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## AUSTRALIA WARMING TO NEXT ELECTIONS

Hon. Joseph Cook Outlines the Platform of the Liberal Party

## IMMIGRATION FOR SETTLED DISTRICTS

Is an Advocate of Imperial Preference by Reciprocity and National Insurance

## LEGAL CONTROL OF TRADE COMBINATIONS

Sydney, N. S. W., April 4.—Following the recent speech of the prime minister, Hon. Andrew Fisher, outlining the labor party policy at the coming election, the leader of the Liberal party, Hon. Joseph Cook, to-day made a speech at Parramatta, putting forth the platform to be followed by the Liberals.

He severely criticized labor in general terms and spoke in favor of the encouragement of immigration both to settled districts in the Commonwealth, and to the unsettled parts of the northern territory. He believed that the federal principle should be followed throughout Australian politics.

He emphatically declared that the Liberal party would always support the principle of full co-operation with the other parts of the British Empire in maintaining the supremacy of the sea. To this end he would always support the establishment of docks and naval bases.

National insurance on a contributory system which would provide for sickness and accidents, maternity, widowhood and those out of employment, he declared, would also receive the attention of the Liberal party. The Liberal leader said national industries should always be fostered, while imperial preference by reciprocity should be followed.

The reciprocity policy of the present Commonwealth government, continued the Hon. Mr. Cook, as had been determined by the electors, would always be maintained and a non-political body would be charged with the duty of preparing the necessary revisions and adjustments in the tariff.

An amendment to the arbitration act promoting expediency and efficiency in the administration of the arbitration court, the appointment of a non-political body of commissioners for postal matters, the establishment of a federal agricultural bureau, and the legal control of all trusts and combines which were detrimental to public interests, were additional planks in the Liberal platform outlined by the leader of that party.

## CREW OF AIRSHIP ARE UNDER GUARD

Fifty French Sentinels Surrounded German Military Cruiser During Night

Luneville, France, April 4.—Members of the crew of the German military cruiser Zeppelin IV, which landed yesterday on the parade ground here in the midst of a brigade of French riflemen, are virtually prisoners, though not in custody. The eleven officers and mechanics have all been detained here until the incident has been fully investigated. The aviators spent the night in the cabin of the airship, which was surrounded by fifty French sentinels, posted ostensibly to prevent people from approaching.

Gen. Hirschauer, of the aviation corps of the French army, arrived to-day from Paris to take charge of the investigation.

Opinion in military circles is divided as to whether the German aviators really lost their way or encountered engine trouble during an audacious attempt at espionage.

Luneville, France, April 4.—The landing of the airship on the parade grounds here in the midst of a brigade of French riflemen yesterday, was satisfactorily explained to a French board of inquiry to-day. The airship and her crew were afterward released on payment of \$20,000 as customs duty and the incident was declared closed.

## WAGON CONVEYED COFFIN.

London, April 4.—A peculiar funeral was held at Hartingfordbury yesterday for the Countess of Cowley, who died at Cannes on March 23. The coffin containing the body was taken to the church on a timber wagon, drawn by two farm horses. During the ceremony the white pall over the casket was made out of her wedding robe.

## BONAR LAW'S EDINBURGH POLICY BEATEN WHEN MOTION IS PUT BEFORE COMMONS

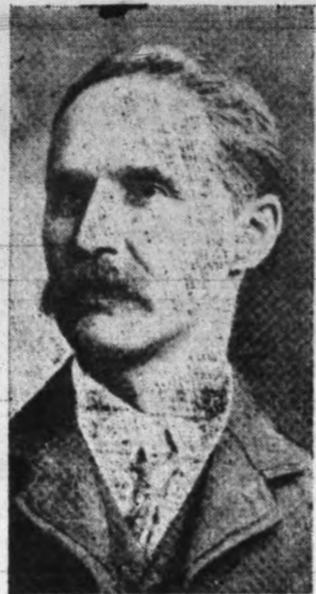
Sir John Simon Says Too Small Proportion of Imports Affected

Majority of One Hundred and Eighty-Three Against Unionist

London, April 4.—In the House of Commons a motion embodying Bonar Law's Edinburgh policy was rejected by a vote of 279 to 96.

Sir John Simon pointed out that if a policy of imperial preference was adopted without imposing fresh duties on food stuffs there would be only two or three thousand pounds' worth of imports affected, too small a proportion of the total trade of the United Kingdom to expect that this would cement the Empire.

Bonar Law argued that simultaneously with the adoption of an industrial tariff a portion of the revenue would be used to relieve the burden of taxation on agriculture.



BONAR LAW, M. P.

## WAS HIRED TO ADD TO VOTING STRENGTH

Accused in Vancouver Court Tells of Method Used in 1908 Elections

## ROBBERY CHARGED ACCUSED ACQUITTED

Vancouver, B. C., April 4.—Stating that he was hired by the Conservative party in Winnipeg to help increase the voting strength of Alexander Haggart in the Dominion elections of 1908; that he was turned down by the organization leaders when he asked for remuneration for services rendered, and, furthermore, persecuted by them and lodged in jail on trumped-up charges, formed the feature of the evidence of James Norris, alias Hogan, alias Jim, who appeared before Judge McInnes yesterday and was acquitted of robbing Axel Hjelm with violence last February.

In the dock with Norris stood Wm. Doyle, who declared that he was under the influence of liquor on the day the crime was committed. He denied using any violence, but admitted that he relieved Hjelm of his watch and chain. Doyle was sentenced to twelve months in prison.

In the witness box Norris recited the incidents of the day the theft was committed. He admitted he had served three years in the Kingston penitentiary for theft, but indignantly denied that he had been sentenced for vagrancy. He declared he had not been in prison for the past thirteen years, and his counsel, C. M. Woodworth, said he was trying to lead a straight life.

"Four years ago," said Norris, "I was working for the Conservative party in Winnipeg in the Dominion elections. I was arrested for impersonation. The Conservatives promised me money and I tried to collect it, but they would not meet the bill. I wanted the money to get out of town."

"I threatened to report my operations to T. L. Metcalfe, and the day after, at the instigation of the Conservative machine, I was put in jail charged with burglary, house-breaking and other crimes, while at the time these are supposed to have occurred I was working in the St. Nicholas hotel. The charges against me were dismissed."

## LISTS CLOSE APRIL 7 PERIOD IS SHORT

Under the recently-passed amendment to the Provincial Elections Act, the voters' lists of that province were cancelled on March 3. From March 3 to April 7 is the time set apart under the act during which names may be put on the new lists. After April 7 no names may be added. Liberals are reminded of the date and are urged to take the necessary action without delay so that none of their names will be left off through neglect.

Liberals of Esquimalt electoral district are informed that they may register at the residence of A. H. Nunn, Constance road, where consultations will be in attendance every evening from 7 to 9 o'clock.

## SIX ARE SHOT IN RIOTS OF STRIKERS

Foreigners Attack Police Who Discharge Revolvers to Disperse the Mob

## ARE BELIEVED TO BE FATALLY INJURED

Auburn, N. Y., April 4.—Strikers were shot by the police to-day during an attack which a mob of four hundred made on the plant of the Columbian Rope Company. Two of the six are fatally injured. After the shooting the situation became so serious that Mayor O'Neill called out the fire department and the local militia company.

The mob consisting of foreigners assembled near the plant at 8 o'clock. Chief of Police Bell and a squad of thirty men who were stationed there attempted to arrest one of the leaders and the strikers became ugly. The prisoner was rescued from the police in a hand-to-hand battle and the blue-coats were getting the worst of it when Chief Bell ordered them to draw their revolvers. One volley was fired over the heads of the strikers without effect, and the police were compelled to fire into the crowds. Six strikers, two women and four men dropped. One of the women and one of the men will die. After the shooting the mob reformed and made another attack.

The strikers obtained quantities of salt and threw it into the eyes of the police who finally, to avoid further bloodshed took up a position inside the mill gates. The strikers then charged on the gates.

The police were fighting against great odds and rumors that many of the strikers had gone back to the foreign colonies to obtain weapons caused Chief Bell to send for the fire department. Lines of hose were laid and the strikers were driven back gradually.

They continued in an ugly mood, however, and Mayor O'Neill decided to call out the militia.

The riot call was sounded throughout the street and within an hour Captain Johnston and half of his company had assembled at the state armory. They were ordered to patrol the entire city.

## MINERS ARE KILLED WHEN DRIFTS BREAK

Timbering Unsafe Ground on Alaskan Claim When Fatality Occurred

Fairbanks, Alaska, April 4.—Michael Twohy, 32 years old, and Joseph Weffler, 28 years old, owners of placer claims Four A below Goldstream Creek, were killed yesterday afternoon when some drifts collapsed. The menary ground was unsafe, as two laborers had quit at noon, but they were anxious to timber the unsafe parts in order to get out the rest of the pay; they were killed while doing so.

Men are now working to recover the bodies. The third partner, Patrick Campbell, had gone to the surface a short time before the accident occurred. This is the first fatal mine accident in this camp for many months.

## COERCIVE METHODS OF BOWSER'S AGENT

Constable Sent to Kitsilano Indians With Message to Go to Magistrate

## COURTROOM USED TO IMPRESS THEM

Statement Issued of Negotiations by Man Representing Higher Interests

## OPTION EXPIRED AND PAYMENT DEMANDED

Vancouver, B. C., April 4.—The story in reference to attempt of Attorney-General Bowser to coerce the Kitsilano Indians into surrender of their rights on the reserve is correct in all respects so far as it goes, but it is not correct when it says that the Indians have received an offer direct from the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company. I am the only person who has made the Indian an offer, and my offer still holds good," said Charles A. Calkins, of this city, last night.

"Several months ago I made an offer to the Dominion government for the reserve. I am in receipt of both telegraphic and written communications from the Indian department acknowledging my offer, and stating that it will have consideration after the royal commission, which has been appointed to investigate the Indians' claims shall have given its decision."

"Mr. Calkins declined to answer when asked if he was acting for the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad, saying he did not think it wise at present to say for whom he is acting."

"I can tell, however," he said, "that my project will work in well with the plans of the Dominion government for the harbor improvements, that it will involve the transformation of the present reserve into the wharves with railway accommodation, and more than that with steamship connections through the Panama canal and to South America. It also involves the erection of grain elevators near the bridge."

"As I said, mine is the only bona fide application before the Dominion government, and it is the only application which has had the endorsement of the whole band of Indians. My legal agents at Ottawa inform me that in addition to the formal acknowledgments which I have received, from the department, the officials take the view that no action will be taken to sell the reserve until the title is made clear by the royal commission, and more than that, the highest offer will get the reserve when the title is clear."

Mr. Calkins tells of the manner in which the Indians were coerced into considering the offer of \$11,250 each made by the attorney-general. He claims to have been kept posted of all that went on throughout, and to speak by the book.

"On March 11 leaders of the Indians came to me and told me that a constable had come to the reserve and informed them that they were to go to see Magistrate Alexander. They were naturally impressed by the presence of the constable, and that impression was intensified when they entered the court room and saw the magistrate sitting in his official chair. He told them that they must accept Mr. Bowser's offer and that if they did not do so they would get nothing."

"Some of them came to me and told me of the interview with Mr. Alexander. They said they had been ordered to give a two weeks' option on their property at Mr. Bowser's figure, and asked me what they should do. I told them to go ahead and give the option and at its expiry to go to Mr. Alexander and demand their \$11,250 each. I did this because I knew that the provincial government could not give the title, and that the whole thing was only a bluff."

"They gave me the option, or at least twenty did, but there are over forty qualified males on the reserves, and the circumstance that less than half of the Indians gave the option made it useless even if the title had been good. The option expired on March 25, and they asked what to do. I told the twenty to go to Mr. Alexander and ask for their money."

"They did so, but of course could not take the money when it was offered, as they had my offer, which is much higher, though I would not care to admit that the sum is \$1,500,000."

"The only offer made to the Indians outside of that made by Magistrate Alexander, on behalf of the provincial government, has been made by me. I made my offer to the department months ago, and I now stand in the position of being the only offerer whose offer is under consideration by the Indians. I acted solely as a private speculator, knowing of course the object I had in view."

## POINTS WEAKNESS OF CHURCHILL POLICY ON BORDEN NAVAL BILL

Professor Jebb, Leading British Authority on Imperial Federation Says Canadian Opposition is Fortified in Attitude; Scouts Labor Problem and Places Independence as the Most Intelligent Liberty the World Has Seen

## CHURCHILL'S STATEMENT ON BUILDING WARSHIPS IN DOMINION IS CONDEMNED

London, April 4.—Richard Jebb, the leading British authority on Imperial federation, severely criticizes Winston Churchill's action over the Canadian navy bill in a long article in the Morning Post. He admits the reasonableness of the Canadian opposition in the demand that a policy of permanent contribution, involving, as it does, Imperial federation, shall be submitted to the country. He charges Churchill with going out of his way to throw cold water on the fleet unit policy to which the Canadian opposition have committed themselves; he suggests that even if the British Admiralty found itself unable to loan British crews for the Canadian fleet unit the Dominion might succeed with the loan of only a small instructional staff in creating one or two effective fleet units within a period of from five to ten years as against a period of from three to five years if British crews had been available at the outset.

Asks Churchill: "How About America?"

He asks why Mr. Churchill, when giving the information about foreign attempts at fleet building, failed to mention the American experience which would mean most to Canada. He condemns Mr. Churchill's statement that the idea of building capital ships in Canada is impracticable and unwise.

"The question whether it would be worth the expense is obviously for Canada to decide; it might be wasteful from the Admiralty point of view, but in the Canadian view there may be considerations of national development of which the Admiralty is not cognizant. Apart from the cost, the only other argument adduced by Mr. Churchill was the labor difficulty. He might have been a little more explicit. The Canadian might very well reply that if Canada chooses to pay for labor she can certainly have it at a price; and why not? Is it, or is it not a fact that a limited proportion of the limited supply of skilled labor in the United Kingdom is engaged all the time in building battleships for foreign countries? Might not the security of the Empire be promoted rather than impaired by a transfer of that portion to Canada where it would be engaged in building ships for the Empire instead?"

Refers to the Skilled Labor Problem.

"Further, is it a sound principle to veto the development of skilled industries in Canada so as to keep down the rate of wages in those industries at home? How does that policy fit in with Bonar Law's dictum that a rise in the rate of wages would be the best measure of social reform? Is such a veto calculated to inspire Imperial patriotism either in Canada or in the British democracy?"

"The proposal to present three battleships to the British navy arose from the feeling of many Canadians that Canada should do something effective and do it quick, but the inexorable truth is that naval aid is not a matter in which a Dominion suddenly making up its mind can do something effective and do it quick. A simple grant of money is ineffective, unless morally, until the ships are built, which may be three years or more. If the money is required, Britain has more to spare than any Dominion and there is always the possibility, some of us think a tolerable certainty, that in the end the Dominion's cheque would merely relieve the taxpayers of Britain instead of ultimately increasing the naval strength of the Empire."

Permanent Policy Already Prejudged.

He admits that the opposition may be justified in considering that the question of a permanent policy is already prejudged. "It is to be contribution or nothing," he concludes. "It is no longer, fashionable, at least in England, to applaud the doctrine of 'fresh centres of naval strength,' which Lord Milner enunciated in Canada amid general applause, a few years ago, but some of us still think that the permanent tendencies of Dominion evolution are dead against any system of cash contribution with its political corollary of Imperial federation. The alternative naval system is that of Dominion fleets units organized for combination in war under one control with a more fully developed imperial conference to supply means of continuous consultation. Some one objects, are the Dominions to stand in or out at will? The reply is, ask them to sign and they will not do it, do not ask them and they will take for granted the pledge. This is not cussedness, but the most intelligent liberty that the world has yet seen."

## MONTENEGRO'S KING DEFYING POWERS

Russia Suspected of Insincerity in Regard to the European Programme

Vienna, April 4.—Little Montenegro's defiance of the powers is the subject of a series of hysterical outbursts in the newspapers here. There are indications, the Austrian editors believe, that some of the powers are not supporting the programme agreed upon for the coercion of Montenegro. The finger of suspicion points particularly at Russia.

All the papers published to-day and apparently inspired the declaration that Austria-Hungary expects to act independently against Montenegro in case the naval demonstration by the powers is insufficient. It is stated here that during the recent fighting in the vicinity of Scutari the Montenegrins and Serbs besieging armies lost 2,000 killed and the same number wounded.

## REPORT IS AWAITED IN UNITED STATES

State Department Expects to Hear From Embassy Regarding Miss Emerson

## INVESTIGATE CHARGE OF CRUEL TREATMENT

Secretary of State William J. Bryan to Consider Question at Once

## IS CASE WITHOUT ANY PRECEDENTS

Washington, D. C., April 4.—Officials at the state department said to-day that the attitude of the United States in the case of Miss Zelle Emerson, the American militant suffragette imprisoned in London would be determined after further report. The London embassy has been ordered to investigate the charges that the young woman was subjected to cruel treatment.

It was pointed out to-day that if Mrs. Emerson, mother of the young woman, has complained to the embassy it must have been subsequent to the sending of Charge d'Affaires Laughlin's report of yesterday, which said the mother has filed no charges, although she was granted an hour's interview with her daughter. Secretary Bryan will immediately take up with Chandler Anderson, the counsel of the department, the question of what is to be done.

Practically there are no precedents, the nearest similar case being that of Mrs. Maybrick, when some of the highest officials in the United States petitioned the British government to release the American woman from the prison where she was serving a sentence. It was held by various secretaries, notably Blaine and Hay, that there was no warrant for a direct official request from the United States government for clemency in Mrs. Maybrick's case, so these presentations were unofficial, though made through the American embassy in London.

Secretary Bryan wishes first to establish the complete regularity of the judicial proceedings in the case of Miss Emerson, and if he follows the ordinary course and ascertains that there has been no discrimination against the woman on account of her nationality and that she has not been treated in a cruel and inhuman manner, forbidden by the principles of the law common to all nations he likewise probably will confine himself to the exercise of his functions in an official way to secure an amelioration of Miss Emerson's condition.

## CARRIED PARAFFINE AT TIME OF ARREST

Warnings Against Militant Suffragettes Sent to All British Railroads

London, April 4.—Two girls suspected of being militant suffragettes about to commit an outrage were arrested to-day before dawn. They carried bags containing paraffine, paper saturated with oil, candles and matches. In each of the bags was a paper bearing the scrawl: "Beware how you treat Mrs. Pankhurst."

The girls in the police court gave their names as Phyllis Brady and Millicent Dean. They had explained to the policeman who arrested them that they were returning from their Easter holidays.

Warnings were sent out to-day by the directorates of all the railroads in the United Kingdom to the effect that militants had threatened to burn stations in various parts of the country. Patrols will be stationed at all stations in tunnels. Some empty trains were derailed near Stockport, Cheshire, in the night. Suffragettes are suspected.

## WINNIPEG DISTURBED BY POWDER EXPLOSION

Winnipeg, April 4.—With a roar as cannon five legs of blasting powder exploded at the rear of the Ashdown Hardware Company this afternoon. By sheer luck no one was killed. A number of horses in the adjacent neighborhood made a bolt in terror and several vehicles were upset. The whole side of the building shows signs of the blast, and the faint glow over the shipping door was shattered.



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**STEFANSSON FINDS APPROVAL AT ROME**

Canadian Explorer Places Plans Before Geographical Conference

PROPOSED JOURNEY IS ENDORSED BY EXPERTS

Rome, April 4.—At a conference of the International Geographical Conference held here yesterday, V. Stefansson, the Canadian explorer, presented plans for his forthcoming expedition into the Canadian hinterland, during which he said he hoped to discover new lands. His plans were heartily endorsed by Admiral Peary and Dr. Bruce.

Admiral Peary, in expressing his wishes for Stefansson's success, said he felt that the Canadian's past achievements justified the hope of valuable results. Both Stefansson and Canada, he declared, were to be congratulated on the arrangements made for the expedition. He added that the region to be explored was most interesting and would be productive of startling discoveries, probably.

Dr. Bruce, who is director of the Scottish Oceanographical Laboratory at Edinburgh, emphasized the oceanographic importance of the expedition. The plan was to explore an entirely unknown portion of the polar basin. When exploration in the north and south was compared it appeared that the Arctic had been explored on the Atlantic side and the Antarctic on the Pacific side, but nothing had been done on the Pacific side of the Arctic.

As Admiral Peary had given the American endorsement to the action of Canada in supporting Mr. Stefansson, so Dr. Bruce voiced the British approval of the Canadian government's attitude, which, he thought, might be well followed by the British Imperial government.

"The International" polar commission yesterday passed the following resolution: "That the International polar commission learns with pleasure of the plan of Premier Borden and his government to support further exploration of the Arctic contiguous to Canada by V. Stefansson and his expedition, and commends the example to other governments."

**ASTOR PROPRIETOR RECEIVES SUBPOENA**

Chicago, April 4.—A subpoena was issued here to-day for William Muschenheim, proprietor of the Hotel Astor, New York City, to appear before United States Commissioner Mark A. Foote next Thursday, when Hans Bauder, a Swiss, who is fighting extradition on a charge of defrauding citizens of Switzerland out of \$600,000 by means of mining frauds, will be arraigned. Bauder, who is resisting extradition, asserts that his trunk, containing papers that will prove the charge unfounded, is being held by Muschenheim. Several of the latter's employees also have been subpoenaed.

**WELCOME FOR CHURCHILL.**

Plymouth, Eng., April 4.—Militant suffragettes made active preparations this morning to welcome Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the Admiralty, who later arrived here on board the Admiralty yacht. The women painted their greetings in big letters on Smeaton lighthouse and at other points of vantage facing the sea. Many telegraph wires in the vicinity were cut during the night.

**THE ONLY PRESENT FORM OF ECONOMY**

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Reminds Premier Borden of the Value of Time

**NAVY DEBATE GOES OVER TILL MONDAY**

Ottawa, April 4.—The announcement made on the eve of adjournment on Wednesday that the consideration of the naval bill would be resumed in the Commons yesterday was not fulfilled. It became apparent early that the discussion on the bill to give adherence to the British-Japanese Treaty of 1911 would occupy the attention of the House all day.

As a number of members were desirous of going home for the week-end, an agreement was reached that the naval discussion would not be resumed before Monday.

The discussion of the Japanese agreement took place in committee, and was confined largely to the clause of the bill referring to immigration.

The bill was reported, and stands for third reading, which will be taken up on Friday.

William Smith, of South Ontario, called attention to an article in the Ottawa Free Press, stating that he had admitted during the discussion of the Oshawa that the himself had been disqualified. Mr. Smith said that the statement was not true. He had never even had a protest filed against him.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley, on whose remarks the editorial was based, said that he had not intended to convey the impression that Mr. Smith had been disqualified. His reference was to another man, and not the member.

When F. B. Carvell, of Carleton, was putting a question to the minister of public works in reference to the destruction of a bridge in his constituency, Speaker Sproule objected on the ground that such a question should be put on the order paper. Mr. Carvell insisted that it was a question of urgency, and that he had a right to address himself to the minister.

Speaker Sproule insisted upon his ruling, whereupon Mr. Carvell declared: "I have some rights in this House."

Premier Borden said that some misapprehension existed as to the asking of questions on the orders of the day. The members of the House have the right to put a question, but not to discuss it. Sometimes, however, it was necessary for a member to make a statement of facts. He expressed the view that the leader of the opposition would agree with him.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that under the rules of the House the government need not answer questions which are not on the order paper. It was sometimes necessary, however, for members to put questions verbally. It was the desire of the opposition, he said, to save the time of the House, adding: "This is the only form of economy we have just now."

**TRACKED BY TRAIL OF HIS OWN BLOOD**

Store Burglar at Fresno Secures Booty and Dies From Wound

Fresno, Cal., April 4.—A trail of blood eight blocks long led local police officers yesterday to the body of one of the two men who held up the grocery store of Blake Quick Tuesday night and robbed the till of \$55. W. B. Quick, the aged father of the grocer who rushed to his son's aid with a rifle was shot and killed by a lookout man.

The robber whose body was found today fled with the money, pursued by enraged citizens. As he ran he fired a shot to stop the pursuit. The bullet, it was discovered, had penetrated his right leg, the loss of blood causing his death. The stolen money was found on the body which has not been identified.

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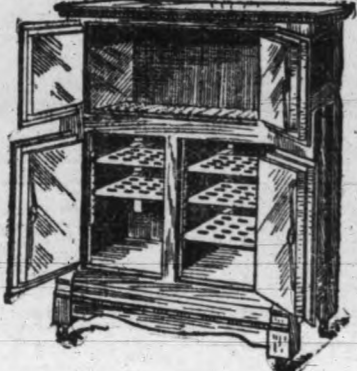
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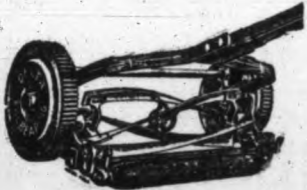
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## BARNARD REMAINS SILENT WHEN FORGED TELEGRAM IS MENTIONED

Notorious Political Scandal of 1908 in Victoria Referred to in House of Commons Yesterday When Japan Treaty Bill is Under Discussion

Ottawa, April 4.—The notorious forged telegram published in the Victoria Colonist during the election campaign of 1908 was referred to yesterday afternoon in the House of Commons during the discussion in committee of the House on the Japanese treaty bill. The matter was brought up by William E. Knowles, member for Moose Jaw, who remarked that there has yet been no explanation of the unsavory matter from the member for Victoria or from the prime minister.

Mr. Knowles said that prior to 1908 the House was solidly Liberal, not that the British Columbia representative was concerned, but so strong was the exclusion feeling in that province that in 1908 the Conservatives almost swept the province. The member for Victoria was elected as the result of the publication of a forged telegram in the Victoria Colonist, which made Mr. Borden appear to declare in favor of a policy of absolute exclusion of Asiatics. The present minister of agriculture has also benefited as the result of that telegram.

Mr. Burrell: "I did not hear of it until after the election."

Mr. Knowles: "Well, I heard of it as far east as Moose Jaw."

Continuing, Mr. Knowles said it was strange that neither Mr. Borden nor Mr. Burrell, nor Mr. Barnard, of Victoria, had ever given any explanation regarding this telegram. Premier Borden had not repudiated it until after the deferred elections in British Columbia in 1908.

Premier Borden: "I did not hear of it until afterward."

G. H. Barnard, the member for Victoria remained silent.

Mr. Knowles in emphasizing the importance of the question under consideration, referred to a statement made by the present Premier in 1908, in which Mr. Borden pointed out the possible future influence of Oriental nations in the world's affairs, especially on the affairs of the Pacific Ocean countries. In 1905, he continued, Hon. Mr. Burrell had declared himself an "Exclusionist," in regard to the Asiatic immigration.

Mr. Lemieux—"The present Minister of Agriculture? Why I understood he has employed Japanese in his own orchards."

Mr. Burrell—"The honorable gentleman is not correct. I have not employed Japanese or Chinese in my orchard."

Mr. Knowles—"Perhaps the minister will tell us if he has employed Hindus?"

Mr. Burrell—"Is this very relevant to the matter under consideration?"

Mr. Knowles—"The honorable member interrupted me to give information. He should give more now."

Mr. Burrell—"No; the honorable member for Rouville made an incorrect statement and I set him right."

Mr. Knowles continuing said that Premier Borden had said that the words "Immigration Act" in the present bill would be read as meaning the immigration act as it is in Canada from time to time, which was to all intents and purposes incorporated in the agreement with Japan. Thus the bill would bind Canada so that the Immigration Act could not be changed so far as its effects on Japanese immigration was concerned.

Mr. Knowles—"I am from Hainard statements made by the former member for Vancouver, Mr. Cowan, and the former member for Kootenay, Mr. Goodwin, urging tighter control of immigration, and the statement by Mr. Burrell that he wanted the policy of exclusion. Now, when there is opportunity to gain thorough control of our immigration the present British Columbia members do nothing toward this end."

Continuing, he said: "I suppose my honorable friend means that they are getting it under this bill, and all I can say is that he cannot have read the bill if he believes his statement. If this measure is passed it will be beyond our power to change our immigration act so long as this agreement is in force."

Dr. Pugsley commended the government for having given its consideration to this bill at the present moment. The government, he said, would be well advised if it would bring on other measures, such as the bill to ratify the trade agreement with the West Indies. This and other bills were of more importance to the country than the naval bill. There was no emergency and no reason why the naval bill should be pushed ahead.

Mr. Pugsley then took up the immigration feature of the bill under discussion. He said that in 1909 the Conservative members for British Columbia had demanded the absolute exclusion of Asiatics. Owing to their advocacy of this policy a solid Conservative representation had been returned from British Columbia. In view of this it might be well to secure an expression of public opinion from British Columbia.

Mr. Borden said the government view is that while friendly with Japan and ready to co-operate in the best way, and while we have confidence that

the Japanese government will carry out loyally the arrangement made, yet final control must be with the parliament and government of Canada.

Hon. Mr. Lemieux read from Hansard of January, 1908, a question Mr. Borden had put to him as to whether he was in favor of a "white British Columbia." He would ask the same question now from the Premier.

"The answer which the honorable member gave me at that time might serve as an answer for me," said Mr. Borden laughingly. "If he is going to borrow my question, it is surely decent reciprocity that I should borrow his answer."

Hon. George Graham argued that in correspondence which had been exchanged between the government and the Japanese consul-general here, there was no restriction placed on Japanese immigration more than on that from any other country. The sole control, he contended, came from the agreement negotiated by Hon. Mr. Lemieux in 1909. Mr. Graham did not see much benefit likely to come from the treaty. He would have preferred to see Canada negotiate one direct, so that there could have been secured a market for such Canadian products as lumber, canned fish, zinc and lead, and even for sewing machines.

Premier Borden answered that Mr. Graham was placing an entirely wrong construction on the correspondence. The correspondence in his opinion admitted of no such interpretation as that put upon it by the ex-minister.

"I say when this bill becomes law it will retain to Canada the control over immigration more than on that from other countries of the world. I thought it bore such a construction as has been put upon it by changing the wording I would withdraw the bill."

Hon. Frank Oliver gave notice that on the third reading he would move amendments making it clear that the bill would apply to immigration laws passed in the future, and also, that nothing in the act would interfere with or restrict the legislative power or authority of local legislatures.

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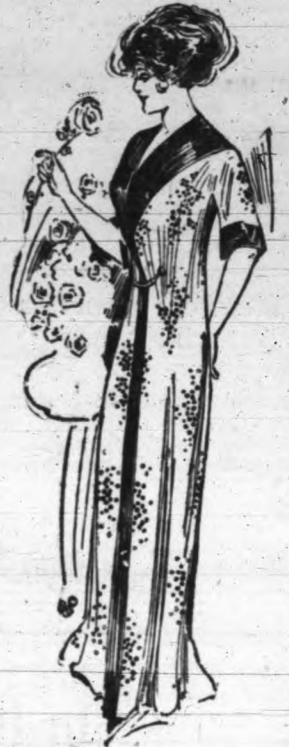
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A PARTY SHUTTLECOCK.

An interview with Captain Clive Phillips-Wolley on the navy question appears in the morning paper. He wishes it understood that he does not speak for the Navy League and the views he expresses, therefore, are his own peculiar property.

We are very much interested in Captain Wolley's reference to a permanent policy to which he says Mr. Borden is pledged. We would be glad if the captain would let us into the secret.

Captain Wolley says: "A clever, but to my mind, thoroughly dishonest, political trick has been played by the opposition, by which it is attempted to show that these two are one and Mr. Borden's permanent policy, which has not yet been announced, is made the subject of an attack."

We sincerely trust Captain Wolley has been misreported. If he actually used the foregoing words he either brands Mr. Borden as unworthy of belief or is grossly ignorant of the attitude of the Canadian Prime Minister.

draw attention to this extract from the speech in the Commons in February last:

"I say the defence of Canada will be by the united naval forces of the whole Empire, and I further maintain that it would be impossible for a single fleet unit on the Pacific to defend the shores of Canada against such an attack as might be expected if an attack were to take place."

Taken in conjunction with Mr. Borden's expressed opinion that "Canada could not build up an effective organization in perhaps half a century" (Hansard, December 5) this can have but one meaning. It is that Canada should not adopt the local navy plan, as Australia is doing, and that her permanent policy should be one of contributions to the admiralty for the purposes of the empire fleet which Mr. Churchill has forecasted in his speech.

In conclusion we quote the following resolution moved by Captain Clive Phillips-Wolley on March 10, 1910, seconded by Captain W. H. Langley and unanimously adopted:

"This meeting heartily endorses the permanent policy of the government as that best calculated in the long run to afford the greatest measure of aid to the Empire, but urges that an emergency exists at the present moment which necessitates an immediate additional contribution of Dreadnoughts, or cash. It is further resolved that the entire naval service of Canada should pass automatically under the control of the commander of the royal navy on the threat or outbreak of hostilities against Great Britain."

In the discussion of that resolution at the time, the Colonist reports the captain as saying:

"A direct contribution in cash might be the most practically useful to Britain in the present, and would be the cheapest to Canada, but it would inevitably be distasteful to our people, and would do nothing to cultivate a naval spirit. When Canada begins to take an interest in naval matters we never want her 'to have done with it,' and therefore we support the permanent policy of the government because the building of local navies will create a naval spirit amongst our people; will create an interest in their own navy which men only feel in the things they themselves have made; will arouse a generous rivalry between the Dominions which must inure to Britain's benefit; and will especially create shipyards, (the capacity for producing ships) which are worth more to Britain than many Dreadnoughts."

THE SAANICH-INTERURBAN

Very old Victoria residents are having very good cause these days to rub their eyes and wonder as they look around the city, which is emerging resplendent from its chrysalis days.

But it is doubtful if these old residents have seen in the whole drift of years anything more fraught with importance to the city's welfare, anything more pregnant with possibilities for the southern end of Vancouver Island, than the building of the interurban electric from Victoria to Deep Bay, on which line the stations received their christening yesterday.

That the completion of the line will give an added stimulus to agriculture, fruit culture and to business generally in the southern end of the island is a foregone conclusion. The extra transport facilities for all stuffs fills a need that has been felt for years.

BERESFORD AND SCOTT.

It is such a common phase of human experience to find curses coming home to roost that very little sympathy, we are assured, will be expended on Lord Charles Beresford, the well-known British admiral, for the attack made on him in the last issue of the British Review.

Charles only served five years at sea in command of a ship of war, and that could not make a seaman out of him.

There is a question of judgment involved in the diatribe, and it is a wise wager that the majority of people would go with Admiral Scott's decision rather than that of the older sea warrior, whose services to the country have included more political speaking and wrangling and more arbitrary criticism than is perhaps fitting for a man in his position.

We are anxious to see what Lord Charles will have to say in answer to the attack. One thing is certain: that any reply he sees fit to make will be amply garnished with abuse.

THE SCHOOL BY-LAW.

Nothing is more emphatically indicative of the growth of Victoria district than the announcements which occur from time to time, that the school accommodation of various parts of the city and its suburbs is inadequate for the number of children attending. It is proposed to add four new classrooms to the Lamson street schools and a by-law to raise the sum of \$27,500 will be put to a vote of the electors of Esquimalt to-morrow.

THE JAPANESE TREATY.

When the United States and Japan entered into a trade treaty some years ago the convention contained a provision that nothing in it should be considered as repealing the immigration laws of the republic.

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Captain Clive Phillips-Wolley delivered a speech in 1907 which was considered worthy of reproduction in pamphlet form. He vigorously denounced those who dared to suggest that Canada could seek security under the Monroe Doctrine.

We learn from a London exchange that the Kaiser has made a statement to the effect that 1913 will be as prosperous a year as 1912, and this has caused many to wonder if he is afraid of some phantom Napoleon resident somewhere in the next world.

The suffragettes are now threatening human life in place of mere buildings. This is going to be a very dangerous business—for the suffragettes. The public generally meets Machiavellian tactics with nothing more subtle than hustlings and personal violence.

The news that a tectonic regime is installed at the White House and that no alcohol of any kind will be on the presidential table will mean a greater clamor than ever on the part of European diplomatists and attaches to be transferred to Washington.

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NO ROOTS STRUCK.

(Canadian Courier.) Perhaps the Hon. G. E. Foster will pardon our quoting once again his magnificent plea for a Canadian navy. It is so much superior in tone and quality to anything else that has been said on the subject that our admiration is pardonable. On one occasion he spoke as follows:

"Suppose you contribute this year your gun, and next year your equal sum, and thereafter year after year. After ten or twelve, or twenty or thirty years, you will have paid out an immense amount of money. You will have been protected in the meantime; but in Canada itself there will be no roots struck; there will be no residue left, there will be no preparation of the soil, or beginning of

WISE WORDS.

(Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour.)

"The people of Canada and the other overseas Dominions must have and will have their feeling of nationality. Every Canadian ought to want to feel that Canada has got its own principles for the development of the future. Do not let us discourage that local patriotism. Let them cultivate their own feeling for the nationality of Canada. Canada for the Canadians, Australia for the Australians, but the whole for the Empire. It was the misconception of this principle that led to the great disruption between Britain and the American colonies a century and a half ago, and perhaps after all it required that lesson to teach us what we know."

THE GROWTH OF THE PRODUCT OF DEFENCE.

Yet some time or other, no one can doubt that with resources and with a population constantly increasing we must, and will have in this country a naval force of our own for our coast and home defence. "The interest that we take in a contribution spent by another is not the interest that I desire for Canada. I want to see something grafted on the soil of Canada's nationality, which takes root and grows and develops until it incites the spirit of defence in this country, leads to a participation in the defence, leads to that quick interest in it, its glories, its duties and its accomplished work, which is after all the great thing that compensates a people for great expenditures either on land or on sea in the way of defence and of the maintenance of the rights of the country."

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## BRIEF NEWS OF THE CITY

Ladies' Tailor—Wm. Stewart, men's and ladies' tailor, room 2, Haynes Bldg., Fort street.

Victoria Carnival Week, August 4th to 9th, 1913.

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

S. P. C. A.—Cases of cruelty 'phone Inspector Russell, 1921, secretary, L1722.

It's Now or Never.—Only a few more days at such prices: Your loss to wait. The Commonwealth.

The B. C. Funeral Co., Chas Hayward, president, 734 Broughton street. Calls promptly attended to. Phone 2235.

Economy Wet Wash Laundry.—Family wash, 75c a week. Clothes returned on the following day, thoroughly washed. Phone 3339. 2612 Bridge Street.

Phone 864 for good millwood. \$3.00 double load. \$1.50 single load.

Sooke Harbor Hotel.—Come down for the fishing. Sunday dinner, 1 o'clock.

Mystery! Mystery! Mystery! Mystery! Elks' Antics, Victoria Theatre, Friday and Saturday.

"Nag" Roof Compositions are fire-proof and add years to the life of an old roof. See Newton & Greer Co., 1326 Wharf Street.

Shell Motor Spirit and Siberian Auto Oil are both refined from Asiatic Crude Oil. They are in a class by themselves. Sprague & Co., Phone 1044.

Sooke Harbor Hotel.—Good fishing, 24 miles from town. Good roads, good dinner.

"A Barrel of Fun," Elks' Antics, Victoria Theatre, April 4 and 5.

Sooke Harbor Hotel, overlooking the Olympics and Straits; a good place to spend Sunday. Country dinner, 1 o'clock. The best.

Autos for Hire.—Balmoral Hotel. Day phone 4473. Night phone 105.

The Ritz Cafe and Grill, commencing Saturday, March 15, will be open to the public, 7 p. m. till 12.30 a. m., a first-class orchestra will be in attendance every evening. The finest cuisine coupled with the best service. Hotel Ritz, corner Esplanade and Douglas.

Sooke Harbor Hotel.—For motorist. Afternoon tea served. Large garage. Gasoline sold.

"Nobody Loves a Fat Man," Elks' Antics, Victoria Theatre, Friday and Saturday.

H. Harkness & Son, wholesale and retail wallpaper dealers, 917 Pandora avenue. Estimates furnished.

Rooms Papered.—\$5.00 and up, materials and estimates included. H. M. Harris, 812 Caledonia. Phone 5094.

"What It is, is It, When It Ain't," Elks' Antics, Victoria Theatre, Friday and Saturday.

Business Men's Lunch at the Westholme Grill is growing more popular every day—There's a reason. Prompt service—good food—reasonable prices.

Sands & Fulton, Ltd., funeral directors, 1515 Quadra street. Phone 3306.

Now is the Time to Whitewash.—Get your brushes now at Brown's at 25c. 30c, 80c. R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas Street.

Carpenters Are Getting Materials now ready to begin remodelling the Commonwealth store the moment sale ends. This will be made a modern store throughout.

For Fire, Automobile or Plate Glass Insurance, call or phone German Canadian Trust Company, Limited (Ins. Dept.), 639 Fort Street.

Get the Hold 'Em Rat Trap.—It catches and holds the rats. Made of wire. Always set. Durable, clean, active, 90c. at R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas Street.

\$500.00 Fire Insurance on clothing, piano, household furniture or dwelling house will cost you only \$3.00 for one year, in some parts of the city. For particulars call or phone German Canadian Trust Company, Limited (Ins. Dept.), 639 Fort Street.

Roofs Made Fire-Proof by Newton & Greer Co., 1326 Wharf Street, makers of "Nag" Roof composition.

The Commonwealth are adding a vast army of extra Clothing Salesmen for Saturday in order that all may have prompt and efficient service.

S. P. C. A. Monthly Report.—The report of the Victoria branch of the British Columbia Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals for the month of March shows that the following cases were dealt with: Horses, 15; dogs, 2; and cats, 1.

Oral Call Again.—Following the successful oral call of listings on Tuesday the members of the Real Estate Exchange held another call at the board rooms this morning. Property values and the exchanges of properties were under discussion. At 4 o'clock this afternoon a meeting of the publicity committee was held.

Weekly Half-Holiday.—At a meeting of the retail employees of the city last evening it was decided to push the movement for a weekly early closing day, and should a mid-week half-holiday be selected, to urge earlier closing on Saturdays. The constitution and by-laws of the association were also adopted.

Realty Men Challenge.—The Real Estate Exchange Cricket Club has issued a challenge to an All-Victoria team to play a cricket match on the Jubilee Hospital grounds on May 28, the losers to pay the cost of the lunch and dinner. It will be an all-day match. W. T. Williams and W. F. Reedes have charge of the arrangements about the luncheon and the grounds, respectively.

Victoria Manx Society.—The monthly meeting of the Victoria Manx Society was held last evening in the society's headquarters, Broad street, the principal business of the evening being the appointment of a representative, in the person of G. Temple, to represent the organization at the convention of the World's Manx Society which is to take place at Tynwald, Isle of Man, on July 5 next. A number of new members were enrolled during the evening.

Ivy Leaf Social Club.—The weekly whist drive in connection with the Ivy Leaf Social Club was held on Tuesday evening last in the Alexandra Club, Miss Neelia Watkins presenting the prizes to the following successful players: Mrs. Vincent, first lady; Mr. Cull, first gentleman; Miss E. Oddy, second lady; Mr. Nicolson, second gentleman; Miss N. Watkins and T. Bell, consolation. J. Davey acted as master of ceremonies. The next whist drive will take place next Thursday evening, April 10, as usual.

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### MRS. POLLOCK COLLAPSED

Evidence Given That She Supplied Indians With Liquor.

Mrs. Jeanette Pollock completely collapsed this morning during the trial of the charge against her of supplying liquor to Indians on the Songhees Reserve. The evidence leading to the charge arose at the inquest into the death of Jack Tschesh, who was burned to death when Mrs. Pollock's shack was burned down the other night.

Two Indians testified that Mrs. Pollock had come to the reserve on a certain date with two bottles of liquor for Tschesh, but he was not there, and they had all gone into a house and drunk it together. Magistrate Jay reserved judgment until Tuesday on account of the state of Mrs. Pollock's health.

### EIGHTEEN MOTOR CASES

Charges Under Recent Amendments Dismissed With Warning.

Eighteen automobile cases came before the police magistrate this morning and an even dozen of them were dismissed. The dismissed charges were all the same, violations of the new provisions of the motor act requiring all number plates to be of the official kind issued at the provincial police office, fastened securely to both front and back of cars, and in such position as to be seen 50 feet away at night by the light of the tail-light. Inasmuch as the cases were the first of the kind the magistrate accepted assurances that the provisions of the act would be complied with immediately and let the motorists go free this time.

Where to Register.—The Times is requested by the Burnside Liberal Association to state that names may be registered for the voters' list at the Gorge Realty Co., corner of "Mill-cum road and Gorge road, Tillicum P. O., Mr. Graham, Tillicum road, and between the hours of 5 and 7 at the house of J. P. Hancock, corner of Eidon place and Burnside road, and C. Pointer, Arderson road.

### USED RAZOR IN ARGUMENT

Ode James Gets Three Months for Wounding.

Ode James used his razor for social purposes as well as shaving his whiskers. Last night in an altercation with some ladies living at the same Rock Bay avenue boarding house as James and David Gray, James drew his razor and slashed Gray in the back. The cut was four inches long and half an inch deep and James' sentence was three months.

Indian Had Liquor.—Louis Pilkey, an Indian, was fined \$25 or sentenced to one month's imprisonment this morning when he was found guilty, by Magistrate Jay of having in his possession three bottles of liquor.

Call of Fire.—The fire department was called at 9:07 last evening to 1213 Quadra street, owned by P. R. Brown, and occupied by George Martin, where a fire of a slight character had occurred through the fall of a lamp. The damage amounted to \$25.

The Moment This Big Sale Ends Off comes colored tickets and former prices will prevail at the Commonwealth.

### A LINE O' CHEER EACH DAY O' TH' YEAR

By John Kendrick Bangs

#### THE JOGUND MILESTONE.

When I am walking on the road Or trouble or of worry, And feel the pressure and the goad Of an incessant hurry.

I think of an old mile-stone gray One time I found when lost on An old New England country way, Which read, "Six Smiles to Boston."

Ah that's indeed a pleasant thought For those of us who travel— Along the road of pain there's naught That "Six Smiles" won't unravel!

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### BELIEVES IN YUKON

Ex-Dominion Government Assayer at Whitehorse Discusses Mining in Northland.

Robert Smart, who for nine years held the position of Dominion government assayer, in the government offices at Whitehorse, is now in the city. Speaking to the Times at the Strathcona hotel Mr. Smart stated that there is every indication that the Yukon will become a steady producer, both in gold and copper.

On the Klondike, Mr. Smart states, Joe Boyle had the largest dredge in the world working last year, and this year he will have three of the same type. These dredges have a capacity of twelve thousand cubic yards, and Mr. Boyle informed Mr. Smart a short time since that his first dredge averaged \$7,000 per day. Other companies operating dredges in the Klondike are the Guggenheims and one small concern. The gold-bearing ore so far found, Mr. Smart states, is of indeterminate value as it has not definitely been determined what claims have only float and what have true veins.

The Atlas mine, a copper property near Whitehorse, is shipping two hundred tons per day, and the owners are developing two other properties. In the course of time this should develop into a big mine. The growth of the quartz mining in the Yukon, Mr. Smart concluded, is only a matter of the right men coming in.

### STARTED CAREER AT 19

Clara Butt Sprang Into Fame Following Her First London Appearance.

Clara Butt, to use her maiden name by which she is known professionally, made her first public appearance in Albert hall, London, when a girl of 19. Two years before she had been awarded the Royal Scholarship prize of 400 guineas, which had won over her parents to her ambition for a public career. The strength and depth of her voice fairly startled the London public, and the critics vied in praising the new star in the musical firmament.

The suddenness and completeness of the young singer's triumph was almost without parallel. The successes which followed her debut included a private appearance before Queen Victoria at Windsor, a command performance of "Orfeo" at Balmoral before the Prince and Princess of Wales, participation in state concerts at Buckingham Palace before the German Emperor and Empress, and innumerable recitals and concerts in the large London concert halls. Since then she has made many tours of England, the Continent, South Africa, Australia and, last of all, America; she will sing at the Victoria theatre on Friday, April 11, under the auspices of the Ladies' Musical Club.

### YOUNG MEN'S DANCE.

Enjoyable Event Took Place Last Evening at Connaught Hall.

Last evening a very enjoyable event took place at the Connaught hall when the Ladies' Auxiliary of St. Andrew's cathedral and the Young Men's Institute held a social dance, about 125 guests being present. Bantley's orchestra was in attendance, and provided an excellent programme of

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See us about Trelawney Park Acreage. The best and cheapest in Saanich. Buy before the cars start running.

Killed Twelve Crows.—The slaughter of the crows in Beacon Hill park began this morning, when twelve black harbingers of spring were victims of the keeper's guns.

Voters' League.—The members of the city council have been invited to attend the meeting of the Voters' League to-morrow evening at the Castle hall, North Park street, to hear W. J. Hindley, mayor of Spokane, on the subject of "Commission Government." Spokane has tested the commission form for a few years past. Ladies are invited.

### CONSTABLE SAVED LIFE

Man Who Thought He Had Right of Way Over Train Fined.

Magistrate Jay told Joseph Usatt that it was lucky for him that he did not appear in the coroner's court this morning. Instead of in police court this morning, Usatt was charged with disorderly conduct, the details being that he refused to get off the railway track at the west end of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo railway bridge when the passenger train was coming. Special Constable Carroll of the railway removed him before the train reached him. The magistrate administered a sentence of 10 fine or 10 days' hard labor.

### Always Reliable

Relief from the ailments caused by disordered stomach, torpid liver, irregular bowels is given—quickly, safely, and assuredly—by the tried and reliable BEECHAM'S PILLS

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# Along the Waterfront

## Shipping News from Day to Day

### G. T. P. FLEET MAY BE ENLARGED SOON

Capt. Nicholson Says More Boats Will Be Secured If Business Goes on Increasing

### THOROUGHLY RENOVATING STEAMER PRINCE GEORGE

Vessel Will Be Ready for Service Next Thursday; Oil-Burners Are Installed

It is quite within the bounds of possibility that the G. T. P. will have several new steamers operating in the coast trade before long. When asked yesterday as to whether any additions were to be made to the fleet, Capt. C. H. Nicholson, manager of the steamship company, would not commit himself further than to say that if the business proves too heavy for the boats now in service arrangements will be made for the securing of other vessels.

Capt. Nicholson told the Times that the steamer Prince John, which sailed from here last night, and which leaves Vancouver to-night for the north, carries all the freight she can possibly handle and that all the passenger accommodation, both saloon and steerage, had been sold out. Judging from reports received from the Terminal City a number of applicants for tickets for the Queen Charlottes had to be refused.

Albert Will Be Full Also. When the steamer Prince Albert, which is now overhauling, leaves here next Thursday night for northern ports, she will also be booked full with passengers and freight. The amount of business which is now falling to the Grand Trunk's lot would indicate that the company will have to seek extra steamers if it wishes to care for travel in the same manner as it has in the past. The Queen Charlotte's run is found to be largely patronized owing to its convenience. The schedules of the G. T. P. now interlock, and the islands are being especially cared for.

Capt. Nicholson said yesterday that the Prince Albert will be able to handle 40 saloon and 42 steerage passengers. She is now at the B. C. Marine railway at Esquimalt being thoroughly renovated. The chief change is in the stokehold, where oil-burners are being installed in the furnaces. The passenger accommodation is being enlarged, and the saloon and dining rooms are being recarpeted and enameled.

Despite the fact that the spring rush to the north has just started a congestion is already being felt on the big

### HEAD SEAS DELAY CANADA ONE DAY

### PUEBLA HERE AFTER FINE AND FAST TRIP

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#### SOME RATS ARE VERY PECULIAR.

"I can tell you that since I went to sea that many a long year ago I've felt many a good ship sink beneath my feet and leave me and the rest of the crew adrift in a boat for many a day. The worst experience I ever had, though, in the shipwreck line, came as a result of the antics of a rat, which we had poisoned, and he ship and all hands were nearly lost." That is the way an old seaman started off with a yarn down at the ship chandler's this morning.

"You see we were homeward bound for Swanaea in the barque Dundonald, and were beating up the Atlantic against bad weather. Our old cook complained that someone or something was spoiling his flour and getting away with much of his supplies. Old Chips, the carpenter, also had a kick, and he was losing a lot of stuff. So the two of them formed a conspiracy and decided to have the culprit overboard. One night they lay hidden in the galley, when in came a big rat. The rodent went about his work and nibbled at all the cook's goodies. The cook had a rolling pin in his hand, and when he saw this, he lets fly the pin, and it struck the end of the galley, nearly knocking out a plank.

### FORMER SHIPMATES ATTENDED FUNERAL

Remains of Capt. Walbran Interred at Ross Bay; Great Wealth of Flowers

Covered with the Union Jack the casket containing the body of the late Capt. John T. Walbran was conveyed to its last resting place in Ross Bay cemetery this afternoon. At 2.30 o'clock the cortege left the residence of Napier Denison, 628 Superior street, and proceeded to St. James' church, James Bay, where the funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. H. Sweet. The pastor eulogized the work which had been done by Capt. Walbran and spoke of the great loss which not only Victoria, but the whole of British Columbia, had sustained in his death.

Abundance of Flowers. The casket and hearse were literally covered with magnificent wreaths, anchors and sprays. Among the floral offerings presented were handsome wreaths from the Natural History Society, of which he was a valued member, and the Marine and Fisheries Department, in which service he was employed for over twenty years. Two anchors, one from the Victoria Shipmasters' Association, with which he was connected for a lengthy period, and the other from the steamer Northweston, of the Marine Department, were placed on the casket. Many old shipmates of the late captain paid their last respects to their departed friend by placing flowers on the bier.

The following acted as pallbearers: Capt. C. H. Nicholson, manager of the G. T. P. S. S. Co.; Capt. Newby, one of the Victoria pilots; Capt. Gould, superintendent of the Esquimalt dock; Capt. John Irving, formerly manager of the old C. P. N. Co.; and F. W. Vincent, of the C. P. R. Coast Service.

## TRANSPORTATION

### GRAND TRUNK SYSTEM Summer Schedule

EFFECTIVE MARCH 26. "S. S. PRINCE GEORGE"—Mondays, 10 a. m. To Vancouver, Prince Rupert and Stewart. "S. S. PRINCE RUPERT"—Thursdays, 10 a. m. To Vancouver, Prince Rupert and Granby Bay. TO SEATTLE—WEDNESDAYS AND SUNDAYS, 10 A. M. "S. S. PRINCE JOHN"—"S. S. PRINCE ALBERT." Effective April 3. THURSDAYS, 10 P. M. Direct weekly service to Queen Charlotte Islands, calling at Vancouver, Alert Bay, Hardy Bay, Rivers Inlet and Ocean Falls. C. F. EARLE, JAS. MCARTHUR, City Pass. and Ticket Agt. Tel. 1242. Dock and Freight Agt. Tel. 2431. Office, Wharf Street, near Post Office.

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### GREAT MANY CANNERY HANDS ARE LEAVING FOR ALASKA

Seattle, April 4.—Pugot Sound steamship companies operating to Alaska are reaping a harvest from the rush of cannery men to the north and the heavy shipments of cannery equipment and supplies preparatory to the busiest season in the history of the salmon industry and Southern Alaska.

### MORNING STEAMER for SEATTLE

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### WHITE STAR-DOMINION ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS

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### TIDE TABLE. Victoria, March, 1913.

Tide table with columns for Date, Time, High, Low, etc. for various dates in March 1913.

London, April 4.—The Bulgarian troops in front of the Turkish lines at Tchatalja have begun to retire under cover of a series of skirmishes, according to a dispatch from Constantinople.

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All the above are well finished, strongly made and covered with well japanned wire.

### We Cannot Speak Too Highly of the New Drapery Materials For Summer 1913

Our buyer has secured the finest selection we have had the pleasure of showing; the fact is that in cretonne alone there are 250 new designs, in addition to repeating the best of the older lines.

Then there are many other artistic fabrics, suitable for summer draperies, from which you may choose. The famous "Sundour" unfadable fabrics are well represented in this showing, and if you desire artistic curtains that will not fade in the strongest sunlight or in the process of laundering, order "Sundour" materials and you will be delighted with your investment.

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CRETONNES, 34 inches wide, come in a very wide assortment of dainty patterns and colorings. Per yard, 75c, 45c, 40c, 35c, 30c and.....25c

DOUBLE WIDTH CRETONNES are to be had in pretty and useful patterns and colors. You have an excellent assortment to choose from at, per yard, \$1.50, \$1.25 and \$1.00

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SHADOW CLOTHS. More effective patterns and colorings would be hard to conceive; then there is the added pleasure of choosing from a very large variety of new lines. Better values are not to be had. Prices start at \$4.50 a yard, but other qualities are in stock at prices ranging down to as low as.....\$2.00

LOOSE COVERS FOR YOUR FURNITURE. For this class of work we have a large staff of experienced upholsterers. You can depend on having your work done well, at a moderate price, and as quickly if you place your orders now. Estimates and any other information you may require free of charge.



### See Our Government Street Window Display of House Cleaning Requisites

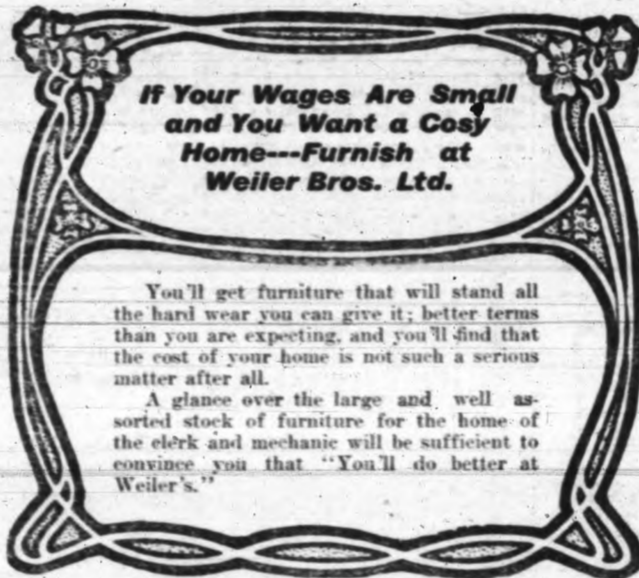
In the Government street window we are showing a few samples of our stock of necessities for the kitchen and keeping your house in its best condition. Now that Spring is with us, many women will be indulging in a thorough house cleaning and will welcome this list of reasonably priced necessities.

### Are You Satisfied With Your Window Shades?

Or would you like something else? If you are considering a change, telephone 607 and ask for the carpet section and we will send a man to take all measurements, or to give you an estimate free of charge.

Linen, Holland and opaque clothes are to be had in various colors and qualities, and we make them in either plain or fancy styles to suit your taste.

Call in and inspect the materials and trimmings.



If Your Wages Are Small and You Want a Cosy Home—Furnish at Weiler Bros. Ltd.

You'll get furniture that will stand all the hard wear you can give it; better terms than you are expecting, and you'll find that the cost of your home is not such a serious matter after all.

A glance over the large and well assorted stock of furniture for the home of the clerk and mechanic will be sufficient to convince you that "You'll do better at Weiler's."

### A Car Load of the Famous "Whitney" Go-Carts Just Arrived

What is better than fresh air for baby? Nothing is cheaper than sunshine and gentle breezes, but the trouble of carrying baby when out shopping or walking is usually the reason why the tiny tots are left at home.

Don't let your little folks suffer the want of an outing. Secure one of these "Whitney's" and you'll be ready to make an excuse to get baby out for an extra trip.



At the time we go to press all the samples have not been unpacked, but by the time you read this announcement all will be ready for your inspection.

See window display and further announcements for prices and styles.  
FOLDING BUGGIES FROM \$3.75  
CARRIAGES FROM \$18.00

### Quality Table Linen at Prices You'll Be Pleased to Pay

TABLE CLOTHS, size 72 x 72, Each.....\$8.00

TABLE NAPKINS to match, size 22x22 inches, at per dozen.....\$10.50

TABLECLOTHS, 72x108 ins., at each.....\$11.50

TABLECLOTHS, 72x144 inches, at each.....\$15.50

TABLE NAPKINS, size 22x24 inches, at per dozen \$12.50

TABLECLOTHS, size 90x144 inches, at each.....\$21.00

TABLECLOTHS, size 72x72 ins., basket of fruit design, for round the table. Each \$10.50

TABLE NAPKINS to match the above, size 22x22 inches, at per dozen.....\$12.50

This list is by no means complete, but we shall be pleased to give you further information at your pleasure.

### Why Wait For the Hot Weather Before You Buy Your Refrigerator?

When the warm weather begins, you'll experience a difficulty in keeping your food in good condition. That's old news—true—but winter has scarcely left us, and we are likely to overlook our last year's troubles.

Now is the time to make your selection. We have a very fine assortment of sizes and styles ranging in price from \$12.00 up to.....\$125.00

Here are a few details that may interest you, but it is much better to see them and let the refrigerators tell their story of quality, good value and utility:

#### THE LABRADOR

THE LABRADOR NO. 1—This is made of well seasoned ash and is built to stand all the strain that a refrigerator is subject to. This model is lined with galvanized iron, has one shelf and a large ice chamber. Price, \$12.00

LABRADOR NO. 2 is a similar line to the No. 1, but is larger. Price, only.....\$15.00

LABRADOR NO. 4 is a great value at \$16.00

#### THE CHALLENGE

THE CHALLENGE NO. 62 is well made and serviceable. Just the thing for a small family. Price.....\$17.00

THE CHALLENGE NO. 64 is a little larger than the No. 62, and is a splendid investment at.....\$20.00

THE CHALLENGE NO. 67 has two shelves and is large enough for a moderately large family. It is white enamelled on the inside and soundly constructed. Price.....\$25.00

THE CHALLENGE NO. 69 has three shelves and is a very economical model. White enamelled on the inside. Price.....\$27.00

THE CHALLENGE NO. 71 is white enamelled on the inside and is a large size. Well fitted with shelves and very easy to keep clean and sweet. Price.....\$32.50

#### THE TELEPHONE CITY

THE TELEPHONE CITY REFRIGERATORS—The No. 16 is lined with porcelain, has three shelves, one of which is divided. It is very easily cleaned and is very economical with the ice. Price.....\$52.50

NO. 17 TELEPHONE CITY REFRIGERATOR has double doors and is white enamel lined. It has three shelves, one of which is divided. Price.....\$37.50

THE NO. 18 TELEPHONE CITY REFRIGERATOR is a much larger size, and is an excellent value at.....\$60.00

#### THE BRANTFORD REFRIGERATOR

THE BRANTFORD NO. 11—This is a white enamelled model with three wire shelves, and is a very dependable line. Price.....\$35.00

THE BRANTFORD NO. 13 is another line that we are confident will give entire satisfaction. It is well built from thoroughly dry oak and is insulated in the most scientific manner. It has three wire shelves that will never rust, and the price is only.....\$40.00

### The Quality and the No. 26 Model Refrigerators For Large Families and Hotels

THE QUALITY REFRIGERATORS are porcelain lined. They have double doors, the ice box being situated in one corner at the top, leaving a large space down the side and the whole of the bottom clear for the accommodation of the food. Price, only.....\$70.00

THE MODEL NO. 26 is a suitable line for a hotel or large boarding house. It is well built and insulated in the most scientific manner. Height, 6ft. 1in. by 54 1/2 in. wide and 2ft. 8in. deep. The ice box is in the centre and is large enough to accommodate a large quantity of meat, etc. The ice box and the cupboards on either side are fitted with double glass doors and the three lower doors are wood and insulated in the best possible manner. The inside is finished in white enamel and all the shelves are the slat type. Price is.....\$125.00

#### A USEFUL LINE OF MEAT SAFES

These are well built and are finished in the surface oak style. They are fitted with two galvanized iron shelves and have wire setting on all four sides. The door is provided with a spring so that there is no chance of the safe being left open through forgetfulness. A strong value and the best substitute for a refrigerator we know of. Price, only.....\$6.00



The Challenge



The Quality Refrigerator

# SPORTING NEWS

## BEE REGULARS FACE BALLARD CLUB AT THE BALL PARK TO-DAY

Manager Lynch Anxious to See His Full Team at Work; Game Starts at 3.30

Mike Lynch decided this morning that he will work three twirlers this afternoon against the Ballard club, while to-morrow he will send another trio against Jimmy Clark's proteges. The Bees will line up at full strength, Lynch taking his place in the outfield along with Lewis and Weed, while Brooks, Delmass, Rawlings and Burrell will be the inner works. This will be the team that will probably start the season for the Bees and the fans will be given an opportunity of sizing up the strength of the team before the season gets under way.

Burrell All Right. Lenny Burrell and Pinky Grindle, who have been undergrip treatment at the hands of Dr. Bouret, of Tacoma, returned to the city yesterday and are reported to be in the pink. Grindle is still troubled with rheumatism, but Burrell is O. K. once more. The latter had some trouble with his arm last year, and was just taking precautions against accidents. Grindle's work last season shows that he has entirely recovered from his old trouble, a lame arm, and when he rids his system of rheumatism, he will be one of the most valuable backstops in the league.

## POLO CLUB PLANS ANOTHER GYMKHANA

Secretary Metcalfe Also Completing Arrangements for Novel Exhibition

It is possible that the Victoria Polo Club will hold another Gymkhana on May 24, and the plans call for a programme that will even outdo the success that the club attained on Easter Monday at the Willows track. In the meantime the officers of the club are completing arrangements for a feature evening on May 5, following the close of the Spring Horse Show, which will start on May 1. Many novel turns will be put on and further particulars will be published later.

Secretary Metcalfe states that there are a few vacancies for experienced polo players, and as the club is now well supplied with ponies, the new members will come in at a most opportune moment. The entrance fees will be arranged to suit the players.

## AMERICANS WILL HOLD TRIALS FOR DAVIS TEAM

New York, N. Y., April 4.—R. D. Wrenn, president of the United States Lawn Tennis Association, has announced that he has received acceptance from R. N. Williams, W. F. Johnson, of Philadelphia; H. H. Hackett, of New York, and R. D. Little, of New York, to compete in the trial matches for places on the American Davis Cup team. Arrangements already have been made for M. E. McLoughlin, the national champion, and T. C. Bundy, holder with McLoughlin of the national title, to come East from California.

## Soccer Notes

A meeting of the Thistle Football Club will be held in the club room, corner of Yates and Government, to-night at 8:15 o'clock. The meeting is for the purpose of winding up the season. A full attendance of the club members is requested.

The Empress soccer team for Saturday's game against the Victoria Wreath at Beacon Hill will be: C. Fletcher, E. W. Falconer, D. Fletcher (capt.), J. Marshall, H. Lomas, J. Idens, J. Oddy, J. Fleming, T. Smith, A. Fairclough and H. Scarff.

The North Ward intermediate soccer team for Saturday: Humber, H. Ord and J. Ord, Mesher, Ord, McKinnon, Thomas, Howden, Puke, Hudson, Hopkins, Reserves, Brown and McIntosh.

The Empire soccer team for Saturday is: Baker, Laity and Harris, Hudson, Williams and Bray, Stringer, Smith, Turner, Burt, Davies or Nash (capt.). Spares: Martin, Jarvis and Norris.

Robinson Fast. Lightweight from Pittsburg a Shifty Boxer.

About fifty eager fight fans assembled at the St. Francis yesterday afternoon to see Red Robinson, the Smoky City lightweight, perform. The fans were well satisfied with the Pittsburg boxer's showings and were convinced that he will make any of the coast lightweight step. He punched the bag, skipped the rope, went through some physical culture exercises, and boxed three rounds with Al Davies, the local amateur bantam. Among the crowd was Joe Bayley, and he was pleased with Red's work. Cyclone Scott was to have boxed with Robinson, but Davies took the Cyclone's place. The friends of Robinson are willing to back him heavily if he secures a bout with Barriean.

## McKAY GOES EAST.

J. B. A. A. Lightweight After Canadian Amateur Title.

"Scotty" McKay, the hard-hitting lightweight of the James Bay Athletic Club of Victoria, will represent British Columbia at the Canadian boxing championships which will be held in Toronto April 15, 16 and 17. "Scotty" is in great shape and is quite confident that he will capture the lightweight title at the coming tournament. He has engaged in 79 bouts since he first donned the gloves about seven years ago and has lost but four decisions in that time. "Scotty" carries a knock-out punch in either hand and wins the majority of his bouts by the "dreamland" route.

## CHANCE READY.

Hamilton, Bermuda, April 4.—Manager Frank Chance, of the New York Americans, has chosen the men who, barring accidents, are said to be slated for the infield positions during the coming season. The men picked for the regular berths are: Chance, first base; Chase, second base; Derrick, shortstop; H. Hartzell, third base.

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Our new shipments include a full line of serges, both in a fine and rough finish; English and Scotch chevots, English worsteds, etc., in the two and three-button styles, and in the Norfolk style, which is becoming so very popular this season.

### Prices \$15, \$20, \$25, \$30, \$35

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Why are hats like horses? Because you want something more from them than a nice appearance. For a horse, you look up the name of the sire and dam. Choosing a hat is simpler, as you will find the name stamped on the hat itself. The principle is the same, for in each case you want something besides appearance, and the makers' name is the best guarantee of the wearing qualities.

### Stetson's Soft Hats

In several shapes of fedoras and telescopes in shades of fawn, brown, grey and fancy greens and in every proportion, \$4.00

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In several swanky effects, fur felt or brush effects; guaranteed in every particular. No wonder they are called "Smile Hats." Special at \$5.00

We are also exclusive agents for the "Fitwell" hard hats at \$3.00

Several other English and American makes of high-grade hats at prices: \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50



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And the negligee shirt you want is a W. G. and R. The patterns are distinctive in several effects; guaranteed fast colors, and our showing includes light Madras, zephyrs and silk mixtures; tailored to give a roomy fit, with the soft cuffs and detachable collars you need for perfect comfort.

PRICES FROM \$1.50 TO \$3.00

We have a special Saturday showing of nifty new neckwear, just the thing to go with these shirts. Prices, 50c, 75c and \$1.00

## Boys' and Children's Clothes

We have something that will please the smallest of little men in these boys' suits. Children from 2 to 7 years can get a nice stylish suit with the comfortable bloomer trousers, either in brown velvets, navy serge or corduroy. Prices, \$5.00, \$6.00 to \$7.50. The suits for boys up to 16 are cut from the same cloth as men's garments. Scotch tweeds, English worsteds and chevots—but the stitching is made to stand a little extra rough play. Prices, \$4.00 to \$18.00



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Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Los Angeles	2	1	.667
Portland	1	1	.500
Oakland	1	1	.500
San Francisco	1	1	.500
Sacramento	1	1	.500
Venice	1	2	.333

Yesterday's Results  
Los Angeles, Cal., April 4—  
Score—  
Venice 8, Los Angeles 4  
Batteries—Harkness, Hitt and Tompman; Rogers and Boles.

Exhibition Games  
At Chattanooga, Tenn.—Detroit Americans, 1; Chattanooga Southern League, 3 (ten innings).  
At Tulsa, Okla.—Pittsburg Nationals, 2; Sioux City Western, 4.  
At New Orleans—Cleveland Americans, 8; New Orleans Southern League, 6 (twelve innings).  
At Oklahoma City—Chicago Americans, 3; Omaha Western League, 4.

Our Slogan—Sell 200 Men's Suits Big Saturday. Prices will do it. The Commonwealth.

## OFFICIALS SELECTED.

Spokane, April 4.—Officials of the Coeur d'Alene Racing Association announced yesterday that Robert F. Leighton, of Vancouver, would again officiate as presiding judge at the approaching meeting. Phil Riley, another Vancouver official, will again be clerk of the scale, while Eddie Tribe, starter at the Vancouver meeting last year, will perform the same duties here, and will be assisted by his brother, Jack Dinus, who will padock judge and timer, while Alfred T. Dobson, the San Francisco newspaperman, will be associate judge.

## INDOOR TITLES.

New York, April 4.—Miss Marie Wagner, holder of the woman's indoor lawn tennis championship, defeated yesterday Mrs. C. M. Beard, former western champion, 6-2, 6-1, in the final round of the tournament. Miss Wagner thereby retains the title for another year. In the final round of doubles, Miss Wagner and Miss Clara Kuttroff defeated the Misses F. M. and Olive Fish, 10-5, 6-2.

## SIGNS WITH MOORE.

Barriean Will Meet Fighting Miner at Coal City.

Ernie Barriean, after asking the earth to meet Joe Bayley over the fifteen-round route, has signed articles to meet Tom Moore in a fifteen-round bout at Nanaimo this month. The boxers will weigh in at 135 pounds at 5 o'clock the day of the fight. Billy Hewitt, the popular Vancouver referee, is now in the east, and it is probable that Barney Goss will handle the bout.

## BIG ENTRY LIST.

Secretary Joe Morris, of the Vancouver Tournament Association, stated last night that the entries of thirty five-men teams had been received for the big bowling tournament next week and that twenty more were expected to-day. Over \$1,000 in entry fees has been deposited in the bank. He received a wire from Wenatchee, Wash., to the effect that that city was sending a team.

## BELLE STORM DEAD.

Dropping dead as she was on the way from the barn to the pasture, Belle Storm, 2.15%, a famous Coast winner some years ago, passed away at the Four-Mile House yesterday afternoon. The noted mare was nineteen years old, and had been spending her declining years amidst ease and comfort at the home of her owner, Mrs. M. Gouse.

## BRITISH FOOTBALL.

London, April 4.—Barnsley swamped Bradford in the Second Division postponed game to-day by the score of four to nil.

## Arcade Bowling Alleys

The manager of the alleys has arranged for two afternoons a week for ladies desiring to bowl. Tuesday and Thursday. Phone 4573.

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With the warmer weather we all realize that Spring is here in earnest. Naturally, your thoughts turn to togs.

When buying a suit or Topper, it is just as easy and far more satisfactory to buy one with that class and a swing and a go as it is to buy a mere suit. Get a suit that has character—that is correctly tailored—that fits.

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## SPORTING NEWS (CONTINUED)

### REMARKED ON THE SIDE

Bees' Regulars Will Be Seen in Action To-day.

Lynch will send his million-dollar infield into the fray at the Royal Athletic park this afternoon against the Ballard team and the Bees should win in easy style. The Yantigans have been having a merry time at the expense of the Vets, in the games that have been played to date, but as this is always the case during the training season, Lynch is not worrying any. He will send regular heavies onto the mound, and with Kaufman, Wilson, Smith and Kautlechner working right, the Ballard team will not stand much of a show. Next week will witness the real wedding out process, for Lynch will have to stack up against the fastest colored ball team in the country in the Chicago Glants. The Terrible Turk, in indications of the undesirables, will give preference to speed, and from present indications the Capital City should be able to boast of the fastest team in the league this summer.

Barrieau Evidently Wants Some Easy Money.

Chet McIntyre certainly had his nerve when he asked Joe Bayley to split the cats fifty and fifty for a bout with Barrieau at Steveston. McIntyre figures that Barrieau is the chief drawing card at Steveston and says that Bayley should be glad to get a chance for such a rate as the Barrieau-Bayley match would draw. McIntyre evidently forgets that Bayley is the title-holder and also that Barrieau has yet to make his mark in professional company. Barrieau has been beaten a couple of times, and his defeat at the hands of Charlie Rolly will not enhance his prospects of victory over Bayley. Word comes from Vancouver that Barrieau and Moore will fight at Nanaimo. Barrieau hopes to put Moore away and then demand a match with Bayley. All the demanding that Chet McIntyre will ever do will be for a lion's share of the purse.

Walking Races Wanted by This Ped.

Following are extracts from a letter received by the sporting editor from a local pedestrian, who wishes to arrange a walking race:

To the Editor:—Sportsmen seem to take a great interest in baseball and lacrosse in this country, but no interest in walking. In England walking matches are all the rage at athletic meetings. Walking tests a man's endurance as much as any other sport, and more interest should be taken in it. In Bradford, Yorkshire, they have a long distance walk every year, 4 1/2 miles, and thousands of spectators line the routes as the walkers go on their way. I believe Mr. Virtue and Mr. Leo Fullard would take this matter up and get a walking club together, as they have them in England, and tradesmen would give prizes to the winners. T. E. Hammond, of London, holds the record for this Bradford walk, and others, London to Brighton, etc.

Any sportsman or tradesman will put up a prize I am willing to show my abilities, and they can select any route they choose. I think Oak Bay park would suit me best, as the judges could see everything. I would walk 4 1/2 miles in 4 hours or get no prize. This walk in Bradford is open to all England, and I took two prizes and finished the distance both times. One year there was 52 entries, 15 finished, so you can tell what this walk is.

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### COVERT COAT WON

#### THE GRAND NATIONAL

#### STEEPLECHASE TO-DAY

Liverpool, April 4.—The Grand National Steeplechase handicap was won by Sir Cash-top-Smith's Covert Coat to-day. Irish Mail was second and Carsey third. Twenty-two horses ran. An American horse, J. R. Fell's Highbridge, fell early in the race while jumping a fence. Most of the field followed suit. Only three finished. The getting was 100 to 9 against Covert Coat; the same against Carsey; 25 to 1 against Irish Mail and 100 to 9 against Highbridge. The Grand National is a race for a purse of \$17,500 and a trophy valued at \$225. The distance is 4 miles and 856 yards.

### QUEBEC WON.

Calgary, April 4.—In a very uninteresting game of hockey played here the Quebec champions defeated Art Ross' all-stars by the score of 3 to 3.

### "WHITE HOPES" TO BATTLE.

New York, April 4.—Articles will probably be signed this week between Gunboat Smith and Luther McCarty for a ten-round bout in Madison Square Garden early in May.

### HOCKEY FUND.

A meeting of the committee in charge of the fund for the presentation of souvenirs to the hockey champions will meet to-morrow night at the Fitz-Rite parlors at 9 o'clock. Splendid progress is being made in the gathering of funds with which to purchase the trophies.

### WANDERERS FOOTBALL CLUB.

Enjoyable Dance Held Last Evening At Alexandra Club.

The Wanderers Football Club held another enjoyable dance last evening at the Alexandra Club, about 250 guests being present. Dancing, which commenced at 9 o'clock, continued until shortly after 2 a. m. when the strains of the National Anthem brought the function to a close. Heston's orchestra supplied an unusually good programme of dances, and the supper served during the evening was one of the many enjoyable features of the event. Mrs. Jenner providing the refreshments, and a very effective scheme of floral decorations in the club colors being carried out in the arrangements of the supper-tables.

### CHANGE IN TEAM.

London, April 4.—C. Wallace, of Aston Villa, England's outside right, will be unable to play in the international on Saturday against Scotland at Chelsea. J. Simpson, of Blackburn Rovers, has been selected to replace him.

### CURLERS HERE.

Messrs. W. Reilly and F. Williamson, noted Manitoba curlers, are staying at the King Edward hotel for a few days. Mr. Reilly skipped the Prairie rink which captured the Kelly-Douglas trophy at the recent Vancouver bonspiel.

### LESTER AND KAUFMANN.

San Francisco, Calif., April 4.—Jack Lester, the northern heavyweight, who was to have met Gusman Smith, will step into a ring on April 11, with Al Kaufmann for his opponent in a four-round bout.

### PARIS WAITER REFUSED TIP FROM PRESIDENT

Was at School With M. Poincare at Sampigny; Pushed Banknote Into Pocket

According to a Parisian exchange a pretty little incident occurred recently at the banquet given by the French bar to their illustrious colleague, President Poincare.

When dinner was over, M. Poincare called up the waiter who had watched over his comfort. Thank you, Jacques, he said, and shaking hands with him, slipped a banknote into his hand. I won't have it, said the waiter, and to the amusement and astonishment of those present there was a friendly struggle between the waiter and the president of the republic.

M. Poincare settled matters by pushing the note into the man's pocket and slapping him on the shoulder and rising from the table. Then, seeing inquiry on the faces round him, he explained: I was at school with Jacques at Sampigny.

The Matin announces that it has been decided to reconstitute, if only for an hour, the class of "rhetorique," corresponding to the upper fifth form in the English public school, to which President Poincare belonged at the time of Bar-le-Duc 37 years ago.

The two masters who took the class in 1876 are still alive and will preside over the proceedings, and among the old pupils who will again sit on the school benches will be M. Poincare himself.

It is not proposed to teach the

"boys" anything, but the roll will be called and a tablet will be unveiled on the wall of the room to commemorate the ceremony. The class will meet on April 12.

### AN ICEBERG'S SECRET.

The age of an iceberg is problematic. The berg that sank the Titanic may have been forming on the coast of Greenland when Columbus crossed the sea or even before that. Then again it may have been reared by the elements since Peary's first expedition to the pole, but probably it antedated steamships by many years.

In 1841 a great berg appeared off St. John's, N. F. Its pinnacle was fully a hundred feet above the sea, and its base formed a glittering island in the middle of which, imbedded between two hills of ice, were two ships side by side. The masts were gone, but otherwise the upperworks seemed to be intact. Scattered about the decks were various objects that might have been the frozen bodies of the crews. All were covered with snow.

Several old sailors approached the berg as near as they dared to and scanned the ships through powerful glasses, but could not see any name or anything to indicate their nationality or business on the sea. There were no signs of life aboard them, nothing but the motionless masses under their white coverings.

They were believed to be part of Sir John Franklin's expedition and were seen at the mouth of the harbor almost stationary for several days. Then one morning the berg was gone, and the ultimate fate of the derelicts it carried is still one of the mysteries of the sea.—Minnia Irving in New York Press.

### PUGILIST DROWNED.

Omaha, Neb., April 4.—Joe Espinall, a local pugilist, was drowned yesterday eight miles north of Omaha.

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We would like to sell one to you. We have a splendid showing from the world's best makers—Christy, Borsalino, Mossart, Hawes, Stetson.

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### FOR PURPOSE OF ELIMINATING ICEBERGS

Proposed Jetty Across the Grand Banks of Newfoundland

It is endorsed by the New York board of trade and transportation, and has been prepared by Mr. Calder, of Brooklyn.

It calls (says a London correspondent of the "Yorkshire Post") for a government commission to study the feasibility of constructing a huge jetty across the Grand Banks of Newfoundland. The originator of the scheme, a Brooklyn engineer, states that the idea is to obstruct the Labrador current by laying a steel cable across the Grand Banks (where the ocean bed is a level plateau, against which the current would deposit sand and form a ridge extending for two miles to the east of Cape Race).

He declares that this would be sufficient to shift the current so that the warm Gulf Stream and the cold Labrador current would commingle, and by melting the ice in the latter, icebergs would be eliminated, not only from the region of

A bill for the elimination of icebergs from the North Atlantic is shortly to be laid before the United States congress.

There are many things that we don't know, and it is just as well that we don't.

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### SLIGHT DECREASE IN SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Illness Affected City Schools; Total Attendance for Month Above 4,500

On account of illness and other causes the school population in the city showed a slight decrease during March. There were 6 less children in the public schools than in February. The break of a week for the Easter holidays was partially responsible for the falling off in the total average attendance. The figures, however, stands about 4,500, and the temporary structures now being provided will be greatly welcomed in the present overcrowded state of the schools. The attendance by schools was as follows:

March, Feb.	25	35
High	363	374
Boys C.	511	514
Girls C.	552	553
N. Ward	572	578
S. Park	313	314
Geo. Jay	447	456
Victoria W.	342	346
Moss St.	417	432
Kingston St.	279	285
Bank St.	201	199
Spring Ridge	115	133
Hillside	159	172
Rock Bay	82	93
Fernwood	124	128
Egward St.	69	68
	4,502	4,568

### ANNUAL MEETING IS TWO MONTHS' EARLIER

Board of Trade Will Hold Event Next Friday; Reason of Change.

The annual meeting of the Victoria Board of Trade will be held on Friday, April 12. This means that the date for the election of officers has been set ahead by about two months, it having been customary in the past to hold this meeting in the month of June.

Hon. W. R. Ross, minister of lands, will address the members at the meeting, and it is expected that he will deal with the policy of the government respecting the settlement of crown lands. An invitation has been extended to Hon. T. W. Paterson, lieutenant-governor, to occupy the chair for the evening. Inasmuch as the governor is himself a past president of the board, and has always manifested a lively interest in its activities, it is believed that his acceptance will be received to-morrow.

The annual report is now in the hands of the printers, and will be in the offices of the board within a few days, and it is expected that J. J. Shallock, the president, will forward a copy for the consideration of Hon. Mr. Ross, as it is likely that the latter will wish to deal with certain parts of the report in his address to the members.

"The reason for advancing the date of the meeting," said Mr. Shallock this morning, "is to ensure a larger attendance. It is felt that by holding it this month more business men will be able to be present."

Voltaire wrote: "Shun idleness: it is the rust that attaches itself to the most brilliant metals."

### ORGANIZATIONS ARE UNITED IN WORK

Publicity Organizations to Co-operate in Advertising City of Victoria

This afternoon at 4 o'clock the joint committee of the Progressive Club, the City Council, the Vancouver Island Development League and the Real Estate Exchange will meet in the board rooms of the latter organization for the purpose of discussing a plan of publicity work for the city.

It has been decided that these bodies will co-operate in the expenditure of the money voted by the different bodies for the purpose of advertising the city of Victoria. The details of the expenditure will be left in the hands of Ernest McGaffey, secretary of the Vancouver Island Development League. J. J. Shallock, Randolph Stuart, Ernest McGaffey, L. D. McLean, R. A. Hutchison, Alderman Gleason, Simon Leiser, B. D. White, Beaumont Boggs, and three others, two of whom are to be selected by the city council, are to be in charge of the general direction of the work.

An aggressive campaign is projected with a view to securing the maximum amount of publicity for Victoria, and the meeting this afternoon is for the purpose of entering into the details of the best means of expending the money provided for this work.

### CURES RHEUMATISM

Quickly Eases Stiff, Sore, Swollen Joints and Muscles—Drives Rheumatic Pains Away

It is needless to suffer any longer with rheumatism, and be all crippled up, and bent out of shape with its heart-wrenching pains, when you can easily avoid it.

Rheumatism comes from weak, inactive kidneys, that fail to filter from the blood, the poisonous waste matter and uric acid; and it is useless to rub on liniments or take ordinary remedies to relieve the pain. This only prolongs the misery and can't possibly cure you.

The only way to cure rheumatism is to remove the cause. The new discovery, Croxone, does this because it neutralizes and dissolves the poisonous substances and uric acid that lodge in the joints and muscles, to scratch and irritate and cause rheumatism and cleans out and strengthens the stopped-up, inactive kidneys, so they can filter the poison from the blood, and drive it on and out of the system.

Croxone is the most wonderful medicine ever made for curing chronic rheumatism, kidney troubles, and bladder disorders. You will find it different from all other remedies. There is nothing else on earth like it. It matters not how old you are, or how long you have suffered. It is practically impossible to take it into the human system without results. You will find relief from the first few doses, and you will be surprised how quickly all your misery and suffering will end.

An original package of Croxone costs but a trifle at any first class drug store. All druggists are authorized to sell it on a positive money-back guarantee. Three doses a day for a few days is often all that is ever needed to cure the worst back-ache or overcome urinary disorders.

### UPWARD MOVEMENT IN BUILDING ACTIVITY

Elliott Block Will Be Started Shortly; Garage Permit Awaits Approval

The building permit for the Elliott block will be issued to-morrow. This handsome building on Government street, near Cormorant street, will be constructed for R. T. Elliott, K. C. It will cost in the neighborhood of \$175,000, and will therefore be the largest single permit, next to the opera house, issued in the present year.

Other permits pending include the reinforced concrete garage for Moore & Pauling, which under the new by-law governing these structures must be approved directly by the city council. This is the first application since the new by-law came into force.

New permits issued include additions to the residence of A. C. Burdick, Rupert street, costing \$2,000; a new residence for David Scott, at 1224 Finlayson street; seven-room residence for E. J. Reif, on Ruby street, costing \$3,000; seven-room house at 127 Moss street, costing \$3,000, for C. W. Hawkins; double dwelling on Fairfield road, six rooms each, costing \$5,000, for John Avery; and for stable, garage, and living quarters at 852 Pembroke street, for J. H. Oldfield. The St. James hotel is also installing a cafe in the building, the alterations costing \$4,000. Breeseman & Durfee being the architects.

The building permit was issued yesterday for the apartment house which G. C. Mesher & Company are building for Dr. A. Pallant, at the corner of Cook street and Leonard street, at a cost of \$50,000. It will consist of three stories and a basement.

### HAD NOT TWO BOTTLES MEN WERE DISCHARGED

Max Skelton and Alex. Christie Acquitted of Charge by Magistrate

Max S. Skelton, steward of the Golf Club, and Alex. F. Christie, a young man without occupation who has been living here with his family for four months, were acquitted by Magistrate Jay this morning of the charge of breaking and entering the Stucle saloon in Bastion Square, between 6 and 7 o'clock last evening. The two men, slightly the worse for liquor, were found in the saloon when the bartender returned from dinner at 7:15. Skelton was behind the bar and Christie before it. The door had been forced, as the catch for the bolt was broken from the door jamb.

The men said that they had opened the door without trouble and had been surprised to find the saloon empty at that hour of the day. Being rather jolly from the liquor he had drunk Skelton had gone behind the bar and was playing bartender, but nothing had been touched, they claimed. They were not in possession of two bottles that were said to be missing, so the Magistrate came to the conclusion that there was a probability of somebody else having been there before them and gave them the benefit of the doubt.

People will encourage your bad as long as you are willing to squander your money on them.

## Friday and Saturday Mean Big Opportunities at Gordons

The details below give some idea of what we are doing to deserve your patronage this week-end. These offers are generous enough to insure a quick clearance, so that an early visit is advisable.

### 50c Fabric Gloves For 25c

Two-button length in tan, grey, navy, black and white. Broken sizes, but yours is probably here. Reg. 50c gloves, now 25c. Elbow length fabric gloves in tan, grey, navy, black and white; broken sizes. Values to 1.00, now .50c. Long kid gloves, in black or white only; odd sizes, 16 and 20-button. \$2.50 to \$3.50. Values. Special . . . . . \$1.50

### 15c Handkerchiefs Now Three for 25c

Dainty fine lawn handkerchiefs, scalloped edges, and prettily embroidered. Regular value, 15c each; to-morrow, three for 25c. In this same department we are making a wonderful display of everything new in spring neckwear at quick selling prices. Ask to see the new patent Norfolk waist-belt.

### Messaline Silk Underskirts, \$7.50 Values For \$3.90

Wonderful value in really stylish, well-made satin underskirts, soft messaline with plaited flounce, covered deep fringe, in navy, black and cadet. Another style with double plaited flounce, in navy, black, green and taupe. In taffeta there are some smart styles with deep plaited and tucked flouncings in delicate evening shades of pink, blue and cream. All these styles in correct width for present fashions, and regular values up to \$7.50, for only . . . \$3.90

### Several Big Offers in Women's and Misses' Skirts

Light mixed tweed skirts for misses and girls. Panama cloths and serges in black, navy and brown for ladies. Various styles, some with panel fronts or in high waisted effect. Regular values up to \$7.50; now . . . . . \$3.50. Black voile skirts for ladies; soutache, satin or velvet trimming. Many smart styles. Regular values up to \$13.50; now . . . \$5.00

### Choose Your Suit Now

At any price you like to pay, we are confident that you can find here just what you want in a stylish, reliable suit which will give you every satisfaction.

We have quite a number of sample suits which were specially designed for us, and they embody everything new and smart in this season's styles, and many of them are \$35.00 and \$40.00 models. We have put them all together and re-marked them at this ridiculously low figure. In grey, brown and mixed tweeds, brown with white stripe, and black with white check, light tan, grey and brown in all shades and navy. The new 26-in. coats, and various styles in skirts. From 16 in misses' sizes, to 42 in ladies' sizes. Priced for to-morrow only, at

\$19.75

### Many Attractive Offers in the Waist Section

Our extensive display of waists is constantly being increased, and those just opened up are well up to our standard of exceptional value. In fine white lawn, with dainty lace insertion, long sleeves and high neck . . . . . \$2.50. Other pretty styles with high neck and three-quarter sleeves, nicely embroidered and trimmed Irish crochet. Priced from \$6.00 to . . . \$4.00. Many charming models in fine white lawn in a host of pretty styles, at \$1.50, \$1.35 and . . . . . \$1.25. Ask to see the French hand-embroidered waists at \$15.00, \$17.50 and \$22.50, and the real Irish crochet waists at \$45.00 and . . . \$47.50



### The Millinery Question

You simply must have your new hat for this week-end. New models have been arriving all along, so that you are assured of a wide range of the very latest creations. The modest prices will surprise you.



Values up to \$4.50 in Silk Hose for \$1.90

There surely never was quite such an offer as this. Every pair is to go before Saturday night, hence this really ridiculous price. A heavy quality of pure silk in shades of sky, pink, mauve, helio, tan, Nile, reseda, yellow, black and white. Mostly plain with embroidered cloaks, some in beautiful lace work. Values up to \$4.50. Any pair for . . . \$1.90

### Low Prices on High Quality Kitchenware

Granite ware, tin ware, wire goods, baskets, fine china, glassware, toilet requisites and art pottery are only some of the specially priced attractions in the big basement and to-morrow we call your attention to some useful kitchen crockery:

FIREPROOF STEWPOTS, covered, each . . . 35c	PORCELAIN TEAPOTS and HOT WATER JUGS, nicely decorated, from . . . . . 65c
FIREPROOF OVAL BAKERS, each . . . 12c	WHITE AND GOLD TEACUPS and SAUCERS, per dozen . . . . . \$1.50
FIREPROOF SQUARE BAKERS, each . . . 10c	TEA PLATES, to match . . . . . 75c
FIREPROOF 16-IN. PIE DISHES, each . . . 10c	PORRIDGE OR SOUP TUREENS in white stoneware, each . . . . . 75c
STRONG KITCHEN JUGS, 25c, 20c and . . . 15c	
GREEN GLAZED TEAPOTS, 50c and . . . 30c	

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### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

(All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender.)

Victoria Carnival Week, August 4th to 9th, 1913.

Henry Reifel, of Vancouver, is staying at the Westholme hotel.

T. Wright, of Seattle, is among those registered at the Westholme hotel.

George M. Gordon, Jr., of Vancouver, is a guest at the Westholme hotel.

R. and Mrs. Hetrick, of Seattle, are staying at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. King is spending a few days at the James Bay hotel.

Miss Colthurst is staying at the James Bay hotel for a few days.

S. J. Stevenson and Mrs. Stevenson are guests at the Westholme hotel from Vancouver.

H. Groves arrived in the capital yesterday from Seattle and registered at the Westholme hotel.

H. D. S. Cheyenne, of Vancouver, is registered at the Empress hotel. He is in the city on business.

George L. Busch came from San Francisco yesterday and registered at the Westholme hotel.

J. B. Monette, of Alberni, is in the city on business, and is a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

W. R. Bates and Mrs. Bates, of Kamloops, are staying at the Westholme hotel while in the capital for a short visit.

H. C. Simpson and Mrs. Simpson, of Virren, Manitoba, are staying at the Empress hotel for a few days.

T. J. Hartman, who for fourteen years was postmaster at Dawson, Y.T., is at the Strathcona hotel. He intends to make his future home here. On his departure from the northland the residents of Dawson presented him with a sack of gold dust. He is not a stranger to Victoria, having come here 48 years ago.

A. J. Egan, of Toronto, is at the Dominion hotel.

M. J. Philon, of Seattle, is a guest at the Ritz hotel.

Vincent Milner is a guest at the Ritz hotel from Seattle.

P. Duffee, of Vancouver, is registered at the Ritz hotel.

M. A. Miles, of Vancouver, is staying at the Ritz hotel.

L. C. Muldoon is a guest at the Ritz hotel from Chicago, Ill.

Miss C. Harvey, of Vancouver, is staying at the Ritz hotel.

E. A. Stoppel is a guest at the Ritz hotel from Rochester, Minn.

R. F. Blandy, of Port Alberni, is a guest at the Dominion hotel.

H. R. King and Mrs. King, of Vancouver, are at the Ritz hotel.

J. M. Kellie, of Revelstoke, registered at the Dominion hotel yesterday.

W. M. Meyers registered at the Dominion hotel yesterday from Nelson.

Robert L. Wilson is here from New York city. He is staying at the Ritz hotel.

Vancouver visitors in the city include J. Leach, who is a guest at the Ritz hotel.

F. C. Perkins, of Seattle, is in the city on business, and is staying at the Dominion hotel.

A. W. Johnson, of Tacoma, registered at the Dominion hotel yesterday for himself and Mrs. Johnson.

F. L. King came to the capital yesterday from Seattle. He is a guest at the Ritz hotel during his visit.

Mrs. George L. Raymond has returned to the Empress hotel after spending a few weeks with friends up the island.

Harry Wright, M. P. P., for Nelson, arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday evening. Mrs. Wright accompanies him.

C. H. Nicholson, manager of constabularies for the Grand Trunk Pacific, is in the city and is staying at the Empress hotel.

Domnie Burns, of P. Burns & Company, returned to the mainland last night after spending yesterday in the city.

Prarie visitors in the city include C. S. Ridge, who came yesterday for a short stay. He is a guest at the Ritz hotel.

Dr. T. Glendon Moody, of Vancouver, arrived at the Empress hotel last evening. He is a frequent visitor from the mainland.

H. Hume, a Vancouver financial man, who has been staying at the Strathcona hotel for the past few days, left last night for Vancouver.

Among the arrivals at the Dominion hotel this morning from Vancouver were A. V. Porter, G. D. McKay, J. T. Underhill and James J. Loughheed.

Charles L. Betterton, who has large land interests in the upper country, has returned to the city, and is staying at the Empress hotel. He was recently very ill in Seattle.

C. Thulin and Mrs. Thulin, of Campbell River, are staying at the Empress hotel. Mr. Thulin is one of the best known men in the northern section of the island.

A. B. Erskine, of Vancouver, a former president of the Vancouver Board of Trade, is staying at the Empress hotel. He is accompanied by Mrs. Erskine.

William Stewart, the well-known inspector for the Federal Life Assurance Company, has returned from a trip through the Okanagan Valley, and is staying at the Dominion hotel for a week.

A quiet wedding took place on Thursday afternoon at St. Saviour's church, Victoria West, when Ada Gladys, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Rutter, of Lamson street, became the bride of Frederick Corson Holden, Rev. Mr. Connell performing the ceremony. The bride was given away by her father, and Mr. Ernest J. Down acted as best man. Mr. and Mrs. Holden left by the 4:30 boat for Seattle, where they will spend their honeymoon.

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### THE EVENING CHIT-CHAT

By RUTH CAMERON

The older I grow, the more deeply I realize that no experience of life is without its value.

Even sickness and pain, needless mistakes and cruel disappointments, torturing anxiety and the bitterest losses, leave us richer in some ways than they find us.

For every human experience through which we pass gives us thousands upon thousands of brothers and sisters of the soul.

The woman who loses a child, by that loss finds a million sisters in the other Rachels who are weeping for their children and will not be comforted.

Of course the realization of our new brotherhood does not come at once. When we are experiencing suffering of any kind most of us are passionate individualists who cannot think of any hurt but our own.

It is only after the pain has passed, it is only when we have come to see our trouble in retrospect instead of being engulfed by it, that we are able to realize that our experience has brought us closer to some of our fellow men.

Of course there are some people who do not realize this even then, but I hope they are not very many. For I think they are the saddest failures in all the world. They prick their hearts on the thorns of life and will not pluck its roses. And the wisest and most blessed folk in all the world are those who can find in every experience a golden key to sympathy and understanding.

A young girl who undoubtedly belongs to this latter class was telling me the other day of the suffering she endured while waiting for a most important letter which was unaccountably tardy.

Did you ever wait for a letter? If you have you know that there are few more miserable experiences than the stinging suspense of such waiting. Well has the proverb maker said, "Hope deferred maketh the heart sick."

I do not mean to be irrelevant, but it certainly seems as if he must have been waiting for a letter that did not come. It is like fighting ghosts. You are wild for action, but there is nothing that can be done, and so you must only stand and wait. At first you look forward eagerly to the postman's visit, but by and by almost dread them, because you fear the miserable disappointment that you will probably receive.

This is the crucible through which my friend passed. And this is what she said about it. "I wouldn't live through that week again for a thousand dollars; but I've learned one thing, and that is to sympathize with people who have anything like that to bear. Do you know, last summer I actually used to laugh at one of my girl friends when she was anxious because her fiancé did not write? It makes me shudder to think I could have been so cruel. I'll know better the rest of my life."

Thus out of the cruel crucible this girl brought with her a golden key. Have you done likewise?

*Ruth Cameron*

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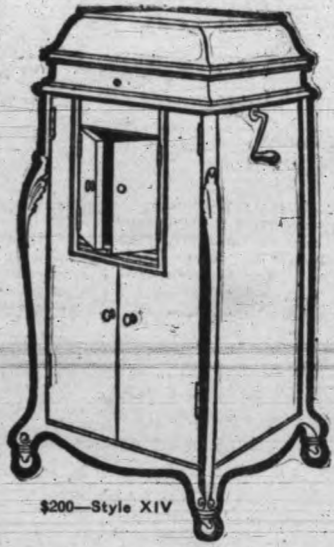
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ANNUAL MEETING ALSO

Addresses on Naval Policy Last  
Evening by H. H. Shandley  
and W. W. Baer

At a meeting of the Victoria Liberal Association held last evening it was resolved to call a convention shortly to choose a candidate for the Federal House and place him before the electors.

The executives of the ward associations will meet at an early date, and discuss the prospective candidate, and decide on a recommendation to the convention. The gathering will be held on or before April 25.

It was also suggested at the meeting that the association should have in view four candidates for the local house, to be ready for the time when an appeal is made to the electors.

As the constitution requires the Liberal Association to hold an annual meeting in the month of April, the gathering for the selection of the officers in the coming year, will probably be held at the same time as the convention.

### A Bubble Policy.

H. H. Shandley spoke briefly on the naval policy of the Borden government. He pointed out that it was taxation without representation once more. If the ships, instead of being built in the Old Country, were to be built in Canada there would be the circulation of \$25,000,000 among the people of this country. Sir Wilfrid Laurier's policy was a better policy, one which would produce men capable of manning a fleet and of fighting when the time came. It was folly to pretend that England was a bankrupt country without means of protecting herself. It would be noticed that one by one these bubbles of an emergency had been pricked, until there was really nothing before the House at Ottawa but political emergency.

### Corollary to Empire Growth.

Walter W. Baer examined into the naval question at some length, asking his audience to examine it as a cold-blooded business, national and patriotic proposition, and to deal with it analytically to see what were the lines which divided the two great parties in Canada at the present time. He pointed out that the naval act of 1910 was the calm, deliberate judgment of the representatives of the people of Canada as to their obligation to naval defence, and the natural corollary of the arrangements reached at the Imperial Conference of 1907.

The situation had arisen as the natural evolution of Empire, and in examining into the history of the negotiations, they would be placed in possession of the facts as to how these matters came about; and thus be in a position to meet the spacious arguments and sophistries of those who would mislead the people of this country. The five nations of the Empire were each to take their part in the naval defence of the respective coast lines and trade routes, and the bargain struck at that conference was that each Dominion should construct navies and establish naval bases in their countries.

### A Change of Front.

Australia had started heartily into developing that policy, and while there was some uncertainty what the Liberal policy would be during 1909, the leaders of the Conservative opposition, thinking a principle of contribution might be adopted, trained their heavy artillery against any policy of this kind. It was at this time Canada had had the significant announcement of Premier Borden, Hon. G. E. Foster and Sir Charles Tupper against the system of tribute. Only last summer Hon. J. D. Hazen had spoken in the same strain in London. When the Conservatives returned to office much was made of the emergency issue. Events which occurred in Europe led the word "emergency" to be abandoned for "need." Then came the vote of five millions of pounds for armaments, and thirty millions for reduction of the national debt—a clear proof of how the British government regarded its obligation to deal with the surplus revenue—so the new expression became the payment of a debt of gratitude. What was \$25,000,000 to meet the debt of this character to the mother country? Now, Mr. Churchill indicated that Canada's three ships would certainly be needed in 1916, but that if the vessels were not forthcoming the British public would make up the difference somehow. These vessels were to be stationed at a base twenty-three days' steaming from Esquimaux, and form part of a squadron to cruise round the world. Now on April 1 there appeared in the Colonist a letter from a correspondent in which, inter alia, he said that the gift would be the best advertisement Canada ever had! From an emergency they had got down to an advertisement. What a descent it was from the heroics of an "emergency!"

### Back to Melting Pot.

While to-day Australia was in grateful hysterics about the arrival of her first cruiser, the Conservative party of Canada had, through back-examination, and had not got beyond the routine of discussion. When they got back to the foot of it all they found themselves back at the position of a few years ago—it was the Admiralty wanting more ships, troubling not whence

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Majestic Theatre.

"A Youthful Knight," (Edison), a beautiful story of the ingenious method a mother used in curbing the rowdy spirit of her son and of the effect upon the little girl whom he had singled out to receive his knightly homage; "A Little Child Shall Lead Them," tale of the young mother and ever busied father, a pretty child, light of their home, keeps the parents from

a separation; "Honor Thy Mother," a Melies' drama; "Army Target Practice," and "Warwick Chronicle," two interesting topical films. "Will Willie Win?" is a comedy subject. This set of films will be shown to-day and Saturday.

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Further Evidence is Heard in Public Market Inquiry

### ONE WEEKLY MARKET IS HELD SUFFICIENT

Metchosin Witness Says Outside Interests Are Pessimistic

Although little public interest was taken in the resumed inquiry, a certain amount of evidence was taken yesterday at the session of the committee investigating the question of a public produce market. The advantages both to the producer and consumer were advanced by the witnesses from the surrounding districts, and Mrs. Spofford and Mrs. Gordon spoke for the ladies of the Local Council of Women. The ladies stated that the day would come when the women of Victoria would not be ashamed to take a basket on their arm, and go down to the market. The chairman, Alderman Cuthbert, before the adjournment stated that all information possible should be obtained. He mentioned that the committee contemplated improvements to the present building, subject to the sanction of the council. When all the information is available a further session of the committee will

be held. The Seattle market will meanwhile be visited.

Support From Peninsula.

A letter from the South Saanich Farmers' Institute approving of the project for a public market was first read, and two representatives attended in support.

Mrs. Spofford stated that the Local Council of Women were strongly in favor of a public market, and said a large number of women found it difficult to give their families nourishing food with the high prices of living. Times had changed since the city market failed before, and she believed the housekeepers of Victoria of all classes would be glad to have the privileges of a public market. They needed competition to bring down prices to a reasonable level.

Too Large a Margin.

George Stewart observed that there were two sides to every question. In the peninsula better means were needed for distributing the produce raised. Grower and consumer should be brought together, and there should be less difference between the return to the producer and the price to the consumer. He was sure with an inducement to market produce, the producer would support it. He was also convinced that the general trend of markets throughout the world was to induce production. Truck farming was growing throughout the peninsula. One thing which was better now than when the last market was in existence was the reduction of the number of Chinese pedlars in the city. When the market was created the location was practically in Chinatown, where some people did not care to go.

In answer to Alderman Cuthbert witness undertook to push the matter with the Farmers' Institutes, by a conference with the Institute officials, so that a concrete scheme could be submitted from the Institutes, as to the amount of produce available.

Witness asked if there would be sufficient accommodation for vendors. The chairman thought it would be possible to do something along this line this

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Imported versus Local Article.  
The witness said it was a difficult time of year for growers to get together, but he would do his best to get a meeting. He stated that at present there were not sufficient facilities for marketing produce, which lay in town until it was sold. Wholesale fruiters preferred to sell imported produce rather than material disposed of on the commission basis.

Alderman Cuthbert: "Would there be enough produce to maintain a market?"

The witness said he would guarantee sufficient material. He was assured by other institutes that plenty of material was available.

"There is no overplus of butter?" said the chairman.  
Witness: "No, nor other produce."  
Witness pointed out that there were very few large farms left in the Peninsula, and the truck farmers wanted an outlet.

The chairman said they would also, as a committee, like some information with regard to stall accommodation, both as concerns districts, and individual stalls.

Metchosin Needs.

Whitney Griffiths, speaking on behalf of Metchosin residents, said that he came to Vancouver Island with the purpose of fruit farming and poultry raising. His district could grow as good material as any in the southern end of the Island. However, they were handicapped by the cost of transportation. If there was a market, the small man could sell there. Without it, he was forced to sell at a low price to retailers and wholesalers, so low that it cut out all profit. All the grocers wanted fancy articles, and would not take good wholesome stuff which was equally good, but not of a fancy variety. This would sell in an open market. The grocer had so many expenses to meet that he was bound to charge an enormous difference above what he paid the producer. The grocers protected themselves while no one thought of the unhappy farmers.

For his part he believed that the general opinion of his district was that the city was not sincere in establishing a market, and influential grocers had suggested it would injure them, by lowering rents, and affecting them prejudicially.

One Day Enough.  
He believed that one market day a week was sufficient, and no peddling should be allowed till after a certain hour of the day. Peddling in the residential districts must be checked, particularly by the Chinese hawkers, and so force recourse to a city market.

Alderman Porter assured the witness of the sincerity of the committee in desiring a market.

Mr. Griffiths declared that of all classes the city residents would benefit at once from the introduction of a market. He regretted there was so much pessimism about the market, but Victorians did not recognize the advantage a market would be to the community in advertising the resources of the district.

Used For Feed.

H. E. Tanner believed that the farmers would not have to ground the retailers begging, then to buy potatoes if they had a market. Good potatoes were used for pig feed, while people went without. A similar state of things obtained with regard to apples. Apples could be bought by storekeepers at just over \$1 a box, and were sold in the stores at \$2.50. He suggested a co-operative market for the fruit growers, in charge of a man who would sell it to the public.

Joseph H. List considered that there would be an opportunity for a stock market on a limited scale if there were the facilities.

Mrs. Gordon wanted to know why the wholesalers and retailers stood between the consumers and the producers. There ought also to be some arrangements for delivery.

### WANT BIGGER SCHOOL

Esquimalt Ratepayers' Association Support By-law for Addition to Lampion Street Building.

At the last meeting of the Esquimalt Ratepayers' Association it was unanimously agreed that the association use every endeavor in supporting the school by-law which is to be voted upon to-morrow.

The candidature of Mr. Wolfenden, who was elected on Wednesday to the council, was also unanimously endorsed.

### FRENCH RACERS ENTER

Goux and Zucarelli to Drive in International Sweepstake.

Definite word has been received at Indianapolis, Ind., from Paris that Jules Goux and Zucarelli, drivers, will be entered in the third annual 500-mile international sweepstake race at the Indianapolis motor speedway, May 30. This rumor has been current for some time, and its official confirmation adds unusual interest to the coming contest, it now being an assured fact that the 500-mile race will be truly international in character, and will prove to be the greatest automobile race ever staged on an American track, if not in the world.

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3 prs. in box \$2.00  
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Guaranteed six months.

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A large shipment of new goods is just about due and we must have room for it. On Saturday we are offering special inducements to you to help us clear it by reductions in prices that should make this store a hummer for business. Be one of the crowd to take advantage of the chance to save a bit, but come early to avoid the crush.

### Men's Soft Felt Hats



Leading American and European blocks including Imperials, Mossant, von Argol, Priest & Co., von Gal, etc.—all brands that you know and like. A general clean-up in a few broken lines. Regular prices \$3, \$3.50, \$4 and \$4.50.

SATURDAY'S BIG SPECIAL \$2.25 EACH

### Fancy Cashmere and Black Hose

In a variety of neat embroidered designs. A snap and certain to go soon. Regular values 50c to 75c.

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### Silk Ties



In different styles and finishes. Description is impossible with so many patterns, all good. These are our regular 50c and 75 values.

SATURDAY'S SPECIAL 3 FOR \$1.00

### Hard Hats

A few broken lines that we must clear to make room for the new stock. Regular \$3 and \$3.50.

SATURDAY'S SPECIAL, \$2.25 EACH

### New Spring Shirts

An over-purchase of 20 dozen NEW SPRING SHIRTS, nicely finished and laundered, in a variety of pretty patterns, that we must dispose of to make room for new shipments. Regular \$1.25 and \$1.50.

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### Flannel Shirts

An over-purchase of FLANNEL SHIRTS with creamline finish, soft double cuffs and soft detachable collar, in light cream material, with or without striped effects and fancy figures. Regular \$3.50.

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### Sweaters For Men and Women

With neat close roll collars, in different weights and weaves and colors. A very large showing in whites, greys, browns, reds and greens.

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### Stylish Cloth Caps to Suit Everyone



We have unquestionably about the best stock of Caps in the city. That is our reputation and we intend to maintain it. Our Caps are made of the right materials and the styles are always the newest and most up-to-date. We want you to see these on Saturday.

PRICES 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50

Authorized dealers for ROYAL TAILORED CLOTHES to order.

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Hatters and Furnishers "To Men Who Care"

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### CONGREGATIONALISTS TO OPEN NEW CHURCH

Rev. Mr. Hindley, Commissioner-Mayor of Spokane, Will Preach on Sunday

Although the main auditorium of the new First Congregational church will not be ready for use for some time yet, the lecture hall and social service rooms will be dedicated on Sunday next, when Rev. W. J. Hindley, of Spokane, will deliver the consecration address.



REV. W. J. HINDLEY Mayor of Spokane.

### SOLICITOR TO AID ATTORNEY-GENERAL

Mr. Pineo is Appointed; Government Representatives on Hospital Boards

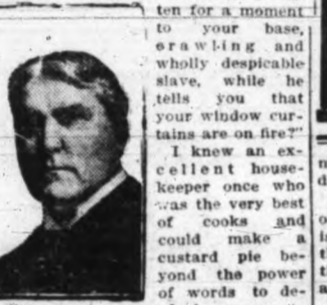
The current issue of the British Columbia Gazette contains information of the appointment of Avar V. Pineo, barrister-at-law, to be solicitor in the department of the attorney-general from April 1. Arthur Henry Ortesbach, police magistrate for North Cowichan, is given jurisdiction under the Small Debts Court Act.

Among the appointments of government representatives on the governing boards of hospitals on the island are: Comox and Union District hospital, Cumberland, Thomas Bennett and Hugh Sloan; Duncan Emergency hospital, T. A. Wood and Dr. Stephens; Chemainus General hospital, Oscar Monk and P. A. Jones.

### IDEAS OF A PLAIN MAN

By DR. FRANK CRANE.

When a Japanese wishes to be real polite he expresses himself somewhat on this wise:



"Will your honorable bright-shining illustriousness condescend to listen for a moment to your base, crawling and wholly despicable slave, while he tells you that your window curtains are on fire?"

# To-Morrow, Saturday, at 10 a.m.

BIG BANKRUPT SALE OPENS SATURDAY AT 10 A.M.

**The Bargain Flood Gates**  
will be thrown wide open on the Greatest Bankrupt Sale ever held in Victoria. The entire M. Weinrob bankrupt stock consisting of Fine Clothing, Furnishings, Hats and Shoes, will be sold at Prices that will Startle the whole community. Come with the crowds to-morrow. It's a timely and wonderful money-saving opportunity if you act at once.

BIG BANKRUPT SALE OPENS SATURDAY AT 10 A.M.

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and for a short time was pastor of the First church, Vancouver. A strong speaker, it was not long before he received a call to the pastorate of Pilgrim Congregational church, Spokane, of which pulpit he was incumbent for eight years. During that time he commended himself so thoroughly to the citizens of Spokane as a leader of men and a practical idealist, that he was asked to run as mayor under the new commission form of municipal government which has recently been started in that city.

The following is a list of the services which Mayor Hindley will conduct on Sunday: Sunday morning, "Imperialism of Christianity"; Sunday afternoon, before the Sunday school assemblies, "Making Life Worth While"; and Sunday evening, "The Church and the Western Spirit." At 4 o'clock on Sunday afternoon Mr. Hindley will speak at the Y. W. C. A. Rev. Dr. John Reid will offer the dedicatory prayer at the Sunday morning service, and Dr. John Campbell will read the Scripture lesson.

Why Not To-morrow, Big Saturday. We expect to sell 200 Suits. Another big slash in prices tells the how. The Commonwealth.

my dear Alphonse. After you, my dear Gaston?"

### ENVY

By GEORGE MATHEY ADAMS

Christianity combines strangely two opposite notions of man: one that he is utterly corrupt, and there is none that doeth good, no, not one; the other that he is a son of God and an "only angel."

The magistrate was examining a witness in court. "Why didn't you go to the help of the defendant in the fight?" inquired the judge. "I didn't know which one was going to be the defendant, your honor," replied the witness.

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Envy is to stagnate your own growth. The Envy that you have for the Winning of somebody else takes away in just that measure Winning on your own part. Envy is Self-robbery. Be too Big to bother with Envy. Call to your own mind the Big Achievers. Are they Envious people? No—they are too Busy to Envy. If they took the time to Envy they could not have used their best abilities to Achieve.

Be too Big to bother with Envy. You would never Envy if you would but realize the Accumulated Power that comes by Profiting from the Success of other people. Be glad of the Big Luck of somebody else. Be wise enough to let its Inspiration lift you up. Individual Success is not stationary. It has no limitations. Congratulate your friend to-day and he may be put in the position to congratulate you to-morrow and be happy in the chance.

tion for some time and an appropriation of \$1,500,000 was at first made. This has now been increased to \$2,500,000.

### ADDITIONS APPROVED FOR HOTEL VANCOUVER

Montreal, Que., April 4.—It was announced to-day that Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the C. P. R., had approved the original plans prepared by Swales and Painter, architects, of Montreal, for the improvement and alterations to be carried out in connection with the Hotel Vancouver.

### SCHOOL TEACHERS AT NELSON ON STRIKE

Nelson, April 4.—Eight of the sixteen teachers of the Nelson public schools went on strike this morning. The secretary of the board received letters from the eight stating their intention, this being the first intimation of the proposed strike.

# Here's the Weather and Here's the Shoes

The weather clerk will be on good behavior from now on, and you may safely buy your Spring Shoes at Watson's to-morrow. A notable advantage in buying now is that the sizes and fitting being unbroken, you can positively be fitted in any style or shape you fancy. We are exclusive agents for the famous "Empress" shoes for ladies, and recommend the \$4.00 and \$5.00 grades in the queenly shoe. We are special agents for Geo. A. Slater's "Invictus" footwear for ladies and gentlemen, and carry thousands of dollars' worth right in stock here.

## SEE WATSON ABOUT THOSE SHOES TO-MORROW

<p><b>Our "Leader" Shoe</b></p>  <p>A young man's shoe stocked in tan calf or gunmetal calf. Makes a first class city boot. Stub toe, full foxed, finely finished. The business boot for you. Special, per pair ..... \$4.50</p>	<p><b>Street Pumps</b></p>  <p>In tan calf, gunmetal calf and patent, American make. Stub toes, short fronts. Everybody's wearing them. Per pair ..... \$4.00</p>	<p>The Shoe With the Comfort Inside</p> <p><b>"Empress"</b></p>  <p>Cushion SOLE TREADEASY</p> <p>Let your own feet tell the story. Will make pleasant hearing. Per pair ..... \$5.00</p>	<p><b>SURVEYORS</b></p>  <p><b>SURVEYORS</b></p>	<p><b>Gun Metal Buttons</b></p>  <p>This dainty little favorite, the Climon shoe, with extreme stub toe and military heel. The newest thing for the ladies. Per pair.... \$4.00</p>	<p><b>Our Prices</b></p>  <p>Make competitors set up, but we have the assurance that our low prices are appreciated by an ever-increasing proportion of the shoe buyers of the city.</p>	<p><b>"Watsonia" Wins</b></p>  <p>Put out Watsonia shoes up against any other American shoe and study the points of superiority possessed by the "Watsonia." Notice the clean cut finish which is only obtained when the whole leather is used. Big assortment in the newest shades, tan and blacks, \$6.00 and ..... \$6.50</p>
<p><b>New Button Boots</b></p>  <p>Most popular things on feet yet. Here's a new one in the stub toe. Priced very reasonable. To-morrow, per pair \$4.50</p>	<p><b>Some New Arrivals</b></p>  <p>With newer shapes and better fittings. See the whole line. A revelation of completeness and stylishness.</p>	<p>We handle "Jefferson", Weyemberg Hart's, Johnston's, Leckie's and Dayfoot's</p> <p><b>'Classic' Shoes</b></p>  <p>Fit Children's Feet \$1.25 Per Pair, up</p>	<p><b>Button Low Shoes</b></p>  <p>Three or five button patterns, in tan or black calf. The tidiest, smartest shoes ever presented to the shoe wearers of Victoria. American makes. Per pair ..... \$4.00</p>	<p><b>Low Shoes</b></p>  <p>Mean cool ankles and easy walking. Our Oxfords are all fitted with non-slip heel pads and are made in foot-form shapes, thus ensuring entire comfort. Try a pair this spring at, per pair ..... \$3.50</p>		

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Very nobby suits. New 1913 styles and patterns; Hobberlin make. Former price up to \$30.00.

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This lot comprises suits of every description; neat, stylish patterns, but broken lines. Blue serges included. Former price to \$27.50.

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We are getting ready to expand. Our gigantic stock forces us to sacrifice in order to give carpenters room. Is it not better that we give you the benefit of our loss rather than allow our stock to become damaged by dust and dirt?

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## Nearing the End

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### CLERKS TESTIFY TO MR. DOWLER'S DUTIES

#### Work Did Not Suffer in City Clerk's Absence, Say Members of His Staff

With its aimless reiteration of inconsequential details, the investigation of the charges of dilatoriness brought by Mayor Morley against City Clerk Dowler irresistibly suggested the famous trial scene from Pickwick Papers, when the council took up the thread of the discussion last night. The mayor appeared to have "labored exceedingly," but it seemed that he had brought forth a mouse. The net result of last night's evidence was a demonstration that while the city clerk may have been dilatory in arriving at his office, the office force has been kept up to the scratch.

The mayor protested strongly, when he first laid his charges against Mr. Dowler, that he wished to adduce, all his evidence in the usual legal manner, and that he wished to be fair towards the clerk, so he caused to be placed upon each alderman's desk a list of the work performed by every man in the city clerk's office. This list purported to show in minute detail the work done in the office of Mr. Dowler, and on the margin of each item the mayor had indicated that he performed that particular duty. Mr. Dowler had not been requested to indicate what work he had done. During the course of the interrogation of witnesses it developed that the lists submitted to some of the aldermen differed somewhat from the official one.

The witnesses last evening were Ernest W. Bradley, James H. Whitwell and W. H. F. Telfer. The last named was on the stand when the last session of the committee was adjourned. The mayor went into the minutiae of office routine, and sought to show that Mr. Dowler was only a figurehead. The interesting part of the evidence came when the witnesses stated that they had been engaged as extra men during a rush period. When the rush was over, Mr. Dowler had told him that he did not think he could be retained, as there would be not enough work to keep him busy. Mr. Telfer had laid the matter before the finance and street committees, with the result that they had decided he should be retained. Mr. Whitwell testified that when he was engaged three years ago, during Mayor Morley's incumbency, it was for the purpose of stamping some department. He also secured a permanent position through the kind offices of friends. Nothing was brought out that would indicate that the city has suffered from the fact that Mr. Dowler sometimes came down to work late.

Ernest W. Bradley, assistant clerk, testified that Mr. Dowler exercised general supervision over the office, and the mayor submitted minutes of council meetings as compiled by Mr. Bradley to show that the latter has taken them more fully than Mr. Dowler. Mr. Bradley also testified that Miss Cameron the stenographer, has been repeatedly late for work.

The mayor laid great stress on the fact that Mr. Dowler was in the habit of picking up the morning paper when he came into the office in the morning, hanging up his coat and hat, and snuffing into his private office. When the mayor brought out the petty details of each clerk's work Alderman Fullerton pointed out that the greater part of the work outlined in such detail consisted of very trivial matters. The investigation was adjourned for Thursday next.



Letters for publication in Daily Times must be received at the Times office not later than the day before the day of publication. When received later they will be held over until the following day. While unobjectionable anonymous communications will be published, the name and address of every writer of such letters must be given to the editor.

### JUSTICE.

To the Editor: In spite of eruptions of official tyranny and injustice this country is a pretty good place to live in, and few that have experienced the crushing weight of officialdom in some parts of Europe would care to exchange even imperfect conditions here with tolerable workingman's freedom and comfort there. A Russian writer tells of the impression one American scene in her childhood made upon her. Her father had complained about a rough boy that teased little children, and the earnest, careful, considerate desire of the judge to get at the facts and do justice to all concerned awoke in her mind its first passion of love for America. Perhaps the deepest note that reverberates through the land today is an irrepressible cry for justice. The country is fissured with wrongs that need to be righted and in this task the youth of the land should be enlisted. The instincts of the entire population cry aloud for the abolition of abuses of all kinds. What a chance for the church to lead to direct this growing sentiment and to utilize the public feeling in advancing the Kingdom of God. Whatever one may think of the clamor for the initiative, the referendum and the recall, including the recall of judges, there can be little doubt that these demands are symptoms of a very widespread popular impatience with politicians and with boss rule in general. Where smoke is there is usually fire. The body politic is beginning to get restive under the political medication that has been applied. It is beginning to question the wisdom of Dr. Boss to refuse to take his pills and himself to insist on trying some simple homely remedies. He would be a brave prophet that would dare to predict the end save in a very general way. One word expresses it, Justice. And strife will never come until it comes.

J. T. B.  
Government St., April 3.

### PENALIZING SINGLE MEN.

To the Editor:—Apropos of the subject raised at the city council March 31, which I attended, and balancing the affair of employment to married men only, I am certain of the opinion that there are many phases of the situation open for discussion. I wish, in the first place, to reiterate the statement of the mayor, that a married man with family should have preference over single men, providing the case is genuine. But, and here lies the problem, are all that lay claim to this sacred honor able to furnish absolute proof of the same? I wot not. In the second place, I should like to refer to the inconsistency of the civic fathers in their transactions. The subject of married and single men having been discussed at some length, a decision was arrived at that a single man should step aside and allow a married man to take his place. Following this the subject of police promotion was argued, and his worship opined that all promotions should be made by seniority, viz., long service and good conduct, and I presume ability, not only in this, but in every grade of the civic service. Yet the man in the ditch who has worked faithfully and diligently in the interests of the city, and has been in the ranks for a number of years is

ousted from his job to make room for a married man, who probably has been in Victoria for a few weeks or months, because, forsooth, he has had the impudence and audacity to remain single. Probably the civic fathers have not considered that oftentimes single men are under obligations as severe as married men. For instance, an aged father or mother dependent on them. These folks are to be deprived because their son is not married and bringing others into the world to overcrowd the labor market, which, greatly owing to the money stringency, is in such a deplorable condition to-day. This is not voiced with any discrimination towards married men, or the decision of the city council, which I believe to be in its good faith, but the merits and demerits of each individual case should be considered with a view to fairness and justice to all concerned.

ERNESTO.  
Victoria, April 3.

### LIBRARY STATISTICS

Circulation During March Was 11,024—Children's Books in Great Demand.

The library statistics for the month of March show that the daily average of books taken from the shelves by members amounted to 479, the total circulation being 11,024. Of this number 725 were children's books, for which there seems to be an increasing demand. During the month 281 new books were added to the library lists, while 224 applications for borrowers' cards were made. A fresh bulletin of the newly-added books has been made out, and every effort is being made by the librarian, Miss Stewart, to bring up the standard of the library by placing well known works by all the standard authors on the shelves.

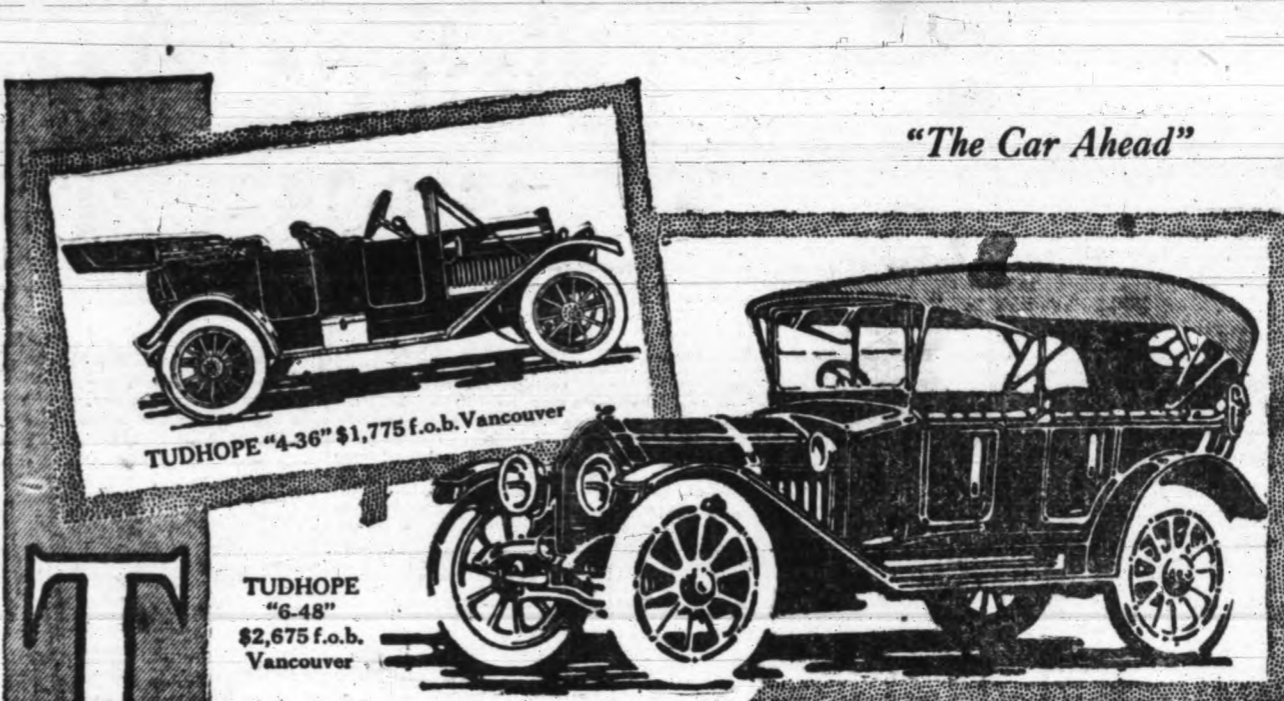
### A WONDERFUL DISCOVERY

An eminent scientist, the other day, gave his opinion that the most wonderful discovery of recent years was the discovery of Zam-Buk. Just think! As soon as a single thin layer of Zam-Buk is applied to a wound or a sore, such injury is insured against blood poisoning! Not one speck of microbe has been found that Zam-Buk does not kill.

Then again, as soon as Zam-Buk is applied to a wound or to a diseased part, the cells beneath the skin's surface are stimulated that new healthy tissue is quickly formed. This forming of fresh healthy tissue from below is Zam-Buk's secret of healing. The tissue thus formed is worked up to the surface and literally casts off the diseased tissue above it. This is why Zam-Buk cures so permanently.

Only the other day Mr. Marsh, of 101 Delorimier Ave., Montreal, called upon the Zam-Buk Co. and told them that for over twenty-five years he had been a martyr to eczema. His hands were at one time so covered with sores that he had to sleep in gloves. Four years ago Zam-Buk was introduced to him, and in a few months it cured him. Today—over three years after his cure of a disease he had for twenty-five years—he is still cured, and has had no trace of any return of the eczema! All druggists sell Zam-Buk at 25c. box. We will send free trial box if you send this advertisement and a 1c. stamp (to pay return postage). Address Zam-Buk Co., Toronto.

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### NOMINAL UNION MAY BE DISRUPTED

#### Republic of China May Face Problem of North Versus South

Although North and South China were nominally united by the establishment of the republic, dispatches, according to Chinese exchanges to hand on the Shidezuka Maru, report that there has of late been a tendency towards disruption, the movement started by the military officers and politicians of the south for opening of the national assembly at Nanking growing in influence. The bulk of the Nationalist party have also resolved to favor the movement by organizing what may be termed the Association for Investigating the Future Seat of the National Assembly.

President Yuan Shih-kai, in view of the dangers arising from this course, has repeatedly tried to force a decision of the association, but so far all has been in vain. Consequently the Burghers,

headed by President Yuan, Generals Wang Chih-chang, Lu Cheng-chang and their colleagues, have established for themselves a National Assembly Maintenance Society, in order to convince the public at large as to the advisability of selecting Peking for the seat of the national assembly. The Nationalist party have decided to hold a mass meeting at Shanghai early in April in order to discuss the question.

President Yuan Shih-kai has made public that the constitution shall contain clauses investing the formal president and the president alone with the right of dissolving the national assembly as well as of the appointment and discharge of the state ministers. The latter clause is tantamount to depriving the state assembly of the right, hitherto granted to it, of intervening in the appointment of state ministers. The proposed insertion of the clause is causing serious excitement among publicists, in particular the Nationalists, and observers look for a split in the ranks of the Nationalist party, which would further complicate the situation, or a rupture of North and South China.

#### CALGARY FIRE \$100,000

Calgary, April 3.—Fire caused by the careless dropping of a lighted cigarette in a livery stable today destroyed a hotel and several business houses at Langton, twenty miles east from here. The loss is approximately \$100,000.

### THE RUSSIAN BEAR'S GRIP ON MONGOLIA

#### Explanation is Offered to Japanese Authorities; No Annexation

Some curious statements are made in a Harbin dispatch to the Tokio Nichi-Nichi, to which reference is made in Japanese exchanges just to hand. It says that a rumor obtains in some quarters in North Manchuria that Russia is preparing to realize her ambitions, not only in Outer Mongolia but in Inner Mongolia as well. The Russian local authorities, in view of the allegation, have addressed a memorandum to the Japanese resident officials in the province of Mukden, stating that in view of the Russo-Japanese treaty—what particular treaty is not stated—the Russian authorities have so far strictly confined the sphere of their activity to Outer Mongolia. The Japanese authorities are cordially invited to dispatch their officials to Inner Mongolia to ascertain the truth of this statement for themselves. The Russian press in this context

### FERNWOOD VOTERS' LIST

Arrangements have been made for the registration of voters in the Fernwood suburb of the city by opening an office in the Parfitt Block at the corner of Gladstone avenue and Fernwood road. A notary will be in attendance in the office of Parfitt Bros. each evening from 7.30 and those who wish to secure their right to the exercise of the franchise, are requested to register early as this is the last week of registration.

declares that Russia is embarrassed at being accused of "ambitions in Inner Mongolia" by the Japanese authorities, who yet do not go to the trouble of ascertaining the facts for themselves by dispatching officials in response to the Russian invitation. The Chinese government of late is taking every care, it seems, to approach Japan, apparently with a view to counteracting the activity of Russia in the province. It is of paramount importance, therefore, that Japan at this moment should take such steps as may be calculated to convince herself of

the total absence of any ambition whatever on the part of Russia in connection with Inner Mongolia.

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#### Sickness is Costly

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To forestall that possible drain on body and mind and purse, to "keep fit," try taking Wilson's Invalids' Port Wine, a wine-glassful before or between meals—three glasses a day for your health's sake! It is a powerful, nutritive restorative of the disease-resisting forces of the blood and a remarkably efficient febrifuge. Doctors know!

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### NOTICE

## K. P.

Members of Far West Lodge No. 1

All members of the above lodge desiring to attend the funeral of Mrs. Cora May Hughes, wife of Bro. J. M. Hughes, will please assemble in K. of P. Hall, at 2 p. m. sharp, Saturday, April 5th.

J. BRIANT HOWES,  
C. C.  
R. R. F. SEWELL,  
K. of R. & S.

### NOTICE

MEMBERS F. O. E. NO. 12

All members of the above Aerie desiring to attend the funeral of Cora May Hughes, wife of Secretary J. M. Hughes, will please assemble at Eagle Hall, Saturday, April 5, at 2 p.m. sharp.

J. L. HACKETT,  
Worthy President  
Attest:  
JOS. J. WACHTER,  
Fin. Sec'y.

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The careful dresser will find these Suits just what he wants, made of fine woolen fabrics such as guaranteed English serges and worsteds, Scotch chevots and cassimeres; the fit, appearance and style of these Suits are perfect, the assortment includes all the newest shades and patterns that will be popular this Spring and Summer; all sizes. Big values at \$22.50 and \$25. Come pick them out now. Reorganization price

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All Spring models. These Suits are high grade garments bought for the Spring's business. All are fine wool and the assortment of colors and patterns includes the new greys, tans, browns and blue serges. All sizes. Sold regularly for \$18 and \$20. Reorganization sale

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MEN'S SHIRTS, regular 75c and \$1.00 values. Reorganization price ..... 35c

**50c SUSPENDERS, 25c**  
MEN'S POLICE AND FIREMEN'S BRACES, leather ends and re-inforced back. Regular 50c values, including "President" make. Reorganization sale price ..... 25c

**\$1.25 AND \$1.50 UNDERWEAR, 95c**  
MEN'S UNDERWEAR, Penman's No. 95, blue and brown tip, all wool. Sold regularly at \$1.25 and \$1.50. Reorganization sale price ..... 95c

**15c AND 20c HOSE, 5c**  
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**\$2.00 AND \$2.50 HATS, 95c**  
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MEN'S EXTRA FINE SILK NECKWEAR, all new spring colors and patterns. Your money's worth at 50c and 75c. Reorganization sale price ..... 35c

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MEN'S FINE TWEED AND WORSTED PANTS, in greys, blacks and blue serges; cut full and guaranteed not to rip. Reorganization sale price ..... \$1.65

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MEN'S HIGHEST GRADE PURE WORSTED TROUSERS, made in up-to-date styles, very best trimming used in the making. Fine for dress wear. Reorganization sale price ..... \$2.95

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MEN'S LACE BOOTS, every pair guaranteed for good wear. Help yourself now. Reorganization price ..... \$1.45

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MEN'S FINE DRESS BOOTS, made from the best selected calfskin and vic kid. All the newest shapes for Spring. Every pair guaranteed. Reorganization sale price ..... \$2.95

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CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT

BY-LAW NO. 15

A By-law to Raise the Sum of \$27,500 for Council Purposes.

Whereas the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Esquimalt is required to raise the sum of twenty-seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$27,500) on the requirement of the Board of School Trustees for the purpose of erecting an addition to the present school building on municipal property, situate on the west side of Lamson street, within the municipal limits of the Township of Esquimalt.

And whereas the whole rateable land and improvements or real property of the Corporation of the Township of Esquimalt, according to the last revised Assessment Roll of the Municipality, namely the roll of the year 1912, is \$2,464.67.

And whereas the total amount required to be raised annually by rate for paying and the interest thereon is the sum of \$3,722.85.

And whereas for paying the interest and creating an equal yearly sinking fund for paying the principal of the said debt intended to be hereby created an annual special rate of 7-10 mill on the dollar will be required.

And whereas this By-law shall not be altered or repealed without the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

Be it therefore enacted by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Township of Esquimalt as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Reeve of the Corporation of the Township of Esquimalt to borrow upon the credit of the Corporation by way of the debentures hereinafter mentioned from any person or persons, or body or bodies corporate who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of twenty-seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$27,500) currency or sterling money, at the rate of four dollars and eighty-six and two-thirds cents (\$4.86 2/3) to the one pound sterling, and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the purpose and with the object hereinafter recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Reeve to cause any number of debentures to be made, executed and issued, not exceeding however, the sum of twenty-seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$27,500), each of the said debentures being of the amount of \$500 currency, or its sterling equivalent at the rate aforesaid, and such debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the Corporation and signed by the Reeve thereof.

3. The said debentures shall bear the date of the 28th day of April, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and shall be made payable in ten years from the said date, at such place either in the Dominion of Canada, Great Britain, or the United States of America, as may be designated thereon, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest, and the signature to the interest-coupons may be either written, stamped, printed, lithographed or engraved.

4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of five per centum per annum from the date thereof, the interest shall be payable half yearly at such place either in the Dominion of Canada, Great Britain or the United States of America, as may be expressed in the debentures or coupons.

5. It shall be lawful for the said Reeve of the said Corporation to dispose of the said debentures at a rate below par and to authorize the Treasurer to pay out of the sum so raised by the sale of the said debentures all expenses connected with the preparation and engraving or lithographing of the said debentures and coupons, or any discount or commission or other charges incidental to the sale of the said debentures.

6. The purpose of raising annually the required sum for the payment of the interest on the said debentures during their currency there shall be raised annually the sum of \$1,375, and for the purpose of creating the sinking fund aforesaid for the payment off of the debt at maturity thereof there shall be raised annually the sum of \$2,347.85.

7. For the purpose of the payment of the said sums in the next preceding paragraph mentioned there shall be raised and levied in each year, a rate of 7-10 mill on the dollar on all the rateable land and real property in the Corporation of the Township of Esquimalt during the continuance of the said debentures, or any of them.

8. This by-law shall before the final passing thereof receive the assent of the voters of the said Municipality in the manner provided for in the Municipal Act, and shall take effect on the 8th day of April, 1913.

9. This by-law may be cited as the "School Loan By-law 1913, No. 15."

Received the assent of the electors on the 1st day of April, 1913.

Recounted, adopted and finally passed by the Municipal Council this day of

J. R. SAUNDERS, Reeve. A. B. ELLIS, C.M.C.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given of the filing of plans for the laying of a submarine cable across Saanich Inlet, between a point on the East shore of Saanich Inlet, where Cypress Avenue intersects the water's edge of said Inlet (in Sec. 18, R.1.W. North Saanich district, Vancouver Island, B. C.), and a point on the west shore of said Inlet, where the line between sections 9 and 10 intersects the water's edge of said Saanich Inlet (located in range X, Sitkwanigan district, Vancouver Island, B. C.), with the Minister of Public Works, Ottawa, and with the Provincial Registrar of Deeds, Victoria, B. C.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Administration Act and In the Matter of the Estate of William Alexander Vye, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Alexander Vye, late of Victoria, B. C., deceased, who died on or about the 15th day of January, 1913, are hereby required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the undersigned Solicitor for the Administratrix of the said deceased, on or before the 27th day of March, 1913, their names and addresses and full particulars of their claims and demands in writing, duly certified, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them.

And notice is hereby also given that after that date the said Administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have notice, and that she will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof so distributed to any persons of whose claim or demands she, the said Administratrix, shall not then have had notice.

Dated at Victoria this 27th day of February, 1913.

YATES & JAY, Of 416-17 Central Building, Victoria, B. C., Solicitors for the Administratrix, Edith Amelia Maud Vye.

NOTICE.

Thirty days from date I will make application to the License Commission of the Municipality of Esquimalt for a transfer of my license for the Rainbow Hotel, Esquimalt, from myself to Pats Kosak.

JOS. BALE, Esquimalt, B. C., 1st Arch. 4th, 1913.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Goods of Charles Alexander, Deceased in Probate.

Notice is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Charles Alexander, late of Victoria District, B. C., deceased, who died on or about the 1st day of January, 1913, are hereby required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors of the said deceased, on or before the 1st day of April, 1913, their names and addresses and full particulars of their claims and demands, duly certified in writing, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them.

And notice is hereby also given that after that date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that they will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof so distributed to any persons of whose claims or demands they, the said Executors, have not then had notice.

Dated at Victoria this 21st day of March, 1913.

YATES & JAY, Of 416-17 Central Block, Victoria, B. C., Solicitors for the Executors, Thomas Alexander and John Alexander.

NAVIGABLE WATER PROTECTION ACT.

NOTICE is hereby given that Joseph E. Wilson and James E. Yates, both of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia (trustees of the Erb Estate), are applying to His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada in Council for approval of the area plans, site and description of the works proposed to be constructed in Lime Bay, Victoria Harbor, Victoria, British Columbia, being land situated, lying and being in Victoria City aforesaid, and known and numbered and described as Lot Four (4) and part of Lot Five (5), Plan 206, Lime Bay, Victoria West, and have deposited the area and site plans of the proposed works and description thereof with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate thereof with the Registrar-General of Titles at the Land Registry Office at the City of Victoria, British Columbia, and that the matter will be proceeded with after the expiration of one month from the time of the first publication of this notice in the Canada Gazette.

Dated this 28th day of February, 1913.

JOSEPH E. WILSON and JAMES E. YATES, Trustees of the Erb Estate, By their Solicitors, Messrs. Robertson & Holstern, 415 Fort Street, Victoria, B. C.

NOTICE.

Sealed tenders will be received by Sturges & Co., up to and including April 15th, 1913, for the surface grading, graveling and clearing of roads of section 1 and 2 north, range 3 and portions of range 4 east, North Saanich.

Plans and specifications may be seen by applying at the office of the undersigned. The lowest or any tender shall not necessarily be accepted.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Tenders will be received, on or before 5 o'clock P. M. of Tuesday, April 15th, 1913, for the erection and completion of an eight-room, brick and reinforced concrete Public School Building on the corner of Monterey Avenue and Ochel Street in the Municipality of Oak Bay. Tenders to be addressed to the Board of School Trustees of the Municipality of Oak Bay, and to be delivered at the office of the Secretary, Municipal Hall, Oak Bay Avenue.

Separate tenders will be required for the heating and ventilating.

The Board of School Trustees do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

Drawings and specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned.

Cheques for tenders must be accompanied by a marked cheque, payable to the Board of School Trustees of the Municipality of Oak Bay, for an amount equal to 5 per cent. of the total amount of the tender.

The cheque will be returned to the contractor and also to the unsuccessful tenderers when a contract has been entered into and a satisfactory bond provided.

In the event of the successful tenderer refusing to enter into a contract, when called upon to do so, the cheque will be forfeited to the Board of School Trustees.

C. ELWOOD WATKINS, Architect.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY.

Notice is hereby given that the Sewer and Water Frontage Assessment Roll for 1913 has been filed in the treasurer's office. Any person dissatisfied with said assessment may petition the Council not later than May 1st.

F. W. CLAYTON, Municipal Hall, Oak Bay, B. C., April 1st, Treasurer.

NOTICE TO ELECTORS.

Take notice that the above is a true copy of the proposed by-law upon which the electors of the Corporation of Esquimalt will be taken on Saturday, the 6th day of April, 1913, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 7 p.m.

A. B. ELLIS, Returning Officer.

Public notice is hereby given that the vote of the electors of the Corporation of Esquimalt will be taken on Saturday, the 6th day of April, 1913, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 7 p.m. on the School Loan By-law, within the Municipal Hall in Esquimalt, and that A. B. Ellis has been appointed Returning Officer to take the vote of such electors with the usual powers in that behalf.

By order of the Council, J. R. SAUNDERS, Reeve.

A. B. ELLIS, Town Clerk.

To Lease

Proposals are invited until April 5, 1913, to lease the property on the S.E. corner of Douglas and Johnson streets (about 150 feet on Douglas and 60 ft. on Johnson) for a term of not less than twenty-five years from 1st August, 1913.

For further information apply to Fred Davey, 2664 Blanchard street.

The Great Remodelling Sale at the Commonwealth is proving a big success. It's very seldom that you have an opportunity to buy clothes of quality at such ridiculous prices.

German subjects are vaccinated during the first few months of life, and all males reaching the age of twelve, and all males a third time on commencing their term of compulsory military service.

COMMITTEES STRUCK FOR THE CELEBRATION

Commencement is Made With Arrangements for Victoria Day Festival

Committees for the Victoria Day celebration were struck at a general meeting of the members last evening. A. J. Dallain was again elected chairman of the committee, and J. B. McCullum, secretary. The general committee will be composed of the following: A. E. Kirkpatrick, E. Henderson, Sidney Rodgers, Thomas Watson, J. Moss, H. Tuson, C. McNeill, Stanley Creed, E. Logan, W. Lethaby, E. Geiger and J. W. North. The committees were named as follows:

Regatta—A. J. Dallain, chairman; Harry Bishop, A. E. Kirkpatrick, Roy Pomfret, W. J. Logan, W. N. Kennedy, Warren Long, D. O'Sullivan, J. Moss, George Jay and F. Skuce.

Parade—J. W. Lorimer, chairman; Fire Chief Davis, Chief of Police Langley, E. E. Anderson, A. E. Kirkpatrick, Alderman Porter, Captain R. P. Clark, P. Bannerman and E. W. Allison.

Fireworks and decorations—W. H. Price, chairman; E. Logan, A. E. Kirkpatrick, J. Moss, Sidney Rodgers, H. Tuson, C. McNeill and Aldermen Humbler and Porter.

Finance—A. J. Dallain, E. B. L. Rogerson, T. M. Brayshaw, George Jay, W. H. Price and J. W. Lorimer.

Printing—E. B. L. Rogerson, chairman; Lethaby, C. McNeill and H. Tuson.

Music—T. M. Brayshaw, chairman; T. Watson, George Jay, S. Creed and Harry Bishop.

School sports—George Jay.

EXHIBITION IS GIVEN BY GYMNASIUM CLASS

The exhibition given last evening at the Y. M. C. A. by the Y. W. C. A. gymnasium class drew a large number of appreciative spectators, who testified to their enjoyment of the proceedings by rounds of hearty applause at the conclusion of each demonstration. Commencing with an exercise in fancy and tactical marching directed by their gymnastic mistress, Miss Ruth Jarvis, the girls performed a number of drills and dances, showing not only wonderful proficiency but creditable co-ordination and grace of movement, this being particularly noticed, in the first half of the programme, in the wand drill. The club drill and free movements exercises were also given with workmanlike precision combined with that freedom of action which comes only after long practice. From the spectator's point of view the folk dances, which composed the greater portion of the second part of the programme were the most interesting part of the proceedings, the English folk dance entitled "Dargaron," being one of the prettiest of these. The dances in themselves are charmingly reminiscent of a phase of country life which has become practically extinct in England, and the revival was doubly entertaining as being both artistic and of historical interest. The illuminated march with which the exhibition closed was another of the very effective numbers, all the lights being turned out for this, and the girls executing a number of graceful march movements with Japanese lanterns.

Two solo numbers completed this very interesting programme, the first of these being an Irish jig by Miss Violet Hastings, in which the dancer showed both spirit and feetness of foot, and the second being a club-swinging exhibition by Miss Jarvis, which effectively displayed the instructor's dexterity with these.

During an interval Mrs. Frank Adams, president of the Y. W. C. A., introduced the Hon. Dr. Young, minister of education, who, in referring to Mrs. Adams' recent appeal to the government through him for the sum of \$10,000 toward the new Y. W. C. A., said that he did not compromise but promised her then and there the sum of \$5,000. After seeing the magnificent demonstration of drills and exercises which the girls had gone through there, however, he was prepared to promise that next year the estimates would grant another \$5,000 toward the same purpose. This statement was followed by a tribute from the speaker to the splendid work which is being accomplished by the women of this organization and many others of the kind all over the world. Dr. Young reminded his audience that he had been by way of an attempt to express his admiration for women's ability as organizers and in other fields of public work, spoken at the recent session of the provincial parliament in favor of giving votes to women—this statement concluding with a special reference to the splendid work being done by Mrs. Adams and her associates in this city, and to the debt which the community owes to women of such calibre.

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## DOMESTIC COMEDY

### HAD GREAT MERIT

"The Concert" Charmed Audience at Victoria Theatre; Leo Witrichstein a Star

In "The Concert" patrons of the Victoria theatre last evening were treated to a delightful domestic comedy. The theme was not new and the plot was not new, but clever lines, accurate characterization and brilliant acting made the Belasco production an excellent entertainment.

The people portrayed were typical. A music master, temperamental, artistic, nervous, irritable, cruel in his thoughtlessness, unmoral, not immoral, but withal at heart a loving husband and a gentleman, was the character about whom the tale revolved. His wife was thoroughly appealing. Strong, sincere woman, loving deeply, reading her husband's duplicities like a book, but smilingly pretending to believe in his sincerity, overlooking his open flirtations, refusing to acknowledge that there are others, at last she is brought face to face with the unpleasant truth, and the courage and resourcefulness with which she shows her husband, not the immorality of his act, but the uncongential, inartistic conditions which might have arisen from it, stamp her as one of the most beautiful stage women created in many a year.

The foils were also good types, but just a bit more homely. The story of the play was the successful recovery of their respective erring spouses by the two better halves.

Gabor Aramy was the temperamental musician who eloped with the doll-like Mrs. Dallas for 24 hours. The excursion to Aramy's bungalow in the Catskills was accomplished under the cloak of giving a private concert in a millionaire's residence. One of "the master's" pupils solves the concept subterfuge and informs the wronged husband and wife, who bravely get together and plan the recovery of their spouses. They pretend to have been secretly in love, but lacking the courage to admit it even to each other, and compliment and thank the other two for assisting them. Their open love-making before the weaker couple is revolting to the artistic sense of the musician.

and quickly rouses the jealousy of the doll-wife. The way Mrs. Dallas ends by eloping with her own husband is exceedingly funny. The musician and his wife have no such frantic make-up, they hold hands for about one minute while the wife performs her accustomed task of "touching up" the occasional grey spots in the public idol's hair. But the reawakened appreciation of his wife is perfectly manifest to her and to the audience.

Too much cannot be said for the work of the cast in parts requiring acting of a finished and subtle quality. Leo Ditrichstein, the American adapter of the original German play, is a genius of many parts. His portrayal of the part of the gay musician was a most accomplished piece of acting throughout. Possessed of a magnificent voice for speaking and—just a hint of this was given—also for singing, he was assisted by nature where art might have feared to tread, in that he had a delightful foreign accent. The part required one further accomplishment, playing the piano, and this he did with equal artistic finish.

Helen Aramy was portrayed by Isabel Irving, an actress who will be long remembered wherever "The Concert" is played. Her serene countenance and quiet voice were employed with marvellous artistic skill in every moment of the play.

Nye Chart as Dr. Dallas responded nobly, and Madge West as the clinging character work was done by Jay Diggley as McGinnis, and Kathryn Tyndall as Mrs. Wharton wore stunningly tasteful costumes.

A Paris Chemist Has Discovered How to Grow Hair

In Paris the ladies have entirely abandoned wearing rats, which is due entirely to this new discovery. It has been proven that Henna leaves contain the ingredients that will positively grow hair. That they contain this long-looked-for article is proven every day. The French are now placing on the market a preparation containing the extract from Henna leaves, which is having a great sale. This preparation is called SALVIA and is being sold with a guarantee to cure dandruff and to grow hair in abundance. Being daintily perfumed, SALVIA makes a most pleasant dressing, and is sold by your druggist. A large, generous bottle can be purchased for 50 cents. Sold at Campbell's drug store.

## WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, April 4—5 a.m.—Low pressure areas remain central over British Columbia, and rainfall has been general from Prince Rupert southward to California, with occasional showers on the coast. A vast system of high pressure central over the middle west states stretches from San Francisco to Tennessee. In the prairie provinces the pressure is increasing and the weather is fair with moderate temperatures. Further east low areas—some energy covers Lake Michigan, causing heavy rainfall in that district.

Forecasts  
For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Saturday. Victoria and vicinity—Moderate to fresh southerly winds, unsettled and mild with rain.  
Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, unsettled and mild with rain.

Reports  
Victoria—Barometer, 29.82; temperature, 42; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles N. W.; weather, part cloudy.  
Vancouver—Barometer, 29.86; temperature, 42; minimum, 42; wind, 6 miles S. E.; rain, .02 inch; weather, rain.  
Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.82; temperature, 44; minimum, 42; wind, 14 miles S. rain, .14 inch; weather, cloudy.

Portland—Barometer, 29.84; temperature, 46; minimum, 46; wind, 4 miles S. E.; rain, .22 inch; weather, cloudy.  
Seattle—Barometer, 29.82; temperature, 44; minimum, 42; wind, 16 miles S. W.; rain, .18 inch; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, 54; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles S. W.; rain, .18 inch; weather, cloudy.  
Edmonton—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, 34; minimum, 24; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, clear.  
Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.24; temperature, 32; minimum, 26; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, part cloudy.

Victoria Daily Weather:  
Observations taken 5 a.m., noon and 5 p.m. Thursday.  
Temperature.  
Highest . . . . . 54  
Lowest . . . . . 49  
Average . . . . . 47  
Rain, .02 inches.  
Bright sunshine, 20 minutes.  
General state of weather, cloudy.

## AWARDS OF ARBITRATOR.

J. A. Bland to Get \$1,792 and D. M. Paterson \$762.76 for Land City Needs.

In connection with the claims of James A. Bland and David M. Paterson for compensation for land required for the extension of Bank street through their property, which was stated in evidence to be exceptionally valuable on account of the attention given to sweet pea culture, awards have now been made. Hugh Kennedy, the sole arbitrator, awards \$1,792 to Mr. Bland and Mr. Paterson will receive \$762.76.

The Commonwealth Sale means that Saturday you can save from \$5.00 to \$15.00 on every suit purchased.

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- CHAPMAN STREET, facing south, 50x141. Price . . . . . \$2150
- LINDEN AVENUE, near May street, 47x100. Price . . . . . \$2450
- WELLINGTON AVENUE, south of Faithful, 50x113. Price . . . . . \$2550
- HAMLEY STREET, facing south, 45x150. Price . . . . . \$1600
- CRAIGDARROCH, splendid corner, 49x120. Price . . . . . \$4000
- McNEIL AVENUE, opposite Oakland, 50x110. Price . . . . . \$1800
- FAITHFUL STREET, facing south, 48x100. Price . . . . . \$2775

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A well-finished bungalow of four rooms on the Gorge car line on the Craigflower Road, outside the city limits, is offered at the low figure of \$3,800. This is a reduction of \$700 from the former price, as the owner is leaving the city, and must sell immediately. Easy terms on this can be arranged.

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QUEEN'S AVENUE, between Government and Douglas streets; per foot . . . . . \$210.00

## VICTORIA CARNIVAL WEEK—Aug. 4 to 9, 1913

## Four Head Liners For Your Consideration

- NORTH HAMPSHIRE ROAD, 55x132. Builders' terms . . . . . \$2100
- HARBINGER AVENUE, 50x145. Builders' terms. Price . . . . . \$3250
- FOURTH STREET, near Fowl Bay Road, 50x140. Easy terms . . . . . \$1250
- FORBES STREET, between Bay and Haultain streets. Terms . . . . . \$1450

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## A FEW BARGAINS

- HAULTAIN AND BELMONT—Fine level lot, 50 x 110. Price, \$2100
- BAY STREET, between Gordon Street and Cedar Hill Road, 50 x 122. Price . . . . . \$2525
- RYAN STREET—A few lots on this street, west of Fernwood Avenue, 50 x 128; quarter cash. Price . . . . . \$1500
- DEEP COVE—One nice level waterfront lot, 50 x 155. . . . . \$1050

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The lot is 53x158 feet, free from rock; two blocks from the cars, and commands a view of Victoria Harbor and the Olympics.

SEE US ABOUT THIS AT ONCE

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### BIRTHDAY CALENDAR



**IF THIS IS YOUR BIRTHDAY**  
You will be successful and your ventures will be profitable, but you are warned against travelling or great changes, also do not be dazzled by false show as it may cause you to overlook real friends.

Those born to-day will be generally fortunate and will attain wealth and position. They will have the power to control, but lest this descend to mere selfish tyranny, they should be taught to wait on themselves and to regard the rights of others, and never should their selfish whims be indulged.

### TO-DAY IN CANADIAN HISTORY

Upon an old tombstone at Sussex, New Brunswick is the following interesting inscription (quoted in Lawrence's "Footprints") which speaks for itself. "In Memory of Lieut. Andrew Stockton, Born at Princeton, New Jersey, Jan. 3rd, 1760, and Died at Sussex Vale, May 18th, 1821. Also Hannah his Wife, Born in the State of New York, and Died in King's county, Oct. 1st, 1793—Aged 25 years and four months. Lieut. Stockton was married in the City of St. John, then called Parr Town, on the 4th of April, 1784, by the Hon. George Leonard. Which was the first Marriage in the Town." "The bride, it will be noticed, was only in her sixteenth year. The ceremony was performed by a magistrate who, like the young couple, afterwards removed to Sussex, in King's County. When this first wedding took place, Parr Town was still within the limits of Nova Scotia. But great agitation was going on amongst the Loyalists there for separation from Nova Scotia, and Governor Parr, whose onerous duty it had been to attempt to settle them, does not describe these vigorous folk in flattering terms. Many of them, he said, were "unreasonable," and he "was aware that malignant representations" would be made by them "against an angel."

### BIRTHDAY CONGRATULATIONS

TO  
Arnold, Charles (Montreal); born, Rigaud, Que., 1847; city treasurer of Montreal.  
Birdwhistle, Richard John (Ottawa); born, Ottawa, 1874; secretary of the St. John's Ambulance Association and of the Dominion Rifle Association.  
Brown, James Pollock, M. P. (St. Chrysotome, Que.); born, Beau River, 1841; Liberal M. P. for Chateauguay since 1891.  
Cate, Charles Walter, K. C. (Sherbrooke, Que.); born, Stanstead, Que., 1855; prominent in the municipal life of the Eastern Townships and in the Methodist church.  
Coleman, Arthur Philemon, M. A., Ph. D. (Toronto); born, Lachute, Que., 1852; professor of geology at Cobourg and Toronto, 1882-1893; now geologist of Ontario bureau of mines.  
Field, Frederick William (Toronto); born, Twickenham, Eng., 1884; managing editor of the Monetary Times and British trade commissioner for the Toronto district.  
Fraser, John Anderson, M. P. P. (Queens, B. C.); born, Shakespeare, Ont., 1866; Conservative M. P. P. for Cariboo.  
Gaudaur, Jacob Gill (Orillia, Ont.); born, Lake Couchiching, Ont., 1858; once champion oarsman of the world.  
Gallagher, Richard Edward (Hamilton, Ont.); born, Watford, Ont., 1853; principal of business college and civil service examiner.  
Hanson, William (Montreal); born, Cornwall, Eng., 1851; stock and investment broker and director in many companies.  
McCready, John Elias Blakeney (Charlottetown, P. E. I.); born, Penobscot, N. B., 1839; in newspaper life since 1867; clerk of House of Commons, 1867-1872; president of Ottawa press gallery, 1882; new editor of Charlottetown Guardian.  
Taschereau, Robert Andre Panet, LL. D., K. C. (Montreal); born, Quebec, 1874; professor of Laval university and one of the leading lawyers of Montreal.

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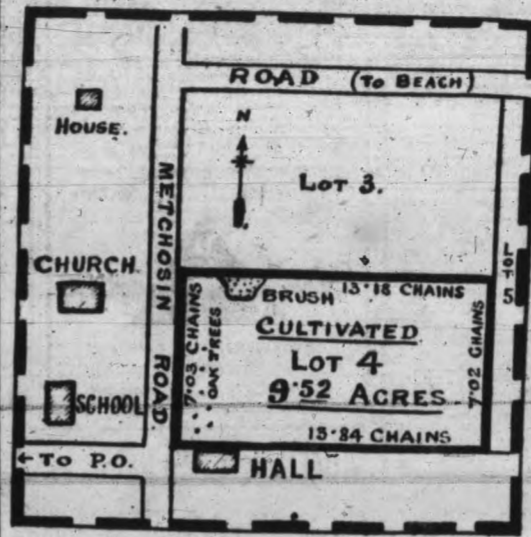
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Oak Bay, Victoria Avenue, beautiful residential lot, 60 x 114.2. Shady trees; street paved and boulevard. Price, terms, .....\$2000

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Foul Bay Road, south of Oak Bay avenue, 209x142, with oak trees. One-third cash, balance 1 and 2 years. Price .....\$10,500

Mitchell Street, Oak Bay, 50x123, close to Oak Bay avenue. One-third cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Price, only .....\$1600

Rosa street corner, one block south of Hillside avenue, six room house, and one lot. One-third cash, balance 1 and 2 years. Price .....\$4000

Burnside Carline Heights, large lots from \$450. \$50 cash, balance \$15.00 per month.

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Subdivisions, in blocks of from 5 to 50 acres, from \$450 per acre. All near the B. C. E. R. interurban car.

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Lost Lake Road, lot 6, Sec. 7, 25 acres. On easy terms. Per acre .....\$1200

Blanchard street, opposite the railway station, 55x90, with house. One-quarter cash. Price .....\$20,000

Chatham street, between Douglas and Blanchard, 50x120, and two houses. One-quarter cash. Price, .....\$17,000

Six room house on Work street, near Bay. One-third cash. Price \$3,000

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New 2-room house with bath and toilet, on Quadra and Bay streets.  
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SHELBOURNE ST., 40 x 165; high and dry. One-third cash. Price .....\$1,200  
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One lot, close to car line, 50 x 110 .....\$2350

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Level building lot, between Neil and Central, 48 x 120 .....\$1550

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HULTON STREET, lot 40x104, only \$1200  
 AMPHION STREET, lot 50x120, only \$1500  
 HERON STREET, two small lots near Uplands facing the sea. For the two, only \$3350  
 MAY AND COOK, the southeast corner, about 60x120, said to be the choicest apartment house site in the city, and the price has been reduced for quick sale to \$7200  
 CORDOVA BAY, three large lots (1/2 acre each) with over 300 feet of waterfrontage, on the northern part of the bay. One-quarter cash. Price \$3500  
 NORTH SAANICH, 100 acres fine land, close to Deep Cove; B. C. Electric runs through property, and Meadlands is close to it. The price is \$63,000, on terms of one-quarter cash until the owner arrives in the city when price will be advanced to correspond with prices asked for similar property.

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BUILDERS LOT—Florence street, 50x120 to lane, 1/2 block to Fort street; cheap at present, \$1450. Colin Powell, 220 Pemberton Block. a4

PROSPECT LAKE—Four waterfront lots for sale; beautiful summer resort; good fishing and boating; half mile from car line; one-third cash, balance on terms. D. Lehmann-Royal Oak Bldg. Phone 500. a5

SACRIFICE—Nice high lot on Toimie avenue, second lot from corner of High street, 60x120; must sell at once and will let go at \$2500 cash, balance \$1200 in 12 months. P. O. Box 302, or 215 Sayward Block, after 5 p.m. a4

A GORNS DOWN, DOWN—"Yes," he says, "I'm going to sell. Cut my lot on Summer St. to \$2500, make it \$2000 cash, and I'll give you \$5000. Call 215 Sayward Block. A. D. Hawkins, 215 Sayward Block. a4

ROSEBURY STREET, close to Ryan, 50x120; price \$1500; easy terms. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. a5

WILL ACCEPT good quarter section of prairie land, Alberta, preferred, in exchange for my property in Oak Bay or Victoria. Call or phone. Walter Ure, 115 Langley St. Phone 470. a5

SEAVIEW AVENUE—1 lot 48x120; price \$1250; third cash, balance \$1200 in 12 months. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. a5

A CORNER ON HILLSIDE, 160 frontage by 135 by 86; price \$12000; \$3000 cash, balance 12 months. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. a5

QUADRA STREET, close to Finlayson, 50x120; price \$2500 each; quarter cash, balance 12 months. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. a5

A SNAP—220 feet frontage on Haultain, 1/2 mile, at \$19 per foot. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. a5

FOURTH STREET, between Bay and Haultain, 50x120; price \$1400; easy terms. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. a5

BELOMONT AVENUE, between Bay and Haultain, 50x120; price \$1200; third cash, balance \$1200 in 12 months. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. a5

A DOUBLE CORNER—Cedar Hill road, 1/2 mile circle, 150x120; price \$3500; easy terms. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. a5

FOR SALE—Albert, two lots, fenced, good well, each 12x18 ft.; price \$800. Apply 4100, Times. a5

WATERFRONT—Hollywood Crescent, fine grass level lot 50x120; price \$2500. Imperial Realty Co., 54 Bastion street. a5

CHEAP LOTS—One block from Bay St. frontage 100 feet; price \$1200 each. Imperial Realty Co., 54 Bastion street. a5

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COOK AND CARLIN—Only \$1200; sure money-maker. P. O. Box 166. a5

FIFTH ST.—Between Hillside and Kings, 50x120; price \$1200; easy terms. A. D. Mallet & Co., 403-4 Central Bldg. a5

### FOR SALE—LOTS.

I MUST SELL my Cadboro Bay lots quick. One waterfront, one on water; fine view. First applicant gets snap. Address Box 624, Times. a5

AT THIS PRICE FOR THREE DAYS—Lot 40x120, Woodlands road, Fairfield, 1575; cash \$500. X.Y.Z., Times office. a7

1130 BUYS a high dry lot on Asquith street, just off Haultain, 60x120. This is considerably lower than adjoining property. H. C. Securities, Ltd., 67 Government Bldg. a7

FOR SALE—Lot 11, block 2, corner Cook and Bay, 60x120; price \$15,000; third cash, 6, 12, 18 months. Address: 623 Herald St., room 5, Victoria. P. a7

OWNER must sell immediately three beautiful waterfront lots at Signal Harbor; each lot 60x120 or more; price for immediate sale, \$2500. Box 624, Times. a7

VICTORIA CRESCENT—Opposite new Court House site, we can deliver one lot with small house, near Savoy Mansions, for \$1500, terms arranged. Prince, Cairns & Jackson, 413 Sayward Building. Phone 2008. a5

DAVIDA STREET, Gorge, lot 60x120; price \$500; quarter cash. Prince, Cairns & Jackson, 413 Sayward Building. Phone 2008. a5

HAMPTON ROAD—Several lots at \$500; quarter cash; also \$1070 1/2. Lurline road, 50x120 ft., 8000; terms cash, 12, 18 months, corner Crease and Seaton, \$250; \$225 cash; high and choice. Francis Investment Co., 426 Sayward. Phone 1307. a5

MILLGROVE ST.—A. buy that's A1, 60x115 ft., high and choice, \$1100; \$300 cash, balance 2 years. Francis Investment Co., 426 Sayward. Phone 1307. a5

CECELIA ST.—Next to new school, 50x120 ft., \$1500; \$400 cash and arrange. Francis Investment Co., 426 Sayward. Phone 1307. a5

WASACANA AND OBEID—A sacrifice. This corner makes a fine lot, 115 ft., \$2500; third cash, balance easy. Francis Investment Co., 426 Sayward. Phone 1307. a5

QUAPPLE ST.—Three beautiful, worth \$1500 each, but right now only \$1250; third, 6, 12, 18 months from Bay. Francis Investment Co., 426 Sayward. Phone 1307. a5

MILLGROVE AND MADDOCK—120x120 ft., \$500 cash takes it. \$2000. Francis Investment Co., 426 Sayward. Phone 1307. a5

WESTALL AVENUE, near Hillside, 40x120 ft., with shack, \$1200; easy terms. Anderson & Jubb, room 7, Green Bldg., Broad street. a4

OBEID AVENUE, 61x120 ft., high lot, water laid on, \$1250; \$250 cash, balance 12 months. Anderson & Jubb, room 7, Green Bldg., Broad street. a4

FOWL BAY WATERFRONT, 50 feet on Hollywood Crescent, about 180 ft. long, \$2450; easy terms. Anderson & Jubb, room 7, Green Bldg., Broad street. a4

HARRIET ROAD, 41x120 ft., between Burnside and Maddock, \$1800; easy terms. Anderson & Jubb, room 7, Green Bldg., Broad street. a4

HARRIET ROAD, between Burnside and Maddock; will sell one or two lots, \$4500; for \$1500 cash, balance on terms. Anderson & Jubb, room 7, Green Bldg., Broad street. a4

HULTAIN STREET, corner, 120 feet on Haultain, 40x120 ft., high lot, \$2400; easy terms. Anderson & Jubb, room 7, Green Bldg., Broad street. a4

FOR SALE—HOUSES.

FAIRFIELD ESTATE—Chapman street, close to Linden, 4 rooms, new and modern, on lot 40x120 to lane; price \$5000; easy terms. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. a5

CORNWALL STREET, close to Richardson, 5 rooms, new and modern; price \$2500; easy terms. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. a5

A HOUSE SNAP—4 rooms, new and modern, on lot 50x120, 1/2 mile circle; price \$2500; \$500 cash, balance 12 months. Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. a5

WILMOT PLACE—Well 8-roomed residence, furnace, gas, hot water, all modern, close to Oak Bay Ave., only \$5200. Stinson, Weston & Pearce. a5

SPLENDID four-roomed bungalow, bath, basement, three minutes from car; snap, \$1200. Prince, Cairns & Jackson, 413 Sayward Bldg. Phone 2008. a5

YOU CANNOT BEAT THIS—New four-roomed bungalow, close to the car, \$4000; cash \$500, balance very easy terms. 401. a5

SIX-ROOM HOUSE on lot 100x100; modern, two fireplaces, excellent condition, well fenced, cement driveway, garage, bath, with view; selling because leaving Victoria; \$8000; one-quarter cash. Owner, Box 287, Times. a5

FOR SALE—On Hillside, 20 ft. from Oak Bay car, a new 4-room bungalow, containing hall paneled in fir, 1900 ft., built-in buffet, dining-room has open fireplace, built-in buffet, china cabinet, sink, and is paneled in veneer fir; living-room with oak floor, English grate mantel, beam ceiling, walls decorated with fine paper, a large wardrobe has fixed wash basin and linen drawers and is enamelled white; cabinet kitchen, laundry tubs and sink, large closet, and air cooled heater; electric chandeliers and fittings throughout; high basement with concrete floor and furnace installed, concrete walks, etc. This house is exceptionally well built and the finish is excellent. It is worth your while to see it. Price \$2100. Contact C. F. Harrison, owner and builder, 167 Fell St. a5

SEEK THIS BARGAIN—New 7-roomed, two-story house, built by contractor, as follows: Basement, cement floor, furnace, laundry tubs and toilet; drawing room, fireplace, nice oak mantel, dining-room, built-in buffet, china cabinet, sink, and is paneled in veneer fir; living-room with oak floor, English grate mantel, beam ceiling, walls decorated with fine paper, a large wardrobe has fixed wash basin and linen drawers and is enamelled white; cabinet kitchen, laundry tubs and sink, large closet, and air cooled heater; electric chandeliers and fittings throughout; high basement with concrete floor and furnace installed, concrete walks, etc. This house is exceptionally well built and the finish is excellent. It is worth your while to see it. Price \$2100. Contact C. F. Harrison, owner and builder, 167 Fell St. a5

THREE HOMES nearing completion, next to Ferrowed, near two car lines. Better look these over for a snap. P. O. Box 288, Times. a5

CARLIN STREET—Snap, lot 50x120; price \$2500; third cash, balance 12 months. Prince, Cairns & Jackson, 413 Sayward Bldg. Phone 2008. a5

### FOR SALE—HOUSES.

500 MAKES YOU THE OWNER of modern, new, five-roomed home very substantially built, concrete foundation, cement floor, situated on lot 55x120; price \$4000; balance rent. Exclusive to owner for working man; Oak Bay taxes and on car line. See British Canadian Home Builders, 312-315 Sayward Bldg. a5

FOR SALE—Five thousand dollar business, 1000 cash. Owner on 10 agents. Box 615, Times. a7

QUADRA ST.—6-roomed, modern house, near car, \$5000; \$1250 cash. R. & G., 1538 Cook St. a7

WELL BUILT, new, 6-roomed bungalow, paneled and beamed, buffet, fireplace, furnace, cement basement, only \$4500; 174 Bank St. a5

HOUSE of 4 rooms, bath and pantry, on corner Douglas street extension; lot 63x154; house not quite finished; owner must sell; price \$1500; \$500 cash, balance \$1000 per month on balance. H. Grimason, 719 Yates St. a5

CEDAR HILL ROAD, close to Kings, 7-roomed, new and modern house, cement basement, furnace, hot water, etc. Exclusive to owner for working man. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. a5

EMPRESS AVENUE—7 rooms, new and modern, furnace, etc.; price \$4500; easy terms. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. a5

ROSS STREET—Four Bay, 5 rooms, new and modern, finished in white enamel; price \$4000; \$300 cash. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. a5

VICTOR STREET—6 rooms, new and modern, cement basement; lot 50x120; price \$4000; easy terms. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. a5

CORDOVA BAY—6-roomed cottage and garage, \$1200; quarter cash. R. & G., 1538 Cook St. a7

A 3-ROOMED COTTAGE and lot 50x120, \$2000 on easy terms. Apply owner, 174 Bank St. a5

BEAUTIFUL, 6-room, modern cottage, built to suit, built-in buffet and bookcases, paneled walls, plate rail, beam ceiling, concrete basement, street fronted, high class neighborhood, near car line; grand view; 3 bedrooms; large lot. Call Mr. Cole to-night, 1897; daytime, 2888. a4

BEAUTIFUL, new, 6-roomed bungalow on Davis street; cement floor in basement, furnace and laundry trays open fireplace, paneled walls, beamed ceiling, built-in buffet, etc. Price \$4500. Apply Bristol Bros. Builders, 1641 Fell St. Phone L388. a10

JAMES BAY—7 rooms, on car line; some furniture for sale cheap. Apply Box 45, Times. a5

NEW 6-roomed, modern house, Lee avenue, half block from Fort St.; piped for furnace; easy terms. Apply owner, 54 Niagara St. a5

FOR SALE—A nice 5-room bungalow, all modern, just finished. If you see this ad and you are looking for a home, don't miss this chance. Price is right. Terms very easy. Call 215 Sayward Block. 257 Cedar Hill road, one minute from Hillside car line. a5

OAK BAY—Near car line, a fine 7-roomed house, with furnace, etc.; brick fireplaces; good view; \$4000; \$1000 cash; balance first payment. Grubb & Letts, 205 Central Bldg. a4

FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW in a class by itself. See it and you will admit it. So. Situated near mile circle, charming district of Belmont avenue and Gladstone street, close to the car line. Call on one of the best real estate men in Victoria, \$5000; terms arranged. A. D. Hawkins, 215 Sayward Block. Tel. 222. a5

FOR SALE—ACREAGE.

6 ACRES good land, cleared and fenced, 1/2 mile from Hillside, 180 ft. wide. Owner, J. E. McKenzie, 3044 Carroll St. a7

SOOKE ACREAGE for sale, 32 acres; \$2500; \$500 cash, balance 12 months and two years. Apply 486 Courtney St. Phone 1978. a1

FOR SALE—The most ideal gentleman's estate in B. C., 200 acres, beautiful park, 1/2 mile river front, with water power; a natural game preserve, well stocked with black and white tailed deer, and other animals; trout stream. Particulars from owner, Box 256, Times. a4

ONE ACRE of land for sale in Victoria. Terms to suit you and two years. Owner, P. O. Box 51, city. a5

FOR SALE—60 acres Cariboo land; good investment, owner must sacrifice; \$1 an acre. Box 614, Times. a5

POINT ANGELES—We have some choice land in one block on highway, on a new building; this land has been logged off and is sure to advance rapidly in price. Our price is very low. Call on one of our agents and get particulars from Shaw Real Estate Co., exclusive agents, 302 Pemberton Block. a5

AT COMOX—Ten-acre blocks good land, easily cleared, on road, near a small farm; price \$80 per acre; easy terms. Apply Island Realty Co., Courtenay, B. C. a5

TO REAL ESTATE AGENTS—I have for sale four small pieces of choice property, a few acres each, touching the car line and an acre or so, prepared to give separate options on them at prices admitting of substantial profit to option holder. A small payment to ensure option holder's interest would be required for each option, but the sum so paid would be returnable on a sale. Apply to particulars to contact G. C. Featherston, Mount Talmie P. O. a28

A RARE BARGAIN—Lillooet District, B. C., near town, 600 acres at \$7 per acre; easy terms; abundance water; good timber; white-barked cedars. Box 602, Times. a5

PORT ANGELES—We handle nothing but personally inspected property. Buy or sell real estate on a daily basis. Age, Thompson Realty Co., Green Bldg. a4

TWO MILE CIRCLE—"Mount Royal," fine property particularly so country near finishing, 300 fruit trees, 16,000 strawberry plants, stables, outbuildings, two acres of land, with magnificent scenery around Victoria, overlooking Victoria, Oak Bay, Straits, Mounts Rainier, Baker, Olympia, waters, etc. Values; price \$30,000, being \$20,000 for land and \$10,000 for improvements; cash \$5,000; balance during five years. Box 384, Times. a5

FOR SALE or exchange for property in or near Victoria, 160 acres farm in wheat country of Alberta, 160 acres under cultivation, 160 acres with running water, fenced; 3-roomed house. Apply 152 Brook St. a5

### McKENNA DECLINES AMERICAN'S REQUEST

Says Zelle Emerson is in Satisfactory Health and Will Be Released April 9

London, April 4.—Reginald McKenna, the British home secretary, today refused to permit the physician chosen by Mrs. Emerson, of Jackson, Michigan, to examine her daughter Zelle, the militant suffragette now in prison and supposed to be suffering from forcible feeding. Mr. McKenna's reply to Mrs. Emerson to her request was as follows: "I regret that I cannot grant your request to have your daughter examined by a physician of your own choosing. The condition of your daughter's health is satisfactory and gives me no cause for anxiety. If your daughter continues to be of good behaviour she will be released from prison on April 9."

After receiving this refusal, Mrs. Emerson visited Dr. Mansell Moulton, whom she had chosen in the event of the granting of her request. She described the condition in which she had found her daughter, and the doctor thereupon said: "Serious and perhaps permanent loss of health will be the result unless your daughter is immediately released."

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### QUEBEC NOTARY GONE WITH CLIENTS' MONEY

Lived Like Millionaire and Left Heavy Debts Behind on Decamping.

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HONGKONG COMPANY AIDING CONSPIRACY

Wholesale Smuggling of Chinese into Australia Before the Court

CUSTOMS OFFICERS AND OTHERS CHARGED

Melbourne, Australia, April 4.—Remarkable evidence was given yesterday at the trial on a conspiracy charge of Commonwealth customs officers, the Chinese interpreter and other Chinese residents in Australia who were arrested on charges of wholesale smuggling of Chinese into the Commonwealth in contravention to the Alien Restriction Act.

The crown prosecutor alleged that a large company had been formed with headquarters at Hongkong to trade Chinese naturalization certificates, buying the certificates of Chinese who returned to their native country from Australia and who did not wish to return.

The crown alleges that these papers were sold to Chinese who desired to go to Australia and who otherwise would have been prevented from entering the country under the restriction act.

The company, according to the prosecutor, secured the confederation of the customs officers, and Chinese were then admitted to the Commonwealth on papers issued to former residents, through the co-operation of the customs representative. Moreover it is claimed that the certificates were used a number of times.

The government investigators at Hongkong discovered that the incoming ships had been given minute instructions by the representatives of the company in order that they might show a local knowledge when questioned by the customs on arrival at an Australian port.

Documents which had been seized by the government showed that the company profited to a figure over \$1,900 on each bogus certificate which was issued.

DELEGATES DELAYED.

Business Prevented Board of Trade Representatives Leaving—Go To-night.

Private business arrangements delayed the departure of the Board of Trade delegates for Ottawa, H. B. Thomson, M. P. P., and Captain W. H. Logan, last night. But this morning officials of the board stated that the two gentlemen will leave to-night for certain.

BIG SMOKER PLANNED

Real Estate Exchange Proposes Evening of Unique Entertainment.

The lunch committee of the Real Estate Exchange met to-day for the purpose of arranging the details of a monster smoker to be held here in the first week in next month.

A mock trial, boxing matches, Y. M. C. A. exhibitions, cartooning, mock oral calls, music, card tricks and a monologue by Ernest McGaffey, are some of the items which will be introduced. An attempt is also to be made to secure the services of the Fifth Regiment band for the evening. L. Vasco, the cartoonist, is to make sketches of various public men present during the evening. The Empress theatre is also to be called upon to supply a couple of vaudeville sketches for the programme.

Altogether the committee plans to hold the biggest event of its kind of the year, and no efforts are to be spared to ensure the evening's success. A number of prominent lawyers have agreed to take part in the mock trial, which will not be of too great length to interfere with the other items on the night's programme.

VANCOUVER HAD LUCK IN THE SWEEPSTAKES

First Money in Two Largest Went Out of Town; Salmon's First Was \$21,600

Vancouver carried off the honors at the local sweepstakes on the Grand National steeplechase. W. C. Thomas, of Vancouver, won Salmon's, the first money reaching \$21,600. W. Evans, of Gordon Head, won second money, worth \$19,800, and P. Steve, of Vancouver, was the fortunate holder of the third best ticket, which netted him \$5,400.

E. A. Morris' first prize went to F. Wright, also of Vancouver, who won \$3,062.90. T. D. McKie, an employee of Fitzpatrick & O'Connell, was the highest Victoria winner. He captured first money in the Army and Navy sweep, worth \$1,638. Miss Amerson, of Grant street, Victoria, won second prize in Morris' worth \$1,531.80, and Mr. Majumal, of 1539 Shakespeare street, won third, worth \$765.90.

Jack Sidlovsky, of Victoria, won second in the Army and Navy sweep, getting \$349, and R. Lipsett, of 68 Water street, Vancouver, took third, \$409.50.

There were 63 horses entered altogether, 21 starting. The holders of these 21 horses divided 19 per cent of the gross, and the holders of non-starters divided 20 per cent. The drawing all took place last night.

YOU COULD HAVE BOUGHT in Oak Bay not so very long since at \$250 per lot, but YOU CAN'T BUY TO-DAY under \$1500.

“Industrial City Heights”

a beautifully situated subdivision at NANAIMO, at \$125 per lot and up

on terms that will suit anybody. YOU WILL NOT BE ABLE TO BUY these lots at anything like this figure in a month's time because the PRICES ARE TO BE RAISED to keep pace with the general advance in values at “THE HUB CITY OF VANCOUVER ISLAND.” Nor will you be able to buy these lots a year hence at double the price. Developments at Nanaimo are forcing all values up and Thousands of Victoria's dollars are being invested in that progressive city. The opportunity to purchase lots at \$125 and up is yours to-day, and we urge you to take advantage of it.

May Tisseman & Gemmell 730 Fort St., Victoria, B. C. 11 Bastion St. Nanaimo, B. C.

LOCAL COMPANY HAS SUCCESS AT NANAIMO

Canadian Mineral Rubber Company Secures Contract for Hundred Thousand Yards

The Canadian Mineral Rubber Company was awarded a quarter-million dollar contract at Nanaimo at a session of the city council last evening in committee of the whole.

The company was successful against four other bidders, the Warren Construction Company, the Hassan Paving Company, Ledingham & Cooper, and the British Columbia Granitoid Construction Company. The contract was divided into some 18 bids. The contract comprises the following streets: Front, Comox, Bridge, Stuart, Milton, Wentworth, Fitzwilliam, Hallburton, Wallace, Nicol, Skinner and Grace, about 100,000 yards, representing nearly \$250,000. The contract provides for an asphaltic concrete surface on a five-inch concrete base.

A start on the contract will be made almost immediately, after the necessary by-laws are completed, and arrangements made for the transfer of plant to Nanaimo.

WELL-KNOWN MUSIC TEACHER PASSES AWAY

Miss Mary Matilda Miles, One of Victoria's Most Accomplished Musicians, Dies

The news of the sudden passing away on Tuesday last after a protracted illness of Miss Mary Matilda Miles, one of the best-known of Victoria's musical circles, will come as a shock to her numerous friends in this city and elsewhere. Miss Miles, who was born in Trinidad, British West Indies, in 1873, was the youngest daughter of William Miles, M.A., headmaster of Queen's Royal College, Trinidad. She received her education at Cheltenham Ladies' College, England, and studied music under E. Pauer and Danreuther at the Royal College of Music, London, where she was a contemporary of Clara Butt and Coleridge Taylor.

In 1904 Miss Miles came to Victoria, and at once engaged in teaching and solo work, eventually obtaining a large number of pupils who, in nearly every instance, numbered her in the foremost rank of their personal friends. In everything that she undertook Miss Miles showed not only a real genius for work, but an unusual ability as a teacher and performer. In the field of chamber music she had great experience and ability, and her work was not only with her a source of income, but also one of the avocations of her leisure moments, her happiest moments being those spent in the pursuit of her profession.

In all the musical organizations of the city she was well and favorably known. For many years she acted as accompanist to the Arion Club and the Victoria Choral Society, and from the earliest days of the organization was an active member of the Ladies' Musical Club of Victoria. It is just a year ago since, owing to ill health, she gave up her pupils in order to seek a much-needed rest. Until two or three months ago she confidently hoped to be able to resume her much-loved work once more, when, however, on advice of her physician, she finally renounced all intention of doing so. It was not until the last two weeks that the indisposition from which she was suffering assumed a serious aspect, however, and friends had little intimation of the manner in which her illness was to terminate.

Miss Miles, who leaves behind her a large circle of personal friends and musical admirers, at one time enjoyed the distinction of being one of the youngest women to hold the position of head of the musical staff of one of the big English high schools, this being at Middlesboro', Eng., an office which she held for seven years.

The funeral will take place to-morrow at 2 o'clock from the home of Dr. and Mrs. Richard Nash, 1905 Pemberton road, services to be held half an hour later at Christ Church Cathedral. Miss Miles is survived by one sister, Mrs. White Fraser, of Cobble Hill.

BUSY ASSEMBLING PLANT

Equipment for Construction of E. & N. Shops on Reserve Being Placed.

Doe Brothers, of this city, who have the contract for the seventy-five thousand dollar roundhouse and machine shop for the Esquimalt & Nanaimo railway, as announced exclusively in the Times last week, are busy getting their equipment on the reserve preparatory to undertaking the erection of the buildings.

H. E. Beasley, general superintendent of the railway company, this morning stated that no time is to be lost in completing the work. The plans of the terminal yards of the company are being held up pending the settlement of the bridge question. But as soon as the government engineers make their decision in this matter the completion of the plans and surveys will be rushed ahead.

RUSSIAN LABORERS COMING

Winnipeg, April 4.—Nearly one thousand Russian laborers for railway work in British Columbia and over four hundred British settlers for Saskatchewan and Alberta reached here to-day. Seven coaches filled with eastern Canadian also arrived en route to the western provinces.

LOCAL NEWS

New Fisheries Overseer.—Harry McIndoo, of Nanaimo, has been appointed by the department of marine and fisheries, Ottawa, as one of the new fisheries overseers for the Vancouver Island district. The gazette dates his appointment as from the first of the current month.

Carnival Sports Committee.—The committee of the Carnival athletic department will hold a meeting in the Real Estate Exchange rooms, in the Fitzpatrick block, on Government street, at 8 o'clock this evening. Chairman Moresby will preside at the meeting.

Yacht Club Races.—A. A. Green, secretary of the aquatic events department of the Carnival Week committee, has received notification from the secretary of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club that the club has decided to hold its annual regatta during Carnival Week of this year.

Lloyds' Agents' Building.—Captain C. Gardner Johnson, of Vancouver, chief agent for Lloyds' in western Canada, is completing arrangements for an office building which he is to erect in this city provided that a satisfactory lease of property can be arranged.

Two Men Collapsed.—Two men collapsed in public places to-day. Norman McDonald, of "A" tower, was seized with a fit in front of the Victoria theatre and was taken to St. Joseph's hospital, and George Pym, a city street cleaner was seized with heart failure in the Atlantic bar. He was taken to Jubilee hospital. The police patrol attended both cases.

WILL SHORTLY BECOME A PRESSING SUBJECT

City Council Will Soon Have to Decide About Future of Sooke Contract

Resident Engineer Ehle, in charge of the Sooke waterworks undertaking, says that Mr. Meredith will return to the city about the end of next week, and that the next report will be prepared on the work shortly afterwards. The Times representative has endeavored to learn from various aldermen their attitude on this question, which is second only in importance to the financial situation in the problems which will confront the representatives of the citizens in 1913. So far there has not been a definite expression of opinion on the subject from the aldermen, who are new to the board, but beyond admissions of the importance of the subject and generalities that something will have to be done soon, no specific information is forthcoming.

A certain amount of work has been carried out by the contractors in the past three months, both at Thetis Cove with the pressure pipe and with the concrete pipe at Cooper's Cove, but the contract lags and the necessary percentage required has allowed to drop behind that set out in the specifications.

The finance committee and some of the officials have an important letter to consider with regard to a guarantee for material on behalf of Evans, Coleman & Evans, and as further material for the same company is arriving on the next Maple Leaf liner, the Kentra, the subject is one which will not brook delay.

The city is already obligated by a guarantee for material, and financial arrangements with the contracting company are somewhat involved, it will require discrete handling on the part of the city authorities in its latest development.

MEETINGS

Surveyors' Examinations.—The final examinations will be held at the Alexandra Club rooms April 7. There are 100 candidates. Preliminary examinations will be held at the Board of Trade rooms, for which there are 125 candidates.

Hospital Service.—The service next Sunday at Pemberton Memorial chapel, Royal Jubilee hospital, will be matins, hymns and short sermon.

Strangers' Rest.—There will be services at 8 p. m. Saturday and Sunday evenings at the Strangers' Rest, 1415 Government street.

OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred this morning at the Jubilee hospital of James Fleming. The deceased, who was 32 years of age, had lived in the city only a short time, and up to the present little is known of his connections. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

The funeral of the late Patrick Hannebury took place this afternoon at 2.30 from the Victoria Undertaking parlors, Rev. Gilbert Cooke officiating.

The remains of Muriel, only daughter of S. Campbell, of Victoria, who died yesterday in Winnipeg, Man., are on their way to Victoria for interment here. The deceased child, who was two years of age, was a niece of Dr. Gordon Campbell, of Winnipeg.

Boring out 55 feet of rock and earth every 15,000 feet, seven hundred men engaged by the Canadian Northern Railway to tunnel Mount Royal have completed one-third of their gigantic task.

Squirrels are more destructive than rats to birds' eggs and young; they are natural climbers, and can range more nimbly about the boughs and over-covered walls.

BENNETT IS HUMBUG AND HYPOCRITICAL

So Says Premier Sifton Regarding Conservative in Dominion House

CLERGYMAN TO RUN FOR CENTRE CALGARY

Calgary, Alberta, April 4.—The controversy between R. B. Bennett, member of parliament for Calgary and chief spokesman of the Conservatives of the province, and Hon. A. L. Sifton, premier of Alberta, is becoming acute. At a largely attended Liberal meeting here last night the premier replied to Mr. Bennett, whom he designated as a hypocritical humbug.

"For two years while the present government was in power Mr. Bennett was a member of the Alberta legislature," said the premier. "In all that time he never dared to make any charges on the floor of the house, and it becomes the man who controls the largest monopoly in the province to make charges of exploiting office."

In an interview to-night the premier stated that he was confident that the government would be returned to power with an increased majority. Clifford Jones, Liberal candidate for South Calgary, last night stated if he was elected he would guarantee equal suffrage to the women of Alberta. The Liberals to-day selected Rev. John MacDougall to stand for centre Calgary.

Pincher Creek, Alberta, April 4.—Thomas G. Wilson, of Livingston, announces his intention of contesting Pincher Creek as independent.

LANGDON BUSINESS CENTRE DESTROYED

Fire Loss in Alberta Town Sixty Thousand Dollars Last Night

Langton, Alta., April 4.—Last night the business centre of this town was gutted by fire, the loss being estimated at \$60,000. It is partly covered by insurance. Shortly after 11 o'clock flames broke out in J. D. Barber's livery barn on Main street, and gaining headway rapidly, spread to a pool room and a cafe under the Langdon hotel which shortly was doomed.

Bursting out at the back, the hotel bakery caught fire and was quickly gutted. On the other side of the barn the fire reached and destroyed a blacksmith shop.

The fire department from Calgary came to aid but by the time it arrived the damage was done. The loss was confined to the buildings named. The contents of most of the buildings were saved by the residents, who tumbled out of bed to rescue their belongings.

The American Federation of Labor will have an exhibit at the Panama Exposition.

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HAVE TILL APRIL 19 Time for Lodging Objections to Voters' Lists is Short—Revision May 19.

The court of revision on the Provincial Voters' Lists will be held on May 19, and therefore after the closing day on Monday the agents have only a few days in which to register objections to the lists, as objections must be complete one month before the Court of Revision.

The secretary of the Liberal Association, H. L. Roberts, is informed that there will probably be 10,000 on the city list, and that the increases in the Saanich and Esquimalt ridings will be very large, so large, in fact, that the original lists will be almost unrecognizable.

The registration in Saanich, which includes the municipality of Oak Bay, as well as the bulk of the peninsula, has been accelerated by the anticipated by-election. The knowledge that candidates have been picked out on both sides heightened the interest.

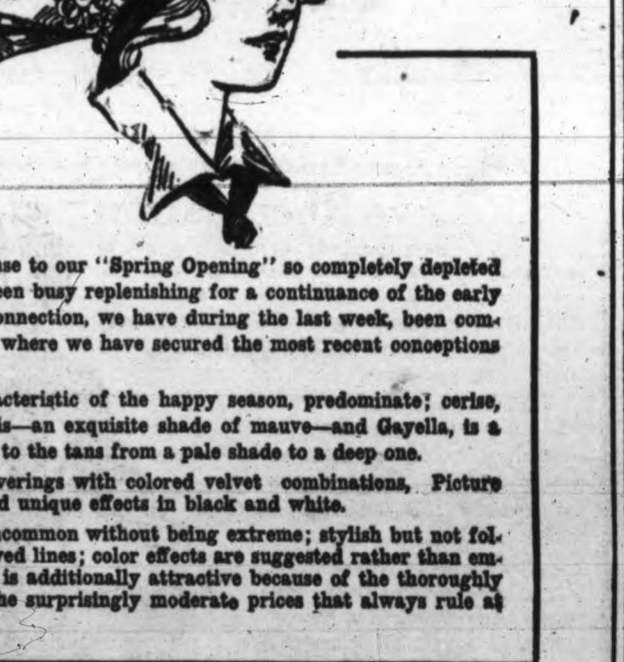
COMMITTED FOR TRIAL Arthur G. Smith Charged With Obtaining Money Under False Pretences.

Arthur G. Smith was committed by the magistrate in provincial police court this afternoon for trial on two charges of obtaining money under false pretences. One charge is that he got \$15 from Dan Campbell, proprietor of the Colwood hotel, and the other is that he got \$21 on a cheque for \$50 he tendered to C. A. Goodall, grocer, Colwood.

Smith was sentenced a few days ago to two years for forgery.

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# Special News

## VIGOROUS RALLY ON NEW YORK 'CHANGE

Reports on President's Message to Congress Ground for More General Activity

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)  
New York, April 4.—Prices rallied vigorously to-day accompanied by reports to the effect that the president's forthcoming message to Congress would be a conservative document and deal with things on the manner in keeping with conservative hopes. The general activity was taken as an indication of the friendliness of certain interests to the buying side of the market, and then, too, Amalgamated Copper was absorbed freely with talk in circulation to the effect that recent sales of the metal had been very heavy and that large producers were not offering the raw material under 15 1/2 cents per pound. As is usually the case, the advices circulated to account for price making were of a tenor in keeping with the course of the market, so that at the close cheerfulness was quite pronounced, although moderate reactions were witnessed.

Table with columns: Bid, Ask, High, Low, Bid. Lists various commodities like Amal. Copper, Ann. Beet Sugar, Ann. Can., etc.

### TORONTO STOCKS.

Table with columns: Bid, Ask. Lists various stocks like B. C. Packers, Bell Telephone, Burt, P. N. com., etc.

## GRANBY SMELTER IS THREE POINTS UPWARD

Bidding Coronation Gold Without Active Demand and Few Sellers

Victoria, April 4.—Granby Smelter was three points stronger on the local stock exchange this morning and showed excellent action in Boston for the day. Great West Permanent Loan was up, and manifests a firm demand day to day. Brokers were bidding up Coronation Gold, but the demand is not active as yet, although sellers are few.

Table with columns: Bid, Ask. Lists various stocks like Albion Trust Co., Balfour Patents, Blacking, etc.

## ALL WHEAT OPTIONS MAKE AN ADVANCE

July Oats Stronger and Better Demand for Flax on Winnipeg Market

Winnipeg, Man., April 4.—The market opened at an advance on all wheat options and was firm and active during the greater part of the morning, closing a to 1 higher. July oats were a little stronger and a better demand for flax resulted in a substantial advance. There is a first rate cash demand with somewhat more offering, and the buying by export firms was much in evidence. The modern miller has taken up the wheat situation in places the condition as better than in snow reports. Receipts were light, being 285 cars inspected with 500 in sight.

### Wheat—Open Close

Table with columns: Open, Close. Lists various wheat options like May, July, Oct., etc.

### PRIMARY MOVEMENTS.

Table with columns: Receipts, Shipments. Lists various commodities like Wheat, Corn, Oats, etc.

### CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

Chicago, April 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 20,000; market shade higher, strong; heaves, \$7.20-7.25; Texas steers, \$6.70-6.85; western steers, \$6.50-6.55; stockers and feeders, \$6.00-6.05; cows and heifers, \$3.75-3.85; calves, \$5.00-5.25.

### Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; market dull; five cents to ten cents lower than yesterday's average. Bulk of sales \$6.00-6.15; light, \$6.20-6.30; mixed, \$5.70-5.80; heavy, \$5.50-5.60.

5.5 rough \$5.00-5.10; pigs, \$6.50-6.60; sheep—Receipts, 2,000; market steady to ten cents higher. Native, \$6.10-6.15; western, \$6.10-6.15; lambs, \$7.00-7.10; native, \$7.00-7.10.

### NEW YORK COTTON.

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Lists various cotton options like Jan., Feb., Mar., etc.

New York, April 4.—Money on call steady, 5 1/2 per cent; closing bid, 3 1/2 per cent offered at 3 1/2 per cent. Time money easier, sixty and ninety days, 4 1/2 per cent; six months, 4 1/2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 2 1/2 per cent. Sterling exchange, steady with actual business in bankers' bills at \$43.00 for sixty day bills, \$42.50 for ninety day bills, \$42.00 for three month bills, \$41.50 for six month bills. Government bonds firm; railroad bonds firm.

## SMALL TRANSACTIONS ON STRONG OPENING

New Crop Months Have Range at Chicago of Only Half Cent

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)  
Chicago, April 4.—Although stronger at the opening, very small transactions were established in wheat prices to-day. There was only fair action in the market, both early and late, and the May price covered a range of only 1/2 cent. New crop months had a range of only about 1/2 cent. Liverpool cables was assuring to the buyers, as the English market showed less heaviness than yesterday. The preliminary estimate on Argentine shipments was 7,200,000 bushels. Broomhall reported free offerings of wheat from Australia and India. There was no export demand noted in Chicago, but New York claimed 40 boat loads Manitoba wheat sold abroad. Buyers were encouraged by a display of strength at Minneapolis during the morning, continuation of bull operations in corn, dry weather and crop complaints from Western Kansas, reports of more or less flood damage to wheat acreage in Ohio and the B. W. Snow April crop estimate placing average condition lower than expected at 87.6. Cash wheat was steady.

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Lists various wheat options like May, July, Sept., etc.

### GRAIN FLASHES.

Minneapolis—Fairly good volume of business at the opening. Cash market, good demand for top grades; mill feed still slow.  
Kansas City says—Some buying of our May wheat by exporting houses; looks like sales been made over night, but not confirm.  
Paris—Wheat opened unchanged to 1/2 lower.  
New York—World's takings of cotton, 270,000 bales, against 27,000 last year.  
New York wired that there had been sales of 40 loads of Manitoba wheat for opening of navigation.  
Peoria—Cash corn unchanged to 1/2 higher; oats unchanged 1/2 up.  
New York—C. & O. gross earnings up to the third week of March are \$1,417,000 ahead of last year. There is no reason to anticipate any change in the current five per cent dividend rate at this time.  
London Copper close—Spots, 68 1/2 s. sd. up to 3d. sales 500; futures, 68 s. sd. off to 3d. sales \$1,400 tons.  
New York—Erie February increase, gross, \$12,312; operating income increase, \$137,192.

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### DEVELOPMENT LEAGUE OFFICERS ELECTED

Annual Meeting Held in Board of Trade Rooms Yesterday

At the annual meeting of the Vancouver Island Development League, held in the Board of Trade rooms yesterday afternoon, Simon Letser was unanimously re-elected to the presidency, in recognition of his untiring devotion to the interests of the league and manner in which he has furthered its activities.

Beaumont Boggs and W. J. Sutton were elected first and second vice-presidents respectively, and J. H. Kingham, treasurer. Ernest McGaffey was re-elected secretary, the president in the course of his speech, and Mr. Shallcross taking occasion to pay tributes to the work he has done, as also did J. L. Beckwith.

The following were elected to the executive committee, the Real Estate Exchange and the Progressive Club being represented in return for their co-operation in the publicity work of the organization: J. L. Beckwith, Dr. Tolmie, Hutchison, Randolph Stuart, Col. Prior, J. J. Shallcross, C. H. Lugin, G. Wilson, Douglas and R. Perry. All these nominations were made unanimous.

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### INCREASE AMUSEMENTS OF VICTORIA CITIZENS

Council Members in Session This Morning; Chairman Inspects Stadacona Park

The major and majority of the members of the city council were in session this morning on the question of providing additional accommodation in the parks for amusements. The subject was strongly urged upon Alderman Dilworth on Monday at the council meeting. After a brief discussion today it was decided that Alderman Dilworth, as chairman of the committee, should visit Stadacona park. This he subsequently did with the park superintendent.

It is probable that North Ward park will be recommended to the city council for entertainment, owing to its open character and convenience to the city. Stadacona park is more bushy in character and will require some attention before being thrown open for entertainment of this character.

At the council meeting this evening Alderman Gleason, chairman of the finance committee, will be in a position to reintroduce the expenditure by-law, which was withdrawn on Monday for amendment. In this connection Alderman McNeil has a notice of motion with regard to appointing the finance committee as a committee to regrade the staff and to present recommendations to the council on the best basis of paying the officials remuneration adequate to their several capacities, which would, it is expected, relieve the feeling which undoubtedly exists in some of the departments that at present discrimination prevails.

The members of the court of revision on local improvement assessments met this morning and passed, with only one slight alteration, twenty-three local improvement by-laws.

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### PORT OF VICTORIA HAS PHENOMENAL YEAR

Wonderful Growth of Customs Returns Shown by Fiscal Statement for 1912-13

The wonderful growth of the customs returns for the port of Victoria during the fiscal year, which ended on March 31, testifies perhaps more than anything else could to the growing importance of the capital city of British Columbia in this respect, an increase of nearly two-thirds of a million dollars having taken place over the fiscal year ending March 31, 1912. As evidence of the phenomenal business which is done with the China ports it is sufficient to state that the customs in connection with that Oriental country have amounted to no less than \$1,552,902, while a comparison of the figures month by month with the previous year shows a steady and consistent increase. The totals for the year 1912-13 show for the port of Victoria proper, the sum of \$2,609,372.22; out-ports, \$10,125.33; grand total, \$2,619,397.55. For 1911-12, for the port of Victoria, \$1,977,683.46; out-ports, \$7,310.16; grand total, \$1,984,993.62. Total increase of fiscal year ending March 31, 1913, over fiscal year ending March 31, 1912, \$634,503.93.

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