

THE HOTEL DRIARD  
American and European Plans  
The First-Class Hotel  
Free Bus from Boats and Trains.  
C. A. HARRISON, Prop.

# Victoria Daily Times.

TELEPHONE CABLE  
COMPLETE  
Ask Central for Long Distance  
When you have business with  
VANCOUVER, SEATTLE OR  
NANAIMO.

VOL. 45.

VICTORIA, B. C., THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1906.

No. 18.

## MURDER AND WRECK IN ARCTIC OCEAN

### Mutinous Crew Cause Captain and Family to Fly in Open Boat—Duchess of Bedford Is Safe.

At some unknown point near the northern confines of the Arctic, the mutinous crew of the whaler Olga, after wandering around without their only navigating officer, the captain, after wintering farther north and east than ever a whaler did before, the seamen became uncontrollable, Capt. Klincenberg being compelled, with his family, to flee for life in an open boat. It was a rough and perilous passage this small boat made. Six hundred miles of the Arctic ocean had to be traversed, and when they landed at Cape Smythe, the village near Point Barrow, Captain Klincenberg and his family were nearly exhausted, but all recovered. Capt. Klincenberg discovered tribes of Eskimauks, who had never before seen a white man; whose implements and kitchen utensils were all of copper. In the locality mentioned there is an enormous amount of native copper, but the far north being so incompletely charted, Capt. Klincenberg was unable to describe the exact location. As his permanent residence is at Point Barrow, it is improbable the deposits will be rediscovered for many years, unless he secures another vessel for the purpose.

The navigating lieutenant and chief engineer of the United States revenue cutter Thetis, are authority for the following statement regarding the Duchess of Bedford. She was caught in the ice, while navigating near the shore, but sustained very slight damage. There was a small amount of leakage and, in proof of her seaworthiness, may be cited the fact that three of the crew of the Thetis, Messrs. E. McKee, E. McKee and F. McAllister, joined her. Capt. Mikkelson was informed at Point Barrow that he would be unable to get through the ice, which would mean delaying the expedition for a year. He at once offered any of the crew who wished an opportunity to go outside. McAllister was the only one who took advantage of this offer. Shortly afterwards he was informed by the captain of the steam whaler Belvedere, that the latter would tow the Duchess of Bedford through the ice. Capt. Mikkelson gladly accepted the offer, and the little schooner was left in open water, near Return Reef, early in September. It is probable that the Duchess of Bedford will make her original destination for the winter at Minto Inlet, Prince Albert Land. If not she will winter at Herschel Island. All the crew are well. A further shipment of supplies reached them at Point Barrow, by the Harold Dollar, and Capt. Mikkelson is as enthusiastic as ever regarding the success of his expedition.

Another story of horror from the far north was brought down by the Thetis. The large steam whaler Alexander, from San Francisco, went ashore on the 15th of August last at Cape Parry. So seriously was she damaged that she had to be abandoned immediately. Abandoning her valuable cargo of oil and whale bone, with which the vessel was practically filled, as she was on her way out, the captain and crew made for Herschel Island, some 400 miles distant. In the open whale boats with no clothing except what they were wearing, and very few provisions. The trip lasted 13 days, and one man succumbed from exposure. Another also died from the trip from starvation. He became infested with vermin, and in using sulphate of copper ointment to remove them, became infected with the metal mentioned. The crew were brought down to Nome on the Thetis. Most of them remained there, but the captain, his wife, the first mate, cook and three others came south by the revenue cutter, The Laura C. Madison, a supply boat belonging to the Best-Fawcett Company, of San Francisco, was also caught by the ice near Return Reef on the 15th of August, 1906, and had to be abandoned.

The crew stayed in that vicinity for the winter, but were eventually brought out to Point Barrow. Many cases of crime, ranging from murder downward, were investigated by Assistant District Attorney Landis, and United States Marshal Evans, of Nome, who spent several months

aboard the Thetis in the north. Most of them arose through the whaling fleet being compelled to spend the winter of 1905 at Herschel Island. Although the Northwest Mounted Police did all that was possible to deal with the offenders, the island being in Canadian territory, subsequent cases calling for investigation arose on the high sea; the most important of these cases resulted in the indictment of Captain Bodish, of the whaler Baylis. One of the crew of that vessel was discovered in his bunk dead, shot in the back. As the circumstances were suspicious the captain was placed under arrest and taken to Nome by the Thetis. Since then particulars of the case have been published.

Capt. Newth, of the whaler Jeanette, was also captured and brought to Nome on the Thetis, an indictment being out against him for the rape of an Eskimauk girl on board his vessel. A large number of the other prisoners, together with the necessary witnesses, were also taken to Nome for trial. The Thetis reports that nearly all the whaling fleet is on its return. They have had what might be called average luck on their recent cruise, the Jeanette heading the catch with 11 whales. Among other catches were Bowhead, 1 whaler, Baylis, 3, and Belvedere, 2. The Thetis met with no mishap during all the months she spent among the great ice floes of the Arctic. The trip is usually a very tedious and monotonous one, but the voyage was not altogether without incidents that furnished excitement for the crew. Not the least interesting of these was the killing of a big polar bear which came out on the ice to meet the ship, only to encounter the chief engineer armed for a fight. The animal did not approach him in an unfriendly way, but as is customary with polar bears, had been attracted into danger through sheer curiosity. Its magnificent fur forms one of the trophies of the trip. The Thetis will remain off the outer ports during the trip. They fell in with the British Mediterranean fleet, commanded by Admiral Lord Charles Berezford, at Valetta, the harbor of Malta, where an immense dock is being constructed by the British government. One object of special interest to the crew noticed before entering the Suez canal, it was the Pillar of Pompey that was used as a beacon before being converted into a lighthouse. At the other end of the passage to the Persian Gulf, the southern outlet of the Red Sea, they paid a short visit to the British fort of Aden with the fortified island of Babel Mandeb. They particularly noticed the enormous searchlights used at this port which sweep the Gulf of Aden from shore to shore. Several other ports were also visited, the big port of Ceylon, and some of the more enterprising visited the sacred mountain and saw what is believed by the Singalese to be an imprint of Buddha's foot in the solid rock at its summit. They arrived at Singapore on Good Friday and left on Easter Sunday. Other ports visited were Nagasaki and Manila, where they were transferred to the transport Thomas, reaching San Francisco after a total voyage of eighty days. Directly on their arrival the Thetis, which had undergone extensive repairs for two years at the Blisdon Iron Works, San Francisco, was placed in commission and they started on the first voyage to the Arctic mentioned above. They met the Shearwater on many occasions and the ship happened in a port, exchanged visits with the British crew. Many of the boys on the Thetis are sorry to learn that another crew will shortly be here to replace the present one, as the seamen of the two vessels mentioned have fraternized to a very large extent. The Thetis left San Francisco on June 12th, entered the ice floes on 29th July, and arrived at Point Barrow after the Arctic tour on September 4th.

### CLIMBED MOUNT MCKINLEY.

Dr. F. A. Cook Arrives in Seattle From Alaska.

(Associated Press.)  
Seattle, Nov. 8.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, of Brooklyn, explorer and mountaineer climber, was in Seattle yesterday on the way home after having made a successful ascent of Mount McKinley in Alaska.

The Cook party started on May 15th and reached the summit of Mount McKinley on September 16th. The party included Dr. Cook, Prof. E. R. Parker, of Columbia University, and E. W. Porter, of Boston, the photographer.

The expedition was a private enterprise on the part of Dr. Cook, who was a member of the Peary expedition in 1899. The chief results of the expedition are the verification of the height of Mount McKinley as given by the gov-

### RAILWAY CAR CHARGES.

Central and Western Roads Will Raise Rates.

(Associated Press.)  
Chicago, Nov. 8.—A meeting of the big central and western railroads, which own most of the freight cars of the country, will be held in Chicago to-day for the purpose of raising the per diem rate now charged by them for the use of cars when in the possession of all others than that of the owners. The central and western lines complain that owing to the present small per diem rate the lesser eastern lines get possession of their cars and keep them when they are sorely needed, and the per diem will be increased as a means of hastening their return to their owners.

## SIR H. M. DURAND WILL SHORTLY RETIRE

### WILL LEAVE WASHINGTON EARLY NEXT SPRING

### New British Ambassador to the United States Has Not Yet Been Selected.

(Associated Press.)  
New York, Nov. 8.—According to a dispatch from Washington Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, ambassador of Great Britain to the United States, will retire from his mission in Washington next spring. His successor, not yet chosen, will come to Washington to take charge of the embassy about March 1st. The ambassador yesterday told Secretary Root of his coming retirement.

As far as can be learned Sir Mortimer is not leaving his post here for any other position, and after his return to England he will probably retire from public life. He came to the United States as his sovereign's personal representative in 1903, succeeding Sir Michael Herbert, who died while on duty here. There is perhaps no more popular diplomatic household in Washington than that of the British embassy and the departure of the ambassador will be unwelcome to many both to official and social life. Lady Durand and Miss Durand are among the most popular ladies in Washington society.

### Curzon May Be Appointed.

London, Nov. 8.—The retirement of Sir Mortimer Durand, the British ambassador to the United States, will take place at the end of this year. He has been allowed to resign at his own request and has been anxious for some time past to give up diplomatic work. He intends to leave the diplomatic service permanently and retire to private life. The British government has not yet considered his successor. Lord Curzon, formerly viceroy of India, is mentioned in diplomatic circles here as a possible successor to Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, as ambassador to the United States. The fact that Lord Curzon is now on the sea on his way to this country lends color to the rumor of his appointment to the Washington post. In official circles here it is regarded as likely that Lord Curzon may be given the post because of his wide acquaintance in the United States and his extensive experience in the British foreign service.

## FOWLER'S PROFITS IN LUMBER DEALS

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Nov. 8.—The examination of G. W. Fowler, M. P., at the insurance inquiry last night showed he got \$55,000 out of the Kamloops lumber deal; \$4,000 out of the Shuswap, and \$22,000 out of the Okanagan deal in addition to the \$100,000 he gave Irwin; \$12,000; McCormick \$11,000, and Foster \$7,000 out of the \$55,000. Foster said his was a loan, Stevens, of the I. O. F., said in all these transactions Fowler was merely an agent of a joint purchaser, the Union Trust Company, which never intended to pay Fowler \$55,000 on account of the purchase of the Kamloops property.

### EDUCATION BILL.

Drastic Amendments to Clause Four, Which Has Been Adopted by House of Lords.

(Associated Press.)  
London, Nov. 8.—With large opposition majorities and after further drastic amendments, the House of Lords last night adopted clause 4 of the education bill which provides that the local educational authorities may afford extended facilities for special religious instruction.

### CARGO ON FIRE.

French Steamer Forced to Put Back to New York.

(Associated Press.)  
New York, Nov. 8.—The steamer Tourenee, which sailed from this port yesterday for Manchester, put back to-day with fire in her port. She ran up the harbor to a point about a mile below Liberty Island, and two fire boats went to her assistance. The fire is smoldering among her cotton bales, and an obstinate fight will probably be necessary before it is subdued. The Tourenee is a French steamer of 2,600 tons. She carried no passengers.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS CONFER

### ANNUAL PROVINCIAL CONVENTION SITTING.

### Delegates in Attendance Here—Inter-esting Programs at Session in Calvary Baptist Church.

A large and enthusiastic gathering of Sunday school workers and their friends assembled in Calvary Baptist church last evening at the opening session of the seventh annual convention of the British Columbia branch of the International Sunday School Association. Owing to the lateness of the arrival of the steamer Charming the Mainland delegates were unable to be present at the opening exercises.

E. A. Lewis opened the session with devotional services at 7:30 o'clock, after which the president, Noah Shaker, took the chair. He welcomed the delegates to the city and the many of the city ministers. After the opening hymn the chairman called upon Rev. Dr. Reid to lead in prayer.

The report of the provincial secretary was read by George Carter, and indicated progress in all lines of the work throughout the province. W. C. Merritt, of Tacoma, field worker for the Pacific Northwest, was next introduced by the president, and delivered a strong address on the subject of the Sunday school in its many phases. The speaker touched on the recent Toronto convention, and was greeted with enthusiastic applause on stating that a salaried field worker and general secretary was to be appointed for Western Canada, covering British Columbia, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Mr. Merritt appealed strongly to all Sunday school workers to rise to a realization of the greatness of their service, their great privilege to be of service to the boys and girls. There never was a time when the world felt so much the need of strong, noble and Christ-like characters as in this present time of trusts and great financial organizations. All should teach Jesus, not simply as a man, but as the Divine Son of God. The Bible, not only builds individual character, but the national life as well. Upon the conclusion of this address the arrival of Mainland delegates was announced, and all present arose and joined in singing the hymn "Blest Be the Tie That Binds." The president warmly welcomed the visitors to the convention, and an able response was given by W. Leeson, of Vancouver. "The Book We Use" was the title of a paper read by H. J. Knott, of this city. The writer treated the Bible as being divinely inspired and worthy of constant and careful study. It was the best piece of literature God had given the world, and the speaker earnestly urged that all Christians give greater and more prayerful study to its pages.

An interesting discussion of the paper was opened by E. P. Chandler, of Vancouver. A vocal solo was rendered by Mrs. Parsons, and the first session closed after the benediction had been pronounced by Rev. W. Leslie Clay. This morning the convention opened at 9:30 o'clock with devotional exercises, led by A. Burnett. Reports were received from the district officers and committees appointed. Papers were read on "Music as a Factor in Sunday School Work" by J. G. Brown, and "The Preparation of the Lesson and S. S. Helps" by E. W. Leeson, of Vancouver. The paper by Mr. Leeson, on "The Preparation of the Lesson and Sunday School Help," proved very interesting. The paper showed careful preparation, the writer touching on many essential points on the subject. Considerable and animated discussion followed, many of the delegates commenting freely on the use and abuse of the Sunday school lesson helps as outlined by the International Association. J. G. Brown's paper upon the subject of "Music in the Sunday School" was also much enjoyed. The speaker dealt especially with two phases of the subject: First, the best manner of conducting the musical exercises, and secondly, the best manner of preparing for them. The writer advocated the formation of Sunday school choirs and the regular systematic teaching of music among the scholars. He further advocated the teaching of music in the public schools as is done in Great Britain, United States and some of the cities of Canada. The report of the nominating committee and election of officers was deferred at the closing session of the convention this evening.

Reports of district officers were very encouraging. During the year there have been five branches of the International Bible Reading Association formed in this province. This afternoon denominational conferences are being held in various churches, and this evening the concluding session will be held in Calvary Baptist church. The programme for this evening follows:

7:30 to 8:00—Devotional, W. B. Deaville.  
8:00 to 8:30—How to Run a Sunday School on Schedule Time, George Carter. Discussion opened by a visiting delegate.

8:30 to 9:00—Primary class taught; next

Sunday's lesson, Mrs. Dr. MacKay, Vancouver. Discussion opened by John Weston, Victoria.  
8:50—Vocal solo.  
9:00 to 9:30—Heart to heart talk, Rev. W. C. Merritt.  
9:30—Collection.  
9:40—Round table.  
10:00—Closing exercises.

The following delegates are in attendance from outside points: J. S. Slaggett, South Saanich; J. S. Shopland, North Saanich; Mrs. Geo. Davidson, Cedar Hill; Mrs. A. W. Dever and Miss M. Robertson, of Duncan; Miss Olive McLennan, Miss Easton, E. W. Leeson, Mrs. E. W. Leeson, Mrs. Dr. McKay, L. W. Stone, E. P. Chandler, A. E. Hines, Mrs. A. E. Hines, Master Hines, Mrs. Geo. Palmer, Mrs. D. C. Little, Mrs. John Graham and Miss J. Buckland, of Vancouver.

## FRICION BETWEEN JAPS AND RUSSIANS

### MIKADO'S TROOPS AGGRESSIVE IN MANCHURIA

### Presence in North May Constitute Serious Menace to Fortress of Vladivostok.

(Associated Press.)  
St. Petersburg, Nov. 8.—According to advices received from Vladivostok there is constant friction between the Russians and the Japanese in Manchuria. The Japanese, according to the newspapers of Vladivostok, are continually pressing northwards in Manchuria with the apparent intention of establishing themselves in the hinterland of Vladivostok, where their presence would constitute a serious menace to the fortress involving the possibility of the resumption of hostilities.

The charge that the Japanese are fortifying the island of Saghalien in violation of the terms of the treaty of Portsmouth is reiterated by the Russians.

## THE MAIL SERVICE TO THE SOUND

### ALASKA STEAMSHIP CO. ASKS INCREASED SUBSIDY

### Action of Seattle Concern Regarded as Attempt to Coerce the Post Office Department.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Nov. 8.—The demand of the Alaska Steamship Company for an increase in the mail subsidy from \$2,900 to \$5,000 per annum for conveying the mails six round trips per week between Victoria and Seattle, is looked upon here as a hold-up pure and simple.

When the C. P. R. steamer is on the route it also carries mail, being paid at the same rate, thus giving two daily mails. The total cost last year was \$4,000. If the American company is given \$6,000 and the Canadian steamer is paid for the summer at the same rate, the total cost would be \$8,000, which is an absurdly high price to pay for the service. The American company, assured of no competition, is just now engaged in coercing the post office department. The citizens of Victoria should take up this and go the company one better.

### THE LETHBRIDGE STRIKE.

No Sign of Any Settlement—Hon. Mr. Motherwell Returns to Regina.

(Associated Press.)  
Regina, Sask., Nov. 7.—Hon. W. R. Motherwell returned last night from the west, having attended the organizing meeting of the beef inquiry commission at Calgary and paid a visit to Lethbridge in connection with the coal shortage.

At Lethbridge Mr. Motherwell met representatives of the union workers in behalf of the striking miners and also met the managers. Beyond saying that neither the men nor the company expressed any willingness to compromise their dispute and that he would report such facts as he had been able to obtain to the government for consideration, Mr. Motherwell declined to make any statement to the press regarding the Lethbridge situation.

### CHICAGO BLAZE.

(Associated Press.)  
Chicago, Nov. 8.—A fire early to-day in the moulding plant of Angus & Mackay spread to several adjoining buildings before it was got under control and caused a loss of \$250,000.

### BANK OF ENGLAND RATE.

(Associated Press.)  
London, Nov. 8.—The rate of discount of the Bank of England remains unchanged to-day at 6 per cent.

## THE ELECTIONS IN THE STATES

### SUCCESS OF REPUBLICAN PARTY IN CALIFORNIA

### The Entire Ticket Was Returned—Gillette Elected Governor—Reports From Montana.

(Associated Press.)  
San Francisco, Nov. 8.—The fuller returns published to-day do not materially change the first showing and the indications are that the Republican party has elected its state ticket from top to bottom. Gillette is elected governor by a plurality exceeding 13,000.

### Results in Montana.

Helena, Mont., Nov. 8.—Reports from every county in the state indicate that the legislature which will elect a senator to succeed W. A. Clark will consist of 57 Republicans and 43 Democrats, giving the Republicans a majority of 14 on joint ballot.

### Detroit's Mayor Defeated.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 8.—With but one precinct to hear from to-day, Wm. B. Thompson (Democrat), has defeated Mayor George P. Codd for re-election by the majority of 3,341.

The vote against the proposed new franchise for the Detroit United Railway, advocated by Mayor Codd and generally accredited with causing his defeat, was 28,833, with only 13,216 votes in favor of it. Under the proposed franchise the rates of fare would have been ten cents during the morning and evening hours, and six tickets for 25 cents the other hours. To give the citizens an opportunity to test the proposed rates of fare the company several weeks ago put them into effect on all lines. At midnight last night they were withdrawn.

### New York Returns.

New York, Nov. 8.—With nearly complete returns from 51 of the 61 counties in the state, Lewis Stuyvesant Chanler, the Democratic and Independence League candidate for lieutenant-governor, has a lead over M. Linn Bruce, the Republican candidate, of 20,557. The missing counties are Essex, Hamilton, Herkimer, Niagara, Ontario, Orange, Fulton, Monroe, Rockland and Yates. Estimated returns from Orange county give Bruce a plurality of 2,706, and an estimate from Monroe credits Bruce with a lead of 3,500 over Chanler. These figures, deducted from Chanler's whole plurality leaves him with a lead of 14,291, with eight counties to be heard from.

The returns are coming in extremely slow, and the remainder of the state ticket is far from being as near complete as is the local lieutenant-governor, and the possibility of forecasting the probable result is consequently so much more difficult. In many instances the county clerks to whom the returns of county balloting is made have not yet opened the sealed envelopes in which the official reports of voting are enclosed. Some of these probably will not be opened for several days, and as a result the complete official vote will not be available until that time.

## FIRE DESTROYS MANY HOUSES AT CANTON

(Associated Press.)  
Hongkong, Nov. 8.—A dispatch from Canton to-day reports that a conflagration is raging on the river side opposite the European quarter of the island suburb of Shamenee.

A strong wind is blowing and over a hundred houses have already been destroyed. The European settlement is said to be in no danger.

### ACCUSED OF MURDER.

Man Arraigned in London Police Court For Extradition to Germany.

(Associated Press.)  
London, Nov. 8.—Karl Stau, alias Hiu, described as a lawyer of Washington, was arraigned at the Bow street police court to-day for extradition to Germany on the charge of murdering his mother-in-law at Baden, Grand Duchy of Baden. The prisoner pleaded that the charge was due to misunderstanding and asked the magistrate to send him to Germany immediately for trial. He was remanded pending the arrival of evidence.

### EXTRADITION TREATIES.

Russian Government Opens Negotiations With Other Nations.

(Associated Press.)  
St. Petersburg, Nov. 8.—The Russian government through the foreign office has opened negotiations with the other governments with the view of concluding supplementary extradition treaties, covering fugitives accused of the preparation or appropriation of explosives for use in the manufacture of bombs.

Several governments have refused to deliver up such offenders on the ground that their offences were political.

### CALGARY CLEARINGS.

Winnipeg, Nov. 8.—Calgary clearing house returns for the week ending to-day were \$1,754,757.

## RESCUED FROM WATER-LOGGED SHIP

### CREW OF BARKENTINE LANDED AT NEW YORK

### Vessel Sprung A Leak When Two Days Out and When Sighted Decks Were Awash.

(Associated Press.)  
New York, Nov. 8.—Rescued when they were about to drop in the ocean from their swaying perch, six men, the crew of the Nova Scotian barkentine White Wing, and her captain, were brought to this port yesterday by the German tank steamer Mannheim, which arrived from Shields.

The men were: Capt. W. J. McLeod, Mate Alexander Luscombe, Mortimer S. Ewer (the cook), H. H. Wade, Gun. Brown, Manie Fuso and Sinclair Wilson.

With bulwarks just awash and her cargo of 400,000 feet of lumber littering the ocean, the barkentine was discovered drifting across the steamship track, 200 miles east of Nantucket, early Tuesday morning, by the glare of her signals of distress. Capt. Schau, of the Mannheim, at once bore down on the foundering vessel, and made out a half-dozen figures crouching on top of the forward deckhouse. A boat was sent out at once, although a heavy sea was still running. After a struggle the boat's crew brought back the survivors. The mainmast had gone by the board and the stern of the barkentine was stove in and partly under water. Only the cargo of lumber kept her from sinking.

Capt. McLeod reported to his owners that he left Bridgewater, N. S., on Saturday last. On Sunday the wind strengthened to a hurricane, and at 2 o'clock on Monday morning the vessel sprang a leak. The pumps were of no avail, and the vessel sank until two and a half hours later the decks were awash. A few articles of food were gathered from the cabin, and the crew huddled together on the deckhouse—the only place of refuge on the wreck.

## JUDGE SHOT A LIFE-LONG ASSOCIATE

### PRIVATE QUARREL CAUSE OF TRAGEDY

Baton Rouge, La., Nov. 8.—Democratic Congressman-Elect Judge Geo. K. Fawcett last night shot and killed his life-long associate and schoolmate, Dr. H. H. Aldrich, one of the best known citizens of Baton Rouge.

Hundreds of persons were near the scene of the shooting, but none knew what had passed between the two men. Judge Fawcett refused to talk beyond letting it be known that the matter was a private quarrel.

The shot was fired in a building opposite the Istomra hotel, out of which a crowd of society women were pouring, having just left a reception. Among these women were the mother and sister of Judge Fawcett.

Judge Fawcett was arrested in the building where he held court. Judge Fawcett is 38 years old, and at recent Democratic primaries he defeated at nomination Mr. Robertson, who had been representative in congress for twenty years.

### A FAITHFUL SERVANT.

Remains of Negress Buried Beside Her Mistress.

(Associated Press.)  
New York, Nov. 8.—Mary Jane Williams, a negro servant who changed jobs only once during her 70 years of continuous service, was buried beside her mistress, the late Gertrude Leferts Vanderbilt, the authoress in the Vanderbilt plot in Greenwood cemetery on Monday. When Mrs. Vanderbilt died, four years ago, she asked that the old negress be interred beside her, and Mrs. Vanderbilt's family saw that the request was carried out.

### FUR ROBBERY.

Goods Valued at Over Fifteen Thousand Dollars Stolen From Store in New York.

(Associated Press.)  
New York, Nov. 8.—Some time between midnight on Sunday night and daybreak on Monday morning, several men broke into the fur store of Harris & Co., and carried off in a trunk at least \$15,000 or \$20,000 worth of furs. The police have been working on the case for two days, but have made no arrests. The goods are all secretly marked, and the police think they will get the thieves when they try to dispose of their booty. The fur trade has been notified.



# Campbell's Prescription Store



We Are Prompt, We Are Careful,  
And We Are Reasonable in Our Charges.

## Cut Housework in

# 1/2

## By Using a Gas Stove

### Fresh Every Week, Cheese in Assortment

- CAMEMBERT CREAM CHEESE..... 35 cents.
- DE BRIE..... 50 cents.
- NEUFCHATEL 3 for..... 25 cents.
- CANADIAN..... 10 cents each.

## Windsor Grocery Company,

Opposite Post Office. Government St.



A season of great activity in the shipbuilding line appears to be near at hand. Mention has already been made of the work under way, namely, the construction of the new Princess Royal, the quarantine steamer Madge, the C. P. R. car barge, as well as the repairs in progress, including those of the Princess Victoria. It has also been announced that the C. P. R. Company propose building a new Princess of the turbine type, as well as a vessel for service on the west coast of this island.

And now comes the news from Vancouver that a sea going tug something after the type of the Sea Lion, owned by the Puget Sound Furboat Company, and of about the same general dimensions as that vessel, is to be built to the order of the C. P. R. this winter. The tug will be used in towing between Vancouver and Ladysmith the new railway car barge now under construction by the Victoria Machinery Depot. This craft, if built, will be in the neighborhood of 100 feet in length, and will have a speed of eleven or twelve knots an hour. Plans were prepared some time ago and are now in the hands of the Ottawa authorities. A steamer of this description is said to be much needed in communicating with the remote Indian settlements on the northern coast, which can now only be reached from the regular ports of call of the mail steamers.

**LUMBER FOR PRINCE RUPERT.**  
The steamer Princess Beatrice, which left last evening for the north, will call at Chemainus and take on about 50,000 feet of lumber for Prince Rupert. The lumber will be used in the construction of the new buildings now about to be put up by the Grand Trunk Pacific at their terminal townsite. These buildings will afford additional accommodation for sleeping and dining quarters for the staff of men, which this company is constantly increasing at Prince Rupert. The shipment will include rough lumber, siding, flooring, etc., and will be immediately used under the superintendence of J. H. Pillsbury, the engineer in charge.

**HAVE YOU PILES?**  
Dr. Leonhardt's Hem-Roid is an internal Remedy that entirely removes the cause of Piles, and cures to stay cured any case, no matter how long standing.

If you want a perfect and permanent cure, ask for Dr. Leonhardt's Hem-Roid, the guaranteed Remedy.

**YOU CAN SAVE \$13.15 TO-DAY**

**\$11.85 A SUIT**

A well made to measure suit from your tailor costs \$25. Thousands of smartly dressed men in Canada save that \$13.15. They deal with us and PAY only \$11.85.

**OUR SPECIAL FREE BONUS OFFER**

We will present every READER of this PAPER, who places an order for our \$11.85 Suit during this month, either

One Pair of \$6.00 Trousers (to measure) FREE.  
Or a Stylish Fancy Dress Vest, FREE.

TOGETHER with a really elegant PATENT SUIT CASE, entirely FREE with every order for a Suit.

Agents Wanted.

YOU ARE UNDER NO OBLIGATION TO BUY, and we will REFUND your money if you find either the Special Suits or the FREE GIFTS are NOT EXACTLY as advertised in this page.

We will send you, FREE OF ANY CHARGE whatever, a handsome range of returns, including our wonderful value Blue and Black Serge and Cheviot Tweeds, together with our latest New York Fashion Plates. VISIT JUDGE FOR YOURSELF. Our home measurement system is so simple that no regular suit measurements (which require an extra labor) to enable us to give a PERFECTLY FITTING tailor made garment. You choose your own gift and pattern. Address: to-day,

The Mail-Fit Clothing Co., Pattern Department, Montana St., Montreal, Can.

## INSURANCE UNDERWRITERS PRESENT MEMORIAL

(Special to the Times.)  
Ottawa, Nov. 8.—The insurance commission is about winding up public meetings. It was receiving to-day a memorial from the Underwriters' Association. They protested against any rebate being given in the interest of a business, that be made a criminal offence to offer or to accept on the part of anyone any rebate, and that legislation by the Dominion and provinces be passed in this regard. Outside this one point they asked that restrictive legislation be passed upon the insurance business. Companies ought to be free to do all that they desired to promote and increase their business. The average commission was 48 per cent; that was none too large. In some cases it went as high as 50 and 60 per cent, but the average was 48. New York laws should not be followed too closely. There should be no restrictions on investments.

## AT THE THEATRES.

"The Sign of the Cross" at the Victoria—Coming Attractions—Empress Stock Company.  
Old, yet not faded, reiterated, but not to death. "The Sign of the Cross," most powerful and absorbing of all modern religious plays, returned to the Victoria theatre last evening to meet with its usual enthusiastic reception. When Wilson Barrett gave to the world his great production in both cold print and living emotion he probably immortalized not only himself, but his book and his play. A play that has few rivals in the intensity of its dramatic incident, "The Sign of the Cross" can be witnessed a dozen times without losing its grip on the spectator for, in writing it, the English dramatist recalled drama and realism as few contemporaries have done.

Last evening the play was well staged, well played, and, of course, well received. To attempt a description, however brief, of the play, would be impossible in view of the limited space available; but bouquets must be handed out to all concerned for the staging and playing of scene 3, act 3.  
Last evening James Gordon deservedly won the appreciation of the house for his Marcus Superbus, a strong and powerful piece of work. As Merula, Miss Madge Corcoran was perfection, and, after her natural and beautiful portrayal of the Christian Lily, this clever actress will always be sure of a friendly reception here.

**Friday's Musical Event.**  
Musical circles in Victoria are agog over the coming appearance in this city of Miss Ellen Beach Yaw, who is booked at the Victoria theatre for Friday evening. Miss Yaw is conceded to be one of the greatest sopranos—the United States has yet produced, and her engagement is looked upon as a musical treat. This talented lady, already announced, has been induced to appear in Victoria, together with Victor Schertlinger, a young but distinguished violinist, and Mme. Malca, an equally accomplished pianist, for the enterprise of the Victoria Musical Society. The event will be the second concert of the season in the series which this society purpose conducting.

**MARINE NOTES.**  
E. M. S. Moana, which sails for Australia to-morrow, will carry among her passengers, E. W. W. and H. Marlowe of Wakner's Landing, Washington, who will tour the South Pacific for the purpose of introducing Washington fruit.  
The steamer Tees arrived at the outer wharf this morning and discharged a consignment of salmon, which she brought from northern British Columbia points.

The Adderley will leave Chemainus to-night for the Lisbeth, another lumber carrier, loading at the Chemainus, will leave the mill towards the end of the week.  
The ship Eliza Linn will vacate the dry dock this evening after being on the docks for a couple of days undergoing a cleaning and painting.

**GOING TO PRINCE RUPERT.**  
Fred. W. Davey will organize Customs Branch There.

**THE MACLACHLAN CONCERT.**  
Miss Jessie MacLachlan's decision to retire at the close of her present tour being irrevocable, her managers have arranged that it shall be a long one, affording her opportunity to renew acquaintance with the friends she has made in every part of the globe where English-speaking communities are found.

**EMPERESS THEATRE.**  
To-night the Empress stock company will present, for the first time in Canada, a strong English drama entitled "The Mysterious Lord Deverell." This play ran for two successful seasons at the Queen's theatre, London, and made a big hit with metropolitan audiences. The cast will be augmented by new players, and Empress patrons will no doubt be afforded a great entertainment. Miss Bertha Knotvold, and Messrs. Hoolley and Diamond will sustain the leading roles, which should be well within their capabilities, and the production should draw good houses.

**STUCK BY LIGHTNING.**  
Nately describes the celerity of Putnam's-Corn Extractor. Roots come out in short order. Causes no pain, leaves no scars, and gives perfect satisfaction. Remember there is only one "beat"—that's Putnam's—fifty years in use.

**Hungry Hair**  
Perhaps your mother has this hair! But that is no reason why you must go through life with half-starved hair. If you want long, thick, heavy hair, you must feed it. Feed it with a regular hair-food—Ayer's Hair Vigor. Well-fed hair stops falling out, keeps soft and smooth, and grows long and heavy. Feed your starving hair with Ayer's Hair Vigor!

## LOCAL NEWS

J. Leslie Foster has opened a studio at room 38, Five Sisters' block, and is prepared to take pupils in voice culture and singing.

A political meeting has been arranged for this evening at Cedar Hill. Premier McBride will address the gathering, and it is also expected that D. M. Eberts, K. C., and others will be present and speak.

According to the Frank paper A. C. Flumerfelt, of this city, and H. N. Baber, president and vice-president respectively of the International Coal Company, have acquired control of the Alberta Coal Company, which has 4,000 acres about a mile east of Lundbrock.

In the police court, this morning Halem, a Saanich Indian, was fined \$8 and \$1 costs for being drunk and disorderly. A white man was fined \$2.50 for a similar offence. Herbert Hunt, charged with vagrancy, failed to put in an appearance and a warrant was issued for his appearance.

The Oak Bay municipal council will hold a special meeting at 11 a. m. tomorrow in the office of the reeve, Harrison street. Tenders for sewerage and road work will be considered together with other business. At the regular meeting on Monday nothing but routine work was transacted.

A petition is being circulated in the city which reads as follows: "We, the undersigned citizens and electors of the city of Victoria, petition your honorable body to submit a referendum by-law to the electors of the city, providing for the abolition of shop liquor licenses in grand stores."

The annual grand camp of the Artie Brotherhood opened its session in Vancouver yesterday, many delegates from all parts of the province, and from Alaskan towns, being present. Sixty members of the order made the trip from Seattle to Vancouver on the steamer Walleale, which was specially chartered for the occasion.

Geo. W. Mitchell, son of the late James Mitchell, who has resided in Seattle for some years, has arrived in Victoria, and has taken over the business formerly conducted by his father. He will represent E. B. Eddy & Company in this city, and carry on the other branches of the commission business done by the late James Mitchell.

The school trustees held a special meeting in the secretary's office yesterday afternoon to award the contracts for the year's school supplies. P. R. Smith will supply practice paper, the Pope Stationery Company, drawing paper, and D. Spencer, Ltd., chalks, blotting papers, pencils, No. 2 drawing paper and slate pencils. The by-law to authorize the sale of a portion of Beacon Hill park was discussed, and the secretary was instructed to communicate with the city council, laying before it a strong protest from the board. Those present at the meeting were: Chairman Huggest and Trustees Jay, Lewis, Riddell, McKewen and Mrs. Jenkins.

Great rocks which now impede navigation on the Skeena river, are to be blasted out this winter, according to advice brought from the north. The work will be carried out by the crew of the steamer Pheasant, which is now making her last trip for the season in the north. She will probably spend three weeks at Kitlas canyon, and during this time her crew will endeavor to clear away enough of the rocks at the narrowest part of the river to do away with the roping of boats through the gorge. The steamer Hazelton has been pulled out on the way at Eslington, and will stay there for the winter. Her captain, officers and crew are now waiting to come down on the Camosun.

**CHARGED WITH FORGERY.**  
L. K. Kerbaugh, of New Westminster, Arrested This Afternoon in Victoria.  
Chief of Police Langley received a telegram from the chief of police at New Westminster about noon asking him to locate and arrest L. K. Kerbaugh, alias W. Grant, who is wanted in New Westminster for forgery. The man was supposed to be in the city, and the chief immediately set the detective department to work, with the result that, less than two hours after the message was received, Kerbaugh was arrested. Particulars of the forgery charge were not obtainable up to the time of going to press.

**THE LOUISIANA TRAGEDY.**  
Report That Dr. Aldrich Had Been Warned That Judge Favrot Would Shoot Him.  
(Associated Press.)  
Baton Rouge, La., Nov. 8.—What led to the shooting and killing of Dr. H. Aldrich here last night by his life-long friend and associate, Judge George K. Favrot, was still unknown to-day. Aldrich friends offer no explanation for his death.

**FIRE AT VANCOUVER.**  
Outbreak in Royal City Mill Caused Loss of Fifteen Thousand Dollars.  
(Special to the Times.)  
Vancouver, Nov. 8.—A destructive fire occurred this morning at the Royal City mill. Several dry kilns were burned. The loss is estimated at \$15,000. The property was partially insured. It is stated that the kilns will be rebuilt at once.

## Gentlemen's Umbrellas

We have a very fine stock of excellent UMBRELLAS for men. Prices are from 75c up and we give much better value for the different grades of prices than any other store in Victoria.

**WESCOTT BROS.**  
THE BIG DRY GOODS STORE  
QUALITY HOUSE  
71 YATES ST. W81901

**THE Taylor-Pattison Mill Co.**  
LIMITED.  
OFFICES AND WORKS:  
Foot of Garbally Road  
1 Block from Gorge Road, 3 Blocks from Douglas Street Car Line.  
PHONE 864  
ROUGH LUMBER, LATHS, SHINGLES, ETC.

**Granite and Marble Works**  
Monuments, Tablets, Granite Copings, etc., at lowest prices consistent with first-class stock and workmanship.  
A. STEWART.  
COR. YATES AND BLANCHARD STREETS.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

**WANTED**—Old copper, brass, zinc, lead and any waste material. We are dealers only in junk; we are therefore prepared to pay the highest market prices. Call or write for price list. Victoria Junk Agency, 30 and 32 Store street.

**TO LET**—7 roomed house in Victoria West, near car. Address Box 65, Times Office.

**FREE MUSIC LESSONS**—Two pupils will be given free tuition in singing. Apply in person Room 30, Five Sisters' Block, between 3 and 5 o'clock.

**ROOM AND BOARD**—Moderate terms. 109 Fisgard street, off Douglas street.

**EARN MONEY** in your spare time, easy work. Cut this out and mail to D. Beauchamp, permanent, Montreal, (Victoria Times).

**FOR SALE**—Good pony, suitable for lady to drive. Call or see in Montreal street, corner of Simcoe.

**WANTED**—A woman for house work, middle-aged preferred. Apply 4 King's road.

**FOR SALE**—Antique mahogany furniture, 3-piece bedroom set, washstand and dressing table, white marble tops, \$25; horse hair sofa, \$10. 17 Pandora avenue.

**CHARGED WITH FORGERY.**  
L. K. Kerbaugh, of New Westminster, Arrested This Afternoon in Victoria.

Chief of Police Langley received a telegram from the chief of police at New Westminster about noon asking him to locate and arrest L. K. Kerbaugh, alias W. Grant, who is wanted in New Westminster for forgery. The man was supposed to be in the city, and the chief immediately set the detective department to work, with the result that, less than two hours after the message was received, Kerbaugh was arrested. Particulars of the forgery charge were not obtainable up to the time of going to press.

**THE LOUISIANA TRAGEDY.**  
Report That Dr. Aldrich Had Been Warned That Judge Favrot Would Shoot Him.

**THE LOUISIANA TRAGEDY.**  
Report That Dr. Aldrich Had Been Warned That Judge Favrot Would Shoot Him.

**THE LOUISIANA TRAGEDY.**  
Report That Dr. Aldrich Had Been Warned That Judge Favrot Would Shoot Him.

**THE LOUISIANA TRAGEDY.**  
Report That Dr. Aldrich Had Been Warned That Judge Favrot Would Shoot Him.

**THE LOUISIANA TRAGEDY.**  
Report That Dr. Aldrich Had Been Warned That Judge Favrot Would Shoot Him.

**THE LOUISIANA TRAGEDY.**  
Report That Dr. Aldrich Had Been Warned That Judge Favrot Would Shoot Him.

**THE LOUISIANA TRAGEDY.**  
Report That Dr. Aldrich Had Been Warned That Judge Favrot Would Shoot Him.

**THE LOUISIANA TRAGEDY.**  
Report That Dr. Aldrich Had Been Warned That Judge Favrot Would Shoot Him.

**THE LOUISIANA TRAGEDY.**  
Report That Dr. Aldrich Had Been Warned That Judge Favrot Would Shoot Him.

**THE LOUISIANA TRAGEDY.**  
Report That Dr. Aldrich Had Been Warned That Judge Favrot Would Shoot Him.

**THE LOUISIANA TRAGEDY.**  
Report That Dr. Aldrich Had Been Warned That Judge Favrot Would Shoot Him.

**THE LOUISIANA TRAGEDY.**  
Report That Dr. Aldrich Had Been Warned That Judge Favrot Would Shoot Him.

**THE LOUISIANA TRAGEDY.**  
Report That Dr. Aldrich Had Been Warned That Judge Favrot Would Shoot Him.

**THE LOUISIANA TRAGEDY.**  
Report That Dr. Aldrich Had Been Warned That Judge Favrot Would Shoot Him.

**THE LOUISIANA TRAGEDY.**  
Report That Dr. Aldrich Had Been Warned That Judge Favrot Would Shoot Him.

## SPARK GUARDS AND WIRE FENDERS

Will Save Your Carpets  
We have them in Tinned Iron Wire, in Brass Wire, Full Lined with Fine Wire, in Black Iron Wire with Brass Trimmings. Sizes 24 to 36 inches. Prices from \$1.25 up. Another shipment of Coal Hods just arrived.

## The Ogilvie Hardware Co.

Phone 1120. Cor. Yates and Broad

**You'll Be Interested MIND**

**EVERY SHOE REDUCED!**

We so are much encouraged since the beginning of our "November Shoe Sale" that we will not let up until our massive stock has been reduced to justifiable proportions. A visit to our store will go a long way to prove our assertion.

## READ THROUGH THESE LINES

	WERE NOW.	SALE PRICE.
MEN'S UNLINED BOX KIP LACED BOOTS, double soles, honestly built, sizes 6 to 10.....	\$5.00	\$2.45
BOYS' UNLINED BOX KIP LACED BOOTS, double soles, honestly built, sizes 1 to 5.....	2.25	1.85
YOUTH'S UNLINED BOX KIP LACED BOOTS, double soles, honestly built, sizes 11 to 13.....	1.75	1.40
LITTLE GENTS' UNLINED BOX KIP LACED BOOTS, double soles, honestly built, sizes 3 to 10.....	1.50	1.20

## BROKEN LINES

87 PAIRS BOYS' STRONG SCHOOL BOOTS, were \$2.00, \$1.75, \$1.50; sizes 3, 4, 5.....	\$1.15
63 PAIRS MISSES' BOX CALE AND MILWAUKEE GRAIN LACED BOOTS, branded "Fullerton's Reliable Shoe"; sizes 11 to 2.....	1.70
38 PAIRS LADIES' PATENT AND VICI KID LACED BOOTS, turns and welts, military and wooden heels; were \$1.50 and \$2.00.....	2.50

## FULLERTON'S

62 YATES STREET NEXT TO IMPERIAL BANK.

**FOR YOUNG AND OLD**

You'll never learn younger to save the small pieces. This is not a child's bank only. It is for every member of the family.

Deposit One Dollar in our Savings Department and obtain one. We keep the key.

Interest compounded quarterly at highest current rates.

**THE NORTHERN BANK**

HEAD OFFICE, WINNIPEG.  
A WESTERN INSTITUTION FOR WESTERN PEOPLE.  
86 GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.  
GODFREY BOOTH, Manager.

## NOTICE

To Close an Estate

Separate tenders are invited by the undersigned to 12th Nov. 1906, for the purchase of the following:  
1. House and Lot, known as Lot 925, Victoria City (56 Quebec street).  
2. 27 1/2 Shares in the "B. C." Permanent Loan & Savings Co.  
The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. For further particulars apply  
BARNARD & ROBERTSON,  
Solicitors,  
Law Chambers, Victoria, B. C.

## Dutch Bulbs

IMPORTED DIRECT  
Johnston's Seed Store  
CITY MARKET.

A BUSINESS CAN GO WITHOUT ADVERTISING—So can a wagon without greasing, but in both instances it goes hard.



# CEREBOS

The Only SALT For Table Use

Always Dry. Does Not Cake

Packed in Tins by the Cerebos Limited, London

Sold by All Grocers.

## Walter S. Fraser & Co., Ltd HARDWARE

LANTERNS, AIR TIGHT HEATERS,  
and ENAMEL WARE

Call and Get Prices.

Wharf St. VICTORIA, B.C.  
Phone 3.



### Good Watches at Low Prices

In order to meet the growing demand for a GOOD timekeeper at a LOW price, we have put in stock a line of watches specially made with our name on the dial.

We have them in nickel, gun metal and silver cases, the prices ranging from \$4.50 to \$9.00 each, and we guarantee every watch to be a good timekeeper.

We have also a large stock of fine watches in gold and gold-filled cases, for those who need a more expensive article.

C. E. REDFERN, 43 Govt. St.  
TELEPHONE 118 P. O. BOX 22

### VICTORIA THEATRE FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4

#### Ellen Beach Yaw

VICTOR SCHERTZINGER,  
Violinist.  
MME. MASAO,  
Pianist.

300 seats in gallery at 50 cents,  
Prices, \$1.50, \$1.00 and 75 cents.

### THE NEW GRAND

SULLIVAN & CONSIDINE, Props.  
ROBT. JAMIESON, Mgr.  
General Admission, 15c. Entire Lower  
Floor and First Six Rows of Bal-  
cony, 50c. Box seats, 50c.

Week 5th November.  
PROF. CLARKE'S DOG, MONKEY AND  
CAT MINSTRELS.  
MR. AND MRS. TRUDELL & CO.  
THREE BANTA BROS.  
FREDERIC ROBERTS  
NEW MOVING PICTURES.  
PROF. M. NAGEL'S ORCHESTRA.

### EMPRESS THEATRE.

H. M. OWENS, Lessee and Manager.  
Starting Monday, November 5th.  
Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, with  
Wednesday Matinee, by Special  
Public Request.

#### "The Private Secretary"

Will be presented.  
Thursday, Friday and Saturday, with  
Saturday Matinee.

#### "Mysterious Lord Deverell"

A Sensational English Drama. Enormous  
Hit in London.  
Prices: Evening, 10c, 20c, 30c. Matinee,  
10c, 20c.  
New People in the Cast.

### THE FASHIONABLE PASTIME OF THE HOUR.

#### Roller Skating

#### ASSEMBLY HALL

Hours of Skating: Morning, 10 to 12.30;  
Afternoon, 2 to 5.30; Evening, 7.30 to 10.  
Excellent orchestra at evening sessions.  
Courteous and competent instructors  
free during sessions.  
Only first-class patronage solicited.

#### WANTED

Five and ten acre fruit  
farms and chicken ranches  
near Victoria. We  
have a number of pressing  
inquiries for this  
class of property from  
Manitoba.  
Would be pleased to  
treat direct with owners  
of this class of property.

#### LEEMING & CO.

22 Fort Street, Victoria.  
Phone 148. P. O. Box 61.

## THREE MEN KILLED EIGHT INJURED

### BY THE PREMATURE EXPLOSION OF DYNAMITE

#### Gold Found Near North Battleford - Railway Employee Electrocutted in Roundhouse at Hamilton.

Quebec, Nov. 7.—Three men are dead and eight are injured, one rather seriously, as a result of a premature discharge of dynamite at Lataque. The victims are all Italians, working on construction of the eastern division of the Grand Trunk Pacific.

Electrocutted.  
Hamilton, Ont., Nov. 7.—John Goddard, while helping a fellow workman to adjust an air-act in the Grand Trunk roundhouse last night, came in contact with a live wire and was electrocuted.

Bail Refused.  
Toronto, Nov. 7.—Counsel for Charles McGill, former general manager of the Ontario Bank, to-day applied for his release on \$25,000 bail. The magistrate refused to take the responsibility on his shoulders, and refused it.

Barque Ashore.  
Charlottetown, N. E. I., Nov. 7.—A Norwegian barque bound for Campbellton, N. B., is ashore at Black Bush, on the north side of Prince Edward Island, about fifteen miles west of Tasi Point, and supposed to be a total wreck. The fate of the crew is unknown.

Gold Discovery.  
North Battleford, Nov. 7.—Gold in what appears to be immense quantities has been discovered at Purling, a tank station on the Canadian Northern Railway, 42 miles west of here. The discovery was made by an old prospector named Hughes. Hughes sent samples of dirt taken at random over a square mile of territory to the assaying office at Ottawa. The report came back Tuesday that it had assayed at 140 of the precious stuff to a ton. According to Hughes the vein extends for ten miles and is over a mile wide. It lies in what is thought to be the bed of an ancient river. The precious metal is found in a soft shell rock which can be placer mined. The rock lies about ten feet below the surface. Hughes has been prospecting about the country for some time. When the assayers report came he told several friends of the find. He has taken out several claims and is now at work washing the dirt. Many citizens of this town are packing camping outfits preparing to rush to the scene to-morrow.

Montreal Vacancy.  
Montreal, Nov. 7.—The Conservative convention to-night unanimously chose Frank J. Curran as candidate for the vacant seat in the House of Commons for Saint Ann's division of Montreal.

Bazaar at Ottawa.  
Ottawa, Nov. 7.—A bazaar in aid of the Protestant hospital was opened to-night by Countess Grey. There was a large attendance. Lady Grey was accompanied by her daughters, Ladies Sybil and Evelyn Grey, and her daughter-in-law, Lady Howick.

The Street Railway Strike.  
Hamilton, Ont., Nov. 7.—There were no developments in the street railway strike to-day, except that the company stated it would be prepared to operate the city system shortly. One hundred men have been engaged and advertisements appear in the newspapers for more.

New Bishop.  
St. John's, Nfld., Nov. 6.—Rev. John March, aged forty-two, rector of the Catholic cathedral of Grace Harbor, was consecrated there yesterday into bishop of Grace diocese, succeeding Bishop McDonald, recently resigned owing to ill-health after twenty-five years in the episcopate. Archbishop of St. John's consecrated Rev. Archbishops McDonald and McNeil, of St. George's, assisting. Bishop McDonald also received the insignia, creating him titular archbishop of Gortyna, an honorary dignity conferred by the Pope upon his retirement.

Prairie Fire.  
Saskatoon, Sask., Nov. 6.—Word has just reached the city of a bad prairie fire about thirty-five miles west of here, by which some twenty-five square miles were swept almost clear. The construction camp of D. Bryson, contractor on the C.P.R., was struck by a sweeping blaze. The loss will run up to the neighborhood of \$2,000.

WAGES OF SWITCHMEN.  
Chicago, Nov. 7.—The Switchmen's Union to-day declined the proposition made by the managers of the railways entering Chicago to arbitrate the wages of the men for an increase in wages of 10 cents an hour. The railway managers then offered the men an increase of 2 cents an hour and proposed arbitration of the question whether the men should receive the 10 cent increase. The questions at issue are now under consideration with the prospects that there will be no strike.

"MADE IN CANADA"  
And the best in the world,  
COWAN'S  
MILK CHOCOLATE  
Croquettes, Wafers, Medallions, etc  
COWAN'S MAPLE BUDS  
and CREAM BARS  
Are the purest and finest Confections.

The Cowan Co., Ltd.  
TORONTO

### FROM ATLANTIC TO PACIFIC.

E. H. Harriman Secures Control of Line Across the Continent.

New York, Nov. 7.—By the election to-day of J. T. Harahan as president of the Illinois Central Railroad Company to succeed Stuyvesant Fish, E. H. Harriman has at last, it is believed, realized the fulfillment of his desire to control a line from the Atlantic to the Pacific ocean. In this great plan the Illinois Central was the one link missing to complete a line of track from New York to San Francisco and Portland, Ore., from the Great Lakes to the Gulf of Mexico, and from the Gulf to the Pacific. Until within a few months the eastern terminals of the Harriman system were at Kansas City, Omaha and New Orleans. The most important step in the direction of securing the desired outlet on the Atlantic seaboard for the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific railroads is believed to have been taken by Mr. Harriman several weeks ago, when it was reported that one of the roads under his control had taken over the charge of the Baltimore & Ohio by the purchase of a block of 40,000 shares of that company, which was sold by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

This would give Mr. Harriman a route from Chicago and St. Louis to Baltimore and New York. To complete the ambitious proposition for a continuous line from ocean to ocean it was necessary only to connect the western terminals of the Baltimore & Ohio with the eastern terminals of the Southern Pacific and Union Pacific, and this purpose the Illinois Central serves amply. Its line from Omaha to Chicago ties together the Union Pacific and Baltimore & Ohio, while the Illinois Central branch from Chicago to New Orleans gives the Southern Pacific entrance into Chicago and the seaboard. Taken together, this system, if unified, puts under one control more than 22,000 miles of track, capitalized at more than \$1,700,000,000.

James T. Harahan, vice-president of the Illinois Central, was elected president of the company at a meeting of the board of directors here by a vote of 8 to 6, the adherents of President Stuyvesant Fish not voting. The meeting is reported to have been a stormy one.

GOVERNOR-ELECT HUGHES  
ISSUES STATEMENT  
Says Election is a Rebuke to Demagogical Methods—Majority About Twenty-Five Thousand.

New York, Nov. 7.—At midnight to-night there was still doubt as to who was elected lieutenant-governor of New York.

Sixteen counties had not reported the official count at that hour, but on the face of the figures in hand, the result seemed safe for Chandler, of the Democratic Independence League ticket.

The total vote for the state so far as returned, including the Democratic stronghold of the city of Greater New York, for lieutenant-governor, is: Chandler, 694,234; Bruce, 513,473.

It appears that outside of the candidates for governor, and possibly for lieutenant-governor, the Democratic ticket is elected. In Greater New York Chandler's lead is 124,341, and this big lead Bruce must overcome in the up-state counties. Among the missing counties is Westchester, which gave Hughes 8,000 plurality. Republican state headquarters, while expressing the belief late to-night that Bruce would pull out ahead, would give no figures.

Chairman Woodruff said: "On looking over the returns of some forty odd counties, we find that Mr. Bruce has run ahead of Mr. Hughes by 600 votes, and I believe he is elected. At the present time, I do not care to give any opinion regarding the rest of the ticket."

Charles E. Hughes, Republican candidate for governor, has a majority of 52,000 approximately. To-night he gave out this statement: "It is a victory for sobriety and for decency in the administration of government. But the people will not tolerate indifference to the public wrongs. They desire neither exaggeration nor inflammatory appeal on the one hand, nor moral or political abuses on the other hand. The election is a rebuke to demagogical methods, and it is also impressive in its demands for responsible leadership."

"I shall address myself to the task of squaring the administration of government with the interest of the people, confident that I may rely upon the support of all good citizens—not only those who voted for me, but also those who, in their integrity, end abuses, and stand for my opponent. To the work of ensuring, to the extent of my power, the just administration of the government of this state, I shall devote myself unreservedly."

Mr. Hughes, accompanied by seven of the secretaries of the Republican state headquarters, left on the New York Central railway at Atlantic express at 7:30 to-night for State chair-home, "Kamp Kikare," about 40 miles south of Montreal. The party is due at Montreal at 3:30 to-morrow morning.

The Independence League headquarters claim that the whole ticket, with the exception of Hearst for governor, has been elected. At Democratic state headquarters the predictions or estimates were given out.

London Comments.  
London, Nov. 8.—All the morning newspapers publish long editorial articles on the result of the election in New York state. They comment on the close vote as an indication of the popular discontent with enormous combinations of capital.

The Daily Telegraph thinks the moral is that Americans while not quite ready to accept "Heartism" in full are heartily sick of being robbed by trusts and corporations, and are prepared to go a considerable way in that direction.

The Mail considers the result as an evidence of growing exasperation against trusts and their tactics, while "the Chronicle in a similar vein says: "Americans, if they are wise, will read the true moral, not in the majority against Hearst, but in the huge majority for him."

The Standard and the Tribune say

# CAMPBELL'S

## LADIES' AND MISSES' UNDERWEAR & HOSIERY

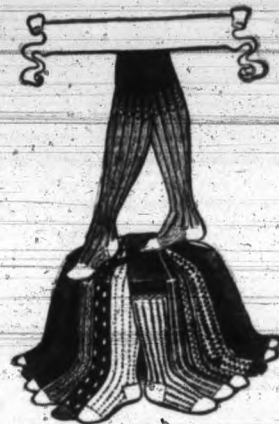
NOTHING is more uncomfortable, irritating and unhealthy than poor Underwear; that is why we pay such strict attention to the personal selection of our well-known lines in Underwear; each line receives its full share of this attention. We do not agree with those who think anything will do for Misses and Children, so long as the price is low. On the contrary, the lower the price the more necessary it is to keep a jealous eye on the quality. Our prices speak for themselves, viz:

35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50 per Garment for Vests and Drawers.  
\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.25 for Ladies', Misses' and Children's Combinations.

LADIES' FULL FASHIONED SEAMLESS LLAMA HOSE

A standard line of unexceptional quality, in all sizes, sold all over the world at 65c.

Our Price, Per 50C Pair



LADIES' PERFECT FITTING SEAMLESS HOSE

In guaranteed fast black; shaped leg. A line we specially recommend for its durability and fit.

Our Special Price Per 35C Pair

## ANGUS CAMPBELL & CO.

THE LADIES' STORE

PROMIS BLOCK, GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA, B.C. C. 1912

### GOVERNOR-ELECT HUGHES ISSUES STATEMENT

Says Election is a Rebuke to Demagogical Methods—Majority About Twenty-Five Thousand.

New York, Nov. 7.—At midnight to-night there was still doubt as to who was elected lieutenant-governor of New York.

Sixteen counties had not reported the official count at that hour, but on the face of the figures in hand, the result seemed safe for Chandler, of the Democratic Independence League ticket.

The total vote for the state so far as returned, including the Democratic stronghold of the city of Greater New York, for lieutenant-governor, is: Chandler, 694,234; Bruce, 513,473.

It appears that outside of the candidates for governor, and possibly for lieutenant-governor, the Democratic ticket is elected. In Greater New York Chandler's lead is 124,341, and this big lead Bruce must overcome in the up-state counties. Among the missing counties is Westchester, which gave Hughes 8,000 plurality. Republican state headquarters, while expressing the belief late to-night that Bruce would pull out ahead, would give no figures.

Chairman Woodruff said: "On looking over the returns of some forty odd counties, we find that Mr. Bruce has run ahead of Mr. Hughes by 600 votes, and I believe he is elected. At the present time, I do not care to give any opinion regarding the rest of the ticket."

Charles E. Hughes, Republican candidate for governor, has a majority of 52,000 approximately. To-night he gave out this statement: "It is a victory for sobriety and for decency in the administration of government. But the people will not tolerate indifference to the public wrongs. They desire neither exaggeration nor inflammatory appeal on the one hand, nor moral or political abuses on the other hand. The election is a rebuke to demagogical methods, and it is also impressive in its demands for responsible leadership."

"I shall address myself to the task of squaring the administration of government with the interest of the people, confident that I may rely upon the support of all good citizens—not only those who voted for me, but also those who, in their integrity, end abuses, and stand for my opponent. To the work of ensuring, to the extent of my power, the just administration of the government of this state, I shall devote myself unreservedly."

Mr. Hughes, accompanied by seven of the secretaries of the Republican state headquarters, left on the New York Central railway at Atlantic express at 7:30 to-night for State chair-home, "Kamp Kikare," about 40 miles south of Montreal. The party is due at Montreal at 3:30 to-morrow morning.

The Independence League headquarters claim that the whole ticket, with the exception of Hearst for governor, has been elected. At Democratic state headquarters the predictions or estimates were given out.

London Comments.  
London, Nov. 8.—All the morning newspapers publish long editorial articles on the result of the election in New York state. They comment on the close vote as an indication of the popular discontent with enormous combinations of capital.

The Daily Telegraph thinks the moral is that Americans while not quite ready to accept "Heartism" in full are heartily sick of being robbed by trusts and corporations, and are prepared to go a considerable way in that direction.

The Mail considers the result as an evidence of growing exasperation against trusts and their tactics, while "the Chronicle in a similar vein says: "Americans, if they are wise, will read the true moral, not in the majority against Hearst, but in the huge majority for him."

The Standard and the Tribune say

### Bath Tubs

Are an essential part of every household because the individual knows from experience that its part of the every day life to keep as clean as silk, lake water will permit. We claim that our cast iron enameled Baths cannot be excelled in quality, and the cost is now within the reach of everybody. Call and see them; it will be a pleasure for us to show you from the largest stock of plumbing goods in British Columbia.

We also have a large assortment of water filters at reasonable prices.

A. SHERET - 72 Fort Street  
P. O. Box 488. Tel. 629

### JAPANESE FANCY GOODS

Another consignment in the Very Latest Novelties in all kinds of Japanese Fancy Goods, Curios, Flags, Mementoes of the late great war, Silks and Linens, Ivory, Satsuma, and other handsome wares. Specialties for Tourist Souvenirs in endless variety, and to suit all tastes and fancies.

The Mikado Bazaar, 138 Government Street, Hotel Victoria Building.

### LAYRITZ NURSERY

CAREY ROAD  
Headquarters for Choice Nursery Stock of all descriptions and in all the leading varieties, including many novelties. Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Small Fruits, Evergreens, Roses, Climbers, Bulbs, etc. Now is the Time to Plant!

### WE SELL

HARDWARE  
NICHOLLES & RENOUF, Ld.  
Cor. YATES & BROAD STREETS  
PHONE 82 396 VICTORIA

W. B. SMITH, Manager. Phone 1171.  
F. BROOKS, Funeral Conductor and Embalmer. Phone 998.

### NEW UNDERTAKING PARLORS

35 YATES STREET  
1 Door Below Government St. Phone 892.

### Subscribe for The Times

### PATERSON'S COUGH DROPS

Quick relief and certain cure for cough, croup, sore throat and all irritations of the mucous membrane. Contains Eucalypti, Peppermint, and other purest and finest essences. They will cure you.



THE DAILY TIMES
Published every day (except Sunday)
The Times Printing & Publishing Co.
LIMITED.
JOHN NELSON,
Managing Director.

DISSOLUTION AND THE ISSUES.

It has been definitely announced that Premier McBride is going to appeal to the people upon the question of better terms. It is hoped the tone of the popular voice will be so loud and clear that there will be no necessity of asking Downing street to admonish the Dominion in regard to the rights of British Columbia. But the published reports of the proceedings of the Ottawa Conference prove that the Dominion has conceded the moral claim of British Columbia to more generous terms. All the representatives of the other provinces, while they aver that our delegate failed to elucidate his case with a clearness which indicated a complete understanding of the subject, have expressed their willingness to agree to an amendment to the constitution which would give special treatment to British Columbia, remove present inequalities, and thus place all the provinces upon a practically even basis. In that respect the conference of the premiers cleared the ground and prepared the way for a possible settlement. The unsatisfactory feature of the situation from the point of view of British Columbians is that just when an understanding had been reached and the way had been cleared for discussion and a possible solution, our premier refused to continue negotiations and beat a precipitate retreat. He could have no other reason for his stupid conduct than a desire to make political capital for his government out of the proceedings of the conference.

There are now unmistakable indications that the appeal to the people will be taken immediately. The premier and his active campaigners go forth upon a political tour of the Island this evening. Mr. McBride, however, cannot, if he has any regard for truth and the intelligence of his audiences (which he has not, and never had) take the position that the province was denied justice at Ottawa. The premiers of the provinces, according to the records, were ready to concede that British Columbia was entitled to special terms. The Premier of the Dominion and his Finance Minister advised Mr. McBride that the million dollars offered by the conference was not the ultimate limit to which they were prepared to go in order to meet our demands. They asked for further discussion and promised their services in securing additional concessions. But the delegates of the province persisted in his course of refusing to discuss any terms whatever. He came home, according to programme, also according to programme.

If he should be sustained in his position by the popular voice, what will the position of the province be? It is a bombshell to talk about taking our case before the authorities in Downing street. The Imperial authorities are too astute to undertake to meddle in the domestic affairs of any of the self-governing states of the Empire. Besides they will be fully informed as to the actual situation. They will be furnished with official reports of what took place at the conference, which show that while the federal power offered to treat with the representative of the province, the negotiations were easily terminated by Premier McBride. The possible result of a general election in British Columbia could contain neither a warning nor convey light to the federal power respecting the state of mind or the sentiments of our people. The records of our House of Assembly prove that all political elements here are united upon the question of the necessity and the justice of the demand for better terms. If the matter is made a political issue here, it must be upon the manner in which our case was handled and bungled by the Premier. That is a proper subject for discussion, and it will be discussed and voted upon despite the attempt of the Premier and his colleagues to give a false bias to the issue.

But the question of better terms will not be the real issue in the campaign the Premier contemplates. There are matters of more vital import than the question of better terms; matters that cannot be obscured by the efforts of the political spendthrifts and incendiaries who, in opposition to the real will of the people, have managed to secure political power in British Columbia. The necessity for securing more revenue is urgent; but it would not be so imperative if the natural resources of the province had been properly husbanded and conserved by the present government and its Tory predecessors in office. The development of the northern section of the province by the construction of another great transcontinental railway appeared to have placed a grand opportunity in our way of securing an abundant revenue. What use did the McBride government make of its very first chance to improve this opportunity? It practically gave away the Pacific coast terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway to a company of the male and female favorites, on the plea that the said male and female favorites were going to "procure the location" of the terminus of the road in British Columbia and on Kalen land. The company was bound by contract to have its terminus in British Columbia, and it is not exactly clear that it could have terminated its line

anywhere else than on the Pacific seaboard. There will be other valuable townships on the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific and within the confines of British Columbia. If the present government be retained in power, what guarantee is there that it will not in like manner dispose of other valuable assets of the province? It has already during its three years' term of office dissipated provincial resources worth millions of dollars. Can it be safely trusted to administer our valuable estate—our estate which is going to be greatly enhanced in value within the next few years by railway enterprises which are due to the wisdom and foresight of the federal government—for another term? That is the real issue before the people, and which will be brought more directly before the people by the dissolution of the legislature. The McBride government will be on trial then, not the premiers of the other provinces nor the federal government. The manner in which Premier McBride conducted the negotiations for better terms may be made an incidental issue; but the question of better terms is one upon which public opinion is practically unanimous.

TROUBLES OF FEDERATIONS.

The Austrian Commonwealth has only been in existence as a federation for a very short time, and yet troubles have accumulated upon its head. Some of the states are dissatisfied with the terms of union and threaten to secede. But secession is a very grave matter to contemplate. It is a much simpler thing to federate than to dissolve once federation has been accomplished. The United States, the greatest and most powerful of all federations, was also called upon to pass through the waters of tribulation in the course of its career. After the most terrible struggle in history the States have settled down in prospect of lasting peace and harmony. They are not troubled with any questions of better terms. Our information about the workings of the American system is not very clear, but we understand each state stands upon its own feet, levies taxation for its own special purposes and receives no subsidies whatever from the great central power. And the states have surrendered all rights to levy customs duties, and doubtless other analogous sources of revenue.

A British contemporary, after commenting upon the conference of our provincial premiers at Ottawa and the matters brought up for discussion, says the cause of the trouble in Australia also is mainly financial. One result of federation was to transfer from the individual states the power of levying and collecting customs. A commonwealth tariff took the place of the old state customs, and the extent to which the constituent states should share in the product of the general revenues was one of the knotty points that had to be settled before federation could become an accomplished fact. Eventually what was called the Braddon clause was enacted. The effect of this was that any surplus of customs revenue was to be distributed according to a quinquennial valuation of the just contribution of each colony to the general trade and its just share in the general expenditure of the commonwealth. For some reason or other this arrangement has failed to give satisfaction. Perhaps because federal government has facilitated progress and so increased expenditure, the states have made complaint of their growing burdens and the insufficiency of the relief at present received. Accordingly the federal government has set itself to try and devise a remedy. Sir John Forrest, the commonwealth treasurer, has lately introduced a bill which proposes to transfer to the commonwealth the states' debts which existed at the time of the federation, these amounting in all to £200,000,000. Since that time debts amounting to £30,000,000 have been incurred, and these also Sir John Forrest proposes to convert as soon as the necessary amendment of the constitution can be obtained. The bill has passed the House of Representatives, but has met with a check in the senate. The Upper House has passed an amendment requiring that if any debts are taken over they shall be taken over in equal proportions, a proposal which had already been defeated in the other House. Meanwhile a conference of ministers and opposition leaders representing the various states is independently discussing the question. It began by resolving that it was desirable first to arrive at a permanent settlement of financial relations between the states and the federal government, such settlement to be brought about by mutual consultation between the authorities concerned. This conference followed up with a declaration that the commonwealth ought to grant the states a fixed annual subsidy. That, it will be seen, is neither the Braddon clause, nor the government bill, nor the senate's amendment. It can hardly be doubted that a solution acceptable to all will be ultimately found, and threats of withdrawal from the federation on the part of at least one state are correctly described, perhaps, as only intended to emphasize the need for adjustment. But there is no question that the federal machinery is creaking somewhat badly, or that there is serious friction in its vital parts.

Wizard Edison, having invented a storage battery that will drive wagons miles upon miles without the necessity

of recharging, predicts that in fifteen years the horse will be a curiosity, only to be viewed with interest in museums. A few years ago the great electrician issued just such another prediction on the strength of what he estimated his then contemplated electric battery would do. He has been a good while getting it to work satisfactorily. Even yet his machine is powerful and useful only on paper. It has not yet practically demonstrated what it is capable of doing. We would therefore advise all who have horses to hold on to them for a little while longer. Prices have not yet been affected by the prophecies of Edison. The old friend of man carries a very efficient battery of energy also. It is not so delicate in construction as the anatomy of the simplest automobile. It can be charged almost anywhere. And it is not so cranky in disposition as its newly-discovered rival.

Frederick W. Davey, who is reported to have been appointed organizer of the new customs district of Prince Rupert, has been long connected with the customs service in this port. Mr. Davey has given the Dominion efficient, able and painstaking service in the various positions he has filled with great acceptance. Recognition of his services is merited. We congratulate him on the promotion he has received and the Dominion government on the wise choice it has made.

In the meantime it might be well to let the water question rest in peace. We shall have a new council in the course of a couple of months. The duty will devolve upon it of devising some means of meeting the stress that will come with midsummer. By spring the decision of the courts and the data gathered by the city engineer should indicate the course that ought to be pursued in order to provide an adequate supply of water for the future.

There were many candidates in the field for political honors in the late United States elections, representing a considerable number of parties. And yet we hear nothing at all about any successes achieved by the representatives of the minor parties. The Republicans were first, the Democrats a poor second.

"Citizen," who has neglected to append his name to his communication, "not necessarily for publication," etc., complains of the discharge of firearms within the city limits.

CONSERVATIVE SENATOR'S OPINION.

Yankee World. Senator Macdonald, of Victoria, is a Conservative of Canada, a warm personal friend of Sir John Macdonald, who was ever an unwavering supporter of that statesman's policy. It may be said that Senator Macdonald has never wavered in his fidelity to the cause of Conservatism, and on occasion has not hesitated to express his views in the Senate or through the press in a manner that was at least frank and unmistakable. For he has the habit of speaking his mind on most public questions as they arise. Senator Macdonald has been a close student of the provincial demand for Better Terms, and has arrived at the conclusion that nearly all British Columbians have reached, viz., that Canada is largely in debt to this province. But the Senator thinks our Premier was wrong in leaving the matter to the Premier of Ontario, and battled for a larger sum, and, failing to obtain that, should have accepted the terms which Mr. Whitney offered—\$100,000 a year in perpetuity and \$100,000 a year for ten years. Mr. Macdonald fears that the Dominion government may decline to again consider Better Terms for British Columbia. While we do not entertain that fear, there may be others, and everyone knows the old saying, that delays are dangerous. There is another little saw that will apply here—"It were better to accept a half loaf than get no bread." Everyone will agree with Mr. McBride when he said that the province was entitled to a fuller measure of justice than the Conservative Premier of Ontario proposed to give us—so far as that went he had the sympathy of everyone. Even Mr. Whitney said he was sorry for him; and notwithstanding the fact that Mr. McBride would give no data, and was entitled to the old game-batteries and shuttlecock. Senator Macdonald is right in his denunciation of the Premier's course at Ottawa. It was not childish or silly. It was downright mischievous and harmful. Mr. McBride went there prepared for a row. He got what he went for and the province is the sufferer. In no way has Mr. McBride shown his incapacity as in his course at Ottawa. Brought face to face with the master minds of the Dominion he failed to impress them favorably and finally fell into a rage and scuttled off to New York.

The second number of the Collegiate School Magazine has been issued. It is a very creditable work, containing a number of original essays, by students of the local school. The editors announce their intention to improve the magazine each ensuing issue and to have it appear every three months. The magazine is well illustrated, showing views of the school, and also the Collegiate school cadet corps, acting as a guard of honor to His Excellency the Governor-General on his recent visit here. The editorial staff of the magazine is G. M. Bird, managing editor; E. E. Hutchinson, assistant editor, and T. H. Wilkinson, sporting editor.

An effort is to be made to enlist a volunteer crew consisting of ten boatmen for the life boat. Applications will be received at the office of the marine department, Wharf street, where particulars may be obtained also.

SUIAN MARU GOES FREE THIS EVENING

Fines Against Japanese Schooner Have Been Paid and Clearance Will Be Given.

After lying under seal at Esquimaux for nearly three weeks, during which time heavy fines were imposed on her, the Japanese schooner Suian Maru will to-day obtain her release and clearance, and will leave as soon as possible for the Fraser river to load salmon for points in Japan.

The Suian Maru's escape and capture caused a mild sensation at the time, and there was much speculation as to the course which would be adopted by the customs, quarantine and immigration departments, the regulations of which she had contravened. Customs Collector Newbury led off by fining her \$800, and Dr. Mihne, immigration and medical inspector, brought an action on shortly afterwards which resulted in a further fine of \$2,375 being imposed on her.

The secretary of the Japanese consulate has, for some time past, been assisting the charterer of the vessel, Okawa, to raise sufficient money to clear the vessel. Okawa owns property on the mainland, and has a good standing among his fellow countrymen in the province, so that he was enabled to obtain a loan sufficient to cover the fines. This morning an official of the Japanese consul, acting on behalf of the charterer and captain of the schooner, paid the fines imposed and asked for the vessel's clearance. As no other charge has been preferred against her the Suian Maru will leave either this evening or to-morrow morning. The Japanese emigrants who were landed at Beecher bay and afterwards recaptured have been released.

PERSONAL.

A Maxwell Smith, Dominion fruit inspector, who is registered at the New England, speaks very encouragingly of the fruit crop of British Columbia during the last season. The prices realized have been good, and he noticed on his visits that greater attention was being paid to the varieties planted.

James McDonald, one of the pioneers of Edmonton, is in the city, a guest at the Dominion. He has conceived such a liking for the city of Victoria that he contemplates disposing of his interests in the prairie city and making this his permanent home.

L. E. Joseph, the lumber man, and F. W. Bolton, of Port Renfrew, are at the Dominion.

G. Scott and George K. Richmond, of Bamfield Creek, are guests at the Dominion.

John Prentice and Walter Hepburn, of Vancouver, are staying at the King Edward.

Mayor P. S. Sannalmo was a guest at the King Edward last night.

F. W. Bolton, wife and son, of Vernon, are staying at the Dominion.

John A. Taylor, of Toronto, is at the King Edward. Arthur H. Carley, of Nelson, is registered at the Driad.

On account of the Sunday school convention in Calvary Baptist church, the regular Thursday evening prayer service will not be held.

—35c, flannellette, elegant pattern, 36-inch; 1st month, 10c. Robinson's cash-store, 56 Yates street.

Steedman's SOOTHING Powders. Relieves FEVERISH HEAT. Prevent FITS, CONVULSIONS, etc. Preserve a healthy state of the constitution in CHILDREN. Please observe the EE in STEEDMAN. CONTAIN NO POISON.

SELF CURE NO FICTION! MARVEL UPON MARVEL! NO SUFFERER NEED NOW DESPAIR. THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY THERAPION. A complete revolution has been wrought in this department of medical science, and thousands have been restored to health and happiness who had been merely dragging out a miserable existence.

David Spencer Ltd. WESTERN CANADA'S BIG STORE

Silk Blouse Sale Friday

267 Blouse Values, \$2.50 to \$15.00. Friday \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.50, and \$5.00.

50 Only Silk Blouses. Deep yoke, made of insertion in silk, finished with bertha edged in insertion, L. S., with deep cuff of insertion and silk. FRIDAY \$1.50.

26 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Entire front made of rows of insertion and lace; elbow sleeves with deep frill edged with lace; lace collar. FRIDAY \$1.50.

26 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. With deep yoke, tucks and insertion; lower part of front with two rows of insertion; elbow sleeves with wide band of insertion, deep frilled made of insertion and silk, edged with lace collar. FRIDAY \$1.50.

20 Only Ladies' Silk Waists. Fancy tucked yoke, Bertha shaped yoke of tucks and insertion; back with rows of fine tucking; elbow sleeve, finished with grey cuff and insertion and lace; lace collar. FRIDAY \$1.50.

20 Only Ladies' China Silk Blouses. Navy, black, brown and green, 4 rows of tucking in front; back made of bias tucks; long sleeves, with cuff of hand stitched and tucks; wide hand stitched box pleat down front. FRIDAY \$1.50.

10 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Deep yoke made of bias tuck, silk and insertion, finished with deep shirred Bertha, edged with lace; wide box pleat down front, with row of insertion on either side; long sleeve, deep cuff made of tucks and insertion; lace collar. FRIDAY \$2.50.

7 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. With 3 rows of hand stitched tucks on either side of front; finish-ornaments of lace, wide hand stitched box pleat down front, long sleeves, upper part made of fine tucks and insertion; deep cuff made of tucks and insertion; lace collar. FRIDAY \$2.50.

7 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. With 3 rows of hand stitched tucks on either side of front; finish-ornaments of lace, wide hand stitched box pleat down front, long sleeves, upper part made of fine tucks and insertion; deep cuff made of tucks and insertion; lace collar. FRIDAY \$2.50.

7 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. With 3 rows of hand stitched tucks on either side of front; finish-ornaments of lace, wide hand stitched box pleat down front, long sleeves, upper part made of fine tucks and insertion; deep cuff made of tucks and insertion; lace collar. FRIDAY \$2.50.

7 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. With 3 rows of hand stitched tucks on either side of front; finish-ornaments of lace, wide hand stitched box pleat down front, long sleeves, upper part made of fine tucks and insertion; deep cuff made of tucks and insertion; lace collar. FRIDAY \$2.50.

7 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. With 3 rows of hand stitched tucks on either side of front; finish-ornaments of lace, wide hand stitched box pleat down front, long sleeves, upper part made of fine tucks and insertion; deep cuff made of tucks and insertion; lace collar. FRIDAY \$2.50.

7 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. With 3 rows of hand stitched tucks on either side of front; finish-ornaments of lace, wide hand stitched box pleat down front, long sleeves, upper part made of fine tucks and insertion; deep cuff made of tucks and insertion; lace collar. FRIDAY \$2.50.

7 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. With 3 rows of hand stitched tucks on either side of front; finish-ornaments of lace, wide hand stitched box pleat down front, long sleeves, upper part made of fine tucks and insertion; deep cuff made of tucks and insertion; lace collar. FRIDAY \$2.50.

7 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. With 3 rows of hand stitched tucks on either side of front; finish-ornaments of lace, wide hand stitched box pleat down front, long sleeves, upper part made of fine tucks and insertion; deep cuff made of tucks and insertion; lace collar. FRIDAY \$2.50.

7 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. With 3 rows of hand stitched tucks on either side of front; finish-ornaments of lace, wide hand stitched box pleat down front, long sleeves, upper part made of fine tucks and insertion; deep cuff made of tucks and insertion; lace collar. FRIDAY \$2.50.

7 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. With 3 rows of hand stitched tucks on either side of front; finish-ornaments of lace, wide hand stitched box pleat down front, long sleeves, upper part made of fine tucks and insertion; deep cuff made of tucks and insertion; lace collar. FRIDAY \$2.50.

7 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. With 3 rows of hand stitched tucks on either side of front; finish-ornaments of lace, wide hand stitched box pleat down front, long sleeves, upper part made of fine tucks and insertion; deep cuff made of tucks and insertion; lace collar. FRIDAY \$2.50.

7 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. With 3 rows of hand stitched tucks on either side of front; finish-ornaments of lace, wide hand stitched box pleat down front, long sleeves, upper part made of fine tucks and insertion; deep cuff made of tucks and insertion; lace collar. FRIDAY \$2.50.

7 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. With 3 rows of hand stitched tucks on either side of front; finish-ornaments of lace, wide hand stitched box pleat down front, long sleeves, upper part made of fine tucks and insertion; deep cuff made of tucks and insertion; lace collar. FRIDAY \$2.50.

7 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. With 3 rows of hand stitched tucks on either side of front; finish-ornaments of lace, wide hand stitched box pleat down front, long sleeves, upper part made of fine tucks and insertion; deep cuff made of tucks and insertion; lace collar. FRIDAY \$2.50.

7 Only White Silk Blouses. Entire yoke made of insertion of lace and fancy stitching lower part of blouse; 6 rows of tucking upper part made of clusters of tucks; deep cuff of insertion and fancy stitching; lace collar. FRIDAY \$3.50.

10 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Entire front made of shirred silk with 3 rows of ornaments of lace down front and back; with deep

10 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Entire front made of shirred silk with 3 rows of ornaments of lace down front and back; with deep

10 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Entire front made of shirred silk with 3 rows of ornaments of lace down front and back; with deep

10 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Entire front made of shirred silk with 3 rows of ornaments of lace down front and back; with deep

10 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Entire front made of shirred silk with 3 rows of ornaments of lace down front and back; with deep

10 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Entire front made of shirred silk with 3 rows of ornaments of lace down front and back; with deep

10 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Entire front made of shirred silk with 3 rows of ornaments of lace down front and back; with deep

10 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Entire front made of shirred silk with 3 rows of ornaments of lace down front and back; with deep

10 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Entire front made of shirred silk with 3 rows of ornaments of lace down front and back; with deep

10 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Entire front made of shirred silk with 3 rows of ornaments of lace down front and back; with deep

10 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Entire front made of shirred silk with 3 rows of ornaments of lace down front and back; with deep

10 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Entire front made of shirred silk with 3 rows of ornaments of lace down front and back; with deep

10 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Entire front made of shirred silk with 3 rows of ornaments of lace down front and back; with deep

10 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Entire front made of shirred silk with 3 rows of ornaments of lace down front and back; with deep

10 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Entire front made of shirred silk with 3 rows of ornaments of lace down front and back; with deep

10 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Entire front made of shirred silk with 3 rows of ornaments of lace down front and back; with deep

10 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Entire front made of shirred silk with 3 rows of ornaments of lace down front and back; with deep

10 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Entire front made of shirred silk with 3 rows of ornaments of lace down front and back; with deep

10 Only Ladies' White Silk Blouses. Entire front made of shirred silk with 3 rows of ornaments of lace down front and back; with deep

17 Only Ladies Silk Blouses. Colors: Black, navy, green, helio-trope; with V shaped yoke made of strip of insertion; silk body of waist attached to yoke with deep shirring and wide hand stitched tucks and insertion; long sleeves with deep fancy cuff made of insertion and narrow bias silk; collar of same. FRIDAY \$3.50.

35 Only Ladies' Paillette Silk Blouses. With rows of fine pin tucks forming yoke so far as bust; box pleats down front to waist; sleeve made entirely of fine pin tucks and box pleats, with deep cuff of same; fancy collar and tie; back of blouse made of box pleats and fine tucking. FRIDAY \$3.50.

9 Only Ladies' Silk Blouses. Rose, pale blue, green, mauve; with transparent yoke; lower part of blouse attached to yoke with deep shirring; elbow sleeves, lower part of sleeves made of deep shirring edged with insertion and deep frill edged with lace. FRIDAY \$3.50.

8 Only Ladies' Crêpe de Chine Waist. Fancy colors; fancy yoke made of applique and insertion, lower part of blouse wide tucks and insertion, long sleeve, deep fancy cuff, also lace collar. FRIDAY \$3.50.

8 Only Ladies' Silk Blouse. Fancy colors; transparent yoke of Val, insertion edged with fine Val, lace, lower part of blouse made with wide hand stitched tucks, fancy shirred elbow sleeves with lower part made of insertion and edging to match yoke, deep frill edged with lace. FRIDAY \$5.00.

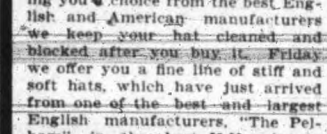
8 Only Ladies' Black Silk Blouse. Deep pointed yoke, lower part of blouse made of 2 rows of tucking on either side of front; wide tuckered box pleat down front; finished with small black buttons; tucked collar and tie; long sleeve with tucked cuff; back with 2 rows of fine tucking. FRIDAY \$5.00.



Men's Hat Department



In pursuance of the general policy of our store we are giving our Men's Hat Department special care and attention, and in addition to offering you a choice from the best English and American manufacturers we keep you that cleaned and blocked after you buy it. Friday we offer you a fine line of stiff and soft hats, which have just arrived from one of the best and largest English manufacturers. "The Pelham" is the best \$3.00 value in Victoria. FRIDAY \$2.50.



SALE ON FRIDAY OF Men's Fit-Rite Clothing. Regular Price \$18 to \$22.50. Friday \$15.00 a Suit. These suits are the very best made in Canada for the money. They are shape retaining and graceful in cut and finish. We have decided to clear these out at this price on account of our many sales leaving us with quite a few broken lines. Regular prices, \$18.00 to \$22.50. Friday \$15.

Book & Stationery Department. To inaugurate our Book Selling for Christmas Gifts we are going to offer you on Saturday 27c daintily bound gift books, sold elsewhere at 35c center; our sale price, 15c center. A large number of titles, among which you will find: House of Seven Gables, Autocrat at Breakfast Table, Ethics of the Dust, Dream Life, Cranford, Browning's Poems, Crucifixion of Pehrtru Strong, Idle Thoughts of an Idle Fellow, Flower Fables, Child's History of England.

SALE ON FRIDAY OF Men's Fit-Rite Clothing

Regular Price \$18 to \$22.50. Friday \$15.00 a Suit. These suits are the very best made in Canada for the money. They are shape retaining and graceful in cut and finish. We have decided to clear these out at this price on account of our many sales leaving us with quite a few broken lines. Regular prices, \$18.00 to \$22.50. Friday \$15.

Book & Stationery Department. To inaugurate our Book Selling for Christmas Gifts we are going to offer you on Saturday 27c daintily bound gift books, sold elsewhere at 35c center; our sale price, 15c center. A large number of titles, among which you will find: House of Seven Gables, Autocrat at Breakfast Table, Ethics of the Dust, Dream Life, Cranford, Browning's Poems, Crucifixion of Pehrtru Strong, Idle Thoughts of an Idle Fellow, Flower Fables, Child's History of England.

Book & Stationery Department. To inaugurate our Book Selling for Christmas Gifts we are going to offer you on Saturday 27c daintily bound gift books, sold elsewhere at 35c center; our sale price, 15c center. A large number of titles, among which you will find: House of Seven Gables, Autocrat at Breakfast Table, Ethics of the Dust, Dream Life, Cranford, Browning's Poems, Crucifixion of Pehrtru Strong, Idle Thoughts of an Idle Fellow, Flower Fables, Child's History of England.

Book & Stationery Department. To inaugurate our Book Selling for Christmas Gifts we are going to offer you on Saturday 27c daintily bound gift books, sold elsewhere at 35c center; our sale price, 15c center. A large number of titles, among which you will find: House of Seven Gables, Autocrat at Breakfast Table, Ethics of the Dust, Dream Life, Cranford, Browning's Poems, Crucifixion of Pehrtru Strong, Idle Thoughts of an Idle Fellow, Flower Fables, Child's History of England.

Book & Stationery Department. To inaugurate our Book Selling for Christmas Gifts we are going to offer you on Saturday 27c daintily bound gift books, sold elsewhere at 35c center; our sale price, 15c center. A large number of titles, among which you will find: House of Seven Gables, Autocrat at Breakfast Table, Ethics of the Dust, Dream Life, Cranford, Browning's Poems, Crucifixion of Pehrtru Strong, Idle Thoughts of an Idle Fellow, Flower Fables, Child's History of England.

Book & Stationery Department. To inaugurate our Book Selling for Christmas Gifts we are going to offer you on Saturday 27c daintily bound gift books, sold elsewhere at 35c center; our sale price, 15c center. A large number of titles, among which you will find: House of Seven Gables, Autocrat at Breakfast Table, Ethics of the Dust, Dream Life, Cranford, Browning's Poems, Crucifixion of Pehrtru Strong, Idle Thoughts of an Idle Fellow, Flower Fables, Child's History of England.

Book & Stationery Department. To inaugurate our Book Selling for Christmas Gifts we are going to offer you on Saturday 27c daintily bound gift books, sold elsewhere at 35c center; our sale price, 15c center. A large number of titles, among which you will find: House of Seven Gables, Autocrat at Breakfast Table, Ethics of the Dust, Dream Life, Cranford, Browning's Poems, Crucifixion of Pehrtru Strong, Idle Thoughts of an Idle Fellow, Flower Fables, Child's History of England.

Book & Stationery Department. To inaugurate our Book Selling for Christmas Gifts we are going to offer you on Saturday 27c daintily bound gift books, sold elsewhere at 35c center; our sale price, 15c center. A large number of titles, among which you will find: House of Seven Gables, Autocrat at Breakfast Table, Ethics of the Dust, Dream Life, Cranford, Browning's Poems, Crucifixion of Pehrtru Strong, Idle Thoughts of an Idle Fellow, Flower Fables, Child's History of England.

Book & Stationery Department. To inaugurate our Book Selling for Christmas Gifts we are going to offer you on Saturday 27c daintily bound gift books, sold elsewhere at 35c center; our sale price, 15c center. A large number of titles, among which you will find: House of Seven Gables, Autocrat at Breakfast Table, Ethics of the Dust, Dream Life, Cranford, Browning's Poems, Crucifixion of Pehrtru Strong, Idle Thoughts of an Idle Fellow, Flower Fables, Child's History of England.

Book & Stationery Department. To inaugurate our Book Selling for Christmas Gifts we are going to offer you on Saturday 27c daintily bound gift books, sold elsewhere at 35c center; our sale price, 15c center. A large number of titles, among which you will find: House of Seven Gables, Autocrat at Breakfast Table, Ethics of the Dust, Dream Life, Cranford, Browning's Poems, Crucifixion of Pehrtru Strong, Idle Thoughts of an Idle Fellow, Flower Fables, Child's History of England.

PATENTS

TRADE MARKS DESIGNS & COPYRIGHTS &c. Anyone sending a sketch and description will quickly ascertain our opinion free whether his invention is probably patentable. Communications strictly confidential. HARRISON & PATENT AGENTS. Patent taken through Munst & Co. receive special notice, without charge, in the Scientific American.

A handsomely illustrated weekly. Largest circulation of any scientific journal. Terms: \$3 a year; 50c a month. Sold by all newsdealers. MUNN & Co. 35 Broadway, New York. Branch Office, 65 F St., Washington, D. C.

TALKING PARROTS. From \$5 up. Shipped safely to any point by express. Write for Price List. We make specially low prices to get these birds in all parts of Canada to advertise COTTAM BIRD SEED.

COTTAM BIRD SEED. From \$5 up. Shipped safely to any point by express. Write for Price List. We make specially low prices to get these birds in all parts of Canada to advertise COTTAM BIRD SEED.

IF YOU ARE PARTICULAR ABOUT WHAT YOU WRITE WITH, BUY A

NO BETTER PEN EVER MADE THE STANDARD FLANGE. For Bookkeeping, Stenography, Manifold, and Correspondence a Fountain Pen with an Ink Joint away from the nib, and so guarantee it.

For Bookkeeping, Stenography, Manifold, and Correspondence a Fountain Pen with an Ink Joint away from the nib, and so guarantee it.

For Bookkeeping, Stenography, Manifold, and Correspondence a Fountain Pen with an Ink Joint away from the nib, and so guarantee it.

For Bookkeeping, Stenography, Manifold, and Correspondence a Fountain Pen with an Ink Joint away from the nib, and so guarantee it.



### HEALAL

A liquid coat plaster for Cuts, Burns, Abrasions, Hang Nails, Chapped and Split Lips, etc. Antiseptic, Healing, Waterproof, Soothing, Protective and Invisible.

10c. per Tube

**CYRUS H. BOWES,**  
CHEMIST  
98 Gov't. St., Near Yates St.  
Victoria, B. C.

### Choice & Cheap

#### Lot 986

120 Feet on Cook St.  
60 Feet on View St.

Let us show you how to improve this to produce a good income.  
**P. R. BROWN, LD.**  
39 BROAD STREET.  
Phone 1075. P. O. Box 428.

**SPECIAL SALES**  
TOILET GOODS  
COMBS  
BRUSHES  
SKIN TONIC  
PERFUMES, ETC.  
**B. G. DRUG STORE**  
F. Johnson Street.  
J. TRAGUE, Proprietor.

**DIXIE H. ROSS & CO.**  
F. CARNE  
FELL & CO.  
WINDSOR GROCERY CO.  
WEST END GROCERY CO.  
SAUNDERS GROCERY CO.  
ALL STOCK

**Garnegle's Swedish Porter**  
THE MOST REFRESHING  
MOST RELIABLE  
MOST ECONOMICAL  
STOUT  
IN THE WORLD.

Wholesale Agents  
**Pither & Leiser**  
YATES STREET,  
VICTORIA, B. C.  
P. L. 1904

### Bridge Parties

Whatever difficulties you may have in selecting and inviting those nice people who play bridge without friction, there can be NO difficulty in selecting suitable light refreshments, when any good grocer will sell you HUNTLEY & PALMER'S BISCUITS, at the LOWEST market rates, Alaska Wafers, Philippine Biscuits, Milan English Macaroons and Fancy Shortbread are ALWAYS delicious and in the BEST of good taste.

### PRETTY COTTAGE

Two Acres Fruit  
Oak Bay Avenue  
A SNAP

**GRANT & CONYERS**  
NO. 2 VIEW STREET.

### CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

W. V. North is prepared to give cornet lessons. Phone A 1223.

Electric light baths and massage; ladies and gentlemen. Phone B725; 219 Yates street.

You pay \$1.75 or \$2.00 for a best rubber hot water bottle that is only guaranteed for one year, because the makers knew by that time it is getting worn out and dangerous to use. Now you only pay \$1 for a Doulton hot water bottle at Weller Bros and it will last from ten to fifteen years. Just think it over.

There will be a meeting in the assembly room of the Victoria College to-morrow afternoon when the prizes, diplomas and medals won by the students during the last term will be distributed. Although no special invitations have been issued, a cordial welcome will be accorded to all who may attend.

T. N. Hibben & Co. have just issued a pocket map of Victoria and suburbs which will be invaluable to those engaged in real estate transactions and of great service to others as well. It shows in minute detail the whole city with streets, roads, shore line, etc., clearly marked. The plates were made by the B. C. Engraving Co., Times building. The book retails at 25c.

About 5 o'clock last evening Harry Willard, a painter residing on Jackson street, James Bay, met with a bad accident while working at the rear of the residence, No. 1 Whittaker street. He was standing upon a scaffold some feet above the ground when he missed his footing and fell a considerable distance, sustaining a fracture of his right collar bone and several minor injuries. Willard was removed to the Royal Jubilee hospital.

The annual sale of work under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society of the First Congregational church will take place in the school room of the church on the afternoon and evening of November 21st. The ladies have been preparing for this event for some time, and no effort is being spared to make it a success. One of the leading features will be a "table of home made eatables," which will be for sale. Afterwards tea will also be served. An old-fashioned supper will be served from six to eight o'clock. During the afternoon and evening the proceedings will be enlivened with music and vocal selections.

FOR HIGH-CLASS GROCERIES  
PHONE 34  
**Deaville, Sons & Co.**  
CASH GROCERIES  
Quality is the test of cheapness.  
This we guarantee.  
Cor. Hillside Ave. and First St.

**Pacific Transfer Co.**  
If you are leaving by the early morning boat ring up 'phone 249 and get your baggage hauled. Furniture moved to any part of the city at moderate terms.  
Wagons from 6 a. m. to 10.30 p. m.

### "THE MALLEABLE."



### King of Ranges

Can be seen  
at our Showrooms  
88 JOHNSON ST.  
We solicit  
your inspection

**THE MALLEABLE**  
MADE IN SOUTH BEND  
**Watson & McGregor, 88-90-99 Johnson St.**

### QUALITY AND QUANTITY

Always here for selection. Have you tried the new Brand of Swedish Porter? If not try some, equal to any.  
CARNegie's PORTER, pints, per doz. \$2.25  
GOOD OLD KILMARNOCK, per bottle 1.00  
CHERRY AND APRICOT BRANDY, French, per bottle 1.50  
COOKING SHERRY, per bottle .50  
COOKING BRANDY, pints, 60c.; quarts 1.00

### Carne's Up-to-Date Grocery

NEXT TO C. P. R. OFFICE COR. GOVERNMENT AND FORT ST.

### Hear Le Roy Dakin

Sunday, 4 p. m., at  
**Men's Meeting Y.M.C.A.**

Subject, "THE PRAYER."  
Mr. H. Washington will sing.  
This will be the International Association "Week of Prayer," recognized by the Y.M.C.A. of all lands. Meetings will be held in our auditorium, on Tues., Wed., Thurs., and Fri., at 8 o'clock, and led by Association staff.

### PHRETTI WEDDING

Rev. Dunlop and Canon Beauland officiated at Nuptials in Christ Church yesterday.  
A very pretty wedding was solemnized in the Christ Church Cathedral yesterday when Miss Phretti and Mr. Dunlop, assisted by Canon Beauland, officiated at the nuptial joining together of Miss Edith Maitland-Douglass, only child of Mr. Maitland-Douglass, of Chalmers, and Stephen C. Phipps, of St. Paul, Minn.

Magnificently dressed in a robe of ivory chiffon jeanne velvet, with duchesse point garniture, the bride was given away by her father and assisted during the ceremony by the bridesmaid, Miss Tilton, who was delicately attired in a princess gown ecru, lace over champagne silk, with ribbon trimmings of russet shades.  
The bride carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley, maiden-hair ferns and violets, and the bridesmaid a bouquet of chrysanthemums. The groom was attended by John Hughes, of Hudson, Wis.

A full choral service was held, and the wedding marches that usually ring out on such occasions were finely rendered on the organ by Mr. Pauline. A reception was held at the bride's home after the ceremony, and later Mr. and Mrs. Phipps left by the Indianapolis on their honeymoon. They will visit the eastern cities, afterwards taking up their residence in St. Paul.

### TAX RECEIPTS.

Returns Show a Large Increase Over the Amount Paid During October Last Year.

According to returns furnished by the city treasurer the tax receipts for October were much in excess of those for the corresponding month last year. The total for the past month is \$296,935 against \$288,067 received during October, 1905, the increase for this year amounting to the large sum of \$18,871. The total collections made during the ten months ending October 31st, amounted to \$2,373,394, an increase of \$23,691 over the corresponding period in 1905. More than half the total amount received during October was paid in between the 29th and the last day. In those three days \$173,162 was received, an average of \$57,721 a day.  
The exceptional rush of business made it impossible for the clerks to make out receipts fast enough, and many people gave their notices and waited until the staff had time to write them receipts. Large amounts were paid on the 31st, the last day allowed to the ratepayers to receive a rebate in their taxes. One real estate man alone paid an amount exceeding \$25,000 for taxes on city property, and another came close behind with over \$10,000.

### HORTICULTURE IN KOOTENAY'S.

Deputy Minister of Agriculture Tells of Conditions in the Interior.  
The deputy minister of agriculture, R. Anderson, has returned to the city from the Kootenays, where in company with Prof. Lake, he addressed meetings of the Farmers' Institutes.  
Mr. Anderson reports that along the Arrow and Kootenay lakes there is a great deal of attention being attracted to horticulture. Many localities are well adapted for fruit growing in its several departments, and orchards are being set out. About Kaslo there seems to be a very favored spot for fruit culture, but all along the lakes there are good locations. Between Robson and Nelson many orchards are being planted, and along the Crow's Nest Pass railway many plantations of small fruits are being set out.  
That section of the country, Mr. Anderson thinks, is adapted for intensive farming in its many departments and not for general agriculture. Horticulture is an important branch and there is also some giving attention to dairying.

For irrigation there is a plentiful supply of water generally near at hand, the mountains rising close to the fruit lands. In some instances considerable expense is incurred in clearing the land of stone.  
Mr. Anderson went to Calgary to attend a meeting of the commission representing western provinces, which is to go into the question of beef supplies and prices. Preliminary arrangements were made and it was decided later to begin sittings of the commission at Victoria and then proceed eastward.

Employees of M. R. Smith & Co. Take Leave of R. T. Clanton.  
R. T. Clanton, who for eleven years has been identified with the factory of M. R. Smith & Co. in this city, was presented with a valuable arm chair and an address on severing his connection with that business. Mr. Clanton has accepted a more lucrative position.

The presentation was made to him yesterday by the employees, C. F. Oliver reading the following address:  
Sir:—The employees of M. R. Smith & Co. cannot let the occasion of your severance with the company pass without expressing our regard and esteem, formed through long years of agreeable association. We have all experienced your sage advice, and profited by your counsel, which you were always ready and willing to give us. We would therefore ask you, Mr. Clanton, to accept the accompanying gift, which we hope will ever bring back to you happy recollections of a long and honorable career with a good firm. May you live long to enjoy many a rest in this chair, in the earnest wish of the employees of the M. R. Smith Co. factory.  
C. F. OLIVER,  
For the Employees.

In reply Mr. Clanton expressed his appreciation of the good will shown to him by those with whom he had been identified for so long.

### MUTINY OF POLICEMEN.

Suspension of Chief of Memphis Caused Trouble.  
Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 6.—A mutiny of nearly every member of the police force of Memphis, headed by Chief G. T. O'Haver, occurred here to-day. As a result this city has two chiefs of police to-night.  
Mayor James H. Malone sought to change the election day assignment of the patrolmen. Vice Mayor John T. Walsh insisted that the regular assignment of patrolmen be carried out. Chief of Police O'Haver said he would not consent to the re-assignment, whereupon Mayor Malone suspended the chief on a charge of insubordination.  
The mayor then appointed Police Sergeant W. J. Hayes acting chief. The patrolmen announced that they would receive orders only from Chief O'Haver. Mayor Malone visited several polling places and suspended more than 50 policemen.  
Vice Mayor Walsh and two fire and police commissioners held a meeting and passed a resolution reinstating O'Haver.  
The election was quiet and orderly.

### House-Clean Your System!

KEEP IT PURE AND CLEAN IF YOU DESIRE GOOD HEALTH.  
The inside of your body requires attention just the same as the outside. A great accumulation of effete matter is clinging to the various organs, and must be moved off.  
Some gentle laxative and tonic should be used.  
The system must be relieved of its burden if you are to enjoy a happy, healthy summer.  
Physicians who have examined the formula of Dr. Hamilton's Mandrake and Butternut Pills say no medicine could be better.  
Whether ill or not, thousands rely on Dr. Hamilton's Pills which are truly marvelous in preventing debility and sickness.  
Begin Dr. Hamilton's Pills without delay. You'll feel stronger, eat heartier, digest better, sleep sounder, and gain more in weight.  
Mr. Ed. Maynard, an old resident of Mr. Ed. Maynard, an old resident of don't say Dr. Hamilton's Pills will cure everything, but they made a quick job of building up my run-down system. I had kidney disease and constipation, and was wholly unfitted for work. Pains shot through my limbs and lodged in my back. Headaches often made me desperate. I had no appetite, an awful color, and felt dependent. Sometimes I was a little rheumatic. After a few days I began to mend, and kept up Dr. Hamilton's Pills till I was restored to my present tip-top condition.  
Can you afford to miss the benefit of this marvelous-working medicine? Think of it. All dealers sell Dr. Hamilton's Pills, 25c. box, or five boxes for \$1. By mail from N. C. Polson and Co., Hartford, Conn., U. S. A., and Kingston, Ont.

Men's wool socks, cheap at 15c.; yours at 10c. Robinson's cash store, 86 Yates street.  
Have you seen them? What? Why? Foxall's Xmas photographs. 25 cabinets only \$4 per dozen, until Dec. 1st. Don't miss it. Studio, 59 1/2 Government street.  
Notice.—Some special barbains for the next two weeks at the Bell Piano rooms, 41 Fort street, Victoria, B. C. J. A. Dawns.  
A pound party will be held at the W. C. T. U. mission, Yates street, to-morrow afternoon and evening. The ladies will be pleased to see all interested in this work, whether they make donations or not. An informal programme will be rendered in the evening. Light refreshments will be served.  
Silking (shaded), 25 cents per dozen. Robinson's cash store, 86 Yates street.

### The Most Critical Taste

SUCCUMBS TO  
**"SALADA"**  
CEYLON TEA  
IT IS SO PURE AND DELICIOUS,  
AT ALL GROCERS. BLACK, MIX ED OR GREEN.  
KELLY, DOUGLAS & CO., WHOLESALE AGENTS.

### Canadian Wheat Flakes

FRESH EVERY DAY.  
A Premium in Each Package  
35 CENTS PER PACKAGE  
**F. P. WATSON,**  
CROCKER  
TELEPHONE 448. 53 YATES STREET.  
BEST VALUE IN TEAS IN THE CITY.

### Superior Quality Again Triumphant

**Ellen Beach Yaw**  
Will Use a  
**Gerhard Heintzman**  
- - Piano - -

AT HER CONCERT IN THE OPERA HOUSE FRIDAY, NOV. 25TH, THE INSTRUMENT SELECTED IN PREFERENCE TO ALL OTHERS IS A SPLENDID GRAND BROUGHT HERE ESPECIALLY FOR THIS CONCERT, AND IS A DUPLICATE OF THE ONE RECENTLY SOLD TO LOCAL PARTIES FROM THE WARE ROOMS OF

### FLETCHER BROS

Superior Quality Music House  
93 GOVERNMENT ST.

### BRACKMAN KER MILLING CO., LTD.

SOLE AGENTS FOR  
**MYER'S**  
ROYAL HORSE, CATTLE AND POULTRY SPICE  
HEADQUARTERS FOR  
**FEED AND FODDER**  
125 GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA. B.K. 1908.

### Bicycle Bargains.

We have a number of high class English wheels on hand that we do not wish to carry over the winter, and will sell them at a most liberal reduction. There is one Coventry Humber, one Imperial Humber, three Royal Enfield, wire girder frames; 3 Royal Enfields, regular frames and some with 2-speed gears, as well as some other makes of good machines.  
Step in and see them; you will save money by buying now.

### THOS. PLIMLEY

OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE. GOVERNMENT STREET.  
**For Sale on Instalment Plan**  
Lots on Pemberton road, Government street, Douglas street, Carr street, Menzies street, George road and others. Houses built to suit purchasers.  
**McGarter & Drysdale**  
PHONE A102. CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS. 41 FIRST ST.

### Fit-Reform

### Rain Coats

Many men will wear them all through the coldest weather  
They like them because they are not as heavy as a regular Overcoat, yet their length protects the limbs.  
\$15, \$18 and \$20  
**ALLEN & CO.**  
**Fit-Reform**  
73 GOVERNMENT ST. VICTORIA

### HELLO!

Yes, this is the place to send your  
**BLANKETS**  
and get them washed thoroughly clean and smelling sweet.

### STANDARD STEAM LAUNDRY

PHONE 1817. 85 VIEW STREET.

### Ellen Beach Yaw Endorses the HEINTZMAN & CO. PIANO

From Personal Experience.  
Read what she says:  
Messrs. Heintzman & Co.:  
I wish to express my delight with the Concert Grand Piano which I have used in London and Toronto. I have greatly enjoyed singing to its rich and powerful tone. The singing quality is simply beautiful, and the instrument throughout is wonderfully even-balanced. Wishing you every success, believe me,  
Very truly yours,  
ELLEN BEACH YAW.

The Jessie MacLachlan Concert Co. use the HEINTZMAN & CO. Piano EXCLUSIVELY.  
**M. W. Waitt & Co.**  
LIMITED.  
44 Government Street.

### Building Lots

FOR SALE  
HOUSES BUILT ON THE INSTALLMENT PLAN.  
**D. H. Bale**  
CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER.  
Phone 1140 Eiford Street.

### KOOL-LAK IS A HIGH CLASS TOILET CREAM

It protects the complexion from the bitter north winds; it keeps the skin perfectly healthy.  
25c  
PER LARGE BOTTLE.  
**Terry & Marett**  
THE Prescription Druggists,  
R. E. Cor. Fort and Douglas Sts.  
Phone 704. T.M. 1906.

### El Principe de Gales

The King of Havana Cigars  
is sufficient proof of its excellent quality. In several sizes: 3 for 25c, 10c, 2 for 25c, 15c, 3 for 50c, 25c.

**E. A. MORRIS**  
THE LEADING TOBACCONIST  
GOVERNMENT STREET.





INDOOR BASEBALL THIS EVENING

STORY OF ITS ORIGIN AND SYNOPSIS OF RULES

Latest News Regarding Local Sport and Interesting Items From All Over.

Indoor baseball can be indirectly traced to pugilism. If there had not been such a sport as prize fighting there would have been no such game as indoor baseball.

As the second public game ever played in Victoria takes place to-night at the drill hall, between the officers and sergeants of the Fifth Regiment, a synopsis of the rules will be found below.

As played at the drill hall the floor is somewhat smaller than usual. The bases as now marked out are 37 feet in length. In playing the indoor game, ordinary baseball suits are the proper dress, except that rubber soled shoes are used in place of spiked ones.

The rules of the game are very much similar to outdoor baseball. There are nine innings for each side, the game being continuous as far as possible after allowing time for each team to change sides.

It is to be hoped the Fifth will be well supported in its efforts to introduce the new sport, and that there will be a large number of spectators to-night. The opposing teams are as follows: The first named being somewhat the favorites:

McClary's The Kootenay Steel Range has a large roomy oven Kootenay Range London-Toronto-Montreal Winnipeg-Vancouver-St. John N.B. CLARKE & PEARSON, Sole Agents.

municipals with the secretary, Brock Robertson.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL CENTRAL AND JAMES BAY.

Great interest is being taken in the opening senior Rugby game of the season that will take place immediately after the junior match at Oak Bay park on Saturday afternoon.

Including the victory over Yorkshire, mentioned in this column yesterday, the Springboks, in their first eight games, scored 23 points to their opponents' 10.

Regarding the Canadian championship an error was made in yesterday's issue. The Thistles, of Toronto, beat the Dundas team in the final match, not the first as mentioned.

Several members of the Centrals who start the re-played series against the North Wards on Saturday were seen today and appear confident of the outcome. The elimination of all players over 15, in strict accordance with the rules, makes the boys from the centre of the city reach this conclusion. They feel that, with weight and age equal, they can best anyone anywhere in the province.

What is probably the largest football trophy in existence has just been made at Sheffield for the football players of the Punjab, India. The English winter pastime has seized upon the inhabitants there, and the trophy, which is to be known as the "Lahore Trades' Football Challenge Shield," will be competed for by the clubs of the province. The trophy is a magnificent sterling silver cup measuring a yard high without the plinth and measuring two feet from handle to handle.

The annual meeting of the California Association Football League was held a few days ago when the roll call showed that seven clubs would put teams in the field to play for the championship the coming season.

Frank L. Sudgen, secretary of the Shamrock Football Club, has written the Seattle Times asking for Seattle teams to arrange dates for matches. It would be well for Victoria to co-operate in this movement, as also the Royal City and Nanaimo. In that event a series might be arranged, taking in all the Coast cities.

NO GAME SATURDAY.

Although the Victoria Hockey Club have made every effort to secure a return match with the Garrison on Saturday, it has been impossible to arrange it. Many members of the Garrison hockey team are also players in the football game, and their services cannot be spared in the game against the Fifth Regiment on the day mentioned.

POOL.

Some very exciting games will be witnessed in this tournament, which opens about November 23rd. Both Henaki and Robertson are among the players, and though they will be heavily handicapped, should show up to advantage. There are about 25 entries already.

THE SIXTH ORGANIZED.

On Tuesday evening the basketball enthusiasts met at the drill hall, Vancouver, and organized for the season. There is every prospect of a city league being formed, as a provincial one will follow as a matter of course. The Sixth is also negotiating with the Y. M. C. A. team of Salt Lake City, similarly to the Fifth, for a Victoria, announcement of which was made in the Times some days ago.

WIN FOR JAMES BAY'S.

In a rough game the James Bays beat a team of Y. M. C. A. players last night by a score of 21 to 7. At one point the manager of the "Y's" threatened to withdraw, but finally decided to see the game to a finish. The score does not, in any way, indicate the ability of the players.

TO-NIGHT'S GAME.

Roskamp and White are the captains of No. 5 and No. 6 teams that meet in the Y. M. C. A. league match to-night. The game is expected to be a close one, one player and none lost, but to-night's game will place one or other of the opposing teams in the same position. The personnel of the players to-night is as follows:

No. 5—Roskamp (captain), J. Peden, J.



STRANGE NATIVE RITES

In the virgin forests of that wonderful land, Australia, the ancient natives practised their weird and mysterious rites of healing. Much of their ancient lore will never now be known by modern man. Some of it, however, is known in certain quarters, and even modern scientists have been amazed at the deep knowledge of medicinal plants possessed by these ancient natives.

It is now well known that liver medicines, hitherto, in use, mostly contain bismuth, mercury, and other harmful mineral products. These mineral constituents are very injurious if taken for long, and produce such effects as that of loosening the teeth, causing the hair to fall out, etc. Bileans are entirely different and superior. They are purely vegetable, and are free from any such harmful ingredients as the above.

THE GAME DOWN SOUTH.

The annual meeting of the California Association Football League was held a few days ago when the roll call showed that seven clubs would put teams in the field to play for the championship the coming season.

VANCOUVER REACHING OUT.

Frank L. Sudgen, secretary of the Shamrock Football Club, has written the Seattle Times asking for Seattle teams to arrange dates for matches. It would be well for Victoria to co-operate in this movement, as also the Royal City and Nanaimo.

HOCKEY.

Although the Victoria Hockey Club have made every effort to secure a return match with the Garrison on Saturday, it has been impossible to arrange it. Many members of the Garrison hockey team are also players in the football game, and their services cannot be spared in the game against the Fifth Regiment on the day mentioned.

POOL.

Some very exciting games will be witnessed in this tournament, which opens about November 23rd. Both Henaki and Robertson are among the players, and though they will be heavily handicapped, should show up to advantage. There are about 25 entries already.

THE SIXTH ORGANIZED.

On Tuesday evening the basketball enthusiasts met at the drill hall, Vancouver, and organized for the season. There is every prospect of a city league being formed, as a provincial one will follow as a matter of course. The Sixth is also negotiating with the Y. M. C. A. team of Salt Lake City, similarly to the Fifth, for a Victoria, announcement of which was made in the Times some days ago.

WIN FOR JAMES BAY'S.

In a rough game the James Bays beat a team of Y. M. C. A. players last night by a score of 21 to 7. At one point the manager of the "Y's" threatened to withdraw, but finally decided to see the game to a finish. The score does not, in any way, indicate the ability of the players.

TO-NIGHT'S GAME.

Roskamp and White are the captains of No. 5 and No. 6 teams that meet in the Y. M. C. A. league match to-night. The game is expected to be a close one, one player and none lost, but to-night's game will place one or other of the opposing teams in the same position. The personnel of the players to-night is as follows:

No. 5—Roskamp (captain), J. Peden, J.

made their trip across the water. "Lacrosse in England is run on the strictest amateur lines. When I was back in England after our trip across I discovered that reports had gone abroad that some of our players were not good amateurs, and they were so put out about it that I intended on my return to forward affidavits to clear things up. No, if capitals are going to England with the expectation of getting games, they can stay at home."

YACHTING.

LIPTON RESTS ANOTHER YEAR. There will not be an international cup race in 1907. This has been decided at a conference between Sir Thomas Lipton and members of the New York Yacht Club. Sir Thomas yielded to the wishes of the club members for another year's trial of the new rules, and will not issue a challenge this year.

It is probable, however, that he will issue a challenge next year for an international race in 1908, and that the contest will be under the new rules.

INDOOR BASEBALL.

OREGON NATIONAL GUARD. The indoor baseball team of Company B, National Guard of Oregon, organized a few days ago. Most of the old players are still in the game, and all teams desiring games should communicate with Manager Sample, care of the Portland Journal. Company B's line-up will be as follows: Henderson, c.; Daugherty, p.; Lawson (capt.), r. s.; Lanford, l. s.; Williams, lb.; Sample (manager), 2b.; Willey, 3b.; Jordan, 1 f.; Gerlin, 1 f.

ATHLETICS.

Y. M. C. A. HARRIERS. There was an enthusiastic meeting at the Y. M. C. A. rooms last night, organized by a team of harriers. Physical Director Gregory was in the chair, and amongst the prominent members present were: T. Nutt, W. Bryce, R. Jones, J. Jones, E. Hays, Roy MacIntosh, and Fred Carno. Another meeting will be held this evening to complete arrangements.

ENJOYABLE BALL.

Musicians' Union Held a Successful Dance Last Evening. Last evening the first annual ball was given by the local Musicians' Union, No. 247, M. M. P. U. The A. O. U. W. hall, where it was held was very prettily decorated for the occasion. The floor was in excellent condition, and a very enjoyable time was spent. The music, needless to say, was of the best, being supplied by an orchestra of about 22 pieces. During the early part of the evening the new leader of the Fifth Regiment band, A. Stumby, acted as conductor, while A. Berger took charge for the remainder of the evening.

Refreshments were served about midnight under the charge of A. Belanger. The dancing was then resumed for some hours longer. The signal success which attended this first ball under the auspices of the Musicians' Union promises a good attendance at future dances given by them.

LATEST CANADIAN PATENTS.

The following up-to-date list of Canadian patents is reported by Egerton R. Case, solicitor of patents and expert in patent questions, 425-427, Hastings Street, Montreal. Henry J. S. Martin, St. Montreal, Que., metallic couplings for vehicles; Jno. Alex. Cavan, Winnipeg, Man., grain-pickling and cleaning machines; Julie Lemon, Montreal, Que., apparatus for testing pneumatic tires; Jno. P. Ross et al., Toronto, Ont., cans; Jas. Birrell, Winnipeg, Man., combination motor plough; Evan W. Mackay, Montreal, Que., rack drills; Herbert P. Boyce, Quebec, Que., apparatus for testing pneumatic tires; Jas. Lang, Toronto, Ont., turbine pumps; Michael J. Haney, Toronto, concrete cribs; Arthur D. Colquhoun, St. Mary's, Ont., compositions of matter for the removal of scale from radiating steam boilers; Aeland Orenyathka, Deseronto, Ont., steam boilers; Thos. McMurdo, Winnipeg, Man., apparatus for excavators; Ross W. Lamb, St. Phillips, Que., apparatus, Que., ditching and grading ploughs; Robt. A. Chamber, New Glasgow, N. S., apparatus for testing pneumatic tires; Albert Levy, Winnipeg, Man., variable electric signal; Wm. Schaefer, Montreal, Que., reinforced caskets; Hugh R. Shaw, Roseau, Ont., propellers for vessels; Geo. Yates, Montreal, Que., low water alarms and detectors.

OUTING MAGAZINE FOR NOVEMBER.

The Outing Magazine for November is made particularly notable by the beginning of Chester Bailey Fernald's new serial, "John Kendry's Men," a romance which, from the first installment, gives promise of being one of the most gripping stories of the season. Among the other features of the number are: a story by Lawrence Mott, "Love in the Wilderness," one of the best stories Mr. Mott has done; a splendid outdoor story by Maximilian Foster, a story of the Maine woods, "White-tail," entitled "A Waiting Game"; and "The Colonel's Arab," a distinctive little tale by C. de Crespigny.

Among the articles, besides a new installment of Dillon Wallace's "The Long Labrador Trail"—which grows more interesting and vigorous as the story of Wallace's journey of hardship and loyalty progresses—there are two entertaining human interest papers; one by Vance Thompson, about whom it has been said that everything he writes is always interesting on "The New York Cabman and His Car," and the other by Jesse Lynch Williams, author of "The Stolen Story"—a rattling football article entitled, "The Day of the Game." That remarkable bird photographer, Herbert K. Job, has one of his unique articles entitled "Photographing of Small Wild Bird Life on the Prairie"; and Clifton Johnson, whose photographs are always models of photographic art, about "Farming in Southern Minnesota."

One of the most striking features of the number are the photographs and papers by experts concerning the Cambridge race on the Thames, and the Vanderbilt cup race. And Mr. Lynn Tew Sprague's characterization of "Old Hickory" is one of the best of Mr. Sprague's series of historical sketches. The artistic feature of the month are up to the Outing Magazine standard, which is saying much, and there are numerous practical "How To" papers which are authoritative and interesting.

The Ideal Beer BUDWEISER is the standard of quality by which all other beers are judged. Commanding the highest price, yet leading in sales, proves that its superiority is recognized throughout the world. Sales for 1904, 130,388,520 Bottles. Budweiser "King of Beers" Anheuser-Busch Brewing Ass'n St. Louis, U. S. A. Orders Promptly Filled by R. P. Rithet & Co., Ltd., Distributors, Victoria, B. C.

Attractive Bargains IN BOYS' CLOTHING FOR Friday and Saturday. You save money if you buy boys' clothing here Friday and Saturday. We have placed on sale some extra special bargains, besides offering a 10 per cent. reduction on all other boys' clothing, suits, overcoats and top coats. There will be a rush for these two-piece suits. Don't delay getting your share. 15 only two-piece suits, All dark tweed patterns, well made, pleated front and back. Sizes, 25 to 30. Regular prices up to \$3.00. Choice Friday and Saturday, \$1.75 each. 12 only two-piece suits, Norfolk style, handsome tweed patterns. Sizes, 26 to 31. Regular prices, \$4.00 a suit. Choice Friday and Saturday, \$2.90 suit. Here's the greatest opportunity yet offered to save money on three-piece suits. 24 only, three-piece suits with vest, all dark patterns, new goods. Sizes 27 to 31. Regular, up to \$4.50 suit. Choice, Friday and Saturday \$2.75 suit. 31 only, three-piece suits, odd suits from our regular stock, a good choice of patterns, mostly Lion Brand make. Sizes, 27 to 31. Regular prices up to \$5.75 suit. Choice, Friday and Saturday, for \$3.90 suit. 19 only, long trouser suits. Sizes, 31, 32, 33, 34. These are extra good quality suits, but are all light colored tweeds, greys, browns and checks. Regular prices up to \$10.00. Choice, Friday and Saturday, for \$4.75 suit. EXTRA SPECIAL 14 only, boys' long overcoats, dark tweed patterns, well made and lined. Sizes, 26 to 31; \$2.25 each. 12 only, men's English waterproof coats, made extra long, Macintosh & Currie makes, extra good qualities, thoroughly waterproof. Regular up to \$12 each. Choice, Friday and Saturday, \$5.00 each. 25 boys' reefer coats, sizes for boys 4 to 16 years. Half price Friday and Saturday. \$1.75 REEFERS FOR \$1.00 \$2.00 REEFERS FOR \$1.25 \$2.50 REEFERS FOR \$1.50 \$3.00 REEFERS FOR \$1.75 Some very good coats in this lot for big boys, ages 12 to 16 years, well made, grey tweed lining, velvet collars, double breasted; at half price; they're decided bargains. W. G. CAMERON, 55 Johnson Street.

Boys and Girls Grow Strong and Sturdy when raised on pure, nutritious Bread. You'll have wholesome Bread the children will "eat without butter," by baking with PURITY FLOUR Made entirely from the finest Western Canada Hard Wheat by latest improved methods in the most modern mills in the world. That's why Purity Flour Makes Bread that Builds Bone and Muscle. Retailed everywhere throughout the Great Dominion. WESTERN CANADA FLOUR MILLS CO., Limited Mills at Winnipeg, Goderich and Brandon.

THE GUN.

As a proof positive that the winter has set in in the northern part of the province all day long large flocks of geese have been seen in the Fraser valley flying southward to warmer climes. The flocks fly high, and seemed wise enough to avoid the corners where men with guns were looking skyward and nervously fingering the triggers.

LACROSSE.

CAPITALS FOR ENGLAND. That professional lacrosse team, the Capitals, of Ottawa, that hangs on to the Minto cup, the emblem of amateur supremacy, will visit England in March next and try conclusions with some of the big teams there. Lacrosse is played now in nearly all the large centres of population in England, but methods are very different. The checking is not nearly as vigorous as that of the Canadians, but many of the Old Country players are good stick handlers and have speed to burn. But there will probably be some trouble in getting games at all. "You can rest assured that the Capitals will get no games in England." So says J. Melrose Macdonald, who was in charge of the Torontoes when the boys in blue



# ACCIDENT INSURANCE FREE OF COST

A few days since, The Times made its first offer of free accident insurance to paid-up subscribers to the paper for a certain length of time. The response has been remarkable, the public showing its appreciation of the opportunity afforded by promptly taking advantage of it. Old subscribers have renewed, new ones have sent in their applications, and many of the latter have come from out-of-town readers. We started this campaign with the object of securing **One Thousand New Subscribers** before the beginning of the year. The offer will remain open during that time, so that those whose subscription to other papers expire in the meantime, can subscribe for The Times and obtain free

## An Accident Policy For \$1,000; A Total Disability Policy For \$500

### THE PAPER

THE TIMES gives all the news of Victoria, Vancouver Island and the Mainland of British Columbia. It contains the full Associated Press News Service, Special Correspondence from Ottawa, Toronto and Coast Points, Weekly Letters from London, Sport, Shipping and Local News, Children's Column and Comic Pages, and, during the Sessions of the Commons and Legislature, Full Reports of the Proceedings.

### THE POLICY

Every holder of one of these policies, between the ages of 16 and 65, is protected by insurance for twelve months, in case of death by accident on any street car, railway train, steamer or other public conveyance propelled by steam, electricity or cable, to the extent of \$1,000. Every holder of one of these policies, between the above-mentioned ages and under the above circumstances is protected by insurance in case of the loss of limbs or eyes, involving total disability, to the extent of \$500.

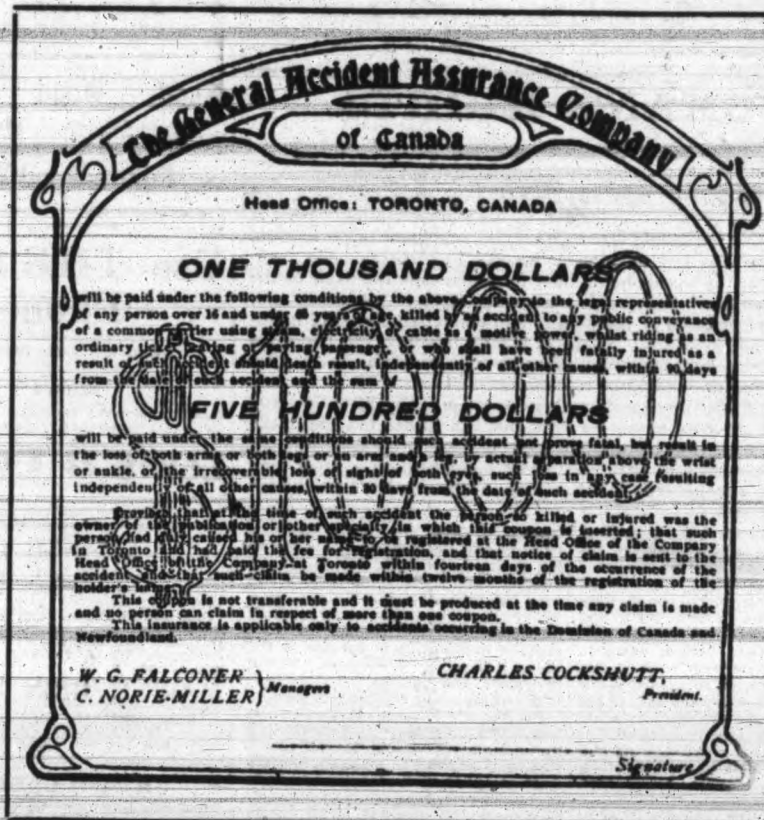
### THE OFFER IS STILL OPEN

DON'T FORGET: You get the daily newspaper every night during the long winter evenings, when it is specially welcome to every member of the family, AT THE REGULAR PRICE. THE TIMES pays your policy premium; we protect our paid-in-advance Subscribers AT OUR OWN EXPENSE. These policies are payable by the

## General Accident Insurance Company of Canada

A Canadian Company of the highest financial standing. They send direct to you a policy, good for one year from date of registration, and the policy is unlimited as to time to be registered. All you are asked to pay is the registration fee of 20 cents. We pay the premium.

Don't you think you should protect your family when it costs nothing but a slight registration fee? Don't imagine that the registration remittance of twenty cents represents the premium on the policy. IT DOES NOT. The Publishers pay a large premium direct to the Insurance Company. The registration coupon and fee of twenty cents overcomes the possibility of dispute on any question of identity. It is not even necessary to have the policy on one's person at the time of the accident; it can be filed away the same as any other valuable document,



### A CHANCE FOR PRESENT SUBSCRIBERS.

Every friend of THE TIMES can help to swell the number of new subscribers to the thousand mark, and we are ready to recognize such efforts in a liberal way.

We will present a \$1,000 Accident Policy to everyone who sends in New Subscribers, accompanied by remittance, as follows:

- For 1 New Subscriber for 3 months to The Daily Times, delivered
- For 1 New Yearly Subscriber to The Daily Times by mail (if outside of Districts Served On Day of Publication.)
- For 2 New Yearly Subscribers to The Twice-a-Week Times, by mail

Where two new Subscribers to the Daily (by mail) for one year are sent in, the sender will receive two \$1,000 policies. Four New Subscribers to the Twice-a-Week Times would also call for two \$1,000 policies.

This will not interfere with the premium offer to New Subscribers themselves, each of whom will be able to take advantage of the offer of a policy to Paid-Up Subscribers for a specified period.

## YOU GET

- The Times Delivered For 3 Months ..... \$2.25
- An Accident Policy for ..... \$1,000
- A Total Disability Policy for ..... \$500

### FOR THE PRICE OF THE TIMES ALONE!

This same offer is open to paid-up subscribers of THE DAILY TIMES for one year, delivered by mail (if outside of districts served on day of publication) \$3, SEMI WEEKLY TIMES for two years, delivered by mail \$2.

## COUPON.

SUBSCRIPTION DEPARTMENT  
TIMES Printing and Publishing Co., Ltd.  
VICTORIA, B. C.

Deliver to my address, The Daily Times for three months ..... \$2.25  
or  
Mail to my address, The Daily Times for one year (if outside of districts served on day of publication) ..... \$3.00  
or  
Mail to my address The Semi-Weekly Times for two years ..... \$2.00

(RUN PENCIL THROUGH THE SERVICES YOU DO NOT REQUIRE.)  
AND FORWARD APPLICATION FORM FOR ACCIDENT POLICY FOR \$1,000 AND TOTAL DISABILITY POLICY FOR \$500 TO BE GIVEN FREE WITH MY SUBSCRIPTION.  
FIND ENCLOSED \$..... TO PAY FOR MY SUBSCRIPTION.

NAME .....  
STREET OR NUMBER .....  
POST OFFICE .....



THE HOUSE WITH THE GREEN SHUTTERS

BY GEORGE DOUGLAS

CHAPTER XI.—(Continued.) It occurred to him also (things were always occurring to Wilson) that the "Seotch Cuddy" business had as fine a chance in "Barbie and surrounding neighborhood" as ever it had in North and Middle England. The "Seotch Cuddy" is so-called because he is a boat of burden, and not from the nature of his wits. He is a travelling packman, who insists communities of working men, and disposes of his goods on the credit system, receiving payment in instalments. You go into a working man's house (when he is a day from home for preference), and laying a swath of cloth across his wife's knee, "What do you think of that, mistress?" you enquire, watching the effect keenly. Instantly all her covetous heart is in her eye, and she looks to herself. "Oh, but John would look well in that at the Kirk on Sunday!" She has no ready money, and would never have the check to go into a draper's and order the suit but when she sees it lying there across her knees, she just cannot resist it. (And fine you know that when you clinched it down before her!) Now that the goods are in the house she cannot bear to let them out the door again. But she has a scarcity of cash. "Tut, woman, what are you bounteous and kind, there?—you ought to be what?—You can pay me in instalments!" How much would the instalments be, she enquires. "Oh, a mere trifle—half-a-crown a week," she hesitates and hankers. "John's Sunday coat's getting quite shabby, so it is, and Tam Macalister has a new suit, she was not in their hands? And there's that Paisley shirt for herself, too; oh, but they would be the catty pair, cooking down the road on Sunday in that rig!" they would take the light frae Meg Macalister's e'en, the Macalisters are always so en-ty-fu!" Love, vanity, covetousness, present opportunity, are all at work upon the poor body. But the half-crown weekly payments—his habit of lengthening instalments out till the packman has made fifty per cent. by the business. And why not?—a man must have some interest on his money! Then there's the risk of bad debts, too—that falls to be considered. But there was little risk of bad debts when Wilson took to cloth-distributing. For success in that cloth depends on pertinacity in pursuit of your victim and Wilson was the man for that.

He was jogging home from Bribabee, where he had been distributing groceries at a score of wee houses, when they flashed on his mind a whole scheme for cloth-distributing on a large scale—for mining villages were clustering in about Barbie by this time, and he saw his way to a big thing.

He was thinking of Sandy Toddlie, who had been a Scotch Cuddy in the Midlands and had retired to Barbie on a snug-bit fortune—he was thinking of Sandy when the plan rose generous on his mind. He would soon have more horses than one on the road—why shouldn't they carry swathes of cloth as well as groceries? If he had responsible men under him, it would be their own interest for a small commission on the profits, to see that payments were levied correctly every week. And those colliers were reckless with their cash, far readier to commit themselves to buying than the canner country bodies round. Lord! there was money in the scheme. No sooner thought of than put in practice. Wilson gave up the cloth-distributing after five or six years—but had other fish to fry by that time—but while he was at it he made money hand-over-fist at the job.

But what boots it to tell of all his schemes? He had the lucky eye—and everything he looked on prospered. Before he had been a week in Barbie he met Gourlay, just at the head of the Brae. In full possession of the bodies. Remembering their first encounter, the grocer tried to outstare him, but Gourlay hardened his glower and the grocer blinked. When the two passed, "I declare!" said the bodies, "did ye see you?"—they're not on speaking terms! And they hatched with glee to think that Gourlay had another enemy.

Judge of their delight when they saw one day about a month later, just as Gourlay was passing up the street, Wilson come down with a load of coals for a customer! For he was often out Auchterweechee road in the early morning, and what was the use of an empty journey back again, especially as he had plenty of time in the middle of the day to attend to other folk's affairs—so in full opposition to Gourlay. "Did you see Gourlay's face?" chuckled the bodies when the cart went by. "You was a bash in the eye to him, Ha, ha!—he's not to have it all his own now!"

Wilson had sold into the carrying in the natural development of business. It was another of the possibilities which he saw and turned to his advantage. The two other chief grocers in the place, Cunningham the dirty, and Calderwood the drunken, having no carts or horses of their own, were dependent on Gourlay for conveyance of their goods from Skeighan. But Wilson brought his own. Naturally, he

was asked by his customers to bring a parcel now and then, and naturally, being the man he was, he made them pay for the privilege. With that for a start the rest was soon accomplished. Gourlay had to pay now for his years of insolence and tyranny; all who had irked beneath his domineering ways got their carrying done by Wilson. Ere long that prosperous gentleman had three carts on the road, and two men under him to help in his various affairs.

Cutting was only one of several new developments in the business of J. W. When the navvies came in about the town, and accommodation was ill to find, Wilson rigged up an old shed in the corner of hisholm as a hostelry for them—and they had to pay through the nose for their night's lodging. Their food they obtained from the Emporium, and thus the Wilsons bled them both ways. Then there was the scheme for supplying milk—another of the "possibilities." Hitherto in winter, Barbie was dependent for its milk supply on heavy farm carts that came lumbering down the morning, jangling bells to waken sleepy customers, and carrying lanterns that carved circles of hairy yellow over the raw air. But Mrs. Wilson got four cows, black-calvers who would be milking strong in December, and supply milk to all the folk about the Cross.

She had a lass to help her in the house now, and the red-headed boy was always to be seen, jinking round corners like a weasel, running messages hot-foot, errand boy to the "business" in general. Yet, though everybody was busy and skelping at it, such a stress of work was accompanied with much disarray. Wilson's yard was the strangest contrast to the eye, everything of the best and every thing in order, since the master's pride would not allow it to be other. But, though Wilson's Emporium was clean, his back yard was littered with dirty straw, broken boxes, old barrels, stinky refuse, and the sky-pointing shafts of carts, uplified in between. When boxes and barrels were flung out of the Emporium they were generally allowed to lie on the dung hill until they were converted into firewood. "Mistress, you're a trifle mixed," said the Provost in grave reproach, when he went round to the back to see Wilson on a matter of business. But Wilson cried Mrs. Wilson, as she threw down a plank to make a path for him across a dub—"Tut," she laughed, "the dear-tyer the cozier!" And the thing went for ever, splendidly in spite of its confusion.

Though trade was brisker in Barbie than it had ever been before, Wilson had already done injury to Gourlay's business as general conveyer. But, hitherto, he had not infringed on the curly one's other monopolies. His chance came at last. He appeared on a market day in front of the Red Lion, a piece of pinky-brown paper in his hand. That was the first telegram he had received by special messenger from Skeighan. It was short and to the point. It ran: "Will buy 300 stone cheese, 8 shillings stone delivery at once," and was signed by a merchant in Poitandie.

Gourlay was talking to old Tarmillan of Irendavie, when Wilson pushed in and addressed Tarmillan, without a glance at the grain merchant. "Have you a kane of cheese to sell, Irendavie?" said Wilson, "I've got a kane of cheese, and he eyed him suspiciously. For what was Wilson spiering for? He wasn't a cheese merchant. "How much the stane are ye seeking for?" said Wilson. "I've just been asking Mr. Gourlay here for seven and six," said Irendavie, "but he wina rise a penny on the seven!" "Fifteen ye seven and six," said Wilson, and slapped his long thin flexible bank book far too ostentatiously against the knuckles of his left hand. "But-but," stammered Irendavie, suspicious still, but melting at the offer, "you have no means of storing cheese?" "Oh," said Wilson, getting in a fine one at Gourlay, "there's no draw-back to it. The ways o' business have changed greatly since steam came close to our doors. It's nothing but vanity nowadays when a country merchant wastes money on a ramshackle of buildings for storing—there's no need for that if he only had brains to develop quick deliveries. Some folk, no doubt, like to build monuments to their own pride, but I'm not one of that kind; there's not enough sense in that to satisfy a man like me. My offer doesn't hold, you understand, unless you deliver the cheese at Skeighan station. Do you accept the condition?" "Oh, yes," said Irendavie, "I'm willing to agree to that."

"I was into the Red Lion then," said Wilson, "and we'll get the bargain with a drink to make it hold the tighter!" Then a strange thing happened. Gourlay had a curious attack of foreign wood (one of the trifles he fed his pride on) the crook of which curved back to the stem, and inhaled, leaving space only for the fingers. The wood was of wonderful toughness, and Gourlay had been known to beat that no man could break the handle of his stick by a single grip over the crook and under it. Yet now, as he saw his bargain whisk away from him and listened to Wilson's jibe, the thing snapped in his grip like a rotten twig. He stared down at the broken pieces for a while, as if wondering how they came there, then dashed them on the ground while Wilson stood smiling by. And then he strode with a look on his face that made the folk fall away. "He's hellish angry," they grinned to each other when their foe was gone, and laughed when they heard the cause of it. "Ha, ha, Wilson's the boy to dandle him!" And yet they looked queer when told that the famous stick had snapped in his grasp like a worm-

IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA B. C. Coast Service. S. S. COMBUN SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT Deposits of \$1.00 and upwards received, and interest paid at highest current rate from date of opening of account, and compounded half-yearly. CAPITAL AUTHORIZED \$5,000,000.00 CAPITAL PAID UP 4,250,000.00 RESERVE FUND 4,250,000.00 Drafts and Circular Letters of Credit Issued. Sterling and Foreign Exchange Bought and Sold. Victoria Branch, J. S. GIBB, Manager.

that a thing so impalpable as gossip should influence so strong a man as John Gourlay to his ruin. But it did. The bodies of Barbie became not only the chorus of Gourlay's tragedy, buzzing it aboard and discussing his downfall; they became also, merely by their maddening-tattle, a villain of the piece and an active cause of the catastrophe. Their gossip seemed to materialize into a single entity, a something propelling that ruined him. He was not to be done, he said; he would show the dogs what he thought of them. And so he plunged headlong, while the wary Wilson watched him, smiling at the sight. There was a pretty halibut brooding in the little town. (To be continued.)

THE ORPHANS' HOME. Effort Will Be Made to Collect Subscriptions Before Annual Meeting. The committee of management of the Protestant Orphans' Home met yesterday afternoon in the city hall. The president, Chas. Hayward, presided, and there were also present Right Rev. Bishop Oridge, the Lord Bishop of Columbia, A. C. Flumerfelt, Ald. E. D. Spencer, J. H. Lawson, Jr., E. Crow Baker, W. S. Fraser, sr., and Secretary Scowcroft. A communication relative to a payment to the home on behalf of one of the boys who was formerly an inmate of it was read. The board decided to ask that the payment be continued on account of a younger brother who is now in the home. Some repairs were recommended to be made by the building and repairs committee. The chairman of the finance committee, W. S. Fraser, reported that 42 new subscribers had been added to the list. The amount collected was \$248. At present there were over 500 on the list of subscribers, and as the financial year closes on November 30th it was decided to have a collector call at an early date upon those in arrears. The annual meeting will be held Tuesday, December 11th, when the accounts will be considered and amendments discussed, after which it was decided to adjourn until Tuesday afternoon next, at 4 o'clock, when the by-laws will be more fully considered.

HINDU CREMATED. The body of Hrudub Singh, a Hindu, who was accidentally killed in the Canadian Pacific Lumber Company's mill at Moody, was cremated there in Oriental fashion on Monday night. A funeral pyre of thoroughly seasoned wood was made a little distance away from any house. On this the body was placed and after being thoroughly anointed with melted butter was covered with a sheet. The torch was then applied, and the Hindus present chanted something in their own tongue, and performed certain rites. When the body had been reduced to ashes, they were solemnly gathered up and preserved.

WHEN LONG BREATHS HURT. You know that troubles exist which need quick attention. Proper action consists in a vigorous rubbing of the chest and side with Nerviline, which sinks into the tissues where the pain is seated, and gives relief in a few minutes. No liniment so clean, so strong, so powerful a result guaranteed with every tin. Bottle of Poison's Nerviline. Get it to-day.

Gas pipes of paper are being made in France. Manila paper is cut in strips equal to the length of the pipes to be made. These are then placed in a receptacle filled with water and wrapped around a core of iron until the desired thickness is reached. After being submitted to strong pressure the paper is coated with sand, cooled, and then covered with a waterproof preparation. It is claimed that these pipes are as good as and more economical than metal ones.

WOMAN'S RIGHTS. The Dignity and Sacredness of Motherhood. Think of the greatest man who has ever lived upon this earth, and then think of him as he lay, an infant, in his mother's arms. Does it seem possible that he should have grown, become great in the world's estimate and perhaps had monuments erected to perpetuate his memory, and yet that the world should have forgotten even the name of the woman who bore him? The son's work is the mother's primarily and, therefore, the recognition of the dignity and tender sacredness of motherhood should no longer be delayed. It is high time that this country's greatest treasures—THE WOMEN WHO HAVE CONTRIBUTED LARGELY TO MAKE IT WHAT IT IS—should be recognized. Why should not these good mothers be given the right to vote and have a voice in our government—a right that is accorded to some of the most ignorant, most insignificant and vilest of men? It has been well said that "for every monument to a great man there should be a monument to his mother and the mother's monument should be built first."

But it is not so much the purpose of this brief article to advocate the just rights and privileges due to the women of this country, although it has afforded the writer great pleasure to pen the foregoing brief tribute to their worth and just deserts, as it is to call attention to the fact that when broken down in health and strength by over-work, the too frequent bearing of children, the never ending toil, worry and care of the household, or by whatever may overtax the strength and delicacy of her sensitive system, there is one, tried and proven, safe remedy upon which she may rely to regain health, strength and the power to fully enjoy life. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription—a remedy made wholly from the roots of native forest plants which have been proven to be most efficacious, reliable and safe in the cure of woman's peculiar weaknesses, periodical pains, irregularities, wasting and weakening, neuralgia, pelvic drains and kindred ailments. It is a remedy, the kind; there's not enough sense in that to satisfy a man like me. My offer doesn't hold, you understand, unless you deliver the cheese at Skeighan station. Do you accept the condition?" "Oh, yes," said Irendavie, "I'm willing to agree to that."

As a powerful invigorating tonic, Favorite Prescription imparts lasting strength to the whole system and to the organs distinctly feminine in particular. For over-worked, worn-out, run-down, debilitated teachers, milliners, dressmakers, seamstresses, shop-girls, housekeepers, nursing mothers, and feeble women generally, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the greatest earthly boon, being unequalled as an appetizing cordial and restorative tonic. As a soothing and strengthening nerve, Favorite Prescription is unequalled and is invaluable in allaying and subduing nervous excitability, irritability, nervous exhaustion, nervous prostration, neuralgia, hysteria, spasms, St. Vitus's dance, and other distressing, nervous symptoms commonly attendant upon functional and organic disease of the womanly organs. It induces refreshing sleep and relieves mental anxiety and despondency.

No woman suffering from any of the above symptoms can afford to accept any secret nostrum or medicine of unknown composition, as a substitute for a medicine like Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which is of known composition and has a record of over forty years of cures and sells more largely to-day than ever before. Its makers withhold no secrets from their patients, believing open publicity to be the very best guaranty of merit. Dr. Pierce invites all suffering women to consult him by letter free of charge. All letters of consultation are held as strictly private and sacredly confidential, and all answers are returned in plain, sealed envelopes. Address: Dr. R. V. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y.

headaches, dizzy or fainting spells, is nervous and easily startled, has gnawing-pain in stomach, sees imaginary floating specks, or spots before her eyes, has melancholia, or "blues," or a weakening disagreeable, catarrhal drain from pelvic organs; she can make no mistake by resorting to the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It will invigorate and tone up the whole system and especially the pelvic organs. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a scientific medicine, carefully devised by an experienced and skillful physician, and adapted to woman's delicate system. Being made of native American medicinal roots, and without alcohol, it is perfectly harmless in its effects in any condition of the female system. As a powerful invigorating tonic, Favorite Prescription imparts lasting strength to the whole system and to the organs distinctly feminine in particular. For over-worked, worn-out, run-down, debilitated teachers, milliners, dressmakers, seamstresses, shop-girls, housekeepers, nursing mothers, and feeble women generally, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the greatest earthly boon, being unequalled as an appetizing cordial and restorative tonic. As a soothing and strengthening nerve, Favorite Prescription is unequalled and is invaluable in allaying and subduing nervous excitability, irritability, nervous exhaustion, nervous prostration, neuralgia, hysteria, spasms, St. Vitus's dance, and other distressing, nervous symptoms commonly attendant upon functional and organic disease of the womanly organs. It induces refreshing sleep and relieves mental anxiety and despondency.

No woman suffering from any of the above symptoms can afford to accept any secret nostrum or medicine of unknown composition, as a substitute for a medicine like Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which is of known composition and has a record of over forty years of cures and sells more largely to-day than ever before. Its makers withhold no secrets from their patients, believing open publicity to be the very best guaranty of merit. Dr. Pierce invites all suffering women to consult him by letter free of charge. All letters of consultation are held as strictly private and sacredly confidential, and all answers are returned in plain, sealed envelopes. Address: Dr. R. V. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y.

Delicate, weak, nervous women should especially shun the use of alcoholic medicines which, from their stimulating and exhilarating effects may seem, for a time, to do good, but which, from the inevitable effects of the alcohol, in shrinking up the red corpuscles of the blood, are sure to do great and lasting harm in the long run. Besides they beget a craving for stimulants which is most deplorable. "Favorite Prescription" is the one remedy for woman's ills which contains no alcohol. Only invigorating and nerve strengthening effects can follow the use of this famous medicine for women. It can not possibly do harm in any state or condition of the system. If a woman has bearing down, or dragging pains, low down in the abdomen, or pelvic, backache, frequent

Wanted Furniture, Stoves, Farming Implements, Waggon, etc., At THE ARK, COR. BROAD AND PANDORA STS. Phone 1164.

J. E. PAINTER GENERAL TEAMSTER. WOOD AND COAL AT Current Rates. Wood cut any required length by electric machinery. Truck and Dray work promptly attended to. RESIDENCE, 11 PINE ST., V. W.

WRY WASTE MONEY and Get POOR PICTURES? FLEMING BROS., 50 1-2 GOV'T ST. Over Sonner's Store. JUST ARRIVED Large shipment of Chinese Pongee, Cotton Crepe, of all colors and prices, for sale by piece or by yard, or in any quantity required, at lowest prices. V. H. YUN & CO. 15 and 17 Comorant Street, Next the Fire Department. Telephone 24.

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RY. TIME TABLE NO. 1. Daily. Northbound, Southbound. Leave. Arrive. Sat. Sun. and Wed. Northbound, Southbound. Leave. Arrive. P.M. P.M. P.M. P.M. Victoria 9:00 12:06 Victoria 2:00 6:55 Cobble Hill 10:40 10:40 Cobble Hill 4:30 5:22 Duncraig 11:00 10:02 Duncan 4:58 4:58 Nanaimo 12:35 8:15 Nanaimo 6:30 3:15 Wellington Ar. 12:53 De. 2:00 Wellington Ar. 6:45 De. 3:00

THROUGH TICKETS TO CROFTON. Via Westholme. Stage leaves daily, except Sundays, connecting with trains. Double stage service Saturdays and Wednesdays. Single fare, \$2.40; return fare, \$3.80. Excursion rates between all stations Saturdays and Sundays, final limit Monday.

THE Comfortable WAY. TICKET AND FREIGHT OFFICE 75 GOVERNMENT ST. 2--Transcontinental Trains Daily--2. Oriental Express leaves Seattle 5:30 a. m., East Mail leaves Seattle 2 p. m. Connection from Victoria via S. E. Indianapolis. GREAT NORTHERN S. S. CO. FOR JAPAN AND CHINA. S. S. Dakota, November 25th, 1906. JAPAN-AMERICAN S. S. LINE. S. S. TANGO Maru will sail on Nov. 15th, 1906, for Japan and China ports, carrying freight and passengers. For rates, folders and full information call on or address E. R. STEPHEN General Agent. 75 Government Street, Victoria, B. C.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM. Solid wide Vestibule Trains of Coaches and SLEEPING CARS BETWEEN CHICAGO, LONDON, HAMILTON, TORONTO, MONTREAL, QUEBEC, PORTLAND, BOSTON. And the Principal Business Centers of Ontario, Quebec and the Maritime Provinces. Longest Double-track Route under one management on the American Continent. GEO. W. VAUK, Assistant Gen'l Passenger and Ticket Agent, 130 Adams St., CHICAGO, ILL.

NORTHERN PACIFIC. Operating the NORTH COAST LIMITED the Up-to-Date Train. "ATLANTIC STEAMSHIP AGENCY." Greatly reduced rates across Atlantic by all lines. A. D. CHARLTON, E. E. BLACKWOOD, General Agent, Victoria, B.C. TO DAWSON, ATLIN, FORTY-MILE & LOWER YUKON RIVER POINTS. The only way to reach the above points is via WHITE PASS AND YUKON ROUTE from Skagway; daily (except Sunday) trains connect at WHITE HORSE with our OWN tri-weekly stages for DAWSON. For full information apply to J. H. ROGERS, Traffic Manager, Mackinon Building, Vancouver, B.C.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St Paul Railway, 134 Third St. "THE MILWAUKEE" "Pioneer Limited," St. Paul to Chicago. "Overland Limited," Omaha to Chicago. "Southwest Limited," Kansas City to Chicago. No train in the service of any railroad in the world equals in equipment that of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway. They own and operate their own sleeping and dining cars and give their patrons an excellence of service not obtainable elsewhere. Better in their sleepers are longer, higher and wider than in similar cars on other lines. They project 1 1/2 trains by the Block system.

Lewis & Evans, Cor. Government and Tronace Aves. PHONE 12. A CHANCE YET To secure a snap at bottom prices, as they are still some bargains in TOOLS AT ALBION IRON WORKS CO. Stock-Steel Plates, Iron, Valves, Brass Goods, etc., etc., in large quantities, not yet sold. Call at the old premises of the Company. Write or inquire for particulars at the

MARINE IRON WORKS. PEMBROKE ST., VICTORIA, B. C. ANDREW GRAY, Prop. Res. Tel. 100. Office Tel. 611. SHOW CASES. We manufacture Up-to-Date Show Cases, Book Cases, Hold and Office Filing Cabinets, Counters, Shelving, Mantels, Desks, Art Grills and Mirrors. Order Furniture a Specialty. DICKSON & HOWES, Phone 1165. 121-123 Johnson St.

Ladies' Tailoring Parlors. ROOM 1, MOODY BLOCK. SPRINKLING & CO. MERCHANT TAILORS. Room 2, Moody Block, Up-Stairs. 704 YATES STREET. ENGINES FOR SALE. One horizontal engine, 12-inch dia., 18-inch stroke, with C. I. sub base, fly wheel, etc., complete. One horizontal engine, 6-inch dia., 8-inch stroke, with C. I. sub base, complete. Further particulars apply to H. R. ELIASSON, Care of B.C. Furniture Co., Victoria, B.C.

Oceanic S.S. Co. HAWAII, SANDWICH ISLANDS, AUSTRALIA, SOUTH AFRICA, SOUTH AMERICA. S. S. SIERRA, for Honolulu, Samoa, Auckland and Sydney, Nov. 15, 2 p. m. S. S. MAHIPOA, for Tahiti, Nov. 22, 11 a. m. S. S. ALAMEDA, for Honolulu, Nov. 24, 11 a. m. (S. S. SUPERIOR & BROS. SO., Agents, Ticket Office, 543 Market St., Victoria. Freight Office, 323 Market St., Pier No. 7, Pacific St., R. P. RITHEAT & CO., LTD., Victoria.

The Seamen's Institute. 12 LANGLEY STREET. Free reading room for seamen and sea-faring men. Open daily from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. Sunday, 2 to 5 p. m.

For South Eastern Alaska. Connecting at Skagway with the W. P. & Y. Railway. LEAVE SEATTLE, 9 P. M. S. S. Cottage City, Humboldt, or City of Seattle, Nov. 2, 10. Steamers connect at San Francisco with Company's steamers for ports in California, Mexico and Humboldt Bay. For further information obtain folder. Right is reserved to change steamers or sailing dates. TICKET OFFICES. VICTORIA, 75 Government and St. Wharf Sts. R. P. RITHEAT & Co. Ltd., Agents. G. D. DUNNAN, Gen. Passenger Agent, 10 Market St., San Francisco.

The North Western Line. Is quick to recognize and patronize the line offering the best value for their money. The "BEST OF EVERYTHING" is to be found on

F. W. PARKER, General Agent. 720 Second Avenue, Seattle

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. CURE FOR ALL KIDNEY DISEASES. GOUT, RHEUMATISM, GRAVEL, BRONCHITIS, DIABETES, BACKACHE, HEADACHE, NEURALGIA, MIGRAINE, INDIGESTION, BILIOUSNESS, AND ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE URINARY SYSTEM.



SMALL IN SIZE GREAT IN RESULTS

Times Classified Ads.

REAL ESTATE DIRECTORY.

WANTED-MALE HELP. Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. WANTED-A handy boy to learn picture framing. Apply to Mrs. Purser, Oak street, or Tolmie avenue.

There is no apology necessary for any of the ads. in the want columns of the Times. Each one of them represents a genuine want, and under no circumstances is any fake advertising permitted in the Times.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

BUILDER & GENERAL CONTRACTOR. THOMAS CATERALL-18 Broad street. Building in all its branches, shaft work and general jobbing. Tel. 523.

LEE & FRASER, REAL ESTATE AGENTS, 11 TROUNCE AVE., VICTORIA, B. C. HOUSES FOR SALE. \$2,500-Eight roomed house on Superior street, 8 minutes' walk from Post Office.

THE DOMINION REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE. 24 1/2 Government Street. Telephone 1281. WE HAVE on our list about a score of choice fruit and chicken ranches, or acreage suitable for fruit or chicken raising.

BEAUMONT BOGGS REAL ESTATE AGENT, 6 FORT STREET. Established 1880. Phone 33. SAANICH-Water front, close to station, 4 acres, part cultivated and pasture, good stream, dwelling, barn and orchard.

WANTED-MALE HELP. Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion.

WANTED-MALE HELP. Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion.

WANTED-MALE HELP. Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion.

WANTED-MALE HELP. Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion.

WANTED-MALE HELP. Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion.



EX. S. S. "TELEMACHUS"

NEW CROP

Extra Fine SMYRNA FIGS Arrived

2-lb. Boxes... 25c. Extra large specially selected Smyrna Figs, per lb... 25c. These Figs are the finest ever shipped out of the port of Smyrna.

DIXIE H. ROSS & CO.

PROGRESSIVE GROCERS. 11 GOVERNMENT ST. FRESH AND DRY FRUIT IMPORTERS. R. 1915

TREVOR KEENE

AUCTIONEER AND APPRAISER. TEL. 472.

OLDEST ESTABLISHED AUCTION BUSINESS IN CITY. Instructed by Mrs. Bell, Franklin street, will sell by

Public Auction

Excellent Furniture, etc. Removed from residence for convenience of sale.

FRIDAY, NOV. 9th, 2 p.m.

At Salerooms, 71 and 73 Douglas Street. Including: HAYNES CABINET GRAND PIANO. Upholstered Drawing Room Suite and English Chintz Covers, Mahogany Table and Chairs, Hand Carved Centre Table, Oak Extension Table, 5 Dining Chairs, Oak Dinner Wagon, Liquor Stand and Glass Decanters, Old Mahogany Bedstead, Bedroom Suite, Chest of Drawers, Corner Dressing Table, Single and Iron Bedsteads, Cutlery, Glass and China-ware, Kitchen Utensils, Tennis Net, 2 Stop Nets, 12 ft. x 30 ft. Almost New Mexican Side Saddle, Thoroughbred Fowls, Books, including the Works of Bulwer Lytton, Balzac, Stories by English, American and Foreign Authors, etc.

Trevor Keene, Auctioneer.

BIG AUCTION SALE

JEWELRY

Shakespeare's

31 Government St.

Is Still Going on

All persons wanting goods for Xmas presents should take advantage of this sale, as it is an opportunity seldom offered to the public to buy first-class jewelry stock at their own price. We would again emphasize the fact that we have no auction stock, as is usual at such sales. The goods we are offering you consist of our regular line and each article sold carries with it as strong a guarantee as if bought over the counter in the regular way. The sale continues every night this week at 8 o'clock and every afternoon at 2 o'clock, with the exception of to-morrow (Wednesday) afternoon. Our entire stock is on sale privately at any time during the continuance of sale at auction prices.

L. EATON & CO. AUCTIONEERS

The People's Auction Rooms 48 YATES STREET (Below Gov.) Auction Sale On THURSDAY EVENING AT 8 O'CLOCK. We will clear out the balance of our stock of Ladies' Raincoats, Shoes, Carpets, Men's Hats, Underwear, Blankets, Sweaters, Towels, etc. Come early if you want to get in. N. BRAUNSTEIN AUCTIONEER. 48 YATES ST.

APPLES

PER BOX \$1.25 KING APPLES \$1.50

THE WEST END GROCERY COMPANY

PHONE 44. 46 GOVERNMENT STREET. P. O. BOX 566.

"Hubbuck's" Genuine White Lead "Hubbuck's" Genuine Pale Boiled Linseed Oil Peter McQuade & Son

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. 78 WHARF STREET.

A House With a Reputation to Maintain

That we should try to out-do former efforts is logical, being that our well known policy is to progress under all conditions and at all times. Our brilliant record to past seasons adds greater impulse to our desire to do even better than we have done. It is this fact that has brought to perfection our long experience and skill in the furnishing and clothing business. Suits, \$15.00 up. Coats, \$19.99 up. Fancy Wool Vests, \$2.50 up. A collection of LADIES' KID Gloves that has no equal on the coast.

Finch and Finch

57 Government Street.

ATTEMPT TO CRUSH THE NEW LABOR PARTY

President Gray Makes Strong Comment on Work of Socialists at Vancouver Convention.

President Gray, of the Trades and Labor Council, at the regular meeting of that body last night, presented a lengthy report on the results of the meeting recently held in Vancouver to form a labor party. In this report he clearly indicates that the Labor element and Socialists are distinct, and that the latter made a deliberate and unadvised attempt to deprive the infant labor party of its life. Furthermore, Mr. Gray says that this movement must have been in process of organization for some time.

Before the report was taken up some routine business was disposed of. Credentials were received from two newly organized unions, from Messrs. W. Tyson and H. Randolph, representing the "Barker's" Union, and from Messrs. F. W. Garland and George Hampson of the Cook's and Walter's Union. The executive reported that they had advised the drydock laborers to lay their grievances of delayed pay days before Ralph Smith, M. P., who is at present visiting the district.

After some further business of minor importance Mr. Gray submitted his report. This was greeted with enthusiasm, and was carried almost unanimously, only one dissentient voice being heard. The report follows:

Members of the Council:—As your delegate to the Vancouver Labor convention I have to report that as the result of the convention the Canadian Labor Party of British Columbia has been successfully formed, and is now in active existence, and that in spite of a movement strongly manoeuvred with the intention of dividing the Labor party at its birth, the Trades and Labor Congress delegates from all Canada at the Victoria meeting, carefully and earnestly discussed the formation of a Canadian Labor party. Several unions had sent resolutions to the council urging the formation of such a party. Your council sent the following straight declaration: "That a Canadian Labor party should be formed, and that it should be a party with a combined parliamentary and municipal platform, to which all candidates and all joining members should be firmly pledged, and you further sent to the congress eleven resolutions, the substance of which should find a place in the party platform. All these matters you will remember were carefully discussed in this room, and you were asked to give your opinion on them, and these were carried in your decisions. The Trades and Labor Congress bunched all the resolutions on this matter, and decided by 56 votes to 7 to endorse the idea of sending representatives to Labor at its birth, and further that the provincial executive call a convention for the purpose of forming the necessary association to carry on these or the work of electing labor men."

This was the feeling of congress, the foregoing extracts are contained in the Draper resolution which was passed with only seven dissentients, and these were either pledged members of the Socialist party of Canada or Socialist adherents. I made a full report of the action of congress in this matter to your council, and the reception of the report was proof that you endorsed such action. The British Columbia executive called the Vancouver convention for the formation of the party, and you endorsed it. At my election I declared to you that I was aware that attempts would be made to sidetrack the proposed Labor party, and that I would at the convention stand out for "Labor and Labor only," and would definitely resist any attempt to down the movement, and further declared that if any other party appeared in evidence at the convention with any objects hostile to straight labor, that I would come right out. The endorsement of this attitude by your council seemed to me to be unanimous, and I attended the convention with that understanding. Reports had reached me from Vancouver and elsewhere that two attempts would be made to down the Labor party movement, one by the Liberals and one by the Socialists. The report re the Liberals was groundless—only one adherent of the Liberal party came to me with any suggestion, and he came entirely on his own responsibility. The reports re the Socialist intentions have been clearly shown to be correct. A deliberate and determined attempt was made to deprive the infant Labor party of life at the first indications of birth, and this movement must have been in the process of organization for some time. The Western Federation of Miners, who were not represented at the Trades and Labor Congress, were largely represented at the Vancouver convention, and their efforts to strangle the Canadian Labor party at its birth and to back the Labor party of life at the first indications of birth, and this movement must have been in the process of organization for some time. The tactics used by the Socialist adherents at Vancouver on

the lines laid down by the Nelson convention, I am of opinion that the anti-straight Labor movement was solidified and the forces rallied up by the Nelson convention. These delegates came from the far distant mining centres and evidently at great expense, and for what? To deny the right of non-Socialist Labor men to organize for their own protection on lines more acceptable to Labor generally than those laid down by the Socialist party of Canada. The attempt failed, and I feel sorry that for this purpose so much money had been spent when it could have been used for other and better purposes. When I learned three weeks ago that an attempt would be made to sidetrack our movement I set to work to arrange a plan of action to prevent this, and I went to Vancouver with an almost complete draft of a constitution and a possible platform of the Canadian Labor party, no matter what would happen. The very moment that the convention delegates assembled I moved the motion for the formation of the Canadian Labor party to take the chair at the opening was questioned by a delegate, who acted at a late stage was responsible for the tricky "proportionate representation" move. When the credentials were received the question of representation came up, and it was moved that delegates be allowed to record one vote for every 50 members or fractional part thereof of the unions represented by them. I saw danger in this move at once, as the motion was at once supported by the Socialist adherents, and Delegate Davidson, M. P., asked in addition that proxy voting be allowed. As an amendment I moved that the delegates be allowed to have one vote, and one only. The motion for proportional representation was carried by a vote of 27 to 21, several non-Socialists were tricked into voting for the motion, and the delegates for "fair play," etc. As soon as this advantage was gained, our opponents dropped the masks and reached out for the life of the Canadian Labor party. Delegate Davidson, the member for Slocan, while denying direct connection with the Socialist party of Canada, at once took the lead of the Socialist movement, and moved a motion to the effect that it would be unwise to form another Labor party, and instead that the delegates should go home and study Socialism. The straight Labor men at once realized that they had been trapped, and the delegates adopted a system of voting must have carried. Many of these men declared that they would leave the convention at once, but I remain until we could arrange a movement to outflank our opponents. I replied to Delegate Davidson's motion, and on Monday evening called a meeting of non-Socialists to discuss the situation, and it was unanimously decided that we withdraw on Tuesday morning at 10.5 and go on with the business for which we were sent to the convention. On Tuesday morning Delegate Davidson (Vancouver), on behalf of the straight Labor delegates, moved "the previous question." This would have had the effect of putting the motion against the formation of the party at once to the vote. A roll call vote showed the strength of our opponents to be 20 votes, and the straight vote was 27 delegates for us and 22 against.

In accordance with our previous arrangement, the straight Labor delegates once left the room amongst themselves being the preliminary officers of the convention, Chairman Williams (Vancouver), Vice-Chairman Davidson (Vancouver), and Secretary Perry (Vancouver) assembled and I moved to the effect "that this meeting of delegates assembled who have been sent to this convention to form a Labor party separate and distinct from the existing parties, do now proceed with the formation of the British Columbia section of the Canadian Labor Party." The motion was carried, and we proceeded to elect officers. The name adopted was the "Canadian Labor Party of British Columbia." The objects, platform containing 15 planks, candidates' pledge, a combined parliamentary and municipal platform, and a resolution to be adopted at the close of the business finished on Wednesday afternoon. You have been told that the Socialists captured the convention, but this statement is ridiculous. The Canadian Labor Party of British Columbia has been properly formed by the delegates sent to Vancouver to form it, and formed in the manner intended in spite of all the carefully planned attempts to prevent its formation.

A letter was read from the union at Buckingham Mills, asking for financial assistance for the families of the union officials who were shot during the strike troubles there. Ten dollars were voted from the council funds and a subscription will be taken up for the same purpose at the next meeting of the council.

The question of holding a public meeting to discuss the shortage of labor problem was held over until the next meeting.

—Ladies' golf jerseys, shevelets, a bargain at \$1.50; clearing at \$1. Robinson's cash store, 86 Yates street.

From the press of the celebrated Wynken de Wurde the first book containing musical characters was issued in 1465.

At the close of the week the barometer is rising again in the adjoining states and there are indications of fairer and colder weather in this part of the province.

At Victoria, there were only 11 hours recorded of bright sunshine; the highest temperature was 54.3 on 4th, and lowest, 42.2 on 1st; rain, 1.75 inches.

At Vancouver—Highest temperature, 52 on 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th; lowest, 37 on 2nd; rain, 2.17 inches.

At New Westminster—Highest, 54 on 2nd; lowest, 36 on 1st; rain, 2.44 inches.

At Kamloops—Highest, 54 on 5th; lowest, 30 on 1st; precipitation, 6.18 inch.

At Barkerville—Highest, 38 on 6th; lowest, 14 on 2nd; precipitation, 0.86 inch.

At Port Simpson—Highest, 48 on 2nd; lowest, 20 on 1st and 2nd; rain, 0.48 inch.

At Atlin—Highest, 36 on 1st; lowest, 10 on 2nd; precipitation, 0.86 inch.

At Dawson—Highest, 22 on 1st; lowest, 4 below zero on 5th and 6th; trace of snow.

WEILER BROS.

Pretty Screens

There are many pretty Screens in our Government Street Window—such as Oak Screens, tastefully upholstered in Denim, three-fold, 5 ft 4 in high, 4 ft 8 in wide, for \$8.00 Mahogany and Oak Screens, upholstered in Art Muslins, 5 ft high, 4 ft 6 in wide, for \$2.50



Jap Screens

Most effective and fashionable for Drawing Room and Den decoration. Most useful also when the fire is laid and not in use. The prices are very moderate indeed—from 85c up.

Our Windows Are Only the Shell—the Kernel Is Inside. To Inspect Which You Are Always Heartily Welcome at

WEILER BROS. HOME, HOTEL AND CLUB FURNISHERS—VICTORIA, B. C.

1914

POLICE COMMISSIONERS.

Board Met Yesterday Afternoon and Transacted Usual Routine.

The police commissioners held a short meeting yesterday afternoon to transact the regular routine business of the month. There were present, the Mayor, Commissioners Douglas and Mable, Chief of Police Langley and Clerk Spaulding. The chief submitted the following report for the past month: Gephens:—I have the honor to submit my report of police department work for the month of October, as follows: Police Court Record—Convictions, 37; sent for trial, 6; discharged, 4; sent to asylum, 1; safe-keeping, 2; total, 48. Cases collected during the month, 11,851. Patrol Wagon Record—Received from trucks, 33; other sources, 25; approximate saving, \$11.50; total, \$6.50. Number of calls, 73. Meals for prisoners, 379.5. This report was adopted. The chief of police recommended that Constable Fry, having had a suit of private clothes destroyed in a raid in Chinatown, be recompensed for the same. Commissioner Douglas, in regard to this application, said that he considered it was unfair to recompense the police for the loss of, or damage to, their clothes while on duty when the firemen were not indemnified in the same manner. His Worship said that while he agreed that the firemen should either be provided with uniforms or recompensed for the loss of their clothes, the matter was out of their jurisdiction, and should not have any bearing on the application before the board. As far as he knew the firemen would receive uniforms as soon as the city could provide them. The request was granted, and Constable Fry will be fully compensated. The board also recommended that the matter of the recovery of Detective Sergeant Palmer, who had been confined to the Jubilee hospital for several weeks with typhoid fever. The clerk was instructed to write Mr. Palmer a letter conveying the congratulations of the board. This was all before the commissioners, who adjourned at 4 o'clock.

WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

Victoria Meteorological Office. 21st October to 6th November, 1906. The week has been chiefly unsettled and stormy, with a succession of disturbances of the Pacific coast, and a continuation during the greater part of the week of cold and rainy weather. The pressure at the beginning of the week was high in the North Pacific states and the southern part of the province, but on the last night a low area developed on the American coast and gradually increasing in strength and extent, the prevailing factor in the weather of this Western district. The pressure rapidly decreased, and on the 5th instant had fallen to 30.21 inches at this station. The rainfall has been heavy in this southern portion of British Columbia and in the adjoining states of Oregon and Washington, and a thunderstorm occurred at Tatonah on the 5th. Heavy north-west winds, fall at Barkerville and Atlin, and in the Yukon the weather has been much colder, and for the first time this season the mercury at Dawson fell below the zero point.

The weather has caused heavy winds and gales on the outside waters and at some inland points in Oregon and Washington. The following high winds were reported: Northhead, on the 2nd, 52 miles from the southwest; and again, later on, 22 and 35 miles from the southeast; Tatonah, 60 miles southwest; Seattle, 40 miles south; and Portland, 30 miles south. The weather has been cold, and at the close of the week a white frost occurred at this station. East of the Rockies the pressure has varied under the influence of low barometer areas from the ocean moving inland to the middle west provinces. In the Yukon the barometer has been abnormally high. Several inches of snow fell at Edmonton and other districts, and light falls of rain and sleet in the southern sections.

At the close of the week the barometer is rising again in the adjoining states and there are indications of fairer and colder weather in this part of the province.

At Victoria, there were only 11 hours recorded of bright sunshine; the highest temperature was 54.3 on 4th, and lowest, 42.2 on 1st; rain, 1.75 inches.

At Vancouver—Highest temperature, 52 on 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th; lowest, 37 on 2nd; rain, 2.17 inches.

At New Westminster—Highest, 54 on 2nd; lowest, 36 on 1st; rain, 2.44 inches.

At Kamloops—Highest, 54 on 5th; lowest, 30 on 1st; precipitation, 6.18 inch.

At Barkerville—Highest, 38 on 6th; lowest, 14 on 2nd; precipitation, 0.86 inch.

At Port Simpson—Highest, 48 on 2nd; lowest, 20 on 1st and 2nd; rain, 0.48 inch.

At Atlin—Highest, 36 on 1st; lowest, 10 on 2nd; precipitation, 0.86 inch.

Clover Hay for Cows \$12 Ton

Lay in Your Stock for Winter before the Price Goes Up. FREE DELIVERY. SYLVESTER FEED CO., 87-89 YATES ST



Why?

Why waste money on eye shades when we can sell you the very latest portable or fixed desk lamps at very little more than the cost of an eye shade?

HINTON ELECTRIC CO., Ltd.

25 Government Street, Victoria. H1902

GOOD BREAD. You Can Get it by Using Calgary Hungarian Flour

ASK YOUR GROCER

E. B. MARVIN & CO.

74 Wharf Street, Victoria, B. C.

For Marine Hardware, Yacht and Launch Supplies Manila, Hemp and Cotton Cordage. Local, Canadian and British White Lead and Paints. Tar Pitch, Rosin and Oakum, Cotton Duck and Flax Canvas, Flags, Galvanized and Black Steel Wire Rope

The Taylor Mill Co.

LIMITED LIABILITY. Dealers in Lumber, Sash, Doors and all Kinds of Building Material. Mill, Office and Yards, North Government Street, Victoria, B. C. P. O. Box 628. Telephone 564

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Published by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Nov. 8-5 a.m.—The high pressure area is moving inland through the province and the North Pacific states. Heavy rain has fallen during the last 24 hours in Oregon and Washington; 2.46 inches at Portland, 1.30 at Northhead, and 1.02 at Walla Walla; the weather north of California is cloudy and cold, and there are indications of another disturbance approaching the Oregon coast. In the prairie provinces a storm area is central at Winnipeg; the weather is cold and unsettled, with snowfall in the western and rain in the eastern sections.

Forecasts. For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Friday: Victoria and vicinity—Northerly and easterly winds, generally fair and cold. Lower Mainland—Light or moderate winds, generally fair and cold.

Reports. Victoria—Barometer, 30.15; temperature, 42; minimum, 37; wind, 4 miles N. E.; weather, cloudy. San Francisco—Barometer, 30.05; temperature, 36; minimum, 34; wind, calm; weather, clear. Kamloops—Barometer, 30.34; temperature, 44; minimum, 30; wind, 8 miles S. E.; weather, cloudy. Barkerville—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, 22; minimum, 20; wind, calm; snow, 10; weather, clear. San Francisco—Barometer, 30.05; temperature, 34; minimum, 34; wind, 4 miles N. W.; weather, clear. Port Simpson—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, 35; minimum, 22; wind, calm; weather, cloudy. Edmonton—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, 24; minimum, 24; wind, 4 miles N. W.; snow, 40; weather, cloudy.

—Ladies' flannellette night gowns in plain white, pink or stripes; worth 60c. and 75c. 1st month, 60c. Robinson's cash store, 86 Yates street.

A new mercury deposit is said to have been discovered at Wiederschwing, in Carinthia, Austria, a little to the west of Carlsola, where similar deposits extend from Idria to Neumarkt. The deposit is thought to be extensive.

Notice is hereby given that in order to qualify as voters at the forthcoming Municipal Elections as householders, such persons are required, during the month of November, to make and subscribe before a Supreme or County Court Judge, Stipendiary or Police Magistrate, Justice of the Peace or Notary Public, or Clerk of the Municipality, the statutory declaration provided by the Municipal Elections Act. NOTE—Assessed real estate owners and those who have bought real estate in the Municipality during 1906, are requested to call at the Municipal Office, 21 Chancery Chambers, Langley street, and, if though not required to make this declaration, see that their names are duly entered. J. S. FLOYD, Clerk. Victoria, B. C., 1st November, 1906.

A BUSINESS PROPOSITION given publicity in Times want ads is sure of consideration. They go into a man's private office, his home, go into his car or the street cars with him, and compel his attention.