly and would render such relief as he could, as soon as possible.

MISSING STATUE HAS BEEN LOCATED

Disappeared From Vancouver and Found Buried Few Miles From Lillooet

Vancouver, May 5.—A Lillooet dispatch says Professor Luchus O'Brien's \$2,000 statue has been found, buried in two feet of earth on the shore of Seaton Lake, a few miles from Lillooet. The statue is now on its way to Vancouver where it will appear in police court as evidence in the case of Charles Skinner who is in jail awaiting sentence, having been convicted by Magistrate Shaw of the theft of the statue.

The search for the statue was as spectacular as the rest of the events that have attended the statue's career since its debut into the public eye. John Kerr, a Vancouver real estate man, who at the trial of Skinner testified that he had sold the statue to a man of the name of Shuster, conducted the search. Kerr left for Lillooet immediately after Skinner's conviction. Magistrate Shaw had told Skinner he would reserve sentence pending restitution of the statue. Skinner said he thought he could return the statue to Prof. O'Brien within ten days. Fourteen days have elapsed since then and the dispatch from Lillooet would indicate that Page, O'Brien and his beloved handiwork are to be reunited once more.

In the police court Prof. O'Brien testified that he had spent two years on the modelling of the statue, that he had left it in the basement of the Skinner home because he thought it would be secure from harm, and the statue had disappeared soon after he had told Skinner that he had accepted an offer of \$3,000 for it.

Provincial Constable Gosby, who has been stationed at Fort George during the past six months, has been promoted to an inspectorship in the fisheries department at Rivers Inlet, for which he will leave shortly. Mr. Gosby is now visiting Victoria.

THROTTLED BY AN IRATE ALDERMAN

(Continued from page 1)

Prospects of an amicable settlement were dissipated all of a sudden by an untactful word from Ald. Gleason. In a moment the door of the committee room was quietly closed by the hand of the big alderman, when then squared up to his "anathema" in the orthodox fashion. All the lines seemed desperately busy for an instant, and then the mayor inserted his head into the room. From his point of view the sight was not edifying, and he immediately pleaded with the contenders to be gentlemen and to preserve the dignity of the chamber. With an exhibition of wonderful tact his worship preserved the dignity of the chamber and the peace as well by taking the not unwilling Ald. Gleason with him. And thus ended the first chapter.

Just as the mayor and Ald. Gleason departed from the scene the fight spirit broke out in another quarter. The Colonist representative and Ald. Moresby were sitting side by side on the table watching the manoeuvres which had just ended so abruptly, and so unsatisfactorily from the fan's viewpoint. Finding themselves at such close range they began to discuss things, the press being the principal object of discussion. Of course they differed in their opinions, and differed radically. The anti-press alderman referred to a certain article which he claimed was untrue and which held him up to ridicule, and declared both papers were not to be trusted. He followed this up by handing out that vigorous word, lie. The Colonist representative, not relishing the flavor, returned the compliment, and then before anyone could interfere Alderman Moresby seized hold of the reporter by the throat with both hands, in a strangle hold, and threw him to the floor.

The hands of the Times reporter were the only ones that even attempted to extricate the combatants. In a moment both men were on their feet, but they immediately came together again, and the click of knuckles connecting with prominent bones on the frontal elevation of one or other resounded throughout the room like the rattle of billiard balls against the cushion. Down they went again, and again one pair of hands pulled them apart, the rest of the aldermen standing about, either enjoying the sport, or petrified with astonishment. By this time a thin, sinuous streak of blood was flowing. The mayor, hurriedly returning to the room, was in time to see it stop. Realizing that it was not safe to leave, any two men together in the room his worship remained until everyone was safely out of the contagious atmosphere.

It is safe to say that no such scene has occurred in the council chamber of Victoria for many a day. Last night just happened to be the day on which the aldermen must be held regardless of the consequences. Now that the respective and prospective combatants have confided their opinions of one another to one another, it is possible that they will go on with the business of the city for another term, or at least until such time as the electrical sentiment again accumulates sufficient power to break down the barriers of dignity and convention.



NOT A MASTER MARINER

To the Editor:—At the recent inquiry respecting the loss of the S. S. Ingonos H. A. McLean, repeatedly addressed me as captain, thus creating in the minds of the hearers the impression that I am a master mariner. My object in writing is to remove that impression by stating that I am neither captain nor master mariner. Why Mr. McLean should so persistently address me as captain is not at all clear to me, for in my statement, taken by the police officer at my dictation, I was careful to make this plain. The police officer asked me the question, "Are you a master mariner?" I replied, "No." This was nine days before the inquiry. G. W. WOOLLETT, Mayno, B. C., May 2, 1911.

THE PACIFIC CABLE

To the Editor:—The Pacific Cable board has solved the question of the all-British service of the Empire by providing a rapid and efficient service to Australasia across the Pacific, and at a favorably reduced rate compared with the tariff charges of the Extension Telegraph Company, prior to the laying of the all-British cable from Canada to Australia and New Zealand. Sir Joseph Ward, the Premier of New Zealand, in his speech to the Canadian Club in Montreal, strongly advocated the establishment of a state-owned cable across the Atlantic.

At present there is no strictly English company conducting its own business across the Atlantic. The Commercial Cable Company is an American company, and the Western Union Telegraph Company practically controls the Anglo-American Cable Company. Without a doubt cable should be laid across the Atlantic. All the cable experts who understand the technicalities and needs of the situation are agreed that the laying of an all-British cable is of vital necessity and in the best interests of the Empire's system of submarine cable communication.

The excellent discipline and efficiency of the Pacific cable is due to Mr. Milward, the board's executive officer in Australia. Mr. Milward visited Canada last year and reorganized the entire system of communication between England and Montreal. He is the chief recognized expert in the cable world to-day, is a man of vast experience and equipped with all the special knowledge which places him at the head of the experts in the cable world.

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Chancellor of Exchequer on Insurance Against Sickness and Unemployment

London, May 5.—Chancellor of the Exchequer David Lloyd George yesterday introduced in the House of Commons the government's state insurance plan, which is declared to be the most radical bit of legislation yet undertaken by the Liberals. The plan not only insures against sickness but also against unemployment. The insurance against illness is divided into two classes—compulsory and voluntary. This does not apply to soldiers, sailors and teachers, who are especially provided for, nor does it apply to persons paying an income tax.

The chancellor divided his proposition into two parts, one dealing with sickness and the other with unemployment. By the provisions of the measure every worker whose annual earnings fall below the income tax level of £150 sterling will be compulsorily insured against illness so as to assure him the receipt of five shillings, \$1.20 per week during his incapacity. Toward this the worker would contribute about one-half, the same being deducted from his wages, while the balance would be paid jointly by his employers and the state.

The weekly assessment against the insured would be eight cents in the case of a man and six cents in the case of a woman, representing as the chancellor put it "two pints of ale or one ounce of tobacco." Everyone in the class mentioned between the ages of 16 and 65 is included in the plan.

Mr. Lloyd George said that his plan would affect 14,000,000 men and women. Provision is made whereby women will receive thirty shillings in maternity cases on conditions that they do not work for a month following childbirth, and for free medical attention for every contributor. The state would also help in the crusade against consumption, providing \$7,500,000 to aid local authorities in building sanitariums and \$5,000,000 toward their maintenance. Although in cases of a permanent disability the sick allowance would be five shillings weekly, ten shillings would be allowed for the first three months in the case of a man and seven shillings and sixpence in the case of a woman. Those who can be shown to have avoided incapacity would receive no insurance, though any necessary medical treatment would be provided.

The chancellor concluded that the total amount to be raised for the dual plan of insurance and the simplification campaign would be \$127,500,000, of which amount the state would contribute \$125,000,000 in the first year. By the fourth year the state's contribution would be almost \$27,500,000, but measures for the relief of untold misery in "myriads of homes" would have been taken. Mr. Lloyd George estimated that the state's contribution would be \$35,000,000 in 1912-13, raising to \$100,000,000 in 1915-16. Dealing with unemployment insurance the chancellor said that it would at first apply only to the engineering, shipbuilding and housebuilding trades, involving 2,500,000 workers. Both the workers and the employers would pay five cents weekly each, the state contributing \$2,750,000 a year, or about one-fourth of the total cost. The contributors, when unemployed, would receive a maximum of 15 shillings and a minimum of 7 shillings weekly. No payments would be made in strikes or lockouts.

The chancellor was cheered when he concluded his speech. J. Austen Chamberlain supported the bill, saying the opposition desired to co-operate in the legislation, and that the general approval of the principles of the bill was expressed by the representatives of all parties, although some of the details were criticized.

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THINKING THEMES

BY DR. FRANK CRANE.

The happiest people are the workers. Look at the dinner pail brigade going to the factory of mornings. Their faces are shining, their step is free and glad. And then look at the

guests of the Grand Hotel de Luxe, at the summer resort, where it costs fourteen dollars a day for board and room, a day before they begin to reuse themselves with alcohol notice how faded and bored they look.

There's a vast deal of work in the world. He is a much more cheerful individual than the man with the golf stick—except when he is a fool. Happiness is the child of weariness from work. It is the shadow cast by the light from work. Resting is not good when you rest all the time. But it is mighty good after a ten mile tramp. People who have turkey every day cannot enjoy Thanksgiving. Christmas means nothing to the child whose hands are full of dolls and candy and tin soldiers all the year around. The law that "he who will not work shall not eat" is no truer than Nature's law that "he who does not work cannot eat."

Work is the mother of joy. To find a task, making something useful is the art of life.

Work is the mother of Truth. Not by studying but by doing does the real truth about anything soak into your soul, whether it is botany or painting, languages or car building, philosophy, theology or politics.

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Similar complaints are heard with regard to the rapid decrease in the number of confirmations, and to the striking increase in conversions. Churchmen here attribute the decay of church life to the spread of Liberal theology, and to the frequent remoteness of pulpits teaching from the actualities of life.

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SETTLERS FROM THE OLD COUNTRY

Bristol Visitor Says Immigration Will Be Greater Than Ever Before

Penticon, B. C., May 4.—Immigration from the cities of the west coast of England will be greater this year than ever before, according to a statement made by F. G. Tily, of Bristol, who is visiting the Okanagan valley. Mr. Tily says that practically every steamer leaving Bristol for Canada this spring has a passenger list of one thousand or more. Conditions for the working man in the Old Country were never worse, he says. The super-tax imposed by the government is proving a tremendous hardship, and many are finding it impossible to live under the conditions. The prices of many commodities have also gone up. Much of the immigration was being directed to British Columbia and Alberta.

PREACHER WAS FINED.

Pulpit Utterances of Clergymen Are Decided as Not Privileged.

New Haven, Conn., May 5.—A jury in the superior court here has brought in a verdict for \$4,000 damages in the slander suit instituted by William Hassett, of Wallingford, against the Rev. John H. Carroll, pastor of the Church of Holy Trinity, of that place. Mr. Hassett sued the priest for \$10,000 for utterances made in the pulpit of his church in September, 1909. Father Carroll accused Mr. Hassett, who was a member of the board of education, of housing some of the school children in rooms in which "a self-respecting pig would not live." He also said the school house was a "foul, ill-smelling building, and that no one should send his child to it."

The attorneys for the defence asserted that the utterances of a clergyman from the pulpit are privileged and cannot be pleaded in an action of law, and also that the remarks were true. Father Carroll took the stand in his own defence, and admitted having made the remarks attributed to him, and said he would back them up. A copy of his sermon was read to the jury.

MONEY IN TRAM CABS.

The Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company has made an offer to extend the New York subway system on terms which provide for an expenditure of \$5,000,000 of its own capital, and of \$5,000,000 of money of the city. The figures afford an idea of the magnitude of the human transportation problem in New York and also of the importance of the five cent piece. It is expected that the interest on the cost of the work and the sinking fund requirements, some \$3,000,000 a year, as well as the cost of maintenance will be provided by the "nickel" contributions of the people who will use the tubes.

CHURCH FIGHTS GOVERNMENT.

London, May 5.—The bishops of Portugal will hold a meeting as a protest against the law of separation of church and state. It is reported that they will refuse to recognize the government's authority, and instruct the lower clergy of the province of Beira to accept the bishops' refusal to them, and make propaganda against the government at the forthcoming elections.

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and from the speech by Mr. Northington, M. P., at the American Publishers' banquet in New York. It would appear to be the intention to fight reciprocity during the present session to "the bitter end," whatever that is.

INDIAN LAND QUESTION. The Colonist of yesterday in a brief but semi-apologetic note attempts to dispose of the question raised by the grievances of the Indians of British Columbia put before the Federal Premier through a deputation at Ottawa on April 25.

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THE BITTER END.

We fear the Colonist is not following as closely as it should the course of affairs at Ottawa. Otherwise it would not hastily make the assertion that Sir Wilfrid Laurier has receded from his position in regard to his duty.

Ward Three Liberals

A General Meeting of Ward Three Liberal Association will be held at Foresters' Hall, 1415 Broad St., on Tuesday Evening, May 9.

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—Preliminary and qualifying Dominion civil service examinations will be held in the post office building next week, beginning on Monday. Rev. Dr. Campbell will be the examiner.

—An open air band concert will be rendered by the Fifth Regiment band at Beacon Hill park on Sunday afternoon. It will commence at 3 o'clock.

—Inspector of Customs William Marchant is paying an official visit to Prince Rupert. Inspector Marchant now covers the northern B. C. coast points in addition to Vancouver and some interior points.

—Members of the Victoria Lodge, I. O. G. T., are reminded that the meeting to-night is the quarterly session for the election of officers. The roll of members will be called and the quarterly password given out.

—The services for the month of May in Pemberton memorial chapel will be in charge of the clergy of the Church of England. First Sunday at 3 p. m., Venerable Archdeacon Seriven will conduct the services. A cordial invitation is extended to residents in the district to attend.

—Building permits were issued yesterday to McIntosh and Barz for a dwelling to be erected on Princess street to cost \$1,975; to C. S. Lyon, dwelling on Pembroke avenue to cost \$2,500; to Thomas Perkins, dwelling on Michigan street, \$2,500; to H. A. Porter, garage on Fisgard street, \$500; to A. Newham, dwelling on Southgate street, \$1,600.

—The ladies of the Burnside Mission will hold a sale of work on Wednesday next in the new mission hall at the terminus of the Douglas car line. Ice cream, candy, afternoon tea and numerous other attractions will be offered. An informal reception of the new pastor, Rev. Mr. Thorpe, will be one of the features of the afternoon. Supper from 6, and programme of music in the evening. Admission is free.

—Eighty-eight timber licenses were issued for lands west of the Cascades during April, producing a revenue to the province of \$12,400; 426 licenses were issued for lands east of the Cascades, bringing in a total of \$52,440; timber license transfer fees during the month amounted to \$450, penalties aggregated \$1,975; coal license fees totalled \$5,150 and coal license transfer fees, \$160, making a total revenue for the timber branch of the provincial lands department for the just-ended month of \$71,675.

—An automobile yesterday ran into a wagon belonging to Hallam & Wyndham, Ltd., 1309 Douglas street, and broke the shaft of the vehicle. The wagon was driven by a boy, who failed to get the number of the machine. The boy reported the accident to the police, but the driver of the automobile has not yet reported to headquarters. Despite the fact that the law calls on all concerned in automobile accidents to report the same to the police of the city within six hours of the accident occurring. The police ask for the names of witnesses who saw the accident, as a prosecution is contemplated. The driver of the automobile did not stop to ascertain the extent of the damage. The police are looking for him chiefly now for his failure to report.

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The annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society will be held at the city hall on Tuesday next at 8 o'clock, when reports of the year's work will be given and the election of officers for the ensuing year will take place.

LOCAL OPTION MOVEMENT.

Dr. Spencer left for Vancouver this afternoon, having spent several days in the capital in connection with local option work. On Sunday last he preached in a couple of churches and the last few days has done some organization in the wards, last night addressing the united Lodges of Good Templars at Esquimalt. He proposes visiting Victoria again early in June for a theatre lecture and rally of temperance forces.

Dr. Spencer reports that the sentiment in favor of the local option principle being applied to the liquor traffic was never stronger in Victoria or in British Columbia, and states that his recent trip to California in quest of facts in prohibition towns is proof beyond question of the advantage of the local veto.

A local option convention will be held in Kelowna on June 27 for the Okanagan district and later one in Nelson for the Kootenay district.

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TWO GUNNERS ABSENT FROM PARADE FINED

Fifth Regiment Takes Police Court Proceedings Against Persistent Absentees

Gunner P. Turner and Gunner H. L. Golder, of No. 5 company, Fifth Regiment, were each fined \$5 in the police court this morning for having been absent from regimental parade on the night of Wednesday last. Gunner Golder pleaded guilty and paid the fine at once, while Gunner Turner offered a defence and employed R. C. Lowe to defend him.

Gunner Turner is employed in the city engineer's office, and was on the occasion of the regimental parade compelled to work overtime. He, however, had notice the previous Saturday that he would be obliged to work and the prosecution, represented by W. T. Langley, held that he had sufficient time in which to make application for leave to his commanding officer.

Mr. Lowe, for the defence, took several legal objections, and maintained that had his client not obeyed the order to work at night he might have lost his position. He held the accused had given a sufficient excuse.

Major Riddway, Wilson and Captain Storey proved the enrollment of the accused on the regimental strength, and said that in the event of men applying for leave and giving a reason for their absence from parade, leave was always granted. Gunner Turner had not applied for leave.

SUCCESSFUL SALE.

The handkerchief and plant bazaar held yesterday afternoon, under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society of First Baptist church, was quite a success, the receipts being about \$100. Pastor Warnick presided over the evening session, which was rendered most enjoyable by a splendid programme of songs and recitations by the best talent in the city.

A pleasant feature was the presentation to Miss L. Scowcroft of a beautiful travelling case and steamer rug. Miss Scowcroft has been for many years the efficient and valued organist of First church and J. L. Beckwith, who made the presentation on behalf of the church expressed appreciation of her faithful services and hoped that Miss Scowcroft might enjoy her holiday trip to the Old Land and return invigorated to the home friends and beautiful Victoria.

J. G. Brown, on behalf of musical organizations of the city, attested to the ability and worth of Miss Scowcroft as an accompanist of the highest order. H. J. Pollard briefly and feelingly replied for Miss Scowcroft and added a charming tribute, with special reference to their association in the work of the choir of which Mr. Pollard was for some time the leader.

Regular \$1.25 to \$1.75 soft bosom shirts for 95c and \$1.00 to \$1.25 Japanese craps shirts with collars attached for 55c, at J. N. Harvey, Ltd., clearance sale of B. Williams & Co.'s stock, at 614 Yates St.

MANY BUILDINGS ARE CONDEMNED

City Carrying Out Its Plans—Owners Have No Recourse to the Courts

Seventy-nine buildings in the city of Victoria were put under the ban at last night's meeting of the city council. The names of the owners and the addresses of the condemned buildings were read off one by one, and the representatives of the property-owners were given an opportunity of examining the petitions who were responsible for placing them on the "dead" list. While the council ruled the matter with a strong hand an element of humor was allowed to creep in through the complaints of one or two of the owners affected.

J. A. Alkman, who appeared for Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Quagliotti, questioned the medical health officer and the sanitary inspector as to the possibility of renovating the buildings so as to make them sanitary.

In regard to one particular building he asked a host of questions without receiving a favorable reply, and then to clinch the matter he demanded: "Is there nothing in existence can make the place sanitary?" The inspector calmly replied "Yes, it will make it sanitary."

The laugh was on Mr. Alkman, and he faced with greater care in his subsequent bouts. When there was an objection raised by an alderman to the cross-examination of the city officials in regard to the condemnation of buildings, he reminded the chamber that they constituted a court. This was admitted.

Mr. Alkman announced his intention of prosecuting the matter further in the courts, but the city solicitor quickly assured him that under the section of the act on which the buildings were condemned he would have no recourse. The question of compensation was also raised, but the mayor disposed of it in the happy phrase: "I think I am right in saying that there is no intention of the part of the city to pay compensation."

Other property owners raised objections to the proceedings, and in one or two cases succeeded in having them laid over for further investigation.

The question of retaining the present matron, Miss Fenton, at the isolation hospital, came up for discussion on the report of Dr. G. A. B. Hall, the medical health officer, and as a result of his report it was decided to engage a new matron.

It was also reported that some Indians had endeavored to purchase lots in Ross Bay cemetery for burial purposes. Hitherto it has been the practice to segregate the Indians and Chinese from the whites, and the feeling was expressed by the council generally that that practice should not be departed from. The matter was finally left in the hands of Alderman Peden, chairman of the cemetery committee.

IMPORTANT SESSION TO-NIGHT.

City Council Will Consider Important By-laws and Local Improvements.

The city council meets again to-night, when a number of important by-laws, including the schools, parks and sewer loan by-laws, will be brought up. Collectively they call for an approximate expenditure of \$700,000. It is expected that all of them will be submitted to the ratepayers on or about May 18.

A number of street improvements will also be discussed, among the items on the list being the paving with asphalt of Richmond avenue from Fort street to Oak Bay, the owners to pay four-fifths of the cost; the construction of a permanent sidewalk on the north side of Simcoe street from Oswega to St. Lawrence street. These improvements are in the hands of Alderman Peden.

Another important feature of the meeting will be the report of the city solicitor concerning the Canadian Mineral Rubber Company's contract to pave Victoria. His report, which will be most extensive, will deal with the existing arrangements and difficulties in regard to the company carrying out all the work.

The possession of the triangular piece of land forming the tide-flats from Bridge street to the inner harbor will also engage the attention of the council, and it is possible that the city solicitor will be instructed to communicate with the federal authorities with a view to securing the property.

B. C. APPOINTMENTS.

The British Columbia Gazette for the current week contains announcement of the following appointments:

Hon. Thomas Taylor, minister of public works, to be acting minister of mines during the absence of the premier.

W. H. Snell, Waltham, and H. J. Baker, Savona, notaries public.

Dr. Lewis T. Davis, Nanaimo, to be sanitary inspector.

Dr. David B. Lazler, Fort George, to be resident physician.

Frederick J. Robson, Mayne Island, to be a justice of the peace.

Ald. John P. Boyd and George F. Ransome, to be license commissioners, and Ald. F. K. A. Reid and Henry S. Cleasby, to be police commissioners, for the city of Merritt, recently raised to that municipal dignity.

Arthur J. Woodward, Victoria, to be a member of the provincial board of horticulture.

Robert Henderson, Cumberland, to be secretary to the board of examiners at the coal mine at Cumberland.

Miss Jennie L. McCulloch to be stenographer and proof reader, and Miss E. G. Carthew, to be assistant proof reader at the government bureau.

George R. Long, Vancouver, and Sidney S. Jarvis, Nelson, to be commissioners for taking affidavits.

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NEWS OF SPORT

LOCAL BOXER LOSES DECISION IN BOUTS

Wm. H. Davies, of J. B. A. A., Beaten by Noworth—Weeks Still Champion

Vancouver, May 5.—Fifteen bouts, six wrestling and nine boxing, were pulled off last night at the British Columbia championship tournament and the same number will take place tonight, when the tournament concludes.

Billy Weeks won the middleweight championship again, knocking out Gil Martin in the third round, while George Walker successfully defended the middleweight wrestling title, these being the only finals decided last night.

Only two boxers from Vancouver Island have so far competed, Tom Scott of Nanaimo, going into the semi-finals of the 125-pound class by knocking out C. D. Patten of Vancouver in the second round, while Robert Noworth, of Vancouver Athletic Club, got the decision over W. H. Davies of the James Bay, Victoria, in the same class. Bert Hughes and William Roberts, featherweights, put up the best bout of the night, going three terrific rounds. Hughes had the shade at the finish and was awarded the decision.

ABOUT BASEBALL

Don't forget the booster meeting to-night to be held in the real estate office on the corner of Troncoe alley and Broad street. It is imperative that everyone, who can possibly do so, should be present at 8 o'clock. Already those who are organizing the club are going ahead with the arrangements. Badges, one of which will be given to each member, are being made.

Amos Rusie, the famous whirlwind pitcher of the New York Giants about 185, is back in baseball. He accepted a position in the Northwestern League as umpire on Wednesday afternoon, and will make his debut before a Portland crowd next Monday afternoon when the Vancouver club opens the season in the Rose City. Rusie has been living in Seattle for several weeks, and since the season opened has been taking tickets at the ball park. Rusie is quiet and unassuming. One might meet him a dozen times, and so far as his conversation went never imagine that he was the idol of the New York fans and the most talked about twirler in the country a few years ago. Without going into details, some idea of Rusie as a pitcher may be had by recalling that in 1895, while pitching for New York, he struck out 199 men in forty-

seven games. It seems to be fairly well established in baseball circles that it was Rusie's terrific speed and effectiveness that caused the baseball officials to increase the distance of the pitcher's box from the home plate to sixty feet and five-tenths.

It was current gossip in Seattle last night that Umpire Ward had been dropped. President Lindsay was out of town, so the rumor could not be confirmed.

Steve Kane has also been assigned to Portland for next week by President Lindsay, so it will not be a hard break-in for Amos. All Rusie says about his new job is, "I should do as well as some of the umpires I have seen working."

AMATEUR BASEBALL ASSOCIATION MEETS

Officers Elected—Entries Must Be in by Next Tuesday

It was assuredly a most enthusiastic meeting of the baseball association which was held in the Y. M. C. A. building last evening. The room was crowded to the doors with delegates from everyone of the amateur baseball teams in the city, excepting those in the Junior division. President S. Bowers occupied the chair.

The entries for the three leagues, senior, intermediate and junior, will not close until Tuesday, when a committee, consisting of the managers of each of the senior teams, will meet in the Y. M. C. A. and draw up schedules. These will be submitted to a meeting of the delegates and officers on Thursday night, and if satisfactory will stand. A committee of delegates from the senior and intermediate teams was appointed to revise the constitution.

Officers were elected as follows: Hon. president, Alderman H. M. Fullerton; president, S. Bowers; vice-president, R. Peden; secretary-treasurer, D. Spence. The teams entered and members of each present were as follows:

Senior, J. B. A. A.—Shanks and Plummer; Prides, Clarke and Medina; Beacon Hill, Russel and Surplis; Giants, McDiarmid, Whyte and Peden. Intermediate—Capitals, Brynjolfson and Milan; Strathcona, Jones and Brooks; East Ends, Pridham and LeRoy; Beacon Hill, Spence. Juniors, North Ward—Fulton and Dinsdale; East End, Hawk and Campbell; Olympics, Newbiggan; Swastika, Bissett and Taylor.

REPORTS SHOW TEAM IS IN BETTER SHAPE

Marshall and Hemenway Are Let Out—Two Catchers on String

On Monday the Islanders will play their first Northwestern League game on their home grounds. The rainstorm, which has prevented games being played in Seattle for the last few days, has happened very opportunely, inasmuch as it has enabled the team to get its second wind, as it were, gives it a chance to renew the race in good condition. For a time it was badly demoralised. Half the men were disabled in some way or other and, as a result, the Islanders' descent was so rapid that it threatened to put them in a deep hole. Now they have got together again, one or two bad gaps have been filled, the injured have recovered and when they take the field on Monday there is no doubt that the local fans will see a team in action that has a good fighting chance for the pennant and not an outside one.

In the first place, Catcher Hemenway and Pitcher Marshall have been released, each having been tried in their respective positions and found wanting. Dashwood has recovered his old time nerve and ginger, and Roche showed up well enough on Monday to convince Householder that there was no imperative need of another backstop just at present. However, in order to be sure that he has made no mistake, he is trying to get hold of Whaling, a former Seattle catcher, who is now in Montana. Falling him, he is going after Claffey, a Michigan state backstop with a good reputation. With either of these two on the staff there is no fear of any weakness behind the bat.

As regards the pitchers, with Brown, the latest recruit, ready to take the box whenever needed and the others, Lane, Thomas, Sage and McCreery, rounding into shape nicely, the complexion of affairs in that part of the diamond is healthier than it has been for the past week or so. Providing the rain does not prevent, Brown is slated to pitch to-day against the Giants and Thomas to-morrow. Lane will dispense the benders in the opening game against Spokane here. Clementson, said to say, played first base last Monday to the detriment of the club. Clem is really an outfielder and there does not seem to be a bit of sense in playing a man of his calibre in a position that requires in a player such essentially different qualities as

does the outfield. He will be held, for some time at least, in a utility role. Of Raymer and Goodman, the second and third basemen, there is no need to make mention as their work speaks for itself, but the shortstops have not been showing up so well. That Keller, when he gets down into condition, is the man for the place there is no doubt, but in the meantime the struggle between Reddick and Ward, for the honor of covering that portion of the infield, will continue. The former's work is steady, but it does not show the class that is required of a Northwestern leaguer. Ward, on the other hand, has all the requirements, but is at times erratic. His sprit finger is completely healed now and either he or Reddick will play short on Monday.

As regards the disastrous showing made by the team at Spokane last week, it has been asserted, not only by Manager Wattlet, but by others, who are in a position to know and are unbiased, that the Islanders were playing in hard luck and the Indians in distinctly the reverse. Not only that, but in almost all of their games, and particularly in those at Tacoma, they have been handed the short end of the decisions by the umpires. At the next meeting of the directors, at Seattle on May 14, there is going to be a strong protest made against several of the officiating gentlemen, especially Ward and Longanecker, as a result of which Eddie may be able to retain his full salary in future.

The team for the initial game in Victoria will in all probability line up as follows: Pitcher, Lane; catcher, Dashwood or Roche; first base, Maines; second, Raymer; shortstop, Ward or Reddick; third, Goodman; left field, Davis; centre, Millon; right, Householder. Unless the pitching staff "goes on the blink" again, southpaw Parks, who is still working out at the Royal Athletic park, will not be used for some time.

LEAGUE STANDING

Northwestern.			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Spokane	13	3	.813
Seattle	9	4	.690
Vancouver	8	5	.643
Tacoma	6	10	.375
Portland	4	11	.260
Victoria	3	11	.214
American.			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Detroit	17	2	.894
New York	8	7	.533
Boston	8	5	.529
Chicago	8	8	.500
Washington	7	9	.437
Philadelphia	8	8	.500
Cleveland	7	12	.368
St. Louis	4	14	.222
National.			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Philadelphia	14	4	.777
New York	11	5	.687
Pittsburg	10	5	.666
Chicago	11	6	.647
Cincinnati	4	13	.236
Boston	3	9	.250
St. Louis	4	13	.235
Brooklyn	4	13	.235
Coast.			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Portland	21	12	.618
San Francisco	20	7	.655
Oakland	13	18	.500
Vernon	16	19	.457
Sacramento	15	18	.454
Los Angeles	14	20	.412

LACROSSE SEASON TO OPEN TO-MORROW

Wards and Wests Play League Game—Boys After Mann Cup

To-morrow afternoon, providing the weather is fine, will usher into Victoria the yearly round of lacrosse. This season the lacrosse association is in a more prosperous condition than it has ever been before, the boys are consequently more enthusiastic and there seems to be some grounds for their boast that nothing but the Mann cup will satisfy them.

First of all, of course, they must pull down the provincial title, and it must be said they have more chance of doing this than they have had in any previous year. They are going about it in a more reasonable way. It stands to reason that a lacrosse twelve which has rarely, if ever, played together, some of the boys being chosen from each of three rival teams, cannot go up against a strong-knit team with any great hope of victory. That is what was done last year. This season, however, nothing so foolish will be attempted.

To-morrow afternoon the first senior league game between the Wards and the Wests takes place and immediately afterwards the representative city team will be, in a measure at least, selected. The boys chosen will then commence practicing together and will keep up the work steadily all through the season. The first provincial league game will be played on May 24, at the Royal Athletic park, and by that time it is expected the local team will be in shape to play championship lacrosse.

The game to-morrow commences at 3 o'clock at the Royal Athletic park, with Stanley Peele handling the whistle. The teams will line up as follows:

Wards	Positions	Wests
"Boss" Johnson	Goal	H. Campbell
Frank Sweeney	Point	Clegg
Joe Dakers	Cover Point	McArthur
Noel	First Defence	Styles
Kroeger	Second Defence	S. Redgrave
Brynjolfson	Third Defence	S. Ross
McCarter	Centre	L. Sweeney
Humber	Third Home	Carrs
J. Johnson	Second Home	Dempster
L. McDonald	Third Home	P. Morris
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SWIMMING DON'TS

Here are a list of very sensible don'ts for swimmers and also for those who don't swim. They have been published before, but the dangers they warn against are again to the fore.

For Swimmers:

- Don't bathe in unfrequented or secluded parts.
- Don't swim away from shore, always along the shore.
- Don't bathe alone if subject to giddiness or faintness.
- Don't swim against the stream if you come across weeds.
- Don't bathe shortly after dining; wait at least two hours.
- Don't swim near dams, waterfalls, or where reefs are growing.
- Don't dive into the water without first ascertaining the depth.
- Don't swim without protecting your ears, if subject to ear trouble.
- Don't sit in a boat or stand about undressed after being in the water.
- Don't swim too far out in the sea or lake unattended by a boat or an expert swimmer.

For Non-Swimmers:

- Don't throw the hands or arms out of the water.
- When canoeing take a life belt if you are not an expert.
- Don't go beyond the depth of your hips if you can't swim.
- Don't plunge or struggle when you find yourself in deep water.
- Don't grasp any persons who approach you; do what he tells you.
- Don't attempt to get into a boat coming to your rescue; catch hold of the stern until assisted to get in.
- If you follow out these directions when in distress in the water you will help yourself and others coming to your assistance.
- Tread water by keeping the legs moving up and down, as in walking upstairs. Hold an oar or canoe paddle, plank or branch of a tree in the middle when thrown to you; an oar or paddle with the blade flat on the water will keep you up if you don't struggle. Take in long breaths through the mouth and inhale through the nostrils; this makes the body more buoyant and keeps you warm.

EAST ENDS GOING STRONG

The East End Athletic Club has decided to enter two teams, junior and intermediate, in the City league this season. Hawke and Levy, respectively, have taken over the management of the teams. Anyone wishing a place on either team will be on hand at the North Ward park in the evenings and Sunday mornings.

CRICKET SEASON OPENED

London, May 5.—The County Cricket season in England opened successfully this week, Nottingham winning the A. M. C. C. by 66 runs and Surrey beating Warwickshire by an innings and 46 runs.

Cotton mills in India are making no profits, but heavy losses owing to the high price of cotton. Fourteen closed in January and six in February, throwing 20,000 people out of work. The jute mills in Calcutta are working only five days a week.

COUNTRY CLUB RACES

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EXPRESS TRAIN AND YARD ENGINE COLLIDE

Three Baggage Coaches Damaged—None of the Passengers Injured

Vancouver, May 5.—The C. P. R. express from the east, due at the station at 12:30 o'clock yesterday, was in collision with yard engine 1734 at the North Vancouver ferry crossing of the main line of the railway at 12:15 o'clock. Luckily the yard engine was proceeding slowly and the damage consisted of the ripping of wooden paneling from the sides of three baggage coaches attached to the inward bound express, the knocking of a piston gas reservoir from its supports under one of the cars and the breaking of some cast iron car fittings.

Immediately behind the baggage cars on the express was a colonist car filled with Italians. They piled out when the collision occurred, and for a moment it looked as if a panic would occur, so great was the rush for the doors of the coach. Before their anxiety to escape could get the better of their judgment, the train was brought to a standstill and none of the men were hurt.

The accident was caused by the yard engine attempting to make the main line tracks from the False Creek yards just at the time the incoming passenger train was passing the junction point. The engineer of the yard engine reversed and threw on his brakes when he saw the approaching passenger train, but the rails were slippery and his engine slid forward till it struck the side of the first baggage coach, ripping and splintering it. The two following baggage coaches were served in the same manner. Before the passenger coaches reached the danger point, the train was brought to a standstill. After a delay of a few minutes the express was able to proceed to the station.

NEW C. P. R. SERVICE

Through Train Will Be Run From Toronto to the Coast.

Toronto, May 5.—Citizens will, after June 4, be able to travel from this city direct to Vancouver by the Canadian Pacific railway train. The C. P. R. has long had this service under consideration. Under former conditions citizens traveling to the Coast over their lines had to make connections at Winnipeg with the Imperial Limited or the Pacific express from Montreal, but by the new arrangement local people will be able to go direct to the Coast without changing, which is a change of great importance. Just how the train will be made up has not been decided as yet, but it will be fully up to the standard of the famous C. P. R. Imperial Limited. It is probable that some of the luxurious new compartment sleeping cars and compartment library observation cars which the company is now building at their Angus shops at Montreal will be included in the train.

The change in the Toronto-Winnipeg-Vancouver service will be accompanied by other changes in the Montreal service. The Imperial Limited from Montreal via the Coast, but the Atlantic and Pacific express will, after June 4, be known as the Eastern and Western express and will be run between Montreal and Winnipeg only. This will give practically the same service on these lines as before, but the new train will make connections each way with the through train between Toronto and Vancouver. The new Western express train will leave Montreal at 10:30 a. m., and on the return journey will leave Winnipeg at 8:30 p. m., or about 20 minutes after the arrival of the train from Vancouver for Toronto. The Imperial Limited will leave Montreal as formerly at 10:30 p. m.

UPHOLD THEIR PASTOR

Tacoma, Wash., May 5.—Declaring that he made a false confession of wrongdoing to Rev. Thomas E. Elliott, district superintendent, and D. J. Seller, president of the Puget Sound University, for the sole purpose of ascertaining whether there was any Christianity in the Methodist church, Rev. A. A. Metcalf, pastor of the Midland church, so impressed the members of his congregation with his sincerity that they are standing by him almost to a man. Metcalf and a young woman who has since been befriended by his wife, had doubts as to whether there was much true Christianity in the church. According to their statements, they faked a confession, giving it in confidence to Elliott and Seller, and three others, and some one broke the confidence. Elliott asked for Metcalf's resignation. The young woman is on the verge of a nervous collapse. Mrs. Metcalf had to take her into the Metcalf home.

BANK CLEARINGS

Toronto, May 4.—The bank clearings for the week follow:

May 4, 1911	May 5, 1911
Montreal	\$ 51,993,700
Toronto	26,036,828
Winnipeg	24,767,240
Vancouver	16,011,111
Ottawa	2,558,029
Calgary	2,449,772
Quebec	2,461,961
Victoria	3,097,264
Hamilton	2,794,179
Hull	1,631,696
Edmonton	1,752,949
St. John	2,221,692
London	1,382,538
Regina	1,429,819
Brandon	554,574
Totals	\$151,001,151

The following cities show this year only:

Leithridge	\$ 367,500
Saskatoon	1,182,297
Brantford	362,738
Moose Jaw	812,401

STRIKE SPREADING

Pittsburg, Pa., May 5.—The Pennsylvania railroad shompen's strike is spreading. About 300 men employed in the shops of the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne & Chicago railroad, on the north side, joined the movement yesterday. Two hundred men quit work at the Verona branch of the Conemaugh branch of the Pennsylvania railroad. The railroad company continues to employ men in the different shops. No disorder has been reported.

SOME REPRESENTATIVE OPINIONS OF SUBSCRIBERS TO THE NEW (11TH) EDITION OF THE Encyclopaedia Britannica

Several thousand subscribers to the new Encyclopaedia Britannica who recorded their applications in advance of publication recently received Volumes I. to XIV. of the work. The Cambridge University Press has received hundreds of congratulatory letters from those who are now in possession of these volumes. The following extracts are typical of the general comments made by subscribers in their letters, and demonstrate with what an extraordinary degree of satisfaction and enthusiasm the new work—particularly in the India paper flexible binding format—is being welcomed by all classes of the educated English-speaking public:

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It is expected that the steamer Newington, Capt. Barnes, will return to port same time from the west coast. She has been away for several weeks and besides landing stores and supplies at different points has been to Triangle Island, where the glass in the big lantern has been strengthened so as to withstand the terrible velocity of the gales which blow there. Gordon Halkett, who has been on a tour of inspection, is returning on the vessel. The steamer Quadra is now in the dry dock at Esquimalt being overhauled by the B. C. Marine Railway. The work will take several weeks, as besides painting and cleaning the vessel considerable repair work has to be done. It is expected that the Newington will shortly be laid up for an overhauling.

To have some regular work done, the new dredger Mastodon has tied up alongside the Victoria Machinery Depot. She will be there for a few days.

RUSHING WORK ON DOCK.

Expect to Have Marine Depot at Rupert Finished by Winter.

Every effort will be made by the Pacific Coast Construction Company, contractors for the Dominion government marine station at Digby Island, to finish the work before winter sets in. T. Stedham, the general manager for the contractors, has about thirty men clearing the site at Prince Rupert in a short time he will start about seventy men on the general construction work.

The plans call for a wharf 450 feet long which will be connected with buoy sheds, machine shop, power house and carriages store by a railroad. The water to supply the station will be got from the little river in the island. Two thousand feet of 8-inch pipe together with a 6-inch main will be laid to get the water from the river. A complete

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Brought South From Massett and Will Be Sent to Ottawa by G. T. P.

Bearing all the marks, figures and carvings which were gouged in it a half century or more ago by the Indians of the Far North, a large totem pole fully sixty feet in length and about three feet in diameter now lies on the G. T. P. docks, having been brought south from Massett last week by the steamer Henriette. The big stick so grotesquely arranged is to be shipped to Ottawa to be placed outside the G. T. P. hotel-Chateau Laurier, after it has received the attention of some of the local anthropologists.

Showing the age of the odd piece of timber is the fact that it is in rather a bad state of preservation and although none of the markings on it have been effaced it needs immediate attention in order to be preserved. Having been exposed to the sun, the heat of heavy rains and the storms for so many years nearly all the paintings on the ancient stick have been blotted out.

To replace all the marks which graced the pole when it was first placed on public view and attempt to check the progress of the worms and bugs which are eating away the stick, is the work facing the local men who have studied the methods pursued by Indians in a case of this kind. The method pursued in painting the totem poles so that they may bear some meaning to any person who has studied the Indian customs, is an art which is known only to a few white men, and they are mostly old-timers.

This massive pole held a prominent place in the Indian village at Massett and was selected by G. T. P. officials owing to its size, magnificent carvings and also for the history which is attached to it. It is one of the finest poles in this province and it is to occupy a most conspicuous position at the Chateau Laurier. It is understood that other poles are to be sent to the east.

DEPARTS ON FIRST

OUTBOUND PASSAGE

Weir Liner Luceric Passed Out To-day—Strathdale Next to Arrive Here

With every available inch of space in her capacious holds taken up by Puget Sound freight, the new Bank liner Luceric passed out to-day for the Orient. This is the first outward trip to this port last month. Besides having a cargo amounting to 12,000 tons aboard, the vessel's passenger accommodation was just about all taken up. The liner has a well fitted saloon and is bound to be well patronized by those who cross the Pacific.

Included in the cargo of the Luceric are six automobiles, which will soon be the delight of dusky joy riders in Manila. The bulk of her cargo consists of 210,000 sacks of flour, 70,000 sacks of wheat, 400,000 feet of lumber and considerable machinery. The majority of the immense cargo was loaded at Portland, Seattle and Tacoma while the vessel also took on some freight at Vancouver.

The next steamship of the Weir line to arrive here will be the Strathdale, under charter to the line, which is due on Thursday next. According to her schedule she was to have arrived here on Sunday but owing to the fact that she cleared from Yokohama five days late she will not dock here until the latter part of the week. Word has also been received by the local agents of the line that the steamship Syster left Manila on Wednesday with 15,955 bales of hemp, the largest cargo of this material ever brought from the Far East. For a long time most of the hemp sent from the Orient to New York was shipped via the Suez Canal. The Waterhouse line, however, is engaging in a campaign for securing the material to be forwarded on their boats. New York merchants realize that the trans-Pacific route is the quickest and they are now having most of it carried by the Bank liners.

The power schooner Shamrock has arrived at Seattle from the banks with a thrilling story of the capture of a seven-foot flying fish, known to have done more than 100 feet over a measured course at an altitude of six feet above the surface of the water. From the captain to each man aboard it is sworn that the story is impeccable, and that the body of the prize piscatorial aviator is produced.

Preparations now are almost completed for dispatching the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey ship Patterson north to Sanak Island, Alaska, where she will engage in the work of surveying the dangerous shoals and reefs which jut out in all directions from that portion of the Aleutian Archipelago. Capt. William E. Parker, who is in command of the Patterson, expects to get away from West Seattle within a few days. The Patterson will spend four or five months in the north while the surveyors are taking out marine soundings and maps of the localities near Lenard-Rook, Sanak Island and near the mouth of the Alaskan peninsula.

Laden with a good cargo of freight and carrying a large number of passengers for the north, the G. T. P. steamer Princess May, Capt. McLeod, will leave port at 11 o'clock to-night for Skagway.

LOCAL PILOT CHOSEN

AS SEALING EXPERT

Capt. Charles Harris Will Attend Conference at Washington This Month

To act as one of the experts at the Sealing Conference which opens at Washington on May 15, Capt. Charles Harris, a member of the Victoria Pilotage, is leaving shortly for the United States capital. He has just received official notification of his appointment to that important post of which brief mention was made in yesterday's issue. Capt. Harris is to act with W. A. Pound, acting superintendent of fisheries at Ottawa.

Without the slightest doubt Capt. Harris is one of the best informed men on the sealing question on the Pacific seaboard. He is well versed in every department of the sealing industry and for this reason he has been selected to fill a most prominent part on the agenda for the conference. Having been employed in the sealing business for many years there is very little that Capt. Harris does not know about it.

Horn in Eastern Canada. Capt. Harris commenced his sea faring career when a lad of fourteen years. During his time afloat he has had many thrilling adventures being shipwrecked twice on the Atlantic coast, once when the Eastern Clipper was sunk in Island harbor in 1882 and a year later when the schooner Trial when she struck Whitehead. In 1889, when nineteen years of age, he came around the Japanese coast in the schooner Sapphire as one of the crew, determined to try his fortune on this coast. For two years after his arrival here he remained ashore. He then started sealing with the schooner he came around the Horn in and secured several large catches with the vessel. In 1893 he took the schooner May Belle to the Japanese coast and in the following year took the E. B. Marvin to the same grounds, returning with good catches on both occasions. Several years ago he was made master of the B. C. Salvage steamer Savor and resigned that position only a short time ago to become one of the Victoria pilots, following the resignation of Capt. Buckman.

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It is too seldom by far in these days that a Victoria audience is given an opportunity to see a production of the work of the greatest of dramatic poets. There is, with infinite regret it must be recorded, a disinclination on the part of actors of to-day to devote their talents to the portrayal of the characters drawn by the master of dramatists.

There is an erroneous idea that the public of this continent does not want Shakespeare. The audiences which can be gathered in any theatre in Canada or across the line to witness a performance by a reputable Shakespearean actor gives the lie to that. But theatrical conditions are such at present that there is not growing up a new generation of interpreters of the Bard of Avon in any number. A revival there will undoubtedly be, but too far in the future to give much solace to the play-goers of to-day. Of course, there are in the old hand men like Forbes Robertson, Benson, Tree and Arthur Bourchier, of whom this side of the Atlantic does see much, nor can it expect to.

It is still the privilege of a Victorian audience to occasionally have a visit from Frederick Warde, who has done so much to arouse and perpetuate an interest in the work of Shakespeare

beyond the bounds of the library. He is about the last of the old school of tragedians, and preserves all the high traditions of the school, even if he also carries on some of its faults. He keeps the noble presence, the classic rhetoric, the excellent diction which always marked the school, but he retains, too, a lack of spontaneity, fire and inspiration which were, with all respect, characteristic of the school. Last evening Mr. Warde revisited the Victoria theatre, the tragedy of "Julius Caesar" being the vehicle chosen for his appeal to an appreciative if not over-large audience.

"Julius Caesar" is not among the best of Shakespeare's plays from a stage point-of-view, and it requires all the art that can be supplied by a company of very capable actors to make it go at all convincingly. A great piece of literature it undoubtedly is, with perhaps a larger number of splendid declamatory passages than any other of the plays; with scenes of strong appeal; but as a dramatic story the play is disconnected and diffuse, and when it is adapted for the stage these faults are all the more apparent. A great defect in it is the death of the hero—if, indeed Caesar is to be considered his hero and not Brutus—at too early a point in the action. This breaks the play up into two distinct portions, which are ill-connected; it is deficient in feminine characters and it lacks even the historical unity which is a requisite of the drama.

Mr. Warde, who formerly played Marc Antony, on this tour is taking the role of Brutus, one of the finest rôles of them all. There is really more scope for his great qualifications in the part of the chief of the conspirators than in the other. He gave a picture which one felt to be quite sincere, though not as convincing as it might be, of the noble, high-minded, justice-loving, amiable man who, alone of the conspirators against great Caesar, was actuated by pure and patriotic motives. He has lost none of his art and power in reading the lines of Shakespeare, his clear, well-modulated delivery being a pleasure to listen to. But with his performance, as with the whole production, it was impossible to avoid the conviction that there was too much of the platform and not enough of the stage.

Ernest Burke inherits much of the dramatic talent of his father and his elocutionary ability. He gave a broad interpretation of the character of the lean and hungry Cassius, playing with fire and dash in the later scenes, where the jealousy of his disposition and his irritability of temper are apparent, and during the progress of the conspiracy bringing out the points with sufficient emphasis. At times he was distinctly better than Brutus.

Edward D'Oise was at his best in the funeral oration, giving the lines with emphasis and force.

The female roles in the play are the Pollard Opera Company, directed as

not important, Calphurnia having but the one scene wherein she endeavors to dissuade the dictator from venturing forth on the idea of March, and Portia—"Brutus' Portia"—that wherein she essays to draw from her husband the secret of the conspiracy. Miss Going and Miss Hillan did what little fell to them satisfactorily.

The balance of the company filled their roles without giving cause for any particular adverse criticism but equally without cause for commendation. One virtue all had, from association with their leader, that of clear and distinct enunciation. Too often the words did not carry the weight they should but always they were at least heard.

There is no humor in this tragedy, but as presented last night there was some involuntary humor supplied by the mob of Roman citizens as they stood around the bier of Caesar and listened, first to the calm statement by Brutus of the case for the conspirators and for Rome against Caesar, and later to the impassioned accents of Marc Antony as he cleverly worked the people up into a feeling of at least distrust of their new leaders. While this was going on the mob had a very faint idea of acting all to themselves which was frequently amusing and rather detracted from the effectiveness of the oration.

The scenic setting of the play was adequate but not sumptuous, and carried out the Roman atmosphere. So, too, with the rich but simple robes of the senators.



"The Mikado" The following is what the British Columbian, New Westminster, said about "The Mikado," which is to be presented at the Victoria theatre here next Saturday night:

"The Mikado," as presented by the Vancouver Amateur Operatic Society, is most certainly worth seeing. A representative of The British Columbian witnessed the performance at the Vancouver Opera House on Tuesday night, and enjoyed the production thoroughly from start to finish.

The company is probably the most talented amateur organization that has appeared before the footlights on the coast, and their work would put many of the professional opera companies far in the background. Throughout there is a vim and enjoyment of their parts shown by the performers that is contagious. Evidently no expense has been spared to make the setting and the costumes harmonize with the play. The music was excellently rendered and the singing good.

Alfred Gouling, stage manager of the Pollard Opera Company, directed as

Ko-Ko, and the humor which he infused into the play is alone worth going to see. As the lord-high executioner, he was given every opportunity to show his ability as a comedian; he quickly won the hearts of the audience, and was recalled on every possible occasion until he absolutely refused to appear again. The "three little maidens" made a decided hit and were presented with bouquet after bouquet of flowers over the footlights. Miss Ruth Cordingley as Yum-Yum proved an excellent exponent of the Japanese beauty. Miss Livia Ford and Miss May Chester, the others in the trio, were equally good in their rôles.

Allick Lauder. The fact of belonging to the same family as Harry Lauder ought to be sufficient guarantee to the people of Canada, of the ability of any member as a humorist. In Allick Lauder, the younger brother of the world-renowned Harry, the people of Victoria will have the chance of a lifetime in hearing the panky Scotch humor of this noted comedian, when he appears here on Monday, May 8. Mr. Lauder is considered quite the equal of Harry, and in fact by many people is considered, in some lines of humor, by far superior. The company assisting Mr. Lauder are all stars of the first magnitude. There will doubtless be one of the largest audiences ever seen in the Victoria theatre on Monday evening.

On Musical Reciprocity. Dr. Charles Harris, who is alone responsible for bringing the Sheffield Choir on its world-wide tour of the Empire, in the course of which it will visit Victoria on May 17, 18, and 19, has been laboring with success at the gospel of "music as a binding link between outlying cities of the empire and the seat of empire government in London" for a decade past. Originally, Dr. Harris shared the Gore-Ouseley scholarship at St. Michael's College (England) with Dr. Sinclair, now organist at Hereford cathedral, and after his appointment in 1884 as organist at Montreal cathedral his efforts during a period of years ensured the endowment of a chair of music at the McGill University.

His self-sacrificing services in this matter, and in empire directions, were recognized by the Royal Academy of Music (London) three years ago, when he was elected a Fellow; he had conferred upon him the degree of Doctor of Music by the Archbishop of Canterbury, under the seals of Henry VIII and Edward VII, on the recommendation of Sir A. C. Mackenzie, Sir Walker Parrott, and Sir Hubert Parry; and was subsequently made a liveryman of the Worshipful Company of Musicians; and a life member of the Royal Society of Music by the Archbishop of Canterbury, and the Society of British Composers. He was appointed adviser throughout Canada by the Royal College of Organists; conductor of the State concerts to his Excellency the Governor-General at the capital, honorary director of examinations for the Associated Board throughout the Dominion.

The campaign of musical reciprocity which he initiated in 1893 in Canada by a cycle of musical festivals, was participated in by 4,000 Canadian singers under the baton of Sir A. C. Mackenzie, who came out from England for that purpose; and in 1896 he organized a Canadian-British musical festival in

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London, at which the King was present. In November two years ago he toured Canada with the Sheffield Choir.

FOUND HEROD'S PALACE. Jerusalem to Jericho. The foundations are in a complete state of preservation, and Prof. Sellin says the palace might easily be reconstructed after the original plans.

Herod, called "The Great," was King of Judea, from 48 to 4 B.C. He was noted for his excessive cruelty and ambition for his love of building cities, temples and palaces.



These For Sale Advertisements Will Bring About Some Real Estate Sales To-Day

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YOUNG GIRL IS MYSTERIOUSLY SHOT

Wounded by Unknown Man at Kamloops—Police Searching for Assailant

Kamloops, May 4.—Celia De Mark, a fourteen-year-old girl, is now lying in the Royal Inland hospital with both legs so badly shattered by a shotgun wound that in all probability they will have to be amputated in order to save her life.

The two little sisters of the wounded girl were present when the shooting took place but nothing approaching a definite story has been secured from them beyond the fact that a man came to the door and asked for a drink.

MUST HAVE LICENSES. Edmonds, May 4.—Those engaged in businesses of various descriptions and also owners of dogs, had better beware if they fail to comply with the by-laws which have recently received the sanction of the Buraby council.

POOL ROOM REGULATIONS. Nanaimo, May 4.—At the weekly meeting of the city council a communication was received from Albert Hilbert, on behalf of the pool room proprietors of the city, urging special consideration be shown in view of the conditions here, which were not the same as in other cities.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH. Vancouver, May 4.—That deceased came to his death by accidental explosion of a hot water apparatus, said apparatus for heating not having necessary safety appliances which would be a benefit and are recommended by this jury.

GUilty OF WOUNDING. Vancouver, May 4.—The first conviction entered in the spring assizes was that of Richard Tighe, a blacksmith, who was found guilty of unlawfully wounding a young man named Archie Murchison in Paterson's blacksmith shop on Columbia avenue, last November.

BY-LAW IS INEFFECTIVE. Vancouver, May 4.—That the city cab by-law is ineffective as a collector of fares, appears to be the purport of a decision handed down by Magistrate Shaw in the case of P. B. Darley.

FIRST LETTER BOXES. Prince Rupert, May 4.—The first letter boxes for the streets of Prince Rupert have now been installed.

WILL EXAMINE MINING PROPERTY

Granby Officials to Inspect Group of Claims on Observatory Inlet

Vancouver, May 4.—A party of mining men have gone to Observatory Inlet in connection with the final examination of the Hidden Creek group now under bond to the Granby Smelting Co. of Grand Forks.

It is understood that the second payment will be made on June 15 as a result of the extremely favorable outlook at the mine, which has several hundred thousand tons of ore in sight.

Mr. Graves stated that if the group passes inspection on the present trip operations will be continued on a very large scale. The development work carried out since the Granby secured the bond was quite satisfactory.

LIGHT AND POWER. Nanaimo, May 4.—At the close of the weekly meeting of the city council, the members met informally and discussed the question of granting a franchise to the B. C. Hydraulic Company for erecting poles along the streets of Nanaimo and distributing electricity for power and light.

VERDICT OF WILFUL MURDER. Vancouver, May 4.—The inquest held over the dead body of a newly-born male infant resulted in a charge of "wilful murder" being brought against some person or persons at present unknown.

PIONEER PROSPECTOR DEAD. Vancouver, May 4.—The death occurred in the General Hospital of Thomas Van der Yndt, well-known throughout the mining districts of British Columbia and recognized as one of the most prominent old timers. Death was due to pneumonia.

NANAIMO RESIDENT DEAD. Nanaimo, May 4.—The death occurred Tuesday of Matthew Thomas Clark, a well known resident of Nanaimo, who finally succumbed after a lengthy illness, cause of death being heart failure.

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CITY OF VICTORIA

A complete list of Local Improvement Works, authorized by By-Law, from time to time, will be found posted on the Bulletin Board at the main entrance to the City Hall.

Re Local Improvement Works

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, having determined that it is desirable:

1. To light Broad Street, between Fort Street and Cormorant Street, with electric light columns bearing cluster lights, and to construct the necessary conduits for carrying wires underground.

2. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Esquimalt Road from Bridge Street to Point Ellice Bridge, and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said Road, including cost of sewer, surface drains and water laterals, and moving of poles, if necessary.

3. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Burnside Road, from Douglas Street to Washington Avenue, and construct permanent sidewalks of concrete, with curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance), on both sides of said Road, also sewer, surface drain and water laterals, and moving of poles, if necessary.

4. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Bay Street from Douglas Street to Bridge Street, and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street.

5. To pave with an asphaltic pavement, Douglas Street from Fisgard Street to Pembroke Street, and construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also sewer, surface drain and water laterals, and moving of poles, if necessary.

6. To pave with an asphaltic pavement, Douglas Street from Pembroke Street to Hillside Avenue, with curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also sewer, surface drain and water laterals, and moving of poles, if necessary.

7. To widen Douglas Street from Humboldt Street southerly to Superior Street to a uniform width of 100 feet, and to expropriate the necessary property therefor.

8. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement, Pandora Avenue, between Douglas Street and Vancouver Street, and construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said Avenue, between Douglas Street and Quadra Street; also sewer, surface drain and water laterals, and moving of poles, if necessary.

9. To expropriate the necessary property for the purpose of extending Burdette Avenue (formerly Bell Street) from Douglas Street to Linden Avenue, to a uniform width of 60 feet.

10. To expropriate property in Block "H," Fairfield Estate, in order to make a street of a uniform width of 66 feet, from Linden Avenue to McKenzie Street, and to grade and pave with asphalt said street when made, and construct permanent sidewalks on both sides of said street, with curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance), also sewer, surface drain and water laterals.

11. To light Broad Street between Fort Street and Cormorant Street with electric light columns bearing cluster lights, and to construct the necessary conduits for carrying wires underground.

12. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Esquimalt Road, from Bridge Street to Point Ellice Bridge, and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said Road, including cost of sewer, surface drain and water laterals, and moving of poles, if necessary.

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

Re Local Improvement Works

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable:

1. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Pembroke Street from Quadra Street to Chambers Street, and to construct permanent sidewalks, with curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance), on the south side thereof, from Quadra Street to Chambers Street, and to construct a permanent sidewalk on the north side of said Street from Quadra Street to Vancouver Street, and to construct curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance) on the north side of said street from Quadra Street to Cook Street, including sewer, surface drain and water laterals, and moving of poles, if necessary.

2. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Oscar Street between Cook Street and Moss Street, and to construct curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance) on both sides of said street, from Cook Street to Moss Street, and to construct a permanent sidewalk on the north side of said street from Linden Avenue to Moss Street, and on the south side from Cook Street to Moss Street; also sewer, surface drains and water laterals and move poles, if necessary.

3. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Oxford Street between Cook Street and Moss Street, and to construct permanent sidewalks on both sides of said street, with curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance) and sewers, surface drain and water laterals, and move poles if necessary.

4. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Cornwall Street between Richardson Street and Fairfield Road, and to construct permanent sidewalks of concrete on both sides of said street, with curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance), and to construct sewer, surface drain and water laterals, and to move poles, if necessary.

5. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Faithful Street, between Moss Street and Cook Street, and to construct permanent sidewalks of concrete, with curbs, gutters and boulevards (including maintenance), on both sides of said street, and to construct sewer, surface drain and water laterals, and to move poles, if necessary.

6. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Broughton Street, between Douglas Street and Blanchard Street, and to construct curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also to construct a permanent sidewalk on the north side from the east line of Lot 57, Block 23, to Blanchard Street, and sewer, surface drain and water laterals and move poles if necessary.

7. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement Howe Street, between May Street and Dallas Road, and to construct curbs, gutters and boulevards on both sides of said street including maintenance) and move poles, if necessary.

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

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

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C. City Clerk's Office, April 21st, 1911.

RE LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable:

1. To construct sewer, surface drain and water laterals to each rock lot on Asquith street, between Edmonton road and Haultain street;

2. To construct sewer, surface drain and water laterals to each rock lot on Cecil street between Edmonton road and Haultain street;

3. To construct sewer, surface drain and water laterals to each rock lot on Forbes street between Edmonton road and Haultain street;

4. To construct sewer, surface drain and water laterals to each rock lot on Victor street between Edmonton road and Haultain street;

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

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C. City Clerk's Office, April 15th, 1911.

STREET CLOSED

Notice is hereby given that Fort street, between Yates street and St. Charles street will be closed to traffic until further notice.

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Guards Keep Intruders From GOLD Says World

The Vancouver Daily World is authority for the statement that many of the claims on Steamboat Mountain, the newly discovered and now famous mining camp, are so rich that, since the bushes have been cleared away, it has been necessary to employ guards to keep intruders from picking up and appropriating small nuggets. Samples brought to Vancouver from Steamboat have shown values staggering to both prospectors and assayers, many of them showing thousands of dollars to the ton, and not being specially selected, but fair average specimens.

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DYNAMITING AT LOS ANGELES

EX-PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT WRITES ON OUTRAGE

Declares Guilty Parties Must Be Punished Irrespective of Standing

New York, May 5.—Ex-President Roosevelt will have a signed article entitled "Murder is Murder," in the Outlook this week, dealing with the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times and the arrests recently made by Detective Burns. Mr. Roosevelt says:

"There is one feature of the developments as regards the arrest of certain alleged labor men in connection with the dynamiting outrage perpetrated against the Los Angeles Times which special attention should be centered. If the explosion was not an accident, but the deliberate act of any man, it was an outrage of dastardly iniquity, for it was one of those crimes in which the murderer, in order to gratify his spite against an individual, not only wrecked that individual's property but with callous indifference took the lives of a score of innocent people as an incident to the accomplishment of his sinister and criminal purpose. The men responsible for the dynamiting of the Times building are responsible, not only for the wreck of the paper office but for the loss of many lives.

"The arrests were made in consequence of testimony secured by Mr. Burns, who has been Mr. Heney's right hand man in bringing to justice grafters who violated the laws of California in San Francisco. He has proceeded with impartial severity against the most influential politicians and the richest business men. It happens that the men whom he has now arrested are members of a labor organization; just as men he formerly arrested were members of Republican or Democratic parties or of great wealthy corporations.

"It would have been a wicked thing in the former case with which Mr. Burns had to do if the leading Republicans or Democrats had combined to break him down and support the accused, merely because the accused belonged to their political parties, and it would have been a wicked thing for big capitalists and business men to make common cause with the capitalists.

"Whenever any political party or any capitalist did actually take this position, whether in the case of men prosecuted by Mr. Burns or in any other case, the Outlook unhesitatingly and severely denounced them. In the same spirit I state the convictions of the Outlook in expressing its hearty reprobation of conduct of those labor leaders who, without waiting to know anything of the facts of the case, have attacked publicly to the defence of the alleged dynamiters whom Mr. Burns has now arrested and who talk about the arrest as being part of a conspiracy against labor unions.

"No worse service can be rendered by labor union leaders to the cause of unionism than that which they render when they seek to identify the cause of unionism with the cause of any man guilty of a murderous attack of this nature.

"I have no idea whether the men arrested on Mr. Burns' statement are or are not guilty; the labor leaders in question have no idea whether or not they are.

"They are entitled to an absolutely fair trial. If they have no money to employ counsel for themselves, then it would be entirely proper for any body of men to furnish them the requisite funds, simply as an incident in securing them a fair trial.

"But it is grossly improper to try to create a public opinion in favor of the arrested men simply because the crime of which they are accused is committed against a capitalist or a corporation, and because the men who are charged with committing it are members of a labor union.

"This is an iniquity as gross as it would have been if when, three years ago, the sugar trust was indicted for swindling operations in the New York customs house, the forces of organized capital had been put behind the indicted men on the ground that the attack on capitalists guilty of crime meant an attack on all capital.

"Undoubtedly there have been repeated cases where representatives of capital have thus endeavored to prevent successful assaults on abuses committed in the interests of capital, and in every such case, no matter how wealthy or influential the offender, the Outlook believes that he should be condemned.

"It now takes the same attitude when the question is one of identifying the cause of unionism with alleged murders that it has always taken when the question was one of identifying the cause of capital with alleged swindling, and it appears to the honest and law-abiding laboring man exactly as it appears to the honest and law-abiding business man, for both are, first of all, American citizens, whose attitude towards the fundamental principles of morality and good citizenship must be identical.

necessity, be a prime need of any civilization claiming itself such.

"Whether the man attacked is a capitalist or a Socialist, a wage-carrier or a professional man, has nothing whatever to do with the question, and whether the man attacking him does or does not belong to any organization, whether of labor or of capital, whether social or religious, has nothing to do with the question.

The one and only question is as to the guilt or the innocence of the men accused. Any man who seeks to have them convicted if they are innocent is guilty of a crime against the state and any man who seeks to have them acquitted if guilty is also guilty of a crime against the state.

(Sgd.) THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

PRESBYTERIAN HOME MISSION WORK

Report Submitted at Synod of British Columbia—Fund for Church Extension

Vancouver, May 5.—The whole of last evening's session of the Synod of the Presbyterian church of British Columbia, after the usual religious exercise, was devoted to home missions.

Rev. W. Leslie Clay of Victoria introduced the discussion by reading the report of the home missions committee for the church year ending March 31. The report stated that there were at present in the province eighty missions, an increase of twenty per cent over last year, and also dealt with the financial contributions that had been received from each Presbytery to make up the \$15,000 allocated to the synod for home mission purposes last year. The announcement was made that the allocation for the same purpose set by the Central Home Mission committee for ensuing year amounted to \$17,000.

At the conclusion of the report the committee submitted a number of recommendations for the consideration of the synod. They recommended that the presbytery of Victoria should raise \$2,400; the presbytery of New Westminster \$10,200; the presbytery of Kamloops \$2,250 and the presbytery of Kootenay \$1,150 in order to meet all allocations, that each presbytery be urged to take the most expedient steps towards raising the amount; and that the Presbytery women's home mission society be requested to consider the question of providing women desiring to enter upon special missionary work with the necessary training.

After the reading of the report, Rev. Mr. Wilson, superintendent of Home Missions in British Columbia; Mr. G. E. Gibson, of Vancouver; Rev. D. Campbell, Enderby; and Mr. Wilkie, Nakusp, Kootenay, delivered addresses on the subject. Superintendent Wilson referred to the great assistance that had been rendered by the laymen of the church in the home mission field during the past two years, and advised upon the necessity of congregations and individuals in the church taking an active part in the missionary work. In concluding he said that within the next two years there would be between 250 and 300 new towns in the province, and that the church would have to face the tremendous problem of winning them for Christianity.

The report was laid on the table for further discussion.

At the afternoon session Rev. J. H. White introduced an overture asking for a fund to be organized which would apply to the whole synod for the purpose of church extension. He advised the formation of an association to be incorporated under the Religious and Benevolent Institutions Act, to consist of a board of management of 25 members elected from the Presbyteries comprising the synod, and having as its aim the raising of \$50,000 for buying church sites and making loans to congregations in building. The synod adopted the overture and will report the action to the general assembly.

SPREAD BY STREET CARS. Edmonton Officials Fix Blame For Infection of Scarlet Fever.

Edmonton, May 5.—That the epidemic of scarlet fever which has been the cause of over 25 patients being removed to the isolation hospital in the last few days is being spread through the medium of the street cars, is the opinion of both the provincial and medical health officers here, who have notified the street car officials that all the cars must be properly disinfected at once. The street car department has also been advised to install a vacuum cleaning outfit for cleaning the cars at once, as some of them are said to be in a dirty and unsanitary condition. The medical officers have studied the situation carefully and have come to the conclusion that neither the milk being delivered or the city water is responsible for the outbreak, which is rapidly assuming alarming proportions.

Zam-Buk Healed Baby's Sores

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FROM SCULLION TO AUTHORSHIP

Striking Evidence of Pluck and Perseverance Given by Subject of Mikado

It is difficult enough for an Englishman or Canadian to write a book in French or German, yet his labors sink into insignificance when compared with the travel of a Japanese student who undertakes to write a book in an Occidental language. For while English has a certain semblance of similarity to German or French, the Japanese language has nothing in common with any of the languages of Europe. Because of this peculiar fact, Dr. Ueyehara's "The Political Development of Japan" challenges particular attention. And the circumstances in which the author acquired English and attained high scholarship forced a deep sense of respect.

Like many of the Japanese boys who come to America for education, George Yetsujiro Ueyehara had but scanty means to realize his ambition. But he knew that where there is a will there is a way. Soon after his arrival in Seattle he became a domestic worker and toiled with brooms and mops and frying pans to carry him through high school. By the time he was ready to enter college his aspirations and his assiduity had attracted the attention of M. Furuya, one of the largest Japanese merchants on the Pacific coast, through whose generous assistance he was enabled to pursue his academical studies. When he was graduated from the University of Washington at Seattle with a degree of Master of Arts, he conceived the idea of going to England so that he might study the British system of parliamentary government in comparison with that of his native country. Again the generous merchant extended a helping hand and made his plan possible of realization. While in England Ueyehara matriculated as a student in the London School of Economics and Political Science, and prepared a thesis on the political development of Japan, which won him the degree of Doctor of Science. It is this thesis which we have before us in book form. It is issued by the school in question as one of a series of monographs by lecturers and students. While the work was completed in England, its outline was marked out while the author was still in this country for he submitted to the University of Washington a thesis on the same subject.

The peculiar nature of the constitutional government of Japan is, the writer believes, due to the peculiar nature of mind of the people. The western people of migratory nature attach the first importance to the ego; to the Japanese, "kokkwa," or country and home, stands before all things. The egotistic westerner says, "I came out here, I'll make my home," whereas the self-sacrificing Japanese says, "The kokwa protects me and my posterity." The Japanese cannot think of home independently of the state. To him a home is a perpetual institution, not a mere family abode—the culmination of love between a man and a woman. Hence the highest virtue in Japan is not pure love, but, as in ancient Greece, duty to the state. And in the centre of this great home stands the mikado. Indeed, he is the state itself. He can say "L'Etat, c'est moi," not because he sways his sceptre with an iron hand, but because his subjects intuitively recognize him as the supreme being in his realm. Can a liberal form of government achieve a wholesome growth in such a country? This question Dr. Ueyehara answers with this metaphor: If children can be said to be the slaves of their fathers, who have "patria protestas," then the Japanese people have always been the slaves of their sovereign; and if political freedom and liberty are, only co-existent with the sovereignty of the people, as the dreamers of the direct and complete application of abstract political formulae believe, then the Japanese people have no political liberty and freedom.

As a matter of fact, however, the Mikado, unlike the reigning ruler of Germany, does not attempt to grasp control of affairs of state in his own hands. The Japanese do not wish to

embroil the Mikado in political complications fearing that such a course might undermine the dignity of the sovereign. In deference to this national desire the Mikado acts in strict conformity to the advice of the cabinet. And as the cabinet exercise administrative powers in the name of the emperor, it is responsible only to the emperor, and not to the diet or the people. Herein lies the peculiarity—weakness if you please—of the constitutional government in Japan. The constitution provides that the budget becomes law only upon the approval of the diet, but if the government incur expenditures in excess of the fixed estimates, the diet can do nothing but approve it. Indeed, the influence of the cabinet is such that the members of the house of representatives can scarcely hope to secure their own legislation, as governmental bills have precedence over bills originating in the diet. Moreover, the cabinet answer or refuse to answer at their pleasure any question put to them by the members of the diet.

Is the diet, then, an innocuous, useless institution? Not so, asserts Mr. Ueyehara. He finds consolation in the fact that the meetings of the diet "ply the government with questions ferreting out faults and blunders in every nook and corner of the administration."

The mistakes of the government thus exposed by the diet must inevitably shake the public confidence reposed in it, and so ultimately bring about a change of cabinet. In addition to the right of impeachment, the diet has the more effective means of embarrassing the government is to address to the throne a memorial pointing out unsatisfactory conditions of administration, and stating that the cabinet is acting contrary to the magnanimous will of his Majesty and thus betraying the sovereign's trust.

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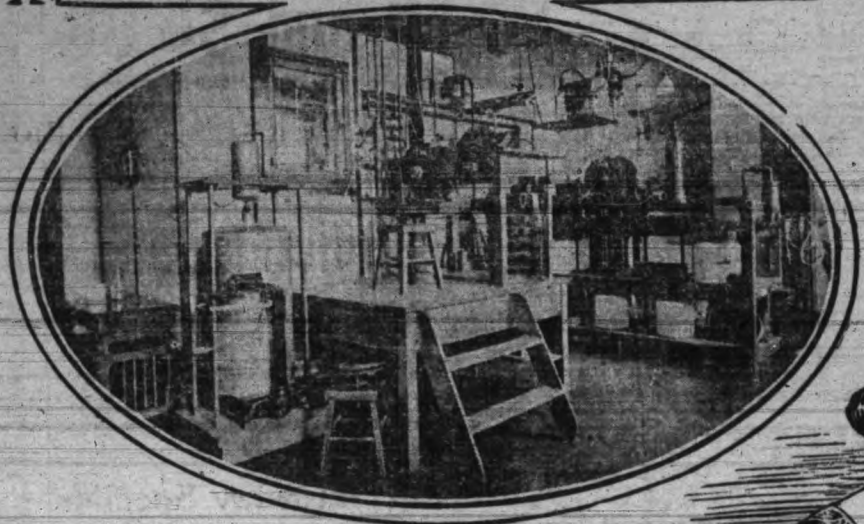
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VINDICATION OF THE MALIGNED WELSH RAREBIT

IT'S Not Indigestible, Says the Department of Agriculture, and, Furthermore, Cheese Is More Nutritious Than Eggs or Fish



Improved Respiration Calorimeter at the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., Showing Air Copper Chamber in Which Men Were Locked and Fed on Cheese

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DRAVE and immediate danger threatens the United States Department of Agriculture. When the professional funny men of the newspapers and magazines read what is here set forth it will be surprising indeed if they do not descend en masse on Congress and President Taft and demand the abolition of that department forthwith. What may happen is a serious thing to contemplate, for the funny men's wrath is much feared by public men, and a Presidential election is less than two years off.

The great Welsh rarebit hoax has been exposed mercilessly by that department. The long suffering public is informed that all the "funny" stories and pictures of the Rarebit Fiend, that traditional standby of the joke-mongers, are based on a fallacy; that this delectable midnight viand is not indigestible, does not create physiological disturbances in the human body and, therefore, is not responsible for the visits of red devils and green eyed monsters to those who have been reckless enough to disregard warnings born of pure superstition.

Professional funny men who have placed their chief reliance in the Rarebit Fiend will have to resort to coercion to have the Department of Agriculture abolished as a menace to the prosperity of the working men of the country and its ukase reversed by legislation or Executive order, or they will have to turn to writing up funerals for the city editors. Those who have used the rarebit fiend as a friend to whom to turn only in time of a scarcity of better material will have to join in the movement, or make up their minds to lose their minds trying to find the more elusive material for joke making.

There is only one chance for the Department. The subject is not being officially discussed by Mr. James Wilson, the Secretary of Agriculture, but he is counting on this chance. It is that the public will be so overjoyed at the prospect of relief from impositions of the funny men that they will organize a movement of such vast extent and importance as to completely swallow up the feeble efforts of their oppressors. In that event, of course, the funny men are doomed.

The scientists of the government are seldom humorists, therefore they may not see the point of the facts as here laid down. Their investigation of the Welsh rarebit is a very serious affair. It has involved the use of apparatuses with names as long as a Senatorial speech and as intricate as the problem of existence on a five-dollar-a-week income. They have locked men up for several days in an airtight copper box and fed them raw and cooked cheese through a hole. What they don't know about cheese isn't worth knowing.

This is a part of the great work of the department to improve the food supply of the country, as it appears on the dinner table, to tell the people what to eat and how to prepare it, and then explain the effect it has on the human system. "Cheese" it will have a new meaning after this information is spread broadcast over the land. It is one of Uncle Sam's mortars for a long and healthy life.

Mr. C. F. Doane, assistant dairyman of the Bureau of Animal Industry, who has made a special study of cheese, both foreign and domestic, says:

"No kind of meat excepting dried beef contains such a large percentage of protein as cheese, and as dried beef contains a much greater percentage of water than the other food constituents, aside from protein, are much less than are found in cheese. Fresh beef as purchased has, weight for weight, little more than half the food value of cheese either in protein or fat, and the same is true of practically all other fresh meats, which have in many cases such a large percentage of refuse and in all cases such a large percentage of water that they are noticeably inferior to cheese in food value.

Its value was concerned was as good a food as the same cheese at any stage of ripening. The difference was largely in the matter of palatability, the ripier cheese being more relished by the patients in most cases.

In these cheese experiments and others which have been a part of the nutrition investigations the human body is treated exactly as if it were a steam engine or some other sort of mechanical device for generating power. Dr. C. F. Langworthy, expert in nutrition, will drum this into the head of any person who wants to know about the work. He says:

"An engine cannot run, a machine or draw a train unless it has fuel, which is converted into energy or, as we say, which is used to generate power. In the same way the body must have fuel for the work of all sorts which it performs; for instance, for the work expended by the mason in laying stone, or by a carpenter in sawing or driving nails, by a woman who sweeps or does her housework, or by a child who runs and plays; and the body must have fuel for the work that goes on inside it, such as the beating of the heart, or the movement of the chest when we breathe—a sort of work which is less often thought about and so less familiar to most of us."

Again he says: "With an engine it is immaterial

but slightly less efficient than the most perfect gas engine.

Here is the way it is figured out:—The power or energy value of the various foods is measured in calories. Food of say 500 calories of energy value is fed to a man under the right sort of conditions and he is put to work. Everything is measured, even down to the chemical substances that are in the air he breathes, and the result is that it is discovered that he is able to do 100 calories of work on that amount of food. The other 400 calories are used up in the human machine. In an engine made by man this would be counted as lost; in the body it is not, because it keeps the heart beating and the chest heaving—or, in other words, gives life and intellectual power.

Engineers know to an exactitude the fuel value of the coal they use. It is ascertained by simple tests. The same thing is now being done with the food that is eaten every day by the American people. This, of course, is theoretical. It is done by means of what is called a "bomb calorimeter" because of its resemblance to a bomb. The food is placed inside of this steel made apparatus and is then burned electrically at high pressure, while the bomb is immersed in water. The heat and consequently the fuel value is determined by the rise in the temperature of the water. It is for the practical test of the food in the body

called an ergometer, and especially constructed with an electrical device for measuring the amount of power exerted by a break operated from the outside. It reaches 300, 450 and even 600 calories. In this connection it may be stated that a calorie is the heat measuring unit in an amount of heat that would raise the temperature of one pound of water 4 degrees Fahrenheit.

The slightest movement of the subject is detected by the increase in the heat given off by his body. If he turns over in bed while sleeping it is registered in calories. When he gets up and stretches it is clearly indicated by the rise of the temperature of the water coming from the chamber. In order that the test may be absolutely accurate during the digestion of certain foods the subject is fitted with a tube into which he breathes and the waste matter that is cast off through the lungs is measured. The labor involved in conducting a complete experiment can be judged approximately when it is stated that it requires the entire time of sixteen men.

The following table shows the average normal output of heat from the body, as shown by the respiration calorimeter:

	Calories
Man at rest, sleeping.....	65
Man at rest, awake and sitting up.....	100
Man at light muscular exercise.....	170
Man at moderately active muscular exercise.....	290
Man at severe muscular exercise.....	450
Man at very severe muscular exercise.....	600

The exact figures on the subject of cheese have not yet been made public and will not be for several weeks. The department has thousands of calls every month for bulletins giving this sort of information, but it would be useless to send for this one now. It must first appear in the form of an article in the Year Book before it can be published separately for distribution under the rules of Secretary Wilson. Enough is known, however, to make it certain that cheese, especially in the cooked form, is perfectly digestible and is recommended to the American housewife and restaurant keeper and to the man and woman who is a crank on the subject of dietetics to be eaten in large quantities like bread and meat.

In bulletins that will be issued the nutritive value of the different kinds of cheese will be compared and there will be all sorts of information for the cheese lover and for others who are looking for the "real thing" in the food question. The main object of the department in making these interesting experiments is to improve the meal that is set before the average American citizen, whether it be in his home or in a public place. The publications of the department are made text books in many universities where home economics are taught, and they are sent to anybody who writes for them.

One evidence of the value which the people place



Dr. A. C. True

"Bacon or fat pork are exceptions, but their food value is mostly in fat, which can be, and is, replaced to a great extent by the carbohydrates of vegetables at a much less cost and sometimes, perhaps, at a benefit to the health of the consumer. Fish and pork have a notably large percentage of refuse, while eggs have a high percentage of water.

"To sum the matter up, a pound of cheese has nearly the same food value as two pounds of fresh beef or any other fresh meat; it is worth as much as or more than a pound of ham and is more digestible, and it is equal to two pounds of eggs or three pounds of fish in price good cheese made from skim milk costs about a third more than round steak and twice as much as the cheaper boiling beef, while it costs practically the same as smoked ham and bacon. It costs usually a third more than fresh fish.

Cheese Coming Into Its Own.

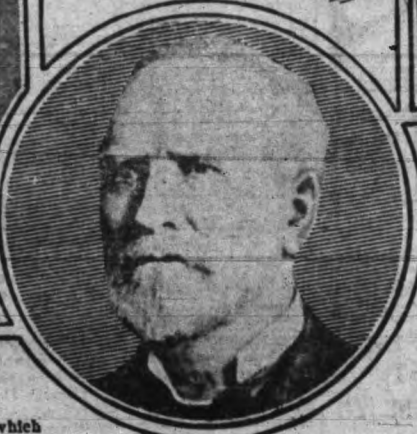
"Cheese can no longer be discriminated against because of a suspicion that it is not a healthful food. The absolute lack of any disturbance in the general health of the subjects used in the experiments reported by the department is proof that cheese can be eaten in large quantities without danger to health. The Swiss cheesemakers, also many of the Swiss farmers of South Wisconsin, eat unusually large quantities of cheese and they are noted for athletic attainments and physical endurance. They brought the custom of cheese eating from their native country, where cheese is a very important item in the diet.

"The consuming public, especially that part of it which needs to practise economy in buying food, would do well to turn its attention a little more toward cheese, since greater quantities can be used at a saving to the consumer."

The cheese experiments were begun several years ago at the government experiment station at Middletown, Conn., and were completed in Washington. At Middletown the subjects were mostly students of Wesleyan University between the ages of nineteen and thirty-two years. A total of 184 experiments were made and a total of 65 human subjects were employed. The young men were not confined to a cheese diet, although that was the principal article fed to them. Many enjoyed it and were willing to eat free cheese over a period of two weeks. They ate bread, bananas and oranges. Green cheese and cheese in all stages of ripening was used and no appreciable difference was found in its digestibility. The perfectly green curd was evidently as digestible and as far as nutritive



Method of Conducting Air from the Lungs in Cheese Experiments



James Wilson

whether the fuel be wood, coal or anything else which is convenient, provided the quality is satisfactory and the engineer knows how to use it. With the human machine it is something the same. All ordinary foods are useful when rightly combined, and each country will naturally make use of the food supply which may be most easily and economically produced."

Professor A. C. True, Director of the Office of Experiment Stations, a few days ago said:—"Most families use cheese to a greater or less extent, but in the United States it is the custom to use it rather in small quantities and more as a condiment than as a staple article of diet, perhaps owing to a belief that cheese in quantity disturbs digestion. This question has for some time constituted an important feature of the nutrition investigations and it has been found that cheese is thoroughly digested when eaten in quantity as a chief source of protein and fat in the diet and that it does not produce physiological disturbances. To round out this work information is needed regarding the ease of digestion of cheese as compared with other staple foods, and this question is being studied with the respiration calorimeter."

There you have it. The wonderful machine that has been used and is still being used to study cheese, cooked and raw, is the respiration calorimeter, and it is a wonderful machine in appearance and in its accomplishments. By means of it the discovery has been made that the human engine produces power in the ratio of five to one as compared with the fuel value of the food eaten. This means that it is slightly more efficient than the most perfect steam engine,

that the respiration calorimeter is employed. This consists of an airtight copper box, large enough for a man to live in comfortably for several days. A ventilating current of air is pumped through the chamber at such a rate that the subject is always supplied with a sufficiency of pure air. The chamber contains a folding bed, chair, table, &c., and is provided with means for the introduction of food and drink and the removal of dishes and other things without letting in outside air. The "bad air" is purified by means of oxygen injected into the ventilating current.

Just as in the case of coal, the energy value of food is measured by the quantity of heat produced. A study of the heat given off by the human body on various diets and different conditions of work and rest is therefore of the greatest value in determining the nutritive value of food. A current of water is run through the chamber in pipes. By an ingenious device this is used to keep the temperature at a comfortable point and also to measure the heat given off by the human body. It is simple enough to take the temperature of the water before it goes in and after it comes out.

During the period of deep sleep and on an ordinary diet the subject usually gives off heat from his body at the rate of 90 to 75 calories an hour, or enough to raise the temperature of from 1.8 to 1.7 pounds of water from freezing to boiling. When he rises and sits quietly the hourly rate increases to 100 or 125 calories. When he works on a stationary bicycle,



Ergometer for Measuring the Power of the Human Engine and the Fuel Value of Foods

upon the work being done by Dr. Langworthy is that eight million copies of the various nutrition bulletins have been mailed to individuals on request since the work began. It may also be news to millions of housewives that Dr. Langworthy or somebody in his office will undertake to straighten out any knotty table question for her if she will just write to the Office of Experiment Stations, United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

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 Mrs. Arthur Burdick will not receive to-day.
 F. G. Billings is on a visit to Vancouver.
 W. C. Hall of this city is in Vancouver, at the Hotel Vancouver.
 Mrs. E. Hartland and daughter left yesterday on a visit to Spokane.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McLean, Vancouver, are on a short visit here.
 Mrs. R. R. Watson, Tennyson avenue, will not receive on Wednesday, May 19.
 Miss Flora Smith has returned from a fortnight's visit with friends in Vancouver.
 Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wood, H. M. C. S. Rainbow, paid a visit to Vancouver this week.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Roberts, Vancouver, are spending a few days here with friends.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilkerson have been the guests of Dr. and Mrs. McPhillips, Vancouver.
 Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kerr, who recently married in Seattle, are spending their honeymoon here.
 Dr. O. M. Jones is visiting his ranch in Lillooet while his residence on Fort street is being rebuilt.
 The Misses Elizabeth and Winnifred M. Snowcroft leave next Tuesday on an extended visit to England.
 Mr. and Mrs. E. B. McKay spent last week in Vancouver as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McKinnon.
 Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wallis, Toronto, are in Victoria and intend spending several weeks in the city and vicinity.
 Mrs. McLagan and the Misses McLagan, Clayburn, B. C., have returned home after a week's visit to Vancouver.
 Robert Thomson has come from Nanaimo to this city, where he has accepted a position with the Canadian Northern.
 Mrs. C. A. Steele and Mrs. J. H. Burdige returned home yesterday from Vancouver, where they were attending the horse show.
 John R. Black is spending a few days in Vancouver with his sister, Mrs. Victor Doyle. From Vancouver he will go east to visit his old home, Ottawa.
 J. H. Oldfield, of Kirby-Gardiner-Oldfield, Winnipeg, has purchased Frank W. Stevenson's home on Pemberton road, through Arthur Coles, and will reside here.
 Mrs. Helen Lang, formerly of Victoria and now of New York, says she feels a call for the stage and that to answer it she will abandon a fortune of \$50,000 left her by her uncle.
 Police Magistrate A. S. Hood, Phoenix, who recently resigned, has been asked by the attorney-general's department to reconsider his decision and has been promised an increase of salary.
 Last Saturday at Trinity Methodist parsonage, Vancouver, the marriage of Mr. Evan Scott and Miss Myrtle Leontine Eskstein, both of Vancouver, took place. The honeymoon is being spent here.
 Isidore Haldenstein, manager of the Apollonia Water Co. for the United States and Canada, is in the city on a business trip. It is four years since he was last here and he comments with wonder at the great changes wrought.
 Mrs. Roland Hills, Vancouver, announces the engagement of her eldest daughter, Miss Ina Hinman, to Lieut.-Col. Ernest F. Gunther, Toronto, who has been appointed superintendent of fire insurance for the provincial government.
 A. E. Craddock, secretary of the department of agriculture, has been granted a three months' leave of absence, during which he will make a tour of England and Ireland, his native land. Mr. Craddock will leave on Monday next.
 On Monday evening the Broad street hall was the scene of a most enjoyable dance. The occasion was the breaking up of Miss King's dancing class. The hall was beautifully decorated, and the floor was in perfect condition. Miss

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WEATHER BULLETIN
 Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.
 Victoria, B. C., May 5, 1911.
 Victoria—Barometer, 29.62; temperature, 46; minimum, 46; wind, 4 miles N.W.; rain, .50; weather, rain.
 Vancouver—Barometer, 29.60; temperature, 46; minimum, 46; wind, calm; rain, .65; weather, rain.
 Kamloops—Barometer, 29.54; temperature, 50; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, clear.
 San Francisco—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, 65; minimum, 45; wind, 4 miles W.; rain, .48; weather, rain.
 Edmonton—Barometer, 29.70; temperature, 38; minimum, 28; wind, 4 miles S.W.; weather, part cloudy.
 Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.05; temperature, 52; minimum, 41; wind, 18 miles S.; weather, cloudy.
 Victoria Daily Weather.
 Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Thursday:
 Temperature:
 Highest..... 62
 Lowest..... 45
 Average..... 53
 Rain, .65 inch.
 General state of weather, cloudy with showers.

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 She has many brothers and sisters in this lack of courtesy. Almost daily some epistle comes to me asking help or information or advice, and omitting to do the decent thing by supplying me with the vehicle in which to send what is wanted.
 It seems to me rather like going over to borrow something of a neighbor, and not only expecting her to supply the molasses and milk, but nonchalantly announcing that you didn't see fit to bring a cup and that she will have to supply that, too.
 Only in the case of a stamp. It is a gift, not a loan, that's asked.
 Yes, I know two cents is a very little matter.
 But a hundred two cents is more, and a thousand two cents means a good deal to most of us.
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 And now, while I'm talking to my correspondents, I might as well say one or two things which have been on my mind for some time.
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 Please do not be afraid to sign your names, whatever you write. I have never published a name, and I never will without the owner's express permission.
 I cannot close any talk with my letter friends and acquaintances without once more expressing my thanks to the dear good folks who have sent me words of appreciation and cheer and constructive criticism.
 Dear friends, do you know my heart just aches with happiness sometimes to think there are such kind people in the world, and that fate should have brought me in touch with them, when I so little deserve that wonderful good fortune.
 That you should think such kind things to yourselves would be sweet enough of you, but that you actually take the time and make the effort to put them on paper and send them to me—it's wonderful.
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AIMS TO BENEFIT WHOLE WORLD
Ambassador Bryce on Proposed Anglo-American Arbitration Treaty
Ottawa, May 5.—There is no dissenting voice being raised to international arbitration either in Great Britain or the United States.

Crystal Theatre.
The programme at the Broad street house is an exceedingly good one for Friday and Saturday. "An Elevator Romance" (Thanhauser), is a portrayal of the thrilling adventures, sharp trials and real perils encountered in an office building.

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All subscriptions to new building past due one month. Money urgently needed to open building clear.

COURT OF REVISION
The Court of Revision will sit in the Council Chamber, Oak Bay Avenue, on Saturday, 13th May, 1911, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of hearing complaints against the assessments made by the Assessor and for revising and correcting the Assessment Roll.

CHARGES DISMISSED
Witness in Alleged Theft Case Says He Was Coerced Into Making Complaint
Seattle, Wash., May 4.—Charges of grand larceny against Assistant Chief Thomas Numan and Fireman G. E. Bobbes, growing out of an alleged case of looting during the fire in the Eyres storage warehouse ten days ago, were dismissed in the justice court yesterday when Walter Eyres, who was relied on as the principal witness for the prosecution, testified that he had not signed the complaint against the men of his own volition, but had been coerced into doing so by Major George D. W. Dilling.

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT
DISTRICT OF SAANICH (South).
Take notice, that I, Rosalie Maud Scharnschmidt, of Victoria, married woman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Being an island, situated about 1/2 mile north-easterly from the floating buoy placed at the entrance to Tod Inlet, Saanich Arm, said island containing two acres more or less.

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SUSPECTS IN CUSTODY
San Francisco, Cal., May 5.—The police here received information from Auckland, New Zealand, that an extensive jewel robbery occurred there several weeks ago, and Wm. and Marie Rodgers, who were arrested here on a charge of bringing stolen jewels from Sydney, Australia, will be held pending the receipt of instructions from New Zealand police. In a letter which Rodgers attempted to smuggle from the city prison, the words "Holy City, N. Z." occurred, and this has strengthened the belief of the local detectives that they have the Auckland suspects in custody.

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TO MAKE LONDON A SILENT CITY

Rubber Pavements to Supplant Stones in Streets of Capital of Empire

Not the least interesting of the exhibitions to be held in London in the coronation season is the rubber exhibition, which is to be opened in the agricultural hall at the end of June. It is expected that within ten years there is every chance of London streets being covered with a new rubber composition pavement, and that London, instead of being one of the noisiest cities in the world, will be the most silent.

Sir Henry A. Blake, speaking at an entertainment in connection with the first rubber exhibition, said he looked forward to the time when rubber will compete with the quarry. He had the authority of a well-known manufacturer for saying that at half a dollar a pound rubber could be used economically for street pavements.

Much has happened in the rubber world since then, and the price of half a dollar a pound, which thirty years ago did not seem a preposterous expectation, seems to have become more and more remote. Yet according to authorities who are studying the situation, the contrary is really the case.

Last year's rubber boom, it is pointed out, has meant the planting of many millions of rubber trees in many parts of the world. The supply of plantation rubber is likely to be immensely increased in the next few years, while the opening up of South America may lead to an additional output from that source. There are good judges who prophesy that by 1915 the price of crude rubber will have dropped to half a dollar a pound. Then will come the opportunity of those who for years have been experimenting with the rubber composition, which will supply the perfect pavement for London and other large cities.

Rubber pavement is, of course, no new thing. Such places as the roadway under the Midland hotel at St. Pancras station and the courtyard of the Savoy hotel have been paved in this way in order to prevent persons being disturbed by the heavy traffic. It has been laid down on sheets, and its endurance is said to be wonderful.

At the rubber exhibition in June there will be a comprehensive display. One firm has undertaken to pave the main entrance of the hall at a cost of something like \$5,000.

With King George as patron and Sir H. A. Blake as president, the exhibition promises to be the most representative that ever has been held. More than 24 colonies and countries, comprising all the rubber-producing areas of the world, will be officially represented.

PRESS CONFERENCE

Rome, May 2.—The international press convention opened at the capital to-day, 500 delegates reporting. King Victor Emmanuel, Queen Helena, the members of the ministry and many government officials were present. Mayor Nathan Luazzati, who has returned to the work of a journalist, delivered a speech in which he dwelt on the increasing importance of the press.

CHINESE VOLUNTEER

Amoy, China, May 2.—At a mass meeting yesterday committees were appointed to enroll volunteers in the defence of the country against the rebel movement. The authorities prohibit the students at the government school participating in the volunteer movement.

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OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred at Vancouver on May 2 of Ethel McLeod, the daughter of Mrs. and the late Robert Holloway. She deceased had moved to Vancouver with her family a short time ago, and was ill but two days before her death. She is survived by a mother, a husband, three children, and four sisters, two of whom reside in this city. Mrs. George R. Robinson, of Head street, Esquimalt, and Mrs. Walter Anderson. The funeral took place in Vancouver yesterday.

The death occurred at White Horse, Yukon, on April 25, of John Owen Williams, well known in Victoria. The late Mr. Williams had formerly held a position as quartermaster on the D. G. S. Quoniam. He had returned from a visit to Prince Rupert, and became suddenly ill, and shortly afterwards passed away. Interment was made in the White Horse cemetery. Deceased was a member of lodge No. 4, A. F. & A. M., under whose auspices the funeral was held. He was also a member of the Columbia Royal Arch Chapter, No. 120, of this city.

The funeral of the late Robert Martin took place from the B. C. Funeral Home, 230 o'clock, Rev. W. Baugh Allen

conducted the services. Members of the B. C. Association of Stationary Engineers, of which deceased was a member, acted as pallbearers. J. Anderson, P. Rogers, A. McLeod, R. J. Staples, A. McMillan and A. M. Atken. Interment was made in Ross Bay cemetery.

FARM WAGES.

Washington, D. C., May 5.—The statement that the tariff board has made an error of 23 per cent. in its figures of Canadian farm wages in its Canadian reciprocity report, is entirely untrue," declared Chairman Henry C. Emery to-day. "The tariff board has taken all its information on this subject from the latest Canadian official figures. The Canadian figures include the estimate of the board for farm hands. This item is not taken into account in statistics showing the pay of American farm hands. In addition, to facilitate and properly compare the Canadian figures with American wages it has been necessary to deduct this item from the former. The board has a letter from Archibald Blue, chief of the census and statistics office of Canada, saying that in order to derive cash wages from the Canadian statistics the estimated value of the board should be deducted. As published in the tariff board's report the figures are calculated on the same basis for both countries.

RIVER BOATS HAVE REACHED HAZELTON

Operator is First Steamer to Arrive There From Prince Rupert—Inlander Follows

Vancouver, May 5.—The first boat up the Skeena river from Prince Rupert to Hazelton yesterday morning, according to telegraphic messages received here to-day. The steamer having the honor of being the pioneer in navigating the Skeena in 1911 was the Foley, Welch & Stewart boat operator. She carried a large number of passengers up the river from Prince Rupert and had also a heavy freight cargo. The Inlander, the next boat to reach Hazelton from the coast, getting here at four o'clock yesterday afternoon. It is expected that the Post Simpson, a steamer belonging to the Hudson Bay Company, will arrive tomorrow afternoon.

The Skeena river is reported to be at a very good stage at present and is rising slowly. The first trips were made fairly early in the season, as generally navigation on the river does not open until about May 15 or 16.

A large number of prospectors and miners who have been spending the winter months in Vancouver awaiting the opening of navigation so as to be able to get into their claims in the Nine-Mile and Four-Mile mountain districts, are expected to leave for Prince Rupert within a few days on route to Hazelton.

ALASKAN CANNERIES.

Seattle, Wash., May 5.—Eight new salmon canneries will be in operation in Alaska this season, making fifty in all. The new canneries have a capacity of 1,000,000 cases. The run of quinnat salmon, the most valuable species, has started heavy and a big year is expected. The price of salmon in all the world's markets is higher than ever before.

STRIKE RIOT.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 5.—The strike of Pennsylvania railroad shopmen is said to be spreading to-day. Last night one man was shot through the knee and two others were severely beaten at Waltham when strikers, strike-breakers and railroad detectives engaged in a fight.

Upon receiving news of the shooting, Sheriff Judd Bruff ordered all the saloons closed until the strike is settled.

NEW COMPANIES FORMED.

Official Registrations Published in Current Issue of Gazette.

Certificates of incorporation have been issued to the following new companies: A. G. Lambert & Co., Ltd.; Coronation Oil Co., Ltd.; D. J. O'Brien Walker Co., Ltd.; Dominion Theatre Co., Ltd.; E. N. Trites Co., Ltd.; F. G. George Trading & Lumber Co., Ltd.; Jones Publishing & Printing Co., Ltd.; Kagoshima-Ken Natives' Society; Modern Finance Co., Ltd.; Rubber Tyre Equipment Co., Ltd.; Scandinavian Publishing Co., Ltd.; T. C. Hoyt, Ltd.; Vancouver Freeholders, Ltd.; Vancouver Women's Club House, Ltd.; Vermillion Irrigation Co., Ltd.; Woodlands Park, Ltd.

Extra provincial companies have been registered as follows: Archer Blower and Pipe Company; Atterley Decorating Company; Canadian Alaska Exploration Company; Cumberland Packing Co., Ltd.; H. Mueller Manufacturing Company; Nicola Valley Pine Lumber Company; Rambler Cariboo Extension Mines, Ltd.

Licenses have been issued to the following extra-provincial companies: Canadian Underwriters Co., Ltd.; C. Parsons and Sons, Ltd.; C. Cummer-Dowdell, Ltd.; Hemlock (B. C.) Mines, Ltd.; Ontario Grape Growing and Wine Manufacturing Company; Salmon River Land Co., Ltd.; Twyford, Limited, and Western Leather Goods Co., Ltd.

LOCAL NEWS

Manicure at Moore's Antiseptic Barber Shop, Pemberton Block.

The Methodist ministers of the Victoria district have sent a telegram of sympathy through the chairman of the district, Rev. A. E. Roberts, and have expressed the hope that the funeral of the late Dr. Ebenezer Robson will be delayed until Tuesday next in order to allow the delegates to the forthcoming conference to attend.

"You can deposit your money at 4 per cent interest with the B. C. Permanent Loan Company and be able to withdraw the total amount or any portion thereof without notice. Cheques are supplied to each depositor. Paid up capital over \$1,000,000, assets over \$2,000,000. Branch office, 1210 Government Street, Victoria, B. C.

While attempting to board a street car at Yates and Government streets yesterday afternoon, Mrs. John A. Grant, the wife of the head bookkeeper of David Spencer, Ltd., tripped and fell over the temporary car switch on the street, with the result that the wheel of a passing vehicle passed over her wrist. Mrs. Grant was assisted to rise and taken to Bowes' drug store, where her injury was attended to. She was then taken to her home and is suffering from the shock of the accident, but otherwise is not injured seriously.

The Victoria district of the Methodist church held the annual meeting yesterday, with a very notable Rev. A. E. Roberts occupying the chair. An increase in membership and missionary contributions was reported. Rev. H. N. Hastings was elected secretary. Church Union was discussed and almost unanimously upheld by vote, there being only one dissenting voice. The following delegates were elected to attend the annual conference which takes place at Vancouver next week: G. Brown, Chan Yu Tan, H. T. Knott, A. Lehman, N. Shakespeare, D. Spencer, H. McDonald, J. M. Elliott, William Beattie, A. Lee, J. Dilworth. Reserve delegates: A. McKenzie and R. Beard.

GRAND JURY BRINGS IN NEW INDICTMENTS

Charges in Connection With Explosions at Los Angeles Presented to Court

Los Angeles, Cal., May 5.—The first public court action in the cases of John J. McNamara of Indianapolis, secretary of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, and his brother, James B. McNamara, Union Iron Worker and printer, charged with a series of murders by the use of dynamite, was scheduled to-day. That action was their arraignment, which would afford them their first opportunity to leave the jail since their arrival on April 25. By the arraignment of the McNamaras to-day, the defence will make a small gain in time.

The indictment returned by the Los Angeles county grand jury yesterday, against John McNamara and his brother, James B. McNamara, charging them with the murder of the 21 men who lost their lives October 1 last, in the explosion which destroyed the Los Angeles Times office, were to-day filed in Judge Bordwell's court.

The evidence upon which the indictments are based will be held secret. The three indictments of John McNamara, alleged confessed dynamiter, charge him with dynamiting the Llewellyn Iron Works in this city last Christmas day, but no lives were lost, and will, it is understood, include the McNamaras for complicity were also filed.

When the formalities concerning the indictments were completed, the district attorney rose and said that Attorney Rappaport, representing two of the defendants, the McNamaras, wished to have the arraignment completed as early as possible.

"I suggest," he continued, "that it be this afternoon." Judge Bordwell replied that he would consider the matter.

The transcript of the grand jury testimony must be presented to the defence when the prisoners are arraigned and the prosecutor requested Judge Bordwell to use his efforts with the defence to have its attorneys agree to observe equal secrecy.

CARPENTERS STILL OUT

Claim to Have More Men Out—Employers Keep Silent.

The carpenters' strike, now in its second day, is not productive of incidents so far. The men claim to have been joined to work yesterday. The employers decline to talk for the present.

At a carpenters' meeting held at 4 p. m. yesterday, it was stated that labor hall this morning, it was reported by the various packets that the total number of men working was fifty-three, of whom forty gave their promise to quit work at night to await the outcome of the demand being made for a fifty cent advance.

The delegates to Spencer's, Limited, reported that several men were at work, and that upon their interviewing a member of the firm and explaining the position, a promise was given that the architect in charge would be instructed to deal with the matter. A letter from Thomas Hooper later proved that this had been done, and in consequence all work upon the firm's alterations has ceased for the present.

This course was also adopted by Hon. Thos. Taylor, minister of public works, this morning. The government, Spencer's, Westholme Lumber Company and several others, while having agreed to the new schedule, have had their men withdrawn, and the carpenters hope this will hurry a settlement.

This morning 593 men were on strike. Several of the allied trades have meetings called for this week, with the object of discussing the situation as it affects them.

SHIPPING GUIDE

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.	
From the Orient.	
Sado Maru	May 10
Strathaird	May 11
Monteagle	May 11
Chicago Maru	May 17
From Australia.	
Marama	May 27
From Liverpool.	
Teucer	May 11
From Mexico.	
St. Ronald	May 6
For the Orient.	
Empress of China	May 9
Inaba Maru	May 10
Mexico Maru	May 11
For Mexico.	
Henty	May 10
For Liverpool.	
Antiochus	May 11
For Australia.	
Zealandia	May 10
COASTWISE STEAMERS.	
From San Francisco.	
Queen	May 11
City of Puebla	May 10
From Skagway.	
Princess Mary	May 11
From Northern B. C. Ports.	
Amir	May 6
Cetina	May 7
Prince Rupert	May 8
Venture	May 9
Prince George	May 10
From the West Coast.	
Tees	May 8
From East Coast.	
Queen City	May 8
For San Francisco.	
City of Puebla	May 10
Queen	May 10
For Skagway.	
Princess Mary	May 15
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For the West Coast.	
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For Nanaimo.	
Princess Mary	May 9
For East Coast.	
Queen City	May 9

FIRE AT MONTREAL

(Special to the Times.)

Montreal, May 5.—Fire shortly before noon caused \$65,000 loss in six business premises on Colborne street here. The principal loss was sustained by the Canada Office Furniture Co. and the Ives Modern Bedstead Co.

WORK RESUMED ON TELEGRAPH LINE

Wire Between Kitsumkalum and Stewart Will Soon Be in Operation

Vancouver, May 5.—Construction has been resumed on the new government telegraph line Kitsumkalum to Stewart, a distance of 150 miles and it will be ready for operation early in July, announced J. T. Phelan, superintendent of Dominion Yukon telegraphs, this morning. The Stewart extension from Kitsumkalum is a branch from the Prince Rupert line which in turn is an off-shot from the direct line between Ashcroft and Dawson.

The construction work which was commenced last year, is now about half way to completion, it is stated, and gangs are now stringing wires from Lava Lake to the Naas and from Allee Arm to the same river. When the line is finished, direct communication will be afforded between Victoria and Stewart without relays of any description.

Mr. Phelan will leave for the north within two weeks to inspect the construction work between Kitsumkalum and Stewart.

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GARD OF THANKS.

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IN PROBATE:
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF LOUIS GREGORY McQUADE, late of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia. Ship Chandler, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the Estate of the said deceased who died on the 12th day of March, 1911, at the City of Victoria, B. C., are required to send to E. M. Johnson, No. 618 Broughton Street, Victoria, B. C., one of the Executors of the said Estate, on or before the 24th day of May, 1911, their names and addresses and full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts and the nature of securities, if any, held by them; and all persons indebted to the Estate of the said deceased are hereby required forthwith to pay their indebtedness to the said Executors.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the said 24th day of May, 1911, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Estate among the persons respectively entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said Executors shall then have had notice, and the said Executors will not be liable for any claims of which they shall not have received notice at the time of such distribution.

DATED this 29th day of April, 1911.
MORSEBY & O'BRIEN, Of Imperial Bank Chambers, Corner of Yates and Government Streets, Victoria, B. C., Solicitors for the said Executors.

NOTICE
Estate of John Augustus Wood, late of St. Charles Street, Victoria, B. C. All persons having claims against the estate of the above named deceased who died on the 30th January, 1911, are required to send particulars thereof duly verified to the undersigned on or before the 30th May, 1911, after which date the executor will distribute the estate having regard only to those claims of which they then have notice.

DATED the 29th day of April, 1911.
CREASE & CREASE, Solicitors for the Executors, Victoria, B. C.

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P. F. ROY'S ART GLASS, LEADED LIGHTS, ETC., for churches, schools, public buildings and private dwellings. Plain and fancy glass sold. Fashions glazed. Special terms to contractors. This is the only firm in Victoria that manufactures steel cord lead for leaded lights, thereby dispensing with unsightly lead works and stores, 318 Yates street, Phone 194.

CHISHOLM & CARRUTHERS are now located at their new building, 1130 View street, where they have the most up-to-date plant on the island for the manufacture of leaded art glass, plain and beveled British plate glass, and anything in the glass line. Phone 2703.

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ELECTRIC BLUE PRINT & MAP CO., 1218 Lancelay street. Blue printing, maps, draughting, dealers in surveying instruments and drawing supplies.

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THE ONLY SHOP MACHINES that have proven satisfactory for shoe repairing. Try them. 218 1/2 Oriental Alley, opposite Rido Theatre.

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WASH BAND AND GRAVEL, general ironing and contracting. Sewing machines, etc. for sale. Wm. Symons, 741 Johnson street. Telephone 911.

BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS
CONTRACTING CARPENTER-Phone 1191. T. J. Louth, 262 Ross St.
W. J. TRW & CO., Contractors. Estimates given for carpenters, etc. 63 Princess avenue.

BROWNSEY, G. KNIGHT, BROWNSEY & KNIGHT, Carpenters and Builders. Plans and Estimates Furnished. 318 Victoria West. Phone 1191.

W. DENFORD & SON, Contractors and Builders. Homes built on the installment plan. Plans, specifications, etc. furnished. 223 Pemberton Block. Phone 2704.

CARPENTER AND JOINER
FACTORY—Alfred Jones, builder and contractor. Estimates given on houses, buildings, fence work, alterations, etc. 1028 Yates street. Office phone, 1195. Res. 1196.

G. RAWLINGS, Carpenter and Builder, 807 Richmond Ave., Victoria. Res. 1196. Estimates Given. Prices Reasonable.

CHAFF & JONES have for sale two new express wagons. Corner Fort and Blanshard streets.

CHIMNEY SWEEPING
O'BRIEN & DUNNE, Chimney and Purge Cleaners. A first-class job with clean sweeps. A free estimate. Phone 1210. Phone 1019.

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THE BROADWAY, 322 Yates street. Candles, stationery and toilet requisites. 11 1/2

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GENTS' CLOTHES CLEANED, repaired, dyed and pressed. Umbrellas cleaned, repaired and re-covered. Goy W. Walker, 50 Johnson St., just east of Douglas. Phone 1227.

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WHITE & WHITE, contractors for concrete sidewalks, foundations, basement floors and garden work. 237 Meade, Victoria. Phone 1197. Cedar Hill road.

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LEWING BROS., LTD., Customs Brokers. Out of town correspondence solicited. 413 Fort Street. Telephone 742.

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MELLOR BROS., LTD., Wall papers, paints, oils, etc. Orders promptly filled. Phone 512. 708 Fort street.

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E. J. LAING, Landscape and Jobbing Gardener. Tree pruning and spraying. 455-457 Douglas street. Phone 1247. Office, Wilkerson & Brown's Greenhouse, corner Cook and Fort streets.

LAUNDRY
STANDARD STEAM LAUNDRY, LTD.—The white laundry. We guarantee first-class work and prompt delivery. Phone 1017. 811 View street.

METAL WORKS
B. C. CORNICE WORKS, 1118 Fort street. Roofing, hot air heating, blow pipe work, metal ceilings, skylight, etc. Estimates given. All sheet metal work. Call of Phone 2028.

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OVER A QUARTER OF A CENTURY'S EXPERIENCE and fine modern equipment are at the service of my patrons. No charge for examination. Lenses ground on the premises. A. P. RYTH, 66 Fort street. Phone 2028.

PAINTING
FRANK MELLOR, Painting Contractor, 1128 View St. Phone 1564. 1191 1/2

POTTERY WARE, ETC.
SEWER PIPE, Plain and Groined Pipe Clay, Flower Pat, etc. B. C. Pottery Co., Ltd., corner Broad and Pandora streets, Victoria, B. C.

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MONEY LOANED on diamonds, jewelry and personal effects. A. A. AARONSON, cor. Johnson and Broad.

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R. SALVERSON, contractor for rock blasting. Estimates given. Phone No. 2728. Dominion road.

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H. B. TUMMON, slate and tar and gravel roofer, slate back boards, estimates furnished. 52 Hillside avenue.

SCAVENGING
VICTORIA SCAVENGING CO., Office, 3028 Government street. Phone 56. Ashes and garbage removed.

SILK GOODS, ETC.
A WEALTH OF ORIENTAL IMPORTATIONS at lowest cost. Silk embroidered kimonos, gold braided dresses, etc. the prettiest of all, ready to fit for a Queen's embroidered crepe de chene in lengths, corded silks in many shades. Queen Ma, Pung, 113 Government St., P. O. Box 8.

TRUCK AND DRAY
J. P. S. TRANSFERS—Phone 192, 343 Michigan street. Furniture and piano movers, express and trucks.

JEEVES BROS., furniture and piano movers. Phone 1274.

VICTORIA TRUCK AND DRAY CO.—Telephone 11. Stable Phone 1703.

VACUUM CLEANERS
ELECTRIC VACUUM CLEANERS—Santo and Duntley machines to rent by the day. 24; cleaners carpets, etc., without removing. Russell, 60 Linden avenue. Phone 1272.

WATCH REPAIRING
A. PETCH, 116 Douglas street. Speciality of English watch repairing. All kinds of clocks and watches repaired.

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BUSINESS CHANCES
FOR SALE—500 cash, or to let, store, dwelling and lot on Chestnut townsite, one mile's walk from government wharf; good opening for small general stock, also restaurant business. Apply Box 1, Times.

FOR RENT—HOUSES
TO RENT—Cottage, on Douglas road, Victoria West. Apply to 271 Bridge St.

HOUSE TO RENT—Furniture for sale, central. Address Box 41, Times.

FOR SALE—ARTICLES
FOR SALE—Six outriggers, \$10 each; float, \$622, cheap. R. P. O. Box 119.

41-FOOT SEAGOING LAUNCH for sale, 12-horse power, 12-foot beam, 12-foot draft, 20 h. p. Union engine, deck, control, mast and sails, etc. make about 12 knots under sail. 12-foot dinghy, good cook stove, extra well found; this boat is exceptionally well built; would take no payment in installment city property. Apply Lee's Boat-house.

FOR SALE—Seven drawer, roll-top desk, with 100 books, \$125. Apply 1211 Government street.

FOR SALE—1909 Buick, 20 h. p. touring car, \$1100. Apply Room 4, 1112 Government street.

FOR SALE—McLaughlin—buggy—rubber tires, cheap. Apply 2003 Douglas.

FOR SALE—Ocean, 108 tons, good condition, ready for service. \$1400. No reasonable offer refused. 762 Vancouver street.

FOR SALE—Split bamboo, \$250; hunting knives, \$1; Midgill alarm clocks, \$1.25; music fobs, \$1; nickel watches, \$2.50; 1 X. L. knives, \$1; Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 372 Johnson street, 6 doors below Government, Victoria, B. C. Phone 2028.

TWO WHITING DEBKS for sale at the Wilson Bar, Yates street. Phone 230.

GET A SANITARY PORTABLE BATH APPARATUS—Can be used in any room without inconvenience; running water; only 100 lbs. weight. Price only \$7.50. Try one, you won't regret it; all goods guaranteed. Write for catalogue, all about it. Hillside Ave. 21 1/2

FOR SALE—2 ROOMED HOUSE, on Willows street, City Hill, with several outbuildings, 41x12, only \$500 each, on easy terms. Phone 1708, or call Room 8, McGregor Block, View street.

FINE CHANCE for hotel or institution, very better in any ideal location. R. W. Clark, 1132 Government street. Phone 1022.

DOUBLE YOUR MONEY—Block of eight large lots, on following property situated at 1254 Fort street, lot 2, for cash or on terms. Address Post Office Box 1623.

FARFADALE—One lot, \$500, easy terms. Crompton & Barton, 130 Pemberton Bldg.

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FOR GOOD BUYS in Esquimalt, look up Dunford & Son, 23 Pemberton Block.

100 PER FRONT FOOT, View street, near Douglas, Crompton & Barton, 130 Pemberton Bldg.

LIST YOUR PROPERTY with G. S. Smith, 75 Fort street. Phone 578.

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CHEAP LOT—For quick sale, Newport street, just east of Oak Bay Park, 60x120, 100x120, 150x120, on easy terms; adjoining lots are held several hundred dollars higher. Pullen, Oak Bay Realty Co., Oak Bay Ave. 115

FOR IMMEDIATE SALE, list your property with J. T. Wagner & Co., 60 Johnson street.

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A "SNAKE" cheap lot at Lang's Cove, 64-acre, 100x100, Crompton & Barton, 130 Pemberton Bldg.

GOOD BUILDING LOT, on Harlingford avenue, 100x120, fine residential street, very little noise and dust, close to car lines, close to business section, cement sidewalks past property, and street is to be asphalted; price \$1250, terms. Marriot & Fellows, 619 Trunoe Ave. Open office, 619 Trunoe Ave. 115

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CHRISTIES' CAKES, tin, 65c and.....35c

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CHERRY CAKES and ICE CHERRY CAKES, lb.....40c

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Also a snap on Asquith street, 5 minutes from Spring Ridge car; \$100 cash and \$15 a month, price \$300.

The Exchange Real Estate Co., Ltd.
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NOTICE

Messrs. Stewart Williams & Company

Duly instructed by R. Dunn, Esq., will sell by Public Auction on

Tuesday, May 9

At 2:30 o'clock at his residence on the East Saanich road, 10 minutes from the end of the Douglas Street car line the whole of his valuable and nearly new

Household Furniture and Effects

By Waring & Gillows of London, England, after designs by that well known Craftsman Sheraton.

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MOFFETT'S BEST HUNGARIAN FLOUR, sack.....\$1.75

FINE GRANULATED SUGAR, sack, \$1.25 or.....\$1.15

NAVEL ORANGES, dozen, 50c, 35c or.....25c

NICE JUICY LEMONS, dozen.....25c

B. C. CREAM, per tin.....10c

OUR "SPECIAL" CREYTON TEA, 3 lbs.....\$1.00

OUR "FRESH GROUND" COFFEE, lb, 50c, 40c and.....30c

TOMATOES, 2 large tins.....25c

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NEW CALIFORNIA BUTTER, 2 lbs.....\$1.00

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PROGRESS MARKS

OVER-SEAS CLUB

Committee to Act With Daughters of Empire in Coronation Day Celebration

The Over-Seas Club, with Wm. Blakemore, president, in the chair, met last night at the "Friends' hall, Courtney street, with a large attendance, and heard a report on the growth of the club from the secretary, D. B. McLaren. He had in hand much correspondence from over-seas branches, and reported asking numbers of inquiries, having arranged for information on British Columbia from those desirous of settling in the province. The fact was commented upon that the club is offering a usefulness as an advertising organization.

In a short address the president said there are 2,000 over-seas clubs, with a total membership exceeding 30,000. The membership of the Victoria club is 215, with an anticipated total of 500 by the end of the year. The movement had become popular and was successful in its object of strengthening British sentiment. His congratulations were offered the club that Earl Grey had extended his patronage, and on the acceptance by the Lieut.-Governor of the province of the honorary presidency of the branch. The president, the secretary, B. H. Tyrwhitt Drake, and H. M. Heineke were appointed to represent the club in co-operation with the Daughters of Empire in the Coronation Day celebration.

Before dispersing the following programme was rendered: R. B. McKenzie, songs, "Thoughts Have Wings," "May Morning," "Shadows Gather" and "May Morning"; piano solos, Chanson Russe and Barcarolle; Mrs. D. B. McLaren, songs, "Sleeping Tide" and two little Irish songs; A. W. Jarvis, songs, "The Bloom is on the Eye," "I Know of Two Bright Eyes" and "My Dear"; Mr. Simmons, comic song, "I Married a Wife."

FORD MOTOR OUTPUT.

Will Make and Sell 30,000 Cars During 1911.

When the Ford Motor Company, for which the Wood Motor and Taxicab Co. is agent here, made the statement that it would manufacture and sell 30,000 Model T Ford cars during the year 1911, there were many critics who declared that the company had undertaken too big a task, that they had bitten off a larger morsel than they could swallow. It has been estimated by automobile manufacturers that 150,000 motor cars would be built in 1911, which, according to figures, would put the Ford Motor Company in the position of manufacturing one-fifth of the 1911 production of motor cars.

From the reports of Model T cars shipped during the first three months of 1911, it is shown that the Ford Company had well planned for its 1911 business and that if the demand continues to increase as it has so far, there will be no difficulty in disposing of the 30,000 Ford car production.

Shipping figures for January, 1911, show that in the initial month more Ford cars were manufactured and shipped than in any of the corresponding months in the past five years. In February, 1911, there were 2,613 Model T cars were shipped in this month. In shipping these 2,613 Ford cars, the traffic manager of the Ford Company reports that 700 freight cars were used, which, if run out in one continuous line, would cover a distance of more than five miles.

Although the shortest month in the year, February, 1911, holds the record for building and shipping of Ford cars over all corresponding months of previous years. The 1911 February shipping report shows an advance of over 500 Ford cars over the total February shipments of the past five years.

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Shipping figures for January, 1911, show that in the initial month more Ford cars were manufactured and shipped than in any of the corresponding months in the past five years. In February, 1911, there were 2,613 Model T cars were shipped in this month. In shipping these 2,613 Ford cars, the traffic manager of the Ford Company reports that 700 freight cars were used, which, if run out in one continuous line, would cover a distance of more than five miles.

Although the shortest month in the year, February, 1911, holds the record for building and shipping of Ford cars over all corresponding months of previous years. The 1911 February shipping report shows an advance of over 500 Ford cars over the total February shipments of the past five years.

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YOUTH MUST ANSWER FOR BICYCLE THEFTS

Detectives Searching for Man Who Stole Four Cheques From Wm. Roberts.

Harold Bromley, a youth, was arrested last night by Detectives Heather and O'Leary on the Saanich road in consequence of complaints from owners of stolen bicycles, and the detectives are now searching for a boy named Smithers, who is also supposed to be concerned in the temporary disappearance of wheels.

The boys are alleged to have stolen two bicycles from the North Ward school, and on these to have made their escape to Sidney. The further allegations were made that they had stolen bicycles. After arrest a search was made by the detectives for the boy Bromley, who was found in the woods along the Saanich road in a more or less delapidated condition, with tyres punctured and frame damaged.

The boy Bromley, now in custody, has been in the care of the police on a previous occasion, when he was allowed by the magistrate to go on parole, being given a chance owing to his youth. He will be taken before the magistrate in the juvenile court to-morrow.

The detectives of the city force are also searching for a man whose description they have, accused of stealing a number of cheques from William Roberts, residing at the Wilcox hotel. The complaint says that access was gained to his room through the transom while he was asleep on Wednesday night, and that four cheques were taken. Two of the cheques were made out by the Vancouver Island Power company for \$54.85 and \$5.50 while a third was an army pension cheque for \$19.10, and the fourth a cheque of Lineham & Co., amounting to \$4.95.

SCOTCH SPORTS

Will Take Place at Willows on King's Birthday.

One of the most important events of former years in local athletic circles has been the annual athletic sports held under the auspices of the St. Andrew's Society of this city. This year the society will have advantage of the co-operation and patronage of all the other Scottish societies in British Columbia, and is thus in a position to submit a programme on a scale more extensive than anything hitherto attempted by the organization.

For some time negotiations have been in progress for the purpose of amalgamating all the Scottish societies in the province, and these have culminated in the formation of what will hereafter be known as the "St. Andrew's and Caledonia Society of British Columbia," with branch societies in each of the cities in the province. This was decided upon at a largely attended meeting of delegates from Scottish societies held in Vancouver recently, and it was resolved as a compliment to the Victoria society, with which the idea originated, to hold the first annual convention and athletic sports here, the date of meeting and general arrangements being left in the hands of the local delegates.

At a meeting of the society held after the Vancouver conference a committee was appointed to make all arrangements for the convention and sports, and to formulate a programme worthy of the occasion. The date of the sports has been fixed for Saturday June 9, which has been declared a legal holiday, being the King's birthday, and the Exhibition grounds and track at the Willows have been engaged for the occasion.

Details as to the programme are not yet settled but it is understood that it will include even a promise to be keenly contested, and a record number of entries is assured. A handsome trophy will be put up for competition to be taken part in by the Boy Scouts, and a grand tour of war contest will be not the least interesting item. The societies on the mainland will be well represented and a large number of entries for the various events from that quarter are looked for. There will in all probability be a grand handicap track race and other events which will appeal to the spectators and the sporting public.

J. F. Wilson, 1123 Oscar street, is secretary for the Sports committee, and will furnish particulars to those interested. Mr. Wilson is an enthusiastic Scotchman and has been one of the prime movers in the amalgamation of the Scottish societies of British Columbia.

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