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MOTHER AND TWO
SONS DROWNED

Woman Loses Life in Heroic Effort to Save Her Boys

Lewiston, Idaho, June 4.—In a heroic but unsuccessful effort to save her two sons from drowning, Mrs. May Tupper lost her life in a pond at her ranch home, several miles from Leland. The triple tragedy was witnessed by her daughter Ethel, eight years old, who, overcome with grief, had difficulty in telling the story of her bereavement.

Having just returned from school at Hendrick, and wanting to take advantage of the first warm day of summer, the two boys took to the pond used for watering the stock. One, 15 years old, rather hesitated to go into the water, and was preceded by his younger brother, James, 12 years old. The younger Tupper boy was seized by a cramp only a few feet from the bank and went down.

Without calling for help the older boy stripped and plunged to the assistance of James, who was floundering in 12 feet of water. The water was too cold for the older Tupper boy, who partially overcome by fright, was also seized by a cramp and went down before reaching his younger brother. Before James went down for the last time, the cries for help reached the mother's ears, some 400 yards from the pond. In her desperate anxiety to help her boys Mrs. Tupper ran to the well-tore from it the rope used in drawing water and rushed to the pool and tried to cast a line to her drowning sons. It was too short, and she plunged headlong into the water. She could not swim a stroke and went down helpless without being able to reach either of her sons.

MOUNTAINEERS RISE
AGAINST REBELS

Insurgents Driven From Town—Nearly Two Thousand Foreigners Leave Chihuahua

Navojas, Mex., June 4.—The people of the border of Western Chihuahua and Eastern Sonora have risen against Orozco. The people of Morris have taken Ocampo from the rebels, killing five and obtaining considerable arms and ammunition. The rebels were headed by Jose E. Hironaka.

The prefect at Morris wired here that the whole countryside is against Orozco and that troops have started from Chinipas and Guazapares to take Batopilas. Orozco formerly lived in this mountain district.

Exodus Continues.
 Chihuahua, June 4.—Only 166 foreigners out of a normal foreign population of at least 2,000 are residing in Chihuahua. Of the 1,000 Americans who ordinarily live here only thirty-five men and ten women remain. An official census shows that fears of an attack by the advancing federals practically has depopulated the town.

Thirty thousand persons inhabit Chihuahua in time of peace, but less than 20,000 are here, and the exodus daily is growing. Besides the Americans there are 26 British subjects and 33 Germans.

RETURNING TO ENGLAND.
Anglican Clergyman Decides Not to Accept Fort Steele Rectorship.

The Cranbrook Herald says that Rev. V. T. Macy, who arrived here recently from England to accept the rectorship of Fort Steele, has, after a visit to the scene of his new home, decided that conditions were not such as had been represented to him, and has decided to return immediately to England.

The occurrence is a very regrettable one. Rev. Mr. Macy is a highly cultivated man, whose wide experience in church work in the Old Country should have proved of infinite value out here. Mr. Macy informed the Herald that he was given to understand before leaving England that he was coming out to a relatively large and rapidly growing district, where there would be ample scope for his energies and those of his wife and eldest daughter, who have always taken a large part in the work of his parishes. On Saturday evening, when he visited Fort Steele, he was terribly shocked to find his total congregation made up of fifteen adults and three little children. He thereupon decided that he had been seriously mistaken in accepting the position and decided to throw it up and return immediately to England.

FIENDISH ATTEMPT TO
KILL FELLOW WORKER

Foundryman Pours Molten Metal Over Body of Man He Hates

Michigan City, Ind., June 4.—For many weeks Joseph Hyran harbored a grudge against Nephem Sam, a fellow workman in a foundry, and then evened up his score. Sam may die.

Hyran's work in the foundry was to pour molten metal into moulds for car wheels. As he stirred the red hot metal in a huge cauldron he determined to cook Sam with the fluid. He waited patiently until Sam's duties caused him to come near the kettle and stoop over to pick up some car fixtures. Then Hyran filled his dipper full of the molten metal and emptied it on Sam's back.

The metal spread over his entire body and seared to the floor unconscious. Water was dashed over him, but this only intensified his suffering, as the hot water scalded him. Hyran was arrested.

PLANS CHANGE ON
CANADIAN PACIFIC

General Superintendent Will Reorganize Work in Vancouver-Kamloops District

Vancouver, June 4.—F. W. Peters, general superintendent of the C. P. R., British Columbia division, is preparing one of the most radical and far-reaching changes in the operating department and management of trains in this division that has been undertaken for years. Pursuant to his scheme he will move the operating office of the second division, extending from Vancouver to Kamloops, a distance of 250 miles, to North Bend and from that point handle the traffic on the line. The change, it is thought, will obviate much of the inconvenience and difficulty in the care of wrecks or washouts through the bad country from Kamloops to North Bend.

The change will necessitate the transfer of G. E. Graham, superintendent of the second division, all of his office and yard staff, the chief dispatcher and the office staff of that department, as well as some of the engineering department, to North Bend. It will probably further require the creation of a new office at Vancouver of a terminal superintendent. This new office will be required as Mr. Graham at the present is doing the major part of the work that would be incumbent on a terminal superintendent. A. E. Stevens, assistant to Mr. Peters, is engaged for the most part on the line between Vancouver and Field, and on the lines in the Boundary country. His duties in connection with the office of the general superintendent make it almost impossible for him to take on any further tasks.

The change will be made in about two weeks or as soon as suitable accommodations can be arranged at North Bend. The hotel at North Bend is to be converted into offices and sleeping quarters for the men who are transferred. It is probable that other temporary quarters will be built so as to accommodate those who cannot find room in the remodelled hotel. The upstairs portion is to be used for sleeping quarters while the whole floor will be devoted to the offices. The change will affect about 35 men who are distributed over Mr. Graham's department and the chief dispatcher's office. Under Mr. Peters' plan Mr. Graham will have at his service the master mechanic, the roadmaster, and the resident engineer and from the location of his office at North Bend will be able to operate in a much better manner the duties of the superintendent's office.

Being in the middle of the second division he will be able to get to the scene of any trouble much quicker than were he in Vancouver. North Bend is at the beginning of over 120 miles of bad railroad country between North Bend and Kamloops. In some instances there have been slides, washouts and wrecks on this strip of road and the telegraph service has been cut off for several hours. In that case the superintendent and dispatcher would be at hand to much better handle the difficulty, being so much nearer the trouble centre.

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 If bothered with wrinkles, sagging cheeks or double chin, a wash lotion made by dissolving an ounce of saxolite in a half-pint witch hazel will prove effectual.

PROPOSED NEW
MARINE REGULATIONS

Bill Submitted in U. S. Senate—Continuous Wireless Service Suggested

Washington, D. C., June 4.—An all inclusive bill to be denominated "The Ocean Safety Act of 1912," designed to cover all the navigation lessons drawn from the Titanic disaster, was introduced yesterday by Senator Nelson, of Minnesota, chairman of the committee of commerce commission which through a sub-committee investigated that disaster.

The bill includes stringent regulations for better wireless equipment continuously operated on ocean and great lakes vessels carrying fifty or more passengers, just as provided in a bill which yesterday passed the house and almost identical with a bill already passed by the senate. This wireless section vests control of apparatus in the master of the vessel, who has to avoid the wireless communication being shut off by failure of the engines, and requires a powerful auxiliary power supply that can communicate one hundred miles at all times.

The Nelson bill would recognize foreign steamship laws whenever they are as effective as American laws and regulations; would equip every passenger craft leaving an American port with sufficient lifeboats to accommodate everybody aboard, and would create a commission of five persons to investigate merchant marine here and abroad. It would require rigid port inspection, port drills, define qualification of seamen, penalize failure to assist any persons in distress at sea, and make criminally liable any master, managing owners, steamship directors or principal resident agents of a foreign ship for sending from an American port a vessel so unseaworthy as to endanger life.

GIVEN LIFE SENTENCE.

Medicine Hat, Alta., June 4.—J. J. Lawson, homesteader, was given a life sentence by Chief Justice Harvey for attempted murder. Lawson and Byron Harpell were neighbors on homesteads south of Seven Persons. The former, who had just finished a term of imprisonment for fraud, a case in which Harpell was the complainant, secreted himself in Harpell's barn and shot him in the head with a revolver as he came up in the morning to get hay. Neighbors surrounded the barn until the Mounted Police arrived. Lawson surrendered without trouble. The bullet was extracted from the base of Harpell's skull and he will recover.



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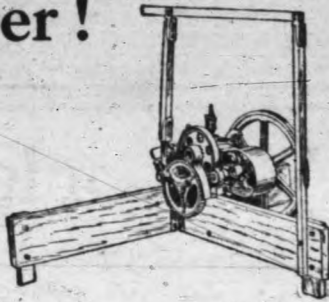
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Spokane Commissioner of Public Works Will Attempt to Lower Cost of Living.

Spokane, Wash., June 3.—Commissioner of Public Works D. C. Coates announced yesterday that he would

ask the city commission to appropriate from \$100,000 to \$200,000 to establish a municipal store for the purpose of furnishing food and clothing to the people at cost prices and attempt to lower the cost of living. Commissioner Coates, while elected on a non-partisan ticket, has been prominent in affairs of the Socialist party in this state.

MILITIA UNABLE TO SECURE HORSES

Officers Experience Difficulty in Securing Mounts—Demand From West

Ottawa, June 4.—The Canadian army is unhorsed, or at least a large portion of it is. Just at present the most imperative need of Hon. Col. Sam Hughes' military machine is not so much men who can hit the bull's-eye at 500 yards as it is horses. The cavalry, artillery, engineering and other branches of the service which are now preparing to go into training camps this month are reporting that it is impossible to get anything like a full quota of horses. Canada seems to be horse poor. Local recruiting officers report that they have searched in vain among the farmers for horses to rent for the camp at Petewawa, which opens this week. The Gatineau Valley district is one of the best horse-producing districts in Canada. But though the department pays one dollar per day for every horse sent to camp, and though officers are in some cases increasing this out of their own pockets to two dollars per day, only about one-third of the necessary supply has so far been secured. Farmers are selling their horses at \$200 apiece for shipment to western Canada, and buyers report that the demand far exceeds the supply. Similar conditions are reported from other parts of Canada. The department pays 90 cents per day to recruits who go to camp. The horse draws ten cents per day more. But the extra pay for horses doesn't even bring out enough "scrubs" to provide mounts, draw artillery wagons and handle the other camp chores. If war should come the gallant colonel at the head of the militia will be repeating Richard III's despairing cry, "My kingdom for a horse!" rather than demanding his million sharpshooters.

ARE MANOEUVRING FOR CHAIRMANSHIP

Roosevelt Forces Will Try to Control Republican National Council

Chicago, June 4.—Supporters of Colonel Roosevelt announced that the first real test of strength between their candidate and President Taft will come next Thursday when R. B. Howell, of Omaha, national Republican committeeman-elect from Nebraska, will be demanded to be seated as the successor of Victor Roosevelt, acting chairman of the National Republican committee, prior to the hearing of the contests by that body. The Roosevelt managers are prepared to make a determined fight to have Mr. Howell seated, and if they succeed they will demand that Borden D. Whiting, of New Jersey, Thomas K. Weidingerhaus, of Missouri, and other national committeemen-elect, chosen either by direct primary or state convention be seated. By this means they may succeed in controlling the national committee and deciding whether Senator Root, of New York, shall be recommended as temporary chairman of the convention. Harry S. New, chairman of the subcommittee on arrangements for the convention, declined to discuss the plans of the Roosevelt leaders, but intimated that he believed the national committee would not seat Mr. Howell nor any other of the committee-elect until after the adjournment of the convention. He also expressed the opinion that the committee would approve the selection of Senator Root as temporary chairman and endorse the plan adopted for the distribution of convention tickets. President Taft has written to Chairman New, of the subcommittee on arrangements of the National Republican convention, suggesting that meeting of the national committee at which contests are heard be open to the press and the public. Chairman New expressed the opinion last night that the action taken by the president will have great weight with the committee. This, taken in connection with the previous request of Col. Roosevelt for publicity of the contest arguments, indicates that the doors probably will be thrown open to newspaper men when the committee takes up contested delegates' cases Friday morning.

TOWN IN CUBA BURNED BY REBELS

Attack Rurales After Regular Troops Leave, Then Take to the Hills

Havana, June 4.—Gen. Estenoz, the real leader of the negro insurgents, has captured and burned the town of Lamaya, on the branch line of the Cuban railroad, thirty miles from Santiago, according to a statement issued by the government.

A column of regulars, commanded by Maj. Sangulilly, had occupied Lamaya for two days, but sailed forth in search of insurgents. Hardly had the regulars left when Estenoz, with 400 citizens armed, themselves and attempted to oppose the insurgents, but were compelled to retreat, losing several wounded. Estenoz then entered the town, which he sacked and burned. The flames were seen by Maj. Sangulilly's command, which hastened back, but found the town destroyed. The insurgents retired into the hills. Lamaya was a small place, composed of about seventy houses, the inhabitants of which were mostly negroes.

The government received a dispatch from San Louis stating that negroes entered a hamlet near that place, attacked three white women and looted the stores. This apparently is within the lines of the regular troops.

The judge of instructions of Guantanamo has issued a formal proclamation of indictment on the charge of rebellion against Gen. Estenoz, Gen. Ivonet and forty followers.

CANADIAN MILITIA ORDERS.

Ottawa, June 4.—Militia orders include the following of interest to the West:

15th Light Horse—To be majors: Captain P. A. Moore, and is continued on the second list, vice Major G. H. Hogbin, who is permitted to resign his commission; Captain W. H. T. Collison, vice Major P. A. Moore, seconded. To be captain, Lieut. C. F. L. Hazard, vice Captain W. H. T. Collison.

19th Alberta Dragoons—To be quartermaster with the honorary rank of lieutenant: John Macdonald, gentleman, vice quartermaster and honorary captain, W. H. Cooper.

20th Border Horse—To be captain, Lieut. Day, vice Captain D. B. Davies, resigned.

22nd Saskatchewan Light Horse—To be provisional lieutenant, Harry Watson, gentleman, vice Provisional Lieutenant D. J. McCarthy, retired.

101st Regiment, Edmonton Fusiliers—To be captain, Lieut. C. P. A. Kaffer, vice Captain W. S. Weeks, promoted.

HOQUIAM'S MAYOR RECALLED.

Hoquiam, Wash., June 4.—Rev. Harry Ferguson was recalled yesterday as mayor of Hoquiam and Christopher Knoell elected in his place. The vote stood 1269 for the recall and in favor of Knoell, to 864 against.

The recall of Ferguson followed the Industrial Workers of the World disturbances in this city several weeks ago. While the I.W.W. were carrying on their strike campaign against the sawmills of the Hoquiam, Ferguson took an active stand in the strike's behalf. Later a movement to recall the mayor was instigated by persons who disapproved of his course during the strike. The total vote was 2133, which was 85 per cent. of the total registration.

THE DARROW TRIAL.

Los Angeles, Cal., June 4.—Various sums of money received by Bert H. Franklin while engaged as a detective for the McNamara defence were expected to be inquired into when the trial of Clarence S. Darrow, the Chicago lawyer, accused of jury-bribing, was resumed yesterday after a two days' recess.

Chief Counsel Earl Rogers began the cross-examination of Franklin late Friday afternoon and had questioned the witness as to several amounts received by him from the McNamara defence attorneys when adjournment came.

It was stated yesterday that the subpoenas for Job Harriman and Le-compte Davis were issued at the request of the district attorney about three weeks ago. Harriman had been in Chicago for several weeks, and through a strange coincidence he was present in court for the first time Friday when Franklin brought his name into the story of the alleged bribery of George N. Lockwood. A few moments afterwards he was served with a subpoena to appear as a witness for the state.

WRECK AVERTED.

Los Angeles, Cal., June 4.—A north-bound Santa Fe train from San Diego and through a strange coincidence he was present in court for the first time Friday when Franklin brought his name into the story of the alleged bribery of George N. Lockwood. A few moments afterwards he was served with a subpoena to appear as a witness for the state.

Investigation by the trainmen. It was said, showed that the switch lock had been tampered with and the switch turned just enough to allow the train to take the siding. The only damage done was the tearing out of a few ties. The train was delayed about thirty minutes.

DISTRIBUTING RELIEF FUND.

New York, June 4.—Seventy-two widows, sixty-two of whom lost their husbands in the Titanic disaster, have received nearly one-half of the \$100,000 fund raised by the Red Cross emergency relief committee, according to the chairman's preliminary report. The report tells of the particularly pathetic cases of Miss Flood, who lost nine relatives in the sinking ship, and Mrs. Johnson, a professional singer, who was so overcome by the shock of her husband's death that she lost her voice and is unable to support herself.

DISBARRED BY COURT.

San Francisco, Cal., June 4.—Abraham Hines, the convicted political boss of San Francisco, who is now serving fourteen years' service for giving a bribe to one of the supervisors during the administration of Mayor Schmitz, was disbarred from practicing as an attorney in the courts of this state by the Supreme court yesterday.

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COUNTERFEITERS' PLOT.

New York, June 4.—Behind the bars of the federal prison at Atlanta, Ga., several members of the Lupu-Morello gang of counterfeiters and murderers have hatched a plot to assassinate William J. Flynn, chief of the local division of the secret service, who ran the counterfeiters to bay, and Judge George W. Ray, of the United States district court, who sentenced them to terms of from fifteen to thirty years hard labor.

One of the men told of the plot which was hatched last December, when two Sicilians, who visited Ignazio Lupu, known as "The Wolf," were told to kill the secret service chief. Chief Flynn said that he knew that this gang, which knows who

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was seeking his life. Chief Flynn said that the Lupu-gang had succeeded in Atlanta prison the death of certain Italians and that three of them had been killed.

VISITING WARSHIPS.

Fort Monroe, Va., June 3.—The Kaiser's three big fighting machines that have come to the United States to return the American fleet's visit to Kiel last year, came into Hampton Roads early this morning escorted by the ships of Admiral Winslow's third division of the Atlantic fleet. The visiting German warships will to-day begin a round of festivities and official functions that will end only when the squadron weighs anchor for home.

PATH STEEP AND STONY.

Constantinople, June 4.—At a farewell banquet, alluding to his appointment as ambassador at London, Baron Marschall von Bieberstein, the retiring German ambassador to Turkey, said: "My path is steep and stony, but faithful to my Imperial master's orders, I will devote my whole strength to it."

HOMAGE TO QUEEN MOTHER.

London, June 4.—London is expected to decorate itself with wild roses on June 3 as a token of homage to Queen Alexandra. The idea comes from the Continent.

L. O. O. M.—All members of Victoria Lodge No. 738 are urgently requested to attend a special meeting Tuesday, June 4. Business of the utmost importance is to be transacted. G. Coyne, land, Secretary.



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WHERE IS HE?

H. H. Stevens, M. P. for Vancouver, whatever the general view may be as to the calibre of the man, pays strict attention to the business of his constituents. Mr. Stevens is in Ottawa or was there up till a day or two ago—insisting that the government must make Vancouver ready for the business that is likely to develop as a result of the opening of the Panama Canal. And the government has yielded to the member's importunities. Announcement is made that one million dollars of public money is available for immediate expenditure upon the harbor of Vancouver. The fact is observable that there is no such hurry in connection with the construction of the Victoria breakwater. A few days ago when it was proposed to send a deputation to Ottawa to impress upon the government the necessity of the construction of a bridge across Seymour Narrows, objection was made in certain quarters to the proposal. What was the basis of this objection? Nothing less than the fact that the member for Victoria is lost somewhere and that there was nobody to introduce the delegation to the ministers. In short, Mr. Stevens is, in expressive parlance, "on the job." Where is Mr. Barnard?

EARL GREY ON LABOR.

There has probably been no more consistent, conscientious and close observer of economic developments in the United Kingdom during the past quarter of a century than Earl Grey, and it is a striking commentary on his good judgment that his views to-day are but little modified when compared with his views of twenty-five years ago. At a recent Mansion House dinner he reaffirmed his conviction that it is imperative that Great Britain "should get its industrial house in order," the incidents of the last year affording the text for his deliverance. Earl Grey believes to-day as firmly as he did when in 1886 he gave—as a parliamentary candidate—expression to the view that in the successful application of co-partnership principles to productive enterprise lies the hope of efficiency and peace in industrial pursuits. The problem may be considered more grave now than it was at the earlier date because of the solidarity of labor in opposition to industrial co-partnership, the sentiment against it having been developed by the class-conscious evolution through which labor has passed. The views to which Earl Grey gave expression are admirably stated in his own language. He said:

"The great fact which they had to face was that labor and capital were organized in opposing camps. Capitalists were inclined to give the minimum wage which secured the required labor, and the worker in return considered that he should only give the minimum of labor which would save him from dismissal. The old feelings of mutual affection and confidence were being destroyed, and to restore them they must proceed on lines which would automatically create loyalty on the part of all concerned. What was wanted was a system safeguarding the consumer and providing the worker with a self-compelling inducement to help the industry in which he had invested his labor. This system was provided by a co-partnership business, in which surplus profits should be distributed between labor and capital on some principle of equity."

The problem which the United Kingdom has to solve—and in a lesser degree the same problem confronts opposed labor and capital in America—is that "unless society organizes its industry in a way that would satisfy everyone connected with it that he is being fairly dealt with, they must expect surer and certain trouble." The earl expressed the belief that if employers and employed were properly approached they would consider and meet each other's requirements. He declared that "a small minority of men in both ranks were purely selfish; they belong to the class of people described by an ex-president of the United States as 'undesirable citizens,' and they should be compelled to con-

form to the necessities of the state."

It cannot be denied that laboring men in organized bodies are largely at the mercy of their leaders. In America and other countries these have too often been no better than the common or garden variety of politicians who fasten upon the gullibility of the rank and file of their fellows whom they too often lead: as sheep to the political shambles. The co-partnership experiments made on this continent were successful in most instances until they were overthrown by the invasion of class antagonisms and the solid phalanx of organized labor arrayed against organized capital. This has always proved an unequal warfare, and so many crises have been reached and passed in strikes and lockouts that—however much labor may have gained—its losses have always been much more enormous than the losses of capital.

The serious deliverances of Earl Grey are worthy of consideration. Perhaps the time is ripe for these two contending forces to seek an adjustment of their differences by methods other than those which have given the vogue to economic troubles during the last destructive decade.

INVOKING CIVIL WAR.

The campaign for presidential honors carried on by Theodore Roosevelt in the American republic is of more than passing interest to other nations because of the reflections it throws on possibilities in the development of republicanism. Under no monarchical form of government could such a campaign take place, while under the safeguards of British constitutional government no such degradation of the chief magistracy could occur. That the situation developed by the intrusion of Roosevelt into the presidential campaign is serious has now fully dawned on some of the most experienced, dispassionate and influential political leaders in the United States. One of these is Col. Henry Watterson, whose name is a power in the central states and whose opinions are not those of a man easily swayed by partisan bias. Writing in his own paper, the Louisville Courier-Journal, immediately after the result of the primaries in Ohio, Col. Watterson declared it certain that the electors in November will have to reckon with Roosevelt at the polls. This declaration is followed with an exhaustive review of the drift of political affairs in the United States, in which the veteran says of Mr. Roosevelt:

"It will matter not whether he appears under the emblem of a regular party nomination or as an insurrecto appealing to all parties. Unless he breaks down under the strain, and is taken to a lunatic asylum he will be a candidate for president.

"There can in his name and person be but one issue. Life tenure in the executive office, and a civil fabric imperial in everything except its nomenclature.

"Thus our system of representative government having achieved the battle for independent existence and survived the several ordeals of foreign invasion and internal conflict, must face the final and yet greater period of mad ambition, supported by corrupt and corrupting millions, playing upon the restless, the unknowing and unthinking, the purchasable, the brutal, and the vile.

"The hideous spectacle of an ex-president, bawling like a drunken person from one end of the land to the other, dragging republicanism through an ocean of filth, to the horror of all Americans having any sense of decency, and to alternate delight and disgust of the enemies of republicanism all over the world, gives us a foretaste of the infernal before us.

"There is nothing which this madman will not dare to attempt under the excitement and passion of the state of war he has carried up in his own mind, and in the minds of the crazy mobs who follow and applaud. That he was able to draw a man like Taft into the cesspool attests the cruel injury and wrong a maniac armed to the teeth may accomplish for Taft is not only the president of the United States, but he is a gentleman of upright, self-respecting character. Being such, he has proved unequal to the bloody fray and the dishonorable warfare forced upon him. It is clear now that he had better have remained in the White House, leaving the frenzied paranoiac the field to himself.

"The country has reached another parting of the ways. From the exit of Washington to the death of McKinley the citizens selected for presidents of the United States were level-headed and well balanced men, about whose mental integrity there had never been the slightest question.

"At length this nation is a world power. The issue precipitated by Theodore Roosevelt is to decide whether that sublime decision of the sword, with all that went before it, and that it carried with it, shall be nullified; whether, become a world power, this nation shall proclaim to mankind its own failure by the abandonment of its constitution, the overthrow of its safeguards, and the naming of a dictator. He who says this is not the issue little knows what he is saying, he who thinks it is not it were prudent to question his sanity. In its ultimate analysis and its last word, the Roosevelt propaganda in the invocation of a madman to civil war."

of the "millions" that Col. Watterson says are being spent to elect Roosevelt. In Canada when "millions" are spent in the effort to elect a political party to power the electorate has a fairly correct opinion as to the source of the campaign funds. It does not take them long to arrive at the conclusion that the "interests" are back of the prodigal outlay, though they may not always be able to draw the logical inference from the connection of political candidates or parties with the trusts and combines. It is becoming more evident each day that Roosevelt has the strongest possible backing from those who fear that Taft may, after his possible election, become an enemy of the trusts. Under the British constitution there is no way by which the sovereign can be dragged into the humiliating and degrading political exhibitions which are now threatening the dignity and peace of the neighboring republic. The personage represented in the chief magistracy is free from influence by the sentiment of a people stirred by strife for political ascendancy.

With respect to the increase in timber royalties which the chief government organ says it is the intention of the McBride administration to inflict on the timber barons who possess 15,000 square miles of the rich timber heritage of the province, will the organ be good enough to inform the public when it is the intention of the government to increase these royalties? It may as well add, since it knows so much of the intention of the government and of the willingness of the licensees to pay increased royalties, a statement as to how much the royalties are to be increased. This information would go a long way to relieve the public anxiety respecting some of the features of the timber policy of the administration. Perhaps this will not happen until after the Borden government has increased the duty on lumber coming in from the United States, in which case the public may reasonably be expected to pay twice or three times over the amount of increased royalty. Are there such wheels within wheels?

Arthur Awkes, the specially rewarded special Immigration Commissioner of the Borden government who wrote the "Appeal to British Born," and whose report on his special mission to the United Kingdom has just been published, has now taken to writing on theological subjects. In the last issue of the British News of Canada he settled a theological quandary which has puzzled the philosophers of the centuries. Unfortunately for Arthur, he won't get any special reward from the Borden government for that. He wasn't appointed a special commissioner to settle theological puzzles. Perhaps he has just written to show how much he doesn't know.

A DOSE OF ANARCHY.

From the Louisville Courier-Journal: Emma Goldman's manager, Dr. Reitman, complains that he was tarred and feathered and kicked out of San Diego. "Too bad!" And assuredly reprehensible. But can the manager of an advocate of anarchy complain about anarchy?

The fact that corporal punishment is discouraged in the public schools of Chicago is what led Bobby's teacher to address this note to the boy's mother:

"Dear Madam—I regret very much to have to tell you that your son, Robert, jolies away his time, is dissident, makes noise and disturbs the pupils who are trying to study their lessons. He needs a good whipping and I strongly recommend that you give him one. Yours truly, Miss Blank."

To this Bobby's mother responded as follows: "Dear Miss Blank—Lick him yourself. I ain't mad at him. Yours truly, Mrs. Dash."—The Youth's Companion.

Senator McCumber at a dinner in Washington said that all acts should be judged by the motives that inspired them. "That is the only way to avoid going wrong. Jim Bludge, of Wahpeton, was a very bad man, but one Easter he turned up at church service. Everybody was delighted. Everybody's heart warmed to Jim. But the deacon, ascending him after the service, said cautiously: 'Well, James, I'm glad to see you at meeting; but how did you happen to come?' 'Ha, ha, ha,' Jim Bludge chuckled. 'It's like this, deacon. You see, last Thursday morning I found a counterfeiter. But don't tell nobody.'—The Argonaut.

Everybody's Doing it Doing What? Drinking Kirk's Soda Water
 "IT'S THE WATER"

Wednesday, Third Day of the June Sale

On Wednesday We Continue Our Sale of Summer Costumes

Regular Values From \$20 to \$45 are Marked at \$9.75, \$14.75, \$18.75, \$27.50 and \$32.50

THAT these are substantial savings, even the most conservative shopper will admit. On Saturday they sold remarkably well but still there is quite a nice assortment left, and we have filled the gaps from our regular stock. With the greater part of the summer before you, in fact it's scarcely started, you should have lots of wear and pleasure out of your purchase.

So many different styles are here that you must see them to fully appreciate what this unusual offer means to you. They will stand the most critical examination, and to examine them is to be convinced that they were never made to sell at these low prices.

They are all silk lined and handsomely trimmed. Tweeds, worsteds, serges and plain cloths are the main materials, and of course the popular whipcords are well represented. Blacks, blues, both light and dark, greys, fawns and many other popular colors are here to choose from. All sizes and every costume is a bargain that cannot be duplicated even at the close of a July sale.



The Staple Department Offers Values That Will Stimulate Early Shopping on Wednesday

OUR buyer, who is still in the eastern market, has sent us a fine shipment of goods. These, together with part of our regular stock, will go on sale Wednesday morning and the prices are really tempting. You'll have to shop early, or you'll risk being disappointed; values like these don't last long.

- 60 PAIRS OF WHITE WOOL BLANKETS, with pink and blue borders are here. They are a well finished blanket that are really worth \$3.50 a pair. Wednesday's sale price is \$3.00
- WHITE WOOL BLANKETS—These are woven from carefully selected wools with just sufficient cotton in them to prevent shrinkage and give the blankets a much harder wearing quality. They are a double bed size and are our regular \$4.50 standard. June sale price. \$3.75
- PILLOW CASES—All ready to use and finished with a deep plain hem. They are fully bleached and you'll find them an excellent quality for such a low price. Per pair \$2.50
- HEMSTITCHED PILLOW CASES—At a saving of 41 on every dozen that you purchase, we are offering hemstitched pillow cases in all sizes. They are an excellent quality and are finished with a 2 1/2 inch hem. Regular \$4 values will be sold on Wednesday at \$3.00
- READY TO SPREAD SHEETS, made of a good strong quality of bleached sheeting. They are all hand-torn and will not loose their shape in the wash. Double bed size. Regular \$1.75 value to be sold on Wednesday at \$1.25
- PLAIN SHEETS—These are all free from dressing and as there are only 100 pairs in this lot, we expect to be cleaned out by soon after noon. They are a quality that we recommend, and are all full size. Regular value \$2.25, for \$1.75
- COTTON SHEETING, 2 yards wide. It is a strong even weave and a quality that cannot be equalled at this price. Per yard, on Wednesday \$2.50
- HONEYCOMB QUILTS, finished with fringed borders. These are the balance of a manufacturer's stock, and we purchased them at a very low figure, otherwise we couldn't sell them at this figure. The fact is that this is the first time we ever had them marked so low. All are full size and a perfect weave. Regular \$2.25 values will be sold at, each, \$1.50, and \$2.75 grades will go at \$1.75
- WHITE TURKISH AND HONEYCOMB TOWELS—A good size and a very rare value. They will be sold on Wednesday at, each \$1.50
- WHITE HUCKABACK TOWELS—These are a sturdy weave, a large size and a very fine quality to be offered at, each \$2.50

The Quality of Linens You'd Expect to Find Here But They are Marked at June Sale Prices

WE are proud of the quality of our linens and can strongly recommend any of these lines. No matter how low the price may be there is little or no pleasure in linens that don't wear well, and you can usually judge the merchant you deal with by his goods. Every one of these lines are the quality that has built up our reputation, and we invite you to inspect them with critical eyes.

- TABLE NAPKINS, all ready to use, and are to be had in a choice assortment of patterns. Per dozen, \$2, \$1.75 and \$1.00
- DAMASK TABLE CLOTHS—These are marked for quick selling and are in very attractive patterns. As there are only a few there is sure to be a quick clearance, so shop early if you wish to secure them. Price, each, on Wednesday morning, \$2.50 and \$2.00
- BLEACHED TABLE LINENS—We have them in a variety of widths and patterns. Have a beautiful satin finish and are splendid qualities for the money. 70 inches wide sells at \$1 and 76c a yard; 68 inches wide sells at 60c and 50c, while 60 inches wide is marked at \$3.50
- PURE LINEN TABLE CLOTHS—We have 20 of these marked for a quick sale on Wednesday. We guarantee that every thread is pure linen, that they are sub grass bleached, and that they are perfectly woven. Sizes 24x2 yards and 32 yards. Price, each \$5.75
- 10 DOZEN SWISS EMBROIDERED SQUARES AND RUNNERS—All of these are marked much below their real value and come in neat openwork centres. Most of them are finished with a hemstitched border, and are neatly embroidered. Sizes 32x30 inches and 18x34 inches. June sale price, 75c and \$5.00

Princess Slips Marked at Prices That Command Attention

SPECIAL JUNE SALE VALUES

Wednesday morning, as soon as the doors are opened, there will be a big demand for these lines. If you see the samples that are being displayed in the windows, and note the prices, you'll have no difficulty in finding the reason why Victorians will be so eager to make their purchases. The garments themselves are their own best advertisement.

- PRINCESS SLIPS, made of a fine white cotton. The skirts have a frill of tucked muslins, edged with a torchon lace. June sale value \$0.90
- PRINCESS SLIPS, made of a strong white cambric. The skirt is made deep embroidery, while the neck and sleeves are edged with lace. June sale price, only \$1.25
- WHITE COTTON PRINCESS SLIPS—These are strong but dainty garments. The skirts have a tucked frill of lawn edged with lace, and the yoke has a pointed yoke of embroidery. June sale price \$1.65
- NAINSOOK AND MULL PRINCESS SLIPS—These are very attractive garments and remarkably good values. Have deep tucked flounces finished with Swiss embroidery. The corset covers are made with a fancy yoke of lace and embroidery trimmed with ribbons. June sale price \$2.25
- COMBINATIONS, made of soft, white nainsook. The drawers are trimmed with a frill of embroidery, while the corset covers have a fancy yoke of embroidery and insertion, trimmed with beading and ribbons. These are a splendid value, even at a June sale. Price, only \$1.50



Dainty Night Dresses Marked at June Sale Prices

QUALITY GARMENTS MARKED AT UNUSUALLY LOW PRICES

Really, you wouldn't think that such dainty garments could be possibly be made to sell at such low prices. However, here they are, and on Wednesday you will have the opportunity to replenish your stock and save money on every purchase. Note the following items, then see them in our window display. One glance at the goods will satisfy you that the above statements are really conservative.

- NIGHT GOWNS, made of a strong white cotton. They are made in the slip-over style, and the neck and sleeves are trimmed with torchon lace. June sale value \$5.00
- SLIP-OVER NIGHT GOWNS, made of fine white cotton. They are daintily trimmed in a variety of styles with lace and embroidery. June sale price \$5.00
- COTTON NIGHT DRESSES, made in the slip-over style. Have a deep yoke made of embroidery and are trimmed with insertions and ribbon. The sleeves are short and are made of allover embroidery. June sale price \$1.15
- NIGHT GOWNS, made of fine nainsook or cambric. There is a variety of attractive styles to choose from in this line. They are handsomely trimmed with embroideries and lace, some are in the slip-over style, and others are open down the front. Some have high necks and long sleeves. June sale price \$1.25
- EXTRA FINE NAINSOOK NIGHT GOWNS. Made in the slip-over style. The fronts are hand embroidered and the sleeves are kimono style. The neck and sleeves are finished with fine lace. These are all New York samples and some are made extra full. June sale price each \$1.50



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June 2d to June 5th. Portland Rooms, 723 Yates St., Room 20. Office Hours, 9:30 a. m. to 6 p. m. Evenings by appointment free.

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ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

BRIEF NEWS OF THE CITY

Cement Workers—Regular meeting Local 152 will be held at Labor hall, Johnson street, Thursday next, at 8 p. m. sharp. Business—Nominations.

"Sepias"—Soft, delicate, refined. The last word in high grade photography. The Skeene Lowe studio, Douglas and Yates.

Ottawa Delegation.—The personnel of the Ottawa delegation, Alderman Cuthbert said this morning, would be known by to-morrow. He himself contemplates leaving to-morrow, and the other members will go on Thursday.

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

Engineer's Office.—The city engineer's office has been given over to the hands of the decorators to-day, and alterations in accordance with recommendations made by Mr. Rust to the city council will be carried out.

Ladies' Tailor.—Wm. Stewart, men's and ladies' tailor, room 6, Haynes Bldg., Fort Street.

County Court Dates.—The June list for the county court was set before Judge Lappman, dates being arranged for trials to take place during the month. Applications for citizenship were heard and granted according to the published list.

S. P. C. A.—Cases of cruelty, phone. Inspector Russell, 1921; secretary, L1723.

Homes Wanted for Boys.—The secretary of the Children's Aid Society would be glad to hear of two good homes for two small reliable boys who are able to do chores or errands for their board. The mother, being of necessity at business during the day, desires a suitable home either in the country or city for these boys. Apply 2044 Douglas street, between 9:30 and 12:30 in the morning, or phone 792.

Teaming.—G. F. Bisswanger, dealer in coal and teaming. Phone F2993.

School By-law.—On account of the amendments which have been made since the school trustees submitted their original request for \$115,000 for extraordinary expenditure, and the fact that the council never satisfactorily settled what they would do with the request for \$50,000 extra, and the determination to make the total \$115,000 subsequently, it is probable a new request will be made by the trustees to the council covering the whole amount.

G. T. P. Examination.—Employees of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company under twenty-one years of age, and the minor sons of employees of the company have four scholarships of four years at the McGill university to compete for. The examinations here will be held commencing June 12 and in other cities the same date. The entrants making the four best totals of marks will receive the scholarships, provided they agree that during vacation they will serve the G. T. P., and place their services at the option of the company for two years after leaving the college.

Donations Acknowledged.—The manager of the Home for Aged and Infirm acknowledges with thanks the following donations for the month of May: Mrs. B. W. Pearce, Illustrated London News; Mrs. H. K. Prior, Seattle papers; Mrs. Peter Wilson (Los Angeles), Los Angeles papers; Mrs. E. MacLaurin, magazines and newspapers; Mrs. Wilson, magazines; A. Friend (Foul Bay road), clothing and magazines; Mr. W. Shakespear, reading matter; Mr. S. Greenhalgh, Old Country newspapers; Capt. Curtiss, clothing; Camosun Club, magazines; Standard Stationery Company, magazines and periodicals, Times and Economist daily papers (two copies each); The Week, The News, Fortnightly Review, B. C. Saturday Sunset and Christian Science Monitor, B. C. Mining Exchange.

Oak Bay Council.—The regular meeting of the Oak Bay council takes place this evening at 8 o'clock at the Oak Bay school house.

Maccabees Meeting.—The regular meeting of the Ladies of the Maccabees will be held this evening at the A. O. U. W. hall. The meeting will be held at 7:30 o'clock and very important business is to be brought up.

Victoria West and Fire Protection.—A report is expected to-night from the City Solicitor with regard to the powers which the city has to compel the Esquimalt Waterworks Company to provide a better water supply for the Victoria West district, both for domestic and fire protection services.

C. O. C. F.—The monthly meeting of the Canadian Order of Chosen Friends will be held to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. After the business a social time will be spent and a musical programme given. Refreshments will be served.

Building Permits.—Building permits have been granted to Johnson & Odin for a six-roomed house on Walton street, costing \$2,500; to R. C. Brumpton for a house on Richardson street, costing \$3,500; and to H. T. Knott for a six-roomed house on Gladstone avenue, costing \$2,400.

That Spare Room.—Furnish it with one of these good, neat, cheap toilet sets. They consist of basin, ever-covered chamber, hot water jug, soap dish, mug, brush holder. Pattern is green, blue, white and gold and pink. \$3.50 to \$5.55. R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas Street.

Development League.—A great many letters were received from the Old Country this morning at the office of the Vancouver Island Development League. Mostly these were applications for more information on the subject of the resources of Vancouver Island, and the industries of fruit-growing and poultry-farming. The sport in the Island, too, was the subject of many inquiries, and to these the secretary will dispatch the new sports pamphlet which will doubtless find unlimited favor among devotees in the Old Land. Communications were received this morning from Tewkesbury, England; Banff, Scotland; Manchester, Birmingham and Bradford. Also from Utah, Calgary and from many towns in Alberta.

Friendly Help Association.—The Friendly Help Association acknowledges with thanks cash received from the City, A. Friend and Mrs. Bowcott; clothing from Mr. Gossip, Chas. Kent, Harrison & McDonald, Balmoral, Mrs. Wm. Wilson, Quebec street; Mrs. Crompton, A. S. K., Miss Galletty, Mrs. Henry Hanington, Mrs. J. A. Macdonald, Mrs. R. Brown, Mrs. Radbourne, L. McL. Gould, Mrs. Goepel, Miss Cochrane and Miss Brown; baby's crib and chair from Mrs. Mitchell. There was a good attendance at the meeting, fifteen ladies being present. Mrs. McBride presided.

King's Daughters' Convention.—The annual convention of the King's Daughters will open on Thursday morning at the Y. M. C. A., the proceedings to be opened by the Bishop of Columbia, who will give a short address. This convention is held annually, but will be of particular interest to Victoria members owing to the fact that it is three years since it was held here previously. The membership is large, being nearly six hundred for the entire province, so that it is anticipated that great interest will be shown in the gathering. At the close of the annual convention, Mrs. Henry Croft—who is herself a member of the Ministering Circle of this city—will entertain the provincial president and officers, district secretaries, and visiting delegates, together with the members of the order in Victoria, on Friday afternoon next from 4 to 6:30, in the beautiful grounds of her residence at Mount Adelaide, Esquimalt road.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

(From the Times of June 4th.)

Mr. W. C. Van Horne, vice president and general manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway, arrived last night from the mainland. At the Driard to-day he was besieged by callers, principally business men, each anxious to have a few words with the great Canadian railway magnate relative to freight rates and railway matters generally. Since his last visit he observed that Victoria was making gratifying progress.

The Deluge fire engine resumed work to-day, forcing water to the higher levels. A new difficulty presented itself. The mains could not stand the pressure, and burst on Fort street. The Deluge was put to work owing to an inefficient water supply.

The provincial gaol, Topaz avenue, contains forty-six prisoners of whom three are females. The subscriptions to the Nanaimo relief fund for the day are \$18.75, making the total collected \$74.75.

FORT STREET WIDENING.

Third Portion of Scheme to Be Undertaken—Assessment Over Fifty Years.

To-night's meeting of the city council will have reference to a number of routine matters. Among the notices of motion posted are two dealing with the widening of Foul Bay road, and the south side of Fort street from Craigdarroch sub-division to Oak Bay avenue, where an improvement scheme is already in progress. The portion from Cook street to Linden avenue is already receiving attention, and the ultimate intention is to make a fine street from Douglas right through to Oak Bay avenue. The portion to Cook street has already been widened, and its result is an encouragement for further work to be done on this important thoroughfare. The charges on Fort street is to be made entirely on the owners affected, and spread over fifty years.

POLICE COURT CASES.

Fines in Lottery Cases—Some Plead Not Guilty—Minor Offences and Remands This Morning.

Three Chinese and several of the men arrested in the lottery raid Sunday afternoon pleaded guilty in the police court this morning and were fined \$20. Seven of the white men pleaded not guilty and their cases were remanded until to-morrow morning. Henry Johnston, who created a disturbance on the street was fined \$10; R. Pringle, who assaulted Constable McGregor, was fined \$20; and James Hughes, who pleaded not guilty to vagrancy, accepted an opportunity to leave the city.

House-Boat Wanted.—The Canoe Club of the Y. M. C. A. are not content with getting in a large consignment of brand-new canoes from Eastern Canada. They are now on the look-out for a house-boat, which they will station near Point Ellice bridge. There is at present every prospect that the house boat will be forthcoming this summer.

Daughters of Scotland.—The regular monthly meeting of the Daughters of Scotland will take place on Friday, in the Foresters' Hall, Broad street. Following the usual business meeting at 7:30 p. m., the evening will be devoted to social pastimes, and refreshments, consisting of ice-cream and cake, will be served. Everyone is cordially invited to attend, and a hearty welcome extended to all members.

Merchants' Lunch at the Bismarck.

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NEWS OF SPORT

SPOKANE BRAVES TOPPLE BEES FROM FIRST PLACE

Chief Cadreau Hit Frequently But Not at Right Moments--McCreery Ineffective--Meyers the Real Speed King

Table with columns: Won, Lost, Pct. Rows: Vancouver, Victoria, Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, Spokane.

The Spokane Braves—they of base-running fame—toppled the Bees from first place yesterday, when they nosed out a win by the narrow margin of one run, the score being six to five.

A rather curious feature of the game was that both teams scored the same number of runs in the first, fifth and ninth periods, but that the Indians got the one extra tally in the fourth on an error by Chief Wrecker Meek.

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proclaimed their disapproval in no uncertain terms. Finally Cadreau acknowledged defeat and asked to be taken out, but Captain Ostleik told him to go in and pitch ball.

The Spokane Indians are the fastest team in the league in base running. No need to tell the fans that now Joe Cohn has one man, Meyers, who is as fast as a speeding money at a wild west show.

A bright and cheery feature of yesterday's matinee was Rawling's sensational catch in the opening frame. Johnson hit a line drive that was tagged for a hit if ever anything was.

Three extra base hits were included in the bunch of bingles collected by the Bees, and one of these was a three-bagger, something almost unknown on the local lot.

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TOOTS' AGNEW HAS EDGE IN A PITCHERS' BATTLE

Vancouver, June 4.—A walk followed by a brace of singles gave Vancouver one run and the game yesterday over Portland by a score of 3 to 2. Tonnason and Agnew engaged in one of the prettiest pitchers' battles witnessed here in some time.

Table with columns: A, B, R, H, P, O, A, E. Rows: Vancouver, Portland, Summary: Stolen bases—Speas, Coltrin. Sacrifice hits—Agnew, Speas. Two-base hits—Cates, Agnew, Smith. Bases on balls—Off Agnew, 1; off Tonnason, 4. Struck out—By Agnew, 10; by Tonnason, 5. Hit by pitcher—Demaggio. Left on bases—Vancouver, 9; Portland, 4. Time of game—1:38. Umpire—Van, Haitren.

Accompanied by "Cyclone" Scott, his sparring partner, Joe Bayley, the local lightweight, left last night for Bassano, Alberta, where he will meet Billy Allen in a match for the championship of Canada on June 29. Joe stated before he left that he was absolutely fit, that his injured hand was as strong as it ever was and that he was confident he would account for the so-called champion without much trouble.

Preparations are going on apace in Bassano for the event. A double-battle game will be played, and the many thousands, which it is expected, will be on hand, in the arena where Bayley and his opponent will swap punches.

NATIONAL GAME IS DETERIORATING IT IS TOO TAME NOW WAILS PATSY TEBEAU

St. Louis, Mo., June 4.—"The great national pastime is deteriorating," wailed Patsy Tebeau, who managed the Cleveland Spiders in Reconstruction days.

"There has been just one bright spot in the game this season, and that in itself has a dark side." It was when Bill Dahlen smashed Empire Righter. But the shame of it was that Bill hit the umpire's hip back," said Pat.

"Never anything like that in my day. A player who couldn't mix it with an umpire and come clean was too slow for the league.

"It makes me blush with chagrin that not one manager has cut the ropes and turned the crowd loose on an umpire. It can't possibly be that the umpires have not given cause. It's the college boy managers, I guess.

"In my day the players all come up from the sand lots and the dump. Fighting was a favorite relaxation for them. And they were all born orators.

WILL TRY TO WREST ARNST'S TITLE FROM HIM ON JULY 29

England's champion sculler, who will race Dick Arnst, world's champion, on the Thames on July 29.

The things they said to the umpire have never been improved upon to this day. And they didn't know Greek and Latin, either.

"But with my versatility of mind, I can see a big advantage to be gained by having a college man on a team. He can tell the umpire what he and the rest of the team think of him, cuss him out like a steamboat captain, and do it in some embalm language that the umpire can't understand.

"I regret that thought did not come to me years ago. I think I would have signed Woodrow Wilson or Doc Elliot. What a satisfaction it would have been! And they safe from going to the clubhouse!

"The umpires used to get so bad that I frequently lost patience with them. Sometimes I was compelled to let the crowds loose on 'em, merely as a warning of what might happen if they didn't have a care or two.

"Tim Hurst used to dare me to do it. But there was one umpire I never got even with. That was Billy Strand. He was the footracer, and one grand one he was. The whole team took after him time and again, but never once did he fail to get over the back fence. And of us. We could never catch him. Finally I protested to President Young and Stutz resigned."

JOE BAYLEY OFF TO BASSANO, ALTA. LEAVES FOR SCENE OF FIGHT WITH CHAMPION

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Bayley's rise from amateur ranks to his present position as one of Canada's leading boxers has been exceedingly rapid, but if he wins against Allen it will be the biggest stride he has yet made towards fame.

Bayley's professional fights to date are as follows: Knocked out Marine, eight rounds, in Tappi, Alberta.

Knocked out Lombardi, five rounds, in Edmonton.

Knocked out Lauder, three rounds, in Edmonton.

Knocked out DeCoursey, fifteen rounds, in Edmonton.

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HAPPENINGS IN NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE



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Rawlings dove for a hot one.

Cricket. The Cowichan cricket club, playing at Vancouver on the King's Birthday, defeated the Burrard cricket club by 96 runs on the first innings.

Table with columns: Name, Runs, Wickets. Rows: J. R. Horton, W. Wilkison, S. Smith, H. Shedden, B. Stuart, J. R. Horton, W. Wilkison, S. Smith, H. Shedden, B. Stuart.

Staff Pay, Jinkins, b Ismay ... 9 Gr. Needham, b Ismay ... 2 Lieut. Halifax, b Spain ... 4 Q-M-S. Askey, b Ismay ... 6

There were only five double figure scores made in the match. R. Hindmarch being highest scorer with 26 not out. R. C. Cooper made 23 for Oak Bay, and was also bowled by Jepson.

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When Grek Meets Grek. Victoria C. C. were to have played a representative eleven of the Union Club yesterday, but the latter failed to raise a team.

The following is the National Commission's decision in the Kippert case, the cause of a deal of wrangling between Bob Brown, of Vancouver, and Joe Cohn, of Spokane, as promulgated by the St. Louis Sporting News:

Table with columns: Name, Runs, Wickets. Rows: J. H. Gillespie, retired, H. A. Bell, b Coppinger, W. F. L. Pilkington, c and b Leonard, A. Maclean, b Coppinger, C. Martin, b York, T. E. Tanner, c and b Coppinger, H. Stuart, c Coppinger, b York, Williams, c Coppinger, b York, Gelger, b York, Extras.

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after trial, the Philadelphia club should return him to the Spokane club instead of sending it \$250.

The cheque of the Philadelphia club for the amount due on May 1 was dated and mailed from that city to the Spokane club on May 6. If the player had remained in the services of the Philadelphia club up to May 1, the commission would direct his return to the Spokane club in compliance with the terms of the agreement between these clubs.

Without giving the player a trial, the Philadelphia club released his services to the Vancouver club of the Northwestern League last fall and he reported to that team and has continued with it during its 1912 championship race.

Having acquired the right to the player's services in good faith and being in no wise responsible for the neglect of the Philadelphia club to fulfill its obligations to the Spokane club, the Vancouver club should not suffer for the laches of the defaulting club.

The commission therefore rules that title to this player's services is vested in the Vancouver club and directs the Spokane club to apply the cheque of the Philadelphia club, received by it after May 1, to the satisfaction of the last instalment due it under its agreement of August 20, 1911.

The Philadelphia club is fined \$100 for its dereliction in the discharge of its contractual obligation to the Spokane club and for disposing of a player to which it had not obtained complete title and failing to subsequently perfect its right to his services, and thereby protect the interests of the club to which he was released.

The amount of this fine will be forwarded by the commission to the Spokane club as an award of compensatory damages.

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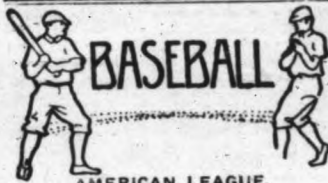
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BASEBALL

SPORT NOTES

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results Not Received Yesterday.

At St. Louis—	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	4	8	2
Washington	13	17	3

Batteries—Baumgartner, E. Brown and Criger; Waldon, Hughes and Williams.

At Detroit—	R.	H.	E.
New York	1	7	1
Detroit	4	19	2

Batteries—Warhop and Sweeney; Dubuc and Stange.

At Chicago—	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	4	10	2
Philadelphia	8	13	2

Batteries—Morridge, Peters, White, Egan and Sullivan, Mayor; Plank and Egan.

At Cleveland—	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	4	7	1
Boston	2	10	1

Batteries—Blackett and Eastley; Green and Carrigan.

East Las Vegas, N. M., June 4.—Positive assurances were received here yesterday that the New Mexico legislature would refuse to act on any prize fight legislation now before that body. The legislature will adjourn Saturday. An effort on the part of Senator Evans, who introduced an anti-prize fighting bill, to have it reported by the committee was voted down.

London, June 4.—Jem Driscoll, the featherweight champion of England, yesterday knocked out the French champion, Jean Poosy. The fight was before the National Club and went twelve rounds.

East Las Vegas, N. M., June 4.—Jack Johnson, world's heavyweight champion, is "in bad" with the baseball management here as a result of his power as a drawing card. Though a good ball game was scheduled here Sunday, the park was practically deserted, while all the fans thronged Johnson's gymnasium.

The big smokes took things easy, boxing but six rounds, apparently more to please the crowd than to gain any physical benefit. The champion now weighs 226 pounds and says he has taken off five pounds since coming here.

Over in the rival training camp, Jim Flynn is working hard, and Tommy Ryan expressed himself as immensely pleased with the fireman's improvement. Flynn put all three of his sparring partners away in one afternoon. He knocked Al Williams groggy, Jack Marshall was counted out and Howard Morrow was glad to quit when his rounds were over.

NOTES ON THE GAME

Four hits in five times to bat is what Meek got yesterday. That is going some even for Harry. One of his slams was a rounder to Cartwright that was too hard hit to be handled.

Notice how Stadille is slugging the pill? Since he lost his job as lead-off man he seems to have changed his style somewhat. In Seattle on Saturday he pushed out four safe hits and yesterday he got two, one of them a homer.

The Bees' fielding lacked ginger and the Indians ran wild on the bases. Meyers couldn't be headed and both Cooney and Zimmerman stole bases while Johnson came all the way home from first on a single in the fourth inning.

But for a little error of judgment, for which no one could be blamed, Victoria mightn't have lost yesterday's game. Stadille was ordered to steal second in the first inning and was flagged neatly. Immediately afterwards Kennedy cracked out a three-bagger. These sort of things will happen, though, when the luck breaks against a team.

Meyers gave what was probably the greatest display of base running ever seen in Victoria in the ninth period. He beat out a bunt to first, stole second, took third on Johnson's bunt to the pitcher and came home on a fly out to Kennedy, and, in every case, the fielding was just about as good as it could be. Cobb couldn't do much more than that.

Just 235 fans attended yesterday's game. Is there any wonder that everybody except Dugdale thinks Victoria should have more ball? Wattelet stated this morning that he was working to have Spokane stay here all week. Up to the time of writing he had been unable to get Dugdale on long distance, but expected to be able to make a definite announcement shortly.

Some of Umpire Moran's decisions didn't meet with the approval of anybody but himself. He didn't take kindly to the criticism that was handed out, and finally in exasperation shouted out that he ought to know, he had umpired in the big show for five years. "That was before you lost your eyesight" was hurled back at him and he relapsed into silence.

This is the open season for trouble for managers of baseball clubs that are not winning. Jack Barry parted company with the Seattle club last Thursday; Bobby Wallace, manager of the St. Louis club in the American League, was deposed Saturday and George Stovall is now at the helm; Jack Tighe is liable to get the axe at Louisville any day now and to-day comes news from San Francisco that Danny Long, manager of the San Francisco club for the last seven years, has lost his peacock feather, and from now on will be only a spectator at the games. The "Frisco club" has traveltied a rocky road this year, and of course Long was made the goat for most of the trouble. Bill Reidy, a former big league slow ball pitcher of experience, has been placed in charge of the "Frisco club."—Seattle Times.

New York, June 4.—The great American game of baseball may be exemplified before the athletes of the world at Stockholm this summer. The suggestion comes from Pat Powers, who, in sending in his contribution to the Olympic fund, said: "In looking over the scheduled events that will be contested I find the games of other foreign countries are to be exploited. Of course, it is too late now to ask for contributions from the baseball enthusiasts, unless the Swedish Olympic committee would grant the right to have the American game played in the stadium, and we feel confident if your committee will at once open up negotiations with the crack amateur teams, such as Yale, Harvard, Princeton, Columbia, Chicago, Illinois, Notre Dame, Holy Cross and others, you will have aboard the boat two or three teams of crack amateur baseball players that will give to the foreigners at the Olympic games a good exhibition of the American game—baseball." The idea appeals to Sullivan, and he is going to see what can be done with it.

ARCADES AGAIN DEFEATED.

Beacon Hill Intermediates Take Their Measure This Time.

In a tame game of ball the Beacon Hill Intermediates defeated the Arcades at the Hill last evening by a score of 15 to 5. The playing of both teams was ranged, just about equally, but the Hills got away to a good start, scoring some eight or nine runs in the opening session and gained a winning lead. The winners were minus a couple of their reliable men, while the best that can be said in favor of the losers is that the team is in the early stages of organization as yet. The batteries were: Ireland and Farr for the Arcades, and Falconer and Ward for the Hills.

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BUILDING BY-LAW

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Definition of the Two Fire Limits.—Regulations for Theatres and Public Halls

The principal matter before the city council this evening will be the by-law regulating buildings, which is destined to supersede the measures dealing with buildings, and with the fire limits as well. Under the by-law there will be two classes of limits, the inner, No. 1, in the business section, with fire-proof erections, and the outer, No. 2, covering a wider radius.

The two limits are defined by sections thirteen and fourteen, respectively, as:

Fire Limits No. 1 shall mean all that portion of the city contained within the following boundaries, viz: Commencing at a point on the centre line of Herald street at a distance of 120 feet east of the easterly boundary of Douglas street, thence southerly parallel with the said southerly boundary of Douglas street, distant 120 feet therefrom, to a point 120 feet south of the southerly boundary of Belleville street, thence westerly parallel with the said boundary of Belleville street, distant 120 feet therefrom, to the centre line of Government street, thence northerly along the centre line of Government street to the centre line of Belleville street, which the centre line of Belleville street intersects with the said centre line of Government street; thence to the point on the water line at James Bay nearest to the said point of intersection; thence along the water line to a point on the water line directly in continuation westerly of the centre line of Government street to the centre line of Government street; thence northerly along the said centre line of Government street to the centre line of Herald street; thence along the centre line of Herald street to the point of commencement.

Fire limits No. 2 shall mean all that portion of the city which is contained within the following boundaries, except such part thereof as are within the bounding of Fire Limits No. 1: Commencing at the water line on the southern limit of Russell street, thence along the east side of Russell street to Dundas street, thence along the south side of Dundas street to Esquimalt road, thence easterly along the southerly side of Esquimalt road to Bridge street, thence northerly along Bridge street to John street, thence along John street to a street known as Tannery street, thence southerly along Tannery street to Bay street, thence along Bay street to Rock Bay avenue; then northerly along Rock Bay avenue to Hillside avenue, thence easterly along Hillside avenue to the lane between Rose and Douglas streets, thence south along the said lane in a straight line to meet McBride avenue, thence along McBride avenue to Queen's avenue; thence easterly along Queen's avenue to Blanchard avenue, thence southerly along Blanchard avenue to Pembroke street, thence easterly along Pembroke street to Quadra street; thence southerly along Quadra street to North Park street, thence easterly along North Park street to Cook street, thence southerly along Cook street to Mears street, thence westerly along Mears street to Vancouver street; thence southerly along Vancouver street to McClure street, thence westerly along McClure street to Rupert street, thence southerly along Rupert street to Humboldt street; thence westerly along Humboldt street 200 feet, thence in a southerly direction and parallel with Rupert street to Heywood avenue; thence easterly along Heywood avenue to Rupert street; thence southerly along Rupert street to the southerly side of Beacon Hill park; thence westerly along the north line of Beacon Hill park to Blanchard avenue, thence southerly along Blanchard avenue to Superior street; thence westerly along Superior street to Menzies street, thence northerly along Menzies street to Quebec street; thence westerly along Quebec street to Montreal street; thence southerly along Montreal street to superior street, thence westerly along Superior street to a point 120 feet east of St. Lawrence street; thence southerly along a line parallel with St. Lawrence street to Simcoe street; thence westerly along Simcoe street to a point 400 feet west of St. Lawrence street; thence to a point five feet east of the Dallas hotel, thence southerly and at right angles to Simcoe street to the waterfront; thence westerly along the shore line to the most southerly point; thence westerly in a straight line at the foot of Russell street, being the point of commencement.

In No. 1 area all buildings must have a skeleton framework of steel, or iron, or reinforced concrete, and in No. 2, while the exterior walls are to be of masonry, or of steel or iron, less stringent restrictions are imposed as to material to be used in interior fittings. The various organizations engaged in building in the city have had a full opportunity to discuss the matter, and the by-law has been drafted and recast several times before it reaches the council in its present stage. There are important changes in existing regulations such as concern the roofs, stairways, and walls of buildings. Theatres and public halls are much more stringently regulated. Exits and other features are specially provided for in this matter. In these clauses which are very lengthy, provision is also made for regulating churches, and preventing a panic in case of emergency, and also of overcrowding of aisles during services.

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Outward bound for Yokohama and other Oriental ports the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Awa Maru, Captain Shimidzu, left port late this afternoon. Besides a good passenger-list the big steamship took out a capacity cargo of general freight, amounting to 7,000 tons. Included in the manifest of the Awa were heavy shipments of flour, wheat, farming implements, electrical machinery, gramophones and condensed milk.

The Maru left here with a good list of saloon passengers, but there were very few travelling steerage. Among those in the first cabin were E. J. Scott, J. J. Allen and Dr. E. E. Powell, all of Los Angeles, who are attempting to make a trip around the world in 38 days. Several missionaries were aboard and a number of tourists, who are crossing to see the sights in Japan and other Oriental countries. There was a very light list of Chinese and Japanese aboard.

Another wireless was received last night from the Sado Maru, of the same fleet, which will reach the outer docks on Thursday morning. The steamship will reach the quarantine station late Wednesday night and will come up to the docks to discharge early the following morning. She has a heavy cargo of freight for Victoria, and also has several thousand tons for the Sound. Her list of passengers is large, and about 100 Orientals will disembark from the ship here.

PRINCE GEORGE HITS DOCK.

Strong Tide in Vancouver Harbor Swung Vessel—Bent Few Stanchions.

Vancouver, June 4.—An unusually high tide yesterday caused such a current along the Vancouver wharves in the afternoon that the rocking of the various vessels was attended with considerable risk to both wharves and steamers. The G. T. P. steamer Prince George, Captain McKenzie, narrowly escaped serious damage by being driven into the piling at the end of the company's wharf. Her hull was saved from damage by the heavy ironwood guard

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Newington Goes to Gulf—Quadra and Leebro Both Leave for North Middle of Week

One of the lighthouse tenders left port to-day and on either Wednesday or Thursday the other two steamers of the marine department will clear to establish new aids to navigation in British Columbia waters and carry stores and supplies to lighthouses. This afternoon the Newington, Capt. Barnes, got away to continue her work of overhauling and recharging the buoys and beacons in the Gulf of Georgia. There are an exceedingly large number of aids in that stretch of water and it takes considerable time to get away about a month and returned to port Sunday for more stores and supplies.

Both the steamers Quadra, Capt. Macpherson, and Leebro, Capt. Hunter, are loading big cargoes of light-house supplies here and it is expected they will get away about the middle of the week. The Quadra has returned from Boat Harbor, where she bunkered, and is now almost ready for her trip to Observatory Inlet. There she will place several buoys and when the work is completed she will carry out some other light-house work which will be assigned to her.

With her second cargo of material for the new lighthouse now in course of construction at Langara Island, the Leebro will be clearing shortly. She is taking north besides considerable lumber the big lantern of the light-house and the majority of the other fittings. The new light will be in operation some time next month, it is expected, and it will be the westernmost lighthouse in British Columbia waters. It will be the first light seen by the navigators of the ocean steamships running into the Sound and by the light for the northern port.

Very soon one of the marine department's vessels will load material for the new wireless station to be erected at Alert Bay. It is expected an operator will be placed there some time in the fall.

OPENING NEW DEPOT WITHIN TWO WEEKS

Capt. Saunders is Appointed Agent at Digby Island—One of Best Navigators on Coast

Within two weeks the new marine depot at Digby Island will be opened and the new agent, Capt. Frank Saunders, will settle with to discharge the duties connected with that office. Telegrams received in this city late yesterday afternoon from Ottawa announcing that Capt. Saunders had been appointed to the position of agent at Prince Rupert. Before going north the well-known coasting skipper will spend a short time in Victoria leaving the ropes of his new command under Capt. McKee, Robertson, prior to his appointment as agent here, was master of the Prince George and when he left the service Capt. Saunders was made master of the big three-funnel steamer.

Local skippers upon hearing of Capt. Saunders' appointment agreed that it was a good one. Without a doubt he is the best informed man of the treacherous waters lying between Victoria and Stewart. He has made no fewer than 1,600 trips to the north, which is a record that no other mariner in this province can boast of. Capt. Saunders, while a mariner of undisputed skill, also possesses a business head and he should prove most successful in attending to the duties of the Rupert agency.

During his lengthy experience on this coast Capt. Saunders has not met with a mishap of any account and it was partly due to his unheeded career that he was given the appointment. He has worked his way up from a man before the mast and has now obtained one of the most prominent positions in connection with the shipping of this province. Capt. Saunders has the congratulations of all the mariners of the province.

U. S. FLAG ON PACIFIC.

Proposal of Ocean Steamship Company to Run to Australia Accepted by Government.

Washington, June 4.—The American flag was restored to-day to the postal service of the Pacific ocean when Postmaster General Hitchcock accepted the proposal of the Ocean Steamship Company for carrying the mails from San Francisco to Australia. Since 1907 no American ship has carried United States mail to Australasia. The contract stipulates that trips shall be made direct from San Francisco with calls at Pago Pago, running every 28 days.

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Pescawha, Thos. F. Bayard, Lady Mine and Jessie Offered for Sale

Following the decision of the Victoria Sealing Company to dispose of its fleet of sealing schooners, which has been anchored in the upper harbor for some years' past, the private owners of several of the sealers, which operated out of here last season, are now advertising their vessels for sale. Four of the schooners, the Pescawha, Thos. F. Bayard, Lady Mine and Jessie, are on the market, and no doubt they are the finest and most seaworthy of any of the two-masted now being offered for sale. These vessels are in splendid condition, the owners having kept them cleaned and painted during the winter in anticipation that they might possibly be permitted to hunt seals in the Pacific.

Reid & Spencer are selling the schooners, and the prices set on them are as follows: Pescawha, \$7,600; Thos. F. Bayard, \$6,000; Lady Mine, \$5,200; Jessie, \$4,750. All of the schooners, with the exception of the Lady Mine, have engaged in the sealing industry for a number of years. It was at one time rumored that the owners of the vessels would combine to operate them in the fishing business, but after fully considering the matter they have decided to sell them. The Pescawha, built in Nova Scotia, is the largest of the four now up for sale, and has built in an old-timer, and has been hunting out of this port for many years, but is still safe and sound.

The other two vessels, the Lady Mine and Thos. F. Bayard, were formerly pilot boats. The Lady Mine was built prior to a year ago by the San Francisco schooner yard, and carried the pilots to and from the ocean liners up to slightly over a year ago, when she was purchased by local sealing men. She only made one sealing cruise, the treaty between Russia, Japan, United States and Canada prohibiting her from remaining in that line of business. The Bayard was engaged as a pilot boat in New York, and after fulfilling a long service there she was sent around the Horn to carry the pilots from Portland. She, however, was of too deep draft to clear the bar in heavy weather, and was finally disposed of to local interests.

Several parties are now in town from Vancouver and Seattle, looking over the schooners, and it is expected some of the sealers will be taken away from Victoria very shortly.

WIRELESS REPORTS

8 a.m.
Point Grey—Clear; calm; 30.17; 57.
Cape Lazo—Cloudy; N. W. light; 30.22; 55; smooth.
Tatoosh—Clear; W. 12 miles; 30.14; 57.
In, 8.40 p.m. Governor, Out, 4.10 a.m.
Yukon, In, 7.45 a.m. Str. James Parker, In, 8 a.m. transport. Inside bound out, 3-masted barque and 4-masted schooner towing.
Pachena—Clear; calm; 29.12; 55; smooth; 7.30 p.m. Tees at Ulucelet.
Triangle—Cloudy; N. E. 23.42; 42.
spoke Prince Rupert; at Bella Bella 8.15 p.m. southbound; spoke Victoria 5.07 miles west of Tatoosh midnight.
Prince Rupert—Clear; N. 30.30; 54; spoke Chicago 8.30 p.m. Rose Spit; spoke Princess May 8 p.m. In, Spokane 11.30 p.m.; out again 12.30 a.m. southbound. In, Cheloshin during night.
Estevan—Clear; W. 29.80; 50; 10 p.m. Sado Maru, position smooth; 4.21 N. 140.33 W., eastbound.
Ikeda—Cloudy; N. W. 30.20; 50; smooth.

Noon.
Point Grey—Clear; N. W. 30.20; 67.
Cape Lazo—Clear; N. W. light; 30.20; 63; Prince Rupert, Seymour Narrows, southbound 11 a.m.
Tatoosh—Clear; S. 5 miles; 30.25; 58.
Out, Spokane 8.40 a.m. Out, barque Albert towing, In, bounded out 2-master steamer 8.50 a.m.
Triangle Island—Cloudy; N. W. 15 miles; 29.54; 50; City of Seattle, Queen Charlotte Sound, 10.15 a.m. southbound.
Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; N. E. light; small tug in 11 a.m.
Prince Rupert—Clear; N. W. 30.25; 65; Vadoo out 8.15 a.m.; Cheloshin out 11 a.m.
Ikeda—Clear; N. W. 30.25; 55; moderate; Prince Albert southbound noon.

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From Mexico.	
Beckenham	June 6
From Antwerp.	
Director	June 10
For the Orient.	
Tacoma Maru	June 8
Sado Maru	June 15
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For Mexico.	
Ikala	June 15
For Liverpool.	
Bellerophon	June 12
For Australia.	
Makura	June 12
COASTWISE STEAMERS.	
From San Francisco.	
Queen	June 6
City of Puebla	June 13
From Northern B. C. Ports.	
Vadoo	June 6
Prince Rupert	June 6
Venture	June 9
Prince George	June 9
Princess Beatrice	June 9
From Skagway.	
Princess May	June 7
For San Francisco.	
City of Puebla	June 5
Queen	June 12
For Skagway.	
Princess May	June 8
For Northern B. C. Ports.	
Vadoo	June 6
Venture	June 6
Prince George	June 10
Princess Beatrice	June 11
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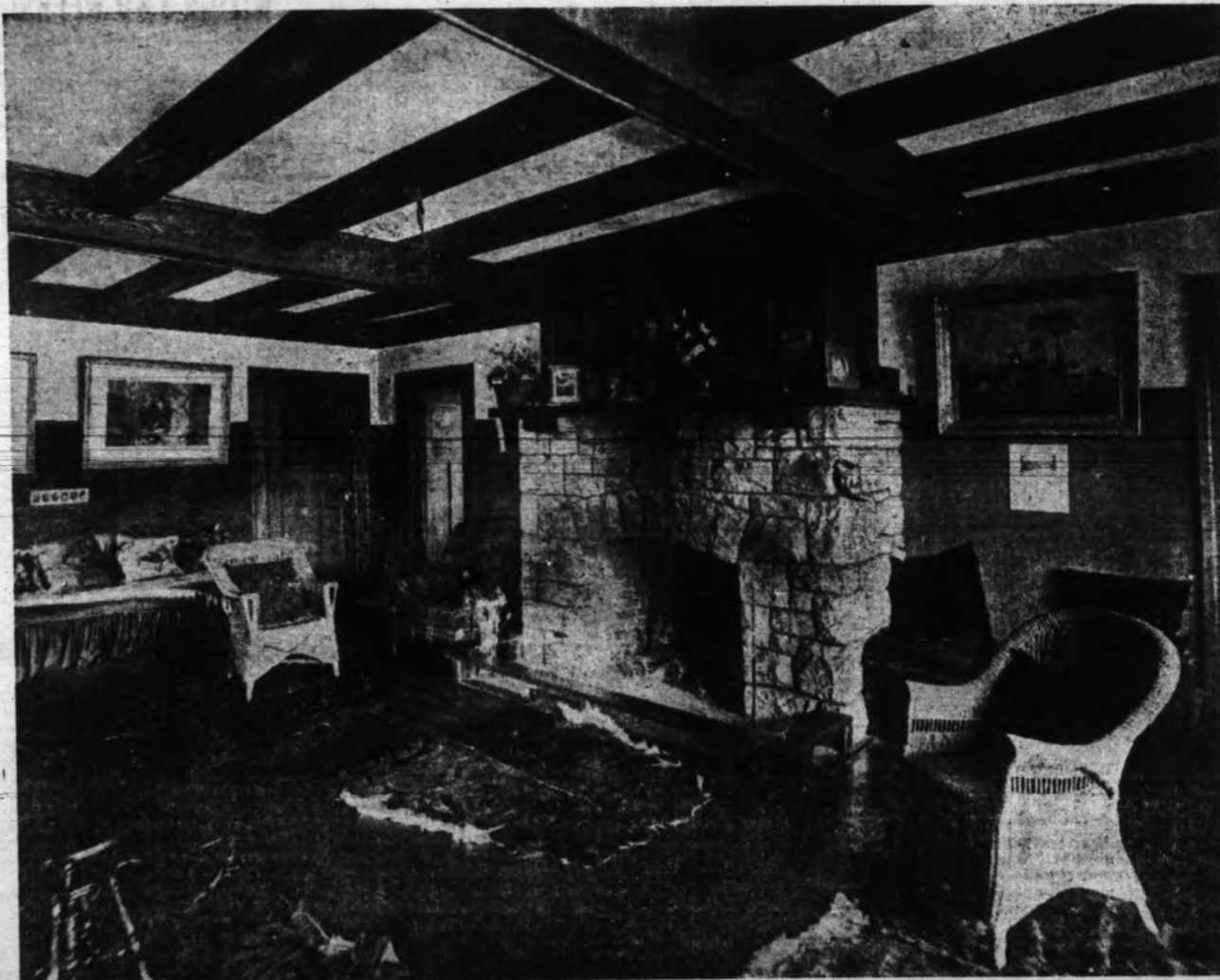
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R. A. Creech is in the city from Vancouver.
A. F. Collins is in the city from Seattle.
Frank Waring is in the city from Vancouver.
H. Lohse has arrived in the city from Seattle.
S. J. Glenn has arrived in the city from Toronto.
J. C. Maxfield is registered at the Empress hotel.
E. A. McCallum, of Regina, has arrived in the city.
Mrs. H. L. Sturgeon is in the city from Philadelphia.
Charles F. Hubbard has arrived in the city from Denver.
W. R. Bajus, of Toronto, is a guest at the Westholme hotel.
R. Taylor has arrived at the Westholme hotel from Nanaimo.
C. H. Barbour, of Sooke, is staying at the Prince George hotel.
M. C. Coleman, of Portland, is staying at the Westholme hotel.
W. C. Brown, of Vancouver, is staying at the Westholme hotel.
Geo. W. Walker, of Seattle, is staying at the Westholme hotel.
J. L. Gibbons, of Vancouver, is staying at the Westholme hotel.
T. B. Lewis, of Vancouver, is registered at the Westholme hotel.
N. J. Bennalack, of London, is registered at the Westholme hotel.
W. L. Gordon, of Vancouver, has arrived at the Westholme hotel.
R. Grinsby has arrived at the Dominion hotel from Vancouver.
John Hutcheson, of Vancouver, has arrived in the city on business.
C. H. Tufts arrived at the Westholme hotel yesterday from Winnipeg.
A. Moran, of Philadelphia, is registered at the Prince George hotel.
Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Dudley have arrived in the city from Portland.
J. J. Thompson and W. C. Thompson are in the city from Vancouver.
W. J. Whiteside is in the city on business from New Westminster.
M. E. Watson, of New York, has arrived at the Prince George hotel.
Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Westville have arrived in the city from Seattle.
W. A. Tuxford has arrived at the Prince George hotel from Toronto.
H. A. McClure has arrived at the Westholme hotel from Sooke Lake.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Kent have arrived in the city from Winnipeg.
W. H. Thom registered at the Empress hotel yesterday from Russell.
W. C. Nelson registered at the Empress hotel yesterday from Seattle.
W. T. Moffat registered at the Empress hotel yesterday from Montreal.
E. J. Conway has arrived at the Prince George hotel from Ladysmith.
A. L. Mackenzie has arrived at the Prince George hotel from Vancouver.
Charles F. McHarding, of Nelson, who arrived in the city yesterday, brings an optimistic view of conditions in the Nelson district. The two principal questions of interest in the city to-day, he says, are the purchase

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E. Stewart has arrived at the Dominion hotel from Seattle.
W. Turner, of Vancouver, is staying at the King Edward hotel.
Miss A. M. Brown has arrived at the Dominion hotel from Calgary.
A. K. Daw arrived at the Dominion hotel from Comox yesterday.
N. Murray has arrived at the King Edward hotel from Vancouver.
J. H. Ashley, of Vancouver, has arrived at the King Edward hotel.
Mrs. J. H. Reed has arrived at the Dominion hotel from Vancouver.
Samuel G. Pugh, of Vancouver, is staying at the King Edward hotel.
H. H. Rely arrived at the Prince George hotel from Vancouver yesterday.
Mrs. H. C. Brewster will not receive to-morrow or again until further notice.
Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Palminter have arrived at the Empress hotel from Regina.
J. L. Mears, Jr., is in the city, registered at the Empress hotel from Seattle.
Cecil Woodhouse registered at the Empress hotel yesterday from Vancouver.
J. Hinton, of North Vancouver, registered at the Dominion hotel yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Allen have arrived at the Prince George hotel from Chemainus.
Charles Wilson, K. C., of Vancouver, arrived in the city last evening on legal business.
Col. Lowe, of London, England, has arrived in the city, and is staying at the Empress hotel.
Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Berry are in town from Vancouver and are staying at the King Edward hotel.
Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Chapman and R. A. Chapman have arrived in the city from Winnipeg.
D. Montgomery is in town from New Westminster and is staying at the Prince George hotel.
W. A. Smart arrived in the city yesterday from Toronto, and is staying at the Westholme hotel.
Mrs. (Dr.) Will Russell, 1378 Pandora street, will not receive to-morrow nor again this season.
Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Neelson arrived in the city yesterday and are staying at the Dominion hotel.
Wentworth Cuthbert is in the city from San Francisco, and is staying at the Prince George hotel.
Miss A. L. Lange has arrived in town from Pittsburgh and is staying at the Prince George hotel.
W. R. Head, of New York, arrived in the city yesterday and is staying at the King Edward hotel.
Mrs. Mary E. Carey, of Pittsburg, has arrived in the city, and is registered at the Empress hotel.
A. Brethaby, of Detroit, is making a short stay in the city, and is registered at the Empress hotel.
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Baird have arrived in the city from Vancouver, and are staying at the Empress hotel.
A quiet wedding was solemnized yesterday morning at St. Mary's church, Oak Bay, when Rev. F. H. Fatt united in marriage Mr. Sydney Smith and Miss Marguerite Taylor Richards. The bride, who was given away by her father, was attended by her two sis-

ters, the Misses Ruth and Isabel Richards. The young couple left on the afternoon boat for England.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilson arrived in the city yesterday from Nanaimo and are staying at the Dominion hotel.

Robert R. Maitland, of Vancouver, is in the city on business in connection with the sitting of the Appeal Court.

William Manson, M. P. P., returned to the city yesterday after a short visit to Nanaimo and other Island points.

W. F. Hanford, of New Westminster, registered at the Empress hotel last evening. Mr. Hanford is engaged in a case at the appeal court to-day.

T. G. Holt, general executive agent of the Canadian Northern Railway, went over to the Mainland last evening to meet Sir William Mackenzie, who is expected in Victoria to-day on business with Premier McBride.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hawkins, who are on a world tour, and arrived on Saturday on the Empress of Japan after a month's tour in Japan, are registered at the Empress hotel. Mr. Hawkins' son accompanied them, and will settle at Westholme. Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins will remain here for some two weeks. They travelled by way of the Suez and Ceylon, and came on to China and later to Japan by easy stages. They will proceed east at the end of their stay in Victoria. Mr. Hawkins was out here some years ago, and is very favorably impressed with the developments which have taken place since his last visit to the Coast. Captain Barclay, who bore a familiar name on this coast a generation ago, was a grandfather of G. C. Hawkins, who is now settling here.

The Evening Chit-Chat

By Ruth Cameron

Diamonds, people say, are a good investment, instead of a luxury, because they are increasing in value. With this sentiment the diamond buyer who knows he is being unduly extravagant justifies himself. But how many other things that are far better investments than diamonds the same person would feel he could not afford.



I am thinking just now especially of trees. How many young people who buy a house would feel that they could invest, say fifty dollars, in buying trees to put around it? And yet when these same young folks become engaged the ring he gave her probably cost two or three times that sum. And can the diamonds possibly be as good an investment as the trees?
Outside my study window a very beautiful white birch has been putting on its spring garments. Faint, frothy suggestions of green have been gradually developing into trailing, voluminous vestures. Every fair May morning the sight of the sunlight striking down through the branches, and the exquisite pale green of the topmost boughs fluttering against the blue sky, have given me moments of keenest pleasure. The tree is not mine. It belongs to my neighbor.
But that is one of the wonderful things about this kind of an investment—it blesses and enriches many besides the possessor. My neighbor is very proud of this tree. It cost him about three dollars when he bought it as a sapling twenty-six years ago, and he says it is the best investment he ever made.
Two friends of mine are planning to own a house. They are going to borrow most of the money to build it, and naturally they are trying to be as economical as possible in their esti-

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mates. And yet they have reckoned fifty dollars for trees. Some of this money will be spent for fruit trees, but some of it will go to buy trees whose only fruit is beauty. I do not think they will ever regret this investment.
Another family who have lived about fifteen years in their present home, when they first bought the place, were advised to plant a few trees. "But it takes so long for trees to grow," they protested, "and who knows where we shall be ten years from now?" Had they been willing to risk the terrible contingency of benefitting someone else by their expenditure, they would have a much more attractive home to-day.
Not only are trees a splendid investment from the point of view of the pleasure they give, but also from the value they add to property. On a certain street one home is universally regarded as the aristocrat. I stopped the other day to study its architecture and found that after all it was no larger, no more elaborate nor expensive than two or three other houses on the street. Its distinction plainly comes from the fact that it is set well back from the street, and screened by two or three magnificent trees, which attract every eye and give an appearance of dressiness to the place.
Have you planted any trees this spring?
If you haven't, surely you are going to. What if you do live in a rented house, will you not be game enough to risk a few dollars when the only chance you take is that you may give pleasure to someone else instead of yourself?
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SEEKER AFTER AN ELUSIVE MINE

Former Champion Sculler Joins in Search After Tantalizing Property

Victoria has many strange visitors, but one of them, J. N. J. Brown, who arrived in the city last evening, and registered at the Dominion hotel with friends from North Vancouver, has a truly strange mission. He comes to discover a lost mine.

Mr. Brown is the retired single scull champion of British Columbia. In June, 1876, he shipped to Empire Valley, in the Lillooet country, the first and only racing shell seen north of the coast cities. This shell was made by the famous boatbuilders, Wiers & San, of Troy, New York, and the shipmen in that generation was an expensive and hazardous business.

Mr. Brown is now on his way to a river not many miles from the city of Victoria, to hunt up a mysterious lost mine. This mine has been discovered more than once by different parties, but unfortunately the locators could never lay their hands on the precise spot when they returned. The last man who found the ledge was a hunter, and he at once hurried to Victoria to secure a miner's license. On his return he could not find the place.

Mr. Brown will not take any risks, and will have the license ready to justify him when the mine is discovered. There will be no more vanishing away as completely as did the festive board, which Prospero wished away from the astonished eyes of the Milanese courtiers on his desert island.

To this day the lost mine has not been rediscovered with its untold treasures, thus justifying the old adage that truth is stranger than fiction.

JOINS DUCAL PARTY FROM ENGLAND

RT. HON. H. CHAPLIN REACHES VICTORIA

Prominent British Statesman on Visit With Daughter-in-Law

The Rt. Hon. Henry Chaplin, M. P., who was a member of the three administrations of the late Marquis of Salisbury, arrived in the city last evening with the Hon. Mrs. Chaplin, his daughter-in-law, and dined with the Duke of Sutherland, to whom he is related by marriage, at the Empress hotel.

Mr. Chaplin, whose sensational win of the blue ribbon of the Derby, when Hermit carried off the Derby, first brought himself into notice in England, has for years been regarded as the representative of the agricultural and tariff interests, even before the conversion of the Conservative party to protection in 1903. He entered the House of Commons for mid-Lincolnshire in 1868, and continued to sit for that division till the redistribution act of 1885, when he was elected for the Stafford division. Here he remained without interruption till he lost his seat, (regarded as one of the safest in England), in the general elections of 1906. He returned to the House the following year at a bye-election for the Wimbledon division of Surrey, for which constituency he still sits. In the first brief ministry of Lord Salisbury in 1885 he was Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, and in the next ministry, which took office after the defeat of the Home Rule bill, he was congenially placed at president of the Board of Agriculture, remaining there till the defeat of the government at the general election of 1892.

In the third ministry he was president of the Local Government Board, retiring when the ministry was reconstructed in 1906. He has been a member of several royal commissions, and is still associated with the Tariff Reform movement, in which he has taken a leading part, and with which the Duke of Sutherland is also connected. Hon. Mrs. Eric Chaplin, who accompanied him, is a sister of Lord Northbourne, while one daughter is Lady Castlereagh, who was out here with Lord Castlereagh, M. P., last fall, when the Duke of Sutherland was in Victoria with Lord Charles Beresford, and other British noblemen.

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MR. LUGRIN WILL BE THE REPRESENTATIVE

Of Victoria Board of Trade on Bridge Deputation to Ottawa

A well attended meeting of the council of the board of trade was held this morning, with President H. G. Wilson in the chair. After the correspondence, principally acknowledgments of the board's communications, had been disposed of, the question of the appointment of a delegate to Ottawa to represent the board in the presentation of the memorial regarding all-rail connection at Seymour Narrows, was introduced.

A letter was read from A.M. Cuthbert advising the council that Rt. Hon. R. L. Borden and his cabinet would meet the delegation on June 11. The unanimous choice of the meeting as the delegate of the board of trade fell on C. H. Lugin, every member present heartily endorsing the remarks made by Messrs. Shallos and Leiser, who stated that no member of the board was so competent to speak with authority on this matter, Mr. Lugin having been studying the subject for the last 20 years.

Mr. Lugin also had referred to him some other very important subjects, particulars of which will be embodied in the report which he will present upon his return to Victoria. He has also been appointed to represent the board at Calgary, where a convention is to be held shortly on the question of Western Canada and the Panama canal.

CIVIC CENTRE SCHEME AND JAIL PROPOSAL

Start Can Be Made on New Lock-up Without Reference to Larger Question

It is not likely that much progress will be made with the civic centre idea until the by-law comes before the people with the school loan by-law, and other measures to be voted upon during the present summer. However, the new police station and jail have at last been separated from the other idea, and the jail will be built on the Market site without reference to progress on the larger scheme.

Whether the by-law will ask for an appropriation to make a commencement with the new building remains to be seen. Otherwise the council would be no better off than they are to-day, if they have to come to the ratepayers for a vote in order to make a start with the work. It was the mayor's anticipation that by the middle of this year a money by-law would have been passed to commence building operations.

LEAVES FOR THE EAST

Rev. F. S. Okell Preaches His Last Sermon in New Westminster

Yesterday for the last time Rev. F. S. Okell preached at Sixth Avenue Methodist church, says the New Westminster News of Monday. He leaves to-morrow for Toronto, where he will take a year's rest from the ministry in order to study at the university.

At a special given on Thursday evening last at the residence of Mr. Thomas Hembrough, Eighth street, Rev. Mr. Okell's services were unofficially recognized by the presentation of a purse of gold and the address reproduced herewith. There were some forty or fifty present at the gathering, and expressions of regret at the approaching departure of the reverend gentleman were general.

"We assure you that we heartily appreciate your great self-sacrifice and strenuous efforts on our behalf during the time that you have been amongst us. It was no light responsibility that you assumed when the offering put you in charge of the Sixth Avenue Methodist church at a time when we were seriously contemplating the erection of a new church building, but you have satisfied us of your ability to discharge the duties with ability.

"Our new and handsome church edifice will always be a standing monument of your faithful endeavor to lead an unselfish and useful life. We hope that you will part from us with no melancholy retrospects, no feeling of unpleasantness. Your kindness, integrity and hard labor deserve a better acknowledgment than these few simple words can give, still it pleases us to pay them, and to ask your acceptance of this simple gift.

"We wish you much pleasure and happiness during your coming year of rest, and long life and success in the future, and what we wish for you is also our wish for Mrs. Okell, though she is absent from us. Signed on behalf of those present, Lydia Davis."

B. C. ELECTRIC FRANCHISE

Reeve Harvey, of Point Grey, Met the Premier To-day

Reeve Harvey, of Point Grey, was in the city to-day in conference with Premier McBride regarding the franchise of the B. C. Electric Railway Company, as it affects the Vancouver Suburban municipality.

It will be remembered that one of the reasons which took the premier to England was the question of the B. C. Electric Railway franchise and its application to what is known as greater Vancouver. The whole question will be discussed by the provincial executive on Thursday, after which an announcement of just how the situation may be forthcoming.

DRIVING HIM TO THE GRAVE

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Mrs. J. O. Turnbull, Elm Cottage, will not receive to-morrow or again during the summer months.

Mrs. J. H. Baker, Fernwood Road, will receive Thursday of this week and not again during the summer months.

Mrs. T. E. Holling, 916 Johnson street, will receive to-morrow afternoon for the last time before leaving for the East.

Rev. Mr. Little, of St. Mark's church, was joined to-day by his wife and two daughters, from Armstrong, who will make their home in Victoria for the future at 150 Government street.

Rev. Dr. Campbell, who has been appointed by the Presbytery of Victoria as a ministerial commissioner to the general assembly, left yesterday for Edmonton, where the assembly will meet to-morrow evening. Rev. W. L. Clay is the other commissioner attending. He is accompanied on his visit by Mrs. Clay, R. F. Thompson and George McCandless are the lay commissioners from Victoria.

Miss Anna Campbell, of Trafalgar street, Kitilano, entertained a number of her friends very delightfully on Friday evening at a linen shower, when Miss Hilda Graham, of Victoria, a bride-elect, was the honored guest. Says yesterday's Province, "Numerous dainty linen articles were bestowed on Miss Graham, who in turn entertained with her lovely contralto voice. Miss Graham will return to Victoria this week and will be married quietly on June 10.

GIFT OF ORGAN

Prince Rupert Methodists Send Resolution of Thanks For Gift By Metropolitan Congregation.

During the services on Sunday morning and evening at the Metropolitan Methodist church the following resolution was read by Rev. T. E. Holling to the congregation: "Resolved, that this quarterly official board, representing the congregation of this, the Prince Rupert Methodist church, desires to express the unfeigned gratitude of the congregation for the generous gift of the pipe organ at the hands of the Metropolitan Methodist church, Victoria, B. C., and would request that the pastor of the church convey to the congregation our warmest thanks and very great appreciation of the generous gift. We are pleased to report that the organ has been safely and well installed, and is giving perfect satisfaction, being a very helpful addition to our church services. Thanking you."

Here follow the names of the pastor, the recording steward, and the treasurer and trustees of the board.

The death of one of Victoria's most popular young nurses took place on Sunday evening last at 6.30, when Miss Marie Dennis, who had been a patient in St. Joseph's hospital for the past two months, passed away surrounded by her sister and a few of her friends.

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OBITUARY RECORD. The funeral of the late James Randolph Stewart took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence, Burnside road, Rev. Dr. Reid officiating. The pallbearers were Messrs. R. L. Drury, D. F. Macdowell, E. J. Gallop, F. H. Reynolds, F. L. Crawford, and J. Morris. The funeral of the late Harry Rhyll took place yesterday afternoon from the Victoria undertaking parlors, Rev. Gilbert Cook officiating. There was a large attendance of friends of the deceased, including a number of his fellow-workmen who were engaged on the Empress annex at the time that the accident took place which resulted in his death. Numbers of beautiful flowers were sent by friends of the deceased man, and the pallbearers, all of whom were fellow-workmen, were as follows: Messrs. James Chisholm, Stacey Hann, W. M. Green, A. Andrews, J. W. Whiting, and A. Adams. The death occurred on Sunday morning of Helen Agnes Kjersem, the five-weeks-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Kjersem, 2883-Douglas street. The funeral took place this afternoon, Rev. W. C. Drabb officiating.

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ARTHUR HAWKES ON IMMIGRATION

HIS REPORT ISSUED IN BLUE-BOOK FORM

Copy of Much Abused Document Comes to Hand—Summary of His Suggestions

A copy of the much abused report on immigration by Arthur Hawkes has been received from Ottawa. It is in blue-book form and consists of more than 90 pages. In the summary of the various suggestions in the report the commissioner says:

In looking for a policy that can be broadly applied to nine separate provinces as well as to the Dominion, as a whole, it is obvious that a clear apprehension of fundamental principles is most necessary, first, to a grasp of a complex proposition, and secondly, to an effective administration of it. To set forth in detail the facts that have produced the conclusions would necessitate a volume that would have taken months to write. The mention of administrative details has been avoided, except where they seemed clearly to have a distinctly constructive value.

The report is based on the facts that the ultimate justification for a vast and seemingly endless inflow of capital to Canada must be a producing population on the soil, and that natural increase cannot keep pace with the opportunities that are being opened up. The need for the re-creation of parts of Eastern Canada, the steady diminution of free lands in the prairie provinces, and the cost of bringing British Columbia lands into cultivation, make it imperative that land settlement be undertaken more scientifically than heretofore, and, in special instances by an extension of the use of public credit, hitherto devoted almost entirely to railway building, to the actual processes of settlement. Several provinces, since the date of your commission have committed themselves, by legislation, to a policy of this character.

This means provincial service on more systematic lines than have yet been devised. For the attraction of people and capital, especially from the British Islands, the most effective use can be made of the people already settled in the different provinces, through provincial services, organized with as much thoroughness as a magazine subscription, or a department, or a mail order business follows up its orders.

It is proposed to obtain a broad uniformity of policy and co-operation with the Dominion through a central board, whose chairman shall be the chief of the Immigration Department, and whose financial contribution to the provincial services shall be proportional to the ascertained value of the immigrant to the Dominion treasury, in his first years of Canada.

For the United Kingdom it is proposed to make the most of the extensive constituencies of public-spirited people who are interested in the emigration of British people to British countries, partly as a relief of the pressure of population which is only now being comprehensively studied, and which the report deals with at some length, and bearing in mind the fact that there are over a million children in British schools who, presumably, will in a comparatively few years come to Canada. It is proposed that the Canadian propaganda in Europe be under the direction of the central board, operating with a consultative board with the High Commissioner at its head; each province being provided for by the appointment of special representatives working in a rotation of special districts, and their work systematically followed up by the general organization.

The scheme would involve a partial reconstruction and an expansion of staff which is overdue, especially in view of the fact that Australia has established a competing propaganda in Britain which last year attracted 5,000 immigrants against 32,000 in the previous year. I have not thought it necessary to enter into details of expenditure, for, in comparison with results achieved, the immigration department has cost the country a mere nothing, and in view of the urgent requirements of the immediate future, the dominating consideration is the object to be achieved. If Canada were to spend per head of the existing population as much for immigration as Australia is now doing, the appropriation for the department would be over three and a half million dollars, compared with a little over one million dollars as at present.

British Columbia. In his reference to British Columbia, Mr. Hawkes says: The principle of provincial responsibility for provincial expansion is exhibited strongly in Bri-

ish Columbia. Its mountainous configuration; its mineral resources; its contact with trans-Pacific trade; the heavy prices of land; the high prices of all labor; the complexity of its colored labor supply; the great cost and wide area of railway construction to serve a comparatively small producing population; and the concentration of population in coast cities, combine to distinguish the province from every other in the Dominion, and to make the immigration of producing white people to it of double fundamental importance.

The pouring of capital into the province for real estate investment is inseparable from railway construction. A reasonable check on speculation will keep perpetual obligations to pay interest fairly down to the speed of increased production in tributary territory on which alone the permanent prosperity of cities depends.

British Columbia needs people for the cultivated valleys, who will, among other things, prevent the transference to foreign countries of capital on which British Columbia must pay interest, for food which should be grown in the province. This need must be met by the limitation of the land speculative element in the placing of immigration.

This is specially true of the north-western part of the province, shortly to be served by the Grand Trunk Pacific railway. Agriculturally, this territory offers a unique field for immigration on scientific lines, with such government assurance of underlying economic conditions as will make the proposition really attractive to the discriminating settler.

The province has an office in London, in the financial district, with a wide range of British Columbian products. It is in charge of the Hon. J. H. Turner, agent-general, whose immigration propaganda is limited by circumstances.

NO INFORMATION AVAILABLE.

(Vancouver Sunnet)

For many years this paper has been a voice crying in the wilderness for a land settlement policy which the provincial government has with each successive session of the legislature religiously promised but never produced. After six or seven years of promising British Columbia has no more facilities for attracting and placing settlers on the land than it has ever had. There is practically no information available as to the location of lands for settlers. It is possible to arouse in the department of lands in Victoria sufficient interest on the part of the landward clerks to supply the intending settler with a copy of the Land Act and a G. T. P. folder. Formerly when information was asked for in that department a C. P. R. folder would be handed out, but things have changed somewhat now and the expectant seeker after knowledge is given a G. T. P. folder instead of the time-honored C. P. R. booklet.

In a province which expends \$10,000,000 a year on imported food stuffs, the bulk of which could be produced in our own province, the situation in the land office is a disgraceful one. With thousands of settlers anxious to come to British Columbia the lack of organization and ignorance of the land resources of the province by the government is astounding. All the surveys made in the last five years, together with descriptions of the lands surveyed. It is simply exasperating that thousands of dollars should be spent on surveys which are stuck away in pigeon-holes, where they cannot be found even by the stately clerks who man the department in which they repose.

Several hundred thousands of dollars have been spent on land surveys, nothing of which is known to nor is available to the public. Sinister stories have for years been going the rounds of collusion between clerks in the land department and surveyors and land speculators. Some of these stories bear the car-marks of probability. The lack of information available about surveys paid for by the public might very well give rise to suspicions and if a large number of people believe there is collusion, favoritism or downright thieving going on in the lands department the government has no one but itself to blame, for its policy of secrecy, neglect and waste would cause suspicions of even a more immaculate aggregation than the McBride government.

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BLANCHE BATES TO HAVE HOME HERE
CHARMING PLACE FOR SUMMER RESIDENCE

She is Amazed at the Growth of Victoria and Its Many Improvements

Victoria is apparently, at last, to become the home of one of America's leading actresses, Blanche Bates, who arrived in the city yesterday afternoon, left the Empress hotel shortly after registering there and went for a motor tour round the city and its environs. Long before her tour was completed she had registered a sort of promise to herself that within the next two or three years she would become a resident in the Capital City—not only because of its natural charms, of which she has had plenty of opportunity to become enamored in her several visits here during the last fifteen years, but also on account of its possibilities. "It is perfectly wonderful," said Miss Blanche Bates late in the afternoon, "to see what an awakening has taken place. Victoria is beginning to get its growing pains. Why, when I first came here fifteen years ago, it was such a quiet, sleepy, dead place; the streets had no activity—the people looked like a chapter out of a book written fifty years ago. Now there is a sort of easy-going bustle, as if the people were thoroughly awake but too comfortable to bother about things in the nervous way we do about in the States. But the city is growing," she concluded, "and any outsider like myself, who might have seen it two years ago and then can see it now, would be enormously impressed with the building and change in the streets, boulevarding, widening, etc."

After this little explanation the speaker went on to express her intention of making this one of her holiday headquarters during a part of every summer, saying that when she bought a bungalow here she would spend about a month or so of her three-months' vacation here—the remainder down in California or some other place. "I like country life so much," said Miss Bates, "and you have no idea what a good time I have on my little farm just outside of Hoboken, New York, whenever I go there to stay. I am going there very soon now—in about a month; our present run with this play will be over then, and I will be off on my way."

Miss Blanche Bates, like several of the other actresses who have visited Victoria recently, was pleased with her reception here last night. She says that "Nobody's Widow" is one of her favorite roles—perhaps the favorite. "The craving of audiences to-day," she said, "is for light things, things which amuse them; if there is a plot it must be woven in a way which is quite easily discernible to the people. I suppose this is really what has made the vaudeville so popular—its lightness, its variety. In 'Nobody's Widow' there is sparkle all the time; the wit is bright and scintillating; the action is clever. It is easy to act—not so tiring as drama—and the audience are always in sympathy."

When discussing the tendencies generally throughout the States in matters dramatic, Miss Bates expressed the hope that within a very few years those characteristics which have made American actors so unpopular with English people will be entirely eradicated. "Now in the eastern States, around New York, Boston, even Chicago," she said, "with just the slightest confession of her American education in her inflection, people have commenced to see the ugliness of those habits of speech for which they have so often been twitted by English critics, and you will not find many cultured Americans who have not eradicated the nasal twang and devoted a little time to the cultivation of their r's. Down the middle part of the States—a slice cut roughly out from that part lying east and west of the Mississippi—the people need to think more about these things yet, as some of them, I must confess, are guilty of all the faults of speech ever accredited to them. Of course," she added, "we all get blamed for the pronounced bad habits or unfortunate habits of the others."

Those who saw "Nobody's Widow" last night—especially the ladies—must have noticed the capacious nature of the big trunk which was introduced on the stage, the exact replica of which is used by the leading lady herself. "But if always terrifies me," she said looking at the huge case with shrinking, "and I never dare to open the top myself lest it fall on me. But those trunks carry so much, and carry so well, that I would not be without it. All the time she was talking the maid, a negress, was busily folding away the clothes, her eyes rolling toward her mistress with great admiration. Evidently Miss Bates has not acquired the American habit of rising early, for, when speaking of leaving Victoria she said that the company were not leaving by the midnight boat, "but by something much worse than that—the 10 o'clock boat to-morrow morning!"

Those who have seen Miss Bates on the stage are wont to call her a beautiful actress, but off the stage she is even handsomer than on it, and has a splendid presence as well as a very charming personality.

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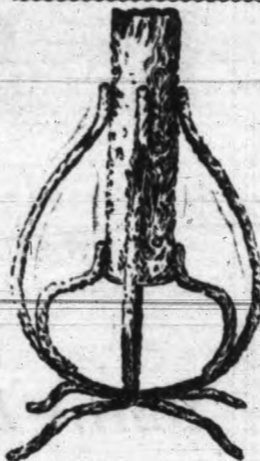
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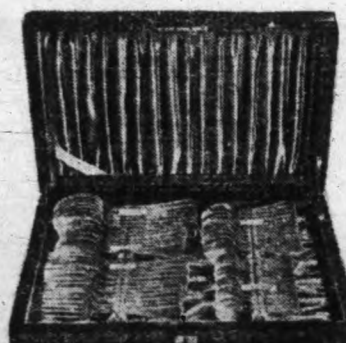
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**SOME REMINISCENCES
OF JOSEF ISRAELS**

Mrs. De Hart Describes Idiosyncrasies of Holland's Geniuses of the Brush

Mrs. Eugene J. de Hart, who is in the city at present with an exhibition of paintings by artists of Holland, has herself met a number of the artists whose works she is exhibiting, and has many interesting stories to tell of her personal knowledge of these men who have won distinction in all the leading exhibitions of pictures in Europe.

"Artists are never good business men," she said, "and consequently they are rather difficult to get on with in the ordinary way. For instance, they are nearly all eccentric about many things. Josef Israels I knew very well. He was a dear old man, very little, and with a perception of the beauty of all things. About people he had always something sweet to say. I dined with him one night at his home in the Hague, Holland—the evening on which I purchased from him the 'Fisher Maiden' which I am showing here. Not long after this I went away to Germany on a trip, and it was while I was there that I received a telegram announcing his death. This was a great shock to me, as, although he was an old man, he was always very vigorous and full of interest in everything. He painted up to the very end, although he was 82 years of age.

A friend of mine told me that one evening Israels had a dinner party with about six or eight guests at the table. Suddenly, after excusing himself very briefly, the old gentleman left the table. At first no one said anything, but as his absence became more prolonged, one by one the guests began to wonder if he had been stricken with sudden illness. When his absence was investigated, Israels was found in his studio feverishly working at some idea which had suddenly occurred to him while his guests were chatting round him. The son explained that it was quite usual for his father to have such inspirations, and that he was never happy until he had put them on canvas. Josef Israels was very fond of painting the peasant people of Ireland, and just in order to get more intimate glimpses of their lives he moved away to one of the villages on the seacoast, where he could study their simple cottage life. I often hear people say about his paintings—in fact all paintings of Holland, that the colors are too bright. But when I go back to Holland, as I have done many times after being in America, I feel that everything is so different in this way. The grass is so vividly green, the red roofs of the houses are so brightly red, all the flowers seem to be of most brilliant color. Holland is a wet country, and it has wonderful soil, so it is little wonder that we have little dust and clean brightly colored foliage and flowers."

Another aged Dutch artist whom Mrs. de Hart knows quite well is Mesdag, now past 80 years of age, but still busily painting his thoughts on canvases for the world to remember him by when he is no more. "Mesdag is very deaf, which makes talking to him rather difficult. He speaks English very fluently, and always has many English-speaking visitors to see him. He has presented his collection of paintings to the museum in the Hague, and the last time I saw him, when I had tea with him one afternoon, he was still talking of his work and his art, although now a quite feeble old man."

Two artists who are now quite well known all through Europe are the brothers Maris, who commenced life as very poor boys. Both the boys and their father were very clever musicians and used often to play on festive occasions for the peasant people. As small children they taught themselves to paint, and afterwards, at the age of 12, were sent by some friends to the academy in The Hague, where their latent talent was properly developed and, later, brought to the knowledge of the world.

Mrs. de Hart, who is a cosmopolitan and widely travelled, says that while appreciating in every way the enormous opportunities which are to be had in America, she thinks that the pursuit of money is a rather gross ambition. "In Europe," she said, "we may not have so much money, but we have more refinement, more quiet time to cultivate those pleasures which are more lasting in their impressions." "A Dutchman," she said by way of explanation of one of the great differences between Americans and her own countrymen, "wants his tea at a certain time every day, and he wants proper time to enjoy it too. In America it is all rush, rush—and after what? Money. But when the millions are piled up there is nothing to do with it but build a bigger house than one's neighbor, have a more expensive garage, and dress better. But it will be different when they are an older nation and have had time to learn how to spend," she said in conclusion.

NEW BUST OF SIR WILFRID.

Ottawa, June 4.—The statement has been made that an order has been given to Paul Chivere, the sculptor, to carve a new bust of Sir Wilfrid Laurier to replace the damaged bust which now adorns the rotunda of the Chateau Laurier. The figure fell when it was being put in place and the nose suffered some damage. The new bust will be ready in the course of a few months.

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**SIR WM. MACKENZIE
ARRIVES TO-NIGHT**

West Bay Property and Barkley Sound Additions Bring C. N. President West

Sir William Mackenzie, president of the Canadian Northern Railway Company, is due to arrive in Victoria tonight after a direct journey here from Winnipeg, to see the premier in reference to Canadian Northern railway matters on the Island and in the city. Coincident with the visit of Sir William Mackenzie, those at the elbow of authority predict another announcement in regard to the union depot at the old Indian reserve.

The bonding of four properties for the Canadian Northern Railway Company between the shore of West Bay and the Esquimalt road just inside the city limits, and to pass the final word on further work to be done on the Barkley Sound railway, are two matters for which Sir William Mackenzie has come west so hurriedly.

Sir William Mackenzie's last visit to Victoria was as a witness in the Mackenzie-Dunsmuir trial over the purchase of the Wellington collieries, which was heard in the supreme court. It is a coincidence that on his return to Victoria the trial, lost by the railway man, should be in the B. C. court of appeal at his instigation.

T. G. Holt, C. N. R. executive in the province, went over to the mainland last night to meet the president of the road, and before leaving had a long talk with Engineer Lewis regarding the situation of the Barkley Sound construction.

**"NOBODY'S WIDOW"
SCORES A SUCCESS**

Blanche Bates and Excellent Company Gives Delightful Performance.

"A play without a plot" would have been a suitable sub-title for the light, airy comedy in which Blanche Bates and Bruce McRae delighted a large Victoria audience yesterday evening. There never was a structure erected upon so insufficient a foundation that had half the charm and scintillating wit as this farcical romance, as the programme puts it, from the pen of Avery Hopwood.

Really the duke was a bit of a scoundrel, and to do him justice, he was as well aware of the fact as anyone. What possessed him to seek the company of the fair (and fat) Susanne an hour after he had been married to the charming Roxana would be hard to say. Of course his wife found him there and complications ensued. It ought to be mentioned that the duke had conducted his brief courtship with Roxana under the management of John Clayton, and Mrs. Clayton lost no time in getting away from him, publicly announcing his death and privately securing a divorce. This done she returned to America, donned the most fascinating of widow's weeds, and went to stay at a house party at Palm Beach. Here she is confronted by her husband who is spending the summer there and—well, that is where the play begins.

The duke announces his intention of winning his wife's love within a week. She, metaphorically, throws down the gauntlet, and innumerable amusing situations arise, chiefly through the ignorance of the other members of the party of the true facts of the case. The fact that the duke again wins the affection of Roxana is some more disconcerting to her presumable second act of unfaithfulness. But all's well that ends well.

The performance last evening was an absolute triumph for the two principals. As Roxana Clayton, Blanche Bates was irresistible, while McRae as the duke was as delightful a scoundrel as one could find within the two hemispheres. The part suited him as well as did his clothes. No wonder the incorrigible Betty Jackson was moved to ask, "I wonder why it is that the nice men are never good and the good men are never nice."

Outside of the two principal characters the small company merely served as foils. One felt sorry for Kenneth Hunter as Ned Stephens. He possesses a fine voice and a striking appearance, and his part consisted mainly of reiterating that he was tired, and in looking fiercely under his brows when his fiancée was discovered having a gay little supper party "a deux" with the duke. Betty was not quite convincing, though the part was played with plenty of spirit, especially throughout the supper episode. Her voice, however, last evening was just a trifle metallic and her gestures stilted.

There seemed to be quite a good deal of purposeless "walking off" by the minor characters to leave the stage free to the principals, and the performances also seemed to be in the greater part for no particular reason. It was in the dialogue, however, where the play scored. Seldom has there been presented on the stage a comedy so fully of spontaneous wit, so bubbling with the light champagne froth of clever repartee, epigram and paradox. In the first act in particular the author is at his very best, and the duel of words between the principal actors is as keen and scintillating as the foil-play of the two matres d'armes.

The trappings were of the very best, and the lighting scheme perfect. One expects as much when David Belasco is in charge of the arrangements, and last night's audience were not disappointed. Altogether Victorians will look forward to the time when "Nobody's Widow" makes her second appearance in the Capital City.

**Must Vacate Our West Store
Before June 31st.**

Our West Store is Principally devoted to men's wear, and when we say that everything in this section has got to be cleared by the end of this month you can assuredly look forward to some SWEEPING REDUCTIONS. As a matter of fact we have forgotten profit days ago; the one thing we are forced to do is—to clear out everything, which naturally means that prices are so arranged as to draw seekers of GENUINE bargains.



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BY DR. FRANK CRANE

I don't like a typical Englishman, or a typical Scotchman, or a typical German, or a typical Church Member, or a typical Literary Man, or a typical Musician, or a typical Anythingarian. I like a Man.



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I think if George of England or William of Germany or even a College President or a Millionaire and I were to get off by ourselves incognito somewhere where I did not know he was Somebody and he did not know I was Nobody, and could go in swimming together, and lie on the beach and dig our toes in the sand, and swap yarns, and be Human, in the centre of sky and ocean and earth and the high clouds we should like each other quite well. As it is there are thick walls between us, frowning with guns of hereditary fear, and mantled with determined Ghosts.

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Haultain St. and Mt. Stephen, three lots...\$3600

Haultain Street and Mt. Stephen, five lots...\$5500

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Helfind Road, overlooking water...\$1025
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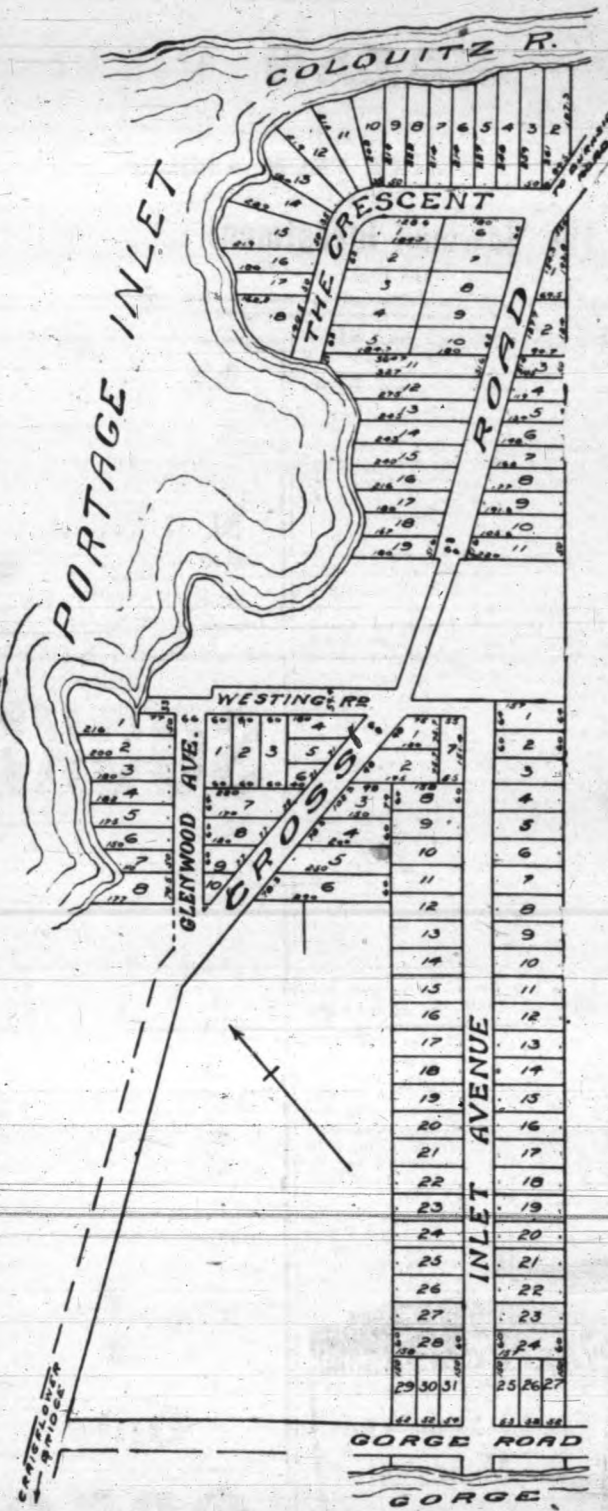
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CIVIC DEPARTMENTS HAVE NEW QUARTERS

Prince Rupert's Council, Fire
Brigade and Post Office
Employees Move

Prince Rupert, June 4.—Three interesting removals from pioneer quarters into new and more permanent buildings have taken place within the past few days. These are first, the removal of the postal department from the old post office building, on what was known as the Rupert road on the G. T. P. reserve; the second, the removal of the city council and municipal hall from temporary quarters in the fire hall, and the third, the removal of the fire brigade from their old and primitive quarters into the new and handsome fire hall.

The post office is now on Third avenue, which is well in the business section. The new post office building is not the permanent one, on ground owned by the Dominion department. It is a building specially constructed for post office requirements as far as its ground floor is concerned, and erected by John H. Hilditch, a former alderman of two councils of Prince Rupert, and a leading Conservative. When it became necessary for the old post office to clear off the railway reserve, Mr. Hilditch's proposition to erect a building to suit the department was accepted. The premises are not all occupied by post office officials. There are three other floors, which will be occupied by business offices and the rooms for a leading club.

Not yet completely furnished, but very well fitted otherwise, and a creditable building, the new city hall is situated on Fulton street. The chamber is a much larger apartment than any Prince Rupert council has ever before occupied. Panelled in dark brown, lofty, and with substantial timber construction throughout the city hall is a handsome building. It provides roomy quarters for all departments, including the police force. There is a police court room attached, and all police equipment required. In the concrete basement are prison cells.

Above the prison cells are strong rooms for the city clerk and city assessor. The city clerk's department, purchasing agent's office, mayor's room, etc., are on the second floor. On the upper floor, with the council chamber, are the city engineer's rooms, draughting offices, instrument rooms, etc., with a very spacious strong-room fire-proof for plans. The city hall is a brightly painted building, with a good looking front, the color scheme being light. It is nearly opposite the new fire hall.

Built on the lines of the fire halls of eastern cities, Prince Rupert's new accommodation for the fire brigade is a marked improvement on the old sheds. The fire hall has lofty tower, spacious garage for the auto, with inspection pit, etc., and has also accommodation for a horse drawn engine, and for the team, with further space for all necessary appliances, aerial ladders, etc. Above are roomy dormitories, and living rooms for the men. The lofty tower is equipped for hose drying in approved manner, and the men have the usual brass rod slides from dormitory to ground floor.

These three removals will be followed in a few days by a fourth, when the city police department will remove from temporary quarters on the government lots to the new city hall. The police department has been banded from pillar to post during the past two years. It has dwelt in the provincial police offices, in a shack behind them, and later in a fairly good temporary building. It has used the provincial prison, and a fearful and wonderful shack prison run up at the time of labor trouble to house some eighty prisoners then taken in a bunch.

ASK FOR INQUIRY.

Agriculturists Want Investigation Into Causes of Non-Production of Foodstuffs.

New Westminster, June 4.—At a conference of agriculturists from all parts of the Fraser valley it was decided to petition the government for a royal commission to inquire into the causes of the lack of cultivation and settlement of British Columbia farm lands. The statistics which decided the meeting to make such a move showed that every year British Columbia was importing more and more foreign farm produce until this year the indications were that the value of imported foodstuffs would exceed \$20,000,000.

The following is the text of the resolution, which was adopted after a three hours' discussion of the problems which confront the Fraser valley farmer. "That this convention of representatives from the various municipalities of the Fraser valley, is of the opinion that it is necessary to take immediate steps to counteract the great importation of foodstuffs which in our view, can be grown within our own province to the great benefit of producer and consumer equally. Be it resolved, that we hereby form ourselves into a commission of inquiry with power to add to our number, with a view to presenting data to the government and asking for the appointment of a royal commission of inquiry."

During the course of the conference some startling statements were made by different speakers. E. C. Travers stated that during the past three years the local meat production had dropped almost 70 per cent, and it was now almost impossible to secure local beef. He further stated that most of the butter and eggs handled by his firm were imported from Australia or the United States, it being impossible to secure enough here.

R. C. Abbott, of Mission, maintained that with the small holdings at present being sold for farms it was impossible to employ white labor as the tracts were not large enough to enable a farmer to employ a man the year round. Mr. Abbott's remarks against the small holdings were vigorously com-

bated by several speakers, who all claimed that a good living could be made off five and ten-acre farms, if they were farmed in the right way. Lack of efficient transportation facilities and difficulties in clearing the land were also reasons given for the backwardness of the production of farm products in the Fraser valley. It was finally resolved to enlarge the meeting into a general commission of inquiry to present data to the hoped-for royal commission and the following officers were elected: Mr. John R. Duncan, president; Messrs. Abbott and McKenzie, vice-presidents; and Mr. C. H. Stuart Wade, secretary.

WANTS SHARE OF GRAIN TRAFFIC

Revelstoke Plans to Intercept
Freight on Way to the
Coast

Revelstoke, June 4.—The people of Revelstoke, in co-operation with the Forland Chamber of Commerce, are agitating to have the navigation of the Columbia river improved so that grain and other products of the great plains of Alberta and Saskatchewan may be floated down its broad waters in barges from the head of navigation at Revelstoke to tide water at Portland, Oregon, there to be transferred to ocean vessels and taken through the Panama canal to the markets of the world.

This means that the people of Revelstoke will intercept the grain and other products of Alberta and Saskatchewan while in transit to the ports of the Pacific coast, and divert it down the Columbia river water route, and thus effect a saving to the Alberta farmer of \$3.00 per ton in freight and \$1 per ton in (free) tolls through the canal, or a total of \$4.00, equal to nearly 13 cents per bushel.

BOY DROWNED.

Vernon, June 4.—A distressing accident occurred a few days ago whereby the little son of Mrs. James Oliver, a child about four years of age, lost his life. The little fellow, with a companion on the bank of the creek near the Seventh street crossing, when he slipped into the water. The other little boy gave the alarm as soon as possible, but before any assistance could arrive he had disappeared from sight. A large number of friends at once engaged in a search for the body, but it was not until next morning that it was found, near the slaughter house, about half a mile from the scene of the accident.

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TENDERS

Tenders will be received for that property on Store Street known as number 1415, and occupied by the W. C. T. U. Mission, comprising property measuring 72 feet frontage and 60 feet depth, with a two-story brick building, with basement. Tenders must be in by June 10th. Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Address tenders, Mrs. Wm. Grant, Point Gilles.

NOTICE

In the Matter of the Navigable Waters Protection Act, Being Chapter 115 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906.

TAKE NOTICE that Robert Peterson Rithet, of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, wholesale merchant, in pursuance of Section Seven of the above named Act, has deposited plans of work and description of the proposed site thereof to be constructed upon and in front of Lots Twenty-Five (25), Twenty-Six (26) and Twenty-Seven (27), in Block "I," according to a plan of subdivision of Blocks Six (6) and Eight (8) on file in the Land Registry Office at the City of Victoria and there numbered 292, with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate each in the office of the Registrar General of Titles at Victoria, British Columbia, being the Registrar of Deeds for the District in which such work is proposed to be constructed, and has made application to the Governor in Council for approval thereof.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that at the expiration of one month from the date of this notice application will be made to the Governor in Council for approval thereof. Dated at Victoria, British Columbia, this 28th day of May, A. D. 1912.

By ROBERT PETERSON RITHEIT,
By Jackson & Phelan, His Solicitors.

LOGGERS

COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 2, I. O. O. F., meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in Odd Fellows Hall, Douglas street, D. Dewar, Rec. Sec., 963 Fisguard street.

COURT CARIBOO, No. 143, I. O. O. F., meets the second and fourth Monday of each month in K. of P. Hall, corner of Pandora and Douglas streets. Visiting brothers welcome. J. W. H. King, Rec. Sec., E. P. Nathan, Fin. Secy.

K. OF P.—No. 1, Far West Lodge, Friday, K. of P. Hall, cor. Douglas and Pandora Sts. J. L. Smith, K. of R. & S. Box 14.

VICTORIA, No. 11, K. of P. meets at K. of P. Hall, every Thursday, E. C. Kaufman, K. of R. & S. Box 164.

A. O. F. COURT NORTHERN LIGHT, No. 222, meets at Foresters' Hall, Broad street, 2nd and 3rd Wednesdays. J. F. Fullerton, Secy.

THE ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR meets on the second Wednesday only during the months of June, July and August, at 8 o'clock, in K. of P. Hall, Douglas street.

SONS OF ENGLAND B. S.—Prize of the Island Lodge, No. 131, meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays in A. O. F. Hall, Broad street. President, F. West, 57 Hillside Ave.; secretary, W. H. Trowdale, 520 Williams street, city.

Notice

The tenders called for paving to be in on May 31st are postponed until further notice.
WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
City Assessor.

NOTICE

City Assessor's Office,
City Hall, Victoria, B. C.,
May 30th, 1912.

I have this day posted and delivered all assessment notices of land and improvements, for the current year, for the City of Victoria.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
City Assessor.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined:

1. To continue Pendergast street westerly from Vancouver street to Heywood avenue, and expropriate the whole of Sub-Divisions 1 and 2, Lot 1294, Block 56, for this purpose.
2. To continue Field street westerly a uniform width of 50 feet from Douglas street to Government street so as to connect with Orchard street, and to expropriate the necessary property for this purpose.

And that all of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement General By-Law, and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council, in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of this by-law, upon each and every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be charged to each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by the said work, and the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor as aforesaid having been adopted by the Council:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the said reports are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas street, and that unless a petition against any proposed work of local improvement above mentioned, signed by a majority of the owners of the land or real property to be assessed for such improvement, and representing at least one-half of the value of the said land or real property, is presented to the Council within fifteen days from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Council will proceed with the proposed improvement upon such terms and conditions as to the payment of the cost of such improvement as the Council may by by-law in that behalf resolve, and determine.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk's Office, May 28th, 1912.

NOTICE

Navigable Water Protection Act
NOTICE is hereby given that Martha Amelia Sophia Barnard, wife of Frank William Barnard, of the City of Victoria, British Columbia, is applying to His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada in Council for approval of the area plans, site and description of the works proposed to be constructed in West Bay, Victoria Harbor, British Columbia, being land situated, lying and being in the City of Victoria aforesaid, and numbered and described as Lots 15 to 18, 20 to 22 and part of Lot 23, Victoria City. Map 29, also three strips of land shown on the said plan as roads and an alley, closed by Order of Court, File No. 235, and has deposited the area and site plans of the proposed works and description thereof with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate thereof with the Registrar General of Titles at the Land Registry Office at the City of Victoria, British Columbia, and that the matter will be proceeded with at the expiration of one month from the time of the first publication of this notice in the Canada Gazette.

Dated this 3rd day of May, 1912.
MARTHA AMELIA SOPHIA BARNARD
By her Solicitors, Messrs. Robertson & Helsterman, 514 Fort St. Victoria, B. C.

NOTICE

THE VICTORIA PHOENIX BREWING COMPANY, LTD.
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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

IN THE GOODS OF HARRIET COWPER,
DECEASED.

TAKE NOTICE that Probate of the Will of Harriet Cowper, late of Victoria, British Columbia, minor, was issued on the 29th day of April, 1912, to A. J. W. Bridgman, real estate agent, of 197 Government street, Victoria aforesaid, as sole executor.

That all persons having any claims against the estate of the said Harriet Cowper are required to send full particulars of the same, duly verified by declaration, to the undersigned on or before the 3rd day of June, 1912, and all persons owing any money to the said deceased are requested to pay the same forthwith to the said executor. After the 3rd day of June, 1912, the executor will proceed to the distribution of the estate according to the Will, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice.

Dated the 3rd day of May, 1912.
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REV. MR. HOLLING ON GROWING OLD

FESTIVAL OF YEARS SERVICE ON SUNDAY

Pastor Contrasts End of Noted Socialist With That of St. Paul

A large congregation was present for the "Festival of Years" services Sunday morning at the Metropolitan church, the pastor, Rev. T. E. Holling, preaching on the text: "The hoary head is a crown of glory if it be found in the ways of righteousness." (Prov. 16: 31.)
Mr. Holling introduced his subject by expressing on behalf of the general congregation a welcome to those who were present with them regularly, and called attention to the tendency which has sprung up of late to organize young people's societies and to preach special sermons to young men and young women—a thing good enough in itself but which showed that there was a tendency to forget the claims and the needs of the people of advanced years. The pastor referred to the debt of gratitude that could never be fully paid owing to those who had borne the burden in the heat of the day, blazing the way through the forests for those who came after.
Mr. Holling referred also to the old

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he trusted would long linger in their minds: "Ebenezer," hitherto hath the Lord helped us; "Immanuel," God with us in the present; "Jehovah-Jireh," the Lord will provide—for the future. With these three words, said Mr. Holling, "The year grows rich as it grows old, and life's latest sands are its sands of gold."
At the close of the sermon many came forward to shake hands with the old people, a large representation of those who had reached the "three score years and ten" being present. The munificence of several members of the congregation who had sent their cars for the purpose of taking the old people to church on this occasion. A number from the Aged Women's Home were present, and all the old people very much appreciated the little extra thoughtfulness that had afforded them this delightful morning.
The anthem by the choir, "Christian, the Morn Breaks Sweetly 'O'er Thee," and the solo, "The Better Land," by Mrs. George Bell, added very much to the success of the service.
A single vessel recently carried ostrich feathers valued at \$50,000 from South Africa to England.

WEATHER BULLETIN.
Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.
Victoria, June 4—5 a. m.—Fair weather conditions continue to prevail throughout the North Pacific slope, with moderate winds on the Coast. East of the Rockies the pressure is increasing in Alberta, but remains low in Manitoba and the region of the lakes. Showers have been general in Manitoba and heavy rain is falling at Winnipeg.
Forecast.
For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Wednesday, Victoria and vicinity—Southernly winds, continued fair, with stationary or higher temperature.
Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, continued fair, with stationary or higher temperature.
Reports at 5 a. m.
Victoria—Barometer, 30.25; temperature, 44; minimum, 44; wind, calm; weather, clear.
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.25; temperature, 45; minimum, 45; wind, calm; weather, fair.
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, 44; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, fair.
Barkerville—Barometer, 30.28; temperature, 30; minimum, 28; wind, calm; weather, fair.
San Francisco—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, 54; minimum, 54; wind, 15 miles S. W.; weather, clear.
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.20; temperature, 42; minimum, 38; wind, calm; weather, clear.
Edmonton—Barometer, 30.19; temperature, 33; minimum, 28; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.
Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.95; temperature, 45; minimum, 46; wind, 20 miles N. W.; rain, .53; weather, raining.
Observations taken 1/2 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Monday:
Temperature.
Highest 45
Lowest 41
Average 43
Bright sunshine, 18 hours 30 minutes.
General state of weather, fine.

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