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ON THE FIRING LINE

Pulsebeats of the Warriors
Shown by Tongue and Pen From
Ocean to Ocean in Canada's
Greatest Conflict.

"Pa, will eggs be cheaper under reciprocity?" asked the school boy on Sunday morning as he dolefully cracked the shell of his one egg luxury. "Should be if they take the duty off," indifferently replied the father. "Well, then, our own ranchers won't get so much for the eggs they have to sell, will they?" asked the youth who stood at the head of his class for quick deduction. "See here, my boy," irately replied the father, now fully aroused, "we've had duty on eggs for 40 years and it has never made the farmers keep more hens nor the hens lay more eggs. All that has happened is the rich people buy all the freshest eggs and we have to content ourselves on case eggs, on which we pay a fancy price all the time on account of duty. Don't take that one, that's for your mother."

PREZENTED FINANCE

(St. John Telegraph.)

The Conservatives speak much about the debt we owe to England, and they are perfectly right in recognizing and acknowledging it. But there is something niggardly, sordid and shabby, about the way they propose to settle this account. With the thriftiness of mercenaries they would discharge it by inducing England to incur other debts on our account. "We will give you a preference, if you give us one." If the English consumer will tax his corn and make the loaf dearer to his children, then he may have the satisfaction of adding to the wealth of the Canadian dealers in wheat. Reciprocity with England can mean nothing else than that the latter is to be able to induce the English to tax their food.

INVASION OF DEVELOPMENT

(Montreal Herald.)

The vanguard of the American invasion invited by reciprocity is upon us. But it is an invasion of good, sound money—millions of it—that is coming here to build mills; not to exploit Canadian natural resources to provide raw material for American industries, but to manufacture that raw material in Canada with Canadian labor. The most vigorous opponent of reciprocity in the States was the paper trust, but as soon as the measure showed signs of passing, that vicious institution rushed men over the border and began to get options on the best sites and the choicest timber lands available. One proposition involves the expenditure of \$20,000,000 for the construction of mills, water powers, etc., in Quebec, to manufacture news print, card board, and similar products, also chemical pulp for further manufacture into higher grades of paper. One item of this proposition involves the erection of a \$50,000 mill, in the St. Maurice, to employ 3,000 men. All this capital, it is understood, is ready for immediate investment.

RECIPROCIITY REVIVALISTS

(Montreal Herald.)

The Liberals now count that day lost whose slow descending sun seen not some Conservative preaching reciprocity at a Liberal convention.

SIX MONTHS AGO

(R. L. Borden.)

"Well, we did ask for reciprocity, and we asked for it on many an occasion. It is perfectly true that Sir John Macdonald, in making his argument for the National Policy in 1878, before conditions had changed as they have in the past 30 years—it is perfectly true that he made the argument alluded to by my hon. friend, the Minister of Finance, and that there was an issue in this country upon that question in 1891; and it is also perfectly true that in 1891 the people of Canada declared that they would continue on the path in which they had entered in 1886, and in which they had made a distinct advance on the National Policy, which was adopted in 1879. The United States, during all these years, refused our proposal of reciprocity. Let us for one moment, if we can, see why it is that the great nation to the south, having refused our suggestion of reciprocity for 25 or 30 years, have come to the conclusion that at present reciprocal trade with Canada is desirable." Mr. R. L. Borden in the Commons, Feb. 9, 1911.

ANOTHER CAT ESCAPED

(London Advertiser.)

Hon. George E. Foster is director of a company which hopes to fix the price of fruit in Western Ontario. The fruit-grower and the fruit-eater want no such combination between them. The new wall of tariff obstructions will bring them directly together. The cannery combine has sent out a circular advising wholesalers to buy canned peas and beans now because the price will go up 50 cents a bushel after reciprocity. Needless to say these circulars are not sent to the growers of beans and peas.

MISCHIEVOUS COMPANY

(London Advertiser.)

Mr. Borden's conduct on the naval question has been cowardly, and in view of the Quebec agitation has become mischievous.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

At Spokane—First inning: Tacoma, 0; Spokane, 4.
Batteries—Gordon, Schmutz and Burns; Willis and Ostiek.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At New York— R. H. E.
Pittsburg 2 7 0
New York 2 4 5
Batteries—Hendrix, Steel and Gibson; Ames, Crandall and Meyers.
At Philadelphia— R. H. E.
Cincinnati 6 11 4
Philadelphia 4 11 2
Batteries—Gaspar, Smith and Moran; Clarke, Curtis, Alexander and Spencer.
Chicago-Brooklyn game postponed on account of rain.
St. Louis-Boston games postponed on account of rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Detroit— R. H. E.
First Game. R. H. E.
Washington 16 16 9
Detroit 2 10 11
Batteries—Johnson and Street; Mullin and Schmidt.
At St. Louis—
First Game. R. H. E.
Boston 3 8 1
St. Louis 2 7 5
Batteries—Wood and Nunnemaker; Lake, Petty and Stephens.
Philadelphia-Cleveland game postponed on account of rain.

PREZENTED FINANCE

At Chicago— R. H. E.
New York 5 13 3
Chicago 6 8 2
Batteries—Fisher, Vaughan and Sweeney; Blair, Scott, Benz, Baker, Young, White and Block.

ATTEMPTS TO BURN DOWN JAIL

NELSON INCENDIARY STILL ELUDES OFFICERS

Nelson, B. C., Aug. 25.—The provincial jail was the scene of the firebug's efforts last night, fire being started at midnight at a small shed adjoining the fence surrounding that institution. Several persons saw the incendiary actually light the match which started the blaze and then disappear in the darkness. The police were on the spot a few seconds after the fire was seen, but no traces of the criminal was found. All prisoners at the jail were in their cells, and it is not thought that the firebug had any idea of assisting them in an escape.

This makes the eighth night in succession that this city has been alarmed by these outbreaks which have occurred, with one exception, between 11 and 1 o'clock at night.

ARE ACCUSED OF SMUGGLING OPIUM

Two Winnipeg Men Taken Into Custody at Chicago—Reported Confession

Winnipeg, Aug. 25.—A sensation has been created here by the arrest in Chicago of Len Harris and C. R. Cockburn of Winnipeg, charged with smuggling large quantities of opium into the States. Both young men are prominent in Winnipeg, as are their families. Cockburn is the son of Controller Cockburn, and Harris is a telephone supply salesman and well-known over the west.

Large quantities of opium were found in their possession, it is stated, and the police report that in their confession they have involved a number of government employees on both sides of the line.

For a long time the secret service in both countries had men in Winnipeg trying to ascertain the source of this smuggling, which had been traced to Winnipeg; the drug reaching here via Vancouver. It was revealed by accident through a warrant sworn out here by the Dominion Telephone Supply Company, with which Harris is connected, charging embezzlement of \$1,500.

When arrested in Chicago Cockburn was with him and in their room was found 45 pounds of crude opium.

Controller Cockburn has gone to Chicago to aid his son.

LABOR LEADER DEAD

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 25.—Walter E. O'Connell, president of the International Plumbers' Association, business agent of the local Plumbers' Union, and former police commissioner under the labor administration, died here to-day after a lingering illness. O'Connell was 43 years old; leaves a wife and three children.



THE FAT AND THE LEAN

RUTHERFORD WILL NOT BE CANDIDATE

WITHDRAWS FROM CONTEST AT EDMONTON

Edmonton, Aug. 25.—Ex-Premier Rutherford, nominated by a convention of Liberals of Edmonton constituency to contest the riding at the coming election will not be a candidate. Although no announcement has been given out by Mr. Rutherford, it is generally admitted among his friends that he has retired. Interviewed, he simply said, "I am not giving out interviews at the present time."

More Candidates Selected for Coming Federal Elections

Montreal, Aug. 25.—The Liberal convention for St. Anne's division last night nominated J. C. Walsh, K. C. crown prosecutor, to oppose C. J. Doherty. The only other name before the convention was that of John Gallery, a brother of ex-Alderman Gallery. The Conservative convention for St. Mary's division nominated Henry Bougie to oppose Mederic Martin, who is again the Liberal candidate.

WOMEN FLY IN BIPLANE

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 25.—Mrs. Frances Taylor, wife of the secretary to Secretary of the Treasury MacVeigh, and Mrs. Redmond Stephens, prominent in charitable functions, were the first to hazard aviation in Chicago. They made their flights yesterday at the field of the Chicago Aero Club in the biplane of C. H. Roberts, the professional aviator, who won the duration prize at the big meet here.

BATTLESHIP SINKS STEAMER

Kiel, Germany, Aug. 25.—The German battleship Hessa, while executing manoeuvres with a torpedo flotilla in the outer bay last night, ran down and sank the small Swedish steamer Askarund. The crew of the steamer was rescued and no one was hurt. The battleship was not damaged.

MAY SUCCEED SIR W. WHYTE

G. J. Bury, General Manager of C. P. R. Western Lines, Likely to Be Named.

Winnipeg, Aug. 25.—The Tribune says: "A rumor is current in C. P. R. circles that Sir William Whyte will in the course of a few days announce his retirement from the active management of the railway system in Western Canada. The possibility of the rumor leads to the belief that it will be confirmed within a few days. Sir William will continue his relations with the company in a capacity similar to that occupied by Sir William Van Horne. The name mentioned in connection with the rumored vacancy is that of G. J. Bury, now general manager of Western lines."

THE DUKE'S AIDE-DE-CAMP

London, Aug. 25.—Captain Long of the Scots Greys will be the Duke of Connaught's aide-de-camp while in Canada.

FOOL ARGUMENTS

A black cloud of depression is gathering upon the industrial horizon of the United States, we are told, in an alarmist appeal. American railroads are discharging their employees and thousands of men are being thrown out of employment. Then the question is asked, would not these idle men be pleased with an opportunity to cross into Canada, where the times are good and to share in the prosperity of their fellows on this side of the line. This is a sample of the line of argument sent out by the trusts and combines of the United States acting on behalf of their allies in Canada from the Tory headquarters in Montreal.

Suppose it is true that in consequence of the failure of the corn crop in certain of the western states an army of railway men have been thrown out of employment, in what manner does that affect the question of a reduction in the duties upon foodstuffs seeking markets on either side of the border? If it be true that the corn crop is a failure, will not that fact increase the demand for what the Canadian farmer has to sell? And in what way can the reduction of duties upon foodstuffs affect the labor market? Labor is not a taxable commodity. There is no duty maintained for the purpose of excluding the United States laborer from British Columbia or any other part of Canada. If thousands of men are being thrown out of employment, as alleged, will the unemployed not naturally gravitate towards the point where their services are likely to be in demand? Neither the acceptance nor the rejection of reciprocity will keep them out. The opponents of the agreement may succeed in deluding consumers into the belief that the taxation of foodstuffs is productive of prosperity, but how anyone endowed with ordinary human attributes can connect reduction of taxation with the flooding of the labor market passeth understanding.

OVER TWENTY REPORTED KILLED

LEHIGH VALLEY EXPRESS DERAILED ON BRIDGE

Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 25.—A long distance message from Manchester says that train No. 4, the Chicago, Buffalo & New York express on the Lehigh Valley, was derailed on the bridge near the village at 1:30 o'clock. Thirty-six are reported killed and 50 injured.

Three cars fell into Canadagua outlet and one hung over the edge.

The injured are being placed on a relief train which will start for Rochester as soon as the wreckage is searched.

Another Report.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 25.—A long distance telephone message to the Lehigh Valley offices here says four of the cars left the track and ran about 85 feet down an incline to a pump-house on the creek bank. The bed of the stream is about 15 feet below the track. The stream is dry during the summer months.

Four cars went into the ditch. The G. A. B. cotman was seriously injured when the train which did not leave the tracks.

At 3 o'clock Superintendent O'Neal received a message from the Lehigh agent at Manchester placing the number of dead at 24 and the injured at 37. Twenty Bodies Recovered.

Manchester, N. Y., Aug. 25.—Up to 3 o'clock 29 bodies had been taken from the wreck. The injured number only about 20, mostly women.

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BURNED TO DEATH

Occupant of Automobile Loses His Life When Car Goes Over Embankment.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 25.—William L. Barron, a commission merchant, was killed and Harry Clark was seriously injured when the automobile in which they were riding went over an embankment near Glenfield early to-day. Both were pinned under the car, but Clark freed himself. Before he could summon help the gasoline tank exploded and Barron was burned to death.

QUESTION OF CHURCH UNION

Toronto, Aug. 25.—The Methodist conference boards and church membership all over Canada will soon have to pass upon a basis of church-union. The general conference special committee will meet here on Wednesday, October 18, to meet here on Wednesday, October 18, to arrange for the submission of the question to a vote.

PREMIER OF JAPAN RESIGNS

Tokio, Aug. 25.—Count Takura yesterday tendered his resignation as premier. He recommended the appointment of Marquis Satouji for that post.

SIR WILFRID CONTINUES HIS TRIUMPHANT TOUR

Prime Minister Tells of Efforts of Conservative Leaders in the Past to Secure Reciprocity With the United States.

St. Jerome, Que., Aug. 25.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. R. Lemieux invaded the enemy's country yesterday afternoon and addressed a meeting in St. Jerome, in Terrebonne riding, represented in the last Parliament by Bruno Nantien. Terrebonne county was not kind to the Liberals in 1908, but if yesterday's meeting is any index September 21st will see a triumph for the Prime Minister and his candidate, Dr. DeJardins.

A large crowd listened attentively to the words of Sir Wilfrid, who was as young and vigorous-looking as ever, and made a ringing speech. Reciprocity and the navy were again the topics. He said the policy the Liberals were advocating was one which Conservatives had always endorsed.

"Let me remind the Conservatives," he said, "that Sir John Macdonald, for twenty-five years leader, made efforts to secure reciprocity. Sir George Cartier, a man whose name is not forgotten in Terrebonne, seconded the efforts of Sir John Macdonald. Adolphe C. Champleau, your former deputy, also favored it. He was not of my school, but was a personal friend, and the question on which we agreed was reciprocity. The moment the people entrusted the Liberals with the reins of office in 1896 I sent two of my colleagues, Sir Richard Cartwright and Sir Louis Davis, to Washington in an endeavor to secure reciprocity. Our efforts were not successful. Then we told the United States in effect: 'We need your markets, but if you will not trade with us we are men and can trade without you, but the day will come when you will come to Ottawa seeking for this. In 1910 President Taft sent two commissioners to negotiate an agreement. Times had changed. Canada had grown. Its name was in every mouth. It was a nation with which the United States government had to contend. Our relations with the Americans should be as friendly as possible, and when the United States recognized their fault, should we neglect their advances? It would be a crime against civilization to do so.'"

After dealing with Conservative opposition to the agreement, Sir Wilfrid alluded to the Nationalists. "What had become of the Conservative party?" he asked. "Chaplain would not be among the Castors to-day."

"The Prime Minister criticized the Nationalist campaign, and proceeding, said: 'I have had more honors than I sought, and more than I have deserved. The King of the Governor-General cannot offer me an honor comparable to that of being the Prime Minister of Canada. There are more thorns than roses in the crown upon my head. Repose is sweet. If I am defeated I will become a simple citizen and perhaps render aid to my country in some other way. If I were fifty years of age, or even sixty, I might begin the struggle over again as chief of the opposition, but if another is chosen as head of the Government I will then retire to the rest which I believe I have earned.'"

Speaking of the crisis of conscription in connection with the naval law, he said: "Do you believe that after 15 years without swerving from my principles I would sulky my reputation by inserting a thing like that in the navy law?"

WARD THREE LIBERAL ASSOCIATION

A SPECIAL MEETING will be held in the COMMITTEE ROOMS

TO-NIGHT AT 8 O'CLOCK

A. B. FRASER, President. T. J. W. HICK, Secretary.
Full attendance requested, important business to be discussed.

WARD FIVE LIBERAL ASSOCIATION

A SPECIAL MEETING of all active Liberals in Ward Five is called for

TO-NIGHT

in the Liberal Committee Rooms, Cormorant Street, at 8 o'clock.

LIBERALS OF OAKLANDS

are requested to meet at

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TO-NIGHT AT EIGHT O'CLOCK

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SPEAKERS

HON. W. TEMPLEMAN

RALPH SMITH

J. C. McINTOSH, President. H. W. PAULINE, Secretary.

WARD TWO LIBERAL ASSOCIATION

A SPECIAL MEETING will be held

MONDAY EVENING, AUGUST 28TH

in the LIBERAL COMMITTEE ROOMS, CORMORANT STREET

at 8 o'clock.

All Liberals in this Ward are requested to be present.

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T. REDDING. Phones 2266 and L1293.

MANDAMUS LOST BUT COUNCIL SHOULD PAY

Creditors of Nelson School Board Must Collect Through Debts Court \$1,356.

Mr. Justice Gregory yesterday handed down judgment in the application made by the Nelson board of school trustees, asking for a writ of mandamus to be directed against the Nelson city council compelling that body to pay \$1,356 spent this year by the school board for the maintenance of the schools. The judgment is that the council has not as yet failed to perform any clear duty imposed upon it by the statute, and there is therefore no ground for the application, which is refused. The judgment, however, says that the duty is imposed on the council to pay, and the duty should be enforced by action of debt instituted by those entitled to receive.

E. V. Bodwell, K. C., for the applicant, held that as the board had issued warrants there were now charges upon the municipality, and the holders of these can sue the municipality and collect. His lordship in this particular held that if Mr. Bodwell's contention is correct the writ of mandamus is not the proper proceeding, and that the parties interested should be left to collect their debts through the courts in the ordinary way.

His lordship further says he does not wish to be understood as saying that the city can in any case refuse to pay expenses unless the same appear in the ordinary expenses. There is a very positive duty under section 29 of the act of the trustees to maintain the schools, and under section 38 an equally positive duty of the council to pay. Section 39, he says, must be read with section 40, requiring the city to pay all expenses properly incurred by the board, and if the levy of five mills is insufficient the balance must be paid out of general revenue.

The judgment further reads: "The whole difficulty arises from the fact that the drafter of the act failed to appreciate the fact that the whole scheme or plan of administering the school funds has changed since 1891, and yet he has bodily inserted in the new act a clause only applicable to the plan of 1891, under which act the government made no grant to the municipalities, but paid the teachers' salaries directly to them and the municipalities refunded a certain proportion of it to the government. Under the 1891 plan the city had no authority to take money for school purposes out of ordinary revenue, but raised it all by levy and assessment on rateable property of the city."

H. A. Maclean, K. C., appeared for the Nelson city council. He said that while the amount named in the proceedings is \$1,356, the city council has met all but the sum of \$1,356.16, which was expended last year in excess of the appropriation and which the council has so far refused to pay.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Aug. 25—5 a.m.—High pressure over British Columbia and a low area of moderate energy is central over the Dakotas. This weather is fair on the Pacific slope. In the prairie provinces rainy conditions prevail along the southern districts with normal temperatures.

Forecasts.

For 24 hours ending 5 p. m., Saturday. Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and warm. Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and warm.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.94; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, calm; weather, clear. Vancouver—Barometer, 30.64; temperature, 54; minimum, 54; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, 54; minimum, 46; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, cloudy. San Francisco—Barometer, 30.92; temperature, 59; minimum, 59; wind, 5 miles S. W.; weather, cloudy.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.62; temperature, 44; minimum, 44; wind, 1 mile N.; weather, part cloudy. Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.86; temperature, 54; minimum, 50; wind, 8 miles N. W.; weather, cloudy.

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Thursday:

Temperature. Highest, 55. Lowest, 50. Average, 52. Bright sunshine, 11 hours. General state of weather, fair.

ENDS HIS LIFE.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 25—J. Clarence Pryce, an attorney and treasurer of the National Permanent Building Association of this city, shot and killed himself here. He had been in ill health.

TEACHERS ASSIGNED TO THEIR SCHOOLS

School Trustees Make Assignment of Staff for Coming School Term.

The school board met yesterday afternoon and endorsed the recommendations of City Superintendent E. B. Paul for the assignment of teachers, as follows:

High School—S. J. Willis (principal), E. H. Russell, John Spouse, F. Andrews, Miss J. A. Cann, A. G. Smith, A. Larson, E. W. Clarke, P. H. Elliott, H. P. Hops, Miss Edna Henry, F. G. C. Wood, J. A. Wattle, Miss Adèle Macleod, James M. Strachan, Miss Grace L. Harris, Miss Lyle Whelan.

Boys' Central—W. N. Winsby (principal), Duncan Stewart, M. A. Gordon Selman, Miss A. F. Gardiner, D. J. Thomas, Miss I. Tuck, J. Nelson King, W. J. Wilby, Miss I. M. P. Barron, Miss L. M. Sylvester, Miss Margaret Gibson, Miss A. E. Andrews.

Girls' Central—Miss M. Williams (principal), Miss E. A. F. Barron, Miss S. A. Robinson, Miss A. Keast, Miss C. Lena Harris, Miss Winnifred Fox, Miss A. K. Andrew, Miss F. A. Brown, Miss A. L. Johnston.

North Ward—J. M. Campbell (principal), Miss C. A. Dowler, W. H. Miller, Miss S. J. Merton, Miss L. Mackenzie, Miss A. L. Tingley, Miss C. Chapman, Miss M. A. B. Pope, Miss Annie C. Aybel, Miss Violet Sweet, Miss M. S. Somerville, Miss Jean Duncan, Miss M. Lucas.

South Park—A. A. Campbell (principal), F. T. Macleod, Miss C. M. Long, G. V. Falls, D. A. Fraser, Miss M. I. Gladstone, Miss F. F. Whyte, Miss J. G. Roberts.

George Jay—H. B. MacLean (principal), W. N. Jenkins, Mrs. E. E. Menkus, Miss J. I. Macleod, Mrs. S. Johnson, Miss Evelyn Bate, Miss E. M. Dalby, Miss E. B. Andrews, Miss Doris Holmes, Miss Kattie Coates.

Victoria West—F. Salloway (principal), Robert McInnes, Miss Jean Polson, Miss M. E. Monteth, Miss M. I. Staples, Miss L. M. Ross, Miss Ida H. McIntosh, Miss C. German, Miss Beulah Westwood, Miss Ruby Tubman.

Sir James Douglas—E. Campbell (principal), A. H. Marston, Miss W. Greig, Miss L. Blackwell, Miss M. E. Blankenbach, Miss Nellie Jones. Kingston Street—Miss E. G. Lawson (principal), Miss E. M. Jesse, Miss A. E. Hendry, Miss A. S. Gould, Miss Evelyn Vantreight, Miss Mary Robertson, Miss Myrtle Hendry.

Spring Ridge—Miss A. Russell (principal), Miss M. M. Clarke, Miss Jennie Freeman, Miss C. S. Anderson.

Bank Street—Miss Ella McMurray (acting principal and receiving teacher), J. W. H. King, Miss Annie Paterson, Miss Mabel German.

Rock Bay—Miss V. Hardie (principal), Miss A. N. Anderson. Figgard Street—Mrs. M. E. Wheeler. Special Teachers—W. H. Binn, Central school; F. Waddington, South Park; L. A. Campbell, Victoria West; Francis Fahey, North Ward; A. Woodbridge, George Jay; Ian St. Clair, Andrew Mulcahey, Miss A. Boorman, Miss M. M. Brown, Miss L. M. Mills, H. J. Poitard, Miss G. Lillian Preston, Miss A. B. Juniper.

CANADA AND BRITISH WAES.

The Case as Presented by Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

(Canada, London.)

"At once we are reminded of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's famous and much-discussed dictum that Canada is not necessarily involved in a British war. Happily the Blue-book containing a full report of the conference was published simultaneously with the treaty, and we are thus enabled to find out exactly what Sir Wilfrid said. As we expected, he did not make the sweeping declaration of Canadian autonomy, with which he has been credited in certain quarters. On the contrary he approached the matter from the point of view of the Mother Country. What happened was this: In the course of the discussion on the Declaration of London, Sir Edward Grey undertook to consult the Dominions before ratifying future Hague conventions. Mr. Fisher, the Commonwealth premier, enquired if this pledge was intended to have any effect on the Dominion's right to cover all treaties. Sir Edward explained that his reference to Hague conventions was purely illustrative, and that he would consult the Dominions whenever time permitted. Here Sir Wilfrid Laurier demurred. The projected procedure would be thought to fetter, in many instances, the Home Government—the Imperial authorities—very seriously. The parenthetical words, "the Imperial authorities" are most important. Sir Wilfrid then went on to explain. He agreed that the British Empire was a family of nations; but he continued, "It must be recognized that in that family of nations by far the greater burden has to be carried on the shoulders of the United Kingdom." And then came a vital sentence: "The diplomatic part of the government of the Empire has of necessity to be carried on by the Government of the United Kingdom." In other words, London pays the piper, and therefore calls the tune. It was only after carefully explaining this that Sir Wilfrid Laurier developed the converse side of his argument, and referred to the negative powers claimed by the Ottawa cabinet.

The Marble Baths Shaving Parlors, Harry Ball, proprietor, opened for business Monday morning, August 21st, in the basement of the Sayward block, Douglas street.

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Successful candidates will join the Royal Naval College at Halifax in January next; the course at the College is two years and the cost to parents, including board, lodging, uniforms and all expenses, is approximately \$400 for the first year and \$250 for the second year.

On passing out of College, Cadets will be rated Midshipmen and will receive pay at the rate of \$2 per diem. Parents of intending candidates should make application to the Secretary Civil Service Commission, Ottawa, before 15th October next.

Further information can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Department of Naval Service, Ottawa. Unauthorized publication of this notice will not be paid for. G. J. DESBARATS, Deputy Minister of the Naval Service, Department of the Naval Service, Ottawa, August 1st, 1911.

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AN ACCEPTANCE

The Times is requested to state that there is no "Rev." W. W. Baer in the city. There is a Mr. Walter W. Baer who attends Liberal meetings and who has permitted it to be announced that he will, at these meetings, answer the people's questions on reciprocity. Mr. Baer wishes the Times to state in his behalf that this offer holds good only so far as public meetings are concerned. As the Colonist publishes a list of questions personally addressed to Mr. Baer, the gentleman so addressed asks the Times to announce that he has accepted the request of the Colonist. If the committee in charge of Mr. Baer's public meeting announced to be held in Victoria theatre next Monday night will grant Mr. Baer forty minutes of platform time he will undertake to answer every question asked by the Colonist and as many more of the same kind as it cares to ask between now and Monday. Using Mr. Baer's own language the Times is requested to say Mr. Baer expects the Tories to "come through."

THE PULP QUESTION

We think an effective answer to the Admonitions of Mr. G. H. Barnard against the government is supplied by the following extract from an editorial appearing in the last issue of the Paper Trade Journal of New York. The American grievances against the reciprocity pact are therein stated. The Journal says: "The promulgation last week of the new customs regulations governing the admission of wood, wood pulp and print paper from Canada, made necessary by the passage of the reciprocity bill by Congress, expected as they should have been, came nevertheless as a pronounced shock to many manufacturers in paper making centres. Not until they saw the law actually in force did some of them realize that wood pulp and its principal constituents had been removed from the prescribed circle of reciprocal relations and made to constitute a class independent of action by the Dominion government. It is too late now to hold indignation meetings or raise a show of protest. A gift of the news print industry has been made to Canada, to please the newspaper publishers of this country, whose support was necessary to the success of the entire reciprocity plan."

THE BUSINESS OUTLOOK

The Times is pleased to recognize the cheerful optimism which characterizes the view of the business men of Victoria when speaking of present conditions and the prospects for the years immediately ahead. Some of these are men who have been long in the city and have been accustomed to note the conditions from which can be adjudged, because of their long experience, what is in store for the commercial future. They are practically unanimous that the solid and unintermittent steadfastness which has always been notable in this city in business circles, the absence of sensational seasons and anything of the nature of boom, has resulted in a stability that has laid the foundations of true progress. Thus it

is that the increased activity growing out of the now rapidly increasing population and the spirit of enterprise which has seized the city in its civic affairs, together with the development and settlement in the surrounding country, have all combined to foster a gratifying sense of prosperity. There can be no truer index to the progress of a community than its business development, and the first to feel the throbbing of the quickening pulse of commercial activities are the business men. They are, too, the best judges of the probable stability of any notable indications of development in trade and, judging from their sentiments upon these matters, there has set in an era of steady advancement.

Not a little of this is to be attributed to the enormously increased tourist travel. The early and organized expenditure of money in the work of advertising Victoria is beginning to bear fruit. The transient visitors to the city are not wholly on pleasure bent. Many of these have been planning for years to investigate the truth of what has been told them of the city and surrounding country from an investor's point of view and their visits are but confirmatory of the impressions created perhaps years ago. The steady stream of tourists is felt not only in the appreciable monetary expenditures which they make as visitors but in the substantial interest which is being aroused in the province and in Victoria as its capital.

The lesson to be learned is one of renewed confidence as well as a stimulus to larger and broader civic and business life. Apathy with regard to the beautification of the city and the consummation of wise plans for civic improvements is passing away and a more general appreciation of the possibilities for the Victoria that is to be the heritage which will be left to those who remain after the makers of the city are gone from earth are superceding the merely personal features of the city's prospects.

Nature has always promised that Victoria should be more than the capital of this magnificent province and even those who have been lethargic in their appreciation of this fact are aroused to a realization that the day of marked and rapid growth in the city as well as some of the air that characterizes much larger cities is about to become a significant feature of the developments which are in progress. It needs but a summing up of the investments which have been made in the community during the past two years—quietly and unostentatiously as they have been done—and a noting of the plans already announced looking to the immediate future to confirm the men of cool judgment in these views. These reflections are but the summary of the views expressed by many of the old-time residents of the city as well as the convictions of the newer comers which have been thrust upon us in our comminglings with men.

POLITICAL COMPANY

We wish to draw the attention of the local electors to the press reports from the East containing the names of Conservative candidates nominated in the province of Quebec. The list includes F. D. Monk and Dr. Blondin, who are re-nominated for Jacques Cartier and Champlain respectively. Who are these gentlemen? They are supporters of two leaders, R. L. Borden and Henri Bourassa. On the hustings in the campaign at Drummond and Arthabaska last November they savagely attacked Laurier and British connection, as they are doing to-day. Dr. Blondin was particularly offensive in his references to Great Britain, to whom he said Laurier had sold Quebec. His speeches and those of Mr. Monk were published in the Devoir, Mr. Bourassa's paper with enthusiastic editorial approval, and the Times his reports of their remarks in its possession which it proposes to publish. In the House of Commons Messrs. Monk and Blondin are supporters of Mr. Borden. They vote with him in the party divisions and the ultra-Loyalist, Mr. G. H. Barnard, votes with them. We challenge Mr. Barnard to produce the division reports of the House of Commons in refutation of this charge. We will give him ample time to do so. We are prepared to prove that in nearly every division Mr. Barnard's name was enrolled with those Messrs. Monk and Blondin—all devout supporters of Mr. Borden. And away out here Mr. Barnard describes Sir Wilfrid Laurier as pursuing a policy which will disintegrate the Empire, while in Quebec Messrs. Monk and Blondin, with their outside leader, Henri Bourassa, anathematize the Prime Minister for being too devoted to British connection. It is disgusting enough to find the Conservative organizers of Montreal proclaiming these men as Conservative candidates in Quebec, but it is worse to learn that Mr. Barnard's Imperialism is of such weak fibre that in the House of Commons, day in and day out, he will sit unprotestingly "check by fowl" with those Tory-Nationalists who at this very moment are slandering Laurier and British connection.

The Montreal Herald thinks that after demanding an election upon the subject of reciprocity, it is a little un-

kind of the Conservatives to put up a candidate against the only former Liberal who proposes to present himself as an anti-reciprocity champion in the county of Westland.

In his speech accepting nomination in this city Mr. G. H. Barnard made the statement that there are 8,000,000 paupers in England at the present time. The Times gives Mr. Barnard an opportunity to retract this statement or explain what he intended to say in these remarkable words. Otherwise we shall be obliged to publish the facts, and this will not compel us to prove that Mr. Barnard is very reckless of truth.

For two weeks residents of Fairbanks, Alaska, enjoyed home-grown strawberries. The market price of these at first was \$2 a box of 16 berries, but the price dropped to \$1.50 a box. The strawberries are grown by John Scharie, who has spent \$10,000 in importing plants at different times and in attempts to acclimate them. Each year he has sustained a heavy loss through the freezing and drying out of the plants during the winter season.

The Toronto Mail and Empire, one of the most treacherous of Conservative newspapers, never hitting above the belt, has evidently been checked up on its usual policy of attributing unworthy motives and unspoken utterances to political opponents. It has the following which it cheaply calls "an apology to Sir Wilfrid": "Our report of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Simcoe speech was somewhat condensed towards the close. A part of his reference to the arbitration treaty between Britain and the United States was presented in such a way as to appear to relate to the Knox-Fielding agreement. Hence his remark that the arbitration pact will lead to another agreement was so connected with what followed in the report as to leave the impression that he promised another reciprocity agreement between Canada and the United States. One paragraph of our editorial comment on the speech was based on this confusion. We very much regret to have attributed to Sir Wilfrid Laurier a statement he did not make." The mischief is done. The Mail-Empire is quoted from ocean to ocean, and not one of the papers publishing the first article will reproduce the latter.

The Toronto News (Tory) is doing good work for reciprocity. Every day it publishes a table showing how much higher butter, eggs, potatoes and other vegetables are in Toronto than the same products are in New York, Chicago and other American cities. This is to show the farmer how his market will be ruined if reciprocity carries. As there are about 10 "consumer" voters for every farmer voter the campaign of the News is an excellent one. We are thinking of trying it out ourselves.

The very latest objection to the reciprocity agreement is made by the Winnipeg Telegram, and it is that the pact is not a treaty but simply a mutually terminable agreement. Of course, the Telegram says, it is not a treaty. He made it only an agreement in order to please the United States. We are thankful to know many Conservatives who despise such heartless quibbles as sincerely as we do ourselves.

The Montreal Gazette, eating crow one day for having stated the day previous that Hon. Mr. Templeman was afraid to be a candidate for federal honors in Victoria, has this to say: "Mr. Templeman, minister of inland revenue, has been nominated as the Liberal candidate in Victoria, B. C., abandoning Comox-Atlin, where he found refuge after his defeat in 1908. Mr. Templeman promises the voters of Victoria a new post office and a break-water out of the federal treasury. He does not seem to think that either personally or as an advocate of the Tariff-Fielding reciprocity agreement he can run without some sort of a public works crutch." Now if the Gazette will put a monocle in its other eye and see that Mr. Barnard has no other appeal to the people of Victoria than that he wants a navy constructed on the Pacific Coast, which Mr. Borden has pledged his word should be constructed in Nova Scotia, it will have a fairly dispassionate view of the case.

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—The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will meet in the ladies' parlor in the new building next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All ladies having sheets or pillow cases to hem are asked to bring them in. A large meeting is hoped for, as there are several important matters to be discussed.

—The Capital Furniture Co. are selling cocoa mats at 35c.

—While there is a bylaw regarding the turning of corners by rigs it is flagrantly disregarded by some drivers, especially of light two-wheeled carts. This morning a local meat market cart was driven at a reckless gait round the corner of Douglas and Courtney streets and narrowly missed knocking down a young lady who was crossing. Nothing daunted, the driver continued along Courtney street at break-neck speed.

—Dr. E. T. Baird, Leeds Parish church; Doctor Farriner, London, and other eminent musicians, have voluntarily expressed their admiration of the excellence of G. Jennings Burnett's varied compositions for the Anglican Church service, remarking on their dignified character and melodious setting. These are published by No. 10, St. George's, London, and some of them are in the second edition in the first year of publication.

—Twenty-one prisoners from the New Westminster jail were brought over last night on the Princess Adelaide and across the remainder of their sentences in the Hillside avenue jail. The transfer is made because of the overcrowded state of the penitentiary at the present time. Many of the prisoners have served the greater part of their sentences and none of them are in for more than two-year terms. They will be released in Victoria at the expiration of their terms.

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Victoria-Seattle.
Princess Charlotte leaves Victoria daily, except Monday, at 5 p. m., arriving at Seattle at 10 p. m.; Princess Victoria leaves Seattle daily, except Monday, at 9 a. m., arriving at Victoria at 1 p. m. On the two-day day the steamer Iroquois, of the Alaska-Puget Sound Navigation Co., fills the schedule.
Princess George leaves Victoria on Wednesdays at 10 a. m., and returning, leaves Seattle Wednesdays and Sundays at 11 p. m.

Vancouver-Seattle.
Princess Victoria leaves Vancouver daily, except Sunday, at 10 p. m., arriving at Seattle at 7 a. m.; Princess Charlotte leaves Seattle at 11:30 p. m. daily, except Monday, arriving at Vancouver at 8 a. m.

—Late last evening the fire brigade was given a run to the Parliament Buildings. In some manner the May-Oway alarm system which is installed in the buildings went off itself. A spectacular run was made down Government street, which was at that hour practically unobstructed.

—The fund which was raised a short time ago by Rev. E. G. Miller and others in aid of Mrs. A. C. Kirby and her family has been invested in a house and lot, 1137 North Park street, where Mrs. Kirby will make her home and will be in a position to let some furnished rooms. The amount raised was about \$2,000.

—Building permits were issued yesterday by the building inspector to the following: J. L. Wilson, dwelling on Burwick street, \$1,700; to H. M. Cowper, dwelling on Chapman street, \$1,500; to Capt. John Thomson, dwelling on Heywood avenue, \$1,200; to W. E. Standish, dwelling on Richmond road, \$6,500; to John Forbister, addition to dwelling on Edgeware road \$300.

—On Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. a public temperance meeting and entertainment will be held in the Victoria West. Short addresses will be delivered by Dr. Lewis Hall, P. G. C. T.; Rev. J. P. Hicks, P. G. C. T.; and Rev. T. W. Gladstone, P. G. C. T. The musical programme will be given by the juvenile templars of the Conqueror and Queen Mary lodges. A squad of Good Templars will also give an exhibition of fancy marching with wands. W. H. Booth, grand superintendent of juvenile work for B. C., will preside.

—At a weekly meeting of Triumph Lodge No. 15, O. G. T., the following resolution, moved by Bro. J. E. Hicks and seconded by Bro. Rev. J. McFayden, was unanimously carried by a standing vote: "Resolved that this lodge, having heard of the sudden and lamentable decease of our beloved brother, J. S. Bailey, the chaplain of our sister lodge, Victoria No. 84, desires to place on record our high esteem for our late brother, and for the services he has rendered the cause of Good Templary throughout his long and useful life. We would also extend to his bereaved family our condolences, and assurances of sympathy with them in their hour of sorrow."

—Much work and progress was reported at the meeting of the Children's Aid directorate. The secretary reported having investigated 23 cases during the month with the following results: "One child had been placed under control of the society by its court, another had been given by its father into the charge of the society; one baby had been adopted into a good home, another little one needed before the juvenile court, two uncontrollable children had been placed in the home; two runaway boys from another town had been cared for until word was received from their friends. The superintendent's report showed the development of children under the care of individual boys and girls. The resignations of Bishop Perrin, Mrs. Marvin, and J. E. Andrews were received with regret. Mrs. Marvin, chairman of the purchasing committee, reported having supplied clothing and dishes to the home during the month. The treasurer's report showed a fair balance on hand. Donations were received from Mrs. Doda and Miss West, and clothing from two friends. Twelve children are being sheltered in the home at the present.

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Provincial Government Trying to Secure Services of Prof. McDonald

The provincial department of agriculture staff is likely to be strengthened by the addition to it of Prof. W. T. McDonald as live stock commissioner, a branch which has been found of the highest value in connection with the federal department of agriculture and which stockmen consider could be made very useful here in communication with Professor McDonald and looks for an early decision on his part. Prof. McDonald is at present head of the department of animal husbandry in the Washington State College at Pullman, Wash., is a young and energetic man and said to be in very high repute as a live stock expert across the line.

ISLANDS EXCURSION.

The Princess Mary will be run on an excursion trip among the Gulf islands on Sunday. She will leave the wharf at the foot of Port street at ten o'clock, and will make a stop of two hours at Ganges Harbour. The Mary is one of the latest additions to the C. P. R. fleet and a trip on board her will prove most enjoyable. Doubtless a very large number will avail themselves of the opportunity.

—Arrangements have been made by the local branch of the Psychic Research Society to hold on Saturday evening a public meeting, at which a lecture will be delivered by Judge A. J. Speckert, a prominent Seattle attorney and pastor of the Samuel Watson Church of True Spiritualism, Seattle. The Foresters' hall, Broad street, has been secured for the evening. The address will begin at 8 o'clock, and will be on the subject, "Voices From the Angel World." The public is invited to attend. No admission will be charged, but a collection will be taken to defray the expenses of printing and travelling for the lecturer.

—Court Northern Light, A. O. F., at its regular meeting on Wednesday evening, initiated seven candidates and received applications for membership. The Thirty-Eight Annual Convention of Columbia District will convene at Kamloops on Aug. 23-30, when matters of importance will be dealt with, notably that of old age pensions, biennial sessions, admittance of juvenile members into Adult Courts at 16 years of age, and consideration of Division of British Columbia jurisdiction. The past year has proved a most successful one in the history of the Order in this city, the membership in Victoria being a total of 1563. The following officers and delegates will leave for Kamloops on Saturday afternoon's boat: D. S. C. B. W. E. Fullerton; D. P. J. Trace; D. S. J. Woolcock; delegates from Court Vancouver, W. McKay, R. M. McKay; Court Northern Light, N. T. Lee, W. H. Knight; Court Victoria, A. Manson, J. Dobie; Court Camosun, J. Cartwright, W. Jenkins; Court Maple Leaf, Mrs. Manson, Mrs. Davis.

YOUNG SWIMMERS AT THE GORGE TO-MORROW

Ian St. Clair's Classes to Complete Carnival With Finals and Consolation Events

To-morrow afternoon at the Gorge bathing beach the children's regatta and swimming exercises commenced last Saturday afternoon under the direction of Ian St. Clair will be concluded. Owing to the rain interfering last Saturday there were some events which were not held, and the competitors who entered will take part to-morrow. Mr. St. Clair, has, however, elaborated the programme for to-morrow to make the afternoon aquatic meeting a complete programme for the whole time.

The remaining events set over from last week are the final of the sculling competition for boys, in which Cecil Hay and V. Palmer will compete for the J. B. A. A. medal, and the girls' single scull canoe race for the Redfern cup.

There will be in addition consolation races for the double scull canoes, and four swimming races for the members in the various classes who did not win prizes. There are also the long diving competition and the girls' tub race.

Mr. St. Clair has arranged to have the mermaid's drill performance repeated by his first class pupils.

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SCHOOL BOARD.

Considerable discussion arose at the meeting of the school board yesterday afternoon over the resignation of W. H. Miller, who has been a member of the staff of North West school, and who is asked to be permitted to resign on September 17. It was finally decided that the regulations of the School Act, which provides that a teacher wishing to resign must give notice of at least one month before the end of the school term with which his services are connected, should be enforced in the case of Mr. Miller. He will thus be compelled to remain on the teaching staff for some time. Had he given notice in accordance with the terms of the regulations his services would have ended on June 30th.

John R. McLean, Oak Bay, was appointed additional manual training teacher at a salary of \$100 per month. He will be placed at the Central school training room.

John Pilmer was appointed janitor of the new Bank street school at a salary of \$50 per month.

A WORD OF APPRECIATION.

One of the lady readers of the Times writes in appreciation of the courtesy extended to the ladies who attended the workingmen's meeting in Institute hall on Wednesday evening. She says: "A few interested women, though feeling they were intruders, being weary of trying to make one dollar do the work of two, and therefore interested in reciprocity, attended the meeting in Institute hall and take this opportunity of thanking the gentlemen for refraining from smoking on their account. They refrained as a matter of course, but we cannot allow the kindly act to pass unacknowledged."

—Mr. Coen, Seattle, is at present in this city to establish a branch of the Ancient Order of Hibernians. In Vancouver, whence Mr. Coen has just come, a branch was formed with a membership of 250 to begin with.

—An inquest into the circumstances surrounding the death of James Talley, for many years port mistonary of the British and Foreign Sailors' Society here, who died after a few hours illness, showed death to have been due to natural causes. Dr. Donald gave medical testimony and stated that death had resulted from weakness of the heart. The jury was composed of A. B. Fraser (foreman), Edgar Farr, R. McGregor, Robert McKinney, and Roy Loughheed.

The annual garden party of St. James church, which took place at the residence of Mrs. M. R. Smith, Dallas road, on Wednesday was well attended and was in every way a success. The day proved an ideal one for such an affair. The garden was beautifully decorated and in the evening was illuminated with electric lights and Chinese lanterns. Mrs. Sisson, Mrs. Ostum, Mrs. Stimpson, Mrs. Flint, Mrs. Perkins and a band of others attended to the serving of tea. Mrs. C. R. Brown and Mrs. G. H. Brown had charge of the ice cream. Mrs. Langton and Miss Legg did a large trade at the candy stand. Miss Sorby and Mrs. Watt looked after the putting contest. During the evening a concert was given in Miss Smith's music studio. Mrs. Gerald Starkey and Mr. Thompson, organist, arranged the programme, the features of which were the songs by Miss Haggerty, and the piano selections by Mrs. Garret Smith. Others who took part were: E. Petch, Mrs. Hamlet, Roy Pomeroy, Miss J. Clark, Miss Harris, Miss Redfern, and Mrs. Starkey. During the afternoon the playing of G. P. Plowright's string orchestra was greatly appreciated.

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NEWS OF SPORT

VICTORIA REACHED HUNDRETH DEFEAT

No Excuse Yesterday—Thorsen Hit Hard Throughout—Efforts Laughable

Nothing but the old, old story to tell except that this time the most fertile mind could not rake up an honest excuse for the defeat of Victoria. There is, of course, the standing excuse that the Islanders are all shot to pieces, but that will not hold water any longer. It is all right for a day or so, but when it comes down to a matter of weeks it is ridiculous. What may be remarked on, and not favorably, is the smiling, indifferent way in which the locals take the trouncings. Yesterday they reached the century in the column marked "L" and bore the punishment like an incorrigible scholar receiving his hundredth thrashing at the hands of an amiable school marm.

It was Thorsen's day in the box, and he proved conclusively that, although he may be a pitcher when he is in shape, he is about as much use as a wooden man at the present time. The Pippins battered him heavily throughout the nine innings, marking up the runs with monotonous steadiness until the sizable figure of 11 was reached.

Nick Williams tried a raw recruit, Maxmeyer, against the locals during the first two sessions, but jerked him out at the end of the second last performance. Victoria should unexpectedly grab one. Three hits by the Islanders in the first resulted in one run, and two swats and wild pitching by Maxmeyer were responsible for two more in the second. "That will do for you," said Nick, and the tall slabster spent the rest of the afternoon gloomily wondering what would happen to him next week.

Maxy's efforts to field his position were laughable. He darted after grounders like an old woman picking her way across a crowded street, and when he did get the ball generally hugged it to himself, apparently imagining that by stopping it he had done all that was necessary. On one occasion, though, he almost figured in one of those plays which one often reads about but rarely sees. The ball dropped in front of him, and taking a desperate chance he poked it along towards third and scooped it into Mundorff's hands. If the runner had dropped dead in his tracks he would have been put out. The climax was reached when in the same interesting second frame he pitched Nick Williams, who was coming in for a bunt, aside and seating himself carefully on the ball glared around with a triumphant smile

death his incipient-heralds adornment. The applause was tremendous.

Victoria's fourth and last run came in the seventh, when DeVogt contributed his bi-monthly homer. "Hex" by the way, replaced Bill Goodman on third in the sixth, the latter having sprained his ankle sliding to second in the fifth.

Bloomfield, who took Maxmeyer's place on the mound, was an insoluble puzzle to the homeaters, albeit he had nothing but a slight out curve and a straight ball. These, however, he mixed very effectively and with splendid control. The score:

Portland.		A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.			
Mundorff, 3 b.	3	1	1	1	0
Spies, c. f.	2	0	1	2	0
Stovall, r. f.	5	0	2	2	1
Williams, l. b.	5	1	2	3	0
Pettigrew, l. f.	3	1	0	1	0
Carey, 2 b.	4	2	0	2	4
Harris, c.	3	2	2	2	0
Coltrin, s. s.	2	2	2	2	1
Maxmeyer, p.	1	0	1	0	3
Bloomfield, p.	3	2	2	0	1
Totals	22	11	12	27	11

Score by Innings.
Portland 0 3 0 0 2 3 0 2 1-11
Victoria 1 2 0 0 0 1 0 0-4

Sacrifice hits—Spies, Harris (2), Coltrin. Stolen bases—Mundorff, Spies, Stovall, Coltrin, Millon, Ward, Surphils. Two base hits—Harris, Ward. Home runs—Coltrin, DeVogt. Bases on balls—Off Thorsen, 5; off Maxmeyer, 2; off Bloomfield, 1. Struck out—By Thorsen, 4; by Maxmeyer, 6; by Bloomfield, 7. Hits—Off Grindle, 4; off O'Loughlin, 5; off Thorsen, 3. Left on bases—Portland, 5; Victoria, 10. Double plays—Surphils to Ward, Millon to Ward to Grindle. Hit by pitcher—Mundorff and Pettigrew by Thorsen. Time—1:35. Umpire—Starkell.

SPOKANE WON IN 10TH.
The Indians won at Spokane yesterday in the tenth inning on a base on balls and singles by Cartwright and Nordyke. O'Loughlin held Tacoma to one hit until the ninth, when he weakened and a single and a two doubles enabled Tacoma to tie the score. Spokane was almost equally puzzled by Annis until the eighth, when three singles and Cartwright's timely double counted for three runs. The score:

Tacoma.		A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.			
Bassey, l. f.	5	1	0	1	0
Coleman, 3 b. l. f.	4	0	1	1	3
Keeney, c. f.	4	0	0	2	0
Abbott, r. f. l. f.	5	1	2	3	0
Burns, c.	5	1	1	7	3
Morse, s. s.	4	0	1	6	2
Yisher, l. b.	2	0	0	1	1
Tauscher, 2 b.	3	0	0	0	1
Annis, p.	2	1	0	1	1
Totals	31	4	5	28	15

Score by Innings.
Tacoma 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2-4
Spokane 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 1-0

Summary.
Two base hits—Cartwright, Burns, Morse. Sacrifice hits—Coleman, Annis. Stolen bases—Bassey, Cooney, Nordyke, Spiesman. Struck out—By Annis, 7; by O'Loughlin, 7; by Willis, 1. Bases on balls—Off Annis, 4; off O'Loughlin, 2; off Willis, 2. Wild pitches—Annis, O'Loughlin. Four hits, 4 runs, 29 at bat. O'Loughlin in 1-3-3 innings. Hit by pitcher—Netzel, Cooney. Left on bases—Tacoma, 7; Spokane, 10. Double plays—Cooney to

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Cartwright to Nordyke. Umpire—McCarthy.

The Giants outbatted the Beavers yesterday at Vancouver and won the game by a score of 6 to 4. The Giants led the score in the eighth inning, but it took them an extra inning to win. In the tenth inning, Seattle bunched three hits off Rasmussen for two runs. The score:

Vancouver.		A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.			
Brinker, c. f.	5	1	2	2	0
Bennett, 2 b.	5	1	1	5	0
Brashar, l. b.	4	0	2	3	0
Willet, l. b.	4	0	0	3	1
Prisk, r. f.	5	0	1	2	0
James, 3 b.	4	1	1	2	0
Swath, r. f.	3	1	1	1	0
Scharnweber, s. s.	5	0	1	1	1
Rasmussen, p.	4	0	1	0	0
Totals	34	4	9	20	16

Score by Innings.
Vancouver 0 1 2 0 0 1 0 0 0-4
Seattle 0 1 0 0 2 0 0 1 0-2-5

Summary.
Stolen base—Bennett. Sacrifice hits—Brashar, Whaling Wiggs. Sacrifice fly—Shen. Two base hits—Raymond, James. Sacrifice hits—Householder, Ort. Three base hits—Swain, Whaling. Bases on balls—Off Rasmussen, 2; off Wiggs, 5. Struck out—By Rasmussen, 2; by Wiggs, 2. Wild pitches—Wiggs. Left on bases—Vancouver, 5; Seattle, 12. Time—2:05. Umpire—Dashwood and Baumgarten. Brashar was put out of the game in the eighth for disputing with the umpire.

(Additional Sport on page 9.)
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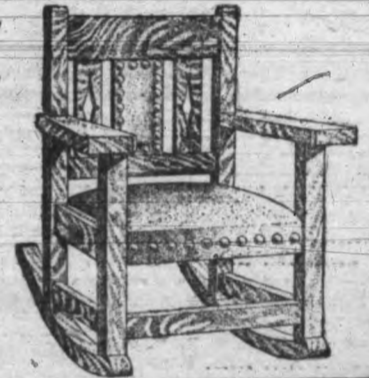
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with green leather seat, excellent finish, panel back. . . **\$6.00**



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DINING CHAIR,
quartered oak, back and top rail, saddle seat, finished deep golden. . . **\$5.50**



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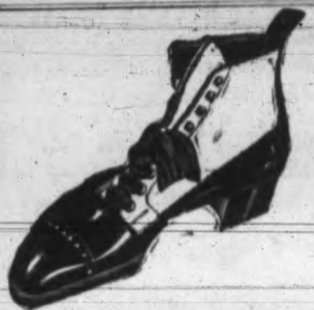
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Genuine Velour Calf Boot, with calf leather lining and heavy sole. Made over up-to-date last. Looks a \$5 shoe, Watson's **\$3.45** Temporary Sale.....

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In a pair of these Grain Boots or finer Box Calf Boots of ours. We guarantee the wear to be satisfactory. Insist on getting a "double toe-cap" boot for the boys. Sizes 11 to 13, **\$2.25** Sizes 1 to 5,

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And notice the workmanship displayed in the making, then you'll believe us when we say they are good value at \$4, but we have made a deep cut for the last five days and you can **\$2.95** have them for.....



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Ten innings.

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Chicago 5 12 2
New York 3 8 3
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COAST LEAGUE

At Oakland— R. H. E.
Los Angeles 0 3 1
Oakland 3 9 1
Batteries—Delhi and Smith; Gregory and Mitze.

At Portland— R. H. E.
Sacramento 1 2 1
Portland 5 10 1
Batteries—Baum and Thomas; Seaton and Kuhn.

At Los Angeles— R. H. E.
Vernon 4 9 1
San Francisco 2 8 0
Batteries—Heikle and Berry; Stewart and Brown.

EASTERN LEAGUE

At Rochester—Providence, 0; Rochester, 3.
At Montreal—Baltimore, 5; Montreal, 6.
At Toronto—Jersey City, 4; Toronto, 2.
At Buffalo—No game; rain.

WESTERN CANADIAN LEAGUE

At Saskatoon—Moose Jay, 0; Saskatoon, 1.
At Calgary—Edmonton, 2; Calgary, 11.

Diamond cutters in Holland have succeeded in cutting stones so small that 1,000 of them only weigh a carat.

ABOUT BASEBALL.

Mundorf tried to work the squeeze in the eighth inning yesterday. He did not make it by a mile.

Coltrin gave a nice exhibition of base running in the eighth. He finished up by coming home on Stovall's grounder to Millon. He was across the plate almost as soon as the ball was hit.

Charlie Surphis gave Nick Williams the shock of his life-time in the third. Taking a low fly from Williams' bat he threw Williams, who had gone down to second, out at first.

Whilst the fans were nodding their heads wisely and thinking what a wonderfully smart boy Charles was for playing in close to second another fly went out and the local boy was unable to get back for it.

Millon, Ward and Grindle tore off a fast double in the ninth. Pettigrew was on second and Harris at bat. Apparently the signal was "hit and run," for Pettigrew started off "as soon as Thorsen commenced winding up. Harris hit down to Millon and was thrown out at first. In the meantime Pettigrew had crossed third and, taking advantage of the unexpectedness of the move, cut loose for home. Ward was on the job though, and hopped the sphere home with perfect precision and just beat Pettigrew to it.

Coltrin, who has found a place in the hearts of the fans despite the fact that he is a detested Pippin, because of his snappy, peppery work in the short stop's garden, fell down once yesterday. Attempting to throw Surphis out at first when there was absolutely no chance he made a wild heave and the runner went to second.

If you do not believe Victoria has some versatile ball team glance over the yesterday's line-up for the last three innings. There is Millon and Ward; they do not mind playing in the outfield. There is DeVogt, the third baseman; he sometimes goes behind the bat and makes a good job of it, too. Agan look at the outfield; both Surphis and Lake can take a whirl in the box at any time.

Jakey Baumgarten has gone back to his job. They worried the life out of the poor fellow in Vancouver on Wednesday.

Monday and he said he was going right home. But he appeared on the grounds the next day and coyly remarked that he would give them one more chance.

Two Japanese ball teams, the Nippons, of Victoria, and a team representative of Vancouver, will play here on Labor Day for the championship of British Columbia.

The standing of the Northwestern League teams is:—

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Vancouver	78	51	.605
Tacoma	73	56	.566
Seattle	71	57	.554
Spokane	69	60	.534
Portland	63	63	.500
Victoria	21	106	.235

JAPAN CONSTRUCTS MONSTER DIRIGIBLE

Largest Airship Existing to be Launched in Land of Mikado

An airship which, when launched, will be the largest dirigible that the world has yet seen, is now in course of secret construction in Japan. Most of the material that is being used is of Japanese manufacture, but one English firm at least—a well-known sewing machine house—has already received orders from the Japanese government for a number of specially durable machines for use in sewing together the sections.

By laying down this gigantic airship Japan is briskly carrying out the advice of a band of official experts which her government sent travelling through the great countries of the world during June, July and August of 1910. Their task was to investigate the developments of aviation in the different countries, and to furnish reports upon which their government could base its aerial defence programme. Naturally Germany was visited, and keen observations taken of the Zeppelin airships, while in France, with its long list of aeroplanes and its dirigibles, the visitors found most absorbing subjects of interest. Consequently, a few months ago Japan's large airship was quickly launched, but though little knowledge of this form of Japanese enterprise has filtered through to the world, we are able to state that the first vessel has proved rather disappointing.

"All the World's Airships" for 1911 contains the significant statement that, as to Japan, "a big Yamada Isaburo dirigible is now building, but details are unobtainable," which indicates the general secrecy maintained in that country as to its aerial enterprise. This was the vessel completed about four months ago. Its length is about 400 feet, or half as long as the Olympic. The new vessel will be about 600 feet long, or 90 feet longer than the British dirigible which recently emerged from its Barrow shed. It will be a little over 50 feet in diameter. To its aerial motor will be fitted six motors, each of 120 horse-power, so that its total driving force will be equivalent to 720 horse-power, or about twice that of the motors on the Mayfly.

These engines are expected to be capable of driving an airship of its dimensions against a wind of 40 miles velocity—that is, a storm wind—at the rate of 30 miles an hour. But if there should be no wind it could force its way through the air at a speed of 70 miles per hour. Even were the vessel to be sent in the teeth of a hurricane, it could make progress, so it is claimed. The pace of a hurricane is about 65 miles per hour, so that against it five miles per hour could be maintained with ease. This, of course, is but a walking pace, but it means, if the claim is sustained, that the dirigible will be

under full control at all times, in any weather, when floating through its natural element.

The air vessel which Japan completed a few months ago was of the semi-rigid type; the new one is being constructed on the rigid principle. Over a huge metal skeleton an outer cover of fabric will be placed, which will contain sufficient gas to give the vessel a lifting power of about 42 tons—exactly double that of the British dirigible. If necessary it could take on board at least 20 tons of benzene for the use of the engines on a long voyage, and any loss of gas would be compensated for by the automatic diminution in the weight of the oil caused by the consumption of the oil fuel. By this means this ambitious vessel ought to be able to remain in the air for a week and be under full control the whole time. Some ten men will form its crew, though the dirigible's carrying capacity will be sufficient for thirty more men if desired. These, in time of war, would be available for "bomb distribution," while the energies of the crew could be devoted exclusively to manoeuvring the ship. For ammunition, ample room is to be available, as the ship is being built mainly for naval purposes. Evidently the object of the Japanese government is to make the vessel sufficiently reliable for it to be permanently attached to a home fleet. Its centre will be, possibly Yokosuka, which is the Portsmouth of Japan.

Though this is to be but the second dirigible of the Japanese government, it will be gathered from the foregoing that Japan seriously intends to provide herself with a strong aerial fleet. This new vessel should be launched early next summer, and, if its experimental trials give the anticipated results, Japan is still so thoroughly dependent upon the human equation that governments are showing greater eagerness to acquire vessels which shall be perfectly safe for a considerable time in their own element, even though one or all of the engines break down.

Germany now leads the way with dirigibles, for its private and government-owned vessels it could enlist the services of about twenty airships in wartime. At the commencement of this year France possessed fourteen dirigibles, with eleven building. Russia three built and five building. Italy seven built and one building, and America eight large airships with one building. But Russia has made great progress this year, and now rivals France for the second place as possessor of the largest number of dirigibles. Even Turkey, which possessed neither aeroplane nor dirigible at the beginning of the year, has become interested, and is buying dirigibles from Count Zeppelin. Thus it will be seen that the dirigible, though for a time somewhat overlooked by all the nations save France and Germany, may yet be destined to be an important factor in future international events.—London Standard.

UNCLAIMED PROPERTY.
Detective Office Issues List of Stolen Property at Present Unclaimed.
The city detective office has issued a list of stolen property secured in connection with the arrests of a number of Italians who have been before the court on theft and receiving charges recently. The list is as follows: Gentleman's gold-filled, open-face Hamilton watch, screw back, case number 448,769, works number 691,049; gentleman's small, gold-filled, open-face Elgin watch, screw back, case number 738,902, works number 1233,171; gentleman's silver open-faced Waltham screw back and face, P. S. Hartlett movement, case number 257,133, works number

6133749; gentleman's gold-filled, open-face Naumi watch, screw back, gold bands and second hand, case number 602,568, works number 99769, gold-filled chain, large and small links attached; "Ducher Watch Company" on dial, case number 4819, works number 730,477; gentleman's gold-filled curb chain with heart shaped locket attached; gentleman's gold-filled curb chain with compass charm attached; gentleman's gold-filled curb chain; gentleman's gold watch, case number 448,769, works number 691,049; gentleman's green stone in centre surrounded with imitation diamonds; cameo stick pin; lady's steel chain purse; gold stick pin in shape of horseshoe with horse in centre; fob guard with round glass charm, woman's head on charm; gold

OUR SUCCESS

The great Clearance Sale inaugurated by us to clear the balance of our summer stock has been a phenomenal success.

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These heavy sales we attribute to the low prices we are asking for high grade merchandise, and our earnest endeavor to send every customer away satisfied with bargains. Be here to-morrow (Saturday) and get your share.

\$15.00 SUITS. Saturday	\$8.25	\$1.50 DRESS SHIRTS. Saturday	85c
\$7.50 MEN'S SUITS. Saturday	\$4.15	75c WORK SHIRTS. Saturday	45c
\$5.00 PACKED SHOES. Saturday	\$3.25	\$1.00 WOOL UNDERWEAR. Saturday	65c
\$3.50 SHOES. Saturday	\$1.95	50c SUSPENDERS. Saturday	30c
\$22.00 SUITS. Saturday	\$14.15	5c HANDKERCHIEFS. Saturday, 3 for	10c
\$2.50 WORK PANTS. Saturday	\$1.65	75c WORK GLOVES. Saturday	45c
\$2.00 HATS. Saturday	95c	\$3.50 SUIT CASES. Saturday	\$2.15
\$3.50 HARD AND SOFT HATS. Saturday	\$1.95	\$3.00 STRAW HATS. Saturday	65c

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A CHOICE OF PARTIES

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Opposed to all this, what do we find? We find a leader disaffected with his followers, and followers disaffected with their leader. We find a condition of incipient rebellion and reluctant subordination among the rank and file of the Opposition. We find a party differing among the poles asunder on almost every question of importance during the past fifteen years and split and rent by jealousies, envies and mutual distrust to-day. An unpopular captain and a mutinous crew would be a poor outfit indeed with which to man the ship of state, and the Canadian electorate know this.

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PASSES CLOSE TO PITCAIRN ISLANDS

Shlp. W. F. Babcock Gives Clothing and Stores to Inhabitants

San Francisco, Aug. 25.—The American ship W. F. Babcock, which has arrived after a slow passage of 103 days from Newcastle, Australia, has had an eventful time since the last time she left the Pacific coast in January, 1910. Lumber laden, the well-known wind-seamer squared away from Port Ludlow for Capetown, South Africa, and it took her nearly a year to reach her destination. On March 21, 1910, she bumped into Honolulu under a jury ruler. After effecting repairs she again set sail for Capetown, but was compelled to make Sydney on account of damage sustained in heavy weather. After discharging what was left of her lumber cargo, a good portion of it having either been washed overboard or jettisoned, the Babcock proceeded for Newcastle, where she loaded 2,896 tons of coal for Hind, Rolph & Co., of this city.

The voyage from Newcastle is the longest of the season, light winds being encountered the entire voyage. Captain McNaught reported that on January 28, in passing close to the Pitcairn islands two boats containing 30 inhabitants of the islands came off, requiring stores and clothing. The islanders were overjoyed at being thus supplied and the Babcock's crew were equally elated at receiving a supply of fresh meat, vegetables and fruit. Captain McNaught reported that the population of the island now number about 150. The inhabitants are the descendants of the mutineers of the old ship Bounty, who were cast away on the lonely island in the South Seas many years ago.

It is very seldom they receive any news from the outside world, as the island is not in the track of vessels.

MARINE NOTES

The steamer Francis H. Leggett, which was reported in trouble off Crescent City several days ago, after having lost a log raft it was towing from Astoria to San Pedro, was sighted yesterday a few miles south of Eureka, with the raft again in tow.

After twice failing to make Hind's wharf at Vancouver on account of heavy tides, the Canadian Pacific steamer Princess Esna struck and sank the gasoline launch Chumnie and knocked off some apparatus on a diving scow lying at the wharf on Wednesday afternoon. The freighter had left the Canadian Pacific dock, where she had been discharging, and in proceeding to the Vancouver Cold Storage plant with the strong tide near the wharf. She struck and damaged the end of Hind's wharf and afterwards is said to have fouled the little gasoline tug, sinking her at once. She missed the scow but knocked off some of the diving apparatus.

Arrangements have been completed to have the steamer Princess Mary carry an excursion to Ganges Harbor on Sunday next. The steamer will leave the wharf at the foot of Fort street at 10 o'clock in the morning and a stop-over of two hours will be allowed at Ganges.

LADY SKIPPER ON BRIDGE

Capt. Ida Ballard Applies for Navigator's License at San Francisco.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 25.—Captain Ida Ballard, the first woman in the history of the San Francisco office of the United States inspectors of hulls and boilers to apply for a navigator's license, has made such application. Captain Ballard for five years has held a license as master and pilot on the Mississippi river and its tributaries and the application filed with the local board is for a renewal, such as is required every five years by law.

Captain Ballard is staying in a hotel here. She did not tell the inspectors whether or not she expected to seek employment as a navigator on this coast.

DRIVES NOSE DEEP INTO BED OF SAND

Union Oil Steamer Santa Rita Aground at President Point—Floats Off

Seattle, Aug. 25.—After being aground at President Point, a few miles north of Bainbridge Island, for nearly twelve hours, with her bow deep in a bed of coarse black sand, the Union Oil Company's steamer Santa Rita, Captain C. H. Winnett, was floated yesterday afternoon and arrived in Seattle shortly before 7 p. m. The accident occurred at 3 a. m. yesterday while the vessel, with a cargo of 48,000 barrels of oil, was bound for Seattle from Port San Luis.

"We had encountered a dense fog and a veil of smoke which made it impossible to see more than a few hundred feet ahead," said Captain Winnett. "I was using the greatest care in navigating the vessel and was able to bring her to a stop before we had gone more than ten feet into the sand. The vessel is not damaged in the least and our delay is perhaps the greatest inconvenience."

Soon after going aground the Santa Rita got into communication with Seattle and the powerful tug Goliath, of the Puget Sound Towboat Company, was sent to her assistance. Approximately 600 barrels of the vessel's cargo of oil was lightered and she was pulled off the sand with little difficulty, although it was believed that it would be necessary to await high tide. While she lay with her bow in the sand there was nearly twenty fathoms of water astern and ten fathoms amidships.

The Santa Rita is one of the largest of the fleet of ten vessels operated by the Union Oil Company. She was built at Cleveland, Ohio, in 1902, is 420 feet long, 43.7 foot beam and has a depth of 33 feet. She is of 5,273 gross tons and 3,862 net tons register.

DUTIES OF WOMEN.

Political Equality League Interestingly Addressed by Mrs. Spofford.

At the afternoon meeting of the Political Equality League held at the residence of Mrs. Dilworth, 123 Government street, Mrs. Spofford was the principal speaker. After her address, Miss May Jones sang "A Woman's Love," and Miss Gladys Steinhilf, recited, tea then being served, and a number of new members enrolled. The next meeting will be held at the residence of Mrs. Baer, Vancouver street, on Friday next, at 9 p. m.

In her interesting address Mrs. Spofford pointed out that the trend of thought and development was bringing rapidly before them other important woman's questions of the day beyond the question of votes. There had been a time when the education of women had been of the most rudimentary kind, but now all the great universities of the world were open to women, and these changed conditions must inevitably produce a new type of woman.

There was no possibility of woman usurping man's place, the two natures were too dissimilar for such a thing as that to happen, but she believed that, as they got back to God's purpose and intention they would find and develop the true solution of the problem. She considered that the Political Equality League could do no better work than preparing mothers and daughters to discharge the duties the future years held for them, and to do this many card parties would have to be given up for the more serious work.

During the discussion Mrs. Hay submitted a question as to what a woman ought to do if she wished to vote contrary to her husband, but still felt she owed him obedience. Mrs. Spofford's suggestion was that, by the time women had votes, their husbands would appreciate that their wives possessed individualities of their own, which would not be expected to necessarily give way to the views of their husbands.

A summary of the laws in the province affecting the status of women was read by Miss Bruce, secretary of the league.

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'FRISCO VESSEL HAS BIG CARGO FOR HERE

City of Puebla in From Golden With Many Passengers—Queen Clears Southbound

Coming north with nearly one hundred passengers and a large cargo of fruits and vegetables, the Pacific Coast steamer City of Puebla, Capt. Hannah, arrived at the outer wharf from San Francisco about 10 o'clock last night. The vessel had an uneventful passage up the coast, encountering splendid weather throughout. After discharging the local cargo she proceeded to the Sound early this morning.

Amongst the freight unloaded here was 600 sacks of nitrate for the Giant Powder Company, a large consignment of oils and grease for the Imperial Oil Company and considerable hardware for the local stores. As usual, the ship was well loaded with fruits and vegetables, including peaches, apricots, apples, pears, squash, celery and cabbages. There was about 200 tons of freight for here, and it was discharged in record time.

Among the passengers who were bound for Victoria were the following: Mary J. Bice, J. L. Brown, Mrs. M. Champlin, F. W. Cusack, Mrs. F. A. Cutter, Elizabeth Dyer, Maggie Hampshire, Geo. P. Jester and wife, C. A. Lockwood and wife, Miss M. MacLean, J. Mahser, Leo. Mahser, Mrs. S. G. Pelee and son, L. J. Bergen, John Poole, Laura Raynor, Geo. Roberts, Mrs. S. Shaska, Mrs. F. W. Simpson, Emma Stephana, John Symons, Mrs. E. Symons and F. Ware.

Last evening the steamship Queen, Capt. Geo. Zeh, of the same line, set sail for the Golden Gate with many passengers and 1,000 tons of freight. She was a day and half late in sailing, owing to the fact that she only returned from the north on Tuesday and was unable to get her cargo aboard sooner. The local passengers who left for San Francisco included Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Hill and son, Mr. and Mrs. U. E. Allen and son, E. J. Gibson, C. H. Coote, A. Garvin and L. Gunn.

WIRELESS REPORTS

Aug. 25, 8 a. m.

Point Grey—Clear; wind N. W. strong; 30.02; 63; sea moderate.

Cape Lazo—Clear; wind N. W. light; 30.03; 48; sea moderate; spoke Prince George off here at 6 a. m., northbound.

Tatoosh—Clear; wind south 4 miles; 30.04; 54; sea moderate; in City of Puebla, at 7:40 p. m.

Pachena—Clear; wind N. W.; 29.70; 60; sea moderate.

Estevan—Clear; wind N. W. fresh; 29.54; 55; sea moderate; spoke Tees at 7:30 a. m. at Kyquot.

Triangle—Overcast; wind west 24 miles; 29.58; 48; light swell; spoke Victoria at 6:15 p. m., 190 miles west of here.

Ikaia—Overcast; wind N. W. light; 30.11; 60; thick seaward.

Noon.

Point Grey—Clear; wind N. W. strong; 30.02; 63; sea moderate.

Cape Lazo—Clear; wind N. W. strong; 30.03; 47; sea moderate. Spoke Alameda at 11:15 a. m., 10 miles north of here northbound.

Tatoosh—Clear; wind south 4 miles; 30.04; 57; sea moderate. In schooner Camano towing at 9:50 a. m.

Pachena—Clear; wind S. E.; 29.74; 70; sea smooth.

Estevan—Clear; wind N. W. strong; 29.44; 57; sea smooth.

Triangle—Overcast; wind west 24 miles; misty; 29.58; 50; sea smooth.

Ikaia—Clear; wind N. W. light; 30.11; 64; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Clear; calm; 30.23; 76; sea smooth. Out, Prince Rupert at 8 a. m. southbound; spoke Princess May off Tree Point, at 10:30 a. m. northbound, will arrive Prince Rupert at 3 p. m.

Dead Tree Point—Clear; calm; sea smooth.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

August 24.

Seattle—Arrived: Stms. Dolphin, Skagway; Charles Nelson, San Francisco; Maverick, San Francisco; Buckman, Tacoma; Santa Rita, San Francisco; Sailed: Stms. Queen, San Francisco; Pacific Harbor, Seattle; Tacoma; Charles Nelson, Tacoma; Alameda, Southwestern Alaska; Meteor, Ladysmith; Keenum, Tacoma.

Tacoma—Arrived: Stms. Atlas, San Francisco; Columbian, Seattle; Sailed: German steamer Abessinia, Bellingham; Stms. Pacific Harbor, Pedro; Schacht, William H. Smith, San Pedro; stmr. Buckman, San Francisco; stmr. Columbian, Honolulu.

San Francisco, Cal.—Arrived: Stms. Temple E. Door, Astoria; Strathpey, Norfolk, Va., Tenyo Maru, Hongkong. Sailed: Stms. Bear, Portland; Elizabeth, Bandon.

Los Angeles, Cal.—Arrived: Bee, Seattle; Chehalis, Gray's Harbor; Shoshone, Astoria; Santa Barbara, Gray's Harbor; Shasta, Columbia River. Sailed: Yosemite, Portland; Governor, Puget Sound ports; Salem, Puget Sound ports; Yellowstone, Columbia River.

DEEPEST HARBORS IN WORLD.

There is but one port in the world that has a channel leading to it of over 100 feet, and that is Constantinople, with a channel 150 feet deep but with a maximum quay depth of only 90 feet. Next to this comes Quebec, Canada, with a channel 92 feet deep and a maximum quay depth of 42 feet. The third deepest channel in the world is at Ragoon, India, which is 90 feet deep. There is a quay depth there of 30 feet. Halifax, N. S., follows with a channel 83 feet deep and a quay depth of 45 feet deep. Marseilles, France, with a channel of 85 feet and a quay depth of 29 feet, and Antwerp, Belgium, with a uniform channel and quay depth of 52 feet each. The remaining 125 more or less important ports of the world have all a channel and quay depth of less than 50 feet with the exception of San Diego, California, where the maximum quay depth is 51.9 feet, but a channel of only 37 1/2 feet. The shallowest depth is through the channels of Lhan, Russia, Malmo, Sweden, and Danzig, Germany, which have only a depth of 22 feet, while the latter has a quay depth of only 13 feet, the least in the world.

Late last night the Boscovitz steamer Vidua, Capt. Estlin, left the Victoria dock for northern British Columbia ports with a large number of passengers and a good cargo of general freight.

WOULD SINK HOODOO

1,000 FATHOMS DEEP Captain of Max Wishes to Rid Ship of Annoyance—Will Trim Linlithgow in Race

Something more than a mere victory in his vessel's race from Puget Sound to Valparaiso with the Chilean ship County of Linlithgow is sought by Capt. George Delahaye, of the lumber-laden French barque Max, expected to pass out to sea from Tacoma today. He will strive to break once for all the hoodoo that has hung over the Max the last year, and if he can sail into the Chilean port ahead of the Linlithgow, and without accident to mar his triumph, he will feel that the goddess of ill-luck at last has exhausted all her wrath against his vessel.

Captain Delahaye is confident of success in the race with the Linlithgow. The latter was towed to sea from Port Townsend Monday evening. Delahaye is not discouraged by the fact that he is not delayed at Port Townsend, as he can overhaul the Linlithgow before the last stretch and beat her into Valparaiso. The Max is one of the speediest sailers on the Pacific. The race means a dinner and \$100 in gold to the victor.

But Captain Delahaye's one great object is to kill the hoodoo which has troubled him for a thousand fathoms deep. Before coming to the Sound with a cargo from Antwerp early this spring, the Max had suffered from a number of mishaps. Since coming to the Sound here is what has happened to her.

No. 1.—Third Mate Rene Gamas received a letter from France informing him of his father's death, became mentally deranged and disappeared from the barque, leaving a note to Captain Delahaye to the effect that he would be dead by the time the skipper's eyes read the contents. At the end of the week the mate was found standing on a float waiting for a boat from the Max. He had regained his mental equilibrium.

No. 2.—Tide in donkey engine boiler blew out in middle of July, killing Engineer Louis Victor Duquenois, scalding feet of First Mate Armand Baudouin and severely burning Sailor Marcel Ranzval.

No. 3.—Donkey engine again disabled with result that when cargo was completed at St. Paul Mill Monday and the Max was ready to shift to a buoy in the stream, the sailors had to raise the anchor by muscle instead of steam power, the work requiring nearly three hours.

The Max was launched in 1909 and was demasted on her first voyage. In 1903 she ran into the steamship Walla Walla off the Californian coast, sending that vessel to the bottom with the loss of many lives.

SEASICKNESS, LITTLE INCONVENIENCE SOON

Wise Heads Devise New Scheme to Prevent Ship From Rolling—Laconia Equipped

Seasickness, the only unpleasant feature of a trip on the briny, is soon to be numbered among the "has-beens" of the marine world. The brain of man has been vigorously pursuing different methods in recent years in an effort to prevent the rolling and tossing motion in heavy seas, and now it looks as though an invention to this end has been perfected. If the new scheme works successfully it will mean that more people will take in sea trips.

Only recently the new Cunard liner Laconia, was launched on the Tyne and will be unique in the possession of an invention for which is claimed the remarkable virtue that it will practically do away with seasickness. The vessel will be fitted with a large tank occupying the bottom and sides amidships, and it will be possible by means of a regulator to counteract the effect produced by the consumption of coal, stores and etc. The water tank which is divided into compartments, is covered with air-tanks, and at the bottom are specially constructed water passages. The tanks are partially filled with water, and the motion of the ship is checked by a contrary movement of the water from one side to the other through the passages.

To provide for changes in the movement of the vessel the water, which is always under perfect control, can be regulated to suit circumstances. One or two of the compartments can be utilized as required, by opening or closing the valves which are affixed to the air tanks, and by completely closing the valves the passage of air from one side to the other is prevented. In this way the water in the tanks may be maintained in a practically motionless, thereby keeping the vessel from rolling.

The Laconia will not only be the first Atlantic liner to be fitted with the anti-rolling tanks, but also the first British ship to be so equipped.

WILL TOUR STATES

Duke of Connaught to Visit Principal Industrial Centres.

Birmingham, Aug. 25.—The London correspondent of the Post writes today that in view of the wish of both Canadian and American governments, the Duke of Connaught will pay an official visit to the States. His itinerary will include all the chief industrial centres. The tour will probably take place during next February.

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Baltimore	107.50	Montreal	105.00
Detroit	82.50	New York	107.00
Minneapolis	60.00	Rochester	98.00
		Philadelphia	108.50
		Boston	110.00

Now is the ideal time for the person on pleasure bent or the business man to journey eastward. It's been pretty hot back there for a couple of months; now summer is on the wane, the cool days are approaching; soon the leaves will begin to take on their beautiful colors, then to drop. The person who knows the East is familiar with the charm of it all.

Make the trip over the Line of Electric Block Signals, Steel Coaches (safety means everything to the traveller). See the scenery along the Beautiful Columbia River Gorge. Visit if you wish, Portland, Salt Lake City, Denver and Colorado Springs. Ride in the Through Sleeping Cars which are a feature of this Splendidly Equipped System. Before you come to the end of your journey, it's like home; no vexatious changing of cars, or transfer of baggage. You go abroad in the West and you live in comfort till you reach your destination.

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That will eclipse anything ever seen in this city. See a few of our bargains. We have hundreds of others but no place to mention them.

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MEN VOTING ON QUESTION OF STRIKE

Decision of Employees of Harriman Lines Will Be Known In Few Days

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 25.—Between 600 and 700 men employed in the Harriman system shops in this city will vote to-night on the strike question. Ernest L. Reguin, president of the employees federation of Harriman lines, said the sentiment of the local shopmen was strongly in favor of striking and that he believed the vote would show at least 90 per cent in favor of a walk-out. None of the men employed in the local shops have been laid off, but the hours have been reduced to eight hours, and wages reduced accordingly. A five-day week has been inaugurated. President Reguin said to-day that he had wired the president of the international unions that there is no need of further delay in calling a strike, if recognition of the federation of shop employees is refused. He implies that the men are ready to walk out, whether or not their acts receive the sanction of the international. Such approval would simply mean that the men would be entitled to additional strike benefits. President Reguin, no recall has been made for a meeting of the union conference committee and no special strike vote has yet been taken by the local organization of shopmen. The votes already taken, it is said, were for the purpose of determining the temper of the men.

Many Favor Strike. Paducah, Ky., Aug. 25.—Within 24 hours the Illinois Central railroad will either recognize the federation of employees of the Illinois Central railroad or will be faced with a walkout of 97 per cent of the union employees on that system and its allied lines. It is stated at the headquarters of the federation to-day. Although only about 8,000 men are members of the federation throughout the various unions, the 14,000 men are affected, the help of some of the trades not being organized. Up to noon to-day 7,775 votes had been recorded in favor of a strike. Few opposition votes were cast. Next Sunday night the president and the treasurer who compose the sub-executive committee, will meet other members of the executive committee in Chicago. The whole committee will go over the tabulated vote together, and Monday afternoon will seek an interview with General Manager Foley of the Illinois Central railway. If that official refuses to grant an interview, he will be given a certain time, according to the officials of the federation, in which to reconsider and if at the end of the allotted time he does not receive the committee the men will be called out of the shops all over the system, with the exception of the engineers, operators and trainmen. Officials Confer. Omaha, Neb., Aug. 25.—Julius Kruttschnitt, vice-president and director of maintenance and operation of the Harriman railway system, was in Omaha 45 hours and a half this morning, going west at 9:30 on the Union Pacific fast mail. During his stay here he conferred with A. L. Mohler,

vice-president and general manager of the Union Pacific, for an hour. In an interview, Mr. Kruttschnitt declared that the matter of a strike on the Harriman system was up to the men and that the railroad had never refused to confer with its employees. "So far as we are concerned," said he, "we are having no trouble with our men. We are paying the best wages of any road in the country and notwithstanding that business has been bad for months, we have been carrying on our business as usual, employing of unrequired men. We have always treated our men with fairness and at the present time are paying out annually between \$300,000 and \$400,000 to superannuated employees." Mr. Kruttschnitt refused to discuss the question of recognizing the federated labor organization.

BRITISH MEMBERS MAY TOUR CANADA

J. Obad Smith Hopes to Bring Large Party to Dominion Within Year

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—J. Obad Smith, assistant superintendent of immigration in London, who was here yesterday in charge of the party of British journalists now visiting the Dominion, says he hopes to bring the entire British House of Commons on a sight-seeing tour of Canada within a year. Mr. Smith would not discuss details of his plan. Going to Great Britain. Winnipeg, Aug. 25.—One hundred prominent western Canadian business men will visit the chief industrial cities of Great Britain during June next year. This was definitely decided at a directors' meeting of the Winnipeg Industrial Bureau to-day. Leading financial and commercial men representing all western cities will be invited to accompany the Winnipeg party, covering six weeks' itinerary abroad.

VIRGINIA MURDER TRIAL

Chesterfield, Va., Aug. 25.—The defence in the case of Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., charged with wife murder, met with two setbacks at the opening of the court here to-day. Judge Walter A. Watson quickly overruled a motion to exclude the "Dear Mid" letter written by Beattie to Beulah Binford and introduced yesterday and followed this by denying a motion which questioned the wording of the indictment as to the wound being in the "face" instead of the skull or brain of the victim as shown by the autopsy. George Jarrell, a Richmond witness, was called as the first witness to-day at the trial. Associated with Detectives Wiltshire and Wrenn, who testified yesterday afternoon, Jarrell was put on the stand to complete for the prosecution the description of the scene of the crime, the prisoner's demeanor and his story of the boarded highwayman. While Beattie slept in the jail here last night, his bloodstained automobile stood under the scyambors in the courtyard to be examined by the jurors to-day with a view to ascertaining whether the blood could have dripped through to the roadway. The commonwealth charges that the blood stains in the Middlethan turnpike could not have been made unless Mrs. Beattie was taken from the car. The defence holds otherwise.

SHIPPING GUIDE

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS

From the Orient
Orteric Aug. 25
Sado Maru Aug. 29
Tacoma Maru Sept. 1
Empress of India Sept. 24

From Australia
Makura Sept. 19

From Liverpool
Oanfa Sept. 2

From Mexico
Henley Aug. 25

From Antwerp
Co modore Sept. 10

For the Orient
Tamba Maru Aug. 29
Canada Maru Sept. 2
Empress of India Oct. 4
Orteric Sept. 23

For Mexico
Henley Sept. 15

For Liverpool
Keemun Sept. 6

For Australia
Marama Sept. 6

COASTWISE STEAMERS

From San Francisco
Queen Aug. 31
City of Puebla Sept. 7

From Northern B. C. Ports
Princess Beatrice Aug. 28
Princess Rupert Aug. 27
Princess George Aug. 29
Ventura Aug. 29
Vado Sept. 6

From Skagway
Princess May Aug. 27

From the West Coast
Toes Aug. 25

For San Francisco
City of Puebla Aug. 30

From Seattle
Queen Sept. 6

For Skagway
Princess May Aug. 29

For Northern B. C. Ports
Princess Beatrice Aug. 28
Princess Rupert Aug. 28
Princess George Aug. 28
Ventura Aug. 28
Vado Sept. 7

For the West Coast
Toes Sept. 1

For East Coast
Joan Aug. 29

Queen City Aug. 29

COMPLETES LONG FLIGHT

New York, Aug. 25.—Harry N. Atwood, the American aviator, ended his long record-breaking aeroplane flight from St. Louis when he landed at Governor's Island at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. Atwood flew to town from Nyack, a distance of about 30 miles, in 45 minutes. He followed the river's course, flying most of the time 50 to 100 feet above the surface of the water. Thousands of people flocked to the city roofs and cheered the aviator as he flew down the river. The whistles of several steamships and all manner of water craft joined in a noisy welcome. Atwood had planned to land at Sheepshead bay, and he may fly there later, but officially his trip ended at Governor's Island.

THE CITY MARKET

Oils	
Prairie Coal Oil	1.09
Eocene	1.15
Meats	
Hams (B. C.), per lb.	20.25
Tricon (B. C.), per lb.	20.25
Hams (American), per lb.	25
Bacon (American), per lb.	25
Bacon (long clear), per lb.	22
Pork, per lb.	10.25
Pork, per lb.	10.25

Mutton, per lb.	15.00
Lamb, hindquarter	2.50
Lamb, forequarter	1.75
Veal, per lb.	19.00
Suet, per lb.	15
Farm Produce	
Fresh Island Eggs	50
Butter, Cowichan	50
Butter, Victoria	50
Butter, Salt Spring	50
Butter, Eastern Townships	45
Lard, per lb.	35
Western Canada Flour Mills	
Purity, per sack	1.85
Purity, per bbl.	7.19
Hungarian Flour	
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per sack	1.80
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per bbl.	7.10
Robin Hood, per sack	1.70
Robin Hood, per bbl.	7.10
Vancouver Milling Co., Hungarian, per sack	1.80
Vancouver Milling Co., Hungarian, per bbl.	7.10
Lake of Woods, per sack	1.80
Lake of Woods, per bbl.	7.10
Calgary Hungarian, per sack	1.80
Calgary Hungarian, per bbl.	7.10
Enderby, per sack	1.80
Enderby, per bbl.	7.10
Pastry Flours	
Silver Bell	1.75
Snowflake, per sack	1.75
Snowflake, per bbl.	7.00
Vanover, Jilling Co., Wild Rose	1.75
Drifted Snow, per sack	1.75
Grain	
Wheat, chicken feed, per ton	30.00
Wheat, per lb.	40.00
Whole Wheat Flour, 10 lbs.	40.00
Whole Corn	40.00
Cracked Corn	40.00
Oats	35.00
Crushed Oats	35.00
Rolls Oats (B. & K.), 20-lb. sk.	1.90
Rolls Oats (B. & K.), 40-lb. sk.	1.90
Oatmeal, 10-lb. sack	2.50
Oatmeal, 20-lb. sack	2.50
Rolls Wheat, 10 lbs.	1.50
Cracked Wheat, 10 lbs.	1.50
Wheat Flakes, per packet	1.20
Whole Wheat Flour, 10 lbs.	40.00
Graham Flour, 10 lbs.	40.00
Graham Flour, 50 lbs.	1.75
Feed	
Hay (baled), per ton	30.00
Straw, per ton	16.00
Middlings, per ton	33.00
Wheat, per ton	35.00
Ground Feed, per ton	35.00
Shorts	35.00
Poultry	
Dressed Fowl, per lb.	25.00
Ducks, per lb.	25.00
Geese (Island), per lb.	20.00
Garden Produce	
Carrots, per lb.	1.00
Onions, per lb.	1.00
Cabbage, per lb.	1.00
Potatoes (local)	1.00
Bacon	
Hams	
Lard	
Cheese	
Creamery Butter	
Eggs (local)	
Eggs (California fresh)	
Eggs (Eastern)	
Peasants, roasted	
Beets, per sack	
Peasants, per sack	
Cauliflower, per box	
Grapefruit, per doz.	
Turnips, per sack	
Lettuces, per crate	
Onions, per crate	
Onions (Australian)	
Onions (California)	
Haddies, per lb.	
Parsley	
Almonds, per lb.	
Filberts, per lb.	
Walnuts, per lb.	
Walnuts, per lb.	
C. umbers (hot), per doz.	
Green Onions	
New Potatoes	
Cherries, preserving	
Cantaloupe	
Peasants, roasted	
Peasants, per sack	
Pumpkins, per lb.	
Pork, per lb.	
Pork, per lb.	

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE

Victoria, Aug. 25	
Alberta Canadian Oil	14.15
American Canadian Oil	14.15
Canadian Northwest Oil	14.15
Can. Pac. Oil	19.21
Alberta Coal & Coke	31.02
Diamond Vale Coal & Coke	27.50
International Coal & Coke	61.65
Nicola Valley Coal & Coke	60.90
Royal Collieries	58.30
Western Coal & Coke	1.40
Maricopa	3.01
B. C. Copper	3.50
B. C. Packers, com.	52.00
B. C. Permanent Loan	132.00
C. N. P. Fisheries	2.50
Dominion Trust Co.	118.00
Great West Permanent (a)	118.00
Great West Permanent (b)	112.00
Stewart Land	3.50
Bitter Creek	1.00
Glacier Creek	1.00
Lacquet	1.00
Lucky Jim Zinc	33.00
Main Reef	1.00
Nugget Gold	60.00
Portland Canal	161.00
Portland Wonder	92.00
Rambler Cariboo	1.00
Western Union	1.00
Snowstorm	304.00
Snowshoe	1.00
Stewart M. & D.	1.00
Coronation	1.00
S. A. Warrants	725.00
Sales	
1,000 Canadian Northwest Oil	35.00
1,000 Canadian Northwest Oil	35.00
200 International Coal & Coke	61.00
500 International Coal & Coke	61.00
500 Portland Canal	161.00
100 Stewart M. & D.	1.00
5,000 Glacier Creek	30.00

NEW YORK STOCKS

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)	
New York, Aug. 25	
Anal. Copper	High, Low, Bid
Ann. Agr. Chemical	52 5/8 51 1/2
Ann. Beet Sugar	50 4/8 49 1/4
Ann. Can. pref.	84 3/4 83 1/2
Ann. Car. & Foundry	49 1/2 48 1/2
Ann. Cotton Oil	31 1/2 31
Ann. Ice Securities	15 1/2 15
Ann. Locomotive	30 3/4 30 1/4
Ann. Smelting	69 1/2 68 1/2
Ann. Tel. & Tel.	132 1/2 132
Ann. Tobacco, pref.	39 3/4 39
Anacostia	35 3/4 35
Atchafon	104 1/2 103 1/2
B. R. T.	73 7/8 73
C. P. R.	222 3/4 221 1/2
Central Leather	73 1/2 71 1/2
C. & G. W. pref.	38 3/8 38
C. M. & St. P.	112 1/2 112
Do. pref.	146 1/2 146
M. & E. T. pref.	42 1/2 41 1/2
Con. Gas	132 1/2 132
Do. pref.	53 1/2 53
Distillers Sec.	30 3/4 30 1/2
Erie	28 1/2 28 1/2
Do. 1st pref.	48 1/2 47 1/2
Do. 2nd pref.	42 1/2 41 1/2
Goldfield Cons.	50 1/2 50
G. N. pref.	123 1/2 123 1/2
Illinois Central	130 1/2 130 1/2
Inter-Metro	14 1/2 14
Do. pref.	42 1/2 41 1/2
Inter. Harvester	112 1/2 112 1/2
Kan. City Southern	29 3/8 29 3/8
I. & N.	142 1/2 141 1/2
Lehigh Valley	102 1/2 102 1/2
M. S. P. & S. S. M.	121 1/2 120 1/2
M. Y. O. & W.	39 3/8 39 3/8
M. & P. Pacific	40 1/2 40 1/2
Nat. Biscuit	132 1/2 130 1/2
Nat. Lead	50 3/4 50 3/4
Nov. Cons.	74 1/2 74 1/2
N. Y. C. & W.	104 1/2 104 1/2
N. W.	101 1/2 100 1/2
N. & W.	117 1/2 116 1/2
Pacific Mail	58 1/2 57 1/2
Peabody	120 1/2 119 1/2

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)	
Chicago, Aug. 25	
Open High Low Close	
Wheat	
Sept.	95 94 93 94
Dec.	94 94 94 94
May	104 104 100 104
Corn	
Sept.	64 64 64 64
Dec.	62 62 61 62
May	64 64 61 64
Oats	
Sept.	42 42 42 42
Dec.	44 44 44 44
May	47 47 47 47
Barley	
Sept.	16 16 16 16
Jan.	16 16 16 16
Lard	
Sept.	8 8 8 8
Jan.	8 8 8 8
Short Rib	
Sept.	8 8 8 8
Jan.	8 8 8 8

TORONTO STOCKS

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)	
Toronto, Aug. 25	
Anal. Asbestos	9
B. C. Packers "A"	85
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Lumbermen Will Present Case at Sitting of Railway Board

Calgary, Aug. 24.—Matters that affect lumber users throughout western Canada, but in which the lumber manufacturers are particularly interested, will be presented before the railway commissioners when they sit at Vancouver on August 30 by W. A. Anstie of Calgary, representing the Mountain Lumber Manufacturers' Association, and probably J. E. Welsh, representing the Canadian Manufacturers' Association. These matters have to do with the proposed action of the Canadian Pacific Railway in abolishing certain allowances for tare weights, and with the publication of through rates on lumber to stations on the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway which the lumbermen have not as yet obtained.

The first complaint has reference to the proposed action of the C. P. R. in abolishing allowances which have been in effect for years past in British Columbia and which shippers claim are necessary to cover the average variance from tare weights due to absorption of moisture by reason of snow,

ice and rain, as well as accumulation of filth in cars. The shippers also claim that the fact that their contention is a fair one is borne out by the action of the railways making an allowance for so many years.

RECOGNITION REFUSED.

Thirty-five Thousand Employees of Harriman Lines Involved in Difficulties.

Chicago, Aug. 25.—A long conference between Vice-President Julius Kruttschnitt, of the Union and Southern Pacific railroads, and J. W. Kline, international president of the blacksmith's union, was held here yesterday without any steps being taken toward a settlement of the difficulties involving 25,000 shop employees of the Harriman lines. Both Vice-President Kruttschnitt and Kline declined to discuss what was done at the conference, but it is said that the refusal of the railroad to recognize the federated labor organizations instead of individual unions was considered at length.

It is said that Vice-President Kruttschnitt followed instructions of the directors of the lines in refusing to yield to the demands of the shopmen for recognition of the federal organization. Mr. Kruttschnitt said: "I met Mr. Kline and we had a pleasant talk. I am always glad to meet representatives of our workmen, but I must decline to talk about what was done at the conference."

Shortly after the meeting Mr. Kruttschnitt left for the west, where he will spend two weeks investigating the labor situation. He may confer with

labor leaders at San Francisco next Wednesday. The roads involved in the present dispute are the Union Pacific, Southern Pacific, Central Pacific, Oregon Short Line, Houston and Texas Central, Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company, and San Pedro, Los Angeles and Salt Lake railroad.

Shop workers of the Illinois Central railroad have also presented similar requests for recognition. President Kline in outlining the position of the shopmen said: "June 6 last a committee of workers on the Harriman lines met in Salt Lake City to form a federation of the members of the various mechanical crafts under railroad managements. A number of federations, among them the Wabash road, the Gould lines and the Hawley lines. The organization was formed for protection and in the interest of economy and convenience. It should be easier to deal with one joint committee than with a dozen. The Harriman lines refused to recognize the federated body."

"That is all the men are asking. The question of wages is not involved. Since the federation was formed the men active in the movement have been discriminated against, and many have been laid off without just cause. I am informed. The situation is grave. I have received a number of telegrams from officers of different unions asking for permission to strike."

"I am doing all I can to settle the men's differences peacefully, and I sincerely hope that oil may be poured on the troubled waters. We have had several conferences with railroad officials, and more will be held before anything is done."

MUSIC OF 1,000 YEARS

English Composers at Festival of Empire.

English music covering every period during the last thousand years can be heard at the Festival of Empire at the Crystal Palace, London, and few of the visitors perhaps realize the number of English composers who have contributed towards the music of the jubilee. The musical director is W. H. Bell, a young British composer who has already made a name for himself. Composers who wrote special music for the various episodes are Sir Alexander MacKenzie, Dr. Charles Harries, Dr. Vaughan Williams, Messrs. Frank Tapp who wrote the music for the Bath pageant, Cecil Forsyth, G. von Holst, Paul Corder, Haydn Wood, J. E. McEwen, Frank Bridge, Charles MacPherson (solo-organist of St. Paul's cathedral), Hubert Bath, Edward German, Donald Francis Tovey, Ealfour Gardner, F. Anstie, A. Allen (organist of St. John's Cathedral, Newfoundland), A. Alexander (New Zealand), Frederick Corder (curator of the Royal Academy of Music), and Dr. Barrow Dowling, of Capetown.

The pageant orchestra is a military band of fifty performers, while there are also eighteen specially trained trumpeters, an orchestra of harpists, and a mounted band, the harps being heard in some of the earlier episodes, and the mounted band in the scenes depicting the termination of the Great War. In several instances music of the period under review is employed, and thus we hear the works of the old English masters intermingled with the compositions of the present British school.

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FOUL and FAIR TRICKS of the RACING SWIMMER.

BY L. DE B. HANDLEY.

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COMPETITIVE swimming undoubtedly ranks to-day among the cleanest forms of athletic contest in which the American amateur indulges. It has, unfortunately, not always been thus. There was a time when tactics that were decidedly unsportsmanlike found their way into aquatic and were winked at, although they often threw races to men who were not entitled to them. Things have improved greatly since then and the majority of swimmers are now fair, ready to concede a point when the occasion arises, unwilling to take advantage of an opponent, and good losers.

But there are still a few black sheep in the flock, for the principle of "win at all costs" died hard, and an occasional recurrence of past abuses is at times witnessed. It is principally with the black sheep that the following pages torn at random from the chronicles of swimming are concerned, and we will leave it to the reader to pass judgment.

Attempts to "rattle" a feared rival and to make him lose his nerve or his temper have been made from time immemorial in all branches of sport, and many there are who consider them quite legitimate, for they hold that a good competitor should be cool and able to keep himself under perfect control.

About a year ago a fast fifty yarder was developed in the Middle West who was thought to have sufficient speed at the distance to give Champion Daniels the race of his life, and possibly to beat him. One of the big indoor meets furnished the desired opportunity to bring the two together, and the newcomer's coach, realizing what a splendid advertisement it would be for him should his pupil take into camp the world's title holder, decided to improve the chances of it to the best of his ability. He entered for the race, besides his favorite, two mediocre performers, who were instructed to plunge in as soon as the word to get ready was uttered. He hoped that Daniels would be carried off to a false start by them and then become overcautious and be late when the gun was fired.

The stool pigeons went through their part of the programme very nicely. First one dived too soon and had to be recalled, and then the other; but somehow the rest of the little play didn't follow according to schedule. Daniels had been caught once before by the trick and was on the lookout for it. Alert and with every muscle set for a spring he watched both

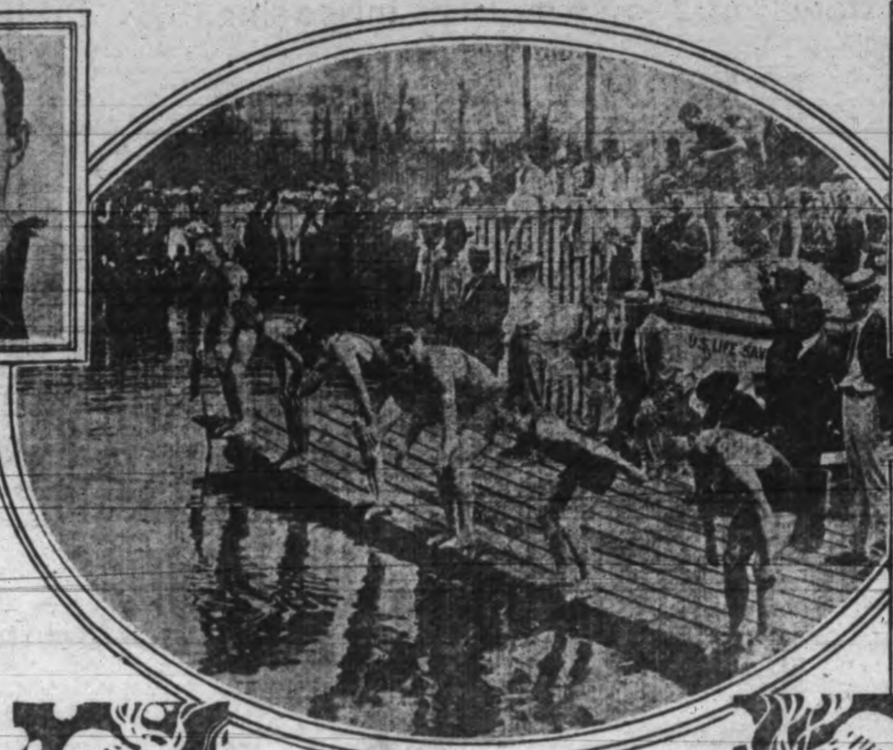
FROM Surreptitiously Pushing an Adversary to Boring Holes in His Coach's Boat. There Are Many Devices, and All of Them Are Hard for the Government Officials to Detect



LOUIS MANLEY, N. Y. A. C.



"BUD" GOODWIN, N. Y. A. C.



A 100 Yard Race in Open Water at the Olympic Games of 1904 in St. Louis. Daniels, Second from the Left, Suffered from Being in the Wrong Position to See His Field.



L. DE B. HANDLEY, TED KITCHING, C. M. DANIELS. Capt. N. Y. A. C. Polo Team, Who Was the First Successful World's Champion Swimmer and Inventor of Composite Crawl



Start of an Indoor Swimming Race

breaks with a knowing smile, but did not as much as budge from his starting position. So it happened that he was off like a shot when the signal sounded and struck the water first. He led all the way and won by several feet. News of the plot leaked out through one of the men used thinking it so good a joke on his coach that he had to tell about it.

Less fortunate than Daniels was a New York Athletic Club hundred yard champion who held the title about ten years ago. He was a nervous, high strung chap, the very subject to work a like scheme upon. One of his antagonists was aware of this, and he purposely picked a quarrel with him just before one of the best events held that season at Travers Island. The offensive language hurled at him so upset the victim of the uncalculated attack that when he lined up for the start he was white with anger and totally unnerved. As a natural result he didn't swim within three seconds of his previous performances, and his unscrupulous rival, though unquestionably less speedy, managed to nose him out by a few inches.

Daniels told recently of a foreigner who, in the Olympic games of 1904 in St. Louis, drew in a mouthful of water and, as he passed Frank Galley, the man he most feared, squirted it into the latter's face. The writer has seen this done more than once. At the Pan-American Exposition the ungentlemanly trick probably cost the victim a good race, for he took some of the water into his lungs as he inhaled and it choked him. He had to stop to recover and lost several yards, which he was unable to make. He was beaten by half a length.

Team work and the use of pace makers are approved means of helping a star to achieve victory. Frequently two members of the same club will alternate in the lead, or a man who is an exceptionally good judge of pace will be entered in an event in which he has no show simply to time a team mate over part of the course. With this custom none can find fault, but there are some kinds of team work that cannot be too strongly condemned.

A stratagem often used and one that can hardly be censured is best illustrated by the recollection of an episode which occurred in 1908. In the five mile New Rochelle-City Island Marathon held by the American Life Saving Society one of the clubs entered several men, three of whom had no prospect of finishing the long grind and had orders to start out at a half mile clip and stay in the race as long as they could. The other club members were instructed to lay back and hold a sensible pace. It was hoped that the good swimmers in the field would follow the leaders, play themselves out and either be forced to quit or become so exhausted that the rear-most would catch and pass them during the last stage of the grueling journey. The plan was a clever one. Any one who has tackled distance swimming knows well how difficult it is to accurately judge pace over a somewhat unfamiliar distance, and what an amount of will power is needed to refrain from going after opponents who are swiftly moving away.



H. J. HANDY, ILLINOIS A. C. CHICAGO. Twice Winner of the Mississippi Marathon.

MISS ELAINE GOLDING, Champion Lady Swimmer of America, Taking Oxygen Before a Race



CHARL RUBER

JOSEPH RUDDY, N. Y. A. C.

As expected, the bulk of the contestants unhesitatingly trailed the speeding trier and gave out before half the distance had been covered. A few seasoned veterans refused to swallow the bait, however, and took their time. They forged to the front during the last mile and captured the prizes. One representative of the scheming club was among them.

Lenity of Officials.

The difficulty experienced by swimmers in holding to a straight course, particularly in open water, has led officials to be very lenient when fouls thought to be involuntary are committed. Seldom indeed is a man disqualified or penalized if a collision occurs. In one of the championship races held in Lauglin's Lake, St. Louis, in 1906, "Bud" Goodwin, of the New York Athletic Club, gave a wonderful exhibition of serpentine swimming. He thrashed back and forth across the course until he had hit everything within reach, including most of his opponents, and there is no doubt that he covered many more yards than did the others.

The referee correctly estimated that his antics had hurt him more than they had anybody else and had in no way affected the issue of the race, so awarded to him the prize he had won. The action was justified and none can blame him, but it will be realized what opportunities such leniency opened to men with unfair tendencies, particularly in cases of races being ordered to swim over after a collision are almost unknown. Any unscrupulous contestant who could induce a team mate or friend to foul or interfere with a feared rival might count on getting away with it. Even if the guilty man was disqualified it was not likely that the victim would obtain further redress.

This fact was proved in a mile swim held in the late 90's at a summer resort on Long Island. One of the entrants felt confident he could beat all but one man, and made up his mind to rid himself of the latter. He enlisted a big, powerful swimmer of his ac-

quaintance to do his foul work for him. This giant spurred at the start, crossed in front of the marked man and then slowed up. A second later the favorite received a kick on the shoulder that nearly disabled him. He raised his head, dazed, to see what had struck him, and barely avoided another kick aimed straight at his face. To pass his aggressor was impossible, so he moderated his pace, hoping to be able later to get by him and regain the lost ground. But the other stuck to him like grim death, and he eventually had to give up the race.

In the Olympic games of 1904 H. J. Handy, of the Illinois Athletic Club, of Chicago, was America's representative in the breast stroke swim. He obtained the lead on the dive, closely followed by one of the German entrants. About one hundred yards had been covered in this order when the young Chicagoan was suddenly seen to disappear under water, and with a few rapid strokes the foreigner forged ahead of him and eventually beat him home. Handy protested the winner and accused him of having caught him by the leg and pulled him back, but the foul had occurred so far away that the officials could not be certain of its having taken place and refused to entertain the protest.

With the windmill strokes used at present in racing it is an easy matter to get the best of an unwary leader. All one has to do is to sprint and time the arm so that it will fall naturally on the man's shoulder. One swift push then and he is behind, and out of stroke. An amusing incident that showed the value of a powerful arm drive was witnessed at Manhattan Beach a few seasons back. The committee in charge of the meet knew very little about running swimming races and laid the course from a floating raft to an anchored buoy, which had to be circled, and back. About thirty starters reported for the 200-yard handicap and were sent off in one heat at intervals of a few seconds.

As should have been foreseen, the short mark holders

Watching for a Signal from the Coach at the Turn of a Swimming Race

picked up the limit men near the turning buoy, and as all were aiming, for the same spot, they came together with a crash. The water was tossed into white foam for many yards around, and amid the froth could be seen heads, arms and legs, thrashing in wonderful confusion. Into this mass of struggling humanity suddenly dashed Joseph Ruddy. Clearing the water with violent strokes, his powerful shoulders driving the arms with terrific force, he beat his way through the throng, derving an opponent or two with every sweep. He thrust them aside like chaff, and by the time he had rounded the mark none remained to dispute his victory. Brown had triumphed.

The Mississippi Marathon, a ten mile race held yearly in St. Louis to decide the national long distance swimming championship, has been responsible for the development of several ingenious schemes to injure the chances of a likely winner or favor a partisan. Some fifty contestants are usually brought together for it, and it is pretty safe to indulge in questionable practices, for the length and difficulty of the course make it necessary to allow every starter the use of a rowboat manned by his friends to guide him, and it is an absolute impossibility for the officials to keep close watch on all.

H. J. Handy, of Chicago, thrice winner of the event, has had some curious experiences in the race, and one year a unique plot was concocted to defeat him. He believes gamblers who had bet against him and not his rivals, matured and carried out the plot.

During the night preceding the day for the race several holes were bored into the bottom of the boat from which his coach was to show him the route and then cunningly concealed with fillings of clay. The clay hardened in the hot morning sun, so that the craft did not leak when launched, but once under way the water softened the fillings and little by little washed them away. Long before the finish was reached the boat was in a sinking condition. The plotters had realized that, deprived of a pilot, Handy could not help steering into dead waters and odds which would prove fatal to his chances. But the best regulated plans sometimes fail. As luck would have it, a passing craft offered assistance, was secured, and led the Chicago athlete triu-phantly to victory.

Using a Piloting Boat.

The rather prevalent habit of using the piloting boat as a tow is often impossible to stop. A few unscrupulous ones are found everywhere. In the Mississippi Marathon several cases of it have been reported and two in particular deserve mention. One swimmer used a contrivance that defied detection. He passed a long piece of steel wire over the stern and fastened it to his suit, so that he could continue to go through the motions of the stroke with hardly any exertion and still give the impression that he was progressing by his own efforts. Another contestant nailed to the keel of his boat a long strip of wood that extended to the rear and gave him support and propulsion while he was resting.

Position is an all important matter in racing. Sprinting over a straightaway course is often proved the deciding factor when two or more competitors are evenly matched. The man who can see his field without turning his head has a decided advantage.

Harold Reeder, the 220-yard champion of 1908 and one of the most wide-awake swimmers ever developed in this country, was in the habit of quietly taking the position he wanted before the others lined up and carefully arranging for himself a tow on the take-off, that he might not slip at starting. He says that

in nine times out of ten no one disputed his right to the place. If positions were drawn for or the officials became aware of his usurpation he would back away from the mark and await the word to get ready, when he would slip back to the chosen end of the line and go off with the best. He was never penalized for it.

In a championship held some years ago in the Chicago Lagoon the two favorites drew end positions, but the wrong ones. An agreement to swap places was concluded in a few words without the officials being aware of it and no one noticed the change. It was probably due to it that the pair landed first and second, for the third man finished within inches of the latter.

The arranging of heats in an important event is always a ticklish matter, and calculations have often been upset by poor adjustment of them. It was customary at one time to let the men draw, and the habit still obtains in some countries, but here the authorities have come to realize how unsatisfactory is the method, and now the committee has to split up the men in all championship events.

It is the best system. In a race in which three or four trial heats are necessary, if the two fastest in a happen to draw the same heat one or the other must perform be cheated out of the second prize he is right entitled to. Or if these two men are of even speed and one finds himself in a fast heat in which he has to extend himself to win, while the other gets an easy one and can swim leisurely, the latter will be fresher and have a decided advantage in the final.

In England, where the heats are drawn for the competitors and not by them, a curious thing happens every time unusually fast outsiders send in their entries. Somehow, if these candidates are fast enough to be formidable, luck invariably throws them into the same trial heat, while the best Englishmen find comparatively easy rivals against them. Otto Wahle, chairman of the Amateur Athletic Union Swimming Committee, some few months ago wrote unofficially to the English authorities, recommending a change

of system, and pointed out a dozen instances in which men who should have figured in the awards succumbed to the unfairness of the method used. His letter was unheeded. Charles Ruber, the American all around champion of 1908, was himself the victim of the mistaken policy before he came to the United States, and vouches for the correctness of Mr. Wahle's statements.

That there are many perfectly fair ways of improving a swimmer's work in competition has often been demonstrated. For instance, if a middle or long distance man is not a very good judge of pace it is quite legitimate to teach him throughout a race by a set of prearranged signals. Those who follow aquatic sports in the days when E. C. Schaeffer was breaking records right and left, will remember how George Kistler, his instructor, used to stand at the end of the course with a towel in his hand and wave it frantically every now and then. He knew to a dot how fast his young charge could swim, and always figured out beforehand the time that it should take him to cover each length.

If Schaeffer fell behind, an up and down sweep of the white flag told him to increase his speed, while if he was using up too much energy and threatened to exhaust himself a side motion of the towel gave him the warning to slow down. Others have hit on similar dodges and profited by them, but the man who invented the most unusual method of ascertaining whether he was living up to his schedule was Otto Wahle, now amateur coach of Mercury Foot squad.

In the year 1901 Wahle was the best miler in America, as he proved by winning the championship and establishing a new record for the distance. He was also the most systematic trainer. Not being a natural swimmer, as he himself explains, he had to work hard and persistently to keep at the top. He first figured out the time that he would have to make to win a race, and then proceeded to train down to it. Blessed with a really phenomenal memory, he was able to dispense with the services of an assistant. Instead, he fastened a stop watch at the end of the pool, a few inches above waist-level, and jumped in. As he had previously memorized the times at which he must touch on every other length, all he had to do was to glance at the dial as he turned and he knew exactly where he was at. Wahle used the watch in many of his races and attributes in part to it his success.

The use of stimulants is not unknown to swimmers. A St. Louis sprinter, who was Daniels' rival from 1904 to 1906, admitted to taking drugs before important races, and coaches have often administered them.

One very fast short distance man who represented the Knickerbocker Athletic Club ten years ago went to take a swallow of whiskey before starting. This habit cost the club the relay championship of 1902. The whiskey drinker took an overdose on this occasion and was wabbly when called to the mark. His team mates gave him a lead of two yards over Harry Lemoyne, who was swimming the last relay for the Knickerbocker of Boston, and had the man been in shape it would have been more than sufficient to insure victory, but he wasn't, and Lemoyne beat him home by several feet.

A Glass of Sherry.

One coach, who is to-day among the most successful, used to prescribe a wineglass of sherry whenever one of his men was at all nervous or out of sorts, and it often seemed to help.

When the theory was first expounded that oxygen inhaled before a race increased an athlete's speed swimmers gave it a trial. Miss Elaine Golding, the American woman champion, asserted that it benefited her, but others made less favorable reports. Frank Sullivan, originator of the trudgeon crawl, says his repeated experiments gave only negative results. He maintains, however, that if a swimmer will go to an open window just before starting and after expelling all the vitiated air from his lungs take a long, deep breath of clean atmosphere he will improve his time for the century by about one second. Whenever possible he makes his boys do it.

The established fact that "warming up" aids toward better performances has induced many good swimmers to be rubbed down, take a hot shower or spend a few minutes in the steam room before going to the mark. Long distance men have found it advisable to graze their bowels with a little work of, vaseline or other fatty substances into their pores, not because it makes them slide through the water—as many seem to think—but because it minimizes the ill effects of chilling the blood. Cold is the great enemy of the water man in tests of endurance. Were it not for its deadly influence the crossing of the Channel, the swim from Boston to Boston Light and other classic feats that have defied the best efforts of so many good swimmers would be comparatively easy.

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NEGRO BURNED TO DEATH AT STAKE

White Woman's Assailant Cremated by Mob in Oklahoma Town

Purcell, Okla., Aug. 25.—Carter, the negro identified as the man who attacked Mrs. Minnie Spragings and set fire to her home near here Wednesday night, was burned to death by a mob in the main street of Purcell late yesterday. Three thousand persons witnessed the negro's death. Under-sheriff Farris and Deputy Sheriff Mayes made desperate efforts to prevent the burning of the negro, but the mob locked the officers in the court house. While men and women looked on, a few men soaked a brush pile with coal oil and then poured oil upon the negro, who was thrown upon the brush. A torch was then applied to the fascis and a blaze shot up, hiding the screaming negro from view. His body was burned to a crisp.

The negro was caught by three other blacks yesterday afternoon, near the Oklahoma Central railway station, as he was preparing to leave Purcell. Houghley Henry, a negro janitor at the court house, found him hiding under a car. Assisted by two other negroes who had armed themselves and joined in the search for Carter, Henry took the alleged assailant to the main street of Purcell and turned him over to the crowd, which had gathered.

The officers were allowed to talk to the crowd and were led to the court house, presumably to confer with the leaders. As they entered a room in the building the key was turned in the lock and they were held prisoners until the negro was dead. The negro was led out and placed on the brush piled around a telephone pole. He was tied to the pole and the torch applied. The crowd cheered as the flames licked his face, and men and women in autos watched him die.

Mrs. Spragings said Carter entered her home at 9 o'clock Wednesday night and struck her on the head with a piece of gas pipe, knocking her down. He

JOURNALIST DISAPPEARS

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 24.—Socialists here received word today that Eugene V. Debs and Fred Warren of Girard, Kansas, have offered a reward of 500 for information relative to the whereabouts or fate of George H. Shoaf, the journalist who has been missing eleven days. Eight detectives engaged by Shoaf's friends here have been unable so far to learn anything that might tend to clear the mystery of his disappearance.

Shoaf, who came here to write articles for a Socialist paper regarding the dynamiting cases, is the son of a San Antonio police officer. Both his father and mother are said to have expressed in letter to Debs and Warren that their son has been slain. The elder Shoaf is on his way here and is due to arrive Saturday.

MAYOR INTERFERES

Unions Will Not Be Permitted to March Past Los Angeles Jail.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 25.—Plans of the labor leaders to have John J. McNamara and his brother James witness through the bars of their cells a great Labor Day parade flung past the jail received a check when Mayor Alexander blue-pencilled Temple street from the proposed line of march.

The mayor, in explanation, expressed apprehension that if the marchers were permitted to pass the jail, an unusual demonstration might result. The mayor went over the head of Chief of Police Sebastian to limit the line of march. Sebastian had granted a permit which included the right of the paraders to pass the county jail. Alexander heard of it and issued orders to the chief to notify the labor leaders that they could not swing their parade past the prison.

FOOD COMMISSION STILL COMATOSE

Mayor Expects to Report Progress at the Next Meeting of Council

The high-cost-of-living commission, which was brought into being by resolution adopted at a recent meeting of the city council, has not yet got down to a working basis. Indeed, it is still an open question if the commission exists in the desire of the mayor and council, for the two gentlemen who were appointed to carry out the work have not yet signified their willingness to perform the duties required of them.

H. F. Pullen and John Dean, the two commissioners appointed, were communicated with after the meeting and informed of the post that had been assigned to them, but either owing to the exigencies of business or for other reasons, neither of them has yet replied definitely.

Mayor Morley, who is at the back of the proposal, is very keen to have it carried out to its logical conclusion. He sees a great fund of useful information being collected as a result of the commission's work, and he is therefore anxious that it should start out upon its task without any unnecessary delay. In conversation with the Times on the subject he stated that he had been endeavoring to fix sessions for the commission, and was hopeful of being able to report progress at the meeting of the council this evening.

UNCLE SAM'S DREADNOUGHTS

The Florida and Utah Will Be Placed in Commission in September.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 25.—The United States navy soon will be augmented by the sister Dreadnoughts Florida and Utah. The former will be placed in commission September 15 and the latter probably a few days before. The navy departments is now waiting for word from the builders of the Utah, to the exact time they will be ready to turn her over to the government.

These will be the greatest ships now commissioned in the navy. The displacement of each is 21,825 tons and the main battery will consist of 10 twelve-inch and 21 five-inch guns. They will outclass the Delaware, which excited much admiration at the coronation of King George V., and the North Dakota whose displacement of 20,000 tons each has given the distinction of being the biggest men-of-war afloat at the present time under the American flag.

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Speaking of the opportunities of Graham Island, Mr. J. W. Coovert, a Civil and Mining Engineer, of Portland, who for the past two months has been inspecting various properties on the Island, lays his views very clearly before the public in an article to the Vancouver World under date of July 22nd, in which he says, in part:

"I would like to have stayed a month longer, for, taken as a whole, Graham Island is the most wonderful undeveloped country I have ever seen.

"I found there a large area of coal lands, containing a bituminous product equal in quality to any coal mined on the Pacific Coast.

"Incidentally I visited the Oil fields on the northwestern portion of the Island, and found there conditions such as I had never before seen, and I have inspected most of the Oil fields on this continent. Never before have I seen surface showings so favorable, and you can say without reservation that if Oil is not found in that field all the knowledge gained by years of experience in this business by all the experts engaged in it, might as well be set aside."

Our property adjoins the fields referred to by Mr. Coovert. A complete description of the Company mailed on request.

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Most people cannot afford to buy business lots in the streets mentioned above at present prices. It is possible, however, to get in at the starting point of what will be undoubtedly a place of as much importance. In making an investment in real estate, the necessary thing to do is to pick out the most promising of the prospective cities and examine into their possibilities.

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This one has timber lands.

Another will talk of the fine climate.

This one is a centre of an agricultural district.

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COUNCIL UPHOLDS CHIEF OF POLICE

Criticisms Against Head of New Westminster Force Are Explained

New Westminster, Aug. 24.—The chief of police was upheld by the city council at the regular meeting and the charges made by Ald. Campbell last week declared to be incorrect. Since last Monday a meeting of the Police Commissioners has been held and the matter discussed. At the council meeting the police committee brought in a report, which was adopted. With regard to the statement that the police took no action when a party cut off the limbs of several trees on Royal Avenue and left them on the street, it was found that an officer was detailed on the case and found that the council had granted permission. Also in regard to the statement that nothing was done with the list of obstructions on streets, as supplied by the Board of Works, the police records show that the matter was attended to.

In the future Aldermen having any statements or charges to make against the police department will be required to put them in writing with all the facts and their signatures attached.

All noxious weeds in the city, it has been decided, will be destroyed by the Board of Works department and the cost charged to the property owners. The work will be carried out in the parks and streets first and people given a chance to kill the weeds on their own property.

REAL ESTATE MEN TO ORGANIZE

New Westminster, Aug. 24.—Preliminary steps have been taken by prominent real estate brokers to form an association for real estate men. All the real estate firms in town were invited to a luncheon given by W. J. Kerr, a prominent broker. Mr. Kerr, in explaining the project, said that similar organizations were in existence in Portland, Victoria and other large cities, and one was contemplated for Vancouver. A committee composed of Messrs. W. J. Kerr, P. B. Brown, Marks and Dodds was appointed, and they will endeavor to interest all the local brokers.

CAMPAIGN ORGANIZATION

Nelson, Aug. 24.—At the close of the Liberal convention at which Dr. King was nominated for Kootenay, an organization meeting took place. M. A. Macdonald was elected president of the Central Liberal Association, and Edward Ferguson, chairman of the central campaign committee in Nelson, with W. B. Farris as campaign secretary.

TENDERS FOR SIDEWALK

Tenders, sealed and endorsed, "Tender for Sidewalk" will be received by the undersigned up to 5 p. m. on Thursday, August 31, 1911, for the construction of a five-foot cement sidewalk on the west side of Newport Avenue, from Saratoga Avenue to Beach Drive, approximately 4,500 feet.

Tenders must be accompanied by a certified cheque equivalent to 5 per cent of the amount of the tender.

The council do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

Plans and specifications may be obtained from

R. FOWLER, Municipal Engineer, Law Chambers, Bastion Street, Victoria, B. C.

VERNON'S NEW STATION

Incendiary Tries to Burn Down Fire Hall—Special Constables Patrol Town

Nelson, Aug. 24.—T. E. Crowell has received word from Vancouver that he has been awarded the contract for the construction of a fine new station which the C. P. R. will build in this city.

Mr. Crowell, who will begin work at once, expects to have the station completed by the end of November. The plans show a very handsome structure, 136x31 ft. in size. Provision is made for five large waiting rooms. The building will also include baggage and express rooms, and a commercial telegraph office in addition to the agent's office. It will be steam heated throughout. Another line of track will be laid in front of the present station, and the new building will be erected further to the north, facing Tronson street.

Building operations in the city have been active this year, and among important structures now in course of erection are the Dominion Government post office and customs building which is nearing completion at a cost of about \$50,000 and the Hudson's Bay Company's store costing \$45,000. A number of fine residences are also being built in the surrounding districts, and the city authorities are keeping pace with the march of progress by erecting a substantial brick fire hall.

ACCIDENTAL DROWNING

Vancouver, Aug. 24.—The jury inquiring into the death of Mrs. Mary Hill King of 1833 Fourth Avenue West, who was found dead on Kitsilano beach early Saturday morning, brought in a verdict of death, due to accidental drowning. The jury also recommended that a telephone be installed in the bathing house at English Bay so that in case of necessity medical aid might be summoned, and recommended to the city council the advisability of making such arrangements with the lessee of the bathing house that the attendant be qualified in first aid ambulance work, stating that in their opinion had experienced aid been obtainable in the present instance there was a possibility that the victim's life might have been saved.

LUMBER OUTLOOK

Crabbrook, Aug. 24.—The Mountain Lumbermen's Association held a meeting to discuss the market conditions. Prospects reported from agents in the Northwest are to the effect that there will be an unprecedented demand for lumber in their region in the fall of 1911, and the harvesting of a record crop is assured.

Ways and means for meeting this demand were discussed very thoroughly and the manufacturers are very fortunate in having heavy stock to meet the required demand.

RELEASED FROM CUSTODY

Clifton, Aug. 24.—Charlie Haller, who has been held in connection with the murder of J. W. White a few weeks ago, was released from custody by Magistrate Saul. The Indian, Moses Paul, was remanded for eight days, but he evidently failed to agree with his decision for he took "French leave" and is now at large somewhere in the hills.

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CITY OF VICTORIA

MUNICIPAL NOTICE

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

- To construct a permanent sidewalk on the east side of B. seal street, from Milne street to Esquimalt road.
- To grade, drain and tar macadamize Dalton street, from Esquimalt road to Wilson street, and construct permanent sidewalk with curbs and gutters, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains.
- To grade, drain and tar macadamize Suffolk street, from Dalton street westerly to Bowlsby Place, and to construct permanent sidewalk with curbs and gutters on both sides of said street, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains.
- To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement the lane to the west and rear of the Victoria B. Board of Trade Building, as shown on a map deposited in the Land Registry Office on the 11th of July, 1908, and numbered 219.
- To construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete (5 ft. wide) on the west side of St. Charles street, from the Fairfield road southerly to the sea.
- To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement, with a concrete base, Richmond avenue, from St. Charles street, Fairfield road, and construct permanent sidewalks with curbs and gutters and lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and move poles, if necessary.
- To construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete on the north side of Richardson street, between Vancouver street and Cook street.

And that all of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement Gen-

FIREBUG STILL AT WORK AT NELSON

Incendiary Tries to Burn Down Fire Hall—Special Constables Patrol Town

Nelson, B. C., Aug. 24.—With the audacity which has characterized his previous crimes, the firebug last night made another attempt to burn down the fire hall, by setting the city tool shed, adjoining, ablaze. The alarm was given by Charles O'Malley and Walton Keppel, two boys on their way home. For some moments the fire burned fiercely and as usual many hundreds of people congregated. The building was practically gutted and considerable damage was done to the tools.

Thrown into a panic by the blaze which on Sunday night destroyed a Chinaman's ranch house and many head of pigs and poultry, and which caused damage to the extent of \$5,000, the gardeners in the vicinity of the city yesterday ceased to peddle produce, all staying at home to guard their property.

Chinatown last night men were on watch at every house, while scores of special constables were patrolling the city.

BIG LUMBER MILL

New Westminster, Aug. 24.—Another big lumber factory is to be added to the industries of the Royal City in the province, the British-Canadian Lumber Corporation, which has large holdings in the province, and owns the Pacific Coast mills on Coal Harbor, Vancouver, having decided to commence operations immediately on the erection of a plant which will occupy the site of the old Barnett-Macdonald Lumber Company, destroyed by fire and not rebuilt, and also the premises of the old Unique Cannery and other adjacent property belonging to J. Crane.

It has been known for some months that the general manager, F. L. Buckley, had eyes on this Lulu Island property.

The driving of the piles is to be commenced at once, and the plant will employ about 250 hands. It is hoped that it will be in operation by the beginning of next year.

The intention is to operate by electric power, and half a million will be invested in the plant and fittings. The Vancouver business will not be disturbed.

DROWNED IN FRASER RIVER

New Westminster, Aug. 24.—Herbert Johnston was drowned Saturday night when he fell off the deck of the Steamship Paystreak into the Fraser River. The boat, was at the market wharf and Johnston had retired to bed. About 2:30 he said he was feeling sick and the night watchman helped him on deck, so he could get some fresh air. Directly the watchman turned back, he heard a splash and looking around saw Johnston in the river. The water was icy cold and there was a strong current so that, although Johnston was a good swimmer, he had no chance. Johnston was about 27 years of age and had been employed on the Paystreak for about five months. He was born in England.

NANAIMO ATHLETIC CLUB

Nanaimo, Aug. 24.—The Athletic Club held a general meeting for the purpose of filling two vacancies on the Board. Ald. John Shaw was elected president, James Young, treasurer, the officers of the club now being as follows: President, John Shaw; vice-president, Fred Jepson; secretary, Robert Naylor; treasurer, James Young; directors, Messrs. John F. Doyle, J. Hewitt, H. Wardill, C. H. Beavor-Polys, D. Gaudard, H. Davis, Russell Taylor, C. G. Stevens.

Work on the proposed improvements to the building was commenced Tuesday and will be rushed through with all dispatch.

Stage for Cordova Bay Leaves Pacific Transfer Stables at 9 o'clock Sunday morning. Returning, leaves Cordova Bay at 6 p. m.

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Pipes and Valves Required

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Friday, September 1st, 1911, at 4 p. m., for the following goods, viz: 75 6 in. gate valves, 10,000 ft. 1-in. galvanized pipe, 500 ft. 1 1/2-in. galvanized pipe, 500 ft. 2-in. galvanized pipe. To be delivered in store room, Cormorant street, as per specification, which can be seen at the Purchasing Agent's Office.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. M. W. NORTHOTT, Purchasing Agent, City Hall, Victoria, B. C., Aug. 23, 1911.

Tenders for Incinerator

Tenders will be received up to Friday, the 25th inst. at 4 p. m., for the building of a new incinerator plant on the city property at the foot of Herald street, in accordance with the plans, specifications and conditions, which can be seen at the Purchasing Agent's office, to whom tenders must be sent. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. M. W. NORTHOTT, Purchasing Agent, City Hall, Victoria, B. C., Aug. 23, 1911.

Tenders for Removing Condemned Buildings

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Friday at 4 p. m., the 25th inst., for the pulling down and removal of a lot of old frame buildings, or for the whole or any number of them, that have been condemned, ac-

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James Bay, brand new house, 6 rooms, all modern conveniences throughout, (all modern improvements on street), piped for furnace, cement foundation, buffet, chandeliers, etc. Reasonable terms can be arranged. Price \$3,850

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Eight-roomed House, North Park St., modern, heated by hot water, fine location; \$1500 cash. Price \$6,000

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\$350 Cash and the balance 6, 12 and 18 months, buys a lot 60x120, in Grand Subdivision, close to Moss street school. Price \$1,050

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\$800 Cash, balance \$25 per month, 2 years at 7 per cent, buys 2 lots in Wilmet Place, off Oak Bay Ave., each 60x132; no rock. Price for the two lots \$2,400

HOMES

\$700 Cash and the balance easy terms, buys a 4-room, modern cottage and lot 52x157, on Parkfield street, near Fairfield Estate. Price \$2,200

\$500 Cash, balance \$25 per month, 2 years at 7 per cent, buys a new modern cottage in Fairfield Estate, close to car line, with a lot 50x120. Price \$2,750

Fairfield Road, 8-room house and lot 60x120, 70 ft. frontage, in Grand Superior Street, close in, 60x120, with 7-room modern house, 1-3 cash, balance 1 and 2 years at 7 per cent. Price \$4,500

May Street, Fairfield Estate, lot 50x157, all under cultivation; All soil 1-3 cash, balance at 7 per cent. Price \$1,800

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Suburban, 6 acres, close to pumping station, all under cultivation and planted with 10-year-old fruit trees; small house and barns; 1-3 cash, balance at 7 per cent. Price \$9,000

Suburban, Foul Bay Road, 1 1/2 acres, south of Oak Bay Ave., well situated for building; 1-3 cash, balance 1 and 2 years at 7 per cent. Price, if sold immediately \$6,000

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Is hereby given, that the Express Traffic Association of Canada, on behalf of the express companies represented in Victoria, B. C., have made an application to the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada for approval of certain delivery limits. The said Board has fixed the date of hearing of the said application for the 31st day of August, 1911, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House in the City of Vancouver, B. C. All parties who are interested are requested to notify the City Solicitor in writing of their interest, and the City Solicitor will make arrangements to present the views of any interested party before the Railway Commissioner at the time and place aforesaid.

F. A. McDIARMID, City Solicitor, City Hall, Victoria, B. C., Aug. 14th, 1911.

TENDERS FOR SEWER PIPE

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p. m. on Friday, the 25th inst., for sewer pipe of all qualities, including glazed cement pipe, salt glazed pipe and vitrified pipe, as per specifications and quantities which can be seen at the Purchasing Agent's Office. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. M. W. NORTHOTT, Purchasing Agent, City Hall, Aug. 19, '11.

Notice to Contractors

Tenders are invited up to noon of August 29th, 1911, for alterations and additions to a residence for F. Moore, Esq., on Pemberton Road, Victoria. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p. m. Friday, Sept. 1st, for the installation of Cluster Lighting on Fort Street from Douglas Street to School Street. Plans and specifications can be seen at the Purchasing Agent's Office. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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Gordon C. Hunt, London, is at the Empress.
H. G. and Mrs. Danford, Honolulu, are at the Empress.
W. T. and Mrs. Bush, New York, are staying at the Empress.
P. H. Lestranger, Malvern, England, is staying at the Empress.
J. W. and Mrs. Forbes, Winnipeg, are guests at the Empress.
Charles G. Dickson, London, arrived at the Empress Wednesday.
Dr. and Mrs. Crawford, Vancouver, are staying at the Empress.
Mrs. K. G. Targett, San Jose, Cal., is visiting friends in this city.
Hugh Kennedy spent a couple of days in Vancouver this week.
R. W. and Mrs. Travers, Peterboro, Ont., are here at the Empress.
Mrs. H. D. Newbery, Regina, is on a visit to Mrs. D. R. Hennington.
Mrs. J. L. Richie, Toronto, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. G. Richie.
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gresley, Nanaimo, are spending a few days here.
Rev. W. C. Drahn returned last evening from a short visit to the Mainland.
Mrs. J. R. Green, Washington, D. C., is the guest of Mrs. W. W. Filton, Oak Bay.
Rt. Rev. Alexander McDonald, Bishop of Victoria, is ill at St. Joseph's hospital.
F. F. Jackson has left on a trip to New York, via the Great Northern Railway.
M. Scott was among the passengers on the Princess Charlotte from Seattle yesterday.
Mrs. Shibley left yesterday for Toronto, via the Chicago, Milwaukee Railway.
Mrs. H. Ronaldson left on Tuesday night on an extended visit to relatives in the east.
George Pauline, who has been spending a few days in Vancouver, returned last evening.
Mrs. E. E. Blackwood and Mrs. Fleet Robertson are leaving on a tour of the Sound cities.
G. E. Foot was among the arrivals on the Princess Adelaide from the Mainland last evening.
The Misses Mary and Agnes Watson have returned from a pleasant vacation near Alberni.
Miss Violet Sweet, who has been spending her vacation in eastern Canada, is on her way home.
J. H. Baker and Miss Maud Baker, Fernwood road, returned yesterday from a visit across the Sound.
Dr. Lewis Hall and his nephew, Earl

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The Evening Chit-Chat

By Ruth Cameron

To know how to do thoroughly good work in any line brings a man half-way up the ladder of business success. But no further.
Unless he possesses the equally important talent of knowing how to show other people how to do good work, there he sticks.
The men and women who have climbed to the top of the ladder of success were almost invariably men and women who have had that second ability.

The other day I was visiting a business man who is at the head of a concern which makes two hundred thousand dollars a year. I spent the whole forenoon with him, and in that time the only call that was made upon him was to sign a few checks.

"How is it that your employees ask you so few questions?" I inquired. "I should think they would be constantly coming to you for instruction."
"Ah, Miss Cameron," he answered, "that is the secret of my success, that I have been able to pick and train men so that they won't need to come to me. I often say I am the only person in the establishment who has nothing to do. You see, I have put all my work on other shoulders. And if I hadn't been able to do that, I would still be earning a few thousand a year instead of being where I am."

You see, the business man who knows how to make himself unnecessary in a small way will soon find himself necessary in a much larger way.
Another business man told me, with regret, of a thoroughly bright and intelligent man in his employ who "can never go above three or four thousand a year because he must do all the work himself. If he could show others how to do it, we could get two or three assistants for him and enlarge the department and pay him more, but he can't."

Subsequently, when the work of the department made enlargement absolutely necessary, the man who couldn't show others how to do his work actually had to be discharged and was replaced by someone who could.
I know a very bright business woman who overworked herself to the verge of nervous prostration while all the time the concern she was working for was eager to get her an assistant.

"I'd go much rather do the work myself than show anyone else," she protested.
This is the cry not only of business men and women, but of all kinds of workers everywhere.
It is the cry, for instance, that often keeps the mother wearing herself out in the kitchen while her daughters grow up in ignorance of the things they ought to understand.
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The arrival of the Corinthians on the coast is being awaited by football enthusiasts in both Victoria and Vancouver with keen expectation. The famous Old Country football team, which is now touring the Dominion, will play a match in Vancouver next Wednesday and will, if the terms offered by Victoria are acceptable, play here next Saturday. The Corinthians are playing in Edmonton to-day and will stop over at Calgary for a match before coming to the coast.

After their game here on September 2 against a team, which has not yet been picked but will be composed of the best soccer material in Victoria, the Englishmen will return to Vancouver for a meeting with an all-star British Columbia team on Labor Day. They will then depart eastwards again, playing in Chicago, Cleveland, New York and Philadelphia. Their final game of the tour will be played in the last-mentioned city on September 19, so far they have only lost one match on the tour, that against Toronto.

The Corinthian football team is composed of players picked from the two universities of Oxford and Cambridge and the big public schools of England. The club was begun in 1882 and since then it has been in the top place of English soccer teams.

The team received numerous invitations from all parts of the world to visit, but owing to the fact that many of the players are school masters and otherwise unable to leave their employment, many of these offers were impossible of acceptance. Only in every five years or so is it possible to make such a tour as the present one.

The team frequently travels through various parts of Europe and has twice visited South Africa, once Brazil and the Argentine, besides touring America in 1908, when they played 17 matches, winning 14, losing 1 and drawing 2.

The greatest battles the club has been engaged in were against the Queen's Park, Glasgow—a name cherished as much in Scotland as their rivals in England—the annual fixture drawing a crowd of over 50,000 enthusiastic spectators on every New Year's Day. Preston North End, the team that introduced the short passing and scientific play; Blackburn Rovers, Throstles, Wolves and Sunderland.

Its most famous players and well-known to all lovers of Great Britain's popular sport are: W. R. Moon, P. M. and A. M. Walters, the two greatest backs (excepting only Arnott, the Queen's Park wonder) who ever kicked a ball. C. Wreford-Brown is still playing, and he gained the coveted cap as far back as 1899. G. O. Smith, the peerless centre; W. N. Cabbold, prince of dribblers; R. C. Gosling, G. H. Cotterill, R. E. Foster, N. C. Bailey, E. C. Bambridge, T. Lindley, W. J. Oakley, J. G. Veitch, R. Topsham, L. Lodge and A. G. Henfrey.

The club membership is limited to fifty, which includes 30 of the best amateurs of the day and twenty life members, and is the mainstay of the Amateur Football Association, the amateur organization of England.

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REVOLUTIONARY ZEAL RAGES IN ENGLAND

Abandonment of Civilized Restraints Marks Era of Modern Discontent

What is the meaning of these strange doings in Liverpool? asks the Montreal Herald.

A few months ago the newspapers were shrieking revolution when the people insisted upon the withdrawal of the Veto power from the Lords and the appointment of five hundred new peers. The House of Lords saw peril to themselves and to the state, and surrendered, but it looks as though the danger of revolution is not averted.

When battleships are called out for the protection of the merchant shipping, in the principal port of England, when the military are required to fortify a powerless assembly, when angry mobs in vengeful mood are defying the territorial forces, and bloodshed is already rife, when railways are paralysed and food supplies are cut off, one may be tempted to ask, has not the revolution already begun.

Liverpool is hardly a city upon which one would confer a ribbon for excellence in the matter of conduct, and there is little doubt that its worst elements are those involved in the present dock strike, but no one could have expected the scenes of mob violence that the cable dispatches describe.

One may well ask if the veneer of civilization over ferocious human passions so thin that the declaration of a strike becomes the signal for bloody riots with men and women thronging the streets and crying for blood. At all events we have a revelation of brute instincts that is not to be regarded as destruction, the revelling in blood spilling and death, the sudden flaming up of the mob spirit expressing itself in acts of fiendish cruelty such as mark the blood-stained records of revolutions. Such things seem like the uncovering of a festering and fetid loathsome earth, the awful being seen by Dante and Milton.

It is small comfort to turn to ancient history and say that the annals of sacked towns and the red fury of the Seine and the incidents of the guillotine are not new, but the maintenance of the beast in man to be nothing new. True, there have always been criminals swift to seize upon the chance of public excitement and disorder for the purpose of robbing and murdering. Degenerates lived before Jack the Ripper. Crimes of the mob are no novelty. But it is upon isolated instances, no matter how reckless with barbarity, that the question turns.

The new thing which we seem to be confronting is a changed popular temper, a kind of widespread abandonment of civilized restraints and disregard for the law, which amount to a decay of the fibre. Something has been eating into our sense of law and order. The resort to violence appears to be more and more at home in the thoughts of men. We no longer feel that any man is certain to display self-control, or that any community is secure against barbarous impulses breaking through the crust and taking possession of its leading citizens. After the mad lynching in a Pennsylvania town who would now dare to guarantee that a negro will not be tortured to death on Boston Common? It is this uncertainty, this shadowing doubt of the solidity of our best civilization, which is the new aspect of time, and which, while it leaves us appalled and shuddering, should drive us to the most tense inquiry into its cause.

How is it that this readiness to use force and blood, as in the destruction of the Times building in Los Angeles, this inclination to violent and ferocious measures, has stolen insensibly upon so many thousands? The marvel is that it has come hand in hand with an incredible spread of the humane spirit. No explanation is entirely adequate, but certain partial causes we have all seen at work for the past few years, and their effects any man can estimate. We have passed through a time in which violence has been exalted. We do not mean that all public men and public teachers who have counselled the short-cut in what the people want have consciously encouraged the use of brute force, but there can be no doubt that all their clamor and noisy appeals have had bad consequences. The seeds of disrespect for the orderly processes of the law have been widely sown. Men have come to think of themselves as their own avengers.

HAS NARROW ESCAPE.

Astoria, Ore., Aug. 25.—Hugh A. Robinson escaped death yesterday afternoon when the propeller of his hydroplane broke at the moment when he was about to rise into the air. The fragments cut off the rear end of the machine and sent it into the water. The machine sank into the water, capsizing as it went. Robinson crawled upon the broken pontoon, which was rocking in the waves. Boats finally passed a line to him, and the machine and drenched operator were towed to safety. The accident occurred at 4 o'clock, Robinson's flight being one of the features of the centennial celebration.

Robinson says the Trinidad, as he terms it, will be ready for flight again Saturday.

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Shelton, Wash., Aug. 25.—Wallace Macaulay, the 11-year-old son of D. A. Macaulay, is dead after his accidental shooting by a young companion. The two lads were hunting squirrels with a pistol and several shots had been fired. The last cartridge failed to explode. The older boy, Ray Adams, then took the pistol and while snapping the trigger the shell was exploded. The bullet passed through young Macaulay's stomach. The injured boy's parents were summoned in time to reach his bedside in a neighboring house before he died. He realized that he could not live, and exonerated his companion from all blame.

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Honored by a royal invitation, Mr. Charles Urean gave an exhibition at Sandringham of his wonderful "Kinemacolor" living pictures of the Coronation.

The performance was given at 10 o'clock in the evening in a small room where in the darkness, at two wide-eyed Queens, the Queen-Mother of England and the Dowager-Empress of Russia, with Princess Victoria and the ladies of the household.

The first entertainment which Queen Alexandra has attended for 15 months was this representation, life-like in form and color and movement, of her son's coronation ceremonies.

Her Majesty had not seen the reality of those scenes of solemn grandeur. All the court that had been hers at long days, but she, in her mourning, was far away, so that not even the cheers of the great multitude which roared about the King on his way between the Abbey and the Palace and on his royal progress through the streets had echoed in her ears, or had thrilled that lonely Queen's heart.

Now, as in a magic mirror, she gazed on his way, clothed in majesty, with his Queen Consort by his side, radiant and graceful. She saw her son's smile, his constant salutation of his people, his noble escort of great princes, each familiar to her as he passed, the wonderful procession of English and foreign officers who proceeded and followed the King, who went to view himself in the service of his people in the shrine of his ancestors.

Queen Alexandra, sitting in her darkened room at Sandringham, watching this living drama, must have been profoundly moved. It is but a little while, as time goes, since she sat by the side of her own husband and King in such a procession as this, in such crowded streets, receiving and answering the homage and enthusiasm of great multitudes.

Not then had she thought how short would be the reign of her beloved son, how brief her own precious rule at the court. Now her son took up the burden of the crown, his queen the duties of her high place, side by side with him upon the throne.

All that life means in tragedy and in brevity, all that the Crown means, in splendor, in responsibility, in traditions that are never broken, even by death, all that a wife's sorrow and a mother's pride means to the heart of a woman, must have whispered to Queen Alexandra as, by the magic of science, she watched the colored dream of life upon the screen.

The Queen mother, when the performance was ended, sent for Mr. Urean, and leaving her chair advanced to him and expressed her deep interest and pleasure at having seen those moving pictures. Afterwards the exhibitors were entertained at Sandringham, and then motored on their way back to London, with an unforgettable memory of their honor in thus revealing to the Queen mother the beauty and drama of her son's crowning ceremonies.—London Chronicle.

INFANTILE PARALYSIS CURELESS

Scientists Busy in Effort to Discover Origin of Disease.

No treatment so far as is known which can be regarded as specific or even effective has been found in dealing with the problem of infantile paralysis, according to Dr. Simon Flexner of New York, who has been making a special study of the disease. At a recent conference at Albany, N. Y., of medical officers under the auspices of the state department of health, Dr. Flexner among other things gave these views in discussing infantile paralysis: "Indications already seem unmistakable and point to recurrence of the disease this year. The disease is still



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UNITED STATES NEED OUR NO. 1 HARD

Must Have This Purely Canadian Wheat Says Practical Visitor to City

"In a speech made at a Conservative meeting in Victoria a few days ago," said G. M. Draper, of Vancouver—who is largely interested in real estate in Point Grey and other parts of the Terminal City, and who, some years ago, was a practical farmer in Manitoba—at the Empire this morning. "It was stated that the United States do not want Canadian wheat, and their export figures were called into requisition to substantiate the remark. It is a very old saying that figures can be made to prove anything, and the illustrations given were a proof of the correctness of the saying. But they are wide of the real mark.

"The grain men of the United States do want Canadian wheat, and they want it badly. I'll tell you why they want it. It is a kind of grain quite by itself. It is, as its name implies, a hard wheat, and it can only be grown in Manitoba and in Saskatchewan. The climate and the hardness of the soil constitute the responsible factors for its exceptional quality. The United States do not want Canadian wheat they don't know what they are talking about.

"I do know what I am talking about. I have had farms at Portage la Prairie and around Brandon, and I don't need any telling to know how the farmers, all over the prairies, will look on the matter of reciprocity. There is not a farmer who will not vote for it, with the exception of one or two extremists who would not change their political creed even if one political party or the other was able to guarantee them the right kind of weather all the year round. Reciprocity will be the finest thing that could possibly happen for them, and they know it. The men in the business who pretend to represent the views of the farmers and say that reciprocity will not be a most welcome thing for them are men who have an axe to grind in some other direction. If the United States do not want Canadian wheat what is that representative of a big American house doing who came here last week to try to buy up all the grain he could lay hands on if reciprocity passed?"

"What about the fruit, too," went on Mr. Draper. "Everybody knows that our fruit comes into ripeness a little later than that of the growers in the United States, and must, under reciprocity, be able to command a great market. Up to the present time it has been no unusual thing—in fact, it has been quite a customary thing—for the wholesalers who buy Canadian fruit, and who will not allow the growers to sell to the retailers, to cause tons of it to be thrown away. I have seen it dumped rather than allow the growers to sell it to the retailers. All their opportunities sold, disappeared with the passing of reciprocity, and the opening up of the markets to the grower himself."

"Mr. Draper has been following the political situation in Vancouver closely. The fact that G. H. Cowan retired; that Harry Watson, M. P., and C. E. Tisdall, M. P., declined to be nominated; and that Hon. W. J. Bowser, British Columbia's attorney-general, did not care to enter into the breach in the Conservative cause, all made it very clear to him, and he supposes, to most other Liberals, that there is no hope on the part of the Conservatives, of being able to defeat the Liberals in the coming year. The selection of Mr. Stevens as the Conservative standard-bearer, to Mr. Draper's mind, accentuates this despondent feeling, for the candidate has only recently emerged from an unsuccessful attempt to have the fire department of the city—depressed, which is hardly, he thinks, in his voting favor, and in addition, Mr. Draper points out, that the alderman's paper, the Western Call, has taken up this position that the candidate is hardly likely to get any votes from the Roman Catholics of the city. "It looks to me," said Mr. Draper, "as if the Conservatives had not put up a strong man because they are certain they will be beaten. To my mind it will be a walk-over for Mr. Renfrew."

Mr. Draper has no axe to grind. He is not a politician. He is just a business man with a clear insight into and appreciation of matters affecting the general good, and an excellent knowledge of conditions. He thinks that as the Conservative party for more than a generation wanted reciprocity their present attitude is to him, as it is to many others, a paradox.

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard have returned from Shawanigan Lake.

Gus Carne, son of Fred Carne is visiting this city during his holiday.

Miss Dorothy Goodwin of Seattle is visiting Miss Carne of Yates street.

Mrs. St. Clair Le Sueur and children returned on Wednesday from a visit to friends in South of Victoria.

Lindley Crease has returned from a trip to the old country, undertaken for business and pleasure combined.

SEARCH FOR MISSING TUG

Byng Inlet, Aug. 25.—The worst fears as to the fate of the tug C. C. Mann, of Milltown, would seem to be only too well grounded. That the vessel is lost with all on board is the general belief, although some persons are not unwilling to hope that the tug has gone ashore on some island, and having no pilot the crew are unable to make their plight known. Search for the tug is being made.

HORSE SHOW TO BE GREAT FEATURE

Exceptionally Fine List of Entries—Excursions During Week Being Arranged

Arrangements for the Horse Show are absorbing much of the attention of the fair committee at the present time it is not out of place to again emphasize the fact that this show will be one of the prominent features of the forthcoming exhibition. The committee is already priding itself on having secured a list of entries which will surpass in quantity and quality anything heretofore seen at any island exhibition.

The Horse Show will commence promptly at 8 o'clock every evening. The awards for first, second and third in every class are exceptionally fine, besides the cash prizes there being numerous cups and trophies to be competed for.

Many of the finest horses in the Northwest have been entered, including in their number high steppers, jumpers, hunters, polo ponies, tandems, roadsters and showland ponies. Andrew Laidlaw, of Spokane, has entered nine high-steppers and S. L. Howe, W. S. Holland, D. C. McGregor and T. J. Smith, all of Vancouver, strings of high-stepping harness and saddle horses. Victor Spencer is sending over his well known high-jumper "Flash." The famous Shetland pony "Trinkets," owned by Robert Thorne, of Vancouver, will also be seen at the show. The local entries are numerous although the greater part have not yet come in.

Secretary George Sanster has received word that H. Rive, the dairy commissioner for British Columbia, will take control of the stock-judging competition.

YACHTING CRUISE

At Least Twenty Yachts Are Expected to Take Part.

The members of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club will leave the local club house on Saturday afternoon, Sept. 2, and proceed to Montague Harbor. Active Pass, where they will meet the members of the Royal Vancouver Yacht Club, and spend labor day, Sept. 4, with them.

All interested in yachting are cordially invited to attend, and a large number of ladies will be amongst those participating in the cruise.

The following yachts will take part: Emerald, Triant, Narada, Tannis, Jessie, Dorothy, Oneda, Beatrice, Levantine, Chas., Eva, Spokane, Cleve, Varuna and several others are expected to enter.

It will greatly facilitate matters and assist those organizing the cruise if members desiring to participate will kindly telephone the secretary-treasurer of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club, Captain H. G. Jarvis, Bridgman building, city.

CROP SITUATION IN SASKATCHEWAN

Hot and Dry Weather With Warm Wind Needed in Province

Regina, Aug. 25.—On light warm winds in Saskatchewan wheat cutting is already general. On heavy winds and in those sections where there have been frequent showers of rain recently, cutting is still some days away, even with the most favorable weather. The weather during the past week has been a disappointment in as far as spending the grain is concerned. Wheat which was practically ready to cut at the beginning of the week is being cut, but that held up by the rains previously, and still green at the beginning of the week, has advanced very little during the past five days. What is needed now is very hot and dry weather with warm winds. Unless it comes, there will be serious and immediate danger of frost, heavy enough to do much damage.

Such is the crop situation as summarized by F. F. Randle, deputy minister of agriculture in Saskatchewan.

COMMENTS ON ELECTIONS

London, Aug. 25.—The Manchester Guardian, discussing the election cry that reciprocity will lead to the absorption of Canada by the United States, asserts that this argument is more vigorously used in England than in Canada. "It" continues the editorial, "that argument is thought by the Canadian farmer to be worthless, then it is unlikely that any other will weigh with him against the offer of a new and tremendously important market near his very door.

The most curious feature of the elections is the fact that Henri Bourassa's allies are Conservatives whose complaint is precisely that Sir Wilfrid Laurier is half-hearted in his Imperialism and unpatriotic enough to put the Canadian squadron at the disposal of the British Admiralty.

The Observer says that it is a significant fact that reciprocity can only be defeated, if at all, by the aid of Nationalist allies who are frankly anti-Imperialists.

The juice of oranges is recommended by certain housekeepers for the purpose of cleaning floors. The acid is found to be an excellent substitute for soap.

OVER TWENTY REPORTED KILLED

Manchester, N. Y., Aug. 25.—Twenty-five persons were killed and about sixty others hurt late today, when passenger train No. 4, on the Lehigh Valley Railroad jumped the track here.

Two cars rolled down an embankment sixty feet in height and it was in these cars that the greatest mortality occurred. The wreck was due to defective rails. The engine and the two forward coaches passed over the bad spot, which was about 100 feet east of the station, without accident, but when the diner struck the defective rails they spread and the last two coaches were thrown from the track and rolled down the embankment.

The train, which does not stop here, was forty minutes late and was running fast, hauled by two powerful engines, in an effort to make up lost time. It was dispatched to those places from the station, after the engines and two coaches had passed, the train lurched and lurched into the creek.

Several persons in the dining car were killed but the largest number of dead were in the last two coaches. Many Veterans returning from the Grand Army encampment at Rochester, were on the train.

Special trains bearing nurses and doctors were rushed here from Geneva, which is nearby, and from Rochester and Canadagun, as soon as word could be dispatched to those places.

At 2:45 o'clock twenty-two bodies had been taken from the wreck. Mangled bodies were in plain sight, pinioned under the debris. Most of the victims are old men and women.

More Deaths.

Rochester, N. Y., Aug. 25.—The first section of a relief train brought 25 injured into Rochester at 1:40 o'clock. Most of them were unconscious and were not identified. Two of the injured died en route.

Among those identified of the injured were Mrs. J. A. Green, Welland, Ont., slightly. Her mother was killed while sitting beside her. Rev. J. T. Whitley and wife, address unknown, the former bruised, latter collarbone broken.

The last rites were administered at the depot to a veteran who was badly crushed. He still wore his Grand Army badge which was covered with blood.

A man named Graber and his daughter, address unknown, are bruised and slightly injured. Mrs. Kate Boyle, address unknown, will lose an eye.

FOREST FIRE RAGING IN NEWFOUNDLAND

Large Force of Men at Work Trying to Save Paper Mills

St. Johns, Nfld., Aug. 25.—An immense forest fire is now raging in the vicinity of Bishop's mill on the Exploits river, and the \$2,000,000 mill of the Albert Reed Pulp & Paper Co. is in imminent danger of destruction. Embers carried across the stream have several times fired different portions of the plant and the entire force is fighting desperately to stave off destruction.

The workmen from the Grand Falls plant of the Anglo-Canadian Pulp Co. the Harnsworth property, are also being aiding in the fight. Should the wind veer the Harnsworth plant could hardly escape, as it is but fifteen miles distant. Only a heavy downpour of rain can relieve the situation. As the country is densely wooded the situation is very serious.

SECURES INTEREST.

Shelbrook, Aug. 25.—It is announced that the arrangement between Quebec Central railway directors and the Canadian Pacific Railway Co. under which the Canadian Pacific obtains an interest in the Quebec Central railway, was finally completed yesterday by Sir Thomas Shaughnessy. This agreement will involve a transfer of the board of directors from London to Canada.

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LARL GREY MAY PRESENT PRIZES

Invited to Attend Closing Day of Dominion Rifle Association Meeting

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—The London merchants' cup, an inter-provincial team match, teams being composed of eight men each, was shot for at the Dominion Rifle Association meet to-day. Teams from eight of the provinces competed. The distances were 800 and 900 yards, 10 rounds at each range, possible per man 100, for a team 800.

The cup and \$80 were won by the Ontario team, score 746. Members of the team are as follows: Sgt. T. G. W. Russell, G. G. G. 97; Lieut. F. H. Morris, 4th, 92; Captain C. R. Crowe, 30th, 94; Lieut. J. A. Steel, A. S. C. 94; Pte. W. J. Clifford, G. M. 10th Regt.; Pte. F. Bibbey, 77th, 95; Sgt. W. A. Smith, G. F. G. 93; Pte. A. B. Mitchell, 48th, 91.

Nova Scotia scored 704, winning \$60. The team is as follows: Lieut. W. H. Seiple, 48; Lieut. R. K. Kennedy, 87; Sgt. T. Laman, 92; Sgt. J. H. Armstrong, 87; Pte. J. McArthur, 92; Maj. Weatherly, 94; Sgt. W. S. Peel, 83; Lieut. F. A. Steel, 85; Pte. G. G. G. 91; Pte. W. H. Simpson, 102nd, 88; Col. Sgt. S. J. Perry, 6th D. C. O. R., 89; Col. Sgt. M. J. Caven, 6th C. G. A., 81; Capt. W. H. Forrest, 6th D. C. O. R., 88.

Next in order were: New Brunswick, with 689; Manitoba, 687; Quebec, 683.

Ontario's score was no less than 163 points higher than last year's, and the lowest team in the show was higher than the winners of last year.

His Excellency the Governor-General and party visited the ranges this afternoon at three o'clock and were received by Col. Hughes, the president, and other officials. They were shown all over the ranges and took great interest in watching the men shooting in the various ranges. His Excellency will be asked to present the prizes and trophies to the winners to-morrow afternoon at the pavilion here, and although he is particularly busy at present, there are hopes that he will consent to do so.

A correction was made to-day in the scores of the Borden match when the win was credited to the 99th, this team coming out of the prize list leaving the 10th R. C. A. team, 191, as winners of \$45; 10th R. G. 190, 140; 5th R. G., 190, 132; Sixth D. C. O. R., 189, 125.

The Berlin chief of police has just issued a second notice to wearers of dangerously protruding hairpins—the first warning having been insufficiently regarded, and many accidents having occurred in consequence. Transgressors will be in future liable to a fine of \$25, or sentence to two years' imprisonment in proportion to the injury they inflict, and in addition to this the injured person will be entitled to some money compensation to the extent of \$100.

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TO LET—At Shawanigan Lake, near Strathcona Hotel, furnished cottage, from Sept. 1st. Apply Box 23, Times.

FOR SALE OR CHARTER—Staunch sailing launch, length 41 feet, beam 14 feet, draft 4 1/2 feet, speed 13 knots, 20 h.p. Union engine, aloop rigged; most suitable for hunting or prospecting. Price, terms moderate. Apply Box 25, Times Office.

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LOST—Yesterday, on Government street, near Imperial Bank, a sum of money. Finder rewarded by leaving same at Times Office.

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FOR SALE—Fine black loam land, eight miles from city, on railway, in any acreage; rare opportunity for investment. Douglas Land Investment Co., 129 Douglas street.

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OBITUARY RECORD

The remains of the late J. S. Bailey were laid to rest this afternoon in the Ross Bay cemetery. The funeral took place from St. Barnabas' church at 3 o'clock, and services were conducted at the church and the graveside by Rev. E. G. Miller. That the death of Mr. Bailey has caused wide-spread grief throughout the city was amply evidenced by the many beautiful floral tributes sent and the large number of

friends present. A representation from the Seaman's Institute, of which Mr. Bailey had charge, attended, and many men from the waterfront testified their esteem for the late port missionary and his services by their presence.

The death occurred at St. Joseph's hospital this morning of Cecil Pitts, aged 32 years. Deceased is practically unknown in Victoria and is thought to be a recent arrival here. He was born in St. John, Newfoundland. Relatives in London, England, have been wired, and in the meantime the remains are awaiting at the Victoria Undertaking Parlors.

The superintendent of city schools wishes to remind parents and guardians that all new pupils being sent to the city schools must first secure a permit, and these can be obtained at the school board offices in the city hall, entrance by the west door on Pandora avenue.

Investigation of the fire alarm from the Parliament Buildings last night shows that a short circuiting of the telephone wires was the cause of the very efficient fire alarm system recently installed there turning in an alarm.

D. M. Rogers was fined \$20 in the police court this morning, being owner of an automobile found to have exceeded the speed limit on Rockland avenue on the morning of August 15. The informing witness was William Blakemore, who said the machine passed his house at 5:40 a.m. going about 30 miles an hour. Peter Ridge, Mr. Rogers's chauffeur, said he did not leave the garage on that morning until 8:45 and arrived at Mr. Rogers's house at 9:05. An employee from the garage confirmed the chauffeur's statement as to the time he left the garage. Mr. Rogers was not in the car at the time. The magistrate considered the charge proved.

ACCIDENT AT AUTO RACES.

Eslin, Ill., Aug. 25.—Two accidents marred the automobile road races here to-day. F. E. Radena, mechanic for John Rainey, driver of a Clio machine, sustained a broken ankle when the car burst a tire and shot into a tree. Rainey was unhurt.

Half an hour later Fred Robillard's Staver-Chicago threw a tire and the car smashed into a telegraph pole, which was cut in two. Both the pilot and assistant escaped injury.

Hugh Hughes, averaging 64 1/2 miles an hour for 169.46 miles, won the Kane county cup here to-day in a flawless fashion. Hughes' time was 1:57:21.

Herr won the Illinois cup but the finish between Herr and Merz was so close that the official time was required to determine the winner. Herr won by seconds. Herr's average time was 65.6 miles an hour.

Roberts won the Aurora cup, Kulick being second. Second place in the Kane county race went to F. Barnes, and third to W. B. Pierce.

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THE BREAKWATER

To the Editor—This question of the formation of a breakwater from Holland Point (about 100 yards east of Menzies street) to Broche's Landing (about 1,000 yards off shore) was a good deal under consideration in 1905 and 1906, and it was then suggested that the dredgings from the proposed deepening of the harbor (which are wasted) should be utilized in the formation of a bank along the line of the proposed breakwater, as a foundation on which to erect the superstructure. A considerable portion of the sea bottom along this line is 40 feet deep at low water, and this bank could have been raised at least 25 feet and still have left 35 feet of water for the largest ships to float over without forming any permanent impediment, or necessitating any further work, or even one-cent of expense, if ultimately abandoned. The material was at hand in superabundance, and had to be taken out to sea and dumped into deep water to get rid of it. Since that time some three-quarters of a million yards of this dredging have been taken out to sea and wantonly wasted.

Such a bank as suggested, 25 feet high, average, say, 250 feet wide, would contain about half a million cubic yards of material. And, after allowing 50 per cent. for waste in fluidity, we should by this time have secured a well consolidated bank on which to erect a suitable superstructure of reinforced concrete.

Now, why not proceed with this bank at once? It would not cost one cent; there would be no hindrance to shipping, and, considering that no vessels drawing more than 20 feet ever pass inside Broche's Landing, the bank might be carried up to its full height, to a level of 25 feet below low water, and allowed to consolidate. At this level the bank would be about 150 feet wide at the top, spreading to 300 feet at the base. Into this bank, when thoroughly consolidated, concrete piles would be driven and form the base for the superstructure, forming a platform some 100 feet wide.

In addition to this breakwater or sea wall, a mole, or extension, parallel to Douglas road, would have to be built in the same depth of water, using up about half as much material as the main bank, according to length.

Such an enclosure would give an area of protected water of about 150 acres in extent, that could be developed, by dredging, forming commercial or ocean docks, as the exigencies of the port demanded.

The Panama canal will be opened and the whole trend of the mercantile marine will be transformed. There is a tide in the affairs of all communities which taken at the flood, leads to prosperity. Now is the time; seize it before it is too late.

There are other questions as to the general policy of the harbor for which I will ask your further consideration. THOS. C. BORBAY.

FATAL QUARREL OVER MONEY

Beresford, S. D., Aug. 25.—Merritt Young, a farmer near Beresford shot his brother, Ross Young, and then killed himself. Ross may live. Trouble over money was the cause.

ELECTION PREDICTIONS

Dispatches predicting a victory for Mr. Borden in the East are already appearing in the anti-reciprocity organ in Victoria. These unfounded reports will increase and multiply as the day of election approaches. They all emanate from the same source; the headquarters of "the interests" in Montreal. They are not new from an electioneering point of view. A review of the columns of our contemporary proves that the Conservatives professed to be just as confident in the year 1908, and everyone in Victoria remembers, or ought to remember, the result of that contest. It is not necessary to be a prophet in order to predict a victory for the Liberal government on the 21st of September. All independent authorities agree that Laurier will have a larger majority in the new parliament than he had in the old. Ontario, the banner province of the Dominion, has always voted in favor of reciprocity when reciprocity was an issue in Dominion elections. Sir Wilfrid, for the first time in his career as leader, will attain his oft-expressed ambition, a majority of the representatives from Ontario behind him in Parliament. No one attempts seriously to dispute the fact that the government, already strong in the Maritime Provinces, will increase its strength as a result of the voting on the 21st of September. Then reciprocity is so popular in the prairie provinces that Conservative candidates are declaring that they will vote for its ratification if elected. The Times asks its readers to make a note of what is stated here and compare it with the published results on the 22nd of September.



"Flower of the Ranch."

From a ranch in Oklahoma to a leading role in a musical comedy sounds like a big jump. The mere thought of it is enough to set the head of any ambitious young girl whirling. But listen to what follows. In "The Flower of the Ranch," one of Joseph E. Howard's most successful musical comedies, which has toured the central and eastern cities for three seasons, and is coming to Victoria theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday, August 29 and 30 is Miss Betty Caldwell, and the part she fills is the most important in the play.

Until she was twelve years old she lived on a ranch in Oklahoma, where she rode bronchos and was the pride of the ranchmen, who worshipped her. Her mother was a full-blood Sioux, and her father a white man; naturally, she had all the desires of the outdoor life, and up to the time that her parents left Oklahoma—there were days at a time that the cowboys would take her along with them and teach her all the traits that it was possible for her to learn as to riding bronchos, handling the lariat, and the like. Their new home was in Kansas City, and it was here that Miss Caldwell spent four years finishing her schooling. At the age of sixteen she completed her course in school and made it known to her parents that she was going to try for the stage, which at the time was considered a mere joke on her part. As the big musical comedies visited Kansas City, she would call for the stage manager, and it was in this way that she was engaged for the chorus. She developed rapidly into a graceful dancer and was soon recognized as the cleverest of the "ponies."

The following season she was chosen among six other girls for a feature novelty act on the vaudeville stage, and again she was the one that held the attention of the audience. Another step and she was engaged to fill the role that Mable Barison created in the above attraction, during the spring.

She played the part for a few weeks and to those who know her, consider her rise in the professional world something wonderful. She is only nineteen years old and possesses grace and magnetic personality that charms everyone who sees her.

"Miss Nobody From Starland."

Have you ever been behind the scenes to see how a musical comedy is produced? If not go and see "Miss Nobody From Starland," the big musical revue, in which the audience is taken behind the scenes and the company circulates among the audience. It is the most novel feature ever exploited by a musical comedy producer, and "Miss Nobody from Starland" is the greatest musical revue ever seen in this city. The same organization that scored such an emphatic success at the Princess theatre, Chicago, together with the original production, will be sent on tour. There are twenty musical numbers and numerous dances, such as the Cuban dance, Hungarian dance, French dance, Rigodon and Turkish trophy. Miss Olive Vall is the prima donna and is supported by one of the best musical comedy casts seen here, including Bertee Beaumont, Joseph Nelmeyer, Lawrence Comer and others; also the perfect chorus consisting of the most beautiful women, all of whom are singers and dancers. "Miss Nobody" will be the attraction at the Victoria theatre on Thursday, August 31.

FIGHT WITH SHERIFF

Kelso, Wash., Aug. 25.—After frightening three women, wounding two men, neither seriously, however, and firing twice at the Sheriff of Lewis county, a man giving the name of Eldridge was arrested after he had been twice shot by the sheriff.

Eldridge appeared at a house at Cole Creek, a logging camp south of here on the Columbia river, and demanded food from three women occupants, exhibiting a revolver to enforce his demands. Two men, Henry Henrichson and a man named Jarvis, were summoned by the women to put the fellow out. Eldridge shot both of them, wounding them slightly. He then left, going in the direction of Kelso. The sheriff went in pursuit, and discovered Eldridge riding with a farmer. When Eldridge saw the sheriff he opened fire and the sheriff replied in kind. Eldridge was hit in the shoulder and fell to the ground. As the sheriff came up Eldridge fired again and again missed his mark. The sheriff shot a second time, hitting him in the hip inflicting a serious wound. The man was later taken to a hospital in Vancouver, Wash., where it is said he is insane. He appears to be a tramp.

FARMER WORKS AT NIGHT

Argyll, Minn., Aug. 25.—Eugene Labine, a Marshall county farmer, is harvesting 500 acres of wheat with one machine, working day and night. The binder is run with eight horses, four to a shift, and a headlight is used at night. The night shift of horses stand the work much better than those used in the heat of the day and Labine predicts night binding will become the vogue in the northwest.

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