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OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP.

Large Number of Players Take Part in United States Golf Association Match.

(Associated Press.) Garden City, L. I., Oct. 10.—Play in the open championship of the United States Golf Association began to-day on the links of the Garden City Golf Club. The competition is at 72 holes, medal play, 36 holes to-day and 36 to-morrow. Of the 96 entries, only 45 are amateurs, but among them are three former amateur champions, Walter J. Travis, T. H. Harrison and Charles Macdonald. Of the professionals, Willie Anderson, of Montclair, N. J., the present open champion, is playing with Arthur W. Penn, of Poland Springs, Maine. Alec Smith, of Nassau, who was beaten by Anderson in the play of last year, is paired with Travis Brown, of Boston, some time open champion of Great Britain.

DESTROYER DAMAGED.

Collision Between Atlantic Liner and the Wizard—Latter Narrowly Escaped Going to Bottom.

(Associated Press.) London, Oct. 10.—Reeders sinking the British steamer Robert Ingham on Wednesday off Beachy Head, with the loss of two lives, the Kron Prinz Wilhelm's steamer, the Kron Prinz Wilhelm narrowly missed sending the British torpedo boat destroyer Wizard to the bottom. As it is, the Wizard has been docked with her bows twisted and other injuries.

On Wednesday the Wizard was steaming up Southampton waters at a speed of 12 knots when she was overhauled by the Kron Prinz Wilhelm, which was going at an estimated speed of 18 knots. The Wizard did her best to avoid the liner, but found herself under the Kron Prinz Wilhelm's quarter and collided with her. In attempting to clear the steamer the Wizard listed, and much water poured through her ports. Her officers and crew, numbering between 50 and 60 men, were for a minute or two in the greatest peril, but she righted and cleared the Kron Prinz Wilhelm. It was then found that her bows were badly twisted and buckled, and that she had sustained other injuries which necessitated going immediately into dock.

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LONDON'S PORT.

Conference to Be Held at the Mansion House to Consider Improvements. (Associated Press.) London, Oct. 10.—There seems at last to be some real prospect of London's out-of-date port being taken in hand by practical men of business, with a view of remedying its glaring deficiencies. Urged by a requisition signed by the Rothschilds, J. P. Morgan & Co., the Atlantic Transport Co., the Harbours and Rivers Commission, and Lord Mayor Dimsdale has summoned a conference to take place at the Mansion House on October 21st, with the object of laying before the government some practical measure for the improvement of the port. Among the proposals which are attracting attention is the abandonment of all the present dock and wharf system on which the recent dock commission proposed to spend \$160,000,000, and the converting of six or seven miles of river into a vast tidal dock, furnishing ample room for all kinds of craft.

CABINET MEETING.

Question of Reducing Soft Coal Rates on Intercolonial May Be Discussed. (Special to the Times.) Ottawa, Oct. 10.—The cabinet will meet this afternoon and will probably discuss a reduction of soft coal rates on the Intercolonial, but no action will be taken without first communicating with Hon. A. G. Blair.

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SUGGESTS TIE UP OF ALL THE MINES

PROPOSAL SUBMITTED BY WESTERN FEDERATION

They Are Ready to Call Out Miners in the West, Northwest and Canada.

(Associated Press.) Denver, Oct. 10.—Telegrams have passed between the Western Federation and President Mitchell, looking to a tie up of all mines in the United States and Canada. The telegram of President Moyer and Secretary Haywood, of the Western Federation, read: "Exigencies demand that no coal of any kind be mined in the United States until the anthracite strike is won. The Western Federation of Miners will co-operate to this end."

Mr. Mitchell responded: "Telegram received. I shall give careful consideration to your suggestion. Many thanks for the proffer of co-operation and assistance." "The significance of this correspondence," said President Moyer, "is far reaching. It means that if President Mitchell will call out all his men in every soft and hard coal mine in this country and Canada, the Western Federation will immediately co-operate with them and withdraw every man we have in the coal mines of the West, Northwest and Canada. And this will mean that the stubborn mine operators in Pennsylvania will have to bring the long strike to an end or the people throughout the country will know the reason why. This is the only way to end the trouble."

The New York Conference. New York, Oct. 10.—Senator Platt said this morning that the strike conference between senators and operators would be resumed at 10 o'clock this morning. The senators refused to say anything about the probable outcome of the conference, but added that a report of J. Pierpont Morgan would possibly be presented at to-day's conference.

Will Not Talk. New York, Oct. 10.—The conference at Senator Platt's office came to an end just after one o'clock.

Governor O'Dell, the first person to emerge, said in reply to questions: "There is not a word to be said." Senator Platt, when seen, said: "Everything has been put over until Tuesday." Senators Quay and Penrose left, each carrying a handbag. The only thing they would say was that they were going to Philadelphia. It is the general understanding that the conference was unproductive of any definite results.

Consults Commissioner. Washington, Oct. 10.—President Roosevelt consulted with Commissioner of Labor Wright to-day. The President spoke of the great seriousness of the strike situation, but did not intimate what further steps he might take looking to a settlement. He inquired about the Arbitration Act, of 1888, to satisfy himself that it applied only to common carriers and not industrial corporations, and after Mr. Wright had explained the law the President appeared convinced that there was no chance for interference through its instrumentality.

There is a hint that the President will appoint a commission as suggested by him to Mr. Mitchell, if a settlement fails, with a view to a thorough investigation on the whole subject of strike and to securing data upon which to base recommendations to Congress, but this cannot be verified. It is said it was not broached at the conference with Mr. Wright.

Schools Closed. Schenectady, N. Y., Oct. 10.—The 4,000 pupils in the public schools in this city were sent home to-day by their respective teachers, because of the coal supply giving out.

Amunition Seized. Scranton, Pa., Oct. 9.—One thousand rounds of ammunition were seized and confiscated at the Delaware & Hudson freight station in Oilphant to-day, by order of Col. Waters, of the 13th regiment. This makes 2,500 rounds of ammunition, which have been confiscated in the anthracite district guarded by Col. Waters within the past two weeks. The ammunition was consigned to Bastiano Passana, a leader among the Cicilians. Passana was placed under arrest as he was about to sign a receipt for and remove the ammunition from the freight station.

Guarded by Troops. Shamokin, Pa., Oct. 10.—A Reading company coal and iron policeman and four non-unionists were driven from town to-day to the Henry Clay shaft, when a crowd stoned them. The policeman fired at the crowd, while a Hungarian emptied a shot-gun at the policeman. Two companies of the 10th Infantry then put the crowd to flight, whereupon the non-unionists went to work. All of the leading collieries in this vicinity were guarded by troops all night.

New Coal Supply. Cleveland, Ohio, Oct. 10.—By early next week the coal mines along the Lake Erie, Alliance & Wheeling Railroad will be opened to send coal to this city. The road will open a territory of 70,000 acres of coal land. The completion of the road

from Bergholz to Dillon valley makes the new coal supply available.

Fuel For the Poor. New York, Oct. 10.—The first of the stations for the distribution of coal to the poor was opened to-day at the yards of a coal dealer. The opening of the stations is the result of a conference of coal dealers and several of the coal carrying railroads, at which it was agreed to sell coal, in pallets full, at fifteen cents the pallet, but only to the very poor.

Operators' Action. New York, Oct. 10.—David Wilcox, vice-president and counsel for the D. & H. Railway Company, and one of those present at the recent conference called by President Roosevelt at Washington, has sent to President Roosevelt a letter demanding that the Federal government proceed against the miners' organization in the courts on the grounds that it is a conspiracy to prevent interstate commerce. Mr. Wilcox, it is said, on authority, represents all the coal operators in this action, and was selected as their spokesman.

TROUBLE WITH INDIANS. They Shot Game Warden and Are Apparently Preparing For a Fight. (Associated Press.) Denver, Col., Oct. 10.—The authentic news of the shooting of Game Warden Harris by Indians has been received in the following dispatch to the governor: "Had some trouble with Indians. I am slightly wounded." The wounding of Mr. Harris has greatly excited the settlers in the vicinity of Rangely, where the shooting occurred. A special messenger from Meeker reports that about 40 Utes have been in the vicinity of Rangely for some days slaughtering game. He says that since the fight with Harris, the bucks have sent their squaws and papooses back to the reservation, which is taken to mean that they intend to fight. Many of the settlers, feeling certain that there will be trouble, have sent their families to Meeker.

BEATEN TO DEATH. Youth Murdered His Mother and Sister With an Axe—Four Others Fatally Injured. (Associated Press.) Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 10.—While laboring under mental aberration, the result of the strain of perfecting appliances on an air brake, Charles Cavley, a 17-year-old boy, of Homestead, Pa., early to-day killed his mother and one sister, and fatally injured four other children. He also tried to kill his two older brothers, but was overpowered and turned over to the police.

The weapon used was an axe with which he crushed and hacked his victims beyond recognition.

VICEROY DEAD. Tao Mu, Who Was Recently Forced to Resign, Passes Away. (Associated Press.) Hongkong, Oct. 10.—Tao Mu, viceroy of the provinces of Kwang Tung and Kwang Si, is dead.

Advice brought by the steamer Victoria recently, were to the effect that Tao Mu had been forced to resign and retire to private life by the bitter and determined attacks made up on him, by the eunuchs of the palace at Peking, whose hatred he incurred.

RISE IN MACEDONIA. Additional Turkish Troops Have Been Sent to the Front. (Associated Press.) Salonica, Roumania, Oct. 10.—In connection with the increased military measures taken by the Turkish government in view of the revolutionary movement in Macedonia, three battalions of reliefs have been dispatched to the front.

ALL WERE SAVED. (Associated Press.) New York, Oct. 10.—A fire, which for a time threatened many lives, occurred this morning in the six story building at 478 Pearl street, entailing a loss to buildings and contents, estimated at \$75,000.

ONE DEATH REPORTED. Annie Koehler Dies From Wounds Received in Shooting at Altona, Manitoba, Yesterday. (Associated Press.) Altona, Man., Oct. 10.—One death has so far resulted from yesterday's terrible tragedy here. Anna Koehler (not killed as previously reported), aged 8, being the first victim of Henry Towse's revolver. She died this morning after suffering terribly agony. Three others, John Herbert, 66, Abraham Rempel, 56, and Helena Koehler, 10, are at the point of death, and their recovery is considered hopeless. Susana Rempel, 10, is seriously injured, being shot through the arm and shoulder. Peter Koehler, father of the two little girls, is shot in the hand.

The murderer is lying unconscious in a drug store by a bureau in the back, watched over by his gray headed mother and a constable.

NEGROES LYNCHED. Newbern, Tenn., Oct. 8.—Garfield Burley and Curtis Brown, negroes, were lynched here to-day by a mob of 500 people. Burley on Saturday last shot and killed D. Platt, a young farmer, near Dyersburg.

ENGINEER KILLED. Tacoma, Oct. 9.—A broken rail wrecked a Northern Pacific freight train this morning at the western end of the Cascade tunnel. The engine was overturned and the engineer, William Mische, of Tacoma, was killed. Several loaded cars were piled up and the track was not cleared until late this afternoon.

HORSE RACES THE ATTRACTION TO-DAY

JUDGES HAVE NOW COMPLETED LABORS

Some of Features of Programme for This Evening—Association's Annual Meeting.

The ideal exhibition weather which is prevailing today is having its effect in increasing the attendance at the grounds and the gate receipts are to-day most gratifying. The judging was all completed this forenoon, so that visitors to the fair to-day and to-morrow may see the result of the judging.

This afternoon the attendance is especially large to the infinite delight of the board of management. The special attractions for to-day include the bicycle whirl, which will be seen for the last time during the exhibition. This is to take place at four o'clock this afternoon.

The Fifth Regiment band are in attendance this afternoon. One of the principal attractions of the whole exhibition commences to-day, being the horse races. This will be continued to-morrow, and it is expected that with such a strong drawing attraction as that which will be found in the programme of races the attendance to-morrow will exceed anything yet seen.

The races, which take place this afternoon, commencing at two o'clock, include the following: Trotting or pacing, 2:25 class, for prize of \$250; running 1 1/4 miles, Prince of Wales's handicap, purse, \$500; running, 3/4 mile dash, prize, \$200; running, horses foaled in B. C., prize, \$200; and farmers, race, 1 mile dash, B. C. bred horses, farmers or farmers' sons to ride, prize \$50.

This evening the Fifth Regiment orchestra, under the leadership of Bandmaster Frank Sampson, will give a programme of music from 8 to 10. It will consist of the following: PART I. March—One of the Finest..... Clarke Overture—Raymond..... Thomas Waltz—Baron's Lullaby..... Blanke Selection from "Jackie"..... Kobay Gavotte—Isa..... Morso Medley—Cheving the Bag..... Hodson Intermission. PART II. Selection—The Thistle..... Fuerner Medley—A Jolly Night..... Beyer Gavotte—The Magician..... Farrand Waltz—Baron's Lullaby..... Kobay Char. Piece—Passion Flower..... Sancho March—Our Bonnie Boys..... Arnold God Save the King.

By kind permission of the Savoy theatre, one of their best features, the great Leardo Brothers, will perform one of their greatest acrobatic feats. This will be an attractive feature of this evening's programme.

This evening at 8 o'clock the adjourned annual meeting will be held, when the election of officers takes place. It is earnestly requested that the young men interested in the perpetuation of the agricultural society's exhibitions should become members and attend this meeting. It will be held in the building used as a refreshment booth.

The Maccabee tent, the popular resort at the exhibition grounds, was thronged all day yesterday by tired sight-seers, over four hundred visitors being received by the busy and obliging Maccabee ladies in charge.

In the athletic exhibition given by the Victoria Athletic Club during yesterday afternoon the following took part: Messrs. Wriglesworth, Mellish, Milne, W. Braden, Johnson, Hill and Master Braden, who gives excellent promise of being a worthy successor of his athletic father. The work of these local athletes was highly creditable.

The Colonist Printing & Publishing Company have in the main building a very fine display of fancy job printing. Included in the display is a fine collection of the work done in the way of book-binding, etc.

Feb. B. G. Photo-Engraving Company have in the main building also a most creditable display. Samples of work in the way of photo-engravings, line cuts, etc. In the centre of the collection is a copy of the diploma which has been prepared by that company for the management. This in design and finish has been admired by all visitors and competent judges pronounce it second to nothing in its line ever produced.

For to-morrow the races will be the great attraction and the management is preparing for the immense crowd which will attend upon that occasion, when, in addition to this attraction, the visitors may see the exhibits with all the prizes attached and may appreciate the work of the judges. Last evening there arrived from Seattle a dozen additional race horses, so that the number now on the ground to compete for the valuable prizes offered is about fifty. With such stock the competition must be keen in every event. The complete programme for to-morrow is as follows: 1. Trotting or pacing, free for all, 1 mile. Purse, \$400. Entries—Marblemont, Prince Tom, Duke of Wellestun, The Frank, Barncle, Rose No. 2. 2. Trotting or pacing, owner (amateur) to drive; must be owned three months in province. Purse of \$100, to be divided \$50, \$30 and \$20. Entries—The Palmer, Stella, Dip, Fanny M., Lizzie E., Marquis, Victoria, Bella, Glenarry Patchen, Nellie McLean, 3. Running race, 1 mile, weight for age. Purse, \$200. Entries—John Chief, Barnsdella, Portier, Post, Dance, Joan. 4. Running race, 3/4 mile dash, weight for

MORE PRIZE WINNERS.

Following will be found an additional list of prize winners in various classes:

CATTLE. Class 14—Shorthorns. Bull, 3 years old and up—1, W. H. Lader; 2, Jas. Tamboline. Bull, 2 years old and up—1, W. H. Lader; 2, G. Sangster. Bull, 1 year old and up—1, W. H. Lader; 2, R. G. Johnson. Bull calf, under 1 year—1, W. H. Lader; 2, F. B. Pemberton. Cow, 3 years old and up—1, W. H. Lader; 2, Jos. Tamboline. Heifer, 2 years old and up—1, F. B. Pemberton; 2, Jos. Tamboline. Heifer, yearling—1, Jos. Tamboline; 2, F. B. Pemberton. Heifer calf, under 1 year—1, A. Monro; 2, F. B. Pemberton. Herd, consisting of 1 bull and 4 females over 1 year—1, W. H. Lader. Bull of any age, diploma—1, W. H. Lader.

Class 15—Holsteins. Bull, 3 years old and up—1, H. Bonsal; 2, G. T. Corfield. Bull, 1 year old and up—1, G. T. Corfield. Bull calf, under 1 year—1, Smith Bros.; 2, H. Bonsal. Cow, 3 years old and up—1, G. T. Corfield; 2, H. Bonsal. Heifer, 2 years old and up—1, G. T. Corfield; 2, H. Bonsal. Heifer, yearling—1, G. T. Corfield; 2, H. Bonsal. Heifer calf, under 1 year—1 and 2, H. Bonsal. Herd, consisting of 1 bull and 4 females over 1 year—1 and 2, H. Bonsal. Bull of any age, diploma—1, H. Bonsal.

Class 16—Jerseys. Bull, 3 years old and up—1, Jas. McCulloch. Bull, 2 years old and up—1, Jas. McCulloch. Bull, 1 year old and up—1, R. Grubbe; 2, Quick Bros. Cow, 3 years old and up—1, Jas. Richards. Bull of any age, diploma—1, Jas. McCulloch.

Class 17—Ayrshires. Bull, 3 years old and up—1, Jas. McCulloch; 2, A. R. Wilson. Bull calf, under 1 year—1, J. H. Lawson. Cow, 3 years old and up—1, Jas. McCulloch; 2, Jas. McCulloch. Heifer, 2 years old—1, Jas. McCulloch; 2, G. T. Corfield. Heifer, yearling—1, Jas. McCulloch; 2, G. T. Corfield. Herd, consisting of 1 bull and 4 females over 1 year—1, Jas. McCulloch. Bull of any age, diploma—1, Jas. McCulloch.

Class 19—Herefords. Bull, 2 years old and up—1, Kirkland Estate. Bull, 1 year old and up—1, Kirkland Estate. Bull calf, under 1 year—1, Kirkland Estate. Cow, 3 years old and up—1 and 2, Kirkland Estate. Heifer, yearling—1, Kirkland Estate. Heifer calf, under 1 year—1 and 2, Kirkland Estate. Herd, consisting of 1 bull and 4 females over 1 year—1, Kirkland Estate. Bull of any age—1, Kirkland Estate.

Class 20—Guernseys. Bull, 1 year old and up—1, G. W. Beebe. Cow, 3 years old and up—1 and 2, G. W. Beebe. Heifer, yearling—1, G. W. Beebe. Herd, consisting of 1 bull and 4 females over 1 year—1, G. W. Beebe.

Class 21—Polled Angus. Bull, 3 years old and up—1, T. W. Paterson. Bull calf, under 1 year—1, Kirkland Estate. Cow, 3 years old and up—1, Kirkland Estate. Heifer, 2 years old—1, Kirkland Estate.

Class 23—Red Polled. Bull, 3 years old and up—1, R. E. Barkley. Bull, 1 year old and up—1, J. T. Maynard. Bull calf, under 1 year—1, R. E. Barkley; 2, J. T. Maynard. Cow, 3 years old and up—1, R. E. Barkley; 2, J. T. Maynard. Heifer, 2 years old—1, R. E. Barkley; 2, J. T. Maynard. Heifer, yearling—1, R. E. Barkley. Heifer calf, under 1 year—1, R. E. Barkley. Herd, consisting of 1 bull and 4 females over 1 year—1, R. E. Barkley. Bull of any age—1, J. T. Maynard.

Class 24—Unregistered or Grade Jerseys. Cow, 3 years and up, in milk—1, Wm. Hodgson; 2, Jas. Richards. Heifer, under 3 years—1, Wick Bros.; 2, Quick Bros.

Class 25—Graded Dairy Stock, Other Than Jerseys. Cow, 3 years and up, in milk—1 and 2, Smith Bros. Heifer, under 3 years—1 and 2, Jas. McCulloch. Graded Beef Stock—Cow, 3 years and up, in milk—1 and 2, Smith Bros. Heifer, under 3 years—1, Smith Bros. Fat Cattle—Steer or cow, any age—1, Smith Bros.

AGRICULTURE PRODUCTS.

Grain. Wheat, autumn, 1 bushel—1, Mrs. E. Greenhow; 2, Thea. Clinton. Wheat, spring, 1 bushel—1, B. B. Moore; 2, B. Knight. Barley, chevalier, 1 bushel—1, McNeely Estate; 2, J. S. Shepland. Barley, rough, 1 bushel—1, W. Fisher; 2, H. L. Robertson. Oats, white, 50 pounds—1, H. M. Vasey; 2, S. Morley. Oats, black, 50 pounds—1, Thos. Bigger; 2, H. A. King. Oats, new variety, 50 pounds—1, H. M. Vasey; 2, A. Knight. Peas, white, 1 bushel—1, G. Banford; 2, Jas. Thompson. Peas, blue, 1 bushel—1, Jos. Thompson. Peas, grey, 1 bushel—1, G. Banford. Rye, 1 bushel—1, Thos. Bigger. Buckwheat, 1 bushel—1, Thos. Bigger. Tares, 1 bushel—1, Jno. Irvine; 2, H. A. King. Fodder Corn, 12 stalks—1, W. Noble; 2, J. W. Debalh. Turnips, 6 Sweds, for cattle—1, A. Knight; 2, Wm. Forrest. Turnips, 6 yellow—1, W. G. Henly; 2, A. Knight. Turnips, 6 white—1, H. A. King; 2, W. Noble. Mangold Wurtzels, 6 globe—1, H. L. Robertson; 2, G. W. Beebe. Mangold Wurtzels, 6 long red or yellow—1, Smith Bros.; 2, G. W. Beebe. Pumpkins, 2 best—1, G. W. Beebe; 2, W. Noble. Squash, 2 largest—1, James Bone. Carrots, field, 6 long white or yellow—1, W. Noble; 2, W. G. Henly. Carrots, field, 6 red—1, A. G. Tait; 2,

CONVENTION OF FIRE CHIEFS OVER

MARSHAL KELLOGG IS THE NEW PRESIDENT

Funeral of Late Fireman Lynch Took Place Yesterday Afternoon—Impressive Services.

A brief session of the Fire Chiefs' Association this morning terminated the tenth annual convention which has been in progress the past few days in this city. The meeting has been both interesting and profitable, and although the papers have not been numerous they contained much valuable matter which received the earnest consideration of the delegates. The discussions that followed the reading of the papers were interesting and instructive, not only to the workers of fire departments, but to the general public as well. Yesterday afternoon the association listened to a very instructive address by Rev. E. G. Miller, on "First Aid to the Wounded," a subject on which the reverend gentleman has lectured on several previous occasions. He gave a number of illustrations, which added to the interest of his remarks. At the conclusion he was tendered a hearty vote of thanks.

Last evening's session of the association was an important one, because of the election of officers, and the selection of the place of the next convention. Fire Marshal Kellogg, the veteran chief of Seattle department, was unanimously appointed president. He acknowledged the honor in a few appropriate remarks. The marshal is one of the most valued members of the association, his wide experience and recognized ability in the fire fighting line giving the weight of authority to his remarks during the convention. His paper on "Fire Prevention as Against Fire Extinguishing," which was read and extensively discussed yesterday morning, will be published in full in these columns to-morrow evening.

H. W. Brighurst, one of the most energetic officials of the association, was re-elected secretary, while Chief Perkins, of Nanaimo, was elected treasurer. The following were appointed vice-presidents: Chief Smart, of Calgary; Chief Roberts, of Ballard; Chief Kelly, of Wallace, Idaho; Chief Fox, of Baker City, Oregon; Chief Watson, of New Westminster, and Chief Chapman, of San Francisco. Olympia was selected as the next meeting place.

The members of the association yesterday afternoon took part in a sorrowful proceeding following upon the unfortunate death of a fireman. It was the funeral of the late J. F. Lynch, the victim of the deplorable accident, whose remains were conveyed to the Sound steamer dock, from whence they were taken on the steamer Majestic to Seattle, en route to Spokane. The services were conducted at the department headquarters in the presence of almost all the city firemen and the visiting chiefs. Father Kennedy officiated, delivering a very impressive address. His reference to the perils constantly threatening the fireman in his work brought home the conviction to each of his auditors the fact that it is not only on the battlefield that heroes are to be found.

The coffin was placed on No. 3 hose wagon, which was drawn in block. There were some beautiful floral offerings, among them a wreath from the Fire Chiefs' Association and another of chrysanthemums and roses from the Victoria firemen. The funeral procession was led by Fire Marshal Kellogg and Chief Thos. Watson, followed by the Victoria City band playing funeral dirges along the route. Then came the visiting chiefs on foot, after which was drawn the hose reel bearing the coffin. All the apparatus of the city, with the exception of No. 2 chemical, followed, the entire procession being mournfully impressive.

The cortege wended its way along Douglas street, down Fort along Government, down Yates and along Wharf street to the Majestic dock. The public entered into the sorrowful spirit of the occasion, and as the cortege passed heads were bared out of respect to the deceased fire-fighter. The pall-bearers were: Assistant Chief Prosser of Tacoma; Assistant Chief McDowell, of Victoria; ex-Assistant Chief Lewis, of Nanaimo; Capt. N. P. Smith, of the Victoria department; Capt. R. C. Pettigrew and R. C. Wood.

A resolution of condolence to the relatives of the dead fireman was passed during the afternoon session. The remains will be met at Seattle by Chief Doyle, of Spokane, who will accompany them back to Fireman Lynch's late home.

ACCIDENT TO LA FRANCE.

Steamer Struck a Rock in Lower La Barge and Was Badly Damaged. (Special to the Times.) Vancouver, Oct. 10.—Steamer Amur arrived last night from Stogway with 88 passengers and \$20,000 worth of gold. Amongst her passengers was Alex. McDonald, "the Klondike King." The Amur brought news of an accident to the steamer La France on Lower La Barge. The vessel had one hundred and sixty-five passengers from Dawson when she ran on a rock, and she had to be run ashore to prevent sinking. She was temporarily patched and finally reached White Horse with her passengers.

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WHARF STREET, VICTORIA.

LARGE CROWD AT FAIR YESTERDAY

JUVENILE VICTORIA WAS OUT IN FORCE

Athletic Exhibition Was Witnessed by a Big Throng—Bicycle Riding—More Prizes Awarded.

There was a big attendance at the exhibition yesterday. The weather was delightful, the afternoon generally recognized as a half holiday, and consequently the exodus from the city to the grounds was greater than on any of the preceding days. Besides, the day was Children's Day and juvenile Victoria was out in force. The schools were closed and the youngsters therefore had no shadows, such as punishment for truancy, hanging over them. Neither had they the uncomfortable knowledge that they must return to their scholastic duties to-day, because this is also a school holiday. It is also probable that the proportion of children at the exhibition to-day will be almost as great as it was yesterday. Next to a circus a fair is the most potent attraction for the young generation.

The athletic performance in front of the grandstand provided a very pleasant afternoon's entertainment. Members of the Victoria Athletic Club gave an excellent all-round exhibition of club swinging, bar exercises, tumbling and wrestling. The wrestling bout was between Wrigleyworth and Mellish, resulting in a victory for the former after a very scientific struggle. Following the athletic performance Miss Maggie Hill and Master Eddie Hill elicited the applause of the spectators by their clever dancing of the sailor's hornpipe and the Highland fling. The piper was Master Mackenzie.

The piece de resistance of the afternoon, the trick riding on the cycle wheel, by Messrs. Davidson, Young and Bird, then took place. It is not belittling the other attractions to give prominence to this event, because nothing like it has ever been seen here before. The exhibition authorities should have advertised this feature to the fullest extent. As on the previous day, it was truly a wonderful exhibition, and the daring performers were loudly applauded. The parade of stock during the afternoon was also held by a large crowd.

SOME OF THE EXHIBITS.
The interior of the main building presented an animated scene yesterday afternoon. After the attractions in Bowker park were terminated the crowd there surged into the big structure, some portions of which were taxed to the utmost by sightseers. For instance, the women's department was the Mecca of the fair sex, who found the splendid display there well worth their inspection. Even members of the sterner sex, who profess to have little interest in the beautiful handiwork on view in this department couldn't resist a glance which became eventually close scrutiny, and some of the men were found to be as deeply impressed as the most enthusiastic of the opposite sex.



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side, while the other half comprises a display of sauces splendidly arranged. Surmounting all is an eagle representing the Eagle brand of condensed milk, manufactured by the Borden company. The local agents are J. J. Shallice & Company, who have certainly produced an excellent display.

The old reliable M. R. Smith & Company have produced another of their tastefully arranged exhibits, almost in the identical spot occupied by them last year. It consists of a palatial house with imposing columns, ornamental coping, etc., etc. This structure is composed entirely of the product of this firm's factory, comprising biscuits, confectionery and other delicacies in neat boxes.

The B. C. Pottery Company have a representative display of tiles. In this neighborhood is the exhibit of the Royal City planing mill, an imposing affair composed of the product of the establishment it represents. Salmon flats, tails, doors and frames, make up an exhibit both large and striking.

Thorpe & Company have a veritable little paradise also in the easterly section of the building. A pyramid graces the centre of an artificially laid-out garden on which are placed ornate bottles of scented waters.

John Meston's exhibit of buggies and carriages, which is in the pavilion in the rear of the main building, is one which does great credit to himself and to the city. The most modern vehicles of his own manufacture are on exhibition. They are finished in the most up-to-date styles and are equal in this respect to the best turned out by other larger manufacturers in the great cities.

The Dominion Co-operative Building Association have a cozy corner on the second floor of the building, where literature is distributed and information given. A wonderful growth of clover from Clutha lake, Chilliwick, is exhibited. It is a sample of red clover grown by H. Frost, which reaches the phenomenal length of eight feet.

Geo. Carter's display of Oriental goods is a finished exhibit. Very tastefully arranged on the second floor, it affords a number of cozy retreats for the weary visitor and many avail themselves of the opportunity. The wares exhibited are of a very superior class, the finest of Persian and Indian manufacture being on view. No one attending the building should omit visiting it as it is in itself an education.

Skene Lowe's art exhibit takes up an important position in the north wing of the building on the second floor. It is complete with handsome specimens of all kinds of photographic work and altogether made a very creditable display. The photographic enlargements particularly were objects of much favorable comment and were admired by all who saw them.

In the mining and fisheries department S. M. Okell shows the merits of his patented mineral lined salting cans. The firm of C. W. Pike & Co. of San Francisco have acquired the sole right for the world of handling this product and orders are coming so fast that it will require three canneries to put up the supply next year. It is the intention to go also into the lobster packing trade later on. The first

A NEW TEXT. Southern Preacher Gives Food for Thought.

Coffee works in many different and unsuspected ways. Mr. E. L. Wesson, pastor of Baptist Church, of Sardis, Miss., writes: "I loved coffee from my infancy, and never knew of it hurting me until I was 33 years old. I suffered with headache if forced to do without it, and sometimes used it three times a day, but headache had been one of the ills of our family, and therefore I thought it was an inherited evil for which coffee was a special remedy, but about nine years ago, I began to suffer from sleeplessness, which continued until it seemed as if my nerves would break. I went to sleep, and yet I could not sleep. A friend suggested the want of coffee except for breakfast, which I did, and so found that I could sleep a little better, but my headaches continued, and my nervous system would sometimes seem as if the very fibres of my flesh were being within me. I went on until three years ago I began to suffer at night with an itching sensation on my limbs below my knees and on my arms below the elbows, and sometimes all over my body, but there was no eruption on the skin; the flesh was smooth and white. I consulted several good physicians, but with no avail. I had no idea that the coffee I drank in the morning caused it, but finally decided to stop coffee for a while, and try Postum Food Coffee. Wife made it according to directions, so that I liked it equally as well as coffee. I had no idea that it would relieve the awful itching which had been my torment. I would try it to see if there was any virtue in it. I had used it only a few days, when I discovered that the itching was not so severe. When I had used it ten days, my wife said, 'What is the matter with you? You do not seem to be troubled with that itching sensation.' I told her that I did not know what was the cause, but I knew that I was not troubled with the itching any more and was thankful for it.

I then went over to preach in another town, and while there drank some strong coffee, and the itching returned. When I came back home, I got rid of it using Postum again, and the itching ceased. Then I decided that coffee in some way produced the itching. I drink Postum three times a day, and rest as well as I ever rested, and never have headaches any more. I believe that hundreds of preachers who suffer from indigestion, nervousness and worry, would find rest and health if they would quit coffee and use Postum."

prize has been awarded the Okell process at the exhibition.

THE BANQUET.

Last evening a banquet was tendered the visiting judges who have been officiating at the Victoria exhibition. The banquet was given in the restaurant which is conducted by the ladies. The menu provided was a choice one, and the ladies were complimented on every hand for the preparations which they had made for the event. The chair was occupied by the president of the association, Mayor Hayward, with H. Helmecken in the vice chair. To the right of the Mayor sat Miss Ferrin, Hon. J. Prentice and A. C. Gully. On his left were Hon. D. M. Eberts, Hon. E. G. Prior, D. R. Ker and Watson Clarke. After having spent most of the afternoon at the grounds, the guests were well prepared to appreciate the excellent meal provided for them by the ladies.

At the conclusion of the dinner the president proposed that the business of the annual meeting should be disposed of. He outlined the business which was to come before them. The question of protests was to be disposed of and the election of officers should take place. He handed in as follows: Mr. Wilkinson against the decision of the judges for acting hastily; Fisher & Clarke against the decision of judges for best turnout upon the grounds that the harness and rig of the winner had been unclean; Mrs. Booth against the decision regarding a picture; Geo. Sanger against the award of the prize for two-year-old shorthorn bull; W. H. Bonsal against award for best bull calf on the grounds, that the prize winner was not registered and was over age.

It was decided to refer these to a committee to settle. The committee appointed was W. H. Hayward, F. B. Pemberton, Watson Clarke, S. W. Paisley and Mr. Grimmer.

W. H. Hayward suggested that as a committee had been appointed to settle the matter of protests, that the other business might stand over. This was agreed to and the business was adjourned until 8 o'clock this evening.

The toast list was then proceeded with. "The King" being introduced by Mayor Hayward, who in doing so said that they were proud of their King. They were glad he was doing as he said his mother. They were glad that he was resting again to his usual health.

After being duly honored, "The Lieutenant-Governor" was proposed; by D. R. Ker, who said he appreciated the honor done him in alloting such a popular toast as the Lieutenant-Governor to him. The Agricultural Society had a warm friend in Sir Henry Joly. He made a deep interest in such, and his Honorable remarks at the opening did much to show that money spent on agriculture was never wasted. He had taken a deep interest in the associated study of forestry.

The next toast, "Agriculture," was proposed by W. H. Laidner, who, in the course of his remarks, said he had seen agriculture develop in the province. Many products which were brought in were now being shipped out. They were fortunate in having such a climate as they had. He hoped to see the development of the railways. He had many times visited the exhibition at Victoria, and hoped to do so on many more occasions.

Hon. J. D. Prentice, in replying, said he was proud of the position of minister of agriculture. He was pleased to visit many exhibitions this year. This was not the least, but compared favorably with those in other parts. The fruit and vegetable were unexcelled in any other place. Perhaps in New Westminster these are better arranged. Nowhere was there the equal to the sheep found here. The cattle exhibit was much better than last year. He would like to see roots and vegetables given a more important place in the main building.

The government had done much to encourage agriculture. They had spent about \$1,000,000 in redefining land. The board of horticulture had also been provided, which did excellent work, and had by their work done much to keep out of the province fruit pests, which even Ontario suffered from severely. There was yet much to be done. There was further need of improving the dyking system, of encouraging the cleaning of land on the islands and inland, and of providing irrigation for the dry belt.

He called attention to the good work being done by the Voters' League, which, through the experienced men on it, had given the government much information. But that organization might gain much information in the government offices. They did not need to go far from home to find areas for settlers, but close to the city were good lands for settlement. In twenty years he believed fruit growing would be the greatest industry in the province. There was an immense territory in the Northwest to be supplied. They had drawn largely from Washington territory in the past, now they were drawing from here. Over 100 carloads were shipped East this year.

In respect to market work, L. W. Paisley had brought out pure bred stock which should have a marked effect upon the future of stock raising. In alluding to the progress being made, he referred to the fact that 10,000 acres were to be irrigated in the dry belt by a company which did not ask for any government aid in their undertaking. Hon. E. G. Prior, in proposing the toast of "The Guests of the Evening," said the guests were principally the judges of the various departments. He welcomed these men from Ontario. He was pleased with the new system of bringing in experts known throughout the Dominion. It had given more satisfaction than when local men acted as judges.

There was a removal of Jealousies. These men had given general satisfaction in the province. He was glad they were going to engage in lecturing throughout the province, as agriculture was the staple industry of the country. He was pleased to see many of the old pioneers here.

He made a complimentary reference to the ladies, of which the province was also proud. G. Clemons said it was his first visit west of Winnipeg. He was pleased with what he had seen. He had never seen better roots than in British Columbia. He intended taking a sample of them back to Ontario. He also referred to the good stock they had in the province. He saw the Clydesdale stallion horse, which he saw, take the prize at Toronto and Buffalo, and it was a honor to them to have such a horse in the province.

John Jackson was pleased with the chance to see this province. He had seen some of the best stock in the world exhibited. He was pleased with the fruit exhibit. He had seen potatoes which beat anything found in Ontario. D. C. Anderson said he rose with diffidence, as he heard they had some of the leaders of thought in the province here. He had travelled from the boundary of Quebec to the Pacific. He never seen such a prosperous year as the present. He was sorry that British Columbia was not doing much to increase the agricultural exports of the Dominion. The province was buying too much; British Columbia should be self-sustaining. In dairying and hogs they might make vast improvement. They now brought \$700,000 of hogs, and \$1,000,000 worth of pork products. He was glad the case of Ontario, which in 1880 had imported hog products in excess of her production to the extent of \$1,000,000. In ten years time this had been altered, and the province shipped \$13,000,000 worth out. They had as good men in the West as in the East, and in ten years he believed they could produce all their butter and hog products.

Mr. Gardhouse referred to heavy oats at Ladner, and was amazed to see at Salt Spring such small trees loaded with fruit. He praised the work of a live stock breeder in sending such a live stock to the East to purchase stock. They should pay more attention to getting first class sires. There were not enough of them in the province yet. L. W. Paisley was gratified that some of the stock brought out by him had been prize winners. They had in fact won \$700,000. He lamented that some of his best bred selections had brought low prices. He referred to the action of Hon. Mr. Prentice, who, though the sale was conducted somewhat against his wishes, yet rather than see them sold at a sacrifice, had said he would take them to the carload at its cost. He would take the whole of one or any number of the animals on these conditions. He said he was ready to take orders for those wishing stock, as he was making up another carload.

Mr. Cottrelle said that in Ontario they found necessity for providing finer quality of product in order to meet competition from other countries. H. D. Helmecken proposed the toast of "The Press." He was pleased with the work of the press of the city for espousing the cause of agriculture. He wished to make known now that there would be another fair next year in Victoria. He asked that exhibitors of fruit etc., should remember the charitable institutions in distributing the products which had been exhibited.

Hon. D. M. Eberts, in proposing success to the British Columbia Agricultural Association, said he had been at a meeting of the British Columbia where there had been some discordant elements. He was almost a pioneer, having been here twenty-four years. Referring to early exhibitors, he said to-day they could not find better buildings and ground for such an exhibition in any part of Canada.

Agriculture was the backbone of every country. He wished to have them drink the health of those who had done so much to forward the exhibition. He coupled with this the other agricultural associations in the province. Mayor Hayward, Watson Clarke and Mr. Robertson, representing the Islands exhibit, were introduced by Messrs. R. P. Rithet & Co., Pither & Lelzer, Turner, Berton & Co., and Hudson's Bay Co.

Mr. Cottrelle was called upon to propose a toast to the ladies, during which he said that if he were an orator he would speak long and loud on this subject. This most successful banquet closed with the singing of "God Save the King."

PRIZE LIST.

Followings are the prize winners on pigeons, canary and exhibit classes:
Class 49—Pigeons.
Pouters, pair-1, Ws. Hansen. Fan-tails, pair-1, and 2, W. Stonehouse. Homing, pair-1, J. V. Weston; 2, G. L. Milne; Jacobins, pair-1, W. Stonehouse; 2, G. L. Milne; Magpies, pair-1, 2, G. L. Milne; Owls, pair-1, G. L. Milne; 2, W. Stonehouse. Dragons, pair-1, G. L. Milne. Rollers, pair-1 and 2, W. Stonehouse. Archangels, pair-1, G. L. Milne. Homers, pair-1, G. L. Milne; 2, W. Stonehouse.
Class 50—Canaries.
Norwich-1, T. Wilkinson. Yorkshire-1, T. Wilkinson. Cinnamon-1, T. Wilkinson.
Class 51—Rabbits.
Belgian hares, pair-1, Edith Reede. Common rabbits, pair-1 and 2, Edmund J. Wall, jr. Guinea pigs, common, pair-1, Edith Reede.
Particulars of to-day's proceedings will be found on page 1.

ORIGIN OF THE BANANA.

The banana goes back to the earliest days. Alexander's soldiers, as Pliny says, found the sugar of India sent in its shade full 10,000 miles while the delicious fruit; hence the name sapientum, given the plant, which likewise bears the name of Jupiter's fair daughter, Musa. Now, it has been shown that the banana is of Malayan origin. How did it get to India and South America? The nest of birds have home seed full 10,000 miles while the cocconut has floated well nigh the world around in the great ocean currents. But the cultivated banana has no seeds, nor has it a casing like the globular cocconut to float it around over the waters. Then it must have been carried by man, and we are willing to have you share the advantage with us. The prices run from \$3.00 to \$12.00. Weller Bros.

GAZETTE ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Thursday Proclaimed Day of Thanksgiving—Companies Incorporated and Appointments.

Last evening's provincial Gazette contains the proclamation of Thursday next as Thanksgiving Day and a public holiday throughout the Dominion, as already noted in dispatches to the Times from Ottawa.

The following appointments are gazetted: Henry Osborne Alexander, of the city of Vancouver, S. M., to be a justice of the peace in and for the province of British Columbia.

Alexander Lucas, of the city of Kaslo, mining recorder, to be assistant assessor and collector for the Slokan assessment district.

Gillespie Elliott Stephenson, of Queen's Park, to be a clerk in the government office at the said place.

Hugh Archibald Maclean, barrister-at-law, and Bedford Harold John, of the city of Victoria, to be notaries public in and for the province of British Columbia.

C. W. E. Browning, of the city of Skonon, to perform the duties of provincial police constable, to be a justice of the peace under the Marriage Act, and mining recorder, at the said city, during the absence upon leave of H. P. Christie.

William Simpson, of Ladysmith, to be a member of the board of examiners, under the Coal Mines Regulation Act Amendment Act, 1902, at the Wellington (extension) coal mine, vice John Cunliffe, resigned.

Thomas Henderson, of the city of Nelson, to be a deputy of the mining recorder at Nelson, for the Nelson mining division.

To be notaries public in and for the province of British Columbia: Robert Henry Pooley, of the city of Victoria, barrister-at-law; Robert Hodge, of the town of Fernand, barrister-at-law; and Edward Bellie, of Trout lake.

James Kirby, of Hazelton, provincial police constable, to be a deputy mining recorder for the Skeena mining division, with sub-recorder office at Hazelton, vice R. S. Sargent, resigned.

The appointment of W. H. Lilly, of Saanich, to the office of stipendiary magistrate, magistrate under the Small Debts Act and coroner, is cancelled.

Tenders are being invited by the lands and works department for the following public works: Court house, Greenwood; fish hatchery, Seaton lake; repairs to Inchoo Asylum, New Westminster; school house, Saanich.

The following companies have been incorporated: B. C. Metcalf Bolted and Bidding Co., Ltd., capital \$15,000; J. A. Kirkpatrick & Co., Ltd., capital \$10,000; Oulicheuca Coal Co., Ltd., \$1,000,000; Simon Leiser & Co., Ltd., capital, \$500,000; Taylor Bros. & George, Ltd., capital, \$75,000; and Vancouver Casket Co., Ltd., \$25,000.

Notice is given that the Alberta and British Columbia Exploration Co., Ltd., has ceased doing business in British Columbia under its present license, pending resumption of business in the same name under a new incorporation.

Notice is given that placer mining claims legally held in Nelson, Gont River and Arrow Lake mining divisions of the West Kootenay district, are laid over from the 15th day of October, 1902, to the 15th day of May, 1908.

William Bennett Hood and Minnie L. Aldridge, of Vancouver, fruit and produce dealers, have assigned to A. C. Ross, in trust for the benefit of their creditors.

According to statistics, Britons travel more by rail in their own country than in other European countries. For every hundred inhabitants of Britain there are one thousand nine hundred railway journeys made per year, which means that, on the average, every person makes nineteen journeys. The average Belgian comes next with eleven journeys, the German and the Frenchman average five journeys each, and the Italian shows his contentment with little locomotion by restricting himself to one railway journey per annum.

NOTICE!

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WHEN DOES ELECTRICITY?

At a time when electricity is rapidly transforming the face of the globe, when it has already in great measure annihilated distance, and bids fair to abolish darkness for us, it is curious to notice how completely ignorant "the plain man" remains as to the later developments of electrical theory. Some recent correspondence has led me to think that a vague notion that electricity is a fluid, which in some mysterious way flows through a telegraph wire like water through a pipe, is about as far as he has got; and if we add to this some knowledge of what he calls "electric shocks," we would probably exhaust his ideas on the subject. Yet this is not to be wondered at. Even the most instructed physicists can do nothing but guess as to what electricity is, and the only point on which they agree is as to what it is not. There is, in fact, a perfect consensus of opinion among scientific writers that it is not a fluid, i. e., a continuous stream of ponderable matter, as is a liquid or a gas; and that it is not a form of energy, as is heat. Outside this limit the scientific imagination is at liberty to roam where it listeth, and although it has used this liberty to a considerable extent, no definite result has followed up to the present time.—The Academy.

TIDE TABLE.

Victoria, B. C., October, 1902. (Gained by the Tidal Survey Branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa.)

Date.	Time.	Height.	Time.	Height.	Time.	Height.		
1	12:26	0.91	8:03	3.9	14:50	7.6	20:17	3.1
2	12:28	0.91	8:02	4.5	14:44	7.8	20:17	2.6
3	12:29	0.88	8:01	5.0	14:41	7.9	20:18	2.2
4	12:30	0.83	8:00	5.5	14:37	7.9	20:18	1.8
5	12:31	0.76	8:00	6.0	14:34	7.8	20:17	1.5
6	12:32	0.68	8:00	6.5	14:32	7.6	20:17	1.2
7	12:33	0.59	8:00	7.0	14:30	7.3	20:17	0.9
8	12:34	0.49	8:00	7.5	14:29	6.9	20:17	0.6
9	12:35	0.39	8:00	8.0	14:28	6.4	20:17	0.3
10	12:36	0.29	8:00	8.5	14:28	5.8	20:17	0.0
11	12:37	0.19	8:00	9.0	14:28	5.1	20:17	-0.3
12	12:38	0.09	8:00	9.5	14:28	4.3	20:17	-0.6
13	12:39	0.00	8:00	10.0	14:28	3.4	20:17	-0.9
14	12:40	0.00	8:00	10.5	14:28	2.5	20:17	-1.2
15	12:41	0.00	8:00	11.0	14:28	1.6	20:17	-1.5
16	12:42	0.00	8:00	11.5	14:28	0.7	20:17	-1.8
17	12:43	0.00	8:00	12.0	14:28	-0.2	20:17	-2.1
18	12:44	0.00	8:00	12.5	14:28	-1.1	20:17	-2.4
19	12:45	0.00	8:00	13.0	14:28	-2.0	20:17	-2.7
20	12:46	0.00	8:00	13.5	14:28	-2.9	20:17	-3.0
21	12:47	0.00	8:00	14.0	14:28	-3.8	20:17	-3.3
22	12:48	0.00	8:00	14.5	14:28	-4.7	20:17	-3.6
23	12:49	0.00	8:00	15.0	14:28	-5.6	20:17	-3.9
24	12:50	0.00	8:00	15.5	14:28	-6.5	20:17	-4.2
25	12:51	0.00	8:00	16.0	14:28	-7.4	20:17	-4.5
26	12:52	0.00	8:00	16.5	14:28	-8.3	20:17	-4.8
27	12:53	0.00	8:00	17.0	14:28	-9.2	20:17	-5.1
28	12:54	0.00	8:00	17.5	14:28	-10.1	20:17	-5.4
29	12:55	0.00	8:00	18.0	14:28	-11.0	20:17	-5.7
30	12:56	0.00	8:00	18.5	14:28	-11.9	20:17	-6.0
31	12:57	0.00	8:00	19.0	14:28	-12.8	20:17	-6.3

The time used in Pacific standard for the 12th meridian west. It is constant from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The height is in feet and tenths of a foot.

FEMININE CHARITY.

Maudie—I didn't see you at Mrs. Upperton's garden party last night.
Clara—No, I had made preparations to go, but was prevented at the last minute.
Maudie—I'm awfully sorry. But, of course, there had to be a limit to the invitations somewhere.

The Royal observatory of Greenwich, from which place longitude is measured, was established in the reign of Charles II. It was suggested by a celebrated astronomer named Flamsteed, and measures were taken under his superintendence for adopting the study of astronomy as a national object.

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DON'T MISS IT.
The little theatre in Dawson Hotel block, Yates street, is giving a creditable entertainment, and deserves the patronage of the best citizens of Victoria. It is most and attractive, and the programmes are excellent. The well-filled houses and appreciative audiences bear witness to this. The show is really first-class. See this week's programme.

—Capt. Troup's launch, the Kootenai, has arrived down from the Terminal City, and in future will make this her headquarters.

—Just received a shipment of Calcium Carbide, at Central Cycle Depot, Broad street. Agents for Rambler, Crawford, Massey-Harris and Bradford Bicycles. Thos. Plimley, Prop.

—The steamer Amur reached port from the North via Vancouver as this paper went to press. She will sail again via the Terminal City at 11 o'clock tonight.

—The Kinshu Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha line of Oriental steamers, left Yokohama for Victoria on the 8th inst. She carries 50 tons of freight and 20 Chinese passengers for this city.

—Entries for the prizes offered by the S. P. C. A. to expressmen, tradesmen and hack drivers must be sent into the secretary not later than Saturday, the 11th inst., after which date the lists will be closed.

—The lecture on "Scientific Socialism," which was to be delivered by Rev. Dr. Whittington in the A.O.U.W. hall tonight, has been postponed until to-morrow evening in the same place. The reverend lecturer will occupy the Metropolitan Methodist church pulpit on Sunday evening.

—There was a large attendance at the St. Barnabas church harvest festival last evening. The choir, under the leadership of J. S. Floyd, rendered special music, Jesse Longfield presiding at the organ in the absence of the regular organist, H. P. Johnson. The sermon was preached by Rev. C. Ensor Sharpe.

The barque Ando, one of the fleet employed in the coal carrying trade between this island and the Hawaiian island, arrived from Kahuili this morning in tow of the Lorne. She is in command of Capt. Murray, a son of Capt. Murray, and before proceeding to the colliery from here will go on the way for repairs. The Lorne takes the Pass of Balhama to Tacoma to-day. Capt. Cates states that the fog is extremely thick.

The aerial tramway from the Tye mine at Mount Sicker to Stratton's Crossing on the E. & N. is now in daily operation, conveying over a hundred tons of ore a day to the bunkers on the railway line. This is taken to the Tye smelter at Ladysmith, where it is roasted. The smelter is almost completed, and it is expected that the blow-in will take place on the 10th of next month. Fred. Sherbourne, the contractor for the Ladysmith and Crofton smelters, will leave immediately for Quatsino Sound to attend to the erection of one of two bunkers for the Yureka Mining Company. The bunkers will have a capacity of two thousand five hundred tons.

The visiting fire chiefs this morning took in Esquimalt, the navy yard and other points of interest in the suburbs of the city. They were all much impressed with what they saw. This afternoon they will be at the exhibition, and to-night they will attend the performance of "King Dodo." Fire Marshal Kellogg, of Seattle, who was elected president of the association, has returned to the Sound. Yesterday he warmly complimented Chief Watson, of the Victoria department, on the efficiency of his force, and the condition and character of the apparatus, and attributed the city's immunity from disastrous conflagrations to these circumstances, together with the admirable way in which the ordinances for fire prevention are enforced. It was to this that the good fortune of the city was due he said, and not to good luck.

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A couple of frogs have been found "imbedded in rock" during some excavations at Gadshead. Stories of frogs that have "lived" under such conditions for untold periods of time are common, but scientific investigation has demonstrated that the idea is a delusion.

—Rev. Dr. Whittington, late principal of Columbian College, will lecture on "Scientific Socialism" in A. O. U. W. hall Friday, October 10th.

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ADDITIONS TO FLEET
Schooner Alexander Comes Back to Victoria—Contract Awarded For New Barges.

The historic schooner Alexander was towed in port by the tug Albin this morning, and will be used in conjunction with the Pacific Towing & Lightering Company, of this city. She will be employed in the general freighting business, and will be operated in connection with two other barges, the contract for the building of which has just been let to the Esquimalt Marine Railroad Company.

The Pacific Towing & Lightering Company already own quite a fleet of freighters, in addition to the tug Albin. The Alexander is a four-masted schooner 180 feet long and 27 feet by the beam. She will be a very useful craft in the local freight business, but will not be employed in towing logs. The statement appearing in the morning paper to this effect is entirely incorrect.

The Alexander is a craft that is familiar to all pioneers in the shipping business on this Coast. She was built in British Columbia as a tug boat, and in 1876 began service. She was then a twin screw vessel, and is said to have been one of the finest tugs ever in these waters. Her hull was constructed at Port Essington, and was brought to Victoria to receive her engines. During her career she has been a most successful and reliable navigator, and has been in the hands of Capt. J. D. Warren, Jaegers, McAllister, Urquhart, Bendish and others. She was sold to E. Danahill, some years after entering service for \$15,000, and for many years plied in these waters. She was subsequently sold to the possession of Capt. F. P. H. Whiteley, who converted her into a whaler. For a time, too, she was operated as a sealer.

THIRD ANNIVERSARY
Social Re-Union of Members of Calvary Baptist Church Last Evening.

The schoolroom of Calvary Baptist church was crowded to the doors last evening on the occasion of the third anniversary of the pastorate of Rev. L. F. Vickers, M. A. The greater part of the evening was spent in social intercourse, a short programme being rendered during the intervals, and greetings were read from absent members. Short addresses were given by Pastor Telford, of Saanich, and A. W. McLeod, acting pastor of the Emmanuel Baptist church. During the evening a most able and witty speech, spoken of the happy relation of pastor and people during the past three years, was made by the pastor, and the members of the congregation presented the pastor with a well filled purse as a mark of appreciation and esteem.

Rev. Mr. Vickers made a short reply, and thanked all for their good words and tokens of appreciation. During the evening an address, accompanied by a handsome set of ebony brushes, was presented to W. Russell by the B. Y. F. G., of which organization he has been a prominent member for several years. The following programme was rendered: Instrumental duet, "The Missionary"; vocal solo, Miss A. Buckman; vocal solo, Profr. Fletcher; vocal solo, Miss Zoe Buckman; address by the pastor; reading, Miss M. Elderhill; vocal duet, "The Missionary." After partaking of tea, coffee, cakes, etc., provided by the ladies, the happy gathering dispersed.

T. W. LAWSON'S BOOK
Has Been Forwarded to Sergt.-Major Mulcahy From Boston.

Sergt.-Major Mulcahy, secretary-treasurer of the Victoria Yacht Club, has received the following communication from Winfield M. Thompson, of Boston:

A. Mulcahy, Esq., Treasurer and Secretary of the Victoria Yacht Club, Victoria, B. C.: Dear Sir—I am directed by Mr. Theo. W. Lawson, of Boston, to forward to you a copy of "The Lawson History of the America's Cup," which he trusts will be honored as a part of the permanent record of international yachting, with a place in the library of your club. The volume has been dispatched to your address with carrying charges prepaid, so far as possible. An acknowledgment of its receipt would be appreciated. With assurances of my respect,
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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Oct. 10.—5 a. m.—The barometer continues high from Cassiar southward to Oregon, being highest at Port Simpson. No appreciable amount of rain has fallen on the Pacific slope, and the weather is mostly cloudy, with fog on the Coast and fair inland. Temperatures are normal. East of the Rockies a moderate snow of low pressure overlies Manitoba and Keewatin; light rain has fallen at Minnedosa, but the weather is generally clear.

Forecast.
For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Saturday.—Victoria and vicinity—Light or moderate winds, chiefly northerly, generally fair and not much change in temperature.
Lower Mainland—Light or moderate winds, partly cloudy, not much change in temperature.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.20; temperature, 47; minimum, 46; wind, calm; weather, clear, fog.
New Westminster—Barometer, 30.24; temperature, 42; minimum, 42; wind, calm; weather, clear, fog.
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.20; temperature, 42; minimum, 42; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.
Barkerville—Barometer, 30.25; temperature, 34; minimum, 34; wind, calm; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, 54; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, cloudy.
Edmonton—Barometer, 30.22; temperature, 38; minimum, 38; wind, 6 miles W.; weather, cloudy.
Fort Simpson—Barometer, 30.36; temperature, 46; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, fair, fog.

City News in Brief.

—Priestly's Cravenette Waterproofs, 8 cases just opened; all marked to Sale Prices for cash. B. Williams & Co.

—Steamer City of Puebla will be due from San Francisco to-night. The Umattila, of the same line, will sail for the Golden Gate to-morrow evening.

—Ask your doctor about John Labatt's London India Pale Ale and XXX Stout. Eleven gold medals for its purity. For sale by Saunders' Grocery Co., Dixie H. Ross & Co., and Erskine, Wall & Co.

—Ald. Cameron has given notice that at the next meeting of the city council he will ask for leave to introduce a by-law to be known as the Victoria Real Property Tax Sale By-Law, 1902. This is an annual and formal proceeding.

—The first practice of the Columbias will be held at Beacon Hill to-morrow afternoon. All members and intending members are requested to turn out. The boys will put a strong team in the field this year. The first match will probably be held a week from Saturday.

—W. C. Searcher, of the New York Central railway, was in the city yesterday gathering views of the principal attractions of this city for reproduction in the Four Tract News, a publication that is circulated all over the United States. He obtained, while here a picture of the government buildings, and one or more of the city, in addition to a collection of the scenic attractions of the place.

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—There will be a general practice of the Victoria Rugby football intermediate and junior teams at the Caledonia grounds to-morrow at 2.30 p. m. sharp. The secretary is in correspondence with the Vancouver club for a game down here on Thanksgiving Day, therefore all members and those who intend playing this season should turn out for a good practice so as to be in trim to give the Vancouverites a drubbing when they come. There is every prospect of the cup being brought back to Victoria this season if the players will only practice regularly.

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HORSE RACES THE ATTRACTION TO-DAY

(Continued from page 1)

W. Holmes. Carrots, field, white, 6 intermediate-1, W. Holmes; 2, A. G. Tait. Cabbage, 2 heaviest heads for cattle-1 and 2, W. G. Henley. Kohl Rabi, best 6-1 and 2, W. G. Henley. Ball of hay-1, Sam Morley; 2, Mrs. J. G. McKay. Timothy seed, 50 pounds-1, Thos. Bigger. Collection of not less than 10 pounds each grain and grass seed-2, H. L. Robertson.

Potatoes.

Potatoes, best early, 50 pounds-1, A. G. Tait; 2, Jas. Townsend. Potatoes, best late, 50 pounds-1, J. McPherson; 2, A. G. Tait. Potatoes, new variety, 25 pounds-1, A. G. Tait; 2, A. H. Platt. Potatoes, 3 varieties, correctly named, 25 pounds each-1, A. G. Tait; 2, J. McPherson. Potatoes, best collection, 12 of each sort-1, A. G. Tait; 2, W. G. Henley.

Garden Produce.

Turnips, table, White Globe, 6 roots-1, H. A. King; 2, A. G. Tait. Turnips, Orange Jelly, 6 roots-1 and 2, A. G. King; 2, A. Wood. Carrots, intermediate, 6 roots-1, R. H. Mann; 2, J. Knight. Parsnips, 6 roots-1, R. H. Mann; 2, J. Knight. Cabbage, 2 best summer-1 and 2, W. G. Henley. Cabbage, 2 best winter-1, W. G. Henley; 2, W. Noble. Cabbage, 2 best red-1, A. G. Tait; 2, W. G. Henley. Brussels sprouts, 2 stalks-1, W. G. Henley; 2, A. G. Tait. Savoys, 2 best and largest-1 and 2, W. G. Henley. Onions, white, 12 each-1, J. Barrett; 2, Jas. Bone. Onions, yellow, 12 each-1, Wm. Hodgson; 2, Jas. Bone. Onions, red, 12 each-1, Jas. Bone, 2, J. W. Deball. Onions, white pickling, 1 quart-1, J. Russell; 2, B. E. Moore. Onions, yellow pickling, 1 quart-1, J. Russell; 2, J. W. Bolden. Peas, green, best dish, 2 quarts, in pod-1, A. G. Tait; 2, W. Noble. Beans, scarlet runners, best dish-1, A. H. Mann; 2, Wm. Hodgson. Beans, dwarf, in pod, best dish-1, A. G. Tait; 2, R. H. Mann. Beans, broad, best dish-1, A. Knight; 2, G. W. Beebe. Corn, table, 12 ears-1, G. W. Beebe; 2, H. M. Vasey. Beets, 6 best-1, A. G. Tait; 2, E. Sallie. Celery, 6 bunches best-1, W. Noble; 2, Wm. Hodgson. Lettuce, 6 heads-1, Mrs. Rebbeck; 2, A. G. Tait. Jas. Bone. Radish, best 2, for table use-1, A. G. Tait; 2, W. Noble. Squash, best 2, for table use-1, G. W. Beebe; 2, Jas. Bone. Pumpkins, for table, 2-1, E. B. Paul; 2, Jas. Bone. Vegetable marrow, 2-1, Stanley Creed; 2, Mrs. J. Sweetman. Tomatoes, best 12 grown in open air-1, J. W. Cooper; 2, W. Holmes. Cucumbers, best 2 grown under glass-1, W. Noble. Cucumbers, best 2 grown in open air-1, W. Noble; 2, E. B. Paul. Cucumbers, dish, for pickling-1, A. G. Tait. Collection of vegetables, distinct from any other entries, each kind named, all by the exhibitor, varieties to be correctly named-1, A. G. Tait; 2, E. B. Paul. Citrons, best 2-1, A. Knight; 2, Thos. Cairns. Melons, water, best 2-1, A. Knight. Kale, 2 heads-1, E. B. Paul; 2, R. H. Mann. Leeks, 6-1, A. Wood; 2, Wm. Hodgson.

Special.

Presented by C. Bazzett, Duncan-For the best collection of roots-mangolds, swedes, carrots and turnips-6 each, of five or more varieties, grown from seeds purchased from Sutton & Sons, 45-50-51, A. G. Tait. Presented by Messrs. Jay & Co.-For best collection of field roots grown from Jay & Co.'s seeds, silver cup-1, A. G. Tait. Presented by Canadian Bank of Commerce-For best bushel of wheat-silver medal-1, Mrs. E. Greenbone. Presented by Hamilton Powder Company-For best 50 lbs. of late potatoes, 1st prize winner in section 477-200 lbs. stumping powder, value \$12.00-1, A. A. Falk. Presented by the Colopist Printing & Publishing Company-For best collection of roots-the Daily Colonist for one year-1, A. G. Tait. Cattle Specials. Presented by the Dairymen's & Live Stock Association of British Columbia (L. W. Paisley, Chilliwack, Secretary)-For best registered bull, any breed-\$25-1, W. H. Ladner. Presented by S. M. Robbins, J. P. Naimano-For best exhibit of cattle, the bona fide property of exhibitor, who must be a resident of the province-\$25-1, W. H. Ladner. Presented by Beaumont Boggs, secretary-For best unregistered Jersey cow, 1st prize winner in section 100, \$25-1, W. Richards. Presented by A. W. Vowell, superintendent of Indian affairs-For best herd of five milch cows, owned by licensed milkman, \$20-1, Smith Bros. Presented by Victoria Farmers' Institute-For best animal in beef classes, \$10-1, W. H. Ladner. Presented by Victoria Farmers' Institute-For best Jersey cow, 1st prize winner in section 90, \$10-1, Jas. Richards.

PERSONAL. Mrs. W. H. Lyon, of Seattle, is here to meet her husband, who is on a business trip to various points. She is accompanied by her sister, Mrs. E. Roberts, and Mrs. K. Kubit, of Sacramento. They are at the Dominion. Dr. Dickson and Miss Dickson, of California, have been visiting Vancouver, are awaiting the arrival of the next south-bound California steamer from this city. They are registered at the Dominion. T. Tillyard and wife, of Calgary, are among the residents of that town who have availed themselves of the opportunity of visiting the Coast. They are guests at the Dominion. A. G. Long, of Portland, a dealer in fire department supplies, is at the Dominion. His visit was undertaken in consequence of the meeting of the firemen here. Major Jas. Sheppard, of Queenston, Ont., who is to deliver lectures at the approaching series of Farmers' Institute meetings, is at the Dominion. Miss R. Koelle, of London, Eng., is in the city, a guest of her brother, H. Vachell Koelle, for a lengthy visit. Alderman Morgan Harris and Henry McAdie, of Nanaimo, are attending the exhibition in this city. Dr. Doherty, assistant superintendent of the provincial asylum at New Westminster, is in the city. W. F. Robb, representing the Seattle Tourist Association, is at the Dominion. Geo. F. Nelson, wife and daughter, of Toronto, N. S., are staying at the Dallas. Mrs. G. E. Norris and Mrs. A. H. Mace, of Nanaimo, are at the Dominion. W. F. Robb, of Seattle, is registered at the Driad. Robt. Duff and John Duff, of Hamilton, are registered at the Vancouver. J. C. Simpson, of Vancouver, is at the Vernon. Fullerton, of Vancouver, is at the Driad.

RAISE THE STANDARD. To the Editor-The remarks in your paper of Thursday about the low standard of exhibits in the art department are regrettable, but well merited. The public need educating. This is the only way to raise the standard. What has been accomplished by the government schools of art in Great Britain, with headquarters at South Kensington, is well known, and can be profitably followed here. I would suggest that a commencement be made on the same lines-the expense would not be great, and after suitable apparatus had been obtained and the work fairly started it would be nearly, if not quite, self-supporting and the good work would very quickly be felt. Who, having time for it (which I regret not having), would call a meeting of those having the matter at heart, so that action may be taken at once? CORNELIUS J. SOULE.

TORONTO MINING EXCHANGE. (Furnished by the Stuart Robertson Co., Ltd., Successors to A. W. More & Co., Ltd., Mining Brokers, 23 Broad St. Toronto, Oct. 10.-The following were the closing quotations on the Mining Exchange to-day: Asked. Bid. Black Tail 11 9 Canadian G. P. S. 4 3/4 Cariboo Hydraulic 21 20 Centre Star 40 38 Fairview Corp. 13 12/25 Gold Crown 5 4/8 Grand Smelter 2.90 2.50 Iron Manby 10 6/8 Morning Glory 3 2/4 Morrison 4 4/8 North Star 21 19 Payne 17 15 Republic 75 70 Sullivan 8 5/8 White Bear 34 3/4 Winnipeg 4 4/8 St. Eugene 45 44 Toronto Sales To-day. Fairview-5,000 at 7 1/2. Centre Star-2,000 at 40. Rossland Sales Yesterday. Cariboo McKinley-1,000 at 21; 500 at 21 1/2. Centre Star-2,000 at 30. Iron Manby-500 at 8. Payne-4,000 at 15. American Boy-2,000 at 6 1/2.

OVERTAXED HOTELS. Strangers are Having Difficulty in Finding Accommodation in This City. Hotel proprietors have been put to their wits' end during the last week to find accommodation for the crowds of strangers pouring in to the city. There are in addition to those induced to the city by the exhibition now in progress, many tourists who might be described as belonging to the last contingent of the season. One hotel proprietor told a Times representative this morning that his "bus picked up a load of strangers last night for whom he had not the least accommodation. After driving them about town for some time he succeeded in placing four, but what happened to the others he does not know. The Tourist Association, however, are grappling with the situation. They have been informed of the fact that the hotels are overtaxed, and are preparing lists of houses through the city which will receive boarders or lodgers. These lists will be kept on hand for distribution in the Association's rooms, and will be given to all strangers applying for them.

THE COLOR OF WATER. It has been shown that the color of surface water depends both on the character of the neighboring vegetation and on the fact that the water remains in contact with it. Water near steep rocks, where there are few trees, will generally be below twenty units in color; steep wooded or cultivated slopes give twenty to fifty units; similar, but gentler slopes, from five to one hundred; and swampy areas, one hundred to five hundred, or even higher. Highly colored waters are more common in the Northern States than in the South. Colored water is gradually bleached by sunlight, the action taking place chiefly within one foot of the surface. The study of color in water is of commercial importance, because most people object to drinking brownish water. Hence, in a town water supply the color must either be removed or its formation must be prevented. The latter is often the most economical thing to do, and it may be accomplished by intercepting the water from the uplands and leading it into the streams without letting it pass through the swamps.-Success.

ARRIVED. French and Dutch Bulbs WM. DODDS. 207 FORT STREET. Please call for price lists. B. C. Agricultural Association. Annual Meeting To-Night, at 8 p.m. In the Dining Room on the grounds. All members and those interested in making next year's exhibition a success, and who will become members, are earnestly invited to be present. CHAS. HAYWARD, Mayor. BIRTH. BRAMNER-On the 8th inst., the wife of W. Bramner, Hillside avenue, of a daughter. MARRIED. HANCOCK-YOUNG-At Nelson, on Oct. 7th, by Rev. J. H. White, Arthur W. Hancock and Mrs. M. A. Young. GURDON-HAYNES-At Midway, on Oct. 4th, by Father Bedard, R. Gurdon and Miss S. J. Haynes. DEED. WARRINGTON-At Rossland, on Oct. 6th, Mrs. B. Warrington, aged 57 years. WINTERBURN-At Arden, on Oct. 6th, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Webster, aged 1 year.

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CHOLERA STRICKEN TRANSPORT (Associated Press.) San Francisco, Oct. 10.-During the trip of the transport Sherman from Manila to this port, thirteen deaths occurred, among them that of Major Charles Bonestel, 23rd Infantry.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. OFFICES IN BOARD OF TRADE BUILDING-Most convenient, heat and vault, low rents; also large hall. Apply Secretary. FOR SALE-White Shetland pony and cart. Apply 102 Fort street. MISS BEST-Phrenologist and palmist, gold medalist, 125 Pandora Ave. Office hours, 9 a. m. until 9 p. m. Telephone 7703. LOST-A roll of bank bills and tax account. Reward for its return to 84 Fourth street. WANTED-A full house at the grand concert to be given by the Choir of the First Congregational Church in Temperance Hall, assisted by Mrs. Gregson, Mrs. Lillian and Mrs. S. Brown, Misses Hicks, Sydney Talbot, R. Wilson, J. G. Heuman, Monday evening, the 13th. Tickets, 25c, can be procured from members of Choir.

Notice is hereby given by the San Juan Boom Company of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, that the plan of a proposed work, namely, the construction of a boom on Gordon River, a short distance from its mouth, Vancouver Island, British Columbia, together with a description of the proposed site thereof, has been deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate of each has been deposited in the office of the Registrar-General of Titles in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, and that one month after the publication of this notice application will be made to His Excellency the Governor-General in Council for approval thereof, pursuant to Chapter 92 of the Revised Statutes of Canada. Dated at Victoria this 2nd day of October, 1902. THE SAN JUAN BOOM COMPANY.

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