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METHODIST CONFERENCE

AGENDA PREPARED FOR COMING SESSION

Delegates Will Arrive on Saturday—Billings Almost Complete

The final meeting of the local committee having in hand the arrangements for the reception of the delegates to the general conference of the Methodist church was held last night in the Metropolitan church. There was a good attendance of the members of the committee and the prospect of a very successful gathering was evident. Reports were received that in addition to the 250 delegates at least another 150 visitors will come from the East to enjoy the sessions of the conference and to take in the sights of Victoria.

Arrangements were made with the James Bay Athletic Association for the use of the gymnasium as a reception room on Saturday next, when the most of the delegates will arrive. A sign will be put up showing the visitors where to go and a number have signified their intention of placing their automobiles at the disposal of the committee for the afternoon so that there will be no delay in sending the visitors to the homes provided for them. There will also be a large number of young men from the different churches to conduct parties to their destination in the city.

The Rev. T. Albert Moore, the secretary of the general conference, is expected to arrive this evening and will help the committee in their final preparations.

The church will be suitably decorated for the meetings of the conference. A large sign has been provided by the Rev. A. Barnes, of the Alberta conference, suggesting the motto for the conference, "The World for Christ," and besides this there will be portraits of Drs. Potts and Sutherland by the famous Canadian artist, J. W. L. Forster. These portraits are the property of Columbian college, New Westminster, and have been loaned upon the suggestion of the Rev. T. H. E. Shore, the missionary secretary.

The Sunday school room will be fitted up with a number of writing tables so that the members of conference may have the opportunity of carrying on their correspondence. There will also be a supply of typewriters and typists on hand to assist in their work.

The opening sessions of the conference will be held on Sunday next and the Methodists of the city are on tip-toe of expectation for the event. In the morning the conference love feast will be held at 9:30, followed by the official conference sermon to be preached by the Rev. Henry Haigh, of England, the representative of the British Wesleyan conference. Mr. Haigh comes to Victoria with a reputation as a preacher that bids fair to equal if not exceed that of the late Hugh Price Hughes.

On Tuesday evening next, August 16, Mr. Haigh will give the fraternal address to the conference and the church will doubtless be crowded for the gathering. The same evening the Rev. Wm. A. Bracken of the Irish Wesleyan conference will deliver the fraternal address for which he has come to Victoria.

On Sunday afternoon, in the conference church there will be an open session of the Sunday school and the officers of the school are endeavoring to secure the Rev. Dr. Spence as one of the speakers and the Rev. Wm. Hincks, of Toronto, as the other. Sunday evening the sermon will be preached by the Rev. Dr. Cleaver. Already there are very large numbers who anticipate the pleasure of hearing Dr. Cleaver again. For three years he occupied the pulpit of the Metropolitan church and by his personal magnetism won many friends not only in the church but in the city, and he will be one of the great attractions of the conference.

It is too early to say just what the conference will do in the matter of the great questions that are disturbing the minds and hearts of the people of the churches. But it is safe to say that the great discussions of next week will range around the questions of church union, modernism in theological thought, world evangelism and Methodism's share in the work, and other subjects of equal great importance.

The full agenda for the two week's meetings follows:

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FIRE CHIEF REPORTS ON MONTREAL DISASTER

Forty-Five Persons Mentioned for Bravery During Work of Rescue

(Special to the Times.)
Montreal, Aug. 10.—Chief Tremblay's report on the Herald fire was presented to the board of control this morning. The report gives a description of the disaster and includes a list of those worthy of special mention for bravery displayed during the work of rescuing those who were imprisoned in the building by the fall of the walls, tank and the roof. Forty-five are mentioned for bravery, including Rev. Father Anatole Marlin, chaplain of the fire brigade; Rev. Father Elliott, of St. Patrick's church; Rev. Canon Renaud, St. Thomas church; District Chief Arthur Mann; and District Chief Oscar Mar.

VICTORIANS SEE AURORA DISPLAY

F. NAPIER DENISON TELLS OF OBSERVATIONS

Magnificent Electrical Effect Observed Last Evening in the Northern Sky

There was a very beautiful aurora visible last night in the northern sky between 10 and 11 o'clock, followed by a band of light which extended from east to west. Strange to say the appearance of this display of the northern lights was predicted by F. Napier Denison, of the meteorological office, who has been watching the sun regularly for a long time past, and who has been particularly interested in the sun spots which this year have been unusually large. He has noticed that the development of these spots have a considerable influence on, or relation to, electrical disturbances, and are usually accompanied by displays of the northern lights. When seen in this regard this morning, Mr. Denison said: "The sun spot group, an illustration of which I am giving you, was first observed and sketched when it was close to the western edge of the sun. It was then much smaller, but was

SUN SPOT AUG 9th 1910 - 2 P.M.



AUG 8th 1910 - 2 P.M.



Arrow Indicates Course of Spots Across Surface of Sun.

attended by a large patch of calcium of dazzling whiteness. These spots increased each day as they approached the sun's center, and formed into two larger ones as seen in the sketch of August 8th, the other circle showing how the spots have altered and moved. "The two large spots are nearly as large as the huge one which attracted so much attention last May during the passage of Halley's comet. They are thousands of miles in diameter, and are tremendous disturbances on the sun's surface. Many of these spots are of cyclonic form and nature, and frequently when a large spot, as shown in the illustration, reaches about the center of the sun, magnetic disturbances occur on the earth such as northern lights, and telegraph lines are affected by earth currents.

"The greatest annual number of sun spots occur in regular periods of about eleven years. This has been traced back to the seventeenth century. The last year of the maximum number of spots was 1907, and 1911 is expected to be the year of the least number.

"Mr. Hugh Clements in the Westminster Review for March of this year says he thinks the periods are due to planetary influence, and particularly to the influence of Jupiter."

Mr. Denison has made over 40 drawings of sun spot groups since the appearance of the large spot in the spring.

FLIES SIXTY MILES OVER IRISH SEA

Aviator Travels From Blackpool to Llandudno—Young Welshman Establishes Record

Blackpool, England, Aug. 10.—Flying for more than 60 miles over the Irish sea, Robert Lorraine, actor and aviator, to-day drove an aeroplane from Blackpool, in Lancashire, to a point near Llandudno, on the coast of Wales.

Dirigible Record.
London, Aug. 10.—The English dirigible airship record for continuous flight was broken by a young Welshman named Willows, who covered the distance from Cardiff, Wales, to Con. in an airship of his own invention. Willows started from Cardiff with the Crystal Palace, London, as his objective point. As he neared the palace his supply of petroleum became exhausted, and he was forced to descend. He guided his airship on the night journey by the lights of the towns along the way. The journey although amounted to 180 miles.



THE TOO-HANDY REVOLVER.

RECEPTION TO SIR WILFRID

PROGRAMME HAS BEEN OUTLINED

Provincial Government Issues an Official Notice Inviting Public to Its Reception

Every arrangement has been made looking to success of the details of the reception to the Rt. Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Prime Minister of Canada, on the occasion of his forthcoming visit to Victoria on August 11-12. The executive of the Liberal Association, the provincial government, the city council, the board of trade and trades and labor council, have all had special committees at work perfecting plans for the occasion, and it is now possible to indicate the lines which will be followed at the capital city of British Columbia in doing honor to the foremost Canadian and the great Imperial statesman. A meeting of the executive committee of the Liberal Association was held last evening and the details of the programme for the reception which will be given to the chief of the Liberals of Victoria approved. Sir Wilfrid is expected to reach the city between four and five o'clock on the afternoon of August 11, coming from Vancouver on the Princess Charlotte, which will leave the Terminal City at 1 p. m.

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

On the evening of the same day Sir Wilfrid will be the guest of the provincial government at a public reception to be held in the legislative buildings. In this connection, the following official notice has been issued by the government:

"The public of British Columbia and visitors are cordially invited to meet the Right Honorable Sir Wilfrid Laurier, G. C. M. G., P. C., Premier of Canada, at a public reception to be tendered by the premier and members of the executive council of the government of British Columbia, in the Parliament buildings, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 11th instant at 9 p. m.

"HENRY ESSON YOUNG,
"Provincial Secretary."
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DIES OF BROKEN HEART

(Special to the Times.)
Brockville, Ont., Aug. 10.—Mrs. Albert Holmes, of Cardinal, wife of a man waiting trial at the fall assize, charged with the murder of his cousin, Nathan Bolton, last April, died here to-day. Mrs. Holmes has never been well since the tragedy and practically died of a broken heart. When the news of her death was conveyed to her husband he broke down completely. Two sons and a daughter survive.
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MACKENZIE & MANN BUY BRICK YARDS

It is reported to-day on excellent authority that representatives of Mackenzie & Mann have taken an option on the brick yard properties of the Humber estate, situate on north Douglas street.

The property is a very valuable one. The area covered by the works is several acres in extent, and there is a considerable group of buildings housing the large plant.

FLOWER SHOW AT DRILL HALL

BIG ANNUAL EVENT PROVING ATTRACTION

Exhibits This Year Much Larger Than Ever Before—Some Notable Displays

From an early hour this forenoon the drill hall presented a scene of busy activity. Motor cars and carriages and express wagons were busy before the entrance doors, each bringing its consignment of beautiful floral exhibits. An hour before the time appointed for the formal opening, the doors were thrown open to the public and everything was in readiness.

At 3 o'clock, Mrs. Richard McBride, who had kindly consented to be present, appeared, and was welcomed by the reception committee consisting of Mrs. Croft, Mrs. Beaver, Mrs. Pemberton, Mrs. Tilton, and a number of others. She was presented with a beautiful bouquet of pink sweet peas, by Miss Iva James, and a large gathering of smartly dressed people were present, all of whom were loud in their praises of the excellent results which have attended the efforts put forth by the members of the agricultural society to make the show this year better than ever before.

Contrary to the custom observed on former occasions, the only trade exhibit, is from the Lansdowne gardens, all the others being sent in from private collections. Many who have never exhibited before are doing so this year, and the results are most gratifying to the committee in charge.

The same arrangement with regard to placing the tables has been followed as on previous years. Three long tables run the greater length of the room, with shorter ones form a rec-

MAYOR GAYNOR IS IMPROVING

OPERATION MAY NOT BE NECESSARY

New York Newspapers Pay Tribute to Ability of Stricken Chief Executive

(Times Leased Wire.)

Hoboken, N. J., Aug. 10.—At 11 o'clock following bulletin was issued at St. Mary's hospital:—

"The mayor continues to do well. It is the unanimous opinion of the attending surgeons that an operation is not necessary at this time."

Officially it is announced that the patient's temperature is rapidly returning to normal.

The physicians examined the X-ray photographs of the wound and agreed not to remove the bullet unless symptoms of infection developed. They declared that the most remarkable feature of the shooting was that the bullet ended its course where it did and yet did not sever any blood vessels.

In order to remove the pieces of lead they must cut through veins and arteries. This would probably cause weakness through loss of blood and would be critical at a time when every ounce of strength is needed to resist the shock caused by the wound.

The physicians announced that they would hold a consultation at noon and adopt a plan of treatment. Meatwhite gunshot wound experts have been consulted and their advice aided the surgeons in the decision to postpone an operation. It was agreed, however, although Gaynor's condition is satisfactory at present, he is far from being out of danger.

Every bulletin issued by the doctors is awaited by a tremendous crowd that has surrounded the hospital since Gaynor was taken to the building from the Hoboken pier. Details of police have been assigned to handling the throngs and although the crowd is orderly every effort is made to keep the people quiet when favorable bulletins are issued.

The authorities have shut off traffic on Willow avenue for a distance of one block each way from the hospital. Motor cars running cars in the vicinity of the buildings have been ordered not to sound their horns and to run at slow speed. The street directly in front of the hospital is kept clear and only silently moving automobiles are allowed to approach the doors.

Nearly every person prominent in New York social and political life has called at the hospital to leave cards and express sorrow for the mayor.

Gaynor's brother Thomas, from Springfield, Ohio, almost a twin of the mayor in looks and bearing, arrived today. As he ascended the steps of the hospital there was an audible murmur of puzzled surprise in the crowd.

Mrs. Vingt, the mayor's young daughter, and Mrs. Edward Groat called in the morning at the hospital, but were not allowed to see the patient, who was sleeping naturally, no opiates having been used as yet.
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LEAVE MARKET OCTOBER FIRST

V. & S. RAILWAY TO REMOVE TO BLANCHARD

Contract Let to Dinsdale & Malcolm for Handsome Station and Sheds

It is definitely announced by F. Van Sant, local manager of the Victoria, Terminal and Sidney Railway that his company will vacate the Market Building early in October. Contracts have been let to Dinsdale & Malcolm for the erection of a fine passenger station and freight sheds on Blanchard street at the estimated cost of \$17,500. The freight depot is to be finished by October 1st and will be fitted up as a temporary passenger station until the handsome brick building designed for this purpose is completed which will be not later than January 1st, next year.

The announcement of the company's intentions regarding the site which was ceded to them by the city in lieu of the yearly bonus formerly paid will be received with general satisfaction especially in view of the fact that the new station is far more pretentious than it was thought the company would build. The location of the new buildings on Blanchard street will give no cause for dissatisfaction on the part of the residents as the plans call for a structure which will enhance rather than depreciate the appearance of that thoroughfare.

With the removal of the company's offices from the market building the latter place will be available for the use of the public. The city has already authorized the erection of additional stalls and the long-standing grievance of those who are called upon to use the building will probably be removed at an early date.

The plans for the new passenger station show a roomy building with a ground floor space of 30 feet by 60 feet. The construction will be of a solid type, concrete and brick being used for the floors and walls respectively, while the outside will be finished with a faced vitrified brick and cut stone. The company's yards will occupy the full space of the block lying between Pilsbury and Herald streets on Blanchard street, the passenger depot being located at the corner of Pilsbury. A large ticket office will occupy the corner of the building at the last named thoroughfare with the office of the superintendent immediately behind. The centre of the station will be taken up by a public waiting room, women's waiting room and toilets. Running the full depth of the building the express freight and baggage department will open on the driveway behind the station and also on the front platform.

First quality fir, hand-smoothed and stained, will be used in the interior and the specifications call for fittings of a handsome and up-to-date character. The floors, wainscots and fittings of the lavatories will be of marble.

At the Herald street end of the company's land, set further back from the main tracks than the passenger station and connected with two spur lines, will be the freight sheds. The latter will cover a space 28 feet by 120 feet and will be constructed of corrugated iron. On the track side rolling steel doors will be installed and six sliding doors allowing of the rapid handling of freight will be built at the rear. The sheds will be of a substantial character the exclusion of wood from the materials used rendering them practically fire proof.

Work on the freight depot will be started immediately and the contractors expect to have it completed well within the contract time, October 1st.

BELFAST HOTEL FIRE.
(Special to the Times.)
Belfast, Aug. 10.—At the inquest in connection with the Kelvin hotel fire, in which several lives were lost, it was stated there were no fire fighting appliances. The only exits were by the front and back doors. The fire brigade officers said the engine was at the scene three minutes after the alarm sounded.

STOCK GAMBLER TAKES HIS LIFE

Commits Suicide When He Loses His Money in New York Market

(Times Leased Wire.)
Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 10.—Samuel Stone came to the inevitable end of a gambler when he took his own life at Cheyenne, Wyoming, on Monday. He had apparently reached the end of his term as a result of his diversion from the path of honesty. He did not call any great sum, as forged certificates were put to his margin were gone. Stone was carrying a considerable list of stocks, and during the recent New York slump lost heavily.

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LEAPS TO HIS DEATH

(Special to the Times.)
Louisburg, N. S., Aug. 10.—News was brought by an American fishing schooner to-day reporting that the captain of a Portuguese fishing boat had committed suicide owing to the scarcity of bait. "No bait, no fish," the unfortunate is reported to have shouted as he leaped overboard.

MAY LEASE NEW HUDSON BAY RAILWAY

W. Mackenzie Says the Canadian Northern Co. Will Probably Operate Line

(Special to the Times.)
Toronto, Aug. 10.—In an interview Wm. Mackenzie explained the opinion that the Canadian Northern railway would lease and operate the Hudson Bay railway under a similar arrangement whereby the Grand Trunk leased the Transcontinental. He pointed out that the Canadian Northern already had a charter to construct a road to Hudson Bay.

WILL REPAIR SUBMARINE

Paris, Aug. 10.—The submarine Placide, which sank recently, will be repaired and returned to service. Crews refuse to serve on the submarine as they believe it is a hookey.

SIR WILFRID AT EDMONTON

PREMIER RECEIVES ENTHUSIASTIC WELCOME

Farmers Renew Request for Tariff Reduction and Pacific Coast Terminal Elevators

(Special to the Times.)

Edmonton, Alta., Aug. 10.—It was the most impressive scene of the tour numerically and in magnificence, Alberta's provincial welcome yesterday at the central corner of the main thoroughfares, where temporary elevated stands were erected, streets were canopied with streamers, and business blocks ablaze with foliage and bunting. Probably fifteen thousand cheering people blocked the streets. From every direction greetings waved from balconies and showered from roof tops. The music of the bands and the brilliant scarlet uniforms of the soldiers and Mounted Police enlivened the mammoth function.

Sir Wilfrid's appearance was greeted with tumultuous western enthusiasm. As he took his seat on the platform crowds in every direction cheered and cheered again. The premier rose, donning his hat. Suddenly he paused, and, gazing over the mass of humanity, pointed to the upper window of a block diagonally opposite where a tiny child was seated on a ledge swinging its feet over the thoroughfare below, and anxiously queried: "Is that little child safe?" Amid all the display and acclaim the Premier's eyes were for a child in danger.

Again, at the close of the proceedings, Mayor Lee stepped forward and enthusiastically called for three cheers for Laurier. Hats were in the air when Sir Wilfrid rose with his hand up. "Nay, nay," he cried, "three cheers for our King."

It is such intensely human touches in the busy life of the great Canadian that appeal to the westerner, that have brought him into contact with the heart of the Prime Minister.

Sir Wilfrid, who delivered ten addresses Monday, rested at the apartments of E. C. Pardee, manager of the Bank of Montreal, and brother of F. F. Pardee, M. P.

Meantime Ontario Old Boys—and Edmonton seems full of them—banqueted Messrs. Graham and Pardee, while the Maritime Province Old Boys conferred a similar honor on Mr. Macdonald. All spoke on Canadian unity.

A feature of the morning parade was a cavalcade of halfbreeds, who escorted the Premier. Four hundred foregathered from points as wide apart as Athabasca Landing and Wetaskiwin, from Wabamun and from Paskan at Lac Ste. Anne, and marched in to greet and accompany Sir Wilfrid. They came on their own horses.

The Premier attended a civic luncheon, where he was informed Edmonton's beautiful new playground had been christened Laurier Park in his honor.

"My friends and my foes, mostly my foes," he added, smiling, "have sometimes declared I was born under a lucky star. I have never denied the soft impeachment. If it be true, I hope my name may bring luck to your park and your city."

Subsequently, Sir Wilfrid met the United Farmers' Association, who renewed requests for tariff reduction and Pacific Coast terminal elevators, and drove through the wheat fields, now beginning to turn yellow, to the French-Canadian settlement of St. Albert, where he spoke to his compatriots, gathered from a district extending over seventy miles, in French. On the civic drive he was accompanied by Lieut. Governor Byles, Premier Sifton, Hon. Frank Oliver, Mayor Lee and ex-Premier Rutherford.

During the afternoon the press correspondents were entertained, and dined by the Board of Trade and the Press Club.

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FATALITY AT THE EMPRESS

WORKMAN STUMBLES AND FATALLY INJURED

C. Truesdale, a Native of California, Falls From Top of New Wing

C. Truesdale, a steelworker, engaged upon the construction work on the Empress hotel addition, fell from the top of the building this morning and was killed instantly.

Deceased was not engaged upon his regular work to-day, having been helping with some stone work in connection with the derrick. It is thought that when standing near the edge of the wall he stumbled and fell.

I. L. Young, the foreman of the work, was unable to give any explanation of the accident. He said that Truesdale had been working there since the steel work commenced. He was a Californian but had been in the city for some months.

The Empress addition is nearing completion, and the place from which deceased fell was six storeys from the ground. The St. Joseph's Hospital and ambulance was at once called, but on arrival at that institution it was found that life was extinct.

FATALITY MARS PARADE IN CHICAGO

KNIGHT TEMPLAR KILLED BY STREET CAR—ANOTHER MAY DIE FROM INJURIES

Chicago, Aug. 10.—One tragic death, one accident that physicians say will prove fatal and a dozen minor mishaps due to the crowds that shadowed yesterday over the parade, which Masons say was the greatest number of Knight Templars ever formed in line in any city.

From 9 o'clock when the signal to start was given, until after 12, when the last knight had passed before the reviewing stand, the thermometer ranged from 71 to 79 degrees, while a cool breeze prevented any considerable discomfort. There were over 40,000 knights in line, while over 500,000 spectators sat in the reviewing stands or stood patiently along the line of march.

The first note of tragedy came when Herman Greshmann, of Chicago, on his way to join his commandery, was caught in the "death strip" between two cars on Templar way, and received injuries from which he died on his way to the hospital. In the grand stand, two blocks away, sat Mrs. Greshmann unidentified for three hours, while she scanned the marchers for her husband, not learning of his death until the parade had passed.

William Hackett, a knight from Fostoria, Ohio, was thrown from his horse, and was dragged with his heel in the stirrup for a block before the animal could be stopped. It was stated that Mr. Hackett's injuries will prove fatal.

FIVE KILLED. Train Dashes Into Automobile on Railway Crossing.

Cape May, N. J., Aug. 10.—Five persons were crushed to death last night when an express train on the Pennsylvania railroad dashed into an automobile at Mill Lane crossing, on the West Jersey and Seashore road.

The dead are: Frederick W. Feldner and wife, Fritz Mergenthaler and wife, and their chauffeur, M. C. Jones, all of Baltimore. Mr. Mergenthaler was a son of Ottmar Mergenthaler, inventor of the linotype.

The express train was hidden from view by a corn field, and it was impossible for the chauffeur to see the train until he was within a few feet of the tracks. As the automobile bore down toward the train, Mrs. Thomas McNeill, who lives near the crossing, saw the approaching express and waved her hand for the automobile driver to stop his car, but the man either did not see the danger signal or thought he could cross before the train reached him. The express struck the auto squarely between the wheels and threw it and all of the occupants clear off the track.

FIGHT POSTPONED. Philadelphia, Aug. 10.—On account of rain the Langford-Kaufman fight was this afternoon postponed until tomorrow night.

COMMUNICATION INTERRUPTED. (Special to the Times.)

Winnipeg, Aug. 10.—Earth currents, the burglar of the telegraphists, have been playing havoc with wires east and west of Fort William during the last twelve hours. Winnipeg appears the furthest west point affected, as is generally the case when the phenomenon is demonstrated. At usual north and south wires are unaffected and much of the business between Winnipeg and the East is being sent via Chicago. Earth currents puzzle the scientists, for they are quite distinct from the currents and cannot be traced to atmospheric disturbances.

TOURS WEST. Ottawa, Aug. 10.—J. G. Turiff, M. P. for East Annapolis, has returned to Ottawa after spending a month in Western Canada. He denies the report that he is either slated for or wants an appointment in the near future as Lieut.-Governor of Saskatchewan. The Governor in succession to Lieut.-Governor Forget will, it is understood, be a Saskatchewan man. Mr. Turiff says the estimates of Western crop exports vary from \$5,000,000 to \$5,000,000,000.

CHAMPIONSHIP RACE. Livingston, Rhodesia, Aug. 10.—Arnt is 81 and at normal weight. Barry's ankle is sufficiently well to allow a strong race. Betting is even.

SUSPECT MAY BE "BILL" HANEY

MAN HELD AT DILLON AFTER BANK HOLD-UP

Montana Police Believe They Have Train Bandit and Murderer in Custody

Mail advices concerning a suspect who was arrested at Dillon, Montana, a few days ago, following a bank robbery and who is believed by the police of that city to be "Bill" Haney, who murdered Special Constable Decker, near Ashcroft, last year, is being awaited by the provincial police department with interest.

When shown a special dispatch to the Times from Dillon stating that Haney had been arrested there, Supt. Hussey to-day said that he had received a message to the same effect and was awaiting further particulars. Haney is believed to be one of five bandits who, on June 21st last year, held up C. P. R. train No. 97 near Ducks Lake, mistaking it for train No. 5, which was carrying a large shipment of silver. On discovering their mistake the bandits got away in a boat on Shuswap lake, but were pursued by Constable Decker, who came upon Haney and a man who was afterwards identified as the bandit who signalled the train to stop. In a revolver duel Haney shot and killed Decker and the latter, while wounded, managed to send a bullet through the heart of the other robber.

Circulars containing good descriptions of Haney, whose chief marks are a number of prominent moles on his right cheek and shoulder, were circulated. The reward of \$2,500 offered by the provincial government was supplemented by \$1,500 from the C. P. R., and the police of the continent have been stimulated by the prospect of earning \$4,000. While there is not yet any definite proof of the identity of the man held at Dillon it is thought probable that it is Haney and the C. P. R. officials at Winnipeg are now securing information regarding the man from the Dillon police.

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LOST—On Aug. 5th, between Cook street and Cedar Hill, lady's hand bag containing cash, etc. Finder writing or returning it will be rewarded. J. Marchant, Mt. Tolmie, Victoria.

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PANDORA AVE., between Douglas and Blanchard, house, 11 rooms, lot 6x12 ft.; this is close in, a good buy for \$8,500; cash, \$2,000; balance on mortgage. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates street, Victoria, B.C.

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THE \$1,500 COTTAGE on Burdette I advertised last week sold quickly. To-day I offer a neighboring house, 612-614, an even better bargain, at \$2,200. \$500 cash, balance \$25 monthly. L. W. Bick, Broad street.

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LOST—Silver brooch, vicinity of Gorge and Garbally roads; keepeeke. Reward, 743 Market street.

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ENGLISH M. P. SUGGESTS IMPERIAL SENATE

Norton Griffith Favors New Body Representing All Parts of the Empire

Toronto, Aug. 10.—G. Norton Griffith, M. P. for the Wednesbury division of Staffordshire, claims to be the originator of the Imperial parliament idea. What he suggests varies considerably from the usual proposal. "Let Great Britain," he said, "have her own parliament and the overseas dominions their own parliaments, but let them join in the establishment of an Imperial Senate in which all parts of the Empire will be represented."

Mr. Griffith is a Conservative with independent leanings. He is returning from Brazil and Chile, where he has been engaged on \$11,000,000 railway contracts for these countries. He will talk over the Imperial Senate idea with leading Canadians. He is on his way to Winnipeg.

PLACE WIRES UNDERGROUND

SUBMIT A BY-LAW TO RATEPAYERS SOON

B. C. Telephone Company and City Council Have Arranged the Terms of Agreement

G. H. Halse, secretary-treasurer of the B. C. Telephone Company, is in the city, making arrangements with the mayor and council for the early submission of a by-law to the ratepayers by which provision will be made for placing all the company's wires underground in the business section of the city. Negotiations have advanced far enough to permit of the by-law being submitted within a short time, along with the other money by-laws to be voted on, to authorize the raising of \$120,000. The underground system will become operative within the business area bounded by Humboldt street, Blanchard street, Courson street and the waterfront. An agreement has already been prepared and considered by the company and the council. This agreement, which sets forth the terms on which the proposed scheme is to be carried out, will be incorporated in the by-law, and if the measure is passed an early start will be made on the work.

In an interview Mr. Halse said: "It is up to the ratepayers to say what they wish. If they approve of the scheme the company is ready to proceed just as soon as the by-law is passed. If not then the extensive alterations and additions to the existing over-head system necessary because of the proposed change in the location of the central office will be proceeded with. So far as the company is concerned it really makes no great difference. If the underground system is not wanted and the company goes to large expense on future changes and extensions of the over-head system, it can hardly be expected to again entertain any idea of installing an underground system for many years to come. But I believe the ratepayers will recognize that this is the most favorable opportunity to reorganize the over-head wires. The company has agreed to keep pace with the extension of the city's local improvement works in the area immediately surrounding that set forth. When the pavement extensions are being made the underground system of distribution will be extended promptly, thus saving the necessity of later tearing up permanent pavements and so saving the city a large expense."

Mr. Halse stated that some property owners had a wrong idea of what is proposed. It was not the intention to string the wires across roofs as is done in some cities elsewhere. The wires from the main street conductors would be carried in conduits to the centre of each block either up the small lanes which exist in many of the blocks or through the cellar of some buildings. Every precaution would be taken against damage to the premises. From the central point of distribution in each block the wires to the various telephones would be carried in cables attached to the sides of the walls and in any cases where attachments are made to buildings the cables would be removed to any position where no inconvenience to the owners would ensue. The system has been adopted in Los Angeles and other cities and has proved highly satisfactory. Unless some such scheme as this is adopted here the company has no alternative but to string the wires overhead in the streets. The scheme is in the interest of the owners. The company is asking no bonus and covenants to repay every cent advanced by the city. Ample security will be given that the money will be repaid. From the standpoint of safety the proposed system is the very best. There will be no danger of the telephone wires coming into contact with the high tension wires and the service will thus be greatly improved. This will be to the interest not only of telephone users but also to the company.

PERSIAN TROOPS AND REVOLUTIONISTS CLASH

Eleven Killed in Fight in Teheran—Three Hundred Thrown Into Prison

Teheran, Persia, Aug. 10.—Twelve are dead and the Nationalist leader, Kahan, is seriously injured as a result of a conflict between the government forces and the revolutionists. The rebels made their attack on guards in the northern part of the capital, retreating before the reinforcements sent to the aid of the guards until they were driven into a stone enclosure, where a determined stand was made. A bombardment soon compelled the insurgents to run up the white flag. Three hundred were captured and are now confined in dungeons.

MAY REACH SETTLEMENT

Vancouver, Aug. 10.—In view of the opposition of the Canadian Pacific Railway to the application of the Canadian Northern Railway for approval of the latter's route along a portion of the Thompson river and through a portion of the Fraser River canyon, George A. Mountain, chief advisory engineer to the board has arranged a conference between representatives of the two companies to consider some basis of settlement.

F. F. Busted, superintendent of the Pacific division of the Canadian Pacific, and T. H. White of the Canadian Northern Railway will meet Mr. Mountain here next Friday night, when Mr. Mountain returns from an inspection of the E. & N. Railway.

This is preliminary to an inspection of the disputed right of way on Monday by the two railway officials and Mr. Mountain.

MESSAGE OF SYMPATHY

Portland, Ore., Aug. 10.—President Taft yesterday telegraphed his sorrow at the death of Harvey W. Scott, editor of the Portland Oregonian. The message reads as follows: "Executive offices, Beverly, Mass., Aug. 9.—I learn with deepest sorrow of the death of my good friend, Harvey W. Scott. His service to his country by advocating the cause of sound money at a time when that cause had comparatively few friends, cannot be overestimated, and the nation owes him a debt of gratitude for his patriotism and courage. (Signed) William H. Taft."

Scores of messages from men prominent in life have been received since the death of Mr. Scott in Baltimore, on Sunday.

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WHITE UNDERSKIRT, of fine cambric, three rows embroidered insertion and edged with deep flounce. Special to-day	\$1.90
WHITE UNDERSKIRTS, of extra fine cambric, all-over embroidery, lawn flounce, tucked and edged with deep embroidered flounce, and dust frill. To-day	\$2.50

EAST KOOTENAY FIRES NOW UNDER CONTROL

Lumber Companies and Mines Lose Heavily—New Town at Whitewater

Nelson, Aug. 10.—Aided by a fall of rain, fire-fighters in the flame-devastated sections of the East Kootenay country have at last succeeded in gaining control of the numerous forest and brush fires, and the conflagration is thought to be ended. Although the loss was heavy through the whole section, the district south of Cranbrook has suffered most.

While women and children living in the path of the flames were brought into the town and cared for by friends and relatives, all the available men in the section were mustered into the fire fighting brigades. The East Kootenay Lumber Company is one of the heaviest losers in the section, for in addition to the destruction of much of their equipment, many scores of valuable standing timber was eaten out by the fire.

Reports from Sidar bring the information that the fierce fire which has been raging in a valuable timber tract owned by Creston capitalists, lying along the lake, is now under control. The rain assisted the fighters in their work, but a close watch is still being maintained to prevent the fire from breaking out again.

The King Lumber Company, at Yalak suffered the loss of a number of logging cars, cottages, and though the mill was threatened for several days the hard work of the fire fighters prevented it from going up in smoke.

That the Whitewater mine equipment had been totally destroyed, was the information brought here by A. A. Richardson, a Vancouver insurance adjuster, who just left the district. The Deep mine was also damaged, the principal buildings going down in the path of the fire. A large quantity of ore at the Whitewater will be hauled over the fifteen miles of road nearest Kaslo by P. Walsh, superintendent of the Kaslo and Slocan railroad, providing that the mine operators will open a road beyond that stretch. A camp is now being established at Whitewater by Mr. English, formerly in the transfer business in this town, which will serve as a nucleus of the new town that will be built on the site of the old one.

POLICE CHIEF INTERFERES

Will Not Permit Religious Services and Dances in Rink in Seattle

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 10.—Chief Wapenstein has ordered that the combination religious-terpachorean entertainment, inaugurated at Dreamland rink last Sunday night, be discontinued.

Rev. Frank Herthum preached for fifteen minutes at the dance hall Sunday and it was planned to make his sermons a regular feature of the Sunday evening's programme.

"Dancing under a cloak of religion is worse than frankly dancing where there is no pretence," said Chief Wapenstein to-day. "It is much better for all concerned if only the worldly-wise women and men attended, but young girls are lured by the bogus respectability of a short sermon and a prayer. Public dance halls and religion no more mix than oil and water."

FINED FOR SPEEDING

New Westminster, Aug. 10.—On charges of violating the local automobile speed ordinances five motorcar drivers were arraigned in police court, found guilty and fined by Justices of the Peace Byrne, Walker and Sprout. Those convicted were R. Hemphill, A. E. Almond, T. L. Stevens, G. M. Clemens and T. L. Waite.

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Sgt. T. A. Prentice of the Army Medical Corps, Vancouver, is in the city in the interests of the exhibition at the Terminal city, which opens next week. His special mission is to secure a representative exhibit at the horticultural section of the show, which bids fair to be a great success. During his stay in Victoria Sgt. Prentice is quartered at the station hospital, Work Point.

The famous Curtis Indian pictures have been secured by the directors.

These pictures are the same as were exhibited at the Alaska-Yukon exposition at Seattle. They are all beautiful paintings, depicting Indian life, which were obtained by Mr. Curtis after he had spent the greater part of his life among the North American redskins.

Large numbers of Victorians will no doubt be in attendance at the exhibition, as special low fares are being arranged by the C. P. R. steamers.

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BOY SCOUTS.

Having played his part in fighting the battles of the Empire—and that part a glorious one—the Hero of Mafeking, after what many people regard as tardy recognition of his eminent services, is now devoting his attention to the cultivation of a manly spirit in the youth of the British dominions.

Silver Wolfe, General Baden-Powell pointed out that in the ranks of the Boy Scouts all social distinctions were leveled. As an instance he said that V. G. Dalby, one of the Silver Wolves, was the son of a private soldier, while his chum, with whom he worked, was the Hon. Henry Fielding, son of the Earl of Denbigh, who was only a King's Scout.

A "BAD TORY" ON THE COMPANIES ACT.

One who signs himself "A Life Long Tory" has written a letter to the Toronto Globe denouncing in vigorous language Attorney-General Bowers's Companies Act. This life long Tory is an Ontario man, and it is just possible that he is more concerned about the effect the act will have upon his own special interests than he is grieved at the possibility of the people of British Columbia—that is the consuming passion of the people—having to pay the increased taxation imposed by the measure.

Your intelligent criticism of "the companies act" of British Columbia has been read and admired by many bad old Tories, such as the writer, and our only regret is that you did not lash the act and its father with more force and more persistence.

You speak of retaliation, but surely no other Province can be found of such narrowness and childishness—as to strike back at such an amateur legislator as the father of this act must be. However, the manufacturers are now considering what per cent. to add to their prices to British Columbia customers in order that the registration fee may be borne by the citizens of that Province.

When the British Columbia consumer finds this wonder of modern times "the companies act" is responsible for the advance in price on nearly every commodity he will surely have a beautiful dream of ballot-books, and when election day arrives his dream will no doubt come true.

TALE OF A "LITTLE MOTHER."

The history of the every-day life of a great city as chronicled in the press contains many pathetic incidents. Not a day passes without dragging tragedy under the shadow of its train. Accidents involving loss of life attract little street attention and cause little comment in a place like New York, where the multitudes are daily brought face

to face with death in various guises, and where the mad rush after the things of this world obscures all other considerations. But the press, always on the alert for stories of "human interest," has its representatives on the streets taking notes, and nothing—or at least very little—escapes its vigilant eye. Here is a sample story, and only one of a few, taken from the columns of a late issue of the New York Times:

"Edna Fette, 4 years old, of 3,068 Fulton street, Brooklyn, thought only of her baby doll last evening when she was lifted out by an ambulance trolley from under the truck of a trolley car of the Fulton street line, which had run her down in front of her home.

"Baby, go to sleep," her own baby lips said drowsily to her broken and torn doll, which was placed beside her in the ambulance, after Dr. Duff had, in sight of a large crowd, amputated the little girl's left arm. In order to release her from under the car he had crawled under it on his hands and knees. Pending his arrival men on hand feared to try to get her out for fear of injuring her further.

"The child, attentive to her doll, was crossing the car tracks when the car struck her and she rolled under the fender. She was dragged for fifty feet. Seemingly not to feel any pain she called constantly for her 'Baby.' Last night in St. Mary's hospital it was said the 'little mother' would probably not be awakened from her sleep. She was badly injured internally."

A pathetic story, is it not?—and portrayed in simple, graphic style, too. The father of "Little Nell" could hardly have made a better job of it.

The Religious Tract Society, 4 Boulevard street, London, E. C., has issued from its presses two volumes, "The Empire Annual For Canadian Girls," and "The Empire Annual For Canadian Boys," which will doubtless command a wide circulation in this country. The books are splendidly illustrated and are of the highest excellence typographically. Issued under such auspices, the matter they contain is of course of an exceptionally wholesome character, besides being of absorbing interest to young people. Indeed, from a casual perusal of the annuals and from a glance at the names of the chief contributors, we are convinced that they will be read with avidity by many people of mature years.

Some of the criticisms of American newspapers of the course of Scotland Yard in dealing with Dr. Crippen have drawn forth retorts from the Canadian press which are hardly complimentary to the administration of the law in the United States. The New York Journal of Commerce wants to know, says an eastern contemporary, why the United States government should make any objection to surrendering Charlton, the wife-murderer, to the Italian government, to be tried for his crime. The answer to that is simple. The friends of the murderer have money, and wish to prevent him from being punished for the murder.

The world is either moving or growing smaller. Ararat of Australia and Barry of England are going to row on Monday for the championship of the world. The race will take place on the Zambesi River of Africa. It is not so long since (or at least it does not seem so very long ago), the climate in the neighborhood of the great stream of the Dark Continent was not considered very salubrious.

The Portland Oregonian under the editorial management of the late Harvey Scott became one of the most influential, as it was one of the best and most successful, newspapers in the United States. Mr. Scott's ideals were high. There was never anything savoring of "yellowness" about his journalistic methods. His death will be a severe loss to United States journalism.

"Hope springs eternal," etc. Mr. Crockett of New Brunswick is sanguine that the Conservatives will win the next Dominion general election. In the light of past experiences it is well for Tory political prophets to issue their predictions well in advance. Mr. Borden professed to be quite sure he was going to be victorious in the last election.

Glen Curtis the aviator announces that he will make no more flights until he is paid a fee of five thousand dollars cash in advance. Which goes to prove what we have all along contended—that flying machines are more adapted for circus performances than for practical transportation purposes.

Premier McBride states that the report of the University Commission has not been received by the government. That ought to settle all speculation on the subject.

IN CHAMBERS TO-DAY.

Before Mr. Justice Clement in Chambers this morning a number of applications were disposed of. Probate of the will of Caroline A. McDonald was granted to J. A. Yates and a similar application by W. C. Moreley re. Hilton Keith, deceased, was also granted.

THREAT AGAINST COMMISSIONER'S LIFE

W. H. Edwards, Who Assisted in Capture of Gallagher, Receives Letter

(Times Leased Wire.) New York, Aug. 10.—A letter threatening with death William H. Edwards, street cleaning commissioner, who yesterday overpowered the man who tried to assassinate Mayor Gaynor, was received to-day. The letter was written in German script, and was couched in vulgar language. It declared Edwards would be dead within 24 hours. The missive was signed "A Friend of Gallagher."

Mayor's Condition.

Hoboken, N. J., Aug. 10.—Acting Mayor Mitchell of New York called at the hospital this afternoon, but was not permitted to see Mayor Gaynor. Gaynor's brother Thomas stayed a few minutes at the bedside. The mayor said to him: "I am feeling fine. I hope to be up soon."

The following bulletin was issued at St. Mary's hospital at 4 o'clock this afternoon: "Mayor Gaynor is resting comfortably. The physicians have nothing to add to this morning's bulletin. A consultation will be held at 5.30 this evening, and the result published. (Signed) Dr. Arlitz."

Charge Against Gallagher.

Jersey City, N. J., Aug. 10.—Prosecutor Garven is preparing to ask the indictment of James Gallagher, assailant of Mayor Gaynor, on a charge of assaulting Commissioner William H. Edwards with intent to kill. Gallagher will be brought to immediate trial on the predicted Edwards indictment, and the prospective Gaynor indictment will be held in abeyance pending the outcome of the mayor's injuries.

BELIEVED VICTORIA GETS THE UNIVERSITY

Persistent Rumors That Site Selection Committee Favors the Capital City

Although Premier McBride to-day stated that no report has yet been received from the University Site Commission, there are persistent rumors in semi-official quarters to the effect that the government has received an informal intimation that Victoria has been selected.

The fact that this report is largely credited in the other cities interested adds to the probability of its correctness. So far the provincial government has guardedly refrained from confirmation of the rumor, but, despite this fact, the impression that the commissioners have selected a spot near the Capitol becomes stronger every day.

"It is reported here that the report of the University Commission, which recently visited many points in British Columbia, has recommended this city as the site of the proposed Provincial University. The finding of the commissioners was unanimous. The report admits that the peculiar advantages of various places which sought the coveted honor were offset by the general advantages enjoyed by Victoria. The commission was composed of eminent eastern educators.

What Other People Think

AN "OLD WOMEN'S" COUNCIL.

To the Editor:—Talk about women's tongues! No, never again! Our city council beats them to a finish. Squabble, squabble; impede, impede; give orders, rescind them; engage an engineer, then pay him to leave; tell him he's no good, but his hands so it's impossible for him to be any use, while the streets are a scandal to any city, and the taxpayers' money is wasted in putting down streets one day and tearing them up the next, and the boulevards are dandelion fields. Every one of the council seem to have private axes to grind, or private likes and dislikes to certain employees, while the old-time employees act as blocks to progress. They know, to a date, to do: "How not to do it." "City circumlocution office" should be written over the council chamber door.

THE DREAM AND THE WAKING.

When we look in the eyes of children, And see no glory there; When we doubt that man is noble, And hold not woman fair; When life has lost its glamor, And love has lost its glow— Ah, when the play has ended, It's time to go.

When the magic of the morning Holds nothing strange and new; When our hearts have wild longings To know, to dare, to do; When we deem no man our comrade, And hold no man our foe— Ah, when the light has ended, It's time to go.

For the beauty that enchants us Is but the spirit's gleam, And the glory that enthralms us, The glory of a dream— A dream of golden gladness, From which we wake to weep, And when the dream is ended, It's time to go.

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WILL BE TESTED. Liquor Regulation By-law Will Be Under Fire in Court

Holding that the police magistrate was not justified in fining his clients \$10 for an infraction of the liquor regulation by-law, J. A. Aikman is taking certiorari proceedings in an attempt to upset the conviction of Mr. and Mrs. W. Patterson, proprietors of the Dallas hotel, for allowing a blind to remain down on the bar window on Sunday.

license. The latter penalty, Mr. Aikman holds, is ultra vires, the statute not permitting the council to make such a drastic regulation.

SENT TO JAIL. (Special to the Times.) Montreal, Aug. 10.—Albert Rocher, who had uncoupled the engine from limited trains as the cars were being made up in Bonaventure station during the recent strike of the Grand Trunk employees, was this morning sentenced to serve six months in jail.

PERSONAL. R. S. Lennie, Nelson, spent yesterday in the city. L. W. Huntington, Somenos, is here on a business trip. Miss Exley, North Saanich, is visiting friends in town. Capt. Wm. Meyer, master of the steam-

ship Leelanaw, plying in the coal trade between the Dunsmuir collieries and San Francisco, came down from Departure Bay last evening for a brief visit to his family while his vessel is loading.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. O'Reilly, Edmonton, are visiting this city.

Dr. Ladister de Tarnay, Budapest, is a guest at the Empress hotel.

Dr. Young, Liverpool, returned last evening from a brief visit to Duncan. A. W. McLeod, New Westminster, arrived in this city yesterday on a short visit. Mrs. Harold S. Gaunce and Master Harold, of Seattle, are visiting with Mrs. W. G. Gaunce at 734 Queen's avenue. F. C. Campbell, formerly government agent at Fort St. John, has been transferred to Barkerville to succeed Mr. Walker, who has been transferred to Fort George.

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—Thousand Islands—Next Sunday the S. S. Iroquois will make one of those delightful trips among the Gulf Islands, stopping one hour at Mayne, and returning via the picturesque Pender Canal. Picnic parties can bring their baskets and lunch under the trees. Take V. & S. train leaving Victoria 2:45 a. m.; refreshments and music on board. For further information telephone 511.

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—The third annual report of the British Columbia Anti-Tuberculosis Society, for the year ending December 31, 1909, has been issued by the provincial government. The report was read at the annual general meeting of the court of governors, held in the city hall in February last, and it appeared in the press on that occasion.

—The absence of rain for such a lengthy period has had the effect of drying the grass to such an extent that there is great liability of fire owing to the careless dropping of matches. The fire brigade has in consequence been kept quite busy lately. Yesterday afternoon a grass fire on Blanchard street gave the department a run. No damage was done.

—Sidney Hyle, an employee of the David Spencer Company, met with a somewhat serious accident yesterday afternoon when, owing to a miscalculation, he fell from the level of Broad street to the bottom of the elevator shaft, a distance of about twelve feet. He was wheeled a truck at the time, and this fell on top of him. He suffered some severe sprains and bruises and required to be removed to his home. His injuries are not at all serious.

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—To-morrow evening at the Sir William Wallace Hall, Broad street, the Daughters of Scotland will hold their regular monthly meeting. After the regular business has been transacted a social will be held and refreshments served.

—Messrs. Maynard & Sons, the auctioneers, yesterday purchased the house and lot at the corner of Toronto and Government streets from Mrs. Anderson for a figure in the neighborhood of \$7,000.

—The members of the Ancient Order of Foresters, of this city, are to picnic at Duncan on the 27th inst. An excellent programme of sports will be a feature of the outing. The excursionists are making arrangements for a special train service.

—Anticipating that an announcement will shortly be made relative to the plans of the Canadian Northern for the construction of a line to the north end of Vancouver Island, there is a movement in real estate transactions both at Hardy Bay and Quatsino Sound. Quite a number of lots in the townsite at the former point have changed hands in the course of the last few days.

—The work of compiling the municipal voters' list is now in progress. The number of names will be largely in excess of the list used at the last elections, this testifying to the rapid increase in the population of Victoria. The list in use for voting on bylaws will include about 6000 names. The compilation of the mayor's list and the ward lists will not be completed until the end of October, during which month the registration will be made.

PROVINCIAL FLORISTS AND NURSERYMEN ORGANIZE

Movement Which Has Been Afoot in Other Provinces Reaches British Columbia

At a meeting held last evening an association to be known as the B. C. Florist and Nurserymen's Association was formed to further the interests of the florists and the general public of the province. The local branch is to be known as the Vancouver Island and Nurserymen's Association. At the meeting of the local branch, which was held prior to that of the parent organization, A. J. Woodward, of Victoria, was elected president of the two divisions of the association, with H. Callow as secretary. H. Tidy, of New Westminster is secretary of the Mainland branch.

The Vancouver Island Association selected its committee for the constitution of the new organization. A. J. Woodward, A. C. Wilson, of Nanaimo, and L. Russell were chosen as delegates to the first B. C. Florist meeting to be held in Vancouver on August 18th at the exhibition buildings. The delegation will also be appointed to interview the government relative to the work of the association at the next meeting.

The formation of this organization is an entirely new movement in this province, British Columbia being the last to form an association of this kind.

SALMON ARE RUNNING IN SAANICH INLET

Many Fish Have Been Taken by Local Anglers—Cowichan River Good

Fishing at Saanich Inlet at the present time is very fine. The large fish have just entered this famous arm and are being caught in large numbers. Local anglers report that the sport furnished is good. The Indians on the reservations on the Saanich peninsula have been very successful this season and have secured a good winter's supply.

The fish were little late in arriving in the inlet. During the day many boats are to be seen off Moses' Point, which is at the mouth of the arm. The fishermen troll around the buoy situated off this point and catch the fish as they enter the inlet from the Gulf. Some of the fish taken by visiting anglers have tipped the scale at 30 pounds, and many lighter ones have filled the baskets of the sportsmen. Grilse are still found in the inlet in large numbers. The fishers, however, prefer to catch a salmon as the sport is better. The little fellows make a feeble nibble and a child could pull them in, but when a ten-pounder takes a hook it requires an experienced person to play him.

The favorite spoon used is the "Tacoma bait," which is a very attractive one. The Stewart spoon is also greatly used by the fishermen.

Cowichan river is reported to be swarming with fish, and many are testing the quality and quantity of them. The Sunday trains generally convey many to this renowned fishing spot.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Aug. 10—5 a. m.—The weather on the Pacific slope is cloudy and foggy on the immediate coast, but fair inland. East of the Rockies a low pressure area is centered in Saskatchewan. A thunderstorm with rainfall occurred at Edmonton, but fair weather, with normal temperatures, prevails in most districts.

Forecasts.
For 24 hours—5 p. m. Thursday. Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and cooler.
Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and cooler.

Observations at 5 a. m.
Victoria—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, 50; minimum, 39; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, foggy.
New Westminster—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, 52; minimum, 39; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, foggy.
Kamloops—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, 52; minimum, 34; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.
San Francisco—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, 50; minimum, 39; wind, 6 miles S. W.; weather, cloudy.
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.13; temperature, 49; minimum, 40; wind, 28 miles N. E.; weather, cloudy.
Edmonton—Barometer, 29.86; temperature, 52; minimum, 32; wind, calm; rain, 12; weather, part cloudy.
Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, 58; minimum, 39; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Victoria Daily Weather.
Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Tuesday.
Temperature.
Highest 70
Lowest 50
Average 60
Bright sunshine, 12 hours.
General state of weather, fair.

—It is anticipated that the work of laying wood blocks in connection with the pavement of Douglas street will be commenced on Monday next. The city engineer's department has been much hampered in the progress with this big local improvement owing to the slow speed made by the contractors who are putting in the conduits for the underground wires, but it is hoped that this difficulty will be overcome shortly. A large gang of men is employed on the job. The men will work from Humboldt street in a northerly direction to Flanagan.

C. E. CONVENTION OPENING HERE

SESSIONS HELD AT ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

Many Distinguished Speakers Are Among the Delegates Visiting the City

—To-night, the annual provincial convention of the Christian Endeavor Association will open in St. Andrew's church, when addresses of welcome will be tendered to the delegates by Dr. W. Russell for the local C. E. union; Rev. Dr. John Campbell for the Ministerial Association, and Mayor Morley for the city. Arrangements have been made for the accommodation of over 150 visitors, and it is expected that the attendance will be a record one.

The convention will be addressed by many able speakers. Rev. W. G. Jordan, D. D., who will speak on "The Permanent Value of the Old Testament" on Friday afternoon, is professor of Old Testament literature in Queen's University, Kingston, Ont., and has published several important works dealing with biblical subjects. Although educated in England, he has been in Canada since 1889, and was at one time pastor of a Presbyterian church at Strathroy, Ont., where he gained the reputation of being an eloquent preacher.

Rev. C. Anderson Scott, M. A., is professor of New Testament literature at Westminster College, Cambridge, England. An preacher—and author he has made himself well-known as a man of ideas, and his address on Friday evening is sure to be followed with great interest.

Rev. E. A. King is author of several books dealing with clean living. For two years he was state secretary of the Ohio C. E. union, and is now president of the Washington State union and pastor of the Yakima Congregational church. He will speak on Thursday morning of school work in the junior and intermediate divisions.

As general secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance of Canada, Rev. T. Albert Moore is well-fitted to speak on "The Place of the Lord's Day in a Nation," which will be the subject of his address on Thursday evening.

Another speaker from whom the delegates will hear a good subject is Rev. Lester L. West, whose subject to-night will be "Possessing and Being Possessed." Mr. West has had a long and varied experience of religious and educational work, and has travelled extensively. His address will be of particular value on this account.

Rev. Walter Benwell Hinson, pastor of White Temple, Portland, and formerly a prominent figure in church circles of Vancouver, Moncton and Montreal, is one of the most prominent Baptist pastors of the Pacific coast. He will speak on Friday evening.

On Friday afternoon the convention will hear of "Missionary Enterprise" from Rev. S. T. Bartlett, M. A., of Toronto, who is secretary of the Methodist Church Young People's Department. As a leader in work among the young, Mr. Bartlett has learned much of value, and his sentiments will undoubtedly meet with the approval of his hearers.

For ten years pastor of the Plymouth church, Seattle, Rev. Dr. W. H. G. Temple is a speaker of many gifts, and his address, "The Abiding Spirit of Christ," on Thursday evening is expected to be a feature of the gathering.

In addition to the divines mentioned, the delegates will be addressed by several of the most able local speakers. Dr. Spencer, secretary of the B. C. Local Option, will speak on "Temperance Progress in B. C.," and Rev. S. J. Thompson, of Nanaimo, will be heard from on Thursday afternoon, the subject of his discourse being "True Development in Home Life."

Two ladies will also speak before the convention, and their addresses will be a feature of the morning session tomorrow. Miss C. MacKenzie, of Vancouver, will discuss the possibilities of Junior work, and C. Warner, Vancouver, "The Peace of Missions in Junior Work."

The local officers of the association are Dr. William Russell, president; D. Sprinkling, vice-president; R. Smith, secretary-treasurer.

PREMIER McBRIDE HOME.
Returns From Irrigation Congress at Kamloops—Says Interior Is Prosperous.

Premier McBride returned to the city yesterday afternoon after having been in attendance at the Irrigation Congress at Kamloops. He states that the conference was one of the most successful ever held and that its results will be of a far-reaching character. The Premier reports that conditions are very satisfactory in the various districts which he visited. In an interview he said: "During my trip I spent three days in the lower Fraser valley, and found that the inhabitants of that district are experiencing good times. Prosperity is apparent on all sides. In New Westminster and in the townsite of Burnaby and in South Vancouver I found conditions of the most excellent character. "While on the Mainland wherever I was all indications pointed to prosperity, and the outlook on every hand was of the most optimistic character."

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All boats must be in Ketchikan by 9 a. m. on the morning of August 14, according to the race rules, in order to show for measurement under the ratings of the Pacific International Power-boat Association, which is promoting the long-distance contest. Entries will be received by the secretary, 1219 Dominion Trust building, Vancouver, B. C. Handsome trophies, as well as money prizes are offered for the winners. A. V. Conings, publisher of the Pacific Motor Boat, has offered a \$500 trophy cup which will be presented the winner of the race.

The visitor from the longest distance is the Wandager, owned and handled by Mr. E. A. Salisbury, a former Seattleite, who now hails from the South Coast Yacht Club of San Diego, and who was present at the International regatta here last month.

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Eliminate Fly, Lower Bantam, and
Make Slight Alterations of
Light and Welterweights

Tom S. Andrews, sporting editor of the Evening Wisconsin of Milwaukee, has been arranging some interesting statistics tending toward a revision of the weight scale. There have been so many conflicts as to whether the British or American scale that Andrews thought the time was ripe at Reno to take a vote of the critics as to whether they favored the American, the British or a new scale arbitrarily arranged and known as the world scale.

Andrews, unfortunately, did not get about his work until just before the fight, and most of the men were so thoroughly occupied that they had not time to give the subject the consideration that it deserved.

There was no great unanimity of opinion. One sporting-critic favored the British weight and the balance were divided between the American and the world scale. In practically every case the critics were opposed to ring-side weighing, and there was a strong vote to throw out the so-called paper weight of 110 to 112 pounds, and to have the lowest class fixed at 115 or 116 pounds.

In order that the public may understand the situation the three sets of weights are set forth:

Bantamweight	116
Feather	122
Light	133
Welterweight	142
Middleweight	158
Light heavy	175
Heavyweight (over)	175

World	115
Bantam	125
Feather	135
Light	145
Welter	158
Middle	175
Light heavy	175
Heavy (above)	175

British	112
Fly (8 stone)	118
Bantam (8 stone 8 lbs.)	126
Feather (9 stone)	135
Light (9 stone 7 lbs.)	147
Middle (11 stone 6 lbs.)	169
Light heavy (12 stone 7 lbs.)	175
Heavy (above)	175

How the Critics Voted.
A resume shows that sixteen of the writers favored the American scale, twenty-four thought well of the new scale and one voted for the British set. Of the entire list of signers, Battell and Nelson was the only one to favor ring-side weighing.

**LACROSSE EXECUTIVE
TRANSACTS BUSINESS**

Intermediate Match Wednesday
Night—Junior Game This
Week

According to a decision reached by the executive of the Victoria Lacrosse Club, which regulates the senior and the intermediate lacrosse affairs of the city, the match which Victoria West and North Ward intermediates played to a draw, will be replayed on Wednesday night next.

The date of the junior game between North Ward and Victoria West scheduled for Thursday, 11th instant, was altered, and the match will be played at the Royal Athletic park on Friday, 12th instant, to commence at 6:15 o'clock.

In view of the game between Victoria and Vancouver, which will be played at the Royal Athletic park on Saturday afternoon, the executive last night ordered a practice of players to take place on the Royal park ground to-night, and selected the following men to appear on the respective sides: Johnson, Clegg, Styles, Okell, Noel, Brynjolfsson, Ross, W. Johnson, S. Redgrave, F. Sweeney, A. Clark, P. Wilson, L. Sweeney, McCarter, Pettit, crew, Carae, Sargison, McDonald, J. Johnson, Young, Jenkins, Bailey, Kroeger, Morris, Purdy, Dempster, McGregor, Martin, Harris.

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**HARRY VARDON ON
HINTS TO GOLFERS**

English Champion Practices Over
Marked Distances to Perfect
His Strength of Shot

A good many golfers when they come to play upon a strange course find it very difficult to judge distances at all accurately (writes Harry Vardon, in Fry's Magazine), and so are constantly in a state of painful indecision as to what club to take—a frame of mind which, as every one knows, is not conducive to making a good shot. Experience is, needless to say, of great value, and those of us who have frequently to play on courses that we have never seen before acquire, no doubt, in the process an improved power of judging the distances. Nevertheless, apart from the merits of practice, there are some few hints on the subject which are, I think, worth giving, and which may be of help to those who find themselves on a new course.

In the first place, a scoring card on which is marked the length of each hole is of considerable assistance. I always like to have one when playing on a strange course, and make a good deal of use of it. It must not, however, be relied on too implicitly, or else the player will be very apt to over-club himself.

Cards, as a rule, flatter the course unduly. Secretaries and committees of golf clubs are only human; they want to make the best of their links, and so are apt to measure the lengths of holes from the very back of the tee to the very far end of the putting green. The total length of the course thus mounts up to an imposing number of yards, but each individual hole appears to be a little longer than it really is. For instance, a hole may figure on the card as four hundred yards long. Nevertheless, having hit an ordinary

By good tee shot without a favoring wind, I have often found myself at such a distance from the hole as could apparently be covered with a very easy pitching shot.

I therefore find myself in this difficulty: if the card is quite reliable I have either driven some three hundred yards, which I know I cannot do, or else I need a brassie for that apparently short distance, which, as Euclid says, is absurd.

The result is that it is generally wise to take the scoring card with a small pinch of salt, and assume that the hole is not quite so long as it is made out.

Of course, in order to make good use of a card, a player must have a fairly accurate knowledge of the number of yards he can cover with any particular club or shot. This is a piece of knowledge that many golfers do not possess. Yet it is not very difficult to acquire. A little measuring of distances when they are practising would soon teach it them.

Personally, when out practising, I have often marked out a distance in yards, and by this plan I think I can tell to a few yards the distance I can cover with any particular shot.

**RESULTS OF GAMES
II. BASEBALL LEAGUES**

AMERICAN.

R. H. E.	
Philadelphia	3 4 1
Detroit	1 5 2

First Game.

R. H. E.	
St. Louis	1 6 1
New York	0 8 2

Second Game.

R. H. E.	
New York	8 9 2
St. Louis	0 2 3

First Game.

R. H. E.	
Cleveland	7 12 0
Washington	1 6 2

Second Game.

R. H. E.	
Washington	1 4 0
Cleveland	0 6 0

NATIONAL.

R. H. E.	
New York	9 14 1
St. Louis	4 9 2

First Game.

R. H. E.	
Cincinnati	1 8 2
Brooklyn	0 9 1

Second Game.

R. H. E.	
Cincinnati	7 13 1
Brooklyn	5 6 1

PACIFIC COAST.

R. H. E.	
San Francisco	1 6 1
Los Angeles	0 3 0

NORTHWESTERN.

R. H. E.	
Spokane	4 2 2
Vancouver	1 9 1

**DUNCAN TENNIS
CLUB TOURNAMENT**

Record Entry List—Play Will Be-
gin Thursday and Close
Saturday

(Special Correspondence.)

Duncan, Aug. 9.—The annual open tournament of the Duncan lawn tennis club takes place on the club courts on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. The entry list is the largest in the history of the club. Fifteen players from outside points, mostly from Victoria, will take part. The draw follows:

Ladies' singles—Mrs. Knochler bye, Miss Phillips bye, Mrs. Gibbins vs. Miss Duncan, Miss M. Bell vs. Miss M. Kingston, Mrs. Carr Hilton bye, Mrs. B. Green bye, Mrs. W. Morten bye.

Ladies' doubles—Miss M. and Miss Duncan bye, Miss Bell and Miss Futecher bye, Mrs. Gibbins and Mrs. Kennington bye, Mrs. Hilton and partner vs. Mrs. Knochler and Mrs. Lomas, Miss Haynes and Miss Phillips bye, Mrs. B. Green and partner bye, Mrs. Phipps and Miss Robertson bye, Mrs. Leather and Mrs. W. Morten bye.

Gentlemen's doubles—Bundock and Freeman bye, Matterson and Keefe vs. Lomas and Kingston, Powell and partner vs. Huntington and Towneend, Hilton and partner vs. Rivaz and Smithie, Williams and partner vs. Brakepear and Dunca, C. Schwengers and Ryall vs. Barclay and Stepeny, Pigott and Stevenson vs. N. Corfield and E. Corfield, Drake and Hassell bye.

Mixed doubles—Kingston and Mrs. Gibbins bye, Pigott and partner bye, Rivaz and Mrs. Lomas bye, Mr. and Mrs. Kennington bye, Keefe and partner bye, Barclay and partner vs. Lomas and Miss M. Duncan, Schwengers and partner vs. Huntington and Miss K. Robertson, Brakepear and Mrs. Leather vs. Williams and Miss Futecher, Drake and Mrs. Knochler vs. Freeman and Miss C. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Hilton vs. Corfield and Mrs. B. Green, Matterson and Miss Phillips bye, Hassell and Miss Holmes bye, Stevenson and partner bye, Bundock and Mrs. Phipps bye, Powell and partner bye, Maclean and Mrs. W. Morten bye.

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ILL-FATED FAMILY.

Last Member of Family of Four Sons
Meets Death on Railway Track.

Nelson, Aug. 9.—Cecil McCarthy, aged 12, only surviving son of Mike McCarthy, foreman of a steam shovel gang at Creston, was run over on the railway at Creston and instantly killed. His three brothers all met tragic deaths. One was drowned, another lost in the bush and frozen to death, and the third expired suddenly at home.

Dissolution of Partnership

Take Notice that the Partnership heretofore existing between Fredrick Jeune and Philip Jeune, trading as sail and tent makers under the firm name of Jeune and Brother at No. 579 Johnson Street, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 25th day of June, 1910, the said Philip Jeune retiring from the firm.

All liabilities of the firm will be met by F. Jeune who is continuing the business and all monies owing to the late firm are to be paid to the said F. Jeune.

Dated this 25th day of July, 1910
F. JEUNE
P. JEUNE.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Tenders are invited for the erection of a brick building at Nanaimo for Black Diamond Lodge, No. 5, I. O. O. F., up to 6 o'clock p. m. August 12th. Plans and specifications can be seen at the Town Office, Victoria, or at Forrester, Nanaimo, architect, to whom all tenders are to be sent. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Separate tenders are invited for the hot water heating.

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Business men guaranteed \$1,000 to the support of the ball team. In previous years the guarantee money has been used to the last cent. Wattlelet has hopes that

INSPECTION OF THE BOY SCOUTS

All arrangements have now been completed by the Boy Scouts of this city for the reception to be tendered to General Sir Robert Baden-Powell when he arrives here to-morrow afternoon on the Princess Charlotte from Vancouver, and for his entertainment during his brief stay. An elaborate programme has been drawn up, and the organizer of this movement, which has

become world-wide, will certainly be given a notable reception. To-morrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock the sixty boys, Lieut.-Col. Hall in charge, picked from the brigade to form a guard of honor, will assemble outside the drill hall. At 2:30 o'clock the escort will march to the C. P. R. dock to wait the arrival of the steamer from the Terminal city. The brass band of the brigade, consisting of twenty

pieces, will be in attendance, as well as the bugle band of eight scouts. General Baden-Powell will meet the whole corps to-morrow evening in the school room of Christ Church cathedral. He will probably address them on the progress that the Boy Scouts' movement has made since its inauguration. The boys as well as the scout masters are anticipating a profitable evening with their chief scout.

Friday will be a quiet day with the general, as he will not be called upon to do any inspecting work. He will be taken on a sight-seeing trip around the city. On Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock the whole brigade, consisting of 250 scouts, will muster outside the Times office, from where they will proceed along Broad street to Yates, down Yates street to Government street, and along that thoroughfare to Beacon Hill park, where the scouts will be inspected by the general. An exhibition by the individual troops will be given. It is the intention of Troop "A" to give a demonstration in first aid to the injured. Another troop has undertaken the task of showing General Baden-Powell how to construct and operate a miniature telegraph system. The boys will string the wires and send messages. A church parade will be held on Sunday morning at Christ Church cathedral.

General Sir Robert Baden-Powell is travelling through Canada for the purpose of inspecting the numerous brigades in this land. He is coming to Victoria direct from the Old Country, and the Victoria corps is the first to be inspected. On his return trip he will stop over at the different towns where there are brigades for a few days. The general commenced this movement shortly after his return from the Boer war, his purpose being to give the boys some knowledge of the fighting game. In England the movement spread rapidly, and it was not long before it reached the British domains beyond the seas.



SIR ROBERT BADEN-POWELL.

Head of the Boy Scout movement, who comes here to-morrow. (From a sketch made in the field during the South African war.)



THE BOY SCOUTS AT DRILL.

JOE GANS DIES IN BALTIMORE

Former Lightweight Champion of the World Succumbs to Tuberculosis

(Times Leased Wire.)

Baltimore, Md., Aug. 10.—Joe Gans, former lightweight champion of the world, died at 5:30 o'clock this morning, surrounded by a group of his oldest friends, his wife and his foster mother.

The end came peacefully. At the bedside were Mrs. Gans, his foster mother, Kid North, a pugilist, Miss Lailigan, the nurse who has been in attendance on Gans, and Colonel Dan Pendleton, an old time friend of the former champion.

Gans' estate is estimated at only \$10,000. He carried little life insurance. The earnings of his entire career were over \$300,000.

Gans' last public appearance was on the stage of the Gaiety theatre in Baltimore, the night before the stricken fighter left for Arizona, in hope of regaining his failing health. Battling Nelson was playing at the Gaiety at the time Gans came on the stage with his one time victor amid a thunder of applause. He spoke briefly, telling of his sorrow at being obliged to leave his home. He then pathetically bid good-bye to Nelson and left the stage, never to be seen in public again.

With the passing of Gans the ring has lost one of its greatest lightweight boxers. Tuberculosis, the malady which has laid its blighting fingers on other great colored fighters, wore down the sturdy frame.

Four years ago lacking one month Gans was one of the most perfect fighting machines that ever stepped into the ring. One month later, September 3, 1906, his physical downfall began. Forced to wear conditioned fish oil, to meet the condition imposed by Billy Nolan, then managing Battling Nelson, for the contest with the Dane for the lightweight championship, his magnificent constitution was undermined and he was never again the great Gans who had successfully defended his title against scores of fighters from the time he won it from Frank Erne in 1902 until his second encounter with Nelson, July 4, 1907.

The result of that battle is too well known to require more than passing mention. For 42 rounds the boys fought savagely under a blazing Nevada sun, Gans, owing to his weakened condition, being put to the severest test of his life to keep the Dane from over-coming him. A few seconds after the opening of the final round Gans went down under a blow that referee Sherman held was foul. Gans was awarded the battle.

It was his last great fight, however, and the Gans that won the championship from Erne in a round began to fail. When he made his last battle, which was with James White, the Englishman, in New York, March 12, 1909, he was only a shadow. The two beatings that Nelson gave him in San Francisco in 1908 were the finishing touches.

Gans took up boxing because he was inclined to ill health. He displayed such cleverness that he was urged to make boxing his profession. In 1894 Gans began to show the real stuff in him, and from that time until he fell before Nelson he fought every lightweight that sought a battle with him and sometimes he took on the welter. After fighting his way through the second and third class fighters he challenged Frank Erne. The champion was then at his best and Gans was forced to stop in the 12th round. In their next meeting Gans won in the first round.

THE ADVANCE MAN

Popular Operas Coming.

The National Opera Company, which appears at the Victoria theatre next Monday and Tuesday evenings, attracted unusually large audiences at Vancouver, where they remained for six weeks; and during the entire week's run of "The Bohemian Girl," also "The Mikado," seats could not be obtained at any performance. Other engagements prevent them from remaining in Victoria more than two nights, Monday and Tuesday evenings, August 15th and 16th.

The sales of seats for the National Opera Company's two productions starts at 10 a. m. Friday, August 12th. Seats can be booked for either performance, and the number already spoken for indicates that the theatre will be too small to accommodate the crowds.

WOMEN'S WORK AT VICTORIA'S FAIR

Auxiliary is Busy Perfecting Arrangements Along Many Lines of Activity

Mrs. James Richards, Sproule, Sprague and Crane, the women's auxiliary of the Agricultural Society, have been hard at work during the season beautifying the formerly rough and untidy fair grounds, and their work is now beginning to bear fruit.

Local florists have been most generous in donating plants, which gives an up-to-date touch to the space in the vicinity of the Women's building, and when the paths now being gravelled are completed, the ladies will have good reason to be proud of the results attending their efforts.

The exhibit of the Vancouver Island Arts and Crafts Society will be a special feature, and it is confidently expected that the display of fancy work will be a very large one.

The women's institutes of Metehosin, Colwood, Lakeside and Gordon Head will compete for a silver cup which will be presented to the institute sending in the best assortment of work.

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wards if sufficient encouragement be given to warrant it.

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A demonstration of cooking by electricity will be given daily in the Woman's building. This alone should induce every housekeeper in the city to visit the fair.

Two classes of the population of St. Petersburg are specially addicted to eating horse meat—the Tartars because they like it, the students because it is cheap.

DEATH IN A HANDSHAKE.

An inquest was held at Eastbourne, Eng., recently, on John William Reeves, aged 45, of Warbleton. Mr. Reeves, it was stated, had a habit of using a special grip in shaking hands, and when wishing Robert Anderson, a farm bailiff, good-night at a Warbleton public house he twisted his thumb back, causing Anderson severe pain. Anderson pushed Mr. Reeves away and he fell down some cobble steps, sustaining fatal injuries. The jury returned a verdict of death by misadventure and exonerated Anderson.

BREACH OF PROMISE AT 50.

Mrs. Fanny Amelia Denbeigh, a widow, aged 50, was the plaintiff in a breach of promise suit at Birmingham assizes, and the jury awarded her £20 damages.

Mrs. Denbeigh kept a tobacconist's shop at Selly Oak, a Birmingham suburb, and Charles Basset, a night watchman, the defendant in the suit, was a customer.

proposed marriage to Mrs. Denbeigh, said counsel, and was accepted. Mrs. Denbeigh, however, fell ill, and went to hospital, her niece, Miss Jessie Addy, being left in charge of the shop.

Basset, whose age is 46, fell in love with Miss Addy and married her. He asserted that he had never loved Mrs. Denbeigh "beyond the walking stage," causing counsel to remark "there are degrees of love we don't understand."

NOTICE

Take notice that J. S. Caffel, intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victoria, B. C., at the next sitting thereof, for a transfer of the liquor license now held by me in respect of the Aldon Saloon, situated on the corner of Yates street and Waddington Alley, Victoria, B. C., to James Morgan. Dated this 5th day of August, 1910.

J. S. CAFFEL.

By his Attorney in Fact, Jno. F. Dickson, Applicant.

NOTICE

The public of British Columbia and visitors are cordially invited to meet the Right Honorable Sir Wilfrid Laurier, G. C. M. G., P. C., Premier of Canada, at a Public Reception to be tendered by the Premier and Members of the Executive Council of the Government of British Columbia, in the Parliament Buildings, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 17th instant, at 3 p. m.

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FOR VACATION DAYS

Nearly every one now-a-days takes a holiday at some time or other during the summer season; certainly every one needs it, for a respite of at least a week or two from the cares of business, society or the household is indispensable to the well-being of one's physical and mental machinery. However, there are ways and ways—and still more ways—of taking a holiday; and while some of them are beneficial, others are exactly the reverse. The latter type of vacation, it is superfluous to observe, were far better dispensed with altogether.

With the average woman the clothes problem is the most important feature of vacation preparations, and a vacation one at that. What to wear and what not to wear, what to pack in one's trunk or suitcase and what to leave at home—these are questions beside which the holiday itself often pales into utter insignificance. It is the unusual woman, indeed, who can start on a vacation with a mind care-free and at rest, and a body un-fatigued enough to make real pleasure-seeking possible.

Simple frocks are the only ones to be considered when packing up for a short summer outing. Two or three such dresses are desirable, but it is well to

tation, rolled up at one side and trimmed with folds of Persian foulard or chiffon, with the possible addition of a feather ornament—a la Chantecleer. In going away for a short holiday it is hardly worth while to take more than one hat; for not only is it a difficult matter to pack headgear of the huge dimensions now in vogue, but there is a very general disinclination among summer visitors to the country or seashore to wear hats except upon special occasions.

Shoes are a very important item in the vacation outfit, for upon their judicious selection depends much of one's physical comfort. High-heeled slippers or pumps are worse than useless when it comes to climbing steep hills or taking long walks along country roads. Instead, one should wear well-shaped, carefully-fitted Oxford ties, with heels of sensible height.

TRANSFER DESIGNS

The woman with little time to spare usually avails herself of every minute of it to put in stitches that her wardrobe seems to be always in sad need of, and next to these come the little decorative touches to her pretty blouses and dresses for dinner and more formal occasions. The more simple these touches are the more readily will she apply herself to the work, as her time is much too valuable to carry out a design for braiding, stenciling or embroidery that is so elaborate as to require several weeks to finish. The business woman is the one who suffers most for lack of a few leisure moments, and she it is who, as a rule, is more fully cognizant of embroidery stitches than most of us. A woman is often deterred from sewing braid on by machine, as she is under the impression that a special attachment has to be used on the machine. This will be entirely unnecessary if she adjusts the screw for a loose tension and uses a fine thread or silk; and then, too, a

short presser-foot is of great assistance in the work. If one finds difficulty in sewing tubular or rat-tail braid on by hand on the wrong side, it may be slip-stitched on the upper side.

Embroidered buttons contribute a pleasing touch wherever used, whether for ornament or use. If a woman is not familiar with any stitch but outlining, these button designs will produce a remarkably pretty effect. Satin-stitch is another development suitable for them; this stitch is usually padded, giving a raised effect, but this feature is not essential for buttons, all that is necessary being to work the satin-stitch closely and evenly across the spaces. If silk or rope silk is used, the stitches will have a raised appearance. Long and short stitch may also be used entirely for each design, whether colored silks or white mercerized cottons are used.

Attention should be given to the pressing of embroidery articles. Several thicknesses of flannel, with a clean ironing-sheet over it, should be used. The article is then dampened with cold water and pressed with a moderately hot iron on the wrong side. Often in stamping on sheer material such as batiste or fine lawn the transfer design stamps through to the back-ground. It is therefore advisable to baste a piece of plain white under the material before stamping it and then work through the material only. The design, however, will show up very clearly when embroidered over white, as, for instance, a gowing apron.

Low collars never enjoyed such prominence as they have this year; one sees them everywhere, and none are as pretty as the hand-embroidered ones. Linen collars with ever so small a design in handwork on them are somewhat beyond the reach of the woman whose purse is not always well filled, but this same woman is very slow to realize how easy this sort of work is, and that she is capable of having more of these dainty articles when she makes them herself. Sheer handkerchief linen or batiste makes a dainty collar, but will not stand the wear and tear of the laundering as well as one of fine medium-weight linen. A ruffle of narrow Valenciennes lace or a dainty piece of real lace will increase the beauty of any one of these collars.

The new rolling collars differ from the Dutch collar inasmuch as they dip in the front considerably. The advantage of a rolling collar is that it may be worn with a shirtwaist that opens in front. The collar itself dips slightly in front, which is very much more becoming to the majority of faces than the usual round collar. In the shop the rolling collars are banded on a piece of material that is shaped like a vestee or dickey that can be fastened securely under the waist to keep it from riding up the neck.

If the lower line of scalloped edge is first run with fine, even stitches, any tendency the edge may have to fray and tear after the work is done will be offset. A scalloped edge should have an allowance of at least an inch of material below the scallop to hold while working.

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PRETTY FROCK FOR SMALL GIRL

This design works out equally well in linen, pique, etc., or serge or mohair. If linen is chosen, delft blue with white buttonholes and buttons is a pretty and girlish combination.

remember that laundering is expensive in the country and is rarely done in a workmanlike manner; hence wash frocks are apt to prove more or less troublesome. More practical is the coat and skirt suit of light-weight wool, the coat made semi-fitting and the skirt of ankle length and comfortable width. Add to these a generous supply of smartly cut, well-made shirtwaists, among which should be one of silk matching the color of the suit, the rest being of washable materials. With such a supply to draw upon, and with plenty of dainty neckwear—which requires but little space in packing—one ought to be practically independent of inexpert laundresses for a week or two, in so far as frocks are concerned, at least. A couple of shirtwaists made of French flannel are a good investment if one is going into a mountain or lake region, where damp, cool days are frequent, even in summer. In fact, such shirtwaists are excellent for outing wear in general.

For church wear and the few ceremonious occasions for which, whether they occur or not, one should always be prepared, nothing is more appropriate than a pretty foulard, simply made but sufficiently fashionable to suggest the handicraft of the up-to-date city dressmaker. However remote one may be from the centres of civilization there are little insular conventions which it is distinctly not worth while to ignore, and one of these is the matter of careful dressing when the occasion demands. All country people are extremely sensitive upon this point, and scathing are the comments often heard concerning "city folks" who think anything good enough to wear in the country.

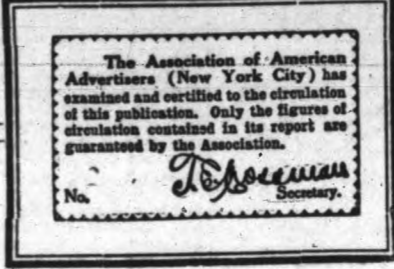
For the separate coat, without which no feminine wardrobe is ever complete, nothing is better for summer wear than natural ponce, for it is cool, comfortable, and sheds dust easily. Coats made of this charming material for the present season's wear are long and semi-fitting, and have, almost without exception, collar, cuffs and pocket facings of either polka-dot or Persian foulard. To accompany such a coat—or, indeed, any tailored coat or suit—one might appropriately wear a modestly



MODISH STREET FROCK.

For this model, ponce, either in natural tone or color, is ideal. The plaited part of skirt is joined to a hip yoke under a deep tuck, headed with fagot-bands of lace insertion and tucks joins the bloused part of bodice in same manner. A half-dozen little bows of velvet ribbon and a velvet girdle are a chic finish to an exceptionally pretty

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Mortimer is holidaying on Pender Island.

Mrs. Watt, William Head, spent yesterday in town.

A. Johnson returned from the Terminal city yesterday.

T. Cusack sailed for Vancouver last night on the Charmer.

E. A. Jacobs left for the mainland yesterday on business.

F. T. Cromwell returned to his home in Vancouver last night.

W. K. Houston has gone over to Vancouver on business.

Lieut. W. Clarke, Sydney, Australia, is enjoying a stay in town.

S. Leiser crossed over to Vancouver last night on a business trip.

Miss Edith Thomson, Cumberland, is the guest of Mrs. H. Baxter.

A. H. McNeill, K. C., left on his return trip to Vancouver last night.

R. Milne of this city, is spending a few days in Vancouver on a visit.

L. Galvin was among the passengers on the Victoria yesterday from the Sound.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Young, Seattle, arrived in this city yesterday from the Sound.

Mrs. J. Lowry returned yesterday afternoon from Seattle on the Princess Victoria.

A. Vaughan was among the passengers on last night's boat for the Terminal city.

A. E. Hopburn has returned to Vancouver after spending a few days here on business.

H. F. W. Behnen, M.P.P., went over to Vancouver yesterday afternoon on a business trip.

Miss Eva Thompson, Pembroke street, left on a visit to Vancouver yesterday afternoon.

Rev. A. N. Miller was a passenger on the Princess Charlotte yesterday from Vancouver.

Mrs. A. T. Biggs, San Jose, Cal., is making an extended stay in town and is the guest of friends.

E. O. C. Scholefield, provincial librarian, returned from Vancouver on yesterday afternoon's boat.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Stewart, Edinburgh, who are touring Canada, are spending some time sight-seeing here.

Miss Cecilia Green was among the passengers on the Princess Victoria yesterday afternoon for the Terminal city.

Hon. Richard McBride was among the passengers on the Princess Charlotte, which arrive from Vancouver yesterday.

Mrs. J. M. Whitney and family are visiting friends in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Melhuish, Vancouver, are the guests of friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Forman of this city are guests at Glencoe Lodge, Vancouver.

Miss Payche L. Scott is in Vancouver, where she is the guest of Mr. M. J. Morrison.

Messrs. John Pearson and Percy Whitley, Ottawa, are holidaying with friends at Duncan.

Miss Lillian Elford left yesterday on a visit to Vancouver, where she will be the guest of friends.

Miss Agatha Nash, Battery street, has returned from a pleasant stay with friends in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walsh and family, Vancouver, are enjoying a motor trip on Vancouver Island.

Miss Cora Wilson, who was the guest of friends in town, has returned to her home in North Vancouver.

Mrs. (Dr.) Jones, View street, has as her guests Mrs. G. M. McAuliffe, Miss M. Engvick and Miss D. Stewart.

Mrs. Nicholson, Calgary, who is on an extended trip to the coast, is now in Vancouver and will visit Victoria shortly.

Miss Blossom Fawcett has been holidaying for the past month with friends at Ladner, and is having a most enjoyable time.

Mrs. Rose, Douglas street, and her ward, Miss Daisy Mason, enjoyed a pleasant visit with friends in Pacific City recently.

Lionel S. Yull, Elford St., and Gillian Scott, South Park, are camping at Shawanigan Lake, with a bunch of school chums.

Miss Agnes Evans, of the public school staff, left yesterday for a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. J. G. Taylor, Vancouver.

Dr. and Mrs. Williams, Broad street, have as their guests A. K. Hincks, manager of the branch of the Bank of B. N. A., Hedley, B. C.

H. J. Scott, manager of the Hamilton Powder Works, returned to this city yesterday afternoon from a business trip to Vancouver.

Mrs. John Goulds has returned to town after an enjoyable stay in Boston, Mass., where she was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Hildare.

Mrs. C. Bampfyde Daniell and Miss Wyldie left this morning for Goldstream, where they will camp for a few weeks while making a series of sketches.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson and party, from Seattle, who have been in town spending a few days, left yesterday on a motor trip to Alberni and other west coast points.

Allan M. Oliver, manager of the government telegraph office at Nanaimo, and Mrs. Oliver, are visiting this city, the guests of Mr. Oliver's father, Admiral's road.

Miss Mills, superintendent of the art department of the public schools, who is camping at Salt Spring Island, spent the week-end in town, returning to camp last evening.

The many friends of Mrs. Corbett, Pender Island, who was for so long seriously ill in the Jubilee hospital, will be glad to learn that her health has improved rapidly since her return home.

Mrs. S. MacLure, Oak Bay, who has charge of the concert for the flower show this evening, has arranged a splendid programme in which Mrs. D. C. Reid, Mrs. Harry Briggs, and Messrs. Wallaston, Rogers and Griffiths will take part. The orchestra from the Fifth Regiment will also be in attendance.

If the weather prove favorable, the garden party to be held at Government House on Thursday afternoon, the 15th, in honor of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and party, will be a very brilliant so-

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cial function. A large number of invitations have been issued by His Honor, the Lieut.-Governor, and Mrs. Paterson, and the beautiful grounds surrounding Government House were never looking better.

Miss Cordelia Grylls leaves tomorrow evening on route for Berkeley, Cal. During her stay there last winter Miss Grylls was most favorably received by the musical people of that city, who were enthusiastic over the quality of her voice and her method of singing. During her stay in Victoria Miss Grylls has won many warm friends, all of whom, while regretting to lose her from Victoria, will wish her every success in her new sphere of work. As a teacher her bright and energetic manner inspired confidence in her pupils and won rapid results; as a singer of bright, dainty ballads, she was always in requisition, and she will be greatly missed in musical circles here.

The Evening Chit-Chat

BY RUTH CAMERON



A half dozen children bound on one of those wonderful excursions whose chief feature is a fairly ordinary lunch glorified into a feast by being partaken of under the open skies, passed up the other day while we were out walking.

"There, I remember I promised to take my boys out into the woods for a picnic supper soon," said the fresh, happy little lady, who is big sister and chum, as well as a most wonderful mother to her five boys.

"You poor dear," pitied the aesthetic lady, "you have my sympathy. How I hate to eat out doors. You never know whether your food is going to be flavored with ants or spiders or pine needles or just plain dirt. I think you are a perfect martyr to those children."

"No such thing," rejoined the fresh little lady indignantly. "Why, I love to eat outdoors just as much as I did when I was a child. I think it's great fun. If I wasn't with you folks, I'd wish I was going with those children this very minute."

That's the kind of a lady who will always have more friends than she has time for, who will always be wanted wherever she goes, who will always be hailed as a delightful addition to any festivity.

Because she hasn't yet lost her enthusiasm for simple things.

I once knew a little girl for whom everybody liked to do things because she enjoyed everything so much.

It was a perfect delight to take her on a picnic or an excursion because she simply bubbled over with enthusiasm every minute of the time.

She is grown up now. At least she thinks so. And I fancy myself that she is older now than she will ever be again.

I happened to be with her on a jolly little excursion the other day. Her annual was pathetic.

"I remember when I was a little girl and used to come up here; what a fuss I used to make about going out on the lake in one of those wretched little boats," she reminisced in the manner of very old young folks. "Why, now I'd want to be paid just to get into one of the dirty little things, and then, with an air of evident pride, 'I've certainly outgrown my enthusiasm.'"

Her air of pride ought to have been an air of regret and sorrow, I think.

There is nothing to be proud about in being bored. Absolutely the contrary.

"I've reached the age when one begins to prefer sherbet to ice cream, and oranges and meringue to ice cream soda," a whimsical young man remarked to me the other day.

It was a rather clever characterization and I suppose it is symbolic of the attitude that most of us get into as we advance in our twenties.

"But, oh! I love the people who don't—the dear folks who will still childishly delight in ice cream and ice cream soda."

"And I think the rest of the world loves them, too."

It laughs at them once in a while, but just as it loves a child so it loves "that child's heart within the man's."

THE PASSING SHOW

Majestic Theatre.

There is another strongly attractive bill of good clean entertainment on Wednesday and Thursday at this theatre. "The Little Fiddler" is a strong, dramatic story of a gentleman burglar who deserted his wife and child and accuses his own son of theft. Becoming conscience-stricken, he begs his wife's forgiveness, promises to reform and the family are thus reunited. "The Jockey" has for its basis the doctoring of a horse to prevent his winning a race. The girl in the case, however, overrules the agreement and changes the horses, so the wrong one is doctored and the favorite wins after all. "But she marries the jockey just the same. The real racing quality pervades the picture, which on that account is attractive to a large number of people. The action, too, is lively enough to satisfy the most exacting individual. "The Phoenix" is a sensational melodrama of the Selig type and "The Bethrothal" a comedy hit.

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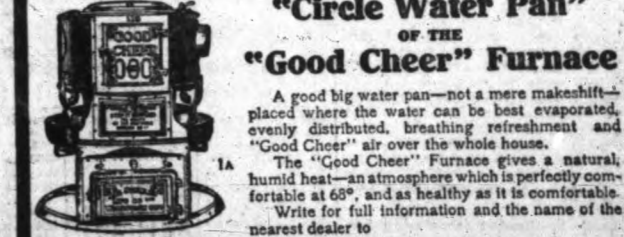
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BRITISH YEOMAN IS TO LOAD AT HASTINGS

Grain Shippers Not Eager to Secure Tonnage in Advance—Tramp Taken for Australia

Another sailing vessel has been chartered to load lumber at Hastings mill. This is the British barque British Yeoman, 1822 tons register, which has been chartered to load for South Africa. She is now at San Francisco, and is due early in September.

IROQUOIS TAKES PLACE OF CHIPPEWA

No Morning Steamer Here From Seattle for Few Days While Chippewa is Repairing

There was no steamer to or from Seattle this morning, the Iroquois having been taken off to replace the Chippewa, which went ashore yesterday on the southeast corner of Lopez Island with nearly a thousand excursionists aboard bound to this city.

EXCAVATING IS NOW COMPLETE GRAND TRUNK DOCK

Everyone Who Views Work Surprised at Immensity and Permanence

After four months of steady work the rock excavation on the Grand Trunk Pacific dock property has been completed. There was a good deal more rock than was needed for the filling and for the road, and this is piled on the property until such time as it is needed.

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ROYAL EDWARD SETS NEW ATLANTIC RECORD

Trip From Land to Land Occupies Three Days, Four and Half Hours

(Special to the Times.) Montreal, Aug. 10.—All Canadian trans-atlantic records were broken today when the Canadian Northern steamer Royal Edward arrived at Quebec 11.05 a. m. She left Bristol at 8 p. m. Thursday last (British time), the voyage thus occupying five days and twenty hours approximately.

MOVEMENT OF VESSELS

(Special to the Times.) On the scene. Prince Rupert, Aug. 9.—To-day's Skeena river bulletin follows: 8 a. m.—Clear, cool, calm. Water 6 in. above zero.

SHIPPING GUIDE

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS From the Orient. Dues. Inaba Maru Aug. 18. Asama Maru Aug. 18. Empress of Japan Aug. 27.

SHIPPING REPORT

(By Dominion Wireless.) August 10, 8 a. m. Point Grey—Clear; N. W.; 29.90; 62. Cape Lazo—Clear; N. W.; 29.98; 62. sea moderate.

COASTWISE STEAMERS

From San Francisco. Dues. Queen Aug. 12. From Skagway. Princess Royal Aug. 15. Prince George Aug. 10.

FERRY SERVICE

Victoria-Vancouver. Steamer leaves here at 2.15 p. m. daily, arriving at Vancouver at 4.45 p. m.

SLACK WATER—Active Pass. B. C.

Table with columns: Date, H.W., Slack, L.W., Slack. Rows for dates from August 10 to 21.

ANGELIS EXCURSION

Four Trips to Be Made Across Straits on Fridays Next From This City. The excursion arranged by the International Steamship Company to run from this city to Port Angeles on Friday of this week, will be handled by the steamer Iroquois instead of the Chippewa.

SONS OF ENGLAND

Ottawa, Aug. 10.—The principal business at the opening session of the Supreme Lodge, Sons of England Benevolent Society, yesterday afternoon was the presentation of the report of the supreme secretary, J. W. Carter.

NOTICE

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Table with columns: North-bound, Read Down, Train No. 1, Train No. 2, Read South-bound, Train No. 2, Train No. 1. Lists train numbers and destinations.

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vous mishap when the steamer Albion was run down. The Iroquois will not come here again until the Chippewa is ready to resume her run.

TIDE TABLE

Table with columns: Date, Time H, Time M, Time H, Time M. Rows for dates from August 10 to 31.

The week in lumber chartering has brought out little new business. One tramp steamer was taken on time for Australian business and a small home-owned vessel for Callao at 45c. 3d.

INCENDIARY PLEADS GUILTY

Brookville, Ont., Aug. 10.—Peter Marot, who early on Sunday morning set the Merrill block on fire and later confessed upon giving himself to the police, was brought before Judge McDonald this morning and upon being arraigned pleaded guilty. Sentence was deferred until next Monday.

with Sound shipping negotiations for years, is in San Francisco negotiating a charter, with the option of purchase, on the steamer Arctic, for the Tacoma & Vancouver Steamship Company, of Seattle. The vessel has been taken by Mr. Coker, subject to inspection, and if the craft proves satisfactory, will load cargo in San Francisco early this week, and come to Seattle.

The Arctic will take the run now filled by the steamer Morning Star, engaged in freighting between Puget Sound and Vancouver, and the Morning Star will be chartered by the San Juan Navigation Company to take the run now served by the steamer Yashonian. The Morning Star has recently been equipped with additional staterooms, and modernized in other ways to make her into an up-to-date passenger boat.

ANGELIS EXCURSION

Four Trips to Be Made Across Straits on Fridays Next From This City. The excursion arranged by the International Steamship Company to run from this city to Port Angeles on Friday of this week, will be handled by the steamer Iroquois instead of the Chippewa; that steamer being now in the Moran dock at Seattle undergoing repairs, after being ashore yesterday. There will be four trips from this port at 8 a. m. noon, 4 p. m. and 8 p. m. This will give everyone desirous of visiting the little town across the straits an opportunity of crossing.

REPAIRS COMPLETED

Lonsdale Ready to Leave for Vancouver to Load for Mexican Ports. The repairs to the steamer Lonsdale have been completed by the Victoria Machinery Depot for the owners who are represented here by Captain Creighton. No announcement has yet been made as to whether she has been turned over to the Canadian Mexican Pacific Steamship Co., but it is rumored that she will leave for Vancouver to-morrow to load for Mexican ports.

Ottawa, Aug. 10.—The principal business at the opening session of the Supreme Lodge, Sons of England Benevolent Society, yesterday afternoon was the presentation of the report of the supreme secretary, J. W. Carter. The financial statement showed that in 1909 the Supreme Lodge receipts topped the expenditure by \$19,450, and the 1909 receipts were also greater than the expenditure. A loyal address to George V. was submitted as the first order of business by Rev. Canon Chambers of Montreal.

WINNIPEG GRAIN

(Special to the Times.) Winnipeg, Aug. 10.—Wheat—Oct. 109 1/2; 1001; Dec. 1011/2; May, 1061/2; Cash close, 1 Nor. 108; 2 Nor. 103; 3 Nor. 102; 4 W. oats, 3; barley, 30; flax, 22.

FOR DOUKHOBOR COLONY

Winnipeg, Aug. 10.—M. W. Casaroff, manager of the Vergin, Sask. Doukhobor colony, has been in the city since Friday. During that period he bought implements, hardware, clothing, drugs and drygoods for the community to the value of \$350,000.

Steamer Sechelt which was ashore in the entrance to Vancouver harbor has been hoisted.

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Bacon (American), per lb.	30 1/2
Bacon (long clear), per lb.	30
Beef, per lb.	19 1/2
Pork, per lb.	12 1/2
Mutton, per lb.	12 1/2
Lamb, hindquarter	1.50 1.00
Lamb, forequarter	1.75 1.00
Veal, per lb.	12 1/2
Suet, per lb.	12 1/2
Farm Produce	
Fresh Island Eggs	45
Butter (Creamery)	45
Butter (Eastern Townships)	35
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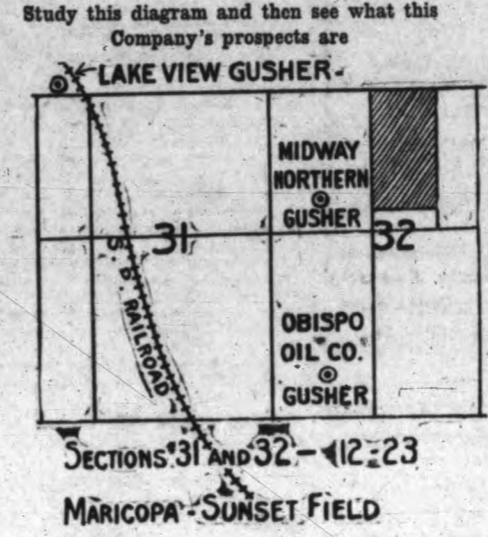
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RIGS LEFT ON BROAD STREET BEFORE COURT
Motor Speeding and Piano Playing Defendants Heard—Woman to be Deported

MAYOR GAYNOR IS IMPROVING
 (Continued from page 1)
 Within the hospital, the mayor lay apparently suffering considerably from the wound. He was cheerful, however, and joked freely with the nurses, particularly bewailing the lack of solid food. Owing to the presence of the bullet, he occasionally had difficulty in breathing.
 At the time of the third bulletin the mayor's temperature was 1-1-4 degrees above normal, indicating that no infection had set in. When his strength returns the patient will be taken to the Adirondacks for convalescence.
 Hundreds of telegrams from all parts of the country and cablegrams from foreign lands were received today by Robert Adamson, Gaynor's secretary, denouncing the crime and urging quick punishment of the would-be slayer.
 Gallagher spent a sleepless night, and when told at the Jersey City jail by Attorney Jackoff that he probably would receive a long prison term, even if he recovered, the prisoner wept. Frequently Gallagher paced his cell and occasionally sat down, holding his head in his hands. He complained of the wounds inflicted on his head by Commissioner Edwards, who severely punished the assailant while grappling with him on the deck of the liner to prevent further injury to the mayor.
 Gallagher's wounds were dressed by Dr. Hastings, the jail physician. Officers assert that the prisoner is breaking down. It is believed that he had been drinking heavily before the shooting and that the sudden stoppage of stimulants is causing a serious nervous reaction.
 Tributes to Mayor.
 It remains for William J. Gaynor, the stricken mayor of New York, to experience the praises usually reserved for prominent men until after they are dead. Nearly every prominent newspaper in New York joins in genuine homage to the wounded executive's ability as a political power and to his worth as a man.
 The World says: "If painful death awaits the hero of a memorable onslaught upon hereditary abuses, there should be in the republic enough of the old-time fire to demand in expiation not only the life of the wretch immediately guilty, but also the extinction of political and social rapacity that produced him from his crazy

VENGEANCE, AND FINALLY NERVED HIS MURDEROUS ARM.
 Gaynor's virtues are summed up briefly by the Sun in the following words: "Disappointing the expectation of his opponents and surpassing the highest hopes of his friends, Mayor Gaynor, vigilant, wise and eager to correct abuses, singularly brave, intelligent, alert and full of homely tang."
 Touching upon the psychology of the attempted assassination, the Times says: "It would seem that Gaynor is the last one that should have been a victim of the insensate anger and blind, mad, hatred, especially at the hands of a member of the class to which the would-be assassin belongs."
 "Whatever may be the palliation of regicides," comments the American, "and murders of high officials in other lands, political assassin in America can mean nothing but that the law is too weak and life too cheap. Abhorrence of the crime is as universal as is the hope of Gaynor's speedy recovery."
 The Press says: "The extraordinary fact is that in this republic cranks and mad men rarely pick as targets for their assassin's aim, the discredited and disreputable public official. Their lust is for the choice blood and the valuable of the nation."
 London Comments.
 (Special to the Times)
 London, Aug. 10.—The Hon. West-
 minister Gazette and Globe all draw parallels between the shooting of Mayor Gaynor in New York and Boutras Pasha in Egypt, at the expense of former President Roosevelt.

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 Los Angeles, July 27.—The American Oilfields has declared a dividend of one per cent, to be paid in October, and continued each quarter thereafter. This stock is not listed but some private sales are reported at around \$50 a share.
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 Bush fires are still raging on different parts of this island and also on the north shore. The fire wardens have not been successful in subduing them, and as a result many thousands acres of valuable timber has been destroyed. If the fires are not under control before the rains fall many more acres will be devastated.
 A fire started at Elk Lake on Saturday, but little damage was done, as the blaze was confined between the railway track and the bank of the lake. A large tree in this area fell across the V. & S. track on Sunday, the fire burning the trunk away, and traffic on this line was interfered with for some time. The inbound train from Sidney in the evening was delayed a few hours until the obstacle was removed.
 On the old Phoenix Brewery property at the north end of the Saanich peninsula a large fire has been burning for several weeks. The efforts of the fire fighters to extinguish the blaze have been fruitless and the fire is eating its way through the great fir forest there.
 On Salt Spring Island a fire has taken a firm hold on the south side, and it appears that no efforts have been made to check it as it has travelled a great distance.
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METHODIST CONFERENCE

(Continued from page 1.)

Lord's Day, August 14. 10 a.m.—Fellowship service. 11 a.m.—Public worship. Preacher, Rev. Henry Halgh, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; fraternal delegate from British Wesleyan conference. 7 p.m.—Public worship. Preacher, Rev. Solomon Cleaver, B. A., D. D., Toronto.

Monday, August 15. 9 a.m.—Opening exercises. Roll call. Resolves. Election of secretary. Report of agenda committee. Fixing hours for meeting and adjournment. Meeting of committees for election of their officers. Fifteen minutes each to groups A, B, C, D.

Monday Afternoon. Opening exercises. Routine business as per rules of order. Appointment of associate secretaries. Quadrennial address of the general superintendent. Reading minutes of meetings of general conference special committee. (Par. 104.) Reports of our fraternal delegates to other churches during the quadrennium. Distribution of memorials and notices of motion to chairmen of committees.

Monday Evening. Meeting of committees—Group A, 9 to 10. Group B, 10 to 11. Group C, 11 to 12. Group D, 12 to 13. Tuesday Afternoon. Opening exercises. Routine business as per rules of order. Reception of deputation from Women's Christian Temperance Union. Reception of deputation from Women's Missionary Society. Reports of committees. Miscellaneous. Reports of business committee.

Tuesday Evening. Reception of fraternal delegates—Wesleyan conference of Great Britain. Rev. Henry Halgh; Irish Wesleyan conference, Rev. Wm. A. Bracken. Wednesday Morning, August 17. Meeting of committees—Groups A, B, C, D. Wednesday Afternoon. Opening exercises. Routine business as per rules of order. Reception of deputation from Bible Society. Reception of deputation from Lord's Day Alliance. Reports of committees. Miscellaneous. Reports of business committee.

Wednesday Evening. The conference, by invitation of the government of British Columbia, to attend the reception of the Right Honorable Sir Wilfrid Laurier, G.C.M.G., P.C., premier of Canada. Thursday Morning, August 18. Meeting of committees—Groups A, B, C, D. Thursday Afternoon. Opening exercises. Routine business. Reports of committees. Miscellaneous. Reports of business committee.

Thursday Evening. Meeting of committees—Group A, 9 to 9. Group B, 9 to 10. Friday Morning, August 19. Meeting of committees—Groups A, B, C, D. Friday Afternoon. Opening exercises. Routine business. Reports of committees. Miscellaneous. Reports of business committee.

Friday Evening. Meeting of committees—Group A, 9 to 9. Group B, 9 to 10. Saturday Morning, August 20. Meeting of committees—Groups A, B, C, D. Saturday Afternoon. Opening exercises. Routine business. Reports of committees. Miscellaneous. Reports of business committee.

Lord's Day, August 21. 11 a.m.—Public worship. Preacher, Rev. F. D. Bovard, D. D., San Francisco, Cal.; fraternal delegate from Methodist Episcopal church, U. S. A. 7 p.m.—Public worship. Preacher, Rev. H. M. Du Bois, D. D., Nashville, Tenn.; fraternal delegate from Methodist Episcopal church, south, U. S. A. Monday Morning, August 22. Meeting of committees—Groups A, B, C, D. Monday Afternoon. Opening exercises. Routine business. Reports of committees. Miscellaneous. Reports of business committee.

Monday Evening. Opening exercises. Routine business. Reports of committees. Miscellaneous. Reports of business committee. Tuesday Morning, August 23. Meeting of committees—Groups A, B, C, D. Tuesday Afternoon. Opening exercises. Routine business. Reports of committees. Miscellaneous. Reports of business committee.

Tuesday Evening. Reception of fraternal delegates from the Methodist Episcopal church of the United States; Rev. F. D. Bovard, D. D., San Francisco, Cal.; Hon. R. A. Booth, Oregon, Wash. Wednesday Morning, August 24. Opening exercises. Routine business. Election of missionary secretaries, book stewards, editors and other connectional officers. Wednesday Afternoon. Opening exercises. Routine business. Reports of committees.

Wednesday Evening. Opening exercises. Routine business. Reports of committees. Miscellaneous. Reports of business committee. Thursday Morning, August 25. Opening exercises. Routine business. Reports of committees. Miscellaneous. Reports of business committee.

Thursday Afternoon. Opening exercises. Routine business. Reports of committees. Miscellaneous. Reports of business committee. Thursday Evening. Opening exercises. Routine business. Reports of committees. Miscellaneous. Reports of business committee.

Friday Morning, August 26. Opening exercises. Routine business. Reports of committees. Miscellaneous. Reports of business committee. Friday Afternoon. Opening exercises. Routine business. Reports of committees. Miscellaneous. Reports of business committee.

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Thursday Morning, August 25. Opening exercises. Routine business. Reports of committees. Election of members of general board of missions. Miscellaneous. Reports of business committee.

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Friday Afternoon. Opening exercises. Routine business. Reports of committees. Election of members of book and publishing committees. Election of members of Sunday School and Epworth League Board. Friday Evening. Opening exercises. Report of selections in afternoon, by general conference delegations. Routine business. Reports of committees. Miscellaneous. Reports of business committee.

Saturday Morning, August 27. Opening exercises. Routine business. Reports of committees. Election of fraternal delegates to British, United States and Canadian churches. Report of business committee. Saturday Afternoon. Opening exercises. Routine business. Reports of committees. Session adjourns at 4 o'clock. Lord's Day, August 28. 11 a.m.—Public worship. 7 p.m.—Public worship.

Monday Morning, August 29. Opening exercises. Routine business. Reports of committees. Miscellaneous. Reports of business committee. Closing exercises.

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And Canada is back of him—it has been back of him ever since that midnight when an unknown young man rose in the Canadian parliament and delivered a speech upon the Louis Riel rebellion that set all Canada aflame. The next day all Quebec was asking, "Who is the stranger?" The query has been answered daily from that day in 1885 when he first left the stamp of his powerful personality upon the Dominion. Laurier took a Liberal party in its infancy and made it the dominant one. He rose step by step until he has attained the highest place in Canadian politics—a place before which the imported Governor-General does an ornate goose-step. He is getting to be an old man now, for he was born in St. Lin, in the province of Quebec, in 1841. But his natural force is not abated nor has his wit grown stale.

Tall, slender, his erect carriage and well-carried shoulders tell of the athletic triumphs of his youth, when he was for years the champion amateur skater of his province. For years he has suffered somewhat from ill-health, largely due to over-work. Like most of the statesmen of Canada, he began his public career as a newspaper man. But the paper he edited passed away beneath the weight of a libel suit he had brought on by his writings, and he then devoted himself to the law. He was called to the bar of Lower Canada in 1864, and was appointed Queen's Counsel in 1880. He had been a member of the House of Commons for years, but he was not widely known until he made his great speech upon the Riel rebellion, before a House that stepped in its seats as he began at midnight, and wept and shouted beneath the magic of his eloquence when he concluded at dawn. From that moment his position has been assured.

Not so many years ago he visited England, and it was there received with the honor due the leading man in the Dominion. Some of this, perhaps, was due to generous sentiment, for he is of French blood and a Roman Catholic. But the greater part was a sincere tribute to his striking ability. His years of public services have left him comparatively a poor man, and his modest two-story brick house seems hardly fit to be the abode of a man of his commanding position. It has been said of him that his greatest virtue is that

of consistency and that in all his career he has not had a word to take back. But the achievement of which he is said to be the proudest is the shift in Canadian sentiment alike toward Great Britain and the United States. "We do not hear now," said he the other day, "either of British arrogance or Yankee aggressiveness. The language employed is always that of mutual respect and esteem."

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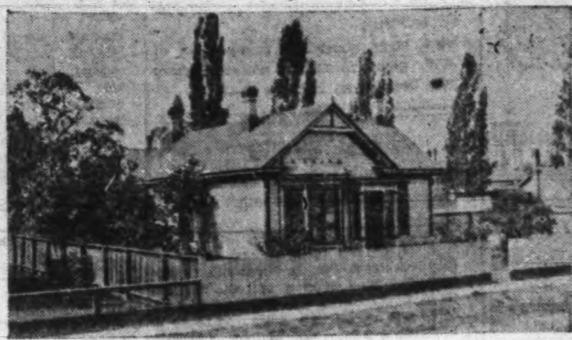
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HOW THE NEW PEERS SELECT THEIR TITLES

What They May Choose and What They Must Avoid Are Clearly Defined

With seven new peers in the birthday honours list, the rules which regulate the choice of peerage designations become of interest, writes A. C. Fox-Davies, in the London Daily Mail. Briefly, the understanding is that the new peer chooses his own title, and so long as that choice does not infringe upon the accepted rules—most of which, however, have at some time or other been broken—that choice is accepted by the crown.

The first is that after a title has once been held by a member of the royal family it will never subsequently be bestowed upon a subject not of the royal blood. None of the seven in the list are, however, likely to put forward a claim to the former royal designations now lying derelict. The King has four younger sons who, if past precedent be followed, will each in the course of the next two decades need to have three titles found for himself—each in England, Scotland and Ireland—so that past royal designations will naturally be jealously reserved.

The next rule is that the name of a county or county town shall never be used as the designation of a peerage below the rank of an earldom. There are a number of counties vacant, but even for a new earl there are reasons for objection being raised to the selection of any except Flint, Merioneth, Banff, Clackmannan, Dumbarton, Kirkcubright, Monaghan, or Roscommon. But as none of the seven are earls the counties will be left alone.

The next rule is that when a certain designation has been once used for a peerage, even if that peerage has long since been extinct, the designation will not be renewed for a peerage of lower degree. An example of this occurred in the case of the title of Liverpool. In this case, after the extinction of the original earldom by the failure of male issue, a descendant in the female line was created a baron and desired to become Baron Liverpool, and it was not until Lord Hawkesbury was raised to an earldom that the designation of Liverpool was revived.

Another rule is that where a former peerage is in abeyance or under attainder the title of it shall not be chosen for a new creation save by his heir, because there is always the chance that the attainder may be reversed or the abeyance determined. It has produced the concurrent existence of a Marquis of Stafford and a Lord Stafford. Lord Leith of Fyvie desired to be created Lord Fyvie, but the old peerage of that name, now under attainder, stood in the way of his first choice.

If a new peer desires to take his surname as his peerage title he is always permitted to do so, regardless of there being other peerages in existence of the same name. Thus Lord Russell of Killowen was so created although there was already an Earl Russell in existence. There are no fewer than three Lords Boyle, three Douglas Hays, three Herberts and four Lord Greys and five Lords Howards and Hamiltons. For this reason, although there is already a Lord Villiers, no objection will be taken if, as is rumored, Sir J. de Villiers chooses his surname for his peerage title. The life peers up to the present time have always done so, a practice which has been followed by a number of other law lords.

If a territorial designation is chosen then some reason must be shown for its selection. Ownership of the place is sufficient if it be not the name of a manor, in which case ownership of the manor itself is required. The fact that the manor of Thetford belongs to W. D. Mackenzie, who made the necessary protest, was sufficient to prevent Lord Fisher from being made a peer. It was originally announced would be the case. It was this rule which caused Lord Michelham to purchase the manor and manorial rights of Michelham to qualify for the selection of that title.

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Lords Battersea and Wandsworth startled every one by their choice of the names of London suburbs, but they were only following the examples of the selection of Westminster and Chelsea by ground landlords whose possessions well justified their appropriation of the names. Lord Islington has followed suit, but the old-time surprise was as nothing to that occasioned by Lord Loreburn, who took the name of a street in Dumfries, or by Sir John Bigham, when for the first time in the history of the English peerage he chose the name of a river. His choice certainly opened a new field of section, and the German and Russian Emperors may soon find their admiration appropriated by a Duke of the Pacific or a Marquis of the Atlantic. The Emperor of China has already taken the sun and the moon.

Lord Selby struck out in a new line by choosing his wife's surname, but ancestors in the female line had of course long been a recognized source, and account among others for the titles of Lord Ludlow and Lord Gorell.

Brown has been and is still in use, but despite their frequent appearance in directories there is Lord Jones, or a Lord Smith. As a matter of fact, only three Smiths, two Robinsons, and one Jones have been raised to the peerage. A mighty poor show for such a number as have been blessed with these names.

The point exciting most interest at the moment is the title which Sir Charles Hardinge will take, if, as is expected, he is created a peer before his appointment at Viceroy of India. His elder brother is already Lord Hardinge, and Sir Charles is not a landowner. His mother's name was Bingham, but Lord Lucan's eldest son uses that title; his grandmother's name was Stewart, a title used by the grandson of his relative, Lord Londonderry.

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

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

(d) The quantity of water applied for (in cubic feet per second)—Four.

(e) The character of the proposed works—Dam at south side of said lake and ditch on north side.

(f) The premises on which the water is to be used (describe same)—Gravel pit on west of Spanish Inlet, south of Indian Reserve.

(g) The purposes for which the water is to be used—Washing gravel and industrial purposes generally.

(h) If for irrigation describe the land intended to be irrigated, giving acreage—Not for irrigation.

(i) If the water is to be used for power or mining purposes describe the place where the water is to be returned to some natural channel, and the difference in altitude between point of diversion and point of return—Not to be used for power or mining, but can be returned into John's Creek below lake on north side of Malahat mountain; 75 feet approximate difference in altitude.

(j) Area of Crown land intended to be occupied by the proposed works—

(k) This notice was posted on the 23rd day of July, 1910, and application will be made to the Commissioner on the 23rd day of August, 1910.

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(m) Attach copy of such parts of the Commission's memorandum of association as authorize the proposed application and works.

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(q) The means by which it is proposed to store the water—Dam at south end of lake.

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(t) Approximately the number of acre feet intended to be impounded—12.5.

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(v) The anticipated extent of the lowering—

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WM. W. NORTHCOTE,
Building Inspector.

NOTICE

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of Yoneda Nakahayashi, Also Known as Tonesao Nakahayashi, Deceased, and in the Matter of the Official Administrator's Act.

Notice is hereby given that, under an order granted by the Honorable Mr. Justice Clement, dated the 27th day of July, A. D. 1910, I, the undersigned, was appointed administrator of the estate of the above deceased. All parties having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars of same to me on or before the 3rd day of September, 1910, and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 3rd day of August, 1910.

WM. MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.

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OBJECTS TO GRADE OF CEMENT SIDEWALKS
Delegation Waits on Nanaimo Council—Engineer and Committee Will Investigate

Nanaimo, Aug. 9.—Dissatisfaction is felt in certain sections of the city over the manner in which the council is constructing cement sidewalks. Not so much the manner of construction, but the grade to which the walks are being laid, being in some cases two feet above the level of the old sidewalk and almost half the height of the fences, making it necessary for property owners to make use of two or three steps in getting out of their lots on to the walks, is the main cause for complaint. While residents on Front and Albert streets have expressed dissatisfaction at the proceedings, most referred to the council committee on the east side of Victoria road to petition the council and last night a delegation representing these property owners visited the council chamber and at the close of the regular meeting met the aldermen in committee and vigorously protested against the walks being laid to the grade as now proposed. Fully Boyce as spokesman for the delegation, stated he did not object to the construction of a cement sidewalk on the east side of Victoria road, for on the other hand, he was strongly in favor of one, but he did object to the walk being laid to the grade as at present proposed by the engineer, for it would mean a big depreciation in the value of property along the east side of that street. He would be pleased to have a sidewalk on the same grade as the old asphalt used for years, but to raise it as proposed he had a decided objection, as it would mean property holders along that street would have to construct a retaining wall to keep the earth, etc., from falling through the fences into their gardens. Mr. Boyce informed the aldermen he had no idea the walk was to be laid to the proposed grade or he would have headed a petition against the walk being constructed at all. He and other rate-payers felt so strong against it that they would sooner pay a share of the cost of the cement walk on the west side of the street rather than have the walk on the east side laid to the proposed grade.

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NEARLY DROWNED
Kelowna, Aug. 9.—What might have proved another bathing fatality occurred a few days ago. Miss Butler, accompanied by Miss E. Weddel, was bathing when she suddenly walked into a deep hole, and, as she was unable to swim, soon found herself in difficulties. Fortunately Miss Weddel is a good swimmer, and at once went to her friend's assistance, but it was not until Miss Butler was sinking for the third time that she was finally rescued.

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PROPOSED STREET CAR LINE AT NANAIMO
Another Letter Regarding Offer to City Received From Vancouver Bond Corporation

Nanaimo, Aug. 9.—At last night's Council meeting the following communication in reference to the proposed tramway was received from the Dominion Stock & Bond Corporation, Vancouver:
"We herewith have pleasure in enclosing particulars of the lines upon which we should suggest the city solicitor of Nanaimo should draw up and prepare a by-law which we understand you intend putting up before the rate-payers.
"The reason we are asking the city solicitor to prepare same is because he is more in touch with the city affairs than an outside solicitor would be, but if you prefer that our solicitor should prepare same he will be glad to do so, but we believe the city solicitor is usually the one to prepare by-laws.
"As mentioned at our previous meeting, our company will be prepared to pay \$150 towards the cost of preparing the by-law for which we shall be glad to send you a cheque as soon as the city approves of the points enclosed herewith.
"We may also mention that since our last meeting we have made inquiries at the B. C. Electric Railway Company, and find that the following are the figures showing proportion of profits which the city receives from the net receipts of the company:
"If receipts are under \$75,000, 1 per cent.; between \$75,000 and \$150,000, 2 per cent.; on amounts of \$150,000 and under \$300,000, 3 per cent.; on amounts of \$300,000 and under \$500,000, 4 per cent.; on amounts of \$500,000 and under \$1,000,000, 5 per cent.; on amounts of \$1,000,000, 6 per cent.; on amounts of \$1,500,000 to \$2,000,000, 8 per cent.
"In view of these figures, you will see that the 1 per cent. profit offered by the company to the city is sufficient liberal, and we trust you will be successful in putting this by-law through.
"Of course, we shall thank you to submit a copy to us first."
Ald. Leicester understood the agreement was to come before the joint committee, discussed there and then reported to the council.
Ald. Forrester moved the communication be received and filed and agreement referred to the council committee. Ald. Leicester seconded the motion, which carried.

FRASER VALLEY MYSTERY.
New Westminster, Aug. 9.—The mystery of the grave discovered in the bush by the Canadian Northern railway construction gang, some three miles up the river from the city, remains as deep as ever.
Constable Hutchinson, of the provincial police, and E. Murchie, went out to look into the matter. They found the grave, but there was no body. The grave was about four feet long and seven deep, and the two dug into it as far as the undisturbed clay. They found unmistakable evidence that there had been a body in it, but the body itself had been removed, and there were signs showing that the grave had been opened and the corpse taken out after the first interment.
A few vestiges of cloth, which had evidently formed part of the clothing of the dead man, or possibly of the winding sheet, were found in the earth, and it was these, mixed up with decaying roots which the men who first started to excavate the grave had taken for parts of a human body.
The police are now puzzling for an explanation of this grave in the forest. They are inclined to think that some Japanese or Chinese must have been temporarily interred, the body having been later moved to a regular burying ground, or if it was a Chinaman, the bones sent to China. The matter is still being investigated.

Uncle Walt The Poet Philosopher
Old Ajax was weary upholding the globe, his shoulders were creaking, his backbone was sore; all wringing with sweat was his creaking robe, and oft, as he shifted his posture, he swore. Old THE STUNT Vulcan can up with his optimistic smile; "Cheer up, Colonel Ajax," he merrily said; "we'll bring you a substitute after a while, and you may retire to a long rest in bed. We've found such a man, and he laughs at your stunt, and says he could hold seven worlds at a time; he put up a danterless and jubilant front, and his bearing is bold and his nerve is sublime. He calls you a weakling and meddlesome Mat, he says you're a skat, that you've frothbitten feet; he also insists that you talk through your hat when saying your record's a hard one to beat." "O bring him along!" Colonel Ajax replied, "let him hold up the world till it gives him his fill; let him bend 'neath the burden that's ruined my hide, and I will go fishing at Sagamore Hill."

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HUNTING BEARS NEAR ROSSLAND
Four Big Animals Are Shot in the Vicinity of the City Park

Rossland, Aug. 9.—Four bears were gathered in by Rossland sportsmen during the week and, as three fell within a period of little more than twelve hours, the feats must constitute a record for this quiet camp. The four were killed near the city park, and there is no doubt that now the thinning-out process has commenced. It will be continued until the entire neighborhood is rid of the animals.
The first to fall was a brown bear, nearly three years old, and weighing close on 300 lbs. Honors in this case fell to I. Cummins, who placed three bullets in bruin, one of which touched the heart. He was found too heavy to be packed, so a rig was obtained and a triumphant entry made into the city.
In the evening J. H. Woodley and two companions hunted the same vicinity and were able to locate a bear, which they surrounded. A well-directed bullet laid him low. The animal when dressed weighed something like 250 lbs.
A most interesting hunt resulted in the death of the third bear. Chief of Police T. H. Long met A. Enderby about 3 o'clock the following morning and proceeded quietly to the locality where the bears had been seen. They finally spotted a bear. The chief then got on one side of him and Mr. Enderby tried a long shot, which was found afterwards to have fractured the skull. The bear tried to get away, and a snail shot from Mr. Long met its way into the body near the heart. This bowled the animal over, and although he was not dead, both rushed up to him and chief of police fell over him, but he got up quickly, and bruin was promptly dispatched. The weight of this was estimated at 300 lbs.
As was to be expected at this time of the year, the fur is in poor condition so the skins will not be very valuable.
The last of the quartette was shot in the evening by John Furst at the Columbia and Kootenay mine. It was only wounded, and got away on that occasion, but next morning he trailed it to the city park vicinity, where he finally got it.

EXTENSION FATALITY.
Nanaimo, Aug. 9.—Coroner Davis held an investigation at Extension yesterday into the accident in the Extension mine on Saturday morning resulting in the death of Cornelius Bowater. The jury brought in the following verdict:
"We, the jury empanelled to look into the cause of the death of Cornelius Bowater, have come to the conclusion that death was caused by coming in contact with a stringer on No. 3 slope, No. 3 mine, Extension."
Rider.—We, the jury, recommend that the bench of coal referred to on the side of slope, be removed, and the slope be put in a safer condition for a rope rider.
KILLED BY CAR.
Vancouver, Aug. 9.—A Hindu was killed on the British Columbia Electric Railway Company's Interurban line trestle bridge between Beaconsfield and Earl's road. Two Hindus who were walking toward Vancouver on the right-of-way of the company, stepped from behind a car which had just passed them, with the intention of crossing the tracks. Just as they attempted to make the crossing another car came along from the opposite direction and struck one of them a terrific blow upon the head. He at once fell dead upon the tracks.

ROAD COMPLETED.
Ferne, Aug. 9.—The government road has now been completed between here and Michel. The road to Elcho will be completed by September.

DOUKHOBORS BUSY.
Colony in Kootenay Getting Out Ties and Preparing Large Tract for Orchard.

Nelson, Aug. 9.—The Doukhor settlement at Waterloo is fast forging to the front. The members of the colony are actively engaged in varied pursuits for the gaining of a livelihood, the communal principle prevailing. Over the settlement is Peter Verigin, head of the Doukhor society, his local agent being John Sherbinin.
In this settlement there are 1,000 Doukhobors. Waterloo is a veritable garden, and the great ranch is considered by experts to be almost perfect. They are clearing 4,000 acres of land, planted at once in an immense orchard of all kinds of fruits, both large and small. The settlement is fulfilling a contract with the C. P. R. for 10,000 railway ties. They possess three portable sawmills and are now negotiating for a fourth. They have a ferry across the river at Waterloo, also one this side of Castlegar, and are erecting one still further up the river. In addition to the above they are building a bridge which connects with a private road leading to Pass creek, where they own 2,000 acres of land. Where the road intercepts the bridge they are going to erect a large store for the purpose of supplying the colony, as well as the public.

BODY RECOVERED.
Ferne, Aug. 9.—The badly decomposed body of little Ilene Lyons, the daughter of Joseph Lyons of West Ferne, has been recovered from the watery grave in which it had lain since May 30th last.
Ilene, in company with her elder sister, Cathlene, and other children, was playing about the banks of the log pond of the Elk Lumber Company, when Cathlene fell into the water and was being swept away by the swift current. John Fidel, a river driver working nearby, hearing the screams of the children, ran to the spot and succeeded in saving the life of Cathlene, but Ilene, being much excited at the danger her sister was in, lost her presence of mind and fell into the water unobserved by Fidel, who was manfully trying to save the other child. The other children told him of Ilene as soon as he came to shore with Cathlene, but it was too late, the little girl having disappeared under the logs. The body was dragged several times, but the body was not found until Saturday, when John Fidel found it in the shallow water near the sluiceway, where he was working with others at replacing the old sluice with a new one.
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ZENARDI BRIDGE OPEN FOR TRAINS
Track Laying and Ballasting as Far as Mile 43 Has Been Completed

Prince Rupert, Aug. 9.—The first construction train has passed over the Zenardi bridge, and forty-three miles of the road is now open.
Of course, says Mr. McLean, chief constructor of the Canadian Bridge Co., the bridge is not completed by any means, but it is in a safe condition for construction trains to go over it and they will run regularly over the white balance of the work and the extra riveting is being done.
The track laying and ballasting as far as Mile 43 has been completed and the gangs moved on to the next section. Mr. McLean was over the line to that point and found it in excellent condition for a new track. All the material and supplies will now be run over the rails to that point and further from day to day as the track-laying proceeds.
The tugboat and the barges Georgian and Escort, by means of which material has been carried from Prince Rupert for points above the bridge have now been discontinued and have left for Vancouver to bring up ballast cars and other railway material. They will be constantly employed in this work for the next three months.
In a few days a regular schedule will probably be arranged to the end of construction.

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RECEPTION TO SIR WILFRID

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On the morning of the following day the Prime Minister will be the guest of the executive of the Liberal Association in an auto drive to points of interest throughout the city. On the return of the party to the Empress hotel Sir Wilfrid will receive a deputation from the board of trade, hear the representations of the Fenian Raid veterans and receive a deputation from the Victoria trades and labor council. Later the Prime Minister will be driven to Government House, where he will be the guest of His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Paterson at luncheon. A garden party for which a large number of invitations are being issued is the feature of Sir Wilfrid's entertainment at Government House in the afternoon. In the evening Sir Wilfrid will deliver a public address in the horse show building at the exhibition grounds and will depart on his return journey at 11 p. m. In connection with the arrangements for the public meeting it may be stated that the B. C. Electric Railway Company promises a special car service for the occasion, one capable of handling 5,000 people comfortably. Mr. Goward, local manager of the company, has also arranged to have special lighting facilities providing rows of lights will extend from the terminal gate down to the building, the interior of which will be brilliantly illuminated.

FLOWER SHOW AT DRILL HALL

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tangle. Between these are placed the decorated dining tables, and the effect is very beautiful.

As usual, Mrs. Henry Croft has been most generous in sending her magnificent collection of palms and ferns, which on former occasions did so much to make the exhibition a success. She has also sent some very beautiful begonias.

Other private exhibitors on a large scale are Mrs. F. B. Pemberton, Mrs. Andrew Wright, Mrs. Beaven, Messrs. Newbrey and Eland, all of whom are showing splendid varieties of sweet peas, dahlias and gladioli. The showing of sweet peas is particularly good and much better than last year. Some of the newest varieties are the Improved Elsie Herbert, George Stark, Earl Spencer, and Nancy Perkins. The latter is a very peculiar shade, called orange salmon.

Royal Oak district, famous for its beautiful lawns, is well represented by a large exhibit arranged by Mr. Grant, and the product of his own gardens. The collection of phlox is magnificent, and his sweet peas, petunias and asters are equally good, although not exhibited in such large quantities.

The decorated tables, under the able direction of Mrs. S. Maclure, are a special feature, and worthy all the praise bestowed upon them. One in pure white is a beautiful contrast to the gay tones of the others, and an old gold and crimson color scheme, carried out by roses and tulips, is very much admired.

Among those competing are Mrs. Maclure, Mrs. C. E. Wilson, Miss Jessie, Miss Pitts, Miss Logrin, Mrs. Dr. Hasel, Mrs. Hogg, Miss Mars, Miss Fitzgibbon, and a great many others. Mrs. Tilton and Mrs. Fred Pemberton are the judges.

The decorated bowls and baskets form a most magnificent display. These are under the supervision of Mrs. R. B. McMicking. The exhibitors are as follows:

Mrs. A. J. Lindsey, Mrs. H. Martin, Mrs. Currie, Miss B. Gaudin, Miss Mary, Miss Fitzgibbon, Miss Jessie, Mrs. C. E. Wilson, Mrs. S. Maclure, Mrs. Eberts, Mrs. Langton, Miss Wark, Miss Pitts, Mrs. Solly, Mrs. Kent, Mrs. Lort, Mrs. Fullerton, Mrs. Burdick, Miss Pitts, Mrs. Bainbridge, Miss Crease, Mrs. Bennet, Mrs. McPhillips, Mrs. Gibson, Mrs. Tilton and others.

Mrs. R. B. McMicking is showing a novel and quite original arrangement of nasturtiums. These are arranged tripod fashion on bamboo canes. Cuts are made in the latter, and the nasturtiums inset at intervals. The effect is most pleasing.

The tea rooms, screened by an arch of ivy, are most attractive and largely patronized. They are in charge of Mrs. Beaven, assisted by the Misses Pooley, Peters, Combe, Maclure, Angus, Page, James, Bodwell, Eberts, Duhamuir, Burton, Dumbleton, McDowell and others, all of whom are wearing dainty white gowns with white mob caps trimmed with pink roses and blue ribbons.

This evening a promenade concert will be given under the direction of Mrs. Maclure, Mrs. D. C. Reid, Mrs. Briggs, and a number of gentlemen will take part, and the Fifth Regiment orchestra will be in attendance.

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DRUNKEN MAN HAD DYNAMITE IN POCKETS

Five Sticks of Explosive Found on Prisoner When Taken to Police Station

Ottawa, Aug. 10.—James King, who was arrested for drunkenness last night, was found on being searched at the police station to have five sticks of dynamite in his pockets. The constable who arrested him fortunately handled him gently, otherwise both captive and captor might have been blown to pieces. The prisoner when found by the constable, was lying on Rideau street where he had fallen, but by good luck not on the dynamite. In this morning's police court, King was fined \$2 and costs.

DENIES RUMORS

New York, Aug. 10.—"You can say for me that there is absolutely no foundation for the frequent reports of a forthcoming marriage of my daughter to the Duke de Abruzzi," declared Senator Stephen B. Elkins to-day. "I consider these reports amusing. They are nothing more than foolish rumors. I am glad to deny them emphatically."

S. S. "Troquois" is withdrawn from Seattle route until further notice.

LOWER EXPRESS RATES.

Helena, Mont., Aug. 10.—The state railroad commission has issued an order which, in effect, reduces express rates in Montana about 25 per cent. The action was taken after a hearing and re-hearing on the subject, the latter having been sought by the carriers.

SILVER CORNER.

Calcutta, Aug. 10.—There are rumors in financial circles that a pool of bankers is trying to corner the world's output of silver. It is stated that one-ninth of all silver is in possession of the pool.

MUST NOT ENTER SALOONS.

Denver, Aug. 10.—Asserting that temptations are too great, the city council has passed a by-law to prevent Salvation Army girls entering saloons to solicit subscriptions.

LOSES LIFE IN FIRE.

(Special to the Times.)

Kindersley, Sask., Aug. 10.—In a fire which broke out early yesterday morning in Lynn's restaurant, the proprietor, J. C. Lynn, lost his life. Lynn died in an effort to save a child whom he thought had not been got out. The restaurant and L. E. Hahen's gent's furnishing store were destroyed and only hard efforts of citizens saved further loss.

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LUMBERMEN ORGANIZE.

Hoquiam, Wash., Aug. 10.—The lumber manufacturers of Gray's Harbor have organized the Pacific Coast Lumber Manufacturers' bureau to handle the combined output of all the mills in the district.

SWIMMING RECORDS.

London, Aug. 10.—Frank E. Beaurepaire, of Victoria, Australia, has broken the world's swimming records for 200 and 300 meters, and also for 300 yards. The respective figures established are 2:30, 2:50 1-4 and 2:30.