

MAY EVICT THE PARKS BOARD

ALD. STEWART GIVES
NOTICE TO END IT

Independent Attitude on Finance is Distasteful to Council.

By its declaration of independence on Wednesday afternoon the parks board, as re-constituted, may probably have hastened its own end. It was understood that a by-law would be passed, sometime within the next six months, abolishing the board, and substituting a committee of council.

A notice of a by-law to this end, to be introduced on Monday night and to become effective at once, is to-day given by Ald. Stewart, and he is keen on having it adopted. He takes the ground that the council must control expenditure and that the parks board cannot longer be allowed to dictate to the council as to the salary it shall pay its superintendent.

There promises to be a lively debate on Monday night. The council is practically committed to the abolition of the board at the end of the year, but several aldermen consider that it would be showing scant courtesy to the three citizens who recently accepted seats on it to turn them out so soon after, and to do it because they took a point of view which happened to be antagonistic to the council's view.

HARRIMAN'S ILLNESS.

Condition of Railway Magnate is Causing Anxiety Among Physicians.

Vienna, June 26.—Prof. Strempell, an eminent specialist in this city, today is on his way to Semmering, the mountain health resort where E. H. Harriman is staying, for a consultation with the physicians who are attending the railway magnate. According to reports that have been brought to this city, Harriman's condition is more serious than is generally known, and his physicians have exhibited signs of anxiety.

The peculiar stiffening and contractions of the spinal muscles which caused Harriman's recent and wearying illness, his ocean voyage are little improved. The physicians believe that while this condition cannot be cured completely, it can be much relieved. Harriman is submitting to a succession of electric and cold water treatments at Semmering.

SPENT CASH ON WOMAN, THINKING HER SINGLE

Now Swain Accuses Her of Swindling and Wants Ring Back.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Los Angeles, Cal., June 26.—Wm. Unkel, of Seattle, has filed a petition in the superior court here demanding that Mrs. Pauline Robinson return to him \$2,700, which he alleges he expended for an engagement ring and a trousseau for her wedding to him, and for other purposes.

Unkel declares that at the time the presents were made to the woman, her husband was living in her rooming house in Seattle. He followed the couple here after discovering the alleged swindle, and endeavor to get his money back.

The woman encouraged his suit, Unkel says in his complaint, and allowed him to believe that she was unmarried. After giving her a solitary engagement ring, trousseau and \$3,000 in cash to pay off a mortgage, Unkel says he found that she and her husband were living together in the house where he was a lodger.

ENGINEER VICTIM OF THREE ACCIDENTS

Scalded on Schooner, Thrown From Boat and Injured in Auto Wreck.

Santa Rosa, Cal., June 26.—Lying in a hospital at West Post, Chief Engineer Hansen, of the steam schooner Phoenix, is suffering from injuries received in three accidents that occurred in the short space of one day. His friends regard his miraculous escapes with awe.

While the Phoenix was proceeding up the Mendocino coast, the chief engineer was scalded severely when a steam pipe burst. Believing his burns to be fatal, the captain put into Hardy creek and the injured man was sent ashore in a small boat. A hundred yards off shore the little craft capsized and only after a heroic struggle was Hansen's unconscious body got ashore. After the unfortunate man was revived, he was placed in an automobile to be taken to the hospital at West Post. While speeding along a rough road at the brink of a deep gulch, the car leaped over the embankment, plunging 150 feet to the creek bed beneath. Three of Hansen's ribs and his right shoulder were broken. The car was demolished.

Hansen was finally delivered at the hospital, where the surgeons stated he will survive his procession of injuries.

DOMINION TRUST TO BUILD HERE

COMPANY OFFERS
STOCK IN VICTORIA

Permanent Headquarters in This City is to be Erected.

The Dominion Trust Company has decided to build a home in Victoria, where the business of the institution throughout the island will be centralized. R. C. Brown, who is at the head of the company's organization department, is at present in the city perfecting the arrangement for the establishment of the branch office here. Ald. Stewart, who has made the Dominion Trust Co. have made an enviable name for itself among the business institutions of Vancouver, an evidence of it being afforded in the great fourteen-story block which is now under construction as the company's headquarters in the Terminal city, and which is said will be the tallest and finest structure in the British Empire. The firm includes among the shareholders many of the best business men in Vancouver.

With the business well established in Vancouver, the company has made a move towards doing more active work in Victoria. In connection with which a special allotment of stock will be made for investors in this city. R. L. Drury, well known among business men here, has been appointed agent, and the sale of stock will begin at once.

The proposed building will be a substantial office block on Government street, and will afford, in addition to a headquarters in the city for the company's business, space to let for offices, etc., thus creating a source of revenue for the shareholders. Every dollar of stock taken in Victoria, Mr. Brown says, will be invested here by the company, so that in investing in the company citizens should have an opportunity not only of earning substantial profit, but they will be adding to the city's beauty and value.

"The motto of the Dominion Trust is has been phenomenal. In fact, its assets, the assets of the company very nearly approach a million dollars. The profits derived by the shareholders have been enormous, stock bonuses of \$45 a share being made in addition to the regular cash dividend of 8 per cent.—and these upon the original share of only \$25 paid up—on 25 per cent.—in six years. The growth of the company has been phenomenal, a proof that its business has been well conducted in each of its many departments, where none but expert and experienced heads are employed.

Mr. Brown himself has filled positions of the highest trust and responsibility in the leading London financial houses. At the present time the president, Mr. T. B. Mather, is in England making arrangements with large British connections for investment in British Columbia of old country capital, in which through the opening of a permanent headquarters here Victoria will share. Negotiations are also being carried on with certain large American land companies looking to investments being made in the province.

The Dominion Trust will undoubtedly be welcomed to this city very heartily, and may be expected to become one of the permanent business institutions of Victoria.

LUMBERMEN'S DAY AT FAIR.

Large Number of Events Will Be Included in the Programme.

Seattle, Wash., June 26.—More than 12,000 lumbermen and loggers from the 228 lumber camps in eastern Washington have already secured from Secretary Beckman, of the Pacific Coast Lumbermen's Association, badges for lumbermen's day at the A.-T.-P. exposition on July 3rd.

At a meeting of the committee in charge of lumbermen's day plans for the following events were discussed: Three lumbermen's floats to participate in the transportation parade on the fair grounds—shingle weaving, log rolling and hand-sawing contests at the foot of the pay streak. Entries for these events have been received from as far east as Denver, and from all over the northwest.

The lumbermen have arranged two baseball games to be held in the stadium on that day.

FARMER AVERTS RAILWAY WRECK

Finds Break in Track and Warns Approaching Train of Danger.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Aberdeen, S. D., June 26.—Had it not been for the presence of mind of a farmer, a Milwaukee passenger train undoubtedly would be a wreck just north of Redfield, S. D., and many passengers would be dead or injured.

The farmer, after discovering that a section of the track had been blown away, ran down the track last night to warn the passenger train which was thundering along at a high rate of speed. He swung his lantern frantically and stopped the train within a few feet of the danger spot. Railroad detectives think the track was blown up by bandits bent on robbing the train and passengers.



ANOTHER PILGRIM TO THE FOOT OF THE THRONE.

Hon. Mr. Bowser, Attorney-General for British Columbia, was presented to the King at yesterday's levee.—London Cable.

VIGOROUS ATTACK ON TARIFF BILL

ARKANSAS SENATOR
SCORES REPUBLICANS

La Follette Also Criticises
Taft's Attitude Toward Measure.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Washington, D. C., June 26.—Charging the Republicans with violating their platform pledge regarding tariff legislation, Senator Jefferson Davis, of Arkansas, to-day made a spirited attack upon the Aldrich tariff bill.

After scoring the provisions of the proposed tariff and the men who were identified prominently with its construction, the Arkansas digressed to say Senator Smoot, of Utah, alleging that he hadaped the manners and senatorial methods of the author of the tariff bill.

The Bacon amendment to the tariff bill, placing agricultural implements on the free list, was defeated in the senate to-day by a vote of 46 to 25.

Senators Clapp and La Follette were the only Republicans who voted for the amendment.

La Follette's Views.
Madison, Wis., June 26.—Editorially speaking, Senator La Follette finds many things to criticize in the attitude of President Taft on the tariff question in general and the President's attitude toward Senator Aldrich on the proposed income tax in particular. Under the leader, "Taft's Service to Aldrich," in Senator La Follette's weekly, issued to-day, the Wisconsin senator says:

"The President's recent message to congress was inopportune and not in the public interest. It would have been a great help to the band of progressives making a fight in behalf of the public interest, and for the maintenance of party pledges, had Mr. Taft seen fit to send a special message stating whether the party pledges were, in his judgment, being fulfilled by increasing tariff rates or by reenacting the existing rates, because, he it remembered, the President is the only one who has the final word. His approval or his veto decide whether the work of congress shall stand.

"One fact stands out high and plain above all else in the situation. The message came to congress at a most opportune time to serve the fixed determination of Senator Aldrich to defeat the income tax, and to aid him in passing the tariff bill with its excessive duties just as he wanted it."

The article says that the income tax was an independent proposition, and some of the senators who voted with him on the tariff refused to follow Aldrich's leadership against this measure.

"Mr. Taft had said in his speech of acceptance that in his judgment an amendment to the constitution for an income tax is not necessary," says the article.

"In his special message to congress

ORGANIZATION FIRST REQUISITE

LORD ESHER ADDRESSES
PRESS DELEGATES

Admiral Beresford Advocates
an Interchange of Cruisers.

(Special to the Times.)
London, June 26.—The Imperial press conference to-day resumed the discussion of Imperial defence. Lord Escher presiding. The chairman told the delegates he thought it impossible to be agreed upon a definite scheme of Imperial naval defence.

"If, however," he added, "you can agree upon a plan which will give you good sailors and good officers, then good ships, and the right type of ships are bound to follow. Your true guide will ultimately be not the British admiralty, but your own naval experts, who will have learned their lesson with the main battle fleet which will be in touch with strategic plans of the British admiralty, and also in touch with your own sentiment and needs."

The necessities of Imperial military defence, Lord Escher said, were summed up in the words: "Imperial general staff." He then urged the necessity of organizing the whole resources of the nation for defence, for in future victory would rest with the organized nation.

Lord Charles Beresford thought that the grave note of the statements in speeches during the conference was due to the fact that the nation was not prepared for defence. He thought that owing to the deferred liabilities and the things it would be impossible for Britain to maintain the two-power standard without the aid of the five sister nations. "Don't let us be in a hurry," he said, "but don't let us be too long. Let us meet together on the same platform and discuss how each can help the other."

Lord Beresford suggested that the overseas nations could do most by protecting their weakest pieces, namely, the Imperial trade routes. They should have mobile, defensive forces, and he advocated an interchange of cruisers, pointing out the pleasure it would be to British sailors to see a Canadian or Australian ship leading the line. He praised the personnel of the navy, which had never been better in the last fifty years. (Applause.) He then referred to the information which resulted in the dismantling of repairing stations all over the world. He suggested that the overseas statesmen might put those in repair, and concluded by declaring that when it comes to war the overseas fleets must come under the great strategic bureau, which will be at the admiralty, but was not there now. (Laughter and applause.)

Sir John French dealt with the Imperial general staff and its endeavor to weld together the scattered forces of the Empire, and he asked the delegates to use their power in furthering that object. (Hear, hear.)

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TWO RESIGN.

Lord Fitzmaurice and T. R. Buchanan Leave Ministry.

London, June 26.—The resignations of two members of the government were announced last night. Ostinately they were handed in on account of ill-health, but it is suspected that they were due partly to disapproval of the budget.

Lord Fitzmaurice, as chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, is succeeded by Herbert Louis Samuel, under secretary for home affairs, who thus is promoted to cabinet rank.

Thomas R. Buchanan, parliamentary secretary of the Indian office, is succeeded by the Master of Elibank, Alexander William Thomas Oliphant Murray.

PROBING MURDER IN MARYLAND

POLICE FIND LETTER
WRITTEN BY EASTMAN

Was Eye-Witness of Tragedy, But Took No Part in Crime.

(Times Leased Wire.)
St. Michaels, Md., June 26.—That Robert Emmet Eastman, known as Emmet Roberts, played no actual part in the killing of Edith Woodill, is the assertion he made in the letter to Winnie Bradcome, an actress in the employ of Klaw and Erlanger, that was found in the dead man's pocket.

The letter, which was made public from the man who was killed yesterday by a pursuing posse, and who was thought to have been guilty of the terrible crime, said:

"Winnie, take this money and go at once to McDaniels, Talbot county, Maryland, and claim my body and my property. My body will be there. The property consists of 22 acres of land and the bungalow; also a motor boat. Have a sale and convert everything to cash.

"I don't owe a cent except for a paint pump, which the firm of Shanahan, Wright & Easton will be glad to take back. It is not broken and is just as it was shipped.

"Little girl, I had no hand in that awful tragedy. I was there and removed the evidence after the two couples had fled. I did this for my own preservation, for I am haunted. The victim was my particular friend; we were well mated. I had known her but three weeks.

"We all, that is two men and two women from Annapolis, went to the bungalow for a time. Everyone got full except Edith and myself.

"Edith tried to win one of the girl's fellows. While lying on the bed she was hit on the side of the head three times with a full champagne bottle. She fell over on the floor, dead. The fellow was hit once and didn't come too for an hour.

"I was left with the corpse, and cannot take a chance for trial. Life to me is very bitter and I will pull down my shades and say good-bye. You can claim my property. Say as little as you can about it, but get it.

"I'm awfully sorry for you and my boy, and have been hustling madly to make your path clear for you, but fate is against me.

"BOB."

"P. S.—Take Penna. railroad to Easton, and change to B. C. & A. Don't neglect this for the property is valuable."

The police believe the letter is a fabrication to save the memory of Eastman and to clear his name. They are, however, searching for the alleged companions of the couple mentioned in the letter.

That Emmet Roberts, the man who was shot by a posse early yesterday, was Robert Emmet Eastman, is thought to have been established beyond all doubt by Louis E. Pedlar, cousin of Winnie Bradcome, who viewed the body to-day. Pedlar is a newspaper artist of Washington. He formerly was in the employ of the San Francisco Chronicle. He stated that he had paid many visits to his cousin in New York, and was well acquainted with the man who is said to have been the actress' intimate friend. Pedlar was certain in his identification and stated that there was no possibility of a mistake.

The coroner's jury will push an investigation as rapidly as possible.

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TRAP CHAMPIONSHIP.
Fred Shattuck, of Columbus, Defeats J. R. Livingstone.

Chicago, June 26.—Fred Shattuck, of Columbus, to-day won the annual grand American trap shooting handicap with John R. Livingstone, of Springfield, Ala., a close second. The men were tied at the conclusion of yesterday's event, and the match to-day was to determine the championship. Shattuck broke 20 straight balls, Livingstone getting a score of 19 straight before missing.

JAPANESE LEASE CALIFORNIA ORCHARDS

Fruit Growers Alarmed by Inroads Made Into Their Business.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Yuba City, Cal., June 26.—Orchardists of Yuba county are much alarmed at the rapid inroads being made in their field of business by Japanese. Within the last month several of the finest orchards in the vicinity of this city have been taken over on long term leases by Japanese orchardists, and the successful policy of exclusion to Asiatic growers, followed in this section for years, has been shattered.

Yesterday Charles Wilbur, owner of one of the most productive orchards of the county, was approached with a tempting offer for a long lease of his property. The man who made the proposition were Japanese who travelled in a luxurious touring car, and announced that they had been successful in acquiring, for a period of years, several of the finest orchards of the county.

HEAT DRIVES TWO MEN INSANE

ONE SLASHES WIFE
WITH BUTCHER KNIFE

Twelve More Deaths and Many Prostrations in New York.

(Times Leased Wire.)
New York, June 26.—Crazed by the terrific heat, Louis Looman attacked his wife with a butcher knife at their home early to-day and inflicted injuries that may prove fatal.

According to the story Mrs. Looman told at the hospital, after she had been revived sufficiently, the man has acted queerly since the heat wave struck the city. Soon after rising to-day, she said, he seized a huge butcher knife from the kitchen table and after circling around her, several times muttering savagely, he leaped and struck her between the eyes. The woman's terrified screams brought neighbors to her aid. Looman was overpowered and held on the floor until the arrival of the police. The man is confined at an east side police station, where it is thought he is hopelessly insane.

Another victim of the fearful heat, Francesco Sabatini, slashed himself with a razor early to-day. He lies at a hospital and probably will die before night. The man created a panic in the street before his home when he appeared in the doorway brandishing the razor and emitting maniacal screams.

Yesterday's awful record contains twelve additional deaths and more than fifty prostrations. Many of those who were overcome probably will die. The suffering was intense in every section of the city last night.

Rain, which fell during the early morning hours has moderated the temperature slightly.

Colder Weather Predicted.

Washington, D. C., June 26.—The United States weather bureau issued a forecast to-day predicting cooler weather for the section of the country lying east of the Rocky mountains.

This is expected to afford relief from the intense heated spell that has gripped the central and eastern states for several days.

CALL ON NATIONAL BANKS.

Washington, June 26.—It is expected that Secretary of the Treasury McVeigh will issue before night a call for \$25,000,000 of government money deposited in the national banks. At present there is about \$75,000,000 in the national depositories.

U. S. GOVERNMENT DECLINES OFFER OF LAND

City of San Pedro is Anxious to Secure Torpedo Station.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Washington, D. C., June 26.—It was announced to-day that the government will not accept the land offered by the city of San Pedro as a site for a torpedo station. According to the opinion given by the officials of the war department, the city had no legal right to make the offer of the land, nor has the government a right to accept it.

The tract in question comprises 145 acres of submerged land. It is thought that the effort of the San Pedrans to secure the torpedo station was a move that has been in progress for more than a year.

Shortly after the offer was made the city council of Los Angeles passed a resolution opposing the acceptance of the land, and lodged a formal protest with the government. It is thought that the southern California metropolis, anticipating future consolidation with the seaport town, wishes to reserve the tract as a site for warehouses and municipal wharves.

GIRL BURNED TO DEATH IN HER HOME

Brother Also Sustains Injuries and is Not Expected to Recover.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Los Angeles, Cal., June 26.—Because she tried to light an oil lamp with a lighted candle, Annie Vasquez, six years of age, was burned to death last night, and her brother to-day is expected to die from burns sustained while he was endeavoring to save her life.

Her brother, Petronillo, 14, was able to give an account of the accident between spells of unconsciousness. The little girl was lighting a lamp when the candle slipped from her hand and the lighted end dropped into the bowl, through a vent which had been left open.

An explosion followed, and the child was covered with blazes of oil that ignited her clothing in an instant. The brother, hearing her screams, rushed to her rescue and was set ablaze. Neighbors ran in and extinguished the flaming clothing, and the children were taken to a hospital, where the little girl died.

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- ALBERT SARDINES, per tin... 10¢
- VEAL HAM OR CHICKEN LOAF, per tin... 15¢
- AUSTRALIAN COOKED RABBIT, 2-lb. tin for... 30¢
- CALGARY RISING SUN FLOUR, per sack... \$1.75
- NICE ONTARIO CHEESE, per pound... 20¢
- FRESH ROASTED PEANUTS, per pound... 15¢
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- CHIVER'S ENGLISH MARMALADE, 1-lb. glass jar... 15¢
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The funeral of little Sophia Metro, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Metro, 508 Government street, took place this afternoon from the hospital and proceeded to Ross Bay, where interment took place. The orthodox Greek priest from Vancouver officiated.

A couple of young children had a narrow escape from death at the corner of Fort and Broad about 11 o'clock this morning. A work car, pushing two gravel wagons in front of it, was going up the street when they started to cross over towards the Pemberton corner. When they saw the wagons bearing down on them they paused irresolutely on the track. Fortunately the motorman saw them in time to stop and passers-by called to them to get out of the way, but their escape was so close that eye-witnesses got an unpleasant thrill.

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INTERESTING LAW POINT.
Right of Co-owner to Freedom in the Making of Agreements.

An interesting legal point arose in the course of the trial of Maunell vs. Enos, an action for specific performance, which was dismissed by Chief Justice Hunter yesterday afternoon. John Enos owned one-half of lot 46 in Alberni district, the other half being held by Mrs. George Baverochy. Enos gave Baverochy, whom he thought was the owner, power of attorney to lease or sell the whole lot. The latter entered into an agreement to sell to Stuart Maunell, but later the plaintiff found that the wife was the owner of the half-lot and a new agreement was made. Before she would sign it, Mrs. Baverochy insisted on getting \$10 an acre more than the price first agreed upon.

When Enos heard of this he refused to complete the sale of his half and the lawsuit followed. The chief justice dismissed the action on the ground that the power of attorney did not authorize Baverochy to make any agreement in which Enos would be tied up with his co-owners. The agreement lacked, as far as Enos was concerned, that mutuality essential to maintain an action for specific damages. It will be carried to appeal. A. P. Luxton, K. C., represented the plaintiff and R. T. Elliott, K. C., the defendant.

THE AUTO, WHICH THE AVERAGE MAN CAN AFFORD.

The conventional automobile—low-wheeled, pneumatic-tired, weighing ten or more, costing two thousand up, is rather an expensive possession. The man who buys one needs a substantial income, or else unlimited credit.

Where one man is willing to shoulder such an expense, a dozen would invest in a car costing \$1,000 or less, if they were certain it would be satisfactory and cost little for upkeep.

The high-wheel, motor carriage type, meets with the requirements of these men—doctors, lawyers, salesmen, real estate and life insurance men and farmers.

DECORATION DAY.

Knights of Pythias Will March to Cemetery To-morrow.

To-morrow is the Knights of Pythias decoration day. The members of Far West lodge, No. 1, and Victoria lodge, No. 17, will march from the hall, Douglas street and Pandora avenue, at 2 p. m. for the Ross Bay cemetery, where services will be conducted by Rev. A. E. Roberts, S. C. Larrigan, C. C., and J. Mathew, C. C., of the local lodges.

The Pythian Sisters will assemble at 2 p. m. and be conveyed to the cemetery in hacks. Members of the order and friends are asked to bring flowers and may leave them at the hall.

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SUNDAY CLOSING TO BE AGAIN DISCUSSED

By-law Will Be Reconsidered at Monday Night's Council Meeting.

On Monday night the city council will decide the fate of the Sunday closing by-law. Although it is a piece of civic legislation which has passed all stages in council, it is to be brought up for reconsideration at a motion of Ald. Humber.

When it was before the council on Monday evening for its last and most formal stage it went through unnoticed by six of the aldermen, some of whom desired to speak in opposition to the proposal. As reported at the time, Ald. Humber and Ald. Turner were very indignant with the acting mayor, blaming him for putting the motion without having called their attention to what was going on.

Some of the aldermen are entirely opposed to the extension of Sunday closing proposed in this by-law, and there is a likelihood that it will be re-committed, as Ald. Humber will propose that the restrictive clauses be struck out of it.

The vote taken on the matter by way of referendum at the municipal election is not thought by several of the aldermen to be a sufficiently definite expression of opinion to warrant the passage of the by-law. They point out that out of some 4,500 municipal voters the majority vote was 3,448, the school trustee vote was 2,242, while on the two referendums there voted 2,543, of whom 1,198 desired the passage of a by-law. There were 255 polled ballots and 1,990 votes cast against closing.

—To-night, Saturday, call and see the Pianos, Hicks & Lovick Piano Co.

ROMANO THEATRE

Modern House Has Been Fitted Up on Government Street.

The new Romano theatre, Government street, between Yates and Johnson streets, is now open, and has been doing a large business. Every seat has been taken at the evening performances, and the new place has become popular at once.

The best kind of moving pictures are shown at all the performances. The shows commence in the afternoon at 2:30 and 1 o'clock on Saturday, continuing till 5:30. The evening performances commence at 7:30 and close at 11 o'clock.

The moving picture show is augmented by illustrated songs and the Romano orchestra, which is a decided attraction at the new theatre.

The new moving picture house has been fitted up regarding expense.

AUTO BY-LAWS ARE TO BE ENFORCED

Citizens Must Sound Horns as Required by the Regulations.

G. H. Bernard, M. P., has been summoned to appear in the police court to answer a charge of non-observance of the automobile driving regulations. Thursday night last, it is alleged, he turned the corner of View and Broad streets in his automobile without sounding the alarm horn. He was observed by the constable on duty and a summons issued. The summons is returnable Tuesday.

BAPTISTS IN SESSION.

Financial Problems Will Have Prominent Place in Programme at Portland.

Portland, Ore., June 25.—Portland has surrendered to hundreds of Baptists from every state north of the Mason and Dixon line, and the army of invasion will hold undisputed possession until their convention, one of the greatest gatherings ever participated in by the northern Baptist convention, reaches an end here.

With Harry Pratt Judson, president of the convention and also president of the university of Chicago, in the chair, the first session was held last night. More than 1,000 delegates were in attendance. Immediately after President Judson called the convention to order, Dr. J. Whitcomb Broughton, pastor of the White temple, the church in which the delegates met, delivered the address of welcome. With the arrival of every train the number of delegates continues to swell, and it is predicted that 1,200 of them, with power to vote, will be in attendance. Financial problems that are worrying the convention will get much attention.

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Another Conviction in Connection With Disappearance of Company's Books.

(Times Leased Wire.)
New York, June 25.—Arthur P. Heinze, brother of F. Augustus Heinze, whose banking and copper operations have been the subject of investigation, was found guilty last night of corruptly impeding justice by his connection with the disappearance of the United Copper Company's books. Sentence was suspended until October 15th next, the court declaring that by holding this sentence over Heinze might be induced to bring about the restoration of the missing books.

The verdict was based on evidence similar to that which resulted in the indictment of Sanford Robertson, a former director of the company.

RUN OVER BY ENGINE.

(Special to the Times.)
Grand Forks, June 25.—A man named Lardeau, employed at the Granby smelter here, while getting out of the way of one of the dinky engines backed into the track of one coming in the opposite direction. He was run over and had one leg taken off, besides having his other leg badly bruised as well as his head cut. It is likely that his bruised limb will have to be amputated.

OFFERED MANAGEMENT.

Robert Leighton May Handle Vancouver Race Meet.
Robert Leighton, manager of the Victoria Country Club, has been offered the management of the Vancouver Racing Club, under the auspices of which it is proposed to hold a thirty-day meeting at the new Lulu Island track at the close of the meeting at the Willows.

Mr. Leighton leaves to-night for Vancouver to discuss the matter with the officials and may accept the offer. He will return here in time to take his place in the judge's stand Monday.

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Deputation of Delegates to Wait on Premier Asquith.

London, June 25. — The Imperial press conference met yesterday to consider the report of the committee appointed at its opening session to consider the matter of cable rates. Hon. H. L. W. Lawson presided. The chairman submitted the committee's recommendation, which urged the governments of the empire to increase their efforts towards obtaining a reduction in imperial electric communication and to ask Mr. Asquith, premier of Great Britain, to receive a deputation of leading up the different parts of the empire with a wireless service.

One positive result, said Mr. Lawson, had been reached. Mr. Baxendale, on behalf of the Pacific cable board, having stated that the board would reduce their rates on press messages by one half if the New Zealand government would do the same regarding terminal charges. It is believed, Mr. Lawson added, that the Australian government will do the same. Continuing, Mr. Lawson said it was the general opinion that nothing would meet the necessities of the case except a general reduction in press rates.

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It was resolved that the committee, with the addition of Lord Northcliffe, J. W. Dufoe, of the Winnipeg Free Press, Mr. Spender, of the New Westminster Gazette, Mr. Donald, of the Chronicle, and others should wait upon Mr. Asquith. The other recommendations of the committee adopted, Moberley Bell, of the London Times, pointed out that the concessions by the Pacific cable board would reduce the press rates from 1s to 3/4d. Mr. Bell added that the Canadian authorities would also be asked by the board to reduce their charges.

P. D. Ross, Ottawa, reintroduced his resolution favoring state-owned electric communication between Canada and Great Britain, remarking that in view of the possibility of wireless telegraphy he was perhaps making a great mistake if he used the words "state-owned cable." (Hear, hear.) He thought the governments of Canada and Great Britain should consider the matter immediately, as Mr. Marconi had informed the committee that morning that in August next he would be able to give a service of 15,000 words daily at half the cable rates. (Hear, hear.) It was state-owned communication, however, which would ensure a reduction in rates. Rates were kept high in combination. The representative of the Anglo-American Co. had informed Moberley Bell that his company was willing to reduce press rates one-half, but could not because of arrangements with other companies.

Mr. Fenwick, director of the Otago Times and Witness, Wellington, N. Z., seconded the resolution, pointing out the appropriateness of such a resolution coming from a Canadian.

Mr. Temperley, of New South Wales, said it would be the duty of Newfoundland to contribute to the cost of such a scheme.

Mr. Marconi thought it would be injudicious for governments to enter into a scheme of state-owned cables without first investigating the merits of wireless communication. The cost of equipping two stations for communicating over a distance already tested of 3,000 miles will be \$10,000. The speed of transmission at present was 25 words a minute, but by duplexing he hoped to make it 50. (Applause.) If the service increased his company would be prepared to reduce the cost of press messages to two-pence a word. (Applause.)

Kiffin Thomas, of Adelaide, and Thomas Cunningham, also of Australia, opposed the resolution. They pointed out the danger of cable companies also gaining a monopoly of wireless telegraphy.

Mr. Brierley, of Montreal, said this was very largely a Canadian question. The reduction announced by the Pacific cable board was the strongest argument in favor of Mr. Ross' resolution. They could not look for a reduction across the Atlantic under present circumstances. They should not pay exaggerated respect to the question of competition with companies. How long would it be tolerated for Canadians to pay five-pence across the Atlantic while Australians were paying twopence across the Pacific?

Mr. Dufoe said that what they wanted was a rate of five cents a word. If by wireless, well and good, if not then by cable. (Applause.) The shortest road to get that rate was by a state-owned cable. (Hear, hear.) This, he declared, was an imperial question in its widest aspect and significance, and while being tender towards vested interests, let them not forget the rights of the public. (Applause.)

J. A. Macdonald, of Toronto, remarked that he had no fear of socialism and no sensitiveness for companies either here or in Canada. The papers in Canada paid for all they got and sometimes for things they did not get. (Laughter.) He was prepared to vote for the resolution, knowing that the system of Mr. Marconi will probably be in full working order before the governments would do anything. It certainly would be longer than August before they got to work. (Laughter.) He agreed with Mr. Dufoe that this was an imperial question and remarked that every Canadian paper not entangled in some telegraphic company was in favor of the resolution. (Applause.)

Mr. Dufoe seconded the resolution. Mr. Temperley withdrawing at the request of the chairman, Thirty-six voted for the resolution and none against.

It was also agreed that the deputation in favor of state-owned electric communication with South Africa. He said the Union government would certainly give a subsidy for the purpose. This was also carried.

Mr. Nelson, of Victoria, B. C., then pointed out that Mr. Baxendale's offer depended on a reduction in terminal rates by the New Zealand and Australian government, and moved a resolution urging upon those governments the desirability of co-operation. This was carried unanimously.

Sir Hugh Graham moved a resolution concerning immigration. He said there was not a question of greater importance than the maintenance of British sentiment in Canada, which was the keystone of the imperial arch. The majority of the population in Canada was overwhelmingly British. Canada wanted good people from all lands, but wanted more of them from Britain. He announced that a serious effort would be made in Canada to commemorate the conference by organizing an association of leading journalists and public-spirited citizens to strengthen and stimulate the existing organizations in order that desirable immigrants may receive the utmost encouragement. He moved a resolution to the effect that the press should co-operate in the wise direction of emigration. (Hear, hear.) Mr. Macdonald gave the proposition the heartiest sympathy. Mr. Nichols, of Winnipeg, declared that the foreign immigrants in Western Canada as citizens were "absolutely all right." (Hear, hear.)

The resolution was carried unanimously.

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PREDICTS EARLY TRADE REVIVAL
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San Francisco, Cal., June 26.—That the country at large will experience a trade revival when the pending tariff legislation is completed, is the belief of J. C. Stubbs, traffic manager of the Harriman railroad systems, who is in San Francisco.

"All indications," said Mr. Stubbs, point to a resumption of every activity. Crop prospects are excellent at present and I anticipate much general development in the near future."

Concerning the relations now existing between the people of the country and the great carrier systems, Mr. Stubbs said:

"The greater part of the recent clamor against the railroads has died away. The railroads and the people now understand each other much better, and this is a condition that is absolutely necessary to proper and healthy development. Co-operation between carriers and clients is necessary to the greatest good for all."

Stubbs stated that the incorporation of the Southern Pacific company of Mexico, announced yesterday, involved two important concessions.

"The first of these," he said, "is one called the Cananea, Yaqui River and Pacific railroad. It extends from the Guaymas vicinity north to the border. The second extends south from that section in the direction of Cuadapalapa. The two concessions, if it is possible, will be merged into one 1,600 miles in length, under the title of the Southern Pacific company in Mexico."

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San Bernardino, Cal., June 26.—"Henry Grassmee died from shock, following violence, not from general paresis," declared Dr. F. W. Huff, of Los Angeles, on the witness stand yesterday in the preliminary hearing of former attendant Hans Berg, charged with manslaughter in connection with Grassmee's death at Patton hospital for the insane.

Dr. Huff flatly contradicted the testimony of hospital surgeons that Grassmee died of paresis and supported the post mortem examination of the coroner's surgeon at Los Angeles which was the basis of a coroner's jury verdict censuring the hospital.

The morning session was occupied in technical argument on paresis and its effects.

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A NOTABLE FEAST.

The "place de resistance" on the programme prepared for the entertainment of the delegates to the Imperial Press Conference was, we presume, the grand banquet given their colonial contemporaries by the newspaper men of Britain. For this feast, we are told, there were provided four hundred fowls, two hundred ducks, thirty turtles, three hundred pounds of salmon (of the only true variety), five hundred bottles of champagne and two thousand cigars. Forty chefs prepared the food, three hundred waiters served it, using ten thousand plates and dishes and twenty tons of china, glass, linen and silver. Making a generous allowance for the "sober second thoughts" of the day of repentance, isn't a contemplation of this most noble bill of fare sufficient to make the gastric juices flow in the midst of the fellows who had to stay at home and grind for the honor and glory of their preferred brethren? We suspect that under such auspicious circumstances the feast of reason and the flow of soul went off with a fine swing notwithstanding the unavoidable absence of George Ham, the brightest, the wittiest and the most genial press man of them all—still a newspaper man at heart although his genius has been delivered in bondage to a soulless corporation like the C. P. R. Yet far be it

from us to suggest that that most excellent company, representing the guiding light and the directing intelligence of the greatest Empire the world has ever seen, dined not wisely but too well. There may have been a time in the history of the profession the temptation to indulge beyond the bounds of discretion would have been too great to be resisted. But these old bohemian days have passed away forever. They live only in the history of Pemmids and Warrington. Leaders and specials and critiques and reviews are no longer ground out with wet towels wound around the head in the "cold grey day of the morning after." We venture to say that the forty chefs and the three hundred waiters, and sundry of their friends had a merry time over the fragments of that feast, quaffing many a bumper of phiz and blowing many a ring of smoke to the health of the abstemious craftsmen of the twentieth century, whose mission it is to instruct statesmen in the art of cementing together the loosely-joined members of a powerful Empire.

IMPERIAL PRESS SERVICE.

The business of the Imperial Press Conference has been practically completed. All that remains to be done is the presentation of the recommendations adopted and the conclusions reached in the form of resolutions, to the various governments of the different sections of the Empire. The chief end of the conference was to secure more effective and cheaper cable and telegraph communication between the Mother Country, the centre of the Imperial fabric, and the self-governing and remote portions of the Empire, the autonomous nations which in course of time must exceed in population, in wealth and strength the nation from whose loins they sprang. Consciousness of the possibilities of the future of these youthful nations is now the most prominent feature of the Imperial statesmanship of the times. The movement which took form in summoning a conference of the newspaper men of the colonies was one of the results of that consciousness. The idea behind it is through cheaper means of communication to keep the people of every portion of the Empire informed of the trend of thought—social, economic and political—in the Empire as a whole.

Although the conference has hardly completed its business, its discussions have already borne fruit. One of the cable companies whose exorbitant rates have been the chief obstacle to the transmission of press messages has signified its willingness to make a reduction of tolls upon certain specified conditions. These concessions, as we understand the matter, are corresponding reductions in the "terminal" telegraph charges—that is, in the rates charged on the Australian land lines, which are owned and operated by the governments. This system of co-operation between the cable companies and the Australian governments, it is interesting to note in passing, is charged with having militated strongly against the success of the all-red cable across the Pacific. Some of the most powerful of the Commonwealth newspapers are alleged to be deeply interested financially in the Eastern Cable Company and to be more concerned in the maintenance of an immensely profitable monopoly than in the consummation of the ideals of the more enthusiastic persons who advocate cheaper and better means of communication as a condition precedent to an Imperial news service. This view seems to be confirmed to the point of conviction by the fact that representatives of certain Australian newspapers voiced the only opposition raised to the most important recommendation of the press conference.

However these things may be, there is a strong probability that the scheme of an Imperial press service will be consummated. All the powerful newspapers of Great Britain are in favor of it. The leading journals of Canada support it with especial enthusiasm. The Australian and the New Zealand delegates generally endorsed it, although some of them expressed doubts as to its practicability. The representatives of the South African Confederation expressed a desire to be placed upon the circuit. Signor Marconi intimated that the wireless telegraph might be expected to tender for a share in the business at rates which will make the old-time companies gasp. When such a wealthy and powerful and influential combination makes up its mind that the thing can be done, there are good reasons for looking forward hopefully to a successful issue. But the task is one of great magnitude. Obstacles will be encountered. There are governments to be convinced, corporations to be conciliated, possibly monopolies to be overcome. The battle will be a fierce one, and victory will not be won in a month or a year.

CHUZZLEWIT'S EDEN.

We suppose everybody in these days of fiction's greatest popularity has read the story of Martin Chuzzlewit's visit to the United States and his real estate investment in the charming city of Eden. Or has the generation lost its taste for the works of real humorists and artists, wasting its time and undermining its moral health in devouring the offal set before it by so-called "problem" writers? Chuzzlewit is not the greatest of Dickens's creations, but his adventures in the swamp country of

the States and his creator's descriptions of persons and scenes in the land of the free are masterpieces of the pen. The publication of Chuzzlewit created derisive resentment in the minds of the American people, a vast number of whom were appreciative readers of his other works. To a certain extent the characters in that book are caricatures, as indeed many of the best of the great author's other characters are. But the truth is that Dickens held the mirror up to the eyes of the American people, and the reflection they beheld was not flattering. The novelist was truly grieved because of the offence given, and did his best in after years, both on the platform and in a subsequent work to atone for his all but unforgettable sin.

Discussing these occurrences of many years ago, the Boston Evening Transcript makes an announcement of a peculiarly interesting character; that the Eden in which Martin Chuzzlewit was persuaded to invest all his resources was a real "town," not a figment of the novelist's imagination. It says: "To-day we could afford to, and doubtless would, smile at and enjoy similar cynicism and humorous exaggeration at our expense, but then we were not half so old as we are now, and had not found ourselves. We were rather unpleasantly conscious of our provincialism, and it was easy to find the sensitive nerve. But Dickens did not imagine Eden; he found it, and fragments of it have remained after he has been dead for more than a generation. Says the Kansas City Star: 'The last logs of a cabin, all that was left of the "Eden" so graphically described by Charles Dickens, were washed away the other day by the muddy current of the Mississippi river, and not a vestige remains of "Scadler's flourishing city." "Even Scadler was not an invention. He has been identified as William M. Muldrow, a Missourian, who with much of the Colonel Sellers faith and even a larger measure of effrontery, undertook to make Marion City, as the real "Eden" was called, a metropolis of the southwest. It stood on a bank of the Mississippi river six miles east of the town of Palmyra and a few miles above the city of Hannibal. The log house just carried gulfward by the Mississippi was one of the last built by Muldrow as a part of the outfit to attract investors from the East. He even sold lots to such to the amount of \$150,000, considerable of it coming from emigrants intending to settle in the new country. At that time the foreign inflow was more willing and eager to spread itself over the country than it is to-day.

"There is in the clerk's office of Marion County, Mo., an old yellow parchment on which is traced the plan of a great city, with churches, schools, parks, wharves and warehouses. This was the way it was outlined in the fertile brain of its promoter, though it never passed far beyond the log-house stage and not many of them. A part of the plan was to make it the nucleus of a great Pacific railway system, for Muldrow wrote to an Eastern friend: 'Some day I will take a train in Marion City and in seven days wash my face in the Pacific ocean.' When his dream faded at Marion City he caught the gold fever and associated himself for a time with Colonel John Sutter, the first discoverer of gold in California. He died thirty-seven years ago and was buried near the remains of what he had hoped to make a metropolis. Probably Dickens little realized that he was writing a brief history of one of the strange processes by which the development of this great country has been brought about."

After a few years of experience we are not so sure that the people of Prince Edward Island made a mistake in excluding absolutely motor cars from that province. At the same time it would be too sweeping to state that all the cars in Victoria are public nuisances and menaces to public life. It is unfortunate that vehicles with such possibilities of usefulness should be brought into disrepute by a few lawless and reckless drivers.

An Imperial news service may now be considered one of the not remote possibilities. Government co-operation will be necessary, probably, and no governments will be able to resist the pressure a united press will bring.

"Anglican" is hereby tendered a humble apology for the published misconception of his domestic status in the community.

The Over Seas newspaper men are now reported to be quite convinced that there are some things in which the Mother Country has a slight lead upon the most progressive of her daughter states.

NEGRO LYNCHED.

Oklahoma City, Okla., June 26.—Sylvester Stennien, a negro charged with murdering a constable, to-day was removed from his cell in the city jail at Wilkerton by a mob of citizens and hanged to a tree near the jail.

COMMITTS SUICIDE IN HOTEL IN TACOMA

Woman Spends Last Dollar for Revolver With Which to End Life.

(Times Leased Wire.) Tacoma, Wash., June 25.—Mrs. May F. Weber, a beautiful young woman, after spending her last dollar for a revolver, ended her life this morning by firing a shot through her temple, after the first bullet aimed at her heart had failed to prove fatal. The woman, about whom nothing is known here, was alone in her room at a hotel at the time of the shooting.

SAVES GIRL'S LIFE.

Youth Leaps on to Runaway Auto and Turns Car into a Hedge.

San Rafael, Cal., June 24.—Miss Caroline Burtis, the 17-year-old daughter of a wealthy resident of Huntington, N. Y., to-day owes her life to Harold Gibson, a youth of this city. The two young people were auto-riding near this city yesterday when a part of the brake gear was lost. Gibson stopped the machine and after throwing his cigarette beneath the car went back down the road to search for the missing part.

A terrified scream from the girl followed by a whirr of the engine, caused Gibson to look around. Enveloped in flames, caused by the ignition of gasoline in the tank from the cast-off cigarette, the machine was speeding toward him. Crying to Miss Burtis not to jump, Gibson flung himself at the car as it flashed past him. His hand crashed through the glass front, severing an artery.

Flashed he held on, and finally dragged himself into the tonneau. The broken brake made it impossible to stop the car, and taking a desperate chance Gibson turned head-on into a hedge.

Miss Burtis was hurled 30 feet, falling in a grass plot and miraculously escaping injury. Gibson's injured hand was cared for at a local hospital.

NEW APPOINTMENTS.

Winnipeg, June 25.—G. Ford, superintendent of the Dominion Express Co. at Winnipeg, has been appointed general superintendent of all lines west of Fort William, and W. M. Gordon, local manager here, has been appointed superintendent of the western division, with headquarters at Winnipeg.

WELSH PICNIC.

Pleasant Afternoon is Planned For Dominion Day.

The Welsh picnic at Shoal Bay, July 1st, will be one of the principal events of the day. The prizes now total over \$100, contributed in goods or cash by David Spencer, Ltd., 119; Harris & McDonald, sack flour; Smith & Champion, furniture, \$5; W. McDonald, Douglas street, pair boy's boots, \$2.50; Watson & McGregor, \$1.50 penknife; James Maynard, pair boy's running boots, \$1; A. W. Knight, workbasket, \$1.50; Jackson & Co., druglets, perfumes, \$1.25; A. Petch, jeweller, watch chain, locket and brooch; Wilby, Douglas street, doll, \$1.50; F. Burns & Co., ham; Lilly, Douglas street, box candy, \$1; McManis, Douglas street, goods; Mr. Pennock, jeweller, goods; Hall & Walker, half ton of coal; Hub cigar store, pipe, \$2.50; B. Williams & Co., pants, \$5; Goodacre & Son, roast of beef, \$2; Mr. Stewart, bottle liquor; S. Bantley, box cigars; W. B. Hall, groceries, \$2; Brown & Cooper, fruit; Thorpe & Co., 5 doz. soft drinks; Wilkerson & Son, jewellers, brooch, \$3.50; Leigh & Son, mill loaf of wood; Dr. O. M. Jones, \$5; Dr. Forrest Leeder, \$5; G. R. Hughes, \$5; Mr. Owen, \$1; R. Dinsdale, \$1; Mr. Wynne (Prior & Co.),



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St. Andrew's and First Presbyterian Sunday schools are making perfect arrangements for the joint annual basket picnic at Goldstream on July 1st. Baskets will be transferred to and from the grounds free of charge. A special train service has been provided on the E. & N.

Men's Underwear—Fine lightweight balbriggan underwear, English make, all sizes, 50c a garment. Robinson's Cash Store, 642 Yates St.

The united clerics of the Anglican churches was brought to a close last evening. The Rev. Archdeacon Scribner preached the sermon. In the afternoon an "at home" was given by Mrs. E. Crow Baker. The next meeting place is to be Seattle.

The men's Baraca Bible class will meet in room 1, A. O. U. W. building to-morrow at 2:30 p. m. Text, "Put ye on the Lord Jesus Christ," or "Wise Walking." Strangers and visitors are all heartily welcomed.

On Monday night the Epworth League of the James Bay Methodist church will give a strawberry social at the church. A good programme has been arranged and a large attendance is expected. On July 1st the Sunday school will hold its annual picnic at Macaulay Point.

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A. Bogg, of this city, has passed the entrance examination to the Royal Military College, Kingston, and will enter at the opening of next term. Other western matriculants are T. H. Taylor and B. A. Rhodes, Vancouver, and G. B. Latimer, New Westminster.

Last evening the young people of the First Baptist church had a social gathering at the Gorge park. They met shortly after 6 o'clock and had tea, afterwards spending a very enjoyable evening. Owing to the inclemency of the weather the gathering was broken up about 9:30, much to the regret of all.

A large party from Government House went over to Vancouver to attend the Vancouver club ball held there last evening. They went in the yacht Delaura, and will return to-day. Mrs. Hermann Robertson, Mrs. A. W. Jones and a number of other went by the Princess Victoria, and will return this evening. Miss Tilton, one of the party, will be the week-end guest of the Misses Morris.

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The funeral of the late Napier Kingsbury took place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Hanna chapel. There was a number of friends present and a few flowers were sent. Rev. T. E. Holling officiated.

Old Toby—Just received a few of these quaint, old-fashioned jugs so familiar to the Old Country folk. In three sizes at 25c, 50c and 75c. Lustré jugs, 10c to 45c. R. A. Brown & Co., 1202 Douglas St.

The Collegiate school cadets yesterday afternoon were inspected by Capt. P. Elliott, R.C.G.A., in the absence of Major C. C. Bennett, who was unable to be present. The corps was in command of Captain G. B. Procter and Lieutenants Smith and Ross. A total of 49 cadets out of 50 were present for the inspection.

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MRS. FISKE COMING.

"Salvation Nell" will be presented at the Victoria Theatre.

Mrs. Fiske will come to us this season and will bring that wonderful play, "Salvation Nell," to the Victoria theatre, Friday night, July 9th. Few plays have caused more discussion. It was written by a youngster, Edward Sheldon, just graduated from Harvard College, and it has been pronounced perfect with the true psychology of life, and free from the artificial tricks of the older dramatists.

In this production Harrison Grey Fiske is said to have surpassed even himself as a stage manager, and has succeeded in bettering, if possible, his already famous Manhattan company. The entire company of over forty people will be with Mrs. Fiske here. Among the best known players are: Holbrook Blinn, Henry Vennema, W. T. Clarke, Herbert Heywood, Mary Etadison, Hope Latham, Grace Shanley, Mary Mauders, Marie Maddern and Gilda Varese.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.
Victoria, June 26—5 a. m.—Since yesterday the barometer has fallen considerably over the Pacific slope, and heavy rains have occurred both on Vancouver Island and the Lower Mainland. The weather is fair and cool between the ranges, and cool and showery in the prairie provinces from Alberta to Manitoba.

Forecasts.
For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Sunday, Victoria and vicinity—Moderate to fresh southerly winds, partly cloudy and cool, with showers.
Lower Mainland—Easterly and southerly winds, mostly cloudy and cool, with showers.

Reports.
Victoria—Barometer, 29.85; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, calm; rain, 33; weather, raining.
New Westminster—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, 51; minimum, 51; wind, calm; rain, 79; weather, raining.
Kamloops—Barometer, 29.76; temperature, 53; minimum, 56; wind, 6 miles E.; rain, trace; weather, cloudy.
Barkerville—Barometer, 29.70; temperature, 53; minimum, 53; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.
San Francisco—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles S.; weather, part cloudy.
Edmonton—Barometer, 29.55; temperature, 44; minimum, 42; wind, calm; rain, trace; weather, cloudy and fog.

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A step taken by the streets committee last night will render available for fire protection purposes at once the new high-pressure system of mains. An eight-inch main is to be laid from the city system at Herald and Store streets, where it runs down to the pumping station, to connect with the salt-water system which the B. C. Electric Railway Company has installed for the protection of its property in that vicinity. This will give additional protection to the company and to the sawmills, and until the city pumping plant is installed it will have the additional advantage that the B. C. Electric pumps can be used to force water into the whole system of mains should a fire break out in any part of the district protected.

A petition was received from a large number of residents on Linden avenue, asking for the grading, surface draining and laying of sidewalks on that thoroughfare from Fairfield road to Dallas road. They would leave to the city engineer the determination of how the work should be done, and to the water commissioner as to laying water mains. Then in a year's time they would ask for the paving, curbing and boulevarding of the street.

City Engineer Topp agreed that this would be a good idea, as it would give the winter for the trenches and cross-trenches to settle.

Ald. Fullerton protested against any work being done on a street which had only two houses in a stretch of three-quarters of a mile. Parts of the centre of the city were more in need.

Ald. Raymond and Ald. McKeown pointed out that people would not build until there was drainage and sidewalks.

"Why should this street get a sidewalk for two houses when on my street we cannot get a permanent walk with a hundred houses?" asked Ald. Fullerton.

To the chairman the Ward Three alderman said the walk had been asked for, but it would be years before they got it. This one on Linden avenue would be given before Pembroke street got its.

Ald. Fullerton made it plain that he had no objection to sewerage and road-making, but only to putting in a sidewalk for so few houses.

The engineer was asked to make a report.

The city solicitors reported that from the passing of the by-law dealing with the removal of poles, the B. C. Electric or B. C. Telephone companies would have to pay the cost of their removal. In regard to the bill of \$4000 for moving poles on Belleville street, ordered before that, the city would have to pay.

LAI'D AT REST.

Funeral of Late Rev. A. W. Dever Took Place Yesterday.

The funeral of the late A. W. Dever took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, Colville road, Victoria West, to the Victoria West Methodist church, Victoria West. Rev. J. A. Woods and Rev. J. P. Westman conducted impressive services. The hymns "Asleep in Jesus," "Weep Not for a Deceased Brother" and "Servant of God Well Done" were sung. The church was crowded with sympathizing friends and a large number of beautiful flowers were sent. Among the latter was a large cross from the Victoria Methodist Ministerial Union and a beautiful design from the Christian Aid Society of Duncan. The following acted as pallbearers: Rev. J. P. Westman, Rev. J. A. Woods, Rev. A. N. Miller, Rev. A. Henderson, Rev. J. P. Hicks and Rev. T. E. Holling.

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With stable
\$2,350
Terms, \$1,600 cash,
Balance arranged

Six Acres of Good Land

On the Wilkinson Road
About 4 miles from City Hall
3 acres of oats and potatoes
2 acres of pasture
Balance oak and fir trees
A pretty place, with a fine view of the Colquitz Vale
4-room house and large barn
Horse, 3 cows, 2 buggies and farming implements
This is a snap for \$3,150
Terms 1/2 cash, bal. arranged

Holland Avenue

Four miles from City Hall
5 acres all under cultivation
130 6-year-old fruit trees
Small fruits, vegetables, lots of potatoes
Good 5-room house
Plenty of Water
Barn, horse and buggy
This is the biggest snap in Strawberry Vale
And should be snapped up
At the price, \$3,200
Terms, \$2,000 cash
Balance arranged

Burnside Road

Four miles from city
Ten acres
of
First-class land
Five acres in fruit and potatoes
Balance in a hay meadow
Good house, barn, etc.
This is well worth \$4,200
Terms, half cash,
Balance arranged

J. GREENWOOD OVER THE NORTHERN BANK

CONTINUE SEARCH FOR LEON LING

Captain of Chinatown Police Leaves New York on Secret Mission.

(Times Leased Wire.)
New York, June 26.—Captain Galvin, of the Chinatown police, accompanied by Quan Yick Nam, an interpreter, departed to-day upon a mission, the significance of which is guarded jealously by the police department.
Galvin was given an indefinite leave of absence by his superiors, and it is generally understood that he is running to earth an important clue.
Chung Sin, room-mate of Leon Ling, murderer of Elsie Sigel, was placed under examination by the police again to-day. Chung continued his contradictory statements, the officers being unable to secure any information that might lead to the capture of the fugitive.

PROBING MURDER IN MARYLAND

(Continued from page 1)

That Robert Eastman did not intend to kill himself, and wrote the letter found in his pockets to cover an intended flight from the country was the opinion given by George B. Taylor, his closest friend, at the inquest to-day. He testified further that Eastman had not known Edith Woodhill long, and never spoke of her among his friends. Aside from these facts, his testimony offered nothing of value to the investigators.
Eastman lived with Taylor in this city while his bungalow, in which the crime was committed, was being built. They were known as bosom friends. Eastman's body is being held here pending the arrival of Attorney Rosenthal.

Find Mrs. Woodhill's Jewelry.

Baltimore, Md., June 26.—Several articles of jewelry known to have belonged to Mrs. Woodhill were found to-day in a pawn shop in this city. The keeper of the shop stated that a man resembling Eastman's description called with them Monday afternoon. According to the shop keeper, Eastman appeared agitated and nervous and left the shop as quickly as possible.
Attorney Rosenthal, who acted for Eastman in the stock fraud case, left to-day for St. Michaels. Rosenthal declared his implicit belief in the story told by Eastman's letter. He stated that when his client jumped ball in New York last September he went directly to Los Angeles to meet Edith Woodhill.
"He told me," the attorney said, "that he was going to California to meet a very dear friend. He stayed in Los Angeles until last April, when he returned east."
CROSS AND HYLAND.

Boxers Meet in San Francisco This Afternoon.

San Francisco, Cal., June 26.—Leach Cross and Dick Hyland, who fight in the Mission street arena this afternoon, weighed in this morning and neither boy budged the bar, which was set at 133 pounds.
While the boxers were slugging Cross made things look equally by badgering Hyland for refusing to bet on himself. The New Yorker sneered at Hyland, telling him he was afraid to bet, that he had no confidence in himself and that he made the match merely for the sake of getting the loser's end. Hyland, plainly angered, made no reply, but his manager, Jack Perkins, promptly called Cross and bet him \$100 at even money.
A heavy crowd plays this morning installed the New Yorker favorite at 9 to 10.

BLACKSMITH'S SUICIDE.

Ends His Life While in Attitude of Prayer.
Seattle, Wash., June 26.—Chris Schoenling, a blacksmith, 33 years of age, committed suicide at the Goldfield hotel yesterday morning by shooting himself through the head with a .38-calibre revolver. From the position of the body when found—kneeling by the side of his bed in his room—the coroner believes the man was praying when he killed himself. Schoenling came here three weeks ago from Greenwood, Ia. He had been sick since being here, and is believed to have been despondent because of his illness.

ORGANIZATION FIRST REQUISITE

(Continued from page 1.)

Lord Charles Beresford, at the conclusion of the conference, promised Macdonald and Briery that during his forthcoming visit to Canada, he would speak at the opening of the Toronto exhibition and before the Canadian clubs of Toronto and Montreal.
Mr. Temperley moved a resolution to the effect that national defence is the most urgent question of the day for the Empire.
Australian and home delegates monopolized the ensuing discussion, but towards the close Mr. Macdonald, of the Toronto Globe, rose and hoped the resolution would not be put because it either meant too little or too much, and second because it could not express the result of the conference, which he summed as follows:
"The result is that we know and see each other's standpoint and obligations and we go back with a wide outlook and a sense of Empire relationship and Empire obligation which could not be expressed by this reckless, thoughtless and pitiless resolution. The conference has not been a junket; it has been a serious affair largely because it is not bound by any resolution and we shall go back to our respective countries with a sense of duty and a determination to do our best for the Empire."
Referring particularly to defence, he said that if Canada had 20,000,000 people no power could beat it off the map, but with eighty millions alongside of it it behooved Canada to be wise. Their international boundary of 2,996 miles was "without a gun and without a warship, and he desired to see that one instance of humanity and civilization was retained undisturbed."
Mr. Temperley then withdrew his resolution.
Then the delegates expressing their great appreciation of their reception in Great Britain, the conference concluded with the National Anthem and cheers.
Mr. Nichols, of the Winnipeg Telegram, submitted to the conference a cable request from Hugh Sutherland, chairman of the Winnipeg world's fair committee, to the effect that he and Mr. Dufour, of the Free Press, should invite the conference to meet in Winnipeg in 1912. Mr. Nichols said that if the conference would meet in Winnipeg he could assure them a warm-hearted British welcome. Kyffin Thomas expressed appreciation of the invitation and requested the delegates to meet subsequently and consider it.

BENEFITS OF ADVERTISING.

San Francisco, Cal., June 26.—That any man who can deliver a fair speech, who is honest and who knows how to advertise, may have any political office he wants, with the possible exception of the presidency, is the startling belief of Eberburn M. Becker, the "boy mayor" of Milwaukee.
Becker is in this city, returning from a visit to Panama, made upon the invitation of President Taft. Regarding matters political, and his own pet ambitions, the young politician was not averse to telling his ideas.
"Yes," he said, "of course I have ambitions of my own. Why, I could have been Governor of Wisconsin had I not given up my campaign because my father did not want me to stay in politics. But politics is a great game and I like it. It is barely possible that I will accept a federal appointment, for I was very active in Mr. Taft's behalf in the recent campaign, and I think that end of the game is another I would enjoy."
—James Moggy has taken out a building permit for a dwelling on Sutlej street to be erected at a cost of \$1,500.
—Bleasdale Co. and staff are spending the week end at Shawangin Lake. The store on Government street will not be opened on Monday until 1 p.m.
—W. B. Griffin, sheriff of Munro county, Iowa, has wired the superintendent of provincial police that he has started for Victoria to take charge of Charles James, arrested at Ladysmith Thursday on suspicion of having murdered J. Johns in a bar-room at Buxton, Iowa, December 13, 1904. Extradition proceedings will be taken if James refuses to return in charge of the sheriff.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Wm. Clarke gave a tea yesterday afternoon in honor of the silver wedding anniversary of her daughter, Mrs. D. M. Eberts. The members of the family and a number of Mrs. Clarke's old friends were present at the reunion.
Mrs. McCallum, Lampton street, will be one of next Wednesday's hostesses, her invitations being out for a garden party on that date.
G. Harold Grant, mining engineer, returned last week after a three months' business trip to the Orient, and is leaving shortly for Mexico on business.
To-night, Saturday, call and see the Pianos. Hicks & Lovick Piano Co.

LARGE PRIZES FOR AIRSHIP RACES

Many Entries Expected for the Contests to Be Held in Germany.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Berlin, June 26.—Final arrangements were completed to-day for the international aeronautic exhibition which will be opened July 10th at Frankfurt-on-the-Main and for which prizes amounting to \$50,000 will be offered. The exhibition hall, now in progress of erection, covers 6,000 square meters, while on a large field adjoining there will be real contestants in which the heavier-than-air machines and the dirigibles will contest for supremacy. The fact that the Great military balloon, the pet of the German signal corps, will not be exhibited for military reasons is a great disappointment, especially to Count Zeppelin, who had hoped to show that his machine is the better.
There will also be an interest from the side line of guns for use in combat aerial craft. Both the Erhard and Krupp factories are completing guns to be shown designed to reach airships in flight and also guns to be carried in the proposed armored balloons.
During the exhibition there will be three race meetings open to every class of aerial flyer, and it is understood that there will be entrants from every section of the globe.

TO IMPEACH COMMISSIONER.

Resolution is Unanimously Adopted by Washington State Senate.

Olympia, Wash., June 26.—Without a dissenting vote the senate yesterday afternoon passed a resolution declaring its intention to impeach J. H. Schively, state insurance commissioner.
The overwhelming vote was the result of the general belief in the house that the senate, having sent the Palmer bill abolishing Schively's office to committee, had designs on the life of the measure.
Senator Williams announced to-day that he will introduce in the senate on Monday a bill requiring all members of the senate to wear the judicial robes prescribed by law, during the proceedings incident to the impeachment trial of State Insurance Commissioner Schively. As the senators are sitting as judges, Williams says they should be required to wear the black gowns the same as members of the highest state tribunal. It is likely that a lively debate will be precipitated by the introduction of the Williams bill.
With most of the members of the legislature out of the city to-day there is no end of speculation here as to the trend of events next week. The administration forces are jubilant over the information that Senator Ralph Metcalfe, of Tacoma, will be on hand Wednesday, and thus give the Hay party a majority vote in the impeachment proceedings. As matters now stand, the vote will be 22 for the administration and 29 against. One of the puzzling problems of the session is what to do with the house. The house acts as prosecuting attorney and the senate sits as judge. A committee of seven from the house will handle the actual work of prosecuting Schively, and the rest of the members will have time on their hands. The house may leave a few members, sufficient to administer from day to day, while the majority goes about their several ways.
The house and senate assemble on Monday at 2:30 o'clock, when the house will take its final vote on the Schively impeachment. The vote, however, is merely a matter of form, as the action Friday indicates where the house stands.

NEST ON CUPBOARD.

Five small robins are taking their first lessons in flying in a bedroom at 574-1/2 Broadway, San Francisco, Sunday. The mother bird having reared them in a nest on the top of a cupboard.

PRESIDENT TAFT CAN WIELD BIG STICK

May Double Duty on Wood Pulp Entering United States.

(Times Leased Wire.)

Washington, D. C., June 26.—In the senate to-day the amendment offered by Senator Brown, giving the president power to double the duty on wood pulp against any country discriminating against the United States, was adopted.
Senator Bradley's amendment, increasing the duty on hemp from 40 to 80 when hatched, also was adopted.
"After a brief argument the duty of 15 per cent, on agricultural implements, suggested by Senator Aldrich, was agreed upon.
By a vote of 33 to 31, Beveridge's amendment to reduce the duty on cash registers to 15 per cent, was rejected.

WHAT LOCKJAW IS.

Did you know that since the introduction of the toy pistol and giant cracker the number of lives sacrificed yearly in the celebration of the Fourth of July has averaged about four hundred, the greatest mortality being from fireworks used on the Fourth in 1903, when the number tabulated by the Journal of the American Medical Association was four hundred and sixty-six, of which three hundred and sixty-three were from tetanus caused by toy pistols?
When lockjaw, or tetanus, is about to develop, the wound from which the infection has come and which has probably been healing gets irritable, red and tender, and pains about up the nerves toward the spine. The first evidence of the seizure is nearly always in the muscles which control the jaws being in grinding food and the jaws become rigidly closed; hence the name given to the disease. The muscles of the throat become so sensitive that they resist the passing of food, making it painful and difficult to swallow. The muscles of the face take a fixed position, with lips retracted exposing the teeth; the brow is wrinkled and the eyes stare, giving the countenance a mixed expression of anguish and laughter, producing the "sardonic" expression peculiar to tetanus. The rigidity of the muscles next extends to the arms and the extremities and the victim becomes helpless, stiffened. Often the muscles of the back are drawn so tense that the body is bent like a bow, resting on the head and heels. Less frequently it is bent forward or to one side. In the beginning of the attack the rigidity is not constant, and does not affect all the groups of muscles equally, and may pass from one to another group with intervals of complete relaxation.
But the spasms become more frequent and severe and are presently excited by the slightest muscular effort. So exquisitely excitable are the nerves that a mere touch, a current of air, the reflection of light from any bright object, will bring on a sudden spasm in all the muscles ordinarily controlled by the will; the face is horribly distorted, the spine bent and the hands violently clenched and drawn up. So severe is the contraction that muscles are sometimes torn in two. During the convulsion there is a severe pain through the stomach and back, immediately following the maximum of the paroxysm, the breathing becomes shallow and a little fluid may be taken through a tube.
Unfortunately the mind of the sufferer is clear and his sense acute during the attacks. Profuse sweats occur, and the voice is dry, guttural and, at times, unintelligible. Owing to the severe activity of the muscles, lockjaw causes the highest fever ever seen, and the body temperature sometimes rises for an hour or two after death. Finally the eye, your boy, slinks from exhaustion or a severe paroxysm arrests the breathing and death terminates a disease which has the worst terrors of meningitis, strychnine poisoning and hydrophobia, causing an agony hardly to be surpassed by the tortures of a martyrdom, and distress to the helpless bystander which is unmeasurable in words.—From "The Deadly Toy Pistol," in July Technical World Magazine.

AT THE WILLOWS.

First race—Seven furlongs; selling; three year olds and up:
1. Saracinesca.
2. Salsene.
Time, 1:35.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL.

Philadelphia, June 26.—Scores in American league, first game, were:
R. H. E.
New York 0 4 2
Philadelphia 3 9 1
Batteries—Quinn and Blair; Bender and Thomas.
Boston, June 26.—Scores in National league, first game, were:
R. H. E.
Philadelphia 3 6 2
Boston 6 11 2
Batteries—Moore and Dooin; White and Graham.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

There was not a single bid at Grimaby, for a huge whale, eighty feet long, and weighing one hundred tons, which the trawler Leonora had towed into port. The lack of purchasers was due to the fact that the authorities will not allow the carcass to be cut up on the foreshore.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CANARIES FOR SALE, from 75c. Apply 1209 Douglas street. j26

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ACCURATE KEY FITTING and lock repairing. H. M. Wilson, 614 Cormorant, City Market Building. j26

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VALUABLE CURIOS COME FROM SCOTLAND

Alexander Gibb Has Interesting Collection of Historic Relics.

A most interesting collection of rare and valuable curios, of historical and antiquarian interest, is on view in the window of the H. Bleasdale Company, 907 Government street. The owner is Alexander Gibb, a Scottish railwayman, who has come out to make his home in British Columbia.

The collection, of which only a part is shown, has been gathered by a gentleman who is deeply interested in antiquities. It shows all the discriminating taste of the true collector and, while it may not look much to the uninformed eye, is rich in story and historical value.
Of interest to Western Canada is a volume on "The Northwest Passage By Land," the result of an overland trip on horseback taken by Viscount Milton, father of the present Earl Fitzwilliam, and Dr. Cheade across Canada in 1822. This is illustrated with over one hundred steel plates and is a most valuable work. Connected with this journey is shown the small saddle used by Viscount Milton on that long journey.

An interesting volume is the history of a lawsuit, the defendant in which was the fifth ancestor back of Lord Aberdeen. It dates from August 3rd, 1652, and is full of interesting facts on points of local history and the manner of life in Aberdeenshire in the seventeenth century. It is very rare.

Another rare work is Calmelet's Dictionary of the Bible, of which the fifth volume is on view. Three small robots of Scotch fir, made from the beams built into Aberdeen Cathedral in 1415, containing ostrich eggs sent home from Natal by Col. Gordon; a beautiful brooch, containing specimens of all the cairngorms to be found in Aberdeenshire; the artistic programme, a work of art in silk, which was provided for Queen Victoria at the Cowes regatta on Aug. 5, 1858; the baptismal font, in red Scotch granite, of the Gordon family, one of the most illustrious members of which died at Khartoum; a jewel case in the form of a shaft of Kemnay granite; a copy of the Aberdeen Journal of 1755, published in a time of great national peril but with none of the panic shown by some journals of to-day in the old land; the Masonic regalia of the late Col. Gordon, uncle of General Gordon; these are but a few of the treasures Mr. Gibb has brought with him.

Mr. Gibb is staying with his sister, Mrs. Simpson, in Esquimaux at present.

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LONG SHOT WINS SIXTH RACE

SOME SURPRISES AT TRACK YESTERDAY

Winning Horses in a Good Day's Sport at the Willows.

Sir Angus was the long shot for yesterday at the Willows, when he beat the favorites, Adena La Taranta and Novgorod; all fancied in the six furlongs and closing event of the afternoon. Opening at 15 to 1, E. L. Jones' horse received very little play, but about enough to keep him at that price closing, as the figures were never altered. The way the horse came to the wire at the finish makes it a certainty that he won't be any less to 1 when he starts again. Sir Angus has figured in three races before yesterday, and ridden by Harwick every time, has been getting better from running fifth his first time out, he then ran second and got third in the five furlongs Friday morning. All Along and Curriculum, yesterday, however, he showed better form than any previous race, and finished strong by a head from Mechin. Black Cloud was third. Novgorod and Adena, the favorites, were nowhere in the race. The latter got pocketed at the final quarter. Mechin ran a hard race, leading all the way, till the fight for the finish in the last quarter, where Sir Angus challenged and passed the mare. Aftermath, considered a likely horse to win the race, broke very badly, and then had no chance.

Traffic provided the sensational finish of the day, ridden by Riley, who lifted him up from the fourth to first in the last quarter furlongs. He just showed him ahead in the lead of Adena R., with Banellen third money. Traffic was a heavily backed favorite in the race, and when he went to the post looked sore or lame, hobbling along on three legs in a way that made backers think they had been cheated out of their money. He was several lengths behind at the half-mile, but in the last two furlongs Riley lifted him along and brought him in round the turn in winning shape. Even then it looked as if Adena R. would win the race, but Traffic's

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final bounds over the ground headed his horse a winner. There was one horse in the six and a half furlongs, when, Illusion cleared away from the field and put five lengths between the tip of her tail and the next horse. The others raced for place and show money, and Merrill and Sink Spring were the speedy ones. Lady Elizabeth, backed down town the night before at 40 to 1, opened at 6 and closed at 5 at the track. With the best of ten pounds in the weight over the favorite Ketchel, the mare won easily and cleaned up considerable feed money for the stable. Otranto and Bellini filled the places. Ketchel got off badly and was bothered during the race. The five furlong event was not hard to pick, as evidenced by the crowd that cashed on My Choice. Titus II. was second, and All Alone showed a length and a half later. When Brooks rides another favorite like Translucent he will need to make the horse run when the barrier flies. Yesterday he kept his horse standing after the field went, and then hauled him back behind another slow one. When he dug his heels into the horse's flanks the field was three lengths away, and Translucent finished fifth with a lot of public money. He was hauled into the judge's box at the close of the race, but his explanation was taken as satisfactory. The first fine of the meeting from the judge's stand was handed out in the same race, when Vosper appeared with Brooks in the judge's stand to answer for striking Rama across the head with his whip during the race. Miss Mazzoni got first money, Colbert second, and Benvolio third. Illusion covered the six and a half-mile track record, carrying 112, and making the distance in 1:21.5. The former record belonged to Mill Song, 1:09 pounds, in 1:23.5. B. Flaherty, owner of Traffic, made a clean-up on Galene Gale this week, and bought Traffic with the money, winning with him in his first run after the purchase. The various horses finished in the following order in the different races: First race—Four and a half furlongs, Selling. Maiden two-year-olds. Value to first \$150. Horse and Jockey. Op. Cl. Lady Elizabeth, E. Williams 6 5 Otranto, Anderson 3-2 2 Bellini, Selden 3 7-2 Terrago, C. Wright 20 30 Alarmed, J. King 5 5 Ketchel, Lycurgus 5-2 3 Risky, Quay 20 30 Matchem, Vosper 10 15 Time, 1:26.4-5. Second race—Five furlongs, Selling. Four-year-olds and upward. Value to first \$150. Horse and Jockey. Op. Cl. My Choice, Brooks 2 5-2 Titus II., Shale 2 5-2 All Alone, D. Riley 8 7-2 Prince Brutus, McLaughlin 3 2 Benvolio, J. King 8 10 Red Bill, Yeager 8 20 Water Thrush, Vosper 20 30 Time, 1:02. Third race—One mile, Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first \$150. Horse and Jockey. Op. Cl. Miss Mazzoni, W. Kelly 4 3 Benvolio, J. King 4 5 Taunt, Golden 8 10 Translucent, Brooks 20 30 Jacomo, Vosper 5 8 Rama, Lycurgus 12 15 J. R. Laughtrey, Yeager 30 30 Time, 1:34.5. Fourth race—Six and a half furlongs, Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first \$150. Horse and Jockey. Op. Cl. Illusion, Lycurgus 3 2 Merrill, Keogh 3 2 Sink Spring, Brooks 3 2 S. McGibben, Matthews 8 10 Metakata, C. Wright 6 6 B. of Brass, J. King 10 15 Time, 1:21.5. Fifth race—Six furlongs, Selling.

Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first \$150. Horse and Jockey. Op. Cl. Traffic, D. Riley 5-5 2 Adena R., Ashie 8 7 Banellen, W. Kelly 10 3 Zalta, Matthews 10 15 Mar. Randolph, Keogh 3 4 Nel. Racine, Vosper 5 2 Mr. Bishop, Brooks 10 15 Peg. O'Neal, Jahnsen 8 10 Lord Rosington, Lycurgus 10 12 Time, 1:16 4-5. Six furlongs, Selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first \$150. Horse and Jockey. Op. Cl. Sir Angus, Hardwick 15 13 Mechin, Alarie 8 10 Black Cloud, McEwen 8 8 Novgorod, Selden 3 5-2 Adena, C. Wright 2 8-2 Forest Rose, McLaughlin 20 30 Aftermath, Leeds 3 2 La Taranta, Matthews 5 4 Time, 1:16 2-5. CORRIG COLLEGE HOLDS ITS SPORTS Open Hundred Yards Run in Eleven Seconds by Cruikshank. The annual athletic sports of Corrig College were held yesterday at Beacon-Hill. It was the twentieth celebration since Principal Church took charge, the first occasion being in 1890. The swimming and water events were contested Tuesday at the Gorge. The results of the sports are: Throwing the cricket ball, open—First, S. Hawkley; second, Cruikshank; third, P. Fraser. Under 14—First, J. Fraser; second, W. J. Church. Distance 75 yards. 100 yards, open—First, Cruikshank; second, P. Fraser; third, J. Hawkley. Time 11 seconds. 100 yards, under 14—First, E. Totty; second, J. McRae; third, W. Church. Time 13.2-5. 100 yards, under 12—First, Hansman; second, C. Totty; third, Byrn. Time 14.1-5. 75 yards, under 10—First, C. Church; second, G. McRae; third, Travers. Time 11.4-5. High jump, open—First, Cruikshank; second, J. McRae; third, E. Totty. Four feet 4.1-2 inches. High jump, under 13—First, W. Church; second, B. Jackson; third, C. Totty. Three feet 8.3-4 inches. High jump, under 10—First, C. Church; second, Byrn; third, Travers. Three feet 3.3 inches. 220 yards, open—First, Cruikshank; second, P. Fraser; third, Ivan. Time 57.1-5 seconds. 220 yards, under 15—First, E. Totty; second, J. McRae; third, J. Fraser. Time 28.3-5 seconds. 220 yards, under 12—First, J. Church; second, Hansman; third, Byrn. Time 31.4-5. Three-legged race—First, Cruikshank and P. Fraser; second, Totty and Jack; third, Hawkley and Stanley. Half-mile handicap—First, Hansman, 50 yards; second, McRae, 20 yards; third, Totty, scratch, and Fraser, 25 yards. Broad jump, open—First, Patrick; second, Norman. Broad jump, under 14—First, J. Fraser; second, W. Church; third, C. Hawkley. Broad jump, under 12—First, B. Jackson; second, Powell; third, Clinton. Quarter-mile, open—First, Norman; second, Elliott; third, McRae. Time 61 seconds. Quarter-mile, under 13—First, Church; second, Hansman; third, Clinton. Time 1 minute 6 seconds. Hop, step and jump, open—First, J. Fraser; second, J. Hawkley; third, P. Fraser. Distance 39 feet 7 inches. Hop, step and jump, under 12—First, Powell; second, Hansman; third, E. Jackson. Five feet 4 inches. Sack race, open—First, J. Fraser; second, P. Fraser; third, Stanley. Sack race, under 12—First, C. Totty; second, C. Church; third, Hansman.

Advertisement for Hunyadi Janos Best Natural Laxative Water, describing its benefits for constipation.

RESULTS OF GAMES IN BASEBALL LEAGUES

Table showing results of baseball games in National and American leagues, including scores and player statistics.

Table showing results of Vancouver-Seattle Motor Boat Race, listing participants and race details.

Fleet Will Start in Contest for the Rudder Trophy on Tuesday. (Times Leased Wire.) Seattle, Wash., June 25.—The biggest fleet of power cruisers ever assembled on the coast left Seattle to-day for Vancouver, in readiness for the Vancouver-to-Seattle race for the Rudder trophy cup. Something near thirty motor boats left Seattle this morning and will arrive in Vancouver to-morrow.

The smaller and slower craft took their departure early, while the speedier ones got going about 10 o'clock. Capt. Gibson and Miller Freeman directed the movements of the first division, while H. W. Starrett had charge of the second. To-night all the boats will stop at Bellingham and will proceed to Vancouver in fleet formation. On Tuesday the big race starts from Seattle. Tacoma, Bellingham, Everett, Victoria and Vancouver. The finish will take place in Seattle harbor next Wednesday.

ROYALS VS. TECUMSEHS. The Tecumsehs and New Westminster lacrosse teams are playing this afternoon for the first time in the first of the two games for the Minto cup at New Westminster.

Advertisement for Gillette Safety Razor, featuring the Gillette logo and text 'Are you one of those men who thinks that the GILLETTE is alright for every man except yourself?'.

ROLLER DEFEATS Seattle Physician Secures Two Straight Falls in Wrestling Bout. (Times Leased Wire.) Seattle, Wash., June 25.—Dr. B. F. Roller, of Seattle, demonstrated his superiority over "Big Yousiff," the Turk, in their wrestling match last night at Cort's arena at the exposition. The Seattle physician threw the Turk in two straight falls, and when he had pinned Yousiff the last time there was no question but that the Turk had met his superior in mat science. The match was long drawn out, Roller taking the first fall in 39 minutes 57 seconds, and the second in 24 minutes 58 seconds. Both were secured by a crooked and high Nelson. During the encounter Roller tried out a large and varied assortment of holds, from the toe hold to the head scissors, but the Turk squirmed free of everything except the grip that proved his undoing.

OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP. Englewood, N. J., June 25.—George Sargent, entered from the Hyde Manor Club, Sudbury, Vt., won the fourteenth annual open golf championship of the United States yesterday by four strokes, his medal play total at 72 holes being 290. Sargent is an Englishman, and has lived in Ottawa, Canada, for several years. He is counted with Dominion players, and the feeling is that the title has really gone to Canada.

LAWN TENNIS. MISS HOTCHKISS WINS. Philadelphia, June 25.—Miss Hazel Hotchkiss, of Berkeley, Cal., won the metropolitan tennis championship yesterday by defeating Miss Louise Hammond, of New York, in the finals. The score was 6-8, 6-1, 6-4.

LAWN BOWLING. The members of the Beacon Hill Bowling Club are entering with enthusiasm into the spirit of the game, and before long many interesting competitions will be held. Ever since the formal opening of the new square a couple of weeks ago by His Worship the Mayor, large numbers of players have been attending for practice, and almost an equal number of sightseers have lined the borders of the green, intent upon gaining knowledge of the finer points of the game and estimating the skill of the players. The next little clubhouse, a picture of which appeared in a late issue of the Times, was designed by A. Maxwell Blair. It is sufficiently large to meet all requirements for the present. Mr. William Oliphant, who may be said to be the inspiring genius of the organization, to whose efforts and those of Mr. George Young (an old and keen player), the credit for the formation of the club is principally due, was for many years a member of the Bellahouston club, Glasgow, in which city he was a member of the Beacon Hill, Jordan Hill and Victoria Park clubs, in Glasgow.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT. D. E. Campbell desires to announce to the readers of the Times that he has secured the agency for Parisian Sage, the marvelous dandruff cure and delightful hair dressing. D. E. Campbell is glad to state that Parisian Sage is a rigidly guaranteed hair restorer. It cures dandruff in two weeks by killing the dandruff microbes; it stops falling hair; it cures all scalp diseases, or money back. It is a most pleasant hair dressing, especially for ladies, as it makes the hair soft and lustrous. The price is only 50 cents a large bottle at D. E. Campbell's, or by express, all charges prepaid, from Groux Mfg. Co., Fort Erie, Ont.

Advertisement for Fairmont Hotel San Francisco, listing amenities and contact information.

Advertisement for Dr. Chase's Ointment, describing its uses for various ailments.

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HYBLOP BICYCLES. WHY NOT OWN AN AUTOMOBILE? If automobiles are needed anywhere at all they are in the country. One of the speakers of the Women's Institute, at Guelph, recently predicted that the time was near at hand when farmer's wives would run their own automobiles. Nor is the prediction a visionary one. Like the telephone and the trolley, the automobile seems destined to add to the comfort of country life, and the cost will not interfere with your buying. We can sell.

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Advertisement for Piles, featuring the text 'Dr. Chase's Ointment' and 'Piles'.

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Dividend Notice, No. 5.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of two and one-half per cent. upon the paid up capital stock of this institution has been declared for the half year ending 30th June, 1909, being at the rate of five per cent. per annum, and that same will be payable at its banking house in this city, and at all of its branches, on and after the second day of July next to shareholders of record of the 15th day of June.

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To Architects, Builders and Others
 Attention is called to the City regulations which forbid the commencement of building operations before the line of the street has been obtained from the City Engineer.—Buildings By-Law, Section 15. It is also contrary to the regulation to construct fences fronting on the streets without having first applied for in writing and obtained from the City Engineer the line of the street. The fee to be fixed by the City Engineer—minimum \$2.00. A copy of sub-divisional plans, etc. By-Law, 1908, No. 985, can be seen on application.
 Subdivisional Plans
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GRAIN MARKET

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
 Chicago, June 26.
 Open High Low Close

Wheat—	July	115 1/2	116 1/2	115 1/2	116
	Sept.	110 1/2	111 1/2	110 1/2	111
	Dec.	103 1/2	104 1/2	103 1/2	104
	May	111 1/2	112 1/2	111 1/2	112
Corn—	July	70 1/2	71 1/2	70 1/2	71
	Sept.	67 1/2	68 1/2	67 1/2	68
	Dec.	63 1/2	64 1/2	63 1/2	64
	May	69 1/2	70 1/2	69 1/2	70
Oats—	July	50 1/2	51 1/2	50 1/2	51
	Sept.	47 1/2	48 1/2	47 1/2	48
	Dec.	44 1/2	45 1/2	44 1/2	45
	May	49 1/2	50 1/2	49 1/2	50
Flour—	July	20.00	20.15	19.97	20.12
	Sept.	20.22	20.37	20.00	20.25
Lard—	July	11.67	11.67	11.65	11.65
	Sept.	11.77	11.77	11.75	11.75
Short Hibs—	July	11.12	11.12	11.07	11.07
	Sept.	11.10	11.10	10.97	11.00

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COPPER MARKET

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
 Boston, June 26.
 Bid. Asked.

Adventure	73	8
Alloues	42	43 1/2
Arcadian	41	42
Atlantic	41	42
Boston Cons.	143	15
Butte Coalition	25	25 1/2
Black Mountain	1	1 1/2
Calumet & Arizona	104	105
Centennial	313	313
Copper Range	302	31
Cumberland-Elly	74	74
Daily-West	5	5 1/2
Davis-Daly	53	53
East Butte	123	123
First National	53	53
Granby Copper	59	59
Globe Mines	10	10 1/2
Greene Cananea	19	19 1/2
Hancock	24	24
Helvetia	33	34
Ile Royale	25 1/2	25 1/2
Keweenaw	4	4 1/2
Lake	13	13 1/2
La Salle	13	13 1/2
Mass.	23	23
B. C. Copper	7	7 1/2
Deer Copper	1	1 1/2
Michigan	10	10 1/2
Miami	15 1/2	16
Mohawk	65	66
Nevada-Utah	15	15 1/2
Nipissing	29	29 1/2
Nevada Cons.	298	298
North Butte	57	57 1/2
Osceola Copper	125	125
Old Dominion	23	24
Parrot Mining	20	20 1/2
Quincy Copper	87	88
Shannon Copper	154	154
Superior & Pitsburg	14	14 1/2
Superior Copper	154	154
Superior & Boston	154	154
Tamarack	67	67
Trinity	11	11 1/2
Victoria	4	4 1/2
United Copper	10	10 1/2
U. S. Smelt & Ref.	494	497
Do. pref.	694	697
Utah Consolidated	414	417
Utah Copper	48	49
Winona	10	10 1/2
Wolverine	147	152
Ohio Copper	41	42
Yukon	41	42

San Francisco Markets

(Times Leased Wire.)
 San Francisco, Cal., June 26.—Wheat—No. 1 California, Club, per cental, \$2.10 1/2; No. 2 California, White Milling, \$2.10 1/2; Northern Blue Stem, \$2.10 1/2; off grades wheat, \$1.90 1/2; reds, \$2.10 1/2. Barley—Feed barley, \$1.00 1/2; common to fair, \$1.15 1/2; brewing at San Francisco, nominal; Chevalier, nominal. Eggs—Per dozen, California fresh, including cases, extras, 25c; firsts, 24c; seconds, 23c; thirds, 22c. Butter—Per pound, California fresh, extra, 55c; firsts, 54c; seconds, 53c. New Cheese—Per pound, California flats, fancy, 13c; firsts, 12c; seconds, 12c. California Young America, fancy, 15c; firsts, 14c; Eastern Oregon, 15c; do, Young America, 15c. Potatoes—Per cental, River White, fancy, \$1.50 1/2; Oregon Burbanks, \$1.50 1/2; new potatoes, per cental, \$1.50 1/2. Oranges—Per box, navels, \$1.75 1/2; Valencia, \$2.00 1/2.

MINING STOCKS

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
 Spokane, June 26.
 Bid. Asked.

Alameda	11	11
Copper King	4	4
Gertie	11	11
Humming Bird	11	11
Lucky Calumet	54	58
Monitor	24	26
Nabob	23	23
North Franklin	23	23
Kendall	15	15
O. K. Consolidated	3	3
Oom Paul	21	21
Rex	10	12
Snowshoe	7	7
Snowstorm	109	112
Stewart	50	55
Tamarack	17	17
Wonder	22	22 1/2
International Coal	75	77
Rambler Cariboo	41	41

LOCAL STOCKS

(By Courtesy N. B. Maysmith & Co.)
 (Private Exchange.)
 Bid. Asked.

Alberta Coal & Coke	45
American Canadian Oil	113
B. C. Amalgamated Coal	95
B. C. Copper	8.90
B. C. Permanent Loan	125.50
B. C. Pulp & Paper	1.00
Canadian Cons. S. & R.	1.00
Canadian Northwest Oil	6.50
Cariboo Camp Mck.	5.25
Diamond Vale Coal & Iron	100.00
Domestic Trust Co.	1.00
Great West Permanent	106.00
Granby	88.00
International Coal & Coke	75
Nicola Valley Coal & Coke	65.00
Nootka Marble Quarries	6.50
Northern Bank	92.00
Northern Oil	48
Pacific Loan Co.	55.00
Pacific Whaling, pref.	67.50
Do. com.	48.00
Portland Canal Mining	70
Pacific Coast Fire	125.00
Pacific Fin. M. & S. Co.	1.00
Royal Collieries	21
Silica Brick	4.50
Snowstorm	175.00
United Wireless (unstamped)	30.00
Vancouver Brigette Coal	4
Western Oil	2.00
West. Can. Wood P. & P.	30

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MARINE INQUIRY NEARLY CONCLUDED

One More Witness to Be Called on Behalf of Captain Gaudin.

The commission of inquiry into the affairs of the marine department was continued yesterday afternoon by Col. F. B. Gregory, and cleared up a number of small items, Captain Jones and A. J. Dallain each gave evidence in regard to the coal which was delivered to the different stations, and proved to the satisfaction of the commissioner that everything was regular, although they must have appeared complicated. There appears now to be nothing left which has not been proven correct in the department except in connection with the two coal buckets which the witness Schultz alleged he carried to Nodok's store for delivery to Capt. Gaudin's home. It has been shown that these were paid for by the department, but

there is no requisition or receipt from the light-keepers at Discovery and Cape Beale, at which place they were supposed to have been set. In order to clear up the coal bucket question the lady lightkeeper at Discovery Island will be called, and if she is able to say that she received the bucket which is charged against the lighthouse at that point that will conclude the inquiry. Capt. Gaudin explained that there were times when the lightkeeper appeared in person when no requisition was made out or receipt given for the articles.

UNDER THE BAN.

Users of Tobacco and Liquor Prohibited From Entering Methodist Ministry. Los Angeles, Cal., June 26.—Those who contemplate entering the ministry of the Methodist denomination hereafter must learn to cast liquor behind them, cast tobacco under their feet and turn away from the soothing cigarette. This ultimatum was announced to-day, following a meeting of the Methodist South conference at a local church last night. Resolutions have been adopted prohibiting users of tobacco and drinkers of intoxicants from entering the Methodist ministry.

CREW OF CHARLOTTE PROUD OF VICTORY

No Opportunity Allowed to Pass Without Telling of Superiority.

The rivalry between the crews of the steamers Princess Charlotte and Princess Victoria is exhibiting itself on every occasion that they meet. The crew of the steamer Princess Charlotte do not let any opportunity pass of "rubbing in the fact" that their vessel now carries the blue ribbon, having beaten her rival by one minute on the eighty miles between this city and Seattle. The crew of the Victoria are now looking forward to the time when they will again be able to try their speed. They think that their steamer still has a reserve power which under favorable conditions will put them well in the lead of their rival. Then they hope to win back some of the money they lost a few days ago.

SHIPPING REVIVAL ON ATLANTIC COAST

Great Many New Steamers Being Built, Some for This Coast.

While reasons differ as to its cause, shipping men agree that there is not only marked activity in maritime interests, but that the prospects are better than they have been for years. That the demand for freights is not an ephemeral character is demonstrated, they declare, by the fact that since May 1st, of this year contracts for more than \$3,000,000 in new steamships have been placed with shipbuilding concerns on the Atlantic seaboard. In addition to these, it is said that contracts for two or three steamships, each to cost about \$700,000 for the Alaska Steamship Company of Seattle, will be given to eastern yards before the end of the present year. Ten vessels are now in course of construction at Newport News, Va., three in Baltimore, two at the New York Shipbuilding yards in Camden and two in Wilmington.

In addition to the merchant ships under construction, the United States government is building five torpedo boat destroyers. The Tremont and Shawmut, bought by the government from the Boston Steamship Company, are at Cramp's shipyard undergoing extensive alterations. These steamships will run between New York, carrying passengers and material for the Panama canal. Not for years have so many vessels been under construction in American shipyards, and shipping men say that the indications in maritime business are more assuring than have been known for a long period.

SHIPPING REPORT

Cape Lazo, June 25, 8 a. m.—Clear; wind southeast; bar, 29.52; temp, 64; sea moderate. Point Grey, June 25, 8 a. m.—Rain; wind northwest; bar, 29.45; temp, 66. In Rupert City, 7:50 a. m. Estevan, June 25, 8 a. m.—Cloudy; wind southeast; bar, 29.56; temp, 52; light swell. Princess Ena passed south, 5:30 a. m. Tatooch, June 25, 8 a. m.—Light rain; wind south, 7 miles; bar, 29.65; temp, 59; sea smooth. Out, steamer President, 6 p. m.; steamer Col. E. L. Drake, 7 p. m.; steamer Georgia, 7:30 p. m. Pachena, June 25, 8 a. m.—Cloudy; calm; bar, 29.52; temp, 53; light swell. Spoke Empress of India 285 miles out, at 6:30; Quadra at Nanfeldt; Jolliffe inbound at 8 a. m.

WEAK, TIRED GIRLS Will Find Health and Strength Through Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

There is a time in the life of every girl when the strain upon her blood becomes too great; when she grows weak; has headaches and backaches; when dizziness seizes her and she becomes extremely miserable. That is the time of life she needs a tonic—a medicine that will not fail to enrich her blood and give her strength to withstand the changes through which she is passing. Such a tonic is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. They have raised thousands of growing girls out of the depths of misery and despair to a full enjoyment of good health and strength. Among those who have found good health through these Pills is Miss Suddard, of Haldimand, Que., concerning whose case her mother writes as follows: "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been a great benefit to my daughter who was weak and miserable. She was pale, easily tired and was bothered with indigestion. The use of the Pills has brought back her health, and made her strong and active. I am very grateful for what this wonderful medicine has done for her."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are the greatest blood builder known to medical science. That is why they cure anaemia, rheumatism, heart palpitation, indigestion, neuralgia, etc. That is why they are of such value to women and girls during the changes through which they pass from girlhood to maturity. The Pills are sold by all medicine dealers or direct by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont. —It is rumored that the fifteen Chinamen who are still to be tried on charges of running "potteries" have agreed on a company line of action and that they will plead guilty. They have been discussing the question some being in favor of fighting their cases and others of pleading guilty.

MONTEAGLE TAKES JAPS.

C. P. R. Steamer Carried Many Strikers From Honolulu to Japan.

A report from Honolulu says that the steamer Monteagle took a large number of the striking Japanese laborers back to their own country from Honolulu. The steamer had but a small passenger list when she left this port outward bound, and she can carry a good many stowaway passengers. A great many of the Japanese were getting very tired of the strike, and they took the opportunity of making a visit to Japan while there was no chance of getting work on the plantations.

SHIPPING GUIDE

Table with columns: Vessel, Destination, Date. Includes entries for Empress of Japan, Tosa Maru, Aerangi, Erna, Georgia, Teucer, Empress of Japan, Aerangi, Lonsdale, Erna, Antiochus, etc.

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS From the Orient.

Table with columns: Vessel, Date. Includes entries for Suveric, Empress of Japan, Tosa Maru, Aerangi, Erna, Georgia, Teucer, Empress of Japan, Aerangi, Lonsdale, Erna, Antiochus, etc.

COASTWISE STEAMERS TO ARRIVE.

Table with columns: Vessel, Date. Includes entries for Princess Victoria, Princess Royal, Amur, Queen City, Tees, etc.

TO SAIL.

Table with columns: Vessel, Date. Includes entries for Princess Charlotte, Princess Victoria, Amur, Queen City, Tees, etc.

SAILING VESSELS.

Table with columns: Vessel, Date. Includes entries for Celtic Monarch, Wray Castle, etc.

FERRY SERVICE

Table with columns: Vessel, Date. Includes entries for Princess Victoria, Amur, Queen City, Tees, etc.

ENTRIES FOR MONDAY'S RACES AT WILLOWS.

Table with columns: Race, Horses, Odds. Includes entries for 1st race-6 furlongs, 2nd race-6 furlongs, 3rd race-5 furlongs, 4th race-1 mile 70 yards, 5th race-7 furlongs.

VICTORIA FIRE ALARMS.

Table with columns: Alarm, Location. Includes entries for Bridge Walk and Superior St., Battery and Carr St., Michigan and Menzies St., etc.

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Table with columns: Stock Name, Price. Includes entries for Bell Telephone, Detroit United Ry, Dom. Coal, etc.

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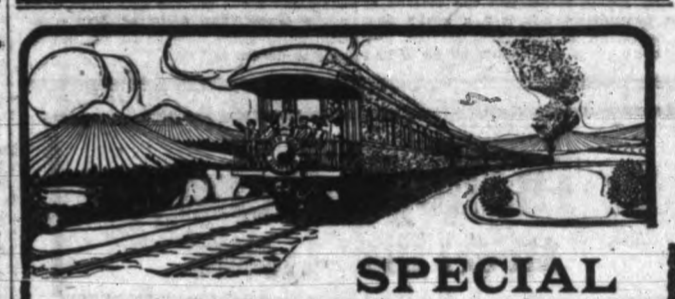
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SKINNER STREET CORNER A TRAP

ALDERMAN AND FIRE CHIEF GET CLOSE CALL

Council Will Try to Remedy Condition Residents Complain of.

The danger of the present position of affairs at the corner of Skinner and Russell streets was brought home to the members of the city council last night when, at the streets committee, they learned that Ald. Mable and Fire Chief Davis had had a narrow escape from a terrible death at that point earlier in the evening.

In order to get an easier grade in getting out on Craigflower road the company, some time ago, bought a corner lot and relaid its line. In doing so it crossed the sidewalk on the north side of Skinner street and, a few feet further on, the sidewalk on the east side of Russell street. The result is that pedestrians have to walk along the track for some forty feet, and the conditions are described as very dangerous. The residents have asked the council to remedy this and the construction of the permanent walk on Skinner street has been suspended till something is decided on.

Last evening Ald. Mable was escorting Fire Chief Davis through Victoria West looking at the location of hydrants. At this corner, in the dusk of the evening, they were caught in a bunch of cars and only the chief's coolness and good driving saved them.

Ald. Mable mentioned the matter to the committee, but laid a great deal more stress on the fact that at any moment there was liable to be a bad

accident to children. He insisted that something must be done, and done at once.

The city has tried to purchase a lot and run the walk in but the owner does not wish to sell. The committee did not see just how to get over the difficulty but Chairman Turner will see the company and endeavor to get an amicable arrangement.

The B. C. Electric Railway was granted permission to run its Equi-mat and Gorge cars in a loop by way of Government, Yates, Douglas and Bay streets. The line on Douglas street will be double-tracked from Pembroke to Bay and a connection will be put in on the short block of Bay street between Douglas and Government. There will be no wait at the corner of Government and Yates, and whether on time or not the west-bound cars will have to keep moving to get out of the way of the Spring Ridge and Douglas street lines.

The city engineer asked for an additional amount to carry on the survey of the Spring Ridge gravel pits, for which \$350 was voted. He said it would cost about \$600. The work has not been started yet, even with the \$350, and the committee told Mr. Topp to lose no more time with it.

A meeting of the city engineer was instructed to purchase another small crusher. Last night he asked the committee if they desired him to call for tenders. He was told that it was up to him to go ahead and buy the crusher as he had been told to do.

SUET CURE FOR PAUPERISM.

In consequence of a small but important change in the diet for able-bodied men at the Workhouse, Eng., workhouse there has been almost a complete exodus from that institution.

The change consists in the substitution of suet pudding for meat at the midday meal. Before it came into operation three months ago there were never fewer than forty or fifty able-bodied inmates; now there are hardly half a dozen.

WOMAN'S CANADIAN CLUB TO BE FORMED

Meeting for Organization Will Be Held on Monday Evening.

A meeting of great importance to the women of Victoria will be held at 2 p.m. on Monday in the drawing room of the Empress hotel, when the Women's Canadian Club of Victoria will be inaugurated and the officers for the coming year elected. A. E. McPhillips, K.C., M.P.P., president of the local Canadian Club, will occupy the chair and give a brief account of the work in which the Canadian Clubs throughout Canada are engaged. The ladies of Victoria and the wives and daughters of the members of the men's Canadian Club in the city are earnestly requested to attend and enroll themselves as members of this organization, which has been so highly commended by Earl Grey as a medium through which the women of the Dominion can show their loyalty and patriotism to their native or adopted country.

Earl Grey will visit Victoria during the summer, and will be asked to address the members of the club.

FISCAL REFORMERS COUNT ON BONAR LAW

Look to Canadian as a Leader in British Movement.

In a series, "Ministers to Be," in the London Express, Charles T. King writes as follows about Mr. Bonar Law, the Canadian who is such a strong supporter of the Fiscal Reform movement in England:

This tall, small-headed, cold-nerved master of debate has been a minister already, it is true, but he will be a far higher minister soon. He is a business man. In Mr. Balfour's administration Mr. Andrew Bonar Law was parliamentary secretary to the board of trade. At that time it was rather a novelty to put into a particular government office a man who was an expert (in real life) on the particular side of government that office is supposed to look after.

While Mr. Bonar Law, Unionist M.P. for Dulwich, has all the qualifications for the position of tariff reform president of the board of trade, it would not surprise me at all, from what I have seen of him, to find him with the latchkey of "No. 11" in his pocket as chancellor of the exchequer. No. 11 is next door to No. 19 in the dingy-looking, golden-edged Downing street. But there will be no exhibitions and advertisements of foreign-made, untaxed manufactured articles from next door when Mr. Bonar Law goes there to live.

He is a fine example of that startling modern innovation, the business man in the business of the state. Before he came to Westminster he had a long and rich experience as an ironmaster down in Glasgow, where dwell the men of the hard heads. His keen eye for real facts made him chairman of the Glasgow Iron Trade Association, than which surely there is nothing more hard and solid and less given to chimeras. Small wonder, that the waves and shocks of the House of Commons—at present, of course, a mainly hostile House of Commons—beat in vain against an experience so bedded in the impregnable rock of experience.

He is the bloodless surgeon of debate. He is the personification of that well-balanced, hard-headed population on the banks of the Clyde, that waits coldly until the man of sentiment and emotion has finished, says a dry "Ha, ha," and then quietly says "The nothingness of it all."

Some men come down to this House with a great local reputation; others with a family name; others with great fore-running clamor; others with some mystery or with some popular trick of subtle advertisement; others are the sons of their fathers. Mr. Bonar Law came down without any of these things and sat on a back bench, and nobody knew what he could do. I do not think anybody guessed. The spare, close-packed, political dynamo we now know so well sat, an apparently commonplace back bench, somewhere near the shadow of the gallery, quiet as a mouse. One night they happened to be debating a question of trade, of economics, of imports and exports. The new man on the back bench got up and gave a modest maiden speech. It stripped the House. Mr. Bonar Law made a parliamentary name in thirty minutes. What the old parliamentary hands who sat up and started and listened most reverent of the impression that Mr. Bonar Law made upon them is his serene clarity of mind.

Mr. Bonar Law never forgets a figure, never slips an argument, never hesitates for a point. All you see when this deft parliamentary scientist gets up to dissect is the shining top of the brass-bound box quite bare. All the litter of notes of previous speakers have been swept away. Not a peg anywhere.

I never see Mr. Bonar Law standing at the bare table cutting, analyzing, dissecting, slapping, giving, rasping, and devastating the great Liberal host in front of him without thinking—somewhat incongruously, perhaps—of the lines in dear Oliver Goldsmith's passage about the village schoolmaster: "And still he learned, and still the wonder grew That one small head could carry all he knew."

Pigeon-holed in that head, somewhere out of sight, under that close-cropped brown hair, lies the whole debate, governed, topped and mastered on many a fiscal night by the whole case for tariff reform.

Suddenly in the chill torrent of his argument some back-bench member on the ministerial side raps out an exultant interruption. Mr. Bonar Law is quoting some past statement of a minister—against the minister. "Oh, it didn't mean that," or "He

VASES FOR THE SHOW OF ROSES



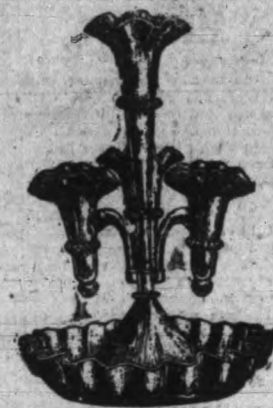
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THE third floor has just received a very attractive furniture piece in a combination bookcase and writing desk in Mission design. This article is of very striking design and superior finish. The bookcase portion has five shelves enclosed with an attractively designed door. The writing desk portion has two shelves, a drawer and a conveniently arranged desk. This is a serviceable piece of furniture, useful and needed in every home. It is finished in the popular Early English finish, and is priced at\$40

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- TUMBLERS, per dozen ..\$12

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didn't say it," or "That wasn't the time when he said it," or "That wasn't the way his argument ran" or "Those were not his figures" or "That is not the way he meant it."

But Mr. Bonar Law, like Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, has lots of masked batteries. He has seven or eight pockets. He dives a hand into a pocket. He pulls out a printed cutting. The right pocket and the right cutting. In the other pockets are other cuttings, ready for the next man who puts his foot in it.

"On the eighteenth of March, nineteen hundred and—"
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From Canada, where he was born in 1858, to the smallest British colony the world over, Mr. Bonar Law has, side by side with his mathematical minuteness over fiscal figures, a broad imperial view.

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DESpondent WOMAN'S SUICIDE.

Hopland, Cal., June 26.—Funeral services over the body of Mrs. Louise Lea, who committed suicide because she feared her husband had contracted tuberculosis, were held to-day.

Mrs. Lea, who was but 22 years of age, had been despondent since physicians ordered her husband to go to San Francisco to be examined by tuberculosis experts. They refused to permit her to accompany him. Brooding over the possibility of her husband's death, she is thought to have become temporarily insane. She ended her life at their little ranch house Thursday.

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SATURDAY, JUNE 26, 1909.

VANCOUVER'S FOURTEEN-STOREY DOMINION TRUST BUILDING FINEST IN EMPIRE

DESIGN AND METHOD EMBODIED IN CONSTRUCTION ARE OF LATEST TYPE—HANDSOME BUILDING WILL BE COMPLETED BY END OF THE YEAR.

CANADA IS BEST FIELD FOR AN INVESTMENT

The strength of the financial institutions of the country is the bulwark of its commercial and industrial progress. Safety and permanence are the foundations upon which national credit is based, and in this age of enterprise and effort the credit of a nation—its ability to draw to itself a creative and constructive power of foreign capital—determines in a large degree the measure of its progress and prosperity.

Fortunately in the evolution of Canadian monetary institutions we have the guidance of two most potent and salutary factors—the dominance of British ideas and ideals, giving to our finance the conservatism of the old land, with its assurance of absolute safety; and the national commercial contiguity of the American Republic, coupled with the inspiration born of a new and developing country, and the aggressiveness and force which are essential in our institutions to rapid progress and large profits.

The financial history of the Dominion of Canada reveals the development of a number of strong financial organizations, among which stand out in prominence our great banking institutions, now looked upon as models of their kind. In the province of British Columbia there is no finer record of financial progress than that of the Dominion Trust Company, whose Head Office is at Vancouver. From the day of its inception to the present time its history has been one of remarkable progress—progress not of an ephemeral kind sometimes seen in a young country, but progress mortised and tenoned in the bedrock of permanence and stability.

History of the Dominion Trust Co.

The story of the development of the Dominion Trust Company reads like a romance. In 1903 the Trust & Loan Agency Corporation, Limited, of Vancouver, was organized. Two years later the name was changed to the Dominion Trust Company, and the capital increased. The Imperial Trust Company was merged in the Dominion—and to-day the authorized capital is two million dollars and the assets of the Company within a few thousand dollars of round million.

In addition to building up this gigantic reserve the earning power of the company has been demonstrated in the actual returns to the shareholders. Stock bonuses have been paid aggregating \$45 per share as well as regular cash dividends of 8 per cent. per annum. These profits give some idea of the financial success of the enterprise, but fail to reveal the comprehensive, harmonious basis of the working out of those ideals so essential to any great success—no waste of time—no dissipation of energy—no friction of forces. This is accomplished by the completeness of the organization of the business into different departments, each having its own particular function to perform, and each co-ordinating with the other for the strength of the whole.

Trust.

Of these departments perhaps the most important is the trust work. Sometimes in the incompetence too often shown in the administration of financial affairs, estates become badly involved, and it is the function of this department to unravel the tangled skein and bring cosmos out of chaos. Besides the special remuneration which the company receives for work of this kind, such business brings with it business which goes to the other departments—insurance to the insurance department, rentals to the rent department, and real estate business to the real estate department.

Real Estate.

This department handles real estate business exclusively upon a commission basis. No speculation is allowed. A fair idea of the profits may be gained from the fact that since January 1, 1905, the department has handled over a million dollars of central business property alone, and about five hundred thousand dollars of smaller scattered properties.

Rentals.

A large business is also done in rentals for clients. Many of the largest buildings in the city are now entirely handled by the Dominion Trust Company; the renting is done through the company's rental department, and this necessarily brings with it other business for the insurance and loan departments.

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The New Office Building.

An enterprise recently undertaken by the company, which gives every promise of being very profitable, is the building of the mammoth fourteen-storey structure at the corner of Hastings and Cambie streets, one of the choicest business locations in Vancouver. Before the close of the present month the fourteenth storey will be reached, the derricks will come down, the bricks will be going up—in any one or all of the stories at the same time—the Blue Funnel liner Antiochus will have arrived with the beautiful Burmantofa terra cotta from Leeds, soon to be followed by the great polished red granite columns from Aberdeen and by the end of the year Architect John S. Helyer will deliver to the owners, the Dominion Trust Co., the keys of the finest office building in the Dominion and one of the finest of such buildings, as well as the tallest, under the British flag.

It is proposed to erect a similarly handsome office building in Victoria on the company's site on Government Street. The company also has a branch office doing a large and profitable business at New Westminster.

Company Organization.

An important and remunerative feature which has recently been added to the work of the company, is a company organization department, giving under experienced management efficient facilities for the organization of joint stock companies to cope with the present rapid development and activity in purely commercial enterprises in the province. This department will provide capital and undertake reorganization of established concerns as limited liability companies. Every proposition submitted will be considered with the greatest care and thoroughness, and must stand the critical examination of the company's experts, and the legal investigation of its counsel before being placed before the investors to whom the company is responsible and whom it represents.

Bonds and Debentures.

A further department looks after the handling of this business and the administration of sinking funds where such are created. The company is at present trustee for several debenture issues, aggregating over a million dollars.

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The Times Nature Club

Theodore Roosevelt did one good act just before he left the presidential chair. He ordained that the island which stretched out into the Pacific ocean westward from Honolulu should be a bird preserve. This order is now being enforced and the naval authorities at the Sandwich Islands will have the duty of policing. When the United States sea forces are engaged in the work of protecting the helpless feathered creatures they will be doing the noblest work which they have yet undertaken. They will be sure that their cause is right, and there will be no need to kill anybody in the work. The provisions of the order say that it is unlawful for any person to hunt, trap, capture, wilfully disturb, or kill any bird of any kind whatever, or take the eggs of such birds within the limits of this reservation, except under such

license when picked up and taken to Honolulu.

Fritillaria.

It may not be too late to mention that about this time of year the graceful fritillaria is in bloom. This dark brown flower shading to maroon is sometimes called the wild tulip. It grows almost everywhere in the long grass and may be seen at Beacon Hill park. It is spotted with yellow and green and from one to three flowers are often found on the same stem. Twenty inches is about the limit of height. Most of the flowers are over-blown, but a few remain in cool places.

There are a good many summer flowers now in bloom. The early variety of carnations are about over, but one here and there may be found. There are still plenty of the late variety, however. Two varieties of apris are at their best. The wild larkspur, the blue flower, which is so much valued in some places for decorative purposes is quite common, especially along the sea shore. There are several varieties of sunflowers, the orange-colored honey-suckle, and columbines, tiger lilies, wild roses and bed-straw, the last mentioned a tiny, cream-colored, sweet scented flower. The tall stately lupines may also be picked in many places, especially along the edges of the cultivated fields.

Tupelo.

Tupelo is a name which is not familiar to many, especially to the new arrivals from the east. It is a name given by the Indians in the early days to a wild pea vine which was gathered and sold by them to the white residents for food. Large bundles of from thirty to forty pounds could at that time be bought for twenty-five cents. The vine grows several feet high. The word tupelo was also used by the Indians to express hay or grass.

Pugnacious Sparrows.

Sparrows are noted for their pugnacity. They often drive out the swallows and other birds and occupy their nests; they have been known to attack hawks and owls; but so far as I know it has never before been recorded that sparrows have ever attacked a dog. That is what happened recently, however, on the streets of Vancouver. A small dog was attacked by several of the English birds, and so fiercely did they peck that the dog tried to get away. Finding that the canine was afraid the birds became bolder and made life very miserable for the poor creature until his master came and drove the birds away, taking his pet into the house.

Stone Crop.

Editor Nature Club: In your mention of stone crop last week you speak of its decorative value for rock gardens. It requires very little care and thrives in any hot sunny place. You omitted stating, however, that there are two distinct varieties. The flowers with their bright yellow, star-shaped blossoms are similar but the foliage is quite different. In one the leaves are sea green and broad, while in the other they grow in little tufts, are narrow, brown green colored, and the blossoms a little later than the other variety. Both varieties may be seen on the rocks in any part of Oak Bay, being particularly noticeable on Burns street.

NATURE STUDENT.



FRITILLARIA LANCOLATA.

rules and regulations as may be prescribed from time to time by the secretary of agriculture. Warning is expressly given to all persons not to commit any of the acts herein enumerated and which are prohibited by law.

It has been often charged that Japanese bird catchers visit these islets and slaughter thousands of birds for the skins. Some have been detected at this work, their schooners coming over from Japan and distributing the bird catchers among the islands. Not so long ago a party of these bird catchers were brought to Honolulu, their schooner having landed them and afterwards been lost. For weeks the men were on the reef, living as best they could on the fish they could catch and the birds they could trap. On account of the fact that they remained so long on the islet, the birds deserted it and the Japanese were about fam-

PERSONALITY OF BRITISH SPEAKERS

Character Sketch of the Presiding Officers of House of Commons.

The personality of the Speaker of the House of Commons embodies the spirit of the British parliament, and the present Speaker, the Right Hon. James William Lowther, is justly regarded by all those who have any interest in parliamentary proceedings as a notable force in political life.

One of the characteristics of the House of Commons is that membership of it draws together in a common spirit men of all parties, Conservatives, Socialists and Liberals; those who are regarded in some quarters as most revolutionary become strenuous in upholding its traditions and jealous of encroachment on its privileges. The sharp divisions of party are sometimes obscure even to the most ardent politician, but he cannot fail to be influenced by the striking continuity of character in each succeeding House of Commons and the remarkable similarity of the legislative gathering, whether Liberal or Conservative, gradiminate. That secular individuality of the House of Commons is, so to speak, enshrined in the person of the Speaker. The more faithfully he, without conscious effort, reflects the more certain is his name to go down to succeeding generations as one to be honored and revered, writes Frank Dilnot, parliamentary representative of the Daily Mail.

The present Speaker—succeeding distinguished men—has proved himself a genius among Speakers. He gives no favor and he knows no fear. The rights and privileges of the extreme Socialist are as safe in his hands as those of the prime minister or Mr. Balfour. Not one of the 670 members but will acclaim him for his just and happy rule; the vast majority without distinction of party are proud to call him friend.

The Right Hon. James W. Lowther, who comes of an old and distinguished parliamentary family, was born in 1855, the son of the Hon. William Lowther, who himself was in the House of Commons for a quarter of a century. Educated at Eton and Trinity College, Cambridge, Mr. J. W. Lowther was called to the bar in 1879 and elected to parliament in 1883. He was under secretary for foreign affairs in 1891, and was appointed chairman of the committee of ways and means and deputy-speaker in 1895. In 1905 he became the Speaker. That is a brief outline of the official record of the man whose personal qualities have lifted him to a position higher than official eminence. Curiously enough, his peculiar genius was not so apparent when he was acting in the secondary position of chairman in the House. Grumbling politicians have said, rightly or wrongly, that though Mr. Lowther was always fair as chairman, it was nevertheless possible to detect in him occasionally a higher than official eminence. He is more than that. In all probability he will be ranked as one of the great Speakers of history.

At a quarter to three each afternoon there enters the House of Commons an erect, well-proportioned man with trim brown beard, regular features, and the steel-blue eyes of the typical Englishman. It is Mr. Speaker. He is garbed in flowing robes, full-bottomed neck breeches and silk stockings, and he gives to the old-world costume a grace and dignity only to be found when it is associated with strength and character. With strong, quick steps he mounts the dais of the chair; he takes his seat, adjusts his robes and opens the order paper for the day. The sergeant-at-arms, sword by his side, raises the great gilt mace to the table. Members sink to silence; the day's sitting has begun.

The present Speaker leads men in a way which makes them like being led. It is a pleasure to submit to his rule. During the first three-quarters of an hour questions may be posed in upon ministers, but members are not allowed to make anything in the nature of a speech. Supplementary inquiries arising from the ministers' replies are permissible, but members must not express their opinions. One day that irrepressible Nationalist, Mr. Swift MacNeil, bubbling with rage about some minor injustice to Ireland, snapped out a sharp retort to Mr. Birrell, the chief secretary. Instantly the Speaker was on his feet. "The hon. member," he said gravely, "must put his interruption in the form of an interrogation." The House roared with laughter, and the Irishman enjoyed the reproof as much as anyone.

The Speaker must not only have hundreds of robes of office at his fingertips, but must be ready to meet a sudden emergency with a quick decision. Mr. Lowther rarely fails. An indignant Liberal below the gangway one day put a question which was ignored by the minister to whom it was addressed. Not to be snubbed in this way the Liberal warmly demanded of the Speaker whether it was not a fact that a private member had a right to ask any question of ministers. "Certainly," replied the Speaker, in his full, rich voice. "Hon. members have the right to ask any question—members cheered—but that does not necessarily mean that ministers are compelled to answer them."

The laughter and applause that followed effectually extinguished any further protest, and while members were enjoying the retort the Speaker called the next question.

A Man of Culture and Character.

When Mr. Lowther was made Speaker the critics, while admitting many qualities, pointed out that he was not brilliant. There was probably some justification for this. He was not a great orator, he was not a commanding statesman. He was not likely to thrill the world with a great book. But he had even greater qualifications than this kind of brilliance for the post he now holds. He was an all-round man of culture, possessing tact and firmness, and he was dominated by a cer-

tain English spirit of fair play. He was then, as he is now, a sportsman right through. A good shot, he was also very fond of cricket, and was excellent with the foils. Possessing some skill in painting, he was successful also as an amateur actor, and his acting name was "Lowther R. Kadee" is still remembered by his associates. This is the Englishman who guides the House of Commons to-day. He guides it with a dignity that has never been surpassed.

Many weapons are in his armory, his chief one a certain gentle wit. Many an angry outburst has been smoothed away by one of his happy phrases. But with all his gentleness, he is not a member which allows of no evidence. The member who thinks he can impose on the good nature of the Speaker makes a mistake which is generally very painful for himself. Occasionally a member, warned that his speech is irrelevant, smoothly continues and presently brings his words round once more to the forbidden topic. "I'll discuss the commanding figure of the Speaker," "The hon. member," he says slowly, "is disregarding my ruling. If he does so again I shall be compelled to ask him to take his seat." Manner and tone convey a reproof impossible to reproduce in the written word.

Extremely rare are the occasions on which the Speaker is moved to anger. One of these occasions came when Mr. Victor Grayson defied the chair. In tactful and reasonable words the parliamentary methods of obtaining his objects had been pointed out to him. But the young Socialist had come down to make a scene, and a scene he must have. He spurred the advice of members who were appealing to him to show respect to the chair. He lunged defiance at the Speaker himself. He refused to leave, he said.

"Sergeant-at-arms," cried the Speaker, in a voice like thunder, "remove the hon. member." His blue eyes were flashing. The indignity put upon the House by comparatively insignificant members was reflected in every line of his countenance. He had a political complexion. He will have reason to be proud of him too.

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Interesting Sight Outside New York's Stock Exchange in Steel Market.

Nearly every great institution has a preparatory school of some kind. The federal legislators are often recruited from the provincial House; school trustees become aldermen and messenger boys become general managers. But who, passing down Nassau street in New York, would choose the gesticulating crowd of men who form an unruly circle resembling a mob as the future New York stock exchange.

Here is a body of men who, in their way, typify the spirit of the Republic, or at least of the New York end of it. Serious? Yes. Playful? Yes. Angry? Apparently so. Readers of the financial pages of the daily papers are familiar with the quotations from the "Curb." These quotations come from this shouting circle of men and boys down below the elastic front of the stock exchange itself. They are brokers and brokers' employees. They hope some day to be brokers in a larger sense and to have seats on the stock exchange, a place on which at the present time costs about \$30,000, writes M. O. Hammond in the Globe.

At present they are an unorganized, but very effective, body of men. They handle unlisted stocks, and how important this is may be seen from the fact that Standard Oil and United States Steel, and dozens of other securities of a more or less tangible kind, are unlisted. They have offices somewhere, but their trading is right here in the street, in rain or shine, every lawful day between 10 and 3 o'clock—they have no hour for luncheon, for something might happen, and New York cannot take time for eating if money is at stake.

One dull rainy March day but I saw these men under perhaps abnormal conditions of weather, but there was apparently no cessation of labor. There were few umbrellas, but there were rubber boots and rubber



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BURIED BROTHER ALIVE.

Under Questioning of Coroner Twelve-Year-Old Boy Tells of Tragedy.

Modesto, Cal., June 24.—That he buried his six-year-old brother Theodore, alive in the hog pen on his father's ranch, was confessed yesterday by twelve-year-old Frank Hopkins, son of a rancher of this place.

The body of the boy was found late Thursday. The back was torn literally to shreds by a charge of shot fired by the older boy.

The discovery of particles of sand and mud in the nostrils and throat of the dead child led to a further investigation on the part of Coroner Bowker.

Under the questioning of the coroner, Frank horrified the officers by announcing that his baby brother was alive when he dragged him to the hog pen and covered him with the filthy earth.

"He wiggled while I was throwing the dirt over him," the boy calmly remarked.

After this horrible admission, Sheriff Dingley led the boy to tell the other revolting details of the crime, prompted and drawn out by the examining officers. Frank told the following story: "When we were eating lunch my brother wanted to put egg and sugar on his bread. I didn't want him to, so I hit him in the head with a knife. When he went out of the door I got the gun and shot him. I carried him back of the house and buried him."

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

Any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, may homestead a quarter section (160 acres, more or less) of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

DUTIES.—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price \$5.00 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of three years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$1.00 per acre. Purchased homesteads may be acquired on any available lands on either odd or even numbered sections south of Township 4, east of the Calgary and Edmonton Railway and the west line of Range 24, and west of the third Meridian of the Great Northern Railway. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth \$200.

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John Drew.

John Drew has added another to his long list of successes in "Jack Straw," a comedy by W. E. Maughan, which he will present at the Victoria theatre on Monday, June 28th.

"Jack Straw" had to be very good indeed to live up to all the fine things that had been said about it in London, but the first performance that Mr. Drew gave of it in New York last autumn proved that the fine things that had been said weren't a bit too fine. Certainly there have been more subtle plays than this one of Mr. Maughan's, but it would be difficult to find one that is more thoroughly

entertaining. Mr. Maughan is evidently a keen and close observer of human nature, and he writes about real persons and events such as one has seen—and those after all are the persons and events most like best to see on the stage.

His plot is very light and airy, but perhaps it is all the more entertaining for that very reason. His situations are ingenious and whimsical and his dialogue is bright and witty. His satire is kindly, never the bitter kind, the kind that makes even those whom it touches most deeply smile.

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Ethel Barrymore. Miss Ethel Barrymore comes to the Victoria theatre on Friday, July 2nd, in her greatest success, "Lady Frederick," the comedy in three acts by W. Somerset Maughan, in which she has been appearing the greater part of the season at the Hudson theatre in New York. In the new play Miss Barrymore has scored the biggest hit of her career. Mr. Maughan in his play has told an exceptionally interesting story, and in "Lady Frederick" has furnished a character study that suits Miss Barrymore admirably. The scenes of the three acts of "Lady Frederick" are laid at Monte Carlo at the present day. Lady Frederick is an attractive Irish widow, not old, but still no longer young. She has a host of admirers. A certain young nobleman with fifty thousand pounds a year to his name, is infatuated with her, but the match is opposed by his family, and his addresses do not seriously interest Lady Frederick. Through her art she succeeds in disabusing the young man and in the end wins his uncle. The company provided by Charles Frohman for Miss Barrymore's support is of exceptional merit.

New Grand. There is an array of talent coming to the Grand theatre next week that promises to surpass even the splendid bill running this week. The famous here Sanford, the whistler, about whom so much has been heard, is to be here, but the piece of resistance is Eva Mudge, whose favorable press notices would fill a volume. There is also Loretta and her statute dog "Hen," a famous act from Paris, where Ben, a beautiful specimen of the Levick set, was the prize medal winner at last season's bench show. The dog is pure white in color, and sends himself to poses strikingly. All the notices to hand comment wonderfully on the dog's ability. Nine different poses are given. This act will become a principal feature Monday night without doubt.

Eva Mudge's act, a costume change performance, is said to be the greatest and brightest act now on the road. The San Francisco press refers to her as having captivated the city by her refreshing and meritorious performance.

Frank Rae and Gusie Brosche will add to the excellence of the bill with the playlet "Too Much Woman," in which a quaint German and a garrulous lady are the laughable features.

There is a second playlet to attract theatregoers put on by Mae M. Barnes and Louise Keating and Company. It is a merry domestic comedy, entitled "Mrs. Potter's First." The difficulties and lamentations of Mrs. Potter's second act will be imagined but must be seen next week to be appreciated fully.



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Mr. Maughan wrote "Jack Straw" to amuse, and he succeeded admirably in his purpose. The eccentric prince who

comes very near landing her, but is unmasked by Charles Chester as a bluff old sea captain.

Teddy McNamara is the captain's son and a mischievous youth he is, too. He has a keen little way of butting in that is irrepressibly funny. Eva Pollard has a part as a colored maid.

Alfred Goulding plays the title role. His slim figure is well adapted to female impersonation, and his Irish brogue has been imported from the old country.

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EVA POLLARD AND H. FRASER. At Victoria Theatre Next Week.

Thomas J. Price will sing "Some Day," an entirely new song, and the subject of the motion picture is "Salvation Army Lassies." To-night for the last time the present entertaining and lively bill will be given, including the racing sketch by Wyatt and Miss Rice, Knotts, the black face comedian; Sados, the juggler; Carita Day, with her dancing boys, and Mabel Carey and Jack Van Epps, besides the song and pictures.

The Pantages.

This week's show at the Pantages is considered one of the best possible; but patrons are asked to look out for what's coming next week. Lorimer Johnstone and Caroline Cooke are two of the best known and most talented comedy players on the American stage. This includes the legitimate as well as vaudeville. Their names are as prominent in one class as the other. "After the Ball" is the name of the farce comedy they are to present. If this was all on the Pantages program, and the next week their reputations would insure the show being worth more than the admission fee.

Trixada and Robinson, singers and dancers, with the swiftest of costumes, and known east and west as vaudeville fashionplates, is another big offering.

Signor Joseph St. Claire is without a doubt the greatest Italian harp soloist in vaudeville, which means the best on earth.

Charles Wallace, a comedy juggler and cartoonist; Adelaide Rogers, singing to the pictures "Lonesome," and the latest out in moving pictures forming a bill which looks to be the best that has ever been presented at the Pantages.

The Empress.

The moving pictures at the Empress theatre this week are as good as any that have been shown in this city. Although there is only three films for Friday and Saturday each one is a full reel of 1,000 feet.

It is hard to pick the superior one, as all are equally good. Samson and Delilah is a Biblical scene in color pictures. The other films are "Tricksey the Clever Princess," and "One Thanksgiving Day."

this popular little house has secured good programmes and large houses are expected to witness them. Good shows may be seen at the theatre any day, and the public run no risk in taking in these pictures.

FIGHT ON LAND IN AIR AND SEA

FUTURE BATTLES WILL BE IN THREE MEDIUMS

Krupps Are Making Guns Which Will Cope With Airships.

A cannon to defend us against airships was the demand of the armies of Europe as soon as Zeppelin, Deutsch, the Wright brothers and other aeronauts proved by flight over long distances that the aerial cruiser and the flying torpedo boat may have to be reckoned with seriously in all wars of the future.

The demand has been answered by the Krupp of Germany, says the Irish Independent.

Ordnance experts of every nation put on their thinking caps when the flying warships became a fact, for they realized that the cannon of to-day are useless against airships; they cannot be pointed at an angle high enough to enable them to hit a flying target, and even if they could, the shells they fire would pass through a dirigible balloon without doing it serious damage. Such balloons are built up of many compartments, and the only missile that would be dangerous to them is one that will rip them wide open from end to end.

Then, again, soldiers and sailors were keenly alive to the difficulty of hitting an airship, owing to the speed with which it moves and the difficulty of gauging accurately the distance between it and the gun.

It looks as if the Krupp inventors had solved all those difficulties and given the earth soldier a weapon with which to cope on even terms with the sailor of the air. The gun is made in two sizes, 7.5-centimetre and 6.5-centimetre calibre. The former is planned to be mounted on a motor car, the latter for use as a light field gun, on especially designed carriages with wheels that can be set at an angle that makes it possible for one man to swing the whole gun around in a few seconds.

But the feature of the Krupp aerial gun that is most likely to cause military aeronauts to look grave is the shell. Woe to the sky-pilot whose craft is struck by one of these missiles! He will need to get into a life-preserver in the form of a parachute, and to be quick about it, for only a swift drop to earth will save him from an awful death. The shells of these guns are designed to blaze as they penetrate the silk or aluminium envelope and set fire to the gas contents, causing the bag to explode. Of course, that means the end of the aeronaut as well as of his balloon.

In answer to those who question the ability of gunners to hit a moving balloon, it has been pointed out that the Zeppelin almost as large as the biggest warship afloat, it is 445 feet long, while the British battleship, Dreadnought, is only 490 feet, and there are few warships as long as she.

The Zeppelin may be taken as the type of aerial war vessel with which soldiers of the immediate future will have to deal. It is the type adopted by the German government, and though other countries may adopt other styles there is not likely to be much difference in their size or general appearance. Therefore, it is evident that gunners will have practically as big a target to aim at in the airship as they have now in the biggest battleships.

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the waves, and how accurately it is possible to do this really wonderful feat of marksmanship is familiar to everyone who has read the records that are published from time to time of the gunnery of the ships of our own navy and of the navies of other nations.

An ingenious feature of this new cannon is the disposition of the wheels, that are mounted upon a movable axle in such a way that they can be placed at an angle and will run around in a circle of which the spade of the gun is the centre, thus enabling the gunner to turn the gun in any direction almost instantaneously and aim at an airship that may suddenly change its direction or appear from an unexpected quarter. The gun can be moved just as if it were mounted on a swivel.

The Krupp works at Essen, Germany, are the greatest cannon factory in the world, and any nation can buy guns there; but the fact that these airship-destroying guns are made there suggests that probably they will be adopted for use in the German army, perhaps under a contract that will exclude other nations. It is safe to say that the Cruisers, the Armstrongs and all the other great gunmakers of the world will now try to improve upon this first device for repelling aerial attack. The gun itself would be easy to copy; any expert gunmaker could duplicate it from the pictures printed on this page; but the composition of the shells has not been made public, nor the method whereby these are to be made to explode at the moment of contact with the envelope of the balloon, and thus set fire to the gas it contains. So the field for inventors is still open; if anyone could design a shell that just before reaching the balloon, would spread out into a sort of chain that would rip the envelope with so large a tear as to render its cellular construction futile, he would have an advantage over this when directed against aeroplanes, for the Krupp-shell could do no more to one of those than pierce a hole through it, which might easily have no effect whatever upon its stability or sailing powers, while a projectile such as is suggested would bring down an aeroplane as easily as a load of bird shot brings down a sparrow.

Many plans for fighting aerial fleets have been suggested, but thus far the one that strikes practical men as the most feasible is that suggested a few months ago by Mr. Pain, the fireworks man. He said the skyrocket was the best part of them, and he suggested a way as to put the vessel out of commission. Now an airship or an aeroplane is in many ways like a frigate; chains, shrapnel, grape and

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height that is likely to be taken by an attacking airship. Batteries of skyrockets with pointed heads could be discharged at an aerial fleet that menaced a city, and Mr. Pain thinks such a bombardment would quickly destroy the invaders.

But whatever the developments in airship construction, one thing is quite evident; if airships are to be used in warfare the science of gunnery will have to be revised completely. This big cannon and the shells of to-day are designed for penetrating armour plating or fortifications. One cannot imagine an armour-plated airship. The objects to be destroyed in a war in the air would consist of nothing stronger than thin plates of aluminium and the greater part of them would be silk wires of slender steel bars. The airship must rely upon speed to avoid the missiles of its enemy, for it is at best a vulnerable object. Arrows fired from the bows of Indians would pierce it; skyrockets would pierce to bits, and shotguns would be more effective than a rifle, for the bullet would pass through it, making two holes out of which very little gas would escape, while a scattering charge of buckshot would tear the flimsy envelope in many places.

In the old days of naval warfare when warships moved under sail and had vast quantities of spars and ropes above their decks, the artillerists used chain shot, which went hurtling through the rigging, tearing it in such a way as to put the vessel out of commission. Now an airship or an aeroplane is in many ways like a frigate; chains, shrapnel, grape and

canister would be more effective against it than big shells or steel-need bullets; so it is certain that there must be a radical change in our cannon and in their charges.

This gun devised by the Krupp is the first advance along these lines. In its size is sacrificed to mobility, for it is evident that small projectiles will do airships almost as much damage as big ones, and the flying fighters move so rapidly that the cannon must necessarily be almost equally handy. This is the occasion for the change arrangement of the shells, which is entirely new in gun carriages.

It is now "up to" the naval and military attaches of the embassies of other nations in Berlin to find out the secret of the Krupp aerial shell, which is, after all, the most serious part of this invention and the part that has been so carefully kept secret. Falling to find out how and of what it is made, the inventors of explosives in other lands must now try to devise something that will serve the same purpose, for it is a great idea this, of a shell that will explode the contents of a dirigible balloon.

All of which goes to emphasize the fact that the next great war is going to be spectacular, with its battles in the air as well as on the land and on the sea.



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Resolution Passed by Washington Federation of Women's Clubs.

Seattle, Wash., June 25.—After taking a determined stand against the cigarette and the chain-gang in resolutions which were unanimously passed, the Washington State Federation of Women's Clubs has closed its sessions. Protest is made in the resolutions against the practice of working men in chain-gangs in the streets and highways, and of confining men and women in stockades without division. It was resolved to use every possible influence to enforce the cigarette law passed by the last state legislature. The establishment of a permanent "mother's day" also was endorsed.

After selecting Walla Walla as the next convention city, the following officers were elected: President, Miss Janet Moore, Olympia; first vice-president, Mrs. I. H. Jennings, Seattle; second vice-president, Mrs. John Pringle, Port Townsend; recording secretary, Mrs. E. G. Jewett, Bellingham; corresponding secretary, Miss Helen Cowles, Olympia; treasurer, Mrs. Nellie Day, Walla Walla; auditor, Mrs. N. B. Coffman, Chehalis; first trustee, Mrs. R. C. McCredie, Sunny Side; second trustee, Mrs. Solon Shedd, Pullman.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. Peter Miller, of Estevan, Sask., is in town.

Ald. Mable has returned from a few days' visit to the Seattle fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Victor Manning, of St. Louis, are recent arrivals in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Abbey and family are camping at the Gorge and will remain until October.

Miss Mary E. Maloney, of Woodbury, New Jersey, is listed among yesterday's arrivals.

Mr. and Mrs. Musgrave and Miss Musgrave, of Farmington, Iowa, are visiting old friends in town.

Mrs. S. M. Gager of Binghamton, N. Y., is sightseeing here in company with Miss Helen E. Stoddard, of Minto, Minn.

G. A. McNicholl, purchasing agent of the G. T. P., left last night for Vancouver, after spending a day in Victoria.

Smith Curtis, formerly a member of the legislature, was in the city yesterday. He has been paying a flying visit to Victoria.

Master Kenneth Tatlow, Rockland avenue, is celebrating his tenth birthday today, by entertaining a number of young friends.

Mrs. John Clemens and son, of Calgary, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Ward, South Turner street, and intend making a visit of three months duration to the city.

R. W. Coleman left this morning for Portland, Ore. He will attend a meeting of the executive of the Baptist Young People's Association of North America. At that gathering there will be representatives present from practically every state of the union and every province in Canada. No convention is being held this year, but the executive is gathering to plan work.

The fête at the Japanese gardens yesterday afternoon, under the auspices of the Daughters of Pitty, was a most delightful affair and would have been much more largely attended had it not been for the threatening weather. Early in the evening a great many friends came up and everything promised a most enjoyable time, when the rain which had threatened so long commenced to fall in earnest and there was a general stampede for home. The choir of the First Presbyterian church were in attendance, and rendered part of what would have been a splendid programme. The fête will be repeated at a date which will be announced later.

WASHINGTON BANKERS ELECT OFFICERS

A. E. Alberson, of Tacoma, is New President of State Association.

Seattle, Wash., June 25.—The last of the separate sessions of the Tri-State Bankers' Association was held yesterday and closed with the election of officers. The attendance at the meetings has not been as great as had been anticipated; many delegates preferring the attractions about the city to sitting through the sessions.

The officers elected by the Washington State Bankers' Association are as follows: President, A. E. Alberson, Tacoma; vice president, J. D. Bassett, Riverview; secretary, E. C. Kaufman, Tacoma; treasurer, Chas. A. McLean, Spokane.

Executive committee: J. W. Maxwell, Seattle; H. W. Wyman, Walla Walla; H. W. Smith, Olympia; W. J. Patterson, Aberdeen; J. B. Brady, Pomeroy.

CELEBRATION OF WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McMicking Have Been Wedded Forty Years.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McMicking, who will, on Monday celebrate the fortieth anniversary of their wedding day, are among the best known and most popular residents of Victoria.

The marriage notice printed at the time of the wedding, reads as follows: "At Lytton, B. C., 28th June, 1869, at the residence of the bride's uncle, Thomas R. Baie, Esq., by the Rev. J. B. Good, of St. Paul's, Maggie E., only daughter of the late David Leighton, of Dundee, Scotland, to Robert Burns McMicking, of Yale, B. C."

The bride's wedding gown, made at J. H. Turner Scott's, then the leading costumers of Victoria, was of white tulle over silk, elaborately trimmed with a very fine blonde silk lace. With this she wore a bridal veil and orange blossoms, and one is safe in assuming that she "set them well," as the saying was in those days. She was attended by Miss Martha Laumester (now Mrs. Rudolph of San Francisco, daughter of Mr. Frank Laumester, a prominent Cariboo merchant), in a pretty bridesmaid's dress of what we call organdie, but was then spoken of as white tulle.

The clergyman who performed the ceremony, is now Canon Good of Passaden.

The bride was given away by her uncle and guardian, Mr. Thomas R. Baie, with whom she had been making her home.

The wedding trip occupied two days, Mr. McMicking and his bride driving from Lytton to their new home at Yale, where Mr. McMicking was telegraph operator for the Western Union and assistant in Barnard's express. A year after his marriage he was appointed superintendent of the British Columbia Telegraph Company at Victoria, and he and Mrs. McMicking have resided here ever since.

Mr. McMicking is descended from a famous old Ayrshire family, which claims to represent the old Ayrshire and Wigtownshire McMickings. The McMickings of Killantangan held one of the most ancient baronies of Ayrshire, and at various epochs of Scottish history were not undistinguished.

One of their members in 1487 lost his life through his adherence to the Lord of the Isles in a rebellion against King James I. of Scotland.

At the Reformation the family took a prominent part in Ayrshire. During the reign of Charles II. many of them suffered imprisonment and fines in the cause of civil and religious liberty.

Mr. R. B. McMicking's great grandfather settled in New York in the war of 1812, not wishing to take up arms against the mother country, he was attempting to escape across the lines when he was taken prisoner by a band of hostile Indians. He was given a chance to win his freedom by consent to run in what was called the "hatchet race." After giving him a short start, a hatchet was thrown after him with an Indian's unerring skill. Had it touched him he would have been condemned to death by torture, but fortunately his speed in running was such that he out-distanced the much-dreaded stroke, and was allowed to go free. He settled at Kingston Heights, and it was there that the Mr. R. B. McMicking whom we know today was born.

Mrs. McMicking is descended from an old Forfarshire family, of which the famous Sir Frederick Leighton of today is now the head. Many of the same family have been distinguished in literature. One of the younger generation, Robert Leighton, author of "Records and Other Poems," whose death at the age of 28, was feelingly commented on by Longfellow and other contemporary writers, was a poet of marked ability.

Mr. and Mrs. McMicking have been blessed with a singularly happy and prosperous married life, the only real sorrow of which was the death about six years ago, of their son Claude, a very handsome and promising young man. Six other children survive.

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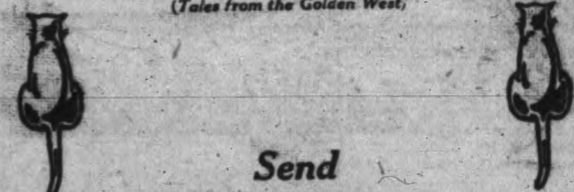
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Miss J'Abbadie Planter, Fen-fang and Baha, accompanied by her nieces, Miss Lillette Robbeck and Miss Quindrid Robbeck, left by Sunday's steamer for a prolonged stay in England and France.

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REFORMED EPISCOPAL

Church of Our Lord. Sunday Services.—The Rev. T. W. Gladstone will conduct both services to-morrow. In the morning his subject will be "Blessed in His Deed," and in the evening, "How I May Know I Am Born of God."

Annual Excursion.—The annual Sunday school excursion will be held this year on Saturday, July 3rd to Sidney. The train will leave at 8.15 a. m. and return at 6.15 p. m. Two meals will be provided in the pavilion on the beautiful grounds at Sidney and it is hoped that a very large number will avail themselves of the opportunity for an enjoyable day.

PRESBYTERIAN

First Church. Successful Social.—The annual strawberry festival held last Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society was a complete success. There was a large attendance of friends and the programme rendered was a most excellent one. Everyone enjoyed the feast of good things prepared, and the utmost of good fellowship prevailed. The ladies are grateful to all who made the event such a pleasant success.

Pastor's Anniversary.—Wednesday last was the first day of the 15th year of Dr. Campbell's pastorate of First Presbyterian church, and the genial doctor was the recipient of many hearty congratulations. Since his arrival in the city Dr. Campbell has seen many great changes, and his own life has been a most interesting one. He has seen the city grow from a small settlement to a large city, and his own life has been a most interesting one. He has seen the city grow from a small settlement to a large city, and his own life has been a most interesting one.

Sunday School Picnic.—The annual Sunday school picnic will be held on Thursday, July 1st, at a picnic ground near the city. The picnic will be a most enjoyable one, and it is expected that a very large number of the children and their parents will attend. The picnic will be a most enjoyable one, and it is expected that a very large number of the children and their parents will attend.

Society Representatives.—At the close of the regular prayer-meeting last Thursday evening the representatives from the membership of the church on the quarterly official board were elected. The following were the choice of the meeting: Mrs. W. J. Pendray, I. Walsh, J. A. Grant, A. E. Mitchell, H. Baker, H. McDonald, E. E. Hammond.

Patriotic Children.—To-morrow being the day set apart by the General Assembly at Patriotic Sunday, the Rev. Dr. Campbell will preach sermons appropriate to the occasion. In the morning the children of the Sunday school will assemble with the congregation and the services both morning and evening, will be specially attractive.

St. Andrew's. Mr. Clay's Anniversary.—The fifteenth anniversary of the Rev. Mr. Clay's settlement as pastor of St. Andrew's church, was celebrated last Tuesday evening by a very enjoyable social given in the lecture room of the church. After a very interesting musical programme, Mr. Clay gave an address in which he reviewed the work of the church during the years past, and spoke in terms of much optimism regarding the present standing of the church and congregation. Mr. Clay is to be congratulated upon a long and successful pastorate.

Organ Recital.—Next Tuesday evening there will be a magnificent treat for music lovers in St. Andrew's church. W. H. Hewlett, Mus. Bac. of Hamilton, Ont., will give an organ recital on that date. Mr. Hewlett is a pianist of great reputation as an organist, and will give delight and inspiration to his audience. He will be assisted by Mrs. D. E. Campbell, Miss Jessie McKillop and Gideon Hicks. There will be a varied and interesting programme and it is expected that many will avail themselves of this opportunity to enjoy a feast of good music.

Patriotic Service.—To-morrow being the Sunday named by the Sabbath school committee of the General Assembly for a patriotic service, the specially arranged programme will be given in St. Andrew's church at the morning service. The children of the school will assemble with their parents and friends at the hour of the morning service and the pastor, Rev. W. L. Clay, will preach an appropriate sermon. The subject of the special programme is "Canada for Christ."

CONGREGATIONAL

First Church. Successful Social.—The members of the congregation are delighted with the success that attended the strawberry festival last Monday evening. Those having the matter in hand made it very pleasant indeed for the visitors. The programme was all that could be desired. Besides those whose names were reported as taking part, H. Shanley sang a solo and Miss Hurlbutt gave a recitation. Both these numbers were well received and merited the hearty applause given them. The ladies are grateful to all those who assisted in making the evening such a success.

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Epworth League.—The Epworth League of Metropolitan and Spring Ridge churches held a very successful joint social gathering last Monday evening. There was an exceedingly pleasant programme and refreshments were served at the close. A. C. Charlton occupied the chair.

The Choir.—Many members of the congregation have spoken in high terms of praise of the excellent music rendered by the choir last Sunday evening. The solos by Miss Palmer and J. O. Dunford were greatly enjoyed and the chorus work of the choir was all that could be desired. There are now nearly sixty voices in the choir and the organization promises to be one of the best musical combinations in the city.

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Patriotic Children.—To-morrow being the day set apart by the General Assembly at Patriotic Sunday, the Rev. Dr. Campbell will preach sermons appropriate to the occasion. In the morning the children of the Sunday school will assemble with the congregation and the services both morning and evening, will be specially attractive.

St. Andrew's. Mr. Clay's Anniversary.—The fifteenth anniversary of the Rev. Mr. Clay's settlement as pastor of St. Andrew's church, was celebrated last Tuesday evening by a very enjoyable social given in the lecture room of the church. After a very interesting musical programme, Mr. Clay gave an address in which he reviewed the work of the church during the years past, and spoke in terms of much optimism regarding the present standing of the church and congregation. Mr. Clay is to be congratulated upon a long and successful pastorate.

Organ Recital.—Next Tuesday evening there will be a magnificent treat for music lovers in St. Andrew's church. W. H. Hewlett, Mus. Bac. of Hamilton, Ont., will give an organ recital on that date. Mr. Hewlett is a pianist of great reputation as an organist, and will give delight and inspiration to his audience. He will be assisted by Mrs. D. E. Campbell, Miss Jessie McKillop and Gideon Hicks. There will be a varied and interesting programme and it is expected that many will avail themselves of this opportunity to enjoy a feast of good music.

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Sunday School Lesson

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July 4th, 1909.

Paul's Second Missionary Journey.—Antioch to Philippi. Acts xv:36 to xv:41.

Golden Text.—Come over into Macedonia and help us. Acts xv:19.

Verses 36-41.—It is generally necessary to follow up any good work which we have commenced if we would make it a success?

Verses 37-39.—Would it have been wiser if Barnabas had first consulted Paul in the matter of taking Mark?

Barnabas was a relative of Mark; are we as good judges of the fitness of our relatives for an office as we are of the fitness of others? Why?

Why is nepotism in government appointments looked upon with suspicion?

Had Paul, probably, good reason for objecting to taking John and Mark with him? (See Acts xiii:13.)

If a man shows lack of courage, or lack of faith, in one position, does that disqualify him in any measure, from getting another, or from success when in another position?

If both Paul and Barnabas had been dupes of the man Jesus, would there have been this quarrel between them, and how would the matter likely have been settled? (This question must be answered by members of the class.)

When two Christians fall out, is one or both always to be blamed?

Verses 40-41.—Did the dispute between these men work out for good, as it resulted in two missionary deputations instead of one?

By any process of reasoning can you conclude that God was back of this dispute, between these two godly men, who were both true ministers, and other Christians, be on the lookout for young men who are fitted for the ministry, the same as business men are for good salesmen?

What can you say for, or against Paul circumcising Timothy, in view of the decision of the council at Jerusalem? (See Acts xxi:23.)

If a man shows lack of courage, or non-essentialism, is it well for us to give way to the views of others, sinking our own preferences when we can accomplish good by so doing? For example, you may oppose wearing "pig-tails" in this country, with wisdom, and yet to refuse to wear one in China may be great folly.

Verses 45.—What were the "decrees of the elders" of the elders which were at Jerusalem, and are these binding upon the church to-day? (See Acts xv:28-29.)

Is a church better with or without an elaborate creed?

What did Jesus teach which is not included in righteousness, and the constant vision of God?

Will a church sound "in the faith," always be a magnet to draw others to it?

Verses 6-8.—Why did the Holy Spirit forbid them to preach in Asia and Bithynia, and would they have sinned had they done so?

When we are hindered providentially from doing certain good works, is the Holy Spirit hindering us?

Verses 9-10.—How many methods does God adopt in leading us?

Does God in every emergency give us some sure guidance as to what we ought to do?

Was this vision just as clear a call from God, as though he had spoken personally?

Verses 11-12.—Does God direct the course of the Christian, with absolute certainty, notwithstanding wind or sea?

Verses 13.—What is one of the first things an earnest Christian looks out for, when he moves into a new community?

Are women generally in the majority as earnest Christians?

Verses 14.—Are busy women generally more spiritual than those who have but little to do?

Should all girls be taught to earn their own living?

Is it easier for God to open the heart of an industrious person than that of an idler?

Verses 15.—If a person is inhospitable, or stingy, is that a sure sign of ungodliness?

Lesson for Sunday, July 11th, 1909. Paul's Second Missionary Journey.—The Philippian Jailor. Acts xvi:16-40.

KING EDWARD'S HATS

Felt of His Own Designing—Heavy Headgear of the '90's.

The King, besides setting the fashion in the wearing of hats, is an inventor of headgear. In an entertaining little book called "Hats on Hats," written in 1861 by Henry Melton, the royal hatter of the period, assisted by George Augustus Sala, a felt hat is described and illustrated which was designed by the King, then Prince of Wales, as an improvement on the round crowned hats then in vogue.

In shape it very much resembles the soft felts of the present day, but was covered with plaid of the same color as the shooting suit it was to accompany.

At this time the majority of hats were made very heavy and strong. The Earl of Harrington, for instance, whose life had once been saved through his wearing a particularly hard hat in the hunting field, used to test the quality of his hats by standing on them and rejecting any that could not bear his weight without a dent.

He was peculiarly sensitive about their color, and his eccentricity led him to adapt his taste in that particular to the object he had in view. When walking in his garden, says Mr. Melton, he would wear a sage-green hat, so as not to frighten the birds!—London Daily News.

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CITY CHURCHES

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ANGELICAN

St. John's, Douglas street, corner of Fisgard. Preachers: Morning, Rev. Percival Jenas; evening, Archdeacon Scriven. The music follows: Matins. Organ Voluntary..... Macfarren Venite and Psalms..... Hine Psalms for 27th Morning..... Cathedral Psalter Te Deum..... Burnett Benedictus..... Jacobs Hymn..... 230 Litaney..... Barby Hymns..... 212 and 258 Recessional Hymn..... Griston Organ—Postlude..... Handel

St. Barnabas, corner of Cook street and California avenue. There will be a celebration of the holy eucharist at 11 a. m., and a choral evensong at 7 p. m. The rector, Rev. E. G. Miller, will be the preacher for the day. All seats are free and unappropriated. The musical arrangements are as follows: Morning. Organ—Largo in G..... Handel Venite and Psalms..... Cathedral Psalter Te Deum..... Maybrick in D Hymns..... Rev. J. Troubeck Offertory Anthem..... Fitzgerald Organ—Postlude in F..... Silas Evening. Organ—At Evensong..... Richmond Psalms..... Cathedral Psalter Te Deum..... Maybrick in D Hymns..... Rev. J. Troubeck Offertory Anthem..... Fitzgerald Organ—Postlude in F..... Silas Evening.

St. James', Quebec street, corner of St. John. Rector, Rev. J. H. S. Sweet. Holy communion at 8 a. m., matins and sermon at 11. Sunday school at 1.30, evensong and sermon at 7. The music follows: Morning. Organ Voluntary..... Cathedral Psalter Venite and Psalms..... Cathedral Psalter Te Deum..... Macpherson Benedictus..... Troubeck Hymns..... 230, 209 and 192 Offertory Anthem..... Fitzgerald Organ—Postlude in F..... Silas Evening.

Christ Church Cathedral, Burdette avenue. The services for the day are: Holy Communion, 8 a. m.; morning service and litany, 11 a. m.; children's service, 1.30 p. m.; evening service, 7 p. m. The music follows: Morning. Voluntary..... Cathedral Psalter Te Deum..... Russell Benedictus..... Barby Hymns..... 7, 230 and 197 Voluntary..... Evening. Voluntary..... Cathedral Psalter Processional Hymn..... 532 Psalms for 27th Day..... Cathedral Psalter Magnificat..... Battisill Nunc Dimittis..... Felton Hymns..... 212, 218 and 12 Vesper Hymn..... Sullivan Recessional Hymn..... 47 Voluntary.....

REFORMED EPISCOPAL

Church of Our Lord, Humboldt street. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Rev. E. W. Gladstone will preach in the morning on "Blessed in His Deed," and in the evening on "How I May Know That I Am Born of God." The music follows: Morning. Organ—Angants..... Jules Therese Venite and Psalms—As set..... Cathedral Psalter Te Deum—XL..... Mercer Jubilate—VI..... Mercer Hymn—Guide—May O' Thou Great Jehovah..... Great Hymn—Children of the Heavenly King. Hymn—My Faith Looks Up to Thee. Organ—Allegretto..... J. Stainer

Organ—Pralude..... J. E. Campbell Hymn—O, Saviour, May We Never Rest..... As set..... Cathedral Psalter Magnificat..... Garrett Hymn—When I Can Read My Title Clear..... Hymn—Jesus, I Rest in Thee..... Hymn—The Day is Past and Over..... Dextery..... X. Organ—Allegro..... T. Mee Pattison

CONGREGATIONAL

First, cor. of Pandora and Blanchard street. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Pastor, Rev. Hermon A. Carson, B. A. The preacher for the day will be Rev. F. Letts, of this city. Morning theme, "A Personal Question"; evening subject, "A Problematic Enquiry." Bible school, men's own Bible class and adult Bible class for women at 1.30 p. m. F. S. of W. W.'s business meeting, Monday at 8 p. m. Men's Own Social Club, Tuesday at 8 p. m. Wednesday, prayer meeting at 8 p. m. Thursday, all day annual Sunday school picnic at Rivaldy Bay. Strangers and visitors are cordially welcomed.

Knox, Stanley avenue. Rev. Jos. McCoy, M. A. pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. George N. Hodgson, choir-master and organist. Good congregational singing at all times. Special selections by choir and soloist, Miss McLaren. Everyone cordially welcomed. Bible classes and Sabbath school, 2.30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Tuesday, evening, 8 o'clock. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the morning service on Sunday, July 4th.

St. Paul's, Victoria west. Rev. D. McRae, minister. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Conducted by Rev. D. R. McLean, Westminster Hall, Vancouver. Sabbath school, 2.30 p. m. Y. P. S., 4.15

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St. Andrew's, Douglas street, corner of Broughton. Services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Preacher, Rev. W. Leslie Clay, B. A. The music follows: Morning. Children's Patriotic Service..... Organ—Coronation March..... Godfrey National Anthem..... Psalms..... 231, 541 and 52 Hymns..... 231, 541 and 52 Organ—Mispah..... Smallwood

Evening. Organ—Voix Seraphique..... Maunder Psalm..... 114 Anthem—The Eyes of All Wait On Thee..... Elvey and 167 Hymns..... 231 and 167 Organ—Lift Up Your Heads..... Handel

St. Columba, Hulton street, off Oak Bay avenue. Dr. Whittier, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. The music follows: Morning. Psalms..... 79 and 116 Hymns..... 230 and 115 Duet..... Miss L. Burns and R. Burns Evening. Psalms..... 65 and 29 Sweet Sabbath Eve..... Choir Hymns..... Mr. Mitchell Sunday school and Bible class meets at 2.45 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 8.

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METHODIST. James Bay, Menzies street, corner of Michigan. A. N. Miller, pastor. Morning service at 11 o'clock, subject, "Whom Shall We Please?" a sermon to children. Sunday school and Bible class, 2.30 p. m. Evensong at 7 o'clock, subject, "Earnest Effort Needed to Obtain Eternal Life." On and after the first Sunday in July the evening service will begin at 7.30 until further notice. Epworth League social in the church on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Women's class meeting in the parsonage on Wednesday at 3 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Choir practice, Friday at 8 p. m.

Metropolitan, corner of Pandora avenue and Quadra street. Pastor, T. Ernest Holling, B. A. Services: 10 a. m., class meetings; 11 a. m., public worship; 2.30 p. m., Metropolitan Sabbath school; 4.50 p. m., Spring Ridge Sabbath school; 7.30 p. m., Spring Ridge public worship; 7.30 p. m., Metropolitan public worship, subject of sermon, "Every Man the Maker of His Own Career"; anthem, "Come, at Times, a Stillness," by Woodward; quartette "Rock of Ages," by Buck; Misses Palmer and Beck and Messrs. Dunford and Hakewell. All cordially invited. Strangers, tourists and visitors specially welcome.

Centennial, Gorge road. Rev. A. Henderson, pastor, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject, "Our Friend the World," anthem, "Oh, Saviour of the World," by Goss. Evening subject, "An Unchangeable Friend"; anthem, "Oh, for a Closer Walk With God," by Foster. Solo, "Oh, Trust in the Lord," Mrs. Carey.

BAPTIST

Emmanuel, Spring Ridge. Services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Preacher, Rev. William Stevenson. Sunday school and Bible classes, 2.30.

First, Victoria hall, Blanchard street, near Pandora avenue. Pastor, Rev. Christopher Burnett. Services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Preacher, Rev. E. E. Hardwick. Sunday school, Burnside, Victoria West and Victoria hall, at 2.30 p. m.; also men's Baraca at 2.30 in A. O. U. W. hall. Strangers cordially invited. Thursday evening, no prayer meeting.

OTHER DENOMINATIONS

Salvation Army, Citadel, Broad street. Services as follows: 11 a. m. holiness service; 2 p. m., Sunday school; 3 p. m., praise meeting; 7.30 p. m., salvation meeting; Staff Capt. Hayes and Capt. Knudsen, officers in charge, will conduct the week-end services, assisted by Capt. McGrath, territorial bandmaster, from Toronto.

Christadelphians, A. O. U. W. Building, Yates street. Public lectures at 7.30 p. m. Subject, "The End of the World, and the Nature of the Final Judgment." All are welcome.

Society of Friends, Harmony hall, 25 West street. Sunday school, 8 a. m.; mission meeting, for worship, 11 a. p.; mission meeting, 7 p. m. All are welcome.

Christian Science, K. of P. hall, corner of Pandora avenue and Douglas street. Services are held on Sunday mornings at 11 o'clock. Subject for to-morrow, "Christian Science." All are welcome.

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The annual Sunday school picnic of the Metropolitan Methodist Church, which is to be held on Thursday next, July 1st, at Bazan Park, is expected to prove a great success, judging by the sale of tickets. The Young People's Bible class, who have charge of the picnic, met last evening and made final arrangements. All the committees reported and have everything well in hand.

On the day of the picnic trains will leave the V. & S. railway depot at the hours of 8 a.m., 10.30 a.m. and 1.30 p.m. Return trains leave Bazan Bay 8 p.m., 10.30 p.m., 1.30 p.m. and 4.30 p.m., 6.30 p.m. and 9 p.m. Preparations have been made each night for 500 passengers on the train, and the picnic accommodations in the evening at 10 o'clock a baseball match will be played between the Young People's Bible class and a team chosen from the entrance list. In the afternoon at 2 o'clock the race will be run off and the valuable prizes will be awarded by the prize committee who are presented to the winners.

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LORD MILNER ON EMPIRE DEFENCE

Declares Statesmen of the Mother Country Must Show the Way.

London, June 25.—The Imperial defence conference opens on Monday next, and Lord Milner speaking on the subject at the Comrades' Club dinner Thursday night observed that the dominions overseas meant business and the more courageous and more comprehensive the proposals made by the home government the more likely they would be to succeed. To each dominion overseas must be assigned some vitally important benefit and function in a general scheme of defence.

Lieut.-Colonel Denison, of Toronto, speaking as the guest of the club, in responding to the toast of his health, spoke of Imperial defence, and said that Canada felt that the time had come for something to be done. He thought Canada should be represented in the front line of battle with the finest ships that could be built. If Canada could not build Dreadnaughts now she could pay for them. She could better afford to do so than to run the risk of seeing the Empire go under. Canada should also train a naval reserve of 10,000 men, Canadians were far in advance of their politicians who were afraid of their own shadow. The Canadian navy would be popular with

professional politicians, for it would give them great patronage control. Lord Milner said: If the conference ends in a fizzle, as other conferences have done, or though resulting in practical proposals yet nothing practical is done, it will not be because the people are not willing and earnest, but because their rulers are incapable of devising or agreeing on means to give effect to this popular desire. It is for the statesmen of the Motherland to show the way. The problem requires very sympathetic and well instructed handling, for behind the unanimity of spirit of the dominions, which is so impressive, lie many local differences and different attitudes, and above all is the supreme necessity of remembering that this problem concerns a number of independent states, controlling their own destiny. Any scheme to be successful must be devised on lines not only acceptable to them now, but along which we can continue to march.

The time has come for comprehensive and courageous proposals from the Imperial government. It is not as if we were asking the dominions to take up a part of the imperial burden. It is they who are offering to do it. The initiative is entirely theirs. It is for the relief of British burdens. We are prepared to carry our present burden and an even heavier one. It is for the greater security and dignity of the Empire as a whole which is their concern, just as much as ours. They must feel that they are doing something worth doing and rendering a service to the Empire as a whole. This is the desire of the dominions themselves, and the last thing that would be their approval would be to suggest, though it might be only out of consideration for them, that they undertake so petty and altogether trifling duties and be treated as children to be amused with mere show, while all the real work is left to the United Kingdom. Discussion may modify any proposals, but there should be no vestige of dictation. In proposing them nobody dreams of imposing—indeed it would be quite impossible to impose any duty upon the dominions from without. Nothing can be exacted from any of them unless it commends itself to the free judgment of its people. Some of the dominions may be asked to do the more arduous work in any common scheme of Imperial defence, though I think it unlikely, but the British government will have done its duty by giving a clear and unmistakable lead. It must be left to those men in each dominion who are in sympathy with the Imperial cause to do it. There are no party objections, no narrow particularism or antiquated prejudice, above all no local party bickerings, are allowed to prevent their country from taking an honorable part in upholding the security of and prestige of the British Empire.

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incentive to throw up our freedom as we are asked to look at the enormous expenditure, and the prevailing moderate rates in Vancouver and vicinity, all because the mainhand capital has chosen unbounded liberality in its dealings with the company; but we have never been informed in definite terms and our council does not seem inclined to inquire as to how that liberality has been expressed.

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JUSTICE—FOR WHITE OR RED!

To the Editor: It was with genuine satisfaction that I read in your issue of last evening's Times that a commissioner is en route to hear the grievances of the Klipox Indians and dispose of the same with equity. Fair play is ever a jewel, and because the Indian peoples are marked by destiny for extinction is no reason why the few surviving red nations should be treated by government with obvious injustice. In a letter which I received a day or so ago from an Upper Skeena friend, considerable sympathy is expressed for the disaffected Klipox, and the opinion stated that they have acted throughout with patience and moderation doing them infinite credit.

The members of an isolated aboriginal tribe, exceptionally of such a nature that the agencies of our so-called civilization, are not as a rule presumed to be well read in the niceties of law; and one can well understand how, after clearing and improving farms where good land was found outside the boundaries of established reservations, they should regard dispossession without fair compensation as unjust. They have only asked that their grievances receive fair hearing, and have commiserated themselves with self-restraint, according to impartial and nonhypocritical reports. Their claims have awaited hearing overlong unfortunately, and their "rebellion" so far as can be gathered, consisted merely in the eviction from an acknowledged reservation, of two white prospectors, and the keeping beyond an established waterway boundary of other white landseekers until a hearing be had—this method of hastening action seeming to me distinctly practical, and the holding back of intending settlers until land rights shall be determined being in the ultimate best interest of all parties concerned. Would white men smarting under a similar sense of injustice have acted with greater dignity, discretion or moderation? So much for the untutored savage and his antics. How do they compare with the attitude of twentieth century Canadian journalism as represented by the Victoria Daily Post, which after stating in its news

columns the Indians' case, substantially as above, makes bold to decide the case off-hand, with editorial conviction of the Indians, in these terms: "They have no real grievances; and their reserves are far more than adequate for present day requirements. If it be true that they are being incited to disturbance by professional agitators, the sooner the strong arm of the law makes itself felt, the better. It is intolerable at this late day that the pioneer settlers of the new North country should be subjected to a moment's apprehension of an Indian outbreak."

Is it matter for wonder that once in a while the unlettered Siwash questions the superiority of the white man's code of ethics?

JOHN SMITH,
Victoria, B. C., June 25th, 1904.

PROVES A "HALLIBI."

To the Editor:—As you have kindly printed my letter in your issue of 23rd inst., and at the same time rapped me severely over the knuckles, I feel justified in again trespassing on your time and space.

To put it short, you say Victoria is "not conspicuous for prevalence of juvenile crime," and in fact that I am a "pessimistic Anglican" for even hinting at such a thing. You have drawn a comparison between the young criminals of Victoria and "their brothers and sisters in other places." But upon reconsideration you will probably allow this is rather a flimsy form of argument, to which I would like to reply, with facts and not opinions. I have been in many cities and towns in Canada, British Columbia, etc., and Victoria has the unenviable distinction of being the only place I have visited, or heard of, where systematic bands of juvenile robbers and burglars, all "sons of respectable parents," rob and sell with impunity for unknown lengths of time. The inevitable commentary of the "Colonist" upon crimes of wide-awake boys of 12 is, the dear "little tots" and "innocent little fellows." I take it this is "optimism" on the part of your contemporary, who occasionally plays good Samaritan for the criminally afflicted. Therefore, I conclude the crucial fact in my letter, that juvenile crime is exceptionally rife in Victoria, cannot be controverted; as also the "causes" referred to therein.

In Vancouver quite recently there has been a similar instance of crime, but lacking in Victorian "respectability." I made no reference to "hunting and flogging" but as the Times has introduced this side issue I question the wisdom of giving boys of a mean disposition, with a bent for crime, to understand the "rod" has been limbered by optimists as old-fashioned and out of date.

Yet there is a majority consisting of equally old-fashioned and pessimistic persons in the Empire who still uphold the scaffold as the fit and proper extreme penalty of the law, nothing else having the same deterrent effect.

As this is a subject not to be trifled with, I ask you to excuse the strength of my language.

In reply to the peroration addressed to me in the editorial of 23rd inst., I must admit I am quite as much married as the man who frantically hurried home from Victoria, with his wife's hat, fearing it would be out of fashion before his arrival; and I am proud to say I own a boy who might not be safe in trusting him with an apple tree, he has, thank God, the proper kind of pride that keeps him from the company of mean, calculating gangs, who are only "boys" in outward semblance.

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